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Crashing through with a victory!

THE CANCER DESTROYER WINS!



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Jim "if you're not first you're last" Lyman with trophy

KIMBERLY MASCHI
NEWS CORRESPONDENT

Auburn Police Department continues to work hard in the fight against cancer. During the Spencer Fair's Demolition Derby, the APD #pinkpatchproject Cancer Destroyer was named the winner! Congratulations to the detective who drove the car to

victory, Jimmy Lyman.

Lyman, and all other officers and personnel at the Auburn Police Department worked hard on this most prestigious victory. The APD would like to give special thanks to Ken Rabouin, Nikki and Terry Gaspie, Glenn Maffei, Patrick Montique, Gary Cooper from Brooks

Motors, Ray Butler from Mid State Auto Group, Ray Gagner from G&S Graphics, Central Mass Drag Racers, Jaymayco Tool & Equipment, Dan Harris Construction, L.A. Automotive, Gary Rice Shop Equipment and Michael King from King Family Racing. It was a team effort in winning the derby.

Those in attendance for the derby were blown away by the display.

"I loved the victory lap at the end! Would love to see the towns do that's again next year," says Holly Marks.

"We are Auburn strong!" says Cheryl Lawrence.

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Body found on Mass Pike identified

The Worcester County District Attorney's office has announced that "The victim found on the Massachusetts Turnpike near the Auburn has been identified as Johannes H. Songdahl III, age 22, of Norwell. The investigation is continuing. No other information will be released at this time."

Songdahl's remains were found on the westbound side of the Massachusetts Turnpike around 10 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 29. His remains were found near exit 10. State Police reported that Songdahl had severe injuries, but the nature of those injuries is not known to the public.

The death is being investigated by the State Police detectives assigned to the District Attorney's Office, the State Police Collision Analysis and Reconstruction Section, State Police Crime Scene Services and Auburn Police.

Anyone with information on the incident is asked to call the State Police Troop C headquarters at 508-829-8326 or Auburn Police at 508-832-7777.

Opponents say Question 1 endangers patients

BY GREG VINE
COURIER CORRESPONDENT

Massachusetts voters could be forgiven if they find themselves confused over whether nurses in the Commonwealth support or oppose Question 1 on this November's election ballot. The measure, if passed, would mandate the ratio of patients that could be assigned to a single registered nurse at hospitals throughout the state. Rations range from one nurse to one patient in the intensive care unit, to five patients for each RN in the transitional care unit.

The Massachusetts Nurses Association authored the ballot measure, which opposed by the American Nurses Association of Massachusetts. The MNA represents some 20,000 members statewide while the ANAM has some 2,000 members. Many of ANAM's

members are nurse administrators or hold other administrative positions in hospitals across the state.

The question is also opposed by Massachusetts Council of Community Hospitals and the Massachusetts Health and Hospital Association, among other groups.

Last week we featured arguments in favor of the initiative; this week we hear from opponents.

Chris Baldini, a registered nurse on the behavioral health unit at Heywood Hospital in Gardner and a member of MNA who opposes the measure, cited California as an example of why mandated patient-to-nurse ratios is a bad idea. For example, Question 1 — officially known as the Patient Safety Act — would require a ratio of 1-to-1 for trauma patients in the emergency, and a ratio of 4-to-1 for non-trauma patients.

"We've seen this already in California," she said. "I think they call it the 'wall of patients,' where basically patients are on stretchers waiting to be seen. They're basically waiting to be seen as if they were at a deli counter until a nurse is freed up from a ratio to take care of them. In our community that would be devastating because in most of these communities it's the fire department that provides most of the EMS care. So, we would be tying up additional community resources to take care of these patients who are in queue waiting for emergency care."

When asked about the differing opinion among Massachusetts nurses regarding Question 1, Baldini said, "I am a union member and I've worked clinical nurs-

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Former Massachusetts state trooper indicted by Grand Jury

BOSTON — In a statement released by the Department of Justice, a former lieutenant with the Massachusetts State Police was indicted Aug. 28 in federal court in Boston in connection with the ongoing investigation of overtime abuse at the Massachusetts State Police.

Former Lieutenant David Wilson, age 57, of Charlton, was indicted on one count of embezzlement from an agency receiving federal funds. Wilson was previously charged by a criminal complaint and arrested on June 27, 2018. An arraignment date has not yet been scheduled.

Wilson was assigned to Troop E of the MSP, which was responsible for enforcing criminal and traffic regulations along the Massachusetts Turnpike, Interstate I-90. Wilson served as the

Officer-in-Charge of several overtime shifts and is alleged to have received overtime pay for shifts that he either did not work at all or from which he departed early.

The alleged conduct involves overtime pay for the Accident and Injury Reduction Effort program (AIRE). That initiative was intended to reduce accidents, crashes, and injuries on I-90 through an enhanced presence of MSP Troopers who were to target vehicles traveling at excessive speeds. Wilson was required to work the entire duration of the shift — four hours — and truthfully report the date, time and sector of deployment on the citations issued during the shift. As alleged, Wilson concealed the fraud by submitting citations that were issued outside of the overtime shifts, altered citations to create the

appearance that the citation was issued during an overtime shift, and/or submitted citations that were never issued and never took place.

According to court documents, investigators were able to corroborate the alleged conduct through information maintained concerning the usage of MSP cruiser radios, RMV records, and records of when driver history checks were run on ticketed drivers.

In 2016, Lt. Wilson earned approximately \$230,000, claiming to have worked approximately 170 AIRE overtime shifts — equating to about \$68,000 in overtime pay. In court documents, it is alleged that Lt. Wilson earned approximately \$12,450 in overtime pay for hours that he did not work.

In 2015 and 2016, MSP received annual benefits from the U.S. Department

of Transportation in excess of \$10,000, which were funded pursuant to numerous federal grants.

The charge of theft of government funds provides for a sentence of no greater than 10 years in prison, three years of supervised release, and a fine of \$250,000 or twice the gross gain or loss. Sentences are imposed by a federal

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NEWS NOTES

SUTTON HISTORICAL HOLDING ELECTIONS

The next general meeting of the Sutton Historical Society, Inc. will be held on Tuesday, Sept. 11 at 7 pm in the First Congregational Church, Sutton Center.

The Board of Directors, which consists of 5 officers and 6 board members, has 6 positions which will be up for election/re-election. The term of these positions is 2-years. Directors are elected in the off year from election of officers. Officers were elected to their 2-year terms in 2017.

Nominations for these positions will be accepted at this meeting. Incumbents must still be nominated. Voting on the positions will take place at the Tuesday, Oct. 2 annual meeting (7 pm - First Congregational Church). Board member responsibility includes attendance at monthly Board meetings. Members are encouraged to attend this important meeting. Questions or interest can be directed to Brian Stevenson, President at 508-865-2122.

COMMUNITY DINNER
There will be a community roast beef supper at the

First Congregational Church, 128 Central St., Auburn on Saturday, Sept. 15, at 5 p.m. Tickets are \$10 for adults and children 10 and under are free. No reservations are needed. Additional parking is available at the Town Hall.

HISTORICAL MEETING
Auburn Historical Society will be holding its first meeting of the Fall 2018 season on Tuesday, Sept. 18 at 6:30pm at the Auburn Senior Center, 4 Goddard Drive, Auburn. The speakers will be Tim Cronin and Rich Tobin and they will be presenting Memories of the Auburn Police Department. There will be a potluck supper prior to the meeting at 5:30, so bring your favorite dish to share. This event is free and

open to the public.

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT WORCESTER — Worcester Academy proudly announces its Honor Roll and Headmaster's List for Semester 2 of the 2017-18 School Year. The honors represent the achievements that each of these Worcester Academy students has earned through academic excellence, challenge, and personal growth. Among them were Auburn students: Zukudo Igwenagu Grade: 11, First Honors; Nathan Pickett Grade: 12, First Honors; James TopaGrade: 12, First Honors; and Tyler Anger Grade: 11, Second Honors.

HISTORY LESSON
Auburn historian Ken Ethier is presenting in Blackstone

Heritage Corridor's GO! program in September: On Sunday, September 16, 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. there will be a Stoneville Mill Village Tour in Auburn. Walk down Auburn's Main Street with Auburn historian Ken Ethier to see the Jeremy Stones 1939 Mill Village Housing and learn about the town's reservoirs created to power the textile mill. Meet at St. Joseph's Church, 194 Oxford St., Auburn. This is event is presented as part of Blackstone Heritage Corridor's GO! program. To learn more, visit www.BlackstoneHeritageCorridor.org.

Sutton Cultural Council seeks proposals

Proposals for community-oriented arts, humanities, and science programs are due Oct. 15

Organizations, schools, and individuals may apply for grants that support cultural activities in the community. According to Council spokesperson

Paige Thayer, these grants can support a variety of artistic projects and activities in Sutton-- including exhibits, festivals, field trips, performances in schools, workshops and concerts.

The Sutton Cultural Council is part of a network of 329 local Cultural Councils

serving all 351 cities and towns in the Commonwealth. The LCC Program is the largest grassroots cultural funding network in the nation, supporting thousands of community-based projects in the arts, sciences and humanities every year. The state legislature provides an annual appropriation to the Massachusetts Cultural Council, a state agency, which then allocates funds to each community.

All applications must be submitted online through the Massachusetts Cultural Council. Applicants may access the online application beginning September 1 at www.mass-culture.org. Type in "Sutton" to find the local council and access the online application. This is also where you will find any funding priorities or additional requirements beyond the state guidelines.

For 2018, the Sutton Cultural Council

distributed nearly \$4,400 in grants. Previously funded projects have included Concerts on the Common, art festivals, and performances at the Sutton Library, the Sutton Senior Center, and Sutton school-based programs.

We hope for a great response and to awarding funds to support wonderful programming in Sutton. The Council is also seeking new members. A Council meeting is set for Monday, Sept. 17 at 6:30pm at Sutton Town Hall.

For questions about the Sutton Cultural Council, or to become a member, please contact co-chairs Pam Nichols at pamelanichols@gmail.com or Paige Thayer at pnthayer@hotmail.com. To apply for a grant, please visit www.mass-culture.org. Applications are due on October 15.

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developing technology. We can expect more electrification of the autos of the future. Ford is developing and introduced conventional Hybrid, plug-in Hybrid and all electric vehicles like our Focus and Fusion of today and upcoming versions of the Explorer and iconic Mustang. New unnamed models will likely blend all of this technology and some yet to be developed. There is speculation that concepts that show fully autonomous vehicles and even those that fly short distances will be entering the market in the foreseeable future. The future of automobiles looks to be an exciting one. Many things only dreamt of in SCI-Fi books are becoming reality just like much of today's reality was only dreamt of when Henry Ford built his first mass produced automobile.

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district court judge based upon the U.S. Sentencing Guidelines and other statutory factors.

Wilson was charged and arrested along with Trooper Gary Herman, age 45, of Chester; and former Trooper Paul Cesan, age 50, of Southwick. On July 2, 2018, former Trooper Gregory Raftery, age 47, of Westwood was charged and pleaded guilty. On July 25, 2018, retired Trooper Daren DeJong, age 56, of

Uxbridge, was also charged. On Aug. 17, suspended Trooper Kevin Sweeney, age 40, of Braintree, was charged and has agreed to plead guilty.

United States Attorney Andrew E. Lelling; Harold H. Shaw, Special Agent in Charge of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, Boston Field Division; and Douglas Shoemaker, Special Agent in Charge of the U.S. Department of Transportation's Office of Inspector General, made the announcement. Assistant U.S. Attorneys Dustin Chao and Mark Grady of Lelling's Public Corruption Unit and Neil Gallagher of Lelling's Economic Crimes Unit are prosecuting the case.

The details contained in the charging documents are allegations. The defendants are presumed innocent unless and until proven guilty beyond a reasonable doubt in a court of law.

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Gardening lecture series starting Sept. 12



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The MMGA Home Hort Series, being offered this fall in North Grafton, will include a class in basic landscape design, as well as nine other topics.

For Massachusetts home gardeners looking to take their knowledge and skills to the next level, the Massachusetts Master Gardener Association has announced a new fall session of its popular 10-week Home Horticulture Series of educational lectures: the program will run on Wednesday evenings September thru November at Brigham Hill Community Farm, North Grafton.

According to MMGA Home Horticulture Series Coordinator Chris Gatti, "The association started Home Hort in response to gardeners who were interested in our Master Gardener Certification course but whose lifestyles didn't permit them to attend daytime classes or volunteer. For them, as well as for novice gardeners, the Home Hort Series offers a streamlined, informal format: 90 minute evening classes, no homework or testing, and no volunteering."

In the past, Home Hort has been held

in Canton and Boylston; this is the first time the program is available in North Grafton. Classes will be held on ten consecutive Wednesday evenings, 6:30-8:00 PM, Sept. 12 thru Nov. 28 (no lectures 9/26 or 11/21 due to holidays).

Lectures cover the same topics studied by Master Gardeners, including important fundamentals such as building great soil and how plants work... as well as practical how-tos like basic landscape design, perennial selection and care, and combating weeds, diseases and pests.

For gardeners with some experience, the Home Hort lecture series offers an opportunity to refine their knowledge and skills. For novices, it provides a strong learning foundation for planning next year's garden.

The cost of the program is \$250 per person for all ten classes. Instructors are senior certified Master Gardeners with in-depth experience in their respective

topics. Handouts are provided.

