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Organizers thrilled with Street Party's success



Kevin Flanders Photos

Kaileena Cairns, two, of Monson gets ready for a fun day at the first ever Spencer Street Fair.

BY KEVIN FLANDERS
STAFF WRITER

SPENCER – After extensive planning and preparations, organizers of the Spencer Street Party were thrilled with the success of their debut event. The Aug. 24 event brought thousands of people into downtown Spencer to enjoy a day of arts and entertainment. Several crafters displayed items, and the event also included live music, a beer gar-

den, and appearances from local nonprofit groups. Events were also held inside Richard Sugden Public Library, and several local businesses got involved. Barnstorm Cycles served as a hub of activity, and other businesses were eager to show off their locations as well. For more photos from the inaugural Street Party, see page A3.

Berthiaume announces local office hours

REGION — State Rep. Donnie Berthiaume will hold office hours at the following locations for September 2019.

Tuesday, Sept. 17 – In the town of North Brookfield, at the Senior Center Noon-1 p.m.

Thursday, Sept. 19 - In the Town of Brookfield at the Town Hall 10 – 10:45 a.m.

Thursday, Sept. 19 – In the Town of East Brookfield-Senior Center – 11-11:45 a.m.

Thursday, Sept. 19 – In the Town of Spencer at Howe Village Hall, 12:30 – 1:30 p.m.

Thursday, Sept. 26 – In the Town of West Brookfield at the Senior Center Noon – 12:45 p.m.

Constituents and town officials are invited to meet with him to express any concerns, ideas, or issues that they may need assistance with. Please feel free to contact Donna if you would like a private meeting. 774-402-4742

Brookfield artist creates portrait of Blues pioneer

BROOKFIELD — Brookfield artist Laura O. Cenedella has accepted an assignment from the Worcester Hot Club to immerse herself in the life and music of blues pioneer Bessie Smith and reflect the forceful woman in a painting. The work is being used to help promote the Bessie Smith Marathon taking place in Worcester on Sept. 21.

A lifelong artist and art educator, Cenedella is a member of the Blackstone Valley Art Association, where she leads workshops and contributes to art exhibits. She acknowledges the challenge of painting portraits, and says portraits provide her greatest reward. Cenedella's objective with the Bessie Smith painting was to reflect the energy of the woman in the work, titled "Bessie."

She explains, "Bessie Smith was thunderous, powerful in everything she did, and that

shows in her music. She was a powerful black woman at a time when black women did not have any stature. So my approach was to go for an exaggerated look, to try to have her coming out of the canvas."

Over a 10-hour time span, the Bessie Smith Marathon will present every recording Smith made. Her first recording was made in 1923, and the last in 1933. The event will take place in the FRONTROOM performance space in the WCUW studio in Worcester. While most of the recordings will be played back through conventional equipment, some original 78-RPM records will be played on period hardware.

Smith's impassioned performances are seen as pivotal in modernizing popular music of the 20th century. Although she achieved extraordinary popularity as a performer and recording artist, and although

Smith is known now as a blues pioneer, her recorded works seldom are played. People who stop by the Bessie Smith Marathon for a few minutes, a few hours, or all day will have a chance to experience her power.

Music begins at 10 a.m., and continues until 8 p.m. Between song sets, the Worcester Hot Club will provide details about Smith's life and career, the relationship of Smith's music to recording industry norms, and the role of the blues in Jazz Age culture. In addition, a film program will run continuously from noon through 8 p.m. Movies will include the only Bessie Smith performance caught on film, performances by her contemporaries, and related modern takes on early blues performers.

Cenedella will attend the Marathon, and at 11 a.m. will give a short talk about her



Courtesy Photo

Immersion in recordings and reviewing archival photos helped Brookfield artist Laura O. Cenedella produce a painting that represents the power of blues pioneer Bessie Smith.

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Courtesy Photo

The New England Digital Accordion Orchestra — in its fifth season of public performances as the only act of its kind — next performs at the Spencer Fair at 2 p.m. on Saturday, Aug. 31.

Digital Accordions to shake up Spencer Fairgrounds

SPENCER — Ever heard an accordion orchestra? We didn't think so.

But the New England Digital Accordion Orchestra — in its fifth season of public performances as the only act of its kind — next performs at the Spencer Fair at 2 p.m. on Saturday, Aug. 31.

Formed and conducted by nationally recognized accordionist and music educator Sam Falcetti of Wilbraham, the ensemble of 20 players hails from across New England and harnesses their digitally enhanced accordions in a variety of musical styles.

ers will be treated to a full orchestral spectrum of sound, including classical, show pieces, rock 'n' roll, jazz standards and a selection of ethnic/cultural favorites from around the world and from the American songbook. The orchestra is complemented by drums, percussion, guitar, and vocalists. Audiences often find themselves joining in song and dancing along. There are horn and wind sections, strings, guitars and rhythm sections, all true tones coming from these digital accordions.

Each instrument is an "an orchestra in a box" that can blend the range of tones, said Falcetti, retired founder of

The Labor Day Weekend fair-go-

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LEICESTER PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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Special Education Child Find Notice
Under federal and state special education regulations, Leicester Public Schools has a duty to locate, identify, refer, evaluate and, if eligible, provide a free, appropriate public education to students with disabilities who reside in the town of Leicester. For parents or guardians of children ages 3-21 years of age who have a disability or developmental delay, and who would like more information, please contact Pamela Smith, Director of Student Services and Child Find Coordinator, at 508-892-7040 X9010

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Girl Scouts of Central and Western Massachusetts open new Leadership Center

WORCESTER — The Girl Scouts of Central and Western Massachusetts is pleased to announce the grand opening celebration of its new Leadership Center on Sunday, Sept. 8 from 1 to 4 p.m. at 115 Century Dri. in Worcester.
The event is free, with separate fees for the food trucks. Activities will include archery, letter boxing, hula hooping, s'mores, slime making and much more. Special activities will be conducted by the EcoTarium

and the Worcester Railers.
The 7,400-square-foot facility houses more than 20 full-time staff, as well as a store stocked with everything a Girl Scout needs, a historical museum, and a large STEM center which is equipped with 3-D printers, a smartboard, robotics equipment, cameras and other devices to support girls' STEM interests.
"The new Leadership Center is exactly what GSCWM needs to serve the girls of Central and

Western Massachusetts for decades to come," said Pattie Hallberg, CEO. "With state-of-the-art equipment and room to facilitate large and small groups, the Leadership Center will become a focal point for activities, meetings, and growth."
The grand opening event is generously sponsored by RP Masiello, Citizens Bank, Fidelity Bank, TD Bank, and St. Pierre Manufacturing Company.

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impressions of Bessie Smith and the process of capturing personality in art. At the end of the Marathon at 8 pm, a drawing will be held, and a fortunate attendee will win Laura O. Cenedella's "Bessie" as a door prize.
The Bessie Smith Marathon is free and open to all. Reservations are not required. Parking is available in the Clark University Commuter Parking lot across the street from WCUW, and on the street.
For more information, search Facebook for "Worcester Hot Club" or e-mail whotclub@gmail.com.
Information about Laura O. Cenedella: <https://www.facebook.com/Laura-O-Cenedella-269143975260/>
The Worcester Hot Club is an informal gathering of fans of hot music—focusing on jazz, blues, gospel and folk traditions, mainly from the first half of the 20th Century. Since July 2018, the Worcester Hot Club has met once or twice a month for an evening session of listening, learning, occasional viewing, and sharing.

Western New England University congratulates graduates

SPRINGFIELD — Western New England University congratulates over 600 students who received their academic degrees.
Joseph T. Ruiz, of North Brookfield, graduated with a BSE in Mechanical Engineering/Mechatronics Concentration from Western New England University during the May 18 commencement ceremonies.
Tyler H. Simons, of Spencer, graduated Cum Laude with a BS Business Administration in Sport Management from Western New England University during the May 18 commencement ceremonies.
William R. Shedd, of North Brookfield, graduated with a BSE in Electrical Engineering from Western New England University during the May 18 commencement ceremonies.
Celebrating its Centennial in the year 2019, Western New England University is a private, independent, coeducational institution. Located on an attractive 215-acre suburban campus in Springfield, Massachusetts, Western New England serves 3,974 students, including 2,629 full-time undergraduate students. Undergraduate, graduate, and professional programs are offered through Colleges of Arts and Sciences, Business, Engineering, Pharmacy and Health Sciences, and the School of Law.

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\$341,633, 101 N Spencer Rd, Cheras, Chad R, and Cheras, Carly A, to Arraje, Michael C, and Lamarche, Kim A.
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\$315,000, 5 Deer Run Rd, Gould, Thomas R, and Gould, Theresa A, to Barbale, John D, and Barbale, Joanne.
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\$160,000, 6 Cottage St, Gordon, Andrea, and Menard, Jane, to Henriquez, Benjamin D.

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\$200,000, 21 Pine Ln, LR Investments T, and Ronco, Lawrence E, to Beauchemin, Joseph.

EAST BROOKFIELD

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WEST BROOKFIELD

\$257,000, 5 Wheeler Rd, Chaffee, Richard A, to Kelly, Tiffani, and Kelly, Matthew.
\$52,000, 79 Lake View Ave, JP Morgan Chase Bank NA, to Sciotte, Ronald H.

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\$372,500, 14 Victoria Dr #14, Tatro, Robert R, and Tatro, Barbara J, to Mack-Bromley, Ferri, and Bromley, Ann M.
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Springfield-based Falcetti Music.

“Close your eyes and you won’t believe you’re hearing an orchestra of accordions!” Falcetti added.

The players eagerly travel the region to rehearse and perform. Other upcoming 2019 performances include a 3 p.m. show Tuesday, Sept. 17 at the “Big E” Eastern States Exposition in West Springfield, and at the First Night New Year’s Eve celebration in Chatham, on Cape Cod.


To arrange a performance or for further information, contact Sam Falcetti at (413) 204-5522 or samfalcetti@gmail.com.



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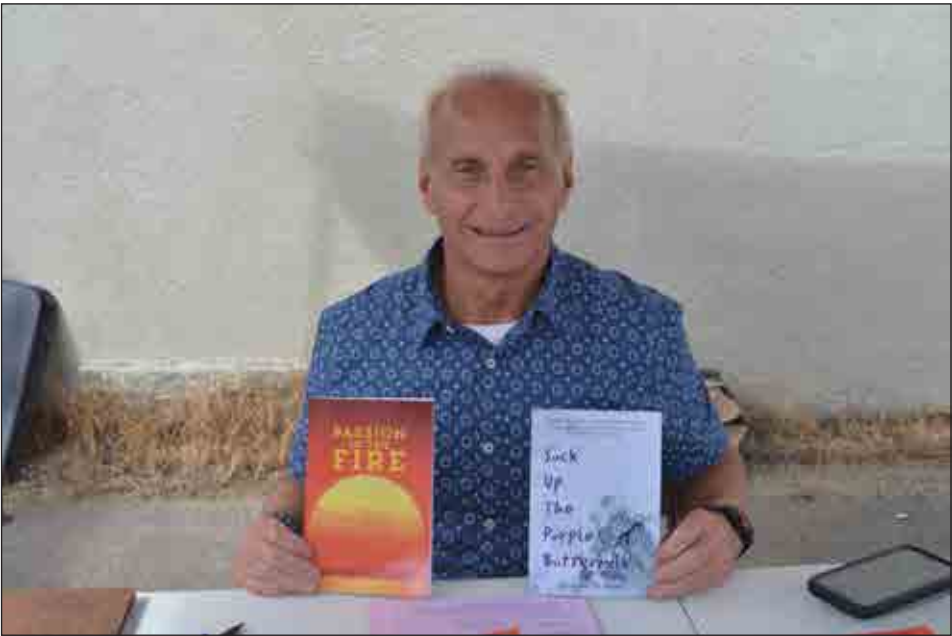
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Celebrating in the street



The Miller family, of Sutton, is served ice cream by Eliana Lopez.

Kevin Flanders Photos



Donald Steiger introduces guests to his books.



Lumpy, a 1-year-old chihuahua mix, is enjoying the dog days of summer.



Lauren Brogan, of Spencer, right, and Isabelle Saunders, left, welcome guests to their booth.



Marcus and Justine Piazzo, of North Brookfield, show off their artistry.



Sean Haynes (8) and Cooper Haynes (10), of Spencer, get some shopping done.



Carissa Potterton, of Spencer, with her 5-year-old son Adam.

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St. Andrew Babola celebrates Polish heritage

BY JASON BLEAU
CORRESPONDENT

DUDLEY – In one form or another St Andrew Bobola Church in Dudley has hosted a Polish Festival for decades creating a longstanding Dudley tradition that draws crowds to the church every August. The church celebrated Polish heritage

again on Aug. 23 and 24 bringing food, faith and community together under big top tents with beautiful weather to accompany the two-day celebration. Whether celebrating their Polish roots or just enjoying one of Dudley’s most cherished yearly traditions, guests from all across the region and tri-state area turned out to embrace the atmosphere, enjoy some delicious food and learn about the history and faith of the St. Andrew Bobola Church.



Warren & Dian Rekowski of Webster stopped by to enjoy the Polish Festival festivities



Guests to the Saturday portion of the St. Andrew Bobola Polish Festival pose for a group photo after enjoying some delicious Polish dishes



The Blackmore & Gomes family pose for a photo during their visit to the Polish Festival



The Eddie Forman Orchestra prepares for their Saturday set at the St. Andrew Bobola Polish Festival

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CLUES ACROSS

1. Scottish tax

5. Filled with horror

11. Type of music

14. Variety act

15. Half-conscious state

16. Discontinued European money

17. Formal declaration

19. Shaft horsepower (abbr.)

20. A way to express concentration

21. Airline

22. Goes well with a carrot

23. Length of pant leg

25. Mark with a cut

27. One who destroys completely

31. Greek sophist

34. Thomas Hobbes’s “De ___”

35. Copyreads

38. Talk

39. Endangered
41. Snag

42. Comedienne Tyler

44. Castrate a male animal

45. Taj Mahal site

46. Tending to concede

49. One who accepts

51. Albanian capital

55. Takes kids to school

56. About Moon

60. ___ Seamounts: underwater volcanoes

61. ___ Lilly, drug company

62. Not working

64. Alaska nursing board

65. Howl

66. Muslim ruler title

67. Famed arena

68. Back again for more food

69. Cheek

CLUES DOWN

1. Raccoonlike animal

2. Small

3. Separates

4. Parties

5. Automated teller machine

6. One who earned his degree

7. Dislike

8. Flowering plant

9. Nova __, province

10. Inhabited

11. Breathing

12. Partner to pains

13. Immature insects

18. The back

24. Heavy club

26. Edible fish

28. Lament for the dead

29. Woody climbing plants

30. Small rooms for prisoners

31. Ottoman military commander
32. “The Crow” actress Ling

33. A way of lopping off

36. Cigarette (slang)

37. Helps little firms

39. Member of small discussion group

40. Copyread

43. V-shaped open trough

45. Pokes holes in

47. Beloved “Captain”

48. Resume

49. On a line at right angles

50. Light up lamps

52. Part of the psyche

53. Leeward Island

54. 1960s counterculture activist

57. Edible seaweed

58. Imitator

59. Look at and comprehend

63. Root mean square (abbr.)

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Volunteers from the St. Andrew Bobola parish prepare food for the Saturday rush



Cadence McLaughlin or Gardner got a butterfly painted on her face in the children’s activity section of the festival



One of the highlight raffle items at the Polish Festival, a hand-made Red Sox quilt



It wouldn’t be a Polish Festival without some Polish Pride garb for sale

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2	21,983	31,284
3	27,729	39,461
4	33,475	47,638
5	39,221	55,815
6	44,967	63,992
7	50,713	72,169
8	56,459	80,346

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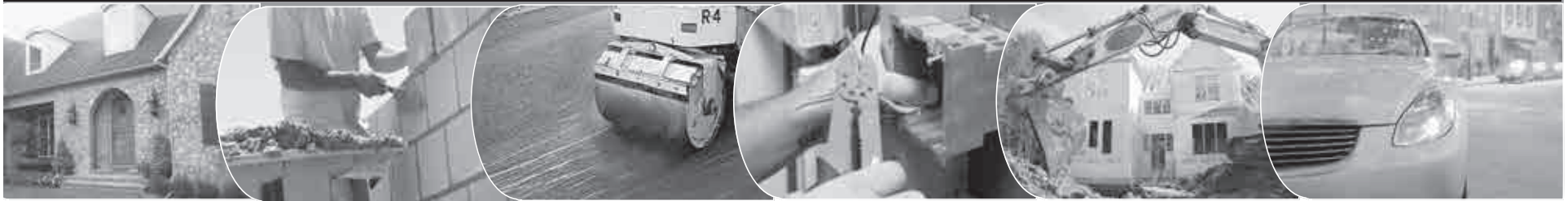
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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

So absurd...

To the Editor:

So many topics, so much absurdity, so hard to choose what to focus on... The stock market, which Trump hitched his reputation to has been faltering... The bond market has a yield inversion which is often a precursor to a recession and Trump has already started blaming the media for the coming recession (really?)... In a weird turn of events, Trump admitted that consumers (not China) pay tariffs by delaying them four months because his advisors told him the tariffs would ruin Christmas... A guess good that he delayed taxes on consumers which not only threaten our economy but the world economy – bad that he did it to “save Christmas”... Trump is asking foreign powers to settle scores with opposition politicians he ironically also wants out of the U.S... Trump is “hereby ordering” U.S. companies in a like a dictator running a Soviet Command Economy... An ever increasing trade war threatening post WWII order... So much content...

This week, I decided to settle on the most absurd of all of them – Trump wants to buy Greenland. What better legacy for a real estate developer turned reality TV star turned President – something really big on a map.

It is a silly idea but provides a lens into how that pea brain thinks. Trump clearly thinks like a late 19th century politician with his views on race (you're not enslaved anymore, be happy) but also his thoughts on colonialism. China is building infrastructure in Africa and exploiting its natural resources so I suppose the US needs a response. Greenland is like Africa in a certain way – it is full of natural resources. Investing in Greenland however is far different from buying it.

Dollar colonialism, the thought you can buy territory and inherit the people, actually offends the people of Greenland. They want independence from Denmark, not to become a colony of the United States. In another absurd suggestion, Trump suggested trading Puerto Rico for Greenland as if that was appropriate.

While Trump is normally extremely divisive, he has united the Danish people. Across the Danish political spectrum, politicians dismissed Trump's offer as impossible and insulting. A Danish politician normally pushing for a closer U.S. alliance made a joke about it being April Fool's Day out of season. Another Danish politician said, “It says a lot about Trump that he thinks he can buy an entire country and an entire people. Greenland belongs to the Greenlandic people, and this is not the 19th century. Not for sale!” Another said, “You can't just buy 50,000 people”.

The U.S. has tried to buy Greenland before, first in 1867 and again in 1946. Greenland being part of the U.S. isn't crazy. Its population is primarily Inuit, ethnically and linguistically similar to Alaskan natives. It is geologically part of North America, we have Air Force bases and radar stations there, and it is strategically important to the U.S... In a 19th century colonialist kind of way. If we admit that rapid climate change is a fact, for a moment, then the usable area of Greenland is increasing by leaps and bounds every year with no end in sight. It is full of natural resources so if the unemployed coal miners from WV moved there they would drown out the voting power of the Greenlanders so if it ever became the 51st state it would become a resource rich Republican stronghold.

Back to reality, it is a giant, empty, socialist island. Private land ownership doesn't exist there – it is controlled by one of five local “kommunes” (translated to English as municipality). Greenlanders neither own nor pay rent for their land. In Greenland the entire health-care industry is nationalized – it is truly socialized medicine. Greenland's largest fishing company is state-owned. Air Greenland is state owned. Greenland gets US \$591 million, or \$10,550 in aid per resident from Denmark just to operate the government because they don't collect enough in taxes.

To Trump's credit, countries used to buy territory from each other and ironically our last major acquisition was from Denmark in 1917 for the U.S. Virgin Islands. We also purchased territory from Mexico, Russia, France, and Spain – sometimes with and sometimes without pressure.


Denmark is not interested in selling and even more than that considers Greenland's fate to belong to the people of Greenland, not Denmark. In another mind blowing move Trump has cancelled his previously scheduled state visit to Denmark where he was to meet with the Queen, Prime Minister, military honor guard, etc. Trump loves state visits was to become only the fourth U.S. President to have a state visit with Denmark.

It's 2019. We don't buy people anymore. We don't sail around the world planting flags and claiming territory anymore either.

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

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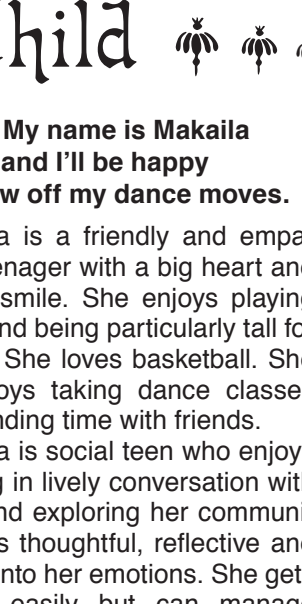
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EDITORIAL

Is the 2020 Presidential field too crowded?

