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# Tilton loses town planner to Belmont

BY DONNA RHODES

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TILTON – At the April 11 selectmen’s meeting in Tilton, Town Planner Dari Sassan presented the board with a summary of ongoing projects and upcoming activity in the Tilton Land Use department before bidding them farewell as he prepared for his new position with the Town of Belmont.

“I just wanted to let you know about things to keep an eye on in the future,” Sassan said as he wrapped up his advisory report.

Town Administrator Jeanie Forrester thanked Sassan for the information and told the board that since he first gave notice about his move to Belmont, he



Tilton Town Planner Dari Sassan gave selectmen a final update on current and future projects in his department last Thursday before heading off to his new job as the town planner in Belmont.

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had done an outstanding job in bringing both she and other town officials informed about things should be aware of in the future.

Selectmen also gave their praise and thanks to Sassan.

Selectman Joe Jesseman not only thanked Sassan for sharing his expertise in town planning over the years, but told him, “The town is much better off than we were before you came here.”

Sassan him thanked him in return by saying it had been a very enjoyable and productive five years spent as a full time employee in Tilton.

As he moves now to Belmont, with a start date scheduled for this

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## Arrest made in connection with recent burglaries

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NORTHFIELD – Police arrested 31-year-old Brennan Szanto of Northfield last Friday after following up on “countless leads” regarding a burglary at 32 Bean Hill Rd. three days earlier.

Northfield Police Lt. Michael Hutchinson reported that during the evening/early morning hours of April 9, the owners of the residence on Bean Hill Rd. were awakened by the sound of their dog barking. A short time later, he said, the residents noticed their security cameras had been activated and began to review the footage they had captured. It was then that they discovered why the dog had been barking.

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## Franklin VNA & Hospice receives high marks

FRANKLIN — CMS, the Center for Medicare and Medicaid services, wants to keep us safe, satisfied, and make sure we have the right information to make good choices about whom we choose for Home Health and Hospice care. To do this, they send a team



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Pictured: Elaine Cartier, Hospice Administrator, NH State Senator Harold French, NH State Senator Bob Giuda and Tabitha Dowd, Executive Director.

## Belmont residents celebrate a favorite snack

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BELMONT – If one were to mix some juggling feats with a touch of comedy, add a little magic and some zany antics, then stir it all together to create a great family night out, that’s just what was enjoyed by both young and old last Friday as part of Belmont’s ongoing 150th Anniversary celebration.

Since April 12 was National Grilled Cheese Day, the evening kicked off with many different kinds of grilled cheese sandwiches prepared by Belmont’s Special Events Coordinator, Gretta Olson-Wilder, and members of the Belmont Rotary. It was all free of charge and came with chips, drinks and dessert.

“I was looking up na-



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Maddie Scarponi looked amazed when she held up two spinning plates and a ball as part of comedic juggler Bryson Lang’s performance last Friday.

tional days like that and saw National Grilled Cheese Day fell on a Friday night this year, and I thought that was perfect for a family night out,” said Olson-Wilder.

When dinner was over, comedic juggler Bryson Lang headed up on stage to cap the evening off with his fun filled style of entertainment.

After starting off by juggling six tennis balls,

Lang moved up to nine balls (actually three plastic containers with three tennis balls in each) then eight balls, which turned out to be a few rubber balls that actually ap-

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of State Surveyors to every Home Health and Hospice agency in the country, every three years. Then they release those results on the Home Health Compare website, www.medicare.gov/home-healthcompare or www.medicare.gov/hospice-compare for Home Hospice agencies.

On Tuesday, April 2, it was Franklin VNA & Hospice’s turn for their Hospice survey. This survey was the first one under Hospice Administrator Elaine Cartier and Executive Director Tabitha Dowd, both of whom were

complimented by the CMS surveyors for the well-organized program and swift response to all the surveyors’ requests.

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# Franklin VNA & Hospice hosts Annie Kuster

FRANKLIN — Friday, April 19 from 10:30 a.m., Annie Kuster will be the featured representative at Franklin VNA & Hospice's Meet Your Representative event. She'll be discussing health care issues, and taking questions about the health care issues important to you, joined by health-care providers and staff of the Franklin VNA & Hospice. The public is invited and encouraged to come and ask about health care issues important to you.

## Free outdoor concert in Belmont June 1

BELMONT — Three bands will be featured in a free outdoor concert in Belmont village on Saturday, June 1 as part of the town's 150th anniversary celebration. While present and past students of Belmont schools are encouraged to attend to rekindle old friendships during this special year, this summer event is open to all.

Stolen Thunder (<http://www.stolenthunderbandnh.com/>), featuring Belmont resident and alumnus Shawn Chase, will start the event off at 4 p.m. The second band of the evening down by the Belmont Mill will be 19 Miles Per Hour (<https://www.19milesperhour.com>) featuring the wonderful vocals of brothers Michael and Danny Iacopucci, BHS alumni. During the first two acts, talented performers of Cirque de Light (<http://www.cirquedelight.com/>), will provide roving entertainment of stilt walkers and contact jugglers. Bring your camera for a unique selfie!

At 6 p.m. that evening, there will be a short presentation of three mural panels designed and painted by students from the elementary and middle schools in celebration of Belmont's Sesquicentennial. The mural panels represent the town's past, present, and future. Come support their efforts and share stories of your own childhood memories of the Gale School, Memorial Building, current Elementary, Middle and High Schools. Radio Roulette f/k/a Local 23 Band (<https://radiorouletteband.com/>) music are scheduled to begin around 6:30 pm and provide dance music to bring us to dusk for an awesome Fire Spinning Show by the Cirque de Light performers. This is a free outdoor event, so save the date now and help spread the word with family and friends. For more information, please contact Gretta Olson-Wilder, Special Events Coordinator, at 998-3525 or email her at [events@belmontnh.org](mailto:events@belmontnh.org).

able Care Act which increased healthcare coverage for an estimated 20 - 24 million additional people.

At the Meet Your Representative event, attendees will have the chance to pose their questions on health-care, and the public is invited. Likely questions will be on the reimbursement changes for the Choices for Independence program and about the proposed reimbursement changes to Home Care which are anticipated to financially strain the already stretched Home Care dollars, potentially causing closures of some Home Care agencies.

tor for Franklin VNA & Hospice. "For the cost of two hours in the emergency room, you could instead pay for one month of an in-home care provider through the Choices For Independence program or even an episode of skilled care with a visiting nurse. The program helps individuals avoid expensive emergency room stays and tens of thousands of dollars in costs for hospital stays each time they are admitted."

In-home care providers can help people to maintain personal care and help people manage their chronic illnesses, they act as an early warning system to call in more skilled interventions if they notice changes in their patients. Then Home Care agencies can begin a skilled episode of care, helping those

people improve their health and avoid an emergency room visit altogether. In addition to substantial cost savings, quality of life for seniors is improved by avoiding the illness an individual would have to have in order to need emergency care.

To RSVP to attend this event please contact April at the Franklin VNA & Hospice at 934-3454. Join Franklin VNA & Hospice in showing Congresswoman Kuster how vital supporting local health-care is. We'll see you on April 19th! You have a choice in your home-care provider. Choose local. Choose Franklin VNA & Hospice. For more information, call Franklin VNA & Hospice at 934-3454 or visit [www.FranklinVNA.org](http://www.FranklinVNA.org) Your choice, your local VNA.

## HALL MEMORIAL LIBRARY

**Tilton/Northfield**  
**Monday, April 22**  
Scrabble, 6 p.m.  
Mommy's Time Out, 6 p.m.  
It's time for tea and talk during this time-out for Moms.

**Tuesday, April 23**  
Spanish Club, 10 a.m.  
Noon Book Group, noon  
"Orphan Train" by Christina Baker Kline - Penobscot Indian Molly Ayer is close to "aging out" out of the foster care system. A community service position helping an elderly woman clean out her home is the only thing keeping Molly out of juvie and worse... As she helps Vivian sort through her possessions and memories, Molly learns that she and Vivian aren't as different as they seem to be. Amazon Tech Tuesday, 2-4 p.m.

**Wednesday, April 24**  
No Story Time

**Thursday, April 25**  
YAH Book Group, 4 p.m.  
"Aristotle and Dante Discover the Secrets of the Universe" by Benjamin Alire Saenz Aristotle is an angry teen with a brother in prison. Dante is a know-it-all who has an unusual way of looking at the world. When the two meet at the swimming pool, they seem to have nothing in common. But as the loners start spending time together, they discover that they share a special friendship—the kind that changes lives and lasts a lifetime. Amazon

**Friday, April 26**  
Sit and Knit, 3-5 p.m.

**Saturday, April 27**  
BabyTime: Movement and Music, 10:30 a.m.

Come join us for fun and giggles as we move, sing, and explore through music and movement! This group class for children two years old and younger focuses on the bond between children

and caregivers as they experience the world through sounds, music, instruments, and dancing. We also work to develop early literacy in children through stories, rhymes, and songs. Space is limited! Please call us or stop by to reserve a spot. 286-8971

**New Items**  
"The Devil's Triangle" by Catherine

Coulter  
"Heirs and Graces" by Rhys Bowen  
"Primal Endurance" by Mark Sisson  
"Educated: A Memoir" by Tara Westover (Audio CD)  
"Happiness: The Crooked Little Road to Semi-Ever After: A Memoir by Heather Harpham (Bio)  
"The Handmaid's Tale" by Margaret Atwood (GN)

## TILTON POLICE LOG

TILTON — The Tilton Police Department responded to 516 calls for service and made the following arrests during the week of April 1-7. Please note that the names of juveniles, and those of individuals taken into protective custody but not formally charged with a crime, have been withheld from publication.

Arrested during this time period were Kristine Patten (Receiving

Stolen Property and Prowling/Loitering), Kenneth Chase (for Receiving Stolen Property and Prowling/Loitering), Lynn Rollins (for Willful Concealment), Kenneth Gibson (for Possession of Drugs), Timiah Wilkins (for Receiving Stolen Property and Loitering), Brittany Estey (in connection with a warrant), Matthew Cotoni (in connection with a warrant), Kimberly Lacourt (for Willful Concealment), Samantha Vary (for a False Inspection sticker), Crystal Hardy (for Driving After Suspension, a Suspended Registration, and Possession of Drugs), Stephen Clough (in connection with a warrant), Patrick Stitt (for Willful Concealment), and Ryan Cormier (for Driving After Suspension).

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# Volunteers invited to Shaker Village for April 20 Clean-up Day

CANTERBURY — As spring arrives, volunteers are invited to help spruce up the buildings and grounds of Canterbury Shaker Village on Saturday, April 20 from 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Both new and returning volunteers are invited to attend. Staff-supervised teams will spend the morning readying the renowned National Historic Landmark for its new season of tours, programs, and special events, then share an informal lunch from noon to 1 pm in the Creamery.

With 29 buildings and nearly 700 acres, the Village benefits from many generous, community-minded volunteers at their annual spring and fall work days. Spring clean-up tasks include clearing fallen tree limbs, raking leaves, cleaning up garden beds, and, if the weather cooperates, painting fences. Help is also needed for indoor



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projects like preparing materials for upcoming educational activities and special events. Can't attend but want

to learn more about becoming part of the Village's cadre of volunteers? Contact Becky Soules at [rsoules@shakers.org](mailto:rsoules@shakers.org) or phone 783-9511. Two weeks after Clean-up Day, the Village opens for the sea-

son on Saturday, May 4 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission is free to all. For many families, the highlight of the day is

the Heifer Parade at 11 a.m., when young cows from Brookford Farm are brought to the rich summer pastures on Shaker lands. Children will love the traditional maypole dancing that follows, and fiddler Dudley Laufman will play from noon to 1 p.m. At 1:30 p.m., a sapling sugar maple will be planted to honor the 50th anniversary of Shaker Village's incorporation as a museum in 1969, and to replace a historic tree that was lost of storms and age last year. Visitors can also enjoy craft activities, food in the Creamery Café, and shopping in the Museum store.