For additional information visit <http://massmastergardeners.org/fall-2018-home-horticulture-class/> or email HomeHort@massmastergardeners.org

The Massachusetts Master Gardener Association is a non-profit organization whose mission is to share knowledge and experience with the public through outreach programs in education, horticulture and gardening; to provide the Master Gardener Training Program to interested members of the public; and to provide graduates of the Master Gardener Training Program with educational and practical opportunities to extend their knowledge and interests in gardening and related topics. The website is massmastergardeners.org. Follow us on Facebook.



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Health Center leader announces retirement

WORCESTER — Frances M. Anthes, president and CEO of Family Health Center of Worcester, Inc., announced she will be stepping down Dec. 31, 2018 after 27 years with the health center. Anthes joined Family Health Center in 1991 as deputy director and was named president and CEO in January 1997.

"My love for and commitment to Family Health's work of providing comprehensive health care to patients, regardless of their ability to pay, has inspired me and given me the opportunity to work together with a wonderful team to create access to health care for individuals and families throughout Greater Worcester," said Anthes. "Family Health is in a strong financial position and I will be working with our Board of Directors, our experienced executive management team and our local, state and federal partners to provide for a smooth and effective transition in leadership."

Family Health Center of Worcester is a 501c(3) nonprofit health center which provides comprehensive, quality health services at 16 locations throughout Worcester and South Worcester County.

"The Board of Directors is grateful to Fran for her many accomplishments during her tenure at Family Health Center," said Lynda Rowe, board chair.

"Of note was the doubling of the health center capacity in 1991 when the Worcester City Hospital closed. Family Health has grown from 6,500 patients and a budget of \$2.3 million, to our current 36,000 patients and \$40 million

budget today," said Rowe. "We are so proud of all that has been accomplished under Fran's leadership."



Frances M. Anthes

Established in 1972, Family Health Center of Worcester's mission is to improve the health and well-being of all residents in the Greater Worcester area, especially culturally diverse populations, by providing access to affordable, high quality, integrated, comprehensive, and respectful primary health care and social services, regardless of patients' ability to pay. Family Health is a teaching health center with residency programs to train the health

care workforce. The health center is a primary care patient-centered medical home that provides family medicine, dentistry, nursing, behavioral health, vision care, walk-in urgent care, prenatal and OB care, outpatient addiction treatment services, school health centers, nutrition services and education, HIV/AIDS care, refugee and immigrant health programs, pharmacy, x-ray, mammography, onsite lab services, and insurance enrollment support. Family Health employs 400 community residents, and offers public health programs directed at early detection and disease prevention.

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It was under the sea at Oxford

The Oxford Community Theatre Group presented *The Little Mermaid* at St. Roch's Church. The play was full of choreographed musical numbers and delightful solos.



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Witty jokes and quick quips kept the audience laughing. What really made the play a success was the magnificent local talent. It takes a great deal of bravery to go up on stage in front of friends, family, strangers, and fellow townspeople. Enthusiasm and passion are key to a great performance and luckily the entire cast had both. Each character brought something different into the production and together they made the story of *The Little Mermaid* come to life.

Anya Grondalski played Ariel and her performance was brilliant and lovely. Grondalski's voice causes the good kind of goosebumps, the ones that tickle the back of your neck and makes the hair on your arms stand straight up. Her voice was smooth and serenading. Every song made the audience sit up a little straighter and lean forward to hear more. Grondalski's voice and performance was one of the many highlights in this play.

Playing Sebastian, was Peter Amaral, who has been with the theatre group for five years. When Amaral strutted out in his Sebastian red suit, big googly eye hat, and svelte red tie, he exuded a charisma of hilarity and sophistication. Amaral took the role of a snooty Sebastian and added many exciting jokes to keep the audience laughing between scenes. Amaral's voice could always be heard, he boomed with confidence and was deliberate and unwavering in every one of his scenes.

"I wanted to play Sebastian," says

Amaral, "I love to entertain."

Ariel's favorite flounder, and best friend, was played by Delaney Bodamer and her spunky spirit really showed through the little fish. This was Bodamer's first performance with the theatre group and she was wonderful. Bodamer's voice was soft, but her presentation was amusing, and she was the perfect best friend a mermaid could have. Bodamer is a performer that has such a bold and enigmatic personality that it shines through into her character. She is the friend everyone wished they could have.

But not all characters are meant to be friendly.

The sea witch Ursula, with her long draping sequined purple dress, and her vivid and scorching eyes was played by the amazingly talented Jennifer Guildford. Guildford has been with the theatre group for four years and she made the most wickedly splendid Ursula. Guildford's voice boomed with strength and conviction. She never wavered and dove deep into each verse and cackled with each evil thought and action. She swept onto the stage with a presence that sucked you in and made you want more. Ursula had her two trusted companions, Flotsam and Jetsam played by Kevin Soucier and Sophia Meneguzzo. The two little eels were wonderful as the two youngest in the group. Soucier is eight years old and wants to be an actor and a police man when he grows up. It was hard to believe that these two precious actors could be the evil eels but they did so well and helped to trick the poor prince Eric.

Josh Woods played Prince Eric, in his dapper costumes and perfectly

quaffed hair, he pulled off regal royalty perfectly. This was Woods first lead part and has done four musicals prior. He is part of the choir at Shepherd Hill and also plays sports. Woods was a great companion to Ariel and he had a wonderful cast member beside him.

Jennifer Bennett played Grimsby. Bennett and Woods made a terrific team on stage.

The audience had many favorite parts, one being the feud between Chef Louis, played by Benjamin Martin and Sebastian. The Chef ran after Sebastian determined to make him part of the meal and Sebastian escaped through the crowds and among the aisles of the audience. Scuttle, played



The princesses singing



Courtesy photo of the cast



Ursula with Flotsam and Jetsam

by Corey Langlois, caused laughter and chaos among the stage. Langlois's exuberant nature came out in flying feathers and friendly smiles. Langlois was joined with his two seagull friends, Benjamin Martin and Andrew Bennett. While Langlois and the Chef were above sea, many characters made waves in the ocean depths.

King Triton, played by Alex Jordan, exuded strength and royalty with trident in hand. He was joined by his daughters played by Abbey Howard, Christine Grondalski, Jillian Cloutier, Alissa Cloutier, Emily Connolly, Kyra Stevens, and Haley Higgins. The princesses each performed beautifully and they were a joy to see come on stage.

The entire production was entertaining and fun till the very end.

Many in the audience came to support their families and friends. Lori Connolly, mother of Emily Connolly says, "Emily just started acting this year, she is very excited and has been

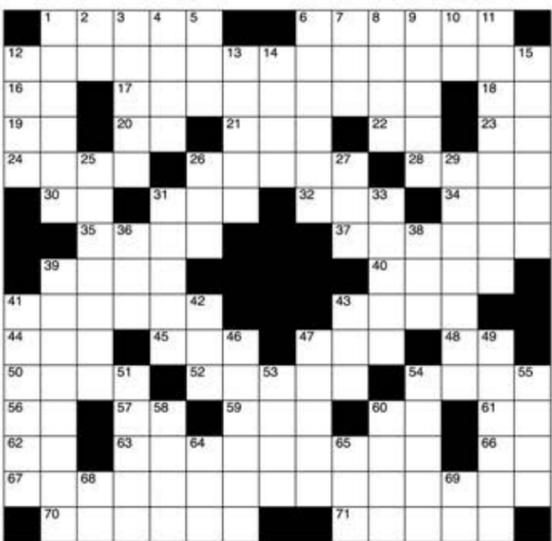
walking around the house singing."

Angela Santamaria says that a whole neighborhood of people came to support Anya and Christine Grondalski, mother and daughter, in their performance. "We are all so excited to see them both. Anya has such a wonderful singing voice and Christine has never been in a play before."

Faith Renaud, age 3 says "I like Ariel, she has a pretty mermaid tail."

Anna Jurgiel, age 5 says "I got to give Ariel a high 5!" at intermission.

Kudos to the director Andrew Bennett and co-director Jennifer Bennett. Costume design was beautifully produced by Pamela Martin and sound by Sarah Martin. Choreography by Abbey Howard and Benjamin Martin. Many of the cast members have multiple talents and multiple roles in the plays they perform in. The production was a splash a fun and a wave of talent.

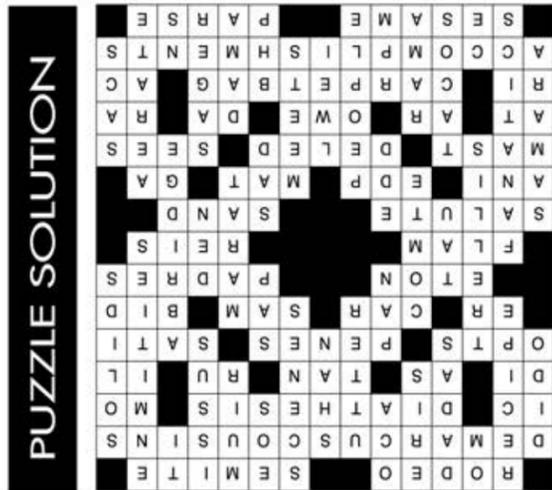


CLUES ACROSS

- 1. Where to shop
- 6. A descendant of Shem
- 12. NBA big man "Boogie"
- 16. Integrated circuit
- 17. Voice
- 18. Larry and Curly's buddy
- 19. Beloved English princess
- 20. Used to emphasize
- 21. Sun worshippers want one
- 22. Atomic # 44 (abbr.)
- 23. Lincoln's state
- 24. Selects
- 26. Organs present in invertebrates
- 28. Self-immolation by fire
- 30. Trauma center
- 31. Automobile
- 32. Mustachioed actor Elliott
- 34. Something to do at auctions
- 35. British School
- 37. San Diego ballplayers
- 39. Drumming pattern
- 40. One-time Portuguese currency
- 41. Honor
- 43. Beaches have it
- 44. Folk singer DiFranco
- 45. Electronic data processing
- 47. Where wrestlers ply their trade
- 48. The Peach State
- 50. Boat post
- 52. Omitted from printed matter
- 54. Witnesses
- 56. Indicates position
- 57. Atomic # 18 (abbr.)
- 59. Obligated to repay
- 60. Lead prosecutor
- 61. Sun God
- 62. The Ocean State
- 63. Seek opportunity without scruples
- 66. Keeps you cool
- 67. Achievements
- 70. A beloved street
- 71. Analyze minutely

CLUES DOWN

- 1. Cooks need one
- 2. A mystic syllable
- 3. Male parents
- 4. Greek goddess of discord
- 5. U.S.-based church (abbr.)
- 6. Movies have lots of them
- 7. Greek goddess of the dawn
- 8. Influential naturalist
- 9. Ancient town
- 10. Atlanta-based rapper
- 11. Animosity
- 12. Pop singer
- 13. Speak
- 14. One who lives in Burma
- 15. Not liquids
- 25. A framework
- 26. Peter's last name
- 27. Plants have it
- 29. To shorten a book
- 31. French philosopher
- 33. Murdered in his bathtub
- 36. Greek letter
- 38. A hiding place
- 39. Crazy supporters
- 41. Winged nut
- 42. Doctor of Education
- 43. Unhappy
- 46. Popular celeb magazine
- 47. ___ and greets
- 49. Poke holes in
- 51. Beloved Mexican dish
- 53. Monetary unit of Angola
- 54. More wise
- 55. Pouches
- 58. Hindu's ideal man
- 60. Type of gazelle
- 64. Revolutions per minute
- 65. Energy unit
- 68. Cerium
- 69. Canadian peninsula



PUZZLE SOLUTION

QUESTION 1

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ing for 34 years. I feel it's more of a solidarity initiative in the union to vote 'yes' on this bill."

"It basically takes the independent decision-making, the critical thinking of the bedside nurse, it takes that ability away," Baldini added. "It should not be mandated. We don't need a black-and-white law for providing patient care at the bedside."

So, who determines what staffing levels should be on a day-to-day basis?

Tina Santos, vice president of patient care services and chief operating officer for Heywood, said, "Organizations are tasked with creating staffing guidelines."

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"For example," she explained, "on a medical/surgical floor most nurses may have about five patients. However, if they have a patient who requires more intervention — maybe they need blood, maybe they need IV therapy — then that nurse would have less patients because they need to spend more time with that one."

"The critical piece for this," Santos continued, "where the rubber hits the road for us, is that acuity is fluid and we need to be able to adjust in real time to take care of the needs of the patient in that moment. And mandated, rigid ratios do not allow for that. I don't want to abdicate my right to think and do what's right for my patient."

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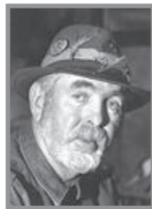
A bit of nostalgia as hunters from left to right: The late Chuck Miedema, late Reno Grassi, Bob Brooks, and the late Stan Oleksyk after a goose hunt in the Valley many years ago.

It sure will be great to see the heat & humidity leave New England. We have had enough heat, and it is now time to enjoy some great fall weather. The first segment of goose hunting in Massachusetts opened this past Tuesday September 4. The daily bag limit is 15 birds and the special season will run through to September 21. At one time, goose populations were high in the local area, and although there are still a few thousand resident geese in Massachusetts we noticed their feeding patterns have changed dramatically during the past five years or more.