Currently, there are 27 individuals (25 Democrats and two Republicans) who have thrown their hats into the ring for the 2020 Presidential race. With email blasts and mailers at an all time high, and with it already being clear which are the frontrunners with the stamina, name recognition, and cash flow to take their campaigns all the way to their respective conventions, we have to wonder whether there is really a point to the circus atmosphere surrounding this election — particularly the overcrowded Democratic debates.

Experts say that political opportunities such as this don't rear their head too often. For one, there is no Democrat in office who is looking to be re-elected. Some say a Democratic win is likely; therefore, more people are giving it a go. For trivia's sake, in 1976, there were 15 candidates running; in 1992, just nine; and in 2008, there were eight.

Our current President, Donald Trump, has an approval rating (depending on where you look and who you ask) of less than 65 percent. This gives his Democratic rivals more hope in securing the win. Another reason we could be seeing so many in the running is that the bar for who can run for president based on political experience has been shifted. We now know that a reality TV star and businesses mogul with no political experience can be elected, which naturally prompts the question, if he could do it, why can't I?

The truth remains that many in the running know the nomination is beyond their reach, but are determined to use the platform as a way to pitch their ideas and to become more visible for their own agendas. They want their names to be relevant should other opportunities present themselves if the Democrats win the election. For example, many of the candidates who did not make it all the way in 2012 or 2016 are now in positions they would have not been offered had they remained under the radar. For example, Mike Huckabee was offered a cable news contract, and Ted Cruz continues to be a staunch advocate for the conservative agenda in the Senate.

In the midst of this crowded and heated election season, there is at least one thing that emerges as quite clear: whichever side of the fence from which you watch the process unfold, whether it be from the right, the left, or a position straddling the middle, it is an historic moment, with our nation at a true crossroads.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Philo-Semitism is turning into anti-Semitism

To the Editor:
Conservative Christians of recent years have shown a pattern of philo-Semitism and an apparent love for Israel, and Trump, knowing full well who his base is, latched onto that. Trump keeps pushing anti-Semitic stereotypes while he thinks he's praising Jews.

Philo-Semitism may seem benign. It isn't.

When it comes to Jews, Trump is a puzzle. Ivanka converted to Judaism to marry Jared Kushner. He has Jewish grandchildren. He loudly proclaims his support for Israel, and has long employed Jews.

Trump also says a lot of anti-Semitic things. This week, he declared Jews who vote for the Democratic Party are "disloyal" — either to America, Israel, the Jewish people, or all three. This invokes an age-old anti-Semitic slur against the vast majority of American Jews, considering that Trump is deeply unpopular among American Jews and the Democrats have won 70-87 percent of the Jewish vote in every general election of the last 20 years.

Trump has regularly implied that American Jews are more loyal to Israel than the US, and that we are essentially foreign guests in this country, furthering the fiction of America being a White Christian ethno-state. At a White House Hanukah party last year he told American Jews that Israel was "your country" and in April at another gathering that Netanyahu was "your Prime Minister." Israel is a democracy and only Israeli citizens who reside in Israel can vote. I am an American Jew - I vote in America, not Israel.

This week, Trump called himself "The King of Israel." He referred to himself as "The second coming of God," as if the first thing he said was "The second coming of Christ," only to be reminded that Jews don't believe and reject that theology so he modified it to make even less sense. When was the first "coming of God," exactly? Trump also referred to himself as "the chosen one" and while that was in reference to his trade war with China...really?

Trump's anti-Semitic utterances began before his presidency. He has suggested Jews are greedy or money grubbing and use their wealth to control politics. He previously rejected black accountants in his casino business, saying, "Black guys counting my money! I hate it. The only kind of people I want counting my money are short guys that wear yarmulkes every day." During the 2016 campaign, he praised Jews as "great negotiators" and openly declared that Jewish donors wanted a candidate they could buy: "You're not going to support me because I don't want your money," he said. "That's okay, you want to control your own politician." Yet because he was speaking to rooms full of friends, he probably didn't mean these words disparagingly.

Is Trump a philo-Semite or an anti-Semite? The answer is both. The principal that explains his seemingly contradictory outlook towards Jews is simple: Trump believes all the anti-Semitic stereotypes about Jews, but he sees most of those traits as admirable.

To Trump, the belief that Jews are foreign interlopers who use their wealth to serve their own clannish interests is not negative — as it is for traditional anti-Semites — but rather positive. He wants Jews to be his attorneys and manage his money, so that he, too, can be rich. He wants us in his political corner, so that he, too, can be powerful. He wants to buy politicians, just like he *thinks* we do. Trump is a man who has always stood solely for his own naked self-interest, he does not see the anti-Semitic conception of the self-interested Jew as a complaint, but rather a compliment. He prioritizes his needs above the national interest, and assumes that Jews do the same with ourselves or with Israel.

This understanding also helps explain the most confusing aspect of Trump's most recent anti-Semitic outburst. The president claimed that Democratic Jews are "disloyal" to Israel. But this is an inversion of the traditional dual loyalty trope, which charges that Jews are more loyal to their fellow Jews or Israel than to their home countries. Trump, by contrast, was arguing that Democratic Jews were insufficiently devoted to other Jews or to Israel — that they were not strong enough dual loyalists. In other words, he criticized American Jews for not conforming to the anti-Semitic stereotype.

But while this form of "positive" anti-Semitism is better than the negative kind, it is still deeply dangerous — even when it's not being wielded as a political cudgel against Jews in the way Trump has been doing this week. At best, expression of such stereotypes by the most powerful man in the world affirms and reinforces the beliefs of bigots who see those anti-Semitic ideas as reasons to hate Jews. At worst, given the right impetus, the coin of philo-Semitic anti-Semitism can easily be flipped, and all those formerly positive stereotypes can be weaponized against Jews.

There's even an old ironic Jewish adage about this phenomenon: "A philo-Semite is an anti-Semite who likes Jews." Trump is becoming deranged by the fact that a group he usually respects continues to reject him overwhelmingly.

Trump is a racist, full stop. His philo-Semitism stems from looking at groups of people, racial groups, and thinking differently of them. Philo-Semitism and anti-Semitism are two sides of the same coin and Trump is tossing it. We can only hope it doesn't land on the wrong side.

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More like a paranoid dictator

To the Editor:
Every week, I feel like this is spinning more and more out of control, that this week could not possibly be topped. Then I am proven wrong, and this week was no exception.

China announced retaliatory tariffs on \$75 billion of goods, which seems tame given the tariffs we have been putting on them to the tune of \$250 billion of goods. Trump shouldn't have been surprised, but he flew off the handle with a barrage of tweets and slapped higher tariffs on \$500 billion worth of Chinese goods. He was attacking the Chairman of the Federal Reserve, his own appointee, openly calling him an enemy and wondering if he was a greater threat than Chairman Xi, the leader of China.

It was a performance of staggering instability more than anything else. China is a human rights abuser of historic dimensions. They have a million Muslims in "re-education camps." Comparing Powell to Xi is unfair, unjust, and inaccurate. China is a geo-political and economic competitor to us, Jerome Powell is running our Federal Reserve on data and not on the whims of the President.

In a larger sense, domestically, it's unnerving to the United States and to those who want to invest in this country, employers who want to hire, and to expand. They're looking for predictability. They're looking for stability. They are getting none of that... Three times this week the White House changed its position on a tax cut.

Sure, China has abused the trade system with intellectual property theft and forced technology transfer. Those are real abuses, but the problem is that Trump has created a problem for himself. He's backed himself into a corner. Has made a big part of his identity the thought that he is going to be the first President to hold those abuses seriously and old the Chinese to account. What he's finding is that the way he is doing it, unilaterally without allies and with vague demands, without even a unified team of his own negotiators, is not working. We are now seeing his frustration with a strategy nobody thought would

work creating frustration leading to him lashing out.

With Trump the pattern is familiar. He finds somebody, they're the best (because he only knows the best and only the best want to work for him). He hires them, praises them to the sky. Then they don't cow-tow to his whims, he loses confidence, and banishes them to the outer darkness. So many people he's hand selected are gone. The instability begins at the top.

The latest twist is his tweet "ordering" companies to stop doing business in China. The President doesn't have that kind of authority despite his Twitter feed. Part of Trump's frustration is he sees himself as a dictator or absolute monarch, he looks like he should say something, and it just happens. The fact that he has less authority than that frustrates him. This hurts him politically because he is undermining the economy. The stock market tanked within the hour of that tweet. The people with real money on the line do not believe this is going to produce Chinese concessions that will be nearly worth it for the economy at large.

As fashionable as it is to say that nothing can dent Trump's approval ratings, I believe a weakening economy will push him down enough to lose. In 2020, it will be a personal assessment, from each American, of the President. With Reagan, 75 percent of Americans like him. With Bill Clinton, after Monica and impeachment, had at 73 percent approval and 65 percent liking him. Trump, with the lowest unemployment in 50 years, has 30 percent of Americans who like him. I think he understands this, and his recent erratic behavior is his anxiety about being so disliked.

As I am writing this, Trump tweeted that the International Emergency Economic Powers Act of 1977, which was intended to address terrorists and drug traffickers, gives him the power to blacklist China. He is acting more and more like a dictator every day...

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Of course, even if the above concerns are simply misconceptions, it doesn't mean there are no issues about which you must be aware when considering fixed annuities. For one thing, the safety of your lifetime income stream and guarantees will depend on the claims-paying ability of the insurer that issued the annuity, so you'll want to choose a company that has demonstrated financial strength and stability. One other concern about fixed annuities: They typically don't carry a cost of living adjustment, such as that found in Social Security. You can find annuities that do offer some inflation protection, but this feature can reduce early payments significantly.

If it's appropriate for your situation, a fixed annuity can be a valuable addition to your retirement income. Before purchasing one, though, you'll need to weigh all the potential benefits and issues. But don't be swayed by misconceptions — you'll want to base your decision on facts, rather than fears.

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It's harvest time and backyard gardeners everywhere are anticipating the well earned fruits of their labor. From plucking peppers to cutting cauliflower, proper harvesting ensures optimum flavor and nutrients from your home garden. Read on for the ways to up the odds of culling "the cream of the crop" from common vegetable and fruit plants.

Experts say the most important rule at harvest time is to pick vegetables daily. Plucking them as soon as they ripen not only offers superior taste, but this practice encourages plant production. Simply stated, harvesting on the day that the produce ripens can help you yield more from your seasonal crop. Furthermore, gardeners should be aware that some vegetables are best harvested when they appear premature. Examples include summer



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Herbs. Pinch or cut back herbs frequently to keep them producing more stems and leaves (the parts we eat) and to keep them from blooming, which changes the flavor. If that means you have surplus thyme or oregano, dry it in a brown paper bag. Basil, especially, needs frequent pinching back to keep it bushy and productive. At some point in July or August everybody has too much basil, which is why the Italians invented pesto (find many recipes on the internet).

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squash, zucchini and green beans, all vegetables can become tough and lose flavor when they are allowed to sit on the vine too long. Seed company Burpee offers expert advice on harvesting common fruits and vegetables:

The lost art of compromise

A PATH TOWARD ADDRESSING GUN VIOLENCE

BY SEN. MICHAEL O. MOORE

When I was first sworn into office ten years ago, I knew that there would be times that I'd take a position that wasn't viewed favorably by the entire electorate. And yet, while I knew that there would be occasions where folks wouldn't always agree with me, I never thought we'd reach a point where residents with opposing views would refuse to acknowledge facts, or to work together toward a positive outcome for our neighbors and those across the Commonwealth. I regret to share that we've reached that point.

Gone are the days where someone with an opposing viewpoint would sit across the table, listen to the perspective of the other side and weigh their position with the facts to reach a compromise. Our political discourse has become so polarized that many conversations dissolve into accusations, insults and degrading retorts via social media. Misinformation continues to serve as a convenient tool to tell half-truths and to spread inaccuracies.

I've always been taught to be honest, and to work hard to better the lives of others around me. That's why I recently submitted a letter to two national organizations calling for changes to firearms laws at the federal level. I think we can agree that the loss of American lives to gun violence, and the increasing number of mass shootings, is an alarming trend that merits attention from public safety officials and lawmakers.

I've been hearing from a number of folks who oppose my decision to submit these letters. To be frank, the tone of many opposing messages is emblematic of the overall tension between pro-Second Amendment advocates and gun control supporters. I have, and will continue to be an ally of law-abiding gun owners. However, I support additional efforts at the national level to close existing loopholes that jeopardize public safety.

There is no single solution to tackling the issue of gun violence in our country, which requires a multilateral approach and a uniform set of standards rather than a patchwork of state-specific laws. Focusing squarely on the mental health aspect of gun violence does not confront the reality about the need for public policy changes to prevent the sale, dissemination and acquisition of firearms by individuals who want to inflict harm.

The facts are this. According to 2017 data from the National Center for Health Statistics, Massachusetts ranks second, at 3.7 percent, when it comes to firearm mortality rates. Hawaii possesses the lowest overall rate, at 2.5 percent, and the highest rates are in the states of Montana, Alabama and Alaska—each having rates of over 22 percent. Clearly, states like Massachusetts—with many commonsense firearms laws—are doing something right to reduce incidence of gun violence.

Take, for example, the Commonwealth's ban on assault weapons. In 1998, Massachusetts took action to enact legislation modeled after a then-existing federal assault weapons ban. The law, codified as M.G.L. ch. 140, §§ 121, 131M, makes it a crime to sell, transfer, or possess semiautomatic assault weapons, copies or duplicates of those weapons, and large capacity magazines capable of holding more than

ten rounds of ammunition. The law has been upheld in a number of court cases including, most recently, the 2019 appellate court decision in *Worman v. Healey*, which concluded that our Constitutional rights are not violated by this law.

Admittedly, the vast majority of deaths caused by firearms are not due to assault weapons. I understand these types of firearms are certainly not an exclusive solution to reducing gun violence, however, it can help curb mass casualty situations. Why wouldn't we want to renew a national ban on assault weapons? Data provided by the Federal Bureau of Investigation confirms that active shooter incidents have become more common in United States in recent years. Limiting access to assault weapons would seem appropriate to help prevent gunmen from inflicting the most deadly harm possible in a short period. Recently, the shooter in Dayton claimed the lives of nine people within 30 seconds and both the Dayton and El Paso shooters used military grade assault weapons acquired legally in both states.

Here in Massachusetts, we've also taken action to help address the mental health aspect of this issue by preventing those who may harm themselves (including suicide) - a leading cause of gun violence) or others from obtaining or possessing a firearm. In addition to licensing requirements, the Commonwealth's "Red Flag" law, which passed overwhelmingly with bipartisan support, is narrowly tailored to permit only a relative or a person with close ties to a legal gun owner to petition a court for up to a one-year firearm license suspension if they pose an immediate danger to themselves or others. The law creates a consistent, state-wide procedure in a court of law. It also enhances the due process standards by requiring a prompt hearing for the gun owner, and creates a penalty, including jail time, for anyone who files a false report. Why wouldn't we want national action to prevent those who may cause harm from possessing a firearm?

So, you ask, what are we doing to help reduce illegal gun ownership? I think providing law enforcement with the tools they need to pursue criminals is a starting place. That's why I've filed legislation that aims to provide the Commonwealth with the tools to investigate such crimes by striking from the wiretap law the current limitation which precludes a court from issuing a wiretap warrant unless the offense under investigation is being committed «in connection with organized crime. I've also filed legislation aimed at curbing bias incidents and hate crimes in public schools across the Commonwealth.

While my correspondence is unlikely to change the minds of those with stronger positions on this issue, it is my hope that this information will help illuminate why I find it important for the federal government to pursue legislative changes that have proven to be effective here in Massachusetts. The universal application of certain firearms laws in our country will address existing inconsistencies with state laws, and help to ensure our laws are not circumvented.

The bottom line is that I will continue to advocate for policies that are proven to save lives, and that do not infringe on our Second Amendment rights.

If not now, when?

To the Editor:

In a recent editorial, this newspaper proposed a question — if not now, when? This was relating to the material circumstances in our life. I am

asking the same question for a different circumstance to whom this may concern.

Have you confessed God, Jesus, in your life? Why not? If not now, when? Tomorrow may be too late! Today is the only day we have; the precious present. We are not assured, promised or guaranteed tomorrow.

Confess God, Jesus, today, while you still have the breath, while Jesus can be found and received. If not now, today, when?

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Occupy Greenland, cut off China

To the Editor:

We are the United States of America. We are the sole superpower, and we control the free world. We disproportionately fund the majority of the UN and we control NATO. The United States has the mightiest military in the history of this planet, with or without our "allies."

For the record, Denmark is only at 1.35 percent GDP for NATO spending. They are a wealthy country and should be at 2 percent. We protect Europe, and yet only eight of the 28 NATO countries are at the 2 percent mark. The United States is at a much, much higher level than that. Our President has been warning other NATO members to step it up and they have ignored him.

Every regime on earth exists at the pleasure of the United States — because we allow it. Every territory, subnational entity, and autonomous region that is not part of the United States is foreign only because we don't want it. We are the only nation to use nuclear weapons in war and we have over 7,000 locked and loaded. All non-American regimes exist because we allow them. Therefore, when the US calls for regime change or territorial transfer we mean it. When we show restraint it is a gesture of humanity, not weakness.

President Trump has set his sights on Greenland; it should absolutely be part of the US. It is strategically important and mineral rich. Win-win. We are even so magnanimous as to make those poor Greenlanders American citizens. We know from the border that people will risk their lives to become Americans so the Greenlanders should be thankful we want to pay to make them Americans. Denmark isn't doing any good for those people, they are actually hurting Denmark quite a bit to the tune of \$700 million a year.

God put minerals under Greenland so that they could be mined. Denmark is failing. The United States has a robust mining industry which will successfully extract what God has left us. The ice is melting, and that is God's way of telling us to extract the treasures he has left under that ice for us. The arable and usable area of Greenland is increasing every year so it is a great investment.

We could take Ottawa and Mexico City in days if we wanted. We could, and should, take Nuuk, Greenland in mere hours just to show the world we can. Nuuk is the capital of Greenland, and has roughly 18,000 residents. We have over 20,000 paratroopers. We have 1.3 million active personnel our armed forced and 845,000 in reserve. We are forming a Space Force as we speak. The Kingdom of Denmark has crossed

the line — mocking our President, foreign policy, and security of the United States.

The Prime Minister of Denmark is a nasty woman for calling our offer to compensate Denmark "absurd" and mocking our President, and by extension, our people. Denmark is run by a Queen and a female Prime Minister, and this debacle highlights the problems of women in power. President Trump did the right thing by canceling the state visit, but this calls for more action.

We could have done this the easy way, and Denmark would have been compensated, but they have chosen the hard way.

The United States doesn't ask - we inform. If Denmark won't take payment, then that leaves us no choice but to invade. There are only 56,000 people there and we could easily occupy Greenland. We could assign 50,000 troops to Greenland and then ask Denmark again if they want compensation or not!

In response to Ms. Jackman's inaccurate and, subversive, and dangerous comments... Donald Trump is our head of state - he is the law. He unilaterally decided to ignore subpoenas, if you hadn't noticed. You can cry about it, but that's reality. The immigrants on our southern border and the "quad squad" are not of typical American stock - the stock of those who founded this country. There is a "back" to send them to - Somalia, Puerto Rico, Palestinian territories, Jamaica, Africa generally, etc. It sounds like you usually blend in well with white Americans who emigrated directly from Europe but there is a socialist utopia to send you back to - Nova Scotia, Canada. If you hate America SO much you should go back to that crime infested drunkard maritime fishing village, make it better, and show us how its done.

In other news, President Trump is going to invoke the Emergency Economic Powers Act of 1977 to cut off China. China crossed a line by tariffing American products. We imposed tariffs on them to equalize our trade balance and make things fair. We have been losing trillions to China since the '70's and it is time to reverse that. Tariffing us is a major provocation. China is a currency manipulator, steals American intellectual property, and is trying to replace us as the world's largest economy and superpower! No!

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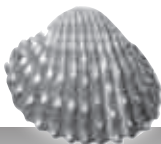
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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The liberal attacks continue

To the Editor:

No matter how hard I try to be congenial, a “nice” old, out-of-touch white man, one who, according to old man Emerson, tells “sappy” stories instead of imparting wisdom from on high as he feels he does, I continue to be the paper’s whipping boy for expressed conservative opinion, a journalistic piñata for the perpetually deranged [liberals] of the area. At least I know they read my letters, so it’s all good.

Now, I have to defend myself against accusations from the likes of Mizz Rizzo, Mr. Kane (who periodically and dutifully offers up the latest talking points of the Democrat Party), and, a new kid on the block, one Patricia Jackman of North Brookfield. The charge is since I criticize the words and actions of the four lame-brained liberal “women of color” (Cortez, Ayanna, Tlaib, and Omar) I must, perforce, be a racist or a woman-hater or both.