On May 11, runners convene at the Village for the 12th annual Cross Country 5K, part of the Northeast Delta Dental Capital Area Race Series. The course is entirely off-road, winding through the beautiful woods and fields of the Village, and is open to walkers as well as runners. Proceeds support continuing preservation and education efforts.

On Mother's Day, Sunday, May 12, mothers receive free admission when accompanied by at least one other family member who pays regular admission.

Visit [www.shakers.org](http://www.shakers.org) for more information about all of the Village's 2019 special events and workshops, the benefits of membership, and opportunities to hold meetings, retreats, and special events at the Village.

The museum is a member of the NH Heritage Museum Trail, which connects the public with culturally rich heritage institutions in New Hampshire. For more information, visit [nhmuseumtrail.org](http://nhmuseumtrail.org).

Canterbury Shaker Village is located at 288 Shaker Rd. in Canterbury, just off Route 106 south of Laconia and north of Concord.

## PINES HAPPENINGS

### April Vacation Camp

The Pines' next Vacation Camp, for children in Kindergarten through Grade 5, is April 22 through 26. Thursday, April 25 is unfortunately already full, but we still have openings on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday. Monday we'll be celebrating Earth Day by helping to clean up around the Pines and playing ball games outside, cost \$35. Tuesday we'll play outside again and cook our own lunches, cost \$36. Wednesday we'll go for a walk off-site, and order pizza from Tilton House of Pizza for lunch, cost \$37. Friday we'll have lunch and see a movie at Smitty's Cinema, cost \$38. Please send your child with snacks and drinks each day, and lunches on Monday and Thursday. Outdoor clothing and footwear are required every day. Children may be dropped off as early as 7 a.m., and must be picked up by 5:30 p.m. Advance registration is required by Friday, April 19, to participate, online through our website or at the Pines.

### Summer Playground and Swim Program

Registration is open for the Pines' Summer Playground Program, for children finishing Kindergarten through Grade 5 in June. There is a 10 percent Spring Registration discount for people registering and paying in full for the entire summer by Friday, May 10, at 5:30 p.m. All Playground registration ends June 7, and all summer fees must be paid in advance by this date. Payment plans must be started now, as they are not available over the summer. Playground runs June 24 through Aug. 16, 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Before and after care are also available. To receive the 10 percent discount register, with

full payment, at the Pines or online through our Web site at [www.pinescommunitycenter.com](http://www.pinescommunitycenter.com) by 5:30 p.m. on May 10.

### Counselor-in-Training Program

Applications for our Counselor-in-Training programs are available now at the Pines. The Counselor-in-Training program is for youth currently in Grades 8 through 10, and the Jr. Counselor-in-Training program is for youth in Grades 6 and 7. New and returning candidates must complete and return the application packet, along with a one to two page essay, and a teacher letter of recommendation, to the Pines no later than Wednesday, May 1, at 5:30 p.m. Each program will accept no more than 14 students.

### Summer Scholarships

The Pines accepts State Aid for our before and after school programs, vacation camps, and Summer Playground program. Parents must apply through the New Hampshire Department of Health and Human Services. There are also scholarships available for the Summer Playground, Counselor-in-Training, and Teen Camp programs, thanks to donations and grants made to the Pines. Applications are now available at the Pines. The last day to submit a scholarship application is May 1, by 5:30 p.m. Applications will be reviewed during May and scholarship decisions will be made in early June. A new application must be submitted for 2019 summer programs. If you, your business, or organization are interested in donating to the Pines Summer Scholarship Fund, to help a child go to summer camp, please contact Executive Director Brittni Stewart.

### Easter Breakfast

Join us at the Pines Community Center on Saturday, April 20, for our Annual Easter Breakfast. The Tilton-Northfield Recreation Council and the Pines' staff will serve a hearty breakfast of pancakes, bacon, scrambled eggs, and more. Breakfast is served from 7:30 until 10 a.m. The Easter Bunny will visit at 8:30 a.m., and at 9 a.m., there will be an Easter Egg Hunt, weather permitting, for children through grade 5, conducted by the Winnisquam Regional High School National Honor Society. The cost of the breakfast is \$6 for adults and \$4.50 for children under age 12.

### The Pines' 10th Annual Golf Tournament

On Saturday, June 1, the Pines Community

Center will host its 10th Annual Golf Tournament at Den Brae Golf Course in Sanbornton. The shotgun start is at 1 p.m., and the Tournament will be followed by an Awards Dinner in the clubhouse. The cost to play is \$80 per golfer, or \$320 for a team of four. This includes 18 holes of golf, a golf cart, and dinner. Each player will also receive a Goodie Bag. Mulligans may be purchased at the tournament, and there will raffle items and a Fifty-Fifty raffle. Would you, your business, or organization like to be a Tournament Sponsor? We have several levels of sponsorships. Platinum Sponsorships are \$1,000, Gold Sponsorships are \$700, Silver Sponsorships are \$350, Bronze Sponsorships are \$150, and Hole/Tee Sponsorships are \$100. We also welcome Goodie

Bag Sponsors to donate items for the golfers' Goodie Bags, and the donation of raffle items or gift cards for the raffles. All funds will go to support the Pines Community Center. Registration and sponsorship forms may be picked up at the Pines.

### Teen and Adult Fitness Classes

We offer a Yoga Class Thursday evenings at 7:15 p.m. for people of all levels of fitness. The instructor is Kelly Molloy of Tilton, a certified yoga instructor and life coach. Tuesday and Thursday at 5:30 p.m. are Zumba nights at the Pines. Tuesday is Zumba with Akiesha and Thursday is Zumba Gold, a lower impact version. Akiesha Young instructs both Zumba classes. Yoga and Zumba classes are for teens and adults.

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## Kindergarten Registration

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The Jennie D Blake Elementary School will be having a Kindergarten Informational meeting for parents of all children who will be entering kindergarten this September on Tuesday 5/23, from 5:30-6:00. If you have a child who will be five years old by September 30th, please plan on attending. Call the Jennie D Blake School at 934-2245 for registration and meeting information. We look forward to meeting your young scholar!



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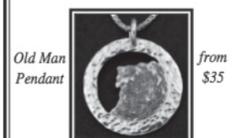
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# Opinion

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## First signs of spring

It's here. It finally happened. Against all odds and the polar vortex, spring has come to the Northeast.

Time to get out with the rakes and garden spades and bags of mulch. Time to say hello to neighbors you haven't seen since the last snowstorm, when waving shovels served as a greeting because it was too cold to talk. Time to sweep off the deck, fire up the lawnmower and rediscover your yard.

The "firsts" are what make the season of spring so much fun. First cook-out; first softball game; first trip to the garden center; first crocuses and daffodils and tulips blooming in the yard. The first seeds planted in the garden promise a summer salad harvest in just a month or so. The first time the weather forecast displays "humidity" instead of "wind chill" is almost a reason to stand up and cheer. There are endless reasons to celebrate.

So why is it that by mid-June, we're already complaining about the same things we found so thrilling in early April?

The lawnmower we so eagerly traded for the snow blower becomes the subject of family discussions – the kind that start with "It's not MY turn this week..." The thrill of the grill has waned a bit and those neighbors we were happy to see just seem to constantly have their music up loud and the windows open at all hours. The garden, site of so much TLC and attention in early spring, is now taking off in wild, weedy directions and is honestly just a bit creepy. And there are bugs.

So, before our human nature takes over and ruins the party, let's enjoy these first, delicious, fleeting moments of the very, very beginnings of our spring season. Keep the windows open even when the evening chill sets in. Take that walk instead of staying put. Wear the spring jacket. Haul out the patio chairs. Enjoy the trees without leaves, because in this very first part of spring, the sunshine can reach you better that way.

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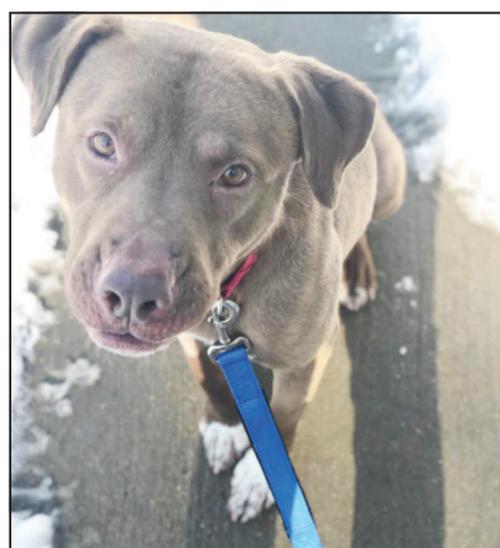
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## PET OF THE WEEK

## DRUMMER

Drummer is a magnificently sweet and smart 5 year old mixed breed. Incredibly social and sweet playful soul this young man will make a great hiking partner for his humans. Since relocating from the south three months ago, he has learned to sit, give paw, and get down when his exuberance overtakes him. He is currently working on learning stay, come, drop it, and going to a mat on cue. He sure is ready

to explore his new surroundings, take in the sweet smells of springtime in New England with you. Drummer would do best in an active home with teens or older. He can be a little picky about his dog friends and may be ok with a dog savvy cat, so do take that into account. But know that Drummer will be a devoted friend. Bow wow wow yippe yippe yay, let's get Drummer a home where he can stay and play.



## STRATEGIES FOR LIVING

# It happened on Friday

BY LARRY SCOTT

It was Friday afternoon, AD 33, and for three hours, from noon until three o'clock, unprecedented darkness had enveloped the city of Jerusalem. It was not an eclipse, for this was Passover, the time of the full moon; something else was happening here. This Friday would differ from any other in the annals of Jewish history.

At 3 o'clock, the time for the afternoon sacrifice, the High Priest had climbed the pinnacle of the temple and blown the shofar, a bugle made from a ram's horn. All those who believed in God, on hearing the shofar, paused. They knew this was the moment the lamb, sacrificed on behalf of the nation, was killed.

Outside the city, on a hill called Golgotha, the Lamb of God hung, as it were, suspended between heaven and earth. Although pronounced innocent by the Roman

procurator, he had been sentenced to die by crucifixion. As the very moment the sound of the shofar reverberated across the city, the Son of God, Jesus the Christ, cried out, "Father, into your hands I commit my spirit. It is finished."

And in the darkness ... he bowed his head ... and died.

And it was finished — for Jesus. But there was more, much more, to come.

To begin with, an earthquake shook the city, even as at the Temple, the veil, hiding the holy of holies from public view, ripped from top to bottom. With Jesus' death, the barrier between God and man had been removed. Everyone now had access to the very presence of God.

Two days later, early Sunday morning, Roman soldiers guarding Jesus' tomb, were startled as the stone coving the opening to the tomb began to move. Rushing

to apprehend whoever was about to make a fool of them, something was happening they could not believe. There was no one there. But the stone continued to move.

They quickly took up new positions, determined that no one would be allowed to steal the body on their watch. Although we are not told this, I can imagine the Captain of the Guard, looked into the tomb, noted that the linen wrappings that had been around Jesus' body were still in place, but that, unbelievably, there was no body.

The soldiers soon returned to headquarters, their mission aborted. They were certain Roman authorities would soon execute them for dereliction of duty. But they lucked out; the chief priests agreed to cover for them. They knew what had happened.

Within hours, three women, too much in love with Jesus to stay away,

returned to the tomb. To their surprise, the soldiers were gone and the tomb was open. They went in and, rather than finding Jesus' body, they were welcomed by two men, dressed in dazzling white robes.

"Good morning, ladies," I can hear one of the men say. "I know you are here to see Jesus. But why, may I ask, are you looking for the living among the dead? Come on in; check it out. And then, go tell the disciples, 'Jesus has risen from the dead.'"