Back in the year 2000 to 2010 or so, myself and a hunting acquaintance had very few problems limiting out on resident Canadian geese. Of course, it helped to have permission to hunt private cornfields and grass fields, but the birds were in the area big time. Climbing out of bed during the early morning hours, we soon found ourselves sitting in a corn field waiting for first light. We had two dogs between us, one German shorthair and my black Lab Max! One of our fields was overlooking a portion of the valley and as first light approached we observed our two dogs were on high alert!!!

"Get ready, the birds are flying," was my remark to my hunting partner.

The dogs keen hearing alerted us to a few dozen birds just clearing the



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tree tops, and were on a glide path to our blind, and set up of decoys.

We both picked up our guns and barely had time to stand up in our blinds to take aim at the flock of Canadian geese, as they barely cleared the blinds. As the guns

discharged, the roar of the shots echoed thru the valley. The smell of spent gunpowder in the early morning air, was better than any fragrance that women wear on a night on the town. The dogs were already running from the blinds to retrieve the downed birds. The excitement of the first hunt had allowed my dog to break prematurely, and we could have had another shot at the birds as they circled around to take another look at our spread of decoys, but they flared just short of shooting range because of the uncontrolled dog.

We were lucky to have numerous flocks of birds circle our spread of decoys on that day, and we filled our limit in a couple of hours. After picking up the decoys and birds, we headed to Peg's Diner in Whitinsville to have a cup of coffee and a bite to eat. We had walked in a bit of recently spread cow manure in the field we hunted, and did not realize that we had a smell of manure on our boots. After sitting down to place our order for breakfast we noticed that some of the patrons were leaving. The look we received

soon made us realize that we were part of the problem!!! Taking off our boots and putting on a clean pair of shoes after future hunts, rectified the problem at the diner.

Because of the warm weather during most hunts in early September, it is essential to clean the birds as soon as possible. Cleaning the birds is fast if you know what you are doing. Laying the birds upside down and making a cut just under the breast, the skin is easily removed from the breast meat. A single cut along each side of the breast bone allows the breast to be totally removed with a few simple cuts. Wash and wrap the meat as soon as possible, packaging two breasts together. Next week we will discuss two great recipes for this tasty bird.

A federal and state waterfowl stamp is needed to hunt waterfowl, along with steel shot and a gun that can hold no more than three shots. No lead shot is allowed!! This week's first picture shows from left to right: The late Chuck Miedema, late Reno Grassi, Bob Brooks, and the late Stan Oleksyk after a goose hunt in the Valley many years ago. They are sadly missed by all that knew them.

Upstate New York is providing anglers with some great king salmon fishing. If you enjoy catching big fish Lake Ontario is the place to go at this time of year. For up to date reports on fishing the Pulaski area go to www.fatnancy.com! This week's second picture shows a happy angler with a nice king salmon.

After a few cold nights, the Mass Fish & Wildlife trucks can start rolling restocking many of the lakes and ponds in the state with trout. That could be a bit later this month because of the high water temperature.

After receiving my August copy of the New England Outdoors newsletter, I always take time out of my day to read some of my fellow writers' columns. Randy Julius is president of the organization and always writes a very informative story about his hunting and fishing adventures. This month he wrote about his bird hunting for grouse in Maine over the past few years and in his home town of East Bridgewater. The lack of grouse has caused a lot of controversy over what is happening to the ruffed grouse in New England and even parts of Maine. Some thoughts are



A very happy angler with a king salmon hooked in upstate New York.

blaming West Nile virus but the loss of good grouse cover is also being targeted. The grouse population locally has also become very poor, almost to the point of extinction. Hopefully it will be turned around soon, but we do not have high hopes for this once abundant, fast flying, great eating, bird to return to our bird covers.

Fellow writer Paul Renolds discussed the loss of many young moose to tick bites in Maine, and they are depleting the herd buy as much as 50 %. Biologists are considering more moose permits to help reduce the herd. In 2012 Maine had a conservative estimate of "76,000 moose in the North Woods," Renolds stated. Biologists are reluctant to give a present estimate of moose populations, but are taking aerial surveys to help determine the exact amount of moose in Maine. Disease is always a frightening thing among our wildlife, and we depend on our biologists to stay on top of any situation that may arise, that threatens any species. Stay Tuned.

Uxbridge lost a great human being and sportsman last week. John Emrick, former police chief of Uxbridge, loved deer hunting and always enjoyed hunting in Petersham. His favorite hunting spot was on a hillside overlooking a swampy area, that had numerous deer runs through it. He also enjoyed fishing with his buddies in his early years. Our deepest sympathy goes out to his family and many friends.

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Fun with the sun

The recent heat wave inspired this week's column that reminds us that the power of the sun is incredible, and never is that fact more evident than on a sizzling hot late summer's day! Today, as solar energy gains even more attention, harnessing the sun's rays via simple solar experiments can translate into fun and educational projects for kids and adults alike. Read on for a roundup of easy projects that are sure to bring new meaning to "fun in the sun" as we wind up the summer season:

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Solar Warming Oven

This interesting project is recommended for older children. It's a bit complicated, but a very rewarding activity. Children love scientific experiments that allow them hands-on experience. The solar oven illustrates how the sun's rays are hot enough to bake food. This oven that gets hot enough to warm up cookies and other treats, like s'mores. It won't get very hot, though, so even young children can have the thrill of "baking" without burning themselves!

Materials: One pizza box from a local pizza delivery store (heavy, thick cardboard); newspapers; tape; scissors; black construction paper; clear plastic wrap; aluminum foil; one sheet of notebook paper; a pen or pencil; ruler or wooden dowel or stick.

Instructions: Place the piece of notebook paper in the center of the closed lid of the pizza box and trace its outline on the lid. Put the piece of paper aside. Carefully cut the two long edges and one of the short edges of the rectangle that you just traced on the lid of the box, forming a flap of cardboard. Fold the flap back along the uncut edge to form a crease. Wrap the underside (inside) face of this flap with aluminum foil. Tape it on the other side so that the foil is held firmly. The foil will help to reflect the sunlight into the box. Open the box and place a piece of black construction paper in to fit the bottom of the box to help to absorb the sun's heat.

Close the box, roll up some newspaper, and fit it around the inside edges of the box for insulation. It should be about one inch thick. Use tape to hold the newspaper in place, tape it only to the bottom of the box only.

Cut two pieces of plastic wrap an inch larger than the flap opening on the box top. Open the box and tape one piece of plastic wrap to the underside of

the flap opening. After taping one side, be sure to pull the plastic wrap very tight, and tape down all four sides so the plastic is sealed against the cardboard. Close the box and tape the other piece of plastic wrap to the top of the flap opening. Again, be sure the plastic wrap is tight and tape down all four edges to form a seal.

To Use: On a sunny day, pick a treat to warm up and carry it and the box outside to a sunny spot. If it's cold outside, put a towel or blanket under the box so the bottom doesn't get cold. Open the box, put the treat in the center, and close the box. Open the flap and turn the box so the foil is facing the sun. The shadow of the flap should go straight back from the back of the box. Move the flap up and down and note how it reflects the sunlight. Use a dowel, ruler, or stick to prop up the flap so that it bounces the sunlight into the box. Wait about a half hour for the box to warm up in the sun. Then it's time to relax and enjoy the warmed-up treat.

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Hot Dog Cooker

Whether you call them hot dogs, frankfurters or wieners - there's no doubt about it, America has a love affair with franks. Using the sun's energy, this project is a fun summertime project (easier than the previous one) to heat up the sizzling sausages! The design of this simple solar cooker allows sunlight to reflect onto the center hot dog to heat it up faster.

You'll need: A cardboard (shoe or boot) box; heavy duty aluminum foil; poster board.

To do: Cut a curve in the sides of the box (see illustration). Cut poster board to fit flush onto the curved cut. Secure poster board to box with duct tape or other strong tape. Cover the curve with heavy duty tinfoil, shiny



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side out. Smooth foil over poster board, keeping foil as wrinkle free as possible. Attach two "tabs" to the center sides of the box (use cardboard from shoe box cover). Poke one hole in each tab to form a rotisserie type holder. Using a metal barbecue skewer (or straighten out a metal coat hanger section and twist one end), thread hot dog onto skewer and into side tabs. Place directly in sun, angling cooker to focus heat onto the center hot dog. Turn hot dog as it heats up.

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Sun Power Purifies Water: From Dirty to Drinkable

This amazing demonstration spotlights the power of the sun to purify salt water and make contaminated water drinkable! Using common pantry materials, the project is a great "survival" experiment for all ages.

You'll need: A large clear glass bowl (Pyrex mixing bowl is ideal); a small drinking glass; Saran or other plastic food wrap; food coloring; table salt; a small rock, marble or pebble.

Instructions: Pour tap water into bowl and add a few tablespoons of salt. Add a few drops of food coloring.

Stand up the empty drinking glass in the center of the bowl (water level should be about half way up outside of glass).

Cover the bowl with the plastic food covering. Place a pebble in the exact center of the plastic wrap so it is directly above the top of the glass and forms a dip in the plastic. (There needs to be plenty of space between the glass rim and the plastic wrap to allow for drip-page). You might have to loosen wrap a little to allow for dip. Place bowl in direct sun and watch what happens!

Note: The sun's heat is trapped in the bowl. The salty water will evaporate, rise and condense to form clean water

that will drip into the glass!

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Solar Science: Sun Saturation

Did you ever wonder if it's true that dark colors absorb more heat? Here's an easy experiment from the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) that shows sun saturations effect on temperatures.

To do: Cut a three inch circle from white construction paper, and a three inch circle from black construction paper. Place one of each in the bottom of two clear plastic cups or clear deli containers of equal size. Pour a quarter cup of cold water into each container and check the temperature. Cover each cup in clear plastic (Saran) wrap, taping down if necessary. Place in full sun and record how fast the temperature rises in each cup.

Sun Dried Tomatoes

True "sun dried" tomatoes are a treat worth waiting for. The authentic recipe thanks the sun for its rich flavor and chewy texture.

Ingredients: Garden tomatoes (plum work well); sea salt; screen frame.

Directions: Slice tomatoes (thinner for firmer tomatoes, thicker for chewy). Place in a single layer atop a clean screen mesh frame. Sprinkle with coarse sea salt and/or herbs. Cover with a second layer of screen mesh; secure edges. Allow to dry in the sun for several days.

Tomatoes are done when they have the consistency of a plump raisin. Store in a zip lock plastic bags or pack in a jar with olive oil. May also be frozen.

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The after picture of the Cancer Destroyer

VICTORY

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“Great job Jimmy! Way to go APD!” states Aaron Suss.

The Cancer Destroyer was battling against the Spencer Police Department, the Leicester Police Department, the Holland Police Department, and the

East Brookfield Fire Department. Each car brought its own taste for destruction, and even though Holland Police were close to winning, the Auburn Cancer Destroyer did what it does best, destroys.

The demolition derby and all Pink Patch accessories and gear is to help those fighting against cancer. Pink Patch items can be purchased at the Auburn Police Station and all money



Leicester Police Department's car

donated goes to the Adam Bullen Foundation to help those who are affected by cancer and their families. A great display of camaraderie and caring on the part of the Auburn Police

Department and all other departments involved. When a town comes together for a noble cause there is a need for celebration, or in this case, a demolition.



East Brookfield Fire Department's car



Spencer Police Department's car

TRAINOR

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

readers out there to share your best helpful hints!

*** Do you have a helpful hint or handy tip that has worked for you? Do you have a question regarding household or garden matters? If so, why not share them with readers of Stonebridge Press newspapers? Send questions and/or hints to: Take the Hint! C/o the Southbridge Evening News, PO Box 90; Southbridge, MA 01550. Or E-mail KDRR@aol.com. Hints are entered into a drawing for dinner for two at the historic Publick House Inn.*



Holland Police Department's car

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Friday's Child

Hi! My name is Kennadie and I love cartoons!

Kennadie is a happy 1-year-old baby of Caucasian descent. Kennadie likes to watch cartoons and she is fascinated by the colors and sounds in the shows. She also loves bouncing in her chair and practicing her walking skills!

Kennadie is legally free for adoption and can be placed with any type of family with or without other children. Interested families will need to be able to accommodate Kennadie's frequent appointments with her doctors and specialists.

Who Can Adopt?

Can you provide the guidance, love and stability that a child needs? If you're at least 18 years old, have a stable source of income, and room in your heart, you may be a perfect match to adopt a waiting child. Adoptive parents can be single, married, or partnered; experienced or not; renters or homeowners; LGBTQ singles and couples.

The process to adopt a child from foster care requires training, interviews, and home visits to determine if adoption is right for you, and if so, to help connect you with a child or sibling group that your family will be a good match for.

To learn more about adoption from foster care, call the Massachusetts Adoption Resource Exchange (MARE) at 617-54-ADOPT (617-542-3678) or visit www.mareinc.org.

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EDITORIAL

Weekly newspaper worries

The information age is not dead, but it is changing.

Up to the minute, right now national news is available 24/7 right on your phone, or even your wrist. There is no need to wait to find out what the latest news is from Washington DC; it's right there, right at your fingertips.

But... That isn't true, or at least it isn't yet true, of most local news.

Yes, many news outlets attempt to put up websites and Facebook pages, use Twitter feeds and "get the breaking news" out there if it is deemed important enough. The Webster tornado is a good example; a fire, a big accident that affects traffic, that sort of thing.

Otherwise, there's still some problems with online news for local consumption.

And there is equally problems with print news.

