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GILFORD, N.H. - FREE

GHS names top 10 graduating seniors

BY ERIN PLUMMER

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Among the top 10 graduating seniors at Gilford High School are aspiring future engineers and medical workers, and they will be going everywhere from UNH to Harvard.

The top 10 seniors are Valedictorian Conner Leggett, Salutatorian Christian Workman, Brendan Bergman, Taryn Breton, Jillian Lachapelle, Kaia Langathianos, Gabrielle Podmore, Madison Relf, Aria Stephan, and Michele Young.

"It feels like (my) hard work has really paid off," Podmore said.

Workman said he was surprised to find out he was salutatori-



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Gilford High School's top 10 seniors. From left to right: Back row: Kaia Langathianos, Madison Relf, Jillian Lachapelle, Michele Young, Aria Stephan, Taryn Breton, and Gabrielle Podmore. Front row: salutatorian Christian Workman, valedictorian Conner Leggett, and Brendan Bergman.

UNH, saying she is interested in marketing and advertising.

In GHS Podmore is in a number of clubs and plays lacrosse. She is president of the Spanish Club and said she really likes doing Art Club and Environmental Club too.

Stephan will be going to Clarkson University, where she will be double majoring in Chemical Engineering and Mechanical Engineering. She said she wants to pursue a career as an engineer. Stephan said Interact Club one of the most special organizations for her. She has been involved since starting high school and has been the president. Stephan said it feels good to help people out.

Langathianos will be going to Barnard College. She is undecided on her major, but said she wants to go into law in some form.

She is especially involved in the theater department as is president of French Club.

Relf will also be attending UNH in the fall, majoring in Biomedical Engineering with a pre-med track. She said she wants to go into the medical field and maybe be a doctor.

"My favorite sport is cross-country, I've done it since middle school," Relf said.

Lachapelle will attend the University of New England to study Pharmacy with the aim of being a pharmacist. She said her mother is a nurse and her sister is a physician's assistant.

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Richard Moore of Laconia and Sandy Grace of Gilford have a good time at the WOW Ball.

WOW Ball sells out for 15th year

BY ERIN PLUMMER

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Supporters of the WOW Trail enjoyed a night of food, dancing, and some big prizes at the annual WOW Sweepstakes Ball.

Partiers came to Gunstock on Saturday night for the 15th annual fundraiser for the WOW Trail.

Guests enjoyed a buffet dinner and bid on a silent auction and live auction with Jesse Thompson. At the end of the night HolyCow! performed and DJ Jeff Lines kept everyone on the dance floor.

Each attendee received a program with a number on it. Throughout the evening numbers were picked for prizes leading up to the cash

grand prizes at the end of the evening.

WOW Trail president Allan Beetle said this was the 15th sold out year.

"I think the proceeds could be as high as they've ever been," Beetle said.

He said Gunstock has been a good venue for the ball, and it seemed like everyone was having a great time.

"I think it's a reflection of how much this community loves the trail and wants to support its continued expansion," Beetle said.

WOW Trail Executive Director Gretchen Gandini said it was a great night overall.

"We are grateful for the 15th sold out event," Gandini said. "We're

always grateful for the community support of our trail and our fundraiser."

Beetle said for the SEE WOW BALL PAGE A11

GHS musicians receive big honors at competition

BY ERIN PLUMMER

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A trip to Six Flags for a music competition resulted in some high marks and a lot of fun for members of Gilford High School's band and chorus.

Recently, the band and chorus traveled to Agawam, Mass., for a competition for high school band and chorus. The band and chorus performed select pieces of their concert music at a middle school and

an. "It's awesome," he said.

Both Leggett and Workman are carrying on their own family traditions.

"It's cool to be the valedictorian because my dad was valedictorian of Gilford when he was here," Leggett said.

Workman said his mother was also the salutatorian of her class.

Leggett will be attending Harvard University. As a junior, he received the Harvard Book Award and applied to Harvard. He said applying to Harvard is around as difficult as applying to other schools: they use a common application require some additional essays. His applications to MIT and University of Chicago had been rejected, Leggett said he was really sur-

prised to be accepted by Harvard.

Leggett said he wants to pursue something in computer science, economics, or political science. He especially enjoys being part of the GHS soccer team.

"I really love the sport of soccer, and (Dave) Pinkham's a really great coach," Leggett said.

Workman will go to the University of New Hampshire, saying he wants to do something with engineering, "where I can just build and design stuff."

Workman and is the Student Council co-president.

"I get to listen to students, what they think should change, and talk to teachers about it and see if we can make that happen," Workman said.

Podmore will attend



LYVIE BEYRENT — COURTESY

Congratulations to the Gilford High School Symphonic Band and Concert Choir for both taking home first place wins in their division and best overall band and choir awards. The band received a Superior rating and the choir received an Excellent rating. Jacqueline Nash also received a soloist award.

then went to Six Flags New England for a day of fun.

Band director Lyvie Beyrent said she was impressed with everyone's performances.

Beyrent said they have had some struggles this year. Both band and chorus are divided into morning and afternoon classes. The competition and the concerts were some of the first times the groups have come together.

Chorus director Denise Sanborn said they

were really proud of how the students performed. She said half the chorus this year consists of freshmen, and they all did really well considering their relative lack of experience singing in a competitive atmosphere.

"They're just such wonderful kids in terms of behavior," Sanborn said. "We don't have anything to worry about."

The band took the top win in the overall contest.

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Early deadlines for Memorial Day

MEREDITH — The offices of the Gilford Steamer, located at 5 Water St. in Meredith, will be closed Monday, May 28 in observance of Memorial Day.

In order to ensure that our May 31 edition arrives in subscribers' mail boxes on schedule despite the holiday, the submission deadline for any press releases, letters to the editor, and obituaries intended for publication that week is being moved up from the usual Monday to Friday, May 25 at 4 p.m. Submissions may be dropped off in person at our office or e-mailed

to Editor Brendan Berube at brendan@salmonpress.news.

Please note that any submissions received after 4 p.m. on the 25th will be held for publication on June 7.

For information regarding the holiday deadlines for display advertising, please contact Beth Tobyn in Sales at 279-4516, ext. 110 or beth@salmonpress.news.

The staff of the Gilford Steamer would like to wish our readers a safe and happy Memorial Day weekend.

Notes from the Gilford Public Library

BY MARK THOMAS
Library Correspondent

We are not all experts on mental health. That is a hard truth. I wish we were, but most of us are total amateurs at dealing with our own mental health issues, helping others work with theirs, or even talking about mental health issues. Information abounds about healthy exercises and diets, but is harder to find information about even the most common mental health concerns, like disorders associated with anxiety, mood, addiction, psychotic episodes, eating, post-traumatic stress, and so many others. Mental health can be hard to talk about, partly due to a fear of being stigmatized.

Mental Health Awareness Month is ongoing and its purpose is get people talking and learning about mental health issues. The idea is that we can shake off the stigmas and improve our compassion through discussion. That's a great word, 'compassion,' because it bundles sympathy, love, and understanding all into one experience. When someone explains an issue that they are dealing with to you, oftentimes, I think, they are looking for that experience.

The librarians are always here to help people find resources to learn about or to work through mental health challenges. At the same time, we recognize that some topics can be hard to talk about in a public place, so we've put together a couple of pathfinders to help people find their own way (isn't that poetic!). Pathfinders are bibliographic pamphlets (available in person or on our website) to point their users to locations in the library or online for specific resources. We currently have one for drug addiction and another for alcohol addiction. They include quick reference for fiction books, nonfiction book, DVDs, online resources, and local organizations or groups that can help. We also have resources on our website, and patrons can use our catalog to find materials by subject.

We now know that health means more than the physical state of our bodies. We need to pay attention to our brains too. We need to take care of our minds. What I'm trying to say is a book a day keeps the doctor away.

Classes & Special Events
May 24-May 31
Thursday, May 24

Preschool Storytime, 10:30-11:30 a.m.

Join us for stories, songs, and a craft! Ages three to five with a caregiver, sign up required.

Lunchtime Documentary: Extremis, noon-1 p.m.

Homeschool Game Club, 1:15-2:30 p.m.

Teen Tabletoppers, 2:30-3:30 p.m.

Conversational French, 4-5 p.m.

Friday, May 25
Yoga Fun, 10:30-11 a.m.

Come enjoy an introduction to yoga through songs and games! Ages

two to six with caregiver. Sign up in the children's room, limit 12.

Social Bridge, 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Knit Wits, 1:30-2:30 p.m.

Advanced Conversational German, 2:30-3:30 p.m.

Saturday, May 19
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Monday, May 28
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Tuesday, May 29
Baby/Toddler Storytime, 10-10:30 a.m.
Join us for stories,

songs, lap bounces, puppets and more! Children ages two and under and their caregivers.

Bridge, 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Kids Nature Club, 3:15-4:15 p.m.

The Nature Club will explore the outdoor world using library books to help us hike, identify birds and trees, make nature-based art, and more! Grades K-4. Call or stop by the library to sign up.

Wednesday, May 30
Line Dancing, 9-10:30 a.m.
Check Out an Ex-

pert, 10 a.m.-noon
Stories in the Woods, 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Explore the woods and hear some stories with Wendy Oellers! Ages K-4, younger kids with caregiver.

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MARK ON THE MARKETS

Expectations



BY MARK PATTERSON

Whenever we invest our money in any kind of investment vehicle such as, stocks, bonds, real estate or commodities, we typically have an expected return plugged into our brains based typically on past performance. I can relate to you about my early years as a stockbroker in the middle '90s. If I had municipal bonds to offer, the yield to maturity was often times between four and 6 percent tax-free to the client. Depending on the client's tax bracket, that could equate to a tax equivalent yield of eight or 10 percent. As a new broker I would call the fixed income desk at my firm and try to get new issue municipal bonds held aside for me to garner new clients. The municipal bond buyers were typ-

ically wealthier or mature clients compared to the typical equity or stock investors. When I did open an account with that equity or stock client, I would discuss expectations for returns in the market. Often times clients would tell me that the expected return was somewhere between 10 and 20 percent. Certainly, the 20 percent expectation was high, but the 10 percent return expectation was a minimum expectation for those equity(stock) clients.

Typically, the investor is using a benchmark of returns from the past to form their expectations of returns in the future. This is often times unrealistic given interest rates and market returns over the last 15 years. Instead of benchmarks based on past market returns maybe we should think about the necessary return needed, that is reasonable in today's interest rate environment that we require for our future income.

Between 1984 and 1999 the S&P 500 returned nearly 18 per-

cent per year including dividends. So my client back in 1995 who expected up to 20 percent was really just conditioned by what the markets were actually returning. The next 15 years, 2000 through 2015 the S&P 500 returned a little over 4% including dividends. Today, the yield on the 10-year note is about 3 percent. In 1995, the yield on the 10 year note was about six and a half percent.

If you are investing money today, just think about real returns in this interest rate environment and understand that the dividend paying stocks are vulnerable to market volatility based on the fact that many investors and their advisors have chased yield and have taken, in my opinion, too much risk for that reward.

An investment grade corporate bond portfolio may offer a yield and coupon of between 4 and 6 percent, depending on effective duration. If structured properly your advisor should be able to immunize the portfolio against

interest rate risk compared to a bond fund, that is perpetual (no maturity date). I am not anti-common stock or equities; my intentions are to maximize returns and minimize risk and to structure a portfolio with purpose. The bond market is nearly twice the size of the stock market however, many new clients that I consult with are primarily in stocks or equity. I get it, stocks are much more exciting than bonds, however our brains chemically react three times greater when we are getting hurt in the markets as opposed to positive reactions in good times, so let's at least balance our portfolio by investing in low to non-correlated asset classes, known as modern portfolio theory.

