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Steve Place handing out \$5,000 checks to various local organizations.

# They have been 'The Right Place' for 95 years

KIMBERLY MASCHI TIMES CORRESPONDENT

If you own a Ford and live in Webster, or any of the surrounding towns, then you know Place Motors. This family owned and run business has been in Webster for 95 years and continues to stand by their motto "The Right Place."

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for close to a century.

Place Motors has a rich history. They have moved loca-

tions, but always remained in Webster. George Place Jr., who was a World War II Army veteran, active member in the community, and president of Place Motors until he passed on the company to future generations, received the business from his parents. Four generations have operated Place Motors: George Sr., George Jr., Jimmy, and now Steve Place, great grandson to the founder. Steve Place is currently the owner, president, and CEO of Place Motors

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# OBA honors hardworking business leader



Courtesy photo from Access Oxford Inc.

KIMBERLY MASCHI TIMES CORRESPONDENT

Citizens flock to P&D Pizza just to congratulate Sotihos Efstathiou "Ted" on his award. Each say he deserves the award and more.

The Business Administration of Oxford awarded Efstathiou for citizen of the year May 23. The plaque that now resides on the wall inside P&D Pizza, reads "In recognition of outstanding community service and dedication to the betterment of his fellow citizens of Oxford."

fellow citizens of Oxford."

It's easy to see why Ted received this prestigious award. Ted has been involved in the community of Oxford for a long time. He has helped various causes, organizations, residents, groups, and friends throughout his many years as the owner of P&D Pizza, located at 440 Main St.

"P&D has been here for 37 years, I bought it from my father," says Ted.

For a business to be in town and flourishing is a wonderful tribute to all businesses in Oxford. P&D Pizza has a very broad and dedicated customer base. Every customer that walks in to pick up a gyro, or

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# Public television in Oxford celebrating a milestone

KIMBERLY MASCHI TIMES CORRESPONDENT

Sotihos Efstathiou "Ted" receiving the award,

From humble beginnings Access Oxford Inc. grows in personnel and celebrates 15 years.

"We started with three people and one camera," says Tony Troiano, executive director of the public television channel Access Oxford Inc.

Troiano beams with pride as he recalls the beginning of Access Oxford Inc. in 2003, and how far the station has come in a decade and a half.

"We are celebrating 15 years as a non-profit channel," says Troiano.

What was once a threemanned operation has turned

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Kim Maschi photos

Members of Access Oxford share moments and memories.

## Dudley approves \$20.8 million budget

#### VET AGENT MAKES PUBLIC PLEA FOR HOURS INCREASE

BY JASON BLEAU TIMES CORRESPONDENT

DUDLEY – Dudley voters wasted little time passing a budget during the spring annual town meeting on Monday, May 21 unanimously approving a \$20.8 million spending plan for the new budget year starting July 1.

The budget is a 2.9 percent increase within the limits of Proposition 2 1/2 and included \$826,574 for Bay Path Regional Vocational Technical High School as well as \$9.4 million for the Dudley-Charlton Regional School District including \$1.5 million approved by an election vote for a budget override last month. Voters approved the budget unanimously with Town Administrator Greg Balukonis offering some details into the spending plan.

"We have a balanced budget. The override in its entirety is targeted for the Dudley Charlton Schools as was determined by the voters back on April 3. That money is included in the budget. The majority of the town's increases are in items that we term fixed costs. Those would be debt service.

pension costs, costs related to health insurance and utilities. The amount that's available for municipal departments on average is a little bit under \$300,000. I want to thank all the department heads who have been outstanding in bringing their budgets in with very modest increases. The small amounts that we have are distributed amongst all the departments," Balukonis said. "As we've said not everyone gets everything that they want at this town meeting, however there will be an opportunity to vote a supplemental budget at the fall town meeting which will take place in October."

Before the vote was taken one town employee did take the time to approach the podium and make his concerns heard. Veterans' Services Officer Stephen Rogerson, who had previously sought more funding for his department to increase office hours, utilized the public forum as a chance to speak his peace before a large group of townsfolk for future investment in

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Kim Maschi pho

Rebecca Natale getting up front and personal with lilacs.

# Getting into the beart of the subject

KIMBERLY MASCHI TIMES CORRESPONDENT

The peoples favorite is the photograph of the cat, others love the chicken, but photographer Rebecca Natale is most proud of her beautiful close up of orange flowers.

"My family has flowers in the garden. I go out into the garden to take some of my pictures," says Natale.

Natale is 16 years old and lives in Douglas. She is a confident, polite, and engaging young woman with a passion for art. Natale's main focus is nature. She takes pictures of animals and loves to hike with her family in the summer.

"I take my camera with me when we go on our hikes," says Natale. For three years Natale has been a photographer and experimenting with digital art. Her attention to the details stands out in her work. The colors she seeks are balanced and bright. Each photo is captivating and tells a story.

Each one of Natale's photographs has something different to show. The picture of her drum set is a black and white with an angle of whimsy and a desire to play. The gray background with red berries has such attention to detail that

you feel like you can actually pluck the berries off the stems. Natale's dandelion with water droplets is mesmerizing and astonishing. The tiny droplet of water shows the soft hues in the background while the dandelions play and get ready to take flight with the wind. The grey tabby cat photograph depicts the pureness of all feline fellows. The way a cat can lounge and relax without a care in the world. Natale captures the moment of pure lazy bliss that cats are attuned to, which may be why many find this photograph to be their favorite. Looking at Natale's photographs transports you to a world full of whimsy and delight with just a bit of adventure.

Natale does not just pick up a camera, she also picks up drum sticks and a guitar. Natale is a multitalented young woman with an intelligent head on her shoulders and a need for growth through her interests. Natale loves to read books about fantasy and adventure, she also enjoys writing and venturing out into the wilderness to capture the perfect photograph and experience. Natale was nervous and excited to have her hard work seen by others.

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#### TIME CAPSULES

PARTY FOR THE PUPS Friends of Oxford Dog Park are hosting a fundraiser Thursday, June 21 at the KBC Brewery. Featured will be Taste of the Area pizza, raffles, entertainment and a lot of good fun. Tickets are \$20. Visit the Facebook page OxordBarkingLot or email oxfordmadog@gmail.com to purchase tickets.

**AWARDED** 

Congratulations to Paul Lambert Sr., who was named Advisor of the Year for his work with the newly-formed Nichols College Bowling Bison, which was also among the student clubs nominated for Student Organization of the Year. He is also advisor to the History Club. Proud of the dedication you have shown your students both in and out of the class-

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The Dudley Democratic Town

Committee will meet on Tuesday, June 5th at 6 pm at the Dudley Municipal Complex Room 321c. Topics on the agenda include recapping the Mass Democratic State Convention, plans for our candidate coffee, upcoming participation in the Dudley Strawberry Festival and youth engagement. Newcomers especially welcome. Questions please contact monicakaufman@aol.com.

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT

WORCESTER Quinsigamond Community College has released its Dean's and Merit Lists for the spring 2018 semester. A total of 565 students were named to the Dean's List and 1,017 students were named to the Merit List. Students named to Dean's List must have a Quality Point Average (QPA) of 3.5 or higher and have earned 12 or more credits in a given semester. Students named to the Merit List must have a QPA of 3.5 or higher and have earned 6 or more credits in a given semester, but fewer than 12 credits. Among them were local students: Dudley: Madison Bellerive,

Tyler Jennifer Guildford, Cassidy Hamilton, Samuel Hutchinson, Tyler Lavigne, Stephanie McKinney, Chelsea Meciak, Joanna Paradis, Maria Soja, Lindsey Walczak, Katherine Weinberg; North Oxford: Michaela Bradford, Amanda Calcano, Stefanie Weaver; Oxford: Jamie Blanchette, Spencer Bodreau, Carli Boudreau, Meghan

Kayleigh Blanchard, Alexandra Cowher.

Cunningham, Marissa Denham, Savanna LaMountain, Elizabeth Lambert, Ruess Lambert, Tavis Paquette, Alexander Polis, Olivia Spring; Thompson: Sydney Padula; Webster: Mackenzie-Lynn Beeso, Pegui Campoverde, Rachel Davis, Brian Gatto, Hannah Gould, Michal Grygoriew, Kyle Mondino, Matthew Rakowski, Christopher Rumbaugh, Victoria Stuller. MERIT: Dudley: Shawn Coltran, Kerry Cyganiewicz, Catherine Damian, Etleva Doko, Glenn Levasseur, Weronika Lojewska, Tyler Mitti, Danielle Moore, Dayna Riley, Denise Ryan, Justin Scott, Clarice Smith, Tiffany Sousa, Hannah St Marie, Andrew Umana, Ashley Williams; North Oxford: Mina Carrabba, Thomas Delaporta, Lillian Gichobi, Michelle Santiago, Elizabeth Thornhill; Oxford: Karisa Allen, Holly Blain, Adam Brindley, Samantha Carey, John Carmody, Angela Conway, Brett Dickhaut, Jeremy Gonzalez, Joseph Kimball, Danielle L'Esperance, Erica Mucci, Adriana Nunes, Michael Phelan, Danielle Porter, Karryn Ryan, Jillian Walsh, Erica Webster, Heather Wilcox; Quinebaug: Rachelle Cloutier, Rebecca Philbrook; Thompson: Stephanie Langley; Webster: Sherie Armstrong, Danielle Baarda, Magdalena Bal, Olivia Baldyga, Danny Banh, Gabrielle Bernier, Fabian Brito, King-Jeffrey Danso, Katelyn DiTullio, Chelsea Doyle, Sean Ebbeling, Theodore Fox, Chelsey Grandmaison, Laura Hoey, Katrina Johnson, Heather Latta, Paula Ludovico, Jill Magnant, Matthew

Panagiotou, Richard Patriarca, Johanne Prochet, Carly Reynolds, Tara Rudolph, Danielle Salvas, Alexis Sandman, Taryn Stewart, Michael Tabor, Nancy Tuero, Briana Turcotte, Elise Urella, Peter

Lakeside Kids Event

Children of all ages are welcome to visit Memorial Beach in Webster on June 7 from 5 to 8pm to learn about the fun to be had on and around the water!

Inspired by the Massachusetts Marine Trades Association's Kids in Boating initiative (https://www.masskidsboatingday.org), this event is designed to support exposure to the marine industry. This date also coincides with National Fishing and Boating week as well as National Great Outdoors month.

This is a free event. Activities will

include: Touch-a-boat, in-water kayak demos, waterskiing instruction (fees apply) and fishing demos with local angler Dan Kenney. Families will also be able to speak with local organizations about their offerings and services. The US Coast Guard Auxiliary Tri-State Flotilla will be on hand to talk about boating safety and VSC examiners will be available for boat owners wanting a 2018 decal.

Posted activities are subject to change based on vendor availability and weather conditions. This event is hosted by

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Strawberry shortcakes are made with fresh strawberries, home style biscuits and real freshly whipped cream, though sugar-free is available for diabetics upon request. Adult size is \$6, Child size is \$4. To be sure you get one, you can pre-pur-

chase tickets in advance through the Dudley Town Clerk, Peters Hair Salon or see

requests all frog entries be put back where you found them). Sign Up: 4:15-5:50 p.m.,

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For information contact Festival co-chairman Alex Rodinov at (774) 922-2930 or

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players can play a quick game or enter

into a monthly tournament. For those ages 12 and older. Drop-in; no registra-

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Other activities include: Face Painting, Games for kids, Smoke House, Old

its annual Strawberry Festival on the lawns at the Grange, 139 Center Road.



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If you finance, you will have a budgeted monthly payment and won't need to spend all your hardearned cash. In fact, with today's low interest rate options, in some cases as low as 0%, it may make more sense to finance your car. You also have op-

Customers ask place: How tions with the financing that can help to protect the value of the car. Consider GAP protection to protect against a total loss. Ask us for more details on how this works. Of course, the downside of financing is that in most cases you will pay interest. Because todays cars are rather expensive many customers take on longer term notes increasing If you pay cash, you have the knowledge that the interest expense and leaving them still owing money when they want to trade in for another. This

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## Trust fund provides services for area students

SUBMITTED BY FLORENCE KUZDZAL

The corporators of Hubbard Health Systems and Webster Emergency Medical Services met at Point Breeze to hold their annual corporators meeting.

Nine new members were nominated



Courtesy photos

Camden Gibbons is the recipient of a new three wheel transport for his days at Park **Avenue Elementary School.** 

and elected.

An unprecedented event in the history of the hospital was presented and awards were given. Research into the hospital archives revealed the Mary E. Bixby Trust Fund, a sum of monies left



Daryn Chapman McCarthy will now be able to hear better in his classrooms thanks to a new amplification system.

over 82 years ago for the specific benefit of handicapped children in the Webster, Dudley and Oxford area serviced by the then Webster District Hospital.

Eighty two years of accumulated interest and the change of the name of the hospital that replaced the original to Hubbard Regional Hospital, would be drawn on to provide any durable equipment needed to a handicapped child so recognized.

School nurses were contacted and two children were located who could really use help to change the course of

Daryn Chapman McCarthy, a 10 year old fourth grade boy in the Dudley Elementary School, at the request of the school nurse Kathleen Wilson, would receive an amplification system to be used in conjunction with his hearing aid. Connected to his teacher by way of a small microphone, he would now be able to interact with his teacher to get full benefits of his school days. His mom and guest were on hand to witness this event in their son's life.

The second recipient of the Mary E. Bixby Trust Fund is a student at the Park Avenue Elementary School in Webster nominated by his school nurse Sarah Phillips would receive a new tricycle modified to meet his needs. Camden Gibbons better known as CJ is an 8 year old boy with a great smile and an infectious sense of humor. Diagnosed in 2016 with Duchene mus**ACCURACY WATCH:** 

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cular dystrophy, his legs are failing and his compromised mobility going from class to class at the huge Park Avenue School was putting enormous strain on his already weakened legs. He was using a toddler size tricycle that the maintenance department at the school have adjusted the seat and handlebars to try and fit CJ but he has outgrown it. Downtown Putnam Cyclery was contacted to procure and modify the tricycle that would allow Camden to maneuver the school halls and even go outside during playtime.

The Board of Directors of Hubbard Health Systems and Webster Emergency Medical Services as well as Camden's parents, his school nurse, teachers and the Superintendent of the school were all in attendance to cheer Camden on as he took his first ride out the door of the Point Breeze Restaurant into the

parking lot.

## Municipal building roof replacement approved

BY JASON BLEAU TIMES CORRESPONDENT

DUDLEY – The town of Dudley will go ahead with improvements to the roof of the Municipal Complex on West Main Street with residents deciding by unanimous vote to bond money for the

One of many financial items on the spring annual town meeting warrant on May 21, the repairs to the Municipal Center roof will also include the replacement of the Evapco closed circuit cooling system for the building with the total project cost being \$450,000. The initiative did receive some concern from one taxpayer, John Briare, who questioned why the replacement required such a costly investment.

"That's a lot of money," Briare said.
"That roof is 13 years old. What happened to 30-year warranties on roofs? Is there a warranty plan because this is crazy?"

Town Administrator Greg Balukonis offered insight into the situation saving that officials did examine the possibility of a warranty at first. However, the roof of the building was only warrantied for 10 years, a timeframe that is well expired.

"As part of hiring a professional to

put together a design for the roof we reserve the right to pursue a claim outside of the warranty period," Balukonis said during the town meeting. "(Mr. Briare) is right, a roof should last a lot more than 13 years and the roof that we proposed we'd request that we have an extended warranty upwards of 30

Balukonis also shed some light on the plans for funding the project and said that investing in this infrastructure was vital due to the deteriorating condition of the roof and the concerns for safety and the health of the building as a whole. He also revealed that expert opinions labeled the roof as expired and a simple fix wouldn't suffice if a full-on replacement were available.

"The cooling tower has a cost of just a touch over \$100,000 and the remaining costs would be dedicated toward the cost of the roof. It's an expensive project. The roof has failed. We had an inspection done. We have a report that was done by a professional. It indicates that the roof is at the end of its useful life and cannot be repaired. The town has undertaken efforts in that building over a period of several years to deal with water infiltration in the facility. By putting a new roof on it and protecting the building it will prevent water from infiltrating and causing mold and unthinkable problems in the building. Its something that we have to do," Balukonis said. "At this time, we will pay for these costs within our Proposition 2 1/2 limit. So, this is not a debt exclusion question. We will bond it and we will pay those costs over a period of years.

With voters approving the article the town will now seek specifications for the project and put out a bid for contractors to perform the work. A timetable for when the replacement would take place was not discussed during the town meeting.



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#### BUDGET

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veteran's services in Dudley.

"This month alone I've worked every single day and the office really is only supposed to be open one day, which is Thursday. The budget as it stands right now does not support veterans in the community. We have just under 700 veterans in the community not to mention the widows that exist and the families that are dependent on the support," Rogerson said. "The veterans office needs to be supported.'

Balukonis responded to Rogerson saying that he doesn't want the public to think town officials and selectmen do not support veterans. The Town Administrator said that several tough decisions had to be made to keep the budget balanced and that the meeting in October will offer an opportunity add anything new to the spending plan that the residents see fit.

"I think all of us support veteran's services. The question is how do we pay for it? We have an opportunity tot take a second look at the budget in

October. The top priority that I have, and the selectmen have is providing funding for the department of veteran services. I will work toward increasing the hours and the position. I think that's very important," Balukonis said. "You should also be aware that Dudley does fully fund its veterans benefits line item, so this is not a question about whether we fund veterans' benefits. We estimate that the cost of veterans' benefits is about \$187,000 this year and that is a hundred percent fully funded. We do appreciate the work that Mr. Rogerson does, and we look forward to increasing his hours and having some conversations with him in the weeks ahead about he we can provide the additional hours in his office."

All voters present, including Rogerson, voted in favor of the spending plan before the meeting moved on. The article was closed after Dudley-Charlton Regional School Committee Chair Pauline Aucoin took a moment to thank the residents of Dudley for their vote of support in April during the override election for the education budget.



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When we put our home up for sale, we tend to worry most about marketing the home properly to get a buyer and then making sure we get through the home inspection process without having to make any large repairs or having a sale fall apart due to the needed repairs scaring off the buyer. You can take care of the marketing piece by hiring an agent with a proven track record of selling homes in your area. You can also get a pre-inspection on your home

tor and make all the necessary repairs that came up as to not have surprises later on. You still have one hurdle that has become a bigger concern as of late with almost every home selling above list price with multiple offers.

If you have your home in pristine condition and all these repairs were done, a buyer in our current market will be willing to pay a premium to get that perfect house. However, the bank appraiser needs to typically show homes that bracket your home as in one home is priced higher because it is superior and one is priced lower because it is inferior. You will want to ensure that you or your agent supply the appraiser with a list of all the big improvements you have made recently that will impact value, this way the appraiser can make adjustments to justify the higher market price. Not every improvement will be noted so your agent should be able to help highlight just the items that add value. You will also want to arm yourself with information about all the comparable homes in the neighborhood so you can share information about condition and setup of those homes which may not be readilv available to the appraiser and what makes them inferior to your home so it makes the appraisers job easier coming up with the proper value for your home. Keep in mind you are not persuading the appraiser to come up with an inflated value for your home, but providing information that will help them come up with market value which may or may not be the price you are hoping for. This appraisal is just the appraisers professional opinion which can differ greatly from another appraisers professional opinion.

You never want to discount the importance of the appraisal process. Certain types of financing will also require the condition of the home to meet certain standards. The standards in condition these appraisers are looking at but the interpretation can be different from one appraiser to the next. I have had appraisals take 10 minutes or an hour depending on the appraiser and type of loan the buyer is getting. The longer appraisal is due to that appraiser interpretation of how thorough their inspection of the property is. Some loans require there is no peeling paint as well as all other safety concerns are required to be addressed. Most loans require flooring in all rooms and the appraiser to give an opinion on age of roof and its expected lifespan. Some banks and loans require all utilities to be activated and working while others don't so this will be important to know before the appraiser visits the home. These are all items that are there to protect the banks investment in the home because if the buyer is putting down 3% of the purchase price then the bank is giving 97% and wants to protect their investment. If you have peeling paint, safety issues, or other condition issues it will help ensure you have no appraisal issues but it will also help sell the home quicker. I suggest having your Realtor come over and make these suggestions before you jump into the repairs to ensure you are making the repairs that will cause the appraised price to rise and raise no flags due to condition of the home.

## Dudley taxpayers can now donate to veterans in need

DUDLEY - Taxpayers in Dudley will now have the ability to control where at least a portion of their tax bills go with the town agreeing to adopt a state statute during the spring annual town meeting on May 21.

Town Clerk Ora Finn took the podium to discuss the possibility of Dudley adopting Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 60, Section 3F, a state statute allowing taxpayers in the town to designate a portion of the property or motor vehicle taxes to assist veterans in need. This was one of two topics related to

veterans discussed during the evening with Veterans' Service Officer Stephen Rogerson making a plea earlier in the evening for Dudley to invest in his office to increase hours. Finn clarified while this fund won't help with that endeavor, it will allow taxpayers to directly assist veterans by specifying an amount they would like to see utilized to give back to those who served in the armed forces.

"This is voluntary. It would appear on your tax bill and you can write in your little amount, whatever you want to donate," Finn told those present at the annual town meeting

"All the donated funds will be deposited into a special account in the general treasury. It would be

in the custody of the treasurer who will invest the funds at the direction of the office, board, commission, committee or any other agency of the town that would be authorized.'

Finn said this money will be earmarked for specific purposes and wouldn't be limited to just veterans. It would also help spouses and familied of veterans should they find themselves in need of a little assistance and fall within specified criteria.

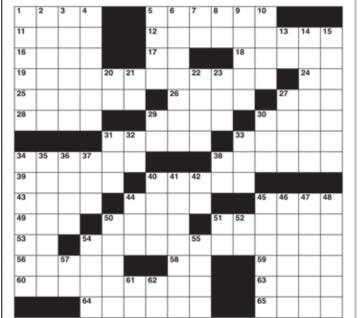
"The money in the fund shall be used to provide support for veterans and their dependents in need of immediate assistance with food, transportation, heat and oil expenses. The town's veterans' services department shall establish an application process for veterans and their dependents to obtain assistance, establish standards for acceptable documentation of veteran's status of depen-

dent status, and establish financial eligibility criteria for determining need and amount of assistance for eligible applicants," Finn said.

The processing of those applications would go through Rogerson's office in the town hall and it would be up to that office to determine whether an applicant qualifies for which program and for how much. No limit on how much a taxpayer can donate to the fund was given at the meeting. Like Rogerson earlier in the night, Finn said she feels no one in Dudley would pass up the opportunity to help veterans wherever

"I'm sure everyone would agree with me that this is a good idea," Finn said. "The opportunity will be there for you to help our local veterans here in Dudley.'

Voters chose to adopt the state statute unanimously with no debate.



#### CLUES ACROSS

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- 19. "American History X" actor
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- Netherlands river
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- 29. Change shape
- 30. Pattern in Indian music 31. Genus of finches
- 33. Australian clover fern 34. Caused to curve
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- Belgian city
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- 45. Flew off!
- 50. Chums 51. Stick fast to
- 53. Megabyte
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- 58. Milliampere
- 59. Remain as is
- 60. Honors
- 63. Norse goddess of old age 64. Minimum
- 65. Rulers of Tunis

#### CLUES DOWN

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- 10. Suffix 13. Bromine
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- 21. Bad grades
- Mars crater
- 23. Small amount
- 27. Froth on fermenting liquor 29. Bachelor of Divinity
- 30. Follows sigma
- 31. Human foot
- 32. Commercial
- 33. Company that rings receipts

34. Experiencing a sudden sense of

- 35. Taxable
- 36. Alternative credit investment firm
- 38. Gold
- 40. Will not (obsolete) 41. Supposes without proof
- 42. Rapper \_ Hammer
- 44. Split lentils
- 45. Carried out systematically 46. Condition
- 47. Without restraint
- 48. Produces reproductive cells
- 50. One of Washington state's Tri-Cities
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## Leominster-based Fidelity Bank announces new employees

Fidelity Bank continues to grow with the appointment of five new staff members. The community bank, headquartered in Leominster, is known for its innovative LifeDesign approach of doing the next right thing to help clients, colleagues and communities get where they want to be. It has 10 full-service offices in central Massachusetts with plans to add a second branch in worcester and a branch in Winchendon in 2018.

