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# Tantasqua students qualify for WGBH’s “High School Quiz Show”



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Show.” “High School Quiz Show” is a televised quiz competition between Massachusetts high school students entering its 11th season of broadcast on

WGBH. On Super Sunday, student teams come to the studio to take a 45-minute quiz with hopes of placing on to the broadcast. This

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# Tantasqua Technical Division to hold open house

FISKDALE — Tantasqua Senior High School – Technical Division will be holding an Open House for Parents and Students in Grade 8, that are in district or out of district, who are interested in attending Tantasqua’s Technical Division beginning school year 2020-2021.

The Open House will be held Thursday, Nov. 14 from 6 to 8 p.m. at Tantasqua Senior High School Cafeteria located at 319 Brookfield Rd., Fiskdale.

There will be an information session on admissions, as well as college and career planning, with time for questions and answers. After the informational session there will be a tour of the learning labs which include: Business Technology, CAD/Mechanical Design/ Architectural Design, Carpentry, Information Technology, Culinary Arts, Electrical, Health Careers, Hotel-Restaurant Management, and Advanced Manufacturing.

If you have any questions regarding the Open House please call the Technical Division at 508-347-3045, ext. 0915.

# A day of furry, fluffy, feathery and scaley blessings!

STURBRIDGE — New Hope United Church of Christ, the fun church, lived up to its name as they hosted a Community Blessing of the Pets on the Sturbridge Common on Sunday, Oct. 13. They partnered with local vendors and services to

make it a full event for pets and their people. Bark & Bubble Grooming, Here Today Adopted Tomorrow Cat Shelter, and Pure Haven Natural Products were featured vendors. Each pet was given a certificate of blessing and a “treat” to commem-

orate the occasion. A free photo of

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**Pastor Janet and Susari Crockitt’s dog Polly enjoying the blessing.**



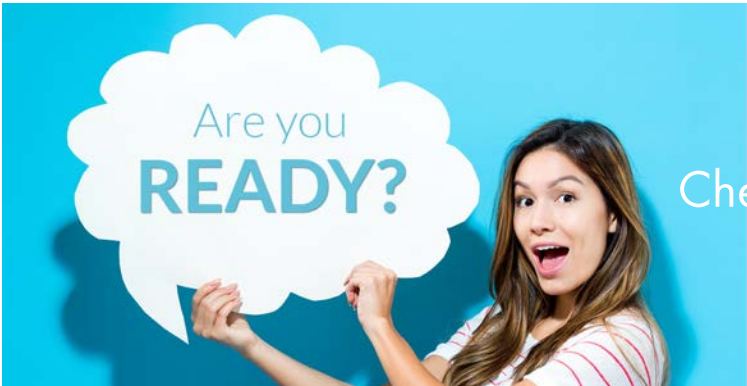
# Bay Path faculty and students attend Alzheimer’s research symposium

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# Hitchcock Happenings

BRIMFIELD — Following is the schedule of events and activities for next week at Hitchcock Academy.

Monday, November 11  
REMINDER: You can sign up for all classes and find more information regarding classes on our website: hitchcockacademy.org. Please remember to like us on Facebook.  
FAMILY FOUNDATION 5: No School – Veteran’s Day  
WEIGHT WATCHERS: Traditional Weight Watchers meetings. Weigh-in/Registrations: 5:30PM Meeting: 6:00 PM Leader: Angela Kramer. Visit [www.weightwatchers.com](http://www.weightwatchers.com) to become a member or to learn more about Weight Watchers.  
SEN-I JUDO CLUB: 4:30 – 6 PM For the month of November this course is FREE. It runs all year long and is well suited for all levels of practitioners including beginners! Call Sensei Israel Lopez 413 279-4330 for more information.

Tuesday, November 12  
ART GROUP: 9 – 11:30 AM Bring your own art and enjoy the company of other artists as they explore and encourage each other in creative adventures.  
RAVIOLI MAKING: 6:30 – 8 PM Due to the popularity of this class we have added this date so that Jen Poirier from Shepherd’s Gate Farm can show you how to use goat or cow cheese, as well as pumpkin, to make your own ravioli. Fee: \$25 includes all materials  
Wednesday, November 13  
WATERCOLOR: 9:30 – Noon For all levels – ongoing watercolor classes with new paintings every three weeks. Instructor: Beth Parys. For more information and to register call: 413.245.3295  
FAMILY FOUNDATION 5: Free preschooler programs sponsored by a Union 61 Family Foundation 5 Grant. Music and Movement: 9 – 10 AM

BUDDIES DOG TRAINING: 6:30 – 7:30 PM (6 classes) A dog training basics class for canines of all ages (puppies are welcome.) It provides positive training methods, good management practices and problem-solving strategies. Vaccinations must be up to date. Fee: \$130 per dog. Instructor: Laurie Merritt, MEd, CPDT-KA, CNWI; Certified Professional Dog Trainer-Knowledge Assessed; Certified K9 NoseWork® Instructor- National Association of Canine Scent Work  
YOGA NIDRA: 7 – 8:30 PM Unwind and release tension a brief Yoga practice and then enjoy “Yoga Nidra” or psychic sleep. Bring a mat, blanket, pillow, or anything else for your comfort. Fee: \$20 Instructor: Sharon Palmer, M.Ed. Certified 500 hour Kripalu Yoga Teacher  
Thursday, November 14  
FAMILY FOUNDATION 5: Free preschooler programs sponsored by a Union 61 Family Foundation 5 Grant. Thursday: STEM Experiments 9-10:30 AM. Bring a snack. Questions? Contact Cheryl Cameron at [union61@tanta-squa.org](mailto:union61@tanta-squa.org)  
WATERCOLOR WORKSHOP WITH ANNA: 10 AM – 3:30 PM Create a watercolor, (Today’s Picture: Typical New England) in a one day workshop. Check [www.hitchcockacademy.org](http://www.hitchcockacademy.org) for a supply list. Instructor: Anna Ozolins  
VIOLIN LESSONS: 2-5 p.m.

Instructor: Linda Day Newland, violinist in the Austin Symphony Orchestra for 22 years. Lessons available for all ages and all levels  
SEN-I JUDO CLUB: 4:30 – 6 PM For the months of September, October and November this course is FREE. It runs all year long and is well suited for all levels of practitioners including beginners! Call Sensei Israel Lopez 413 279-4330 for more information  
FENCING: 6:15-7:15 Youth and adult classes with Andy Bloch.  
K9 NOSEWORK® 7 – 8:30 PM. This is a sport open to all breeds of dogs and their people. Progressive training levels offered. Offered at 3 levels. (6 classes) Fee: \$145 Instructor: Laurie Merritt, MEd, CPDT-KA, CNWI; Certified Professional Dog Trainer-Knowledge Assessed; Certified K9 NoseWork® Instructor- National Association of Canine Scent Work  
Friday, November 15

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS: Traditional open AA meetings in a friendly setting. Come early to chat and share in refreshments. Time: 7:30 PM  
Saturday, November 16  
TAI CHI: 9 – 11 AM This two hour seminar combines Tai Chi and Chi Kung. Pre-registration is required. Instructor: David Masera

## Registry of Motor Vehicles (RMV) services unavailable Veterans Day Weekend

BOSTON — The Massachusetts Department of Transportation (MassDOT) Registry of Motor Vehicles (RMV) is announcing that due to its final upgrade to new technology, ATLAS, no customer service transactions can be conducted starting at 6 p.m., Friday, November 8 and until 7 a.m., Tuesday, Nov. 12. Only law enforcement partners will be able to access Registry information. In addition, inspection station locations will not be able to conduct motor vehicle inspections on Nov. 9, 10, and 11.  
“We appreciate the public’s patience, cooperation, and understanding as the RMV completes its transition to a new platform that will greatly enhance the quality

and number of online vehicle transactions available to our customers,” explained the RMV’s Acting Registrar, Jamey Tesler. “This transition began with the introduction of new customer credentialing and licensing service in March 2018 and, as with any major organization-wide technology change, we expect an initial learning curve for our staff, business partners, and customers. We encourage all customers to skip the line and go online to take advantage of the many new service offerings that will be available at [mass.gov/rmv](http://mass.gov/rmv) beginning Nov. 12.”  
Registry customers are encouraged to plan for the shutdown of transactions between late in the day on November

8 and the start of business on Nov. 12. Customers may go online prior to Veterans Day, getting vehicles due for November inspections into service stations prior to Nov. 8, and, if in-person transactions are required, visiting Registry and AAA customer service locations as soon as possible or waiting until later in November.  
The first release of ATLAS, the Registry’s new Web-based system, was completed in March 2018, and enabled the Commonwealth to issue a customer option of federally mandated REAL ID credentials. The second, and final, ATLAS release on Nov. 12, pertains to vehicle services such as title and registration. ATLAS provides customers and business

partners with new, modern, and more convenient ways to conduct business with the RMV.  
With the new system, many new transactions will be available at [mass.gov/rmv](http://mass.gov/rmv).  
Customers can begin, and often complete, their transactions online, and are encouraged to go online first to get informed about required documents before they visit a customer service center.  
To summarize the customer impacts from Friday, Nov. 8 at 6 p.m. until Tuesday, Nov. 12 at 7:00 a.m.:  
• No RMV services, including registration or licensing services, will be available at the RMV, AAA, auto dealerships, or at insurance companies.

• No vehicle safety and emissions inspections will be conducted in Massachusetts.  
• No RMV internet transactions or phone service will be available.  
• No external interfaces for driver or vehicle services will be accessible.

Massachusetts Registry of Motor Vehicles Service Centers, transactions, and operations will reopen for business on Tuesday, November 12, at regularly scheduled times, following the observed Veterans Day federal and state holiday.

For more information, please visit [mass.gov/rmv](http://mass.gov/rmv).

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season, the top 14 scoring teams automatically advance to the broadcast.  
In addition, eight teams were selected to vie for an additional spot by competing in a live event “High School Quiz Show: Extra Credit,” hosted by author Jeff Kinney at his Plainville bookstore, An Unlikely Story, last Sunday, Oct. 27. The final spot will be filled during “High School Quiz Show’s” Season 11 premiere on Saturday, Feb. 1 at 6 p.m. on WGBH, in a head-to-head wild card match-up between the highest scoring teams from Super Sunday that have not been on the show in at least five seasons.

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# Balloons bring big smiles!



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From left to right: David Peck, Paige Higby and liz Lamparth are kept busy with eager children.

STURBRIDGE — New Hope United Church of Christ, the fun church, brought oodles of smiles to the faces of children (and adults) as they twisted colorful balloons into dogs, cats, hats, swords, flowers, pumpkins, and even turtles.

Although not always successful these volunteers were happy to give any design a shot to the delight of the crowd. Liz Lamparth was their chief designer and got quite a crew busy twisting and shouting with glee as their long tubes were transformed.

“It was our third year at the Harvest Festival and each year is better than the one before. We love being here and it is such fun to give away joy in this tangible way,” a volunteer declared as she twisted and turned the balloon into a puppy.

New Hope United Church of Christ, the fun church, is located at 345 Main St. (Bethlehem Lutheran Building). It offers Church School from 10 - 10:45 a.m., and parents are invited to drop off or chill out with coffee. Worship is



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## Charlton artist wins Best in Show at Massasoit Art Guild show



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Maggie Hart of Charlton won Best In Show with her watercolor “Sparrow Love.”

SPENCER — The Massasoit Art Guild held its 16th annual Art Show and Sale at Spencer Memorial Town Hall on Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 19 and 20.

Thirty nine talented local artists exhibited 143 works of art in various mediums, and photographers showed images in both traditional and digi-

tally enhanced styles.

The weekend show experienced a great community turnout. The Spencer Cultural Council provided funding for live music and Guild members provided refreshments for visitors to enjoy while viewing the wonderful array of artwork.

Prizes and ribbons were awarded for Best In Show, First, Second, and Third Place in each category as well as honorable mentions and memorial awards chosen by the families of past cherished Guild members.

The Massasoit Art Guild is represented by more than 80 members and exists to foster artistic growth, act as a support group for local artists and to provide opportunities to show and sell original artwork.

The Guild offers an open studio for artists to work on current pieces Wednesdays from 9:30 a.m.-noon at 108 School St., East Brookfield.

The Photography group meets on the first Tuesday each month, and the Artist Group meets on the 2nd Tuesday of the month.

New members are always welcome. For more information, visit the Web site at [www.massasoitartguild.com](http://www.massasoitartguild.com).

## THE PURPLE POST

### Home Inspections Part 2

Welcome to our follow up article on Home Inspections. In the last article we discussed many important topics surrounding an inspection. We talked about what a home inspection is, what it includes, what is does not, what additional tests to ask your inspector about (such as radon), the Massachusetts form that your agent or Realtor is required by law to provide you with, how to find a licensed inspector etc... We covered a lot! Hence, the need to break down the topic across two separate articles.

We pick up now at the point where your inspection is complete. So now what? Are you satisfied with the results of the inspection and the condition of the home? If you are satisfied, then it's time to move forward and head to Purchase and Sales. Woo hoo!

If you're not quite satisfied, maybe there are some deficiencies that concern you significantly? If that is true, you may want to have a local expert examine the situation further. For example, the inspector pointed out that the roof could be a concern given the condition. The inspector will provide their opinion, point out the defects, look at the roof with binoculars... BUT they will not

climb on the roof to examine issues further. In this case, you may want to call a roofing contractor who will get up on the roof if needed and examine the condition as a roof expert to provide more finite details about the condition. The point is, if you would like to have certain experts/professionals look at certain defects that the inspector pointed out... you can. You're about to buy, arguably the biggest asset of your life, so you should be comfortable with the condition of the home prior to moving forward.

