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Outdoor activities canceled amid EEE concerns

BY GUS STEEVES
CORRESPONDENT

OXFORD – Following reports of EEE risk in the region and the town’s own “High-risk” rating by Massachusetts Department of Public Health, Oxford was sprayed for mosquitoes last week.

The plans were

announced at the Sept 10 selectmen’s meeting, after this paper’s deadline, by Board of Health chair Kerrie Singer and agent Tom Purcell. The BOH had voted the previous night to cancel all outdoor activities on town properties between 6 p.m. and 6 a.m., and notified residents using

the town’s reverse 911 system.

Singer said DPH recommends doing so before towns reach the “critical” level, which is defined as finding an actual human case of eastern equine encephalitis (EEE) in town.

As of Monday, Sept 16, eight people had

come down with the illness statewide. Federal data from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention show that only 73 people caught the illness nationwide between 2009-18 with 30 deaths. CDC notes infections result in illness only about 5 percent of the time, and most ill-

nesses occur in people under the age of 15 or over 50.

EEE manifests in two ways: systemic and encephalitic. The former lasts one to two weeks with symptoms that are largely flu-like, and “recovery is complete when there is no central nervous system involve-

ment.” The latter, however, shows more severe symptoms, including restlessness, anorexia, irritability, vomiting, diarrhea, convulsions and coma. It can be fatal, usually within two to 10 days, and survivors may have lasting brain issues including personality

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Caissie nominated for Dudley Court post



Jennie Caissie

BY JASON BLEAU
CORRESPONDENT

BOSTON – The lone Republican member of the Governor’s Council in Boston, which vets and confirms the judicial nominees set forth by

the governor, has been nominated by the Governor and Lieutenant Governor to serve as clerk magistrate of the Dudley District Court.

Gov. Charlie Baker and Lt. Gov. Karyn Polito have tapped Oxford lawyer Jennie Caissie to serve the local court with her confirmation hearing having been set for Wednesday, Sept. 18, after our press deadline for this week’s edition.

Caissie has served on the Governor’s Council since 2011. A 1995 graduate of Assumption College, Caissie has practiced criminal and civil law since 1998, the same year she earned a degree from New England School of Law. She received her MBA from Nichols College in 2000 and

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ST. JOSEPH STUDENTS HONOR VICTIMS OF SEPT. 11 ATTACKS



Courtesy Photo

St. Joseph School students gathered on Sept. 11 to honor the memory of those who were lost, as well as rekindle the spirit of unity and compassion that swept our nation after the tragedy. Mrs. Lefebvre’s Seventh Grade Class led a beautiful prayer service, that included reading the names of each Massachusetts resident that perished in the attacks and reciting a decade of the rosary. In addition, Fifth Grade Teacher, Ms. Kelly Bailey led the school in song with her beautiful renditions of “America the Beautiful” and “God Bless the U.S.A.”

Car seat technicians take pressure off new parents

BY JASON BLEAU
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OXFORD – Over the last few decades, the Oxford Fire Department has worked hard to provide several needs for the community at larger by increasing personnel, services and even its own facility. Among those offerings is one that seems like a simple service, but it’s an important one especially for new parents in an advanced age of child safety in vehicles.

Over the past few years, the Oxford Fire Department has worked to increase their staff of certified car seat technicians with five firefighters and paramedics now certified to help parents learn the basics of car seat safety and installation. Acting Fire Chief John Belanger said this service has been in high demand over the years especially as car seats have



Jason Bleau Photo

(From left) Acting Oxford Fire Chief John Belanger and department car seat technicians Ben Lewis, Brandon Andexler and Captain Ken Sellers.

become more advanced and with the police department unable to provide the service to the capacity it used to, the fire department worked to serve the need.

“The police department used to do it as well, but it’s not something they’re able to continue to do. So,

we only had one car seat technician intown. I asked for a volunteer from each working group to go to the class. I now have a car seat technician on hand most of the time. A lot of times it’s a last-minute thing like when someone is going into

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“The whole planet is really haunted”

PAUL ENO TALKS ABOUT LIFE AS A PARANORMAL HUNTER

BY GUS STEEVES
CORRESPONDENT

WEBSTER – To Paul Eno, there’s definitely far more out there than meets the eye. But some of it will throw things at you.

Eno, a Catholic and Orthodox seminarian turned journalist, is also a paranormal investigator. Unlike those he once studied with, though, he doesn’t see odd happenings as being “demonic” in many cases, nor are they fraudulent, as many skeptics assert.

While some may be those things, Eno thinks modern quantum physics might explain others, particularly the ideas of multiple universes in which there are “very, very different laws of physics” and all time as concurrent, not linear.

“The whole planet is really haunted,” he observed,

although some areas are more so than others. Those areas “were well known to our ancestors,” and many have been sacred or feared, or both, for millennia.

He spoke last weekend at Booklovers’ Gourmet about his work and his most recent book “Dancing Past the Graveyard.” He also co-hosts a radio show and podcast called “Behind the Paranormal” with his brother, Ben.

As an example of the time concept, he talks about investigating a house in York Harbor, Maine, after talking to a girl who’d told her friends to stop there because it was “her house.” When she went to the door and knocked, the owners, a childless couple, were shocked to meet her ... because they’d seen her “in transparent

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YOUTH ADVISORY COUNCIL
Monday September 16, 5:00PM-6:00PM
What would you like to see in the library? What kind of programs do you want? Pizza and drinks will be served. Free. No registration required.

FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY FALL BOOK SALE
October 18-19, during Library hours
The Friends will hold their Fall book sale at the Library, Friday October 18 10:00AM-5:00PM and Saturday October 19 10:00AM-2:00PM. Special preview for Friends members is Thursday October 17 from 5:00PM-8:00PM. Children's books, paperbacks, DVDs, cookbooks, fiction and nonfiction of all kinds.

PANIC IN CONNECTICUT: ACCUSED WITCHES HAVE THEIR SAY
Monday September 23, 7:00PM-7:45PM
Travel back to the 17th century and hear what five women accused of witchcraft have to say. Actress Virginia Wolf brings them to life, fully costumed, fully incensed, fully frightened. This painstakingly researched one-woman show sheds light on the society that condemned so-called witches to death thirty years before the trials in Salem. Free. No registration required. Children under 12 must be accompanied by an adult.

MY LIFE, MY HEALTH: CHRONIC DISEASE MANAGEMENT
Thursday September 26, 1:00PM-3:00PM
Tri-Valley Inc will lead this six-week series of workshops for adults who are living with the challenges of one or more chronic conditions or caring for a person with a chronic illness. Participants will learn techniques for dealing with issues such as pain, fatigue, difficult emotions, and depression and anxiety. Free. Refreshments provided. Registration required – space is limited.

GENEALOGY GROUP: USING THE LIBRARY'S GENEALOGY RESOURCES
Thursday September 26, 6:00PM-7:30PM
George Martin will review the library's genealogy resources including Ancestry.com and HeritageQuest Online. Free. Registration is available, drop-ins are welcome.

FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY BAUBLES AND BLING SALE
Saturday December 7, 10:00AM-2:00PM
The Friends of the Library will hold a sale of costume jewelry, jewelry boxes, and other surprises. Have some gently used jewelry or jewelry boxes that you don't know what to do with? Bring them to the Library before December 1st and donate them to the Friends!

Tickets available for Women's Club Fall Fashion Show

WEBSTER — St. Joseph Women's Club will be hosting its annual fundraiser event on Sunday, Nov. 10 in the Richard A. Nowak gymnasium, St. Joseph School, Webster.
This year's event is "Fall into Fashion," with fashions provided by Coco's Cottage, Woodstock, Conn. and Macy's, Auburn Mall. President Felicia Kolodziejczak is General Chairman.
Doors will open at 10:30 a.m. with vendor shopping available till 3 p.m. A brunch buffet will be served from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., followed by the Fashion

Show at 1 p.m.
An attendance prize will be awarded and you can take chances on the many wonderful prizes with our special raffle. Donna Recko and Denise Gorski are raffle chairmen.
Once again, we will be holding a lottery raffle. Chances are \$10 each for a chance to win a book of \$5 scratch tickets. Chairmen are Helen Baldowski, Anna Kudron and Marie Adams.
Your favorite vendors will be returning along with a few new ones. Space is limited so if you are interest-



ed you may contact Esther Lesse, 508-943-1830 email eelesse@gmail.com or Jill Manak, 508-943-1810 email jmanak2@gmail.com
Tickets for the event are on sale at \$25 before Oct. 1 and \$30 after Oct. 1. To purchase tickets, contact Jo-Ann Canty, 508-943-8587 email jijop09@msn.com or Connie Favreau, 508-943-8293 email confav@aol.com.
The St. Joseph Women's Club, founded in 1953, was established to benefit students, and Felician Sisters of St. Joseph School. Proceeds from this fundraiser will help provide funding to meet our goals.

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served as a selectman in Oxford from 1997 through 2000, and again from 2003 through 2013.
Caissie's nomination is not a surprise as rumors of her interest in the position and the Governor's interest in nominating her have circulated for some time making headlines in numerous publications throughout the commonwealth. Gloucester Democratic Councilor Eileen Duff was to head Caissie's confirmation hearing as voted by the Governor's Council as normal rules would otherwise have Caissie presiding over her own confirmation hearing. Caissie informed the council that

she will resign if confirmed. She was not present for the council's meeting on Sept. 11 seeing her nomination as a conflict of interest. In addition, the case against Cassie's husband, Burke Desautels, stemming from an alleged drunk driving incident in Webster in April has been moved to a court in Palmer for further proceedings to eliminate any conflict of interest concerning Caissie's nomination for the Dudley District Court position according to the Boston Herald.
In a prepared statement to the media Governor Baker called Caissie an accomplished attorney worthy of the nomination.
"Attorney Caissie's public service experience and career in criminal and civil law will bring sound legal insights to the Dudley District Court," said the Governor.

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labor," Chief Belanger said.
Brandon Andexler and Ben Lewis, each with around two years of service to the Oxford Fire Department, were among those trained to serve as car seat technicians. While it might seem like a quick, easy and simple responsibility on the surface both men see it as an important service they are providing to make sure parents are educated and kids are truly secure in these seats.
"Our goal is to educate the parent or guardian on how to properly install the seat. We want them to understand how to install the seats themselves in case they have to change vehicles," Brandon Andexler said.
"The multi-day program gave us a broad knowledge of the different brands and different kinds of car seats. We also learned about how different ages need to be accommodated," Ben Lewis added.
"It just helps us gain the knowledge to answer whatever questions parents have and to access the resources we need for proper seat choices and ever recalls if need be."

"It's gotten more and more common. The car seats are much more technical than they were, say, 20 years ago. Parents are having a harder time installing these things but now they can come here, see any one of us and we can help them. It's just one more way we can interact with and provide a service to the public," Captain Sellers said.
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Bay Path Nursing grads pass national licensure exam



Kindra Gould



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CHARLTON — Ten of Bay Path RVTHS Practical Nursing Academy’s recent Practical Nursing graduates successfully passed the National Council Licensure Examination (NCLEX-PN). The successful graduates include Emma Fahey, LPN of Southbridge; Kindra Gould, LPN of Oxford; Chevez Harris, LPN of New Britain, Conn.; Gideon Mendza, LPN of Cherry Valley; Erik Olson, LPN of Sturbridge; Edgine Pierre Paul, LPN of Dudley; Ashley Rivera, LPN of Webster; Alisha Warren, LPN of Charlton; and James Karuri, LPN and James Wachira, LPN, both of Worcester, Mass., all from PN Class of 2019.

“I’m proud of the accomplishments of PN Class of 2019 and this is a testament to what hard work and commitment does,” said Gretheline Bolandrina,

MSN Ed, RN, CRRN Bay Path Practical Nursing Academy Director. “I also applaud and thank the faculty and staff for a job well done including the Bay Path community for their strong support.”

According a Gallup Poll (ethics survey) released this year, nursing remains number one on the list for the most trusted profession. It has been listed as the number one most trusted profession for 17 consecutive years. The annual poll of Americans found that 84 percent of respondents rated the honesty and ethical standards of nurses as high or very high. Medical doctors were ranked second at 67 percent and pharmacists third at 66 percent.

“I strongly believe nursing is a noble profession and a calling that a student must be inspired to do,” said Bolandrina.

“Our faculty and staff ensure that each graduate is a compassionate, competent, and caring nurse. A real-world ready nurse prepared to prevent illness, promote health, alleviate suffering, and provide holistic healthcare.”


Bay Path RVTHS Practical Nursing Academy graduates go through a rigorous ten months of academics and clinicals encompassing 45 credits of courses from Issues and Trends in practical nursing, Principles of Nutrition, Pharmacology I and II, Fundamentals in practical nursing, Medical-Surgical nursing, Lifespan psychology, Care of Family including maternity, pediatrics, and geriatrics, and Transition into Nursing Practice. The Bay Path RVTHS Practical Nursing Academy celebrates ten years of practical nursing education. Established in 2008, from the PN Class of 2009 to PN Class of 2019 boasts more than 300 graduates.

At Bay Path RVTHS Practical Nursing Academy, the program is a 40-week, (10-month), full-time, Monday through Friday, evening program. The program begins mid-August and is completed in late June. Graduates receive a Practical Nursing Certificate and are eligible to take the NCLEX-PN licensure exam.



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High school freshmen inducted into Nichols Honors Academy



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Bartlett High School freshmen newly inducted into the Nichols Honors Academy, flanked by Jerry and Marilyn Fels (left) and Nichols College President Susan West Engelkemeyer, Ph.D.

DUDLEY — Nichols College inducted its newest class of high school students to the Nichols Honors Academy (NHA) on Sept. 12. NHA was launched in 2014, with funding from Jerry and Marilyn Fels, to encourage high school students to pursue higher education through college-level courses, activities, and responsibilities.

The inductees — 23 freshmen from Bartlett High School in Webster and 11 from Northbridge High School — toured the Nichols campus, where they will participate in workshops and experience college life over the next four years. Students will also have the opportunity to take college courses offered by Nichols.

During the ceremony, students were welcomed by Nichols President Susan West Engelkemeyer and Academic Affairs Vice President Mauri Pelto, who urged this newest cohort to challenge themselves and invest time in courses

where they find the most passion.

This year’s inductees were also joined by their predecessors — sophomores from Northbridge, which is in its second year of NHA and seniors from Bartlett, which is in its fifth year. The seniors were recognized in a closing ceremony.

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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. The Webster Senior Center offers a SHINE Counselor. Dates and times may vary. Please call The Webster Senior Center (508) 949-3845 to make an appointment.

FREE Blood Pressure Screening on the second Thursday of every month at 10:30 am. Sponsored by Webster Manor. SNAP: A representative from SNAP (Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program) will be at the Webster Senior Center every Tuesday. The representative will be here from 10:00 am-11:00 am. Travel Event- Tuesday, September 17th from 10:00 am- 12:00 pm. Do not miss this FREE presentation on Cruising and a special offer for your next unforgettable vacation. Sponsored by Norwegian Cruise Line and AAA Travel. Mondays: Knitting/Crocheting Social 10:00 am- 12:00 pm Monday: Exercise Classes with Forty Arroyo – Chair Dancing 10:00-11:00 am. Move While U Groove (dance fitness) 11:30 am-12:30 pm. Cost: \$3.00 each class Wednesday: Exercise Classes with

Forty Arroyo - Chair Dancing 10:00-11:00 am. Move While U Groove (dance fitness) 11:30-12:30 pm. Cost: \$3.00 each class Friday: Exercise Classes with Forty Arroyo - Chair Dancing 10:00-11:00 am. Move While U Groove (dance fitness) 1:00 – 2:00 pm. Cost: \$3.00 each class. 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. 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. Mahjongg Group: Interested in learning how to play Mahjongg? We have players that are willing to teach you

how! They meet on Wednesdays at 1:00 pm. Call or stop by the Senior Center for more information. 13-Card Pitch: Thursdays at 1:00 pm 9-Card Pitch: Fridays at 1:00 pm 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. *The Webster Senior Center will gladly accept gently used medical equipment (NO commodes) in good condition that’s CLEANED prior to being donated. Please call the senior center before dropping off items. 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.

POLICE LOGS

Webster police log

WEBSTER — The Webster Police Department reported the following arrests during the week of Sept. 8-14. John Joseph Adams, age 36, of Webster was arrested on Sept. 8 for Possession of a Class A Drug and Receiving Stolen Property valued at more than \$1,200. Jaime C. Moehring, age 27, of Charlton was arrested on Sept. 8 for Speeding in Violation of a Special Regulation and

Operating Under the Influence of Alcohol. Ryan A. Tracanna, age 28, of Webster was arrested on Sept. 9 in connection with a warrant. Maritza Colon, age 38, of Webster was arrested on Sept. 9 in connection with a warrant. Jaycob Keevan, age 20, of Dudley was arrested on Sept. 10 in connection with a warrant. Melissa Milligan, age 34, of Webster was arrested on Sept. 10 for Disorderly Conduct (subsequent offense), Disturbing the Peace (subsequent offense),

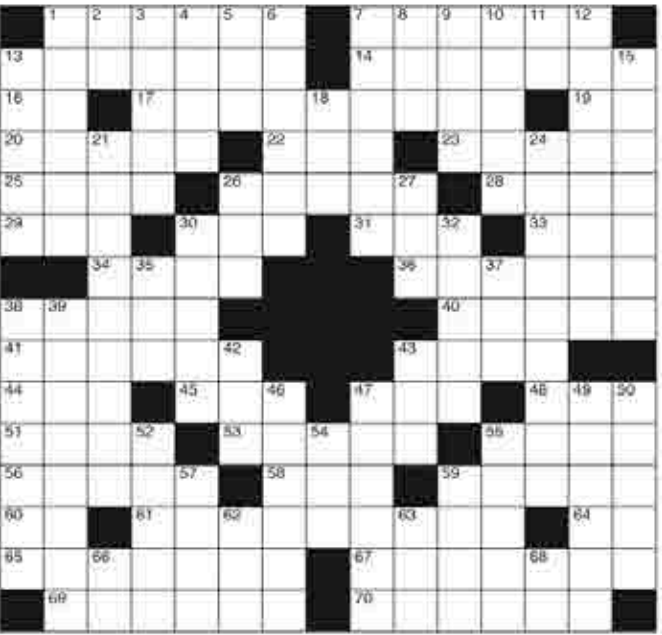
making a Bomb or Hijacking Threat, Misdemeanor Breaking & Entering, and Possession of Self-Defense Spray by a Felon. Tobias Parent, age 49, of Woodstock, Conn. was arrested on Sept. 11 for Failure to Register as a Sex Offender. Chad J. Ford, age 39, of Dudley was arrested on Sept. 13 for Operating Under the Influence of Alcohol, Negligent Operation of a Motor Vehicle, and a Marked Lines Violation. Vidalito Mercado, age 32, of Webster was arrested on Sept.

13 for Assault with a Dangerous Weapon, Negligent Operation of a Motor Vehicle, Disorderly Conduct, Disturbing the Peace, and Resisting Arrest. Sandra L. Kuszewski, age 47, of Dudley was arrested on Sept. 13 for Operating Under the Influence of Alcohol, Negligent Operation of a Motor Vehicle, a Motor Vehicle Lights Violation, and Destruction of Property valued at less than \$1,200. Joseph Luis Melendez, age 34, of Webster was arrested on

Sept. 14 in connection with a Probable Cause warrant from another agency.

Dudley police log

DUDLEY — The Dudley Police Department reported only one arrest during the week of Sept. 6-13. Lyanna M. Rose, age 20, of Lincoln, R.I. was arrested on Sept. 12 for Misuse of, or possession of a false, liquor ID card or license.



CLUES ACROSS

1. Study of sight

7. Becomes less intense

13. Juicy, soft fruit

14. A great ape

16. All-time NY Giants great

17. Big Apple native

19. Home of the Flyers (abbr.)

20. People stand in them

22. Automotive legend Iacocca

23. Influential linguist

25. ___ and Andy, TV show

26. Wives (law)

28. Discriminating

29. Star Wars hero Solo

30. Married woman

31. A digital tape recording of sound

33. Chinese dialect

34. Angolan monetary unit

36. A type of sheen

38. "Ash Wednesday" poet

40. Nobel Prize-winning chemist

41. Spoke angrily

43. Separated with a tool

44. Relative biological effectiveness (abbr.)

45. Actors' group

47. A type of ship (abbr.)

48. Bar bill

51. Romanian city

53. Greek sorceress

55. Small water bird

56. Tropical Asian plants

58. "Unforgettable" singer

59. Belonging to a bottom layer

60. Potato state

61. A toy that spins

64. "A-Team" character

65. Ornamental molding

67. Covers again

69. Poets write them

70. Appear

CLUES DOWN

1. Popular mid-size Kia

2. Image management (abbr.)

3. Prongs

4. Cools

5. It produces milk

6. Trends

7. Concurred

8. Chinese cabbage ___ choy

9. Greek war god

10. Straits along the Red Sea

11. Railway

12. Washing with water

13. Supreme being

15. Ductless gland

18. Parts producer (abbr.)

21. Not arranged in a straight line

24. Red sweet peppers

26. Famed protest yacht

27. Drain

30. Distributes

32. Small, savory dishes

35. Web of Things (abbr.)

37. Defunct aerospace company

38. Lacking consistency

39. Type of retriever

42. Barrier

43. Senior officer

46. Categories

47. Call it a career

49. Suitable for growing crops

50. High jumping legend Iolanda

52. Hairy

54. Dish made with lentils

55. TNT broadcaster Craig

57. Used to align parts

59. Cold, dry Swiss wind

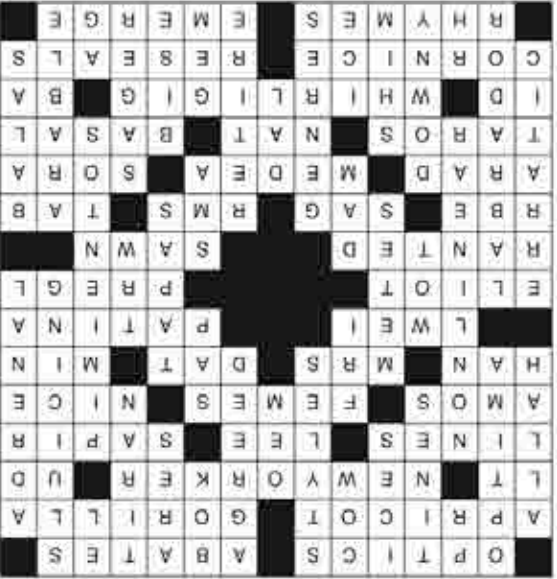
62. Water in the solid state

63. A great play

66. Atomic #45 (abbr.)

68. Big shot lawyer (abbr.)

PUZZLE SOLUTION



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disorders, seizures and paralysis, the CDC Web site states. Oxford was one of 57 communities being sprayed last week as part of the state's fourth round of spraying. Mass DPH ordered a fifth round for this week to cover a couple dozen more towns farther west. Starting Monday night, those included most of western Worcester County from North Brookfield south to the Connecticut line, plus parts of Hampshire and Hampden counties. The map is available at <https://massnrc.org/spray-map/HamHamWorSept2019.htm>, and is updated after each night's spraying flight. DPH uses an insecticide called Anvil 10+10, a combination of Sumithrin and piperonyl butoxide. According to its safety data sheet, it is an aquatic toxin (far more dangerous to fish than mammals based on the dosages cited for the LC-50), is non-carcinogenic but has never been tested for genotoxicity or mutagenicity, is dangerous to humans when inhaled or by skin contact, is not soluble in water and binds to soil (a trait of persistent organic pollutants). It has many "no information available" entries in its list of physical and chemical



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Shepherd Hill students part of championship drum corps

MARION, Ind. — Students from Dudley and Charlton returned home this fall as World Champions after winning the title Aug. 8 as a member of the Spartans Drum and Bugle Corps at the Drum Corps International (DCI) Open Class World Championship Finals in Marion, Ind. This is the Spartans’ sixth world championship.