Actually, I’m an equal opportunity disparager; it’s liberal women of any color, of any religion, of any nationality, that I have no use for, that I hold responsible for much of what has ruinously transpired since they came to a place of inordinate and undeserved power in the culture. I view white, suburban, over-privileged, entitled, loud-mouthed liberal women with the

same—if not more—contempt as I do the four hate-filled, shrill, not-very-bright congress critters under discussion. Could I detest other left-wing demagogic women like Hillary Clinton, Kamala Harris, Kirsten Gillibrand, Amy Klobuchar, and—possibly the most odious of all—the whining Elizabeth Warren (who doesn’t speak but, rather, harangues) more than the four commie/Muslim fangirls? Possibly. It’d be close.

One gets the impression from Nova Scotia’s Jackman that “women of color” — no, anyone of color — should be able to say anything they please no matter how ignorant, how vicious, how anti-Semitic, how anti-American, and not be held accountable in any way. Sorry, Patricia, as you point out, I am old...too old to play that stupid game any longer or care what you or anyone else thinks about what I say. If statements are made by people of any race or religion which are demonstrably stupid, race-obsessed, and hateful I am going to call ‘em as I see ‘em. If the dumbest comments coming out of Congress lately are made by members of the Congressional Black Caucus (“Guam will tip over if too many Marines are stationed on one end of the island.” Hank Johnson, D-GA; “Where’s the flag the astronauts planted on Mars?” Sheila Jackson Lee, D-TX, etc.), then only a politically cor-

rect coward will restrain himself from laughing out loud.

Hate women? Far from it. I couldn’t feel more pride in and admiration for our current First Lady, Melania Trump, who besides being highly intelligent as well as stunningly beautiful, is a kind and decent woman of great class and elegance, a wonderful mother to her son, and a check on her husband’s more combative nature. How she is not easily the greatest First Lady in our history escapes me.

Women of color? I’ll stand up for Candace Owens anytime. Courageous, intelligent, and rational, she represents the best of young conservative Americans—and she’s as much a female of color as any of Ms. Jackman’s heroes without their foul mouths and race-based hatred for their own country and their fellow Americans not “of color.”

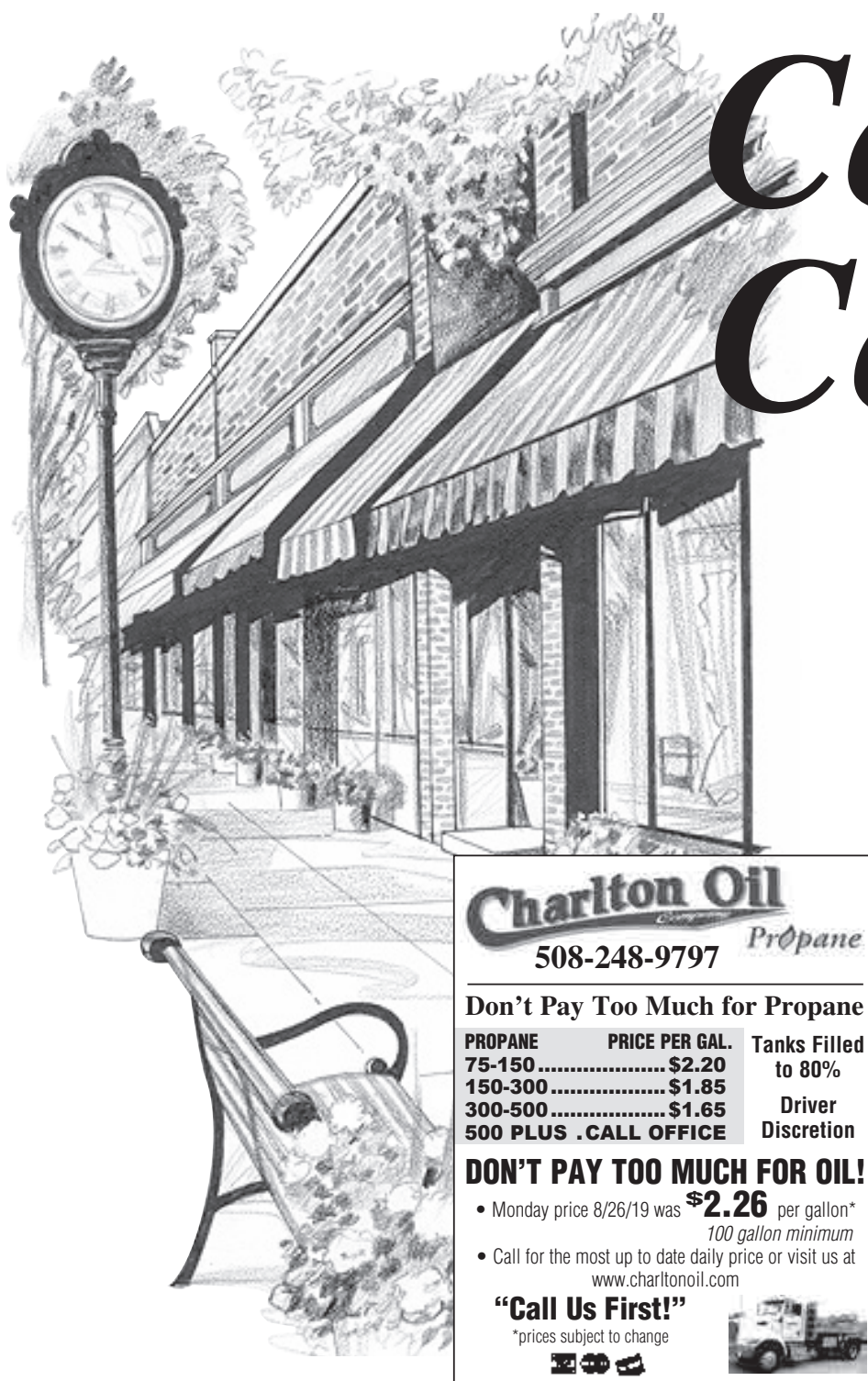
And where, Ms. Jackman, were your letters when other American women—conservatives like Sarah Palin, Sarah Sanders, Ann Coulter, Laura Ingraham, Heather MacDonald, Michelle Malkin, and others—have been routinely threatened; had their speeches cancelled by leftist thugs calling themselves students; have been chased out of restaurants; had the sick-est and vilest things said about them

on national television by half-men like David Letterman,

Bill Maher, and other low-lives; had their children mocked and threatened; had their homes surrounded and picketed by these same cowards, and so on. Any regard for their rights? Their dignity? Their honor? If not, why not? Are they not “women?” I’m sure you must have some response, as it is, after all, a fair question to put to you.

As for old man Emerson, who now boasts he is a “practicing metaphysician” whatever in the blue blazes that is supposed to be, I must ask: Does one need to have a license to practice that arcane art? Is it covered by the Hippocratic Oath? If so, remember the first command of that pledge: “Do no harm.” Suggestion: stop wasting your time defending the crackpot ideas of your crowd like: reparations; Trump is a Nazi; transgender madness; we only have twelve years left before we all die from heat or cold or something; wide open borders and free everything for all the “new Americans”, etc. It only demoralizes people into thinking the country has simply gone crazy when they read your wild-eyed didactic ramblings bereft of anything close to common sense and rationality.

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Stonebridge Press Summer in Review

Although the high school sports season takes a break during the summer months, there were plenty of sports for the student-athletes to partake in before school got back in session.

Let's take a last look back on the summer that was.

In baseball, American Legion provided three playoff-bound teams in the coverage area. Cherry Valley Post 443, Sturbridge Post 109 and Northbridge

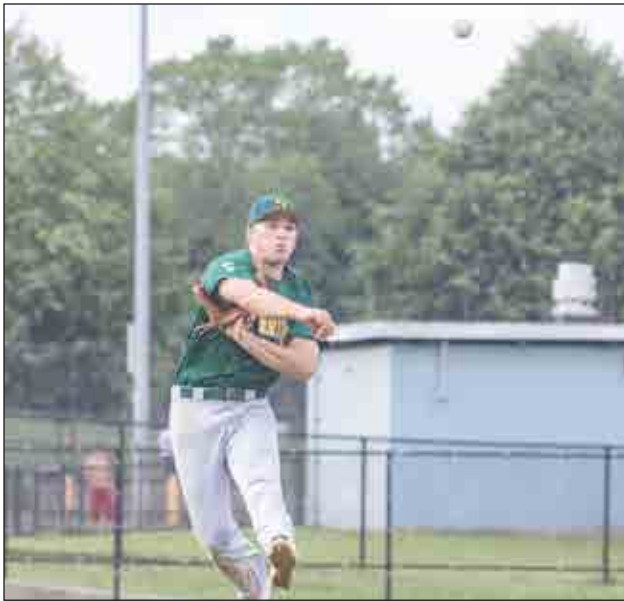
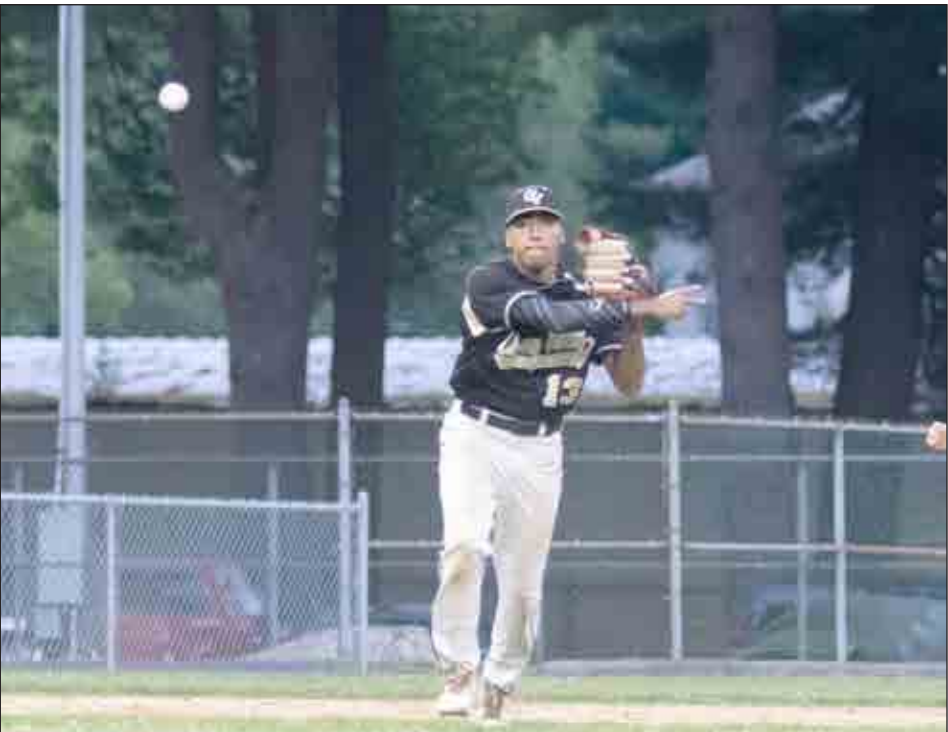
Post 343 all made the Zone 4 postseason. On the Paul N. Johnson Senior Ruth side, the local teams from Oxford and Douglas hovered around the .500 mark but were unable to squeak into the playoffs. The Central New England Baseball Association had a local affiliate from Auburn, and they won their first playoff series in program history before bowing out in the league semifinals. The Laid Back Competitive Baseball League

continued to thrive, and the Oxford Bomb Squad captured that championship. And on the Little League front, Auburn's 50/70 Intermediate team made it all the way to the state championship series before falling just shy of the crown.

With basketball, Auburn's leagues for girls and boys had the biggest participation level for Stonebridge Press. On the girls' side, Leicester was the top seed

in the 10-team field and won the championship. For the boys' league, Bartlett ran the table and went undefeated.

In golf news, Sturbridge's Terrance Baker made an albatross at Heritage Country Club, recording a hole-in-one on a par-4. And credit goes out to any and all that participated in the Pan-Mass Challenge.



The local sports scene at Stonebridge Press was filled with plenty of good athletes and teams this past summer.

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Second place: Phil Woods, George Laqton, Al Judkins, Rich Olson; -9
Third place: Stan Nolin, Bob Varnum, Charlie Keyes, Bud Powers; -7

Still Hart's League
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Most over quota: Rob Hoekstra, +11

Howie Letendre Outing
First place (59): Howie Letendre, JD Loughlin, Matt Vayda, Brandon Fullam
Second place (61): Stan Nolin, Rick Nolin, Zack Sargent, Ryan Burke
Third place (63): Mike Engel, Dick Dupont, Michael Maclean, Bob Jaquith

Hackmasters Outing
First place (68): Adam Adkins, Dan Kreatz, Steve Kreatz, Jack Nolan
Second place (68): Matt Hendrickson, Dillon Kempeskie, Jim Kempeskie,

Brian Leblanc
Third place (69): Jim Ferguson, Mike Orciuch, Dennis O'Toole, Bob Vanderlinden
Fourth place (70): Ernie Biando, Jim Biando, Brandon Harvey, Chris Johnson
Fifth place (72): Felix Martinez, Alejandro Naranjo, Jean Valentin, Roberto Vega

Brookfields Lions Club Outing
First place (58): Bill Herrick, Maura Herrick, Ron Jette, Anne Jette
Second place (60): Peter O'Neil, Bob Towle, Brett Dion, Paul Clifford
Third place (61): Marc Kokanski, Peter Davis, Lex Varney, Justin Howard
Fourth place (61): Dick Lappierre, Mike Befford, Branden Fullam, Bill Bowels

Bay Path Golf Course Results

Couples League
First place: Lisa Kularski and Jeff Smith, 39 (+3)
Second place: Stacie Chandler and Jim Fileo, 40 (+4)
Third place: Lois and Brian Shorten, 41 (+5)

Kettle Brook Golf Club —

Kettle One League Week 18 Results

First Place: Kevin Anderson and Craig Nussey, +11
Second Place: Jack Lalaine and Roger Pontbriand, +6
High Quota: Kevin Anderson, +6
Closest to the Pin on Sixth Hole: Kris Houston

Register now for annual Charlton Old Home Day Road Race

The 53rd annual Charlton Old Home Day Road Race will take place on Monday, Sept. 2. The race will start at 9 a.m. with registration beginning at 7:30 in front of the Town Hall across from the Library at 37 Main Street (Route 31). The entry fee is \$20. Be one of the first 400 pre-registered participants and receive a Tree House Brewing Co. pour! Walkers are welcome! Get race applications at Charlton Optical or on www.CharltonOldHomeDayRoadRace.com/. See website for link to online registration and mail-in forms.

ATHLETE of the WEEK

Fall season student-athletes

Good luck goes out to all the athletes who are preparing for their respective fall season sport to start up.

Athlete of the Week is sponsored by:



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The Amazon on fire



Listening to the news lately has them reporting on a scary set of events happening in the world today, but the latest report on the massive fires in the Amazon Rain Forest are one of the most troubling. The report states that the Amazon Rain Forest gives out 20 percent of all oxygen in the world today, and also clears up a lot of carbon. How did we ever get into this predicament? The fires in the forest are being fought by an understaffed group of firefighters,

and are having very little impact in controlling them. Hundreds of fires are burning at this time, killing thousands of birds and other numerous species of wildlife. And most of the fires are being set?! Global warming is also threatening our planet in numerous other ways, including the melting of the polar ice cap. It is warming the oceans waters, which is moving numerous fish stocks to new areas of the ocean including lobsters,



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seabass, etc., to mention a few. Our lawmakers need to take the situation seriously, and stop bickering about what to do to rectify the problems around the world. It sure is not going to change overnight, but serious bipartisan legislation needs to be enacted soon before it is too late. It may already be too late!

The balance of nature is a wonderful thing, but it is being changed by man in many negative ways. Our future generations are not going to have a very positive future to look forward to, if some type of action is not taken soon. My biggest fear was the threat of a nuclear war, but now the dramatic negative policies of our country may change our planet earth sooner than a nuclear bomb. Our ocean is also used as a dumping ground for all types of waste, and it needed to stop yesterday.

The other real threat to our residents of the valley is EEE. More cases are being reported daily, and the death of a couple of horses and humans sure puts the mosquito transmitted disease in perspective. Spending time outdoors trying to enjoy the fantastic weather of last week, could be dangerous to your health. Taking a walk with my two dogs in the woods daily has



me constantly thinking about the EEE threat, but they need to get out and exercise. As much as I hate to see a real spraying, it needs to be done!

On a brighter side, fishing continues to give up some impressive fish on the saltwater and on freshwater. The Canal has been good fishing, but the anticipated new moon should give striper fishing a real boost very soon.

The Uxbridge Rod & Gun Club will hold a LTC (license to carry) class on Sept. 28 & Nov. 23 at their club house on West Street starting at noon to 6 pm. both days. Anyone that plans to hunt this year for the first time, will need to complete the course in order to hunt or posses a firearm. The class will be given by John Quinn. To register, call John at 1-401-965-0334. Do not be left out. Call him today before the class is full.

This week's picture shows another great picture of an English Pointer in the field. Only a bird hunter can enjoy and appreciate this great photo, and if it is your dog holding this magnificent point on a bird, you are a lucky person.

Last week, my dog Twig needed a minor operation. While she was at the veterinarian's, I decided to take my wife's dog Molly for a walk at a local Rod & Gun Club. As the beagle exited the car, she immediately started to look for her mate Twig. I called her away from the car, but she quickly jumped back into her transport kennel in the vehicle. I coaxed her out one more time and started to walk away. She again jumped back into the car. I realized that the bond of the two dogs was bigger than I thought.

I closed the door and we headed home. Picking up my lab from the Vet. a few hours later, had Molly back to acting normal, what pever that is. After my wife's passing, her beagle walked around looking for her & it took some time before she started to accept her loss, as it did me]. You never forget! Pets also never forget! This week's picture shows Molly & Twig together again.

Take A Kid Fishing & Keep Them Rods Bending.

Plant a few edible and decorative containers for fall



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End the growing season with an extra burst of color and nutrition with a few fall containers. A pot of mums or asters can add color to your front steps and a container filled with kale and greens adds fresh flavor to your fall meals. But don't stop there. Create attractive potted gardens by combining asters, mums, grasses, cool weather edibles and other fall beauties. Spruce up an existing container by replacing weather worn annuals with fresh fall favorites. Pansies, sweet alyssum and dianthus are just a few annuals that hit their stride as cooler weather returns. Or plant new container gardens for your fall landscape. Just select a pot with drainage holes and fill it with a quality



Melinda Myers Photo

Mix ornamental and edible plantings in fall container gardens for some added color and nutrition.

planting mix. Or upcycle items like a wicker basket, small bushel basket, wooden crate or galvanized tub into a fun fall planter. Just add drainage holes before planting. Or scoop out a pumpkin and set a pot of pansies

or ornamental peppers inside. Use ornamental grasses, kale, black-eyed Susans and Swiss chard for vertical interest. Complement your plantings and containers with garden art, gourds,

mini pumpkins and berry-covered branches. Add a mum or aster for a vibrant surge of color. Include some trailing plants like golden monkeywort, trailing lobelia and ivy. Fill any voids with snapdragons, orna-

mental peppers, colorful greens and coral bells. Just be sure to protect peppers and any other frost-sensitive plants on those chilly nights. Grow a container of Bright Lights Swiss Chard, colorful leaf lettuce and pansies – the flowers are edible – for an attractive and edible combination. Make your fall centerpiece an edible part of your gatherings. Fill a metal colander or basket with red dragon arugula, red mizuna mustard, red sails lettuce, bull's blood beets and other colorful greens in a metal colander or basket for your outdoor gatherings. Test your container designs while shopping. Grab a cart and gather the plants you would like to grow. See if the colors and textures work well together. The bold leaves of plants like ornamental cabbage contrast with the fine leaves of ornamental grasses to create a focal point. Repeat colors from the flowers or leaves of one plant to

another to unify your planting. For example, use a purple aster or pink mum to echo the colors of decorative kale, pansies or the colorful leaf stems of Swiss chard. Set containers on the front steps as a colorful autumn welcome. Group several containers together for a garden of containers to display on the deck, patio or balcony. This collection of container gardens is sure to brighten your day when relaxing outdoors or enjoying the view from inside the house looking out. Go one step further and create a stunning autumn display by combining fall planters with gourds, decorative squash and pumpkins. Use corn stalks or broom corn for vertical interest or as a backdrop. Then include bales of hay to elevate a few of the pots and pumpkins for multiple levels of fall beauty. Dress it up further with sprigs of American bittersweet, grape vines and other fall décor.

TRIPS OFFERED

The "Trips Offered" section is for non-profit organizations and will run as space allows. Mail your information to Trips Offered, c/o Brendan Berube, PO Box 90, Southbridge, MA 01550; fax to (508) 764-8015 or e-mail to news@stone-bridgepress.news.