What about asking the seller to repair items or to giving money off the sale price we agreed to? Ok here's the deal... home inspection is not a negotiation tool. The purpose is to provide the buyer with information about the condition of a property. Now that said, one can request that certain items be repaired if there are concerns. What doesn't work is saying you are unhappy with the results so give me \$10,000 off (randomly) and I'll still buy it. Remember, it's not a negotiation tool. The process would be as follows. If you desire that one of more items be repaired/remedied by the seller you must ask your agent/Realtor to submit your requests in writing

to the listing agent. The list agent will discuss with the seller and one of a few outcomes are possible. 1.) They say “no” to repairing any items. If that happens your choice is live with that answer, buy the house anyway, or you can walk away from the deal and get your initial deposit back. 2.) They can say “yes” to some items and “no” to other requests- same deal, you could agree or not agree to this and act accordingly. 3.) They could say they don't want to formally do the repairs on the items but that they would be willing to provide a credit off the sale price to move forward. Estimates by contractors are the best way or determining the correct value for repairs; random numbers don't work well typically. We hope this has been helpful!

For more information of this subject or any subject, contact Purple Porch Properties at [gopurpleporch@gmail.com](mailto:gopurpleporch@gmail.com). Find us on Facebook or go to our website [gopurpleporch.com](http://gopurpleporch.com). We'd love to hear from you. Answers are FREE. Having us represent you when buying a home is FREE. Selling is not quite free, but we list for 1.5% so ask us about that!

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# Bay Path nursing students volunteer for literacy



WATERTOWN — Members of the Class of 2020 from Bay Path Practical Nursing Academy with Academy Director, Gretheline Bolandrina, MSN Ed, RN, CRRN volunteered for Bagong Kulturang Pinoy, Inc. (BKP) a 501 (c) 3 non-profit whose mission is to encourage a reading culture among poverty-stricken children in the Philippines. The Practical Nursing students are Kristin Bates of Charlton, Andrea Champagne of Webster, Michelle Elicier of Worcester, and Robin Peters of Douglas.

BKP and its chapters have supported more than 200 schools and community libraries throughout the Philippines since 1999. BKP has forged partnerships with

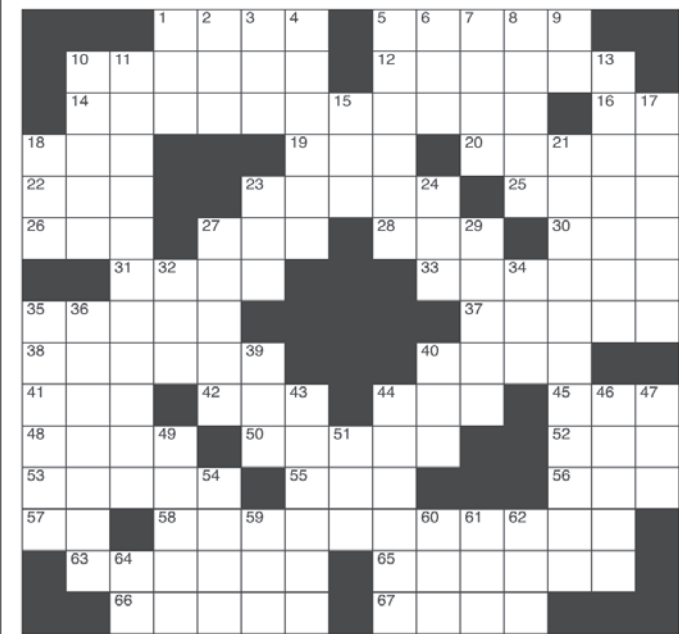
organizations around the world and continues to reach out to friends who share its belief that reading is the key to a strong education and that a strong education is the key out of poverty to a limitless future. BKP aims to improve childhood literacy rates and access to reading materials. Through BKP, members of Bay Path Practical Nursing Academy collect gently used children’s books, promote a reading culture and volunteer in fundraising events.

“We are passionate about literacy,” said Bolandrina.

2019 marks the third year Bay Path nursing students volunteered with BKP, Inc. For more about BKP, visit [www.bkpinc.org](http://www.bkpinc.org).

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CLUES ACROSS

1. Flat-topped hill

5. Fire usually accompanies it

10. Talked

12. Skillset

14. Unembarrassed

16. Where teens spend their days

18. Boxing’s GOAT

19. Used to anoint

20. Rust fungi

22. Panthers’ signal caller

23. Forests have lots of them

25. Lentils

26. One’s self-esteem

27. Where you entered the world (abbr.)

28. High school test

30. Large, flightless bird

31. Expecterated

33. Some practice it

35. Prickly shrub
37. French river

38. Told on

40. Steep hillside

41. Peyton’s little brother

42. Soviet Socialist Republic

44. Welsh river

45. Witness

48. Brews

50. Orange-brown

52. Separates DNA and RNA

53. Mexican agave

55. Self-contained aircraft unit

56. Encourage

57. Atomic #52 (abbr.)

58. About latitude

63. Trivial gadget

65. Film a scene again

66. Small blisters

67. Dark brown

CLUES DOWN

1. Advanced degree

2. Goes with flow

3. The Caspian is one

4. Accumulate on the surface of

5. Vascular systems or plants

6. A popular kids magazine

7. \_ podrida: spicy Spanish stew

8. Vandalized a car

9. Prefix meaning “within”

10. Soviet labor camp system

11. Strong hostilities

13. B complex vitamin

15. Go quickly

17. Toast

18. A team’s best pitcher

21. A Philly culinary special

23. Small child

24. Unhappy

27. Trims by cutting
29. Weepy

32. It might be on the back

34. Spy organization

35. Female body part

36. Came back from behind

39. Fall back or spring forward

40. Famed traveling journalist

43. Where the current is fast

44. Withstand

46. A Philly football player

47. Records brain activity

49. Aromatic powder

51. Circular panpipe

54. Ship as cargo

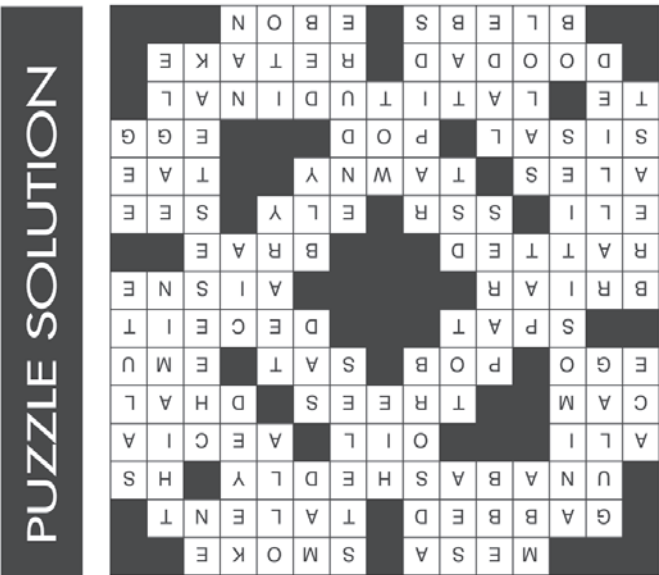
59. Bar bill

60. Adult female

61. OJ trial judge

62. One’s grandmother

64. Hot, massive star



## Save the date and save not cooking!

CHARLTON — Capen Hill is celebrating its third annual Spaghetti Dinner and Silent Auction in honor of Raymond McDuffie.

Ray McDuffie served in the US Army in Germany as a Tank Commander. Returning home, McDuffie worked and retired from Smith Valve then coming on board as Maintenance Manager for Capen Hill.

He skillfully managed the day to day maintenance that took place at Capen along with assisting with any of the animal care. Ray was also more than an employee to Capen Hill. He took a special interest in helping Capen grow. He was always there to help on any and all fund raisers that were being done. This is why he is honored and specially remembered with a

dinner each year.

With McDuffie being a Veteran, Capen felt the best time to hold the dinner would be around Veterans Day to honor him and the service he provided for our country. We encourage local Veterans to come meet up and share their stories.

The homemade dinner is on Sunday, Nov. 10, starting at 4:30 p.m. and running until 7 p.m. at the Charlton Grange Hall. Prices for tickets are: Regularly priced tickets are \$10.00, Veterans and children under 12 are \$5, children under three are free. With some generous donations from local companies there is a grant for Veterans and possible family members to dine free of charge. For more information on this e-mail [capenhillnature@gmail.com](mailto:capenhillnature@gmail.com) , please put the word “nom-

ination” in the subject field. For ticket purchases you can either call Capen at 508-248-5516 or 508-579-6215 or logon on to [Capenhill.org](http://Capenhill.org). Takeout orders are available. This is an all you can eat event.

While the dinner is in progress, there will be a silent auction in process. Diners are encouraged to view all the items and make bids and out bids!! Some of the items up for auction are: Overnight stay at the Southbridge Conference Center with breakfast, Sixth Generation iPad, 10-and-a-half-inch Echo View Second Generation, Lunch for Two at Public House, Gift basket from Tree House Brewery and many other themed baskets.

## Tree House receives approval for alterations

BY JASON BLEAU  
VILLAGER CORRESPONDENT

CHARTON – Tree House Brewing Company in Charlton is continuing to expand on their amenities at their 129 Sturbridge Rd. location with the recent approval of expanded interior and exterior space by the Board of Selectmen.

The company sent forth a request for alternation of premises to add 17,601 square-feet of interior public space and 43,251 of square-feet in exterior green space. Despite initial concerns from the Building Commissioner about the amount of exterior space selectmen received no objection from town officials for the proposal.

Selectmen approved the proposal with little debate with several board members reiterating past comments that the company has been a great addition to the community that has handled any issues and complaints with professionalism. Selectman John McGrath was particularly complimentary to the company saying he was glad to see them continue to build on their business.

“I’m very happy to see that they’re expanding. I’m happy that they came to Charlton over numerous other towns that they had the chance to go to. They’ve proven to be very good neigh-

bors. They’ve done a lot of different things in the community and they worked with many different groups,” McGrath said. “I’m extremely happy to see them moving forward with this.”

A representative from Tree House Brewery explained that the project won’t actually be expanding their operation, but instead is a way for them to “cover their bases.” The areas have already been utilized for activities and operations and the initiative will not require more encroachment on wetlands or the removal of more trees. The company is currently working on a 16,000 square-foot addition previously approved by the town.

Selectmen did take the time to address some concerns about security for their parking area with the upcoming holiday season. Tree House Brewing Company has assured selectmen they maintain a staff f TIPS certified individuals that monitor the parking area and that a private security firm called Lusignan has been hired to be on hand during all hour of open pours. The company has stated their willingness to maintain their security measures longer and beyond open pour hours if requested.

### BLESSINGS

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the event will be sent to all those who wished one.

New Hope United Church of Christ, the fun church, is located at 345 Main St. (Bethlehem

Lutheran Building). It offers Church School from 10 - 10:45 a.m., and parents are invited to drop off or chill out with coffee. Worship is at 11 a.m. New Hope United Church of Christ is a judgment free Christian community who believes that everyone has important insights and gifts

to offer. They sincerely welcome and value everyone, everyone, everyone. They happily partner with and serve our local and global neighbors is peace, hope and love. You can find them on the Web at [www.newhopeucc.org](http://www.newhopeucc.org).





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Pick up is from St. Joseph's Church 10 H Putnam Rd. Ext., Charlton 2019 Day Trips

Nov. 14 (Thurs) Ricky Nelson Remembered - Ricky Nelson's twin sons perform their father's hit songs - Venus DeMilo, Swansea \$95.00  
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Sunny Portugal next April. The Douglas Sunshine Club is planning a trip to sunny Portugal April 21-30, 2020. This trip is with Collette Travel. An informational meeting is planned for Wed. June 12th at the Douglas Senior Center, 331 Main St., Douglas, at 6:30 p.m. If you are interested in the trip, this is a great opportunity to get a description of the travel arrangements and itinerary with a representative from Collette Travel who will also answer any questions you have about the trip. For more info call 508-476-4474.

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

## FRIENDS OF THE STURBRIDGE SENIORS

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

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## LEICESTER SENIOR CENTER

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

Friday, Jan. 17, 2020: Foxwood Casino. Free lunch buffet or \$10 food voucher and \$10 casino slot play. Cost is \$30.

Friday, Feb. 14, 2020: Foxwood Casino. Free lunch buffet or \$20 food voucher and \$10 casino slot play. Cost is \$30.

Friday, March 20, 2020: Foxwood Casino. Free lunch buffet or \$10 food voucher and \$10 casino slot play. Cost is \$30.

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Contact Jim Julian at the Casaubon Senior Center Monday, Wednesday, or Friday 9-10 a.m. or call (774) 922-4049 or e-mail jimtrips@yahoo.com.  
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\$50 per person. Contact the Sturbridge Recreation Departmetn at (508) 347-2041 or recreation@town.sturbridge.ma.us for more information.

## UNION SAINT-JEAN-BAPTISTE CHAPTER 12

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

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

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

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

## UXBRIDGE SENIOR CENTER

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

The Silver Club BUS TRIPS for 2019  
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The Uxbridge Senior Center and its Silver Club travelling group is offering the following trips for 2019:

Nov. 12~ Aqua Turf Club ~ lunch & show, "Crooning the 70's". \$79. Family style meal of Penne ala Vodka, Beef Burgundy, & Salmon  
It's not too early to think about Christmas! Join the Silver Club for Boothbay Harbor, "Christmas by the Sea" in Portland, ME, or Reagle Players Christmas Show for Christmas 2019!

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

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

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

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

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The Silver Club of the Uxbridge Senior Center invites you to join them on a couple of Christmas trips.  
There is a trip to Boothbay Harbor, Maine for the Gardens Aglow on Nov. 21 and 22 for the great price of \$199. After traveling along the Maine Coast, we'll arrive in Freeport, Maine to explore this quintessential Maine village. There will be time for shopping at the dozens of brand-name outlets, flagship L.L. Bean Store, and local

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# Gold and silver still lead the way at auction

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and other glassware sold very well at shows and in antique shops. Limoges, Nippon and other china were also bringing strong prices. Baseball cards and comic books were selling well at local auctions, but not bringing the record prices we see today. Those who kept silver and gold they purchased decades ago have seen their investment grow over time despite the changing market.