The Nashua, New Hampshire-based



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Spartans are one of 48 members of DCI that compete throughout the country each summer. In addition to their six world championship titles, the Spartans won the Bronze Medal in Open Class in 2015, and placed fifth in Open Class in 2016, 2017, and 2018.

The Spartans’ members affiliated with Shepherd Hill include Matt Mackay (Drum Major), Colin Plante (tuba), Allison Donais (trumpet), Timothy Berthiaume (baritone), Conrad Waack (trumpet), Adam Taylor (trumpet), Piotr Skocylas (trumpet), Emma Dix (mellophone), Owen Doyle (back field conductor), Sam Bodo (front ensemble), Keyla Torres (color guard), Heidi Cueves (color guard), Allison Anger (color guard), Robin Awad (color guard). Staff at both Spartans and Shepherd Hill include Anthony Motesion, Julie Brown and Sean Coffey.

“Each year, I am more and more amazed at the group of young people we work with,” said Paul G. LaFlamme, Jr., president of the Spartans. “Their commitment, dedication, love of music and willingness to give up beach days and summer parties to work hard for 14 hours a day in the hot sun never ceases to amaze me. This year’s corps is no different – they worked hard, they left it all on the field, and together with our staff, they brought another World Championship home. I couldn’t be more proud of them all.”

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The world-famous Harlem Wizards will visit St. Joseph School on Friday, Sept. 20 at 6:30 p.m. for an evening of great fun and fundraising. The Wizards will play a game against a team of St. Joseph School administrators, teachers, and athletic coaches. Proceeds will benefit the students of St. Joseph School.

The event will feature a variety of fun interactive extras to complement the Wizards’ dazzling demonstration of hoops artistry: Pregame “Wiz Kids” warm-up, contests, comedy, awesome slam dunks, audience participation, merchandise giveaways, and more. The game will conclude with the Wizards’ signature dance extravaganza that will have the crowd on their feet!

“We are delighted to host the Wizards,” says St. Joseph School Principal, Michael Hackenson. “They are superb showmen who deliver fantastic all-ages entertainment for a great cause.”

Founded in 1962, the Wizards have played over 15,000 games throughout the US that have raised over \$25 million for schools and charitable causes. The Wizards have also played in over 25 foreign countries on five continents.

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You may purchase your tickets online by midnight Sept. 19 by going to www.sjs-webster.com or Harlemwizards.com. A limited number Courtside Plus tickets are also available online for \$30. Courtside Plus ticket holders are invited to a special Meet & Greet with the team at 5:30 p.m. on the night of the event. Doors open to the public at 5:30 p.m. Dinner items will be available for purchase in the Parish Center. We hope to see you there!

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Dudley focuses emergency preparedness on infrastructure

BY JASON BLEAU
CORRESPONDENT

DUDLEY – The town of Dudley will be utilizing a recently procured grant in order to help further enhance safety and preparedness in the case of natural disasters. During a Board of Selectman meeting on Monday, Sept. 9, Town Administrator Jonathan Ruda revealed that the community has received a Municipal Vulnerability Preparedness, or MVP, Grant from the state which will provide the town with a study of natural hazards with the focus on preparing for the next big storm or natural event. Dudley was one of several town effected by a tornado that tore through Southern Worcester County just over a year ago. “We will be able to promptly direct and identify immediate needs such as dams and storm water management based on this study. This will also allow us to apply for future grant funding which I’m told is very much available,” Ruda told selectmen. “I appreciate the efforts of a lot of our department heads who have sat in on some of these meetings as stakeholders and have been good sports right along.” The MVP Grant is a program provided at the state level geared towards helping towns and cities prepare for and adjust to the effects of climate change including an increase or shift in weather patterns. In June, Dudley was announced as one of numerous communities receiving the funds with the town’s share totaling \$15,000 for planning purposes. A second grant for “action” is also available at the state level. The MVP Grant is not the only funding source the town is seeking. Town Administrator Ruda noted that the town is seeking a second source of funding that would help with infrastructure improvements. “I’m working with our Town Planner and through the Central Massachusetts Regional Planning Commission (CMRPC) and our internal stakeholders to acquire a modest amount of grant money, about \$274,000, which will give us the opportunity to do a study and some infrastructure improvements in some of the low-income neighborhoods around town,” Ruda said. “The benefit of this grant is not so much the money, but it will put us in position to apply for future grants because the groundwork and the proposal has already been completed.” These grants combined are in line with the goals set over the past few years by the Board of Selectmen and Town Administrator Ruda, who served as a selectman until early-2019, to put a focus on improvements benefitting the safety, security and preparedness of the town.

Dudley looks to clean up Sayles Cemetery

BY JASON BLEAU
CORRESPONDENT

DUDLEY – A hidden and neglected cemetery has become a major focus for the town of Dudley over the past few months as town officials have set in motion plans to clean up the area and revitalize and piece of town history. Sayles Cemetery might not seem like much at first site, but the small property off of Blackmer Road is home to around 20 visible grave sites with death dates ranging from the 1820s through the 1930s. Michelle Jervis, the Administrative Secretary for the Board of Selectmen and Town Administrator, has been leading the charge to revitalize the cemetery and understand more about its longstanding connection to the community. Once thought to be a privately-owned plot, Jarvis and others quickly came to realize that the property is actually Dudley’s responsibility to maintain. “We went in to check it out, and there were around twenty stones there with names of families that are in the area. We always thought it was private land and that the abutting family owned the property and were never cleaning it up. A couple of the guys in town that were into the history of Dudley were looking for different things to delve into – We did some research and it is a very old cemetery. We went down to the assessor’s office and we didn’t know who owned it. We went back years and found out the family that owned the property had sold off pieces of land, but not the cemetery,” Jarvis said. Records from 2010 show that the property owners had attempted to turn over the land to the town, but the proposal was tabled and left unresolved. According to Massachusetts General Law, towns may take charge of the upkeep of abandoned or neglected cemeteries and that is just what Dudley is preparing to do.



File Photo

A file photo from the Dudley Town Hall shows the overgrowth in Sayles Cemetery.

“We’re going to go in there, clean it all up and maintain it,” Jarvis said. “Some of the stones are broken. There’s someone who repairs these stones out of Connecticut and I’m going to see if maybe we can bring in a grant to repair the stones or at least set them up nice.” The town has sent out notifications to abutters to make them aware of the situation and the plans to clear out and revitalize the cemetery property. Town Administrator Jonathan Ruda filled the Board of Selectmen in on the project during a meeting on Monday, Sept. 9, where he revealed the town will be working with Worcester County Sheriff Lew Evangelidis’ office to utilize a community service program to help clear and clean up the land. “It’s in rough shape, but there are some old stones in there. Our Highway Superintendent is willing to help get things cut down. We’ve talked to the Sheriff’s department and we’re going to have some inmates in there cleaning some debris out. I think we’ll make steady progress. It won’t be done in a year, but we’re going to make progress this fall,” Ruda said. The cemetery cleanup effort is expected to begin as early as next month.




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EDITORIAL

Why do we like being scared?

“IT: Chapter Two” was released on September 6 around the country. Anyone familiar with Stephen King’s horror novel, “IT,” published in 1986, knows all about Pennywise and red balloons. In Lancaster, the Rialto Theatre had some fun on the eve of the release by placing red balloons on gutters throughout town. The balloons are what Pennywise the clown uses to lure in his victims — and to frighten those who would dare to oppose him.

When our Editor was in high school, an attempt to read the original novel — which clocks in at a daunting 1,100 pages, give or take, depending on the edition in question — did not go so well. Being far too scared by the time we reached the third chapter, the book was closed and has been collecting dust since. As an avid reader of Dean Koontz, the thought of reading “IT” didn’t seem so scary at first. Suffice it to say, lesson very humbly learned.

When the film now known as “IT Chapter One” was released in 2016, our Editor took another stab (pun very much intended) at the story, this time via motion picture. Perhaps due to the 20-plus years of maturity between the attempt to read the novel and seeing the film, we must say, we did not find it nearly as scary. Disturbing, yes, but not scary.

A decision to forego seeing “IT Chapter Two” was made, for fear of being scared again; however, a recent trip to Bangor, Maine changed that.

It was coverage of a local fighter competing in an MMA brawl that led us to the hometown of Stephen King. The trip from New Hampshire to Maine was vast, with winding roads and was fairly vacant. Small towns were passed and if you blinked, you would miss them. Farm stands and old farm houses lined the roads and we could see why it would be the perfect place for an author to relax their minds, and get creative.

The morning following the fight, we embarked on a trip into downtown Bangor (which, incidentally, provided the inspiration for Derry, the fictional Maine town that serves as the backdrop for the events of “IT”). The interest to go and see Stephen King’s home wasn’t planned, it was more of a, ‘since we’re here’ type of situation. The downtown area was quaint, and had less people than one would think on a Sunday, sunny morning. King’s home was located just about a mile from the downtown area.

Anyone with any knowledge of the famous author could pick his house out right away. Red balloons celebrating the release of the new movie were seen swinging and bobbing from the tall black gates, with iron cobwebs and a bat at the top. Our first guess was that the balloons were placed by enthusiastic fans; however, a closer look and one will notice a red balloon inside the home, peeking from a window. Thank you, Stephen (or the home’s caretakers), for playing along.

A conversation with the Editor in Chief for Salmon Press provided us with the knowledge that King was working as an Associate Professor of English at the University of Maine, barely making ends meet, when his wife rescued the manuscript for his first published novel, “Carrie,” from the trash and sent it to Viking, his original publisher. The book became a phenomenon, and the rest, as the old saying goes, is history.

This left us pondering the question, Why do people like being scared? Human beings have been telling ghost stories around the campfire, jumping from cliffs for “the thrill of it,” or daring one another to explore the decrepit house at the end of Main Street that’s rumored to harbor restless spirits since the dawn of time, but why? There are some people who abhor being scared, and there are those who love nothing more. Horror has become fun and a

VIEWPOINT

Another election cycle is upon us

I’m writing to you this morning during a beautiful Labor Day weekend. So many are lamenting the end of summer, but I love the beauty and crispness of Fall. It is my favorite of the four seasons. The leaves on some trees are already turning and I love it all.

POSITIVELY SPEAKING

By GARY W. MOORE

un-civilized and shameful.

Let’s call for a different kind of boycott. Let’s boycott the intense anger at those who disagree. Instead, let’s all pull together this election season, regardless of where you lean and not allow the anger and vitriol to pull us under. Embrace those with a different opinion and you may learn something! As I have shared before, half of my friends lean left, and I love them. The other half lean right, and I love them too. I’m going to encourage you once again to love your friends and neighbors regardless of political leanings. Do not get into ideological arguments on social media, but if you do, please don’t unfriend your friend! Just ignore them until the dust clears. Remember, they are a friend for a reason ... keep them as a friend after the election. Life is too short and true friends are too precious to do otherwise.

Don’t let an election cycle define you as a person.

Work hard for your candidate. Donate money if you wish. Root for them as the night unfolds but when a winner is declared, accept the results of the will of your fellow citizens. The intelligence of our electorate has chosen candidates that have built the most successful nation in the history of mankind. Trust the will of the people. If a mistake is made, we’ll vote them out next time. Don’t allow an election to determine your happiness.

As I keep sharing with you ... regardless of who wins in 2020, the sun will rise the next morning. These United States of America will remain a beacon of democracy in a world looking to us for leadership. Rejoice in the fact we live in a country that allows “We the People,” the common citizen, to choose. I love my life in the greatest nation in the history of mankind. Please rejoice with me in the realization that no matter who wins or loses, the USA will continue to thrive.

May God help us through another election and continue to bless The United States of America.

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Traffic signal tips



CHIEF’S CORNER

STEVE WOJNAR

The subject of how to proceed at traffic signals is always a topic of discussion for this column. I was asked to explain a “red left turn arrow.” This type of signal can be found at many intersections for both right and left turns. The person inquiring wondered if these red arrows prohibit turns even without a sign present.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts Drivers Manual, provided by the Department of Transportation, specifically addresses red arrows. It states in part, “A steady red arrow means the same as a steady red, circular signal. This only applies to vehicles going in the direction of the arrow. Through traffic may have a green light allowing it to proceed as normal. If the intersection has a flashing red arrow, it is considered the same as a stop sign or flashing red signal. The rules for stops apply to all vehicles and the same rules for “turning on red” can be observed. However, when driving out-of-state, it is important to note this may be different. Other states can make their own rules regarding these signals.

Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 89 Section 8 is the law allowing a right turn, or a left turn in the case of a one-way street, at a red traffic signal. Unless it is otherwise posted at an intersection, vehicles may turn on red as long as they observe at least two provisions. First, the vehicle must come to a full and compete stop prior to the crosswalk or in the location where stopping is intended at the particular intersection. This can be the stop line. Second, the driver preparing to turn must yield the right of way to any vehicles or pedestrians traveling through the intersection as directed by the signals. Should an accident occur, it will most often be the fault of the person making this turn on red. It is important to remember signals at busy intersections are in place due to the heavy vehicle and/or pedestrian traffic. To disregard these signals, or not give them the appropriate attention, is a serious error. Pay attention to signs and postings at intersections which give instruction to drivers. There are many dangers which can approach from seemingly all directions. Extra precautions should be taken in all these places.


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.

For those of you who are dreading winter, allowing yourself to harbor bad feelings about what is to come will change nothing. It will not prevent the seasons from changing but only steals your enjoyment and peace. Instead, try to embrace and enjoy the change. Look around ... the colors, the aromas ... enjoy it all. To do otherwise changes nothing but will syphon your happiness. Please join me in welcoming and enjoying the coming change of seasons!

Speaking of changing seasons, the election season is now upon us. Yesterday, Arlene and I travelled to a nearby lake and enjoyed a beautiful lunch at an outside table on the water. It was a gorgeous day, watching boats with brightly colored sails maneuver silently and gracefully across the blue water. As we sat in peace, enjoying the moment, a wedding party was assembling for pictures not far from our table. The party seemed celebratory and joyful, then it began.

“Did you hear what that rotten ‘bleep’ had to say last night? Election day can’t come fast enough. There’s a guy at work who supports him, so I unfriended him on Facebook and I do everything in my power to make his life at work miserable.”

I wasn’t shocked by the conversation, but was saddened. Because of a difference in political choice, one person is working to make another’s life on the job miserable. You are not surprised. We hear it from both sides all the time. There are calls for boycotts against companies who advertise on television and radio programs because we disagree with their point of view. Politicians are harassed in public in front of their families. When and where does it stop? We live in a country that claims to celebrate diversity — unless it’s diversity of political thought. In the case of a difference of political opinion, all acts of tolerance and civility are tossed out the window. It is not just un-American ... it is



FINANCIAL FOCUS

DENNIS ANTONOPOULOS

For the past several years, artificial intelligence – or AI – has increasingly found a place in many walks of life. Almost certainly, you use some form of AI, whether it’s your time on social media, your use of mobile banking, the navigation system you rely on for directions, or any of the many other AI-driven applications relevant to your daily life. But AI has also become a significant part of the financial services industry. So, you might wonder if AI can help you become a better investor.

To begin with, what is AI? Essentially, it’s the ability of a computer program or machine to think or learn. Using complex algorithms (a set of rules, or steps), com-

puters and machines can mimic many of the thought processes of human beings.

But how can you use AI to invest? And should you?

In the financial services world, many companies use AI to select investments for specific funds. On an individual level, you can work with an AI-powered “robo-advisor” to build an investment portfolio. These robo-advisors are typically quite affordable, and they generally follow proven investment principles, such as diversification, in making recommendations.

Yet, you are more than just the sum of your answers to a robo-advisor’s online questionnaire. Investing is a highly personal matter, which means that, in the following areas, you may well benefit from some human intelligence – and empathy:

Understanding of your risk tolerance – A robo-advisor will ask you to identify your tolerance for risk

– low, medium, high – and will plug in your answers when constructing a portfolio. But only a human financial advisor – someone who truly knows you, your personality, your family situation and your hopes for the future – can know how your sensitivity to risk might cause you to react to events such as sudden market declines. Armed with this knowledge, a financial advisor can talk through your options to help keep you on the road toward your goals.

Answers to qualitative questions – A robo-advisor can provide you with many key data points – rates of return, projections of future accumulations, etc. But so can a personal financial advisor, who can also go beyond the numbers to help you answer qualitative, subjective questions: How can I save for college for my children and my own retirement at the same time? If I change jobs, should I leave my 401(k) in my former employer’s plan, move it to my new employer’s plan or roll it over to an IRA? What’s the best way to guard my financial independence if I ever

need some type of long-term care, such as an extended stay in a nursing home?

Guidance for the “big picture” – Your investments are important, but they’re also connected to other areas of your life, including your taxes and your estate plans. And while a financial advisor might not provide you with tax or legal advice, he or she may be able to connect you to other, appropriate professionals, and work with them to help you put together your “big picture.” That’s not something a typical robo-advisor is equipped to do.

Artificial intelligence will support many of your activities throughout your life. But when it comes to investing, a personal touch may never become obsolete.

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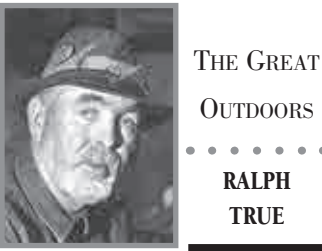
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A touch of fall last week sure had my two dogs acting a bit excited, as they also know that hunting season is just around the corner. For sportsmen that own a good bird dog, and have spent many hours in the field conditioning them for the upcoming season, it will all start to pay off in just a few weeks. Watching your bird dog on point, or having a pheasant flushing ahead of a good retriever can provide the ultimate experience in bird hunting.

I always said that if I did not have a dog to hunt with, I would give up bird hunting. It is all about the dog! Only a bird hunter can enjoy the real feeling of a day in the field with his dog. Unfortunately, the bird hunting season does not last that long in Massachusetts. There are a couple of hunting preserves that are open

to bird hunters in the valley, & they provide some great bird hunting activities throughout the year. Check them out. Addieville East in Rhode Island and Ladywoods hunting preserve with offices in Uxbridge, can provide some great bird hunting experiences. They also provide pheasant and chukar partridge hunts for small groups that are guided using their dogs, or you can use your own dogs.

Belonging to a Rod & Gun Club that has a Preserve permit to hunt year around, is the best of both worlds. Clubs that possess a preserve permit can stock hundreds of Pheasant a year for their members to hunt on a daily basis. There are only two clubs in the valley that are fortunate enough to have a large number of pheasant hunters, and hold a preserve license. Holding numerous functions a year to raise money for their bird hunting activities will provide there members with many great days in the field.

Just as the ocean starts



to calm down, another storm was heading our way. Although the storm is well off of our coastline, it continues to send large swells, making fishing a bit uncomfortable for larger vessel and at the same time keeping smaller craft off of the water. Anglers are hopeful that the fall migration of stripers will give them one more shot at landing a few more lunker fish before mother nature sends in the freezing temperatures.

Tautog fishing is also starting to provide some nice fish for anglers in Mass. & Rhode Island. Rhode Island limit

as of Aug. 1 is three fish daily. The limit starting Oct. 15 is five fish daily. Seabass can be caught in the same waters as tautog using the same bait. Green crabs are the number one bait at this time of year. Tautog are a great eating fish.

The Whitinsville Fish & Game Club will hold their annual Field Day this Saturday at there club grounds in Douglas, off of White Court. This could be your last opportunity to enjoy some great food like Lobster and Clams in an outdoor environment. Meeting old friends and enjoying some great coun-



try music, and other entertainment is sure to make a great day for the family. Numerous games and prizes will also held throughout the day. There is no charge for admittance to the club activities, and they are open to the public.

This week's picture shows a German Shorthair Pointer doing

what they do best! The dog is owned by Bob Brooks of Uxbridge.

The other picture shows a large seabass taken in the waters around Point Judith lighthouse in Rhode Island using a RoadRunner Jig.

Take A Kid Fishing & Keep Them Rods Bending!