Sharpe sell-offs or elongated bear markets deplete our monetary and emotional capital.

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Gilford Public Library Top Ten Requests

1. "The 17th Suspect" by James Patterson & Maxine Paetro
2. "Princess" by James Patterson
3. "The Fallen" by David Baldacci
4. "The Flight Attendant" by Chris Bohjalian
5. "I'll Be Gone in the Dark" by Michelle McNamara
6. "A Higher Loyalty" by James Comey
7. "The Cutting Edge" by Jeffery Deaver
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Selectmen approve minuscule sewer rate changes

BY ERIN PLUMMER
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Town sewer users will see a nominal increase in their rates

after the selectmen approved fee changes following a public hearing last week.

The board of select-

men held a public hearing to change the sewer rates during the May 9 meeting.

The proposed fees

would increase to \$16.26 per quarter from \$15.96 per quarter and the usage fees would decrease to \$5.17 per

1,000 gallons from \$5.19 per 1,000 gallons. The hearing notice stated that most users of the sewer system would see an increase of half a percent based on annual usage.

Finance Director Glenn Waring submitted a memo to the board about the proposed changes. He wrote that the Public Works and Finance Departments completed an annual review of sewer rate calculations, and both departments recommended the changes.

Waring said the change in fees would be an increase of \$4,000 in the town's administrative operating costs. Waring also said the usage rate decrease of four hundredths of a percent is due to a pro-

jected \$3,000 increase in town and state operating costs and an estimated flow increase of one million gallons for the year.

"As a result of these rate changes, most residential users will see very little affect to their overall quarterly invoices, ranging between no changes at all and up to approximately .5 percent increase, based on total usage," Waring wrote.

Selectman Richard Grenier made note of this statement during the meeting, saying the changes wouldn't be that bad.

There was no public comment during the hearing.

The board unanimously approved the changes.

Gilford Parks and Recreation News

BY HERB GREENE
Director
Gilford Parks and Recreation

Granite State Track & Field program

The Gilford Parks and Recreation Department is offering area youth the opportunity to participate in the Granite State Track & Field program this May and June. This program is open to youth ages nine to 14 (as of Dec. 31) and will include a few practices along with at least two track meets. Registration information can be picked up at the Parks and Recreation office or can be found on the department Web site at www.gilfordrec.com.

For more informa-

tion, please contact the Gilford Parks and Recreation Department at 527-4722.

Senior Moment-um BBQ and Bocce on Monday, June 4

The Gilford Parks and Recreation Department is Sponsoring a Senior Moment-um Program on Monday, June 4. We will be meeting at 11:30 a.m. at the Gilford Village Field to enjoy a fun afternoon including a BBQ lunch and play some bocce ball. All participants should plan to bring their own chair. The Parks and Recreation Department will supply hotdogs, condiments and drinks. Partici-

pants are encouraged to bring a side dish or dessert for our potluck and join us for a fun filled afternoon! Participants are asked to RSVP by Thursday, May 31 to give us time to go shopping.

For more information or to RSVP, please call the Parks and Recreation office at 527-4722.

Tennis programs

The Gilford Parks and Recreation is offering six-week tennis lesson programs for youth and adults ages five and up this summer on Mondays and Wednesdays from July 2 - Aug. 1. The Lakes Region Tennis Association will be sponsoring FREE lessons for children ages five to 14. Adult lessons for ages 15 and up will also be available at a cost of \$60 for the session. Session times will be broken up by age. All sessions have limited availability and registrations will be accepted on a first come first served basis. Registration forms can be picked up at the Parks and Recreation office or can be found on the department Web site at www.gilfordrec.com.

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tion, please contact the Gilford Parks and Recreation Department at 527-4722.

Archery lessons

The Gilford Parks and Recreation Department is sponsoring a four-week session of Olympic Archery instruction, to be led by certified archery instructors from Archery In Motion. This program will be held on Tuesday afternoon/evenings from July 10 - July 31 at the Arthur A. Tilton Ice Rink. The Beginner session will run from 4-5 p.m., with the Intermediate session running from 5:15-6:15 p.m. These classes are open to Youth and Adults ages seven years old and up and no experience is required. Enrollment in this program is limited, so sign up soon! Registration forms can be picked up at the Parks and Recreation office or can be found on the department website at www.gilfordrec.com. Priority will be given to Gilford Residents.

Cost: \$65 per person and includes all necessary equipment; you SEE REC NEWS PAGE A11

Old Home Day Committee hosting town-wide yard sale

The Gilford Old Home Day Committee will be sponsoring a Town Wide Yard Sale on Saturday, June 16 from 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. (rain or shine). Participants can register for a spot at the Community Yard Sale Site at the Gilford Village Field or can host a sale at their own house and register to be added to the Town Wide Yard Sale location map. Each registered yard sale site for the Town Wide Map, will have a number and address listed on the map to help shoppers find the location of their sale.

Cost to Register:
Community Site - \$20
Town Wide Map Listing - \$10

Maps will be sold for only \$2 at Community Site at the Village Field on the day of the sale. All proceeds will help support Gilford Old Home Day.

Additional information and registration forms can be found in the Gilford Parks and Recreation Office or on the Parks and Rec Web site at www.gilfordrec.com. Deadline to register for a site is Friday, June 8.

For more information, please contact the Gilford Parks and Recreation Office at 527-4722.

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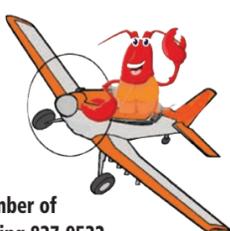


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Pet of the Week: Mittens



This sweet little black and white domestic shorthaired cat has a slightly startled look, big green eyes widened, ears perked forward in anticipation... of... what exactly? Mittens is a shy girl, even up close and personal she wasn't quite sure what to think of shelter life, and who can blame her, dogs barking, people bustling, phone ringing, lots of humans coming and going all the time – it's a lot for a feline with a delicate disposition to get used to; hence we placed her in a volunteer foster home to add some calmer enrichment to

her life- we know that permanent home is just around the corner!

Mittens arrived in June 2017, she's a 'long-stayer' in shelter parlance, but that should not deter you: prospective adopter, from considering her for your next pet if at the top of your Wants List is 'must be affectionate, sweet and one that purrs, constantly'.

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NORTH COUNTRY NOTEBOOK

Rain, ducks, and fish just begging



By JOHN HARRIGAN
COLUMNIST

We needed the rain, but when it comes people complain. You know this when you go into a store and another customer asks how you are, and you say, sort of brightly, "Good day for ducks," and get a disgusted grunt in return.

But I can't help it--I like rain, and positively love it when one of those low-pressure systems gets slowed down by the mountains and ridges of northern New Hampshire and just decides to stick around for a day or two, and glower.

Which makes me think of "lowery," which you hardly ever hear any more. It's old English, meaning dark and somehow threatening, although I never heard it used in a threatening way. Jimmy Ricker used to say it when he was deciding it was not a good idea to cut hay on his farm in Clarksville. My grandfather White, who had roots in a salt-marsh farm in Jonesport, Maine, once in a while used it as an excuse not to go fishing. As in "Oh, I dunno, looks kinda lowery."

He was a man who in private times liked to



JOHN HARRIGAN

In answer to gripes about rain, this is the weather we have just barely left behind. I took this shot on April 23 of 2015.

whistle, and I guess he figured that taking his grandson fishing was a private time, because he was always whistling, almost enough to keep the black flies at bay.

And they were always these long, repetitive and somehow mournful tunes. He said his father had got them from men who had been to sea. They were somehow without beginning and end.

In Clarksville, when I was living and working at Rudy's Camps, Gramp White and his wife Nana, as all of us called her, sometimes came to fish, and a couple of times rented a cabin. Either way, I was the guy who got to row them around the pond. Gramp could cast, but not so much, his background consisting of catching sea-run trout in Jonesport. Nana couldn't cast at all, so we trolled, even when a terrific hatch was on and fish were jumping all around,

begging for a cast.

"Mertie," she'd say (Gramp's name was Merton), "I think I have a fish," the sign of this being that her rod had been yanked into the back of the boat, and I'd take the rod from her, take the slack out of the line and get the tip of the rod into the air, and hand it to Gramp. They'd keep just a few. They loved them for breakfast, dredged in a little seasoned flour and fried up in bacon fat.

Rudy called me "Bub," but my grandfather called me "Bucko." When they came to Colebrook for a visit, and the preliminary visiting was done, he'd say "Let's go fishing, Bucko," and off we'd go.

This was back in my worm days, before I discovered fly fishing. To get worms we went up to the Ted Hughes farm on Hughes Road, where on the site of an old manure pile

there were plenty. We always asked first, of course, and Ted, a gentle and soft-spoken man, always took time out from his chores to visit.

And then we'd fish, oh, the Mohawk, a river by my standards, and I'd get lost in thought the way you sometimes do at a deep pool, and I'd lose track of my grandfather, and then he'd come along and pass me by, in the hopscotch way that is the courtesy of stream fishing, and say with a wink, "You never know, Bucko--maybe a big one in the next hole."

(This column runs in a dozen newspapers covering the northern two-thirds of New Hampshire and parts of Maine and Vermont. Letters, with town and telephone numbers in case of questions, are welcome via campguy-hooligan@gmail.com or Box 39, Colebrook, NH 03576.)

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STRATEGIES FOR LIVING

A living temple

BY LARRY SCOTT

In the final hours of his life, Jesus and his disciples were on their way out of Jerusalem to the Mount of Olives when one of the disciples remarked on the magnificent Temple complex that overlooked the city. Jesus' response was not what they expected. "Do you see all these things? ... I tell you the truth not one stone here will be left on another, every one will be thrown down." In just 37 years, and in reaction to the Jews' refusal to surrender, the Roman General Titus left the city and the Temple totally destroyed, a pile of useless rubble.

The Roman historian Josephus, in his book, "The Wars of the Jews," Book 6, Chapter 5, Section 2, recounts, "Now the Romans judging that it was in vain to spare what was round about the holy house, burnt all those places." And, in Book 7, Chapter 1, Section 1, Josephus continues, "As soon as the army had no more people to slay or plunder, ... Caesar gave orders that they should now demolish the entire city and temple, but should leave as many of the towers standing ... spared, in order to demonstrate to posterity what kind of city it was, and how well fortified."

How tragic an end to the city and a temple that, from the time of the original under King Solomon, was meant to be the place of meeting between the God of heaven and the people of Israel. King David had amassed the material needed for its construction and left his son Solomon to finish the task. Seven years in construction, the day finally came when construction was complete and, in the final act prior to dedication, the Ark of the Covenant was brought into the section of the Temple known as the Holy of Holies. "There was nothing in the ark," we are told, "except the two stone tablets that Moses had placed in it at Horeb. ... When the priests withdrew from the Holy Place, the cloud filled the temple of the Lord. ... [T]he glory of the Lord filled his temple. (I Kings 8:9-11).

The destruction of the Temple under Titus marked the end of an era, and a "new temple" took its place. "Do you not know," writes the Apostle Paul, "that

your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit, who is in you, whom you have received from God?" (I Cor. 6:19). Following Jesus' death and resurrection, the temple, the "meeting house" between God and man, would be found, not in a building, but in the life of every follower of Jesus Christ.

We have said much in this column about accepting Jesus Christ as the Lord of our lives. I know that sounds terribly religious and smacks of superstition and fanaticism, but the bottom line here is that God does exist and he desires to have a personal relationship with each one of us. A new temple has replaced the old, found in the life of every one of us prepared to welcome Jesus as our Lord. "Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest," Jesus said, and millions of Christians will tell you, God has always been as good as his word.