Linda Carmichael brings over 30 years of experience to her new role as vice president of operations at Fidelity Bank. Carmichael most recently served as the head of operations & banking and enterprise risk management at GFA Credit Union. She brings depth of knowledge relative to operations, vendor management, electronic banking, technology, and risk management to Fidelity Bank. In addition, Carmichael has conversion and merger experience and is six sigma trained.

John Peculis is the new senior vice president, commercial lending at Fidelity Bank's Worcester office. Peculis comes to Fidelity Bank from People's United Bank and was formerly with United Bank and Millbury Savings in comparable roles. He previously owned and operated Allied Appraisal Associates of New England. He has strong ties to the Worcester community and supports many local organizations. Peculis is the chairman of the March of Dimes annual Signature Chef's Auction for Central Massachusetts, serves on the Nichols College Board of Advisors and is on the Executive Committee or the worcester Economic Club. He has a BSBA, management from Nichols College.

Travis Perry has joined Fidelity Bank as vice president & commercial relationship manager and will be seated in the Millbury office. Perry resides in the town of Sutton and has strong ties to the Blackstone Valley. He will play a key role for Fidelity in that market. He brings over 15 years of commercial banking expertise and a track record as a top performing commercial lender. Prior to joining Fidelity, Perry served as vice president, commercial lending for Hometown Bank. Perry holds a Bachelor's degree from Salve Regina University in Newport, RI. Stephen Smith rejoins Fidelity

Bank with over 30 years of mort-

gage experience to his role as vice president, home loan specialist. Based out of the Millbury office, Stephen most recently held a position at Santander where he was a mortgage development officer. Smith is an active member of Board of Realtors and member of American Legion in Auburn, where he helps raise money and assists veterans. He currently resides in Webster with his wife and three children.

Kara Wiersma joins Fidelity Bank as its vice president, learning and development manager. The new role was developed as part of Fidelity Bank's commitment to help its employees achieve greater job knowledge and professional growth at the bank. Wiersma previously worked at Commerce Bank as its retail training onboarding and development manager where she designed and delivered all training programs for the retail bank division. She played an integral role through Berkshire's acquisition of Commerce, preparing employees for all systems conversion activities and post-conversion roles. Kara earned her Bachelor's degree in management studies from Boston University. Wiersma currently resides in Auburn.



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## POLICE LOGS

#### **Dudley Police Department**

Editor's Note: The information contained in this police log was obtained through public documents kept by the police department, and is considered to be the account of the police. All subjects are considered innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

Police agencies can no longer print the names of people who are arrested or charged with domestic assault related charges. The new law is designed to protect victims, so they are not re-victimized through indirect identification.

#### FRIDAY MAY 11

6:45 p.m.: MV stop (Oxford Avenue) arrest: Reynaldo Gregory, age 34 of 46 Canterbury Road, Plainfield CT: speeding, unlicensed operation of MV, and two out of agency warrants.

WEDNESDAY MAY 16

8:48 p.m.: MV operating erratically (West Main Street) arrest: Daniel C. O'Brien, age 53 of 347 School St., #1, Webster: operating MV with license suspended, negligent operation of MV, possession open container of alcohol in MV, OUI-liquor third offense.

THURSDAY MAY 17

9:38 p.m.: assault, arrest: adult male age 37: A&B on family or household member.

TUESDAY MAY 22

5:32 p.m.: MV stop (Oxford Avenue) arrest: George Alachoyan, age 36 of 30 Watch St., Rochdal: operating MV with license suspended, license not in possession, number plate violation and speeding.

8:13 p.m.: assist to public (Schofield Avenue) arrest: Joseph W. Siekierski, age 24 of 38 Schofield Ave. #2, Dudley: four out of agency warrants.

WEDNESDAY MAY 23

10:39 a.m.: restraining order violation (arrest: adult male, age 58: violation abuse prevention order.

#### Webster Police Department

**WEDNESDAY MAY 16** 

1:28 a.m.: MV stop (East Main Street) arrest: Tyson M. Mercier, age 38 of 47 Lakeside Ave. #2, Webster: OUI-liquor,

#### Larceny at golf range results in arrest



**Darrin Lavallee** 

On Saturday, May 26 at approximately 1:19 am, Dudley Sergeant Ceppetelli Paul and Officer Marek Karlowicz were dispatched to the Dudley Golf Range

for a report of a suspicious person in the parking lot.

The owner of the property was the person who reported the incident. He had seen people on the premises via video feed.

Upon arrival, the officers were informed the suspect had fled on foot towards the golf range. During the course of the investigation, they were able to stop suspicious vehicle in the

There was a female driver and a

male in the front passenger seat.

The male was later identified as Darrin Lavallee age 47 of Webster.

He was sweating and had some grass clippings on his shoes and bottom of his pants. He appeared very nervous. Inside the car, officers located two large vehicle batteries as well as a bag with gloves and various tools.

A check of the scene revealed these batteries has been removed from an excavator parked on the property. This person was also suspected of attempting to steal rims from cars parked at that location.

Lavallee was taken into custody. He was held awaiting bail for an appearance in Dudley District Court on Tuesday, May 29.

Lavallee was charged with the following:

Chapter 266, Section 30: Larceny over \$250

Chapter 266, Section 120: Trespass Chapter 266, Section 49: Possession of burglarious tools

Chapter 266, Section 16: B&E into a vehicle at nighttime

speeding in violation of special regulations and negligent operation of MV

8:48 p.m.: MV operating erratically (West Main Street) arrest: Daniel C. O'Brien, age 53 of 347 School St. #1, Webster: operating MV with license suspended, negligent operation of MV, possess open container alcohol in MV, OUI-liquor third offense.

AND summons issued: Kyle L. Andrews, age 35 of 29 Mt. Pleasant St., Webster: unlicensed or suspended operation of MV, permit.

THURSDAY, MAY 17

3:09 p.m.: domestic dispute (Negus Street) arrest adult male, age 35: assault on family or household male. 5:32 p.m.: citizen contact (Goddard

Street) arrest: Katlyn L. Barry, age 24 of 35 Harris St. #2R, Webster: possession 5:33 p.m.: attempt to serve (South

Main Street) arrest: Steven A. Gardner, age 32 of 27 Ash St., Webster: warrant. FRIDAY MAY 18

1:01 a.m.: MV stop (Thompson Road)

arrest: Christopher Santos, age 31 of 88 Pine St. Second Floor #2, Southbridge: disorderly conduct.

1:05 a.m.: assist other agency (Elm Street) arrest: Edwin A. Urrego Echeverri, age 32 of 50 Elm St. #2, Webster: probable cause arrest from another agency.

8:55 a.m.: attempt to serve (Thompson Road) arrest: Arianna Knox, age 20, homeless, of Worcester: warrant.

8:36 p.m.: disturbance (Eddy Street) arrest: Olivia J. Murray, age 25 of 4 Eddy St., Webster: warrant.

11:02 p.m.: MV stop (East Main Street) arrest: Stephanie L. Mitchell, age 33 of 230 Southbridge Road, Charlton: war-

**SATURDAY MAY 19** 

1:08 a.m.: MV stop (Thompson Road) arrest: Ricardo Torres, age 26 of 20 Long Pond Road, Thompson: OUI-liquor .08% or above, operate MV in violation of license restriction, uninsured MV, speeding in violation of special regula-

11:12 p.m.: MV stop (Granite Street) arrest: Michael G. Bowman, age 27 of 9 Whitcomb St. #2L, Webster: failure to stop for police, OUI-liquor, negligent operation of MV, failure to use care when stop or start, turn or back up MV.

MONDAY MAY 21 4:04 p.m.: attempt to serve (South

Main Street) arrest: Paul R. Webber, age 26 of 95B Northside Road, Charlton:

8:50 p.m.: MV stop (Negus Street) arrest: Paul E. Beinar, age 57 of 4 Maringo Court, Webster: OUI-liquor and negligent operation of MV.

9:29 p.m.: disturbance (Ray Street) arrest: William James Ivett, age 33 of 1 Oak Lane, Webster: two counts disorderly conduct subsequent offense, trespass and assault & battery.

TUESDAY MAY 22

6:27 p.m.: attempt to serve (South Main Street) arrest: Racheal Caitlin Watterson, age 26 of 6 Cross St., Dudley:

WEDNESDAY MAY 23

7:22 a.m.: harass, intimidate or stalk (Thompson Road) arrest: Christian Nieves, age 32 of 28 High St. #2nd, Woonsocket RI: disorderly conduct and wantonly injuring real or personal property.

THURSDAY MAY 24

5:11 a.m. security check (Gore Road) arrest: Jeffrey R. Mancuso, ae 24 of 47R Scenic Ave., Webster: possession class B drug subsequent offense, OUI-drugs, negligent operation of MV.

FRIDAY MAY 25

7:50 p.m.: attempt to serve (Main Street) arrest: Michael Wayne Schmitt, age 31 of 418 Dresser Hill Road, Dudley:

9:26 p.m.: attempt to serve (Thompson Road) arrest: Benjamin Roberge, age 28 of 47 Ellsworth St. 3rd, Worcester:

SATURDAY MAY 26

1:05 a.m.: MV operating erratically (Klebart Avenue) arrest: Joseph A. Navin, age 35 of 91 Schofield Ave., Dudley: negligent operation of MV, OUI-liquor second offense, and failure to drive in right lane.

7:21 p.m.: domestic dispute (Oak Street) arrest; adult male, age 29 of Webster: two counts A&B on family or household member.

## Single car MVA sends one to hospital



Photos courtesy Dudley Police Department

The silver Cadillac was found at the bottom of an embankment

On Friday, May 25 at approximately 9:16 pm, Dudley Fire Department Personnel as well as Police Sergeant Paul Ceppetelli and Officers Marek Karlowicz, Philip Megas, and Paige Moroz were dispatched to West Main Street (Route 197). in the area of the Dudley District Court, for a one car motor vehicle accident.

Upon arrival, they observed a small tree laying across the road and a silver Cadillac in the wooded area off the westbound lane of travel. There was a male operator, and sole occupant, later identified as Aleksander Wasilewski age 25 of Dudley. He was bleeding from some visible injuries.

Dudley EMS personnel administered aid to Wasilewski and he was later transported to Harrington Hospital at Hubbard for treatment.

It appeared this vehicle was traveling eastbound on West Main Street at a high rate of speed. It struck the curbing and crossed over the westbound lane before

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Damage was extensive as the car had rolled.

crashing in the woods. Alcohol may also have been a contributing factor in this incident.

There were no other injuries and Wasilewski will be summoned to appear at Dudley District Court at a later date on a number of offenses.



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## \* \* Friday's Child



Hi! My name is Dasanee and I am a talented singer and dancer!

Dasanee is an athletic ten-vear-old girl of African American descent. She is initially quiet upon first meeting her, but once Dasanee feels comfortable she warms up and can be very friendly. Dasanee has good manners and she likes to be helpful. Some of her favorite activities include listening to music, singing, dancing, swimming and going to the local arcade. She also loves to spend time outside. Dasanee is currently a fourth grade student. Through school, Dasanee is involved in Chorus, intramural sports, and she plays the

trumpet.

Dasanee is legally freed for adoption and ready to find her forever family! Dasanee would benefit from living in a two-parent household where the parents provided her with structure and clear expectations. Dasanee hopes her future family will have pets and other children in the home. An active family would be ideal as Dasanee enjoys being active and getting out of the house frequently. Any interested family should be open to maintaining Dasanee's connections with her brother, aunt and cousin whom she visits with regularly

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## LEARNING

## MWCC students recognized for hours of volunteer service

GARDNER – On Tuesday evening, 261 students were recognized for giving back more than 125,000 hours of volunteerism efforts that Mount Wachusett Community College estimates are equivalent to a \$2.5-\$3 million value.

"When you think about the collective impact, it's more than just a number. Imagine if all of this just stopped tomorrow," said Shelley Errington-Nicholson, director of the Senator Stephen M. Brewer Center for Civic Learning and Community Engagement, reflecting on the event.

"This community would look very different if our students and their clubs weren't committed to volunteering year after year, if our faculty weren't committed to offering service learning as part of the academic experience. This is a lasting impact because, by and large, our students grow up in these cities and towns and they're going to stay here," she said.

"I'm in awe of you because I know you were too busy to volunteer," President James Vander Hooven told students on May 15. "You had to go to work, or take care of your family, or study for an exam, and yet you figured out a way to carve out some time to help others."

"Changing the world - even for one person or for one day - is very important and very special," said Senator Stephen Brewer. "It all starts with you."

Terri Alden of Orange was awarded the Hillary Bartlett Newsome Service Learning Scholarship in memory of Hillary Bartlett's spirit of giving back to the community. Bartlett was a 2009 graduate of the Mount's Early Childhood Transfer program who passed away unexpectedly in 2017.

Professor Emerita Maryann Kane of the Early Childhood Education department received the Faculty Civic Engagement Award.

"Maryann, thank you is not sufficient

for your years of dedicated to service inspiring generations of new teachers," said Errington-Nicholson.

Sybil Sinclair of Ashburnham was awarded the Service Learning Scholarship. The Above and Beyond Award was presented to the Student Nurses Association, which conducted a year-long awareness campaign to train students and community members in hands only CPR in addition to collecting 232 pounds of food donations for the campus food pantry. Clear Path for Veterans New England was recognized as the Community Partner of the Year for its holistic approach to helping returning vets and for offering a site for service learning students in both marketing and nursing.

In addition to their volunteer efforts, some students were recognized for additional volunteer-based work. These students were Student Leaders in Civic Engagement, Laryssa Truesdale

and Tammy Goodgion. Goodgion put forth the largest effort by a graduating student this year with 358 hours of service.

The SOS (Serving Our Students) interns for the year Cristen Comptois, Marie Ewing, Tammy Goodgion, Elise Hamblett, Sybil Sinclair, Laryssa Truesdale, Jacob VanHillo, and Jacquelyn Vokey were also recognized. Cristen Comptois was also honored for being selected as the school's 2018 Newman Civic Fellow award winner.

The local students who were honored for their volunteer efforts were: Dudley: Laurie Guerin, Mikeala Kozlowski; Northbridge: Kaila Chase; Spencer: Linda Maher; Mary Remillard; Sturbridge: Melissa Denham; Webster: Gerrianne Owens, Erika Valentin; North Grosvenordale: Amanda King

## Warren delivers keynote address at QCC

Senator Elizabeth Warren delivered the keynote address to Quinsigamond Community College's largest graduating class in the college's history on Friday, May 18 at the DCU Center. Dr. Luis Pedraja awarded 1,686 degrees and certificates in his first commencement as the college's sixth president.

"We are so proud of the amazing accomplishments of our upcoming graduates," Dr. Pedraja said. "This is such a monumental time for QCC. By continuing to make in-roads within the communities we serve, we are fostering relationships that increase higher education access for all people, particularly those who have historically been underserved. Education is an economic driver and an investment in our future. It is one that will repay us two and threefold."

Today the college boasts 13,000 full and part-time day, evening and online students and over 120 associate degree and certificate career options. QCC's Center for Workforce Development and Continuing Education offers customized workforce training programs to members of the business community. More than 92 percent of QCC graduates stay in central Massachusetts upon graduating, helping to build a robust workforce within the region.

Among the graduates were local students:

dents: Associate in Applied Science

Brookfield: Brian Tebo; Millbury: Jason Butler

Associate in Arts

Auburn: Mark Belanger, Kayla Bowes, Nadege Chateau, Andrew Collette, Matthew Contois, Allison Foskett-Shea, Toni-Marie Gillette-Sylvester, Nourelhuda Khadery; Blackstone: Shelby Maiorana; Brimfield: Morgan McCarthy; Charlton: Amber Berthiaume, Katharine Cunningham, Jeremy Gosselin, Samantha Johnson, Seth Mix, Haleigh Oppewall, Drew Vizzachero; Cherry Valley: Alissa Albert; Dudley: Jacob Bond, Kayla Durkin, Shannon Foley, Jordan Fuller, Sarah Giourelis, Laura Loranger, Jessica Moore, Jessica Reyes, Hannah

St Marie; East Douglas: Nicholas Carlson, Robert Hayes, Lydia Labonte; Fiskdale: Kimberly Kvaracein, Thomas Zafiris;

Holden: Katherine Barber, Aubrie Crosby, Michael Cummings, Ali Duchemin, Rachel Ferdinand, Brenda French, Evan Grasseschi, Paige Layton, Kathryn Lohnes, Keri Lowe, Phillip Nettekoven, Anna Osgood, Edward Reitz, Allison Woodward; Hopedale: Anthony Clements; Leicester: Gabriella Cardinale, Rebecca Lulu, Sinead McNaboe, Linda Nguyen; Linwood: Glenn Bosma, Kaitlyn Dore; Manchaug: Cheryl Marrino; Milford: Christina Drake, Brian Keefe, Benjamin Sgammato; North Brookfield: Emily Lavin; North Grosvenordale: Kayla Rumrill; Northbridge: Amie Brooks, Robert Ludovici, Veronica Valk; Oxford: Sarah Chipman, Tyler DeMello, Andrew Gagne, Danielle L'Esperance, Brien Marsh, Emily Rowell, Patricia Walls; Rochdale: Brianna Walls; Johannalys Alicea, Southbridge: Daynelis Altiery, Yvonne Beaudry, Mark Butler, Michael Caranci, Alexys Fredette, Rebecca Lambert, Mercedes Mateo, Kori Mominee, Aleyah Perrin, Krystle Redmond, Krystal Ruzzoli, Sarah Schlegel, Tayler Wilson, Niyah Witherspoon; Spencer: Elissa Blom, Erin Bonnevie, Wyatt Caron, Julianna Croteau, Danielle DeVito, Carrie Ferreira, Maria Hallihan, Richard Mayne, Ross Osae, Michel Pichardo, Kayla Prokopowich; Sturbridge: Riley Howland, Harmony Nikolla, Daniel Ryan; Sutton: Michael Gingras; Uxbridge: Jacquelyn Chaisson, Cory Johnson, Sun-Mee Kasper, Mikayla Laliberte, Jocelyn O'Brien, Andrea Plichta; Wales: Leslie-Anne Martin; Webster: Lindsey Baarda, Olivia Baldyga, Pegui Campoverde, Tanner Desrosiers, Thomas Edwards, Nicole Faherty, Taylor Feige, Debra Likes, Jesenia McBride-Safford, Norma Spooner; Whitinsville: Erin Kelly, Marisa Lortie, Cassandra Martin, Susan Searles

Associate in Science

Auburn: Danielle Baldassarre, Mark

Belanger, Veronica Campoverde, Peter Colebrook, Sean Fellows, James Frederick, Alexander Galarza, Vincent Hashey, Farah Lawson, Bryan Leufstedt, Bryan Lubin, Jay Lucier, Jemma Marsh, Megan O'Brien, Nicole Paquin, Margaret Paradis, Rebecca Petrie, Shawn Steele, Rosan Synal, Amanda Thibodeau, Adam Ward, Cheryl Wheeler; Baldwinville: Todd Armstrong, James Burley, Nicholas Voyer; Blackstone: Shelby Maiorana; Brookfield: Sara Magnuson; Charlton: Ryan Bellows, Chelsea Dupuis, Jauzalina Gonzalez, Alyssa Hanson, Samantha Longden, Ashley Murphy, Bryan Porth; Charlton City: Ryan Dupell, Kristopher MacKinnon; Cherry Valley: Eric Bryant, Deprise Cronin; Douglas: Brandon Bara; Dudley: Shana Bandelean, Whitney Colebrook, Kerry Cyganiewicz, Jennifer Guildford, Cameron Meece, Gregory Smith, Tyler Smith, Justine Tourtellotte, Lindsey Walczak, Stacy White, Ashton Wojdylak; East Brookfield: Ashley Kiefer; East Douglas: Abigail Amaral, Dean Barnett, Audrey Given, Hailie Hopkinson, Christopher Wojcik; Fiskdale: Desiree Joy, Jacquelyn Marinelli; Gardner: Hollie Waugh, Eric Wells; Holland: Mark Fonner, Joan Hudon, Kyla Johnson; Hopedale: Kyle Pursell; Leicester: Carol Forget, Kostandina Gjergo, Kristin Kobel, Tyler Kowalczyk, Stephanie Martiros, Shavaun Thomas; Mendon: Thalita Botario Ribeiro, Ashley Grover, Olivia Lareau, Kayla Riel, Timothy Trubiano; Milford: Waldemar Agostini, Leah Belo, Mariana Carvalho, Wai Chun Cheng James Moran, Jennifer Pereira, Joseph Traverse

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# MWCC graduates join nursing profession in traditional ceremony



Courtesy photo

The 2018 MWCC associate degree nursing class prepares to march in for their pinning ceremony.

GARDNER – Family and friends came together to celebrate the achievements of Mount Wachusett Community College's associate degree nursing class during a traditional pinning ceremony held May 17.

"You are going to forth from here and you're going to save lives," MWCC President James Vander Hooven told

the gathered graduates.

The 45th graduating class was made up of 103 students enrolled in the day and evening programs and included LPNs who returned to continue their education through the college's Bridge to Nursing program.

Dressed in traditional nurse uniforms, the students were welcomed into the profession by having the program's nursing pin fastened to their lapels by a family member, friend, or an alumnus of the program, or a faculty member. The pin marks where the nurses completed their studies and distinguishes them from other health care professionals. The eight-star MWCC pin is imprinted with the words "Service to Humanity and the World."

As part of the ceremony, the students also took a nursing pledge that dates back to Florence Nightingale, who distinguished herself during the Crimean War by coming to the aid of sick and wounded soldiers.

The graduates included: North Grosvenordale Amanda King; Ashburnham: Genevieve David and Sybil Sinclair; Baldwinville: Leanne Gauthier: Dudley: Laurie Guerin, Mikeala Kozlowski; East Templeton: Mary White; Milford: Tracy Webster; Northbridge: Kaila Chase; Phillipston: Summer Moulton; Sturbridge: Melissa Denham; Templeton: Shelby Arseneau, Jaclyn Cartee, Lindsey Hastings, Kelsey Vaillancourt; Winchendon: Ashley Garceau, Dawn Storer; Rindge: Elie LeMieux and Danica Sauvola.

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#### Webster Senior Center

5 Church Street.

(508) 949-3845.

Open Monday – Friday, 8:00 am – 4:00 pm.

Email: SeniorCenter@Webster-ma.

Like the Webster Senior Center Facebook page to view our photo's, news and announcements!

Tri-Valley Lunches: Served Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Fridays at 11:30 am. Please call (508) 949-3845 at least 48 hours in advance to reserve your meal or to cancel a reserved meal.