Autumn Edibles Go from Décor to Table

Plump round pumpkins and tri colored Indian corn are sure signs autumn is here. While these harvest favorites are familiar sights at entry ways and front stoops, they are also edible! Speckled Indian Corn and seasonal pumpkins, from large Jack-O-Lanterns to squat pumpkins, are favorite fare for the harvest table. Read on for suggestions to take them from décor to the dining table!

Pumpkins with Purpose: Jack-O-Lanterns are a Halloween tradition. Whether illuminated by old fashioned candles or flickering flameless lights, the carved pumpkins attract trick or treaters near and far to neighborhood doorsteps. Dark orange sugar pumpkins handily go from fall centerpiece to the dinner table. The solid, sweet orbs hold up nicely for displays both indoors and out, and in true frugal fashion,

after they have served their time they can be enjoyed as dessert pies, creamy soups and holiday breads. It's no wonder harvest pumpkins have long remained an autumn wonder, prized for both their culinary and decorative virtues!

Perfect Picks: Keep in mind when initially choosing pumpkins that the variety you select should fit your need. For example, if you desire a pumpkin for pie, a medium sugar pumpkin, which is typically small and sweet with a dark orange color, is the best choice. For carving, look for well rounded pumpkins that have good color with stem intact. Pumpkins earmarked as Jack-O-Lanterns are usually larger and contain too many strings and seeds to be practical for pie making, but the seeds are ideal for toasting.

Pumpkins' Past: Pumpkins boast a long history at the harvest table. Native Americans revered the pumpkin as a valuable source of food to carry them through the long, cold winters, teaching early English settlers how to grow and prepare pumpkins, which became an important seasonal mainstay of the pioneer diet. The pilgrims utilized every part of the pumpkin, roasting the flesh, drying the seeds, making flour from dried pumpkin, and even weaving floor mats out of pumpkin skins, a method learned from the Native Americans. In New England, colonists made the first crustless pumpkin pies by cutting the top



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of the pumpkin, removing the seeds and filling it with apples, milk, sugar and spices and baking it whole.

Fresh Pumpkin Bisque: After your (still intact) sugar pumpkin has served its time as an autumn prop, why not serve it up on the dinner table? Here's an easy recipe for a rich pumpkin soup. For a vegetarian version, just switch vegetable broth for the chicken broth.

Ingredients: 1 medium onion, chopped; 2 stalks celery, chopped; 3 cloves garlic, chopped; 4 cups chicken (or vegetable) broth; 2 tomatoes, chopped; 2 bay leaves; ½ teaspoons nutmeg; 2 cups pumpkin purée (one medium sugar pumpkin, about four pounds, yield about 1 ½ cup purée); salt and pepper to taste; 1 cup heavy cream. **Instructions:** Sauté onions, celery, and garlic in butter. Add broth, tomatoes, bay leaves and nutmeg. Cook until vegetables are very soft. Strain and reserve liquid. Purée vegetables with some liquid and strain through a sieve. Combine liquid, puréed vegetables, and pumpkin; heat. Add cream and season with salt and pepper.

Colorful Corn: A trio of colorful corn cobs, dried and hung on a back door are a sure sign of Autumn. "Indian Corn," with husks pulled back to expose petite, speckled ears are a New England treat in more ways than one. The delightfully ornate corn cobs have long been used as home décor to usher in the autumn season, but did you know some strains of Indian corn are edible? Food grade Indian corn on the cob is often available at Farmer's Markets and specialty grocery stores during the harvest season. These "calico" colored pointy eared cobs are not only delicious – they are fun to eat when popped on the cob!

Pop Corn: Individual ears of dried food grade Indian Corn may be (carefully) popped in the microwave using the standard paper bag method. Keep in mind Indian corn is harder and tougher than traditional corn, but the "fun factor" makes it a treat worth trying! In

addition, fresh Indian Corn may be cut off the cob to be popped on the stove or in a popcorn maker.

Note: Keep in mind if you plan to eat Indian Corn it is of utmost importance that the corn is a strain safe to eat and that it has not been treated. Some farm stands and markets are now offering authentic Indian Corn cobs dried and ready for popping.

Food Fact: Believe it or not, certain varieties Indian Corn can also be eaten fresh, steamed or boiled. The key is choosing edible Indian Corn that is freshly picked and young and tender. If the kernels appear dried, the corn is too old to be enjoyed fresh.

Corn Décor: Once you've eaten your fill of freshly picked Indian Corn, you can easily recycle the rest for ornamental use. Pull the husks all the way over the stalk and allow them to dry out for about a week. To make Indian Corn last the season and beyond as a decoration, simply spray or paint shellac on the kernels.

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major pillar of the entertainment world.

Experts say we get a rush from the fight or flight response. This happens when a person feels threatened. That natural high can leave some people feeling great. The Excitation-Transfer Theory could play a role as well. This is when a group experi-

ences extreme emotions together, which can build stronger relationships. The oxytocin released tends to make those moments more prevalent in our brains. There is also the Reward Pathway Theory, in which the brain thinks you're in danger while watching a scary movie or reading a horror novel. When the story is over, your brain 'likes' not being scared, and therefore provides a reward.

For King's own analysis of

what scares us, and why we seem to so love the sensation of being frightened out of our wits, we highly recommend "Danse Macabre," his nonfiction survey of horror on screen and in print.

The trek to see "IT Chapter Two" will likely happen for us some time in the very near future, with the hopes that it will not cause us to sleep with the lights on. Or to see any red balloons peeking out of our windows when we get home.

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Auburn on the offensive attack in win over Indians



Bartlett's Sofia Napierata kicks the ball away from an incoming Auburn defender.

BY KEN POWERS
SPORTS CORRESPONDENT

WEBSTER — Liv Mathews scored two goals and assisted on another, and Julia Lussier added a goal and two assists to lead the visiting Auburn High girls' varsity soccer team to its third straight victory, the Rockets defeating Bartlett High, 8-0, on Monday, Sept. 16.

With the win Auburn improved to 3-2 overall and 3-1 in Southern Worcester County League (SWCL) action. The Indians dropped to 1-4 overall and 0-4 in the SWCL with the loss.

The Rockets were on the attack from the opening whistle, jumping ahead 3-0 before the game was eight minutes old.

Lussier staked Auburn to a 1-0 lead in the third minute of the game, gathering in a crisp entry pass from Mathews on

the left side before turning and sending a shot into the right side of the goal from about 15 yards out.

Mick Sampson pushed the Rockets' lead to 2-0 a minute later, her right-side shot from 10 yards out deflecting off Bartlett goalkeeper Cam Heenan's hands and bouncing into the goal. Lussier set up the goal with a pass into the box that landed on the foot of Sampson.

In the seventh minute of the game Mathews extended Auburn's lead to 3-0. On the play Mathews, with her back to the goal, settled a pass in from Lussier and then spun toward the goal and shot the ball all in one motion past Heenan.

Mathews, Lussier and Sampson are all seniors.

Lussier, who has missed a lot of playing time during her high school career due to injury,

appears to be rounding back into the form that made her an offensive player to watch in the SWCL early in her career.

"Julia is definitely coming back," Auburn head coach Emily Para said. "She definitely has her quickness, her agility and her speed back, but she gets frustrated sometimes, I think, because she is not where she wants to be yet. But we all see the progress. Julia has put in a lot of hard work and she looks great."

Junior Allie Morawski closed out the Rockets' first-half scoring — while upping the Auburn lead to 4-0 — with a goal in the 20th minute. Morawski gained control of a bouncing ball in the Rockets' offensive zone and then took a right-to-left shot that banged off the far post and bounded into the net.

Scoring in the second half for Auburn were Mathews, juniors Emily Turcotte and Taylor Blanton, and sophomore Karina Sargent. Alyssa Wright, the Rockets' junior goalkeeper, made four saves, all in the second half, to earn her first shutout of the season.

Wright has stepped in this year in net for classmate Kaitlyn Jess, who is out for the season after suffering an injury in preseason.

"Alyssa has been awesome; she's really stepped up big for us," Para said. "Alyssa is a physical player who is not afraid to come out and play the ball."

Bartlett head coach Sean Hansen thought his team played well following Auburn's early-game scoring barrage.

"I thought we settled down really effectively after we gave up those three quick goals. We made it really difficult for them for the remainder of the first half. We kept our shape really well, we pressured the ball



Megan Tucker of Bartlett takes off away from her Auburn opposition as she gives chase to the loose ball.



Bartlett's Gabi Piwowarczyk boots the ball down the field versus Auburn.

really well and we forced them to make some mistakes and make some passes they didn't want to make," Hansen said. "The game got away from us in the second half because we had some injuries and we have a small bench, which is always going to make it tough."

"We have some hard-work-

ing girls; they're a great group of girls to coach," Hansen said. "They're really willing to put in the work they need to put in and they're willing to accept the coaching. None of them thinks they know more than anyone else, so they're all willing to help each other out. They're a really good bunch."

Potent offense delivers for Wolverines in win over Bay Path

BY KEN POWERS
SPORTS CORRESPONDENT

CHARLTON — In its season-opening game with Bay Path Regional, the Leicester High varsity football team's offense was in midseason form. That was the story of the Wolverines' 44-13 victory over the Minutemen on Saturday, Sept. 14 at George L. Fowler Memorial Field.

Leicester scored on all five of its first-half possessions and the defense chipped in with a safety to give the Wolverines a 37-7 halftime lead.

Senior Bryce Gosselin led the high-octane attack, rushing for 161 yards, which included touchdown runs of four and seven yards, on 15 carries. Junior Stephen Olsen added 64 yards on nine carries and he scored a pair of touchdowns, on runs of eight and 12 yards.

The Wolverines got it done through the air, too, as senior quarterback Dan Mero completed 5-of-7 passes for 121 yards, four of his completions ending up in the hands of senior Jack O'Neill, who finished with 101 receiving yards, including a 31-yard scoring strike from Mero in the second quarter.

"We return everybody and we have legit good skill kids who pretty much knew everything coming into the pre-season," Leicester head coach Tim Griffiths said. "So, we didn't have to spend a lot of time teaching and coaching kids on formations and responsibilities and where to be on what play. We were able to focus on repetition and fine tuning."

After Bay Path went three-and-out on the opening possession of the game, the Wolverines put together a seven-play, 60-yard drive that Gosselin capped with

a seven-yard scamper over the left side. Senior Nolan Power then tacked on the first of his six extra points, giving Leicester a 7-0 lead with 7:36 left in the first quarter.

Bay Path needed just one play from scrimmage to tie the game, 7-7, as Tyler Gillespie galloped 70 yards through a gaping hole on the left side of the Minutemen's offensive line and Zach Whittemore added the PAT. Gillespie finished with 124 rushing yards on 15 carries. Gillespie also scored Bay Path's other touchdown, on a nine-yard run, on the final play of the game.

Gosselin said Leicester did not approach the game with the attitude that it was the first game of the year and they would see what happens.

"Our mindset coming in was perfection. We're perfectionists and coach Griff is a perfectionist, too, so if everything's not perfect, it's a problem," said Gosselin who was, for the most part, pleased with his team's performance. "We've definitely got work to do. We made some mental mistakes that we have to clean up. As for my performance, I would say I had a good game, but I can do better."

Mero and O'Neill were in sync from Leicester's first offensive play, a 19-yard completion. Their 31-yard scoring play is sure to be on the Wolverines' Year in Review Highlight Video. In the back corner of the end zone O'Neill leaped and reached high to grab a bullet of a pass from Mero, a pass that was still rising when O'Neill plucked it out of the sky.

"Danny made a great throw on that play," O'Neill said. "It was a nice high throw; he allowed me to go up and work

my magic."

After the game Bay Path head coach Matt Fall gave credit to Leicester's potent offense.

"They've got a three-headed monster on offense," Fall said, referring to Gosselin, Mero and O'Neill. "The problem is you can't plan just for one guy. If you are ready for one, they're going to hit you with the others. If you're trying to stop all three, all 11 of your guys on the field have to be ready to play their position and play it with discipline. I'm not sure we were quite ready to do that today."

Fall said the Minutemen's final TD of the day could hold the key to the season. "That was important," Fall said.

"Opening up with these guys is a tough open, obviously, and moving forward if we have any thoughts of getting into the playoffs we've got to learn and we have to have something to hang it on."

"We decided on that drive that we were going to find out how tough we were. We wanted to see if we could put together a nice sustained drive to finish the game," Fall continued. "We wanted something positive to go into Bartlett with because we know the Bartlett coach [Dane Laboissonniere] will have their team ready next week just as much as we're going to try to have our team ready."

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Bay Path's Aiden Seavey comes rushing in to tackle Leicester ball-carrier Bryce Gosselin.

SPORTS

Oxford's close win reignites rivalry with Rockets



Oxford's Devin Audette launches a pass deep down the field.



Sam Wing of Oxford attempts to shed an Auburn defender while carrying the ball.

OXFORD — An old-time high school football rivalry is back, and the end result was a little bit different than it has been in the past.

The Oxford High and Auburn High varsity football programs met each year from 1968 until 2012 (with the 1971-2012 games being played on Thanksgiving). The Rockets were 37-8 in those games, including a 34-8 mark on the holiday. Auburn then beat Oxford in a non-playoff game last year, but this time around it was different.

Behind a fourth quarter score to break a tie, the Pirates went on to beat the Rockets, 18-12, on Saturday, Sept. 14 in the season-opener for both squads.

The scoring started in the first quarter, with C.J. Willis catching a 29-yard touchdown pass from Auburn quarterback Griffin Handfield, and Oxford countered with a Tyler Mello 90-yard kick-off return for a TD.

Then, in the second quarter, both teams scored again. There, the Pirates' Nick Sellig had a 13-yard touchdown run and the Rockets' Anthony Cintron caught a 29-yard score from Handfield.

That had the game knotted at 12-12 at half-time and after the third quarter until Oxford's Sam Wing (26 carries, 143 yards) scored on a 6-yard run in the fourth quarter to account for the final score.

It was the Pirates' first victory over the Rockets since 1999.



Photos courtesy Mark Seliger, www.SeligerPhotography.com
A pair of Oxford players go up for the ball against a single opponent from Auburn.

Strong service points the difference for Tantasqua over Pirates



Oxford's Emma Goyette hits the ball back toward Tantasqua's side of the net.



Mathew S. Plamondon photos
Chloe Davis of Oxford sends the ball over her head and the net while returning a volley from Tantasqua.

BY KEN POWERS
SPORTS CORRESPONDENT

STURBRIDGE — A strong service game that featured three players with at least five aces each paved the way for the Tantasqua Regional girls' varsity volleyball team, which defeated Oxford High, 3-0, in a match played on Wednesday, Sept. 11.

The Warriors improved to 2-2 overall with the win and 2-1 in Southern Worcester County League (SWCL) action. Oxford slipped to 2-2 overall and 2-1 in the SWCL with the loss. Game scores of the match were 25-8, 27-25 and 25-16.

Junior Morgan Smith led Tantasqua's serving prowess with 10 aces, while senior Jennifer Collins added eight and Abby Arena five. In the first game of the match Smith set the tone early, her serve leading the Warriors to seven straight points.

"I have definitely been working on my serve. Serving is probably one of the hardest parts of the game for me," said Smith, a middle blocker who also recorded six kills in the match. "Serving was the toughest thing when I started playing, but I've worked at it and it has gotten better."

At the end of game one Arena almost singlehandedly closed out the Pirates, her serves leading to seven of the final eight points of the set.

In game two Tantasqua employed a lot of different personnel group and found itself trailing, 22-16, at one point. From that point the Warriors outscored Oxford 11-5 to pull out the win. Briana Myran keyed the comeback with six straight service points, turning a 22-17 deficit into a 23-22 lead.

"In the second game we were trying to change things up and get everyone some playing time," said senior Addie Allithorpe, a setter for Tantasqua and

a tri-captain of the team along with along with classmate Payton Barry and Smith. "We wanted to find out which combinations of players worked well together. That will help us going forward."

In game three the Warriors jumped out to a 5-0 lead on five straight service points by Allithorpe and controlled the game from that point.

"I thought we did fairly well, especially with our serving; we've been working hard in the gym on our serves, trying to become more consistent in that area of the game," first-year head coach Danielle Twarowski said. "We're still working on our transition; we're getting a little quicker to the ball, but for the most part they've come a long way. They hustle all the time; they work very hard."

Twarowski, a member of Westborough High's state championship volleyball team in 2007, said she is also working with the Warriors on paying attention to what is happening on the other side of the court.

"They're starting to read on the other side of the court and call out what they see," Twarowski said. "That's crucial for the development of the program. I can't do anything with them unless they know where they are on the court and where they are passing and where they're hitting. To do that they need to know what's happening on the other side of the net. Once that happens it's just hustle, effort and energy every game."

"Noticing what the other team is doing has been very helpful for us," Barry said. "It allows us to get in our positions and be ready for what they're going to do. I think it's made us better as a team."

Oxford head coach Emily Boutilette was pleased with the way her team

responded in games two and three.

"I think the bus ride is what always kills them. It seems to take one [set] to get them going," Boutilette said. "They also get down on themselves when they're struggling and then, when they start to play well and they're like, 'oh, we can do this.' And I'm like, 'yes, you can do this.'"

"I thought in the second and third games we played much better than we did in the first game," Boutilette continued. "Our performance in the second and third games was more of who we are as a team."

Junior Libero Bella Buxton, a tri-captain for the Pirates along with seniors Bella Auclair and Crystal Nelson, was seemingly everywhere on defense, finishing with eight digs. Auclair finished with five blocks and junior Chloe Davis added two more blocks.

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SPORTS

Rams get defensive in statement tie with Wachusett



Jason Mckay photos
Shepherd Hill's Skylar Pietz boots the ball down the field.

BY KEN POWERS
SPORTS CORRESPONDENT

DUDLEY — In an early-season girls' varsity soccer game that was chock full of the tension and emotion of a Central Mass. final, Shepherd Hill Regional and Wachusett Regional — the defending Division 1 state champion — battled to a 1-1 tie at Richard Carmignani Memorial Field on Tuesday, Sept. 10.

After a scoreless first half the Rams (1-0-2) grabbed a 1-0 lead with 23:56 remaining in the game.

Sophomore Jordan Beeman staked Shepherd Hill to the lead when she scored on a right-to-left direct kick from 30 yards out. On the play Wachusett goalie Emma Hickey was positioned slightly to her left and, because of that, when Beeman shot the ball Hickey was unable to get over to make a play on the ball, which crossed

the goal line just inside the far post. As the play was unfolding it was unclear if Beeman's kick was a shot on net or a cross to a teammate.

"It was both, a shot and a cross," Beeman said. "I mean, it was definitely a shot on net, but if it didn't go in I wanted to make sure it was in the area so one of my teammates could make a play on it. When I took the shot I felt like it was going in. I knew I had the right angle for it to go in, I just didn't know if it would get there before [Hickey] could stop it or bat it away."

"Jordan is one of our most effective and accurate players from that distance," Rams' head coach Amanda Brotherton said. "From where I was standing I couldn't really tell if it was going in when she shot it, but I know she's very accurate on shots like that, so it didn't surprise me that it went in."

Wachusett (1-0-1) tied the game, 1-1, with 14:30 to play when sophomore Regina Pallotta scored on a penalty kick. The Mountaineers were awarded the free shot when Shepherd Hill senior Tori Paine was called for a handball inside the goalie box.

On the play, Wachusett was pressuring Shepherd Hill goaltender Michaela Cluett with three forwards attacking the goal. The Mountaineers' Maggie Kelley took a shot that was out of the reach of Cluett and was headed for the empty part of the net when Paine reached up and batted the ball down, preserving the Rams' lead.

Both teams pressed over the game's final 10 minutes, but neither team could solve



Wiki Ucher of Shepherd Hill sprints down the field past three Wachusett defenders.

the other's goaltender. Cluett finished with 12 saves while Hickey made 11 stops.

Wachusett was an offensive juggernaut en route to winning the state championship last November, finishing the season with 74 goals in 22 games. That explosive offensive was on display against Shepherd Hill, but the Rams' defense kept the Mountaineers off-balance and frustrated the entire game.

"That's one of the biggest things I've been working with the team on; our defense as a whole, especially as a team. That has been one of the things I have focused the most on, first during the preseason and now here in our first few

games," Brotherton said. "We were definitely a little dicey in the first game [a 3-3 tie with the Bromfield School], so that was definitely my focus when we came back to practice last Tuesday [Sept. 3]."

"Most people know that I'm a pretty defensive-minded person; I was as a player and I am now as a coach. I don't change my mindset very often. The girls are coming together as a team," Brotherton continued. "I lost my two center backs [Allie Marrier and Reese Hammond] and my goalkeeper [Alyssa Trueman] to graduation last year, but we have a strong core in the back now and they're making their own name at this point and becom-

ing a strong unit."

Stepping in to fill the void at the center back position have been Beeman and junior Demi Teguis while Cluett, a junior, has the unenviable task of taking over for Trueman.

"Michaela played awesome today; she did great," Brotherton said. "I feel pretty good about the way we played today, but I feel like we can always play better. One of the things I've been telling the girls in the last couple of games is to come out and set the tone. Then, regroup at halftime and be better in the second half than you were in the first. After games I tell them we're going to be better than we were in this game in the next game."

Shepherd Hill can't upend undefeated Tomahawks



Nick Ethier photos
Shepherd Hill's Bella Sousa lofts the ball up into the air to begin her serving motion.



Maddi Hughes of Shepherd Hill gets ready to set up a play for the Rams.

BY KEN POWERS
SPORTS CORRESPONDENT

DUDLEY — The undefeated Algonquin Regional girls' varsity volleyball team mixed an aggressive offensive attack with a spot-on defense in its match with Shepherd Hill Regional on Thursday, Sept. 12, and the result was a 3-1 win for the Tomahawks over the Rams.

With the win Algonquin improved to 3-0 overall and in the Mid-Wach A Division. Shepherd Hill fell to 1-2 overall and 0-2 in the Mid-Wach A. The game scores were 25-17, 23-25, 25-23 and 25-19.

The Tomahawks looked to spike the ball early and often against the Rams and the result was a team total of 40 kills. Chloe Chiota led the Algonquin attack with 11 kills, while her sister Olivia recorded nine kills.