Sterling silver hollowware and flatware, along with silver coins, have been among the best-selling items at auction for several years. Many people sold gold in 2001, when it reached over \$1,900 an ounce. Gold prices have been rising again, and it is now over \$1,500 an ounce. Many consignors have been selling their gold and sil-

ver again during this strong market.

Pieces by silversmiths from the 18th and 19th century can fetch strong prices at auction. A soup tureen by master silversmith Paul Storr brought \$26,000 at a 2014 auction. More modern pieces by famous designers like Tiffany are also very valuable. A pair

of nine-candle Tiffany sterling silver candelabras sold for \$93,500 at auction in 2012. A set of Tiffany "Renaissance" flatware brought \$98,000 in a 2014 auction. Two Tiffany sterling center bowls with hand hammered ocean scene designs reached \$111,500 when they sold at auction in 2012.

As you'd expect, gold items can bring prices that are even higher than silver. A 1795 \$10 Gold Eagle coin went for \$375,000 at auction in 2015. Gold jewelry can fetch astronomical prices, especially when combined with gemstones. A gold and diamond tulip bangle by JAR sold for \$3.5 million at a 2014 auction.

Most people don't have 18th century silver or early 19th century gold



coins, but more recent silver and gold have also been selling well at our Worcester auctions.

A George Jensen Harald Neilsen Design sterling silver coffee and tea set sold for over \$2,000 in our August 2017 auction. A large Wedgwood pattern sterling silver flatware service by International Silver Company went for over

\$3,000 in our August auction. A George Jensen flatware sterling set brought over \$4,000 in our January 2017 auction. A 1911 \$20 St. Gaudens gold coin brought \$1,400. A gold mourning locket went for over \$2,000 in our August 2016 auction. A set of 22-karat gold Western miniatures by Jim Pounder brought bids of over \$20,000 in our

May auction. Precious metals continue to remain precious to our bidders.

We have our next major auction on January 30th in Worcester. I'll be appraising items for the public at the First Parish Church United in Westford on November 9th from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM. Other events are being scheduled. Please

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EDITORIAL

Protecting the past

We remember the good old days when the thought of a video phone conversation was the stuff of science fiction. We thought the best we might get was something along the lines of Max Hedroom, the virtual character introduced was introduced in 1984. What we ended up with is substantially better. What a great way to keep in touch with family members and friends across a far distance.

That being said, the rate at which technology is advancing does seem to be a bit too fast at times. It seems as though once an item has been un-veiled, it becomes obsolete in a nano-second, paving the way for something better, faster and with more bells and whistles.

As time moves forward, how can we maintain a solid grip on our past? The destruction of old buildings is becoming more and more common and we wonder how that will affect future generations. It is one thing to look at old photographs of old schools, buildings, churches and other landmarks, however the history becomes more alive when you have something you can stand next too, observe with your own eyes in person, touch it, walk around and get a feel for how things once were. There really is a magic to it.

History is fascinating. The way things once were, the way human beings have evolved over the years and how things have changed, are some of the best stories one can hear. History keeps us grounded and in tune with who we are, especially family history dating back as far as you can go. You could find out that your great grandfather was an Editor of a newspaper in Philadelphia and have an ‘a-ha’ moment, that perhaps that is why you’re sitting in front of a new fangled typewriter, writing, which is the case for this Editor. DNA is a pretty neat thing.

History is what has shaped us into who we are as a society. Preserving history is crucial in that the stories that make up our historical record represent different aspects of our culture, politics and economy. Being able to walk through Paul Revere’s house in Boston, gives us a direct connection to that specific time and place, often representing major milestones. The ability for those sites to connect the dots to where you’re standing over the years is something that should never be taken for granted.

If old buildings and structures continually are demolished, what will be left of our past? While we do understand that sometimes this is a necessity due to safety or financial reasons, we also have the motto, “If they can put a man on the moon, they can save a building.”

Preserving history is a way to appreciate our local and national heritage. Some buildings, may be the only iconic ones left in a small New England town. Those are the places that give these small towns and big cities character. Often, even just one old building is enough to define a town. While new structures can draw in investments into a town, it is the history of a place that lures people to it.

Every major city, and every town worth its salt, has a historical society or historic district of some kind, and we applaud their efforts to preserve what once was. We feel it is our duty, as we move throughout our lives to do what we can to protect the past.

In the words of Marcus Garvey, “A people without the knowledge of their past history, origin and culture is like a tree without roots.”



OPINION

VIEWS AND COMMENTARY FROM STURBRIDGE, BRIMFIELD, HOLLAND AND WALES

Teaching Caleb and Noah ...

I don’t think it’s possible for my grandsons to understand how deeply I love them. It wasn’t until they were born that I began realizing how much my grandparents loved me.

I ran across a quote over the weekend that isn’t new. I’ve heard it said for as long as I can remember and have seen the same quote attributed to many others, but my research on the net gives me confidence that I’m attributing these powerful words to the correct source.

Your beliefs become your thoughts.  
Your thoughts become your words.  
Your words become your actions.  
Your actions become your habits.  
Your habits become your values.  
Your values become your destiny.

- Mahatma

Gandhi

I’ve written about every line of this quote, in one way or another. It is one of those quotes that sticks with me and I find it to be on both my heart and mind this morning as I sit to write my column.

Caleb and Noah were in town this weekend. I find myself being more deliberate with them than I was with my children. I think because I only see them five to six times a year, I watch and listen to them, then try to teach them something useful. I’ll see them again for five days over Thanksgiving. I’m already thinking about some way to give them something they can learn and take home after the holiday. I think the teachings in this quote is it.

Your beliefs become your thoughts.

With every cell in my body, I know this to be true. I’ve written in this column dozens of times about the power of your beliefs. I’ll always have someone tell me that they can’t help what they believe, so they have no control ... but it’s not true. We are in complete control of what we believe. It’s a choice we make, so always choose to believe that you have the ability and power to determine your destiny ... because it’s true.

Your thoughts become your words.

What we believe in our hearts and mind, always comes out of our mouths. We all know the negative and positive people in our lives by what they say. It’s no coincidence that the positive people are almost always happier and more successful.

Your words become your actions.

And it’s so because what they believe comes out of their mouths and their words become actions. If someone else says it, your mind understands that it may or may not be true, but if you say it, your mind absorbs and believes it.

POSITIVELY SPEAKING

BY GARY W. MOORE

Your actions become your habits.

There are many takes on this but Zig Ziglar said that if you purposely do something every day for forty days, it becomes a habit.

Aristotle said, “We are what we repeatedly do. Excellence, then, is not an act, but a habit.” Our habits drive our actions and our actions drive our success.

Your habits become your values.

This is a column of its own that I’ll address soon, but the more you do something, the more it becomes part of you.

Your values become your destiny.

Our destiny is not up to chance ... and certainly not up to others. The saying “If it is to be it is up to me” comes to mind here and it’s true. Destiny isn’t something that you sit and wait for ... it is something you create, beginning with your belief system.

It is difficult to do Gandhi’s words justice in a mere eight-hundred-word column. I am writing this with several purposes. First, to formulate how to help a couple of boys, seven and nine, begin to understand these truths and make them part of their lives. Second, to cause you, the reader to think about this and hopefully put these truths to work in your life.

I also need to hear these words as we all need to fortify our beliefs and strengthen our weaknesses. I am far from perfect, and like you, a work in progress. When I write to also strengthen my weaknesses ... I never run out of material.

I do understand the best way to teach behavior is to model it. I had a college professor, Dr. H. E. Nutt, who is legendary in the field of music education. He would always say, “The best way to learn to play the clarinet (or any instrument) is to teach someone to play the clarinet.” By doing so, it forces you to think about the correct methods and the more you do, the more it becomes part of you. By teaching these words, like teaching anything else, it forces me to put them into action. So, as I try to share this with my grandson’s and readers ... it is also my hope that by writing this column ... it makes all of us happier, stronger, kinder, wiser and more optimistic people. Life is too short to be otherwise.

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Take greater control of your 401(k)



FINANCIAL FOCUS  
JEFF BURDICK

If your employer offers a 401(k) or similar plan, you’ve got a powerful retirement-savings tool at your

disposal. And yet, how well you do with your 401(k) depends greatly on your choices and actions. What steps can you take to maximize the benefits of your plan?

For starters, be aware that your 401(k) may come with what might be called “standard” features, which you should review to determine their applicability to your situation. These features include the following:

Default deferral rate – When you take a job, your employer may automatically enroll you in the company’s 401(k) plan and assign a “default” contribution rate – the percentage of your salary you will put in to your 401(k). Many companies choose a default rate of 3 percent, although, in recent years, there has been a move toward higher rates, even up to 6 percent. Unfortunately, too many people don’t question their default rate, which could be a problem, especially if it’s at the lower end. If you want your 401(k) to ultimately provide you with as many financial resources as possible, you will likely need to contribute as much as you can afford. So, be aware of your default rate, and, if you can possibly afford it, increase that level. And every time your salary goes up, consider boosting your contributions.

Investment mix – When you’re automatically enrolled in your 401(k), the amount you might initially contribute isn’t the only “off the shelf” feature – you also might be assigned a default investment option. One common default investment is known as a target-date fund, which generally includes a mix of stocks, bonds and cash instruments. Your 401(k) plan provider, or your human resources area, will typically base this mix on your age and projected retirement date. Usually, this fund will grow more conservative over time, reflecting the need to reduce the portfolio’s risk as you get nearer to retirement. However, you may not be obligated to stick with the default option. Most 401(k) plans usually offer several options from which to choose. Ideally, you’d want to spread your investment dollars among a mix of these investments to give yourself the greatest growth potential, given your risk tolerance and time horizon. And always keep in mind that your 401(k) is a long-term vehicle, designed to help you prepare for a retirement that may be decades away. Consequently, try to discipline yourself to look past the inevitable short-term drops in your portfolio.

Matching contributions – If your employer offers a 401(k) matching contribution, you should certainly take advantage of it. Consider this: If you employer matches 50 cents for every dollar you contribute, up to 6 percent of your pay, and you contribute the full 6 percent, you would, in effect, be receiving a 3 percent pay raise (50 percent of 6 percent). That’s like a 50 percent rate of return even before you invest this added money.

Taking control of your 401(k) in the ways described above can help go a long way toward getting the most from your plan – and, as a result, may help get you closer to supporting the retirement lifestyle you’ve envisioned.

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Readers Share Hacks & Hints

Autumn is here and as we batten down the hatches and cozy up for a New England winter ahead, several readers took time from their many Fall chores to share their favorite “hacks” and hints. Whether it’s revealing a recipe or sharing a simpler way to get a task done, the following tips are sure to make life a little easier!



TAKE THE HINT

KAREN TRAINOR

in order and I don’t have to sort through the whole pile to match them up to the bank statement. Once the reconciliation is done, I file any that should be kept for tax purposes and shred the rest.

Susan Terkanian  
Spencer MA  
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Save money and the planet with this reader’s common sense strategy:

Here is a tip for water conservation: When you hand wash dishes, just put a little water in the wash side of the sink or pan. After you wash a few, rinse the sudsy items over that side of the sink or pan, and you will increase the level of water there instead of just running it down the drain.

Annie Wuelfing  
East Brookfield, MA  
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This reader’s message is “get a grip!”

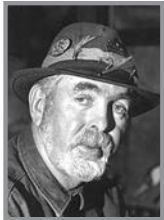
If you don’t have a jar opener or if it’s lost its grip, use a rubber band around

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# Fishing on the Salmon River



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Numerous anglers have returned from the Salmon River in upstate New York with some great fish. This week's photo shows young Logan Peck and his dad, with a 38 inch, 25-pound king salmon taken on the Oak Orchard River in Up State New York. Logan actually landed the huge fish as his dad looked on. That young man will surely be hooked on fishing after that trip. Congratulations, young man.

Tautog fishing in both Massachusetts and Rhode Island has exploded with action. Striper fishing on the Canal has slowed with mostly school stripers being caught. Trout fishing on many of the Mass. waters has also slowed, as had fishing pressure.

Deer hunting in Massachusetts was reportedly slow last week locally for archers, with a few nice bucks being taken, but very few does were being harvested. Action should pick up this week, but the rut is still a week or two away. Bruce Palmer of Uxbridge returned



home from a trip to Pennsylvania with an impressive eight-point buck this past week, taken with his crossbow. Way to go, Bruce!

With winter weather at our doorstep, some die hard sea duck hunters are gearing up for some fast shooting in the weeks ahead. The harsher the weather, the better the duck hunting on the coast can be. Strong winds, freezing rain and

snow can provide some great sea duck hunting if you can handle the elements. In this writers younger years, a couple of other crazy duck hunters traveled to the Rhode Island coast every weekend to brave the extreme conditions that mother nature had to offer.

After arriving at our hunting spot, we loaded all of our gear into my hunting buddy's small aluminum boat that was

equipped with a small gasoline outboard. It took two trips to bring all of our gear to the small jetty that was our place we set up our duck blinds. We had some fast tidal flow of saltwater to navigate through to get to our blinds. Looking back at our expeditions of sea duck hunting I realize now how foolish we were to take the chances that we did to enjoy some great hunting.

We all were wearing chest high waders, and had heavy clothing on as we navigated the tidal waters in the small craft. The boat was loaded down with our guns, duck decoys, numerous boxes of shotgun shells, and more. The dogs swam alongside our boat as we navigated to our hunting spot. We had to be nuts. We had a great time shooting ducks, and our dogs performed some great retrieves on the

downed birds.

Some of our hunting buddies were not so lucky sea duck hunting. Numerous sportsmen lost their lives on the saltmarshes of Mass. & Rhode Island because they let their guard down, and did not pay attention to the rising waters and increasing harsh weather conditions. Sea duck hunting can be a lot of fun, but you need to be constantly aware of your surroundings. On one of my hunting trips to the coast, I nearly lost my Labrador Retriever in the fast tidal flow in the area we were hunting.

The Westhill Dam access road leading to Harrington's pool area is permanently closed to all traffic. The Corps of Engineers had the property surveyed and agreed with the abutting land owner that showed his property lines were correct. The Corps of Engineers has no immediate plans to find another access to the area, other than the Dam site off of West Hartford Avenue. Hopefully, the Corps can find another access to the area, which was used by hundreds of residents and visitors annually.