BAY PATH ADULT EVENING SCHOOL

Fall 2019 catalog offerings

New England Patriots vs. the Baltimore Ravens — "Tours and Pours" 3 Days/2 Nights Nov. 2-4
What's included: Roundtrip Motorcoach transportation, lodging, five meals, city tour of Baltimore, three brewery tours, distillery tour, winery, reserved seats at M & T Bank Stadium Tour Director, and more!
\$799pp double occupancy, \$949 single occupancy, \$789 triple occupancy, \$779, quadruple occupancy.
For a brochure and complete itinerary, please contact Lori Douthwright at (508) 248-5971, ext. 1715.

A Country Christmas in Nashville, Tenn. at the Gaylord Opryland Hotel 4 days/3 nights Dec. 6-9

What's included: Roundtrip airfare from Logan Airport, including transportation, three-night lodging, seven meals, Gaylord Opryland exclusive dinner show, ticket for holiday show at Opry House, tour of the Ryman & Grand Ole Opry, ICE Gaylord Opryland, General Jackson Showboat river cruise, and so much more!
Standard view room \$1,899pp double occupancy, \$2,249pp single occupancy
Atrium view room \$1,999pp double occupancy, \$2,399pp single occupancy.
For a brochure and complete itinerary, please contact Lori Douthwright at (508) 248-5971, ext. 1715.

Wine Country Pacific Coast Cruise 9 days/8 nights April 6-14, 2020
What's included: Roundtrip Motorcoach transfers, roundtrip airfare from Logan Airport, one night pre-cruise stay in Los Angeles, 8 day/7 night cruise on board Princess Cruises-The Star Princess, visiting Los Angeles, Santa Barbara, San Francisco, Astoria Oregon, Victoria, B.C., Vancouver, B.C., winery tours, all meals on board ship, and more!
*A valid passport is REQUIRED for this trip
Prices starting at \$2,499pp double occupancy (plus tax, transfers & government fees)
For a brochure and complete itinerary, please contact Lori Douthwright at (508) 248-5971, ext. 1715.

CHURCH PILGRIMAGE
Pilgrimage to Italy, Holy Land, and

Medjugorje
St. Joseph's Church in Charlton is sponsoring a Pilgrimage Sept. 29- Oct. 9, 2019 to Italy, Holy Land, and Medjugorje with Fr. Robert Grattatori. The cost is \$4,599; 11 days includes 4-5 star hotels, airfare, luxury transportation, and breakfast/dinner daily. A \$500 deposit is due at the time of registration. Please contact parishioner Dr. Karen Zaleski for trip details at karenzaleski42@gmail.com or you may call Proximo Travel directly for information and to register at 1-855-842-8001, or 508-340-9370.

CHARLTON SENIOR CENTER

Trip Coordinator Dotti Murphy - Please call 978-424-7010
Sign up sheets & flyers available at the Senior Center / Flyers also available on our web page www.townofcharlton.net Click on Departments then click on Council on Aging/Senior Center
Pick up is from St. Joseph's Church 10 H Putnam Rd. Ext., Charlton 2019 Day Trips
Sept 17 (Tues) Atlantic City Boys - Four dynamic lead singers perform an exciting mix of world class vocals and interactive comedy - Davensport Yacht Club - \$92.00
Sept 24 (Tues) Simon Pearce Glassblowing Studio and King Arthur Factory - Fall foliage, tour glass blowing factory, and King Arthur factory after lunch - \$119.00

Oct 9 (Wed) New Hampshire Turkey Train - Foliage train ride, Harts Turkey Farm Luncheon, Mystery stop and sightseeing - \$99.00
Nov. 14 (Thurs) Ricky Nelson Remembered - Ricky Nelson's twin sons perform their father's hit songs - Venus DeMilo, Swansea \$95.00
Dec3 (Tues) Johnny Mathis Christmas Tribute - Ultimate tribute to Johnny Mathis with Christmas songs and some of his biggest hits - Davensport Yacht Club - \$92.00

2019 OVERNIGHT TRIPS

Sept 20 - 22 Lake George Balloon Festival - 3 days, 2 nights -\$449pp double, \$599 single

Please call Dotti Murphy at 978-424-7010 for details if interested in any trips.

DAUGHTERS OF ISABELLA

The Daughters of Isabella proudly present our 2019 Fantastic Worldwide Tours!
Sept. 15-17: Atlantic City Resorts Casino \$259
Atlantic City's original casino! 7 a.m. Webster, 7:30 a.m. Southbridge. \$25 slot play/\$60 food credit/Casino Revue Show. Atlantic City! The 'Shore' Thing!

TRIPS

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Oct. 6: NH Turkey Train \$92

Scenic rail tour round Lake Winnepesaukee and lunch! 9 a.m. Southbridge, 9:30 a.m. Webster. Spectacular New England footage! New Hampshire awaits!

For reservations contact Jan Caouette at (508) 887-2215. Make checks payable to Bernadette Circle #709 and mail to Bernadette Circle #709, PO Box 201, Webster MA 01570. The Daughters of Isabella is a nonprofit and charitable Catholic women's organization

DOUGLAS SUNSHINE CLUB

Sunny Portugal next April. The Douglas Sunshine Club is planning a trip to sunny Portugal April 21-30, 2020. This trip is with Collette Travel. An informational meeting is planned for Wed. June 12th at the Douglas Senior Center, 331 Main St., Douglas, at 6:30 p.m. If you are interested in the trip, this is a great opportunity to get a description of the travel arrangements and itinerary with a representative from Collette Travel who will also answer any questions you have about the trip. For more info call 508-476-4474.

DUDLEY SENIORS

Dudley Seniors presents a Branson Show Extravaganza, Saturday, May 2 through Sunday, May 10, 2020, \$905 per person, double occupancy. Incredible price includes motorcoach transportation, eight nights lodging including four consecutive nights in the Branson, Mo. Area, 14 meals (eight breakfasts and six dinners), admission to seven fabulous Branson shows, including New Jersey Nights, Amazing Acrobats of Shanghai, Doug Gabriel, Presley's Country Jubilee, "Noah the Musical," and the Hughes Show; and one dinner show on the Showboat Branson Belle. For pictures, video and information, visit www.GroupTrips.com/dudleyse-niors. Departure point: Dudley Town Hall, 71 W. Main St., 8 a.m. Saturday, May 2, 2020.

For more information, please call Evelyn at (508) 764-8254.

FRIENDS OF THE STURBRIDGE SENIORS

On Tuesday September 17th at the Danversport, Ma. Yacht Club. You will be entertained by the Atlantic City Boys. They are 4 Dynamic Lead Singers who mix World Class Vocals and Interactive Comedy. Hear them sing the songs of The Beach Boys, The Drifters, The Bee Gees and of course Frankie Valli and the Four Seasons. For \$92, sit back and enjoy Deluxe Transportation, feast on a delicious Plated Lunch of Salad, Breads, Choice of Entree, Potato, Vegetable, Dessert and Coffee/Tea.

Tuesday, Dec. 3 to Thursday, Dec. 5 Overnight Trip 3 Days/2Nights. Prices are \$459 for Double Occupancy and \$559 for Single Occupancy. On Wednesday see the Spectacular Awe Inspiring Special Effects and complete with Live Animals "Miracle of Christmas Show " at the Milenium Sight and Sound Theater. Following the The Miracle Show is Dinner at the always delicious Plain and Fancy Restaurant. Also included in this trip and happening on Tuesday is a Dinner Show production of Irving Berlin's Musical "Holiday Inn" featuring thrilling dance numbers, laugh out loud comedy and a Parade of Irving Berlin's Hit Songs. Thursday features a visit to Hershey's Chocolate World and Milton Hershey School and Founders Hall before we head home with rest stops on our way back. This Trip includes 2 nights Lodging, 2 Breakfasts, 2 Dinners, Tickets to The Miracle of Christmas and Tickets to the Holiday Inn Show and a Full Commentary Back Country Tour of the Farmlands of Lancaster Country.

Dec. 31 New Years Eve "DAY" at the Lake Pearl in Wrentham, Mass. Let's Celebrate the New Year during the "DAYTIME". Featuring the dynamic Tom LaMark Orchestra as they cover original classics from the Swing Era, the Best in Ballroom Dancing, our Favorite Line Dances, and on up to the Best songs from the '50's, '60's and '70's. Sing along, Dance along and Party strong to this Live Band. For \$89, enjoy Deluxe Motorcoach Transportation, Salad, Breads, Choice of Entree, Potato, Vegetable, N.Y. Style Cheesecake, Coffee/Tea and let's not forget a CHAMPAGNE TOAST.

May 15, 2020 to May 22, 2020 Cruise 8 Days/7 Nights Boston to Bermuda aboard the Norwegian Cruise Lines "GEM" SHIP. Leave Boston Friday, May 15 and return Boston Friday May 22. Included are All of the Following, Roundtrip Transfers from Sturbridge to Boston and back. The Ultimate Beverage Package, The Ultimate 4 Night Dining Package, Specialty Restaurants for Free, Exclusive Best of Times Cocktail Party, All Luggage Handling Fees, Drivers Gratuities and Best of Times Professional Tour Director. Early Booking Discount for those people who Book a Balcony Cabin by October 1st, you will receive a 1 Category Upgrade &

Special On Board Credit. Prices start at \$1,199 Double Occupancy for an Inside Stateroom, \$1,399 for an Oceanview Porthole Window, \$1,899 for a Balcony Stateroom on Deck 9, \$1,949 for a Balcony Stateroom on Deck 10, and \$1,999 for Balcony on Deck 11. ALSO Add \$400 for Taxes, Transfers, and Gov't Fees. Single Occupancy is Avaialbe upon request. Please contact Dick Lisi at 508-410-1332 or at lisirichard15@yahoo.com for questions or information on any of the above Trips.

LEICESTER SENIOR CENTER

Friday, Sept. 13: Trip to Lake Winnepesaukee Cruise. Buffet luncheon & scenic sights and a visit to Moulton Farm Market. Bus leaves at 8:30 a.m. Cost is \$99.

Thursday, Oct. 17: Trip to Twin Rivers and Wright's Chicken Farm. Bus leaves at 9 a.m. \$7 food credit and \$10 slot play. Cost is \$59.

Wednesday, Nov. 13: Indian Head Christmas Spectacular and Luncheon. Bus leaves at 8:30 a.m. Cost is \$89.

MARY QUEEN OF THE ROSARY PARISH

SPENCER — Mary Queen of the Rosary Parish, 60 Maple St., Spencer, is offering the following trips. For more information, call Bernard Dube at (508) 885-3098.

IRELAND: September 9-22, 2019
USA: SPLENDORS OF THE NORTHWEST: Wonders of Northern California Redwoods, Oregon & Washington Aug. 3-16, 2020
JAPAN: March 26 to April 9, 2020
JAPAN & CHINA: March 26 to April 22, 2020
SPAIN & PORTUGAL: September 9-24, 2020

MILLBURY SENIOR CENTER

1 RIVER ST.
MILLBURY, MA 01527

Thursday, Sept. 12: Newport Playhouse trip. The play is "BINGO." Leaving at 9 a.m. Return around 6 p.m. Cost is \$76 apiece, and includes dinner, show and cabaret! For more information or reservations, please call the Millbury Senior Center at (508) 865-9154.

Sept. 22-24: Atlantic City Resorts. \$239. Three days and two nights. Departs 7:30 a.m., returns around 8 p.m. Price includes overnight accommodations at resort, two dinner vouchers and a show ticket, plus \$25 in free slot play! For more information or reservations, call or stop by the Senior Center at (508) 865-9154.

PAXTON SENIORS

Are you interested in joining another wonder trip in 2019?

A group of Seniors from Paxton and surrounding towns are planning a trip this year to Italy. The group plans to leave Paxton on Sept. 9, with transportation provided to Logan and return. Our flight will take us to Rome, Italy for 10 days visiting many historical sites of Italy. Rome has many beautiful attractions that many of us have not seen on previous visits. After two nights in Rome, we will move on to one night in Perugia where we will have the opportunity to visit Assisi, the birthplace of St. Francis of Assisi. Following our stay in Perugia, we move on to Florence, "the Cradle of Italian Renaissance," where we will view Michelangelo's incredible statue of David. After two nights in beautiful Florence, we will move on to Venice. On the way to Venice, we will stop at a 12th century castle and learn about the famous Tuscany wines and enjoy a cooking class and lunch. Next we are off to Venice for two nights. During that time, we have an opportunity to visit many of the wonderful sites of the Canal City.

After Venice, our next and last night will be Milan where we will have an opportunity to visit and shop at the"Quadrilatero della Moda," Milan's high-fashion district. We will depart for home from Milan.

SOUTHBRIDGE SENIOR CITIZENS ASSOCIATION

Contact Jim Julian at the Casaubon Senior Center Monday, Wednesday, or Friday 9-10 a.m. or call (774) 922-4049 or e-mail jimtrips@yahoo.com.

Trips are open to the public! Make checks payable to the Southbridge Senior Citizens Association, payment due at sign up:

SOUTHBRIDGE SENIOR CITIZENS 2019 TRIP SCHEDULE

OPEN TO PUBLIC PAYMENT DUE AT SIGN UP

September 17, 2019 Tuesday - Atlantic City Boys For \$95 you will get a deluxe motor coach to Danvers Yacht Club in Danvers MA. where you will hear the music of the Beach Boys, The Drifters, the Bee Gees and more. You have a choice of baked stuffed chicken or schrod.

October 8-15, 2019 – ALL INCLUSIVE ARUBA – Room has just opened up for two couples on the 2019 trip, and I am taking names for 2020 trip,

November 12, 2019 – Tuesday – Foxwoods \$25 - 10 - AM bus.

For \$25 You get a deluxe motor coach ride to the casino You will have 5 hours at the casino as the bus will leave Foxwoods at 4 PM. You will receive \$10 for gaming and \$15 meal voucher.

Trips are open to the public! Make checks payable to the Southbridge Senior Citizens Association.

Contact Jim Julian at the Casaubon senior center Monday, Wednesday or Friday mornings from 9:00 to 10:00 AM or call 774 922 4049, or e-mail me jim-trips@yahoo.com

FRIENDS OF STURBRIDGE SENIORS

We are proud to announce the following upcoming Bus Trips which are open to everyone age 21 and over. The following One Day Bus trips are 92.00 which includes a Deluxe Bus Transportation, Delicious Lunch, Tax, Gratuity and Fabulous Entertainers.

Sunday May 19th See The Edwards Twins, the Best Impersonators of all the Biggest Stars.

Tuesday June 18th See The 3 Red Neck Tenors, Down Home Laughs + Big City Music, Pop to Opera.

Wednesday August 28th Tribute Show hear Songs of Neil Diamond, Carole King, Johnny Cash, Janis

Tuesday Sept 17 Atlantic City Boys,4 Dynamic Lead Singers perform World Class Vocals and Comedy

We also have the following 2 to 5 Day Overnight Trips for Singles and Double Occupancy.

Saturday June 29 to Wed July 3 Nova Scotia, Bay of Fundy, Royal Nova Scotia International Tatoo

Tuesday December 3 to Thursday Dec 5th Pennsylvania Dutch and The Miracle of Christmas Show,

Hershey's Chocolate World and more 459.00 Double occupancy

For more information, please contact Dick Lisi at 508 410 1332 or at lisirichard15@yahoo.com

UNION SAINT-JEAN-BAPTISTE CHAPTER 12

Union Saint-Jean-Baptiste, Chapter #12, Southbridge, is sponsoring a variety of excursions for all to enjoy in 2019. We are a non-profit family oriented Franco-American fraternal society since 1900. As always, you do not have to be a member to participate in any of the scheduled events. All are welcome. Gift certificates purchased in any amount can be used by the recipient to any event at face value. For information or reservations contact Ted at (508) 764-7909.

2019
2019 is the Society's 27th anniversary in providing members and non-members alike the opportunity to experience excursions of a day or extended days. All are welcome to travel with our organization.

Nov. 16 — "Do As You Wish Day in New York City" – shop for Christmas, do some sightseeing, visit a museum, attend a Broadway matinee, dine at a special restaurant, a visit to the aircraft Intrepid, visit the 911 Memorial complex. There is much to do and enjoy. Departure is 6:30 a.m. from the Southbridge RMV parking lot, and the return departure from New York City is 6:30 p.m. Included are rest stops to and from New York City. Cost is \$59 per person. The reservation deadline is Nov. 6. For information and reservations, call (508) 764-7909. To avoid disappointment, call early.

Dec. 14 — "Festival of Christmas Lights" at Our Lady of La Salette Shrine, seasonal concert with Fr. Pat, the singing priest, visit the International Museum of Creches, Gift and Book Shop, Chapel of Light, a Bistro for refreshments and snacks, a Carousel for the children, an optional trolley ride for a small charge to view the display of more than 400,000 lights and a complete inclusive luncheon at Wright's Farm Restaurant. Cost is \$54 per person, \$44 for children three to 10, under three free. Departure is 10:45 a.m. from Southbridge and 11:15 a.m. in Webster, with the return about 7:45 p.m. Reservation deadline is Dec. 5.

UXBRIDGE SENIOR CENTER

All trips leave from the Whitinsville Walmart and the Stop & Shop at 32 Lyman St, Westboro. Make sure to include entree choice, phone # (esp. cell) and an emergency # when sending payment. "Like" us on FacebookThe Silver Club and The Uxbridge Senior Center. Please call Sue at (508) 476-5820 for more information.

The Silver Club BUS TRIPS for 2019
Please call Sue at 508-476-5820 for more information.

The Uxbridge Senior Center and its Silver Club travelling group is offering

the following trips for 2019:

Sept. 20- Sun, Sept. 22. - Balloon Festival \$549. made out to Conway Tours. (trip full - waiting list)

Oct. 1- Return of Turkey Train! Train ride along Lake Winnepesaukee with turkey dinner on board. \$81; leaves Whitinsville at 8:30; Home 6:30

Nov. 12~ Aqua Turf Club ~ lunch & show, "Crooning the 70's". \$79. Family style meal of Penne ala Vodka, Beef Burgundy, & Salmon

It's not too early to think about Christmas! Join the Silver Club for Boothbay Harbor, "Christmas by the Sea" in Portland, ME, or Reagle Players Christmas Show for Christmas 2019!

Nov. 21-22~2 day Boothbay Harbor w/lunch at the Harraseeket Inn in Freeport. -- 2 days w/"Gardens Aglow" (beautiful light show at the botanical garden) at the Boothbay Harbor Botanical Gardens. 1 lunch, 1 breakfast. \$199. double occupancy, \$259. single.

DEC-5-6 THE TRAPP FAMILY LODGE CHRISTMAS: \$379. dinner & breakfast at the Lodge; Quechee and Montpelier, meet w/a family member to hear the history, etc.

Dec. 8 - Reagle Players Christmas show.... TBA

DEC 13-14: CHRISTMAS BY THE SEA: \$329. 1 breakfast, 1 elegant holiday buffet lunch, 1 dinner. "Magic of Christmas" Portland Symphony Orchestra plus Ogunquit's "Christmas by the Sea" celebration

All trips leave from Whitinsville Walmart, 100 Valley Parkway, Whitinsville. Make sure to always include entree choice, phone # (esp. cell) and an emergency phone number. Please call Sue at 508-476-5820 for more information or to reserve.

The Silver Club of the Uxbridge Senior Center invites you to join them on a couple of Christmas trips.

There is a trip to Boothbay Harbor, Maine for the Gardens Aglow on Nov. 21 and 22 for the great price of \$199. After traveling along the Maine Coast, we'll arrive in Freeport, Maine to explore this quintessential Maine village. There will be time for shopping at the dozens of brand-name outlets, flagship L.L. Bean Store, and local boutiques housed in historic brick buildings; then enjoy an included late lunch buffet at the Harraseeket Inn. We will arrive in Boothbay Harbor in the late afternoon and check in to the Flagship Inn. This evening we'll experience Gardens Aglow; walk through the Coastal Maine Botanical Gardens' dazzling, outdoor display of 650,000 lights illuminating their meticulously cared for gardens. You'll also have a chance to peruse the visitor's center & gift shop and get a bite to eat. We will stop in the village of Boothbay Harbor afterwards to experience "The Festival of Lights." After breakfast we will head home with a stop in Kennebunkport for lunch and shopping. *Please note this tour includes periods of outdoor walking on dimly lit, potentially uneven surfaces, and overnight accommodations that require walking up and down stairs.

On December 5 and 6th there is a trip to the Trapp Family Lodge and it includes one dinner and one breakfast both at the lodge, glassblowing at Simon Pearce Company, a meeting with a member of the Von Trapp family, a stop in Montpelier, and of course the luxury of being at the Trapp family Lodge! It is \$379 for the double occupancy per person and \$499 per person for a single.

Capture the Christmas spirit as we enjoy a little of Austria and a lot of Vermont on this memorable getaway. Situated on 2,500 acres in Stowe, Vermont, the Trapp Family Lodge serves as our magnificent home away from home. Enjoy great shopping, superb dining and exceptional hospitality on this great Christmas holiday tour.