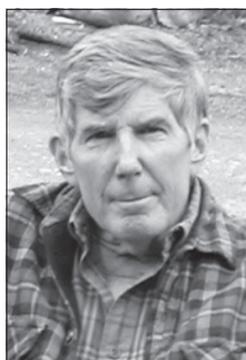
And now, finally, it was finished!

Finished was Jesus' suffering at the hands of the people he loved; finished was the mission given him by the Father; finished was humanity's bondage to sin; finished was the sacrifice necessary for him to be our Mediator before the Father. Yes, indeed. Finished. Done. Completed.

Thank God Almighty! He's back! Jesus is alive!

## NORTH COUNTRY NOTEBOOK

# Sometimes, the introduction is better than the actual story



By JOHN HARRIGAN  
COLUMNIST

It would be just a hole in the snow, a place to have lunch at the bottom of a six-foot drift on the lee side of a clump of spruce. The trapper, Elias Hopps, went off to break dry stubs from beneath big softwoods, while I took my snowshoes off and began making the hole.

Of course, the further down I went, the more compacted and heavy the layers of snow be-



JOHN HARRIGAN

Ice went out in stages this year, something not always the case on the Mohawk River, which drains parts of Colebrook, Columbia, Stewartstown and Dixville. This view upriver is from Colebrook's Parsons Street (Route 26) bridge.

came. When I got to waist level, it was easy to carve out a shelf where

we could use snowshoes for seats. Near the bottom, I chopped out a

circle for a fire pit. Elias was soon back with plenty. SEE NOTEBOOK, PAGE A11



Local Cub Scout Packs 59, 68 and 842 took place in a district wide pinewood derby at Winnisquam Regional High School last Saturday. Winners in the traditional competition this year were Kash Fawcett, Stone Subocz, Wyatt Cogan, Remmy Hebert, Oliver Bartlett-Brouillard, Liam Hatfield, Bode Thompson and Ethan Masterson.

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# Spaulding Youth Center celebrates Autism Awareness Month

**NORTHFIELD** — Spaulding Youth Center commemorated National Autism Awareness Month with a special celebration held during its weekly school town hall. Students, staff members and supporters gathered together to spread awareness about Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) and to celebrate acceptance, understanding and love. Students and staff enjoyed refreshments and the sentiment of unity.

To add to the festivities, students and staff were presented with blue Spaulding Youth Center Autism Awareness shirts to wear during the celebration. With most attendees proudly wearing this shirt, the result was a visual demonstration of campus-wide unity and acceptance for Spaulding students and people everywhere diagnosed with ASD. Attendees were also encouraged to participate in "Tutu Tuesday" by wearing a blue tutu for the celebration and on every Tuesday in April.

"Spaulding Youth Center provides many services for children



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and youth diagnosed with Autism Spectrum Disorder, and the enthusiastic staff who dedicate their careers and daily efforts to work with these kids

are truly inspiring," said Susan C. Ryan, President & CEO of Spaulding Youth Center. "We are pleased to honor April as Autism Awareness Month

and thrilled to hold an event that will hopefully spread further awareness and support of those with Autism Spectrum Disorder."

To make a dona-

tion in support of autism awareness and

those students with Autism Spectrum Disorder who we support every day, please visit <https://www.spauldingyouthcenter.org/give/> or contact Cheryl Avery at [cavery@spauldingyouthcenter.org](mailto:cavery@spauldingyouthcenter.org) or 286-8901, ext. 107.

### About Spaulding Youth Center

Spaulding Youth Center is a leading provider of services for children and youth with neurological, emotional, behavioral, learning and/or developmental challenges, including Autism Spectrum Disorder and those who have experienced significant trauma, abuse or neglect. Services include academic, behavioral health, residential, foster care, health and wellness and family support. Spaulding Youth Center is a tax-exempt 501(c)(3) nonprofit. For information about Spaulding Youth Center, visit [www.spauldingyouthcenter.org](http://www.spauldingyouthcenter.org).

## BELMONT POLICE LOG

**BELMONT** — The Belmont Police Department responded to 120 calls for service and made the following arrests during the week of April 5-12. Please note that the names of juveniles, and those of individuals taken into protective custody but not formally charged with a crime, have been withheld from publication.

Jesse Tarr, age 26,

of Sanbornton was arrested on April 5 for Possession of Marijuana.

Joseph G. Cote, age 28, of Laconia was arrested for April 5 for Driving After Revocation or Suspension and Disobeying an Officer.

Haley Moore, age 27, of Belmont was arrested on April 5 for Resisting Arrest or Detention and in connection with two outstanding war-

rants issued by the Salem Police Department. Steven R. Fereshetian, age 29, of Belmont was arrested along with Moore in connection with several outstanding warrants issued by the Belknap County Sheriff's Office.

Brian James Carroll, age 35, of Belmont was arrested on April 6 in connection with a bench warrant issued by Franklin District

Court.

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# ASL Limousine at Patrick's Pub

GILFORD — Patrick's Pub and Eatery will host ASL Limousine at their networking event, "Connect," on Thursday, April 11 from 5-7 p.m.

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Join ASL Limousine at Patrick's Pub to get to know more about your local transport company. Participate in raffles and enter to win the grand prize of a three-hour limo ride worth \$200! Stay and enjoy the live music with Rob Randlett.

Patrick's Connect features local businesses and organizations. The evening includes complimentary craft beer sampling from Woodstock Brewery and raffle drawings at 6 and 7 p.m., followed by live music. A grand prize of an overnight stay, brewery tour and breakfast at the Woodstock Inn is given away at 7 p.m.

For more information on Patrick's Connect, or to register your own business to be featured at an event, call 293-0841 or visit [www.patrickspub.com/connect](http://www.patrickspub.com/connect).

To learn more about ASL Limousine, please visit [asllimousineofnh.com](http://asllimousineofnh.com).

## Maurice Frank Bolduc, Sr., 87



NEW PORT RICHEY, Fla. — Maurice F. Bolduc Sr., 87, passed away at the Tidewell Hospice Facility in Venice, Fla. on Saturday, April 6, 2019 following a period of declining health.

Maurice was born on May 18, 1931 in Gilford, son of the late Charles H. and Ora (Theberge) Bolduc. He grew up on the Bolduc Farmstead in Gilford. He married Rita (Robert) Bolduc in 1955, and they raised their family of seven children in Tilton before he and Rita retired to New Port Richey, Fla. in 1989.

Maurice was a Staff Sergeant in the Army during the Korean War. He was the recipient of the Purple Heart. He was a member of the American Legion Post #49 in Northfield, the VFW Post #1698 in Franklin and was a 4th degree Knight with the Knights of Columbus Council 428 in Laconia. Maurice was a former active parishioner of St. Mary of the Assumption Church of St. Gabriel's Parish in Tilton and St. Mi-

chael's Church in New Port Richey, Fla.

Maurice was employed for many years by Scott & Williams, and worked at Tilton School as Head of Maintenance until his retirement. He will be remembered as the guy to call if you needed assistance for any number of things. Family, friends and neighbors could count on his knowledge of how to fix just about anything. He enjoyed traveling, gardening, reading, making puzzles and simply tinkering. He also was famous for the beautiful dollhouses that he would build for his granddaughters, as well as the many dollhouses he would build and donate to the

Church for their fundraisers.

His family members include his seven children (Jeanne M. Bolduc and her partner, Bill Brown of North Hartland, Vt., Kathleen A. and Thomas DuBois of Gilmanston, Roger H. Bolduc of Sanbornton, Marie Y. and David Duprey of Laconia, Claire A. and Bob Estes of Tilton, Maurice F. Jr. and Marilyn Bolduc of Venice, Fla. and Michael R. and Danielle Bolduc of Gilmanston). He leaves his 17 grandchildren (Amy Matilage Gorton, Thomas DuBois II, Nicole DuBois Rogers, Stephanie Bolduc Simpson, David Bolduc, Lauren Bolduc Walden, Joshua Clairmont, Audrey Clairmont Stock, Elysa Clairmont, Robert Frakes, Robert Estes, Richard Estes, Maurice Bolduc III, Aidan Bolduc, Blake Bolduc, Chance Bolduc and Drake Bolduc). He was also great-grandfather to 12 great grandchildren.

Maurice's surviving siblings are Ernest Bolduc, Anita Bolduc McKeown, Lauretta

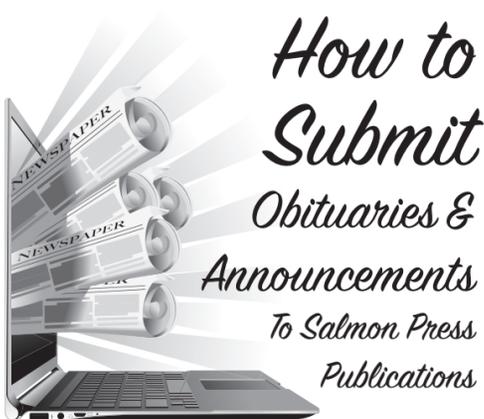
Bolduc Seabeck, Helen Bolduc Gaudet and Robert Bolduc.

He was predeceased by his wife, Rita (Robert) Bolduc; his parents, Charles and Ora Bolduc; brothers Kenneth Bolduc, Charles "Sam" Bolduc, Roland Bolduc, Rev. Hector Bolduc and Armand Bolduc; sisters Theresa Bolduc Tracy, Marie Bolduc and Barbara Bolduc Colby; as well as daughter-in-law, Martha Clark Bolduc.

Calling hours were held on Sunday, April 14, 2019 from 2 to 4 p.m. at the William F. Smart Sr. Memorial Home, Franklin-Tilton Road (584 West Main St.) in Tilton. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated on Monday, April 15, 2019 at 11 a.m. at St. Mary of the Assumption Church of St. Gabriel Parish in Tilton. Burial will follow in St. John Cemetery in Tilton.

Memorial donation in memory of Maurice, may be made to the charity of one's choice.

For more information, go to [www.smartfuneralhome.com](http://www.smartfuneralhome.com).



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Brendan Berube at (603) 279-4516, ext. 101 with any questions regarding the submission process.



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Spring has sprung and it is time to get outdoors! Come to the Sanbornton Public Library on Thursday, April 25 at 6:30 p.m. to learn about local trails and more with resident expert and Laconia Daily Sun's hiking writer, Gordon Dubois and local hiker, Anna Morrison. Get a refresher on the wonderful trails available right in your own backyard. The event is free and open to the public. For more information contact the library at 286-8288 or [splnh.com](http://splnh.com). The library is located at 27 Meetinghouse Hill Rd. in Sanbornton. We look forward to seeing you then!

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# Annalee Thorndike Art Competition winners announced

GILFORD — On Thursday evening, April 11, at the Gilford Public Library, the winners of the Annalee Thorndike

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(Right) Annalee Thorndike Art Competition first place winner, Isabella Norman (center) of Prospect Mountain High School in Alton displays her award certificate. Ella is flanked on the left by Lakes Region Scholarship Assistant Director, Karen Switzer and Karen Thorndike and on the right by Chuck Thorndike and LRSF Executive Director, Paulette Loughlin. The five are standing in front of the fireplace at in the main reading room at the Gilford Public Library. Above the group are three pieces of art brought by the judges.



Art Competition Scholarships were announced following a presentation by Karen and Chuck Thorndike. The competition involved students from five area high schools, all of whom are planning to major in art or an art related field in the fall.

The evening began with a brief presentation about Annalee Thorndike, the benefactor of the scholarship. It focused on her life and the business she created in the Lakes Region, with an exhibit of some of her original dolls as well as later dolls made in Meredith. Following this pre-

sentation, the three judges for the evening: Roger Gagne, Pamela Hayes and Acacia Rogers spoke about their backgrounds in the field and referenced the art pieces on the mantle that each had brought for the evening. Judge, Acacia Rogers, then announced the winners. First place went to Isabella Norman of Prospect Mountain High School in Alton. There was a tie for second place between M. Aidan Carney of Inter-Lakes High School in Meredith and another Prospect Mountain student, Anna Francis. First and second place winners each won scholarships to be applied toward their tuition in the fall. The other four students in the competition included: Rebecca Bladecki from Laconia High School, Kyleigh Peters from Belmont High School, James Richardson from Gilford High School and Madisyn Wilson from Inter-Lakes HS. The entrants who did not place, received gift certificates for art supplies.