*Take A Kid Fishing & Keep Them Rods Bending.*

## Plan ahead for Amaryllis blooms all winter long



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Let amaryllis fill your home with flowers for the holidays and keep the blossoms coming all winter long. When you plant several different types of amaryllis bulbs, from both the southern and northern hemisphere, you can be sure to get a long-lasting, colorful show that will brighten your mood and surroundings throughout the winter months.

Kick off the holiday season with amaryllis bulbs that are imported from growers in Peru. As we enter autumn, it's springtime in South America, and these bulbs are eager to start blooming. Pot them up before early November for flowers in December.

Amaryllis varieties grown in the southern hemisphere include deep red Mandela, frosty white Denver, coral-pink Bolero and two-tone Charisma. Combine these impressive blossoms with greens, poinsettias, candles and other holiday décor, or give them as living gifts to friends, family and neighbors.

Most amaryllis bulbs that are grown in the U.S. are imported from Holland, and their natural bloom time is January through March. Exactly when the flowers will open is impossible to predict. The best strategy is to

choose a number of different varieties and plant them 3 to 4 weeks apart during November, December and January. This way you will always have flowers coming into bloom.

Plan a winter filled with amaryllis blossoms by referring to Longfield Gardens' article, [longfield-gardens.com/article/When-Will-Your-Amaryllis-Bloom](http://longfield-gardens.com/article/When-Will-Your-Amaryllis-Bloom), for insight on when different amaryllis varieties will bloom.

Start your indoor flower display with an early bloomer such as Evergreen, which is always quick to break out of dormancy. Its flowers have narrow, lime/chartreuse petals on 20-inch plants. Enjoy the impressive display as each bulb produces two stems with four to six blossoms.

Minerva's extra-large, cherry-red flowers have a white star in the middle and an apple green throat. They are eye-catching from afar and spectacular up close. Apple Blossom is a long-time favorite with snow-white petals brushed with pink and a lime green throat. Or grow a double amaryllis such as Double King with layers of burgundy-red petals and up to a dozen flowers.

Enjoy some of the more unusual amaryllis colors and flower styles by planting varieties such as Naranja, with its tropical red-orange blossoms or Sweet Nymph, a romantic double amaryllis with stunning, coral-pink petals. Add elegance to your indoor garden with Picotee. Its 8" flowers are white with a thin red line around each petal.

As winter turns to early spring, celebrate with an explosion of indoor blooms from Red Pearl, Spartacus and other proven performers. The velvety, burgundy-red flowers of Red Pearl have a deep maroon throat that sets off the glittering gold stamens. Spartacus turns heads with its crimson petals and bold white stripes.

Display your amaryllis on a mantle, kitchen counter or entryway table where you can watch the amazing show as the first sprout appears, followed by buds and the spectacular trumpet-shaped blooms. Amaryllis are also beautiful, long-lasting cut flowers.

For best selection, order your bulbs early and store them in a cool, dry, dark place until you are ready to plant. Once you pot up the bulbs and place them in a warm, bright location, flower buds should appear in about six to 10 weeks.

Protect yourself from the winter blahs by investing in amaryllis. You can count on their big flowers and bright colors to lift your spirits and ease your way to spring.

Melinda Myers has written numerous books, including *Small Space Gardening*. She hosts *The Great Courses "How to Grow Anything"* DVD series and the nationally-syndicated *Melinda's Garden Moment TV & radio program*. Myers is a columnist and contributing editor for *Birds & Blooms* magazine and was commissioned by Longfield Gardens for her expertise to write this article. Her Web site is [www.MelindaMyers.com](http://www.MelindaMyers.com).



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As its name implies, Double King amaryllis brightens up any room with double blossoms of burgundy-red and can have up to a dozen flowers.

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the top of whatever you're trying to open. I did this to open the top of a liquor bottle that kept sealing closed and I just left the rubber band on the top of the bottle which helped me open it every time. Rhonda Santos Holland, MA \*\*

This kitchen tip "foils" the chance of ending up with cold fish!

Here is an easy way to cook salmon. I buy about ½ pound for myself and put aluminum foil around a small pan. I use Italian bread crumbs on top with a sprinkle of brown sugar just to sweeten the fish. Cover salmon completely with aluminum foil. Broil on high on middle rack in the oven for 30 minutes. Leave foil on bottom of fish and cut excess foil

off. The foil will keep the salmon hot on your dinner plate. Comes out great every time!

Jack Gordon  
Brookfield, MA  
\*\*

Butterscotch sauce is a seasonal favorite, and this reader's recipe promises to last well beyond the holidays:

If you like butterscotch, here is a good recipe that never spoils! In a saucepan, melt: ½ cup butter; 1 cup brown sugar; ½ tsp salt. Bring to a boil, then remove from heat and whisk in 1 teaspoon vanilla and ½ cup evaporated milk. Cool well before using. Keeps well in refrigerator and will never spoil.

Mary Ann Wiersma  
Whitinsville, MA  
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A reader shares a "sweet" skin softener:

I have a facial tip. I mix one teaspoon of honey and one teaspoon of warm water together. Apply to face and leave it on for five minutes, then rinse. It works great.

Terri Maiorana  
Ashford, CT  
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Prize Winner  
Congratulations to Susan Terkanian of Spencer MA who submitted the organizing tip above. Her name was drawn for a four course Dinner for Two at the Publick House in Sturbridge.

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Win Dinner for Two at the Publick House

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 renown 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.*



# OBITUARIES

## John F. Szczygiel, Jr.



CHARLTON- John F. Szczygiel, Jr., 80, of J. Davis Rd., passed away at home on Wednesday, Oct. 30th, after a brief illness.

His loving wife of 47 years, Carolyn M. "Cookie" (Ryan) Szczygiel died in 2014.

He leaves his son, John Szczygiel and his wife Janine of Michigan; two sisters, Irene M. Desrosier of Sturbridge and Cheryl A. Ryan of Southbridge; and two grandchildren, Sienna Szczygiel and Logan Szczygiel.

He was born in Southbridge the son of John F. and Mary E. Szczygiel, Sr.

He graduated from Cole Trade High School in Southbridge. John served honorably in the United States Navy during the Vietnam Era. He attended Wentworth Institute of Technology in Boston studying HVAC while working

at Pratt and Whitney in CT. John spent the majority of his career working for Worcester Center Associates for 40 years as a plant engineer retiring in 2003. He enjoyed watching New England sports especially the Patriots and Bruins. John loved to read and enjoyed traveling with his late wife Carolyn. He was a loving grandfather and cherished the time spent with his two grandchildren.

Funeral services and burial will be private. There are no calling hours.

The Daniel T. Morrill Funeral Home, 130 Hamilton St., Southbridge, is directing arrangements.

[www.morrillfuneralhome.com](http://www.morrillfuneralhome.com)

Photo attached



N O R T H GROSVENORDALE, CT – Hildegund (Jagow) Culligan, 82, of Sunshine Terrace, died Wednesday, October 30, 2019, at UMass Memorial Medical Center – University Campus in Worcester, after a battle with cancer. She is survived by five children, Brenda Carpenter and her husband Daniel of Sturbridge, Jane Galligan of Dudley, Susan Tinsley and her husband William of Webster, Carolyn Denham and her husband Al of Webster, and Danny Barylski and his wife Sylvia of Texas; fourteen grandchildren, Nicholas, Haley, Herbert, Shana, Jessica, Anthony, Robert, Kyle, Sally, Randi, Katie, Travis, Joseph, and Alexander; six great-grandchildren, Nathan, Ian,

Zoe, Harper, Tyler, and Odin; and several nephews and nieces. She was predeceased by a daughter, Sally Rivers who died in 2001; a grandson, Troy Rivers who died in 2019; and her former husband, Alfred Culligan. She was born in Bremerhaven, Germany, daughter of the late Johann Paul and Mathilde Meta (Balk) Jagow, and lived most of her life in Connecticut.

Ms. Culligan loved quilting, cooking, gardening, and playing bingo. She was an avid New York Yankees fan, and enjoyed watching Wheel of Fortune and Jeopardy with her daughters every Friday night.

Services are private. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society, 30 Speen St., Framingham, MA 01701. Paradis-Givner Funeral Home in Oxford is directing the arrangements. [paradisfuneralhome.com](http://paradisfuneralhome.com)

## Robert R. Gaumond, 69



M A R L B O R O - Robert R. Gaumond, 69, passed away on Sunday, Nov. 3rd, in the Rose Monahan Hospice Home, Worcester, after a long illness.

He leaves his brother, Richard F. Gaumond of Sturbridge and his sister, Patricia A. Gaumond of Sturbridge. He was born in Southbridge the son of the late Francois A. and Rejane G. (LeBoeuf) Gaumond. Bob received his bachelor's degree in 1972 from Assumption College and later received his master's degree in 1980 from Fitchburg State College.

Bob worked at the Dollar Tree in Marlboro before retiring in recent years. He previously worked as a driver for ADESA Boston an auto auctioneer in Framingham. He was a member

of the Crossroads Community Church in Framingham. In his youth Bob was an accomplished Boy Scout, achieving Eagle Scout with Gold Palm and also received the Pope Pius XII Award as an Eagle Scout.

His funeral will be held on Friday, Nov. 8th, from the Daniel T. Morrill Funeral Home, 130 Hamilton St., Southbridge, with a Mass at 10:00am in Notre Dame Church of the St. John Paul II Parish, 446 Main St., Southbridge. Burial will be in St. Anne's Cemetery, Sturbridge. Calling hours in the funeral home will be held on Thursday, Nov. 7th, from 5:00 to 7:00pm.

In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the Rose Monahan Hospice Home, 10 Judith Rd., Worcester, MA 01602 or to the St. John Paul II Food Pantry, 279 Hamilton St., Southbridge, MA 01550.

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# CALENDAR

## Sunday, November 10

THIRD ANNUAL RAY MCDUFFY VETERANS APPRECIATION SPAGHETTI SUPPER AND SILENT AUCTION: 4:30-7 p.m., Charlton Grange, 10 Main St. An all you can eat homemade made spaghetti and meatball supper with garlic bread, salad, dessert, soda, juice, coffee, and tea. Tickets are only \$10 for adults and \$5 for veterans and children. Children three and under are free.

There will also be a silent Auction that will include many gift certificates from local businesses, passes for local adventures, gift baskets, electronics (including a 2019 iPad) Red Sox and Patriot items. Pre purchase of tickets is strongly urged as only a limited amount will be available at the door. Visit our Facebook page for updates and links to pre pay tickets or call 508-248-5516. You can also go to [capenhill.org](http://capenhill.org). Under Events, the first link is the Spaghetti Dinner and you can scroll down and fill out form for tickets.

## Monday,

## November 11

CHARLTON GARDEN CLUB: Jim Baker, owner of Native Landscaping, will speaking on "Putting Your Garden to Bed" at 7 p.m. at the Charlton Federated Church, Charlton. \$5 donation suggested for non-members. For more information, contact Ginny Charette (508) 248-7300, Marcia Liedigk at (508) 434-0507.

## Saturday, November 16

LET'S BUILD A SNOWMAN GREETING CARD WORKSHOP, 2:30 p.m., Joshua Hyde Library, Sturbridge. Join us and facilitator Cathy Carroll as children ages 9-14 years create 3 awesome snowman-themed greeting cards with Stampin' Up stamps, inks, paper cutting, and more. Limited to 10 participants. Supplies provided. Free. Sponsored by the Friends of JHL. Pre-register please.

GIANT MEAT RAFFLE: 6 p.m., St. Joseph's Church Hall, Charlton. 6 meat, 1 turkey, 1 lobster table! Early Bird tickets for arrival before 6 p.m.

Selected "homemade" food purchases will be available for dinner, as well as homemade baked goods for dessert. Beverages include beer, wine, soda, water, coffee, tea, etc. Co-sponsored by Catholic Financial Life, Chapter 56.

## Wednesday, November 27

TURKEY DAY TALES, Joshua Hyde Library, Sturbridge. Family is here for the holiday! All are welcome to join us for Thanksgiving stories and a fun craft activity. Free. Sponsored by the Friends of JHL. Pre-register, please.

Friday, November 29

ART WITH AVA, 2 p.m., Joshua Hyde Library, Sturbridge. Ava, a young inspiring artist, will guide children ages 4-9 years in basic drawing skills. Participants will leave with two sketches that they create. Materials will be provided. Space is limited. Pre-registration is required. Free.

## Saturday, December 7

CHRISTMAS FAIR: 8 a.m.-2 p.m., Charlton Senior Center, 37 Main St. Christmas items, raffles, handmade items, holiday items, baked goods, white elephant items, homemade chowder, meatball grinders, peach shortcake and more.

SANTA CLAUS PANCAKE BREAKFAST: The Bay Path Education Foundation is pleased to announce that its annual Santa Claus Pancake Breakfast will be held at Bay Path High School, 57 Old Muggett Hill Road, Charlton on Saturday, Dec. 7 from 7:30 to 10:30 a.m. in the cafeteria. Families are provided with a free five-by-seven-inch photograph with Santa donated by Casson-Foster Photographers. There will also be a raffle and free face painting. Tickets are \$5 each, with children under five admitted free of charge. All funds raised are used for student scholarships and classroom mini-grants.