Webster Senior Center & Best of Times Travel Presents: Lobster, Legends, Laughter Trip. Wednesday, July 18th. Traditional Maine Lobsterbake at Foster's Clambake Restaurant (York, ME) and the hit show Legends & Laughter starring: Jimmy Mazz. Price is \$99.00 person. Please call the Webster Senior Center for more information or stop in and pick up a flyer. 508-949-3845

Forty Arroyo Fitness Classes: MONDAY-Beginner Line Dancing 10:00-10:45 am. Advanced Line Dancing 10:45-11:30 am. WEDNESDAY- Chair Dancing 9:30-10:30a.m. Move While U Groove 10:45-11:45a.m. FRIDAY-Chair Dancing 10:00-11:00 am. Move While You Groove 1:00-2:00 pm. All classes cost \$3.00 each.

GROUP: GRIEF SUPPORT Wednesdays, May 2nd-June 6th from 10:00 am - 11:00 am. Please join us for conversation and support about death of a loved one. Sponsored by VNA of Southern Worcester County, United Church of Christ, Fed. and Central MA

FREE Glucose Screening. Thursday, June 12th at 10:30 am. Sponsored by Webster Manor

FREE Blood Pressure Screening on the second Thursday of every month at 10:30 am. Sponsored by Webster Manor.

Fallon Senior Plan representative Brian Guagnini will be at the Webster Senior Center on Wednesday, June 13th from 10:00 am - 12:00

Mondays: Knitting/Crocheting Social 10:00 am- 12:00 pm

Bingo: Every Tuesday, starts at 1:00 pm promptly. Please plan to arrive by 12:45 pm to allow time to buy your bingo sheets. Our bingo group is looking for volunteers to call bingo. Stop by the front desk or call (508) 949-3845 for more information.

Progressive Pitch: Every Monday and Wednesday at 1:00 pm. No need to commit to a league, come and play when you can make it.

13-Card Pitch: Every Thursday at 1:00

9-Card Pitch: Every Friday at 1:00 pm NEW...CRIBBAGE GROUP! Fridays at 1:00 pm.

S.C.M. Elderbus Inc. Passengers: Please note that you need to call 1-800-321-0243 at least 48 business hours (2 days) in advance to schedule a ride.

House Number Signs: Worcester County Sheriff's Office offers a free service to anyone who may be interested in having a number sign made for his or her house. Please inquire at Senior Center Office.

Please call the Senior Center at (508)

949-3845 or stop in and pick up our monthly newsletter for a complete list of additional activities and upcoming events.

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Aging

Open Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., except holidays.

Starting July 2, the Oxford Senior Center will return to the WRTA van

Julie Stepanek will teach you how to play the ukulele will on June 7th at 12:15. Bring your own or use one of hers.

Special lunches on Thursdays from Isador's Organics. Menu varies and cost \$5 (donation) pre-paid.

Father's Day Luncheon on June 14th followed by an ice cream social sponsored by Lanessa Extended Care of Webster.

Calling all wanna be and advanced quilters. We have started a new Learn to Quilt program on Thursday, June 14 and 28 at 12:15. Beginners to more advanced are welcome. We have some sewing machines available, but more are needed. If you have a machine you no longer need, please donate/lend it for this class.

A discussion group on "Aging Gracefully" will meet on June 8th and

The Oxford Council on Aging is sponsoring a Strawberry Festival on June

SAVE THE DATE: The Around the Clock Home Healthcare of Westborough will sponsor Keith Lewis as ELVIS on July 25th,

Ongoing:

Mondays: Cards and Games - 10 AM, WalMart–(2nd & 4th Mondays) –holiday exceptions (with option of TJ Maxx), cards & games, "Aging Backwards"

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## Quinebaug Valley Community College Register for Fall in June!



Get your tickets for the best party of the Summer!



THE HONOR OF YOUR PRESENCE IS REQUESTED AT THE 200 FOUNDATION'S

54th Annual Dinner

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 13, 2018

Cocktail & Hors D'oeuvres: 5:30 - 7:30 p.m. Dinner & Presentation: 7:30 - 10.00 p.m.



AT LONGFELLOW'S WAYSIDE INN

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#### June 2, 9-2 p.m.

#### SATURDAY REGISTRATION DAY

Get assistance from academic advisors, admissions, financial aid and get your questions answered.

#### June 5 Noon - 4 p.m. ADVISING & REGISTRATION

#### ALLIED HEALTH

Get advised from our allied health faculty. Programs include Medical Assisting, Medical Lab Technician, Medical Coding, Phlebotomy, Medical Office Skills & Allied Health Pathways.

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Learn about our 2 semester Mechatronics Automation Technician or Advanced Manufacturing Machine Technology Certificates.

#### June 13 Noon - 5 p.m. ADVISING & REGISTRATION

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#### **EDITORIAL**

# June First…is yet?

the price of gas those are pretty close to home...) and convince themselves yes, summer is here.

But most of the kids are still in school for a few more weeks, the result of bad days during the winter, and let's those lazy, hazy, days.

most days we grabbed something, just in case.

the way home, it was that

True, we suspect July and August will get those temperatures up there, but June? Meh.

But back to the gas prices. Why?

Just...why?

What has changed in the world that has raised those costs and made them soar?

Who is controlling those

We haven't seen a reliable explanation yet. The crude is available, the refineries are working. Shipping is on time.

Is someone just gleaning a big old profit somewhere?

Is there a shortage looming no one is admitting?

We remember the '70s, and gas lines, because there really WAS a shortage. It miraculously righted itself (We say with a jaundiced prejudice, because we imagine the shortage was engineered to begin with).

And isn't it most interesting these prices rise just when Americans plan to travel? Like for summer trips?

Do these increases affect the costs associated with airline travel and what about shipping costs for the fleets of trucking companies? Aren't these costs now being passed on to consumers?

Chickens and eggs people, chickens and eggs.

See, someone decided long before now (just like the colors of furnishings and clothing and cars are decided years in advance) just when certain economic realities will happen. They don't always go as planned, but there is planning involved. And it usually involves someone, somewhere, with an eye on a better profit margin.

So do some research. And then start complaining to the right people. The local gas station isn't it; they have to charge pretty much what they are demanded to by those higher on the food chain. So go up the food chain.

Because trust us when we say, just like drug companies don't want to cure disease (that would stop the sale of drugs cold), oil companies and utilities don't want to see anything but increasing profits...ever.

## **VIEWPOINT**

THE DEADLINE to submit letters to the editor and commentaries for next week's newspaper is Friday at noon. SEND ALL ITEMS to Editor Adam Minor at THE WEBSTER TIMES — ruth@stonebridgepress.news

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR W-DHS: thank you

A sincere thank you to the Janet Malser Humanities Trust for their support of the Webster-Dudley Historical Society's museum, also known as the Little Red Schoolhouse.

Their generosity in the past as well as the pres-

ent has helped us maintain the museum for present and future generations to enjoy.

Treasurer

WEBSTER-DUDLEY HISTORICAL SOCIETY

ly or moved to a new, more

expensive house – the list can

go on and on. And some, if

not all, of these moves could

certainly involve your finan-

cial and investment pictures,

so it's important to discuss

them with your financial pro-

Changes in your goals

Since your last annual

## What should you look for in an annual financial review?

Given the complexities of the investment world, you might consider working with a financial professional to help you move toward your goals, such as a comfortable it summer retirement. You'll want to establish good communication with whomever you choose, and you should retirement. You'll want to establish meet in person at least once a year to discuss your situation. At these annual reviews, you'll want to cover a variety of topics, including these:

Your portfolio's progress
Obviously, you will want to discuss how well your We had the official, unof-investments are doing. Of course, you can follow ficial start of summer last their performance from month to month, or even weekend with the three day day to day, by reviewing your investment stateholiday. Many families did ments and online information, but at your annual indeed get out into the yards, meeting, your financial professional can sum up the break out the grills, perhaps past year's results, highlight areas that have done do a road trip (though with well or lagged, and show you how closely your portfolio is tracking the results you need to achieve your long-term goals.

Your investment mix - Your mix of investments stocks, bonds, government securities and so on helps determine your success as an investor. But in looking at the various investments in your portfolio, you'll want to go beyond individual gains and losses to see if your overall mix is still appropriate for your needs. For example, is the ratio of stocks to bonds face it, the weather has not still suitable for your risk tolerance? Over time, and been cooperating to usher in sometimes without you taking any action, this ratio can shift, as often happens when stocks appreciate Cold rain, temperatures so much that they now take up a larger percentage dipping overnight, while we of your portfolio than you intended - with a correhave had a day here or there spondingly higher risk level. If these unexpected that felt as if we could leave movements occur, your financial professional may the house without a jacket; recommend you rebalance your portfolio to align it more closely with your goals and risk tolerance.

Changes in your family situation - A lot can hap-We actually cranked up the pen in a single year. You could have gotten married, car heater the other night on divorced or remarried, added a child to your fami-



FINANCIAL Focus

**DENNIS ANTONOPOULOS** 

review, you may have decided to change some of your long-term goals. Perhaps you no longer want to retire early, or you've ruled out that vacation home. In any case, these choices may well affect your

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investment strategies, so it's wise to discuss them. Changes in the investment environment Generally speaking, it's a good idea to establish a long-term investment strategy based on your individual goals, risk tolerance and time horizon, and stick with this basic strategy regardless of the movements of the financial markets or changes in the economy. Still, this doesn't mean you should never adjust your portfolio in response to external forces. For instance, if interest rates were to rise steadily over a year's time, you might want to consider some changes to your fixed-income investments, such as

your annual review. These aren't the only elements you may want to bring up in your yearly review with your financial professional – but they can prove to be quite helpful as you chart your course toward the future.

bonds, whose value will be affected by rising rates.

In any case, it's another thing to talk about during

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## to teach children basics of safety

Take time

National Children's Day is held in the month of May. It is observed officially on May 25th. Since it was first established in 1983, National Missing Children's Day serves as an annual reminder that there are thousands of children who are still missing and stresses the importance of making child protection a national priority. This is a great opportunity for parents to



CHIEF'S CORNER **STEVE** WOJNAR

children. There a r e many ways to begin discussions

with

your children on safety topics. One of the programs we have used in the past was "Take 25." This was a national child safety public awareness campaign created by the National Center for Missing & Exploited Children (NCMEC). encouraged parents to take 25 minutes to talk to their children about safety and ways to prevent abduction. According to NCMEC, every year in America, an estimated 800,000 children are reported missing, more than 2,000 each day.

Of that number, 200,000 are abducted by family members and 58,000 are abducted by non-family members, for which the primary motive is sexual. Each year, 115 children are the victims of the most serious abductions: they are taken by non-family members and either murdered, ransomed, or taken with the intent to keep. An analysis of attempted abduction cases by NCMEC found that in 84% of the cases, the child escaped would-be abductors through their own actions.

Teaching children about safety works and saves lives.

The National Center has rolled portions of "Take 25" into their overall national outreach with the "Be Here for Kids" campaign. Information may be found at http://www.missingkids. org/behereforkids. There are materials available to assist parents with these important conversations. The hope is some initial questions will lead to further dialogue about topics and issues which relate to each family's specific situation. The occasion of Missing Children's Day is a great opportunity for parents to have this meaningful discussion with their child.

Children are exposed to a great deal of challenges, both in person and on-line. Any opportunity parents can utilize to discuss safety measures with their children is time well spent. Missing Children's Day is a chance for us to remember those who are still missing and take precautions to prevent future incidents.

Thanks again for your questions and comments. Please send them to me at the Dudley Police Department, 71 West Main St., Dudley, MA 01571 or email at swojnar@dudleypolice.com.

Opinions expressed in this weekly column are those of Chief Wojnar only and unless clearly noted, do not reflect the ideas or opinions of any other organization or citizen.

## Tips to grow an RX garden

For centuries plants have been grown for medicine, and in modern times "medicinal" herbs such as lavender, garlic and chamomile have long been familiar sights in a backyard plot. With the current focus on natural remedies, gardeners are seeking out the healing varieties of plants and herbs - and expanding their gardens to plant specifically to treat common maladies. Whether you want to halt a headache or boost your brain power, chances are the solution is as easy as plucking a plant from your backyard garden (or windowsill).

The following roster of remedies highlights some familiar plants and their medicinal uses.

Note: Information is offered for general interest only and should not be taken as health advice. Contact your physician before ingesting or applying any herbs or plants.

Headache

Clematis: This flower has been known to work wonders on migraine headaches. Simply chew the petals or steep them into a tea.

Feverfew: Use the leaves and flowers of this medicinal herb for teas; chew leaves to ease headache pain (including migraines). It's also been shown to provide relief for arthritis, and skin conditions.

Insomnia

Lemon Balm promotes sleep as it acts as a very mild sedative. It is also helpful in treating stress and nervous headaches. To make a fresh lemon balm tea: steep one teaspoon of fresh leaves in one cup of boiling water. Steep covered for ten minutes. Strain and enjoy.

Chamomile: A common garden herb, chamomile is a muscle relaxer that has mild sedating properties. Chamomile tea has long been used to relieve stress and promote sleep. It is also used to treat anxiety in sufferers young and old.

\*Please keep in mind those who have allergies to ragweed, chrysanthemums or asters, should not use chamomile.

Anxiety

Lavender: Want to relax? Plant lavender. The scent of lavender prompts calmness. Studies report that the smell of lavender



TAKE THE HINT

**KAREN** TRAINOR

triggers alpha waves in the part of the brain associated with a relaxed state.

Lemon Balm: Lemon Balm made into a tea is a relaxing tea that reduces restlessness, anxiety and irritability. And it's also used to treat anxiety that causes digestive problems.

Skullcap: Is an anti-anxiety herb with few side effects, Skullcap helps calm the "worrier" who has racing thoughts and constant fret. This herb is useful for all types of anxiety but has also been hailed as an aid for stress caused by hormonal imbalances in women.

Digestion

Dill: The dill plant, long used as a natural cure for baby colic, is an herb that's known for its ability to aid digestion. Brewing as a tea or simply chewing on several seeds after eating can help natural digestion and prevent tummy troubles. For tea, crush dill seed and add a tablespoon to a cup of boiling water. Strain to pour a clear tea.

Lemon verbena: An herbal tea aids digestion and helps calm intestinal cramps and gas pains.

Peppermint: For a tummy soothing tea, pour boiling water over freshly picked peppermint leaves and add a teaspoon of honey for flavor.

Lemon Balm: A tea made from lemon balm relieves abdominal pains and cramps.

**Detoxing Agent** 

Cilantro: Eaten fresh (as in a salad or steamed), the tasty herb binds to toxic metals that accumulate in the organs, aiding the body in disposing of them.

Pansies: The flowers with the "faces" have been touted as a valuable detoxifying. Pansies grown without pesticides can be enjoyed in their natural state, simply washed and tossed in a salad or cold drink.

Garlic: Fresh garlic contains compounds that help flush heavy metals out of the body.

Anti-Inflammatory

Marigolds: Marigolds have anti-inflammatory properties also aid in treating minor cuts and abrasions. Marigolds are also used to soothe and heal such skin ailments as burns and acne. Simply make a poultice from the flowers and apply to the area to be treated.

Pansies: Pansies act as an anti-inflammatory. The flowers may be made into a healthful tincture or tea.

**Brain Boosters** 

Lemon Balm: Taken as a tea, Lemon Balm is hailed as an herb that sharpens the mind and improves mental performance and memory.

Rosemary: The tasty spice herb has long been used as a remedy for age related memory

Sage: Two university studies showed that those given sage performed better in a word recall test. Experiments also revealed sage can boost the same brain chemicals that decrease with Alzheimer's disease.

Win Dinner for Two

Your tips can win you a great dinner for two at the historic Publick House Historic Inn in Sturbridge! Simply send in a hint to be entered into a random drawing. One winner per month will win a fabulous three course dinner for two at the renowned restaurant, located on Route 131 across the town common in historic Sturbridge. Because I'm in the business of dispensing tips, not inventing them (although I can take credit for some), I'm counting on you readers out there to share your best helpful hints!

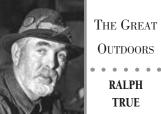
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## Fishing, late start with cold weather, on a wild roll

exploded on all fronts last week. Striper fishing has been great for most anglers in both Massachusetts & Rhode Island waters. A report from Snug Harbor of wall to wall stripers this past Memorial Day weekend was good news. Although there were

many undersize fish the keepers were mixed in and getting better every day. Al reported one of the largest population of school stripers in the bay years. Squid had moved in large numbers which has accounted for the arrival of numerous species of fish. Fluke were starting to become more abundant with an eight pounder being weighed in a couple of days before Memorial Day. Tautog fishing has also heated up in Rhode Island waters last week. A report on cod fishing was the only bad news. Fishing was very poor to say the least!!!

A report from Archie's Bait & Tackle in Riverside Rhode Island also stated that schools of small stripers were every-



also in the river and should be loaded by the time you read this column. If you wanted to catch a big striper the Providence River is the place to go now!!! Also huge scup are being caught, which is unusual for the area. Mass anglers on the Cape have a similar report. This week's picture shows a female angler last year with a nice striper. Hopefully this was you with a similar fish this past week. Send along a photo to this writer at oldsalt\_65 @ msn.com.

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Haddock fishing on the Cape has been nothing but fantastic. One local angler fishing off of a six pack charter had no problem catching his limit of haddock and many well exceed the size limit. They later moved and tried fishing for pollock but came up short. Captain John boats are also providing their anglers with limits of haddock.

Freshwater anglers fishing for trout continue to catch limits of trout on numerous fishing trips. Mass Fish & Wildlife will cease most trout stocking, but some fish could be available for stocking at some locations in the state. Be sure to check them out on their website.

Local anglers are starting to catch some impressive largemouth bass in local waters. All other fishing on freshwater has improved. My brother Ken and his son Mark made a trip to the Quabbin Res last week. I had not received a report prior to this week's deadline.

Hope everyone had a safe and happy holiday weekend. It was all made possible by our veterans and those now in the military protecting our country. A big thank you to all.

Take A kid fishing & Keep Them Rods Bending!!!!!



Courtesy photo

That's one big striper! Caught last year in a frenzy.

ANTIQUES, COLLECTIBLES & ESTATES

ing to auctions.

The Financial Times reported that a painting sold at auction in London, WAYNE TUISKULA stated to be from the "circle of Rembrandt" has been authenticat-

weeks since my last

update on antique,

collectibles and auc-

tion news. Much has

taken place since then, especially relat-

ed as an actual work by Rembrandt. The buyer paid £137,000 (approximately \$185,000 U.S.). A dozen Rembrandt experts have since authenticated the painting. It also underwent technical analysis "including X-ray, infrared, ultraviolet and a scanning method that gauges whether the distribution of paint types matches a painter's typical 'signature." The owner plans to sell the painting, with its new pedigree, for an undisclosed figure.

Movie memorabilia is also mak-

## Latest auction news

It has been several ing auction news. Over 2,000 pieces of movie memorabilia are heading to the auction block according to the Columbus Dispatch. A chariot used by Charlton Heston in the 1959 Ben Hur film is one of the items being offered. A 1991 Harley Davidson Fat Boy motorcycle from the 1991 film "Terminator 2: Judgment Day" will also be included in the auction. A light saber used by Alec Guinness in "Star Wars: Episode IV - A New Hope" will also be sold. A nightgown worn by Olivia de Havilland in "Gone with the Wind" and a loincloth worn by Johnny Weissmuller in the 1932 "Tarzan" film are also among the

> The Chicago Tribune reports that the Abraham Lincoln Presidential Library and Museum foundation is deaccessioning and auctioning non-Lincoln related objects to repay a loan. The museum previously secured a \$23 million loan to acquire over 1,000 items from a private collection. The loan made it possible for the museum to purchase a stovepipe hat that belonged to Lincoln and the gloves that Lincoln wore when he was

assassinated. A black wool dress worn by Marilyn Monroe is one of the items that will be sold by the museum. It is estimated to fetch between \$40,000 and \$60,000 at auction.

A wristwatch that belonged to Elvis Presley recently set an auction record according to the Times Picayune. RCA presented the watch to Presley for selling 75 million records. The 18 karat gold 1960 Omega watch sold for 18 times the high estimate when it reached \$1.8 million.

Comic books brought strong prices at auction recently according to Chicago 7 Eyewitness news. A copy of Superman # 1 sold for \$167,300. The first appearance of Superman in a comic book was Action Comics # 1. A copy of that comic book sold for \$573,600.

We have a wide variety of items from multiple estates in our May 31st live auction in Worcester. We will auction a large Lionel train collection at 5:30 PM and the main auction begins at 6:30. The Westborough farm estate sale runs on June 2nd and 3rd. Other events are being scheduled. See www.centralmas-



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#### HOLY NAME **ANNOUNCES** HONOR ROLL

The following students from our area have earned a place on the honor roll at Holy Name Academy.

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East Brookfield: Ronald Pataky

Shrewsbury: Sabrina Williams Webster: Connor Paul

Worcester: Kwame Asare, Keziah

Danso, James Farrell

Honors

Auburn: Adam Toscano Ashley

Wilbur

Northbridge: Emma Ronan

Princeton: Catherine King Worcester: Joseph Bowden, Christopher Larson, Joong Lee,

Stephanie Tran Grade Eight

**High Honors** 

North Grafton: Olivia Diorio Worcester: Kylie Barbour

Honors Millbury: Sophie Ikeda, Quinn

Romaine Spencer: Fallon Desforge, Elizabeth

Manfield

Upton: Kara Moquin

Worcester: Maria Basta, Emma Bolduc, Nicole Byrnes, Joseph Buckley, Brianna Borrero Matthew Camfield, Reianna Delapara, Morgan Kennedy Terence O'Connor, Joshua Petkie, Marjorie Ramon, Bella Romeo, Brendan Sheeran, Jaiden Shekoni

Grade Nine **High Honors** 

Auburn: Ashley Deneault Milford: Ashby Norris

Northbridge: Acadia Tucker Shrewsbury: Frances Feranandez

Worcester: Amelia Nadeau-DaCruz, Carissa England Elizabeth Galeriu,

Melina Iannacchione,

Alexandra Selvitelli

Honors

Clinton: Issaih Agner

Fiskdale: Kaitlyn Andersen

Warman

North Grosvenordale, CT: Lillian Krysinski

Paxton: Jillian Reynolds

Auburn: Matthew Card Charlton: Mary Graff Holden: David Prosser Oxford: Cienna Barszcz, Christopher Mahlert, Trever Johnson, Julianna North Grafton: Anmarie Huggett North Oxford: Christopher Elliott Turn To HONOR ROLL page A10



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## CMSCC opposes nurse staffing ballot question

#### CHAMBER'S MEMBER ORGANIZATIONS INCLUDE HARRINGTON HOSPITAL

BOSTON—The Central Mass South Chamber of Commerce today joined the Coalition to Protect Patient Safety in opposition to the proposed nurse staffing ballot question. The Chamber's members includes Harrington Hospital, along with numerous eldercare centers, rehabilitation facilities, and doctor's offices.

"The proposed nurse staffing ballot question will result in services to our community being eliminated," said Alexandra McNitt, executive director of the Central Mass South Chamber of Commerce. "Our board of directors studied this issue very carefully before coming to a conclusion. Health care costs will rise and access to local care will be threatened if this initiative passes.'

"Looking at the proposed legislation, I am scared and

saddened for the future of the nursing profession," said Jessica Calcidise, a registered nurse at Harrington Hospital. "Patients need access to care. My role as a nurse is to advocate for our patients, and this feels contradictory to why I came into this profession. If a patient isn't able to get health care, it shouldn't be because a nurse is barred from taking care of them because of a government mandated ratio.'

The ballot question, proposed by the Massachusetts nurses' union, which represents less than a quarter of nurses in the Commonwealth, would require that hospitals across the state, no matter their size or specific needs of their patients, adhere to the same rigid nurse staffing ratios within all patient care areas at all times. The petition does not make allowances for rural or small community hospitals, holding them to the same staffing ratios as major Boston teaching hospitals.