We recognize that. We are a weekly. We have a print schedule that deals with a number of publications, several from other states as well as our own Massachusetts sister newspapers. It means, as an example, the Webster newspaper is finished for print by Tuesday, though the reader isn't going to see it until Thursday or Friday. This week was even worse with a shortened deadline because of a holiday.

Deadlines are not daily because we aren't daily.

NOT being daily causes some unusual difficulties in other areas too. If we miss something, we can't just pick it up the next day, we are in a news cycle of up to 10 days.

Our solution is to find out more about the topic, do a more in depth story, find out more about it and have a better story with more recent facts when we do have a chance to cover it.

Still, things are missed. Missed entirely.

We are fallible. We have finite resources, the number of people doing newsgathering varies from situation to situation sometimes; it is the reality of the new newsroom.

And we just aren't omniscient. If someone doesn't tell us about something, we don't always know.

In that same vein, we can't get to events when someone calls us 15 minutes before it happens most of the time either. We don't have people waiting for phone calls to tell them where to be. They are usually already committed somewhere.

And we are definitely doing it with fewer resources, fewer as compared to say 50 years ago. Some of that can be laid directly at the door of technology. We found a page from a publication in the 1970s, listing all the employees and wishing the readers happy holidays. It included photographers (multiple, they had to develop, crop and print their own photos as well as take them); reporters (multiple); production staff (at least three times as many as today); editor(s); print staff; linotypists (that job no longer even exists); daily courier (he went from office to office physically picking up 'stuff', quickly replaced by fax machines); receptionists, typists, billing and accounting people....the staff numbered at least 50 people for that single publication.

The photos are done in the computer, the typing and editing, is all computerized; the layout is computerized as is ad creation and compositing; the fax and email do all the messaging; the reporting staff rarely even come physically to an office, doing all their work remotely, staying in touch by phone and email. It's a different world.

But it is still, very, very much rooted in each town. Each newspaper is indeed locally committed. The intent is real, the need to know what is happening in each town hall, in each school system, in the budgets and the ballots is all too real.

There is a need for the press to be there, to be looking over the shoulders of those Powers That Be; to ask the questions, to get the answers and to then share those answers with you.

That's why while it will continue to be imperfect, and we hope you'll let us know when we make the errors, you will also continue to stand by us and support us.

Earning an honor

The Auburn Public Schools has long believed that ALL children deserve to be educated in safe environments where they can work, learn, grow and thrive, taking risks, making mistakes, receiving support and challenge from our dedicated staff and, ultimately, finding success. For some children, more support may be required, while for others, less may be needed. As educators, it is incumbent upon us to create the learning environments in which it is easier for all students to find success, as such environments truly can be created and they do exist in the best of schools.

A week or so ago, Auburn High School was notified of an honor it had recently earned: it was named an official Special Olympics National Banner Unified Champion School! As indicated in the notification received, "this honor was received in recognition of AHS' strong efforts to provide inclusive sports and activities for students with and without disabilities...having met national standards of excellence in the areas of inclusion, advocacy and respect."

Being one of only ten schools in Massachusetts and 131 nationwide to achieve this status was tremendous news, but what came next was even more impressive: Auburn High had been named to the ESPN Honor Roll 2018 as the TOP school in Massachusetts, with only 29 other schools from across the nation being likewise named a Unified Champion School.

Alison DeLuca, AHS special educator, first brought the idea of a unified sports program to Auburn High several years ago, with students initially participating in a bocce tournament. In subsequent years, additional sports were added to now include track and basketball, all played simultaneously by students with and without disabilities. As the announcement went on to state, "The athletes, partners, students, coaches, volunteers, teachers, staff and administration at Auburn have all played key roles in creating a social climate where everyone feels included and respected for who they are. We are honored to have such a strong and fully inclusive school be recognized for the hard work and determination you have demonstrated to grow your program

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to the outstanding one it is today, and we look forward to new heights it will reach tomorrow and years to come!"

"Currently, more than 150 schools are participating in Special Olympics Unified Champion Schools programming in Massachusetts, as part of more than 6,000 schools across the country. Special Olympics has a global goal of creating 10,000 Unified Champion Schools by 2020. The Special Olympics Unified Champion Schools model is supported by the Office of Special Education Programs at the U.S. Department of Education. This model has been proven, through research, to be an effective and replicable means to providing students with and without disabilities the opportunity to form positive social relationships and promote a socially inclusive school climate. Key data points include:

84% of students regard participation in the program as a turning point in their lives.

72% of involved teachers believe participation in the program has increased the confidence of students with disabilities

88% credit the program with reducing bullying and teasing in their schools."

In closing, Timothy P. Shriver's words, Chairman of Special Olympics International, speak volumes about what we believe in all of the Auburn Public Schools: "Your school community has shown impressive determination and is helping us move towards our collective goal of creating a truly 'unified generation' of young people who embrace differences and lead social change. You are literally redefining the future as you make your communities more inclusive of people with intellectual disabilities and, in doing so, making the world a more accepting place for all."

Always proud to serve as the Superintendent of the Auburn Public Schools, this is an especially proud moment and I hope that it is for you, too!

To contact me to share an idea, a concern or to ask a question, I can be reached at 508-832-7755 or via e-mail at mbrunelle@auburn.k12.ma.us. Thank you for your continued interest in and support of the Auburn Public Schools!

Have you planned for long-term care?



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If you are fortunate, you will retain your physical and mental capacities throughout your life and can always live independently. But there are no guarantees for any of us. If you ever require some form of long-term care, will you be prepared?

So what is the risk of needing long-term care services? According to the Department of Health & Human Services, about 40% of individuals over age 65 receive some form of paid in-home care, with an average care period lasting less than one year. However, about one-third of the population receives care in a nursing home: Of those individuals, about half stay less than one year, 30% stay between one and three years, and 20% stay longer than five years.

And, unfortunately, this care can be expensive. For example, it costs \$97,500 per year, on average, for a private room in a nursing home, according to the 2017 Cost of Care Survey produced by Genworth, an insurance company. In some major metropolitan areas, the cost is much higher. Furthermore, Medicare typically pays only a small percentage of these expenses.

So, how do you protect yourself against these potentially catastrophic costs? Essentially, you have four options:

Self-insure - You can try to build enough financial assets to cover the costs of a long-term care event. However, you would need to accumulate an extremely large sum to fully protect yourself, and you'd be diverting assets that could be used to help fund your retirement.

Long-term care insurance - A traditional long-term care (LTC) insurance policy will pay for qualified long-term care costs. The younger you are when you purchase your policy, the lower your annual premiums are likely to be. Keep in mind, though, that a basic LTC policy offers no death benefit or cash value - your premiums are only paying for a nursing home stay, home health care or other type of long-term care service. (Also, even a good LTC policy will include a waiting period before the insurance kicks in and a maximum amount of coverage, such as three years.)

Hybrid/linked benefit insurance - Because of some concerns about paying for insurance but never needing care with traditional long-term care insurance, this type of insurance provides a death benefit plus long-term care coverage. You can accelerate the death benefit to help pay for long-term care costs, and you can also choose to create an additional pool for these costs after the death benefit has been exhausted. But if you don't need long-term care, you still have the life insurance death benefit. Due to the death benefit, your premiums will be higher than those of a traditional long-term care policy.

Life insurance with long-term care/chronic illness rider - By choosing a permanent life insurance policy with this rider, you can accelerate all or part of the death benefit to pay for long-term care costs. (Your death benefit will then be reduced.) This option generally provides more flexibility in paying premiums than a hybrid policy, which may require a larger dollar commitment. Similar to hybrid, you still have the life insurance benefit if you don't need care.

Which option is best for you? There's no one "right" answer for everyone, but a financial professional can help you choose the method that's most appropriate for your situation. And from an economic standpoint - and possibly an emotional one, too - you may be better off by taking action sooner, rather than later.

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Dublin (Pt. 2)

The air on the Appalachian Trail was crisp, and Dublin pretended to be a scout, loping ahead, discovering an interesting smell, and then dancing up to me again when his olfactory desire had been satisfied. Trailing behind his excited exploring, I could not imagine my life without him. Was I projecting human characteristics onto him, or did he really have a sense of humor? He would lower his head, stare into my eyes, and growl in feigned annoyance until I joined in play. He energized me, kept me in touch with my surroundings, and reminded me that life was to be lived with passion.

Slowly I adjusted to the woods at night. The tree mice that scampered in the dark and rustled the leaves didn't terrify me as much. Besides, I had Dublin the Wonder Dog close by. Nothing big was going to get too close with him around.

I was crossing a brook one morning, and lying on its side, half in the water was what looked like a child's rag doll. On closer inspection, it was a Basset hound, all skin and bones, clearly starved. It was so weak that it couldn't raise its head. I remembered the park ranger talking about the 60 reports of missing dogs just that summer. Dublin came over and sniffed, but didn't stay. Did he smell the imminent death? I removed the dog's collar to give to the Park Rangers when I returned. The collar tag read "Lucky." Death came within an hour.

I left the body there, and followed Dublin who scampered up the hill to the main trail.

This was the night that a black bear sniffed into my camp and Dublin's ferocious baying scared him up a tree. I couldn't believe something so large could scale a tree trunk so fast. I had a flashlight on the bear, but I could see that he was getting tired. The dark mass began to slide slowly down the side of the trunk, scraping off large chunks of bark with his claws. That threatening din mixed with rain pattered unnerved me. I jumped out of my sleeping bag and took off through the bushes. The bear spooked Dublin badly too; he passed me with frightened yelps as we ran through the undergrowth.

I smile now but it didn't seem so funny then, especially running in wet socks and long underwear. Dublin's yelps had gotten farther away and then stopped. Now it seemed deathly quiet except for the sound of the rain. I still had my flashlight and made plenty of noise when I returned to the campsite. The bear had torn the tent and dragged some of my clothing outside, but a quick glance showed my



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backpack still hanging in the tree. Now I just had to find Dublin.

Then the sudden vision hit me: Dublin, skin and bones, dying in the vast wilderness. Dublin was really smart. But there was nothing to make me believe that he would have anymore of a chance in these woods than the unlucky Lucky. I reasoned that he would head down the main trail back the way we had come. The rain slapped the dead leaves with a loud patter.

For the next few hours, I walked and whistled and called...then stopped to listen...and began again. My pack became soaked, heavier, and cut into my shoulders. At about five a.m., I reached the campground. The Ranger Station was closed and the posted hours said opening at 7 a.m. I trudged to my car.

A park ranger later reported that there was a campsite with a lost Airedale. Yes! An Irish terrier certainly looked like an Airedale. The campsite was a distance away, but I began walking with a little more spring in my step. The near empty tent section fell behind and I entered the campsites for RVs, mostly Airstreams. They were shiny and lights were coming on, and the smell of frying bacon mixed with the pine. This was luxury camping, bringing your living room to the wilderness.

I stopped. Underneath a large awning, an elderly woman was talking to Dublin.

He was sitting on the seat of a picnic table, comfortable, up off the ground, as if he belonged there. I stage whispered his name; he turned, wagged his tail once, and then returned his gaze to the front. He was focused on the woman across the table who was cooking with a large fry pan on a portable stove. We both watched as she finished his scrambled eggs, and delivered them to him...on a plate.

The woman smiled: "Is this your dog? He is so well trained!"

It should be noted that Dublin did not wolf down the food. In an almost dainty fashion, he ate slowly. He seemed to savor the steaming eggs. I thanked her for holding onto Dublin, yes, a beautiful name for an Irish terrier, and for letting the Rangers know; we had coffee under the tarp and a good laugh at the bear story. I was so relieved at finding Dublin alive that I didn't have the heart to address his late night, ahem, "strategic retreat." Much later I took great delight in telling the story of his passing me in the dark, yelping in fear; he never seemed to pay any attention. But every once in a while,

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Auburn High Pre-Kindergarten Rocket Zone Café

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
No School 3 HAPPY LABOR DAY	Ham & Cheese on WG Sandwich 4 Peas & Corn Local Greens Salad w/Asst. Dressings Fresh Fruit Cup	NEW! Cheddar Cheese Omelet, Soft Warm Bagel 5 Homefried Red Potatoes Sliced Carrots Assorted Fruit Cup	American Chop Suey 6 Shredded Mozzarella Cheese Soft Dinner Roll w/Butter Pat Seasoned Green Beans Fruited Jell-O FUN! STICKER DAY	Big Daddy Cheese Pizza 7 Red Pepper Strips w/Hummus Fresh Greens Salad w/Asst. Dressings Assorted Fruit Cup
Chicken Salad Wrap 10 Macaroni Salad Celery Sticks & Dip Assorted Fruit Cup	Taco's w/Shredded Cheese Shredded Lettuce & Diced Tomatoes w/Taco Shells 11 Seasoned Rice, Buttered Corn Refried Beans Fresh Fruit Cup	Juicy Hamburger on a Roll 12 Condiments Cucumber Wedges Sweet Potato Fries Assorted Fruit Cup	Crunchy Chicken Nuggets 13 Fried Rice Stir Fry Veggies Fresh Fruit Cup Fresh Baked Cookie	Gill's Cheese Pizza 14 Broccoli & Cheese Sauce Roasted Butternut Squash Romaine Salad w/Asst. Dressings Assorted Fruit Cup
Mac & Cheese 17 Vegetable Medley (Broccoli, Carrots & Cauliflower) Soft Dinner Roll w/Butter Pat Fruit Cup	Crunchy Chicken 18 Parmesan w/Rotini & Sauce Sliced Fresh Carrots Romaine Salad w/Asst. Dressings Fresh Fruit Cup	Maple Glazed French Toast Egg Patty 19 NEW! Hashbrown Rounds Condiments Assorted Fruit Cup	School Made Meatloaf Dinner 20 Whipped Potatoes w/Savory Gravy, Peas & Carrots Cheesy Garlic Breadstick Fresh Fruit Cup	NEW! Nardone French Bread Pizza 21 Roasted Chickpeas Crunchy Garden Salad w/Asst. Dressings Assorted Fruit Cup
Teriyaki Grilled Chicken Sandwich on NEW! Pretzel Bun 24 Lettuce & Tomato Slice Sliced Red Pepper Strips & Dip Fresh Fruit Cup	NEW! Comida Vida African Chicken w/Buttered Noodles 25 Broccoli & Bacon Salad Fluffy WG Biscuit Fresh Fruit Cup	All American Hot Dog on a Bun w/Cup of Chili 26 Condiments Green Peas New England Baked Beans Assorted Fruit Cup	Stuffed Shells w/Marinara Sauce 27 Roasted Broccoli & Carrots Romaine Salad w/Asst. Dressings Fresh Fruit Cup Fresh Baked Cookie	Gill's Cheese Pizza 28 Spiral Fries Squash Medley Assorted Fruit Cup