STARRY, STARRY NIGHT CHRISTMAS FAIR: 9 a.m.-2 p.m., Dodge Chapel, 81

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## ONGOING

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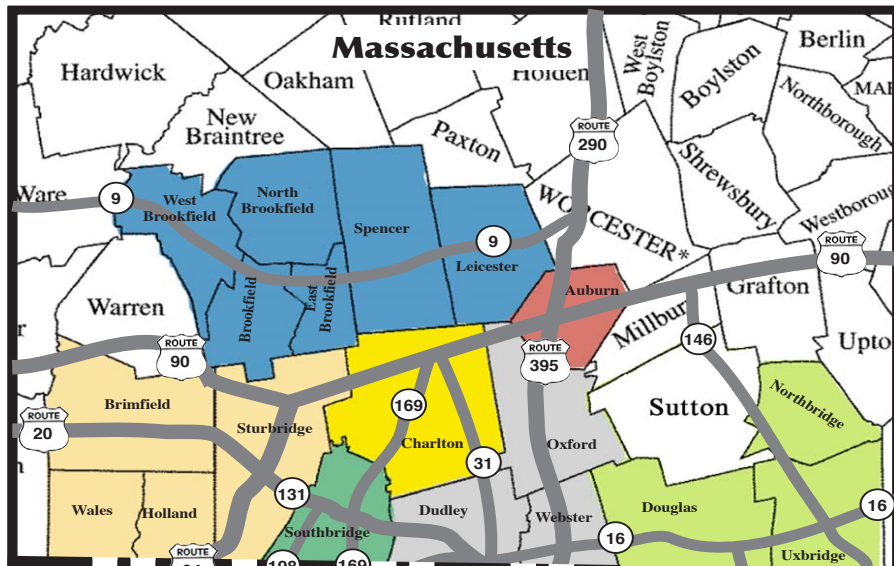
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# SPORTS

## Warriors get defensive before Marlborough prevails in overtime



Nick Ethier photos  
The action was tight, as seen here, as Tantasqua’s Emmy Cherry squared off with Marlborough.



Emily Locke of Tantasqua successfully shields the ball away from Marlborough defender Julia Mahaney.



Goalie Molly Ryan of Tantasqua nearly saves Marlborough’s game-winning overtime goal.

BY NICK ETHIER  
SPORTS STAFF WRITER

MARLBOROUGH — As the Tantasqua Regional varsity field hockey team finished off a 6-5-7 regular season, 13 of those 18 games either finished in a tie or were a one-goal differential. So, when the Warriors faced Marlborough High in a Central Mass. Division 1 Tournament First Round matchup at Whitcomb Middle School on Wednesday, Oct. 30, it was no surprise how close the game finished.

The two teams went 60 minutes without a goal being scored, setting up a seven-on-seven, sudden-victory overtime period, where the seventh ranked Panthers prevailed. There, with 1:19 to play in the session, Jacqueline McKinnon sprung loose for a breakaway. She then rifled a shot through Tantasqua goalie Molly Ryan — who was otherworldly in the game — and into the cage for the win.

Had there been no goals in the final 1:19, another 10-minute sudden victory session would have commenced. If the game still remained scoreless, the teams would have settled it in penalty shots.

“I’m so proud; the whole team, they just played so well and they worked so hard,” said Shelby Green, head coach of the 10th ranked Warriors, who finished 6-6-7. “We worked so hard this season and it really brought us to a great opportunity. It wouldn’t be us if we didn’t tie [through regulation].

“We have a very strong defense — and a very strong offense — but our defense is just so powerful and they do a great job,” she added.

Ryan, a senior, finished with eight saves and had to deal with the pressure of 10 Marlborough penalty corners. She made acrobatic, diving and lunging stops throughout the contest.

“Unbelievable saves, kept us in the game for so long — like many games that we’ve had,” Green said of Ryan. “She’s very athletic and very driven. She’ll do anything to stop that ball from going in the net.”

Another player that stood out of Tantasqua was Bella Berube. She was all over the field, continually clearing away Panther offensive chances.

“I think she had a great game,” Green said of Berube, a high midfielder. “We’re going to miss her greatly, she’s a senior as well. We have so many seniors that we’re going to miss so much.”

The list of 10 seniors includes Ryan, Berube, Alaina Fitzpatrick, Meghan Caplette, Rose Pecci, Emma Thompson, Katie Lebrun, Allie Morin, Cammie Breuer and Katlyn Shonak. The seniors had never qualified for the Central Mass. Tournament, as 2015 — their eighth-

grade year — was the last time the Warriors reached Districts.

“We’ve been waiting so long to get there. To be able to be co-champs in our league [Southern Worcester County League A Division] this year and go to Districts was just huge,” said Green. “It meant so much to us to be able to participate in it.”

Green believes that Tantasqua will remember reaching the tournament, not the sting of the OT loss, because of the way they fought.

“They were sad, but they were so happy at the same time. They know it was a good game, they know they played their hardest. If they came off the field thinking they didn’t, they wouldn’t feel that way,” Green said.

Marlborough then bowed out of the tournament in their next game in the quarterfinal round, where they suffered a 3-1 setback to No. 2 Algonquin Regional. The Panthers finished 11-6-3.

### POSTSEASON SCOREBOARD

All results through games played on Sunday, Nov. 3.

Friday, Nov. 1  
Central Mass. Division 2 Volleyball  
First Round  
(10) Tantasqua 3, (7) Burncoat 0 — The Warriors went into Worcester and defeated the Patriots in straight sets. Next up for Tantasqua (13-8) is a battle at No. 2 Canton High in the District Quarterfinals. That matchup is set for Monday, Nov. 4, which takes place after press time.



File photo

The Tantasqua Regional varsity volleyball team won its first playoff game versus Burncoat High, and next squared off with Canton High in the Central Mass. Division 2 Tournament quarterfinals after press time.

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### HIGH SCHOOL NOTEBOOK

Monday, Oct. 28  
Quaboag 2, Ware 0 — Kiarra Dorman and Olivia Bagg scored unassisted goals for the victorious Cougars, who improved to 12-3-2. Victoria Morgan made seven saves for the shutout.

Tuesday, Oct. 29  
Ludlow 3, Tantasqua 0 — A full

Ludlow boys’ JV soccer squad defeated a depleted Warriors’ team in Tantasqua’s season finale, ending the season on a losing note.

Friday, Nov. 1  
Tantasqua 21, Grafton 14 — The Warriors’ varsity football team took a 14-0 lead into halftime and held on

for a one-score victory. Tantasqua’s Ryan Sears (33 carries, 168 yards) rushed for scores of 5 and 29 yards in the first half, while Liam Graft added a 1-yard touchdown run in the fourth quarter. Jarrod Spratt kicked three extra points for the now 6-2 Warriors.



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boutiques housed in historic brick buildings; then enjoy an included late lunch buffet at the Harraseeket Inn. We will arrive in Boothbay Harbor in the late afternoon and check in to the Flagship Inn. This evening we'll experience Gardens Aglow; walk through the Coastal Maine Botanical Gardens' dazzling, outdoor display of 650,000 lights illuminating their meticulously cared for gardens. You'll also have a chance to peruse the visitor's center & gift shop and get

a bite to eat. We will stop in the village of Boothbay Harbor afterwards to experience "The Festival of Lights." After breakfast we will head home with a stop in Kennebunkport for lunch and shopping. \*Please note this tour includes periods of outdoor walking on dimly lit, potentially uneven surfaces, and overnight accommodations that require walking up and down stairs. On December 5 and 6th there is a trip to the Trapp Family Lodge and it includes one dinner and one breakfast both at the lodge, glassblowing at Simon Pearce Company, a meeting with a member of

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Jake Marley. Cactus also doesn't need Fred's mother, who arrives to take Fred home but decides to stay because she thinks this is the Christmas murder mystery party she has always dreamed of attending. Christmas turns into a Dickens of a holiday for Cactus as she solves mysteries, delivers small miracles and takes a second chance on love and sleuthing. All trips leave from the Whitinsville WalMart. Call Sue at 509-476-5820 for more information.

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friendly setting. Come early to chat and share in refreshments. Friday evenings at 7:30 p.m., Hitchcock Academy, Brimfield. K9 NOSE WORK: A sport open to all breeds of dog and their people Saturday mornings over six weeks at Hitchcock Academy in Brimfield starting Jan. 19. Progressive training levels offered. Fee: \$145 per dog, per session. Instructor: Laurie Merriitt, M.Ed., CPDT-KA, CNWI, Certified K9 NoseWork Instructor – National Association of Canine Scent Work. SEN-I JUDO CLUB: This course runs all year long on Sundays, Mondays and Thursdays at Hitchcock Academy in Brimfield, and is well suited for all levels of practitioners, including beginners! Call Sensei Israel Lopez at (413) 279-4330 for more information. WEIGHT WATCHERS: Traditional

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29th Annual Matthew and Marcia Simons Research Symposium on Alzheimer's Disease Dementia, looking back to move forward. Dr. Whitmer's presentation focused on modifiable risk factors over the life course and how health in early life impacts cognitive aging. The free research lecture began with a reception with light refreshments at 6:30 PM and the program started at 7 p.m. According to the [www.alzmassnh.org](http://www.alzmassnh.org), the annual Matthew & Marcia Simons

Research Symposium on Alzheimer's disease has been the centerpiece of the Alzheimer's Association, MA/NH Chapter's yearly scientific presentations since 1991, highlighting the work of scientists making major contributions to the search for causes, treatments and ultimate cure for Alzheimer's disease. The Alzheimer's Association honors the spirit and dedication of longtime Board of Directors member Marcia Simons, whose commitment to support and education for those coping with Alzheimer's disease led her in 1991 to endow The Matthew & Marcia Simons Research Symposium on Alzheimer's

Disease. Twenty-eight years later, the Alzheimer's Association continues to honor Marcia Simons and her family by highlighting the work of scientists making major contributions to the search for causes, treatments and ultimate cure for Alzheimer's disease. The symposium provided attendees with extra tools and information on Alzheimer's, showing the latest studies, theories and discoveries to bring people closer to finding a cure. "It was an amazing experience to be surrounded by such dedicated professionals," said Guertin. Thirty-five million people worldwide suffer from Alzheimer's, including five mil-

lion Americans. Alzheimer's disease is the sixth leading cause of death across all ages, and fifth leading for those 65 and older. It is the only fatal disease, of the top 10 fatal diseases, that has no cure and no prevention. "The symposium was an excellent opportunity to hear firsthand about research as well as network with others who are working so hard to find a cure to this terrible disease," said Guertin. "My clinical group and I were very honored to have been able to attend, are thrilled to learn and meet key individuals supportive of our professional learning and growth. We are excited to share much of what we learned with our the PN Class of 2020, as we brought back training tools and some great tips!" Guertin has over ten years of experience in caring for older adults, including those with Alzheimer's. As full-time faculty at Bay Path Practical Nursing Academy and Clinical Instructor at Quaboag Rehabilitation and Skilled Care Center in West Brookfield, Guertin plays a crucial role in educating PN students in the care for seniors and has a passion for caring for those with memory-impairing illnesses.

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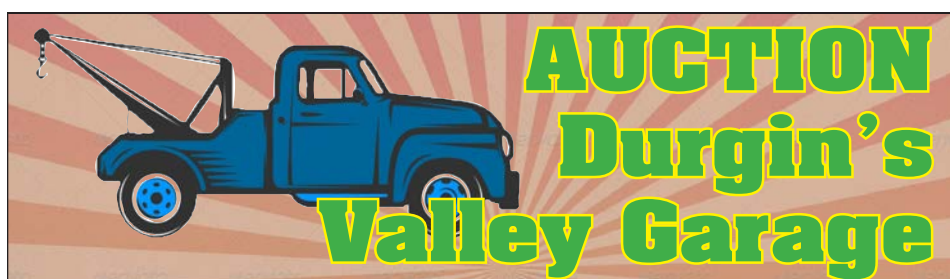


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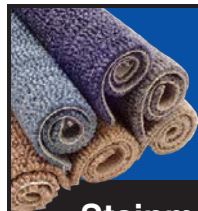
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November 7, 2019  
November 8, 2019

**PUBLIC NOTICE  
NOTICE OF  
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PLAN SITE MEETING**

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H. Foote Road, Charlton, MA  
Release Tracking Number (RTN) 2-19678

A release of oil and/or hazardous materials has occurred at this location, which is a disposal site as defined by M.G.L. c. 21E, § 2 and the Massachusetts Contingency Plan, 310 CMR 40.0000. On February 14, 2017, the Southbridge Recycling and Disposal Park, Inc. (SRDP) received a petition from residents in Charlton, MA requesting that this disposal site be designated a Public Involvement Plan (PIP) site, in accordance with M.G.L. c. 21E §14(a)

and 310 CMR 40.1404, and the site was designated as a PIP site. In accordance with PIP requirements, prior to the finalizing and submittal of an Immediate Response Action (IRA) Completion for the site, a public meeting will be held at Dexter Hall of the Charlton Public Library, 40 Main Street Charlton, MA 01507 on Monday November 25, 2019 from 6 PM to 7 PM to discuss the completion of response actions and the filing of the IRA Completion Statement, to solicit public comment on the draft IRA Completion Statement, and to provide information about disposal site conditions. Copies of the draft IRA Completion Statement will be made available at the meeting.  
Any questions regarding this meeting or the draft IRA Completion Statement should be directed to the Southbridge

Recycling and Disposal Park (SRDP), 165 Barefoot Road, Southbridge, MA 01550 (508) 860-2123.  
The draft IRA Completion Statement and the rest of the disposal site file can be viewed at MassDEP website using Release Tracking Number (RTN) 2-19678 at <https://eeaonline.eea.state.ma.us/portal#!/search/wastesite> or at the MassDEP, Central Region Office, 8 New Bond Street, Worcester, MA 01606, (508) 792-7650.  
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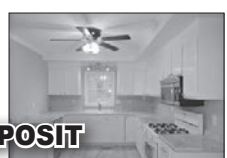
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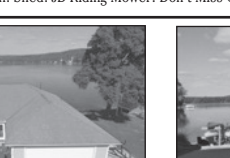
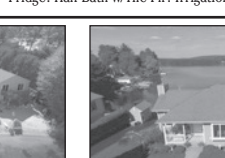


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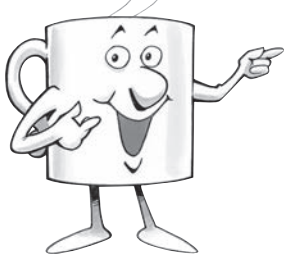


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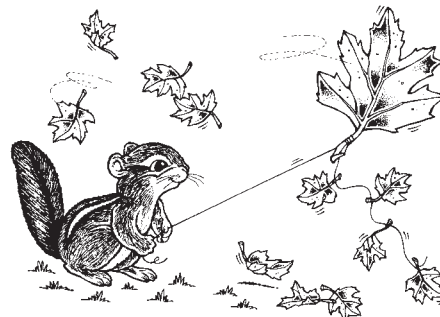


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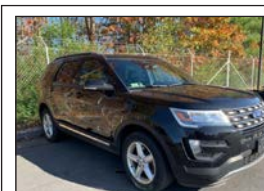
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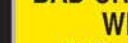


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SPENCER – After going unidentified for more than seven decades, a Spencer sailor killed during the attacks on Pearl Harbor will be honored this month at a memorial service.