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A week of celebration at Lakes Region Community College

LACONIA — It was a week of celebration at Lakes Region Community College, as students celebrated multiple milestones, including the 49th annual commencement ceremony. A total of 197 students received degrees in 23 different areas, including automotive, business, culinary, early childhood education, electrical, fire science, liberal arts, and nursing.

"This was the largest graduating class we've ever had at the college, and I am proud of the hard work and commitment our students have demonstrated to their futures," said Dr. Larissa Baia, Interim President of the college.

Valedictorian, Samuel Huff delivered an inspirational speech encouraging his fellow graduates to get involved, and stay involved as the future generation of leaders. Huff, from Concord, graduated with a 4.0

average with an Associate of Science Degree in Computer Technologies. Additionally, Kayla Smith (Keene), a Human Services student, was awarded Student of the Year for her contributions to the college, and Dr. John Connell (Meredith), Professor and Department Chair of the Fire Science program, was awarded Teacher of the Year, a designation voted upon by the student body.

Several other celebrations took place leading up to commencement, including an Academic Awards Night celebrating the top students, a senior breakfast honoring the graduates, and recognition ceremonies celebrating the pinning of nursing students and students and industry partners for the General Motors ASEP program.

Each year, top students from each program are honored at an awards banquet, held



COURTESY (Left) Rachel Alexandra Legg [left, Dorchester] and Heather Julia Luby [right, Dunbarton]. the week of commencement. This year, 24 students were recognized, with three scholarships awarded, including the Dale Jones Memorial Scholarship, the Frank Fernald Memorial Scholarship, and the Joe Mastrullo, Jr./Mallard's Landing Association Scholarship.

He continued, "Scholarship recipients have the opportunity to receive, to interact with and thank donors for their support. The academic departments and programs have a platform to recognize the achievements of their students for accomplishments that may but don't necessarily have to do with grade point average. The evening means a lot to the faculty. They get to 'show off' their best and brightest protégés, to the campus community in an annual re-

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Lakes Region Rotary Youth Leadership spruce up Prescott Farm

LACONIA — Prescott Farm Environmental Education Center on White Oaks Road in Laconia welcomed nearly 30 volunteers from the Lakes Region Rotary Youth Leadership Program for a spring clean-up day.

Lakes Region Rotary Youth Leadership is a program for area sophomores who are seriously interested in leadership, providing the students with the opportunity to meet and work with one another, examine leadership characteristics and increase their self-confidence. The students cleaned up the Natural Playscape, helped construct raised beds for the learning garden, and mulched. On the team to clean up Prescott Farm this year was:

From Laconia High School — Steven Poliquin, Maci Howland, Cassandra Sousa, Nicole Turpin, Tyler Richter, Ryan Dee, and Ayden Duncan.



COURTESY Prescott Farm Environmental Education Center on White Oaks Road in Laconia welcomed nearly 30 volunteers from the Lakes Region Rotary Youth Leadership Program for a spring clean-up day.

From Moultonborough Academy — Noah Robinson, Zoe Norton, Stephen Woods, Patrick Finnegan, Jessica Bakas.

From Inter-Lakes High School — Aria Shufelt, Jasmine Morissette, Rachel Taggett, Branden Taggett, Becca Leberman, and Christian Sayegh.

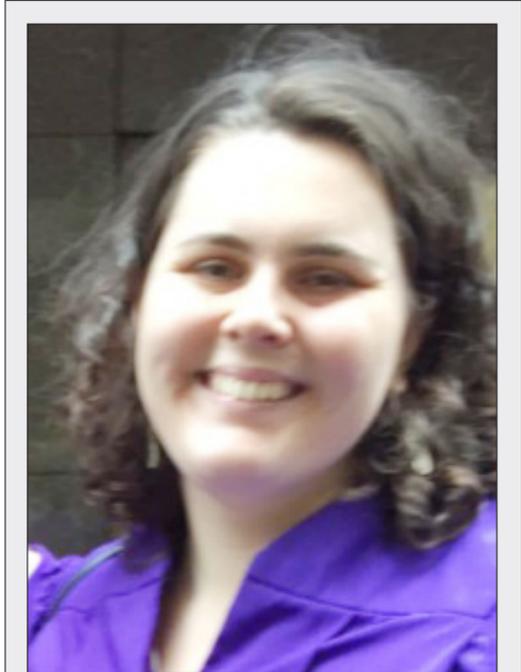
From Gilford High School — Timothy Gentile, Shannon Gately, Reise Jacques, Joshua Testa, and Hunter Wil-

son. From Belmont High School — Hannah Leclair, Alexa Rolfe, Kaitryn Gagnon, Rebecca Camire, Cody York, Sana, Sayed, Lars Major, and Mercedes McIntyre.

"Our mission is to open the doors to the natural world for youth and people of all ages, and volunteerism is a wonderful way to allow them to make connections with nature and the environment in a true stew-

ardship role," says Jude Hamel, Executive Director of Prescott Farm. "As a Rotarian myself, I am always pleased to welcome our Youth Leadership in Training program for 13- and 14-year-olds attending WildQuest Summer Camps this year. WildQuest Summer camp is 9 unique nature-themed weeks, including nature activities, animal and plant identification, arts and crafts, Quests, games, and hands-on learning. Most of the day is spent outdoors and each week will feature an all-camp hands-on project related to the theme of the week, for campers aged 4-14; including half-day programs for our youngest campers, and a Leadership in Training Program for campers 13-14 years old. The LIT program includes work

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COURTESY

GHS alum graduates from NYU

Sarah Cook recently graduated with a BFA from New York University's Tisch School of the Arts. An alumni of the Gilford High School Performing Arts Department, she went on to NYU to continue studying her love of theater with a concentration in Directing. During her time at NYU, Cook directed *Crumble: Lay me Down* Justin Timberlake, *Machinal*, *Merrily We Roll Along*. She has assisted directed the productions of *Safety Net* and *Noise under the direction of Young Jean Lee* and *Andrew Neisler* respectively. Cook's artistic and scholastic skills were recognized with the receipt of J.S. Seidman Award for Drama. The Tisch School of Drama's most prestigious award. She will continue her work in New York City.

SNHU announces Winter 2018 Dean's List

MANCHESTER — It is with great pleasure that Southern New Hampshire University (SNHU) congratulates the following students on being named to the winter 2018 Dean's List.

Eligibility for the Dean's List requires that a student accumulate an academic grade point average (GPA) of 3.5-3.699 and earn 12 credits for the semester.

Nikki Fain of Laconia
Jacklyn Gavin of Laconia

Kaitlyn Sasseville of Gilford

Jackson Spooner of Gilford

Southern New Hampshire University (SNHU) is a private, nonprofit in-

stitution with an 85-year history of educating traditional-aged students and working adults. Now serving more than 100,000 students worldwide, SNHU offers over 200 accredited undergraduate, graduate and certificate programs, available online and on its 300-acre campus in Manchester, NH. Recognized as the "Most Innovative" regional university by U.S. News & World Report and one of the fastest-growing universities in the country, SNHU is committed to expanding access to high quality, affordable pathways that meet the needs of each student. Learn more at www.snhu.edu.

SNHU announces Winter 2018 President's List

MANCHESTER — It is with great pleasure that Southern New Hampshire University (SNHU) congratulates the following students on being named to the winter 2018 President's List.

Eligibility for the President's List requires that a student accumulate an academic grade point average (GPA) of

3.7-4.0 and earn 12 credits for the semester.

Timothy Kneuer of Laconia

Bryan McCormick of Gilford

Taylor Sullivan of Laconia

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novative" regional university by U.S. News & World Report and one of the fastest-growing universities in the country, SNHU is committed to expanding access to high quality, affordable pathways that meet the needs of each student. Learn more at www.snhu.edu.

NHTI announces Spring 2018 Dean's List

CONCORD — The following students from your area have been named to the Dean's List at NHTI, Concord's Community College, in recognition of their academic achievement during the Spring 2018 term. In order to qualify for Dean's List a student must be considered full time (registered for 12 credits or more) and have a term GPA of 3.3 or higher.

Gilford

Nicole Griffin, Kaitlyn Marcella, Mason McGonagle, Connor Perkins, Thomas Pouliot, Connor Sleeper, Kiara Smith, Emily Theberge, Celia Weeks

ing accessible, rigorous education, serving students, businesses and the community by creating pathways for lifelong learning, career advancement and civic engagement. With 95 full-time faculty and over 300 adjunct faculty, NHTI Concord's Community College offers more than 80 academic programs to more than 7,000 students annually. NHTI is a member of the Community College System of New Hampshire, and has been accredited by the Commission on Institutions of Higher Education of the New England Association of Schools and Colleges, Inc., a nongovernmental, nationally recognized accrediting agency, since 1969.

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David J. Gammon III, 67

LACONIA — David J. Gammon III, 67, of Laconia passed away unexpectedly on Monday, May 14, 2018.

David was born in Laconia on Jan. 31, 1951, the son of David Gammon II and Gloria Champagne Gammon-Rall. He grew up in Laconia, attending Sacred Heart Catholic School and graduated with the Laconia High School Class of 1969.

David married Carol Belanger at Sacred Heart Church on June 24, 1977.

He was self-employed as a carpenter for over 40 years, and developed many long-term relationships both personally and professionally through his craftsmanship and love for life. His work will remain his legacy in many of the residences around the Lakes Region.

David was passionate about his family and friends. It wasn't often that he could be found without company around him! A social person by nature, he put other people first; volunteering and passing along his knowledge and skill to those around him. He served as a Laconia councilman in the late '80's and continued his social activism by bringing attention to things he believed were unjust through editorials and his involvement in local causes.

David enjoyed na-



ture and the outdoors. He was an avid cyclist and ski racer, racing as part of the Gate Crashers and Nastar at Gunstock Mountain and the surrounding New England area. He taught his daughter Kelly and granddaughter Ashley to ski, and their shared love of skiing will be a continual bond. He was a talented gardener, homebrewer, photographer (always with a camera in tow), and historical collector— from rare items to genealogy— he loved learning and sharing with others. Sentimental and kind, David will be missed by many.

Survivors include his wife of almost 41 years, Carol A. Gammon of Laconia; his daughter, Kelly A. Gammon; his grandchildren, Ashley A. Gammon, Dylan E. Duclos, and Brenden L. Lawrence; his great grandchildren Zaiden A. Riccardi and Anna A. Robertson; his mother, Gloria Gammon-Rall; his siblings, Sheila Bartlett and her husband, Stephen, of Gilmanton, Sharon

Robillard, of Belmont, and Harvey Gabriel of Laconia; nephews, Philip Ainsworth and his wife, Kim, and David Cellupica; nieces, Erika Bartlett Njueda and her husband, Olivier, Stephanie Bartlett, Brook Bartlett, and Olivia Aubut, as well as many cousins.

He was predeceased by his father, David "Red" Gammon II, in 1998, and by his sister, Sheryl Gammon-Jorgensen, in 1995.

Calling hours will be held from 10 to 11 a.m. on Friday, May 25, 2018 at St. Andre Bessette Parish - Sacred Heart Church, 291 Union Ave., Laconia.

A Mass of Christian Burial will immediately follow the calling hours at 11 a.m. on Friday, May 25, 2018, also at the church. Burial will follow in the family plot at Sacred Heart Cemetery, Garfield Street, Laconia.

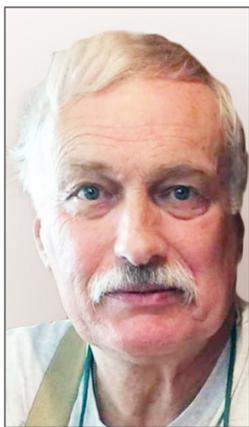
In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Turtle Ridge Foundation, 461 Main St., Suite 6A, PO Box 10, Franconia, NH 03580. www.turtleridgefoundation.org/donate.

