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Uncontested candidates highlight election

BY JASON BLEAU
TIMES CORRESPONDENT

DUDLEY — The town will hold its annual municipal elections Monday June 11 in what is expected to be a rather uneventful day considering there are no contested races for any of the available seats. Twelve seats in total are up for grabs in this election, but

several have no registered candidates to choose from while those that do have no competition. For the board of selectmen incumbents John Marsi and Steve Sullivan are running for reelection but have no competition against them for their respective seats. Richard Carmignani Jr is seeking reelection for the

treasurer and collector seat in Dudley while town assessor Jo-Ann Szymczak is running unopposed for another term as are Board of Health member Jennifer L. Cournoyer and Water & Sewer Commissioners Jay Spahl and Scott Zajowski. One new candidate is on the ballot for the Library Trustees. Harrison Records is seeking election unopposed for the first

time. The bigger stories of note are the positions that have no one on the ballot seeking election. While Records is running unopposed for one seat on the Library Trustees, a second available seat had no candidates come forward for consideration prior to the election season deadline. The Planning Board also has

two open seats on the ballot for three-year terms, but no candidates came forward to be part of the election. The Dudley-Charlton Regional School Committee has a three-year position open with no candidate on the ballot however Cathleen Camignani has decided to run as a write-in candidate for the seat.



Kim Maschi photos

Rosy Krantz who read the poem.

Memorial Day in Oxford

KIMBERLY MASCHI
TIMES CORRESPONDENT

“Please remember all of our veterans, without them we would not be here, enjoying what we are enjoying today. Please remember those serving today while we are here enjoying Memorial Day. Remember

those who are injured, lost a limb, or suffering from Post-traumatic stress, these individuals pay everyday for their service, so that we may enjoy” a wonderful speech by Board of Selectman John Saad. Memorial Day was a success in Oxford. Residents filled the sidewalks while

veterans, community members, scouts, students, teachers, and so much more filled Main Street. In the march through town, there were stops on the way to lay a wreath, to remember those

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WCAC names ‘Action Heroes’ for Head Start work

BY GUS STEEVES
STAFF WRITER

WEBSTER – Several local citizens were honored recently for their roles in supporting the resurrection of Webster’s Head Start program. Last month, Worcester Municipal Action Council named Randy and Donna Becker, the Remillard family and James Alkire this year’s “Action Heroes” for their roles in that project. The Beckers and Remillards each donated \$200,000 to help convert the old Webster Senior Center into a new Head Start location, while Alkire was credited for his “tireless advocacy of the same project.” Two others also received awards: Grafton’s Apple Tree Arts for providing music to Head Start classes for 15 years, and local electrician Robert Blackman for his work helping retrofit homes in WCAC’s weatherization program. “Donna and I were very surprised and honored when we heard the news we were selected as Action Heroes. The real heroes, of course, are those that take care of the children of our community,” Randy Becker said by email afterward. “When [WCAC Director] Jill Dagilis and Representative [Joe] McKenna approached us it was an easy decision to offer some assistance.” WCAC spokeswoman Ellen Ganley said the agency specifically targeted this year’s awards at peo-

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Submitted photos
WCAC’s Noreen Johnson and Webster Selectman Randy Becker

Dudley approves funding for phase two LED conversion

BY JASON BLEAU
TIMES CORRESPONDENT

DUDLEY – After announcing the completion of phase one of an LED conversion initiative in March the residents of Dudley responded favorably to a town meeting article in May seeking funds for the project. The article was one of the first discussed during the May 21 spring annual town meeting and received unanimous approval to allocate through borrowing or transfer \$200,000 to convert existing street lights to LED light bulbs. On March 26, Town Administrator Greg Balukonis reported to selectmen that phase one of the initiative was completed which involved inspections and inventory of the street lights throughout the town to prepare them for the impending transition to more energy efficient bulbs. The \$200,000 approved at town meeting will be used to purchase the LED bulbs and install them in the existing fixtures throughout the commu-

nity at an estimated \$310 per light fixture. “There’s about 631 street lights in town that we own. They have about a 10 percent failure rate which on average means the town replaces about 60 lights a year,” Balukonis told member of the public during the town meeting. “What the town has done is we went out and we partnered with the Metropolitan Area Planning Council as part of the procurement process to convert our street lights to LED.” In March Balukonis estimated the project cost to be just over \$190,000 with the community expected to receive a utility incentive of \$30,165 plus a \$41,352 grant from the MAPC which Balukonis confirmed in May will help offset some of the cost of the transition in the coming months. “We expect to receive grants and utility incentives totaling about \$75,500 so that will reduce the cost,” Balukonis

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Erin Miller photos

Stained glass windows, salvaged from Zion Lutheran Church, add ambience

Expansion with a plan: renovation includes thoughtful reuse

BY ERIN MILLER

WEBSTER - Sitkowski & Malboeuf Funeral Home is bigger and better than ever. After six months of renovation, the Sitkowski & Malboeuf Funeral Home boasts new stained-glass windows, bigger rooms, and a fresh exterior. The primary focus was the expansion of one of the front rooms by using space that used to be a porch. According to director of funerals John Hickey, the room before was roughly half of its updated size. They added a TV to the room so that families could display photo collages more easily and made sure the extra space helped to improve the flow of people through the room. The directors also worked to have all the woodwork match the

rest of the funeral home. “As a builder, the best thing you can hear is that it looks like it’s always been there,” Hickey said. Hickey especially placed emphasis on the five new stained-glass windows in the expanded room. He said those pieces were purchased from the now shut-down Zion Lutheran Church and refurbished. Going against what is traditionally found in churches, the windows were installed with bar panes outside so attendees could see unblocked glass. The glass has no religious depictions, which Hickey says makes the room functional for both religious and non-religious groups. The funeral home has gone undergone renovations in