The Central Mass South Chamber of Commerce represents more than 250 businesses throughout the region, and promotes policy that bolsters the local economy and enhances prosperity for the community.

This measure would cost the Massachusetts healthcare system more than \$1.3 billion dollars in the first year, and more than \$900 million each vear thereafter, according to an independent study by MassInsight and BW Research Partners. Hospitals will be forced to cut vital health programs, such as cancer screenings, opioid treatments, mental health services, early childhood intervention, domestic violence programs and pre- or post-natal care.

"There are no scientific studies or reports that demonstrate the effectiveness of government mandated, onesize-fits-all nurse staffing ratio for improving quality of care, patient outcomes or professional nursing practice." said Donna Glynn, president of the American Nurses Association and a nurse scientist for the VA Boston Healthcare System. "In fact, no studies evaluating nurse staffing ratios reported a magic number as the single factor to affect patient outcomes or job satisfaction. This ballot question is ignoring scientific fact around what is best for nursing practice, decision making and quality patient care."

The Central Mass South Chamber Commerce joins the American Nurses Association Massachusetts, the Organization of Nurse Leaders, Massachusetts Health Hospital Association, the Massachusetts Council of Community Hospitals, the Conference of Boston Teaching Hospitals, and other healthcare and business leaders in protecting the state's healthcare system and its patients from the consequences of this rigid, costly mandate that is expected to be placed before voters in the November 2018 election.

Learn more the Coalition to Protect Patient Safety at www. ProtectPatientSafety. com, www.Facebook.com/ ProtectPatientSafety and www. Twitter.com/MAPatientSafety.

#### AWARD

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Italian sub greets Ted by name and vice versa. Ted becomes engaged in each persons' life. He asks how their children are, how they are, and he talks graduation plans with long-time friends whose children are graduating this year. It's the personal aspects of Ted's character and kindness that really sets him apart and gives you a glimpse into the truly wonderful man he is. Ted wants to know how everyone in town is doing, and if there is any way he can help them or anyone else. When the front door of this quaint pizzeria opens, Ted will emerge from the back room and share a story with anyone. He greets each customer with a big smile and heartfelt sentiment. It is not just because of his immense heart and pure smile that he has won this award. Ted has dedicated most of his life to helping others with business strategy, etiquette, and a willingness to help. P&D Pizza is continuously donating funds, food, and time to any organization that needs them.

Ted has donated pizzas and helped organize fundraisers for a variety of causes. Operation Graduation was helped with a pasta night from P&D Pizza and money donated from sales at the location.

Ted was always helpful to Oxford High School classes; donations, delivering tasteful food for after school activities and providing jobs for our students. Congratulations!" writes Dixie

P&D Pizza offered slices of pizza to those who donated Toys for Tots at their

Ted has helped the Boys Scouts with fundraisers of \$5 spaghetti nights. They deliver to nursing homes where the elderly may not be able to get out for pick up. Ted donates foods and services to many organizations, and various causes

that effect Oxford and their citizens. Allison Lane writes, "Oxford is lucky

to have such a wonderful business owner that supports the community in

This isn't the first sign of recognition that Ted has received, and many believe it won't be the last. In 2017, P&D Pizza received a certification of appreciation from the American Legion Riders Chapter 58. The certificate states, "In recognition and sincere appreciation of outstanding service and assistance to the American Legion Riders which contributed to the advancement of The American Legion programs and activities dedicated to God and Country.'

On award night, Ted recalls shyly how taken aback he was at receiving the award in front of friends and family.

"My wife had to trick me to get me to go, she said my friend Gordon was the one receiving an award and I wouldn't miss that!" laughs Ted. "I had my camera ready to take pictures of Gordon getting an award and instead they called my name!"

Ted was shocked to be receiving such

"I was surprised, I did not expect it." No one in the room was surprised

though, Ted deserved this recognition. "I don't do this for recognition, I do these fundraisers and try to help because I want to help the community," says Ted.
"This town is like family to us," says

Ted as he greets more and more customers by name, with a handshake and questions of how everyone in their family is doing.

P&D Pizza employee Becky Geragonis states, "I love working for Ted, we are so

Geragonis has been an employee for over two years and laughs at poor Ted every time he is congratulated. The staff at P&D Pizza loves to give Ted a hard time, he takes the heartfelt abuse and blushes just a tiny bit every time someone congratulates him. Don't tell him he's blushing though, he will just blame it on the hot ovens or the spicy Dragon



#### NATALE

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About 10 photographs are up for all local residents to view in person.

Natale's' photography is currently stationed for display at the Oxford Public Library. Brittany McDougal, director of the library states, "Rebecca has been wonderful to work with, everyone seems to be enjoying her photographs.'

Natale said she found a flier for artists at the library and decided to contact the director and secure her spot as the month of May's artist. Each month the artist changes at the library. Another artist will be coming in June, so go and see Natale's photographs while they are still up. If you miss them or want prints Natale has an Etsy account at VemodalePics or you can check out her





#### **HONOR ROLL**

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Rehoboth: Carrina Carnrike Rochdale: James Flanagan Shrewsbury: Conor McTigue Southbridge: Amy Loin Spencer: Adam Scannell, Amanda

Sutton: Deirdre Gill Uxbridge: Kira Sullivan West Boylston: Cadence Dimen, Cristianna Giovanangelo-Nicotera, Worcester: Bryan Agyemang, Cara

Amorati, Isabel Ayers, Jacob Bowden, Anthony Cao, Emeline Class, Kaylee DeSiata, Paige DeSiata, Angelina Fernandes, Caitlin Graham, Lauren Jeong, Ry Kariuki, Max LeFrancois, John Lopes, Jose Martinez-Paulino. Dominic Porcaro, Lilanne Lipka, Nicholas Sotiropoulos, Olivia Spokis, Nolan Sweetser, Jack Xia, Shawn Zhao

#### **GRADE TEN**

High Honor Boylston: Elise Probst Oxford: Abigail Duval, Esther Kim Milford: Rachael Allegakoen, Juliana Cafarella

Shrewsbury: Elyse Duff, Wyatt Hong Southborough: Isabelle Lindhurst Sturbridge: Rebecca Kowal Upton: Maximus Lucas Webster: Jessica Gardner

Worcester: Owen Coppinger, Ferras Coulibaly, Lucia Garcia, Benjamin Lanava, David, Luo, Olivia Lupisella, Calvin Wang

#### Honor Roll

Auburn: Anna Pyche, Nathalie Soto Charlton: Janelle Schulman Hudson: Emily Regis Jefferson: Madison Ayik Mendon: Priscilla Younes Millbury: Faith Sheehan Millville: Elizabeth DiCecco North Grafton: Isabella Diorio Rutland: Erin Duncan Shrewsbury: Emily Baril, Renee Baril, Sean Hammit Spencer: Abigail Manfield Uxbridge: Krista Sullivan Webster: Jack Chen, Jason Lin, Connor Paul, Ashley Wentworth Westborough: Rachel Liazos

Whitinsville: Lindsey Sanderson Worcester: Samantha Augustin, Linda Collesei, Angelyk Colon, Crystal Di, Ava Diggs, Jaini Edmonds, Oumou Fall, Abigail Erickson, Kayla Leong, Jim Meng Amina Mohammed, Nkiruka Noside, Kallie O'Brien, Heavynn Ogunfeitimi, Daniel Onyema, Astrid Otchere, Emily Vo, Mark Xu,

#### **GRADE ELEVEN**

High Honor Milford: Kaycee Conover North Grafton: Abaigeal Carroll Shrewsbury: Wendy Zhang Worcester: Dyson Barbour, Nan Guo,

Cvndi Le, Charlotte Liu, Hannah Ly, Anna Nguyen, Sarah Hoang Bae Tran, Alexandra Ward, Francis Xu

Honor Roll Charlton: Emma Bailen, Jarrod DiMasi, Kenneth Graff

Grafton: Gabriella Vescio Hudson: Katherine Regis Leicester: Emily Gibney Jillian Carew, Alexis Millbury:

Moscoffian Millville: Michelle Riley Rutland: Catherine Dinsdale Shrewsbury: Olivia Ankrah, Freddy Bai, Elizabeth Fernandez, Jax Kou, Varun Nathan, Ava Vincequere

Southborough: Gabriella Lindhurst Sutton: Sabrina Woolf Whitinsville: Michael Wickstrom

Worcester: Ginneta Abaidoo, Colivea Acquaye, Zuzanna Basta, Shirley Chen, Taylor Cordova, Zachary Decker, Yulianny De Los Santos, Adam DiLiddo, Nicholai Faber, Horan, Emma Kennedy, Lala Liu, Hannah Lynch, Malaika Ngigi, Julie Obeng-Nyarkoh, Reanna Mankaryous, Samantha Selvitelli, Erin Socha, Amy Shon, Jasmine Tao, Peter Wang, Sam Zhao

#### **GRADE TWELVE**

High Honor

Barre: Megan VanDyke Holden: Molly Desautels Millbury: Caitrinn Romaine Southbridge: Grace Martinek Worcester: Destiney Monfreda

Honor Roll Auburn: Vanessa Symonick

Charlton: Meaghan Daniels, Mikhaela Daniels Clinton: Zachary Whitney Dudley: Jared Berg Holden: Ryan Prosser

East Brookfield: Alexandra Button, William Demarski Hopkinton: Noah Kozub

Jefferson: Ashley Setterlund Leicester: Kelly Krull Marlborough: Carrington Leclerc Milford: Mitchell Baker Millbury: Quincy Johnson North Oxford: Nathaniel Elliott,

Krystal Melendez Northbridge: Sophia Masciarelli Oakham: Alexa Olson Oxford: Brian Gionet Shrewsbury: Louis Davolio, Frank

Yuan, Hailee Sung Southbridge: Michael Power Spencer: Madison Catino, Devin Desforges, Hannah Fitzpatrick

Sturbridge: Sarah Kowal Thompson, CT: Kobe Akana Upton: Kaitlyn Shimp Uxbridge: Rachael Adam, Kalin

Wilson Westborough: Kathryn Smith Whitinsville: Katherine Pingeton Worcester: Basil Bian, Conway

Campbell, Imad Coulibaly, Alexa Giroux, Amanda Gocklin Greenslit, Justin Humpfrey, Ryan Lanava, Anne Marie Larkin, Christine Lee, Ignacio Monje, Mia Monopoli, Jaclin Ngo, Scott Nguyen, Quy Nguyen, Tina Nguyen, Keelia Rabbett, Chad Ren, Ryan Saucier, Guenevere Smith, Hayley Tighe, Yadriana Williams, Yolanda Zhang

**Guidance News** 

On Thursday, April 26th, the Holy Name Guidance Department sponsored a College Application Reader Review presentation for our Sophomore class. Kate Diamond from the University of Le Moyne and Tyler Tucky from University of Dayton were our presenters. The purpose of this event was to demonstrate to the students the process colleges use to determine an applicant's eligibility for admission to a college or university. The Admission Representatives discussed the importance of a solid academic transcript; preferably one that shows steady or upward progress in grades throughout high school, and shared with the students the importance of participation in extracurricular activities such as sports and clubs, employment and or volunteer experiences on the application. The Reps stressed the significance of writing a College Application Essay that truly reflects the student, as opposed to an event or another individual, and highlighted to our students that they should take their time completing the application, making it as thorough as possible. Lastly, the students were given the chance to review 5 mock applications with direction to "accept" 2 of the 5 students to a fictional university. Ms. Diamond and Mr. Tucky each shared which of the 2 students they would have accepted to either Le Moyne or University of Dayton and how they made that decision.

#### SENIOR SCENE

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Stretch-12:45 PM

Tuesdays: Needle workers 11(looking for more knitters!), Grocery Shopping (option of Dollar Tree) -10 AM, Needle Workers – 12, Chair Yoga - 1 PM

Wednesdays: S.H.I.N.E. — Every other Wednesday, call for an appointment, -- Kmart, (3rd Wed of month)-10 AM, Pitch - 12:30-2:30 PM, Mahjong 10:30 AM, Medical appointment rides Thursdays: Strength & Balance- 9

AM, Grocery Shopping -10 AM

and Games -10 AM, Book Club- 1st Friday of the month.

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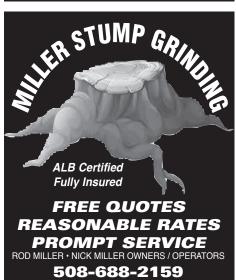
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## **SPORTS**

## Rams rally to beat Bartlett, put prior loss behind heading into postseason



Nick Ethier photos

Bartlett's Corey Harrington gets on his horse while rounding third base en route to scoring all the way from first.

BY KEN POWERS SPORTS CORRESPONDENT

WEBSTER — On Thursday, May 24, less than 24 hours after suffering an epic collapse against Auburn High, the Northbridge High varsity baseball team exacted a measure of revenge for that loss against Bartlett High, overcoming a 5-1 deficit to defeat the Indians,

With the win the Rams finished the regular season 11-9 and advance to the Central Mass. Tournament for the 26th consecutive year.

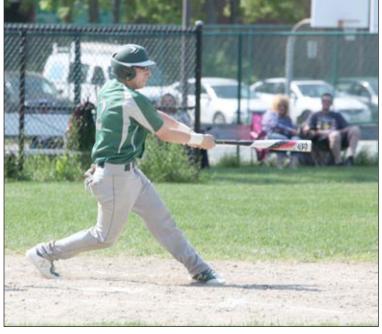
On Wednesday, May 23, Northbridge was one out away from defeating Auburn, leading by three runs with two outs in the top of seventh inning.

The Rockets rallied, however, to tie the game and then defeat the Rams in extra innings.

"We definitely started off pretty slow, kind of a little hangover from [Wednesday], but we came alive when it mattered," Northbridge first-year head coach Jake Ryan said. "As long as we keep playing this way and keep the intensity up we'll be fine. Yesterday definitely hurt, stung a little bit, but it was good to see them

The Rams jumped out to a triple to right field and then

bounce back today. It gives us some momentum heading into the tournament." 1-0 lead in the top of the second inning when senior Timmy Haverty smashed a one-out



Bartlett's Joey Grundel drives the ball into play courtesy a big swing.

scored on a groundout by sophomore Jake Stuczynski.

In the bottom of the inning, however, Bartlett (5-12) scored all of its runs to take a 5-1 lead. Big hits in the inning were delivered by senior Justin Daab, who belted a three-run double, and sophomore Nate Blythe and senior Corey Harrington, who both smacked RBI singles.

Between the second and third innings Ryan lifted starting pitcher Corey Hazzard, replacing him with Stuczynski. It was just the spark the Rams were looking for, as Stuczynski pitched the rest of the way, not allowing a hit or a run while striking out four and walking

"Jake gave us a huge lift," Ryan said. "He's been good most of the year. He had a couple of tough outings earlier in the year when his arm was bothering him a little bit. I'm trying to ease him back into it. He's great for us when he is healthy. He looked really again today, which is a great sign."

Northbridge scored four runs in the top of the fourth inning to tie the game, 5-5. With one out junior Matt Remillard cut the deficit to three, 5-2, when he singled to left, advanced to second on a passed ball, took third on a wild pitch and then scored on another wild pitch.

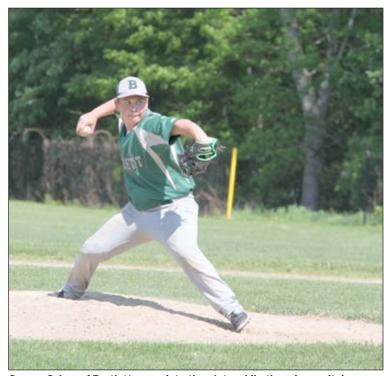
With two outs Stuczynski walked and then motored to third on a single by freshman Jonathan Cray. Stuczynski and Cray both scored — to cut the Bartlett lead to 5-4 — on a triple by senior Sam Gallagher. Gallagher then scored on an RBI single by sophomore Caleb Visbeck to tie the game, 5-5.

In the top of the seventh inning it looked like the Rams would go quietly, the first two batters making quick outs. Northbridge, however, then proceeded to score five runs, the big blows being a two-run double by Haverty — to put the Rams ahead for good, 7-5 — and an RBI double by Stuczynski.

"That was huge," Ryan said of Haverty's seventh inning double. "That was an example of a senior captain coming up and getting a big nit in a crucial moment. We haven't done that a lot this year; we haven't been able to get the big hit. In that situation we definitely did. That was huge."

Northbridge had the clutch hits in its seventh inning, game-winning rally, but the Rams were helped by four Bartlett errors and none of the runs were earned.

"You look at that game in the third and fourth inning and that's one that we should put away," Bartlett head coach Jon Way said. "The story of the season is we haven't put together seven consecutive solid innings. We always have

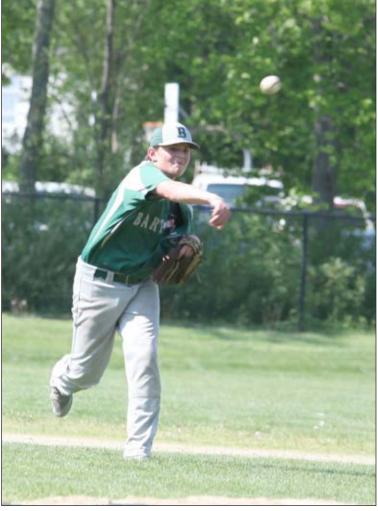


Casper Sykes of Bartlett peers into the plate while throwing a pitch versus Northbridge.

that one inning where things happened. Unfortunately it happened again; we let them right back in it. And then we didn't make the plays down the stretch. We could have gotten out of the seventh without allowing a run.

"We got two quick outs and then we there was a routine groundball that we should have converted, but we didn't," Way continued. "And that's

OK. That's high school baseball. Are you supposed to make that play? Absolutely. But you can't expect these guys to make every single play. However, you got to make the next one. And unfortunately we didn't do that and one error turned into two and then three, and eventually four, and the game got out of hand at the end for us.



Michael Toner of Bartlett fires the ball to first from his third base position.

## SPORTS BRIEFS

#### **Bartlett Athletic Hall of Fame** inductees announced

The Bartlett High School Athletic Hall of Fame Committee is pleased to announce the Inductees of the Class of 2018:

David Dupont, Class of 1967 William Millette, Class of 1969 Brad Smith, Class of 1981 Michael Somers, Class of 1983 Richard Beckwith, Class of 1984 Katie Kaczmarek, Class of 2001 Kevin Stone, Class of 2006 Robert Daigle, Contributor 1968 Golf Team

1986 Softball Team

The Induction Ceremony will be held on Saturday, Oct. 27 at the Raceway Restaurant and Golf Club in Thompson, Conn. at 6 p.m. Further information regarding the ceremony will be announced at a later date. The Committee will be hosting a Golf Tournament on Saturday, June 16 at the Raceway Golf Club in Thompson at 1 p.m.

For more information regarding the induction or golf tournament, please contact Athletic Director Anthony Paranto at (508) 943-8552 Ext. 28 or visit our website at www.bhsathletichof.org.

#### All Saints Academy's annual golf tournament is fast approaching

Attention Golfers! Join Saints Academy for its annual Golf Tournament on Saturday, June 23 at the Raceway Golf Course in Thompson,

Check in at 12:30 p.m. with a shotgun start at 1:30. Play in teams of four. Registration is \$100 per person and includes green fees and golf cart, bag lunch, awards and dinner. There will be a silent auction, raffles, contests and prizes. Sign up by June 9. Space is limited. To register or for more information, please contact Pam Shaw at pamelab.shaw@gmail.com or call (508)

#### Bartlett High Class of 1975 to hold golf outing/gathering

On June 23, Bartlett High's Class of 1975 will hold a golf outing/gathering at 3 p.m. at Pine Ridge Country Club in Oxford.

Nine holes of golf with cart is \$30, followed by socializing in a private room in the clubhouse. Cash bar. Reasonable food selection if anyone wishes to eat. Non-golfers are welcome to join at 5:30. Spouses are welcome for golf and/or after. Golfers should make checks payable to Pine Ridge Country Club and mail prior to June 1 to Don Wayman, 226 Dresser Hill Road, Dudley, MA 01571. Contact donwayman@charter. net with any questions.

#### Dudley/Charlton women's basketball looking for available players

There will be women's pick-up basketball happening at the Heritage School gym from 7-9 p.m. We play Monday evenings based on school schedule until June. There are no set teams and no fees, so no weekly commitment. Come when you can for some friendly competition and exercise. Must be 18 years of age or older. Please contact Deb at (508) 248-3600 or mzd531@charter.net for more infor-

#### Learn to play softball for girls ages 6-8

A free event being run by Dudley Little League is provided to introduce girls ages 6, 7 and 8 to softball in a fun and positive way. The event is held at Dudley Little League's field on School Street in Dudley on June 3 and June 10 from 1 to 2:30 p.m. You may come to either or both events. Contact dudleybaseball@yahoo.com if you have any

other questions. More information can be found at www.dudleylittleleague.

#### Webster Dudley Oxford **Chamber of Commerce** presents annual golf tournament

Webster Dudley Oxford Chamber of Commerce presents its annual golf tournament to support local scholarships, and registration is now open. The tournament, sponsored by Webster Five, will be held on June 11 at the Heritage Country Club in Charlton. Registration starts at 8 a.m. with a shotgun start to follow at 9. The tournament supports the Chamber's scholarship program that awards five \$1,000 scholarships to a graduating senior in Webster, Dudley, Oxford, Bay Path Regional and to a Chamber member's son or daughter. The golf tournament committee is always looking for tee sign sponsors. Fee for a foursome is \$450. Registrants who register for a foursome prior to June 1 will receive a \$50 discount. Sign up on the WDO website at www.wdochamberma.com or contact Virginia K. Parent at vparent@worcesterchamber.org to learn about sponsorship opportunities.

## **SPORTS**

# Nelson notches pitching milestone as Pirates push aside Sutton



Nick Ethier photos

Surrounded by her starting nine, Oxford High pitcher Candice Nelson (third from right) is congratulated after striking out her 400th career batter versus Sutton High.

BY DEAN P. ST. LAURENT

SUTTON — Oxford High senior pitcher Candice Nelson notched a career milestone of striking out her 400th competitor en route to an 8-3 victory over Sutton High on Thursday, May 24, as the Pirates evened their record to 9-9.

It was the bottom of the

sixth inning and Nelson was inside the circle battling with a Sutton batter when she won the battle with a fastball down the middle, which resulted in a swing and a miss. Her 400th career strike-out comes after two long years of hard work as a varsity starter, stepping into her older sister's shoes.

"It means a lot, I put a



Oxford's Crystal Nelson runs up to a groundball hit her way at second base.

lot of effort into playing so it really feels good," Nelson expressed with great joy. "It felt nice, my teammates were supportive all coming in and clapping for me. It really did feel good."

Watching his young pitcher develop over the past two years and accomplish something so significant was an amazing feeling for Oxford head coach Jamie Hetherman.

"Candice has been around since her sophomore year, she was a backup to her sister and I watched her grow and mature," Hetherman stated with a smile on his face. "She is a girl that works 12 months a year on pitching and she made herself into a pitcher. The 400 strikeouts is the work, the effort, determination and confidence. Her confidence has grown so much from a sophomore to a senior it is unbelievable. She loves the game and I want the ball in her hands all

the time." Nelson fanned eight in the contest and also went 2 for 4 from the plate with a double and two RBIs.

Sutton (3-15) jumped out to a quick two-run lead in the bottom of the first inning, but Oxford was quick in its response in the top of the second.