On Wed, Dec.18 we will travel to the Newport Playhouse to see "A Christmas Cactus" For \$79 you will enjoy a great play, a bountiful buffet and the Christmas Cabaret.

Show Synopsis: Christmas Eve is tough for private investigator Cactus O'Riley, a white-hot redhead with the holiday blues. She is trying to lure her secretary Fred away from his protective mother, dodging the affections of Deputy D.A. Windsor, and considering closing her business. She doesn't need the added aggravation of two fugitives who burst into her office looking for justice and a dead detective named Jake Marley. Cactus also doesn't need Fred's mother, who arrives to take Fred home but decides to stay because she thinks this is the Christmas murder mystery party she has always dreamed of attending. Christmas turns into a dickens of a holiday for Cactus as she solves mysteries, delivers small miracles and takes a second chance on love and sleuthing.

All trips leave from the Whitinsville WalMart. Call Sue at 509-476-5820 for more information.

POLICE REPORTS

Spencer Logs

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 7
12:05 a.m.: building checked, secure;
12:09 a.m.: medical/general (Mechanic Street); 12:10 a.m.: suspicious mv (Ash Street), spoken to; 12:16 a.m.: medical/overdose (Ash Street); 12:44-2:17 a.m.: buildings checked, secure; 2:38 a.m.: officer wanted (Main Street), spoken to; 2:44 a.m.: building checked, secure; 2:52 a.m.: suspicious persons (Pleasant Street), spoken to; 8:06 a.m.: officer wanted (Main Street), spoken to; 9:55 a.m.: mv lockout (Main Street), assisted; 10:12 a.m.: DPW call (Main Street), assist Nat'l Grid; 11:30 a.m.: animal complaint (Church Street), missing cat; 12:03 p.m.: fire/residential (Adams Street), services rendered; 12:32 p.m.: building checked, secure; 12:35 p.m.: accident (Main Street), hit/run; 12:57 p.m.: disturbance (Maple Street), domestic dispute; 1:22 p.m.: sex offender registration (West Main Street), assisted; 1:45 p.m.: harassing phone calls (West Main Street), spoken to; 3:02 p.m. FID card issued (West Main Street), assisted; 6:26 p.m.: mv complaint (West Main Street), mc rider/no helmet; 6:27 p.m.: abandoned 911 call (West Main Street), no contact; 7:25-7:52 p.m.: buildings checked, secure; 8:01 p.m.: 911 call (West Main Street), child w/phone; 8:18 p.m.: abandoned 911 call (West Main Street), misdial; 8:29 p.m.: disturbance (Maple Street), neighbor dispute; 8:43-8:51 p.m.: buildings checked, secure; 9:14 p.m.: DPW call (Route 49), road flooding; 10:12 p.m.: juvenile matter (West Main Street), info taken; 10:43 p.m.: disturbance (Town House Court), fight.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 8
12:20 a.m.: disturbance (Sherwood Drive), domestic dispute; 12:50-1:50 a.m.: buildings checked, secure; 2:06 a.m.: officer wanted (West Main Street), social media complaint; 7:03 a.m.: DPW call (South Spencer Road), limb on wires; 7:19 a.m.: medical/general (Howe Village); 8:10 a.m.: 911 call (West Main Street), info taken; 9:14 a.m.: disturbance (Spring Street), neighbor complaint; 9:49 a.m.: officer wanted (West Main Street), LTC change of address; 9:50 a.m.: fraud (Mechanic Street), scam call; 10:44 a.m.: burglary/residential (Church Street), break-in reported; 11:05 a.m.: medical/general (Collier Circle); 11:51 a.m.: suspicious persons (Lake Avenue), services rendered; 12:31 p.m.: residential fire (Chickering Road), services rendered; 1:12 p.m.: vandalism (Main Street), mv damaged; 1:25 p.m.: animal complaint (Bay Path Road), missing cat; 1:37 p.m.: sex offender registration (West Main Street), assisted; 1:45 p.m.: lost/found (Main Street), medical equip't found; 2:22 p.m.: medical/general (Pleasant Street); 3:59 a.m.: 911 call (Main Street), non-emergency; 4:30 p.m.: animal complaint (Main Street), coyote in yard; 5:42 p.m.: disturbance (Lake Street), spoken to; 6:00 p.m.: officer wanted (West Main Street), unwanted party; 6:28 p.m.: disabled mv (Park Street), spoken to; 6:28 p.m.: mv complaint (Greenville Street), Traci Nuzzolilli, 28, 266 Cedar Swamp Road, Monson, OUI liquor, negligent operation, marked lanes violation, number plate violation, unregistered mv, leaving scene of property damage accident, arrest; 7:21 p.m.: medical/general West Main Street); 7:24 p.m.: fraud (West Main Street), c/c fraud; 9:08 p.m.: building checked, secure; 9:59 p.m.: animal complaint (Main Street), dog found; 11:25-11:58 p.m.: buildings checked, secure.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 9
12:02-12:21 a.m.: buildings checked, secure; 12:27 a.m.: mv complaint (Main Street), erratic operation; 12:50-2:25 a.m.: buildings checked, secure; 3:09 a.m.: medical/general (Howe Village); 3:43 a.m.: fire alarm (Wilson Street), services rendered; 4:10 a.m.: building checked, secure; 7:33 a.m.: animal complaint (G.H. Wilson Road), 8:28 a.m.: fire alarm (Smithville Road), services rendered; 8:33 a.m.: school alarm (Main Street), services rendered; 8:34 a.m.: DPW call (Borkum Road), wire down; 8:50 a.m.: officer wanted (Roys Drive), unauthorized use mv; 8:59 a.m.: animal complaint (West Main Street), trapped skunk; 9:03 a.m.: medical/general (Main Street); 9:12 a.m.: officer wanted (Greenville Street), info given; 10:30 a.m.: suspicious persons (Meadow Road), spoken to; 10:51 a.m.: mv stop (Main Street); 12:40 p.m.: shoplifting (West Main Street), report taken; 12:41 p.m.: abandoned 911 call (Main Street), no contact; 2:14 p.m.: officer wanted (Wilson Street), competing insurance adjusters; 2:20 p.m.: animal complaint (Valley Street), lg. cat in area; 3:10 p.m.: medical/general (Smithville Road), lift assist; 3:25 p.m.: officer wanted (West Main Street), spoken to; 4:00 p.m.: fire alarm (Ash Street), services rendered; 4:16 p.m.: fire alarm (Main Street), services rendered; 4:17 p.m.: 911 call (West Main Street), open line; 4:17 p.m.: 911 call (Main Street), open line; 4:18 p.m.: medical/general (Paxton Road); 4:45 p.m.: medical/general (Northwest Road); 4:51 animal complaint (Grove Street), animal in dumpster; 4:54 p.m.: officer wanted (West Main Street), spoken to; 5:10 p.m.: officer wanted (West Main Street), spoken to; 6:23 p.m.: officer wanted (Paxton Road), spoken to; 6:50 p.m.: intelligence/drug (Summit Street), info taken; 8:25 p.m.: medical/general (Main Street); 8:53 p.m.: animal complaint (Chestnut Street), skunks in area; 9:28 p.m.: disturbance (Mechanic Street), loud dispute; 10:00

p.m.: mv stop (Main Street); 10:04 p.m.: fire alarm (Roys Drive), services rendered; 11:26 p.m.: medical/general (Bixby Road); 11:44 p.m.: building checked, secure.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 10
12:01 a.m.: officer wanted (East Brookfield), protective custody; 12:05-12:17 a.m.: buildings checked, secure; 12:18 a.m.: suspicious persons (Marble Road), services rendered; 12:32 a.m.: entire incident redacted from police log; 12:52 a.m.: medical/general (Mechanic Street); 2:43 a.m.: mv stop (Main Street); 2:53-4:08 a.m.: buildings checked, secure; 4:16 a.m.: disturbance (Greenville Street), services rendered; 5:42 a.m.: fire/woods/grass (North Brookfield Road), wires down; 7:50 a.m.: abandoned 911 call (Paxton Road), no contact; 7:50 a.m.: officer wanted (West Main Street), spoken to; 8:51 a.m.: fire alarm (McDonald Street), services rendered; 9:43 a.m.: fire alarm (Smithville Road), services rendered; 9:55 a.m.: mv complaint (Route 49), erratic operation; 10:22 a.m.: officer wanted (West Main Street), Sturbridge PD bolo; 11:26 a.m.: mv complaint (West Main Street) erratic operation; 11:31 a.m.: vandalism (Holmes Street), mv keyed; 12:12 p.m.: accident (Borkum Road), report taken; 12:32 p.m.: 911 call (West Main Street), no contact; 1:30 p.m.: animal complaint (Mechanic Street), missing cat; 2:07 p.m.: fire (West Main Street), referred; 2:33 p.m.: officer wanted (Pine Acres), gunshots heard; 2:39 p.m.: fire alarm (Main Street), services rendered; 3:00 p.m.: officer wanted (Roys Drive), unwanted parties; 3:04 p.m.: 911 call (West Main Street), loose dog; 4:46 p.m.: disturbance (Donnelly Cross Road), noise complaint; 5:38 p.m.: officer wanted (Mechanic Street), parking complaint; 5:45 p.m.: DPW call (Holmes Street), drainage backup; 6:48 p.m.: fireworks complaint (Chestnut Street), services rendered; 7:09 p.m.: officer wanted (Howe Village), open door; 7:39 p.m.: officer wanted (West Main Street), Sturbridge PD bolo; 8:16 p.m.: building checked, secure; 8:40 p.m.: abandoned 911 call (Elm Street), no contact; 9:00-9:37 p.m.: buildings checked, secure; 9:43 p.m.: mv stop (Maple Street); 11:03 p.m.: fireworks complaint (Chestnut Street), spoken to; 11:13 p.m.: abandoned 911 call (West Main Street), open line; 11:47 p.m.: medical/sudden death (Grove Street).

SUNDAY, AUGUST 11
12:00-2:04 a.m.: buildings checked, secure; 3:34 a.m.: animal complaint (Clark Street), loose dog; 6:14 a.m.: medical/general (Mechanic Street); 7:59 a.m.: animal complaint (Smithville Road), porcupine in road; 8:03 a.m.: building checked, secure; 8:27 a.m.: 911 call (West Main Street), Harrington CT down; 8:34 a.m.: commercial alarm (West Main Street), services rendered; 9:08 a.m.: animal complaint (Meadow Road), raccoon in yard; 9:22 a.m.: medical/overdose (West Main Street); 9:35 p.m.: mv theft (Pleasant Street), info taken; 10:13 a.m.: building checked, secure; 10:22 a.m.: officer wanted (West Main Street), info given; 10:50 a.m.: animal complaint (Summit Street), ferrell kittens in wall; 10:57 a.m.: medical/general (Lewalson Lane); 11:58 a.m.: mv plate theft (West Main Street), tractor; 12:15 p.m.: officer wanted (Lincoln Street), welfare check; 12:20 p.m.: mv stop (Pleasant Street); 12:25 p.m.: suspicious persons (Grove Street), threats made; 1:12 p.m.: burglary (Maple Street), lock tampered with; 1:50 p.m.: medical/general (West Main Street); 4:06 p.m.: citizen complaint (Bacon Hill Road), lack of signage; 4:20 p.m.: medical/general (Mechanic Street); 4:30 p.m.: fraud (Paxton Road), spoken to; 4:56 p.m.: medical/overdose (Maple Street); 5:50 p.m.: animal complaint (Main Street), dog tied/bed of pickup; 6:34 p.m.: fraud (Wilson Avenue), report taken; 6:51 p.m.: 911 call (Howe Village), accidental; 7:26 p.m.: fraud (Howe Village), report taken; 7:29 p.m.: multiple LTC issued (West Main Street), assisted; 7:31 p.m.: multiple FID card issued (West Main Street), assisted; 8:01 a.m.: building checked, secure; 9:54 p.m.: officer wanted (Maple Street), unwanted party; 10:15-10:25 p.m.: buildings checked, secure.

MONDAY, AUGUST 12
12:24 a.m.: building checked, secure; 12:25 a.m.: mv stop (Main Street); 12:35-1:01 a.m.: buildings checked, secure; 2:51 a.m.: medical/general (Main Street); 5:23 a.m.: medical/general (Ash Street); 7:23 a.m.: officer wanted (West Main Street), spoken to; 8:30 a.m.: officer wanted (West Main Street), spoken to; 8:35 a.m.: 911 call (West Main Street), open line; 8:56 a.m.: animal complaint (Linden Street), animal bite; 9:02 a.m.: vandalism (Wall Street), property damaged; 9:12 a.m.: animal complaint (North Brookfield Road), loose dog; 9:22 a.m.: medical/general (Grove Street); 9:56 a.m.: officer wanted (Main Street), immediate threat; 10:02 a.m.: 911 call (Ash Street), hang-up X 2; 10:24 a.m.: medical/general (Mechanic Street); 11:17 a.m.: LTC issued (West Main Street), assisted; 11:41 a.m.: 911 call (West Main Street), Harrington CT down; 12:01 p.m.: lost/found (Main Street), paperwork found; 12:49 p.m.: residential alarm (G.H. Wilson Road), services rendered; 1:02 p.m.: officer wanted (Linden Street), non-emergency; 1:58 p.m.: DPW call (Chickering Road), low-hanging wire; 2:55 p.m.: animal complaint (G.H. Wilson Road), missing dog; 3:47 p.m.: property check (Temple Street), no trespassing sign removed; 3:48 p.m.: 209A served (R.

Jones Road); 4:02 p.m.: 209A served (Browning Pond Road); 4:11 p.m.: disturbance (Marble Road), neighbor dispute; 4:14 p.m.: medical/general (Mechanic Street); 4:29 p.m.: medical/general (Linden Street); 7:01 p.m.: mv complaint (Main Street), dog in moving pickup bed; 7:09 p.m.: disturbance (Main Street), fight; 8:27 p.m.: accident (West Main Street), report taken; 9:18 p.m.: disturbance (Main Street), services rendered; 9:21 p.m.: animal complaint (Route 49), raccoon vs mv; 9:56 p.m.: building checked, secure; 10:31 p.m.: officer wanted (Adams Street), welfare check; 11:42 p.m.: medical/general (Lake Street).

TUESDAY, AUGUST 13
12:03-1:42 a.m.: buildings checked, secure; 1:52 a.m.: officer wanted (Maple Street), traffic hazard; 2:20 a.m.: building checked, secure; 7:37 a.m.: medical/general (R. Jones Road); 10:30 a.m.: suspicious mv (Brown Street), spoken to; 10:59 a.m.: 911 call (Bixby Road), accidental; 11:38 a.m.: harassing phone call (Langevin Street), spoken to; 11:53 a.m.: lost/found (Main Street), keys lost; 1:12 p.m.: abandoned 911 call (West Main Street), no contact; 1:19 p.m.: accident (Wm. Casey Road), report taken; 1:36 p.m.: suspicious persons (Rene Drive), altercation; 1:37 p.m.: officer wanted (West Main Street), poss. c/c fraud; 2:15 p.m.: 209A service (West Main Street); 2:50 p.m.: FID card issued (West Main Street), assisted; 2:58 p.m.: disturbance (Maple Street), unwanted party; 4:31 p.m.: abandoned 911 call (West Main Street), no contact; 5:25 p.m.: mv complaint (Main Street), shoulder driving; 5:42 p.m.: animal complaint (Irving Street), mv vs cat; 6:12 p.m.: officer wanted (West Main Street), info given; 7:02 p.m.: mv stop (Meadow Road); 9:06-9:49 p.m.: buildings checked, secure; 10:01 p.m.: parking violation (Mechanic Street), ticket issued; 10:11 p.m.: building checked, secure.

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THURSDAY, AUGUST 8
2:31 a.m.: ambulance (Howard Terrace), transported; 9:10 a.m.: mv stop (River Street), written warning; 9:23 a.m.: mv stop (River Street), written warning; 9:47 a.m.: mv stop (River Street), verbal warning; 9:59 a.m.: mv stop (River Street), written warning; 10:22 a.m.: ambulance (Mayflower Circle), transported; 11:27 a.m.: m stop (McCarthy Avenue), citation issued; 12:13 a.m.: ambulance (Stafford Street), transported; 2:26 p.m.: welfare check (Woodland Road), services rendered; 2:54 p.m.: suspicious person (Whittemore Street), investigated; 4:48 p.m.: welfare check (Auburn Street), investigated; 6:34 p.m.: stolen mv (Burncoat Lane), spoken to; 6:38 p.m.: welfare check (Watch Street), assisted; 6:52 p.m.: shoplifting (Soojians Drive), name and address redacted from police log, shoplifting by asportation, larceny under \$1200 by false pretense, trespassing, name and address redacted from police log, shoplifting by asportation, larceny under \$1200 by false pretense, trespassing, report taken; 8:00 p.m.: assist citizen (Pleasant Street); 10:36 p.m.: disturbance (Main Street), no action required; 10:53 p.m.: assist citizen (Main Street), peace restored; 11:54 p.m.: ambulance (Watch Street), transported.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 9
1:14 a.m.: assist citizen (Main Street); 4:28 a.m.: mv stop (River Street), written warning; 5:07 a.m.: ambulance (Main Street), transported; 10:07 a.m.: mv stop (Stafford Street), written warning; 10:24 a.m.: malicious mischief (Waite Street), report taken; 11:32 a.m.: ambulance (Pine Ridge Drive), transported; 3:53 p.m.: mv stop (Huntoon Memorial Highway), written warning; 4:21 p.m.: mv stop (Main Street), citation issued; 4:21 p.m.: mv stop (Pleasant Street), Curtis A. Groleau, Jr., 28, 82 Access Road, #3, Windsor, MA, failure to appear upon recognizance, arrest; 4:28 p.m.: ambulance (White Birch Street), transported; 10:52 p.m.: transport prisoner (South Main Street).

SATURDAY, AUGUST 10
12:24 a.m.: larceny (McCarthy Avenue), report taken; 1:47 a.m.: mv stop (South Main Street), verbal warning; 1:51 a.m.: ambulance (Huntoon Memorial Highway), transported; 8:36 a.m.: animal complaint (Peter Salem Road), services rendered; 8:43 a.m.: assist citizen (Marshall Street), services rendered; 9:55 a.m.: summons service (Pleasant Street), unable to serve; 10:09 a.m.: summons service (Atwood Road), served; 10:28 a.m.: summons service (Henshaw Street), served; 10:35 a.m.: summons service (Fairview Drive), served; 10:39 a.m.: summons service (Angell Terrace), served; 12:34 p.m.: ambulance (Edward Street), transported; 12:50 p.m.: lock-out (Pleasant Street), assisted; 3:39 p.m.: arrest warrant service (Winslow Avenue), unable to serve; 3:47 p.m.: summons service (Pleasant Street), served; 5:15 p.m.: investigation (Soojians Drive), services rendered; 5:36 p.m.: mv stop (Stafford Street), verbal warning; 5:44 p.m.: mv stop (Stafford Street), verbal warning; 5:53 p.m.: mv stop (Stafford Street), verbal warning; 6:03 p.m.: mv stop (Main Street), verbal warning; 6:10 p.m.: disabled mv (Main Street), services rendered; 7:44 p.m.: mv stop (Main Street), verbal warning; 8:00 p.m.: mv stop (River Street), citation issued; 8:20 p.m.: mv stop (Stafford Street),

verbal warning; 8:23 p.m.: shoplifting (Soojians Drive), name and address redacted from police log, shoplifting by asportation, investigated; 8:31 p.m.: mv stop (Stafford Street), verbal warning; 8:38 p.m.: mv stop (Stafford Street), verbal warning; 8:41 p.m.: assist citizen (Tobin Road); 8:57 p.m.: arrest warrant service (Tobin Road), unable to locate; 9:28 p.m.: mv stop (Main Street), verbal warning; 9:30 p.m.: disturbance (Pleasant Street), investigated; 9:31 p.m.: mv stop (Main Street), citation issued; 10:09 p.m.: disturbance (Town Beach Road), peace restored; 11:14 p.m.: mv stop (Main Street), verbal warning; 11:27 p.m.: m stop (Stafford Street), verbal warning; 11:39 p.m.: suspicious mv (Stafford Street), assisted; 11:53 p.m.: mv stop (Stafford Street), verbal warning; 11:58 p.m.: mv stop (Main Street), verbal warning.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 11
12:45 a.m.: mv stop (Stafford Street), verbal warning; 12:49 a.m.: mv stop (Main Street), name and address redacted from police log, allowing unlicensed operation, mv towed; 12:56 a.m.: suspicious mv (Stafford Street), spoken to; 1:39 a.m.: mv stop (South Main Street), spoken to; 1:42 a.m.: mv stop (Main Street), verbal warning; 1:48 a.m.: mv stop (Huntoon Memorial Highway), verbal warning; 6:16 a.m.: ambulance (Olney Street), transport; 9:08 a.m.: mv stop (Main Street), name and address redacted from police log, op w/suspended license, criminal application issued; 9:46 a.m.: animal complaint (Main Street), services rendered; 12:07 p.m.: assist other PD (Hankey Street), spoken to; 1:59 p.m.: mv stop (Mannville Street), name and address redacted from police log, op w/suspended license, op w/suspended registration, uninsured mv, criminal application issued; 3:32 p.m.: mv stop (Pine Street), name and address redacted from police log, negligent operation, marked lanes violation, criminal application issued; 4:48 p.m.: investigation (Soojians Drive), services rendered; 6:42 p.m.: welfare check (Main Street), services rendered; 8:04 p.m.: arrest warrant service (Stafford Street), Michael W. Moore, 23, 17 Tremont Street, Oxford, charges redacted from police log, arrest; 8:17 p.m.: welfare check (Main Street), transported to hospital; 8:32 p.m.: ambulance (Main Street), transported; 8:43 p.m.: investigation (South Main Street), services rendered.