When the Tomahawks weren't spiking the ball on Shepherd Hill they were defending the spike almost as well, racking up a total of 59 digs, 17 of the saves made by Hannah Jaiswal.

After dropping the first game, 25-17, the Rams rallied to tie the match at a game apiece with a 25-23 win in game two, rallying from a 22-20 deficit for the victory.

"The girls felt a lot more confident in the second game and it showed," said Shepherd Hill assistant coach Tony Wong-Li, who coached the team in the absence of head coach Chris Lindstrom, who Wong-Li said was out of town on business. "We came out nervous in the first game. Before the second game we talked about playing like we should be playing. There was just a lot more confidence in that second game and we got our serves in."

Algonquin closed out the match with a 25-23 win in game three and a 25-19 victory in game four.

"In the third and fourth games we got nervous again," Wong-Li said. "The last two games were a series of ups and downs. When we get nervous it seems like we serve into the net or out of bounds."

Shepherd Hill committed 28 unforced errors in the match.

"We made too many unforced errors today," Wong-Li said. "We had too many missed serves, too many [miss-hits] on free balls. We'd make a perfect pass and then we couldn't put the point away; we'd end up hitting it out of bounds."

Sophomore Annaka Lindstrom led the Rams with four spikes, four blocks and four service aces. Senior Kiley Wong-Li finished with three kills and two blocks, while junior Bella Sousa recorded two kills, three blocks and a service ace. Senior Maddi Hughes had a kill and a service ace to go along with three blocks and three digs, while sophomores Gabby Eberhart and Alyse

Biron had two kills each.

While acknowledging the match with Algonquin was a close one, Tony Wong-Li said there were parts of the loss that Shepherd Hill can build on.

"I thought we communicated better today than we have and we are starting to run some plays," he said. "Our defense is getting better, too. We're not where we want to be but we're making progress. Defense wins games; we can't win if we don't play defense and I think our defense is coming around."

On a related note Ingrid Lindstrom, who graduated from Shepherd Hill in June and is now a freshman at Franklin Pierce University (FPU) in Rindge, N.H.,

was named the Northeast-10 Conference Player and Rookie of the Week recently.

A middle hitter for the Ravens, Ingrid Lindstrom appeared in all four of FPU's games, leading the team to a 3-1 record. She led the Ravens in kills (59), kills per set (3.93), hitting percentage (.448), total blocks (14) and blocks per set (0.93) over the four matches.

In her collegiate debut, a 3-0 win over LIU-Post, Ingrid Lindstrom racked up 14 kills and a .667 hitting percentage. She followed that up with a game-best 27 kills in a thrilling five-set win against Mercy while hitting .511. Lindstrom's 27 kills ranks as the fourth-highest total in program history.

SPORTS BRIEFS

Annual St. Joseph School Golf Tournament upcoming

The St. Joseph School 20th annual Golf Tournament will take place on Saturday, Sept. 28 at the beautiful Dudley Hill Golf Club, 88 Airport Road. The golf tournament is a major source of funding for the school's athletic program. The cost is \$65 per person. The fee includes nine holes — best ball/scramble, gift and goodie bag. Following the tournament, there will be a steak dinner at the Daniel & Catherine Ivascyn Parish Center at St. Joseph School, 47 Whitcomb Street, Webster. The event kicks off at 1 p.m. and dinner is served at 5. Golfers, sponsors, and raffle items are needed. To register for the tournament, please visit golf.sjs-webster.com. Please email athletics@sjs-webster.com with questions.

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The Bartlett High School Athletic Hall of Fame Selection Committee is soliciting worthy nominations from the community for the 10th class of inductees, which will be honored in the Fall of 2020. Anyone interested in nominating individuals for this recognition can submit a nomination through the Hall of Fame website at www.bhsathletichof.org. The deadline for nominations is Sept. 30. Athletes who are nominat-

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OBITUARIES

Alice T. Markiewicz, 86



WEBSTER—Alice T. “Sandy” (Ostrowski) Markiewicz, 86, died Monday, September 9, 2019 in Lanessa Extended Care Facility. Her husband of 55 years, Stephen J. Markiewicz, died in 2006.

She leaves her son, Richard S. Markiewicz and his wife Janet of Webster; 2 grandchildren, Crystal L. Markiewicz and Richard S. Markiewicz; a great-granddaughter, Julia Markiewicz; nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by 2 brothers, John F. Ostrowski and Stanley E. Ostrowski, and by a sister, Jean Marshalkowski.

She was born in Mayfield, PA, a daughter of Stanley A. and Pauline C.

(Bilski) Ostrowski and lived in Webster since 1941. She attended Bartlett High School.

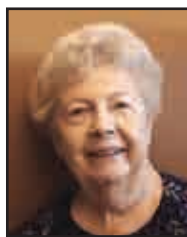
Mrs. Markiewicz first worked in Sandlerette Shoe. She then was an inspector in the packaging department at Gentex Optics in Dudley for 30 years before retiring in 1998.

She was a member of Saint Joseph Basilica. She enjoyed her annual flower garden and spending quality time with her family.

Her funeral was held Friday, September 13, from Scanlon Funeral Service, 38 East Main Street, with a Mass at 10:00 AM in Saint Joseph Basilica, 53 Whitcomb Street. Burial will be in St. Joseph Garden of Peace. Visiting hours were held from 6:00 to 8:00 PM Thursday, September 12, in the funeral home.

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Bernice A. White Garry, 83



AUBURN – Bernice A. (Johnson) White Garry, 83, of Deerfield Circle, died Tuesday, September 10, 2019, at Webster Manor Nursing Home in Webster, after a long illness. She was predeceased by her first husband of 33 years, Bernard J. White of Oxford who died in 1987. She is survived by her husband of 23 years, Raymond H. Garry of Auburn; two sons, Bruce A. White and his wife Susan of North Oxford, and Brian M. White and his wife Sandra of Oxford; three stepchildren, Paulette R. Beaudin and her husband Robert of Spencer, Sandra J. Abdella and her husband Paul of North Oxford, and Wayne R. Garry and his wife Diane of Florida; her brother, Wayne Johnson and his wife Donna of North Oxford; 13 grandchildren, 24 great-grandchildren, and many nephews and nieces. She was predeceased by two brothers, Robert

and Walter Johnson. She was born in Worcester, daughter of the late Walter G. and Hellen R. (Cook) Johnson, and lived in Charlton and Oxford before moving to Auburn 23 years ago. She enjoyed spending winters in Florida for 16 years. She attended Charlton High School.

Mrs. Garry was a manager at the Fair in Worcester for many years prior to retirement. She enjoyed playing cards, reading, and going to the beach. Her greatest joy in life was her family.

A funeral will be held on Saturday, September 14, 2019, from Paradis-Givner Funeral Home, 357 Main St., Oxford, followed by a Mass at 10 a.m. at St. Joseph’s Church, 194 Oxford St. North, Auburn. Burial will follow at St. Roch’s Cemetery in Oxford. Calling hours are Friday, September 13, 2019, from 5-8 p.m. at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to St. Joseph’s Church, 194 Oxford St. North, Auburn, MA 01501.

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Paul W. Hughes, 73

WEBSTER- Paul W. Hughes, 73, a lifelong resident of Webster, passed away in his home on Thursday, September 12, 2019. He was loving husband to Phyllis M. (Chenard) Hughes. Paul and Phyllis often shared the story of how they met. Paul hitchhiking and Phyllis passing by on horseback was the beginning of a wonderful 53 years of marriage. Paul was born and raised in Webster, the first of 10 children to the late Thomas E. and Jessie A. (Eddy) Hughes, Sr. Paul operated Hughes Automotive Repair for over 50 years prior to his retirement; there wasn’t anything he could not fix.

Always at the ready to tell a story or two and never one to shy from a conversation, Paul never knew a stranger. He truly wanted to get to know a person and was a family go-to for advice or just to talk out an idea. Paul was a longtime member of Tri-State Baptist Church where he served as deacon, treasurer, and member of the building committee. He served on the board of directors for the Thompson Historical Society and the E. Thompson Cemetery Association and was a member of Antique Truck Club of America and National Truck Historical Society. Paul found enjoyment in collecting and driving vintage cars, most especially Ford Model A’s. He and Phyllis enjoyed traveling to local shows and swap meets to search out parts and see friends; old and new, alike. A man of faith, Paul lived by example. He was among the first to reach out to help others with no expectation in return.

In addition to his wife, Phyllis,

Paul is survived by his son, Patrick J. Hughes and his wife Jill, a grandson, Bruce Dautrich and his wife Jen; a granddaughter, Brenda Dautrich and 3 great-grandchildren, Hailey, Bruce and Eva. Paul is also survived by his nine siblings, Thomas E. Hughes Jr. and his wife Cynthia of Douglas, Michael J. Hughes and his wife Ginny of Douglas, Kathleen R. Lamarre and her husband Paul Sr. of Thompson, CT, Stephen T. Hughes and his wife Shirley of Putnam, CT, Anne E. Dufault and husband William Sr. of Douglas, George A. Hughes and his wife Susan of Dudley, Irene J. Sorel and husband Roland of Webster, Mary B. Hughes-Donahue and husband Kevin of Danielson, CT, and Elaine D. Hughes of Webster; a sister-in-law, Eloria “Yogi” Presbrey of Florida, many nieces and nephews. Family was everything to Paul; in return, he was a hero in their eyes and hearts.

A time of visitation with Paul’s family was held on Tuesday, September 17, from 5-7pm at Tri-State Baptist Church, 386 Quinebaug Rd, North Grosvenor Dale, CT. His funeral was held at 10am on Wednesday, September 18, at Tri-State Baptist Church. Paul will then be laid to rest in the East Thompson Cemetery.

Paul’s family respectfully ask that memorial donations be made in his name to the Tri-State Baptist Church Building Fund, 386 Quinebaug Rd, North Grosvenor Dale, CT 06255. To share a condolence or memory with his family, please visit [www. HaysFuneralHome.com](http://www.HaysFuneralHome.com).

Leona LaFountain, 82,



WEBSTER- Leona LaFountain, 82, passed away peacefully on Sunday morning, September 15th, 2019 at Webster Manor. Ms. LaFountain was born in Webster Ma. She was the eldest daughter of the late Joseph and Constance Jeffrey (Lamothe).

Leona is survived by her five children Lynne Sward of North Grosvenordale, Ct; Mark LaFountain and wife Kim of Northbridge, Ma; Luann LaFountain and husband David of Oxford, Ma; Suzanne Chase of Webster, Ma; Leonard LaFountain and wife Karen of Aliso Viejo, Ca. Leona also leaves behind her 11 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren and many nieces and nephews. 1 brother: Leonard Jeffrey and wife Sandy of Foresthill, Ca; 2 sisters: Elaine Jeffrey of Quinebaug, Ct and Jeanne Wunsch and husband Edward of Webster, Ma; 2 aunts: Natalie Blouin of Dudley, Ma; Jeanne Cary of Cocksackie, NY;

Leona dedicated her life to helping others in their time of need, working as a Police Dispatcher. She worked

for the Dudley Police Department for 43 years before retiring in 2010. She was also the secretary for the Eastern Connecticut Police Association and part of the Dudley Police/ Dispatch Association. She was also the secretary to the chief of police for many years. After retiring in 2010, Lee spent most of her time doting over her grandchildren and great grandchildren. She enjoyed feeding the squirrels peanuts and watching them out the window. She loved to read books and do crossword puzzles. anyone who has ever been to Leona’s house, knows how much she loved wind chimes and plants.

Leona will be remembered as a loving mother and grandmother, a caring sister and a dedicated dispatcher. Calling hours will be Monday, September 23rd from 5pm to 8pm..Prayer Service will be held Tuesday, September 24th at 10am. Both will be held at Bartel Funeral Home & Chapel 33 Schofield Ave, Dudley Ma. Burial will immediately follow after the prayer service at Sacred Heart Cemetery in Webster.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to the Dudley Police Association, 71 West Main St, Dudley, Ma 01571.www.bartelfuneral-home.com

Barbara A. (Stelmach) Peters, 79

WEBSTER/ THOMPSON- Barbara A. (Stelmach) Peters, 79, of Thompson, formerly of Webster, died Thursday, September 5, 2019 at home after an illness.

She leaves her husband of 60 years. Lawrence W. Peters; a daughter, Leslie A. Kwasniewski and her husband, Dean of Thompson; a son, Brian Peters and his wife, Lisa of Webster; three grandchildren, Cody, Katey and Ashlin. She was predeceased by her brother Michael Stelmach.

Barbara was born in Manhattan, New York, daughter of Michael and Stasia (Surozenski) Stelmach and lived in Webster most of her life before moving to Thompson five years ago.

She was a secretary at Park Ave Elementary School for many years before retiring.

She was an avid Polka dancer who also enjoyed going to the casino.

Barbara’s graveside service was held on Saturday, September 14 at 10:30 AM at Mount Zion Cemetery, Webster. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to: St Jude’s Children’s Fund, 501 St. Jude’s Place, Memphis, TN 38105. The Shaw-Majercik Funeral Home, 48 School Street, Webster. A guest book is available at www.shaw-majercik.com where you may post a condolence or light a candle.”

James H. Dion, 71



OXFORD- James H. Dion, 71, of Wheelock Street, died Wednesday, September 11, 2019, after a long illness. He is survived by his wife of 23 years, Cheryl J. (Parker) Dion of Oxford; his daughter, Sherri L. Dion of Fort Myers, FL; his brother, Kevin Dion and his wife Cookie of Oxford; two grandsons, Dominic DeSimone and Austin Menard; his sister-in-law, Donna Dion; many nephews, nieces, two great-nephews and one great niece. He was predeceased by two children, Sheila L. DeSimone who died in 2019, and Tyler J. Menard who died in 2012; two brothers, Daniel Dion and Keith Dion; and his nephew, Michael Hokanson-Dion. He was born in Worcester, son of the late Henry J. and Eleanor (Ring) Dion, and was a lifelong resident of Oxford. He was graduated from Oxford High School in 1966 and received his associate’s degree from Fisher Junior College in 1981. He was a U.S. Navy veteran of the Vietnam War, proudly serving on the

U.S.S. Donner.

Mr. Dion was a custodian for the Oxford School Department for 27 years, retiring in 2010. Previously, he was a truck driver and a route salesman. He was a member of the American Legion Post 58 in Oxford. Mr. Dion enjoyed sports, especially watching the Red Sox, Patriots, and golf. His greatest joy in life was spending time with his grandchildren, taking them to Red Sox games and teaching them how to fish. He will be deeply missed by his family, friends, and his best friend and soul-mate, Cheryl.

Calling hours were Saturday, September 14, 2019, from 4-6 p.m. at Paradis-Givner Funeral Home, 357 Main St., Oxford. A prayer service was held at 6 p.m. at the conclusion of calling hours, followed by military honors. Burial will be at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Veteran’s Inc., 69 Grove St., Worcester, MA 01605.

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Sharon L. Nolin, 69



OXFORD – Sharon L. Nolin, 69, of Sherwood Drive and Zephyrhills, FL, died unexpectedly on Monday, September 2, 2019, in her home after a battle with cancer. She is survived by two sons, Matthew P. Nolin and his wife Shannon of Oxford, and Michael E. Nolin and his wife TinaAnn of Thompson, CT; her sister, Susan Nolin and her husband Robert of Zephyrhills, FL; four grandchildren, Lily, Madison, Alexis, and Riley Nolin; and many nephews and nieces. She was predeceased by her former husband, Eugene E. Nolin who died in 2017. She was born in

Worcester, daughter of the late Philip J. and Mary C. (Coleman) Mulvaney, and lived in most of her life in Oxford. She enjoyed spending winters in Zephyrhills, FL, for the past 8 years.

Mrs. Nolin worked in quality assurance at Hubbard Regional Hospital in Webster for several years. She called Florida her “happy place” and enjoyed her time there. She loved her grandchildren above all else, and enjoyed her time at Busch Gardens in Florida and doing crossword puzzles.

Memorial calling hours were Sunday, September 15, 2019, from 5-7 p.m. at Paradis-Givner Funeral Home, 357 Main St., Oxford. A prayer service was held at 7 p.m. at the conclusion of calling hours.

Reynaldo Santiago, 61



WORCESTER – Reynaldo Santiago, 61, died on Friday, September 6, 2019 at home after being stricken ill.

He leaves his wife of 37 years, Maritza Antuna; 4 children, Marilyn Antuna of Fitchburg, Carmen Arnold and her husband Jason of Worcester, Juan Ortiz and his wife Charleen of Webster, and Maritza Rivera and her companion Victor Pomaes of Worcester; 17 grandchildren; 3 great-grandchildren, Noel, Ashton and Naylanie; a sister, Ileana Santiago of Fitchburg; nephews and nieces. He was preceded in death by 8 brothers and sisters and by his granddaughter, Kasandra Cruz in 2018.

He was born in Toabaja, Puerto Rico, a son of Vitctor Santiago Fuentes and Demetria Rosado Rodriguez. He lived there until moving to Worcester in 1974.

Mr. Santiago once worked in the maintenance department of a nursing home before retiring.

He took pride in his boxing skills and enjoyed training his grandchildren in that sport. He also liked weight lifting, cars and watching movies. He was a sports fan, especially watching the Boston Red Sox and basketball games.

A funeral service was held on Friday, September 13, at 7:30 PM in the Sitkowski & Malboeuf Funeral Home, 340 School Street, Webster. Calling hours took place from 6:00 to 8:00 PM.

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Thomas Jeffrey Boot, 29



OXFORD – On Monday, September 9, 2019, Tom Boot died unexpectedly at the young age of 29. Tom was born and raised in Sudbury and graduated from Hudson Catholic High School in 2008. He is survived by his loving girlfriend and light of his life, Jessica Marois of Oxford; his parents, Jeffrey and Phyllis (DeCesar) Boot of Oxford; and his sister, Danielle DiBoot and her husband Matt DiBoot of Rowley. He is also survived by his grandmother, Joyce Boot of Englewood, FL, and several aunts and uncles, including Jay and Sandra Boot of Englewood, FL, Philip and Anne Marie DeCesar of Acton, Mary Frances DeCesar of Brighton, Catherine Forbes of Malden, and Jane Yee of Milford; as well as

many cousins.

Tom was known for his quick wit, his infectious smile, and his kind and compassionate spirit. He loved to hike, fish, swim, listen to music, and workout. He also loved his four-legged family pets, Molly, Frankie, and Bandit. Tom was a huge fan of the New England Patriots, Boston Red Sox, and Boston Bruins. He worked for R.J. Devereaux Company. He will be greatly missed by his family and friends.

A memorial service was held at 11:30 a.m. on Sunday, September 15, 2019, at Paradis-Givner Funeral Home, 357 Main St., Oxford. Family and friends were welcome to gather from 10:30-11:30 a.m. at the funeral home prior to the service. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to a charity of one’s choice.

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CALENDAR

Mondays, September 9-November 11 and Tuesdays, September 10-November 12

OUR BRIGHT FUTURE INC. PRESENTS “INTRODUCTION TO ROBOTICS — BUILD ME UP PROGRAM: First Session (grades 3, 4, and 5) 3:30-5:30 p.m., second session (grades 6, 7, and 8) 3:30-5:30 p.m., Gladys E. Kelly Library, 2 Lake St., Webster. Sign up at www.ourbrightfutureinc.org. Financial assistance will be offered to those who qualify. Please e-mail our-brightfutureinc@gmail.com for further information.

Friday, September 20

AMERICAN RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE: 1-6 p.m., Oxford United Methodist Church, 465 Main St. (Route 2), Oxford. For more information, call (508) 987-5378.

HARLEM WIZARDS VS. ST. JOSEPH ALL-STARS: The world-famous Harlem Wizards, with their “Trick Hoops & Alley Oops” entertainment basketball, are coming to Webster and we cordially invite you to join the fun! The Wizards will be playing the St. Joseph School All-Stars on Friday, Sept. 20 at 6:30 p.m. in the Richard A. Nowak Gymnasium at St. Joseph School, 47 Whitcomb St., Webster. Doors open at 5:30 p.m. so attendees can come early and enjoy dinner in the Daniel & Catherine Ivascyn Parish Center. A selection of food will be available for purchase. This is sure to be a fun-filled evening because our All Stars are really St. Joseph School faculty and staff. However, they are going to do their best and will surely entertain the crowd! In addition, this event will combine aspects of a big-time production, with hometown flair. Basketball aficionados will be treated to great skills, teamwork, slick dribbling and crazy slams - courtesy of the Harlem Wizards. We are anticipating a sell-out crowd and the gym will certainly be reverberating with laughter, energy and a community spirit that will be remembered by both young and old. Visit www.sjs-webster.com to purchase your tickets. Students: \$12 Advance / \$15 Door, General Admission \$15 Advance / \$18 Door. The St. Joseph School looks forward to sharing the fun with you!

AN EVENING WITH PSYCHIC MEDIUM GARY MCKINSTRY: 7 p.m., Point Breeze in Webster. \$21 in advance, \$25 at the door if tickets remain available at www.tickettailor.com/events/webstermusicbosstersinc or contact us at musicboosterswebster@gmail.com.

Saturday, September 21

KIDS’ FEST: 10 a.m.-2 p.m., French River Park, Webster. No longer part of the Summer Concert Series, kid’s fest will be taking on its own day. With games, entertainment and refreshments this event is sure to set up your kids for a great day that will tire them out. Free event, brought to you by the Webster Cultural Council and the Recreation Department.

AUTHOR TALK — “Broken Open” WITH MAL DUANE: 10:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m., Booklovers’ Gourmet, 55 East Main St., Webster. Free; books available to purchase. To reserve a space, call (508) 949-6232 or e-mail deb@bookloversgourmet.com. Mal’s powerful and inspiring message guides women to release their limiting beliefs and to heal themselves so they can live and love as whole and authentic women.

OPEN MIC POETRY SHARE: 2-4 p.m., Booklovers’ Gourmet, 55 East Main St., Webster. Bring original or favorite poems to read in a round robin style. Free, but space is limited. To register, call (508) 949-6232.