U.S. Navy Buglemaster 2nd Class Lionel Lescault was on the deck of the USS Oklahoma on Dec. 7, 1941, when the ship was attacked by Japanese forces. Lescault and his comrades were getting ready to play the morning colors aboard the battleship as part of the band. At just before 8 a.m., the first of nine torpedoes struck the ship from multiple Japanese aircraft, resulting in the deaths of 429 crew members and the capsizing of the ship.

Unidentifiable at the time, Lescault's remains were buried at National Memorial Cemetery of the Pacific in Honolulu, as well as those of more than 300 fellow crew members from the Oklahoma. Lescault and his comrades went unidentified for decades, but closure was finally brought to many of their families 74 years later, when the graves were disinterred in 2015. Thanks to modern DNA technologies, Lescault was identified and members of his family were contacted.

"It means a lot to be able to honor him," said Lescault's nephew, Robert Berthiaume, of Spencer, who is organizing a memorial program in town next month.

On Nov. 10, a ceremony will be held at Powder Mill Park at 1 p.m. A plaque will be dedicated to honor the life of Lionel Lescault, who was 29 years old when he died. He was born in Spencer, and later lived in Worcester before enlisting in the Navy.

Lescault was buried at Arlington National Cemetery earlier this year. His name will be added to the memorial rotunda at Spencer Town Hall within the next year.

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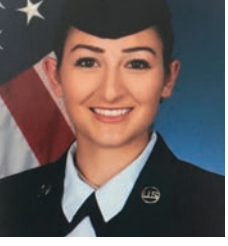
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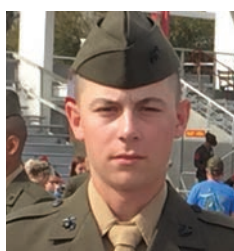
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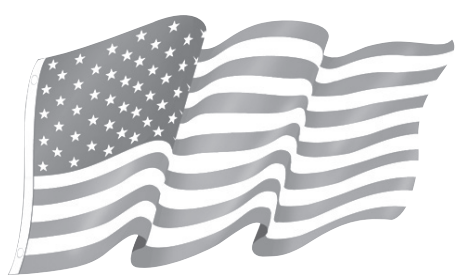


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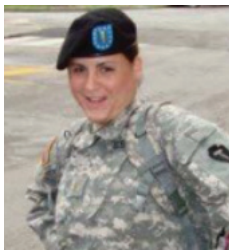
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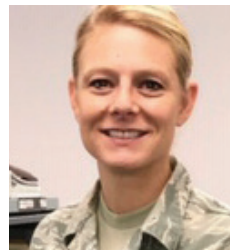
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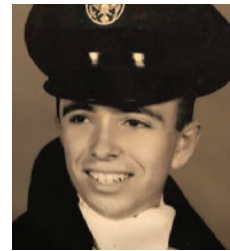
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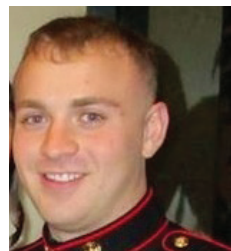


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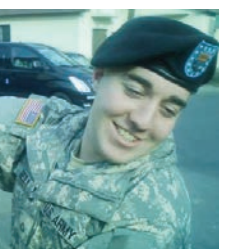


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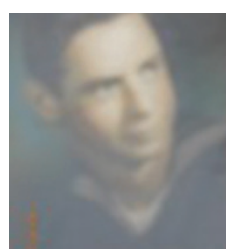
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# Honoring all heroes this Veteran’s Day

Veteran’s Day, which is celebrated annually on November 11, commemorates the hardworking men and women who sacrifice their time and put themselves in harm’s way to defend the country’s core values of freedom and opportunity. While Veteran’s Day certainly is a chance to honor those who have donned the uniform during wars and military installments, it also can be a chance to recognize the unsung heroes of wartime — those who step into roles so that soldiers and strategists can focus their attention elsewhere.

Take for example Naomi Parker Fraley. In 1942, Fraley was a machine shop worker at the Naval Air Station in Alameda, Calif. She was one of scores women who worked in factories and shipyards during World War II, helping to produce munitions and war supplies. Parker was 20 years old in 1942 and served as the inspiration for what would become one of the most indelible images of the era, known as “Rosie the Riveter.” Parker unknowingly inspired the iconic image after she was photographed at work bent over

an industrial machine in a jumpsuit with her hair tied back in a polka-dot bandana. In 2018, Naomi Parker Fraley died at the age of 96, not nearly the household name she perhaps should have been.

Rosie the Riveter helped to tout the contributions of female war employees who were defending America by working on the homefront. Rosie was a successful morale-booster, and some may be surprised to learn that Rosie has various incarnations.


Norman Rockwell’s depiction of a female riveter, which appeared on the cover of the Saturday Evening Post on May 29, 1943, became an iconic staple of that time. Muscular, with a rivet gun on her lap, a sandwich in hand and a boot stomping on a copy of “Mein Kampf” — and timed perfectly to coincide with the release of a song called “Rosie the Riveter” by Redd Evans and John Jacob Loeb — Rosie became a household name. But another Rosie image actually predates Rockwell’s Post cover.

Naomi Parker Fraley was reportedly the inspira-


tion for an ad created by a lesser known artist named J. Howard Miller. Miller produced a “We Can Do It!” poster for Westinghouse Electric in 1942 aimed at boosting spirits among the company’s workers. The poster helped to recruit new female personnel, according to scholar James J. Kimble. This Rosie was portrayed in a red bandana with her bent arm flexed, rolling up her shirtsleeve.

Both Miller’s and Rockwell’s depictions of female war workers became ingrained in popular culture. Rockwell’s cover art was eventually loaned to the U.S. Department of the Treasury for use in war bond drives for the duration of the war. Miller’s version has been emulated for generations and still epitomizes a strong female presence in the workforce.


This Veteran’s Day is a prime time to delve into American wartime history, with interesting stories like the origins of Rosie the Riveter, and pay homage to all of the heroes that help ensure America’s reputation as a great nation.




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Marines  
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Sgt. U.S. Marines  
Southbridge, MA




**Ralph C Julian**  
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Fiskdale, MA




**James Bartoli**  
Seaman, U.S. Navy  
Southbridge, MA




**Philip J. Benvenuti**  
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**Sgt. Alfred E Beland**  
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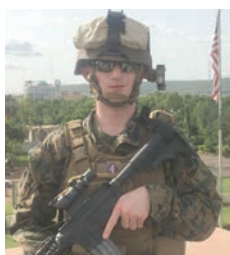
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**Robert J. Parmenter**  
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United States Coast Guard  
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on US Coast Guard Cutter  
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Marine Corps Embassy Guard  
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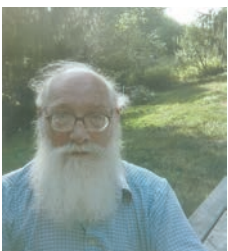
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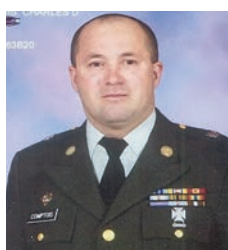
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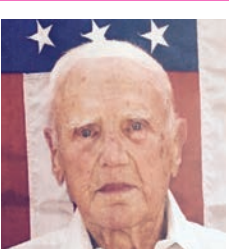
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United States Navy 1984-  
1988 served aboard the U.S.S  
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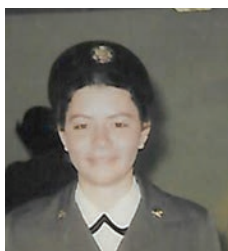


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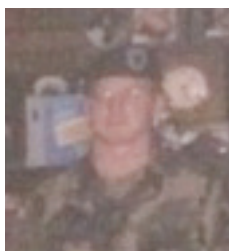


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radioman 1970-1974



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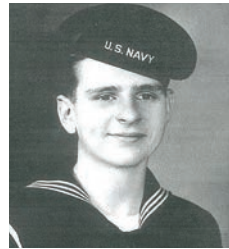
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Vietnam war. Dudley, MA



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U.S. Navy  
Auburn, MA

**LESCAULT**  
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to discover a fascinating chapter in his family's history. Several other members of the family also served in various branches of the military.

In addition to Lescault, 23 other Spencer residents made the ultimate sacrifice in the Second World War. Berthiaume enjoys tracing the history of his uncle and meeting others whose family members served.

"If you think about it, he was likely the first person from Spencer to be killed in World War II," Berthiaume said. "It is important for me to share his story with people."

Berthiaume, a member of the Spencer Exchange Club since the eighties, has done extensive research on Lescault's life and military service. He continues to seek naval records that will shine a brighter light on the service of Spencer's latest World War II hero.

The Nov. 10 ceremony at Powder Mill Park is open to the public. Town and regional officials will join in the celebration of Lescault's life and sacrifice.



<p><b>Margaret A. (Radzik) Mongeau</b> First Lt. U.S. Air Force Nurse Corps Webster, MA</p>	<p><b>Lieutenant Michael Shaw</b> Sergeant, U.S. Marine Corps Reserve</p>	<p><b>Sergeant Richard A. Garabedian</b> U.S. Army Spencer, MA</p>	<p><b>Mark Landry</b> U.S.A.F Special Security Force Dudley</p>	<p><b>Officer Joseph Reed</b> U.S. Army National Guard</p>	<p><b>John Dawson</b> Corporal U.S. Army He was killed in serving on April 8, 2015 in Jalalabad, Afghanistan</p>
<p><b>SSGT. Dan Dono</b> U.S.A.F. Vietnam Charlton, MA</p>	<p><b>Shawn Donnelly</b> U.S. Marines</p>	<p><b>A1C, Bryan Gibree</b> Dudley, MA U.S. Air Force</p>	<p><b>Corporal Bryan Sosnowski</b> U.S. Marine Corps Served in Afghanistan &amp; Iraq</p>	<p><b>Zen Sosnowski</b> U.S. Marine Corps WWII</p>	<p><b>Gerald Hennequin</b> U.S. Army Served until 1964 West Point Academy Dudley, MA</p>
<p><b>Herman Piehl</b> Army Staff Sergeant</p>	<p><b>Joshua L. Booth</b> 1st. Lt.(U.S.MC). He was killed in action on October 17, 2006 in Hadithah Iraq. Sturbridge, MA</p>	<p><b>John E. (Jack) Booth</b> Air Force veteran (Lt.), serving during the Vietnam war. He died September 2, 2014.</p>	<p><b>Staff Sgt Jake Leveille</b> 1st Battalion 75th Ranger Regiment Hunter Army Air Field GA</p>	<p><b>George Paul Olson</b> Coast Guard Signalman</p>	<p><b>Gordon Butler</b> Army Sergeant</p>

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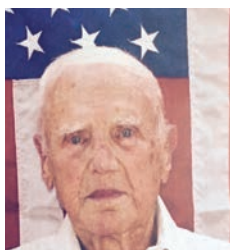




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U.S. Coast Guard and  
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United States Navy 1984-  
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812 Chemical Co. WWII  
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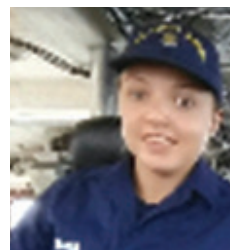
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Trainor**  
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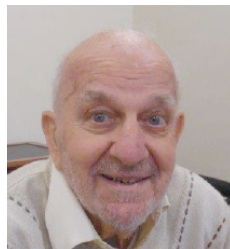
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Navy 3rd Class Radioman



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Bodinizzo**  
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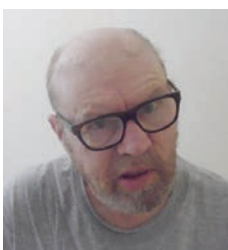




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**Bernard F. McKeon, Jr**  
Specialist E-4  
U.S. Army Vietnam  
Veteran



**Jim Reynolds**  
Pictured as Cadet at the United States Military Academy at West Point, class of 1976 and as a young Army officer. Jim proudly served his country and resigned his Army commission when a Captain. Jim resides in Charlton and Jim is active in several Veteran's associations.



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Served during Vietnam Conflict  
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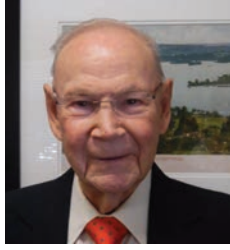
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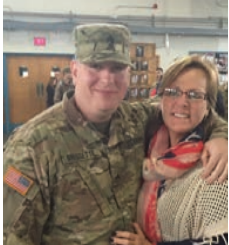
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Navy Seaman 1st Class  
South Pacific



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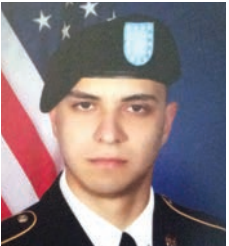
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Colleen DeMings his great grand  
daughter. We went to visit him  
on Veteran's day and he gifted  
her with his navy picture.