This is the 17th year that scholarships have been awarded with funds provided by the Annalee Thorndike Scholarship Fund. The competition is handled through the Lakes Region Scholarship Foundation to whom Mrs. Thorndike entrusted the funds for her endowment.



BY MARK PATTERSON

Sell in May and go away has been a mantra that has been heard every spring with regards to the stock market. The term was actually born in London's financial district. The full saying is "Sell in May and go away; come back on St. Léger's day." The St. Léger Stakes is the oldest of England's five horse racing classics and is the last to be run, typically mid-September.

According to the Stock Trader's Almanac, since 1950, the Dow Jones Industrial average has had an average return of three tenths of a percent

from May -October vs. 7.5 percent during the November-April time frame. The only "danger" month is September that has had a negative return of minus six tenths of a percent, says the STA.

Data from Standard and Poor's takes the statistics to another level that shows an approximate 8 percent return in the markets if the your money was left in a broader S+P 500 index; however, if on May 1 through the end of October, your portfolio was re-allocated or rotated towards defensive stocks and health care, your returns average near 11 percent. Defensive stocks are those that typically do better than others during difficult market periods. Examples are companies or funds in Tobacco, utilities or food.

So, my take away on this data; that it makes

a lot of sense to reposition your equities or exchange traded funds in the spring to reflect defensive and healthcare related stocks or ETF's especially in qualified or tax deferred accounts, those taxable accounts should weigh the tax ramifications of selling and buying.

The data also suggest that a buy and hold strategy works, however a buy and reallocate strategy works better. Statistically the difference of 8 percent versus 11 percent over a period of years will have a dramatic difference in the value of your investments, and possibly the amount of your retirement income.

April, historically has been a very good month in the markets and can be a very good time to make adjustments towards liquidi-

ty or to hedge your portfolio with some options strategies, like selling some covered calls on equity positions or buying some puts on some equity positions that you may have large capital gains and do not want to sell. The puts would offset some of the losses if that stock decreased in price. We are also 10 years into a bull market with only minor corrections. Try not to wait to hedge your positions until the markets are correcting, be ahead of the volatility. We are due.

It is my opinion that an actively managed portfolio of individual stocks, bonds and exchange traded funds give you an abundance of opportunity to make your portfolio work through all market cycles. Options strategies can hedge exist-

ing positions or help to garner income for that portfolio. While the use of options is sometimes viewed as "risky," proper use can lower the Volatility in your portfolio. Much of the "risk" with options comes from the inherent leverage at the hands of the "inexperienced."

Mark Patterson is an Investment Advisor with MHP Asset Management and can be reached at 447-1979 or Mark@MHP-Asset.com.

## MARK ON THE MARKETS

### Spring volatility!

#### TOWN OF NORTHFIELD PLANNING BOARD

Town Hall

Monday, May 6, 2019 at 7:00 pm

#### AGENDA

1. Minutes – April 1, 2019
2. John Guay & Cathy Keyser – Application for a Site Review to add a small sports bar on Map Lot(s) U08-07 located at 95 Park Street in zone R-2.
3. Other Business

Respectfully,  
Jason Durgin, Chairman

This is a public meeting and citizens are invited to attend. All applications and plans are available for review at the Town Hall and at [www.northfieldnh.org](http://www.northfieldnh.org). The Town of Northfield complies with the Americans with Disabilities Act regulations.

#### REQUEST FOR ROOFING PROPOSALS

Shaker Regional School District is seeking proposals for the replacement of asphalt shingles over the pitched roof at Belmont Middle School. The complete specification packet can be obtained from the Buildings & Grounds section of the District Website, [www.sau80.org](http://www.sau80.org) or by contacting Stephen Dalzell at 267-9223 x530 or [sdalzell@sau80.org](mailto:sdalzell@sau80.org).

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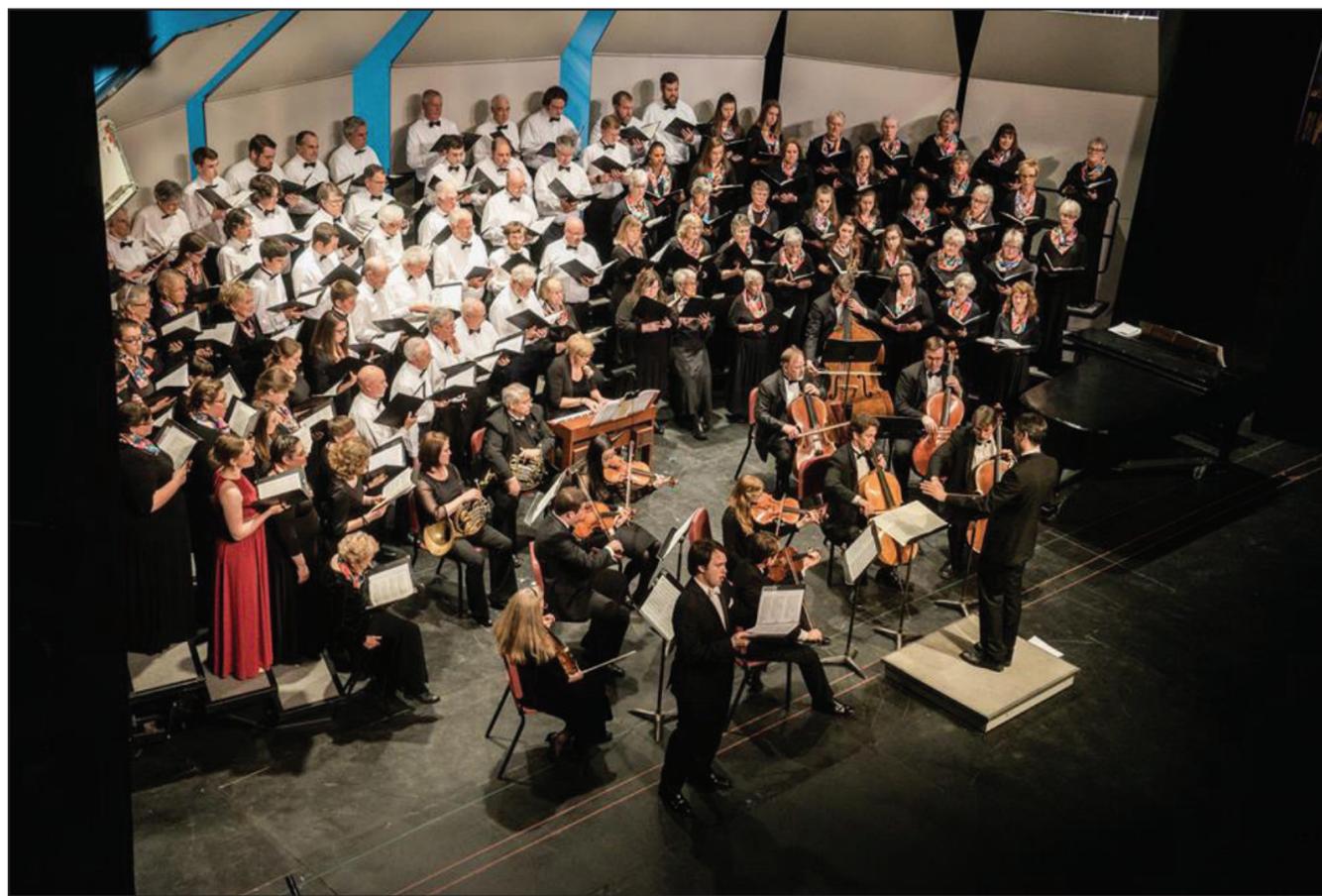
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# Pemi Choral Society closes out season May 2

PLYMOUTH — The Pemi Choral Society will be closing out the season with “A Walk in the Woods” — our 46th Spring concert. The featured work in the concert — entitled “Frostiana” — is a set of choral pieces by composer Randall Thompson with texts from famous poems by New Hampshire’s own Robert Frost, including “The Road Not Taken,” “Stopping by Woods on a Snowy Evening,” and “Choose Something Like a Star.” Frostiana is being performed in recognition of the 60th anniversary of its initial premier. Other pieces that will be performed include “The Tree of Peace” by Gwyneth Walker, “For the Beauty of the Earth” by John Rutter, and “When the Sun Rose Up This Morning” by Mark Sonnenblick. In addition, the chorus will be commissioning a new piece by Ian Soderberg titled “Barter.” Soderberg grew up in Campton and graduated from Plymouth Regional High School in 2015.

The 80-member adult community chorus, based in Plymouth, is comprised of members from all over the central New Hampshire region. They have been in rehearsal since January, and will be performing the program with



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a 14-piece chamber orchestra.

“We are thrilled to share a program that uses New England scenery to show symbols of hope, loss, love, the passage of time, and contemplation,” says Pemi Choral Society Director Will Gunn. “Our program represents a variety of styles including African American

spirituals, Czechoslovakian folk music, songs from the Sacred Harp, and contemporary music written by New England composers. While our program is centered on Frost’s iconic words, we are excited to pair Thompson’s classic music by supporting and cultivating new compositions that draw their inspiration from this community.”

Gunn is the music director at Plymouth Regional High School

where he conducts the Concert Band, Concert Choir, Jazz Ensemble, and Chamber Singers. Mr. Gunn received a Bachelor of Music in Music Education from Ithaca College and his Masters of Music in Conducting from Colorado State University. He has studied conducting with Wes Kenney, Dwight Bigler, Steve Peterson, and Eric Hammer. He performs regularly with the New Hampshire Master Cho-

rale, Manchester Choral Society, and New Hampshire Friendship Chorus. In 2018, Mr. Gunn was a conducting scholar at the Delaware Choral Academy in Aix-en-Provence, France. He is also the Treble Choir manager for the New Hampshire All-State Festival and President-Elect of the New Hampshire chapter of the American Choral Directors Association.

Concert Performances are scheduled

on Thursday, May 2 at the Gilford Community Church in Gilford, beginning at 7:30 p.m. and on Friday, May 3 at St Gabriel’s Catholic Church in Franklin, also beginning at 7:30 p.m. The final concert of the series will be held on Sunday, May 5th at Silver Center for the Arts, Hanaway Theatre, Plymouth State University beginning at 3 p.m. Admittance to all concerts is by choice of donation.



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## Author lecture & book signing April 29 at Taylor Community

LACONIA — Author Eva A. MacDonnell is a simple woman with a gift — the ability to talk to her dog Eros, the true author of the book “The Way of the Dog From

the Memoirs of Eros, the Metaphysical Dog.”

Eros lives in the Wild of New Hampshire. Well, not exactly! He lives in a very small house with an elderly couple, mind-

ing another dog and a cat, while keeping guard of 20 acres of farmland, and chasing away deer and turkeys daily.

In this dog world, he’s the undisputed alpha dog — literally. When not transcribing his life story to Eva, Eros, now an accomplished philosopher, holds court with squirrels, raccoons, bears, cardinals and bluebirds who come by his house, partaking in his wisdom. In between these soliloquies, he wards off coyote attacks with one paw and a mighty bark.

Dog lovers and any-

one whose interest may be aroused by this tale will want to join us Monday, April 29 at 6:30 p.m. in Taylor Community’s Woodside Building for Eva’s lecture and book signing. This free event is open to the public.

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# Creative Recovery finds a home

LACONIA — Creative Recovery is part of Navigating Recovery of the Lakes Region, and was started by two people familiar with the plight of those in unfortunate circumstances who are interested in improving their situation.

A few years ago, Elaine Morrison, a retired Special Education Teacher / Artist and Dick Smith, a former Social Worker and amateur photographer, started River Crew Art. The program gave homeless individuals the opportunity to use painting and photography as an outlet. Some of the participants began attending AA meetings. The group met once a week.