Monday, September 23

SEMINAR — PROTECT YOURSELF FROM FRAUD AND IDENTITY THEFT: 10-11 a.m., Dudley Senior Center, 71 West Main St., first floor. This seminar is sponsored by The Webster Dudley Business Alliance, AARP and The Webster First Federal Credit Union. The public is invited free of charge. Light refreshments will be provided by B. Kind Cafe of Webster. All attendees have a chance to win a personal shredder courtesy of WFFCU. To RSVP your attendance, please call Deb at 508-949-6232 or email contact@thewdba.org. Wednesday, September 25

MONTHLY BOOK GROUP: 6:30-8 p.m., Booklovers’ Gourmet, 55 East Main St., Webster. “My Sister, the Serial Killer” by Oyinkan Braithwaite. Free, but space is limited, so please call Deb at (508) 949-6232 to register. Slasher meets satire in this darkly comic novel set in Nigeria about a woman whose younger sister has a very inconvenient habit of killing her boyfriends.

Thursday, September 26

CELEBRATE WEBSTER!: 6-8 p.m., Gladys E. Kelly Library, Webster. Tasting from 11 different local restaurants, live music, refreshments. Tickets are \$25 in advance and \$30 at the door. Tickets can be purchased at the library or at the Gladys E. Kelly library Facebook page.

Saturday, September 28

20TH ANNUAL ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL GOLF TOURNAMENT: The St. Joseph School 20th Annual Golf Tournament will take place on Saturday, Sept. 28 at the beautiful Dudley Hill Golf Club, 88 Airport Rd., Dudley. The golf tournament is a major source of funding for the school’s athletic program. The cost is \$65 per person. The fee includes nine holes - best ball/scramble, gift and goodie bag. Following the tournament, there will be a steak dinner at the Daniel & Catherine Ivascyn Parish Center at St. Joseph School, 47 Whitcomb St., Webster. The event kicks-off at 1 p.m., and dinner is served at 5 p.m. Golfers, sponsors, and raffle items are needed. To register for the tournament, please visit golf.sjs-webster.com. Please email athletics@sjs-webster.com with questions.

CONCERT — CAMERON SUTPHIN: Acoustic musician Cameron Sutphin performs at Booklovers’ Gourmet, 55 East Main St., Webster. Donations accepted. Call 508-949-6232 for more information. Like Woody Guthrie and Pete Seeger before him, Cameron Sutphin has been traveling around the United States performing classic country and folk music wherever he stops, as a solo acoustic artist. With his newly released album, Reason to Believe, Cameron takes his songwriting to a whole new level, as each one of the ten songs on the album all have a tangible personal touch. Since releasing his debut CD My Guitar and Me in 2011 it has gone on to sell well over 1,000 units and have radio play in Connecticut and Massachusetts. Transcending the genre of folk Americana, Cameron’s music echoes inspiration from singer/songwriters like Bob Dylan, Leonard Cohen and Neil Young – combining simple melodies and a lyrical intensity, while establishing a unique sound of his own.

ADULT SENIORS DANCE: 6-9 p.m., Town Hall Auditorium, Webster. With music and light refreshments to keep you going your dancing shoes will definitely get a work out. Free event brought to you by the Recreation Department.

Monday, September 30

“ALICE’S ORDINARY PEOPLE” — SCREENING WITH FILMMAKER CRAIG DUDNICK: 6 p.m., Gladys E. Kelly Public Library, Webster. Join us for a screening of Alice’s Ordinary people and learn about Alice Tregay’s contribution to American history. Alice Tregay is an unsung heroine of the civil rights movement. Her five decades of fearless activism span the historic period from the marches of Dr. King to the election of Barack Obama. Questions and Answers to follow.

Tuesday, October 1

OXFORD WOMAN’S CLUB: The Oxford Woman’s Club will hold it’s meeting on Tuesday, Oct. 1. The meeting will start at 7 p.m. at the Oxford Senior Center behind the Town Hall. The Program for the evening will be Chair Yoga.

We will be collecting School Supplies that will be disturbed to the Oxford Public Schools. All are welcome to come to our meeting and see what we do for our community.

Wednesday, October 2

CHEESE, WINE & SMALL BITES PAIRING & TASTING: 6:30-8:30 p.m., Rose Room Café, 4 East Main St., Webster. Hosted by the Webster Dudley Business Alliance. Couet Farm & Fromagerie, 236 Ramshorn Rd., Dudley will provide local, hand-crafted cheeses to pair with wines provided by Marty’s Liquors, 119 West Main Street, Dudley. The Rose Room will provide small bites to complement the cheeses and wine. This will be a sit down affair with each host providing information about their products as they are tasted. There will be five pairings with a printed menu. Limit of 30 tickets will be sold. No tickets at the door. Cost is \$20 for WDBA members, \$25 all others. For tickets please email contact@thewdba.org.

Thursday, October 3

BRA DAZZLE NIGHT: 6:30 p.m., Dudley Senior Center. A fun night of

crafting awaits as the Dudley Women’s Club blings out bras for our first Bra Dazzle contest to support breast cancer research. Bras and crafting supplies will be provided, but feel free to bring some bling to share.

Saturday, October 5

DUDLEY FARM DAYZ: 9 a.m.-2 p.m., Old Town Common, Center Road, Dudley. Come one, come all to join in the fun and festivities, including hayrides, pumpkin carving, a hay maze for children, a seed swap, build your own fairy gardens, and much more! Brought to you by the Dudley Agricultural Advisory Commission.

SECOND ANNUAL CRUISE-IN: 10 a.m.-4 p.m., Webster police station. Their first was a great success and this has promise of becoming one of the town favorite events. Free event, brought to you by Webster Police Department.

Sunday, October 6

PUBLIC WHIST PARTY: Killdeer Island Club House, 191 Killdeer Island Rd., Webster. A light luncheon will be served at Noon. Play begins at 1 p.m. Door Prizes/Raffle Baskets. Tickets are \$5.00 at the door, or advanced tickets are available for \$3 by calling Elizabeth Luchina at 1-508-949-1498.

Wednesday, October 9

LIBRARY CONCERT SERIES: 6:30 p.m., Gladys E. Kelly Public Library, Webster. Halloween themed novelty songs with prolific artist and musician Dan Blakeslee, a.k.a. Dr. Gasp, who has illustrated a plethora of album covers, a beer label series and more than 600 rock posters. For this concert, Dan’s alter ego, Dr. Gasp, will play Halloween themed ragtime folk songs about vampires and scary folk songs for all ages!

Thursday, October 10

DUDLEY WOMEN’S CLUB: 6:30 p.m., Waterfront Mary’s, Birch Island Road, Webster. Linda Halloran will present information about the non-profit support group comprised of women in various stages of cancer. We will also hold our first ever Bra Dazzle Contest, sporting the bras we have ‘blinged’ earlier in the month! Our voluntary giving project this month is donations of gently used bras for The Bra Recycler. The Dudley Woman’s Club is open to all women from Dudley and surrounding towns, and we welcome your attendance. Join us for this fun and lively evening, be our guest and discover what our Woman’s Club is all about. For more information please send an email to DudleyWomansClub@gmail.com, contact Andrea at 508-868-7110 or visit our website: <http://DudleyWomansClub.org>.

Saturday, October 12

THE EASE OF RESEARCHING YOUR ROOTS ONLINE: The General Ebenezer Learned DAR chapter of Oxford would like to invite the public to a genealogy workshop at 11 a.m. in the Oxford Police Training Room. There will be a presentation on finding and using free and easy to follow websites that could help you with your family genealogy. Websites will include international ones also. This event is free to the public. For more information email: gen.e.learneddar@gmail.com.

Tuesday, October 15

AUTHOR READING: 6:30 p.m., Gladys E. Kelly Library, Webster. Meghan Maclean Weir, author of “Book of Essie,” will talk about her life experiences and her writing. Raised in the rectory of her father’s church in Southbridge, Meghan currently lives and works as a physician in the Boston area.

Saturday, October 19

ROAST TURKEY DINNER: The First Congregational Church of Dudley, 135 Center Rd., is having a Roast Turkey Dinner on Oct. 19. Come and enjoy food and fellowship with friends and neighbors. The menu will include: Roast Turkey, Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Stuffing, Turnip, Butternut Squash, Cranberry Sauce, Apple Nobly Cake. Servings will be at 5 and 6:15 p.m. Adults: \$12, Preteens: \$6. Children 5 and under FREE. Handicapped accessible. For Reservations CALL 508-943-7320. When prompted press *2. Leave the time of the seating you want, your name, telephone # and the number in your party. Call backs will only be made if there is a question about your reservation. We look forward to seeing you!

Sunday, October 20

JAZZ BRUNCH: 11 a.m.-2 p.m., Point Breeze Restaurant, Webster. Fundraiser

for the United Way of Webster & Dudley. Music by the Jerry Seeco Jazz Trio. \$30 donation requested. For tickets, call Janet at (508) 943-7500.

Saturday, November 16

CRAFT FAIR: Holy Trinity Church will be hosting a vendor and craft fair 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. at the American Legion Post 184 in Webster, located at the corner of School Street and Houghton Street.

There will be handmade crafts as well as vendors present. Come purchase some home baked goodies or try a chance at our raffles. The kitchen will be open serving homemade soup and food. Admission is free, but we ask that you consider donating a non-perishable food item to us to help out our local food bank.

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR: 10 a.m.-5:30 p.m., St. Andrew Bobola Parish, Dudley. Vendors wanted; please call Joyce at (508) 943-1689.

ONGOING EVENTS & INFORMATION

COMMUNITY MEALS: Blessed Backpack Brigade Community Fellowship Meal served from 5-6 p.m. American Legion Hall, 9 Houghton St, Webster. Please note 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, call Lauri Joseph 774-230-8988. Blessed Backpack Brigade Community Fellowship Meals are served the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month at the American Legion on Houghton Street, Webster.

ALZHEIMER’S SUPPORT: The 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.

NUMISMATICS: Looking for a new hobby? Come learn about the hobby of Coin Collecting. Or maybe you are an old time collector. Our club, the Nipmuc Coin Club, has both. We learn from each other through our monthly guest speakers, show and tell presentations, monthly coin auctions and free attendance prizes. Our group loves to share their knowledge with each other. Each month we have a simple dinner with dessert and refreshments just prior to our meeting, which allows us time to socialize too. Fourth Wednesday of each month at 6:30 p.m. in the Oxford Senior Center located at 323 Main St., the building directly behind Oxford Town Hall. For information contact Dick Lisi at (508) 410-1332 or lisirichard15@yahoo.com.

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..

KNOWING KNITTERS: Come join the Drop In Knitting Group from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Thursday evenings and 10 a.m. to noon on Fridays at the Pearle L. Crawford Memorial Library, Schofield Avenue, Dudley. All ages and levels, from beginner to expert, are welcome. For more information, call Mary Kunkel at (508) 943-8107.

GOT FOOD? The Bread of Life Food Pantry, Calvary Assembly of God, located at 105 Southbridge Road, is open Mondays from 10 a.m. to noon and Thursdays from 5 to 7 p.m. They are closed on holidays. They can be reached at 508-949-3711.

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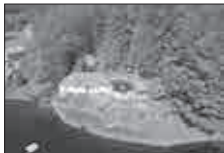
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ON DEPOSIT



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DUDLEY - 90' WATERFRONT! 12 Lakeview Ave! Full Recreational Merino Pond! 12 Rms, 4/5 Bdrms, 3.5 Baths Total! 2 Complete Residences, Single Family w/in-Law or as a 2 Family! Right Side w/Open Flr Plan! Lake Facing Kit, Din & Liv Rms! 2nd Flr w/2 Lake Facing Bdrms! Finished Walk-out Lower Level! Left Side w/Granite Kit w/ Skylight! Frplce Din/Liv Rm! 2/3 Bdrms! Master w/Bath! Town Services! In Time for Summer! **\$439,900.00**



WEBSTER LAKE - 9 Pebble Beach Rd! Middle Pond - Winter Cove! Private Peninsula Protected from the Storm - Safe Harbor! Custom 3,179' 8 Rm Contemp Ready for Your Immediate Enjoyment! Grand Entry Foyer! Ideal Open Flr Plan w/Sky Lighted Cathedral Ceilings, Tall Windows & Hrdwd Flrs! Beautiful Applianced Custom Granite Kit w/ Center Isl! Formal Din, Fireplace Liv Rm w/Water/Estuary Views! 1st Flr Laundry! Second Floor Master Suite, Ideal Full Bath, Huge Walk-in Closet! 3 Bdrms Total! 2 Full & 2 Half Baths! Walk-out Lower Level Fireplace Fam Rm! Buderus Oil Heat! C/Air! Oversized 2 Car Garage! **\$799,900.00**



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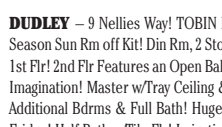


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PUTNAM - 49 Fox Road! Fantastic 2,680' 9+ Room Center Hall Colonial Set On 3 Beautiful Acres! Featuring Center Island Stainless Applianced Kitchen! Formal Dining & Living Rooms w/Hardwoods! Comfortable Brick Fireplaced Family Room! Office/Den! Half Bath w/Laundry Closet! Side Entry Foyer w/Coat Closet! Upstairs to 4 Spacious Bedrooms! Huge Master w/Hardwoods, Full Bath & Walk-in Closet! Full Hall Bath w/Double Sinks! Full Walk-up Attic w/Plumbing Leads for Additional/Future Expansion! 5 Zone Oil Heat! 24330' Detached Garage w/Second Floor Storage! Convenient to Everything Putnam! **\$369,900.00**



DUDLEY - 9 Nellies Way! TOBIN FARM ESTATES! 10 Rm Colonial Set on 1.2 Acres! Applianced Dine-in Granite Kit! 3 Season Sun Rm off Kit! Din Rm, 2 Story Fam Rm w/Pellet Stove, Bdrm, Full Bath w/Laundry & Gleaming Hrdwds Round Out 1st Flr! 2nd Flr Features an Open Balcony to the Liv Rm! Plenty of Space for an Office, Playroom or Reading Area, Use Your Imagination! Master w/Tray Ceiling & 3 Closets! Master Bath w/Dual Sinks, Shower, Whirlpool Tub & Makeup Counter! 2 Additional Bdrms & Full Bath! Huge Finished Walk-out Lower Level Perfect for Entertaining! Wet Bar w/Wine Cooler & Fridge! Half Bath w/Tile Flr! Irrigation! Shed! JD Riding Mower! Don't Miss Out! **\$469,900.00**



ON DEPOSIT



DUDLEY - 7 - 9 West Street! Brick 4 Family plus a 2 Family! Side by Side! All with 5 Rooms and 2 Bedrooms! Gas Heat! All Separate Utilities! 2 Car Detached Garage! The 4 Family with Beautiful Natural Woodwork! All Apartments are Empty and Work is Needed in Several Apartments! Excellent Potential! Will be a Good Investment for the Right One! **\$399,900.00**



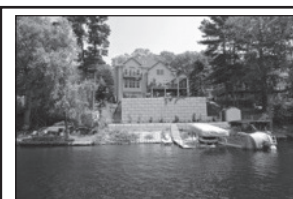
NEW LISTING

THOMPSON - 299 Quaddick Rd! Beautiful Custom Cedar Log Home Privately Set on 5.47 Acres! Stone Wall Entry Leads Up the 700+ Driveway! Nestled in the Woods! 6 Rms of Gorgeous Cedar! Applianced Granite Kit w/Soft Close Hickory Cabinets! Ideal Open Flr Plan w/Soaring Beamed Cathedral Ceilings w/Skylights! Gleaming Hrdwds! Liv Rm w/Spectacular Stone Frplce w/ Pellet Insert! 1st Flr Master w/Full Whirlpool Bath & Walk-in Closet! 3 Bdrms & 2.5 Baths Total! 3Z Buderus Oil Heat! 2 Car Garage! **\$399,900.00**



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DUDLEY - 94 Tracy Road! 7 Rm 4 Bdrm Colonial On 1.24 Acres! Privacy! Many Upgrades! Hrdwds Throughout! Frplce Liv Rm w/Recessed Lights! Formal Din Rm! Eat-in Kit Updated in 2015! Cherry Cabinets, Granite Counters, Center Isl & SS Appliances! Sunroom w/Skylights, Hrdwd Flrs & Slider to Deck! 1st Flr 1/2 Bath w/Laundry! Master Bdrm w/Dble Closet & Full Bath w/Linen Closet! 2nd Flr Full Bath! Lower Level Game Rm/Office! Utility/Storage Rm! 16X21 Deck! Garage Under! Save on Your Electric Your Bills, 2015 Solar Panels! Level yard w/Shed! Call now! **\$349,000.00**



ON DEPOSIT



WEBSTER LAKE - 50 West Point Rd! Killdeer Island! Stunning 4,700' Entertainers Dream! Magnificent Sunsets! Built 2016, It Has It All! Expansive 2 Story Foyer! Cherry Cabinet Kit w/Oversized Center Isl, Dble Oven, High End Appliances and Walk-in Butler's Pantry! Din Rm w/Wet Bar, Sliders to 14x30' Deck! Bright & Airy Liv Rm Overlooking the Lake, Custom Built Cabinets, Gas Frplce! 1/2 Bath + Laundry Nearby! An ELEVATOR to Service All 3 Floors! Glorious Stairway leads up to 3 Spacious Bdrms each with their Own Private Baths! Luxurious Master w/Tray Ceiling, Walk-in Closet + Private Balcony! Expansive Master Bath, Soaker Tub & Large Tile Shower! Walk-up Attic w/Expansion Possibilities! Lower Level boasts Full Kit, 1/2 Bath, Lake Facing Fam Rm, Media/Exercise Rm + Lake Facing Bdrm w/Frplce & Private Bath! Slider to Patio! 13 Individual Splits to Control Rm Temps! Oversized 2 Car Garage! This Home is Loaded w/Quality & Detail! Quick Closing No Problem! Don't Delay! **\$1,099,000.00**



NEW LISTING



DUDLEY - 61 Townfarm Rd! Charming 7 Rm Cape Set 1.9 Acres! This 3 Bdrm Home Completely Renovated 2015! Updates Include - Roof, Windows, Siding, Kitchen, 2 Baths, Furnace, Electric Panel, Well, Septic, Driveway & More! Ideal Open Flr Plan! Cabinet Packed Granite Kit w/Island & SS Appliances! 1st Flr w/Beautiful Hrdwds! Frplce Liv Rm! 1st Flr Master Bdrm! Office or 4th Bdrm! Custom Tiled Bath w/Laundry! Upstairs 2 Spacious Bdrms w/Hrdwds & 2nd Full Bath! Large Paver Patio! Shed! Gorgeous Views! **\$299,900.00**



ON DEPOSIT



NEW PRICE

WEBSTER LAKE - Steps Away From! 110 S. Shore Rd! Killdeer Island! Access to Swimming & Boating w/Killdeer Island Club Assoc Membership! Perfect 1st Home or Summer Retreat! 7 Rms! 2 Bdrms! Wall Maintained! Kit, Formal Din Rm! Full Bath! 12x25' Deck w/Water Views! Windows! New Furnace & Septic to be Installed by Seller! **\$499,900.00**



REDUCED

CHARLTON - GLEN ECHO LAKE! 3 Sunset Dr! Western Exposure = Beautiful Sunsets! Fantastic 105' Waterfront! Ideal 15,941' Gently Sloping Lot! Comfortable 9 Rm Ranch! Stainless Appliance Eat-in Granite Kit! Din Rm w/Hrdwd Flr! Lake Facing Liv Rm w/Panoramic Water Views! 4 Bdrms, 3 Lake Facing including the Spacious Master! Full Hall Bath! Enjoy the Sun Rm w/Lake Views! 32' Walk-out Lower Level Frplce Fam Rm w/Wet Bar & Convenient Half Bath! Nicely Landscaped Front & Back! Lake Level Deck, Dock & Rear Shed! Benefitted by Town Sewer! Start Packing! **\$499,900.00**



WEBSTER LAKE - 39 Bates Point! Panoramic Views of South Pond! Southern Exp! Park Like Grounds! Extensive Patio, Paver Walkways & Perennial Gardens! 18X24 Covered Composite Deck, w/Vinyl Railings! 90' U-Shaped Deck! Beautiful 7 Rm A/C/D Ranch! 14,549' Level Lot! Lake Facing Cathedral Ceiling Great Rm w/Gas Frplce, Maple Hrdwd Flrs, Custom Granite Wet Bar w/Maple Cabinetry! Applianced Granite Kit w/Maple Cabinets & Porcelain Tile Flr! Formal Din Rm w/Cathedral Ceiling, Skylight & Birch Flooring! 20' Master w/Cathedral Ceiling, Skylight, Ceiling Fans, Walk-in Closet & Dble Closet! Bthrm w/Travertine Flr, Dble Granite Vanity, Custom Tile Shower, Linen Closet & Cathedral Ceiling w/Skylight! Entry Foyer! Mud Rm w/Tile Floor! Finished Walk-out Lower w/2 Bdrms, 1 Lake Facing! Liv Area w/Wet Bar & Frigl! Full Bath! Laundry Rm! Work Shop & Storage! 26X32 Detached Garage w/2 Stalls & 2nd Flr Storage! Start Packing! **\$749,900.00**



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WEBSTER LAKE - 17 Wakefield Ave! South Pond! Western Exposure! Protected from the Storms - Quiet Cove! 24 Acre Lot! 104' Waterfront! Water Views! 2,412' 8 Rm Contemp! Just Renovated! 4 Bdrms! 2 Baths! Cathedral! Skylights! 2 Fireplaces! C/Air! Composite Decks! Patio! 2 Car Carport! **\$535,000.00**

WEBSTER LAKE - 207 Beacon Park! 1,100' Garden Unit! 5 Rms! 1 Level Living - No Stairs! Spectacular Sandy Beach! Fantastic Lakeside Pool! Applianced! Kit & Din Rms w/Parquet Wood Flrs! Spacious Liv Rm! Bdrms! Master Bath & Walk-in Closet! 2 Tie Baths! C/Air! Garage! **\$249,900.00**