Audrey Hayes and Isabella Auclair started the inning off with back-to-back singles and both ended up scoring due to a RBI sacrifice bunt by Madison Kahn — Kahn reached on an error — and an RBI groundout by Hannah Volpe. This tied the game at 2-2.

The Pirates ended up cashing in three more runs in the inning to take a three-run lead heading into the bottom of the second. Skyla Hodson hit an RBI single, followed by another RBI single by Crystal Nelson and a groundout by Candice Nelson that scored the fifth Pirates' run.

Oxford was able to score three more runs in the next five innings of the game. Hodson led the offensive attack and went 4 for 5 with an RBI.

"They came out in the first inning, got a couple of runs and it woke us up a little bit," explained Hetherman. "We began to realize Sutton is here to play; they aren't going to just give us our ninth win. Our bats came alive, we ran the bases well and bunted well and pitching wins and she got the job done."

The Pirates have two more games to go — to be played after Stonebridge Press' early Memorial Day deadline — and must win at least one to qualify for postseason play.

"We have to work hard, keep our bats going, and keep fielding well," Nelson explained of what needs to happen for success going forward.



Candice Nelson of Oxford winds up and delivers a pitch to



Oxford's Skyla Hodson drops down a bunt single versus Sutton.

#### PLACE MOTORS

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Diane Berthiaume, employee of four years states, "I love working here, it's family, it's stability, and I feel like I am a part of that family."

Each employee feels they are a part of the Place family, whether they have been employed for four years, 16 years, or 40 years. The Place family values their employees with such commitment and caring that employees stay



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employed for a long time and find value in their work. Businesses of this nature can take a page from the Place Motor Handbook. When you value and truly care for your employees they remain loyal, hardworking, and validated in their work.

Place Motors celebrated their 95 year anniversary with style. Many came out for food, merriment, and to celebrate this amazing accomplishment by the Place family and all their employees. Bill Leavitt, manager and employee for 13 years states, "the 95th anniversary was an immense success."

To celebrate, gift cards of \$95 were awarded to 10 different participants at the anniversary party. This deeply generous company donated checks of \$5,000 each to Webster Dudley Share Food, The Boys and Girls Club, and the United Way.

Lamal Moore from the Webster Boys and Girls Club writes, "Thank you to Ford Motor Company for the generous donation to the Boys & Girls Club of Webster - Dudley. With you and the many community partners in the local area, the youth in the community will continue to enjoy the various programs at the club by our professional staff and devoted volunteers."

Place Motors was host to many visitors including Randy Becker, who was up for re-election to the Webster Board of Selectman. Former state representa-

tive Paul Kujawski was in attendance to show his support of Place Motors and their accomplishments. The care that Place Motors has for its community shows throughout their entire showroom. Plaques of Little League, and soccer teams that the Place family has helped sponsor proudly line the walls. The building has been recently upgraded to provide ample space and activities for customers who wait for services on their vehicles. There are work pods, couches, a big screen TV, and various kid's activities. The expansion was constructed to make the customers feel more at home as they wait for the precise and dedicated work being done to their Ford vehicles.

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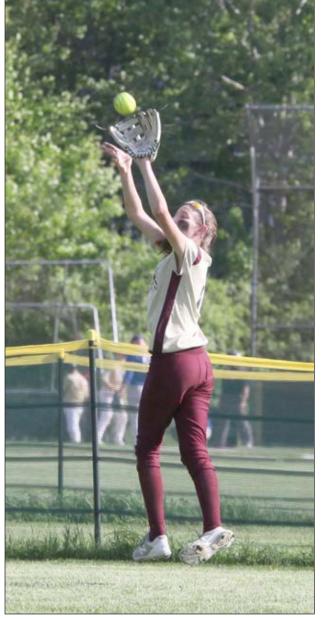
Place Motors has been recognized over the years with numerous awards.



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## **SPORTS**

## District tournament up next for Rams after charging past Leominster



Nick Ethier photos

Shepherd Hill's Sam Zannotti makes a backtracking catch in center field.

BY KEN POWERS
SPORTS CORRESPONDENT

DUDLEY — Sophia Sciarappa and Cayley Fagan both clubbed home runs to pace a 12-hit attack and lead the Shepherd Hill Regional varsity softball team into the Central Mass. Division 1 Tournament for the third consecutive year, thanks to a 12-3 victory over Leominster High on Wednesday, May

"We're back in the districts," said a smiling Sciarappa after the game. "It's been our goal since Day 1; to make districts. Every game we work hard to win the game and move forward and achieve that goal. Through the ups and downs this year we've stuck together. We've been in the same boat together all year because we knew our ultimate goal was to make districts. It's always a great feeling, qualifying for districts, but especially this year as a senior; it's very exciting."

With one out in the bottom of the first inning Sciarappa staked the Rams to a 1-0 lead, launching the first pitch she saw from Leominster pitcher Liz Leger over the right field fence. From the moment Sciarappa's bat made contact with the ball there was no doubt the Shepherd Hill captain had hit her Central Mass.-leading seventh home run of the season.

"I liked the pitch, so I swung and it went over the fence," Sciarappa explained. "When I hit it I felt like it had a chance to go out because I was able to get good arm extension on my swing."

"Sophia's hitting has been spectacular. She is hitting close to .600. She leads us in just about everything," Shepherd Hill head coach Donny Loos said. "But more than her offensive stats, the energy and the positivity — the leadership she brings to the field just means a ton to the young players on the team.

"We're not a senior-laden group; we have three seniors on the team. Sophia has been such a positive leader for the young kids coming up in the program," Loos added. "I've been blessed to have her for all four years that I've been here at Shepherd Hill."

Leading off the bottom of the fourth inning Fagan broke a 1-1 tie and put the Rams ahead for good, powering a 3-2 pitch over the fence in center field. Shepherd Hill scored two more times in the inning, on RBI hits by Kelly Cournoyer and Hailey Delphia, to take a 4-1 lead to the fifth inning.

The Rams put the game away with five runs in the fifth inning and three more in the sixth.

Fagan paced Shepherd Hill hit parade,



Kiley Wong-Li of Shepherd Hill laces a two-RBI single versus Leominster.

going 3 for 4 with two RBI, while Kiley Wong-Li was 2 for 2 with two RBI. Delphia doubled and drove in three runs while Cournoyer finished with two RBI, as did Abby Morin, who delivered a pinch hit two-run single with one out in the bottom of the sixth inning.

The Rams qualified for the Central Mass. Tournament last year in their 16th game of the season. This year it took until game 18, not much longer, but it seemed tougher to get back to the dance this season.

"It's been an up and down year. Our offense has been phenomenal at times and it's been inconsistent at other times. We've competed hard but in some games it just hasn't been there for us," Loos said. "When we have played great defense we haven't always gotten great hitting. When our defense has not been as clean as we would like our offense couldn't quite make up for it. It's been tough. Our season has been win a couple and drop one, win one and drop two and then win a few more.'

Loos believes there's a silver lining in the road Shepherd Hill had to travel to qualify for the postseason.

"I think it's prepared us. I'm always wary of cruising into the playoffs on autopilot. We don't have to do that this year," Loos said. "We've had some tough games. We've had to work hard. I think that's prepared us going into the postseason. I told the girls after the game not to be satisfied. We have 10 wins, but we can

## Shepherd Hill baseball finishes season 5-15



Mathew S. Plamondon photos

Shepherd Hill's Nate Carty tracks down a fly ball.

Editor's Note: The accompanying photos come from Shepherd Hill's game with Nashoba on Monday, May 21.

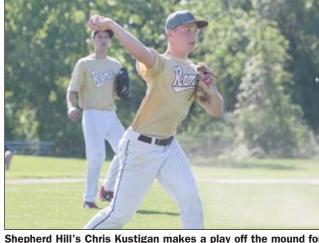
**May 21** Nashoba 2, Shepherd Hill 1 — After rallying for a run in the top of the seventh inning to tie the game, the Rams' varsity baseball team lost it in walk-off fashion in the home half of the

seventh. Shepherd Hill's Chris Kustigian threw a complete game three-hitter and struck out six in defeat, while teammate Mike Rousakas added a hit and an RBI.

**May 23** Leominster 7, Shepherd Hill 0 — The Rams' varsity baseball team could only muster one base hit — off the bat



before throwing the ball over to first base.



Mick Sullivan of Shepherd Hill sets himself Shepherd Hill's Chris Kustigan makes a play off the mound for

and didn't allow an earned run while striking out six. **May 25** Peter-Marian Shepherd Hill 2 — Playing its final game of the season on the road, the Rams' varsity baseball team struck first with a run in the top of the second inning,

of Matt Waterhouse — in their setback to the Blue Devils. Shepherd Hill's Nate Carty pitched the first six innings

Chris LaFortune set the tone offensive for The Hill by going 3 for 3 with an RBI at the top of the lineup, while Mick Sullivan who led the team in batting average at .295 — also added a

but it wasn't enough against the



Evan Kokocinski of Shepherd Hill dives safely back to first base beating the force out.

#### **PUBLIC TV**

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into so much more; and that one camera used at the start now has many new gadgets and friends to contend with. Troiano shows visitors the various camera equipment and specialized drone that can be used to broadcast important news to local residents. There are now three different channels to choose from that Access Oxford Inc. provides; public, educational, and government. Troiano wants to focus on events that really matter to the people in town. Access Oxford Inc. covers small town political meetings, summer camps, school meetings, Memorial Day parades and so much more. The channels are offered to Oxford and allow every citizen an opportunity to be a star.

Access Oxford Inc. wants to provide more for the community; the staff is always looking for stories to broadcast and youth to teach. From their website at accessoxfordinc.com, "We also work

with members of the community who are interested in learning about modern broadcast media, recording, filming and editing techniques. If you are willing to learn, we are willing to teach. We have experts in both moving pictures and still photography. Call us to find out about joining and becoming part of our crew!"

Troiano is always looking for volunteers and new members. He is more than the executive director of this channel, he works hard and knows just about everyone in town. Board member, clerk, and producer for Access Oxford Inc., Tristan Kippax, states, "Tony can capture a snap shot of all the great events in town and it is quite a labor of love. Tony works hard to bring to light the fantastic events in our town. Thank you Tony.'

With such humble beginnings, it is wonderful to see a dedicated and productive business grow with numbers and recognition.

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Those who work hard to maintain this public channels' growth and aspirations are rewarded with the knowledge that they are sturdy and advancing throughout the industry of media.

"We worked our way up!" says Kippax "we are now on demand and streaming.

The staff and board members celebrated the success of the channel and shared stories over chocolate chip cookies, sandwiches and mixed fruit. Many came to the celebration on the Memorial Day weekend and enjoyed the eight-minute movie presented by Troiano. The movie consisted of clips from the peek events in Oxford in 2017. Board of Selectman member Meagan Troiano was in attendance with her husband and two children. During the movie, a clip showing Meagan Troiano in December of 2017 was shown. Troiano was introducing Santa Claus and wishing everyone a "Merry Christmas." The use of public access television means Troiano will always have that moment, with her son resting on her hip and

addressing a town she loves. Troiano will have that image to always look back on thanks to Access Oxford Inc. and the same goes for many other res-

Carol Kuzdzal, board member and husband Tony Kuzdzal, treasurer, were in attendance and discussing upcoming stories in Oxford. Mark Giles, president of Access Oxford sat with Lois Halley, human resources, and shared information and aspirations. Tom Clifford, host and producer of Ireland on the Move, joins Access Oxford Inc. and makes his mark with immense skill and dedica-

Access Oxford Inc. is more than video cameras, extension cords, a cool drone, and televised events. It is the people behind the cameras that make the difference. Those holding the cameras and asking the questions truly care about their community. They are what makes this public channel successful and ongoing. Congratulations Access Oxford Inc. on 15 years and ready...set... action for 15 more!

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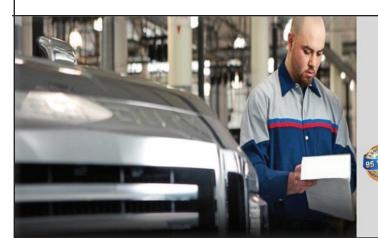
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Three Bay Path Practical Nursing Academy students will compete at the National SkillsUSA Conference from June 25-30 in Louisville, KY after winning gold medals at the state level.

Five other students finished second in their respective categories at the SkillsUSA Massachusetts Leadership and Skills Conference held April 28 at Three Bay Path nursing students are going to national competition. the Marriott Boston-Marlboro.

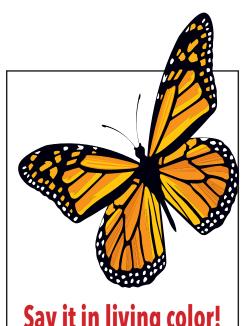
Silver medalists in health knowledge bowl post-secondary are Isida Adhami of Oxford, Nicole Colon of Dudley, John Darling of Oxford, and Reagan Gosselin of Sturbridge. Silver medalist in practical nursing post-secondary is Krisanne Koebke of Dudley.

First-place finishers at the state conference – and earning the honor of representing Bay Path Practical Nursing Academy in national competition are: Elizabeth Lamica, of Southbridge who competed in first aid-CPR category; Nicholas McElroy, of Webster, who competed in medical terminology, and Heather Monks, of Auburn who competed in medical math.

This will be the second consecutive trip to nationals for Bay Path Practical Nursing Academy. Last year's nationals' competitors brought home a bronze medal in medical math (Danielle Southall, LPN of North Grosvenordale) and sixth place in practical nursing (Danika Rhodes, LPN of Auburn).

'Our PN students did very well and represented the Academy with pride,' said Gretheline Bolandrina MSN Ed, RN, CRRN Academy director. "I wish to thank the Superintendent, Mr. John Lafleche for his support and both SkillsUSA Advisors for Bay Path, Ms. Jennifer Stachura and Ms. Pam Staney. I hope they enjoy safe travels when they go to Louisville, Ky and bring back more

This year's success raises to nine the number of Bay Path Practical Nursing students who have advanced to national competition over the years; six have won medals.



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## CALENDAR

#### Saturday, June 2

OUTDOOR FLEA Saturday, June 2nd (rain date: June 9th) from 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at the First Congregational Church of Oxford, 355 Main Street (Route 12) in Oxford. Morning coffee and donuts and lunchtime hot dogs, beverages and snacks will be available. Reservations from vendors are now being accepted. Each space is \$15 and vendors must bring their own table. For more information or to reserve a spot, contact the church office at 508-987-2211 or at officeadmin@ oxfordfirstucc.org, or contact Fran at 508-987-8961.

#### Sunday, June 3

FAMILY FISHING FESTIVAL: On Sunday, June 3 10 a.m.-1 p.m. at Oxford Carbuncle Pond, 12 Carbuncle Drive have fun and learn to fish from the Mass Wildlife angler education program. This program is for all ages and no fishing license is required. Equipment will be available if you don't have your own. Volunteers will teach you baiting a hook, casting, knot tying, and how to identify various fish species. Come enjoy this free fun family event, and try your hand at catching fish! Sponsored by Oxford Conservation Department and Massachusetts Division of Fisheries & Wildlife.

#### Friday June 8

WLA SUMMER KICKOFF PARTY: The third annual Webster Lake Association kick off party is scheduled Friday, June 8 beginning at 6 p.m. at Point Breeze Restaurant. Dinner will be served at 7 p.m. with entertainment with Tony Funches of The Platters 8-9 p.m. Dinner will be a buffet with chicken, meatballs, rice, pasta, salad and fruit. The meal will be prepared by Point Breeze Restaurant. There will also be a cash bar. Cost for each paid WLA member is \$10. Kids also pay only \$10. Cost is \$15 for nonmembers. If a nonmember joins the WLA that evening, they will get the meal at member's price.

#### Saturday June 9

YARD SALE READY: Third Annual

St. Andrew Bobola YARD SALE: Thank You to all who donated items for this event! We have LOTS of varied, good, useable household items for you to peruse! So COME and BROWSE on Saturday, June 9 from 8 am-2 pm at St. Andrew Bobola Church, 54 West Main St., Dudley, annual Yard Sale. For more information, please call the rectory at 508-943-5633.

ANNUAL MEETING: June 9: The Black Tavern will be conducting its Annual Meeting at 10 o'clock on June 9 at the Tavern, 138 Center Road, Dudley. The Board of Directors Chair, Linda Bazinet, will be discussing the Tavern's accomplishments over the last year with a discussion of what is planned for next year. Board members whose terms are expiring will be up for reelection at this meeting as well.

#### Friday, June 15,

#### Saturday June 16 & Sunday June 17

ANNUAL ST. FESTIVAL: Friday, Saturday and Sunday, June 15, 16 & 17 on the St. Joseph grounds, 47 Whitcomb St., Webster. Fresh homemade foods including favorites pierogi, golabki, kapusta, kielbasa & more. Free admission, live music with Maestro's Men both Friday & Saturday night; a barbecue dinner noon on Sunday, St. Joseph School talent show, raffles and more. Friday 5-11 p.m.; Saturday noon-11 p.m. and Sunday noon-4 p.m.

#### Saturday, June 16

A HOOK IN: The Association of Traditional Hooking Artists Quiet Corner Chapter is hosting a Rug Hook In gathering on June 16 at the Woodstock Fairgrounds in Woodstock, CT. Registration fee of \$15 is required for this event and must be paid in advance by June 1. Registration forms for this event may be received by contacting treasurer Gretchen Gray at gretchg@ verizon.net, or call Whispering Hill at (860) 928-0162 for more information. To learn more about rug hooking and become a member of Atha Quiet Corner, individuals can contact Whispering Hill regarding membership. All are wel-



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## **UBITUARIES**

#### Debra-Lee St. Laurent, 61



WEBSTER – Debra-Lee "Dee" (Hart) St. Laurent, 61, died Saturday, May 19, 2018 at home after being stricken ill.

She leaves her husband of 23 years, James R. St. Laurent; 3 sons, Steven Hart

of Charlton, Christopher Hanlon and his wife Lisa of New York State, and Jason Hanlon of Pennsylvania; a stepson, Joshua R. St. Laurent of New York State; 2 grandchildren; and a brother, Daryl Hart and his wife Angie of Boone, North Carolina.

She was born in the Rochdale section of Leicester, the daughter of Clarence and Martha (Gain) Hart. She attended Leicester High School. She then resided in North Grosvenordale, CT before moving to Webster in 1976.

Mrs. St.Laurent was a certified nurse's aide at several area facilities including Eddy Pond in Auburn, Christopher Heights in Webster and Webster Manor.

She enjoyed crafts and sewing. As she wished, no services will be held. Arrangements are under the

direction of Scanlon Funeral Service,

38 East Main Street, Webster. www.scanlonfs.com

#### Natalie E. Desrosiers, 70



SOUTHBRIDGE-Natalie E. (Beaudry) Desrosiers, 70, was welcomed into the arms of the Lord on Friday, May 25th, after a long illness.

She leaves her husband of 52 years, Eugene G. Desrosiers;

her two sons, Gene G. Desrosiers and his wife Sue Fafard Desrosiers of Sturbridge and John A. Desrosiers and his fiancé Jennifer Waterbury of Southbridge; her three daughters, Anne Marie Brooks and her husband Ralph of Spencer, Nancy Lee Desrosiers of Ware and Gail Desrosiers Christian of Leicester; her father, Joseph W. "Bill" Beaudry of Southbridge; five brothers, William Beaudry of Holland, David Beaudry of Wisconsin, Dana Blair of Southbridge, Neil Blair of Brimfield and Joseph William Beaudry, Jr. of Oxford; her two sisters, Jane Blair of Southbridge and Lisa Dow of Auburn; many grandchildren, Michael Jarrod Borey, Adam Decker, Elizabeth Decker, Nathan Herrera, Tiffany Desrosiers, Christian Lavallee, Alexandria Buono, Krystal Perez, Shawn Miller, Chelsi

Desrosiers and Alora Desrosiers; many great grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her granddaughter, Jaclyn Desrosiers, who passed away last year. She was born in Southbridge the daughter of the late Louise E. (Duquette) Beaudry, who passed away one year ago to the

Natalie was the manager of the Salvation Army Thrift Store in Southbridge until its closing many years ago. She previously worked as dietary aide at Harrington Memorial Hospital in Southbridge. Natalie enjoyed gardening in her yard and crocheting. She enjoyed travelling with her husband all over the United States. Most of all she enjoyed spending time with her family.

Her funeral will be held on Friday, June 8th, at 11:00am in the Daniel T. Morrill Funeral Home, 130 Hamilton St., Southbridge. Burial will follow in New Notre Dame Cemetery, Southbridge. Calling hours in the funeral home will be held on Friday, June 8th, from 9:00 to 11:00am, prior to

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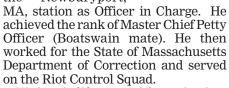
#### Robert A. Jeffrey, 83



OXFORD, MA / THOMPSON, CT -Robert A. Jeffrey, 83, formerly of Oxford and Gloucester, Massachusetts, died May 25, 2018. His wife Marilyn Elizabeth (Duran) Jeffrey predeceased him

2006. He is survived by his daughters, Cynthia A. Wessell and her husband Ernest of Sturbridge, Kathryn M. Crees and her husband Jack of Canterbury, CT, and Patricia A. McGuinness and her husband James of Rutland; his beloved grandchildren, Patrick John Kuhn of Brooklyn, CT, Dr. Jeffrey Wessell of Charleston, S.C., Lindsay Wessell of Sturbridge, and Claire, Erin and Colin McGuinness of Rutland; and his step-grandchildren, Jessica Jellison of Pomfret, CT, Karl Kuhn, Jr. of Thompson, CT, Samantha Crees of Plainfield, CT.

Mr. Jeffrey was born in Gloucester, the son of the late Mildred A. (Gerring) Jeffrey and John Henry Jeffrey, and lived in Maine, Oxford, and Thompson, CT. Mr. Jeffrey was a former member of the American Legion and the Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW) of Oxford. He was a proud veteran of the United States Coast Guard retiring in 1975. He proudly served as the Officer in Charge of Search and Rescue Station in Boothbay Harbor, Maine, and retired in 1975 after opening the Newburyport,



His joys in life were Irish music, singing, dancing with his wife or daughters, his veteran affiliations, hunting, fishing, boating and especially enjoyed being a longtime supporter and fan of Boston College football.

A private military funeral was held at 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, May 30, 2018, at Paradis-Givner Funeral Home, 357 Main St., Oxford. Burial followed at St. Roch's Cemetery, Oxford.

Flowers may be sent or memorial contributions may be made to the U.S. Coast Guard Foundation, 394 Taugwonk Road, Stonington, CT 06378, https://coastguardfoundation.org paradisfuneralhome.com

#### Joshua S. Cavallini, 34



AUBURN – Joshua Cavallini, passed away Wednesday, May 23, 2018. He is survived by his brother Lukas Domenico Cavallini; his daughter, Natalia; his mother, Caterina Rosa (Gentile)

Cavallini; his father, Stephen Joseph Cavallini; his maternal grandparents, Pasquale and Delia Gentile; and many loving aunts, uncles and cousins. He graduated from Auburn High School

Joshua didn't live a long life, but he lived a loved life. Spending time

with family, being in nature, traveling, writing and music were some of his passions. He once wrote, "Here upon the mountaintop, my mind is filled with clarity. The treacherous paths we have travelled, now seem so small." May God be with you and bless you on the mountaintop.

Calling hours were on Thursday, May 31, 2018, from 4-6 p.m., with a celebration memorial service at 6 p.m. at Paradis-Givner Funeral Home, 357 Main St., Oxford. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Memorial Fund for Joshua Cavallini, c/o Hometown Bank, 569 Southbridge St., Auburn, MA 01501.