MONDAY, AUGUST 12
12:03 a.m.: animal complaint (Main Street), no action required; 12:46 a.m.: assist citizen (Main Street); 7:48 a.m.: ambulance (Huntoon Memorial Highway), transported; 9:31 a.m.: mv stop (Main Street), citation issued; 11:31 a.m.: assist citizen (Main Street); 12:25 p.m.: investigation (South Main Street), services rendered; 12:34 p.m.: welfare check (Paxton Street), assisted; 12:54 p.m.: mv stop (Main Street), mv towed; 1:34 p.m.: assist other agency (Henshaw Street), services rendered; 1:52 p.m.: ambulance (Marshall Street), transported; 2:22 p.m.: investigation (Main Street), services rendered; 2:39 p.m.: disturbance (Tobin Road), peace restored; 2:46 p.m.: investigation (Main Street), report taken; 5:04 p.m.: mv stop (Green Street), written warning; 5:23 p.m.: mv stop (Pleasant Street), written warning; 5:40 p.m.: mv stop (Pleasant Street), written warning; 5:52 p.m.: mv stop (Marshall Street), written warning; 6:24 p.m.: mv stop (Main Street), citation issued; 8:59 p.m.: ambulance (King Street Extension), transported.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 13
8:29 a.m.: erratic operation (Soojians Drive), unable to locate; 10:08 p.m.: mv stop (Stafford Street), verbal warning; 10:14 a.m.: mv stop (Old Stafford Turnpike), citation issued; 12:00 p.m.: investigation (Huntoon Memorial Highway), services rendered; 1:33 p.m.: investigation (Marshall Street), services rendered; 1:46 p.m.: investigation (Watson Street), services rendered; 4:15 p.m.: mv stop (Stafford Street), no action required; 5:18 p.m.: mv stop (Main Street), name and address redacted from police log, unregistered mv, unlicensed operation, criminal application issued; 6:34 p.m.: mv stop (McNeil Highway), citation issued; 7:47 p.m.: mv stop (Huntoon Memorial Highway), spoken to.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 14
5:37 a.m.: mv stop (Stafford Street), citation issued; 8:38 a.m.: ambulance (Pleasant Street), transported; 9:22 a.m.: mv stop (Main Street), written warning; 11:16 a.m.: summons service (Main Street), unable to serve; 1:49 p.m.: mv stop (Pleasant Street), mv towed; 2:00 p.m.: ambulance (Huntoon Memorial Highway), transported; 2:25 p.m.: shoplifting (Soojians Drive), name and address redacted from police log, shoplifting by asportation, report taken; 3:26 p.m.: mv stop (Paxton Street), verbal warning; 4:16 p.m.: mv stop (Stafford Street), written warning; 4:26 p.m.: mv stop (Main Street), citation issued; 4:32 p.m.: mv stop (Stafford Street), written warning; 4:58 p.m.: mv stop (Pleasant Street), verbal warning; 5:02 p.m.: investigation (Soojians Drive), spoken to; 5:16 p.m.: investigation (Church Street), spoken to; 5:22 p.m.: mv stop (Main Street), citation issued; 5:26 p.m.: ambulance (Craig Street), transported; 8:55 p.m.: investigation (South Main Street), services rendered; 9:36 p.m.: mv stop (Mannville Street), verbal warning; 10:35 p.m.: welfare check (McCarthy Avenue), investigated.

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5:00pm Demolition Derby (Grandstand)

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Ad Libs by June

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This past Saturday my friend Charlene and I made the rounds. I don't normally speak about things that have passed, but I feel the need show my appreciation for the hard work put into these events. We began at Kostas for an amazing breakfast, and then made our way to the Richard Sugden Library. Here was a talk given by Todd Chvin, a former Spencer native, who has written several books including a book about the ever beloved Philip Delongchamp, co-written by one of Mr. D's students, Carter Bemis, and illustrated by Todd's granddaughter. All of his books are a delight to read and address topics such as bullying, kindness, differences, crime fighting, anxiety, etc. I invite you to check out his website, cvinmediarelations.com. He's certainly making a difference, one book at a time. Thank you for that Todd!

We then made our way to the Spencer Street Party which was an opportunity for the downtown store owners to showcase their businesses. I'm hoping this becomes a yearly event with all the businesses in the area participating with open houses to attract more people to the downtown area.

Our next stop was Powder Mill Park. Here we witnessed the dedication of the newly refurbished Pavilion as a Memorial to Cole Victor, a labor of love by his family and Victor Contracting, with help from JC Kady Builders, Howe Lumber, Brimfield Sign Co., Bercume Equipment, Spencer Parks & Recreation, and the Spencer Exchange Club. (I remember helping to spread pea stone with Lucille Meacham when the park was first established all those years ago!). It was very heartwarming to see the children enjoying the park while their parents enjoyed the music coming from the beautiful pavilion. Let's hope the people of Spencer treat this park with the respect and love that this gem deserves.

We ended the day at the Brookfield Orchards' Let's Get Local event which had a huge crowd on Saturday. Here we enjoyed listening to the live band, browsing through the gift shop and visiting the vendors onsite.

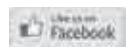
Here are a few Save the Dates for more events coming up in the area:
 September 7 & 8 – Brookfield Orchards Harvest Craft Fair.
 September 21 – Leicester's 20th Anniversary Harvest Fair
 September 22 – Brookfield Garden Club's Propagating Perennials, Brookfield Congregational Church
 October 26 – Halloween Barktacular at Camp Marshall in Spencer

Watch for the ads for these upcoming events in the Spencer New Leader for more details.

If you'd like to advertise your Fall event, please contact me, and I'll be happy to also mention it here!

Have a great week and a Happy & Safe Labor Day Weekend!!!

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OBITUARIES

Charles H. Greenleaf, 91



LEICESTER - Charles H. Greenleaf, 91 of Leicester, died peacefully on August 13th with his family by his side. He is survived by his wife of 71 years Gertrude (Dick), the love of his life. Chuck and Gert met during World War II while he was stationed in England. In addition to his wife, he leaves his two daughters, Carol Fay and her husband Richard of Wardsboro, VT and Linda Granville and her husband Dennis of Rochdale, four grandsons Keith Lainey, Aaron Lainey, Brian Granville and Kevin Granville, and five great grandchildren, Alexandria, Shay, Benjamin, Maura and Lily. Charles was born in Worcester, the son of George and Helena (Francour) Greenleaf, one of ten children and is survived by his siblings, Mary Besha, Millie Soucie

and Larry Greenleaf. Charles was a Naval Veteran of World War II serving in Okinawa. After the war, he worked as a baker with Town Talk and Nissans Bakeries. Charles, lovingly known as "Charles in Charge" enjoyed spending time with his family, especially his grandchildren and great grandchildren, and camping for 19 years in Kennebunk, ME. Charles was an avid reader and volunteered at the Leicester Town Clerk's office and the YWCA of Central MA. He enjoyed an occasional single malt scotch and his nightly desserts. A graveside Service will be held on August 22nd at 11:00 a.m. at Worcester County Memorial Park, Paxton. In Chuck's memory, please perform an act of kindness.



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OBITUARIES

Theresa V. Matasavage, 99



N O R T H
B R O O K F I E L D -
Theresa V.
Matasavage, 99,
passed away peacefully
on Tuesday,
August 20, 2019.

She is predeceased
by her husband
Anthony Matasavage
in 1984; 2 sisters Grace and Antoinette.
She leaves her son Peter Matasavage
& his wife Ruth of North Brookfield;
a brother John Dente of Worcester;
a sister Christine Brunelle & her husband
Paul of Worcester; 2 grandchildren
Jessica Wentworth & Steven
Matasavage; a great granddaughter;
many nieces and nephews.

She was born in Worcester and

has lived over 50 years here in North
Brookfield. Theresa was a longtime
member of St. Josephs Church and sang
in its choir. She enjoyed spending time
and visiting at the North Brookfield
Senior Center and always out and
about in her beige Sierra Oldsmobile
well into her 90's.

The funeral for Theresa was held on
Saturday, August 24, 2019 with a Mass
at 11:00am in St. Josephs Church 296
N. Main St. North Brookfield. A calling
hour was held from 9:30-10:30am
prior to the funeral in Pillsbury
Funeral Home 44 Gilbert St. North
Brookfield. Burial will be in St. Johns
Cemetery in Worcester. Donations
may be made in her name to the North
Brookfield Senior Center 29 Forest St.
N. Brookfield, MA. 01535

Barbara L. Greene, 79



W E S T
B R O O K F I E L D -
Barbara L. (Dupuis)
Greene, 79 of West
Brookfield passed
into the hands of God
on August 19th at
home surrounded by
her loving family.

She was born July
31, 1940 and lived in the South End
neighborhood of Springfield. Barbara
attended Cathedral High School
and graduated in 1959. She was the
daughter of the late Olympe and Dora
(Landry) Dupuis.

Barbara is survived by her husband
Richard R. Greene of 58 years and her
three children, Richard Jr. and Michael
Scott Greene of West Brookfield and
her very loving daughter Kelly Potter
and her husband Thomas of Warren.

She leaves four grandchildren,
Kaila (Potter) Kelly and her husband
Michael Kelly of Moody Air Force
Base in Valdosta, Georgia along with
her adored great-grandson of 5 years,
Easton Kelly. Tylor Potter and Nathan
Potter of Warren, Nicole Greene and
her fiancé Bryan D'Angelo of East
Longmeadow. Along with her beloved
dog Mocha.

She is also survived by her sister,
Jacqueline Couture and her husband
Donald of East Windsor, CT. She is
predeceased by her sister Jeannine
LaBossiere of West Brookfield and
brothers Ronald Dupuis and Gerald
Dupuis of Springfield.

She enjoyed the life and times of her
many nieces and nephews as the grew
through the chain of life.

In her early years, she was employed

by the New England Telephone
Company. While living in West
Brookfield, she was a Supervisor at the
Harris Pine Mills and worked at the
West Brookfield Elementary School.

Barbara loved watching her flowers
grow, traveling with her soul mate in
their motor home and spending the
winters at The Villages of Lady Lake,
Florida. The frosting on her "cupcake"
were her trips to Foxwoods with her
dear friend, Chris Long.

Her life was filled with wonderful
memories. She cherished her children
and grand-children and gave them
nothing but unconditional love. She
was the perfect "memiere."

The family would like to extend a
very special thank you to the girls who
cared for Barbara like she was their
own mom, "Charlie's Angels."

A Funeral Mass for Barbara will
be held on Saturday, August 31, 2019
at 11:00AM in Sacred Heart Church
in West Brookfield followed by a
"Celebration of Life" at the Salem Cross
Inn in West Brookfield. In lieu of flowers,
memorial donations may be made to
the West Brookfield Rescue Squad,
Inc. P.O. Box 540, West Brookfield, MA
01585, St. Jude Children's Research
Hospital, New England Office, 313
Washington Street, Suite 310, Newton,
MA 02458 or Wounded Warriors
Project, 7020 A.C. Skinner Parkway,
Suite 100, Jacksonville, FL 32256.
<http://woundedwarriorsproject.org>

Varnum Funeral Home, Inc., 43 East
Main St., in West Brookfield is assisting
her family with arrangements.

An online guest book is available at
varnumfuneralhome.com.

Diane D. Collette, 58



B R O O K F I E L D -
Diane D. Collette,
58, died suddenly on
August 22, 2019.

She leaves 2 sisters
Debrah Abbott
her fiancé Anthony
Lomonaco and
Dorinda Zalauskas
and her husband
Matthew; a brother Darren Collette;
nephew's Derrick Lyons and Aaron
Abbott; niece's, Ariel Lyons, Morgan
Fernandes, Ashley Decell; great
niece's, Makayla, Maisy, McKenzie;
great nephews Sawyer and Jordan.

Diane was born in Virginia the
daughter of the late Barbara (Hope)

and Donald Collette. She grew up in
Brookfield and attended Tantasqua
High School. Diane worked at FLEXcon
in Spencer for many years.

Diane enjoyed helping others and
spending time with her cat Oreo.

Funeral services will be private
for the family. Please omit flowers.
Donations may be made to the
American Diabetes Assoc. 260
Cochituate Rd #200, Framingham,
MA 01701 or the American Cancer
Society 3 Speen St, Framingham, MA
01701. Pillsbury Funeral Home 3 West
Brookfield Rd. Brookfield is directing
arrangements.

Raymond G. Williams Jr., 78



B R O O K F I E L D -
Raymond G.
Williams, Jr., 78,
passed away on
August 10, 2019 surrounded by his
loving family following
a long illness.

Raymond was
born in Ware, a son
of the late Raymond G. Williams, Sr.,
and Frances (Robidoux) Williams -
Patterson. He lived in Vermont
for many years moved to Webster
then made his home in Brookfield
where he grew up. Raymond retired
from Jeffco, in Webster. He enjoyed
music, collecting antiques, hot rods,
hot rod shows, going to Mohegan
Sun, a good buffet the beauty of
living in the country, the love of

animals and spending time with his
family. In addition to his parents,
Raymond was predeceased by a brother
Teddy Williams. He leaves his
wife of 22 years, Carol (Brousseau)
Williams of Webster; a son, Troy
Williams of Vermont; a daughter
Lisa Williams of North Carolina;
stepdaughter Roxanne Kiely and
husband Daniel, of Southbridge; a
sister, Bonnie Olson and her husband
David Olson of Brookfield; two
brothers, James Patterson and his
wife Jenny Patterson of Brookfield;
Donald Patterson his wife Martha
Patterson of San Antonio, Texas;
two grandchildren; many nieces and
nephews. By Ray's request there
will be no funeral or calling hours.
Pillsbury Funeral Home, Brookfield.
www.pillsburyfuneralhome.com

Maurice J. Slaney, Jr., 81



S P E N C E R -
Maurice J. Slaney,
Jr., 81, of Ash Street
died Monday, August
19 in his home after
an illness.

He was predeceased
by his wife Hazel "Terry" L.
(Reeks) Slaney. He
worked many years as a custodian for

the Worcester School Department. He
was born in Worcester, son of Maurice
J. and Thelma (Caswell) Slaney.

At the request of the family, a private
memorial service will be held at a
later date. J. HENRI MORIN & SON
FUNERAL HOME, 23 Maple Terr.,
Spencer is directing funeral arrangements.

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Florence E. Yaskoski, 104



Florence E. (Rich)
Yaskoski, 104 passed
away August 17, 2019
at The Meadows in
Leicester, MA

She was born
on May 4, 1915 in
Plaistow, NH. The
daughter of the late
Robert and Alice
Rich, she spent her entire life in
Spencer and worked as a shoe stitcher
for many years. Florence's husband,
Edward Yaskoski, predeceased her in 1972.

After Florence's retirement, she
enjoyed reading and knitting and
was always looking for a card partner.
She loved animals and had many
furry companions during her lifetime
including her last "friend,"

Shadow. Florence leaves a loving
family including her son, Lawrence
Little and his wife Sylvia of Spencer,
a Granddaughter, Deborah Sweeney
and her husband Kevin, a Great
Granddaughter, Ceara Sweeney and
a Great Grandson, Airman First
Class Kevin T. Sweeney and his wife
Casey. She also leaves many other
caring nieces and nephews, and had
an especially close bond with Debra
Faugno-Cormier and Judy Faugno.

We wish to extend our many
thanks to the wonderful staff at The
Meadows for their excellent care.
Funeral Services will be private.
Anyone wishing to honor her memory
may do so with a contribution to
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Young Road, Brookfield, MA 01515

Alice H. Hunt



HOLLAND, MA -
Alice H. (Hoy) Hunt,
born July 29, 1933,
passed away August
22, 2019 and lived in
Holland, Ma since
1955. Survived by her
children Susan E.
Keough and Robert T.
Hunt of Holland and

Betty-jean Hunt of Winchester NH,
8 grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren.
Surviving siblings: Alpheus
Hoy Jr, John Hoy, Jane Couch, Bertha
Pysher, Trudy Ready and Betsy Palmer
and predeceased by brother Thomas
Hoy and parents Alpheus and Mary
Hoy.

Alice taught in MA. at St. Anne's
School/Three Rivers, Warren
Elementary School and Holland
Elementary School. Also worked
for Mass. Turnpike, Old Sturbridge
Village, South Central Directors
Elderbus, and Town of Holland as
Assessors Clerk, Town Clerk, Police
Officer and Selectmen. Alice advo-

cated for the elderly at Tri Valley
Elder Services, Brimfield Ambulance
Services and as Ombudsman and
Board Member for Greater Springfield
Senior Services. Awarded Holland's
Outstanding Citizen of the Year in 2016
and received Citation from Mass State
Senate for "Extraordinary Dedication
and Commitment to Improving the
Lives of Others." A world traveler
who enjoyed dousing, quilting and
painting. No services. A "Celebration
of Life" luncheon August 31st at Old
Sturbridge Village, Sturbridge, Ma
11:30am-3:30pm. All are welcome to
attend.

In lieu of flowers, donations to the
Springfield Shriners Hospital for
Children, 516 Carew St. Springfield,
Ma. 01104 appreciated. The Shaw-
Majercik Funeral Home, 48 School St.,
Webster, MA has been entrusted with
her arrangements. A guest book is
available at www.shaw-majercik.com
where you may post a condolence or
light a candle

Donald J. "Donnie" Beichner, 57

WEST BROOKFIELD- Donald J.
"Donnie" Beichner, 57, left this world
the way he would have wished in the
arms of his beloved wife at home.

He leaves his wife of 29 years Corrine
(Pomeroy) Beichner; a son Donald
"DJ" Beichner, Jr.; a daughter Wendy
& her husband Chris Singletary; a sister
Wendi McHenry; a brother Chris
Beichner; 5 grandchildren and many
dear friends.

Donnie enjoyed hunting at the camp

Dolly Sisco



N O R T H
B R O O K F I E L D -
Maryalice
(Northerner) "Dolly"
Sisco, a resident of
Quaboag Skilled
Care Facility, passed
away peacefully on
Thursday, August 22,
2019. She was a loving

mother, grandmother, and friend.
In addition to loving her family very
much, Dolly loved animals, especially
dogs, collecting clowns, all things jungle
and anything red!

She was born in Elizabeth, NJ, daughter
of the late William Northerner and
Alice (Bradford) Leonard, and lived
the majority of her senior years in
Brewster, MA. She loved spending
time on the beach in Florida and Cape
Cod. She had many jobs throughout
her life, but talked mostly about her
time spent as an operating room technician
and bank manager.

Dolly is survived by her children
Rafe Torres and his wife Kim of North
Brookfield, and Raul Torres and his
wife Diane of Arroyo Grande, CA; two
brothers, William Northerner of Brick,
NJ, and Robert and Carol Northerner
of Mehoopany, PA; thirteen grandchildren
and many great-grandchildren.
She was predeceased by her husband,
Nick Sisco; and step-sons Steven Sisco
of Crestview, FL, and Nick Sisco Jr. of
Clinton, IL.

She brought a lot of joy and fun to
the people who knew her. She will be
greatly missed. Please drink a glass of
wine in her honor.

A private burial service will be held
in Brewster. There are no calling
hours. In lieu of flowers, memorial
contributions may be made to a local
animal shelter of your choice. Paradis-
Givner Funeral Home in Oxford is
directing the arrangements.

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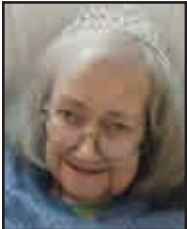


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OBITUARIES

Patricia A. (Sinclair) Benoit, 85



SPENCER- Patricia A. (Sinclair) Benoit, 85, of Sherman Grove died peacefully Tuesday, August 20 in St. Vincent Hospital . Her husband Richard A. Benoit, Sr. died in 1999. She leaves a son Richard A. Benoit, Jr. of Spencer, a daughter Theresa M. Cote and her husband David of Princeton, three grandchildren; Theresa- Mary Cote of Dedham, David A. Cote and his wife Elizabeth of Waterville, VT and Maribeth Staruk and her husband William of Somerville, 5 great grandchildren, a sister Lois McGee of Lancaster, NH, several nieces and nephews.