Using the Busiel Community Room Gallery to display their results of River Crew Art, the public along with city officials arrived to a packed room filled with creative art and positive vibes.

Recently, Smith and Morrison have joined



On Thursday, April 25, the artists and photographers of Creative Recovery are holding a reception to display their recent works of art. All are welcome to see this aspect of recovery at the Community Room at One Mill Plaza in the Busiel Mill, which is located between Laconia City Hall and the Belknap Mill.

forces with Navigating Recovery (NR) and formed a group of artists who meet regularly in the offices of NR on Main Street to share their tal-

ents as part of their recovery. They named the program "Creative Recovery."

The program uses the media most familiar to

Smith and Morrison — drawing, painting, and photography — as well as skills where guest artists come in to give instruction on other

media, such as pottery, knitting, and writing. Alan MacRae, a local professional photographer, offers additional photography instruc-

tion. Marlene Witham, a former art instructor and an artist who is also a member of the Lakes Region Art Association is a new volunteer for Creative Recovery.

In August of 2018, the Busiel Community Room Gallery at One Mill Plaza once again invited an exhibit. The venue quickly ran out of room and Joe Adrignola, who manages the building, invited Creative Recovery to return another time to display more of their work. That invitation and further discussion led Adrignola to devote the Gallery space to Creative Recovery on a more or less permanent basis.

A few community displays return each year such as the New Hampshire Chapter of the AIA with annual award boards and some seasonal displays. Those displays would continue under the program Adrignola and Creative Recovery envision. That will give the participants a breather and a chance to change the display more extensively than their usual monthly change out.

On Thursday, April 25, the Creative Recovery artists and photographers are holding a reception to display their recent works of art. All are welcome to see this aspect of recovery at the Community Room at One Mill Plaza in the Busiel Mill, which is located between Laconia City Hall and the Belknap Mill. The exhibit will begin at 5 p.m. and end at 8 p.m. Refreshments will be served. For further information about this event or One Mill Plaza, please contact Joe Adrignola at 496-3839.

## Patrick's Pub Mania Shuffle resumes April 17

GILFORD — Christmas wasn't easy for Jennifer and Richard Fielders, back when they were each single parents, raising seven children between them. Staying on top of their regular monthly bills was tough. Buying winter gear and Christmas gifts was a huge stretch.

Jennifer Fielders says she and her husband appreciated the help they received from the Greater Lakes Region Children's Auction. That's why they give back to the auction today, taking part in Patrick's Pub & Eatery's mega-fundraiser, Pub Mania, and also coming out every week without fail in the spring and fall for the Pub Mania Shuffle.

"We both got assistance when our kids were younger, so it's huge for us to give back," Fielders said. "We involve our kids and let them know a lot of their Christmases came from the Children's Auction. It means a lot to our family to participate in the Pub Mania Shuffle."

The Shuffle is a two-mile walk/run held for eight weeks in the spring and fall; the funds raised through it feed into the annual Pub Mania tally.



Richard and Jennifer Fielders

Last year, the Children's Auction raised \$580,584, with \$353,361 coming from Pub Mania—and nearly \$20,000 from the Shuffle.

When the springtime Shuffle starts up again

on Wednesday, April 17 at 6 p.m., you can bet Fielders, her family, her friends, and her staff at Jennifer's Color Bar in Gilford will all be there.

"I always encourage people to come out,"

she said. "People have a great time. You can't beat it."

Everyone does the Shuffle differently. Some make the \$10 required donation and walk the two-plus-mile course that begins at Patrick's, heads to the Bank of New Hampshire Pavilion, and winds back. Others run. Some ride their bicycles.

Some Shufflers don't Shuffle at all. They simply take their raffle and complimentary drink tickets into Patrick's to have a beverage.

"Everyone loves the Shuffle," said Patrick's Co-owner Allan Beetle.

"People catch up, socialize, get in some exercise and maybe a bite to eat—and it's all 'for the kids' as we like to say."

Patrick's covers the cost of the free drink per Shuffler and also organizes the logistics of the events. "What they do for the community, you can't say enough about it," Fielders said. "It's amazing."

The raffle—held after the last Shufflers—is a big weekly draw. Prizes include Patrick's Frisbees or sweatshirts and other Pub Mania merchandise. SEE SHUFFLE, PAGE A11



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## SNACK

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peared to be eight balls used in a game of pool. He then managed to wiggle his way into his 1981 dodge ball outfit, producing more laughter as he rolled up his pant legs to reveal his 1980's style knee-high socks. The outfit had a purpose though. It allowed him to then demonstrate his famous Double Dodge Ball spin. The Double Dodge Ball Spin, he explained, was so impressive that the bullies in his class stopped hitting him in the face during gym class.

With a new baby at home, he also juggled some diapers that he "promised" weren't used, and even a few baby bottles.

Maddie Scarponi was selected to help Lang onstage but first she had to do a few martial arts warm-up moves with him in preparation. Once he felt she was ready, she became a platform for several spinning plates that he carefully placed on sticks she held in the air.

Lang juggled clubs and almost anything else he could get his hands on. Among those items were several straw hats

that he could fling continuously out into the room and they would soar back to him time and time again. He later showed them how to juggle "upside down" by bouncing the balls off the floor instead of throwing them in the air.

"My downstairs neighbors never like it when I practice this trick," he jokingly confessed.

Lang also did a little magic with the water bottle he brings to each show and the paper bags he hides it in so no one will take it while he is performing. Or so he hopes.

All of it was done with music, humorous jokes and even some good-natured jabs at people in the audience.

Nine-year-old Jordan, a "brave volunteer" as Lang called him, was also asked to join him for a basketball stunt. Lang handed the boy a basketball net, which he called the Dunk Master 3000, and instructed him to hold it as he juggled four basketballs in the air. When Jordan blew a whistle to signal he was ready, Lang was then going to throw all four of the balls into the net.

"It'll be fine. Really.



DONNA RHODES

As juggler Bryson Lang sent four basketballs his way, nine-year-old Jordan of Belmont bravely held the net to catch them all while wearing a Statue of Liberty crown as a tribute to the red, white and blue colors of the balls and net.

If I miss the net, I'll just use your head for a backboard," he told Jordan with a devilish grin.

Luckily for Jordan, no backboard was needed.

At the end of the hour-long performance, Jordan was excited about

the show. He loved being a part of it all too, even though he admitted he was a little nervous about the basketball trick.

"It was a lot of fun though. The thing I think I liked best was the jokes he told. That was

great," said Jordan.

Next on Belmont's calendar for 150th anniversary events will be a free outdoor concert that will take place at 4 p.m. on Saturday, June 1, beside the Belmont Mill. That evening at 6 p.m. there will also be a pre-

sentation of three mural panels, which were created by students as a tribute to the town. More information and updates on events as they draw near can be found on the town Web site, [www.belmontnh.org](http://www.belmontnh.org).

## BURGLARIES

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"They noticed a subject wearing a hoodie (and carrying) a flashlight had entered the sunroom attached to the residence," Hutchinson said.

From there, the subject tried to unsuccessfully gain entrance into the main part of the home and, due to the dog barking, moved back outside. Cameras showed he then went to the rear of the house and was able to enter another room attached to the residence.

Police made no mention of what was found to be missing as a result of the break-in, however they did say on Tuesday that the suspect appeared to be about five feet, seven inches tall, wearing jeans with a distinct design on the rear pockets. He also wore white Nike shoes and

carried an Under Armour drawstring-style bag with the words, "Everything here was engineered to make you better" emblazoned on it.

Several hours later on that same evening, NPDP got a call from a resident at 24 Bean Hill Rd. who reported money was removed from a wallet left in the kitchen and multiple other calls for vehicles that had been broken into were received as well.

After an intensive investigation in the following two days, Hutchinson said they were able to identify the suspect as Szanto and took him into custody. Szanto has a lengthy criminal record, including arrests for burglary, theft by unauthorized taking, receiving stolen property, criminal trespass and loitering/prowling. Charged with four counts of burglary

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(Right) Brennan Szanto, age 31, was arrested last week for four counts of burglary connected to a break-in at a residence on Bean Hill Road in Northfield.

this time, he was held over the weekend at the Merrimack County Jail on \$10,000 cash bail with an arraignment that was scheduled for this past Monday.

Northfield police wished to thank Tilton Police Department for their assistance in the investigation and offered a short plea to the public.

"When something happens, people need to report it to the police, no matter how minor it may seem. Little things can very often lead to big things so it's important we know about them, no matter how insignificant you feel they may be," Hutchinson said.



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## What Can You Do With Your Tax Refund?

We're getting close to the tax-filing deadline. For many of us, this means it's that time of year when we get our biggest financial windfall – a tax refund. If you have recently received a refund, or are expecting to get one in the next few weeks, what should you do with it?

Of course, you could just spend the money on something you want, but if you'd like to maximize the financial benefits from your refund, you might want to consider other options, including the following:

**Invest the money.** In 2018,

the average tax refund was about \$2,700. For this year, it might be somewhat lower, due to changes in the tax laws and the failure of taxpayers to adjust their withholdings in response. However, if you were to receive in the neighborhood of \$2,700, you'd be almost halfway to the annual IRA contribution limit, which, in 2019, is \$6,000. (If you're 50 or older, you can put in up to \$7,000). If you have already "maxed out" on your IRA, you could use your refund to fill in gaps you may have in other parts of your investment

portfolio.

**Pay insurance premiums.** Let's face it – nobody really likes paying insurance premiums. Yet, if you have anyone depending on you, you will certainly need life insurance, and possibly disability insurance as well. And if you want to help protect your financial resources later in life from threats such as an extended – and hugely expensive – stay in a nursing home, you also may want to consider long-term care insurance. Your tax refund could help pay for some of these premiums, boosting

your cash flow during the months you would normally be making these payments.

**Contribute to a college fund.** It's never too soon to begin saving for college, which has grown increasingly expensive over the last several years. So, if you have young children, you may want to think about investing some or all of your refund into a college-savings account, such as a tax-advantaged 529 plan.

**Pay off debts.** You might be able to use your refund to pay down some debts

– or perhaps even pay off some of your smaller ones. The lower your monthly debt load, the more money you will have available to invest for the future. Keep in mind, though, that you might not want to look at all debts in the same way. For example, putting extra money toward your mortgage might help you pay it off faster, but you'll also be funding an asset – namely, your house – that might not provide you with the same liquidity as you can get from investments such as stocks and bonds.

**Help build an emergency fund.** By building an emergency fund containing six to 12 months' worth of living expenses, you can help yourself avoid dipping into your long-term investments to pay for large, unplanned-for bills, such as a major car repair or an expensive dental procedure. Your tax refund could help build such a fund, with the money ideally being placed in low-risk, liquid vehicles. Clearly, you can help yourself make progress toward a number of your financial goals with your tax refund – so put it to good use.

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## BELMONT

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age 59, of Epsom was arrested on April 6 for Driving While Intoxicated.

Joseph Aloysius Habingreither, age 24, of Laconia was arrested on April 7 for Driving While Intoxicated and a separate charge of Driving While Intoxicated-Subsequent Offense.

Amanda N. Knauth, age 33, of Belmont was arrested on April 7 for Domestic Violence-Assault and Default or Breach of Bail Conditions.

Steven R. Fereshtian, age 29, of Belmont was arrested on April 8 for Disobeying an Officer, Resisting Arrest or Detention, Criminal Restraint, Reckless Conduct-Placing An-

other in Danger, and Disobeying an Officer.

Robert Ramalho, age 26, of Tilton was arrested on April 8 in connection with two bench warrants. Adisa Roukey, age 23, of Manchester was arrested along with Ramalho for Disobeying an Officer and in connection with a warrant issued by Laconia District Court. Nicholas V. Rodrick,

age 29, of Concord was also arrested during this incident for Possession of Controlled/Narcotic Drugs.