Wilkinson-Beane-Simoneau-Paquette Funeral Home & Cremation Services, 164 Pleasant St., Laconia, handled the arrangements. For more information and to view an online memorial, go to www.wilkinsonbeane.com.

Brian E. Phelps, 72

LACONIA — Brian E. Phelps, 72, of Meredith Center Road, died Sunday, May 20, 2018 at Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center in Lebanon after a long illness.

He was born on Sept. 7, 1945 in Laconia, the son of the late Wesley and Arlene (Doran) Phelps. Brian served in the US Navy during the Vietnam conflict. He held an Associate's degree in forestry, and also a Bachelor's degree in Business. Brian worked for many years as a surveyor. He also worked as a farmer and most recently as a landscaper. Brian was heavily involved in Boy Scouts, serving as Scout Master for 25 years, and proudly guided fifteen Scouts to the rank of Eagle through Troop 143. He was a founding



member of the Winnepesaukee Singles Group, a member of the Wicwas Lake Grange #292 and enjoyed square dancing and was a member of the Winnepesaukee Squares. During the 1980's, Brian raised his kids as a single father, an achievement he was very proud of. He enjoyed camping and the outdoors, sail-

ing and watching the tall ships. Brian enjoyed animals and trips to the ocean, especially to York Beach and the Nubble Lighthouse.

He is survived by his wife of 15 years, Linda (Brown) Phelps of Laconia; one son, Daniel B. Phelps, and his wife Leigh-Anne of Northfield; one daughter, Katherine L. Savage, and her husband David of Jefferson; two stepsons, John R. Kercheval II and his wife Annie of Laconia and Jeremy R. Kercheval and his wife Kristen of Laconia; one brother, David Phelps, and his wife Rhonda of Hudson; six grandchildren (Aiden, Collin, John III, Nicoleis, Ainsley and Kayleigh); and many nieces and nephews.

He was predeceased by his parents.

Calling hours will be held from 4 to 7 p.m. on Friday, May 25, 2018 at

GILFORD — Charles "Charlie" F. Grant, Sr., 85, died Friday, Dec. 22, 2017 at the Jack Byrne Hospice Center in Lebanon.

Charlie was born March 21, 1932 in Laconia, the son of the late Sam and Chara (Monty) Grant. He was a life time resident of the Lakes Region. Charlie was a truck driver for Persons Concrete Company for nearly thirty years. He also served for the National Guard and United States Army for over 38 years.

Charlie had a passion for being outdoors and working. He knew how to live off the land and was always willing to lend a helping hand to those in need.

Charlie is survived by his wife, Marilyn



(Goss) Grant; four sons (Steven Grant of Gilford, Timothy Grant of Gilford, Scott Grant of Center Harbor, and Michael Grant of Laconia); three grandchildren, Austin Grant, Ashley Davis and Kelsey Grant; two sisters, Edie Adams and Gracie Endean; and many nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, Charlie is predeceased by his

oldest son, Charles Grant, Jr., formerly of East Kingston.

There will be no calling hours.

A Graveside Service will be held at 11 a.m., Saturday, May 26, 2018 in the family lot at Pine Grove Cemetery, Gilford.

The family suggest memorial contributions be made to New Hampshire Humane Society, P.O. Box 572, Laconia, NH 03247.

Wilkinson-Beane-Simoneau-Paquette Funeral Home & Cremation Services, 164 Pleasant St., Laconia, is assisting the family with the arrangements. For more information and to view an online memorial, go to www.wilkinsonbeane.com.

Lawrence F. Leonard, Jr., 71

MEREDITH — Lawrence F. "Buddy" Leonard Jr., 71, of Meredith, died Wednesday, May 2, 2018 at the Crestwood Center in Milford with his sister, Cathy by his side after a life-long illness.

He was born on July 12, 1946 in Lynn, Mass., the son of the late Lawrence F., Sr. and Dorothy (Flanders) (Leonard) Locke. Buddy was a 1964 graduate of Swampscott High School and a graduate of Emerson School of Broadcast in Boston. He worked both in radio and TV, and had a



recurring role in the network TV series Room 222 and a radio show in Boston, "The Buddy Bauers Show."

He was a bi-manager at both Luck Chipolina and The Ship's Wheel, two well-known restaurants in The Lakes Region during the '80's and '90's.

Buddy was always especially proud of having reached the level of Eagle Scout while with Troop 54 in Swampscott, Mass. Wherever he went, he would make friends. He was known for his wit, bubbling personality, ability to charm and was always a gentleman... having a smile for everyone.

Memorable, good-natured, and witty describe him well.

He is survived by

his sister, Catherine L. Bent of Milford; one niece, Robin Kibler of Jacksonville, Fla.; and three nephews, Brad Bent of Milford, Jeff Bent of Sacramento, Calif. and John Prok of Jacksonville, Fla.

He was predeceased by his father, Lawrence F. Leonard, Sr.; his mother and stepfather, Dorothy and Edwin B. Locke; one sister, Beverly Prok; and two brothers-in-law, Ronald Prok and Frank Prok.

There will be no calling hours.

Services will be private.

For those who wish, memorial contributions may be made to the American Diabetes Association; 2451 Crystal Drive, Suite 900, Arlington, VA 22202.

Wilkinson-Beane-Simoneau-Paquette Funeral Home & Cremation Services, 164 Pleasant St., Laconia, is assisting the family with the arrangements. For more information and to view an online memorial, go to www.wilkinsonbeane.com.

Francis C. Morrill, Sr., 87

LACONIA — Francis "Frank" C. Morrill, Sr., 87, of Laconia, NH, died in his home Tuesday, May 15, 2018.

Frank was born in Springfield, Mass., Aug. 9, 1930, to the late Leslie Howard Sr. and Elizabeth May Morrill (Smithers).

Frank loved his family and enjoyed schooner sailing at Penobscot Bay. He indulged in oysters and lobsters and liked to play guitar, camping, and ham radio. Frank was a Shriner, second degree black belt, and a world traveler.

Frank leaves behind his beloved wife of 64 years, Dolores Morrill (Barreda), who loved him dearly; three grown children, Deborah Perry, Dawn Mastrogiacom, and Francis C. Morrill, Jr.; as well as five grandchildren (Aubrey and

Bryant Perry, Amanda Morrill, and Rachel and Jamie Mastrogiacom).

There will be no calling hours.

A Memorial Mass will be held at 11 a.m., Saturday, June 9, 2018, at St. Joseph's Church, 30 Church St., Laconia.

For those who wish, memorial contributions may be made to the Community Action Program, Belknap-Merrimack Counties, Inc., Meals on Wheels, PO Box 1016, 2 Industrial Park Drive, Concord, NH 03302.

Wilkinson-Beane-Simoneau-Paquette Funeral Home & Cremation Services, 164 Pleasant St., Laconia, is assisting the family with the arrangements. For more information and to view an online memorial, go to www.wilkinsonbeane.com.

NOTICE OF SESSION SUPERVISORS OF THE CHECKLIST GILFORD

Gilford Supervisors will hold Session
Tuesday, June 5, 2018
7:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
Gilford Town Hall
47 Cherry Valley Rd.
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Pending registrations, updates and removals to the Checklist will be considered at this time, and the public may visit with new registrations, questions or changes to the Voter Records.

While new voter registrations and updates are also accepted by the Town Clerk's office during regular office hours, party changes by currently registered voters **MAY NOT** be made until after the state Primary after this session. **PLEASE NOTE BELOW.** The public Voter Checklist is posted in the Clerk's office.

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Francis D. Tarantino, 55

GILMANTON — Frank D. (Francis) Tarantino, 55, of Gilmanton passed away on May 17, 2018 following a battle with cancer surrounded by family and friends.

Born in Everett, Mass. on Oct. 22, 1962, Frank grew up in Massachusetts, moving to Gilmanton to raise his family. With a passion for cars and motorcycles, he opened Frankie T's Collision & Custom Paint-Belmont which he operated for several years.

Frank is survived by his loving wife of 19 years, Paula McVey-Tarantino; his children, Brandie and husband Christian, Kodie, Joshua, Zackarie, Anthony and Sean and wife Jennifer; his grandchildren, Travis, Myra, Layla, and Zada; his mother, Francine (Pescione) (Tarantino) Thompson, and husband Dave; siblings Michelle and spouse



Jennifer, Dianne, Chriss and wife Paula; many more family, friends and his beloved companion & best buddy/dog Bella.

He was predeceased by his father, Francis A. Tarantino; grandparents Gaetano & Arita Tarantino and Pasquale & Millie Pescione.

Frank will be forever remembered by his family and friends as a thoughtful man and a passionate Husband, Father, Papa and a friend always up for a long motorcycle ride.

Calling hours will be held from 4 to 7

p.m. on Sunday, May 27, 2018 at the Wilkinson-Beane-Simoneau-Paquette Funeral Home, 164 Pleasant St., Laconia, using the Carriage House entrance.

A memorial service will immediately follow the calling hours at 7 p.m., also at the funeral home.

Burial will be private.

For those who wish, memorial contributions may be made to the American Lung Association, National Direct Response Headquarters, 1200 Hosford St., Suite 101, Hudson, WI 54016-9316.

Wilkinson-Beane-Simoneau-Paquette Funeral Home & Cremation Services, 164 Pleasant St., Laconia, is assisting the family with the arrangements. For more information and to view an online memorial, go to www.wilkinsonbeane.com.

John G. Neylon, 88

LACONIA — John G. Neylon, 88, of Peter Court, died Sunday, May 20, 2018 at Belknap County Nursing Home in Laconia.

He was born on May 10, 1930 in Springfield, Mass., the son of the late James F. and Blanche (Martin) Neylon. John served in the United States Marine Corps. He was the former proprietor of Lake Winnepesaukee Motel for a number of years. He also worked for Acme Staples, Belknap County Nursing Home as well as the Brickyard Mountain Inn. John was an avid motorcycle enthusiast.

He is survived by his two sons, James F. Neylon and his wife Kathy of Saugus, Mass. and Martin D. Neylon and his wife Robbie of Laconia; two daughters, Peggy Livingston and her husband



Dan of Laconia and Kathy Milne and her husband Gary of Laconia; six grandchildren (Jennifer White, Greg Neylon, Brian Livingston, Shawn Livingston, Dawn Perry and Wendy Perry); several great grandchildren; many nieces and nephews; and his longtime friend, Audrey O'Malley of Laconia.

In addition to his parents, he was predeceased by his wife, Dorothy (Gagne) Neylon, in 1992.

There will be no call-

ing hours.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10:30 a.m. on Thursday, May 24, 2018 at St. Andre Bessette Parish-St. Joseph Church, 30 Church St., Laconia.

A private burial will be held at a later date at St. Joseph Cemetery in Lynn, Mass.

For those who wish, memorial contributions may be made to the Belknap County Nursing Home - Activities Fund, 30 County Dr., Laconia, NH 03246.

Wilkinson-Beane-Simoneau-Paquette Funeral Home & Cremation Services, 164 Pleasant St., Laconia, is assisting the family with the arrangements. For more information and to view an online memorial, go to www.wilkinsonbeane.com.

LRGHealthcare announces new Chief Nursing Officer

LACONIA—LRGHealthcare President and CEO, Kevin W. Donovan is pleased to announce Theresa L. Champagne, RN, DNP, CNOR as the organization's new Chief Nursing Officer. Champagne will replace Kendra Peaslee, RN, who has been serving as the Interim Chief Nursing Officer.

Champagne is currently the Associate Chief Nursing Officer of Surgical Services for Vassar Brothers Medical Center-Poughkeepsie New York. She will officially begin at LRGHealthcare on May 28. Champagne recently received an active nursing license in New Hampshire, having completed the New Hampshire Board of Nursing licensure process. She holds a Bachelor of Science in Nursing, a Master of Science in Nursing with focus as a Clinical Nurse Specialist and a Doctor of Nursing Practice.