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TIME CAPSULES

HELP WANTED!
Dudley Grange # 163 is looking for strawberry hullers for Wednesday June 20, from 8:30am - (approx. 2pm), to help prepare for the Strawberry Festival on Thursday June 21. Refreshments will be provided for the hullers. If you are interested please meet at the Dudley Grange on 139 Center Road in Dudley (near Nichols College). FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT Alex Rodinov (774) 922-2930. P.S. Remember to bring a knife or something to hull with, and a hat or something for your head.

ANNUAL CHICKEN BARBECUE
Oxford VFW Post 5663 hosts its annual chicken barbecue Saturday, June 23 serving 1-4 p.m. \$10 donation; tickets available at the VFW (508) 987-8777.

MONTHLY MEETING
Webster Lodge A.F. & A. M. next regular meeting is Monday, June 18 at the Masonic Building, 27 Brandes St., Webster. Dinner is at 6:30 p.m. and the meeting at 7:30 p.m. All members of Webster Lodge are urged to attend. Anyone interested in Free Masonry is welcomed to be our guest for dinner.

Freemasonry was founded in London, England in 1717. In 1733 it was formally organized in Massachusetts, making it the oldest Masonic group in the Western Hemisphere and the third oldest in the world. Webster Lodge, 160 years strong in 2018, is the oldest active fraternal organization in the Webster/Dudley area. Masonic Lodges strive to teach the tools that “make good men better.” For more information, visit: <http://massfreemasonry.org>

HANG YOUR BANNER HIGH!!!!
On Aug. 24 & 25 St. Andrew Bobola Church will be holding its third annual Parish Summer Festival on church grounds at 54 West Main St. Dudley. The festival committee is providing an opportunity for local businesses to vividly advertise under our Big Top Tent for the festival duration. Re-useable plastic will cost \$75 for a 2’x3’ banner or \$100 for a 3’x3’ banner. (Prices for repeat customers are \$50 and \$75 respectively.) If your business would like to sponsor a banner, please (**note: email following is the proper one) email festbanners2016@aol.com or call 508-943-4850. Space is limited and

banner information must be submitted by July 15. And then come join the great food, music and fun!!

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT
BRIDGEWATER – More than 2,100 bachelor’s degrees in the sciences, arts, business and education were awarded during two ceremonies at Bridgewater State University on Saturday, May 12 on the Boyden Quadrangle. It was the 177th Spring Commencement Convocation in the university’s history. The following area residents were among those who graduated: North Oxford: Meghan Marie McCarthy; Oxford: Abigail Baffour Kyei and Megan Sterczala; Webster: Lauren Elizabeth Dempster, Anthony Joseph Leal III and Lexi M. Poirier.

GARDNER – Mount Wachusett Community College celebrated the academic achievements of its graduates during the college’s 53rd commencement on May 16. A total of 765 students graduated, with 581 Associate’s degrees and 229 certificates being conferred for a total of 810 degrees

The 2018 graduates include: North Grosvenordale: Associates: Amanda L King; Dudley: Associates: Laurie J Guerin, Mikeala Anne Kozlowski; Webster: Certificates: Gerrienne Marie Owens, Erika Evelyn Valentin.

BIDDEFORD AND PORTLAND, ME, TANGIER MOROCCO — The following local students have been named to the Dean’s List for the 2018 spring semester at the University of New England. Dean’s List students have attained a grade point average of 3.3 or better out of a possible 4.0 at the end of the semester. Michael Gauvin and Grace Scanlon of Dudley; Nicole Grady of Oxford and Piotr Kicilinski of Webster.

WORCESTER — Nicole Duquette, of

Webster, is one of 24 students who spent two weeks studying at the Assumption College campus in Rome, Italy, as a member of the SOPHIA program (SOPHomore Initiative at Assumption College). The group, accompanied by college President Francesco C. Cesareo, Ph.D., spent their time exploring various parts of the city, visiting and learning about historic landmarks, including the Coliseum, Roman Forum, Spanish Steps and St. Peter’s Basilica in their search for a deeper connection between their spiritual, personal and professional lives. For students in the SOPHIA program, this two-week trip to the College’s Rome Campus, serves as an optional capstone experience in their vocational journey. SOPHIA is a college program for Assumption sophomores.

KINGSTON, RI — The University of Rhode Island is pleased to announce the Spring 2018 Dean’s List. The students represent nearly all of Rhode Island’s cities and towns, all six New England states, New York and New Jersey, and many other states and countries.