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#### Leonard Stanley, 75,

THOMPSON - Leonard Stanley, 75, died peacefully Monday, May 28, 2018 with his family at his side .He was predeceased by his wife of 48 year's Dianne P.(Lewis) Stanley in 2010.

He is survived by one daughter: Tina Stanley Lefebvre of Dayville, CT and three sons: Mark Stanley of Thompson, Wayne Stanley of Ellington, and Leonard D. Stanley of Walpole, an honorary son Kevin P. O'Brien . Two sisters: Marjorie Maple of Webster and Barbara Stanley of Dudley and one brother: Ronald Stanley of Webster. He leaves six grandchildren Rebecca; Danielle; Brandon;Hunter; Madalyn; and Colton . Many nieces and nephews.

Leonard was born in Worcester, MA. the son of the late William and the late Jenny B (Hicks) Stanley. He loved working with his family in the paving business he started as a young man working after school. He established and was the owner-operator of Reliable Paving for over 50 years.

The funeral will be held 10:00 am on Friday, June 1 at Bartel Funeral Home & Chapel, 33 Schofield Ave., Dudley, MA Burial will follow in Munyan Cemetery, East Putnam.

Calling hours will be Thursday, May 31 from 6-8 pm at Bartel Funeral Home, 33 Schofield Avenue, Dudley, MA. www.bartelfuneralhome.com

#### Todd C. Laskowski, 46



WEBSTER- Todd C. Laskowski, 46, lost to his loving family on his birthday, Saturday, May 19, 2018 in his home.

Todd was born n Webster and remained in the local area throughout his

short life. He attended Quinsigamond Community College after graduating from Bartlett High School. He later completed courses to

attain his OSHA Certification in Environmental Studies and maintained several other licenses, all focused on the driving career he loved. He had been employed by Heritage Wholesalers of Worcester, MA.

Todd had many passions, including his beloved family, friends, pets (Dutch and Aja) and music. He thrived on playing and writing, whenever and wherever possible. Todd had the opportunity to be part of many local bands over the course of his lifetime and cherished every moment. When in "Warhorse", he accomplished his dream of recording, performing and traveling.

Todd is survived by his father, Tim Laskowski of Sun City, NV, mother and step-father, Penny Krawczyk and Joe Krawczyk of Dudley, his maternal grandparents, Bernard and Shirley Kunkel of Webster, maternal aunt and uncle, Debra Kunkel and Ron DiProfio of Shrewsbury, maternal uncle, George Sizer of Webster, paternal uncle and aunt, Ned and Pam Laskowski of Washington, D.C., paternal cousin, Chris Laskowski of Washington, D.C., paternal cousin, Mike Laskowski of State College, PA., paternal great uncle Tony Stefanik of Webster and a significant number of second cousins, both maternal and paternal.

Todd was predeceased by his paternal grandparents, Edward and Pauline Laskowski of Webster.

Calling Hours were Thursday, May 24, 2018 from 6-8PM at the ROBERT J. MILLER FUNERAL HOME and LAKE CHAPEL, 366 School St., Webster. A Funeral Service was Friday, May

25, 2018 at 10 AM in the funeral home, followed by burial in St. Joseph Garden of Peace Cemetery in Webster.

The family wishes to' Thank every-one' who touched Todd's life, in any In lieu of flowers, donations may be

made to: the Music Unites National Charity on Todd's behalf. Its mission is to support academic and lifetime achievement for at-risk public school students through the creation of unique music education and programs.

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#### Herbert C. Makota

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## **CALENDAR**

#### Thursday, June 21

PARTY FOR THE PUPS: Friends of Oxford Dog Park are hosting a fundraiser Thursday, June 21 at the KBC Brewery. Featured will be Taste of the Area pizza, raffles, entertainment and a lot of good fun. Tickets are \$20. Visit the Facebook page OxordBarkingLot or email oxfordmadog@gmail.com to purchase tickets.

#### Saturday, June 23

GYRO FESTIVAL & YARD SALE: On Saturday, June 23 at Sts. Constantine & Helen Greek Orthodox Church, 37 Lake Parkway, Webster a gyro festival with gyro platter for \$10 (gyro, rice, olive & feta); or just a gyro for \$8; assorted Greek pastries, beer & wine, raffle tables and a whole lot of fun from 11 a.m.-7 p.m. For ticket purchase call the church office (508) 943-8361 or Mike at (860) 481-0405. At the same address from 8 a.m.-2 p.m., a yard sale with 50+ spots available! \$30 per 10x10 spot, table not included; deadline to register JUNE 16. Registration available at www.schwebster.org or by email: stsconstantineyardsale@gmail.com.

#### Wednesday, July 18

TEXTILE ART SHOW: Rug Exhibition presented by Pearl K. McGown Northern Teachers' Workshop Wednesday, July 18 noon to 7 p.m. at the Nichols College auditorium, 124 Center Road, Dudley.

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#### ONGOING EVENTS

COMMUNITY MEALS: Blessed ackpack Brigade Community Fellowship Meal served from 5-6 p.m. American Legion Hall, 9 Houghton St, Webster. Please note that there is no handicapped access, but we will have volunteers to provide you with assistance. Free hot meals to anyone in need. Everyone is welcome. Join us for great food, fellowship, and fun! For more information, or to donate or sponsor a meal, please call Lisa Berg at 508-330-7242 or Lauri Joseph 774-230-8988. Blessed Backpack Brigade Community Fellowship Meals are served the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month at the American Legion on Houghton Street, Webster.

ALZHEIMER'S SUPPORT: Webster Alzheimer's Support Group meets the second Monday of each month at Webster Manor, 745 School St., from 6-8 p.m. Anyone in the area who feels they are in need of help, doesn't know what to do, or is a caregiver for someone with Alzheimer's, is invited to attend and express their concerns regarding the care for their loved one. The members of the group will discuss the ways, means, and the help you will need as your loved one progresses in this disease.

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MEDITATION & YOGA: Guided Meditation on the second and fourth Wednesday every month, 6:30 p.m. at Generations Healing Center, Oxford. Please visit Pinkhippy.org for more information.

Restorative Yoga Wednesdays, Noon to 1 p.m., St. Vincent Cancer & Wellness Center, 1 Eaton Place Worcester. Please visit Pinkhippy.org for more informa-

Restorative Yoga Saturdays, 8:15-9 a.m., Oxford Community Center, 4 Maple Road, Oxford. Please visit Pinkhippy.org for more information.

Restorative Yoga Wednesdays, 6:30-7:30 p.m., Boucher School of Dance, 3 Millbury Boulevard, Oxford. Please visit Pinkhippy.org for more information.

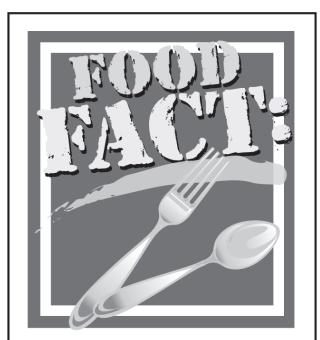
Free Yoga Classes for Cancer Patients Restorative yoga classes for cancer patients are offered weekly and are open to patients, survivors, and their families

or caregivers. Classes are held every Saturday morning from 8:15 to 9 a.m. at the Oxford Community Center, 4 Maple Road, Oxford, and on Wednesdays from noon to 1 p.m. at Saint Vincent Cancer & Wellness Center, One Eaton Place, Worcester. The Restorative Yoga program is a complementary therapy that is designed to help reduce lymphedema, increase range of motion, and soothe neuropathies that may occur during all stages of treatment and recovery. For more information please visit www. pinkhippy.org, call (508) 987-3310, or send an email to info@pinkhippy.org.

HELP FOR HELPERS: Do you have a family member struggling with addiction or alcoholism? You are not alone. Join Families Helping Families Support Group. Meetings at Dudley Senior Center every first and third Monday of the month, 6:30-8 p.m. We spend so much time with our addicted loved one, that we become victims ourselves. Join us. It's informal, confidential, with tough love advice from the heart, sharing of resources, hope and hugs.

HOLISTIC HEALTH: Chair Yoga and so much more every Tuesday from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. at The First Congregational Church, 135 Center Road, Dudley (please park and enter through the right side basement entrance). Class Fee: \$5/ class voluntary contribution (Cancer patients always free). Proceeds donated to the First Congregational Church of Dudley. Instructor: Joanne LaLiberte, Holistic Health practitioner..

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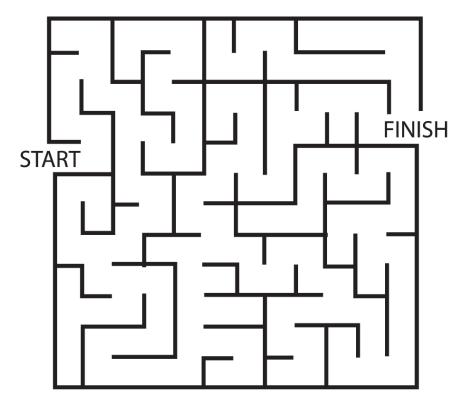


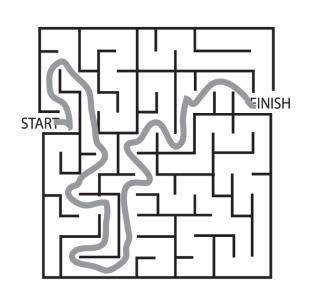
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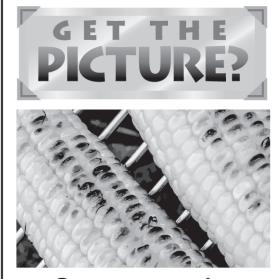
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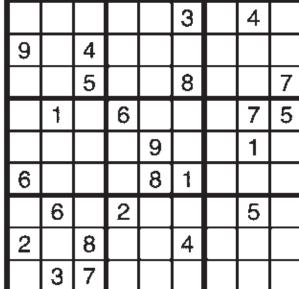
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Clue: Work to complete

D. 23 25 6 8 23 10 19

Clue: Small office area

## SUDOKU



Fun By The Numbers

Like puzzles?
Then you'll love sudoku. This mind-bending puzzle will have you hooked from the moment you square off, so sharpen your pencil and put your sudoku savvy to the test!

Level: Intermediate

#### Here's How It Works:

Sudoku puzzles are formatted as a 9x9 grid, broken down into nine 3x3 boxes. To solve a sudoku, the numbers 1 through 9 must fill each row, column and box. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and box. You can figure out the order in which the numbers will appear by using the numeric clues already provided in the boxes. The more numbers you name, the easier it gets to solve the puzzle!

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\$299 900 00

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THOMPSON - 1338 Riverside Drive!

\$369,900.00

NEW/PRICE

WEBSTER - 7 Vine St! 5+ Rm L

Shaped Ranch! Looking for Larger, this

May Be It! 10'6" X 19' Eat-in Kit! 27' Liv Rm! Entry Foyer! 3 Comfortable Bdrms w/Dble Closets! Huge Master! Hrdwds Flrs! Tile Bath! 1.5 Baths! Walk-out Lower

Level! Heat & Hot Water by Gas! Garage! \$219,900.00

SOLD

WEBSTER LAKE - 10 Kenneth Ave! South

8 Rm Colonial w/Grand Entry Fo 8 Km Colonial w/Grand Entry Foyer! 34 Acrel Farmers Porch! Applianced Granite Kit w/ls!! Din Area w/Pellet Stove & Slider to Deck w/Jacuzzi! Din Rm & Frplcd Cathedral Ceiling Liv Rm w/Hrdwds! Den/ Office! 3 Bdrms! Master Bath! 2.5 Baths!



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ON DEPOSIT

DIDLEY - 50 Airport Rd! Undated 5 Rm

es! 2 Car Garage! Sep Utilities! Town

ices! Rte 20, 84 & 90!



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THOMPSON - QUADDICK LAKE! 28 Breault's Landing! Western Expo-Beautiful Sunsets! 100' Waterfront 8 Rm Colonial for Your Yr Round or Summer Enjoyment! Open Flr Plan! Applianced Center Isl Kit! Lake Facing Din, Liv & Fam Rms! 3 Bdrms! Lake Facing Master! 2 Full Baths! C/Air! Generator! \$399,900.00



ON DEPOSIT WEBSTER LAKE - 60 Bates Point Rd! Middle Pond! Absolute Prime 52' Level Waterfront Lot w/Western Expo! Beautiful Sunsets! Panoramic Lake Views! 8 Rms 3 Bdrm 2 Baths A/C'd Ranch! Custom SS Applianced Granite Kit! Din Rm w/Hrdwds & Slider to Waterfront Deck w/Awning! Lake Facing Frolc Liv Rm w/ Cathedral, Skylight & Hrdwds! Comfortable Master Bdrm! Frplcd Lower Level Fam Rm! 2 Car Garage!





WEBSTER LAKE — 48 Laurelwood Drl Reid Smith Cove! One of the Lake's Best Lots! Beautiful 10 Rm, 3,686' Contemp! 104' Waterfront, 228' Rd Frontage, 33,628 Sq. Ft, or .77 Acres! The Best on Market! Gradual Sloped Lawn to Beach/Shore! Private Rd w/Woods Across Street! Location, Slope to Water, View & Exposure, Things You Can't Change, After that it's One's Imagination! Front, Back, & Side Yards, Space to Roam, Entertain, Park & Expand! Main Lewel, White & Black Granite Kit, Center Isl w/Gas Range & Sink, Wall Ovens! Din Area! Lake Facing Din Rm! Frpled Liv Rutchedral Open to Sun Rm w/Water View! Lake Facing Office/Possible 4th Bdrm! Half Bath! Upstairs, 3 Bdrms, 2 Bathrms! Amazing Lake Facing Master, Bath w/Whirlpool, Steam Shower, Dble Vanity, Cathedral w/Skylight & Laundry! Walk-out Lower Level w/ Frplcd Fam Rm, Summer Kit & 3rd Full Bath, 3.5 Total! C/Air! Gas Heat! 2 Car Garage & More! \$999,900.00



SUTTON - 36 Boston Rd! Well Maintained 5 Rm Ranch! Applianced Eat-in Kit! Formal Din Rm w/Corner Hutch! Frplc Liv Rm w/ Bay Window! 3 Bdrms! Full Bath! Hrdwd Firs! Vinyl Siding & Windows! Newer Roof! Garage Under! Walkout Basement w/ \$224,900.00



WEBSTER — 38 Batten St! 6 Rm Ranch is Ready for You! Recently Painted Eat-in Kit w/New Flooring! Large Liv Rm w/Cedar Closet! Bonus Rm/Den w/Access to the Deck! 3 Bedrooms! Full Bath! Expandable Lower Level! New Roof, Electrical Service & Panel! Recent Exterior Paint! 1 Car Garage! \$249,900.00



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SUTTON — 33 Old Mill Rdl West Sutton! Country Road! Fabulous Craftsmanship in this 4,592', 9 Rm, 4 Bdrm, 3+ Bath Custom Home! Entertaining is the Essence of this Open, Airy Fir Plan! Spacious Country Kit Surround the Sunken Liv Rm! Fripled Din Rm! French Drs to Deck and In-ground Pool! 2nd Fir Master Suite Waluted Ceiling, Spacious Windows for Natural Light, Whirlpool Tub, Separate Shower, Private Water Closet! You'll Enjoy the Fam Rm w3 TV's, Pool Table, LP Gas Frplc & Wet Bar! Oversized Garage for 6 Cars wCeiling Height for a Lift! Generator Hookup! 5.5 acres! Easy Access to 395, 146 & MA Pike! \$892,600.00



**DUDLEY** – 7 Sawmill Rd! 6 Rm Custom Ranch! SS Appliance Granite Kit w/ Breakfast Bar! 2 Full Kits! Din Area & Din Rm! Frplc Liv Rm w/Cathedrals, Skylight & Hrdwds! Fam Rm! 1st Flr Laundry! 2/3 Bdrms! 2 Full Baths! C/Air! Solar Panels! Garage! 1.02 Acre Lot! Listed by Another -SOLD by C21 Lake Realty! \$329,900.00



Cape w/Farmers Porch! Open Flr Plan! Applianced Kit! Din Area w/Slider to Deck! Frplc Cathedral Liv Rm! Den or Din Rm! Full Bath! 2nd Flr Master Suite w/Master Bath! 2 Add Bdrms! 3 Baths Total! C/Air! LL Fam Rm! Garages! Irrigation! Shed! \$349,900.00





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66 Rmsl 38 Abrmsl 1/1 Bathsl Appliance
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OXFORD - 19 Wheelock St! 6 Rm Cape! Wel

VSlider to Stone Patio! Applianced Eat-in Kit

w/Hrdwds! Full Bath! 2nd Flr 3rd Bdrm w/Nev

Carnets! Full Basement w/Laundry! Attached

\$239,900.00

ON DEPOSIT

DUDLEY - 9 Page Ln! Newly Renovated

6 Rm, 3 Bdrm, 2.5 Bath Cape! 1 Acre Lot! Cul-de-sac! Hrdwds Throughout! Open Lin Rm, Kit & Din Area! SS Appliance Granite

Kit w/Isl! Slider to Composite Deck! 1st

Flr Master w/Walk-in Closet & Master

Bath! 2nd Flr w/2 Large Bdrms & Full Bath! Garage Under! **\$309,900.00** 

ON DEPOSIT

Maintained! Level Lot! Knotty Pine Sur

Liv Rm w/Hrdwd Flr! 2 Sp









WEBSTER LAKE - 15 Lakeview Rd! Reid Smith Cove! Enjoy the Music of Indian Ranch & the Indian Princess! 7 Rm Summer Cottage w/4 Possible Bdrms! Master Overlooking Lake! Great Potential!
Or Tear It Down, Build Something New! 50'
X 118' Lot w/Gentle Slope, Almost Level! Town Sewer! \$297.900.00



WEBSTER LAKE - Access! 124 Gore Rd! 440' Waterfront! Great Location! Direct Highway Access! 3.4 Acres! UNDEVELOPED LAND w/EXOUISITE VIEWS! Explore the Opps! Build a staurant, Hotel, Condominiums! Cozy 4



12,458' Lot w/Plenty of Privacy! Kit, Maste Bdrm, Master Bath, Roof & Windows Nev in 2013! Enjoy Sunsets from Wran-aroun Porch! Beautiful Lake Views! Frolc Liv Rm! SS Appliances C/Air! 2 Car Garage! \$519,900.00



WEBSTER LAKE - 602 Treasure Isl Townhouse! 6 Rms! 1,874'! Hrdwd Floors!
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2 Bdrms! Master Bath w/Whirlpool Tub, Fam Rm! CAir! Gas Heat! Trex Deck! Recent Windows/Doors! Garage! 2 Boat Slips! Heated Pool, Sandy Beach! \$349,000.00



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End Corner Unit! Lake Views! Applianced Galley Kitchen! Frolcd Liv Rm w/Hrdwds! & Closet w/Skylight! 2.5 Remodeled Tile Baths! Central Air! Garage! Great Lakesid Pool! Sandy Beach! \$279,500.00





Cottage" Ready to Rough It! Loads of Bdrms! 2 Full Baths! C/Air! Handican Potential! Water on 2 Sides! Panoramic Middle Pond! 3 Separate but Connected Buildings! 4 Bedrooms! Town Water & Sewerage! **\$229,900.00** Detached Garage w/12'Ceiling & 3 Car Dock! \$479.900.00



WEBSTER LAKE - 3 Long Island!

WEBSTER LAKE – 8 Reid Smith Cove Road! Panoramic Lake Views! West Expo! Super Sunsets!

9,698° Lot! Gently Sloping! 2,254° Custom Contemp Cape, Built 09 as 2nd Home, Like New! Open Fir
Plan! Spectacular Lake Facing Great Rm w17° Ceiling, Recessed Lights, Silders to Trex Deck, Stone
Sac Frick, Surround Sound & Gleaning Hrodws! Granter Kit w1sl, SS Appliances, Soft Olse Cabinets,
Hrotwick & Recessed Lights! 1st Fir Master w7ile Bath, Whirlpool Tub/Shower, Dible Sink & Linen

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SOLD

Waterfront, Beach Front, Pool Side Townhouse w/BOAT DOCK! 5 Rms! Move-in Condition! Panoramic Lake Views! Applianced! Din & Frplcd Liv Rm w/Hrdwds! Lake Facing Master! Custom Master Bath! 2 Bdrms! 2.5 Baths! CAir! Garage! \$288,000.00



w/2nd Floor! \$339.000.00





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#### **WEBSTER -90 UPLAND AVE** THE WORLD ON DEPOSIT

NEW LISTING! Excellent home for 1st time home buyers! Cape that has 3 large bedrooms, 2 on the main level and one on the 2nd floor. 1 bath on the main level, 1/2 bath in the basement. Heated by oil - forced hot water baseboard! 1 car garage under \$134,900.



NEW LISTING! Under Construction! 1.31 acre +/- lot Close to I-395! Open flr plan, cathedral ceilings, hrdwd & ceramic tile flrs! Granite counters, center island! Dining rm w/ sliders to deck! 2 BRs, & Mstr BR suite w/private bath! 1/2 bath/laundry, 2-1/2 bath total! Central Air, 2 car

SORRY, SOLD!

**WEBSTER LAKE - 203 BEACON PARK** ON DEPOSIT

Webster Lake Condo in BEACON PARK! 10 acres of

Park like Grounds!, Natural Sandy Beach! Excellent for Swimming! Do your early morning laps in the inground pool! 12004-st Living space! 2 large bedrooms, dining and living room! 2 sliders - Deck! BOAT DOCK INCLUDED! Buy

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**WEBSTER LAKE - 22 LAURELWOOD DR** 



Contemporary! 190' of water-frontage spanning the horizon from East To West! Pavilion sits at water's edge! Lakeside patio, fire pit & sandy beach for swimming! Huge waterside decks & aluminum docks! Contemporary style home offers 2,497 SF+/-, 9 Rms, 4 Bedrooms, 2-1/2 Baths including private master bath. Open concept w/kitchen/ dining/living & year-round sun-room. Lake facing private master BR suite. Walkout lower level features a family room, half bath & lakeside 3 season room! 2 car attached garage! NEW PRICE \$739,900.



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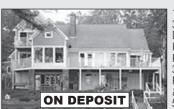
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#### **WEBSTER LAKE - 93 BIRCH ISLAND RD**



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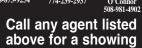
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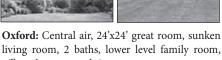


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office, above ground, 2 car garage

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Southbridge: Ranch, open floor plan, hardwood floors, rough plumbed for 2nd bath, garage, well maintained

326 Whitetail Cir. ~ \$220,000



bedrooms, 2 baths, ranch style, Cathedral ceilings, applianced

6 Essex Dr ~ \$349,900



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Dudley: 56' ranch, custom kitchen, Golf course

59 Dudley Hill Rd \$279,900



Southbridge: Contemporary, 2 Bath, pond

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48 Taft Pond Road NEW LISTING Pomfret \$425,000 Custom contemporary Cape 3/4 BR, 3 BA. Gleaming hardwoods, cathedral ceilings, gas FP, 1st FL master suite, abuts Audubon

#### Woodstock \$750,000 NEW LISTING



with oversized barn attached, in ground pool & more!