"We are excited to welcome Terri to LRGHealthcare. She has a great deal of experience in nursing leadership and I know she will bring value and expertise to our organization," states Donovan.

Prior to her role at Vassar Brothers Medical Center, she spent four years as the Director of Perioperative Services at Western Connecticut Health Network in Danbury, Connecticut. Champagne also spent 28 years at Danbury Hospital in Danbury, Conn., serving in several nursing roles.

Champagne brings a great deal of expertise and skill in several areas such as program development, regulatory readiness and performance improvement. She has been very involved in the planning of several new construction projects, which will be an added value as

LRGHealthcare moves toward renovating the Emergency Department at Lakes Region General Hospital. She is committed to her role as an educator in nursing. She is looking forward to engaging with nurses at LRGHealthcare and supporting their commitment to provide high quality of care to our patients and community.

Champagne states, "I am excited to begin my role at LRGHealthcare and work with all the outstanding nurses, medical staff, and support staff. I look forward to the work and challenges ahead."

Champagne has ties to New Hampshire in that she graduated from St. Anselm College and already owns a family home in Moultonborough where she will move permanently.

Please join Kevin W. Donovan in welcoming Theresa L. Champagne to LRGHealthcare.

Taylor Community hosting lecture on Orazio's Gourmet Oils

LACONIA — Kathy and Saverino "Sandy" Correale opened Orazio's Gourmet Oils in Wolfeboro a year ago. The business offers high-quality imported olive oils from around the world as well as balsamic vinegars from Modena, Italy. Orazio's has more than 50 varieties of olive oil and balsamic vinegars, which are available for sampling prior to purchase.

Join us Monday, June 4 at 6:30 p.m. in Taylor Community's Woodside Building for a presentation by the Corrales. Reservations are required by calling Brenda Kean at 366-1226. This free event is open to the public

Topics will include the chemistry of olive oil and health benefits; how, where and when olive oil is produced; varieties and the everyday use of olive oil. Attendees will also learn how balsamic vinegars are made and about the different varieties of

sea salts from the Salt Cellar in Portsmouth, NH, as well as information about New Hampshire-made maple syrup, jams, jellies and mustards.

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Sam Laverack to retire as NHMB President and CEO, after 42 years

MEREDITH — Sam Laverack, President and CEO of New Hampshire Mutual Bancorp (NHMB), is retiring on June 30 after 42 years with the organization. Gregg Tewksbury, President and CEO of Savings Bank of Walpole (SBW), has been selected to succeed Laverack as President and CEO of NHMB.

Laverack's banking career began in 1976 as the Branch Manager of Meredith Village Savings Bank's (MVS) Moultonborough office. After several leadership roles within retail banking, commercial lending and marketing, Lav-

erack was selected as president and CEO of MVS in 2008 by the Board of Trustees. Under his leadership, the MVS grew from \$43 million to more than \$750 million in assets, and expanded from two branch locations to 13 full service branches. A consummate community banking professional and creative thinker, Laverack worked with Paul Rizzi, then CEO of Merrimack County Savings Bank (the Merrimack), to form NHMB in January 2013. This collaboration resulted in each Bank's ability to expand service areas, increase lend-



Sam Laverack

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ing capacity, mitigate growing regulatory and technology costs and offer more career opportunities to employees. He became

Co-CEO of NHMB in 2013, and assumed the position of sole president and CEO of New Hampshire Mutual Bancorp in January 2016. In 2015, NHMB expanded to include MillRiver Wealth Management, which was created from the financial services arms of MVS and the Merrimack. In 2017, Savings Bank of Walpole (SBW) announced their intention to join NH Mutual Bancorp. Under Laverack's guidance, NHMB has grown to four separate and distinct community financial companies— Meredith Village Savings Bank, Merrimack County Savings Bank, MillRiver Wealth Management and Savings Bank of Walpole — with 27 branch offices and \$2.2 billion in assets.

In 2015, NHMB was chosen as Business NH Magazine's Business of the Year for the Financial Services category, largely due to the success of this unique partnership.

In addition to maintaining a steadfast dedication to the people and communities that MVS, the Merrimack and MillRiver serve, Laverack has led the companies to strong results of significant measures and business success, often scoring well above peer organizations in key financial and regulatory indicators. NHMB and its subsidiaries demonstrate that community engagement, stewardship, focus on employee development and a healthy and progressive corporate culture work together to provide impressive benefits to the Bank, the industry, the employee base, customers and the community.

Throughout his decades-long tenure in banking, Laverack has inspired countless employees to donate their time to non-profits—they are most passionate about in the Central New Hampshire, Lakes Region, Seacoast and Greater Nashua communities. As a result, hundreds of employees from NHMB, MVS, the Merrimack and MillRiver donate tens of thousands of hours to an extensive list of local causes each year.

"Sam leads by example, and he's been devoted to giving back throughout his career," said Cindy Hemeon-Plessner, SVP and Marketing Officer for NHMB. "He is known for saying 'leave everything you are involved in better than how you found it', motivating employees to exhibit stewardship in their daily lives, a key principle and code of conduct from our organization's values."

Each year, the New Hampshire Bankers Association honors a New Hampshire bank employee who has gone beyond the course of ordinary business to help improve the State of New Hampshire through civic and community engagement. Recipients are respected industry professionals who have made a significant impact on those around them by inspiring others to become involved in community service. Laverack was chosen for the "2017 Community Banker of the Year" award. He was selected for this prestigious honor by a panel of leading public officials from the State of New Hampshire, including State Senate President Chuck Morse, House Commerce and Consumer Affairs Committee Chairman Rep. John Hunt, and State Treasurer William Dwyer.

Upon presenting the award to Mr. Laverack, Bank Commissioner Jerry Little said, "I've had the honor of knowing Sam Laverack for a long time. His talents as a banker were earned over decades of hard work. But being a 'community banker' takes much more than banking talent, and in Sam's case the additional dynamics of leadership and deeply personal caring and community spirit came to him naturally. It's who he is and it's wonderful that his peers are celebrating that. Sam has given in extraordinary ways to the many communities served by Meredith Village Savings Bank. Indeed, he has used his position as a community banker to make the world around all of us a much better place."

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Lions donated to Lakes Region Community Services

Laconia-Gilford Lions Club member Matt Soza presents a donation to Erin Pettengill, Lakes Region Community Services Family Resource Center Director. Soza is also an active volunteer at LRCS. "LRCS is one of the many area organizations that we support regularly," said Allyn Bridge, President of the Laconia-Gilford Lions Club. "We are happy to be able to continue to help them in their important work."

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Merrimack County Savings Bank and Meredith Village Savings Bank Photo Contest enters final week

MEREDITH — The photo contest for Merrimack County Savings Bank (the Merrimack) and Meredith Village Savings Bank (MVSB) ends on Saturday, May 26. All entries must be sent by this day, whether through the online system, by mail or dropped off at any MVSB or Merrimack branch office. Winning full color photographs will be featured on four websites: the two Banks, New Hampshire Mutual Bancorp (NHMB) and MillRiver Wealth Management; as well as in desktop and wall versions of printed calendars. Final photos may also be included on holiday cards and note cards.

Featured images will focus on people enjoying local events, such as the Merrimack County Savings Bank Rock N' Race, the Hampton Beach Master Sand Sculpting Classic, the Nashua Rotary Rock n' Ribfest or the Sandwich Fair. Other popular choices include people enjoying local New Hampshire venues, attractions and businesses such as the Sculpture Walk in Meredith, Canterbury Shaker Village or Granite State Candy in Concord.

As different formats are needed for the websites and print calendars, two separate contests are being held. Participants may enter one or both, but will need to indicate

the specific contest they are entering (the Web site, the calendar or both). A maximum of five, full-color entries are accepted with each entry. Online submissions can be made at either www.mvsb.com/photo-contest or www.themerrimack.com/photo-contest.

All photos and entry forms must be submitted before close of business on Saturday, May 26. A \$100 cash prize is awarded for each winning photo selected. Winners are responsible for the payment of any federal, state and local taxes on their prizes.

All photos must be submitted in color. Hard copy entries will still be accepted, and prints should be enclosed with a corresponding disc containing high resolution full-color images in .tiff, .eps or .jpg formats. For the calendar contest, the photo dimensions should be 10 inches wide by 8 inches high and the associated digital files should be a minimum of 300 DPI. For the website contest, the images should measure 10 inches wide by 4.25 inches high and the associated digital files should be a minimum of 72 dpi (though higher is preferred) at a size of at least 1920 pixels wide x 5300 pixels high.

The names of the photographers will be unknown to the panel



"Noon Peak at Waterville Valley" by Bobby Fisher of Tilton, August's selected photo for the 2018 calendar. Contest ends on May 26.

evaluating the work, and selections will be based solely on the suitability of the subject; quality of the photograph; and adherence to the purpose of the contest, which is a celebration of New Hampshire year round.

For photo contest rules and the official entry form visit themerrimack.com/photo-contest or mvsb.com/photocontest.

New Hampshire Mutual Bancorp, a mutual holding company, was formed in 2013 when two New Hampshire-based community banks, Meredith Village Savings Bank and Merrimack County Savings Bank, formally affiliated – the first relationship of its kind in New Hamp-

shire. This strategic partnership has positioned the Banks to leverage each other's strengths as they work together to advance a shared vision of maintaining and enhancing their community banking standards and values. MillRiver Wealth Management joined as a third subsidiary of NHMB in 2015, combining the financial advisory divisions of MVSB and The Merrimack. NHMB combined assets total

more than \$1.7 billion. To learn more, visit nhmutual.com.

The Merrimack recently celebrated its 150th year anniversary of serving the people, businesses, non-profits and municipalities in central and southern New Hampshire. The Bank and its employees are inspired by Merrimack style, which is guided by the values of accountability, mutuality, excellence, respect, integrity, teamwork and

stewardship. The Merrimack was honored with the 2017 Business Award of the Year Pinnacle by the Greater Concord Chamber of Commerce, was voted "Best Bank" by the Capital Area's People's Preferences for the 9th consecutive year and named 2017's "Bank of the Year" by the Capital Regional Development Council. To learn more, visit any of the local offices in Bow, Concord, Contoocook, Hooksett and Nashua, call 800-541-0006 or visit themerrimack.com.

For nearly 150 years, Meredith Village Savings Bank (MVSB), has been serving the people, businesses, non-profits and municipalities of Central NH. MVSB and its employees are guided by the values of accountability, mutuality, excellence, respect, integrity, teamwork and stewardship. To learn more, visit any of the local branch offices located in Alton, Ashland, Center Harbor, Gilford, Hampton Falls, Laconia, Meredith, Moultonborough, Plymouth, Portsmouth or Wolfeboro, call 800-922-6872 or visit mvsb.com.

Pontine Theatre presents "Brewster's Rambles" at Taylor Community

LACONIA — Have you ever wandered the streets of Portsmouth, NH, curious about the lives of the men and women who once graced the impressive mansions; sailed to foreign lands from the wharves along the riverfront; or traded in the shops around market square? If so, do we have a show for you!

Find answers, insights and charming entertainment in Pontine Theatre's original adaptation of "Brewster's Rambles about Portsmouth," Wednesday, June 6 at 6:30 p.m. in Taylor Community's Woodside Building. This free event is open to the public.

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Bank of NH returns for 10th year as Presenting Sponsor of LRGHealthcare Golf Classic!

LACONIA — For a 10th year Bank of New Hampshire has signed on as the \$10,000 Presenting Sponsor of the LRGHealthcare Golf Classic!