To be included on the Dean’s List, full-time students must have completed 12 or more credits for letter grades during a semester and achieved at least a 3.30 quality point average. Part-time students qualify with the accumulation of 12 or more credits for letter grades earning at least a 3.30 quality point average. The following students from this area were named to the Dean’s List: Kaylee Elizabeth Clark, Isabella Nina Johnson, and Sean Michael Olson of Dudley; Brianna Marie Higgins and Cayce R Pappas of Oxford; Riley Collette, Brianna Nicole Santoro, and Kelsea Agnes Yeskevicz of Webster.

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Governor’s Councilor and former Oxford Selectman Jen Caissie marched in the parade with members of Oxford Board of Selectmen and veterans.

“It was truly my pleasure to march with our veterans in the Memorial Day parade in my hometown of Oxford,” said Caissie.

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Boys & Girls Club will get visit from ventriloquist as part of program



Lesley Smith and Sammy Snail

Local businesses will team-up to provide “Wizards and Knights: Bully Prevention Program” on June 1 at the Boys and Girls Club of Webster-Dudley starring world- class ventriloquist Lesley Smith and her sidekick family favorite Sammy Snail.

The Boys and Girls Club has been awarded a grant from the Dudley Cultural Council to bring Smith and her stage show to teach bully prevention to club members on Club Member Appreciation Day. Sponsors of the event include Dudley Aubuchon Hardware,

Carl Kaliszewski of 5 Eleven Financial and Nichols College. These area businesses are committed to providing area youth with peacemaking skills.

The Wizards and Knights: Bully Prevention program has been heralded by educators, as an excellent vehicle for bringing concrete skills and inspiration to young audiences learning anger management and skills for developing non-violent communication, insight and empathy for oneself and others.

“Nichols College takes great pride in supporting the local community and being a positive part of its fabric,” said Nichols College President Susan West Engelkemeyer, Ph.D. “Our students have volunteered their time to help children attending after-school programs at the Webster-Dudley Boys & Girls Club, and now we are proud to support that organization’s Bully Prevention Program, which will help local underserved youth.”

“Aubuchon Hardware chain supports regional outreach programs including Habitat for Humanity, and is pleased to support to support local youth through the Dudley store,” according to employee Dennis Luukko.

For more information on Sammy Snail visit www.sammysnail.com. For more information on the Boys and Girls Club of Webster-Dudley contact Lamel Moore at www.bgcwebsterdudley.org.

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WEBSTER TIMES

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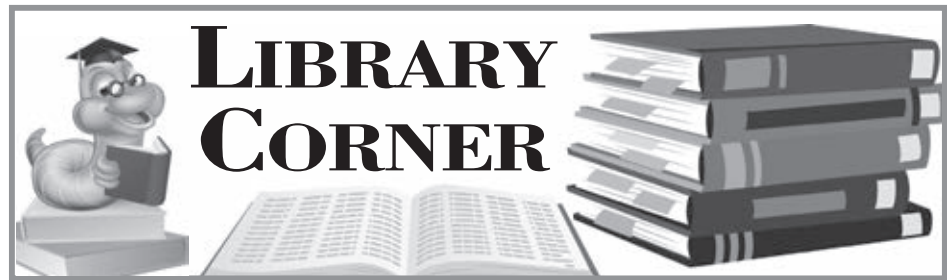
The Janet Malser Humanities Trust recently awarded their eighth annual distribution of grants to various local non-profit organizations totaling nearly \$205,000.

The following are this year’s grant recipients: Bartlett High School art department, Webster; The Black Tavern Historical Society, Dudley; Capt. J. Knapp-Daughters of the American Revolution, Dudley Chapter; Chester C. Corbin Library, Webster; Dudley-Charlton Regional School District; Dudley Historical Commission; Fellowship Meal Program at St. Andrew Bobola Church, Dudley; General Ebenezer Learned DAR Chapter, Oxford; Oxford Firefighters Association; Oxford Middle School music department; St. Ann’s Church, Oxford; St. Vincent de Paul Society; Sacred Heart of Jesus

Church, Webster; Shepherd Hill Regional High School music department, Dudley; Soldier Monument Committee, Webster; Southern Worcester County Educational Collaborative, Dudley; Town of Dudley Corbin Cemetery; Webster-Dudley Historical Society; Webster Lake Association.

The Janet Malser Humanities Trust was established in 2009 as a 501(c)(3) charitable foundation and started annual distributions of grants in 2011. Its purpose is to fund educational, cultural, historic, and charitable causes which fit the guidelines set in the Trust within the towns of Dudley, Oxford, or Webster, Massachusetts.

For more information visit janetmalsertrust.org.



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Monday, June 18, 6:00
Hey kids, visit the library in your pajamas for stories and a craft with Ms. Pam. We will be reading books by Robert Munsch and creating scratch art. Recommended for grades K-3. No registration. Children must be accompanied by an adult.

JUNE STORYTIMES
Tuesdays & Thursdays, 10:30-11:30, June 5 through June 21
Join us in the Story and Craft room for stories, music, crafts and activities. Tuesdays are those ages 1-3 (with caregiver) and Thursdays are for those ages 3-5. An adult must remain with any child under 3. Siblings of different ages are welcome. Parents/Caregivers must

remain in the Library. No registration required.

CONTAINER GARDEN WORKSHOP WITH BEMIS FARM
Saturday, June 23, 10:00-11:30
Join us as we welcome back Tina from Bemis Farm to plant your very own container garden of “Thrillers, Fillers, Chillers, and Spillers”! Pre-registration and \$10 co-pay is required (visit the library circulation desk). All materials included. Space is limited to 20. Sponsored by Friends of the Library.