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Auburn Middle School

Monday	Tasty Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
No School 3 HAPPY LABOR DAY	"KFC" Popcorn Chicken Bowl 4 Whipped Potatoes & Gravy Corn Niblets Fresh Fruit or Fruit Cup	Double Burger on a Bun w/Cheese & Bacon 5 Condiments, Pickles Spicy Spiral Fries Assorted Fruit Cups	Rotini & Sauce 6 Choice of Meatballs Shredded Mozzarella Cheese Sliced Carrots Garlic Dinner Roll w/Butter Pat Fresh Fruit or Fruited Jell-O & Cream	5" Round Pizza Slice - Varieties 7 Red Pepper Strips w/Hummus Crunchy Garden Salad w/Asst. Dressings Assorted Fruit Cups
NEW! Cheddar Cheese Omelet 10 Soft Warm Bagel Homefried Red Potatoes Assorted Fruit Cups or Orange Juice Cup	Taco's w/Shredded Cheese, Shredded Lettuce & Diced Tomatoes w/Taco Shells 11 Seasoned Rice Fresh Carrots Savory Black Beans Fresh Fruit or Fruit Cup	Turkey, Cheese & Bacon Club on a Grinder 12 Fun Size Potato Chips Buttered Corn Assorted Fruit Cups	NEW! Asian Mandarin Orange Chicken Bites 13 Veggie Egg Roll, Fried Rice Stir Fry Veggies Fresh Fruit or Fruit Cup Fresh Baked Cookie	Gill's Pizza Slice - Varieties 14 Broccoli & Cheese Sauce Assorted Fruit Cups
Creamy Mac & Cheese 17 Vegetable Medley (Broccoli, Carrots & Cauliflower) Soft Dinner Roll w/Butter Pat Fresh Fruit or Fruit Cup	Chicken & Cheese Quesadillas 18 Broccoli & Cheese Sauce Refried Beans Fresh Fruit or Fruit Cup FUN! STICKER DAY	Crispy Chicken w/Bacon on a NEW! Pretzel Bun 19 Lettuce & Tomato Slice Sliced Carrots Assorted Fruit Cups	Italian Lasagna Roll Ups w/Tomato Sauce 20 Italian Green Beans Herb Texas Toast Fresh Fruit or Fruit Cup Pudding & Cream	NEW! Nardone French Bread Pizza 21 Cucumber Wheels Crunchy Garden Salad w/Asst. Dressings Assorted Fruit Cups
Maple Glazed French Toast, Egg Patty 24 NEW! Hashbrown Rounds Ketchup Fresh Fruit or Fruit Cup	Ham & Swiss or Turkey & Provolone Panini's 25 Broccoli & Bacon Salad Fresh Fruit or Fruit Cup	Double Burger on a Bun 26 2 Onion Ring Slices Condiments, Pickles Peas & Carrots Baked Beans Assorted Fruit Cups	Crunchy Chicken Parmesan Sandwich 27 Seasoned Broccoli Fresh Fruit or Fruit Cup Fresh Baked Cookie	Gill's Pizza Slice - Varieties 28 Roasted Butternut Squash Assorted Fruit Cups

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Auburn High School Rocket Zone Café

Monday	Tasty Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
No School 3 HAPPY LABOR DAY	"Steak & Cheese Bomb" Grinder 4 Baked Potato w/Sour Cream Peas & Corn Local Greens Salad w/Asst. Dressings Fresh Fruit or Fruit Cup	NEW! Cheddar Cheese Omelet, Soft Warm Bagel 5 Homefried Red Potatoes Sliced Carrots Romaine Salad w/Asst. Dressings Assorted Fruit Cups	American Chop Suey 6 Shredded Mozzarella Cheese Soft Dinner Roll w/Butter Pat Seasoned Green Beans Crunchy Garden Salad w/Asst. Dressings Fresh Fruit or Fruited Jell-O	Big Daddy Pizza Slice - Varieties 7 Red Pepper Strips w/Hummus Fresh Greens Salad w/Asst. Dressings Assorted Fruit Cups
Mediterranean Chicken Salad Wrap 10 Macaroni Salad Celery Sticks & Dip Local Greens Salad & Asst. Dressings Assorted Fruit Cups	Taco's w/Shredded Cheese Shredded Lettuce & Diced Tomatoes w/Taco Shells 11 Seasoned Rice, Buttered Corn Refried Beans Romaine Salad w/Asst. Dressings Fresh Fruit or Fruit Cup	Build Your Own Double Burger 12 Assorted Toppings, Condiments Cucumber Wedges Sweet Potato Fries Crunchy Garden Salad w/Asst. Dressings Assorted Fruit Cups	General Tso Chicken Rice Bowl w/Veggie Egg Roll 13 Fried Rice, Stir Fry Veggies Fresh Greens Salad w/Asst. Dressings Fresh Fruit or Fruit Cup Fresh Baked Cookie	Gill's Pizza Slice - Varieties 14 Broccoli & Cheese Sauce Roasted Butternut Squash Romaine Salad w/Asst. Dressings Assorted Fruit Cups
Buffalo Mac & Cheese 17 Vegetable Medley (Broccoli, Carrots & Cauliflower) Soft Dinner Roll w/Butter Pat Fresh Greens Salad w/Asst. Dressings Fresh Fruit or Fruit Cup	Crunchy Chicken 18 Parmesan w/Rotini & Sauce Sliced Fresh Carrots Romaine Salad w/Asst. Dressings Fresh Fruit or Fruit Cup	Maple Glazed French Toast Egg Patty 19 NEW! Hashbrown Rounds Condiments Crunchy Garden Salad w/Asst. Dressings Assorted Fruit Cups	School Made Meatloaf Dinner 20 Whipped Potatoes w/Savory Gravy Peas & Carrots Cheesy Garlic Breadstick Romaine Salad w/Asst. Dressings Fresh Fruit or Fruit Cup Pudding & Cream	NEW! Schwan's French Bread Garlic Pizza 21 Buttered Peas Roasted Chickpeas Crunchy Garden Salad w/Asst. Dressings Assorted Fruit Cups
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AUBURN FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

All schedules are subject to change.

Thursday, Sept. 6 vs. St. Peter-Marian, 7 p.m.
 Friday, Sept. 14 at Dennis-Yarmouth, 7 p.m.
 Friday, Sept. 21 vs. North Middlesex, 7 p.m.
 Friday, Sept. 28 vs. Tantasqua, 7 p.m.

Saturday, Oct. 6 at Uxbridge, 2 p.m.
 Saturday, Oct. 13 at Northbridge, 3:30 p.m.
 Friday, Oct. 19 at Grafton, 7 p.m.
 Friday, Oct. 26 vs. Millbury, 7 p.m.
 Thursday, Nov. 22 vs. Holy Name, 10:15 a.m.



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Auburn will have a hopeful postseason tune-up at home versus crosstown rival Millbury on Oct. 26 at 7 p.m.

BAY PATH FOOTBALL SCHEDULE



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After a pair of road games to open the season, Bay Path's home opener is slated for Sept. 21 versus David Prouty at 7 p.m.

All schedules are subject to change.

Friday, Sept. 7 at Southbridge, 7 p.m.
 Friday, Sept. 14 at Bartlett, 7 p.m.
 Friday, Sept. 21 vs. David Prouty, 7 p.m.
 Saturday, Sept. 29 vs. Monty Tech, 1:30 p.m.

Friday, Oct. 5 vs. Assabet, 7 p.m.
 Friday, Oct. 12 vs. Blackstone Valley Tech, 7 p.m.
 Friday, Oct. 19 vs. Worcester Tech, 7 p.m.
 Friday, Oct. 26 at Abby Kelley, 7 p.m.
 Thursday, Nov. 22 at Oxford, 10 a.m.

SPORTS BRIEFS

Auburn 24th annual School/Business Partnership Golf Tournament set for Sept. 10

The proceeds of this year's golf tournament go directly to support the Auburn Chamber's mini-grants for teachers, and scholarships to graduating seniors, of both the local community and for our Chamber member businesses. Due to all local support, the Chamber has awarded \$297,000 since 1995.

The tournament will be held Sept. 10 at Heritage Country Club in Charlton. The 10 a.m. shotgun start will begin its registration at 9 a.m. Tournament sponsors, partnership sponsors and tee signs are all available. Please email Virginia Parent at vparent@WorcesterChamber.org or visit <http://auburnchamberma.org/> for more information.

Oxford Little League Memorial Golf Tournament comes to Pine Ridge Country Club

The seventh annual Oxford Little League Steven J. Horgan Memorial Golf Tournament is set for Sunday, Sept. 23 at Pine Ridge Country Club in Oxford. The 11 a.m. shotgun start (\$100 per player) also features good food, prizes, contests, sport collectibles and a silent auction. Sign-up and sponsorship information is available at www.oxfordlitleague.com or by emailing horgangolftournament@gmail.com. The sign-up deadline is Friday, Sept. 14. Tee and green sponsors are also available for \$200. Interested in dinner only? The cost for that is \$25 per person.

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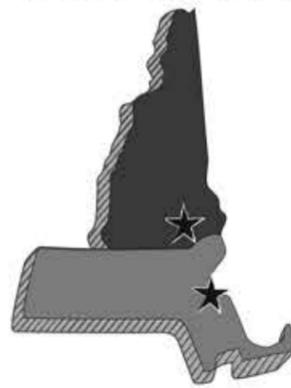
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he would get a "snarky" gleam in his eye. I worried that one-day he would turn, raise an eyebrow, and whisper, "Who had the eggs?"

Months later in a group training exercise at the Maryland School of Social Work, I stood in the center of a circle of fellow students who lay on the carpet, feet towards me. We were each to stand, step to the center, and look down

at each face until slowly completing the 360-degree pivot. Then it was the next person's turn. Most of the students on the floor had their eyes closed. I stood, stepped to the center, and began the slow movement. Suddenly I found myself rushing the turn, and laying back down abruptly. A few of us had experienced the same whirl, and on reflection, my hurry had begun with a glance at Sam's face, an older gentleman with eyes shut tight. And that day at Ocean City came back, the victim's face, and I began to talk about the

incident that brought me into intimate contact with death.

It was an epiphany. Mine took place with strangers I had come to trust. They encouraged me to examine a profound memory. I flinched. I tried to hide from it. But there it was: once Death kissed me on a sunny beach, a forced kiss, cold and indifferent. I had buried that horror deep in my mind. What I did not grasp immediately was how that memory was bound to the joy of a bouncing Irish terrier.

Years later, I wept for days when

Dublin died. In that great time, I lost the unconditional love of a friend, and mourned that loss, mourned his death, and my death to come, and yours, and all who lived or would ever live. With Dublin, I learned that fear makes the bear bigger. And with Dublin I learned to embrace anything that makes you feel glad to be alive. But the real lesson of Dublin was that death leaves a heart-ache nothing can heal.

You just get make room for it.

LUNCH **AUGUST 2018**
 Lunch Price \$2.75, \$4.00 Reduced and Free for those eligible. Milk \$5.50.
 Breakfast Price \$1.75, \$3.00 Reduced and Free for those eligible. Bryn Mawr & Pakachoag School

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<p>Available Daily</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Hot Lunch Entrée Bagel w/Cream Cheese Cup and a 4 oz. Yogurt & Cheese Stick Lunch Launcher Meal/Meat with Veggies, Fruit & Crackers (Vegetarian Choice) PBJ Meal 	<p>WORCESTER REGIONAL FOOD HUB</p>	<p>1</p>	<p>2</p> <p>Locally Grown</p>	<p>3</p>
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20	21	22	23	24
27	28	<p>29</p> <p>Juicy Hamburger or Cheeseburger on a Roll New England Baked Beans Pickles, Condiments Buttered Peas Assorted Fruit Cups</p>	<p>30</p> <p>NEW! Wild Mike's Pizza Bites Marinara Sauce Cup Fresh Garden Salad w/Asst. Dressings Assorted Fruit Cups</p>	<p>31</p> <p>No School</p>

Students may select: 1. One entrée. 2. Pick 1 fruit and 1 or 2 vegetable sides. 3. Select a Milk choice of either Fat Free Chocolate Milk 8 oz., Fat Free White 8 oz. or 1% White Milk 8 oz. or 8 oz. bottle of water. 4. Extra items may be offered occasionally such as pudding, WG cookie or other items listed on the menu that do not qualify for a protein, fruit, vegetable or milk. Elementary students can select 8 oz. milk or 8 oz. bottle water with their lunch. If a student wants 8 oz. milk AND 8 oz. bottled water there will be a \$.50 cent additional charge. NOTE: Water is also available from food service dispensers for all children at no charge.