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CHARLTON - 105' WATERFRONT! Baker Pond! 63 Lincoln Pt Rd! East Facing = Fantastic Sunrises! Custom 9 Rm Colonial! Beautiful 1/2 Acre Lot w/Lawn to Water's Edge! 2 Story Foyer! Natural Woodwork! Open Flr Plan! Applianced Granite Kit w/Is, Recessed Lights, Tile Flr & Water View! Din Area w/Slider to Deck! Sunken Frplce Liv Rm w/Hrdwd Flr & Water Views! Din Rm w/Hrdwd! 1/2 Bath w/Pedestal Sink! 2nd Flr w/4 Bdrms, 3 w/Water Views! Master w/Cathedrals, French Dr to Balcony, Bath w/Separate Tub/Shower, Walk-in Closet & Laundry! Half Bath! 3.5 Baths Total! Finished Walk-out Lower Level w/31' Fam Rm! Full Kit! Full Bath & Laundry! Includes NEW A/C SPLIT SYSTEM! Enjoy Outside from the Farmer's Porch, Deck, Patio, Screened Porch or Dock! 2 Car Garage! Full Recreational Use! **\$524,900.00**



ON DEPOSIT

WEBSTER LAKE - 50 Union Point Rd! Panoramic Views of Middle Pond - South Facing - Tons of Sun! Principal Residence or as a Second Home this 6+ Rm Gambrel Colonial will be Ready for You! You'll Appreciate its Easy Access and Taken Back by the Ever Changing Lake Vistas! Featuring Applianced Kitchen w/Island, Dining Area, Lake Facing Fireplaced Living Rm with Custom Cabinetry, All with Hardwood Floors! Ideal Lake Facing 3 Seasons Rm w/Tile Floor & Anderson Sliders All Around! 3 Second Floor Bedrooms! Spacious Lake Facing Master w/ Cathedral Ceiling & 2 Sliders to its Private Deck! 2 Full Baths! Central Air! Composite Decks & Flag Stone Patio for Your Enjoyment! 7,405' Lot with 50' on the Water! Sorry, Closing not before 9/10/2019! **\$624,900.00**



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WEBSTER LAKE - 603 Treasure Island! 1,874' Townhouse! 6 Rms, 2 Bdrms, Master Bath, 2.5 Baths Total! Recent Maple & Corian Kit w/SS Appliances! Din Rm w/Sliders to Deck! Sliders to Deck! Frplce Fam Rm! Patio! Newer C/Air, Heat & Hot Water! Garage! 2 Slips! Pool! Beach! Listed by Another - "SOLD" by C21 Lake Realty! **\$355,000.00**

WEBSTER LAKE - 206 Treasure Island! 1,874' Townhouse! 6 Rms, 2 Bdrms, Master Bath, 2.5 Baths Total! Recent Cherry & Granite Kit w/SS Appliances! Din Rm w/Sliders to Deck! Frplce Fam Rm! Patio! Newer C/Air, Heat & Hot Water! Garage! 2 Slips! Pool! Beach! Listed by Another - "SOLD" by C21 Lake Realty! **\$345,000.00**



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DUDLEY - 35 NW SCHOOLHOUSE RD

SPACIOUS 1364 sq +/- stone faced Ranch on 2.93 +/- ACRES! - EXTREMELY PRIVATE SETTING, wooded front yard w/easy access up paved drive to ample parking & oversized 2 car garage! Opens up to a level, cleared, bright & sunny, rear yard w/more of your own woods behind! Located in scenic country area of Dudley amongst farms, fields & woods! This home features: one level living, 3 BRs including a Master BR front entry foyer, open concept kitchen/casual dining w/easy access to a fabulous back yard patio/garden area. Also has a huge unfinished basement w/high ceilings, a 2nd fireplace. Lots of potential in the lower level for more finished space. Truly a rare find! **\$249,900**

w/walk-in cedar closet & attic pull-down, 2 full baths, 3 season side porch, formal dining room, living room w/fireplace & wood pellet stove, front entry foyer, open concept kitchen/casual dining w/easy access to a fabulous back yard patio/garden area. Also has a huge unfinished basement w/high ceilings, a 2nd fireplace. Lots of potential in the lower level for more finished space. Truly a rare find! **\$249,900**

THOMPSON, CT - 6 LILLIAN AVE, LOT #1



There is No Place Like Home - beautiful newly constructed home! Split level style home has an attractive modern flare! Open floor plan, cathedral ceilings, hardwood floors, tile floored baths, & wall to wall carpeted Bedrooms. Granite counters, center island & dining rm w/sliders! Master BR, private master full bath w/water wide shower & walk in closet, plus 2 spacious BRs & a full hallway bath. 24' lower level family room, half bath w/laundry hookups! Two car garage! Central AC. **\$309,900.**

DUDLEY - 71 EAGLE DRIVE



ON DEPOSIT IN ONE DAY!

Wow! Young 8 room Center Hall Colonial! Better than new! 3 bedroom, 3 full baths! 23' X 23' Cathedral ceiling Family Room! Hardwood & Ceramics throughout. Heat by forced hot air/oil, Central air! 2880 Sq Ft of living area. In one of Dudley's finest developments with underground utilities! **\$420,000.**

SOUTHBRIDGE - 79 N.WOODSTOCK RD



FRESHLY PAINTED 3 BEDROOM RANCH HAS SO MUCH TO OFFER! ALL HARDWOODS THROUGHOUT! REMODELED BATHROOM! 3 SEASON ENCLOSED PORCH. KITCHEN/DINING AREA HAS A VERY SPACIOUS OPEN LAYOUT! BEDROOMS WITH DOUBLE CLOSETS! CORNER LOT WITH SIDE GARAGE UNDER! CLOSE TO SHOPPING AREA AND MAJOR AMENITIES. Town Water. **New Price \$214,900**

OXFORD - 66 CHARLTON ST



VERY UNIQUE PROPERTY! ADORABLE 4-BEDROOM 1.5 BATH CAPE! W/CARPORT HOUSE/CABIN! WORK AREA! EXPANSIVE GARAGE! STAINLESS STEEL APPLIANCED KITCHEN, UPDATED BATHROOM W/JACUZZI TUB AND SHOWER BRAND NEW FORCED HOT AIR HEATING SYSTEM & HOT WATER RANK! RECENT 200 AMP CIRCUIT BREAKERS. ONE YEAR OLD WOOD STOVE! ENCLOSED SIDE PORCH. HEATED FOR FALL AND WINTER ENJOYMENT! TWO STORY GARAGE, ATTACHED CARPARK FAMILY & WORK ROOMS. NEW 4000MM SEPTIC SYSTEM COMPLETED PRIOR TO CLOSING. **MOTIVATED SELLER \$349,900**

WEBSTER - 212 SCHOOL ST



Large 4 Family! 3 car garage! Off street parking. 2 bedrooms each unit! Walk-up attic with a lot of potential! Solar panels!! Fully Rented. **\$369,900.**

THOMPSON, CT - 8 LILLIAN AVE, LOT #2



SORRY, SOLD!

There is No Place Like Home - especially when it is a beautiful newly constructed home! This split level style home has an attractive modern flare! You'll be delighted with the natural light that will brighten the interior of this home! Open floor plan, cathedral ceilings! Granite counters, center island & dining rm w/sliders! Master BR, private master full bath w/water wide shower & walk in closet, plus 2 spacious BRs & a full hallway bath. 24' lower level family room, half bath w/laundry hookups & utility closet, two car garage! Central AC. **\$309,900.**

WOODSTOCK, CT - 606 PROSPECT ST



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Pristine Colonial on 2.54 Acres in Historic Woodstock! 3 BR, 2-1/2 Baths. This Home is a Must See! Peaceful Country Setting! Vaulted Ceiling Family Room w/Built ins, Cherry Cabinets, Sunken Dining Rm, Cathedral Mstr! Hwd & Tile Flrs! Potential for Home Office, Teen/ In-law Suite, Craft Rm or Media/Game Rm. Resurfaced Driveway **\$399,000.00**

WEBSTER/DUDLEY/DOUGLAS LAND!

Dudley - Marshall Terrace 12,000 +/- Sq. Ft. Possible potential for a 2 family to be built! Town Water, Sewer, City Gas! Nice level lot. **\$69,900.**

Douglas-Mount Daniels Lot #2-2.5 Acres of flat land that abuts Douglas State Forest **\$132,900**

Webster - 3 Lots Cooper Rd. **Attention Developers!** 3 abutting house lots, potential to divide into 5-6 Buildable lots! Lake Residential area, water/sewer access **\$129,400**

WEBSTER - 34 EASTERN AVE UNIT A



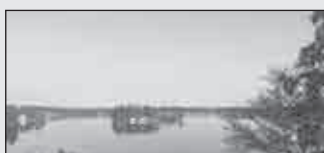
AN AFFORDABLE LIVING OPPORTUNITY PRESENTS ITSELF! This 20 Unit Condo Complex is tucked away at the very end of Eastern Ave, fenced in & private. Easily accessible (385) There's a lot to love about Webster! Unit 34 A is a 1,037 SF +/- END UNIT. Large living room w/picture window, an eat-in kitchen, access to rear deck, 2 spacious bedrooms, 1-1/2 baths, full basement! **NEW PRICE \$154,900**

WEBSTER LAND - COOPER RD



Attention Developers! 3 abutting house lots, potential to divide into 5-6 Buildable lots! Lake Residential area, Water/Sewer access **\$129,400.**

On The shores of Lake Chargoggagoggmanchauggagoggchaubunagungamaugg



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full front deck! Spectacular Westerly views across Middle Pond! Additional land & shore frontage available.

WEBSTER LAKE - 118 POINT BREEZE RD

Excellent Opportunity to Finally Own Your Own Webster Lake Waterfront Property! Prime Location, 5,697+/- SF Lot, 50' Rd & Water Frontage at a Great Price! Contemporary Ranch offers 996+/- SF of living area w/2 BRs & 2 full baths. Plus, convenient, indoor access to Walkout Lower Level w/tremendous potential for additional living area. Main level features Open Floor Plan w/sliders to Home Office, Teen/ In-law Suite, Craft Rm or Media/Game Rm. Resurfaced Driveway **\$299,900**

WEBSTER LAKE - 54 KILLDEER RD



SORRY, SOLD!

KILLDEER ISLAND! A RARE OPPORTUNITY ON WEBSTER LAKE! ABSOLUTELY THE WATERFRONT PROPERTY YOU'VE BEEN WAITING/LOOKING FOR! 2.45+/- Acres! 345 +/- road front, 336/384 +/- depth, 275 +/- Lakefront! Mature landscape provides unprecedented privacy, & a friendly level lot at water's edge - like very low waterfront properties! The 3700 SF +/- Mid-Century Modern Home is unique w/wise modern windows 180 panoramic views across the lake to stunning Western sunsets. 5 spacious BRs that overlook the rooms below. A 30x32 +/- det'd garage w/summer kitchen, 1/2 bath. Family owned gem for 60+ years! **\$1,495,000**



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WEBSTER LAKE - 32 JACKSON RD

AN INTRIGUING OPPORTUNITY TO OWN AN EXTREMELY UNIQUE 3.32 ACRE WEBSTER LAKE WATERFRONT PROPERTY! Charming, year-round, 2 BR, 2 bath Ranch, located at the Southern most end of Webster Lake's South Pond beyond Cedar Island! Extremely private w/direct Lake access. The home offers a full finished LL w/walkout access, a screened-in 18x20 patio, 18x26 det'd garage & 8x8 storage shed. Park like grounds! **New Price \$375,000**



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Spencer – N Spencer Rd. New England Colonial – first time on the market! 1264 sq ft, 4 bdrm, 2 ba, private yard. Detached garage plus carport. **\$160,000**



Auburn – Old Farm Rd. Comfortable raised ranch – first time on the market! 2,100 sq ft, 3 bdrm, 1.5 ba. New windows, roof, siding & remodeled kitchen. Perfect home for entertaining. **\$319,900.**



Spencer – Jolicoeur Ave. Over 50 ft frontage on Cranberry Meadow Lake! 1,800 sq ft, 3 bdrm, 1.5 ba. Quiet, dead end street. Double decks, beautiful yard. **\$305,000.**



North Brookfield – Oakham Rd. Investors/builders take a look! Antique farmhouse being sold as is. Recently approved subdivision plan. 16+ acres. **\$245,000.**



Spencer – Ash St. "Jolicoeurs Farm" a 1780's antique farmhouse – first time on market! 1,889 sq ft, 3 bdrm, 1 ba, almost 3 acres. 2 barns, detached garage, storage bays. **\$289,900.**



Leicester – Sargent St. 3 buildings with 13,000 sq ft of space! Antique colonial with inlaw apt. 3-story retail furniture business plus detached warehouse. Investors dream on the Worcester line! **\$649,900.**



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OPEN HOUSE SAT 12:30-2



Rent To Own
THOMPSON, CT - \$249,900
223 Stawicki Road
3 Bedroom, Split, Full Inlaw
COMPLETELY REMODELED

OPEN HOUSE SAT 12:30-2



SPENCER, MA - \$259,900
24 Bay Path Road
3 Bdrm Ranch
Immaculate Condition

PENDING



N.WOODSTOCK, CT - \$244,900
657 Brick Yard Rd
3 bedrooms, 2 Bath,
Lots of Land,
Ability to finish basement

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WEBSTER, MA - \$289,900
90-A Sutton Rd.
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71 Mason Rd ~ \$359,900



WOODSTOCK, CT: A Retreat! 21 acres, white birch log home, 4 bedrooms, 2.5 bath, center F/P with cathedral ceilings, wildlife, stream, woods.
480 Route 197 ~ Call for details and showing

WEBSTER: Pride to Own!

- Hardwood floors
- 3 bedrooms
- Town septic
- 3 season porch
- Garage
- 1/2 acre.

Call for details ~ \$259,900



DUDLEY: Contractors won't last long!
• Great location
• Needs renovation.

48 Airport Rd ~ \$159,900



WEST BOYLSTON: Highly Motivated Seller!
3 bedrooms, 1.5 baths, fireplace, prime location.

44 Central St ~ \$334,900



WEBSTER: Condo

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- Hardwood floors
- Appliances,
- Garage.

17 Cutler St ~ \$119,900

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A Place To Call Home...



THOMPSON Whimsical and Charming are few words to describe this well-thought-out mini Farm in the quiet corner of Thompson Connecticut. The 2 bed one bath with partially finished basement and ample room for expansion. Home boasts much charm and interesting personal touches. Cradled in stone walls and white picket fence you will find a garden area, many perennials, a 24 x 38 pegged post and beam barn with ample hay storage, a goat barn with separate milking / birthing room, a chicken coop, a shed for storage and a deck for an above ground pool. The large paved driveway leaves plenty of room to park your trailers or activity vehicles. A must-see property. Very transit to Boston, Providence, and Hartford. **\$235,000**



THOMPSON Four bedroom, 2 bath Colonial home situated on 2 acres of beautiful open land. Large kitchen with soapstone counters, living room with wood flooring. First floor with bedroom & bath, 2nd floor with 1 bedroom & a sitting room leading to deck, and the 3rd floor with 2 bedrooms. Storage shed, chicken coop & dog pen. **\$269,000**



WOODSTOCK Bungee lake rights! 2000+ sq ft raised ranch. Just remodeled 3 bedroom 1 1/2 bath only minutes from bungee lake beaches. New kitchen cabinets w/ pantry cabinet, granite counters, farmers sink, new stainless steel appliances, vinyl plank floors. Dining room with slider to back deck and a granite breakfast bar/pass thru to living room which offers laminate flooring and fireplace. Full bath and 2 bedrooms with closets and ceiling fans finishes off the 1st floor. Finished basement with vinyl plank flooring throughout, family room with dry bar, windows for natural light and walkout, and 3rd bedroom with new egress sliding window, 2 closets and 1/2 bath (or use the entire basement for possible in-law potential). All new paint throughout. Shed with new roof shingles, large 16x12 wood deck. Enjoy the beaches, boating and fishing on Bungee lake. **\$239,900**



PUTNAM This eight room Victorian located in the heart of Putnam is just the home you have been looking for! The kitchen features granite counters, newer stainless steel appliances, refinished wood floors and a gas fireplace, there is a great dining room with faux tin ceilings and French doors, the spacious living room has wood floors, a bay window, & a great built in gas fireplace/entertainment center. Upstairs, 3 good sized bedrooms and a large full bathroom. Home features a great walk up attic along with an additional storage attic space. The Barn/Garage has room for cars/toys/yard/shop and much more along with a full loft. Home has a great yard with mature landscaping along with 2 great porches. **\$229,900**



THOMPSON WATERFRONT!! Come take a look at this very cute 680 sq. ft., (FULLY FURNISHED) seasonal property with 51 ft of water frontage with a dock. Enter onto the bright sun porch through to the living room with carpet and working fireplace. Fully appointed kitchen with breakfast bar, 1 bedroom w/ built-ins for storage and lots of natural light. Second bedroom, an additional den/office and a full bath with a stand up shower stall. Outside offers a shed a nice deck where you can enjoy your morning coffee while looking out at the beautiful water view and after coffee, doing some fishing, boating or take a swim. Leased Land. Great opportunity to own your own waterfront property for only **179,900**



PUTNAM Great starter home! Move right in to this 3 bedroom, 1 bath Cape. Living room and den offer hardwood floors and ceiling fans, along with a kitchen and dining area on main level. Three bedrooms upstairs 2 with new laminate flooring. Steel roof, vinyl siding, porch, and fenced back yard, all on a corner lot with 2 car garage all for **165,000**

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OPEN HOUSE SAT 9/21 10:00-11:30



14 Fox Rd.
Putnam \$349,900
Totally renovated commercial building. Prime location in Putnam's business district. Lg. parking lot. 1st flr handicapped BA. Big yard!
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OPEN HOUSE SAT 9/21 12:00-1:30



67 E. Quasset Rd
Woodstock \$630,900
Stunning, custom built Colonial reproduction home in Woodstock, CT complete with separate in-law home! Private 3.2 acres.
John Downs 860-377-0754

OPEN HOUSE SUN 9/22 11:00-2:00



490 Barlow Cemetery Rd
Woodstock \$630,000
Sited on 41 acres, this 3 BR, 2.5 BA custom home has a heated barn- is a perfect horse property & has trout fishing right in the backyard!
Maryann Miller 860-949-6130

OPEN HOUSE SAT 9/21 12:30-2:00



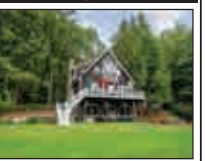
1223 North Road
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Pomfret \$739,900
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Woodstock \$415,000 NEW LISTING



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Woodstock \$344,000 NEW LISTING



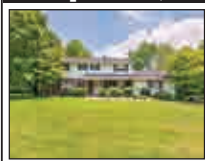
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Updated 3 bedroom with finished lower level, expansive decks and pond access!
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Woodstock \$264,000 NEW PRICE



Immaculate 3 BR, 2 BA Cape. 1st floor bedroom and full bath. New hardwoods! 2 car garage. Beautiful lot.
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Thompson \$329,900



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Putnam \$199,000



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Putnam \$165,000



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Brooklyn \$479,900



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Woodstock \$245,000



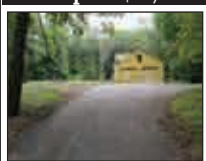
3 BR, 1.5 BA, 1.3 acres, gorgeous barn, screened in porch, quiet, near Mass border.
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Brooklyn \$235,000



This updated and cozy 2064 SF, 4 BR, 2 BA Raised Ranch sits nestled on a private 1/2 acre on Darby Road.
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Thompson \$90,000



Home has burnt down, only foundation, well, septic, driveway and partial garage is left. 2 acres. Sold as-is.
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Pomfret \$350,000



Custom Colonial w/4 BR & 2.5 BA. Kitchen w/granite counters opens to eat-in area & plank hrdwd floors. 2 car garage & lg. deck.
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Woodstock \$230,000



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POKEMON CLUB: Tuesdays, 3:30-4:30 p.m., Pearle L. Crawford Library, 40 Schofield Ave., Dudley. Pokemon fans! Kids ages seven to 14 are welcome. Bring your Pokemon cards! No registration required. Children under 12 must be accompanied by an adult. For more information, call 949-8021.

STORY TIMES: Tuesdays, 10:30 a.m. for ages 1-3; Thursdays, 10:30 a.m. for ages 3-5, Pearle L. Crawford Library, 40 Schofield Ave., Dudley. Join Ms. Pam in the Story & Craft Room for songs, stories and crafts! No registration required. Children under 12 must be accompanied by an adult. For more information, call 949-8021.

LEGO CLUB: Wednesdays, 3:30-4:30 p.m., Pearle L. Crawford Library, 40 Schofield Ave., Dudley. Drop in. Build and play! Recommended for ages five and up. No registration required. Children under 12 must be accompanied by an adult.