Ongoing

POKEMON CLUB
Tuesdays, 3:30-4:30
Pokemon Fans! Children ages 7 to 14 welcome. Bring your Pokemon cards, Nintendo DS games, and anything else you would like to share. No registration. Parents are not required to attend but must stay in the building.

KNITTING @ THE PEARLE
Fridays, 10:00-12:00
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CHESS CLUB
Saturdays, 12:00-1:00
Beginners will learn the basics of how to move the pieces; more experienced players can play a quick game or enter into a monthly tournament. For those ages 12 and older. Drop-in; no registration.

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said. “The project has a payback period of 4.6 years. The intent is to use the savings to defer the cost because LED fixtures are more energy efficient. We will use those savings to pay off the bonds.”

The project received unanimous backing from selectmen in March in addition to the unanimous support of the public last month. Balukonis has stated the advantages of the new bulbs will range from brighter lighting of the roadways to longer lasting lifespans and thus less maintenance work and purchases on the part of the town. In March it was

stated the transition was necessary due to a concern of increased incidents of lights burning out throughout Dudley as well as increasing electrical costs from using outdated technology.

“The intent of the project is to have zero cost to the taxpayers and to ensure all the lights will be placed through-

out the community with long lasting low maintenance LED fixtures,” said Balukonis. “We hope to have this project completed by the end of December of this year.”



ATTENTION GOLFERS!!!

Join All Saints Academy for its Annual Golf Tournament on Saturday, June 23 at the Raceway Golf Course in Thompson, CT

Check in at 12:30, shotgun start at 1:30

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

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

There are no classes with Forty Arroyo on June 15, 18, 25, 27 and 29. Forty Arroyo Fitness Classes: MONDAY- Beginner Line Dancing 10:00-10:45 am. Advanced Line Dancing 10:45-11:30 am. WEDNESDAY- Chair Dancing 9:30-10:30a.m. Move While U Groove 10:45-11:45a.m. FRIDAY-Chair Dancing 10:00-11:00 am. Move While You Groove 1:00-2:00 pm. All classes cost \$3.00 each.

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

FREE Blood Pressure Screening on the second Thursday of every month at

10:30 am. Sponsored by Webster Manor. Fallon Senior Plan representative Brian Guagnini will be at the Webster Senior Center on Wednesday, June 13th from 10:00 am – 12:00

World Elder Abuse Prevention Day Workshop. Friday, June 15th from 10:00-11:30 am here at the Webster Senior Center. Please RSVP by Thursday, June 14th to 508-459-4126 or 508-949-3845.

Mondays: Knitting/Crocheting Social 10:00 am- 12:00 pm
Bingo: Every Tuesday, starts at 1:00 pm promptly. Please plan to arrive by 12:45 pm to allow time to buy your bingo sheets. Our bingo group is looking for volunteers to call bingo. Stop by the front desk or call (508) 949-3845 for more information.
Progressive Pitch: Every Monday and Wednesday at 1:00 pm. No need to commit to a league, come and play when you can make it.
13-Card Pitch: Every Thursday at 1:00 pm
9-Card Pitch: Every Friday at 1:00 pm
NEW...CRIBBAGE GROUP! Fridays at 1:00 pm.

S.C.M. Elderbus Inc. Passengers: Please note that you need to call 1-800-321-0243 at least 48 business hours (2 days) in advance to schedule a ride.
House Number Signs: Worcester County Sheriff's Office offers a free service to anyone who may be interested in having a number sign made for his or her house. Please inquire at Senior Center Office.

Please call the Senior Center at (508)

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

OXFORD SENIOR CENTER

323 Main Street (behind Town Hall)
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Facebook: Oxford Town Council on Aging

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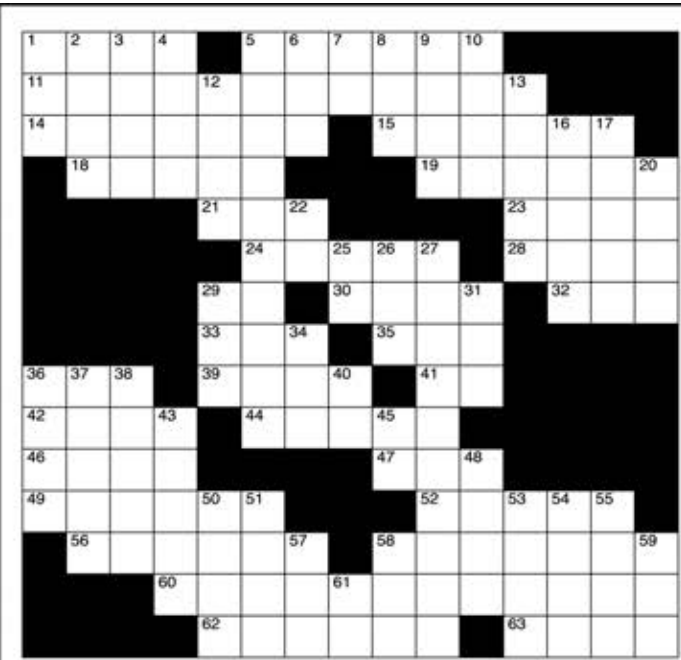
New:
Starting July 2, the Oxford Senior Center will return to the WRTA van service.
Julie Stepanek will teach you how to play the ukulele will on June 7th at 12:15. Bring your own or use one of hers.
Special lunches on Thursdays from Isador's Organics. Menu varies and cost \$5 (donation) pre-paid.
Father's Day Luncheon on June 14th followed by an ice cream social sponsored by Lanessa Extended Care of Webster.
Calling all wanna be and advanced quilters. We have started a new Learn to Quilt program on Thursday, June 14 and 28 at 12:15. Beginners to more advanced are welcome. We have some sewing machines available, but more are needed. If you have a machine you no longer need, please donate/lend it for