Mrs. Benoit was born in Somerville, daughter of Earl T. and Mary Alice (Guilderson) Sinclair. She graduated from Barre High School. She was a Daycare Teacher at Becker Junior College in Worcester and previously worked in the Art Department at Anna

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Maria College. She was a member of Mary, Queen of the Rosary Parish where she was a longtime choir member and CCD teacher. She was a committee member and former Den Mother for Boy Scout Troop 116. She enjoyed playing cards, bingo, bowling and reading on the beach in Onset.

The funeral was held Saturday, August 24 from J. HENRI MORIN & SON FUNERAL HOME, 23 Maple Terr., Spencer with a Mass at 11:00 AM in Our Lady of the Rosary Church, 7 Church Street, Spencer. Burial in Worcester County Memorial Park, Paxton will be private at a later date. A calling hour preceded the funeral from 9:30-10:30 AM in the funeral home on Saturday. In lieu of flowers memorial donations may be made to Oakdale Rehab. & Skilled Nursing Center Patient Activity Fund, 76 North Main Street, West Boylston, MA 01583. www.morinfuneralhomes.com

Robert P. “Bobby” Daniels III, 30



SPENCER ; Robert P. “Bobby” Daniels III, 30, of 41 Borkum Rd., died Thursday, August 22 at UMass Lake Ave. in Worcester after a long-time battle with addiction.

He leaves his parents Robert P. & Leslie J. (Mills) Daniels, Jr., a sister, Marissa H. Daniels of Pawtucket, RI, his paternal grandparents, Robert P. & Alice C. Daniels, Sr. of Spencer, his maternal grandmother, Florence Joan Mills of Spencer, two uncles, Michael Daniels and his wife Carolyn of Charlton, David F. Mills, Jr. of Jefferson, an aunt, Sandra Gonet and her companion Bob Wilbur of Leicester, several cousins and many friends including longtime friend and partner, Jenna Kasputis of Worcester.

He was predeceased by an aunt, Pamela Wood.

Bobby was born in Worcester and graduated from David Prouty High School in Spencer.

He was a field operator for All County Paving in Del Ray Beach, FL. Bobby enjoyed fishing and loved watching and supporting our New England sports teams.

Bobby struggled for the last 10 years of his life with addiction and served as a power of example to others during his recovery. He fought it to the end and in doing so he met many people during recovery who continued to support him in his life throughout Massachusetts and Florida.

The Funeral was be held Tuesday, August 27 from the J. HENRI MORIN & SON FUNERAL, 23 Maple Terr., Spencer, with a Mass at 11 A.M. in Our Lady of the Rosary Church, 7 Church St., Spencer. Calling hours were Monday from 4-7 P.M. in the funeral home. Burial will take place at a later date and at the convenience of the family.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Second Chance Animal Services, P.O. Box 136, East Brookfield, MA, 01515. www.morinfuneralhomes.com

CALENDAR

Thursday, September 12

LEICESTER KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FAMILY DINNER: 6 p.m., 91 Mannville St. Menu is a choice of steak tips or baked fish, catered by Ellers. Cost is \$12, and includes salad, rolls, entrée and dessert. Call (508) 892-4528 by Wednesday, Sept. 11 for reservations.

Wednesday, September 18

LEICESTER WOMEN’S CLUB: 6 p.m., Leicester Country Club. This evening’s program is Joseph Majin, performing “Magic with Cards.” Cost for dinner is \$18. Caul Maureen Whitney at (508) 864-6871 by Friday, Sept. 13 for reservations. New members always welcome.

Saturday, September 21

SEVENTH ANNUAL CRUISE FOR CRITTERS CAR SHOW: The 7th Annual Cruise for Critters Car Show is an event to benefit animals in need at Second Chance Animal Services hosted by Al Widlan’s Service Connection. It will take place on Saturday, September 21, 2019, at Westview Farms Creamery. There will be plenty of food and several fun activities for families to enjoy, including raffles, a corn maze, pumpkin picking, and a vendor fair. Entering a car into the show costs \$20, and all spectators can enter for free. Bring the pups! All dogs must be leashed.

Saturday, October 26

SECOND CHANCE ANIMAL

SERVICES HALLOWEEN BARKTACULAR: Halloween event bringing families and pets together to benefit Second Chance. Indoor and outdoor event activities including trick-or-treating for kids and pets, haunted hayrides, pony rides, indoor Kid Zone with carnival games, bouncy castle by Central MA Jump, dog massages and agility ‘Try Its,’ music, food & craft vendors and other Halloween fun for families and pets. Special featured events include a Costume Contest judged by the Barktacular King & Queen, Your Dog Can Paint with CC Lowell and an indoor RC racetrack sponsored by Turn4 HobbyTown. Free admission! Families and pets are welcome!

ONGOING EVENTS

ECONOMY SHOP: The Economy Shop at the First Congregational Church of Spencer is open again as of Aug. 21. New regular hours are Wednesday 8 a.m.-noon, Thursday 8 a.m.-2 p.m., and Friday 8 a.m.-noon.

DEJA NEW: Art, Antiques & Collectibles Marketplace which is open in the St. Joseph’s Rectory building at 759 Main Street Leicester. Hours are Tuesday 5-7 p.m., Wednesday 9 a.m.-noon, Thursday 3-6 p.m. and Saturday 9 a.m.-noon, all proceeds going back into the town’s Food Pantries, Hearts for Heat and programs for the needy. We are non-profit and run on volunteers. We are open May into December.

EAST BROOKFIELD LIBRARY PROGRAMS: The East Brookfield Public Library is currently conducting their fall registration for children’s programming. Rhythm and Rhyme is for toddlers aged 18 mos. to 3 years. This program runs from 9:45 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. and includes lots of music, finger plays, physical activities and a story with a related craft.

Preschool story time is geared for children aged 3 to 5 years old. It runs from 10:30 a.m. to 11:30a.m. Seasonal songs, poems, and gross motor activ-

ities are part of this program, as well as a story and craft that encourages fine motor skills. Both programs are held on Thursday mornings. Parents and caretakers are asked to remain with their children. For more information or to register by phone call (508) 867-7928. You can also like us on Facebook and visit our website @ www.eastbrookfieldLibrary.com. We look forward to seeing you!

VFW MEETING: The Rochdale VFW Post 7556 will hold their monthly business meeting at 7:00 p.m. at the post at 713 Pleasant Street, Rochdale on the 2nd Wednesday of each month.

ALZHEIMER’S SUPPORT GROUP: On the third Wednesday of each month, 6-7 p.m. at the Overlook Independent Living Building, fourth floor Solarium, 88 Masonic Home Road, Charlton. The intent is to build a support system, exchange practical information, talk through issues and ways of coping, share feelings, needs and concerns and to learn about community resources. Contact Kathy Walker at (508) 434-2551 or kawalker@overlook-mass.org for more information. Presented by Alzheimer’s Association MA/NH Chapter, visit (800) 272-3900 or alz.org.

THRIFTY: St. Joseph-St. Pius X Parish, 759 Main St., Leicester, 508-859-8083.New 2 You Thrift Shop. Hours: Tuesday 5 to 7 p.m., Wednesday 9 a.m. to noon., Thursday 3 to 6 p.m., Saturday 9 a.m. to noon. We have added Thursday hours.

FREE FOR MOM & KIDS: There will be free weekly parent/child programs from 9 to 11 a.m. Fridays and Wednesdays at the North Brookfield Elementary School, New School Road, North. The program runs on school calendar and closes for vacation and inclement weather according to North Brookfield School calendar. This free program is sponsored by the Spencer, Wachusett, North and East Brookfield Coordinated Family Grant in part-

nership with the North Brookfield Elementary School. Funded by the Massachusetts Department of Early Education and Care. For more information, please call CFCE at (508) 885-2934 or e-mail Wachusettcpc@hotmail.com.

SUPPER TIME: A free, community meal is held on the first Tuesday of the month at The Cross Roads Café Coffeehouse, from 4:30-6:30 p.m., at the Emmanuel Church, 25 Winthrop Terrace, Warren. All ages are welcome. There is no cover charge; however, a love offering is accepted as a gift to the band or musician as thanks to God for their sharing of their talent and gift for the glory of God (www.emmanuelorthodox.org).

STRE-E-E-TCH: Senior Exercises Classes are held every Wednesday from 10 to 11 a.m. at the Rutland Community Center, Glenwood Road. Enjoy an hour of fun and exercise to music to help stay strong, fit, healthy and independent. Classes are co-ed and all are welcome. The fee is \$4 per class. For more information, call Joyce Gamache at (508) 754-2821.

SIT AND KNIT: knitting group every Wednesday at 10 a.m. at the Merriam Gilbert Library, West Brookfield. Bring your sewing, embroidery, knitting or crochet and enjoy some socializing while you work on your project.

STAY HEALTHY: The VNA Care Network and Hospice is holding a free Keep Well Clinic to residents 60 and older from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., at the Spencer Fish and Game Club on Mechanic Street. Local residents may have their blood pressure checked and learn about health concerns. Blood sugar, weight monitoring and other health assessments may also be available. VNA Care Network and Hospice clinics are funded in part by the United Way, local boards of health, private foundations. For up-to-date clinic information visit www.vnacarenetwork.org or call (888) 663-3688 x 5603.

IT’S A LUNCH DATE: The East Brookfield Baptist Church invites all senior citizens to a Community Lunch at 11:30 a.m. every second Thursday of the month in Fellowship Hall. A delicious lunch and great desserts will be served. Followed by a time of fellowship and games concluding with a devotional just before 2 p.m. Reservations are encouraged. Call (508) 867-7725.

SHARING CUPBOARD: The First Congregational Church of W. Brookfield Sharing Cupboard - serving West Brookfield, Warren and West Warren. Located at 36 N. Main St., West Brookfield, is open Wednesdays 10-11:30 a.m. and Thursdays 7-8 pm. Call the church for more information (508) 867-7078.

BINGO at the Knights of Columbus is now at the Spencer Senior Center, 68 Maple St. in Spencer, every Thursday. Doors open at 4:30 p.m. The first game starts at 6:30 p.m. We have 20 regular games; two winners take all games, two 50/50 games and two progressive jackpot games with payouts of \$600 and \$500 respectively. Good food and soft beverages are available. Come and enjoy some good food, good people and hopefully win a little.

PITCH at the Spencer Senior Center will begin on Sept. 18 at 6 p.m. Cost \$5.

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ON DEPOSIT

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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**



SOLD

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**






SOLD

DUDLEY – 24 Hickory Dr! 8 Rm 50' Split on Dble Corner Lot! Fully Applianced SS Kitchen w/Tile Flr, Cherry Cabinets, Corian Counters & Island! Din Rm w/Slider to Deck! Liv Rm w/Cherry Cabinetry, Recessed Lights & Picture Window! Slate Entry w/Coat Closet! Full Bath w/Tile Flr! Master w/Wall to Wall, Triple Closet & Recent Refreshed Master Bath! 2nd & 3rd Bdrms w/Wall to Wall & Dble Closets! Lower Level Fam Rm w/Stone Fireplace w/Pellet Insert! Office/Play Rm w/Wall to Wall! Half Bath w/Recent Vanity! C/Air! Oil Heat! 2 Car Garage! Generator! Replacement Windows! Flexible Floor Plan! **\$299,900.00**



SOLD

DUDLEY – 94 Tracy Road! 7 Rm 4 Bdrm Colonial On 1.24 Acres! Privacy! Many Upgrades! Hrdwds Throughout! Frp'dc 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 Frp'dc! 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/Frp'dc & 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**






SOLD

WEBSTER – 26 Spring St! 5 Rm Ranch on Quiet Side Street! Walk into the 3 Seasons Rm w/Tile Flr, Ceiling Fan & Slider to Deck! Cabinet Packed Eat-In Kit! Spacious Liv Rm w/Hrdwds! 3 Bdrms! Finished Lower Level w/Tile Flr, 10' Bar w/Drop Lights! Vinyl Siding! Replacement Windows! **\$239,900.00**



SOLD

WEBSTER – 12 West Ave! 1,680' Townhouse! 7 Rooms! 3 Bedrooms! 3 Baths! Applianced Island Kit w/Tile Flr! Din Rm & 13x24 Liv Rm w/Wood Laminate Floors! Master Bath & Walk-in Closet! 11X19 Family Rm! Recently Painted Throughout! Central Air! Garage! **\$164,900.00**



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NEW PRICE

WEBSTER LAKE – Steps Away From! 110 S. Shore Rd! Killdeer Island! Access to Swimming & Boating w/Killdeer Island Club Assoc Memberships! Perfect 1st Home or Edge! Grndl Access to the Water! Summer Retreat! 7 Rms! 2 Bdrms! Well Maintained! Kit, Formal Din Rm! Full Bath! 12x25' Deck w/Water Views! Garage! Don't Delay! **\$275,000.00**



NEW PRICE

SUTTON – LAKE SINGLETARY WATERFRONT! 5 W. Sutton Rd! 8 Rm Cape! 3 Bdrms! Screen House at Waters Edge! Grndl Access to the Water! Fireplace Liv Rm! Den! Sun Rm! Updated Windows! New Furnace & Septic to be Installed by Seller! **\$499,900.00**



NEW PRICE

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 Frp'dc Fam Rm w/Wet Bar & Convenient Half Bath! Nicely Landscaped Front & Back! Lake Level Deck, Dock & Rear Shed! Benefitted by Town Sewer! Start Packing! **\$509,900.00**



ON DEPOSIT

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 Frp'dc, 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 Level w/2 Bdrms, 1 Lake Facing! Liv Area w/Wet Bar & Frig! Full Bath! Laundry Rm! Work Shop & Storage! 26X32 Detached Garage w/2 Stalls & 2nd Flr Storage! Start Packing! **\$749,900.00**




SOLD

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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SOLD

WEBSTER LAKE – 17 Wakefield Ave! South Pond! Western Exposure! Protected from the Storms – Quiet Cove! 24 Acre Lot! 104' Waterfront! Water Viewed! 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**



SOLD

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! 2 Bdrms! Master Bath & Walk-in Closet! 2 Fireplaces! C/Air! Garage! **\$249,900.00**



ON DEPOSIT

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 Frp'dc 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! Hall 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**








SOLD

WEBSTER LAKE – 603 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/SS Sliders to Deck! Frp'dc Fam Rm! Patio! Newer C/Air, Heat & Hot Water! Garage! 2 Sips! Pool! Beach! Listed by Another – "SOLD" by C21 Lake Realty! **\$355,000.00**



SOLD

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/SS Sliders to Deck! Frp'dc Fam Rm! Patio! Newer C/Air, Heat & Hot Water! Garage! 2 Sips! Pool! Beach! Listed by Another – "SOLD" by C21 Lake Realty! **\$345,000.00**



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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.**


DUDLEY - 188 WEST MAIN ST



ON DEPOSIT

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WEBSTER - 16 WEST AVE

Spacious ranch 3-4 bedrooms. 1-1/2 baths, 1 car attached garage. Newly remodeled kitchen. Partially finished basement just waiting for carpet or laminate flooring. Hardwood & Tile throughout 1st floor. Flat level lot. Town water & sewer. Potential to finish a studio above garage **\$267,000.**

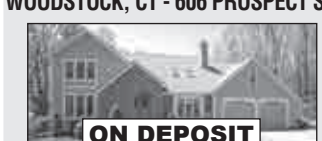
THOMPSON, CT - 8 LILLIAN AVE, LOT #2



ON DEPOSIT

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/extro 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



ON DEPOSIT

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/DOUGLAS/ LAND!

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**

Killingly - 37 Katherine Ave River Frontage 2/3rds acre. Town Water & Sewer **\$55,000**

Featured New Listing!



OXFORD - 66 CHARLTON ST


VERY UNIQUE PROPERTY! ADORABLE 4BEDROOM 1.5 BATH CAPE! VERY PRIVATE LOT w/CARRIAGE HOUSE/CABANA/ WORK AREA/ EXPANSIVE GARAGE! STREET ACCESS FROM ALL THREE SIDES WITH LONG EXTENDED DRIVEWAY. STAINLESS STEEL APPLIANCED KITCHEN , UPDATED BATHROOM w/JACUZZI TUB AND SHOWER! BRAND NEW FORCED HOT AIR HEATING SYSTEM & HOT WATER TANK! RECENT 200 AMP CIRCUIT BREAKERS ONE YEAR OLD WOOD STOVE! ENCLOSED SIDE PORCH. HEATED FOR FALL AND WINTER ENJOYMENT!! TWO STORY GARAGE, ATTACHED CABANA FAMILY & WORK ROOMS, NEW 4BEDRM SEPTIC SYSTEM, COMPLETED PRIOR TO CLOSING. THIS ONE NEEDS TO BE SEEN!! **MOTIVATED SELLER \$349,900**

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 (95!) There's a lot to love about Webster! Unit 34 A is an 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

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ON DEPOSIT

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 full front deck! Spectacular Westerly views across Middle Pond! Additional land & shore frontage available. **NEW PRICE \$299,900**



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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/stunning 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**



ON DEPOSIT

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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KILLINGLY-With approximately 50 feet of frontage on beautiful Alexander's Lake, this year-round home boasts of a spacious glass-lined open living, dining, kitchen area overlooking gorgeous views. There are 3 generous sized bedrooms along with one and one half modern bathrooms. The washer and dryer are privately tucked into a back hallway. This home underwent extensive renovations to include a fully appointed kitchen with granite countertops and center island, new walls and flooring, updated bathrooms, windows, insulation, new drilled well and a Buder's boiler. Just an hour from Hartford, Boston or Providence, Alexander's Lake has been recognized as one of the cleanest lakes in the state. **\$389,000**



EASTFORD-Immaculately kept 3 bedroom, 1 and 1/2 bath cape home with an open floor plan, first floor laundry, a gorgeous fieldstone fireplaced living room, and a mudroom! Surrounded by stone walls, this privately tucked home offers something for everyone. A 3 bay oversized heated garage with a full walk up loft for additional storage; basement workbenches; a screened in gazebo attached to a fully glassed 3 season porch overlooking fields and pastures; a yard full of stunning perennials, and for warm weather fun - an above ground pool. This is the place you will want to call "home". **\$324,900**



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/boys/yard tools/shop and much more along with a full loft. Home has a great yard with mature landscaping along with 2 great porches. **\$234,900**



THOMPSON-Well established neighborhood setting...this 1936 vintage Cape offers 4 bedrooms, combination living room/dining room, remodeled kitchen with large breakfast bar, den with sliders leading to the spacious deck with awning for great summer entertaining. Sun porch, mudroom and remodeled bathroom! Manageable yard with storage shed. Minutes from MA and conveniently located to schools and library. Lots of potential...a must see. **\$169,900**



KILLINGLY-This great condo is ready for new owners. This home has been well maintained along with updates cosmetically & mechanically. The kitchen is open to the living room with real hardwood floors. There is a 1/2 bathroom on the first floor just off the living room. There is a large & semi-private back deck with fencing & garden boxes. There is great space for the dogs to run as this condo allows dogs & cats (3)! Upstairs, 2 bedrooms with hardwood floors and are good sized and in similar condition. The full bathroom has been renovated & is 3 pieces with a tub/shower & wood floors. In the basement, a nice finished basement living room for extra space. **\$119,900**

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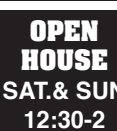
PRICE REDUCED
Webster, MA - \$327,900
80 Sutton Road
3 Bdrm, Hardwood Floors
Throughout, Not a Drive By!

FEATURE PROPERTIES



PRICE REDUCED!

THOMPSON, CT - \$255,000
223 Stawicki Road
3 Bedroom, Split, Full Inlaw
COMPLETELY REMODELED



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



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Open House Directory

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ADDRESS	STYLE	TIME	PRICE	REALTOR/SELLER/PHONE
SATURDAY, AUGUST 31				

SPENCER
24 Bay Path Rd S 12:30 -2pm \$269,900 Re/Max professional Associates/ Patrick Sweeney 774-452-3578

THOMPSON, CT
223 Stawicki Rd S 12:30-2pm \$255,000 Re/Max professional Associates/ Patrick Sweeney 774-452-3578

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

SPENCER
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THOMPSON, CT
223 Stawicki Rd S 12:30-2pm \$255,000 Re/Max professional Associates/ Patrick Sweeney 774-452-3578

To have your open house listed in this directory.
Please contact Patricia Owens 508-909-4135



PUT YOUR TRUST IN US TEAMWORK AND EXPERIENCE

Jo-Ann Szymczak 774-230-5044
Diane Luong 774-239-2937
Maria Reed 508-873-9254
Maureen O'Connor 508-981-4902

ReMax Advantage 1

179 Shrewsbury St., Worcester MA 01604



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DUDLEY: Need to combine households? Opportunity to subdivide a lot & build a new home. One level living home available with updated windows, electric, exterior recently painted, roof.

71 Mason Road ~ \$359,900



Woodstock CT: 21 Acres. Enjoy Muddy Brook which runs through the property. Sightings of deer, wild turkey, American Eagle, and ducks. 2600 sq. ft. log home. 2.5 baths, 2 fireplace, 4 bedroom.