The Aug. 13 tournament will take place at Laconia Country Club. Golfers will participate in a scramble format, choosing to golf in either the morning or afternoon round (shotgun starts at 8:30 a.m. and 2 p.m.). Each flight will be followed by a delicious meal, gifts, and prizes for the participants.

Over the years, this tournament has raised more than \$1.1 million to benefit patients at LR-

GHealthcare. Proceeds from the 2018 Golf Classic will be designated to much-needed renovations to the Emergency Department at Lakes Region General Hospital.

“Bank of New Hampshire is proud to continue to support LRGHealthcare and the renovations for the Emergency Department,” states Paul Falvey, President & CEO for Bank of New Hampshire. “Upgrades to the Emergency Department are critical to ensuring that patients have access to quality and immediate services in their road to recovery and wellness. LR-



COURTESY LRGHealthcare President & CEO Kevin Donovan (right) thanks Bank of New Hampshire President & CEO Paul Falvey for the bank's very generous and long-time support as Presenting Sponsor of the LRGHealthcare Golf Classic.

GHealthcare is a vital part of the greater Lakes Region community and we support their vision for the future.”

sincere appreciation to Paul Falvey and everyone at Bank of New Hampshire for their tremendous support of LRGHealthcare over the years,” states Kevin W. Donovan, LRGHealthcare President & CEO.

“This will be the 10th year that Bank of New Hampshire has joined us as Presenting Sponsor of the Golf Classic. We're excited to celebrate this remarkable milestone and enjoy a great day of golf on Aug. 13 with so many of our generous community friends and hospital partners,” adds Donovan.

Several sponsors have already joined

Bank of New Hampshire in supporting this event, including Silver Sponsor Cross Insurance Agency; Golf Ball Sponsors Atlantic Broadband, Giguere Electric, and Pepsi Co.; Cart Sponsor Tufts Health Freedom Plan; and Corporate Sponsors Bay Point Financial, Golden View Health Care Center, MB Tractor & Equipment, Melcher & Prescott Insurance, Meredith Village Savings Bank, Stanley Elevator, and Workplace Benefit Solutions - A HUB International New England Company.

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LRGHealthcare is a not-for-profit healthcare charitable trust representing Lakes Region General Hospital, Franklin Regional Hospital, and affiliated medical providers. LRGHealthcare is committed to providing quality, compassionate care and to strengthening the well-being of our community.

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tant. "I like chemistry a lot, I found a major that kind of mixes all of that together," Lachapelle said. Her top activity is field hockey. Young will go to Middlebury College studying Biochemistry and Psychiatry. She said she wants to be a child psychiatrist. She worked at a summer camp that did therapy with small children. Young has also worked with Habitat for Humanity.

She said at school she really enjoys being on the swim team. Bergman will attend Northeastern University and study Biomedical Engineering. He said he wants to work in prosthetics. "I just thought that was the most interesting portion of this type of engineering in my opinion," Bergman said. He has been the class vice president all four years, saying he likes knowing what is going on with the class

and being able to help people. Breton will major in Nursing at University of Rhode Island and wants to be a nurse practitioner. She said she has always wanted to go into medicine and decided she wanted to be a nurse practitioner. She has been the class treasurer for two years. "It's not that bad because all my other officers help me out we all work as a team," Breton said.

WOW BALL

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time being the organization is going to focus on maintaining the 4.5 miles of existing trail between Laconia and Belmont. "Making sure the 4.5 miles we have now is ideal," Beetle said. He said they do want to continue the mission of building a trail that leads to Weirs Beach. The grand prize \$10,000 winner was Katie LaRoche of Laconia. This was the fourth year LaRoche has gone, and she was at the event with her husband Adam LaRoche. "It's just a nice outing; we have kids at home," LaRoche said. She said her family, including their three little girls, regularly uses the WOW Trail. LaRoche said she never expected she would actually win. "I'm just in awe; that's just crazy," LaRoche said. "Four years and bam." The LaRoches said they may use the money to pay some bills and maybe go on a trip. The second place winner of \$1,000 was Debbie



Attendees at the WOW Sweepstakes Ball get on the dance floor.



WOW Trail executive director Gretchen Gandini helps pick out some winners at the WOW Sweepstakes Ball.

Frawley Drake of Laconia. Third place of \$500 went to Jennifer Sawyer of Gilford. Jon Rich of Belmont won the fourth place prize of \$300. Six \$200 prizes went to Cecilia Genova of Gilford, Nichole Bernier, Christine Yale, Michael Ware of Gilford, Rob Finlayson of New Hampton, and Mary Kolodziej of Pelham.

BAND

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cert band after receiving a "Superior" rating. "We haven't gotten that since 2008," said band president Michael Wernig. Wernig said they got good feedback from the adjudicators. "They talked about what they heard," Wernig said. "They really liked the clarinet section; they thought we had really good sound together." Beyrent said they liked the overall tone of the band, one especially commented on the clarinet and trumpet sections.

and difficult, but at the same time I couldn't have asked for a better (result)," Harding said. Deyarmond said it was a little sad that this was going to be their last band competition trip. "I was really happy that we came in first our senior year," said bass clarinetist and choir member Cassidy Keyser. "I don't think we could have asked for anything better." Choir member Taylor Hurst, a sophomore, said it was a unique experience and choir member freshman Jacqueline Nash said it was fun overall. "I never thought in high school I would go to Six Flags and perform," said choir member Samm Johnson, a senior. Nash said this was her first time doing this competition. Johnson said as a senior it was bittersweet because this was their last time. The chorus sang two a capella pieces. Hurst said the acoustics in the room were good and everyone was able to hear each other.

it," Nash said. "It was a nice moment to see a freshman recognized," Hurst said. The students said overall it was great to spend time with each other, especially at the park. Johnson said she spent time with a peer she had seen in class for years, but had never had the chance to hang out with until then. "It's so nice to be there after you did something so big," Nash said.

The choir received a rating of "Excellent" for its performance. After the competition, students and chaperones had some play time at Six Flags. Beyrent said chaperones on the trip included Assistant Principal Tim Goggin and Auditorium Director Scott Piddington. "The two of them rode the rollercoasters all day," Beyrent said. Percussionist Jakob Deyarmond, a senior, said he was really happy with how they performed. "Our performances were pretty stellar in both areas," said tenor saxophone player and choir member Luke Harding, a senior. Deyarmond said the trip was fun overall. "We went to Florida last year, [so] it was nice being a little bit closer to home," Deyarmond said. The seniors said the trip was bittersweet. "It was a little sad

entering grades 5-8 will be run from 8 a.m. – noon. Participants may register by picking up a form from the Parks and Recreation office or by visiting the Gilford Parks and Recreation Web site at www.hogancamps.com. Cost (If you register before May 1): \$85 for Session I and \$120 for Session II For more information, please contact the Gilford Parks and Recreation Department at 527-4722.

REC NEWS

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may also bring your own equipment (with approval by instructor). For more information, please contact the Parks and Recreation Department at 527-4722. **LetGO YOUR MIND Robotics Camps** The Gilford Parks and Recreation Department is sponsoring two one-week LEGO robotics camps the week of June 25 – June 29 The camps will take place at the Gilford Middle

School from 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. The "Super Hero Master Builders & Stop Motion Animation" is open to children ages six to nine years of age and the "EV3 Battle Bots with Heroes and Villains & Stop Animation/Minecraft" is open to children ages nine to 14 years of age. Participants can register on-line at www.letgoyourmind.com. Cost: \$315 For more information, please contact the Gilford Parks and Rec-

reation Department at 527-4722. **Shooter's Gold Basketball Camp** The Gilford Parks and Recreation Department is once again inviting the Shooter's Gold Basketball Camp to come to Gilford this summer! The camp will be held in the Gilford Middle School Gym from June 25 – June 29. Session 1 for children entering grades 1-4 will be run from 8 – 10 a.m. Session 2 for children

entering grades 5-8 will be run from 8 a.m. – noon. Participants may register by picking up a form from the Parks and Recreation office or by visiting the Gilford Parks and Recreation Web site at www.hogancamps.com. Cost (If you register before May 1): \$85 for Session I and \$120 for Session II For more information, please contact the Gilford Parks and Recreation Department at 527-4722.

PRESCOTT FARMS

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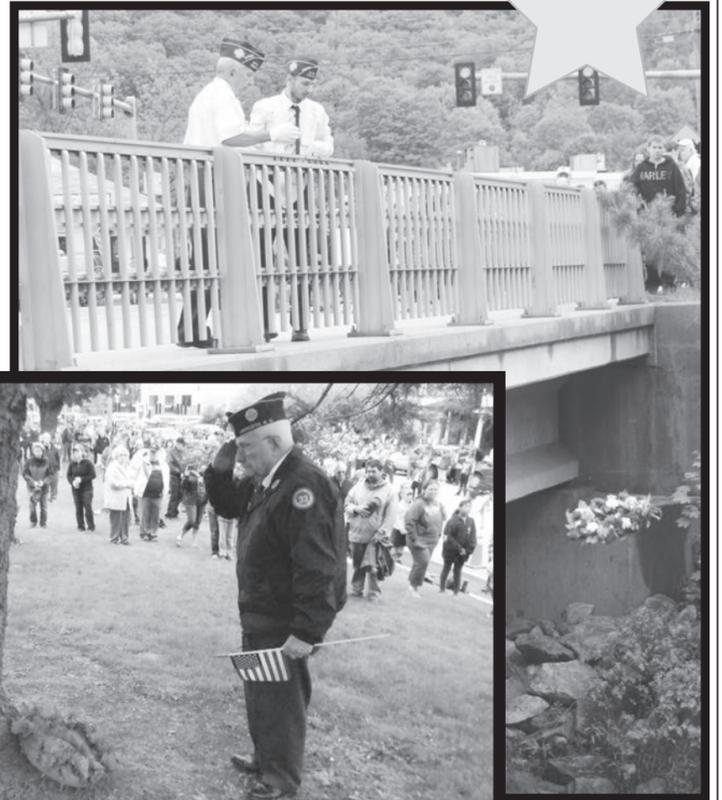
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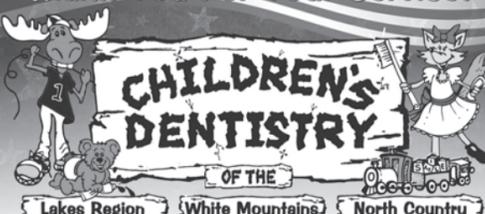

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LRCC

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minder that while we teach classes to rooms full of students, each is an individual with a story.”

Students in the General Motors Automotive Service Educational Program (GM ASEP) were recognized for their accomplishments at a luncheon held at the college. Sponsoring dealerships and guests were also recognized and thanked for their support of the program. Keynote speaker, George Dykstra, founding faculty member of the GM ASEP at LRCC, stressed the importance of automotive skills in today’s technologically-driven and rapidly changing world, saying, “the advancements in automotive technology today are incredible. It will be students like you who will lead the next generation. I encourage you all to get active and get involved.”

Andrew Tang, Dis-

trict Manager for Aftersales, presented the 2018 GM-ASEP Leadership Award to LRCC graduate Zachary Lancey. In all, six candidates were recognized for completing the program. Each student must obtain sponsorship from a recognized GM dealer in order to participate in the GM-ASEP program. Students who successfully complete their program become extremely valuable assets to their employers and are almost guaranteed employment upon graduation. Recognized were Austin Gagne, sponsored by Holloway Buick GMC Cadillac; Liam Kenney, sponsored by Quick Chevrolet of Portland; Zachary Lancey, sponsored by Ron Currier’s Hilltop Chevrolet; John Maviki sponsored by Benson Auto; Abigail McIntosh, sponsored by Banks Chevrolet;

and Timothy Steiner, sponsored by Springfield Buick GMC.