this class.
A discussion group on "Aging Gracefully" will meet on June 8th and the 22nd.
The Oxford Council on Aging is sponsoring a Strawberry Festival on June 21st
SAVE THE DATE: The Around the Clock Home Healthcare of Westborough will sponsor Keith Lewis as ELVIS on July 25th,

Ongoing:
Mondays: Cards and Games - 10 AM, WalMart- (2nd & 4th Mondays)-holiday exceptions (with option of TJ Maxx), cards & games, "Aging Backwards" Stretch-12:45 PM
Tuesdays: Needle workers 11(looking for more knitters!), Grocery Shopping (option of Dollar Tree) -10 AM, Needle Workers – 12, Chair Yoga - 1 PM
Wednesdays: S.H.I.N.E. — Every other Wednesday, call for an appointment, -- Kmart, (3rd Wed of month)-10 AM, Pitch - 12:30-2:30 PM, Mahjong - 10:30 AM, Medical appointment rides
Thursdays: Strength & Balance- 9 AM, Grocery Shopping -10 AM
Fridays: Hair Appointments, Cards and Games -10 AM, Book Club- 1st Friday of the month.

Blood pressure and blood glucose checks available.

The Senior Center van service is available for shopping, appointments, etc., throughout Oxford. Appointments need to be made 24 hours in advance (a small donation fee applies)
Tri-Valley lunches served at 11:45 a.m., M-F, 48 hour notice needed.
Updated: 5/21/18



CLUES ACROSS

1. Absence of difficulty

5. Preserve a dead body

11. Gratitude

14. Grads may attend one

15. Less difficult

18. Visionaries

19. Fish-eating bird

21. Indicates near

23. '69 World Series hero

24. Scandinavian mythology source

28. Pop

29. Rapper __ Hammer

30. Senses of self-esteem

32. Hormone that stimulates the thyroid

33. __ Farrow, actress
35. Electronic data processing

36. Baby talk (abbr.)

39. Slender, snake-like fish

41. Air Force

42. Computers

44. Ecological stage

46. Wings

47. In the course of

49. Laid back

52. Jewelled headdress

56. In slow tempo

58. __ Falls

60. Corrections

62. Periods in one's life

63. Hyphen

CLUES DOWN

1. Body part

2. Large primates

3. Retch (archaic)

4. Sea eagle

5. Genetically distinct geographic variety

6. Category of spoken Chinese

7. Barium

8. Consumed

9. Chinese dynasty

10. NFL great Randy

12. Ireland

13. Palm trees

16. Fungal disease

17. Tall plants with slender leaves

20. Affirmative! (slang)

22. Potato state

25. Delaware

26. A way to develop

27. Associations
29. Woman (French)

31. Sunscreen rating

34. Brew

36. One who leads prayers

37. Indigo bush

38. Burn with a hot liquid

40. Citizen (senior)

43. Scads

45. Morning

48. Straight line passing from side to side (abbr.)

50. S-shaped line

51. Small, thin bunch

53. Worn by exposure to the weather

54. Mars crater

55. Humanities

57. Of the ears

58. "The __ Degree"

59. Type of residue

61. Keeps you cool



Sen Harriette Chandler, center, is surrounded by WCAC staff and this year's honorees. Each of the latter received a cartoon of themselves as a superhero to commemorate their award.

WCAC

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ple aiding the Head Start program. While the Beckers and Remillards helped fund it, she credited Alkire with being "wonderful in opening new doors" and working with FoodShare to ensure the students will get fresh fruit daily.

The Webster site is WCAC's second-largest after Southbridge, and was forced to relocate when snow caused major structural damage to its original home in Oxford in 2015. While WCAC

has been working to get this site with the town, its families have been temporarily going to the Southbridge location, a fact Becker described as "real tough given their young ages of three to five."

Ganley said WCAC is pushing to open in Webster next January, but project planning found unexpected issues that caused its cost to jump from about \$1.7 million to nearly \$2.5 million. She said the construction work will be done by F.W. Madigan Co.

Becker noted construction work should begin this month.

Ganley described the May 17 awards breakfast in Worcester's Memorial Hall as "a fun and uplifting way to start the day and see all the support for our programs."

That day, Sen. Harriette Chandler praised the honorees as "champions in the fight against poverty," noting, "As long as a family has no home, or a child goes to bed hungry, we have failed as a society." Chandler noted that she was once a WCAC board member alongside memorable community activist Abbie Hoffmann, adding, "with leaders like

this morning's honorees, and the WCAC, we can change the world."