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ADDRESS	STYLE	TIME	PRICE	REALTOR/SELLER/PHONE
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SPENCER				
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WEBSTER				
17 Cutler St Unit 1	C	10-Noon	\$119,900	ReMax Advantage 1 / Joanne Szymczak 508-943-7669, 774-230-5044
90-A Sutton Rd	S	11 -12:30	\$289,900	Re/Max professional Associates/ Patrick Sweeney 774-452-3578
16 Francis Dr	S	10-Noon	\$419,900	ReMax Advantage 1 / Joanne Szymczak 508-943-7669, 774-230-5044
THOMPSON, CT				
223 Stawicki Rd	S	12:30 -2	\$249,900	Re/Max professional Associates/ Patrick Sweeney 774-452-3578
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 22				
SPENCER				
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ACOUSTIC FRIDAYS AT 308 LAKESIDE
Tim Kay
308 Lakeside
308 East Main Street, East Brookfield, MA
01515 774-449-8333

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

TEQUILA BONFIRE
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308 East Main Street, East Brookfield, MA
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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

ENCHANTED GARDENS LECTURE AND DEMONSTRATION PROPAGATING PERENNIALS
Brookfield Garden Club
2 pm. Learn different propagation skills including growing from seed, cuttings, and divisions of a wide range of perennials. Free to Garden Club Members. \$5.00 non-members. Refreshments will be served
Brookfield Congregational Church
8 Central Street, Brookfield, MA 01506

SUNDAYS AT 308 LAKESIDE
Joe Macy
308 Lakeside
308 East Main Street, East Brookfield, MA
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OCTOBER 11, 12, & 13

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MURDER MYSTERY DINNER
An interactive dinner theater
The Fashionable Murders. 6:30 pm
Join us for a laugh-filled night, a great dinner, and a mystery we need help solving. Advance ticket sales required
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West Brookfield, MA 01585

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New England Weather
308 Lakeside
308 East Main Street, East Brookfield, MA 01515 774-449-8333

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

SUNDAYS AT 308 LAKESIDE
Chris Barber
308 Lakeside
308 East Main Street, East Brookfield, MA
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546 CEMETERY LOTS

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Interim Kitchen Manager**

Location: Douglas Elementary School
Requirements:
High School Diploma
ServSafe Certified
Ability to manage staff and kitchen operations
Possess strong leadership, organizational, and communication skills
Ability to run an effective and efficient food service operation
Ability to understand and implement school nutritional standards
Prior food service experience with working knowledge of nutritional guidelines preferred
Work Year: Follows School Calendar
Workday: 7 hours per day, 7:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m., with flexibility
Salary: Per Union Contract
Responsibilities: Plans, supervises, and actively assists in the daily meal production for students and adults. Responsible for adhering to local, state, and federal regulations regarding the child nutrition program. Responsible for inventory control, ordering, receiving, record keeping, daily and monthly reporting of income and meal counts. Demonstrates leadership and initiative in all tasks which results in appetizing, visually appealing and nutritious food items that are served efficiently. Communicates effectively with food service staff, food service director, school faculty, administration, and students. Displays a high level of personal and professional integrity in the performance of duties. Accomplishes all tasks in a manner that promotes excellent customer service.
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*Private Snow and Ice
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Employment Opportunity
Now seeking private snow and ice removal service contractors for the winter storm season of 2019-2020.
*Specifications can be picked up at the
Highway Department, 100 Flint Road,
Charlton, MA 01507 starting September 20,
2018 before 3:00 p.m. EOE/AA.*
**The Response Deadline –
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Charlton Highway Department**
**Sander/Plow Truck Operators Needed
Temporary Part-Time Employment Opportunity**
Seeking (2) Plow Truck operators (Class D License required),
(1) Sander/Plow Unit Operator (Class B, CDL License
required, 2B Hoisting Engineering License preferred) for the
winter storm season of 2019-2020.

*Applications can be picked up at the Highway Department, 100
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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 Joan M. Lucier to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as mortgagee, acting solely as a nominee for ERA Mortgage Corporation, dated July 31, 2013 and recorded in Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 51294, Page 41 (the "Mortgage") of which mortgage PHH Mortgage Corporation is the present holder by assignment from Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. (MERS), As Nominee for ERA Mortgage Corporation to PHH Mortgage Corporation dated April 11, 2017 recorded in Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 56970, Page 151, for breach of conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, the mortgaged premises located at 82 Slater Street, Webster, MA 01570 will be sold at a Public Auction at 2:00 PM on October 2, 2019, at the mortgaged premises, more particularly described below, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit: A certain tract of land located on the Easterly side of said Slater Street, commencing at the Northwest corner of same on the Easterly line of said Slater Street; THENCE in a Southerly direction, 97.5 feet along the Easterly line of Slater Street to a point; THENCE in a Easterly direction, 89.2 feet to a point; THENCE in a Northerly direction 145.4 feet to a stone bound; THENCE in a Northerly direction, 15.4 feet to a point; THENCE in a Westerly direction, 146.8 feet to the point of Beginning. Granting also the right of way which the grantors now have immediately adjacent to the Southerly line of the herein above described premises, extending from said Slater Street along the whole Southerly line or side of the herein conveyed premises. Premises are conveyed subject to rights of New England Power Company so far as the same affect the premises are in force. Also, a certain tract of land situated in said Webster, Easterly of Slater Street, bounded and described as follows: BEGINNING at an iron pipe at the Southeasterly corner of land of Lavallee and Irene Lavallee, now or formerly, in the Northerly line of an old road; THENCE Northwestery 145.5 feet by land of said Wilfred Lavallee and Irene Lavallee, now or formerly to a stone bound; THENCE deflecting to the right and extending Northerly 12.9 feet by land of said Wilfred Lavallee and Irene Lavallee, now or formerly to a cement bound at the Northeasterly corner of land of said Wilfred Lavallee and Irene Lavallee, this course given as 15.4 feet in the Wilfred Lavallee and Irene Lavallee Deed in error; THENCE Southeasterly 170.6 feet by land of Normandy Club, Inc. to a stake in the Northerly line of said old road; THENCE Westerly with an interior angle of 67 degrees 42', a distance of 70 feet by said Old Road to the point of BEGINNING. The angle between the first and last mentioned lines is 89 degrees 24'. Together with a right of way over said old road from the Southeasterly corner of the herein granted premises to said Slater Street. These premises are conveyed subject to the following conditions and restrictions. No building shall be erected thereon nearer than 30 feet to any Street line. No cattle, poultry or swine shall be kept or maintained upon the premises. The premises shall not be utilized in any trade or commercial purpose, enterprise or business. No outside privy shall be maintained upon the premises. No structure shall be erected over two floors or stories in height. Being the same premises conveyed to Me by Deed of Charlotte Plouffe recorded with Worcester District Registry of Deeds Herewith in Book 51294, Page 37. For mortgagor's title see deed recorded with the Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 51294, Page 37. 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. 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tance 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. The 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. PHH Mortgage Corporation Korde & Associates, P.C. 900 Chelmsford Street Suite 3102 Lowell, MA 01851 (978) 256-1500 Lucier, Joan M., 17-029583 September 6, 2019 September 13, 2019 September 20, 2019

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 Kathleen M. Lange to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as mortgagee, acting solely as a nominee for Bank of America, N.A., dated July 21, 2011 and recorded in Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 47639, Page 335 (the "Mortgage") of which mortgage PHH Mortgage Corporation is the present holder by assignment from Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for Bank of America, N.A., its successors and assigns to PHH Mortgage Corporation dated January 19, 2017 recorded in Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 56635, Page 333, for breach of conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, the mortgaged premises located at 14 Sawmill Road, Dudley, MA 01571 will be sold at a Public Auction at 3:00 PM on October 2, 2019, at the mortgaged premises, more particularly described below, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit: A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon of every nature and description and all the privileges and appurtenances thereto belonging situated in the Town of Dudley, Worcester County, Massachusetts on the southerly side of Sawmill Road and being the sixth lot easterly of Masan Road as shown on "Revised Plan of Lots on Sawmill Road, Dudley, Massachusetts" owned by Konkel Bros., Inc. dated October 26, 1962, and recorded with the Worcester District Registry of Deeds Plan Book 269, Plan 57, bounded and described as follows: BEGINNING: at a stake three hundred (300) feet easterly of a bend in said Sawmill Road; THENCE: easterly by the southerly side line of Sawmill Road, one hundred (100) feet to a stake; THENCE: southerly at right angles to said Sawmill Road, one hundred twenty (120) feet to a stake; THENCE: westerly with an included angel of 90 a distance of one hundred (100) feet to a stake; THENCE: northerly a distance of one hundred twenty (120) feet to the point of beginning. BEING the same premises conveyed to the Mortgagor by deed dated January 28, 1999 and recorded with the Worcester District Registry of Deeds in Book 20983, Page 274. For mortgagor's title see deed recorded with the Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 20983, Page 274. 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. The 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. PHH Mortgage Corporation Korde & Associates, P.C. 900 Chelmsford Street Suite 3102

Lowell, MA 01851 (978) 256-1500 Lange, Kathleen M., 17-028659 September 6, 2019 September 13, 2019 September 20, 2019

Notice of Sale of Motor Vehicle
Under G.L.c. 255, Section 39A

Notice is hereby given by: School St Towing 17-31 School St Webster MA 01570. pursuant to the provisions of G.L.c. 225, Section 39A, that on: 28 Sept 2019 at 9AM at: 17-31 School St Webster MA 01570 by Private Sale the following Motor Vehicle will be sold to satisfy the garagekeeper's lien thereon for storage, towing charges, care and expenses of notices and sale of said vehicle. Vehicle description: Year: 2017 Make: Chevy Model: Sonic Registration#/State: 8PS136 VIN: 1G1JB5SH9H4134727 Name and address of vehicle owner: Jonathan Joseph 75 West St., Apt 5, Worcester, MA by: Frank A Czechowski Jr Dated: 2 Sept 2019 This notice has been given under the provisions of G.L.c. 255, Section 39A September 13, 2019 September 20, 2019 September 27, 2019

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 Christopher E. Lonchiadis and Dawn K. Lonchiadis to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. acting solely as a nominee for Bank of America, N.A., dated November 23, 2009 and recorded in Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 45164, Page 65 (the "Mortgage") of which mortgage Nationstar Mortgage LLC d/b/a Mr. Cooper is the present holder by assignment from Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as nominee for Bank of America, N.A., its successors and/or assigns to Nationstar Mortgage LLC dated November 18, 2016 recorded in Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 56399, Page 176, for breach of conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, the mortgaged premises located at 11 Stoughton Avenue, Webster, MA 01570 will be sold at a Public Auction at 11:00 AM on October 11, 2019, at the mortgaged premises, more particularly described below, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit: The land with the buildings thereon of every nature and description and all the privileges and appurtenances thereto belonging, situated in the Town of Webster, County of Worcester, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, on the westerly side of Stoughton Avenue, and being bounded and described as follows: BEGINNING at an iron pin driven into the ground on the westerly side of Stoughton Avenue at land, n/f, of one Hall and being the most northeasterly angle of the tract hereby conveyed; THENCE southwestery 100 feet by land, n/f, of said Hall to an iron pin in the ground at land, n/f, of Guy Dudley; THENCE southerly 19 feet by land, n/f, of said Dudley to a stake in the ground on the northerly side of a new street; THENCE easterly by said new street 105.8 feet to a stake in the ground at the westerly line of Stoughton Avenue; THENCE northerly 59.6 feet by said Stoughton Avenue to the point of beginning. For mortgagor's title see deed recorded with the Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 41355, Page 146. 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. The 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. Nationstar Mortgage LLC d/b/a Mr. Cooper Korde & Associates, P.C.

900 Chelmsford Street Suite 3102 Lowell, MA 01851 (978) 256-1500 Lonchiadis, Christopher E., 16-027535 September 13, 2019 September 20, 2019 September 27, 2019

NOTICE OF
MORTGAGEE'S SALE
OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue of and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Dorothy P. Menzone, Estate of Dorothy P. Menzone to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for Intercontinental Capital Group, Inc., dated January 25, 2012 and recorded in the Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 48487, Page 334, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, by assignment from: Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for Intercontinental Capital Group, Inc. to JPMorgan Chase Bank, National Association, recorded on August 21, 2013, in Book No. 51381, at Page 371 for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing, the same will be sold at Public Auction at 1:00 PM on October 29, 2019, on the mortgaged premises located at 33 Highland Street, Webster, Worcester County, Massachusetts, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, TO WIT: The land in Webster, Worcester County, Massachusetts, bounded and described as follows: BEGINNING at land on the northerly side of Highland Street at land now or formerly of Michael Makara, being the southeasterly corner of land to be described; THENCE N. 87 degrees 26 minutes 15 seconds W. along said Highland Street for a distance of 120.00' to a rerod; THENCE N. 02 degrees 33 minutes 45 seconds E. along land now or formerly of Heather P. Yancik for a distance of 80.50' to a drill hole; THENCE S. 87 degrees 26 minutes 15 seconds E. along land now or formerly of HCRI Massachusetts Properties Trust II for a distance of 66.76' to an iron pin; THENCE N. 09 degrees 46 minutes 53 seconds E. along land now or formerly of HRCI Massachusetts Properties Trust II for a distance of 100.79' to a rerod; THENCE S. 87 degrees 26 minutes 15 seconds E. along land now or formerly of The School Street Realty Trust for a distance of 40.57' to a drill hole; THENCE S. 02 degrees 40 minutes 30 seconds W. along land now or formerly of said Makara for a distance of 100.00'; THENCE continuing along land of said Makara, S. 02 degrees 33 minutes 45 seconds W, a distance of 80.50' to the point of beginning. Parcel ID#: 5/C/9/0 For title see deed recorded in Worcester County August 22, 2008 at Book 43231 Page 275. For mortgagor's(s') title see deed recorded with Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 43231, Page 275. These premises will be sold and conveyed subject to and with the benefit of all rights, rights of way, restrictions, easements, covenants, liens or claims in the nature of liens, improvements, public assessments, any and all unpaid taxes, tax titles, tax liens, water and sewer liens and any other municipal assessments or liens or existing encumbrances of record which are in force and are applicable, having priority over said mortgage, whether or not reference to such restrictions, easements, improvements, liens or encumbrances is made in the deed. TERMS OF SALE: A deposit of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars by certified or bank check will be required to be paid by the purchaser at the time and place of sale. The balance is to be paid by certified or bank check at Harmon Law Offices, P.C., 150 California St., Newton, Massachusetts 02458, or by mail to P.O. Box 610389, Newton Highlands, Massachusetts 02461-0389, within thirty (30) days from the date of sale. Deed will be provided to purchaser for recording upon receipt in full of the purchase price. The description of the premises contained in said mortgage shall control in the event of an error in this publication. Other terms, if any, to be announced at the sale. JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A. Present holder of said mortgage By its Attorneys, HARMON LAW OFFICES, P.C. 150 California St. Newton, MA 02458 (617)558-0500 2016080324 September 13, 2019 September 20, 2019 September 27, 2019

LEGALS

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Worcester Probate and Family
Court
225 Main Street
Worcester, MA 01608
(508) 831-2200
Docket No. WO19P2901EA
CITATION ON PETITION FOR
FORMAL ADJUDICATION
Estate of:
Anne Marie Faust
Date of Death: 06/09/2019**

To all interested persons:
A Petition for **Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative** has been filed by **Christine McNally** of Auburn MA requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order for such other relief as requested in the Petition. The Petitioner requests that **Christine McNally** of Auburn MA be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve **Without Surety** on the bond in **an unsupervised** administration.

IMPORTANT NOTICE
You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before: **10:00 a.m. on the return day of 10/01/2019.** This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION UNDER THE MASSACHUSETTS UNIFORM PROBATE CODE (MUPC)
A Personal Representative appointed under the MUPC in an unsupervised administration is not required to file an inventory or annual accounts with the Court. Persons interested in the estate are entitled to notice regarding the administration directly from the Personal Representative and may petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including the distribution of assets and expenses of administration.
WITNESS, Hon. Leilah A. Keamy, First Justice of this Court.

Date: September 05, 2019
Stephanie K. Fattman,
Register of Probate
September 20, 2019

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Worcester Probate
and Family Court
225 Main Street
Worcester, MA 01608
(508) 831-2200
Docket No. WO19C0452CA
CITATION ON PETITION TO
CHANGE NAME
In the matter of:
Patricia A Norgren LaFontaine
A **Petition to Change Name of Adult** has been filed by **Patricia A Norgren LaFontaine** of Oxford MA requesting that the court enter a Decree changing their name to:**

**Patricia A LaFontaine
IMPORTANT NOTICE**
Any person may appear for purposes of objecting to the petition by filing an appearance at: **Worcester Probate and Family Court before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of 10/01/2019.** This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance if you object to this proceeding.
WITNESS, Hon. Leilah A. Keamy, First Justice of this Court.
Date: September 06, 2019

Stephanie K. Fattman
Register of Probate
September 19, 2019

**(SEAL)
THE COMMONWEALTH
OF MASSACHUSETTS
LAND COURT
DEPARTMENT OF
THE TRIAL COURT
SM CASE NO.19SM003436
ORDER OF NOTICE**

TO:
John J.McGrath
and all persons entitled to the benefit of the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act, 50 U.S.C. App. §3901 *et seq*:
The Village Bank f/k/a Auburndale Co-Operative Bank
claiming to have an interest in a Mortgage covering real property in Dudley, numbered 51 Ramshorn Road, given by **John J. McGrath and Victoria R. McGrath to Auburndale Co-Operative Bank, dated June 29, 2001, and recorded In Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds In Book 24336, Page 391,** has filed with this court a complaint for determination of Defendant's/ Defendants' Servicemembers status. If you now, or recently have been, in the **active** military service of the United States of America, then you are 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 should file a written appearance and answer in this court at **Three Pemberton Square, Boston, MA 02108** on or before or you may lose the opportunity to challenge the foreclosure on the ground of noncompliance with the act.
OCT 21 2019
Witness, Gordon H. Piper, Chief Justice of said Court on SEP. - 4 2019
Attest:
Deborah J. Patterson
Recorder
LC0-5 (4-19-19)
September 20, 2019

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Worcester Division
Docket No. WO19P2759EA
Estate of:
Jean R. Wilkins
Also known as:
Jean Roberta Wilkins
Date Of Death: 05/28/2019
INFORMAL PROBATE
PUBLICATION NOTICE**
To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner **Norel Cronin** of North Ox-

ford, MA
a Will has been admitted to informal probate
Norel Cronin of North Oxford, MA has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety on the bond. The estate is being administered under informal procedure by the Personal Representative under the Massachusetts Uniform Probate Code without supervision by the Court. Inventory and accounts are not required to be filed with the Court, but interested parties are entitled to notice regarding the administration from the Personal Representative and can petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including distribution of assets and expenses of administration. Interested parties are entitled to petition the Court to institute formal proceedings and to obtain orders terminating or restricting the powers of Personal Representatives appointed under informal procedure. A copy of the Petition and Will, if any, can be obtained from the Petitioner.
September 20, 2019

Proposed Ad:
The Town of Webster is seeking proposals for professional preservation services for the historic Webster Town Hall. Such services to include a building condition assessment and development of construction documents. The Request for Proposals (RFP) may be found at the Town of Webster website: www.webster-ma.gov. Proposals must be received no later than 11:00 a.m. on Friday, October 18, 2019. Additional information can be obtained by contacting the Town Administrator's Office at 508-949-3800 or town.administrator@webster-ma.gov.
September 20, 2019

**OFFICE OF
THE ZONING BOARD
OF APPEALS**
Please take note that Cheryl Lieteau has applied to the Board of Appeals to appeal the terms of the zoning bylaws: Section 2.03.02 Use By District Chart, Agricultural, Livestock Raising on Parcel Less Than Five Acres. at 38 West Dudley Road, Dudley, MA 01571.
Nature of Application or Appeal: Applicant is seeking a Special Permit to continue to have chickens and a rooster on property less than 5 acres located at 38 West Dudley Road, Dudley, MA 01571,
Applicable section of the Zoning By Law: Section 2.03.02 Use By District Chart District Chart, Agricultural, Livestock Raising on Parcel Less Than Five Acres.
Public hearing will be held on October 3, 2019 at 7:00 P.M. at the Town Hall, 71 West Main Street, Dudley in Room 321A, at which time you may be heard relative to the special permit.
George Slingo, Chairman
Zoning Board of Appeals
September 20, 2019
September 27, 2019

**(SEAL)
COMMONWEALTH
OF MASSACHUSETTS
LAND COURT
DEPARTMENT OF THE TRIAL
COURT
19 SM 004069
ORDER OF NOTICE**

To:
Melanie D. Melendy
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 f/k/a Green Tree Servicing, LLC
claiming to have an interest in a Mortgage covering real property in Oxford, numbered 148 Main Street, given by Melanie D. Melendy to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. acting solely as a nominee for Countrywide Home Loans, Inc., dated September 23, 2006, and recorded in Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 39835, Page 273, as affected by a Loan Modification Agreement dated March 28, 2016, and recorded at said Registry of Deeds in Book 55161, Page 190, and further affected by a Loan Modification Agreement dated January 2, 2019, and recorded at said Registry of Deeds in Book 60035, Page 265, and now held by the 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 October 21, 2019 or you may lose the opportunity to challenge the foreclosure on the ground of noncompliance with the Act.
Witness, GORDON H. PIPER, Chief Justice of this Court on September 9, 2019.
Attest: Deborah J. Patterson
Recorder
19-035250
September 20, 2019

Notice of Sale of Motor Vehicle Under G.L.c. 255, Section 39A
Notice is hereby given by: School St Towing 17-31 School St Webster MA 01570. pursuant to the provisions of G.L.c. 225, Section 39A, that on: 5 October 2019 at 9AM at: 17-31 School St Webster MA 01570 by Private Sale the following Motor Vehicle will be sold to satisfy the garagekeeper's lien thereon for storage, towing charges, care and expenses of notices and sale of said vehicle. Vehicle description: Year: 2002 Make: Audi Model: A4 Registration#/State: 8JX844 VIN: WAULC68E82A155350 Name and address of vehicle owner: Stavre Vesovski 22 McGovern Lane, Webster, MA 01570 by: Frank A Czechowski Jr Dated: 13 Sept 2019 This notice has been given under the provisions of G.L.c. 255, Section 39A
September 20, 2019
September 27, 2019
October 4, 2019

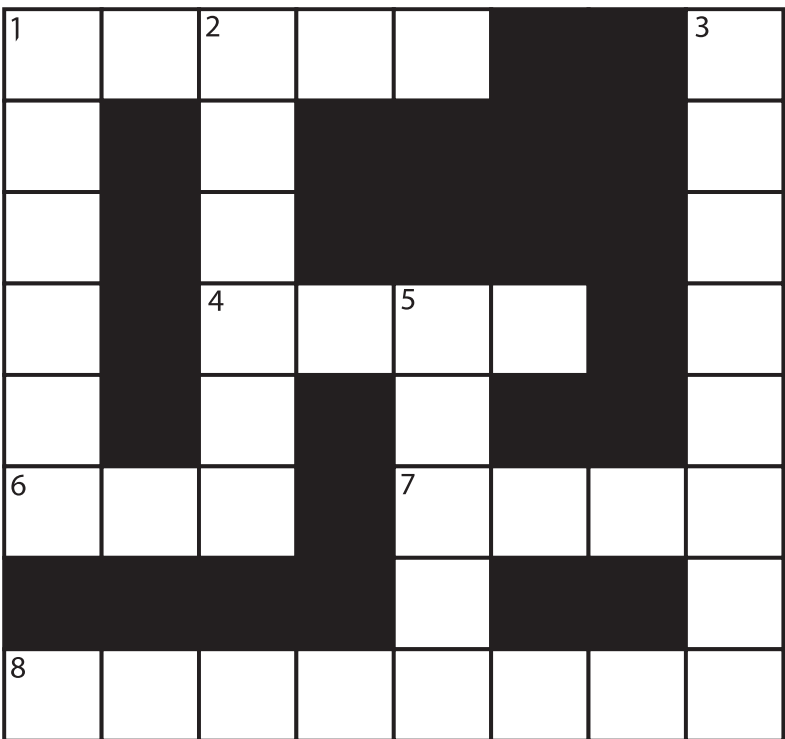
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Crossword Puzzle



ACROSS

- 1. Leavened dough
- 4. Let dough sit
- 6. Man
- 7. Overexcited
- 8. Make look attractive

DOWN

- 1. Cooking with dry heat
- 2. Vitality for activity
- 3. Relish at the sight of
- 5. Sweetener

THIS DAY IN...