Matthew C. Robie, age 33, of Hill was arrested on April 9 for Driving After Revocation or Suspension and in connection with a bench warrant issued by Hooksett District Court.

Nicholas Ross Mur-

phy, age 30, of Belmont was arrested on April 11 for Criminal Mischief (Vandalism), Criminal Trespassing, and Receiving Stolen Property.

Lucas Bohuslaw, age 44, of Hill was arrested on April 11 for Possession of Controlled/Narcotic Drugs and a separate count of Possession of Drugs.

Katelyn Lewis, age

34, of Laconia was arrested on April 12 in connection with a bench warrant issued by Concord District Court. Robin M. Gillery, age 46, of Bristol was arrested along with Lewis in connection with a warrant issued by Grafton County Superior Court.

## NOTEBOOK

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ty of firewood, and two or three big pieces to serve as a base.

With birchbark and pieces of stump, we had a good fire going within minutes. And that's when Arthur Muise, the region's much respected game warden, stepped out from the woods. The bright red wool jacket, part of the warden's traditional winter outfit, was unmistakable.

"Wait a minute, wait a minute!" said my visitor. "You've got to write about this!" To which I replied that I'd often written about Arthur's surprise visit.

"No, no!" he said. "Not about the surprise visit! Making the hole!"

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Well, I suppose so. But who thinks about a hole? Come to think about it, I do.

## PLANNER

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past Monday, Sassan said later that he has always been interested in environmental protection issues since he was an undergraduate student in Indiana. He followed wildlife organizations while in school but soon came to realize that the way land is developed and how resources are protected also has a big impact on the environment. And that, he learned, all starts at the local planning level.

He then furthered his education by doing graduate work at Plymouth State University

Often, when I was living in Lancaster as editor and publisher of the Democrat, I'd stop and ask Gomer Powell what he was up to whenever I saw him digging, standing beside, halfway down, or evidently at the bottom of, a hole.

Theoretically, I was always interested in anything anyone might dig up in any job around any town. That's how some important finds are found, and history sometimes is written.

But the real reason was that I enjoyed visiting with Gomer. What a card he was--smile and handshake at the ready, and always time to visit. He knew what was going on around town, as well as state, country, and beyond. He was up on his game.

Similarly, I once encountered a hole along Wall Street, and stopped to investigate, and wound up saying hello to three shocked utility

workers--shocked because I'd even stopped to investigate. In New York, I guess, a hole is not a whole lot different.

Some brisk visiting ensued (it was cold and windy, a good day to be at the bottom of a hole).

Where was I from, they wanted to know? And where in hell was that? And what was I doing in the city?

Questions and answers brought more questions, and we enjoyed visiting while the tax rates soared. Soon two more heads joined mine--my companions, back to look for me. "What can you guys see from down there?" I yelled over the roar from a light turned green. "Just you," one yelled back.

"I think," my sister said as we walked away, "this will be their table conversation tonight."

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where he was able to take part in research projects through the New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services.

"I worked with some top notch planners at PSU and caught the planning bug," he admitted.

Since his graduation from PSU, Sassan has worked with the North Country Council, the Office of Energy and Planning, the former Commission on Wetlands, and ARA funding projects developed under Pres. Barak Obama. He also served on the Lakes Region Planning Commission.

When he came to Til-

ton nearly eight years ago he began as a part time employee helping with their town planning visions. Every year though, Sassan said, the town saw more of a need for more planning. After approximately three years, they increased his position to full time job as they came to realize the full economic impact that proper town planning could have on a community.

However, when an opening for Town Planner in Belmont came about earlier this year, Sassan saw it as an opportunity to perhaps make an even bigger impact on a town. With a bigger land use staff and

Another time soon, I'll get back to Arthur Muise's sudden appearance from the alder swamp along Phillips Brook. It's a story I've relished telling before.

We invited him to join us that day, of course, and he seemed happy to sit down by the fire, drag out his lunch, and join in with the stories--the stories that always turn up when you're on the trail, bump into kindred souls, and share a fire.

But the thing I've always liked the best about this story is that not once in all the time we shared each other's company did Arthur so much as mention how and why he'd managed to bump into us in that beautiful and remote region of God's Country.

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a larger commission to work with, he believes he will find different and exciting new challenges ahead of him now in Belmont.

Sassan said he is confident that he is leaving Tilton in a good place though. He feels they have competent land use staff on board and has no worries about their ability to carry on with all that lies before the town.

"I don't doubt that I'll be reading about all the great things that will be happening in Tilton in the years to come," said Sassan.

His new role for the Town of Belmont began this Monday, April 15.

## SHUFFLE

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orabilia. Through Sunday May 5, Shufflers and Patrick's customers can also enjoy the warmth at Patrick's Beach Bar.

Fielders is team captain for the Pub Mania team Color Me Christmas, entering its third year. The Shuffle serves as one of many ways the 24-member team helps raise money, Shuffling to the tune of \$2,500 worth last year; the team raised just over \$9,000 in total.

Other fundraisers include sales of Yankee Candles, a cornhole tournament planned for May this year, ornament sales at Christmastime, and a lottery ticket raffle.

Walking the Shuffle route and catching up over dinner is a tradition for Fielders and the friends, family, and staff on her team. "We have a core group that comes every time, and they try to bring friends, whoever we can round up from week to week," she said.

Her 6-year-old granddaughter is always part of the fun, as are the Fielders' children, now between the ages of 17 and 26.

"The Shuffle is an easy way to raise money for the team and a fun way to get together while exercising," Jennifer Fielders said.

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## HOSPICE

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Perhaps more meaningfully, they were praised by the surveyors on the evident caring and compassion the staff displayed during their visits with patients while the surveyors accompanied them.

Cartier says, "For a team of surveyors, who see home Hospice agencies all the time, to comment on how caring and compassionate we are, it makes me so proud of all of us and that we do."

The survey's purpose is to ensure that all documentation, patient care practices, regulations, and conditions of Medicare and Medicaid participation are being followed precisely to the letter - a high bar indeed. Severe deficiencies on surveys can cause an agency to lose the ability to admit new patients until

a problem is corrected, or even cause loss of service coverage for patients with Medicare and Medicaid. Deficiencies that wouldn't cause patient harm, like not having a required policy in place, may merely require a plan of correction but are still always noted on the survey results. A deficiency free survey, such as the one Franklin VNA & Hospice just received, is a mark of excellent care, with attention to detail, patient safety, and satisfaction.

"The surveyors were simply wonderful," says Cartier. "They were charming to work with. Their goal is to assure Franklin Visiting Nurse Association & Hospice is meeting all standards of care which is what each agency aspires to. It was my pleasure to work with the team and show them the totality of our program. The

surveyors also went on home visits with our nursing staff to see the care as it happens. Staff and patients remarked on the pleasant experience meeting the team of surveyors."

Dowd notes, "Patient and family safety and satisfaction is paramount of the services that we provide here. We are caring for patients and their families during some of their most vulnerable times as human being; it is both an honor and a privilege to be allowed to serve our community in this way. I could not be more proud of all of our hospice staff and volunteers for the extraordinary work they do every day, and I'm so pleased that CMS has chosen to recognize us with survey results that bear this out for all to see."

Patients become eligible for the Hospice benefit for a variety of illnesses including dementia, heart or lung

disease, cancer or any other terminal illness. Hospice has tremendous benefits both to the patient and family. People often only elect Hospice during their last few weeks of life, when in fact they could have been receiving the benefits that hospice provides for much longer. Families are also provided grief support for a year after the death of a loved one.

Cartier says, "We strive to educate all patients, and the community on the support Hospice can provide. It is about living your life to the fullest. I am always available to meet with patients or families to discuss our Hospice program or ways palliative care can help during times of need."

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# LRGHealthcare honors award winners

LACONIA — LRGHealthcare held its 17th Annual Meeting of its members April 10 at Laconia Country Club with almost 100 people in attendance.

As part of the evening's program, Scott Sullivan, Chairman of the LRGHealthcare Board of Trustees, presented the 2019 Rhoda C. Ladd and Sally Proctor Awards. The awards are LRGHealthcare's highest honors and are given annually to individuals who give of themselves to improve the community's healthcare system.

The 2019 Laconia based, Rhoda C. Ladd Award was presented to retired Laconia Fire Chief, Ken Erickson. Ken retired as Laconia's fire chief in 2018 after 17 years with the Department. He was a strong, supportive and positive leader who worked tirelessly as an advocate for fire and emergency services. In retirement, Ken continues to have a positive impact on the community where he is active in organizations like Veterans Count, Easter Seals and the Partnership for Public Health just to name a few. He also teaches chemistry and fire protection systems at Lakes Region Community College and goes to area fire departments to provide ongoing education.

The Franklin based, Sally Proctor Award for 2019 honored Franklin's retired Fire Chief, Kevin LaChapelle. Kevin started with Franklin fire in 1988 and spent the last seven years of his career as fire chief and emergency management director. Throughout his career, Kevin accomplished a lot. He worked with other local rescuers to form the Three Rivers WET Team; worked closely with clinicians and advocacy groups within the opioid misuse crisis; and lead his department to create EMS360, a private and public partnership that will enhance the financial stability of EMS funding for Franklin Fire Department. Kevin has also served the New Hampshire Association



COURTESY  
Rhoda C. Ladd Award recipient, Ken Erickson with Scott Sullivan, LRGHealthcare Board Chairman and Kevin W. Donovan, LRGHealthcare President and CEO.

of Fire Chiefs and the Governor's Opioid Death Review Committees, and was named the 2017 New Hampshire Emergency Management Director of the Year.

In addition to the presentation of awards, much of the evening's program focused on the accomplishments and financial outcome of Fiscal Year 2018. Positive highlights from the past year include LRGHealthcare's achievement of ISO 9001 Certification, putting them among the top 5 percent of hospitals nationwide for the highest quality patient care standards. LRGHealthcare also touted being credited with an 'A' in Patient Safety from the Leapfrog Group last year. In addition, LRGHealthcare looks forward to completion of its newly renovated Emergency Department at Lakes Region General Hospital later this year for which construction began at the end of last year.

The topic of a partnership / affiliation for LRGHealthcare was also addressed. No formal announcement was made, however Donovan shared that the Board of Trustees continues to explore a potential partnership with another organization. Any potential partners have been kept

confidential, however Donovan did share that while they were focused on one possible partner the last few months, they have recently shifted their focus to another. He expects there will be a formal announcement sometime this year.



COURTESY  
Sally Proctor Award recipient, Kevin LaChapelle with Scott Sullivan, LRGHealthcare Board Chairman and Kevin W. Donovan, LRGHealthcare President and CEO.

LRGHealthcare's financial outcome for Fiscal Year 2018 (Oct. 1, 2017- Sept. 30, 2018) was an operating loss of \$13 million. President and CEO, Kevin W. Donovan explained that while a \$5 - \$8 million loss was expected, the increase

was due in large part to the onetime expense of implementing the Electronic Health Record.

The governance portion of the evening included the reappointment of Nancy LeRoy to the Board of Trustees. Nancy retired from

the Board last year and returned to fill the remainder of the term vacated by Russ Thibeault. Members also voted on the re-elections of Scott Clarenbach and Mark Primeau for their next three-year terms.

2018 members of the LRGHealthcare Board included Scott Sullivan, Chairman; Cynthia Baron, Vice Chairman; Gil Schohan, Secretary/Treasurer; William Bald; Scott Clarenbach; James Clements; Robert Evans, MD; Nancy Leroy; David Pearlman; K. Mark Primeau; Stuart Tracy; Vercin Ephrem, MD, President of Medical Staff; Samuel Aldridge, MD, Vice President of Medical Staff; and Paul Racicot, MD, Past President of Medical Staff.