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Honorable



**Michael L. Splaine**  
Army  
Rank Sp4  
Honorable



**Hector Serrano**  
E2 U.S. National Guard  
Southbridge, MA



**Ruben Lopez**  
E3 USMC  
Southbridge, MA



**Nelson Craver**  
Marine Sergeant



**Spec 5 Nicholas Regis Smith**  
U.S. Army  
Ft. Bragg, Fayetteville, NC  
Spec Ops Training



**Norman Eddy**  
Army 1st Class Private



**Sp5 Margaret Biscornet Darling**  
Cherry Valley, MA



**Sargeant Walter F. Emerson**  
U.S. Army, WWII  
Leicester, MA



**Bryan Oleman**  
U.S. Marine E5

**Brenda Oleman**  
U.S. Marine E5



**A1C Merlisa A. Rheume**  
USAF  
Southbridge, MA

**SMSgt Donald E. Burrows**  
USAF (Ret)  
Holland, MA



**SFC Leonard Robar**  
SFC Leonard Robar enlisted in  
the U.S. Air Force after graduat-  
ing from High School in 1980.  
Retired November 2012  
Spencer, MA



**Laura James**  
Promoted to Captain in an  
October 5, 2016 ceremony held  
at Fort Bliss, Texas.



**Harmon Pollard**  
SP/4 U.S. Army First  
Division  
East Brookfield, MA



**Winfield Coles**  
U.S. Navy WWII Invasion of  
Normandy  
Uxbridge, MA



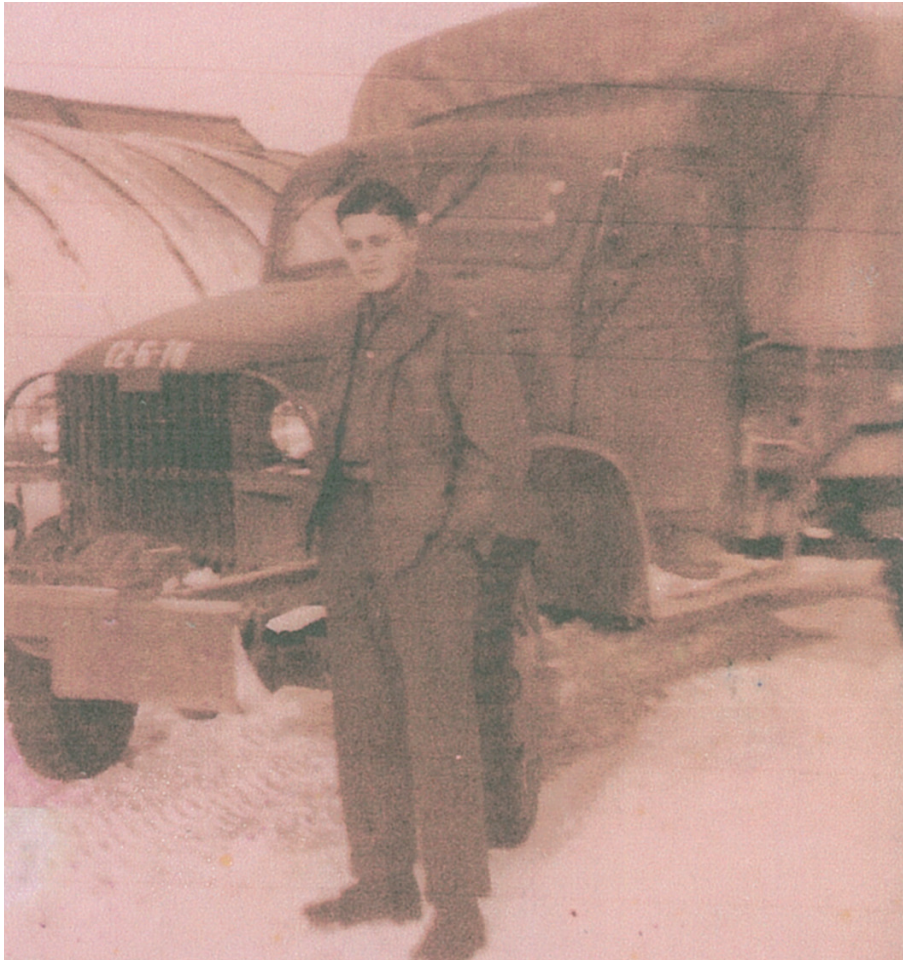
**Francis O. Laventure**  
U.S. Army, WWII P.F.C.  
Killed in action in France  
Spencer, MA



**David Mainville**  
Lieutenant Colonel  
U.S. Army  
Spencer MA



**Lance Corporal Dolan Hill**  
United States Marine Corps  
Active Duty  
Charlton, MA



**David H. Fekay**  
Sgt. U.S. Army, WWII  
East Brookfield, MA



We appreciate our service members whose courage and bravery protect our country and freedom. Stonebridge Press is proud to bring you this salute to area Veterans.



James Mason

Sergeant U.S. Marine Corps  
Picture of Webster's James Mason in Vietnam helping his comrade. Picture was on the News week during the war.

THREE SONS IN NAVY, ONE IN ARM  
*50th Anniversary Aug. 5-1995*

PFC. ANEST BUCHKA

MICHAEL BUCHKA, CM 1-c

THOMAS BUCHKA, MM 1-c

VASIL BUCHKA, S 2-c

Mrs. Stella Buchka of River Court has four sons in the service, three in the Navy and one in the Army. Pfc. Anest Buchka has been in the service for three years taking part in the invasion of North Africa and later in Italy. Michael, CM 1-c, has been in the Navy for four and one-half years. He was at Pearl Harbor at the time of the Jap attack, and since that time has served in many of the great battles of the Pacific, and recently returned from the battle of Okinawa, and is now at San Francisco, Cal. Thomas, MM 1-c, has been in the Navy five and one-half years and was also at Pearl Harbor during the attack, and was on the same ship as his brother Michael at the time. He served in many of the Pacific battles, and recently returned to the Pacific area after being in California. Vasil (Billy) Buchka, S 2-c, has been in the service for eight months and is stationed at Port Huenem, California.

<p><b>Gilbert E. Mann</b> SGT. U.S. Army Korea Charlton, MA</p>	<p><b>George Bibeau WWII</b> U.S. Coast Guard Petty Office 2nd Class. 3 Years Service aboard the Coast Guard Cutters Bibb, Owasco &amp; Evergreen, North Atlantic 3 Years</p>	<p><b>Roland Bibeau WWII</b> U.S. Marines Master Sergeant First Marine Division Invasion of Guadal Canal and on 6 years Service</p>	<p><b>Edgar Bibeau WWII</b> U.S. Army - 82nd Staff Sargeant, Invasion of Europe, Normandy 3 Years Service</p>	<p><b>John I. "Jack" Flynn</b> U.S. Air Force Airman First Class Korean Conflict North Oxford, MA</p>	<p><b>John Dzura</b> WWII as a radarman RDM2 U.S. NAVY Sturbridge MA</p>
<p><b>Thomas DeNardis</b> U.S. Air Force 1959-1963 Vietnam Era Veteran Rakl - Airmen first class From Webster-Dudley area</p>	<p><b>P.F.C. William A. Laventure, Jr.</b> WWII Battery B. 178th Coast Artillery Battalion Asiatic Pacific, Pearl Harbor, Saipan, Guam</p>	<p><b>Sargeant Jason Consiglio</b> U.S. Marine Corps Spencer, MA</p>	<p><b>Albert W. Richard</b> U.S. Navy WWII Webster, MA</p>	<p><b>Sonnie Jacob O'Day</b> Army National Guard Private First Class Brookfield, MA</p>	<p><b>David Gendreau</b> Specialist Army Deceased from Dudley, MA 03/19/1951-05/05/2013</p>
<p><b>John A. Kocur</b> World War II</p>	<p><b>Roger Roy</b> Sergeant U.S. Army Southbridge, MA Japan 1954</p>	<p><b>Ralph W. McNamara</b> PTV, WWII Worcester, MA</p>	<p><b>Peter M. Rock</b> Lackland AFB, San Antonio, Texas 1960 became Electronic Warfare Operator on B-57 recon jet</p>	<p><b>Fiore DiMarco</b> World War II P.F.C Gunner Tank Division U.S. Army Southbridge, MA</p>	<p><b>Edward McManus</b> U.S. Air Force 1959-1963 Served in Okinawa</p>
<p><b>Leo Berthiaume</b> U.S. Army Served in WWII</p>	<p><b>SPC Kelley McKeon</b> U.S. Army East Brookfield, MA</p>	<p><b>Walter A. Hewett, Jr.</b> PFC U.S. Army 1950-1954 Korean War Veteran Whitinsville, MA</p>	<p><b>Wilfred G. Sasserville, Jr</b> P.F.C. U.S. Army Spencer, MA</p>	<p><b>Milton C. Cherrier</b> S/Sgt. U.S. Air Force 1954-1958 Webster, MA</p>	<p><b>Irving Patrick "Sonnie" O'Day</b> US Army PFC from. Brookfield, Ma. A Korean War veteran.</p>
<p><b>Jamie Hetherington</b> Rank: AO2 (AW/EXW) United States Navy Uxbridge, MA</p>	<p><b>Hilda J. Snelling</b> Lt. Colonel Retired U.S. Air Force 1955-1985 Spencer, MA</p>	<p><b>Pfc Marlene A Swanson Giguere</b> U.S. Army Brookfield -MA</p>	<p><b>Kenneth Allen</b> Hospitalman 3rdt Class U.S. Navy, Korean Conflict Spencer</p>	<p><b>Bruce Vigeant</b> Sargeant - Army Oxford, MA</p>	<p><b>Daniel Patrick Mannix</b> U.S.M.C. Vietnam 1966-1969 Dennisport, MA</p>
<p><b>John G Argitis</b> Sgt. U.S. Army/ U.S.A.F Gunner B-29 WWII Merchant Marine Sturbridge</p>	<p><b>Gunny SGT John Rotchford</b> USMC Vietnam Veteran- Three Tours Recipient of Three Purple Hearts</p>	<p><b>Matt Chalifoux</b> Rank-Sergeant, enlisted 2006 Army National Guard Retired October 2013</p>	<p><b>Joanne M. (Zollo) Wilbur</b> A 2/C U.S.A.F 1956-1959 Charlton City</p>	<p><b>Michael J. McGovern</b> Security Police Office USAF Webster, MA</p>	<p><b>Jeremy Francis White</b> Lance Corporal U.S. Marines (active duty)</p>







**Ralph W. Gajewski**  
3rd Class Petty Office U.S. Navy  
Sturbridge, MA



**Raymond J. Varin, Jr**  
World War II  
Staff Sergeant  
Signal Service Platoon  
U.S. Army  
Southbridge, MA



**Raymon Lester Woodcock**  
World War II, U.S. Navy, Fireman second class in Norfolk VA  
Korean War, U.S. Army, Corporal - Locomotive Engineer, 91 Webster, MA



**Rene Guerra**  
Sargent e5



**Daniel Hurley (L) and Sean Hurley (R)**  
U.S. Army  
Leicester, MA



**Richard Tracey**  
Corporal  
U.S. Marine Corps  
Webster, Mass.



**Richard M Trauschke**  
Chief Petty Officer  
U.S. Navy  
West Brookfield, MA



**Robert Francis Ronayne**  
SKC U.S. Navy, Retired  
20 Years Served  
(U.S.S. Boston and Vietnam) Brimfield



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Cpl. Frank Andrew Lenti



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Webster, MA



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3rd Class Petty Officer  
U.S. Navy  
Oxford, MA



**Donald D. Surprenant**  
ENC (Ret.)  
U.S. Navy  
Sturbridge, MA



**William Adamuska**  
PFC U.S. Army 5th Division  
World War II  
Dudley, MA



**SSGT Patrick McConvill** **TSGT Michael McConville** **SRA Airman Michael McConville**  
Left to right is now SSGT Patrick McConville assigned to 102nd Intelligence Wing at Otis Air National Guard, TSGT Michael McConville retired from the Massachusetts Air National Guard, and SRA Airman Michael McConville assigned to 66th Security Forces at Hanscom Air Force Base.



**George E. Surprenant**  
A2c (E3) U.S. Air Force  
(1961-1965)  
Spencer, MA



**Lyle Henry Edick**  
PFC  
U.S. Army  
Resided in Brookfield, MA



**Mark A. Morin**  
Captain, U.S. Army,  
U.S. Army, Corps of Engineers  
East Brookfield, MA



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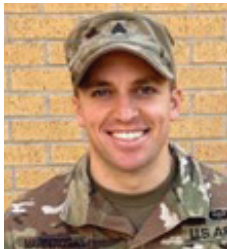
**Bernard "Bunny" Hamilton**  
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Machinist Mate - 3rd Class  
World War II  
Oxford, MA



**Brendan E. Canty**  
TEC4 U.S. Army  
World War II  
Webster, MA



**Corporal Brian Stearns**  
U.S. Marines  
Northbridge



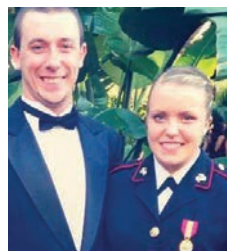
**Matthew Marderosian**  
Sgt. U.S. Army  
Stationed at Fort Polk Louisiana  
Sturbridge, MA



**Michael J. Kocur**  
World War II  
Purple Heart



**Sargent Jacques Mathieu**  
U.S. Army  
Korean War Veteran



**Holly (Osterhoudt) Chambers**  
Corporal USMC.  
Stationed on Oahu, Hawaii.  
Spencer MA  
Pictured with her husband, Cori Chambers.



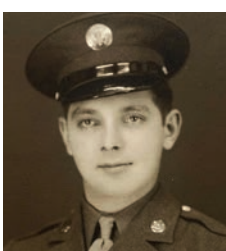
**Jacqueline Lavigne**  
U.S. Air Force  
Aerospace Medical Service  
Technician  
Charlton, MA



**George Edward Healy**  
U.S Navy 1957-1973  
Spencer/Boylston MA



**George "Puckie" O'Day**  
WW2 Pacific Theatre  
U.S. Army Tech 5



**Henry J. Paprocki**  
U.S. Army Private First Class,  
Battery C 357th Anti Aircraft  
Artillery Battalion  
Dudley, MA



World War II  
Left to right:.