480 Route 197 ~ \$600's



DUDLEY: 6.7 Acres. 3 story barn, cherry cabinet kitchen w/quartz counters, 3.5 acres, 4 BR, Fireplace

7 Dudley Oxford Rd ~ \$425,000



DUDLEY: Central location. Low maintenance lot, fireplace, 3 bedroom, town service, 20'x20' family room.

293 Thompson Rd~ \$244,900



DUDLEY: New Construction. Cathedral ceiling FR, gas heat, central air, HW floors, Foraml DR, LR, 2-C-G

16 Francis Dr ~ \$419,900



East Brookfield: Waterfront. 136' on Lake Lashaway. Seller motivated! 1800 sq. house, garage.

142 Gleason Ave ~ \$310,000



Templeton: 60 Acre Ranch. 4 BR, 2.5 Baths, 2400 sq. ft., traus, fruit trees, timer... Cathedral ceiling living room. 2 fireplaces

200 Shady Lane ~ \$489,900



West Boylston: Great location, 1+ acre lot, 3 bedrooms, hardwood floors, easy highway access.

44 Central St ~ \$334,900



Dudley: 18 lot approved subdivision - water & sewer available \$575,000

Dudley: 1 house lot \$75,000

Leicester: 1/2 acre lot \$20,000

BUYER ASSISTED SALE MAUREEN MADE IT HAPPEN SZYMCZAK SELLS! BUYER ASSISTED SALE



Southbridge
Maureen
Made it Happen!
Lot 3 Pleasant Hill Estates
\$239,900



Oxford
Maureen
Made it Happen!
112 Main St
\$223,500



Dudley
11 Green St
\$189,900



Dudley
Diane and Jo-Ann a
committed team effort
11 Eric Way
\$354,900

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Office Leader



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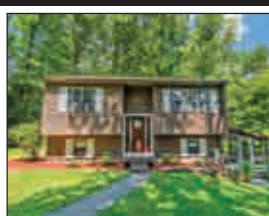


Maryann
Miller



Charlie
Tracy

OPEN HOUSE SAT 8/31 10:00-12:00



811 Brickyard Rd, Woodstock
\$249,900
3 BR, 1.5 BA, 1.3 acres, gorgeous barn,
screened in porch, quiet, near Mass border.
Lauren Heidelberg 860-933-0735

OPEN HOUSE SAT 8/31 12:00-2:00



67 E. Quasset Rd. Woodstock \$549,900
Stunning, custom built Colonial
reproduction home in Woodstock,
CT complete with separate in-law home!
Private 3.2 acres.
John Downs 860-377-0754

Woodstock \$279,000 NEW LISTING



Immaculate 3 BR, 2 BA Cape. 1st Floor
bedroom and full bath. New hardwoods!
2 car garage. Beautiful lot.
John Downs 860-377-0754

Woodstock \$435,000 NEW PRICE



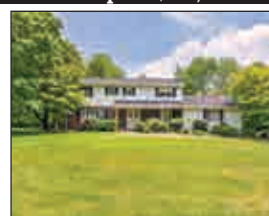
Elegant home w/2 master BR suites! 1st
floor in-law possibilities! At the end of a
premier cul-de-sac. Convenient.
John Downs 860-377-0754

Woodstock \$230,000



Lovely Cape home in Woodstock. 2 stall
detached garage, w/3-4 BR & 2 full BA!
Perfect fit for a growing family!
Kiona Carpenter 860-933-3305

Thompson \$329,900



Stone walls line the entrance,
leading to a spacious 3576 SF Colonial.
Beautiful grounds w/a pond & a lg yard
perfect for entertaining.
Tanya McDermott 860-933-0996

Brooklyn, \$368,000



Picture perfect 3 BR home in a
beautifully landscaped private
setting! Large family room addition
& finished lower level!
Brooke Gelhaus 860-336-9408

Pomfret \$314,995



Beautiful 3 BR, 2 BA home w/ a 2 car
garage in desirable Pomfret location on
8.5 acres.
Mary Collins 860-336-6677

Woodstock \$259,900



Charming updated historical home
seasoned w/love & care. In-law w/sep.
entrance. Level backyard, sunroom,
lg deck, & brook.
Rachel Sposato 860-234-1343

Pomfret \$524,900



Pomfret Hill c.1882 4,900 SF. Spacious
and grand. Fully renovated 6 bed,
3.5 bath home on 2.3 acres
w/barn & garage.
Robert Viani 860-264-5921

Killingly \$699,000



Breathtaking long views! Spectacular
horse property in NECT w/indoor riding
arena (2013), open pastures & 8 horse
stalls w/run-outs.
John Downs 860-377-0754

Canterbury, \$365,000



Lovingly renovated home! Modern
upgrades include new batho, updated
kitchen, central air & an auto-generator!
Brooke Gelhaus 860-336-9408

Woodstock, \$414,900



Spend your days enjoying the beautiful
farmer's porch included w/this 4 BR,
2.5 BA Colonial on 1.26 private acres!
Mary Scalise 860-918-1539

Brooklyn \$475,000



A 3298 SF Colonial in a desirable neigh-
borhood. Privately set back from the road
on 2.10 acres w/views of the valley.
Mary Scalise 860-918-1539

Pomfret \$475,000



Exceptional 21.28 acre property in
desirable Pomfret, CT.
Beautiful large pastures & barn.
Comfortable private living.
John Downs 860-377-0754

Woodstock, \$440,000



Location! Location! Location! Set in a
sought after cul-de sac this 2003 home is
well cared for & ready for you!
Brooke Gelhaus 860-336-9408

Pomfret \$375,000



Custom Colonial w/4 BR & 2.5 BA.
Kitchen w/granite counters opens to
eat-in area & plank hrwd floors.
2 car garage & lg. deck.
Mary Collins 860-336-6677

Woodstock \$210,000 Land For Sale



Lot 226-4A West Quasset Rd Woodstock.
\$210,000. Simply the Finest lakefront lot
available in NE CT. The place to build
your dream home.
Richard Governale 860-428-7656





WEARING THIS IMPROPERLY
CAN AFFECT SPINAL HEALTH
AND POTENTIALLY RESULT
IN INJURY.

ANSWER: BACKPACK

What's the Difference?

There are four things different between Picture A and Picture B. Can you find them all?

A

B

Answers: 1. Watch is different 2. Missing blue card 3. Extra black chip 4. Missing glasses on man in front

THIS DAY IN...

HISTORY

- **1728:** THE CITY OF NUUK IN GREENLAND IS FOUNDED. TODAY IT IS THE LARGEST CITY IN GREENLAND.
- **1898:** THE GOODYEAR TIRE COMPANY IS FOUNDED.
- **1966:** THE BEATLES PERFORM THEIR LAST CONCERT BEFORE PAYING FANS AT CANDLESTICK PARK IN SAN FRANCISCO.

New Word

SCHOLASTIC

concerning school or education

How they SAY that in...

ENGLISH: Teacher
SPANISH: Profesor
ITALIAN: Insegnante
FRENCH: Professeur
GERMAN: Lehrer

Did you know?

THE AVERAGE FAMILY SPENDS \$700 ON SCHOOL SUPPLIES EVERY YEAR.

GET THE PICTURE?

Can you guess what the bigger picture is?

ANSWER: SCHOOL BUS

HERE & THERE → Local Events, Arts, and Entertainment Listings

FRIDAY, AUGUST 30

LIAM COLEMAN
from 7-10 in the bar
308 Lakeside
308 East Main Street
East Brookfield, MA 01515
774-449-8333

FRIDAY, SATURDAY, SUNDAY & MONDAY AUGUST 30-SEPTEMBER 2

131ST ANNUAL SPENCER FAIR
Four days of fun for the whole family!
Demo Derby Fri. 8/30 at 7pm and Sun. 9/1 at 5 pm. Midway Rides Thurs. 8/29 5-9 and Fri. 8/30 12-5 ride for one price. See the ad in this week's issue for the entire schedule of events.
48 Smithville Road, Spencer MA

SATURDAY, AUGUST 31

THE ISLAND CASTAWAY BAND
at 9 pm
308 Lakeside
308 East Main Street
East Brookfield, MA 01515
774-449-8333

SATURDAY & SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 7 & 8

HARVEST CRAFT FAIR
Local artisans, crafters & vendors displaying their homemade items, artwork and goodies. Apple picking maze, wagon rides, cider donuts, snack bar & playground. Hawaiian shaved ice and craft beer & wine. The Badtickers perform from noon to 4 on Saturday, and Tequila Mockingbird noon-4 on Sunday.
Brookfield Orchards, 12 Lincoln Road, North Brookfield, MA

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

FARMERS DINNER
From our gardens to your plate. Featuring Salem Cross Farm Pasture raised beef
Advanced tickets required.
Salem Cross Inn
260 West Main St., W. Brookfield, MA
508-867-2345 salemcrossinn.com

SEPTEMBER 12-14

ORIGINAL SEWING & QUILT EXPO
Auburn Sewing Center will be at the DCU Center. Classroom machines on sale. Stop by their Brother & Janome booth for make-it, take-it projects. Classes and demonstrations 9am-5pm
50 Foster St, Worcester, MA 01608
www.dcucenter.com

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 13,

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
sailemrossinn.com or call 508-867-2345. 260 West Main Street
West Brookfield, MA 01585

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27,

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
sailemrossinn.com or call 508-867-2345. 260 West Main Street
West Brookfield, MA 01585

SUNDAY-TUESDAY NOVEMBER 10-12

BUS TRIP TO ATLANTIC CITY
Leave from Big Y Parking Lot
Call 508-885-5560 or 508-885-2458 for more info and trip amenities

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 15

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
sailemrossinn.com or call 508-867-2345. 260 West Main Street
West Brookfield, MA 01585

ONGOING

JUNE THROUGH AUGUST 5 p.m.
WEDNESDAY NIGHT CRUISING FOR CHARITY CAR SHOW AT KLEM'S
All makes and models.Proceeds benefit the Masonic Children's Charity
KLEM'S
117 West Main St., Spencer, MA
508-885-2708 (Ext. 104)
www.klemsonline.com

SUNDAYS THIS SUMMER
with live music from 2-5 on the patio
308 Lakeside
308 East Main Street
East Brookfield, MA 01515
774-449-8333

MARIACHI BAND
First Thursday of the month 5-8 p.m.
MEXICALI MEXICAN GRILL
Webster location
41 Worcester Rd., Webster, MA
508-461-5070

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

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

THE CENTRAL MA CHAPTER OF TROUT UNLIMITED meets the first Monday of every month from September through May. We discuss a variety of conservation programs to improve the local cold water fisheries, local fishing opportunities. Our annual High School Fly Fishing Championship (open to all MA high school students) And our annual fund raising banquet.
Auburn Sportsman's Club
50 Elm St., Auburn, MA

School Days, School Days, Good Old Golden Rule Days!

LEGALS

Brookfield Planning Board Notice of Public Hearing

In accordance with M. G. L., Chapter 40A, and the provisions of the Brookfield Zoning Bylaws Section 4.D, Use Regulation Table Section 2.g, “Building containing dwelling units in combination with retail shops or other permitted business uses”; Section 4.C.2.d, “Development Within the Flood Plain District”; and Section 12.C., “Special Permits”; the Brookfield Planning Board will hold a Public Hearing on an application for a Special Permit for the construction of a second residential unit in an existing structure located at 57 South Maple Street and owned by Ben-Vin Realty, LLC of 121 West Main St., West Brookfield, MA.

The hearing will take place on Wednesday, September 4, 2019 at the Town Hall, 6 Central Street, Brookfield, starting at 6:45 p.m. or as soon thereafter as can be heard. A copy of the application may be inspected at the office of the Town Clerk at Brookfield Town Hall during normal business hours.

Sharon Mahoney, Chair
Brookfield Planning Board

August 16, 2019
August 30, 2019

A.C. 92A Commonwealth of Massachusetts 19E0077PP Worcester, SS Probate Court

To Kevin L. Eaton of Gardner in the County of Worcester and to all other persons interested.

A petition has been presented to said Court by Wendy M. Lebel of North Brookfield in the County of Worcester representing that he hold as tenant in common undivided part or share of certain land lying in North Brookfield in said County Worcester and briefly described as follows: see attached setting forth that her desires that - all - the aforesaid described part - of said land may be sold at private sale for no less than Ten dollars (\$10.00) dollars, and praying that partition may be made of all the land aforesaid according to law, and to that end that a commissioner be appointed to make such partition and be ordered to make sale and conveyance of all, or any part of said land which the Court finds cannot be advantageously divided either at private-sale or public auction, and be ordered to distribute the net proceeds thereof.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Worcester before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the Tenth day of September 2019, the return day of this citation.

Witness, LEILAH A. KEAMY, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eighteenth day of July 2019.

Stephanie K. Fattman
Register of Probate

August 16, 2019
August 23, 2019
August 30, 2019

MORTGAGEE'S NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain Mortgage given by Pamela A. Paradis and Brenda L. Paradis to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for Advanced Financial Services, Inc., its successors and assigns, dated November 9, 2007 and recorded with the Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds at Book 42054, Page 205, subsequently assigned to Nationstar Mortgage LLC by Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for Advanced Financial Services, Inc., its successors and assigns by assignment recorded in said Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds at Book 51313, Page 260, subsequently assigned to U.S. Bank National Association, not in its individual capacity, but solely as Trustee for the RMAC Trust, Series 2016-CTT by Nationstar Mortgage LLC by assignment recorded in said Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds at Book 58814, Page 21 for breach of the conditions of said Mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing same will be sold at Public Auction at 1:00 PM on September 20, 2019 at 12 Langevin Street, Spencer, MA, all and singular the premises described in said Mortgage, to wit:

A certain tract of land with the buildings thereon, situated on the north side of Langevin Street, in said Spencer and bounded and described as follows: BEGINNING at the southeast corner thereof, on the north side of said Langevin Street, it being a private street; and 115 1/2 feet westerly of the west line of Temple Street; THENCE N. 89° W., by the north line of said Langevin Street, 154-3/4 feet; THENCE N. 0-3/4° E., by land formerly of George Langevin, about 196-3/4 feet; THENCE S, 89° E., by land formerly of John F. Seeley, about 90 1/4 feet; THENCE S. 17° E., by land now or formerly of Felix Lemerise et al, about 207 feet to the place of beginning. CONTAINING about 90 square rods. For ti-

tle reference see Deed from Pamela A. Paradis to be executed and presented for recording Book 42054 Page 203

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

TERMS OF SALE:

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

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

U.S. Bank National Association, not in its individual capacity but solely as trustee for the RMAC Trust, Series 2016-CTT

Present Holder of said Mortgage,

By Its Attorneys,
ORLANS PC
PO Box 540540
Waltham, MA 02454
Phone: (781) 790-7800
19-002860

August 30, 2019
September 6, 2019
September 13, 2019

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS TOWN OF BROOKFIELD

The Brookfield Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing at 6pm, Tuesday, September 10, 2019 in the Brookfield Town Hall Banquet Room.

The purpose of this hearing is a request by Trifone Design Associates, Inc. for a variance to add on to a single family dwelling at 12 Lane 21 located in the Flood Plain, according to a denial from the Zoning Enforcement Officer based on the Brookfield Zoning Bylaws, Section 7 Dimensional Regulations sub-section C.

Stephen J. Comtois II
ZBA Chairman
August 23, 2019
August 30, 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 Stephen Natale to Fairfield Financial Mortgage Group, Inc., dated January 27, 2003 and recorded in Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 28835, Page 134 (the “Mortgage”) of which mortgage Ditech Financial LLC is the present holder by assignment from Fairfield Financial Mortgage Group, Inc., its successors and assigns to Mortgage Electronic Registration System, Inc its successors and assigns dated January 27, 2003 recorded in Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 29419, Page 183; assignment from Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc its successors and assigns to GMAC Mortgage LLC dated March 24, 2009 recorded in Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 44032, Page 2 and assignment from RESCAP Liquidating Trust, as Successor in Interest to GMAC Mortgage LLC to Ditech Financial LLC dated December 12, 2017 recorded in Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 58177, Page 9, for breach of conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, the mortgaged premises located at 106 Haywood Drive, East Brookfield, MA 01515 will be sold at a Public Auction at 1:00 PM on September 23, 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 in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, County of Worcester, Town of East Brookfield, shown as Lot #10 on a plan entitled “Bay Pathe Estates” by John C. Miller, dated February 1979 revised August 1989 and recorded at the Worcester District Registry of Deeds, Plan Book 469, Plan 55 and bounded and described as follows:

BEGINNING at the most northwesterly corner of the premises herein to be described;

THENCE S. 77 degrees 43’ 25” E., a distance of 180.00 feet to a point; THENCE S. 12 degrees 16’ 35” W., a distance of 125.00 feet to a point; THENCE N. 77 degrees 43’ 25” W., a distance of 180.00 feet to a point; THENCE N. 12 degrees 16’ 35” E., a distance of 125.00 feet to the point of beginning.

Lot #10 contains 22,500 square feet more or less.

Subject to a Declaration of Restrictive Covenants dated March 16, 1988 and recorded with the Worcester District Registry of Deeds Book 11193, Page 254.

Being the same premises conveyed to the herein named mortgagor (s) by deed recorded with Worcester District Registry of Deeds herewith. INSTR. 21417

For mortgagor's title see deed recorded with the Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 28835, Page 132.

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.

Ditech Financial LLC
Korde & Associates, P.C.
900 Chelmsford Street
Suite 3102
Lowell, MA 01851
(978) 256-1500
Natale, Stephen, 18-032165
August 30, 2019
September 6, 2019
September 13, 2019

Town of Spencer Conservation Commission PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

In accordance with the requirements of the Massachusetts Wetland Protection Act, MGL c. 131, s. 40 and the Spencer Wetlands By-Law:

Ricci W. & Bree A. Hall have filed an NOI with the Spencer Conservation Commission to construct a deck, a new front entrance and add a garage located at 101 Clark Road, Spencer, MA. David Cronin has filed an RDA with the Spencer Conservation Commission to remove trees and tree limbs located at 24 Oak Lane, Spencer, MA. William Gribbons has filed an RDA with the Spencer Conservation Commission to remove trees located at 81 Wilson Avenue, Spencer, MA Applications can be reviewed at the Office of Development and Inspectional Services, Town Hall. A public hearing regarding these filings will be held by the Spencer Conservation Commission in McCourt Social Hall at Town Hall, 157 Main Street, on Wednesday, September 11, 2019, at which time all persons having an interest may be present and participate. Conservation Commission meetings open at 7:00 p.m., public hearings begin at 7:15 p.m. Mary McLaughlin, Chairwoman
August 30, 2019

Notice of Public Hearing

The North Brookfield Planning Board will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, October 2, 2019 at 7:00PM at the Senior Center, 29 Forest St., North Brookfield, MA. Public opinion will be received regarding amending the Zoning Bylaw, Section V. by deleting a sentence and deleting the existing subsection A. in Section VI. General Regulations, Nonconforming Uses and replacing it with more detail. A proposal for Section VI.F. Commercial Solar Energy bylaw regarding battery storage containers will also be described. Any person interested in or wishing to be heard should appear at the above stated time and place. A copy of the proposed bylaw amendments is on file in the office of the Town Clerk, 215 North Main St., North Brookfield, MA. William King, Chair

August 30, 2019
September 6, 2019

THE TOWN OF EAST BROOKFIELD BOARD OF SELECTMEN NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

A Public Hearing will be held Monday, September 9, 2019 at 7:15 p.m. in the Meeting Room “A”, Memorial Town Complex, on the petition of National Grid and Verizon, as follows:

North Street, National Grid to install 1 JO pole on North Street beginning at a point approximately 225 feet north of the centerline of the intersection of East Main.

National Grid to install new pole 57-50 on North Street.

All interested parties are invited to attend this hearing.

Board of Selectmen
August 30, 2019

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Worcester Division
225 Main Street
Worcester, MA 01608
(508) 831-2200
Docket No. WO17P0894EA

Estate of:

Gerald A Prizio

Date of Death: 01/24/2017
CITATION ON PETITION
FOR ORDER OF
COMPLETE SETTLEMENT

A Petition for Order of Complete Settlement has been filed by

John M Prizio of Spencer MA requesting that the court enter a formal Decree of Complete Settlement including the allowance of a final account, and first account and other such relief as may be requested in the Petition 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 **09/17/2019**.

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.

Witness, Hon. Leilah A Keamy, First Justice of this Court

August 19, 2019
Stephanie K. Fattman, Register of Probate
August 30, 2019

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Probate and Family Court

Worcester Division
225 Main Street
Worcester, MA 01608
Docket No. WO19P2555EA

Estate of:

Lynn Marie Adams

Date of Death: June, 29 2019
INFORMAL PROBATE
PUBLICATION NOTICE

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner **Amanda F Raymond of Holden, MA**

Amanda F Raymond of Holden, MA has been informally appointed as the Personal Representatives of the estate to serve without surety on the bond.

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