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 Breakfast Price \$1.75, \$3.00 Reduced and Free for those eligible. Bryn Mawr & Pakachoag School

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<p>3</p> <p>NO SCHOOL HAPPY LABOR DAY</p>	<p>4</p> <p>Tomato Soup w/Goldfish Toasted Cheese Sandwich on WG Bread Roasted Chickpeas Fresh Carrot Sticks Fresh Fruit or Fruit Cup</p>	<p>5</p> <p>Thick WG Waffles Sausage Links Maple Syrup NEW! Hashbrown Rounds Ketchup Assorted Fruit Cups</p>	<p>6</p> <p>Spaghetti w/Plain or Meat Sauce Shredded Mozzarella Cheese Roasted Broccoli Cheesy Garlic Bread Fresh Fruit or Fruited Jell-O</p>	<p>7</p> <p>Stuffed Crust Pizza Slice - Varieties Crunchy Garden Salad w/Asst. Dressings Assorted Fruit Cups</p>
<p>10</p> <p>Maple Glazed French Toast Egg Patty Potato Hashbrown Condiments Assorted Fruit Cups</p>	<p>11</p> <p>Taco's w/Shredded Cheese Shredded Lettuce & Diced Tomatoes w/Taco Shells Seasoned Rice Buttered Peas & Carrots Refried Beans Fresh Fruit or Fruit Cup</p>	<p>12</p> <p>Crunchy Chicken Patty on a Roll Veggie Pasta Salad Fresh Celery Sticks Assorted Fruit Cups</p>	<p>13</p> <p>Italian Mini Cheese Ravioli w/Tomato Sauce Sliced Carrots Wheels Garlic Bread Stick Fresh Fruit or Fruit Cup Fresh Baked Cookie FUN! STICKER DAY</p>	<p>14</p> <p>Gill's Pizza Slice - Varieties Broccoli & Cheese Sauce Assorted Fruit Cups</p>
<p>17</p> <p>Student's Favorite Popcorn Chicken Dipping Sauces Sweet Potato Puffs Assorted Fruit Cups</p>	<p>18</p> <p>Creamy Mac & Cheese Fresh Broccoli Trees & Dip Soft Dinner Roll w/Butter Pat Fresh Fruit or Fruit Cup</p>	<p>19</p> <p>All American Hot Dog on a WG Bun Condiments Seasoned Green Beans New England Baked Beans Assorted Fruit Cups</p>	<p>20</p> <p>Oven Roasted Seasoned Chicken Dinner NEW! Smashed Potato Bites Carrot Slices Honey Wheat Roll w/Butter Pat Fresh Fruit or Fruit Cup</p>	<p>21</p> <p>NEW! MaxStix Cheese Filled Breadsticks Marinara Sauce Cup Romaine Salad w/Asst. Dressings Assorted Fruit Cups</p>
<p>24</p> <p>NEW! Cheddar Cheese Omelet Soft Warm Bagel Baked Potato Puffs Assorted Fruit Cups</p>	<p>25</p> <p>Taco's w/Shredded Cheese Shredded Lettuce & Diced Tomatoes w/Taco Shells Seasoned Rice Glazed Carrots Fresh Fruit or Fruit Cup</p>	<p>26</p> <p>Juicy Hamburger on a Roll 2 Onion Ring Slices New England Baked Beans Pickles, Condiments Baked Sweet Potato Fries Assorted Fruit Cups</p>	<p>27</p> <p>Glazed Chicken Drumstick Crunchy Garden Salad w/Asst. Dressings Herb Texas Toast Fresh Fruit or Fruit Cup</p>	<p>28</p> <p>Gill's Pizza Slice - Varieties Roasted Broccoli Assorted Fruit Cups</p>

Available Daily

- Hot Lunch Entrée
- Bagel w/Cream Cheese Cup and a 4 oz. Yogurt & Cheese Stick
- Lunch Launcher Meal/Meat with Veggies, Fruit & Crackers (Vegetarian Choice)
- PBJ Meal

Students may select: 1. One entrée. 2. Pick 1 fruit and 1 or 2 vegetable sides. 3. Select a Milk choice of either Fat Free Chocolate Milk 8 oz., Fat Free White 8 oz. or 1% White Milk 8 oz. or 8 oz. bottle of water. 4. Extra items may be offered occasionally such as pudding, WG cookie or other items listed on the menu that do not qualify for a protein, fruit, vegetable or milk. Elementary students can select 8 oz. milk or 8 oz. bottle water with their lunch. If a student wants 8 oz. milk AND 8 oz. bottled water there will be a \$.50 cent additional charge. NOTE: Water is also available from food service dispensers for all children at no charge.

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 Breakfast Price \$1.75, \$3.00 Reduced and Free for those eligible. Pakachoag Pre-Kindergarten

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<p>3</p> <p>NO SCHOOL HAPPY LABOR DAY</p>	<p>4</p> <p>Tomato Soup w/Goldfish Toasted Cheese Sandwich on WG Bread Roasted Chickpeas Fresh Carrot Sticks Fresh Fruit Cup</p>	<p>5</p> <p>Thick WG Waffles Sausage Links Maple Syrup NEW! Hashbrown Rounds Ketchup Assorted Fruit Cup</p>	<p>6</p> <p>Spaghetti w/Plain or Meat Sauce Shredded Mozzarella Cheese Roasted Broccoli Cheesy Garlic Bread Fresh Fruit Cup</p>	<p>7</p> <p>Stuffed Crust Pizza Crunchy Garden Salad w/Asst. Dressings Assorted Fruit Cup</p>
<p>10</p> <p>Maple Glazed French Toast Egg Patty Potato Hashbrown Condiments Assorted Fruit Cup</p>	<p>11</p> <p>Taco's w/Shredded Cheese Shredded Lettuce & Diced Tomatoes w/Taco Shells Seasoned Rice Buttered Peas & Carrots Refried Beans Fresh Fruit Cup</p>	<p>12</p> <p>Crunchy Chicken Patty on a Roll Veggie Pasta Salad Fresh Celery Sticks Assorted Fruit Cup</p>	<p>13</p> <p>Italian Mini Cheese Ravioli w/Tomato Sauce Sliced Carrots Wheels Garlic Bread Stick Fresh Fruit or Fruit Cup Fresh Baked Cookie FUN! STICKER DAY</p>	<p>14</p> <p>Gill's Cheese Pizza Broccoli & Cheese Sauce Assorted Fruit Cup</p>
<p>17</p> <p>Student's Favorite Popcorn Chicken Dipping Sauces Sweet Potato Puffs Assorted Fruit Cup</p>	<p>18</p> <p>Creamy Mac & Cheese Fresh Broccoli Trees & Dip Soft Dinner Roll w/Butter Pat Fresh Fruit Cup</p>	<p>19</p> <p>All American Hot Dog on a WG Bun Condiments Seasoned Green Beans New England Baked Beans Assorted Fruit Cup</p>	<p>20</p> <p>Oven Roasted Seasoned Chicken Dinner NEW! Smashed Potato Bites Carrot Slices Honey Wheat Roll w/Butter Pat Fresh Fruit Cup</p>	<p>21</p> <p>NEW! MaxStix Cheese Filled Breadsticks Marinara Sauce Cup Romaine Salad w/Asst. Dressings Assorted Fruit Cup</p>
<p>24</p> <p>NEW! Cheddar Cheese Omelet Soft Warm Bagel Baked Potato Puffs Assorted Fruit Cup</p>	<p>25</p> <p>Taco's w/Shredded Cheese Shredded Lettuce & Diced Tomatoes w/Taco Shells Seasoned Rice Glazed Carrots Fresh Fruit Cup</p>	<p>26</p> <p>Juicy Hamburger on a Roll 2 Onion Ring Slices New England Baked Beans Pickles, Condiments Baked Sweet Potato Fries Assorted Fruit Cup</p>	<p>27</p> <p>Glazed Chicken Drumstick Crunchy Garden Salad w/Asst. Dressings Herb Texas Toast Fresh Fruit Cup</p>	<p>28</p> <p>Gill's Cheese Pizza Roasted Broccoli Assorted Fruit Cup</p>

Students can select an 8 oz. 1% white milk, FF White OR an 8 oz. bottle of water with their lunch. NOTE: Water is available from food service dispensers for all children at no charge.

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 Breakfast Price \$1.75, \$3.00 Reduced and Free for those eligible. Swanson Road Intermediate School

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<p>3</p> <p>NO SCHOOL HAPPY LABOR DAY</p>	<p>4</p> <p>All American Hot Dog on a Bun Cup of Chili & Beans Condiments Sliced Carrots & Cucumber Wheels Fresh Fruit or Fruit Cup</p>	<p>5</p> <p>Maple Glazed French Toast Egg Patty Potato Hashbrown Condiments Assorted Fruit Cups</p>	<p>6</p> <p>Crusty Chicken Tenders Dipping Sauces Sweet Potato Puffs Soft Dinner Roll w/Butter Pat Fresh Fruit or Fruited Jell-O & Cream</p>	<p>7</p> <p>5" Round Pizza Slice - Varieties Crunchy Garden Salad w/Asst. Dressings Assorted Fruit Cups</p>
<p>10</p> <p>Student's Favorite Popcorn Chicken Dipping Sauces Sweet Potato Puffs Assorted Fruit Cups</p>	<p>11</p> <p>Taco's w/Shredded Cheese Shredded Lettuce & Diced Tomatoes w/Taco Shells Seasoned Rice Fresh Carrots Fresh Fruit or Fruit Cup</p>	<p>12</p> <p>Pulled Pork Burrito Bowl Savory Black Beans Seasoned Rice Broccoli Assorted Fruit Cups FUN! STICKER DAY</p>	<p>13</p> <p>NEW! Creamy Baked Tortellini Peas & Carrots WG Herb Breadstick Fresh Fruit or Fruit Cup Fresh Baked Cookie</p>	<p>14</p> <p>Gill's Pizza Slice - Varieties Corn Niblets Assorted Fruit Cups</p>
<p>17</p> <p>NEW! Cheddar Cheese Omelet Soft Warm Bagel Baked Potato Puffs Assorted Fruit Cups</p>	<p>18</p> <p>Sloppy Joes on a Bun Sweet Potato Fries Roasted Chickpeas Fresh Fruit or Fruit Cup</p>	<p>19</p> <p>NEW! Asian BBQ Teriyaki Chicken Bowl Veggie Egg Roll Fried Rice Stir Fry Veggies Assorted Fruit Cups</p>	<p>20</p> <p>School Made Meatloaf Dinner Whipped Potato & Savory Gravy Cheesy Garlic Breadstick Fresh Fruit or Fruit Cup Pudding & Cream</p>	<p>21</p> <p>NEW! Nardone French Bread Pizza Romaine Salad w/Asst. Dressings Assorted Fruit Cups</p>
<p>24</p> <p>Creamy Mac & Cheese Fresh Broccoli Trees & Dip Soft Dinner Roll w/Butter Pat Fresh Fruit or Fruit Cup</p>	<p>25</p> <p>Taco's w/Shredded Cheese Shredded Lettuce & Diced Tomatoes w/Taco Shells Buttered Peas Hummus & Pita Bread Slice Fresh Fruit or Fruit Cup</p>	<p>26</p> <p>Fresh Made Meatball Sliders on a Roll Shredded Mozzarella Cheese Roasted Sweet Potatoes Assorted Fruit Cups</p>	<p>27</p> <p>Chicken Fajita Rice Bowl Sautéed Peppers & Onions Corn Niblets Fresh Fruit or Fruit Cup Jell-O & Cream</p>	<p>28</p> <p>Gill's Pizza Slice - Varieties Roasted Broccoli Assorted Fruit Cups</p>

Available Daily

- Hot Lunch Entrée
- Bagel w/Cream Cheese Cup and a 4 oz. Yogurt & Cheese Stick
- Yogurt
- Daily Special
- Garden Salad w/Chicken
- Garden Salad w/Vegetarian, Soft/Sweet Snacks & Shredded Cheese

Students may select: 1. One entrée. 2. Pick 1 fruit and 1 or 2 vegetable sides. 3. Select a Milk choice of either Fat Free Chocolate Milk 8 oz., Fat Free White 8 oz. or 1% White Milk 8 oz. 4. Extra items may be offered occasionally such as pudding, WG cookie or other items listed on the menu that do not qualify for a protein, fruit, vegetable or milk. NOTE: Water is available from food service dispensers for all children at no charge.

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Sunday September 15

COMMUNITY DINNER: There will be a community roast beef supper at the First Congregational Church, 128 Central St., Auburn on Saturday, Sept. 15, at 5 p.m. Tickets are \$10 for adults and children 10 and under are free. No reservations are needed. Additional parking is available at the Town Hall.