Adding to the festivities of graduation week was the continued celebration of Lakes Region Community College’s 50th year of operation. Lakes Region Community College was first established in 1967 and opened its doors in 1968. There were seven programs with a total of 37 graduates for the first graduation in 1970. Since then, the college has grown from a small trade school to a full-service community college with 28 different degree programs and 38 short-term certificate programs.

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said President Baia.

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LAVERACK

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Laverack was nominated by several organizations, including the Granite United Way in recognition of his outstanding leadership and tireless efforts in leveraging his role as a business leader in the communities New Hampshire Mutual Bancorp serves. The New Hampshire Lakes Association nomination cites many of Laverack’s efforts, most notably his leadership with their annual Lakes Congress, a lakes stewardship networking and education event. Squam Lakes Conservation Society noted Laverack’s long term as director, with the last three as president of their Society. Laverack’s “steady leadership resulted in the doubling of land permanently protected, a stronger organization, and increased visibility in the communities we serve.”

Laverack’s devotion to giving back to his community has led him to chair his hometown of Holderness’ Budget Committee, Chair of the Trustee of Trust Funds, and Vice-Chair of the Board of Selectman. Beyond his hometown, he has served on the boards for Speare Memorial Hospital, the Belknap County

Economic Development Council (now the BelknapEDC), and Lakes Region Advisory Board for the New Hampshire Charitable Foundation, the White Mountain Economic Development Council, and the Greater Meredith Program.

His passion as an outdoor enthusiast is evidenced by his role as a Board member for the NH Lakes Association, and the Squam Lakes Conservation Society.

Leading by example, Laverack has inspired countless employees to donate their time to the non profits they are most passionate about in the Central New Hampshire, Lakes Region, Seacoast and Greater Nashua communities. As a result, hundreds of employees from NHMB, MVSB, the Merrimack and MillRiver donate thousands of hours of their time to an extensive list of local causes every year.

“Sam is also especially interested in ensuring that strong leadership continues in banking, and spends a great deal of his time and energy on mentoring and developing employees,” said David Cronin, SVP and Human Resources Direc-

tor of NHMB.

On Dec. 14, 2017, Savings Bank of Walpole announced its plans to join NHMB. Gregg Tewksbury, SBW’s current President and CEO, will succeed Laverack and lead the combined organization with the guidance of the boards and management teams of NHMB, SBW, MVSB, the Merrimack and MillRiver. He will maintain his offices in Walpole and Keene and add offices at all partner organizations as well.

“One of the benefits of this alliance is the ability to tap into the leadership and expertise that Gregg will bring to our organization as a steward of mutual banking values in New Hampshire – and most importantly, in the individual communities served by our partner banks,” noted Laverack.

Tewksbury has been with SBW since 2005, and has also served on its Board of Trustees for fifteen years. Prior to SBW, Tewksbury was CFO at Merriam-Graves Corporation and CFO at CFX Corporation. He is a current board member and immediate past Board Chairman of Cheshire Medical Center, serves on the Com-

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Gilford girls take second at Wilderness Championships

BY BOB MARTIN
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GILFORD — Gilford High School hosted the Wilderness League Championships on Saturday and for the first time in 22 years, the girls' track team placed in the top three by taking second place behind Kennett.

There were 22 teams involved in the meet created by former track coach Gary Shannon 46 years ago.

Leading the way for Gilford was Lauren Dean, who broke her own school record in the 400 meters by taking first place with a time of 60.60. She was also first in the 4X100-meter relay with a time of 52.53. The relay team consisted of Dean, Natalie Fraser, Briana Fraser and Laurel Gingrich.

Dean was also second in the 200 meters with a time of 27.80. Fraser was second in the 400 meters



BOB MARTIN
(Left) Briana Fraser helped the Gilford girls' track team to a big win at the Wilderness Championship.

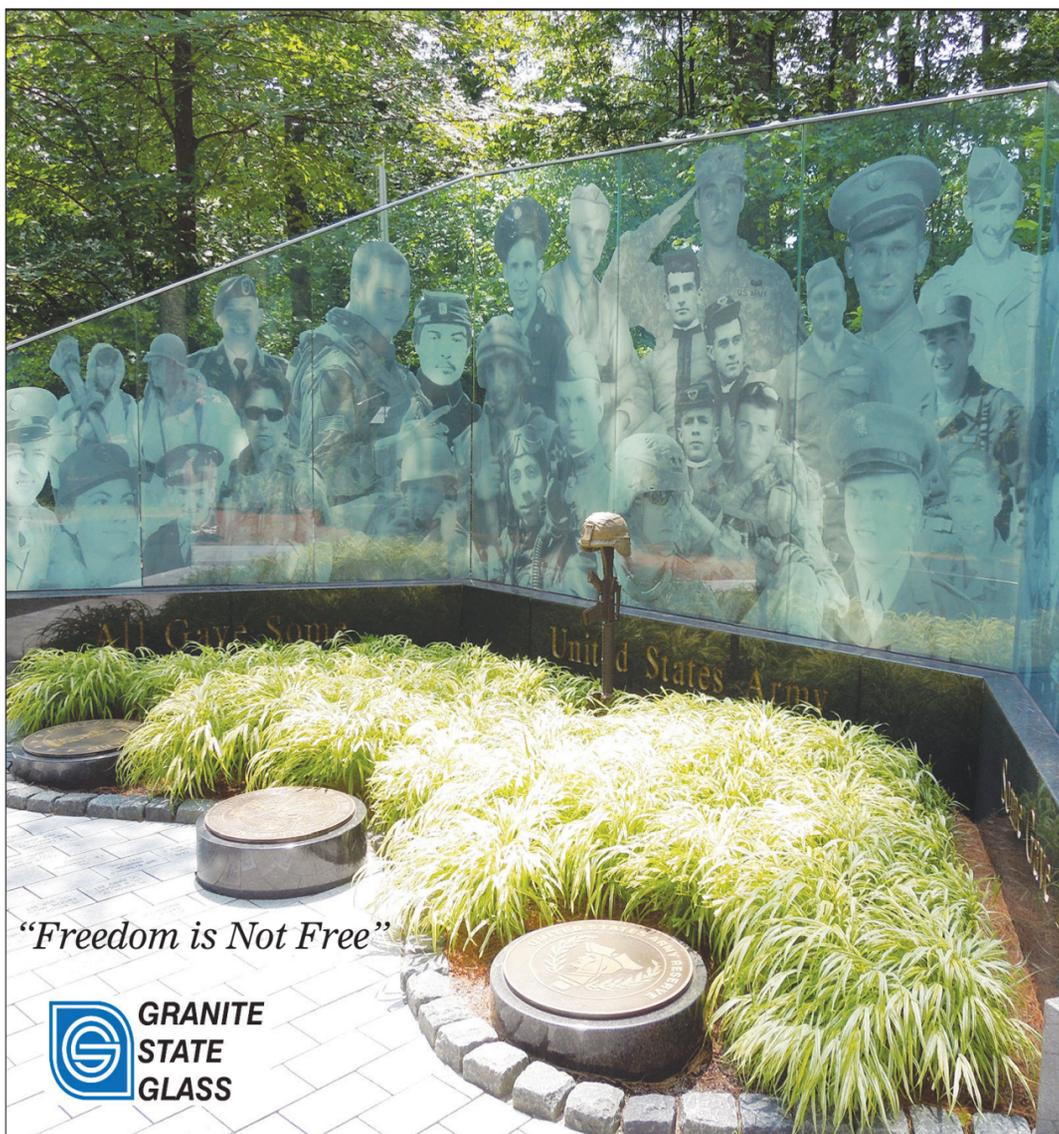
team included the Fraser sisters, Dean and Kaitlyn Callahan. The 4X800-meter relay team was third with a time of 10:47.91, which was led by Aria Stephan who also placed sixth in the 800 meters with a time of 2:37.39. Lindsey Sanderson, Carly White and Callahan were also on the team.

The 4X400 relay team is the fourth fastest in all divisions and the 4X100 relay team is the eighth fastest.

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Lacrosse girls pick up pair of wins

BY BOB MARTIN

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GILFORD — On May 17, the Gilford girls' lacrosse team improved to 8-4 with a 16-6 win over Campbell, which saw the Golden Eagles play well right from the beginning.

With just over two minutes off the clock, Gilford struck first with a goal by Laurel Normandin. However, just a minute later Campbell responded with a goal, followed quickly by another goal to give Campbell a 2-1 lead with 21 minutes remaining in the first half.

Gilford tied up the game 2-2 with a goal by Normandin about a minute later, but Campbell was feisty at this point and again took a lead 3-2. Shelby Cole scored with 15:57 remaining to tie things up 3-3 and this



Gilford's Shelby Cole cradles the ball and brings it up the field against Campbell.

BOB MARTIN

started an offensive surge by Gilford.

Normandin added three more goals and Cole scored a goal and had an assist over the course of the next six minutes to go up 7-3. This was quickly followed by a goal by Kolbi Plante to go up 8-3.

With about four minutes to go in the first half, Cole had another

assist to Plante to go up 9-3. Cole added a goal at the 2:21 mark to make it a 10-3 game and at this point Gilford was cruising. Cole had a nice direct shot attempt after a penalty with 20 seconds left in the half to make it 11-3 at halftime.

The great play by Gilford continued in the second half. Normandin had three more goals in the half, as well as goals by Kyla Mercier and senior Olivia Harris. It was the first varsity goal for Harris.

Leading the offense was Normandin with

eight goals and an assist, followed by Cole with her four goals and two assists. Coach Dave Rogacki commended the play of Rhianna Day, saying she had the best pass and assist of the day.

Earlier in the week, on May 14, Gilford squeaked by with a win over Lebanon by a score of 11-10. Normandin was the hero with a game winning goal with only 1:35 remaining. She finished with three goals, while Cole had four goals and three assists. Sophie Leggett and Erin Hart added a goal and assist each, as well. Mercier

and Plante each also had a goal.

Rogacki said the defense failed to keep pace with Lebanon's passing game and Gilford's own passing and shooting game was incomplete, but he has confidence and was happy to come away with the win.

"We still have a long way to go to play a complete game on both ends of the field, but the direction is headed right way," Rogacki said.

On May 16, Gilford faced defending champion Kearsarge and lost 14-8. Gilford was down by six at half but Rogacki was happy to see the team improve in the second half.

"It took the players a half to adjust to Kearsarge's very good offensive style," said Rogacki.

He said goalie Julia Spooner had a good day with 10 saves. Cole had four goals and two assists, while Normandin and Leggett had a pair of goals each.

The Gilford girls' la-

crosse team has won five of its last six games and are sitting pretty with an 8-4 record, which puts the team at seventh place heading into the final week of the season.

Gilford faced Trinity on the road after deadline. Next up for Gilford is Laconia on May 25 at 4 p.m. for the last game of the regular season.

The boys' lacrosse team fell to 5-6 by losing two out of three games last week. Gilford lost on the road to Lebanon 13-6 on May 14 and the following day the team fell to Milford at home by a score of 17-8. The win came against Kearsarge on May 16 on the road by a score of 13-9.

Top performers in the win over Kearsarge were Nate Hudson with seven goals and Brandon Cole with three goals.

Gilford hosted Trinity and traveled to Pelham after deadline. The last game of the regular season is at Laconia on May 25 for a 6 p.m. matchup.

Softball Golden Eagles split penultimate week of season

BY BOB MARTIN

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GILFORD — The Gilford softball team had a win and a loss last week, which brings the Golden Eagles to a 9-4 record and eighth place heading into the final week of the regular season.

On May 15, Gilford had a big shutout win against rival Laconia on the road. The team had nine hits and only one error on the day, which was drastically different than the Sachems, who had only two hits and was sloppy in the field.