Last September, a ceremony on the new site unveiled the fact the state and federal governments are contributing \$1.1 million to renovate the senior center, which has been vacant about two years now, into Head Start and displayed the architectural designs for the building's new interior. The project will convert the senior center into two half-day and two full-day classrooms for 71 kids, add a playground and other amenities, and replace the heating system and sprinklers. After the place opens, Southbridge will still be WCAC's largest site, with 150 kids.

Prior to that event, WCAC and Webster negotiated a 25-year lease on the property, and Ganley thanked the town for "being so open to us and helping us navigate the ins and outs of the permitting process."

"This is a huge undertaking, and the heroes we honored have really stepped up to make it possible," she added, noting the agency's goal is "to help folks get to a place of self-sufficiency."

Gus Steeves can be reached at gus.steeves2@gmail.com.

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Towns hold annual joint Memorial Day parade

BY JASON BLEAU
TIMES CORRESPONDENT

WEBSTER – Memorial Day is a special time for every town, but for Webster and Dudley is a time for both communities to come together for their annual celebration of those who fought and gave the ultimate sacrifice for American freedom. Representatives of both communities including town officials, school bands and, of course, veterans of many different conflicts in the nations history turned out for the massive parade through the streets of Webster before taking part in a stirring ceremony on the grounds of the Webster Town Hall.



Leaders of Webster and Dudley’s police force came together to march as one on Memorial Day



Jason Bleau Photos

A staple of the annual Memorial Day Parade in Webster, the Pulaski Brass Band helped lead the way towards the Webster Town Hall.



(from left) Webster Selectmen Robert Miller and Andrew Jolda and Dudley Selectman Kerry Cyganiewicz joined in on the Memorial Day festivities.



Students from St. Joseph School ride along on a very patriotic float



Grand Marshal Henry P. Gawle, a 101-year-old World War II Army veteran, led the parade in Webster



Students of the Shepherd Hill Marching Band play a patriotic tune.



Webster Fire Chief Brian Hickey takes the wheel of Webster’s antique engine two leading other fire vehicles through the parade route.



A member of the local Knights of Columbus shows off his stylish Batmobile-like vehicle

Second Chance Animal Services



6th Annual Golf Tournament

JOIN US!
Get your tickets early!

Our annual golf tournament is right around the corner, happening this summer, July 14th! This 18 Hole Shotgun Start Scramble is sure to be a great time for all players!

There will be many other activities to take part in such as the 50/50 raffle, a silent auction, mulligans and many other contests!

We hope to see you there!

DATE: Saturday, July 14, 2018
REGISTRATION: 7:30 AM
START TIME: 8:00 AM Tee Off
FORMAT: 18 Holes using Scramble Format with foursomes
WHERE: Leicester Country Club
1430 Main Street, Leicester, MA 01524

TICKET INFORMATION
Golf/Lunch \$100.00 - includes 18 hole round of golf, delicious buffet style meal, cart and goodie bag
*Limit of 144 Tickets
Don't Golf? No problem! We offer meal only tickets!
Lunch Only \$35.00 - Delicious Buffet Style Meal

*All golf and lunch only tickets may be purchased online at www.secondchanceanimals.org or call the Second Chance Adoption Center at 508-867-5525



LEARNING

Oxford High School student work published

BOSTON — Sarah Carney’s painting, “Emerald Paradise,” was selected for publication in The Massachusetts High School Magazine of the Arts, the only statewide print and online publication featuring jury-selected artwork, photography, poetry and creative writing by students in grades 8 to 12. Carney is a junior at Oxford High School.

“Emerald Paradise” was selected from over 700 works submitted by teens from schools and community organizations across the Commonwealth. All published works are juror-selected to ensure artistic excellence. Through

this selective process, The Marble Collection, nonprofit publisher of The Massachusetts High School Magazine of the Arts, strives to assemble the most diverse and acclaimed collection of work.

“As a kid, I was always drawn to pop-up books where the images would create an interactive world that was remarkably more compelling than a flat illustration, so I decided to take inspiration from my childhood when making this piece,” said Carney.

After being selected for published, Sarah participated in The Marble

Collection’s free Mentoring for Publication Workshop, in which she was paired one-to-one with a college student mentor to develop their 21st century skills through four steps: create, respond, connect, and present. In the 6-week workshop, teens explore the creative process, edit their work for publication and exhibition, and learn to present their artistic visions to audiences.

“Sarah’s knowledge about artwork and her attention to detail are very impressive. She has a knack for using non-traditional items in her artwork,

which sets her work apart. I really enjoyed working with her and learning from her,” said Kellie Ruccolo, editorial mentor.

“I hope to attend art school and plan on taking the AP art courses my school offers,” said Carney.

High-quality framed prints and canvases of “Emerald Paradise” can be purchased on The Marble Collection’s e-Gallery at www.themarblecollection.org/egallery.

DUDLEY MIDDLE SCHOOL CORRECTS HONOR ROLL

Dudley Middle School found errors in its third term high honors honor roll and requested it be reprinted once it was corrected. The following students have earned a place on that honor roll.

GRADE 5

High Honors: Sarah B Arnold, Olivia K Cronauer, Philippe M DaSilva, Lily S Durda, Emma F Dwyer, Alex H Giarnese, Jonathan A Hutchinson, Madeline B Joyce, Alexander J Kenney, Timothy A Krysinski, Margaret G Marshall, Maggie P Montville, Collin A Moody, Sadie Mae Nobert, Lindsey M Paradise, Jonathan M Vitkus, Sydney M Vyskocil.