#### Ashford \$199,900 NEW LISTING



side units. Updated in 2003. Sits on 2.44 lovely acres. Vivian Kozey 860-455-5363

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Looks are deceiving! The interior of the house is completely new. Includes a 1st oor in-law w/ 1 BR & 3-4 BR on 2nd floo The White Cook Team: Diane 860-377-4016

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Eastford \$850,000 NEW LISTING



Incredible antique home with a renovated finished barn on 25 beautiful acres! Bring your imagination!
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library, etc! Many upgrades done for you move in ready!
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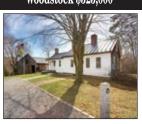
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#### Brooklyn \$195,000



Four season room w/ pellet stove. 3 BR, 1 BA 1 355 SF on 34 acre

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home. 19.55 acres with pasture, developable land and 4 outbuilding



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## Local Events, Arts, and

## **Entertainment Listings**

#### FRIDAY, JUNE 1

6 p.m. - 9 p.m. FIRST FRIDAYS FESTIVAL IN DOWNTOWN PUTNAM, CT Theme: African-American Heritage Live Music! Food! Vendors!

#### **SATURDAY, JUNE 9**

9 a.m. - 3 p.m. SPRING CRAFT & VENDOR FAIR BAY PATH GOLF COURSE Free admission, live music Stroller friendly 191 North Brookfield Rd. East Brookfield, MA 508-867-8161

#### **THURSDAY** THROUGH THURSDAY **JUNE 13-20**

MEXICALI GRILL (Spencer and Webster locations) Join our first ever week-long fund-

We'll donate 20% to 8 local schools with Special Needs programs. Each will receive a check from Mexicali Dine & Donate Fundraising Program at the end of the month. Valid for dine-in or take-out Bring ad from newspaper and give to your server 41 Worcester Rd., Webster, MA 508-461-5070 117 Main St., Spencer, MA 774-745-2800

#### FRIDAY, JUNE 15

2 p.m. - 4 p.m. Second Chance Pet Adoptions At KLEM'S Come visit the dogs & cats available www.klemsonline.com 117 West Main St., Spencer, MA 508-885-2708 (Ext 104)

#### **SATURDAY, JUNE 16**

ATHA Quiet Corner HOOK-IN Traditional hooked rugs displayed 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Rte. 169 & 171, Woodstock, CT Join us for fun and good times Vendors/Raffle/ Door Prizes Snacks and Beverages

\$15 for Hook-In All Day Pre-register by June 1, 2018 \$5 Vendor Shopping Only Contact: gretchg@verizon.net

#### FRIDAY, SATURDAY, SUNDAY JUNE 22, 23, 24

KLEM'S CUSTOMER APPRECIATION WEEKEND! 15% off with a \$5 donation to the proposed dog park at Luther Hill 117 West Main St., Spencer, MA 508-885-2708 (Ext. 104) www.klemsonline.com

#### **SUNDAY, JUNE 24**

12 noon to 5:30 p.m. ANNUAL ALBANIAN DAY PICNIC BRAVEHEARTS Featuring shish-kabab, traditional pies (spinach, leek, sauerkraut, and squash), Baklava, date-filled cookies,

cookies, and other Albanian desserts.

Ethnic music by the Mosaic Ensemble www.klemsonline.com Rain or shine, free admission Sponsored in part by a grant from the Southbridge Cultural Council, a local agency supported by the Massachusetts Cultural Council, a state agency ST. NICHOLAS ALBANIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH

#### FRIDAY, JUNE 29

126 Morris St., Southbridge, MA

KLEM'S REWARDS NIGHT AT THE WORCESTER **BRAVEHEARTS** Tickets only \$5! Watch the game and a fireworks show KLEM'S 117 West Main St., Spencer, MA 508-885-2708 (Ext. 104) www.klemsonline.com

#### FRIDAY, JULY 6

6 p.m. - 9 p.m. FIRST FRIDAYS FESTIVAL IN DOWNTOWN PUTNAM, CT Theme: French Canadian-American Heritage Live music! Food! Vendors!

#### FRIDAY, JULY 20

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Klem's DockDogs Days 2018 The world's premier canine aquatics competition www.klemsonline.com 117 West Main St., Spencer, MA 508-885-2708 (Ext. 104)

#### FRIDAY, JULY 27

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#### FRIDAY, AUGUST 3

6 p.m. - 9 p.m. FIRST FRIDAYS FESTIVAL IN DOWNTOWN PUTNAM, CT Theme: Greek-American heritage Live music! Food! Vendors!

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#### FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 7 6 p.m. - 9 p.m.

FIRST FRIDAYS FESTIVAL IN DOWNTOWN PUTNAM, CT Theme: Native-American heritage Live music! Food! Vendors!

#### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 5

6 p.m. - 9 p.m. FIRST FRIDAYS FESTIVAL IN DOWNTOWN PUTNAM, CT Theme: Scandinavian-American heritage Live music! Food! Vendors!

#### ONGOING

**JUNE 6 THROUGH AUGUST 29** 

WEDNESDAY NIGHT CRUISING

FOR CHARITY CAR SHOW 5 p.m. - dusk 100% profits go to Masonic Children's www.klemsonline.com KLEM'S 117 West Main St., Spencer, MA 508-885-2708(Ext. 104)

#### **JUNE 9 THROUGH OCTOBER 20**

KLEM'S FARMERS MARKET Every Saturday 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. Visit many local crafters, artisans & more! www.klemsonline.com 117 West Main St., Spencer, MA

ROADHOUSE BLUES JAM Every Sunday, 3:00 - 7:00 p.m. CADY'S TAVERN 2168 Putnam Pike, Chepachet, RI 401-568-4102

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TRIVIA SATURDAY NIGHTS 7:00 p.m. register 7:30 p.m. start up HILLCREST COUNTRY CLUB 325 Pleasant St., Leicester, MA 508-892-9822

WISE GUYS TEAM TRIVIA Every Tuesday, 8:00 - 10:00 p.m. CADY'S TAVERN 2168 Putnam Pike (Rt. 44) Chepachet, RI 401-568-4102

LIVE ENTERTAINMENT FRIDAY NIGHT HEXMARK TAVERN AT SALEM CROSS INN 260 West Main St., West Brookfield, MA 508-867-2345 www.salemcrossinn.com

TRIVIA TUESDAYS at 7:00 p.m. Cash prizes 308 LAKESIDE 308 East main St. East Brookfield, MA 774-449-8333

## **LEGALS**

#### MORTGAGEE'S NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain Mortgage given by Michael A. Pimental to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for Ocwen Loan Servicing LLC, its successors and assigns, dated July 23, 2016 and recorded with the Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds at Book 55706, Page 26, subsequently assigned to Ocwen Loan Servicing, LLC by Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc ("MERS"), solely as nominee for Ocwen Loan Servicing LLC, its successors and/ or assigns by assignment recorded in said Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds at Book 56908, Page 293 for breach of the conditions of said Mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing same will be sold at Public Auction at 1:00 PM on June 22, 2018 at 198 Lower Gore Road, Webster, MA, all and singular the premises described in said Mortgage, to wit:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings situated on the westerly side of Lower Gore Road, Webster, Worcester County, Massachusetts, and shown as lot #12 on a plan of land entitled: "(revised) Plan of Lots in Webster. Massachusetts, prepared for: Key Development, Scale: 1" = 40', dated December 19, 1989, said Plan filed with the Worcester District Registry of Deeds in Plan Book 631, Plan 4, to which further reference may be made for a more complete description. Being the same premises conveved to the herein named grantor(s) by deed recorded with the Worcester County Registry of Deeds in Book 51413, Page 157. And Deed Recorded Herewith.

"For informational purposes only property is subject to Boundary Line Agreement recorded at book 14853 page 29"

The premises are to be sold subject to and with the benefit of all easements, restrictions, encroachments, building and zoning laws, liens, unpaid taxes, tax titles, water bills, municipal liens and assessments, rights of tenants and parties in possession, and attorney's fees and costs.

TERMS OF SALE:

A deposit of FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS AND 00 CENTS (\$5,000.00) in the form of a certified check, bank treasurer's check or money order will be required to be delivered at or before the time the bid is offered. The successful bidder will be required to execute a Foreclosure Sale Agreement immediately after the close of the bidding. The balance of the purchase price shall be paid within thirty (30) days from the sale date in the form of a certified check, bank treasurer's check or other check satistactory to Mortgagee's attorney. The Mortgagee reserves the right to bid at the sale, to reject any and all bids, to continue the sale and to amend the terms of the sale by written or oral announcement made before or during the foreclosure sale. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor. the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. The description of the premises contained in said mortgage shall control in the event of an error in this publication. TIME WILL BE OF THE **ESSENCE.** 

Other terms, if any, to be announced at the sale.

Ocwen Loan Servicing, LLC

Present Holder of said Mortgage,
By Its Attorneys,
ORLANS PC
PO Box 540540
Waltham, MA 02454
Phone: (781) 790-7800
17-011192

17-011192 June 1, 2018 June 8, 2018 June 15, 2018

#### MORTGAGEE'S NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain Mortgage given by Linda Jean Hughes to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as nominee for 1st Alliance Lending, LLC, its successors and assigns, dated July 25, 2007 and recorded with the Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds at Book 41563, Page 13, subsequently assigned to Chase Home Finance LLC, by Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., by assignment recorded in said Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds at Book 45642, Page 303, subsequently assigned to Federal National Mortgage Association, by JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., S/B/M Chase Home Finance LLC, by assignment recorded in said Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds at Book 53305, Page 316, subsequently assigned to MTGLQ Investors, L.P., by Federal National

Mortgage Association, by assignment recorded in said Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds at Book 56205, Page 16 for breach of the conditions of said Mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing same will be sold at Public Auction at 10:00 AM on June 8, 2018 at 91 Cortis Road, Dudley, MA, all and singular the premises described in said Mortgage, to wit: The land with the Buildings thereon, and all the privileges and appurtenances thereto belonging situated in Dudley, Worcester County, Massachusetts, on the southerly side of Cortis Road, bounded and described as follows: BEGINNING at the northwesterly corner thereof, at an iron pin at the intersection of an old dirt road with the southerly side of Cortis Road, at land of Arthur Kuper et ux. and extending by said Kuper land in courses as follows: THENCE S. 15° 30' W. by said dirt road 193 10 feet to a stone wall; THENCE S 77° 07 E. along stone wall 256.50 feet to a corner in stone wall; THENCE N. 85° 23' E. 66 feet to an iron pin; THENCE N. 34° 46' E. 125 feet to an iron pin; and THENCE N. 12° 12' E. 120.50 feet to an iron pin in the southerly line of Cortis Road; THENCE westerly by the southerly line of Cortis Road 360 feet more or less to the place of beginning. CONTAINING 1.8 acres more or less. TOGETHER with a right of way over said dirt road or lane 24 feet in width westerly of and immediately adjoining the westerly boundary of the premises, extending From said Cortis Road southerly 190 feet. Being the same premises conveyed to the grantor by deed recorded 12/12/01 in Book 25467 at page 147. The premises are to be sold subject to

The premises are to be sold subject to and with the benefit of all easements, restrictions, encroachments, building and zoning laws, liens, unpaid taxes, tax titles, water bills, municipal liens and assessments, rights of tenants and parties in possession, and attorney's fees and costs.

TERMS OF SALE:

A deposit of FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS AND 00 CENTS (\$5,000.00) in the form of a certified check, bank treasurer's check or money order will be required to be delivered at or before the time the bid is offered. The successful bidder will be required to execute a Foreclosure Sale Agreement immediately after the close of the bidding. The balance of the purchase price shall be paid within thirty (30) days from the sale date in the form of a certified check, bank treasurer's check or other check satisfactory to Mortgagee's attorney. The Mortgagee reserves the right to bid at the sale, to reject any and all bids, to continue the sale and to amend the terms of the sale by written or oral announcement made before or during the foreclosure sale. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. The description of the premises contained in said mortgage shall

**ESSENCE.** Other terms, if any, to be announced at the sale.

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MTGLQ Investors, LP Present Holder of said Mortgage, By Its Attorneys, ORLANS PC PO Box 540540 Waltham, MA 02454 Phone: (781) 790-7800 17-008871 May 18, 2018

May 18, 2018 May 25, 2018 June 1, 2018

#### NOTICE OF MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

. Premises:

15 Genevieve Lane, Webster, MA By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Robert Butkiewicus a/k/a Robert F. Butkiewicus and Patricia Butkiewicus a/k/a Patruca Butkiewicus to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems. Inc., as nominee for Bank of America, N.A., and now held by Bank of America, N.A., said mortgage dated June 24, 2009, and recorded with the Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 44566, Page 190, said mortgage was assigned from Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems. Inc., as nominee for Bank of America, N.A. to Bank of America, N.A., by assignment dated May 29, 2012 and recorded with said Registry of Deeds in Book 49107, Page 1; for breach of the conditions in said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction on June 15, 2018 at 11:00 AM Local Time upon the premises, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit:

ALL THAT CERTAIN PARCEL OF LAND SITUATE IN THE TOWNSHIP OF WEBSTER, COUNTY OF WORCESTER, COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS BEING KNOWN AND DESIGNATED AS RECORDED LAND CONTAINING 12,222 SQUARE FEET AND BEING SHOWN AS LOT 19 ON A PLAN OF LAND IN WEBSTER, MASSACHUSETTS **OWNS** NEWGEN BUILDERS, INC. DATED FEBRUARY 9, 1987 AND PREPARED BY A.F. PAIGE ASSOCIATES, 714A SOUTHBRIDGE STREET, MASSACHUSETTS AUBURN, 01501 AND RECORDED WITH THE WORCESTER DISTRICT REGISTRY OF DEEDS IN PLAN BOOK 588, PLAN 114.

BEING MORE FULLY DESCRIBED AS METES AND BOUNDS PROPERTY IN DEED BOOK 16353, PAGE 300, DATED 05/30/1994, RECORDED 06/10/1994 IN WORCESTER COUNTY RECORDS.

Tax/parcel ID: 018B-2.19

The description of the property contained in the mortgage shall control in the event of a typographical error in this publication.

For Mortgagor's Title see deed dated May 30, 1994, and recorded in the Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 16353, Page 300.

TERMS OF SALE: Said premises will be sold and conveyed subject to all liens, encumbrances, unpaid taxes, tax titles, municipal liens and assessments, if any, which take precedence over the said mortgage above described.

FIVE THOUSAND (\$5,000.00) Dollars of the purchase price must be paid in cash, certified check, bank treasurer's or cashier's check at the time and place of the sale by the purchaser. The balance of the purchase price shall be paid in cash, certified check, bank treasurer's or cashier's check within thirty (30) days after the date of sale.

Other terms to be announced at the sale.

Shechtman Halperin Savage, LLP 1080 Main Street Pawtucket, RI 02860 Attorney for Bank of America, N.A. Present Holder of the Mortgage (401) 272-1400

May 18, 2018 May 25, 2018 June 1, 2018

#### LEGAL NOTICE MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue of and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Carl G. Vermette and Briana L. Vermette to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. acting solely as a nominee for Radius Financial Group Inc., dated August 31, 2016 and recorded in Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 55901, Page 288 the "Mortgage") of which mortgage Ocwen Loan Servicing, LLC is the present holder by assignment from Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., (MERS) solely as nominee for Radius Financial Group Inc., its successors and/or assigns to Ocwen Loan Servicing, LLC dated October 26, 2017 recorded in Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 58009, Page 127, for breach of conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, the mortgaged premises located at 863 School Street. Webster. MA 01570 will be sold at a Public Auction at 1:00 PM on July 10, 2018, at the mortgaged premises, more particularly described below, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit:

Beginning at a stake in the easterly side line of School Street one hundred (100) feet southerly of a Webster Highway bound marking the intersection of the southerly side line of Harvard Street with the easterly side line of School Street;

THENCE southerly by the easterly side line of said School Street forty-five (45) feet to a point at the northwest-erly corner of Lot #56 and at land of grantee;

THENCE easterly with an included angle of 98 degrees 43' and passing over an iron pin twenty one-hundredths (0.21) feet easterly of said street line one hundred eighteen and four tenths (118.4) feet to an iron pin in the westerly side line of Otis Street as shown on said plan; THENCE northerly with an included

angle of 87 degrees 18' 40" by said westerly side line of Otis Street forty-five and sixty-six one hundredths (45.66) feet to a drill hole;

THENCE westerly through Lot #52 and by the southerly side line of Lot #54, a distance of one hundred twenty-three and one tenths (123.1) feet to the point of beginning.

BEING the same premises shown as Lot #55 on plan drawn by A.R. Klebart, Engineer, dated November 13, 1970 entitled "Property to be conveyed to John P. and Helen Lipski" recorded with Plan Book 345, Page 86.

SUBJECT to restrictions recited in deed dated June 10, 1948 and recorded with the Worcester District Registry

of Deeds in Book 3131, Page 105, if still in force and effect.

still in force and effect.
ALSO a certain parcel of land with buildings thereon, situated on the easterly side of School Street in Webster, County of Worcester and Commonwealth of Massachusetts

bounded and described as follows: WESTERLY by School Street forty-five (45) feet;

NORTHERLY by Lot #5 on Plan of Lots of Dewey Park, one hundred and eighteen and two tenths (118.2) feet; EASTERLY by Otis Street forty-four and thirty-seven hundredths (44.37) feet:

SOUTHERLY by Lot #57 on said Plan one hundred twelve and six tenths (112.6) feet.

SUBJECT to building restrictions of record.

BEING Lot #56 on Plan of Dewey Park, recorded with the Worcester District Registry of Deeds in Book 1603, Page 653.

ALSO another tract of land located on the east side of School Street and the west side of Otis Street, being the northerly half of Lot #57 on a Plan in Book 1603, Page 653, bounded and described as follows:

BEGINNING at School Street at the southwest corner of Lot #56;

THENCE easterly by Lot #56 one hundred twelve and six-tenths (112.6) feet to Otis Street;

THENCE southerly by Otis Street twenty-two and nineteen hundredths (22.19) feet;

THENCE westerly by Ceminski one hundred nine and eight-tenths (109.8) feet;

THENCE northerly by School Street twenty-two and five-tenths (22.5) feet to the place of beginning.

Also subject to the building restrictions of record.

For mortgagor's title see deed recorded with the Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 55901, Page 285.

The premises will be sold subject to any and all unpaid taxes and other municipal assessments and liens, and subject to prior liens or other enforceable encumbrances of record entitled to precedence over this mortgage, and subject to and with the benefit of all easements, restrictions, reservations and conditions of record and subject to all tenancies and/or rights of parties in possession.

Terms of the Sale: Cash, cashier's or

certified check in the sum of \$5,000.00 as a deposit must be shown at the time and place of the sale in order to qualify as a bidder (the mortgage holder and its designee(s) are exempt from this requirement); high bidder to sign written Memorandum of Sale upon acceptance of bid; balance of purchase price payable in cash or by certified check in thirty (30) days from the date of the sale at the offices of mortgagee's attor ney, Korde & Associates, P.C., 900 Chelmsford Street, Suite 3102, Lowell, MA 01851 or such other time as may be designated by mortgagee. description for the premises contained in said mortgage shall control in the event of a typographical error in this publication.

Other terms to be announced at the sale.

Ocwen Loan Servicing, LLC Korde & Associates, P.C. 900 Chelmsford Street Suite 3102 Lowell, MA 01851 (978) 256-1500 Vermette, Carl G., 17-030483 May 25, 2018 June 1, 2018 June 8, 2018

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Worcester Probate
and Family Court
225 Main Street
Worcester, MA 01608
(508) 831-2200

In the matter of:
Brian James Belanger
Of: Webster, MA
NOTICE OF PETITION FOR
CHANGE OF NAME

Docket No. WO18C0201CA

To all persons interested in petition described:

A petition has been presented by Brian James Belanger requesting that:

Brian James Belanger be allowed to change his/her/their name as follows: Brian James Magnant

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT Worcester ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING (10:00

AM) ON 06/19/2018
WITNESS, Hon. Leilah A. Keamy,
First Justice of this Court.
Date: May 18, 2018

Stephanie K. Fattman Register of Probate

June 1, 2018

## **LEGALS**

#### LEGAL NOTICE MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue of and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Kevin J. Dolan to ABN AMRO Mortgage Group, Inc., dated June 30, 2003 and recorded in Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 30636, Page 70 (the "Mortgage") of which mortgage Nationstar Mortgage LLC d/b/a Mr. Cooper is the present holder by assignment from CitiMortgage, Inc. successor by merger to ABN AMRO Mortgage Group, Inc. to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., its successors and assigns dated May 23, 2017 recorded in Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 57155, Page 105 and assignment from Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., its successors and assigns to Nationstar Mortgage LLC d/b/a Mr. Cooper dated November 21, 2017 recorded in Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 58177. Page 281, for breach of conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, the mortgaged premises located at 51 Old Southbridge Road, Dudley, MA 01571 will be sold at a Public Auction at 2:00 PM on July 10, 2018, at the mortgaged premises, more particularly described below, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit:

A certain parcel of land located on the northerly side of Old Southbridge Road, Dudley, County of Worcester, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, being shown as Lot #12 on a plan entitled "Plan of Land in Dudley, Massachusetts, surveyed for Jean J. Hache", dated September 1986, by R. W: Hart Associates, Inc., Northboro, MA, Registered Land Surveyors and Engineers, recorded in Worcester District Registry of Deeds, Plan Book 584, Plan 62, and being more particularly bounded and described as follows:

BEGINNING at the most northwesterly corner of the lot herein conveyed;

THENCE N. 87° 20' 10" E. along Lot #13, a distance of two hundred and no hundredths (200.00) feet to a point; THENCE S. 75° 46' 30" E. continuing along Lot #13, a distance of two hundred nineteen and ninety-nine hundredths (219.99) feet to a point at the southeasterly corner of Lot #13;

THENCE S. 29° 55' 25" E. along Lot #2 and Lot #3, a distance of one hundred twenty and no hundredths (120.00) feet to a point at the northeasterly corner of Lot #11;

THENČE N. 80° 13' 15" W. along Lot #11, a distance of two hundred thirty-three and sixty-five hundredths (233.65) feet to a point;

THENCE S. 80° 15' 20" W. continuing along Lot #11, a distance of two hundred and no hundredths (200.00) feet to a point at the northwesterly corner of Lot #11;

THENCE N. 17° 39' 50" W. along Old Southbridge Road, a distance of one hundred fifty and no hundredths (150.00) feet to the point of beginning.

For mortgagor's title see deed recorded with the Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 30636, Page 68.

The premises will be sold subject to any and all unpaid taxes and other municipal assessments and liens, and subject to prior liens or other enforceable encumbrances of record entitled to precedence over this mortgage, and subject to and with the benefit of all easements, restrictions, reservations and conditions of record and subject to all tenancies and/or rights of parties in possession.

Terms of the Sale: Cash, cashier's or certified check in the sum of \$5,000.00 as a deposit must be shown at the time and place of the sale in order to qualify as a bidder (the mortgage holder and its designee(s) are exempt from this requirement); high bidder to sign written Memorandum of Sale upon acceptance of bid; balance of purchase price payable in cash or by certified check in thirty (30) days from the date of the sale at the offices of mortgagee's attorney, Korde & Associates, P.C., 900 Chelmsford Street, Suite 3102, Lowell, MA 01851 or such other time as may be designated by mortgagee. description for the premises contained in said mortgage shall control in the event of a typographical error in this publication.