"Gilford used a nine-hit attack and took advantage of eight Laconia errors to beat the Sachems 13-0," said coach Joan Forge.

Gilford took a 2-0 lead in the top of the first inning and never looked back. The team had its biggest inning with a six-run fourth, which was highlighted by back-to-back singles by Jillian Lachapelle and Alexis Lacroix, who were driven in by a long double by Ella Harris.

The team scored another run in the sixth inning and four more in the seventh inning.

Harris got the win with four innings, no walks, two hits and eight

strikeouts.

Leading the offensive charge were Lachapelle and Lacroix, who each had two hits, three runs and a steal. Emily Smit also had two hits on the day to go along with a run and a steal.

Gilford then had the tough task of facing top ranked White Mountains and took an 8-3 loss on May 16.

The Golden Eagles had a 2-1 lead in the top of the third inning thanks to a two-run single by Samantha Knowles. However, the Spartans answered in the bottom half of the inning with a three run shot to take a 4-2 lead. White Mountains scored four more runs in the fifth inning to seal the win.

Gilford threatened in the final frame when Taryn Breton was hit by a pitch and got to second on a wild pitch, and then scored on an RBI double by Ella Harris.

Gilford has three home games to end the season this week, including Prospect Mountain and White Mountains that took place after deadline. Next up for Gilford is the team's final regular season game against Laconia at 4 p.m. on May 25.

Tennis boys see win streak end, girls win final match

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GILFORD — The Gilford boys' tennis team has been dominant for years and had a 97-game winning streak, but like any streak there comes a time where it must end. Gilford finished the regular season in first place, but the ending was bittersweet with a 5-2 loss to Bow on May 19 to end the dominant run.

Gilford enters the state tournament 13-1 as the number one seed, and Bow is right behind the Golden Eagles with only two losses on the year.

Coach Terry Wilson is proud of the way his team has played this season, as well as the run that that the team has been on for five years. He also commended the play of Bow, giving credit where credit was due.

"Bow played very good in all six singles' matches and the number doubles matches," said Wilson. "The players from the current team and the past five years are proud of the streak. Reasons for the streak are the commitment of the players, often for four years; the players working hard, whether inside or outside; the players understanding the mental aspect of the



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Josey Curley was praised by coach Hermann Defregger for her play in the win for Gilford over Berlin.

game; past players returning to support the current team; and the support of the players' families. We are happy to have earned the number one seed and will work hard to advance through the tournament as far as possible."

On May 14, Gilford beat Littleton 7-2 and on May 17, the Golden Eagles shut out Berlin 9-0. The Golden Eagles swept singles in both matches. Winning doubles were the combinations of Christian Workman/Tyler Hanf, Brendan Bergman/Shawn Edson, Jonathan Nelson/Neal Miller and Sam Mercer/Adam Sikoski. It was the first varsity win for Mercer/Sikoski.

Gilford hosted a quarterfinal match against a team to be announced on Tuesday after deadline.

The Gilford girls' tennis team had a tough season, going 2-12, but the Golden Eagles ended on a high note with a 5-4 win over Berlin on May 16.

"After two more losses to the number three and number one ranked teams, we were able to finish on a positive note," said coach Hermann Defregger. "Hannah Lord had an epic battle at number five, which she unfortunately lost in a very close tiebreaker 6-8. That singles win could've secured the total match win for us. But kudos to Hannah and Olivia Comeau (who also lost her singles) for fighting back in their doubles and winning it in dramatic fashion."

Defregger added that

Reagan McIntire and Josey Curley had strong finishes with decisive wins. He said Madison Eastman stepped up this season and won her first three official singles matches. Defregger has high hopes for next season.

"Alyssa Gosselin, Annabelle Eisenmann and Jillian Palisi who started playing this season for the first time, all contributed to official match play, which should give them great experience for next year," said Defregger. "With only one senior graduation, Sarah Fillion, we will go back to work and hope with better weather and more practice opportunities, that we have a chance for the playoffs next year."

Panther Volleyball Camp set for July in Plymouth

PLYMOUTH — Plymouth State University head women's volleyball coach Joan Forge will be hosting Panther Volleyball Camp July 23-26.

This camp will feature two sessions. Panther Camp One is 9 a.m.-noon for girls entering the fifth-eighth grade and is designed for beginner to intermediate players. Players will have fun while learning the basic

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Gilford baseball remains undefeated with three more wins

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GILFORD — The Gilford High School baseball team has continued its run of dominance this season by winning all three of its games last week and remaining undefeated with a 14-0 record.

On May 14, the Golden Eagles took on a tough Fall Mountain squad and came away with a 2-0 win. Isaac Wallace was the star of the day with a complete

game shutout on only 71 pitches. His efficiency led to no walks, five strikeouts and only allowing one runner to get to third base.

Gilford scored the first run in the second inning. Wallace was hit by a pitch and moved to third on a sacrifice. He scored on a double steal.

It was a 1-0 game until the sixth inning when the heart of the order was set to come up for the Golden Eagles. Adrian Siravo crushed

a triple to lead things off and he was driven in on an RBI single to left by Wallace.

“I think in the beginning of the game we were looking ahead to Wednesday’s game against undefeated White Mountains,” said coach Eric Duquette. “Fall Mountain came to play and had a very good pitcher that kept us off the bases, but we did just enough to get the win.”

The game of the sea-

son came for Gilford on May 16 when the Golden Eagles traveled to White Mountains. Gilford was 11-0 going in and White Mountains stood at 12-0. With both sides knowing this game was going to depend on seeding in the playoffs and potentially who would be in first place by the end of the regular season, the teams were amped up and ready to bring their “A” game. Gilford came away with a nice 10-5 win thanks to timely hitting and another good game for Siravo on the mound.

Gilford was down 3-0 to the Spartans until Siravo smashed a grand slam to take the lead. He had two hits on the day. Tyler McKinney had a pair of RBIs and Cody Boucher had a double, two walks and a run. The Golden Eagles had eight hits on the day.

Siravo was the winning pitcher with three

hits and three earned runs allowed over five and two-thirds innings. Sophomore Connor Sullivan pitched an inning of relief allowing one walk and one hit. He was effective by getting the team out of a bases loaded jam.

The win was huge for the Golden Eagles as it left the team in sole possession of first place in Division 3. The Spartans also lost to Belmont last week, which helped Gilford increase its lead in the division.

Gilford traveled to Franklin on May 17 and crushed the struggling Tornados with a 17-0 victory. Sullivan was on the hill for Gilford and got the win. He pitched four innings, allowed two hits and struck out three batters. McKinney pitched his first game and had a solid inning of relief allowing one walk while striking out a batter.

McKinney also had a two-RBI triple, while Siravo continued his hot hitting with a two-run homer. Freshman Jack McLean has also been hot at the plate and had three hits. Tim Gentile and Joe Blake picked up their first varsity hits in the win. Every starter had a hit and an RBI on the day.

“The team is playing great baseball right now and has really gelled as a group,” said Duquette. “We still have work to do as we want that number one seed and first round bye in D-3 tournament, and have two tough games Monday and Tuesday against Prospect Mountain and White Mountains, both at home. We have both Adrian and Isaac available Monday to start.”

The games took place after deadline and results will be in the next edition.

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Harry Laflamme runs the 1,600 meters for Gilford at the Wilderness Championship.

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cluded Sydney Lehr’s third place in the long jump with a leap of 14 feet, 11 inches, as well as Emma Ramsey’s sixth place finish in the 100-meter hurdles with a time of 18.45.

The boys’ team also had a solid day with a fifth place finish. Connor Leggett was a leader for Gilford, placing second in the 300-meter hurdles with a time of 45.49. He was also the anchor of the third place 4X400-meter relay team with along with Michael Wernig, Shea Therrien and Sandor Gamache. The team had a time of 3:44.68.

Other highlights included Wernig’s fourth place in the discus with a toss of 114 feet, four inches; Therrien’s second place in long jump with a distance of 19 feet, two inches; Sandor Gamache’s third place in triple jump at 38 feet, 5.5 inches and Owen Ramsey’s fourth place in discus with a throw of 116 feet, three inches.

Korey Weston tied Therrien in the long jump for second place and was fifth in javelin with a toss of 135 feet,

eight inches. Finn Baldwin placed fifth in high jump with a leap of five feet, six inches, and also javelin with a throw of 130 feet, one inch.

“Another great day for Gilford track,” said coach Joe Wernig. “Athletes are peaking at just the right time. Looking forward to the D-3 Championships.”

Earlier in the week on Wednesday Gilford hosted an eight team meet. The girls’ team took its fourth straight win at home. The team was led by first place finishes by Dean in the 200 meters with a time of 27.53. The 4X100 and 4X400-meter relay teams were also first.

Other first place finishers were Gingrich

in the 100 meters with a time of 13.89; Katiana Gamache in shotput with a toss of 27 feet, 10 inches and Sydney Lehr in long jump with a distance of 14 feet, five inches.

The boys’ team took second just behind Belmont. The 4X400-meter relay team took first with a time of 3:43.99.

Other first place finishes included Weston in the long jump with a distance of 18 feet, five inches; Michael Wernig in discus with a toss of 116 feet, one inch and Sandor Gamache in the triple jump with a distance of 38 feet, one inch.

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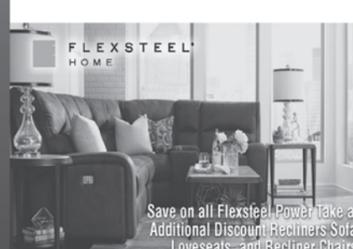
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Here’s some background: Previously, you may have been able to deduct your charitable donations if you itemized deductions on your income tax return. So, for example, if you were in the 25 percent tax bracket and you gave \$1,000 to a qualified charity, you may have been able to deduct \$250.

But under the new tax laws, the standard deduction is almost doubled for 2018, to \$24,000 for joint filers, and \$12,000 for single filers. As a result, far fewer people are likely to itemize their deductions.

If you’re in this group, you may find that you have less incentive, at least for tax reasons, to make charitable gifts.

However, receiving a tax deduction is not the only tax benefit of making a charitable gift. If you own an IRA and you’re 70 ½ or older, you generally must start taking withdrawals – technically called required minimum distributions, or RMDs – from your traditional IRA. (Roth IRAs are not subject to RMDs until after the death of the owner.) If instead of withdrawing

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Given the increased standard deduction resulting from the new tax laws, many charitable groups are worried about the potential loss of contributions. Nonetheless, as we’ve seen, you can still find ways to get some tax benefits from your own charitable gifts. And you’ll still get the same satisfaction from supporting a good cause.

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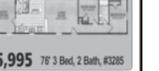
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10:00 a.m. - North Sutton, NH
Selling to the Highest Bidder Above: **\$45,000**
11 Davis Court is a 1,420± sq.ft. Cape that includes 3 bedrooms, 2 full bathrooms a large wraparound porch and a detached garage. The home sits on its own 1± acre lot close to the Vernondale Store and Kezar Lake. Tax Map 07, Lot 900, Sub-lot 354. Assessed Value: \$130,260.



12:00 p.m. - Danbury, NH - Selling to the Highest Bidder Above: \$70,000
75 Brookside Lane is a 1,320± sq.ft. Cape with standing seam metal roof that includes 2 bedrooms, 2 full bathrooms and a full basement. The home sits on its own .98± acre lot. Tax Map 406, Lot 39. Assessed Value: \$123,600.



2:00 p.m. - New Durham, NH
Selling to the Highest Bidder Above: **\$150,000**
214 Birch Hill Road is a 2,688± sq.ft. Colonial built in 2001± that includes 7 bedrooms, 2 full bathrooms and sits on 5.14± acres. Tax Map 244, Lot 23. Assessed Value: \$239,100.

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