GRADE 6

High Honors: Daniel P Adamuska, Vanessa L Baclawski, Nicolas R Benoit, Nathan I Card, Ethan B Casey, Allison D Castaneda Moreno, Katelyn Rae Choinski, Abigail J Connole, Nicholas S Damelio, Cora J Dubey, Jared P Ferschke, Kathryn K Gadoury, Kyle R Gallo, Leah K Garvey, Liam D Gravel, Heidi L Jarosz, Kierce J Jarvis, Jadyn L Katz, Taya T Lawrence, Kyle M LeBlanc, Morgan R Lewandowski, Daniel J Lincoln, Cayleigh I Mayen, Sofia B McCarty, Lillian M Nelson, Luke G Poirier, Sofia R Poplawski, Lauren K Reilly, Cassidy F Semo, Nandhana Senthilkumar, Isabella M Serrano, Maggie K Sullivan, Athanasia Towadros, Athanasios

Towadros, Helene L Weimbs, Zachary C Wennerberg.

GRADE 7

High Honors: Grace L Bateman, Victoria E Cravedi, Elena J Cronin, Cheyenne L Ghiz, Kaia T Gray, Aidan M Hamilton, Aria L Humphries, Matthew O Kallgren, Ethan K Kalmin, Aiden T LaFrance, Mateusz D Lojewski, Jack A Marshall, Manar M Morgan, Tenderness N Onyekwere, Maria M Piekarczyk, Alek J Poirier, Natalia W Rucinski, Olivia J Salem, Julie A Traverso, Wiktoria Ucher, William R Vanskike, Nicholas L Veronis, Marissa L White, Meridan M Wildes, Olivia O Youssef.

GRADE 8

High Honors: Amanda S Adamuska, Michalyn A Annese, Alyse M Biron, Aria M Butler, Marlee S Donohoe, Keirsten M Doud, Brigham A Dubey, Bronson X Dubey, Sarah E Ducasse, Lexus A Erickson, Sarah M Fenton, Skylar G Finlay, Conor T Fitzgerald, Sydney R Fitzgerald, Logan A Fournier, Victoria Garbulewska, Taylor D Gavaletz, Shaun M Gelin, Austin C Giarnese, Ashley B Harvey, Adrian Ignatovich, Samuel J Johnson, Emily A Kolodziejczak, Owyn T Law, Mason R Lemberger, Sean R McCarty, Natasha M McClay, Raegan O Peck, Alek J Popovich, Zachary E Robinson, Molly K Starczewski.

MWCC HONORS HARD WORK OF OUTSTANDING STUDENTS

GARDNER — Mount Wachusett Community College celebrated the achievements of 65 students during its annual Evening of Excellence awards event at Theatre at the Mount.

“Tonight is all about our students,” said Jason Zelesky, interim vice president of student affairs. “I am constantly reminded that Mount Wachusett is the college that changes lives.”

The ceremony recognized student accomplishments both inside and outside of the classroom, as well as in the local community. As faculty members presented the stories of their high-performing students throughout the evening, it became clear that many honorees managed a family, full-time job, and even chronic illness even as they maintained a high or perfect GPA in college.

Speaking of the challenges borne by students at Mount Wachusett Community College, President James Vander Hooven called to mind the image of an ant capable of carrying 5,000 times its own body weight.

“That’s how it can feel sometimes

for our students. They’re all working toward the same goal. But you never see an ant stop. You never see an ant take a break,” said Vander Hooven. “I would encourage you to stop and take in this moment. Know that you’re not alone. We’re here to support you forever.”

State Representative Susannah Whipps echoed Vander Hooven’s message.

“As a proud alumna of MWCC, I encourage you to keep in touch as you move forward in life and share your successes with your MWCC friends and faculty through the Alumni Network,” she said.

In addition to college curriculum and outstanding achievement awards, the MWCC Foundation also presented a number of memorial awards and scholarships during the ceremony. The Foundation will award over \$300,000 in student scholarships this year.

The following students were honored with awards: North Grosvenordale: Amanda King.



PARK AVENUE ANNOUNCES STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

Courtesy photo

Thank you to the following students for being safe, responsible, and respectful. You are role models and we are very proud of you: Oliver Malia, Autumn Wilson, Michael Gannon, Jason Adjei, Kenzie Summers, Maximus Espino, Brayden Farragher, Hayden Clements, Shane Martin, Jonathan Blouin, Elise Kokoszka, Callen Reardon, Claudia Tetreault, Ethan Papineau, Abigail Buffum, Kaedynce Brown, Amira Seddiki, Lauren Young, Calee Gardner, Emmalee Gibeault, Raider Newton, Natalia DosSantos, Gabriel Gallant, Sophia Heringer, Olivia Williams, Arianna Perron, Jared Archambault, Nickolas Piowarczyk, Brendan Bell, Leodel Valentin, Kyle Janovsky, Sienna Stawiecki, William Guivas, Ziad Zoromba, Alex Haynes, Hailey Gentile, Brody Aiken, Brandon Helt.