Sunday September 16

MILL VILLAGE TOUR: On Sunday, Sept. 16 from 1-2 p.m., walk down Auburn's Main Street with Auburn historian Ken Ethier to see the Jeremy Stones 1939 Mill Village Housing and learn about the town's reservoirs created to power the textile mill. Meet at St. Joseph's Church, 194 Oxford St., Auburn. This is event is presented as part of Blackstone Heritage Corridor's GO! program. To learn more, visit www.BlackstoneHeritageCorridor.org.

Tuesday September 18

HISTORY OF THE PD: Auburn Historical Society will be holding its first meeting of the Fall 2018 season on Tuesday, Sept. 18 at 6:30 p.m. at the Auburn Senior Center, 4 Goddard Drive. The speakers will be Tim Cronin and Rich Tobin and they will be presenting Memories of the Auburn Police Department. There will be

a potluck supper prior to the meeting at 5:30, so bring your favorite dish to share. This event is free and open to the public.

Saturday September 29
LIFE BEFORE REFRIGERATORS: On Saturday, Sept. 29 from 1-2 p.m. learn the History of Ice Harvesting. Learn what life was like before refrigerators. Visit the Little Red Shop Museum (12 Hopedale St., Hopedale) for a presentation with Auburn town historian Ken Ethier to learn about the cultivation of the ice field and the storage of ice. Ken will show you his collection of ice harvesting tools. This is event is presented as part of Blackstone Heritage Corridor's GO! program. To learn more, visit www.BlackstoneHeritageCorridor.org.

ONGOING EVENTS
12 STEP PROGRAM: Christian 12 Step Program for Men and Women 7-8:15 p.m. every Tuesday at Faith Baptist Church, 22 Faith Ave, Auburn. Do you feel your life/relationships/habits are spinning out of control? A Christian 12 Step Program is the key to Christ and life providing abundance, blessing and grace. Come as you are or contact (508) 832-5044 x 155 for information.
SUICIDE PREVENTION: Attempted Suicide Prevention Group. Held each Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. at St Bernard's Church, 236 Lincoln St., Worcester Gym Entrance Side, second floor meeting room. Parking & T services. Weekly

facilitator, inspirational speaker, founder Dan Pelly, two time attempted suicide survivor. Your life matters, never give up. No charge. More info at (617) 592-5081.

STORY TIME: Have a little one in the house? Looking to get out and do something? The Auburn Public Library may have just the thing for you. Mother Goose Story time is for children ages 6-15 months. It's a great place for children and their grownups to listen to stories, share nursery rhymes and have time to connect with others during musical free play. Mother Goose Story Time is held Tuesdays at 10 a.m. Please stop by and join us. For information, you call the library at (508) 832-7790.

MUSEUM HOURS: The Auburn Historical Museum, 41 South St. is open Tuesday, 9 a.m. to noon, and Saturday 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Admission is free to see a variety of artifacts and memorabilia concerning Auburn as far back as when it was known as the town of Ward. All are welcome to come. For more information contact Sari Bitticks at sarilb@verizon.net.

NEW GROUP FORMING: If you're separated or divorced, you don't have to go through it alone. DivorceCare meets weekly, you'll receive practical support and find healing and hope for the future in a friendly, confidential setting. We meet Thursdays, 6:30-8 p.m., beginning Feb. 1 at Faith Church, 22 Faith Ave., Auburn. Call (508) 832-5044 or email divorcecare@faithauburn.org for more information.

NUMISMATICS: Looking for a new hobby? Come learn about the hobby of

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

STORY TIME: Open Story Time will be held 4:30 p.m. every Thursday at the Auburn Public Library. No registration required. Please drop in. Open to all ages. For information, call (508) 832-7790.

BOYS' GROUP: Chuck wants boys in the 6th through 10th grades to join The Man Cave. The Man Cave is a boys' group that meets from 7:30 to 8:45 p.m. Thursdays at the AYFS, 21 Pheasant Court, Auburn. This is where members will learn that peers their own age share similar concerns. Group members will be able to discuss ways to cope with their concerns as well as receive positive feedback. Each week will center around a particular topic for discussion. No cost to join. For information, call Brandon Pare (508) 832-5707 x 16 or Dan Secor (508) 832-5707 x 14. Free food available.



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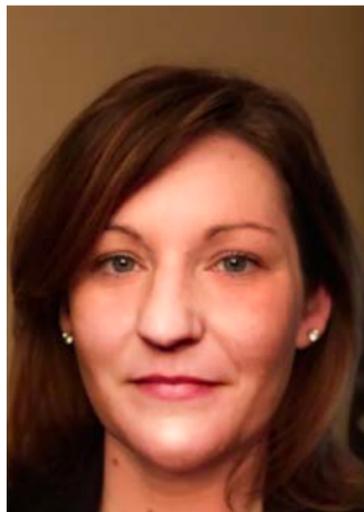
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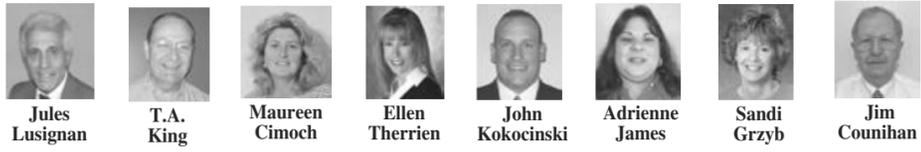
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<p>WEBSTER LAKE - 54 West Pt Rd! North Pond - Killdeer Isl - West Expo - Beautiful Lake Views & Sunsets! 2002 Built 6+ Rm Colonial! Ideal 2nd Home or Yr Rd Living! Applianced Kit w/Ceiling! Lake Facing Din Rm w/Panoramic Water Views & Recent Wood Fir! Lake Facing Liv Rm w/LP Gas Frp'd, Recent Wood Fir & French Door to Deck! 1st Flr Laundry & Hall Bath! 2nd Flr w/3 Spacious Bdrms! Lake Facing Master Suite w/Fantastic Lake Views, Frp'd, French Dr to its Deck, Dressing Office Area & Full Bath w/Whirlpool Tub! 2nd Full Bath off the Hall! Huge Lake Facing Walk-out Lower Level w/Gas Stove & Slider to Stone Patio is Ready for "Finishing"! Additional Lakeside Deck! Dock! \$579,900.00</p>	<p>WEBSTER LAKE - 60 Bates Point Rd! Middle Pond! Absolute Prime 52' Level Waterfront Lot w/Western Expo! Beautiful Sunsets! Panoramic Lake Views! 8 Rms, 3 Bdrm, 2 Baths, A/C'd, Ranch! Custom SS Applianced Granite Kit! Din Rm w/Hrwd's & Slider to Waterfront Deck w/Awning! Lake Facing Frp'd Liv Rm w/Cathedral, Skylight & Hrwd's! Comfortable Master Bdrm! Frp'd Lower Level Fam Rm! 2 Car Garage! \$729,900.00</p>	<p>WEBSTER LAKE - 210 Beacon Park! 5 Rm 1,100' Corner Garden Unit! Applianced Kitchen! Dining Room! Spacious Living Room! 2 Bedrooms! Master Bedroom with Master Bath! 1.5 Bathrooms! The Floors Throughout! C/Air! Garage! Gazebo! Lakeside Pool! Sandy Beach! \$239,900.00</p>	<p>WEBSTER LAKE - 130 Killdeer Island - North Pond! West Expo - Beautiful Sunsets! 6 Rm 3 Season Home! Add Heat & Use Yr Round! Great Porch! 4 Bdrms w/Hrwd's, 2 Lake Facing! Frp'd Liv Rm w/Lake Views! Spacious Kit & Dining Area! 2 Baths! 55' of Sandy Beach! \$475,000.00</p>	<p>WEBSTER LAKE - 7 Point Pleasant Ave! Panoramic Lake Views! Eastern Expo! Super Sunrises! 9,000' Level Lot! 2,300' Custom Contemp Colonial! Built 2015! Like New! Open Fr Plan! Custom Granite Kit w/Island, Stainless Appliances, Gas Range, Soft Close Cabinets & Recessed Lights! Spectacular Lake Facing Great Rm, Stone Gas Frp'd Surrounded by Custom Cabinetry, Recessed Lights & Ceiling Fan! Living Area w/Custom Ceiling! Full Bath w/Granite Vanity & Custom Tile Shower! Laundry Rm! "Wood Look" Tile Floors throughout the First Floor! 2nd Flr Features 3 Comfortable Bdrms w/2 Being Waterfront! Lake Facing Master w/Slider to Deck, Hrwd's, Recessed Lighting, Walk-in Closet & Bthrm Access! Lake Facing Bdrm w/Hrwd's, Dble Closet & Door to Deck! 3rd Bdrm w/Hrwd's & Dble Closet! Full Hall Bath w/Dble Granite Vanity & Tile Fr! C/Air! Gas Heat! 2x32 2 Story Detached Garage! Dock! Get Packing! \$789,900.00</p>	<p>WEBSTER LAKE - 100 Union Point Rd! Western Exposure - Beautiful Sunsets! 11 Rooms! 2,300' Recently Renovated! Hardwood Floors! 5 Bedrooms! Master Bath! 2.5 Baths! Expansive Decks! Garage! Extra Lot! Parking Area! C/Air! Attached Garage! 2 Boat Slips! Heated Pool! Sandy Beach! Still In Time for Summer! \$629,000.00</p>	<p>WEBSTER LAKE - 104 Treasure Island! 1,974' Townhouse! Oak Cabinet Kit w/Breakfast Counter! Formal Din Rm! Frp'd Liv Rm! Screened Porch! 1st Flr! Master w/Walk-in Closet & Bath! 2.5 Baths! 2nd Level w/2 Master Bdrms & Bath! Recent C/Air! Attached Garage! 2 Boat Slips! Heated Pool! Sandy Beach! \$324,900.00</p>	<p>WEBSTER LAKE - 12 Kenneth Ave! South Pond! 5 Rm Ranch! 80' Waterfront! Completely Remodeled! 10 Yrs Ago! Kraftmaid Cabinet Kit w/Island & Silstone Counters! Bamboo Wood Flrs Throughout! Open Fr Plan! Composite Deck! Lake Facing Master! 2 Bdrms! Full Bath! Fam Rm! \$399,900.00</p>
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LEGALS

NOTICE OF MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE
Premises: 101 Old Common Road, Auburn, MA
By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Brian J. Lapierre and Jane L. McCallum to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as nominee for Sidus Financial LLC and now held by U.S. Bank, National Association, not in its individual capacity but solely as Trustee for the RMAC Trust, Series 2016-CTT, said mortgage dated December 24, 2008 and recorded with the Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 43633, Page 187, said mortgage was assigned from Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., to JPMorgan Chase Bank, National Association, by assignment dated February 3, 2012 and recorded with said Registry in Book 48695 at Page 87; said mortgage was assigned from JPMorgan Chase Bank, National Association, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for Sidus Financial LLC, by assignment dated July 11, 2017 and recorded with said Registry in Book 57428, page 177; said mortgage was assigned from Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for Sidus Financial, LLC, to JPMorgan Chase Bank, National Association by assignment dated March 4, 2012, and recorded with said Registry in Book

48745 at Page 46; said mortgage was assigned from JPMorgan Chase Bank, National Association to Secretary of Housing and Urban Development by assignment dated January 8, 2014 and recorded with said Registry in Book 52003, Page 253; said mortgage was assigned from U.S. Bank National Association, not in its individual capacity, but solely as Legal Title Trustee for LVS Title Trust I, to UMB Bank, National Association, not in its individual capacity but solely as Legal Title Trustee for MART Legal Title Trust 2015-NPL1, by assignment dated July 22, 2015 and recorded with said Registry in Book 54564, Page 297; said mortgage was assigned from Secretary of Housing and Urban Development to U.S. Bank National Association, not in its individual capacity, but solely as Legal Title Trustee for LVS Title Trust I by assignment dated March 14, 2016 and recorded with said Registry in Book 55081 at Page 355; said mortgage was assigned from U.S. Bank National Association, not in its individual capacity, but solely as Legal Title Trustee for LVS Title Trust I, to UMB Bank, National Association, not in its individual capacity but solely as Legal Title Trustee for MART Legal Title Trust 2015-NPL1, by assignment dated February 28, 2017 and recorded with said Registry in Book 56829, Page 396; said mortgage was assigned from UMB Bank, National Association, not in its individual capacity but solely as

Legal Title Trustee for MART Legal Title Trust 2015-NPL1, to U.S. Bank, National Association, not in its individual capacity but solely as Trustee for the RMAC Trust, Series 2016-CTT, by assignment dated October 26, 2016 and recorded with said Registry in Book 57075, Page 376; for breach of the conditions in said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction on October 4, 2018 at 12:00 PM Local Time upon the premises, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit:
The land in Auburn, Worcester County, Massachusetts, bounded and described as follows:
BEGINNING at a point on the northerly line of Old Common Road;
THENCE N. 11 deg. 40' E. 530 feet;
THENCE S. 84 deg. 25' E. 100 feet;
THENCE S. 11 deg. 40' W. 530 feet to the northerly line of Old Common Road;
THENCE by said northerly line of Old Common Road N. 84 deg. 25' W 100 feet to the point of beginning.
Containing 5,300 square feet of land, more or less.
Being the same premises conveyed to the herein named mortgagor (s) by deed recorded with Worcester District Registry of Deeds in Book 41281, Page 283.
The description of the property contained in the mortgage shall control in the event of a typographical error in

this publication.
For Mortgagor's Title see deed dated June 1, 2007 and recorded in the Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 41281, Page 283.
TERMS OF SALE: Said premises will be sold and conveyed subject to all liens, encumbrances, unpaid taxes, tax titles, municipal liens and assessments, if any, which take precedence over the said mortgage above described.
FIVE THOUSAND (\$5,000.00) Dollars of the purchase price must be paid in cash, certified check, bank treasurer's or cashier's check at the time and place of the sale by the purchaser. The balance of the purchase price shall be paid in cash, certified check, bank treasurer's or cashier's check within thirty (30) days after the date of sale.
Other terms to be announced at the sale.
Shechtman Halperin Savage, LLP
1080 Main Street
Pawtucket, RI 02860
Attorney for U.S. Bank, National Association, not in its individual capacity but solely as Trustee for the RMAC Trust, Series 2016-CTT Present Holder of the Mortgage (401) 272-1400
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FOOD

Embrace a reason to indulge in Mexican cuisine

Few styles of cuisine are as widely beloved as Mexican cuisine. When celebrating Hispanic Heritage Month, Hispanics and non-Hispanics alike won't want to miss the opportunity to indulge in some delicious Mexican food.