Attendees also heard the medical staff report presented by President of Medical Staff, Vercin Ephrem, MD where he recognized all those providers who retired from or joined the organization in the last year. To view the 2018 LRGHealthcare Annual Report, log on to [www.lrhg.org](http://www.lrhg.org).



COURTESY  
Kymm Smith, new owner at Voila! For Hair & More.

## Voila! welcomes new owner

MEREDITH — Rob Wichland, Broker/Owner of RE/MAX Bayside recently an-

nounced that the brokerage has sold Voila! For Hair & More at Mill Falls Marketplace.

The new owner is Kymm Smith, who brings many years of experience to this already successful local

spa. Voila has been open for 33 years, and now Smith plans to expand on services and products. She will be introducing merchandise for men, keratin and straightening treatments, a pedicure

station and an eyelash extension lab. A grand opening planned for Saturday, May 18, which will include refreshments, samples and a sale on all products.

For more information, contact Smith at 279-7011 or stop in next time you're in town! RE/MAX Bayside has two offices at 208 Daniel Webster Highway in Meredith at 279-0079 and Laconia at 604 Main St., 527-8200.

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Kelley Allen winds and fires for Belmont High School.



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Lizzie Fleming slides in safe at home against Fall Mountain.

## Belmont softball sweeps opening doubleheader

BY BOB MARTIN

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**BELMONT** – The Belmont High School softball team kicked off its season on Saturday with a doubleheader sweep with a 15-3 win over Fall Mountain followed by a 4-3 victory over Berlin.

In the first game, Bel-

mont was up 5-1 after two innings highlighted by an RBI triple by Julianna Estremera to left.

In the top of the third, the Belmont defense struggled a bit showing the early season jitters with a pair of errors followed by an RBI single and a bloop hit to left

making it a 5-3 game. Fortunately pitcher Kelley Allen settled down and forced a line out to Estremera to get out of the inning.

Belmont came up in the bottom of the third and put the pedal to the medal with some hard hit balls by Becca Flem-

ing, Savannah Perkins and Makenzie Donovan. Coach Bill Clary was very happy to get this kind of production out of the bottom of the order. After three innings the Red Raiders were leading 9-3 and cruising to victory.

The bottom of the

fourth inning was where the wheels fell off for Fall Mountain and Belmont went up 15-3 to secure the mercy rule shortened win.

Allen got the win in a game where she allowed three runs on five hits, three walks and six strikeouts. Perkins, a

freshman, was 2/3 in her first varsity game. Raven Gates was 3/4 while Estremera, Donovan and Lizzie Fleming all went 2/2 in the win.

“Our bats were a lot better than I thought they would be this early,” said Clary. “We can

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BOB MARTIN

Alice Riley runs around the Belmont track in the first meet of the season.



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Zach Ennis is one of the top runners for Belmont this season.

## Red Raider, Bear track teams compete in Belmont

BY BOB MARTIN

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**BELMONT** – Belmont High School hosted its first track meet of the season on the school's brand new track and the Red Raiders and Winnisquam each had competitors on Saturday.

**Belmont High School**

The girls' team placed second overall out of 14 teams on Saturday. Highlights of the events are as follows:

In the 200 meters, freshman Jada Edgren won with a time of 29.11.

In the 100 meters, Gabby Day was fifth with a time of 14.06 while Edgren was seventh with a time of 14.38.

Sana Syed won the 100-meter hurdles with a time of 17.91. She also won the 300-meter hurdles with a time of 51.68. The closest time behind her was Emma Ramsey of Gilford with a time of 56.10.

The Belmont 4X100-meter relay team won with a time of 54.71. The team included Syed, Edgren, Gabby Day and Skylar Ruelke. The 4X800 meter team placed fourth and included Aurora Couto, Chloe Jackson, Hannah Leclair and Mercedes McIntyre.

In the 800 meters, Alice Riley was fourth

with a time of 2:38.60. McIntyre was 17th with a time of 3:10.55.

In the 1,600 meters, Riley was second with a time of 5:40.53 in what was a tight race between her and Cailey Stockwell of Hopkinton.

Couto was sixth in the 3,200 meters with a time of 14:42.65.

In the high jump, Kayli Lowe was tied for second with a leap of four feet, four inches.

Ruelke was second in the long jump with a distance of 14 feet, six inches. Day came in ninth with a jump of 12 feet, 10.5 inches.

In the shot put, Molly Sottak was seventh with a distance of 24 feet, nine inches. Lara Wessler was 26th with a distance of 17 feet, 7.5 inches.

In the discus, Ella Irving was 28th with a throw of 39 feet, 11 inches and Wessler was 30th with a throw of 37 feet, five inches.

Irving was 31st in the javelin with a throw of 42 feet, nine inches.

The boys' team also placed second and highlights are as follows:

In the 100 meters, Ben Hillsgrove and Lucas Mathieu tied for fifth with a time of 12:32.

In the 200 meters, Nolan Gagnon was fifth

with a time of 25.83 while Hillsgrove was 10th with a time of 26.42.

In the 400 meters, Nick Miles cracked the top 10 with a sixth place finish and a time of 59.04.

In the 800 meters, Chris Pare was seventh with a time of 2:22.49.

In the 1,600 meters, Zach Ennis was third with a time of 4:40.15.

In the 100-meter hurdles, Micah Edgren was fifth with a time of 21.32. He was also sixth in the 300-meter hurdles with a time of 49.17. Also in the 300-meter hurdles, Charlie Carroll-Burr was fifth with a time of 48.75 and Mitchell Berry was 13th with a time of 56.34.

The boys' 4X100-meter relay team won with a time of 48.36. The team consists of Mathieu, Hillsgrove, Eddie Mann and Kyle Whitcomb. The 4X400-meter team came in second with a team of 3:52.31. This team included Ennis, Gagnon, Edgren and Miles.

Bryce Hall was second in the high jump with a leap of five feet, six inches.

In the long jump, Lucas Mathieu was seventh with a distance of 17 feet, four inches. Jacob Cress was 11th with a jump of 16 feet, 9.5 inches; Hall was 14th with a jump of

16 feet, 2.5 inches and Eamon Kelley was 20th with a jump of 14 feet, 11 inches.

Mann was second in triple jump with a distance of 37 feet, six inches. Cress was fourth with a leap of 34 feet, 4.5 inches.

There were three Belmont athletes in the top 10 in shot put. Zack Duclos was third with a toss of 37 feet, 10 inches; Joey Spinale was fifth with a throw of 36 feet, one inch and Brendan Kelley was seventh with a throw of 34 feet, 8.5 inches.

In the discus, Duclos was second with a throw of 95 feet, six inches. Kelley was 10th with a throw of 81 feet, nine inches while Brian Miles was 18th with a throw of 66 feet.

In the javelin, Mathieu was third with a throw of 121 feet, one inch.

**Winnisquam Regional High School**

The girls' team placed eighth out of 14 teams and highlights are as follows:

In the 100 meters, the top runner for Winnisquam was Alexis Poole, who had a time of 15.29 for 17th.

In the 200 meters, Shannon Goodwin was 16th with a time of 32.64

while Poole was 17th with a time of 32.67.

In the 400 meters, Poole was eighth with a time of 1:13.06.

In the 800 meters, Faith Gosselin was fifth with a time of 2:41.47. She was also fourth in the 1,600 meters with a time of 5:42.84.

In the 100-meter hurdles, Ilijana Markelic was sixth with a time of 20.30. She was 12th in the 300-meter hurdles with a time of 1:05.11.

In the shot put, Sara Seymour was second with a toss of 26 feet, eight inches. Hannah Blackburn was 14th with a throw of 21 feet, four inches. Rebekah Persson was 17th with a throw of 20 feet, four inches.

Marguerite Parker

was 27th with a throw of 16 feet, 11 inches.

Blackburn won the discus with a throw of 80 feet. Also cracking the top 10 was Shannon Goodwin in fifth with a throw of 75 feet, 10 inches and Persson with a seventh place throw of 63 feet, 11 inches.

Top javelin throwers were Persson in seventh with a throw of 69 feet, eight inches and Blackburn in ninth with a throw of 61 feet, 11 inches. Seymour was 11th with a toss of 60 feet, one inch and Goodwin was 13th with a throw of 59 feet, four inches.

The boys' team finished in third place and highlights are as follows:

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# Bears can't keep up with Gilford ace

BY BOB MARTIN

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TILTON – The Winnisquam baseball team had the tough task of facing one of the top pitchers in the state in Adrian Siravo last week, and the scouting reports were correct with Siravo no-hitting the Winnisquam Bears for the second season in a row.

Siravo pitched four no-hit innings, striking out nine batters and walking two. Connor Sullivan came in for one inning and shut down the side in order to complete the combined no hitter. Siravo certainly does well in opening day starts, as this was the second consecutive season he has opened the spring without allowing a hit.

Right out of the gate, it was clear that Siravo was on his “A” game as he was throwing bullets by hitters that were regularly being clocked near 90 mph. Gilford coach Eric Duquette said that in bullpen sessions this has been the norm, and those close to Siravo have said he can put a little extra mustard on it when needed.

In the first inning, Siravo struck out the side with ease using his fastball primarily, and making people miss with the high heat.

The bottom of the first was a nightmare for Winnisquam, as poor fielding and walks led to pitcher Michael Allard allowing five runs to go down 5-0.

Jack McLean led off with an infield hit, followed by a walk by Alex Muthersbaugh. Siravo reached on an error and then Tim Stevens walked with the bases loaded to score the first run. Allard battled back and struck out Chandler Mead, but the ball was mishandled and a run scored on the play to make it 2-0. T.J. Carmilia then stepped up to the plate and blasted an RBI single to make it 3-0. Freshman Ben Muthersbaugh reached on an error next, which made it 4-0, and another run came across from a fielder's choice making it a 5-0 game.

The second inning saw more gas from Siravo, who forced two

weak ground outs and a swinging strikeout. In the bottom of the inning, the Golden Eagles tacked on two more runs, although there was only one hard hit ball off Allard.

Siravo struck out the side with ease in the top of the third inning and then with Jack Beaulieu on the mound for the Bears, the Golden Eagles added another run on an infield hit by Siravo.

The only trouble for Siravo came in top of the fourth inning. Siravo walked Phil Nichols but then followed up with a strikeout on a high strike call. Allard then walked and a wild pitch got Nichols to second. However, Siravo settled down and forced a fly out to left on a nice catch by Sebastian Brodeur and then a swinging strikeout.

The Golden Eagles tacked on three more insurance runs in the bottom of the fourth and the Sullivan finished off the Bears for the mercy rule shortened victory in the fifth inning.

“I’m very happy with how we played overall for not having an outside practice,” said Duquette. “We had 17 baserunners in four innings. We made every play on defense including a nice running catch in left field by Sebastian Brodeur- the only inning Winnisquam threatened and our pitchers threw strikes.”

Duquette was very pleased Gilford was able to get this type of performance out of their ace, saying that Siravo is ready to go for another start this week.

“Adrian was very efficient and dominant and will be ready to go Wednesday at Belmont,” Duquette said. “We have some things we need to improve on the next couple days in practice but we will be ready to go our next time out.”

Gilford had eight hits and nine walks on the day. Carmilia led the offensive charge with a 3/3 day with two runs and three RBIs. Siravo was 2/3 with two runs and an RBI. McLean did well at lead off with a 2/4 showing with an RBI and two runs. Tim Stevens had a pair of RBIs while Cody

Boucher, Brodeur, Ben Muthersbaugh all had an RBI apiece.

Winnisquam coach Fred Caruso said it is never fun to get no-hit, but he gave credit where credit was due with Siravo.

“It reminds me a bit of how teams felt facing us when we had Jordan Cote those years,” said Caruso. “Adrian is a very good pitcher- the best in Division 3 and maybe the state.”

Caruso said there is only so much a team can do to slow down Siravo, but he was happy with how the Bears responded the second time in the order by putting nice cuts on the ball and getting on base. He said the main goal was to throw off Siravo's rhythm, which he admitted was tough to do.