Other terms to be announced at the

Nationstar Mortgage LLC d/b/a Mr. Cooper

Korde & Associates, P.C. 900 Chelmsford Street Suite 3102 Lowell, MA 01851 (978) 256-1500 Dolan, Kevin J., 17-030877 May 25, 2018 June 1, 2018 June 8, 2018

NOTICE OF MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Christopher A. Penney to Wells Fargo Financial Massachusetts, Inc. dated June 1, 2005, recorded at the Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 36572, Page 297; said mortgage was then assigned to U.S. Bank Trust, N.A., as Trustee for LSF10 Master Participation Trust by virtue of an assignment dated May 31, 2017, and recorded in Book 57227, Page 342; of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder for breach of conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at PUBLIC AUCTION at 11:00 AM on June 26, 2018, on the mortgaged premises. This property has the address of 72 Old Douglas Road, Webster, MA 01570. The entire mortgaged premises, all and singular, the premises as described in said mortgage: The land referred to in this policy is situated in the State of Massachusetts. County of Worcester and is described as follows: A PARCEL OF LAND LOCATED IN WEBSTER, COUNTY WORCESTER, STATE OF MASSACHUSETTS WITH A STREET LOCATION ADDRESS OF 72 OLD DOUGLAS ROAD, WEBSTER, MA, 01570 CURRENTLY OWNED BY CHRISTOPHER A. PENNEY AND MORE FULLY DESCRIBED IN THE VESTING DOCUMENT DATED 01/06/03. RECORDED ON 01/29/03. IN LIBER 28869 PAGE 22 AND DESIGNATED AS METES AND BOUNDS PROPERTY. Subject to and with the benefit of easements, reservation, restrictions, and taking of record, if any, insofar as the same are now in force and applicable. In the event of any typographical error set forth herein in the legal description of the premises, the description as set forth and contained in the mortgage shall control by reference. Together with all the improvements now or hereafter erected on the property and all easements, rights, appurtenances, rents, royalties, mineral, oil and gas rights and profits, water rights and stock and all fixtures now or hereafter a part of the property. All replacements and additions shall also be covered by this sale. Terms of Sale: Said premises will be sold subject to any and all unpaid taxes and assessments, tax sales, tax titles and other municipal liens and water or sewer liens and State or County transfer fees, if any there are, and TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$10,000^.00) in cashier's or certified check will be required to be paid by the purchaser at the time and place of the sale as a deposit and the balance in cashier's or certified check will be due in thirty (30) days, at the offices of Doonan, Graves Longoria, LLC ("DG&L"), being of the essence. The Mortgagee reserves the right to postpone the sale to a later date by public proclamation at the time and date appointed for the sale and to further postpone at any adjourned sale-date by public proclamation at the time and date appointed for the adjourned sale date. The premises is to be sold subject to and with the benefit of all easements, restrictions, leases, tenancies, and rights of possession, building and zoning laws, encumbrances, condominium liens, if any and all other claim in the nature of liens, if any there be. In the event that the successful bidder at the foreclosure sale shall default in purchasing the within described property according to the terms of this Notice of Sale and/or the terms of the Memorandum of Sale executed at the time of foreclosure, the Mortgagee reserves the right to sell the property by foreclosure deed to the second highest bidder, providing that said second highest bidder shall deposit with the Mortgagee's attorneys, the amount of the required deposit as set forth herein. If the second highest bidder declines to purchase the within described property. the Mortgagee reserves the right to purchase the within described property at the amount bid by the second highest bidder. The foreclosure deed and the consideration paid by the successful bidder shall be held in escrow by DG&L, (hereinafter called the "Escrow Agent") until the deed shall be released from escrow to the successful bidder at the same time as the consideration is released to the Mortgagee, whereupon all obligations of the Escrow Agent shall be deemed to have been properly fulfilled and the Escrow Agent shall be discharged. Other terms, if any, to be announced at the sale. Dated: April 26, 2018 U.S. Bank Trust, N.A., as Trustee for LSF10 Master Participation Trust By its Attorney DOONAN, GRAVES & LONGORIA, LLC, 100 Cummings

Center, Suite 225D, Beverly, MA 01915

(978) 921-2670 www.dgandl.com

54552 (PENNEY A/K/A CHRISTOPH

A. PENNEY)

June 1, 2018

June 8, 2018

June 15, 2018

#### LEGAL NOTICE MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue of and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Scott S. Bianchi and Kristen Bianchi to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. acting solely as a nominee for Mortgage Lenders Network USA, Inc., dated January 28, 2005 and recorded in Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 35636, Page 252 (the "Mortgage"), as affected by a Loan Modification dated October 27, 2015, and recorded at said Registry of Deeds in Book 54635, Page 114 of which mortgage Specialized Loan Servicing, LLC is the present holder by assignment from Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., its successors and assigns to Countrywide Home Loans Servicing, L.P. dated April 10, 2009 recorded in Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 44099, Page 347; assignment from Bank of America, N.A. successor by merger to BAC Home Loans Servicing, LP fka Countrywide Home Loans Servicing, LP to Homeward Residential, Inc. fka American Home Mortgage Servicing, Inc. dated October 29, 2012 recorded in Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 49979, Page 322; assignment from Homeward Residential Inc., fka American Home Mortgage Servicing, Inc. to Ocwen Loan Servicing, LLC dated June 21, 2013 recorded in Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 51199, Page 44; assignment from Ocwen Loan Servicing, LLC to Nationstar Mortgage LLC dated August 7, 2014 recorded in Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 52953, Page 176 and assignment from Nationstar Mortgage LLC to Specialized Loan Servicing LLC dated January 26, 2018 recorded in Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 58370, Page 72, for breach of conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, the mortgaged premises located at 38 Rawson Road, Webster, MA 01570 will be sold at a Public Auction at 2:00 PM on June 11, 2018, at the mortgaged premises, more particularly described below, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit:

A certain lot or parcel of land with any buildings thereon, being shown as Lot 3W on a Plan entitled "Plan of Land in Webster, Mass. Prepared for Francis J. Rudzinski and Philip M. Schwartz, "Scale: 1" = 60', dated October 17, 1989 by Schofield Brothers, Inc., Professional Land Surveyors & Engineers, 626 Main Street, Bolton, Mass. 01740, and recorded in the Worcester District Registry of Deeds, Plan Book 633, Plan 96.

Beginning at a point on the westerly side of Rawson Road, it being the northeasterly angle of the parcel herein described:

Thence S. 20 32' 35" E, 185.23 feet to a drill hole;

Thence S. 20 06' 37" E, 19.52 feet to a point;

Thence S. 40 20' 00" W, 172.47 feet

to a point; Thence N. 29 14' 41" W, 311.58 feet to a point;

Thence N. 75 01' 42" E, 198.90 feet to the point of beginning.

Said parcel contains 1.04 acres of land, more or less, and reserving the fee in the parcel lying southerly of the

premises.
For mortgagor's title see deed recorded with the Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 26896, Page 311.

The property will be sold subject to redemption rights in favor of the Internal Revenue Service by virtue of the lien(s) recorded in Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 57432, Page 324.

The premises will be sold subject to any and all unpaid taxes and other municipal assessments and liens, and subject to prior liens or other enforceable encumbrances of record entitled to precedence over this mortgage, and subject to and with the benefit of all easements, restrictions, reservations and conditions of record and subject to all tenancies and/or rights of parties in possession.

Terms of the Sale: Cash, cashier's or certified check in the sum of \$5,000.00 as a deposit must be shown at the time and place of the sale in order to qualify as a bidder (the mortgage holder and its designee(s) are exempt from this requirement); high bidder to sign written Memorandum of Sale upon acceptance of bid; balance of purchase price payable in cash or by certified check in thirty (30) days from the date of the sale at the offices of mortgagee's attorney, Korde & Associates, P.C., 900 Chelmsford Street, Suite 3102, Lowell, MA 01851 or such other time as may be designated by mortgagee. description for the premises contained in said mortgage shall control in the event of a typographical error in this

publication.
Other terms to be announced at the sale.
Specialized Loan Servicing, LLC Korde & Associates, P.C.
900 Chelmsford Street
Suite 3102
Lowell, MA 01851
(978) 256-1500
Bianchi, Scott S., 17-028180

(SEAL)

May 11, 2018

May 18, 2018

May 25, 2018

June 1, 2018

COMMONWEALTH OF
MASSACHUSETTS
LAND COURT
DEPARTMENT OF THE TRIAL
COURT

18 SM 002943

ORDER OF NOTICE

TO:
Barbara Forsyth Individually and
as Personal Representative of
the Estate of Timothy Forsyth
aka Timothy O. Forsyth; Brandon
Forsyth

and to all persons entitled to the benefit of the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act:, 50 U.S.C.c. 50 §3901 (et seq):

Ditech Financial LLC fka Green Tree Servicing LLC

claiming to have an interest in a Mortgage covering real property in Dudley, numbered 17 Southbridge Road, Unit 6F, aka Unit 6, Dudley Place Condominium given by **Timothy** Forsyth to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for RBMG, Inc., its successors and assigns, dated October 17, 2002 and recorded with the Worcester **County (Worcester District) Registry** of Deeds at Book 27806, Page 334 and now held by plaintiff by assignment has/have filed with this court a complaint for determination of Defendant's/ Defendants' Servicemembers status. If you now are, or recently have been, in the active military service of the United States of America, then you may be entitled to the benefits of the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act. If you object to a foreclosure of the above-mentioned property on that basis, then you or your attorney must file a written appearance and answer in this court at Three Pemberton Square, Boston, MA 02108 on or before June 25, 2018 or you will be forever barred from claiming that you are entitled to the benefits of said Act. Witness, JUDITH C. CUTLER Chief Justice of this Court on May 10, 2018 Attest:

**Deborah J. Patterson** *Recorder* (18-000578 Orlans)

A.C.116A

June 1, 2018

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS WORCESTER, SS PROBATE COURT

18E0061QC

To Jackson Nation Life Insurance Co. of Lansing in the State of Michigan A petition has been presented to said Court by Edith E. Hucksam, Personal Representative of the Estate of Lois M. Hucksam, praying said Court to Order the distribution of the annuity proceeds to the estate.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Worcester

before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the nineteenth day of June 2018, the return day of this citation.

Witness Leilah A. Keamy, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this seventeenth day of May 2018.

Stephanie K. Fattman Register

June 1, 2018

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
WORCESTER Division
Docket No. 18E0011QC
SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION
Robert Eichinger, Plaintiff

Laurie Lake Amie Ferrante, Defendant

To the above named Defendant: A Complaint has been presented to this Court by the Plaintiff, Robert Eichinger, seeking Complaint in Equity.

You are required to serve upon Robert Eichinger plaintiff(s) - whose address is 26 High Street- Spencer- MA 01562 your answer on or before July 24, 18. If you fail to do so, the court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer in the office of the Register of this Court at Worcester. Witness, Leilah A Keamy, E squire, First Justice of said Court at Worcester, this 9th day of May, 2018.

Stephanie K. Fattman Register of Probate

June 1, 2018

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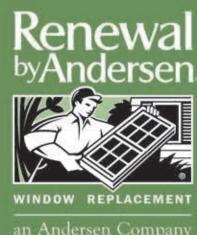
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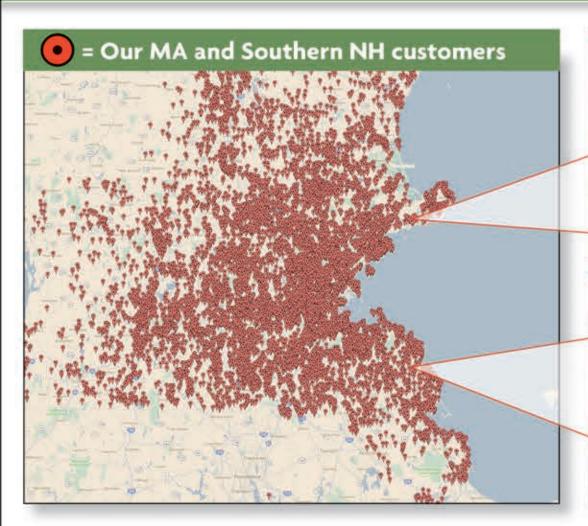
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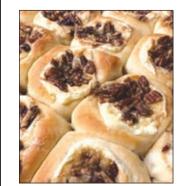
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## ENVIRONMENT

## The various ways going green saves consumers money

Many people adopt eco-friendly practices in an effort to protect and preserve the planet. But going green can be as good for adults' pocketbooks as it is for the planet.

People who start making concerted efforts to go green are often surprised to learn the myriad ways they are suddenly saving money. While finances might not be the primary motivator that compels people to start living more eco-friendly lifestyles, recognizing the many ways that going green can save consumers money might be just what people need to keep them on track in their efforts to help the planet.

#### ON THE ROAD

Drivers who alter their driving habits can save money in various ways. Defensive driving has long been touted as the safest way to take to the road, but such an approach to driving also can be financially savvy. Drivers who do not frequently accelerate or stop suddenly can conserve fuel, saving them money at the filling station. In addition, following manufacturer-recommended maintenance guidelines can ensure all vehicle components are operating smoothly. That means the engine does not have to work as hard as it would if a vehicle was poorly maintained, thereby conserving fuel.

#### **LIGHTING**

Household lighting is another area where consumers can protect the planet and save money at the same time. According to the U.S. Department of Energy, Energy Star®-qualified LED lights consume just 20 to 25 percent of the energy used by incandescent bulbs, all the while lasting as much as 25 times longer than incandescents. That saves men and women money on their energy bills. While LED lights are more expensive to purchase than many of the



Furnishing a home with antiques can protect the planet and may even save homeowners money.

alternatives, their long life expectancy means consumers can expect to see returns on that investment long before the bulbs are no longer functional.

#### **FURNISHINGS**

Another way to go green and save money is to forgo new furnishings for used furniture or antiques. Some antiques might prove more expensive than brand new items, but savvy shoppers can likely find older, less costly items for a fraction of the price of brand new furnishings. Buying used furniture or antiques reduces landfill waste and cuts back on manufacturing, packaging and transportation, each of which can take a toll on the planet. Consumers who need new furnishings for their homes also can look for prod-

ucts made of recycled materials, which reduces landfill waste, or items made from eco-friendly materials that grow quickly, thereby reducing the need for pesticides.

Going green is a commendable way to live and safeguard the planet. Adopting such a lifestyle also can be a great way to save money.

# How drivers can make road trip season more eco-friendly



Many drivers anxiously await the arrival of spring, when they can rev their engines and enjoy the burgeoning greenscapes synonymous with the season. Though the colors of fall foliage might be more closely associated with road trips, many drivers enjoy the first few warm days of spring when they get a chance to hit the open road with their windows down for the first time in months.

Driving is not always the most eco-friendly activity. However, there are various ways to enjoy spring road trips without compromising the environment.

· Do not idle your vehicle. When engines are running but cars are not moving, this is referred to as "idling." It's hard to blame drivers for idling their vehicles in winter, when many motorists try to warm up their engines and their vehicles' interiors so their morning commutes are as comfortable as possible. Idling cars might not be moving, but they are still burning fuel, meaning drivers who routinely idle their vehicles are adversely affecting fuel efficiency. It's also important to note that idling is no longer necessary in modern vehicles. That's because the electronic fuel injection systems in today's cars require just a few seconds to get full oil pressure throughout the engine. Such systems were not present in older vehicles.

• Take it easy on the road. Road trips tend to be more enjoyable and are certainly safer when drivers take their time and don't rush to their destination. And driving slowly happens to be more eco-friendly as well. According to the online automotive resource Edmunds. com, gently gaining speed is much more fuel-efficient than accelerating quickly. Always obey speed limits and avoid quickly accelerating when stoplights turn green.

• Empty the trunk. During winter, many drivers understandably carry some extra items in their trunk to: account for inclement weather. Keeping: ice scrapers, extra coolant or even a snow shovel in the trunk might make sense for drivers who live in regions: that routinely encounter heavy snowfall. When spring arrives, drivers should: remove any unnecessary items from: their trunks. Such items will increase: the weight of the vehicle, thereby reducing its fuel efficiency. Athletes and outdoors enthusiasts should also remove: golf bags and sporting equipment from: their trunks when taking trips where such items won't be needed.

• Don't top off at the gas pump. Many drivers, especially those on road trips who want to avoid extra tops at the filling station, top off their gas tanks when nozzles shut off automatically. Such a practice is harmful to the planet and may not be doing your vehicle any favors, either. The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency notes gasoline needs some extra room in gas tanks to expand. Without that extra room, the gas may evaporate into the vehicle's vapor collection system, adversely affecting emissions and potentially damaging the vehicle.

Motorists can employ several simple strategies to make spring road trip season more eco-friendly.

# Saving bees one hive at a time: The basics of backyard beehives



Scientists and environmentalists have been warning the public for years that honeybees are disappearing at alarming rates. Scientists were initially uncertain in regard to what was decimating bee populations. Even though no single cause is to blame, data has pointed to pesticide use and the mysterious colony collapse disorder, which is a name given to the dwindling colonies seen around the world.

National Geographic News says bees are essential because of their roles as pollinators. Agriculture industries rely on honeybees, especially managed honeybees, to keep commercial crops pollinated and productive. Estimates indicate that roughly one-third of U.S. crops rely on honeybees — accounting for more than \$15 billion in crop production. Without bees, the costs of everything from blueberries to apples to broccoli would rise, as farmers would have to use a different, more expensive pollination method.

Even though backyard beehives or bee farms may not be crucial to consumer agriculture, bringing healthy colonies back to various areas is beneficial to the environment overall. The art of beekeeping has become an important endeavor, and just about anyone with some time and resources can start their own apiary.

• Start by studying bees. Interested beekeepers can begin their journey by reading all they can on beekeeping. The American Bee Journal or backyard beekeeping books and articles are great places to start. Local beekeeping associations also are invaluable resources for information on local bee species and traits.

• Know the laws. It's important to get the go-ahead from local authorities before introducing bees into the community. By checking city or town ordinances, potential beekeepers will know how many hives are allowed and which type of property sizes are amenable and allowable.

• Get the right supplies. Research can help prospective beekeepers understand the type of equipment they will need. One can purchase this equipment, but some beekeeping organizations may be willing to lend or rent it to interested parties. Hive boxes, bottom boards, a veil, a jacket, a smoker, and a top feeder

are just some of the supplies needed.

Order bees. Bees can be acquired from other beekeeping enthusiasts or can be ordered online. The bees will need to consist of the queen, drones and worker bees. According to the resource Bees Brothers, a starter set of bees is called a "nuc." Bee suppliers start selling in the winter for spring swarms.

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• Place the hive. It's important to set up hives away from foot traffic. In addition, face hives away from strong winds, with the ideal directions being east and south. Hives need sunshine and some shade on summer afternoons, advises BackYardHive.

With time, homeowners can become successful beekeepers and do their part to replenish much-needed bee colonies.

## ENVIRONMENT

## 3 easy ways ordinary citizens can help the world's oceans every day

Superhero movies are as popular as ever. But one need not don a cape or hone a superpower to save the planet. In fact, the planet can benefit greatly if enough ordinary citizens simply take up the fight to protect

Rising carbon levels in the atmosphere have destabilized ecosystems across the globe, and the world's oceans are under attack. A 2014 report from the World Wildlife Fund noted that 39 percent of marine wildlife had disappeared in the 40 years preceding the report's release. In addition, the WWF notes that 27 percent of the world's coral reefs, which are home to one-fourth of all known marine fish species, have been lost. If the current rates of coral reef destruction continue, more than 60 percent of the reefs will be gone in the next three decades. And that depletion won't just affect scuba divers impressed by the stunning beauty of coral reefs, as the WWF notes that coral reef fisheries across the globe account for billions of dollars of revenue each year.

Saving the world's oceans and the marine life that call these oceans home may seem like a daunting task. However, ordinary citizens who may otherwise feel powerless in the face of climate change can do many things to help protect the world's oceans.

1. Cut back on energy consumption.

Carbon dioxide levels in the atmosphere are on the rise, and one source of that increase is the burning of fossil fuels to create heat and electricity. Automobiles also are responsible for the burning of fossil fuels. As carbon dioxide levels in the atmosphere rise, so, too, do temperatures in the sea and sea levels. Rising sea temperatures and sea levels threaten the lives of many marine species. Men and women can reduce their daily energy consumption by taking public transportation to work, shutting lights off in their home when they leave a room and unplugging appliances when they aren't using them. Such efforts are simple, but when practiced on a wide scale by millions of men and women across the globe, their impact can be profound.

2. Stop relying on plastic. According to the Plastic Oceans® Foundation, more than eight million tons of plastic are dumped into the world's oceans every year, and estimates suggest that roughly 50 percent of plastic is used just once and thrown away. The dumping of plastic into the ocean poses a serious threat to both marine life and human beings. Plastic Oceans notes that 70 percent of the oxygen humans breathe is produced



by marine plants, which are under attack as more and more plastic finds its way into the world's oceans. Men and women can do their part to cut back on the plastic finding its way into the oceans by relying more on reusable products, such as cloth grocery bags and reusable water bottles.

3. Get educated and spread the word.

One of the best ways to protect

oceans today and in the future is to educate yourself and speak up about the problems facing marine life and their habitats. Though the problems facing the world's oceans are daunting and numerous, and threaten the way humans live their lives, they are not irreversible. Learning about these problems through organizations such as Plastic Oceans and the WWF and encouraging young people, who will be forced to confront

ocean pollution and its effects in the decades to come, to follow suit can create a healthier future for humans and marine life alike.

These are just three ways ordinary citizens can take action and start reversing the damage done to the world's oceans over the last half century. More information can be found at www.wwf.panda.org and www.plasticoceans.org.

## Go green when spending time 10 most collected items during outdoors this summer



The great outdoors beckons people year-round. But nature is especially enticing in summer, when warm weather compels people to leave their couches and soak up some sun.

Spending time outdoors is rewarding, and it can be even more so when men and women take steps to make their outdoor recreation as eco-friendly as possible. Whether it's choosing certain activities or taking other measures, there are various ways to go green when spending time outdoors this summer and beyond.

Leave the car at home. Americans and Canadians consume more gasoline per capita than any people in the world. According to data from the U.S. Energy Information Administration and the United Nations, Americans consume 4.39 liters of gasoline per capita each day, while Canadians consume 3.62 liters per capita each day. In lieu of driving everywhere this summer, men and women who want to be more mindful of the environment can leave their cars home more frequently. Rather

than driving the family to a nearby ice cream stand, walk or bike there instead. Run as many errands on foot or on a bicycle as possible. Walking or cycling is a great way to get some time outdoors on warm summer days, and reducing fuel consumption is an equally great way to help the planet.

· Embrace eco-friendly activities. Various activities, from organic gardening to planting trees to beach cleanups, provide a great way to get outdoors and help the planet at the same time. Men and women who grow their own vegetables can take solace knowing that the vegetables they're eating each night did not require the depletion of any natural resources to go from garden to table. Signing up for beach cleanups can prevent trash, including harmful plastics, from making its way into the world's oceans, and such cleanups provide a great excuse to go to the beach.

Outdoor enthusiasts can make their summers more rewarding by taking steps to be as eco-friendly as possible when spending time outdoors.

# worldwide coastal cleanup



According to Ocean Conservancy, an organization devoted to creating science-based solutions for healthy oceans and the wildlife and communities that depend on them, more than 18 million pounds of trash were collected from 112 countries during its 2016 International Coastal Cleanup. More than 13 million items, which included eight microwaves, 15 brooms, 56 toilets, and even one piano, were collected during the cleanup. The following are the 10 most collected items during the 2016 cleanup. 1. Cigarette butts: 1,863,868

- 2. Plastic beverage bottles: 1,578,834
- 3. Plastic bottle caps: 822,227
- 4. Food wrappers: 762,353 5. Plastic grocery bags: 520,900
- 6. Plastic lids: 419,380
- 7. Straws/stirrers: 409,087 8. Glass beverage bottles: 390,468
- 9. Other plastic bags: 368,655

10. Foam take-away containers: 365,584 Those interested in the 2018

International Coastal Cleanup can visit www.oceanconservancy.org for more information.

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