Many Mexican dishes include chipotle peppers. Smoked hot chili peppers, chipotle peppers can add spiciness to a meal for fans who can never get enough kick from their favorite Mexican dishes. The following recipe for "Chipotle Beef with Fresh Tomato Salsa" from Kathy Moore and Roxanne Wyss' "Triple Slow Cooker Entertaining" (Robert Rose) packs a punch and won't disappoint aficionados of Mexican cuisine.

Chipotle Beef with Fresh Tomato Salsa
Makes 8 to 10 servings

- 1 onion, thinly sliced
- 2 to 2½-lb. beef brisket, well trimmed
- 1 chipotle pepper in adobo sauce, chopped (see tip below)
- 1 tablespoon dry minced (granulated) garlic
- ½ teaspoon ground cumin
- ½ teaspoon salt
- ½ cup tomato juice
- ¼ cup minced fresh cilantro
- Tomato salsa (see below)
- Flour tortillas, warmed

Arrange onion slices in bottom of one slow cooker stoneware, overlapping as necessary. Cut brisket in half and place on top of onions. Sprinkle with chipotle pepper, garlic, cumin, and salt. Pour tomato juice over top.
Cover and cook on low for 9 to 11

hours or on high for 4½ to 5½ hours, until beef is very tender.

Using a slotted spoon, transfer beef and onions to a tray. Pour liquid into a deep bowl. Using two forks, shred beef. Return beef and onions to the stoneware. Skim fat from liquid and pour over beef mixture. Sprinkle with cilantro. Turn to warm for serving.

To serve, spoon beef mixture and salsa into center of each warm tortilla, then fold tortilla over filling.

Tip: Chipotle peppers are smoked jalapeño peppers and are often found canned in adobo sauce. Use one for this recipe, then freeze the rest in an airtight container for up to 6 months. For even more convenience, separate the peppers and place in a single layer on a tray, topped with a little adobo sauce; freeze until firm, then transfer each pepper to a sealable freezer bag. You can then use just the amount you need for each recipe.

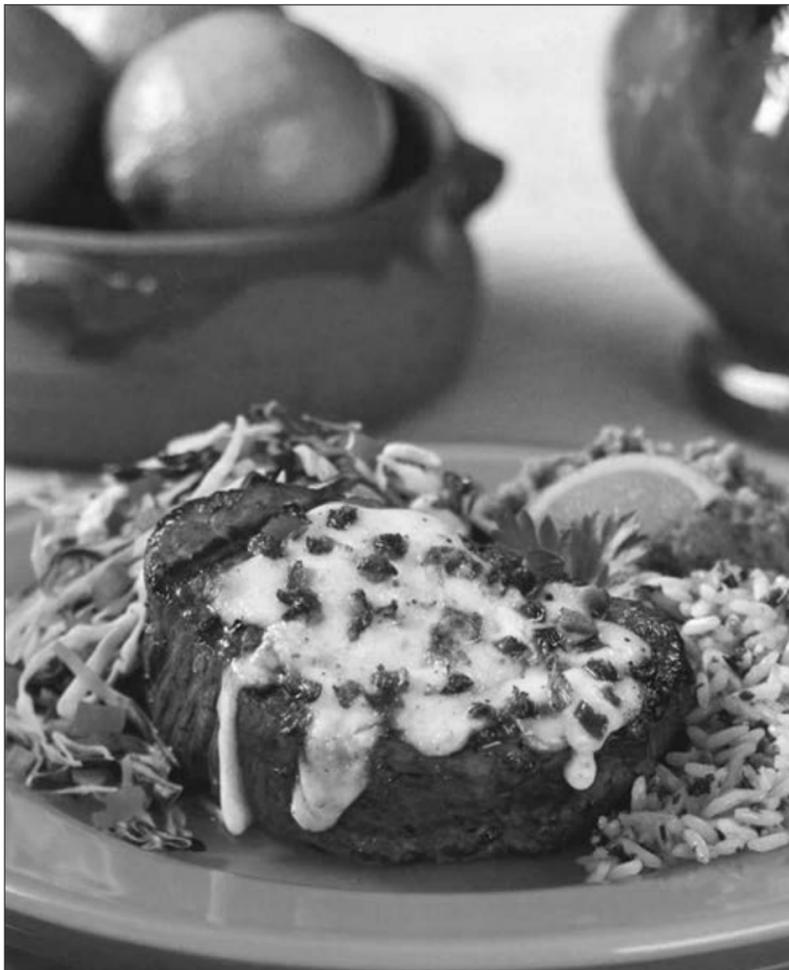
Tomato Salsa
Makes 3 cups

- 3 ripe tomatoes, seeded and chopped
- 2 green onions, sliced
- 1 jalapeño pepper, seeded and minced
- 2 teaspoons fresh cilantro
- Juice of 1 lime
- Salt and freshly ground black pepper, to taste

In a bowl, combine tomatoes, green onions, jalapeño, cilantro, and lime juice. Season to taste with salt and pepper. Serve immediately or cover and refrigerate for up to one day.



A spicy taste of Mexico from the comforts of home



An idyllic country with extensive mountain ranges and miles of coastal beaches, Mexico also is home to beloved cuisine. Men and women who want to create a taste of Mexico in their own kitchens can consider this recipe for "Spicy Steak Tampico" from Kelley Cleary Coffeen's "200 Easy Mexican Recipes" (Robert Rose).

SPICY STEAK TAMPICO
MAKES 4 SERVINGS

- 4 beef tenderloin medallions (each 6 ounces and ¾-inch thick)
- 2 tablespoons olive oil
- Seasoned salt and freshly ground black pepper
- 1 cup roasted green chile peppers (see below)
- 1 cup shredded Monterey Jack cheese

1. Brush steaks thoroughly with olive oil. Season with salt and pepper.
2. Place medallions on preheated grill, close lid and grill, turning once, until an instant-read thermometer registers 145 F for medium rare, 5 to 8 minutes per side. Transfer to a plate, tent with foil and let stand for 10 minutes.
3. Preheat broiler with rack 3 to 4 inches away from heat. Place steaks on individual ovenproof plates. Top each steak with equal amounts of chile and cheese. Broil until cheese melts, about 2 minutes. Serve immediately.

To roast chiles: Preheat greased outdoor grill to medium or preheat an oven broiler. Place fresh chiles on outdoor grill or gas stovetop over medium heat or arrange on a baking sheet and place 2 to 3 inches away from heat under broiler. Grill or broil, turning often with tongs, until surfaces of skin are lightly charred and blistered. Immediately place peppers in a paper bag or an airtight container and close tightly. Let peppers cool for 12 to 15 minutes. Peel off charred skin and remove stems and seeds. Tear into strips or chop as needed according to the recipe. Wash your hands thoroughly after handling chiles. Refrigerate peppers for up to 3 days or freeze in airtight container for up to 6 months.

Celebrate Hispanic culture at the dinner table



Hispanic Heritage Month is a celebration of the people who trace their origins to South America, Central America, Mexico, Spain, and certain areas of the Caribbean. Each Hispanic country has its own unique cultural traditions, and many of these traditions revolve around food. Those who want to toast Spanish culture and cuisine can whip up the following recipe for "Morcilla con Setas (Blood Sausage with Mushrooms, Spring Peas and Mint Oil)" from James Campbell Caruso's "España: Exploring the Flavors of Spain" (Gibbs Smith).

MORCILLA CON SETAS (BLOOD SAUSAGE WITH MUSHROOMS, SPRING PEAS AND MINT OIL)

SERVES 4

- 1 pound morcilla blood sausage
- 1 pound mushrooms, sliced
- 2 tablespoons olive oil
- 4 cloves garlic, slivered
- Salt and pepper to taste
- 2 tablespoons white wine
- 1 cup shelled spring peas
- 1 tablespoon chopped fresh mint
- 2 tablespoons mint oil

Mint Oil

- ½ cup extra-virgin olive oil
- ½ cup chopped mint
- Pinch of salt

Cut the blood sausage into 12 slices. Sauté the mushrooms in olive oil with garlic, salt and pepper for 5 minutes. Add the wine and cook for 2 more minutes. Boil the peas for 2 minutes and drain. When mushrooms are done, remove from heat and stir in the peas.

In a cast-iron skillet, sear the morcilla in a dry pan for 2 minutes per side. Arrange the slices of morcilla down the middle of a platter. Surround with mushroom/pea mixture and drizzle the plate with the mint oil.

For the mint oil: In a small saucepan over medium heat, heat olive oil to warm. Remove from heat and add the mint and a small pinch of salt. Allow to rest for 1 hour. Drain through a sieve. Reserve extra mint oil for other uses, such as vinaigrette.

FOOD

A realistic guide to organic food



In a perfect world, chemicals would not be needed to produce any foods, all of which would be made in sustainable conditions and from all-natural ingredients. But even the most eco-conscious foodie routinely faces difficult decisions at the grocery store.

The Organic Trade Association says organic food is the fastest-growing sector of the American food industry, and organic food now accounts for more than 5 percent of total food sales. While many people understand the benefits

to consuming organic produce, such foods tend to cost more, compromising shoppers' budgets as a result. Making smart choices and getting the facts about organic food can help consumers make informed decisions.

SMARTER ORGANIC CHOICES

According to the food and health resource the Environmental Working Group, certain fruits and vegetables are more likely to feature residual pesticides than others.

They dub these foods the "Dirty Dozen," which include strawberries, spinach, nectarines, apples, grapes, peaches, cherries, pears, tomatoes, celery, potatoes, and sweet bell peppers. Shoppers who cannot afford strictly organic foods can opt for non-organic items that are less likely to contain residual pesticides.

FEARING ANTIBIOTICS

Many people are con-

cerned about milk, meat and poultry treated with antibiotics. Organic foods are antibiotic-free. The Food and Drug Administration has strict guidelines in place to phase out the use of antibiotics in food animals to enhance growth or improve feed efficiency. They're also requiring farmers to select strains of microbials that are less medically important to humans who would need them to treat disease. This means that conventional milk, meat and poultry may contain less antibiotics than con-

sumers know.

Also, according to the U.S. Poultry & Egg Association, poultry are not given growth hormones, so there's little need to pay more for hormone-free.

Organic and pesticides To be "organic," foods produced and sold in the United States and Canada must be shown to conserve natural resources and be devoid of GMOs, among other requirements. However, USDA organic certification allows for natural substances, such as phero-

mones, vaccines for animals and a limited number of natural pesticides. Also, a 2011 survey by the USDA showed 39 percent of 571 organic samples were found to have pesticide residues, but well below tolerance levels set by the EPA. Therefore, pesticide-free and organic are not exclusive.

Organic foods are seen as a healthy alternative to foods that do not fall into this category. While there are many positive reasons to go organic, including conventional foods in one's diet is not necessarily unhealthy.

How to preserve ethnic diversity while maintaining one's sense of patriotism



People emigrate for various reasons. Some do so for employment opportunities, while others seek religious or personal freedom. Many others move to be closer to family.

North America is home to scores of emigrants. Many of those people would note that

it's important to maintain pride in one's home country and its culture. And being loyal to one's adoptive country does not have to come at the expense of pride in one's homeland.

TALK ABOUT FAMILIAL HISTORY

Older generations can share stories about their youth and potentially regale young relatives with tales of time spent in their home countries. Stories can compare and contrast

the two living environments and speak to the benefits each offered, but also discuss the decision to move.

CELEBRATE ETHNIC AND NATIONAL HOLIDAYS

People can embrace all cele-

brations, including those that pay homage to their birth and adopted countries. Individual celebrations of culture, such as Hispanic Heritage Month, also can be embraced. Individuals also can take part in the celebrations of other cultural groups, so they can learn more about all of the unique people who come together to make their country what it is today.

DINE ON ETHNIC CUISINE

Americanized food certainly can be tasty and make up a good portion of daily diets. However, routinely incorporate family recipes and ethnic cuisine into cooking so that younger generations can retain that connection to their culture. Think about setting aside one day a week for cultural cooking, trying new recipes each and every time.

RESEARCH IMPACT ON THE NATION

Go online or visit the library to see how certain ethnic groups played key roles in shaping United States history. Understanding the pivotal role immigrants have played throughout the history of the United States can be eye-opening and a great way to develop a sense of appreciation for all members of society.

It is possible to show pride in one's ancestral home while remaining loyal to the country a person now calls home.

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