Caruso said this wasn't the best indication of what the Bears can bring and he thinks the team will be fine after working out some kinks.

“We didn't help ourselves early in the game,” said Caruso. “Siravo doesn't need any help, so when we give up nine walks and commit five errors it will kill us. We can't be making those kinds of mistakes against maybe the best team in our division. That put us behind the eight ball, but I really do believe we'll get better as the year goes on.”

The day before, Winnisquam faced Somersworth and fell 5-3. The Bears trailed 3-0 after one inning and were down 5-1 in the sixth, but Winnisquam showed some fight and battled back. Andrew McKinnon had an RBI single and Ryan Partridge knocked in a run on a sacrifice to make it 5-3 in the seventh inning. The game ended with the tying runs on base.

Allard led the way with two hits, including a long double. Sam Wood and Garret Mango had their first varsity hits. Nichols pitched all seven innings with eight hits and seven strikeouts. Dante Gentile was behind the plate and Caruso commended him for his blocking and throwing. He threw out two runners trying to steal.



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Michael Allard fires a pitch against Gilford High School on Saturday afternoon.



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Jack Beaulieu delivers a pitch for Winnisquam last week.



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Garret Mango lays down a tag in a pickle during a game against Gilford on Saturday.



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Fred Caruso speaks to his team at the mound during a tough loss to Gilford.

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# Perfect game highlights doubleheader sweep

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**BELMONT** – The Belmont High School baseball team swept a doubleheader to start the season on Saturday, and the highlight of the day was the Red Raiders pitching a combined perfect game in the opening game against Fall Mountain in a 15-0 victory.

Griffin Embree pitched three innings with six strikeouts and Austin Didsbury

finished the final two frames with a strikeout to complete the perfect game in a mercy rule shortened contest.

Offensively the Red Raiders were on point with eight hits and 13 RBIs. The team can certainly run as well, as Belmont piled on 10 steals.

Colby Brown was the star of the day offensively with a grand slam, five RBIs, two runs, three steals and a 2/4 showing. Didsbury

was 1/1 with a double. He also had a sacrifice and two runs, to go with a walk. Cam Magerer was 1/3 with a triple and an RBI. He also had a steal and a pair of runs scored. Nate Sotak was 1/3 with an RBI and two steals.

Belmont then took on Berlin and handily defeated the Mountaineers 15-0. Brett Auclair pitched a complete game gem where he allowed two hits and struck out four batters

over five innings.

Magerer, Didsbury and Lars Major all went 2/3. Magerer had three RBIs to lead the offensive surge. Brown was also a leader with another 2/4 game with four steals and two runs out of the leadoff spot. Jason Gaudette was 1/2 and Mike Sprague was 1/1 with an RBI and a run. Sprague also turned a nice 5-4-3 double play in the win.

Coach Matt Leblanc said he was very

pleased with the opening two games, saying his squad has done a “tremendous job” preparing for the season. He is looking forward to what could be a fantastic year for the Red Raiders.

“It shows by how ready they were to play even though we only had one outdoor practice,” said Leblanc. “Embree is in the conversation as being among the absolute best pitchers in D-3. We always feel

good when he’s on the hump but to see Didsbury and Auclair look as good as they did is exciting. For Embree and Didsbury to combine for a perfect game is special. The team as a whole played well defensively. Brown’s grand slam capped off an offensive outburst and showed just how fast he is. We’re hoping to replicate our good all around play as we progress through the season.”

## Bears dominate in season opener

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**TILTON** – The Winnisquam softball team kicked off its season in dominant form with a 17-3 blowout win over Somersworth.

The Bears started slow going down three runs in the top of the first inning, but that was about all the Somersworth squad could muster. Winnisquam scored four runs in the bottom of the first inning to take the 4-3 lead and never looked

back. A key hit came in the second inning when Ashley Deshaies launched a two-run bomb to go up 6-3. Deshaies was 4/4 on the day.

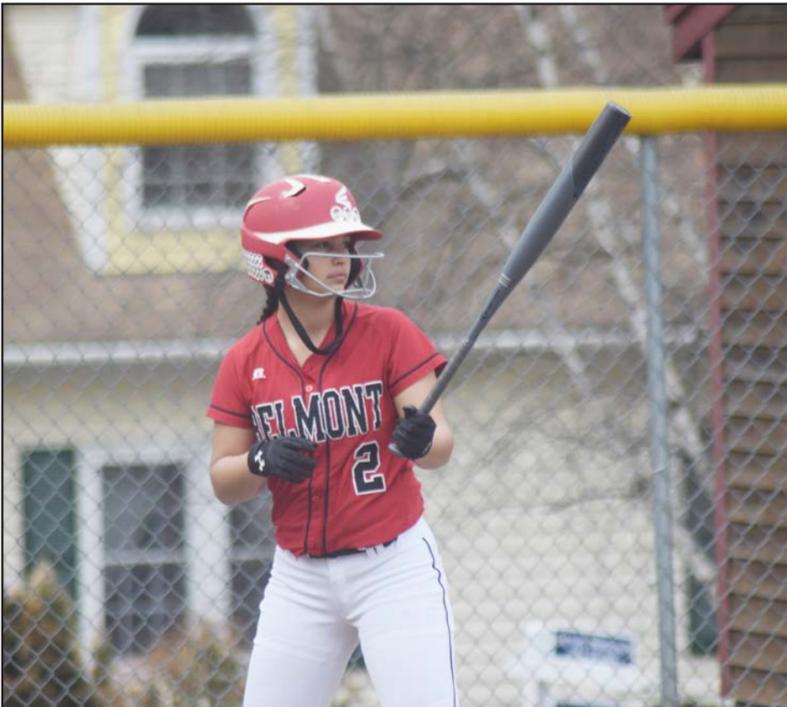
Carly Catty also was a force at the plate with a 2/2 showing and a homer. She was on base five times in the game and scored four runs.

Aubrey St. Onge pitched a great game with only three hits allowed, one walk and two strikeouts.

Coach Mark Dawal-

ga was pleased with the overall play of the Bears, who piled on 11 hits in the victory. He said with the lack of time practicing outdoors, it was nice to see a full team effort in the win.

“I was really proud of how the team responded after the first, holding Somersworth to only one hit the rest of the way,” said Dawalga. “Defense was great. For being on the field for the first time this year I was extremely pleased.”



BOB MARTIN

Julianna Estremera had five hits in the doubleheader on Saturday.

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get over the sloppy and mental stuff. Our bottom of the order really came through and had some hard hit balls. Kelley pitched a good game for us today.”

The second game of the doubleheader was at Belmont High School, but Berlin was considered the home team as it was changed due to poor field conditions at Berlin High School.

Berlin jumped out to a 3-0 lead in the second in-

ning on a two-run shot, but Belmont matched that homer with one by Donovan in the third inning. Donovan also had a strong day behind the plate for Belmont, picking off the potential tying run in the bottom of the seventh inning.

Estremera had another strong game with a 3/4 showing. She was 5/6 overall in the doubleheader.

Morgan Hall pitched a great game, allowing two hits, no walks and five

strikeouts. After the two-run homer in the second inning, she settled down for the win.

“The sophomore didn’t have her best stuff but made adjustments as the game moved along,” Clary said. “She showed a lot of maturity today. The defense dusted off after some early game errors. The hitters were very disciplined and took advantage of strikes. A good day helps us set up for the rest of the season.”

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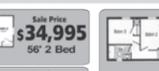
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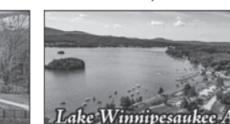
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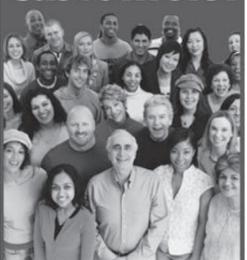
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5				6			
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7. Put at risk
8. Follows commands

#### DOWN

1. Young dogs
2. Older
3. Impulse
4. Gave refreshment
6. Hotel

ANSWERS:  
 Across  
 1. Playful 5. Pudgiest 7. Endanger 8. Trained  
 Down  
 1. Puppies 2. Aged 3. Urge 4. Watered 6. Inn



### HEEL

a position of walking a dog to be at your heel

### How they SAY that in...

- ENGLISH:** Paw
- SPANISH:** Pata
- ITALIAN:** Zampa
- FRENCH:** Patte
- GERMAN:** Pfote



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### GET THE PICTURE?



Can you guess what the bigger picture is?

ANSWER: DOG TREAT

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 Determine the code to reveal the answer!

Solve the code to discover words related to lawn and garden care.  
 Each number corresponds to a letter.  
 (Hint: 10 = o)

**A. 3 10 22 23 26**

Clue: Cuts lawns

**B. 9 10 17 8**

Clue: Dirt

**C. 24 10 3 18 10 9 12**

Clue: Fertilizing material

**D. 22 23 23 1 17 7 21**

Clue: Removing errant plants

Answers: A. mower B. soil C. compost D. weeding

### SUDOKU

			8		4		
6	1	9					5
1					5		
	6		5	1	8	7	
4		7			6		9
7					1		
5				3	1		6
					2		7

Level: Intermediate

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8	3	1	6	9	4	2	5	7
5	9	2	7	8	3	1	4	6
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4	5	7	3	2	6	8	9	1
9	6	3	5	1	8	7	2	4
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2	8	4	1	3	5	6	7	9
6	1	9	4	7	2	3	8	5
3	7	5	8	6	9	4	1	2

ANSWER:

# Bears dominate in season opener

BY BOB MARTIN  
Bob@Salmonpress.news

TILTON – The Winnisquam softball team kicked off its season in dominant form with a 17-3 blowout win over Somersworth.

The Bears started slow going down three

## SPORTING CHANCE

By JOSHUA SPAULDING



runs in the top of the first inning, but that was about all the Somersworth squad could muster. Winnisquam scored

four runs in the bottom of the first inning to take the 4-3 lead and never looked back. A key hit came in the second inning when Ashley Deshaies launched a two-run bomb to go up 6-3. Deshaies was 4/4 on the day.

Carly Catty also was a force at the plate with a 2/2 showing and a homer. She was on base five times in the game and scored four runs.

Aubrey St. Onge pitched a great game with only three hits allowed, one walk and two

strikeouts.

Coach Mark Dawalga was pleased with the overall play of the Bears, who piled on 11 hits in the victory. He said with the lack of time practicing outdoors, it was nice to see a full team effort in the win.

“I was really proud of how the team responded after the first, holding Somersworth to only one hit the rest of the way,” said Dawalga. “Defense was great. For being on the field for the first time this year I was extremely pleased.”



BOB MARTIN

Faith Gosselin had a strong day running for Winnisquam last week.



BOB MARTIN

Dylan Robert was second in the 800 meters on Saturday.

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Hunter Hinxman was third in the 100 meters with a time of 12.23. He was also second in the 200 meters with a time of 24.85. In the 400 meters, he was second with a

time of 55.34.

Also running well in the 400 meters was Evan Griffin with a time of 1:01.37 for ninth, as well as Sheamus Dunn, who was 11th with a time of 1:01.80.

In the 800 meters,

Dylan Robert was second with a time of 2:14.36 while Kyle Mann was third with a time of 2:16.40. Robert was also fourth in the 1,600 meters with a time of 5:00.77.

In the 3,200 meters,

Brennan Dunn was 12th with a time of 13:07.82.

In the 4X800-meter relay, Winnisquam won with a time of 8:51. The team included Kyle Mann, Riley Mann, Robert and Griffin. In the 4X100-meter relay, Win-

nisquam was second with a time of 49.29. The team consisted of Hinxman, Griffin, Cooper French and Eric Young.

In shot put, Kiernen Harris was 31st with a throw of 24 feet, 1.5 inches.

In the discus, Eric Young was the top thrower for Winnisquam with a toss of 76 feet, nine inches for 12th place. He was also 11th in javelin with a throw of 105 feet, four inches.

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