**Edward Gorski,**  
U.S. Army,  
**Thomas Gorski, Sr.,**  
U.S. Marine Corps,

**Joseph Gorski,**  
U.S. Army,  
**John Gorski,**  
U.S. Marine Corps.



**George Cote**  
GM2, US Navy,  
Spencer, MA (Deceased)



**Sargeant Joseph Brooks**  
U.S. Marine Corps  
Reserves



**Neil Dixon**  
BM2  
U.S. Navy (1967-1971)  
Webster, MA





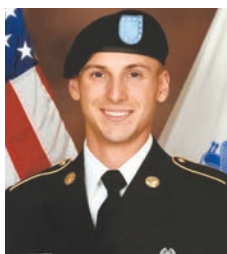
**John Hedly**  
Afghanistan, 2015  
U.S. Army



**James Hedly**  
Iraq, 2004  
U.S. Navy



**Roger Farrand**  
Airman  
U.S. Airforce  
Southbridge, MA



**Samuel Domozych**  
PFC U.S. Army, Active Duty  
Sturbridge, MA



**Harold Kalagher**  
E4  
U.S. Army  
Douglas, MA



**Vincent R. Rannigan**  
Sergeant Military Police,  
U.S. Army Vietnam  
Southbridge, MA



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Specialist 3rd Class  
U.S. Army  
Webster, MA



**Jared Melanson**  
Private First Class  
U.S. Marines  
Northbridge, MA



**Henry Ostiguy**  
PFC Company L 8th Infantry  
Division  
World War II  
U.S. Army  
North Brookfield, MA



**Foster G. Munroe**  
SP3 U.S. Army, ASA Korean War  
Southbridge, MA  
(Deceased)



**Francis Marderosian**  
BU3, U.S. Navy Seabees  
Vietnam Veteran  
Spencer, MA



**Francis Marderosian**  
Seaman 2nd Class, U.S. Navy,  
WWII  
Worcester, MA (deceased)

**LT. ROGER F. MEAGHER**  
Was Missing 3½ Years

**Webster Officer Officially Dead**

WEBSTER, March 11 — The War Department has informed Mrs. Roger (Kozicz) Meagher, 18 George street, that her husband, First Lt. Roger F. Meagher, 32, was killed in action Korea on Nov. 3, 1950.

Mrs. Meagher said this morning he had been reported missing on Nov. 2, 1950. His death occurred during combat operations in the Unsan area in North Korea.

He also leaves two sons, Michael John, 10, and Brian William, 7; his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Meagher, of Norfolk, Va.; a brother, Henry Meagher Webster, and three sisters, Mrs. Bernice Cregg and Mrs. Ellen Capozzoli of Webster and Mrs. Hazel Dion of Norfolk, Va.

Lt. Meagher served in Europe during World War II as a warrant officer. He re-entered Army service in 1948 as a lieutenant after serving as commanding officer of the Webster National Guard unit.



**Our Webster Heroes**

SP4 Billy Dauksz, USA, Vietnam

Major Ed Dauksz, USMC, Vietnam

PVT Dominic Dauksz, USA, WWII, Germany

CPO Ed Alexander, USN, WWII, Pacific

SSGT Tony Dauksz, USA, WWII, Pacific

SGT Gilbert Thibeault, USA, Vietnam Era

SGT Lester Dumouchel, USA, WWII

BM3 Charles Dauksz, USN, Korea

*Names listed clockwise*





# Explore the history of Veteran’s Day

Service members make numerous sacrifices in defense of their countries. While the debts to service members may never be the kind that can be repaid in full, paying tribute to veterans, on Veteran’s Day and throughout the year, can be a great way to show them just how much their efforts are appreciated.

### VETERAN’S DAY BEGINS WITH ARMISTICE DAY

Veteran’s Day is a byproduct of the end of World War I, when Germany and the Allied Nations signed the Treaty of Versailles, formally ceasing fighting and establishing terms of peace. On November 11, 1919, the first anniversary of the signing of the treaty, the

first Armistice Day events were held. Armistice Day was initially a legal holiday to honor the end of World War I only, states History.com. The United States Congress passed a resolution in 1926 for an annual observance, and November 11 became a national holiday starting in 1938. However, in 1954, after the country had been embroiled in both World War II and the Korean War, Congress amended the Act of 1938 by renaming the commemoration “Veteran’s Day” to honor veterans of all wars.

### VETERAN’S DAY IN OCTOBER?

According to Military.com, for a short time, thanks to the Uniform Holiday Bill, which in 1968 established three-day weekends for federal employees by celebrating national holidays on Mondays, Veteran’s Day was moved to the fourth Monday of October — the first being October 25, 1971. However, many people did not agree with this decision, continuing to honor the holiday on the original date. In 1975, President Gerald Ford signed a new law that returned Veteran’s Day to November 11 beginning in 1978. Since then, parades, memorial



events, volunteer efforts, and other celebrations revolving around veterans have been held on November 11.

### VETERANS AROUND THE WORLD

Many countries, including the United States, celebrate veterans on or near November 11. America’s closest neighbor to the north, Canada, commemorates veterans on Remembrance Day (also November 11), as does the United Kingdom. Britain also has Remembrance Sunday, which is the second Sunday of November. Remembrance Day also is called Poppy Day, when people of the Commonwealth member states wear a red poppy flower in honor of military members who have

died in the line of duty.

### PAYING TRIBUTE

There are various ways to honor veterans on Veteran’s Day and Remembrance Day. Federal government closings, educational efforts in schools, parades, and visits to military hospitals or cemeteries may take place. In Europe, it is common to observe two minutes of silence at 11 a.m. every November 11. Veteran’s Day and its sister holidays mark the honoring of veterans of all wars, with a particular focus on living veterans. It is a day to celebrate the dedication and selflessness of hardworking military men and women.



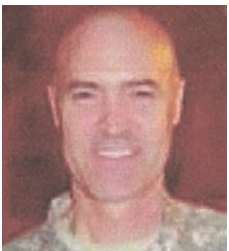
**Dave Peckham**  
U.S. Navy  
1960’s



**Dick Brodeur**  
U.S. Army  
1960’s



**Matthew Smith**  
Army Air Corps  
Second Lieutenant  
Auburn/Charlton



**Richard “Dick” Paul McEvoy**  
Retired Army Colonel, served 28 years. Killed by a suicide bomber on Friday, August 22, 2015 in Kabul, Afghanistan working as a defense contractor, at age 57



**Amber (Dellana) Roberts**  
Yeoman Petty Officer Third Class US Navy Active Duty  
Current Duty Station: Pre Commissioning Unit Gerald R. Ford - CVN 78  
Prior Duty Stations: USS Cole - DDG67  
Commander Patrol Reconnaissance Group-Webster



**Alan St. George**  
Southbridge, MA  
Electricians Mate Third Class  
U.S. Navy 1970-1974



**Richard Gatto**  
UMSC  
East Brookfield, MA 1985-1991



**Cpl Kevin Gatto**  
USMC  
East Brookfield, MA  
2012-Present



**Edward Kosakoski**  
Lieutenant Colonel  
U.S. Air Force  
Webster



**Ingrid Kosakoski**  
Retired as Lieutenant Colonel  
U.S. Air Force-Webster  
(Pictured as Second Lieutenant)



**Arthur Dumas**  
Army Master Sergeant



**Arthur LaFortune**  
Navy Gunners Mate 2nd Class



**John Lauzon**  
U.S. Air Force  
1980’s



**John Warren**  
U.S. Marine Corps  
1960’s



**Arthur S. King**  
Sgt. Marine Corps  
Spencer, MA



**Edward M. Collins, Jr.**  
Sergeant  
U.S. Army  
Dudley, MA



**Robert Galli**  
U.S. Army  
Specialist 4th Class  
Southbridge, MA



**Christopher R. Galli**  
Sergeant  
U.S. Army/ 82nd Airborne Division  
Southbridge, MA



**Michael Hobbs**  
U.S. Navy MM2  
1960’s



**Phyllis Gallant**  
U.S. Navy  
1940’s



**In Memory of Paul E Bonnette**  
Tech 5 U.S. Army, WW II, company M 354th Infantry Division,European Theater



**Phillip Harding**  
Sgt U.S. Army 19 years  
OIF



**P.F.C Raymond K. Love**  
U.S. Air Force  
Served in Denmark, 1970’s



**Edmond J. Johnston JR**  
Navy Senior Chief, Ret.  
Woodstock, CT



**John Doherty**  
Caaptain U.S. Air Force  
1960’s



**Jack Grzyb**  
Cwo  
U.S. Coast Guard  
Dudley, MA



**Edward Duszlak**  
WWII - Europe  
North Grosvenordale, CT



**John Duszlak**  
WWII - South Pacific  
North Grosvenordale, CT



**Emma Beer**  
2nd Lieutenant, Air Force,  
Medical School at Uniformed Services  
University of Health Sciences,  
Spencer, MA



**Michael P. Sokolowski**  
U.S. Navy CMC2  
Dudley, MA



**Michael J Splaine**  
E4 Corporal  
Honorable Discharge  
Brimfield, MA



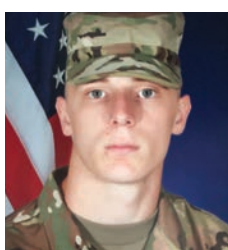
**Clifford G. Fountain**  
Airman 1st Class U.S.A.F.  
2nd Air Force Command  
308th Bomber Wing  
Warren



**Jason L. Paquette**  
E4 U.S. Army  
3rd Armored Division  
West Brookfield



**Army Specialist Nicholas Cobb**  
Hunter Army Airfield  
Savannah GA  
From Dudley, MA



**Pvt Jacob Root**  
U.S. Army  
Agawam, MA



**Maurice W. Healy Jr.**  
U.S. National Guard, as a  
Spec 5, 181 first 26 Yankee  
Division, Co. C.  
Dudley, MA



**Tyler Reich**  
Sr. Airman U.S. Air Force  
Security Forces  
Dudley, MA



# 3 unique ways to give back to service members

Military service in the United States was once more common than it is today. According to the Council on Foreign Relations, the draft for military service was ended in 1973, a point in time when 2.2 million men and women made up the country's active military personnel. By 2018, the number had dipped below 1.3 million. Military service in Canada is also somewhat uncommon, as the Department of National Defence reports that active military personnel totaled just 68,000 as of 2018.

The vast majority of people in countries where military service is not compulsory will never serve in the military. But that does not mean non-military personnel do not appreciate the sacrifices service members and their families make. In fact, a recent report conducted for Canada's Department of National Defence found that while many

Canadians seem only vaguely aware of what their military does, appreciation for service members was high.

Service members and their families make many sacrifices to protect the lives and freedoms of their fellow citizens. The following are three unique ways to give back to these selfless men and women, who often benefit greatly from even the simplest of gestures.

**1. SERVE AS A DRIVER FOR VETERANS.**

Unfortunately, many service members return from overseas missions with disabilities, some of which prevent them from driving. Adults who want to help service members can serve as drivers for veterans who can't drive themselves. Such a gesture ensures they won't miss any appointments with

doctors or physical therapists, helping them get on the road to recovery that much quicker.

**2. DONATE YOUR AIRLINE MILES.**

Some disabled veterans receive medical treatments far away from home at facilities that specialize in treating certain types of injuries, which can make it difficult for their families to be there for them during their recoveries. By donating airline miles to military families, ordinary adults can ensure injured servicemen and -women can still see their families during difficult times in their lives. Access to such support systems can be a big help as veterans work to recover from their injuries.

**3. SPONSOR A SERVICE DOG.**

A significant percentage of veterans return home with post-traumatic stress disorder, or PTSD. PTSD has been linked to a host of conditions, including depression and anxiety. However, programs such as Companions for Heroes, an organization that places service dogs with veterans, has helped many veterans successfully cope with PTSD. By sponsoring a service dog through an organization such as Companions for Heroes, adults who want to help service members can provide an invaluable service to men and women fighting to regain their quality of life.

There are many ways for ordinary citizens to show their support for the brave men and women who selflessly serve in the military.



**Roland Tremblay**  
**Richard Tremblay**  
**Roger Tremblay**  
**Robert Tremblay**

**Anthony Urella**  
**Michael Urella**  
**Gerald Urella**  
1st Marine From Left:  
Anthony Urella - E3 Lance Corporal (Currently Living In Florida)  
Michael Urella - E4 Corporal (Currently Living In Auburn)  
Gerald Urella - E3 Lance Corporal (Deceased 1983)  
All U.S. Marines Served 1960-1964



**John A. Gonsorcik Sr.**  
CSG3 3rd class Petty officer Cook



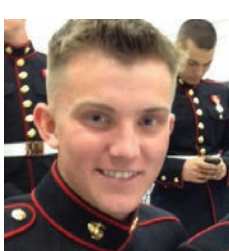
**A1C Joseph Gullekson**  
U.S. Air Force  
Currently stationed in Monterey, CA  
Southbridge, MA



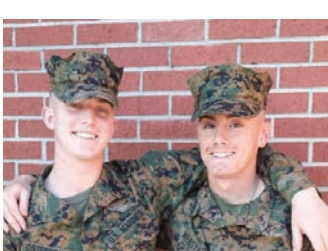
**Matthew E Haney**  
LCpl  
U.S. Marines  
Charlton, MA  
Born in Jessup GA



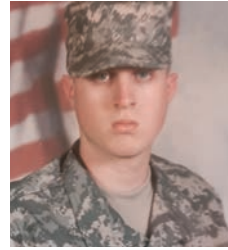
**James D Haney**  
CWO  
Army  
Charlton MA  
Born in Louisville KY (Retired )



**Corporal Benjamin Osterhoudt**  
USMC Combat Veteran  
Spencer MA



**Corporal Benjamin Osterhoudt**  
**Brandon Webster**



**Bryan G. Haney**  
SP4 U.S. Army  
Charlton MA  
Born in Savannah GA



**William Lopez**  
E4 USMC  
Southbridge, MA



**Major Richard J. Marsden**  
US Army  
**Sergeant Stephan R Torrey,**  
U.S. Army, Spencer, MA



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