HISTORY

- 1957: THE UNITED STATES CONDUCTS ITS FIRST UNDERGROUND NUCLEAR TEST IN THE NEVADA DESERT.
- 1985: MEXICO CITY IS STRUCK BY THE FIRST OF TWO DEVASTATING EARTHQUAKES.
- 1991: OTZI THE ICEMAN IS DISCOVERED IN THE ALPS ALONG THE BORDER OF ITALY AND AUSTRIA.



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ANSWER: ROYAL ICING



PIPING

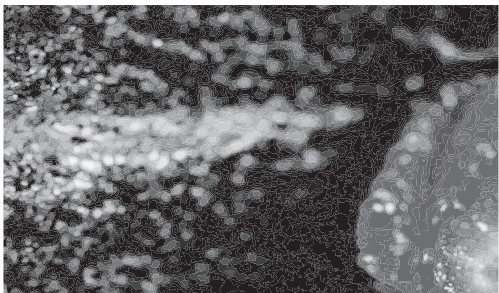
technique of putting icing on a cake

How they SAY that in...

- ENGLISH: Bake
- SPANISH: Hornear
- ITALIAN: Cuocere al forno
- FRENCH: Cuire
- GERMAN: Etwas backen



A BIG BREAKTHROUGH IN THE HISTORY OF BAKING CAKE HAPPENED WITH THE USE OF BAKING SODA AND BAKING POWDER AS LEAVENING AGENTS.



Can you guess what the bigger picture is?

ANSWER: CHOCOLATE LAYER CAKE

CRYPTO FUN



Determine the code to reveal the answer!

Solve the code to discover words related to autumn.
Each number corresponds to a letter.
(Hint: 1 = L)

A. 13 22 1 8 7 14 10

Clue: Plant leaves

B. 6 22 1 22 5 26

Clue: Different hues

C. 6 24 8 1 1 3

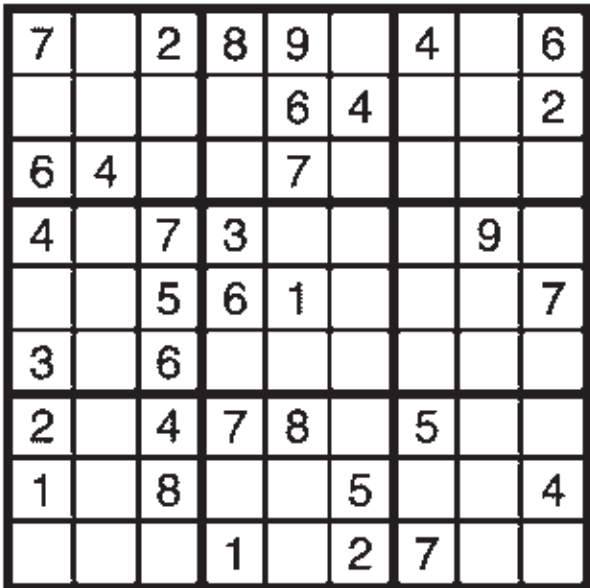
Clue: Tad cold

D. 13 7 1 1

Clue: Season of the year

Answers: A. foliage B. colors C. chilly D. fall

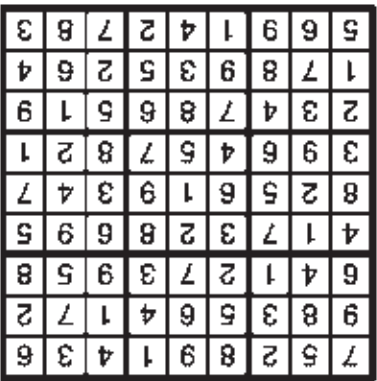
SUDOKU



Level: Beginner

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!



ANSWER:

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!

The importance of routine vehicle maintenance

Owning a car is a big responsibility. Drivers who plan to keep their vehicles for the long haul must emphasize maintenance if they want to keep adding miles to their odometers. In fact, the automotive information site CarAdvice says that routine maintenance may be the most important thing drivers can do for their vehicles.

A vehicle needs consistent care if it is to run efficiently. Maintenance also reduces the risk of roadside breakdowns and costly repairs. Here's a look at some of the benefits of staying on top of maintenance.

- **Saves money:** Even though maintenance costs money, sticking to a consistent maintenance schedule can save big bucks in the long run. For example, the cost of rotating and aligning tires is considerably less than repairing a car after a major blowout and paying for a tow and tire replacement.



- **Improves performance and efficiency:** Routine maintenance includes oil changes, filter changes and fluid top-offs. Such tasks keep engines running smoothly. Ignoring this routine maintenance can put engines in jeopardy of breaking down and adversely affect vehicle performance, diminishing fuel economy and leading to a sluggish ride.
- **Identifies safety**

issues: Routine inspections and work performed by reputable service stations help drivers stay abreast of recalls or issues that can affect the safety of the vehicle.

- **Maintains a maintenance record:** When the time comes to sell the vehicle, having a log of routine maintenance indicates to potential buyers that the vehicle was well cared for.

- **Keeps compliance:** Vehicles covered under manufacturer's warranties typically need to be maintained in adherence to factory-recommended maintenance schedules. This ensures that the vehicle is in compliance and will be covered in the event of a warranty claim.

Routine vehicle maintenance is important for a variety of reasons. Drivers can work with a trusted and reliable mechanic to develop a schedule that keeps their cars and trucks on the road.

Reduce distractions behind the wheel



If you must use your cell phone, do so only after pulling over to the shoulder or into a rest stop.

Despite the fact that automobiles are now designed with more safety features than ever before, the rate of traffic accidents and fatalities continue to rise. The National Safety Council says safety improvement like crash-avoidance technology hasn't reduced accidents, and driver error is still to blame for many crashes — with distractions behind the wheel and impaired driving leading the way.

The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration says distracted driving claimed 3,450 lives in 2016 alone. Distracted driving is defined as any activity that diverts drivers' attention

from the road. This can include everything from talking to passengers to eating to fiddling with the car radio. However, distractions from technology have become especially alarming, particularly texting or reading phones while driving. During daylight hours, approximately 481,000 drivers typically use cell phones while driving. The NHTSA says that removing one's eyes from the road for a mere 5 seconds when traveling at 55 miles per hour is like driving the length of a football field with your eyes closed.

Reducing distractions should be a priority for all drivers. Here are some

suggestions, courtesy of Geico insurance and AAA Exchange.

- Store loose gear and other items that can roll around away from the driver's seat so you are not tempted to reach for them.
- Adjust mirrors, GPS maps, climate controls, music, and more before you put the car in drive.
- Use a mobile phone only for emergency purposes and only after pulling over to the side of the road. Avoid social conversations on the phone while driving.
- Limit the number of passengers you allow inside your car. The more passengers, the more distractions. This is especially true for young drivers.
- Eat food before getting in the car.

Snacking while driving makes you less attentive to the road around you.

- Secure children and pets accordingly. Both should wear harnesses and not be given free reign to roam around the car.
- Try to focus only on driving while in the car. Leave the multitasking to when you're not behind the wheel.

Geico indicates that studies have shown people are limited in the amount of information they can process at any one time. Driving requires focus and an ability to react to a host of potential circumstances. Distractions compromise drivers' ability to focus. Reducing distractions can considerably cut down on the number of motor vehicle accidents each year.

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— Nicole F. (CNA)

"It's always a pleasure when I go to work! The staff is polite and respectful. I enjoy taking care of my residents."
— Marangelie R. (CNA)

"Everyone at Quaboag is really dedicated to caring for the residents and helping others at the workplace. I've definitely enjoyed working here so far."
— Lillian M. (CNA)

"In the time that I have been working at Quaboag I have witnessed the well-being and comfort of the residents as the main priority of the facility. The facility is centered around patient care and is designed in the best interest of the residents."
— Lynnea T. (CNA)

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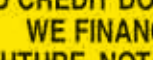
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How mulched leaves help your lawn



Various chores are synonymous with certain times of year. For example, cleaning a pool is a summertime task. In addition, rare is the instance that Mother Nature forces anyone to break out the snow shovels outside of winter. Raking leaves has long been a task for fall afternoons, but homeowners may be surprised to learn that they might be better off putting their rakes in permanent mothballs.

In the 1990s, turfgrass specialists at Michigan State University began exploring the potential benefits of leaving mulched leaves on a lawn instead of raking them and leaving them for curbside pickup. While the researchers noticed an obvious leaf residue on the lawn after mulching, they noted that it only sticks around for a few days. Eventually, the tiny pieces sifted down into the lawn, ultimately serving to control future weed growth while also providing the lawn with essential nutrients. Over time, researchers noted that homeowners who mulched rather than raked their leaves needed less fertilizer to give their lawns a green look in spring, saving homeowners the effort and cost associated with fertilizing.

Researchers also noted that decomposing pieces of leaves cover up bare spots between turf plants, which have traditionally proven to be excellent spots for weed seeds to germinate. In fact, MSU notes that homeowners can expect a nearly 100 percent decrease in dandelions and crabgrass after mulching leaves for just three years.

Depending on the type of mower being used, up to six inches of leaves can be mulched at a time. Push mowers can handle smaller amounts, though can still be as effective as ride-on mowers.

Fall may be synonymous with raking leaves. However, homeowners who want to give their lawns a healthy boost should consider putting their rakes away and mulching their leaves this fall.

Choosing the right yeast strain for brewing



Home brewers learn a lot about the brewing process as they grow from novices into skilled brewers. Brewers must familiarize themselves with the process of brewing and the equipment necessary to create beer. Brewers also must learn about the ingredients necessary to create beverages they can be proud of.

One of the key components in the fermenting process is yeast. The yeast chosen can impact the fermentation, flavor profiles and more. It can be easy to underestimate the power of yeast. Get the process right and there's a delicious brew to sip. But get it wrong

and home brewers might have to pour entire batches down the drain.

According to Beer Advocate, a brewer and beer enthusiast's guide to all things beer, in the past there were really only two yeasts used for beer brewing: ale yeast (the "top-fermenting" type) and lager yeast (the "bottom-fermenting" type). Now there are hundreds of yeasts to choose from that fall into the top- or bottom-fermenting categories.

In short, top-fermenting yeasts rise to the top of the wort during fermentation. This type of yeast is used for ales, porters, wheat beers, and stouts, and the beer is normally brewed at warmer temperatures. It can form a rich head and fruity flavor, according to 52Brews.com, a beer review site. Bottom-fermenting yeasts settle toward the bottom of the wort and are best used for lagers, pilsners, bocks, and American malts.

Many yeast varieties are named for the types of beers they help create, making it easier for novice brewers to find some that will work on their batches. However, Craft Beer and Brewing magazine says to also consider various factors when selecting yeasts that can impact performance.

- **Attenuation:** Attenuation is the percentage of available wort sugars that a yeast strain actually ferments. High attenuation may produce a sweeter beer while low attenuation can produce a dryer finish. Select a yeast that will achieve these desired results.
- **Flocculation:** This refers to how the yeast cells clump together and drop to the bottom of the fermenter. Choose a strain that flocculates in a way that is appropriate to the beer brewed.
- **Alcohol tolerance:** Certain yeasts can survive beyond the beer's estimated alcohol level and produce a higher ABV. It all depends on what's needed for the brew.
- **Temperature range:** Select a yeast that can ferment at the desired temperature in a home or garage.

A good brew shop can help home brewers find the right yeasts. Learning more about yeast by reading blogs and/or brewing resources also can get a person well on his or her way to brewing delicious beers.

A guide to safely removing fallen leaves

Raking leaves is a chore many people immediately associate with autumn. Even though raking seems like a simple activity, it's still possible to be injured while removing leaves from the yard.

The University of Pittsburgh Medical Center advises that pain from outdoor leaf chores can range from strained back muscles to twisted knees. Blisters on the hands and sunburn are other potential side effects. Many people do not realize that raking is a thorough cardiovascular workout. Individuals at risk for cardiovascular disease or those who have recovered from surgery may not be well enough to rake leaves.

Here's how to make autumn leaf removal more of a breeze when the job is done safely.

- Pay attention when using a leaf blower. Be cautious not to point an operational blower in the direction of people or pets, as debris can be blown about and cause injury.
- Stretch out before raking leaves. Warm up muscles beforehand so they are less likely to cramp. UPMC experts suggest taking a short walk prior to raking to stimulate circulation.
- Use proper raking form. Much like snow shoveling, one should emphasize proper posture when raking, with legs slightly bent and weight distributed evenly. Hold the rake handle close to the body and keep one hand near the top of the rake for better leverage.
- Use the proper gear. A leaf rake fans out like a triangle and comes in various widths. Choose a lightweight material that can be easily maneuvered. A metal rake is for stones and dirt and shouldn't be used for leaves. To get between bushes, a smaller version of a leaf rake, called a



shrub rake, should be used.

- Wear protective gear. When raking or leaf blowing, protect your eyes against debris. You also may want to use a mask to prevent inhalation of leaf mold and other particulates. Gloves can protect hands from blisters.
- Follow manufacturers' directions. Read the instructions for powered leaf blowers, and never modify the device in an unauthorized way.
- Use a tarp and lift wisely. Rake leaves onto a tarp that can be dragged to a garbage pail or to the curb for municipal pickup. For those who must lift bags of leaves, do so by bending at the knees, not from the waist.
- Wear sunscreen. Protect skin from the

sun. Even though temperatures are cooler in the fall, this does not mean the sun's rays are any less harmful. Also, take breaks to rehydrate frequently.

- Use a secure ladder. When removing leaves from gutters, be sure the ladder is sturdy and secure. Consider having a friend serve as a spotter, holding on to the ladder to offer greater security. Do not overextend to stretch for leaves.

If at any time during leaf clean-up you feel sharp or dull, incessant pains, stop working. Listen to your body's signals and start the task anew the next day or when you feel better.

FALL

Interesting facts about fall

Weather is often the first indicator that the seasons are changing. For many people across the globe, the hot days of summer will soon be giving way to the more crisp days of fall.

For those who live in regions where summer only subtly gives way to fall or is seemingly gone before the end of August, the 2019 autumnal equinox occurs on September 23. That marks the official beginning of fall, also known as autumn. In fact, that the season the follows summer seemingly goes by two different names is just one of many interesting facts about fall.

- A season by any other name ... Fall is the term most often used to reference the season succeeding summer in the United States. But the season is referred to as “autumn” in other parts of the world, including Great Britain. Fall was once even known as “harvest” because of the harvest moon, which appears close to the autumnal equinox.

- The colors of fall foliage are actually pres-



ent year-round. Fall is known for its colorful foliage. But the pigments responsible for those colors are actually present year-round. According to the SUNY College of Environmental Science

and Forestry, green, yellow and orange pigments are present year-round. However, during spring and summer, the leaves serve as factories where many foods necessary to help the tree grow are

manufactured. That process takes place in the leaf in cells containing chlorophyll, which gives the leaves their green color. This process ceases as hours of daylight decrease and tempera-

tures drop. As a result, chlorophyll breaks down, the green color disappears and the vivid colors of fall foliage begin to appear.

- Squirrels have a (sophisticated) plan out

there. Squirrels hiding food in autumn for the upcoming winter is a familiar sight. And squirrels are more organized than many people may know. Groundbreaking research released in 1991 found that, even when squirrels bury that stash of nuts closely to one another, they will each return to the precise location of their personal cache. Recent research also has shown that squirrels bury their stash based on certain traits, such as the type of nut being buried.

- Babies born in fall are more likely to see the century mark. Researchers at the University of Chicago studied more than 1,500 centenarians born in the United States between 1880 and 1895. They then compared birth and death information with those centenarians' siblings and spouses so they could compare their early environment and genetic background and their adult environment. Their research found that most centenarians were born between September and November.

Natural ways to fight fall allergies



Leaves are a known cause of fall allergies. Raking them can stir up mold and pollen.

As the days become shorter and the weather cools down, a new crop of allergy symptoms can arise, turning the autumn season into one marked by sneezing, scratchy throats and itchy eyes. Medications can alleviate such symptoms, but allergy sufferers may want to investigate some natural ways

to beat allergies.

According to the American College of Allergy, Asthma & Immunology, ragweed is one of the more common triggers of autumnal allergies. Ragweed contributes to “hay fever,” which is a term to describe allergic rhinitis that occurs as a symptom of ragweed pollen

in the air. Ragweed releases pollen in mid-August, and it can continue to be problematic until a deep freeze arrives.

Other sources of fall allergies include leaf mold and pollen that is present on fallen leaves. This gets circulated when people begin to rake or blow fallen leaves. Classroom pets and chalk dust in schools (although chalkboards are largely a thing of the past) are other autumn allergens.

The good news is that many natural remedies work just as effectively as over-the-counter medications in regard to combatting ragweed and pollen problems. Here’s how to beat the fall allergy blues.

- Stay away from pollen. Stay away from pollen and prevent it from being tracked indoors. Remove shoes when walking through the door. Take off clothes worn outside and launder them promptly, showering to wash pollen off of the body. Use an air conditioner or keep windows closed when the pollen count is high.

- Increase omega-3 fatty acids. It is well documented that fatty acids are good for brain health and cardiovascular well-being. But these acids also may help with allergies. A German study linked foods high in omega-3 fatty acids with the ability to fight inflammation, which is a hallmark of allergy suffer-

ing. Foods that are high in fatty acids include walnuts, flax, eggs, and cold-water fatty fish.

- Rinse off pollen. Use a mild cleanser to rinse the eyelids and eyelashes of pollen, as this is where it tends to congregate after being outdoors. Use saline spray to clear nasal passages of excess pollen as well.

- Take natural supplements. A study published in the journal Clinical and Experimental Allergy found participants who used tablets of the herb butterbar showed significant allergy relief after only one week. Select herbs from reputable manufacturers who certify them.

- Use eucalyptus oil. This oil is great to have in the house to help clear up sinuses and provide nasal congestion relief. Mix a small amount with coconut oil and rub onto the chest. There also is some evidence that adding a few drops of eucalyptus oil to cleansing products can help kill dust mites around the house.

- Wear a mask. When doing housework or yard work, wear a mask to reduce the inhalation of specific allergens.

Avoid seasonal allergies by exploring natural ways to find prevention or relief of symptoms.

Protect your plants from winter weather

For the majority of gardening enthusiasts, gardening is a warm weather activity. While some people live in climates that make it possible to enjoy gardening year-round, those who don’t often lament the end of the gardening season.

Winter might not be conducive to gardening, but the arrival of cold weather does not necessarily mean a gardener’s work is done until the following spring. Taking steps to protect plants from winter weather is an important part of maintaining a healthy garden that thrives from year to year.

Timing is of the essence when winterizing a garden. The online gardening resource Get Busy Gardening!™ advises gardeners that the best time to winterize is after the first hard freeze in the fall. A hard freeze occurs when temperatures dip below freezing overnight. When that occurs, annual plants and vegetables are killed off and perennial plants, which grow back year after year, begin going dormant.

Better Homes and Gardens notes that perennials are the easiest plants to prepare for winter, as they require just a little cutting back and mulching to be safe from cold weather. But no two perennials are alike, so homeowners should consult their local gardening center for advice on how to

prepare their particular perennials for the coming months.

The steps necessary to winterize annuals depends on which type of annuals, cool- or warm-climate, you have. Cool-climate annuals should be covered with polyspun garden fabric when light frost is in the forecast. In addition, Better Homes and Gardens recommends pulling dead annuals and adding them to a compost pile after a killing frost. Any annuals that developed fungal disease should be discarded. Mulch annual beds with a three- to four-inch layer of chopped leaves or similar materials, spreading the mulch only two inches thick over self-sown seeds you want to germinate in the spring.

Warm-climate annuals also should be covered with polyspun garden fabric when light frost is expected. Seeds of cold-hardy annuals can be planted for extended winter bloom, while gardeners also can collect seeds of warm-weather plants that will breed true to type. Even though you’re winterizing, Better Homes and Gardens recommends that gardeners continue to weed and water their plant beds and plants while also keeping an eye out for pests. If organic mulch has decomposed or thinned out, replace it with a new layer.



Get Busy Gardening!™ notes that the bulbs of tender plants like dahlias and tuberous begonias can be dug up and overwintered in their dormant state. All dead foliage should be removed after the bulbs have been dug up, and the bulbs

should be allowed to dry out a little before being stored. Container gardeners can overwinter their tender bulbs in their pots inside, but be sure to remove their foliage and store them in a dark, cool place that maintains temperatures above

freezing.

Winterizing may mark the end of gardening season, but it’s an important task that can ensure a healthy, beautiful garden next spring, summer and fall.

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