DUDLEY MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

Courtesy photo

5th Grade Team: Madeline Joyce, Skylar Johnson-Mello, & Sadie Nobert; 6th Grade Team: Katelyn Hakala, Luke Poirier, & Athanasia Towadros; 7th Grade Team: William Vanskike & Daniel Vitkus; 8th Grade Team: Patrick Ryan & David Jurski; and U.A. Team: Gabrielle Wheeler

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- Technology Studies

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Windham Tech: 210 Birch Street, Willimantic, CT

www.QVCC.edu/register-now



Monique Dubsy, Finley age 2, Zachary age 6, Caleb age 6 and Josh Dubsy.



MEMORIAL DAY

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fallen. Through gunshot salute, trumpets blaring, drums beating, and boots on pavement the citizens of Oxford gave their thanks.

“Once you are a veteran, you never stop. Amongst this crowd in our small town of Oxford there are ancestors and representative of our veterans today. They fought for change, they did it respectfully and they gave their lives for us to have a better one,” says Cheryll LeBlanc, selectmen vice-chair. The monuments are beautiful and always treated with care and respect each and every day in Oxford. In our little town we can be sure of one thing, those who are young, and do not know first-hand of war and sacrifice, are trying to understand. The youth of our town cares, and Rosy Krantz, 4th grade at Clara Barton School in Oxford, showed the veterans and citizens through her poem just how much they care.

Memorial Day Poem
By, Rosy Krantz
To express yourself
And do what you wish
It wasn't served on a silver dish.


They risked their lives
They fought for years
They lost quite a few of their dears

You should thank
You should remember
From January to December

You loved them so
They loved you too
More injured men than just a few

So next time you remember
Imagine you in their shoes
Think of what they risked for you not to lose

Thank you to all who were a part of The Memorial Day Parade, VFW Post Oxford 5663, Board of Selectman members, Dennis Lamarche, Cheryll LeBlanc, John Saad, and Meagan Troiano. Governor's Council Member, Jennie Cassie, Oxford NJROTC. Scouts pack 147, and our girl scouts, our police and fire departments, Oxford American Legion Post 58, the school band who played so beautifully, thank you. Thank you to all our veterans. Thank you to everyone who came out to support our veterans. We may celebrate them on this day, but they are our veterans every day. Remember them, respect them, and know that without them our freedom that we value so much would not be here without them.



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EDITORIAL

Civility in our age

Call us old fashioned, or just old. But we have to ask anyway.

Whatever happened to manners? What happened to Thumper’s father and his good, very good advice? (If you can’t say something nice, don’t say anything at all.)

What happened to caring about other people and their feelings?

About whether something said or done just might impact someone other than yourself?

The definition of narcissism and even of sociopathic behavior is not caring how what you do impacts someone else as long as you are satisfied and gratified. Wow.

Now, we could drag up several examples, but most glaring is the recent star studded quality of Roseanne Barr.

First of all, being able to play a part doesn’t make you any more knowledgeable about politics, economics, world affairs or education than anyone else. Not that you might not be intelligent, but using your position as an entertainer does not give you carte blanche to share your insight on any of those other topics.

And why should we give weight then to the opinions of actors? Yet many do.

So when those with stars in their eyes have their idols opine on a topic, it could be either a really good thing or horribly bad.

In this case, beyond bad. Barr has always made her views known.

She has never pulled her punches about her own racism, feminism, or worldviews. Her early comedy was based on her hard life as an abused single mom who got herself out of a bad situation, then turned it into fodder for rather rude comedy.

Her first try at the TV was innovative, and refreshing. It did indeed portray a slice of American life not often shown; and in an era when it was needed. There are many more families in the throes of the life of the Connors than in the towers of Trump.

She had some bumps, some strange sideways trips, but she managed to keep it even enough to keep the show on for eight seasons.

Not so much now. Either her ego is bigger or less in control. She couldn’t help herself.

What hurts other than the nastiness of her behavior with the people she maligned, and they were many, only the last one was the one that broke the dam and ended her reign; but she has now cost her co-workers their jobs too.

She has done deep damage to people she supposedly cared about.

All for the sake of a few words of vitriol on social media. Because she could.

It is very easy to hide behind a screen and a keyboard. Because we don’t have to face people to share these words, these opinions. We don’t have to see the shock and hurt on anyone’s face. See the results of the words that bite.

The corrosive acid of them.

And there is never taking them back. They are there, hanging in the atmosphere, part of the world. Part of a person’s background, their history whether they said them or they were said about them.

So we ask again, who must teach this to the generation coming up? The generation that no longer talks face to face but only in abbreviations on screens?

Where do they learn that words hurt?

VIEWPOINT

Local Republicans oppose stat Senate proposal

On Tuesday May 22, the Webster Republican Town Committee met to discuss a couple proposals that have been made in the State Senate’s debate over the so called ‘Sanctuary State.’ Senator Jamie Eldridge (D-Acton) has made the proposal that Massachusetts should become a sanctuary state and in effect force local law enforcement agencies to not cooperate with federal agencies that wish to deport illegal immigrants. Ryan Fattman (R-Sutton) has made a proposal to allow municipalities to cooperate with federal law enforcement agencies to hold and deport illegal immigrants that have committed crimes.

Amid this debate the Webster Republican Town Committee said, “Senator Eldridge’s proposal is incredibly irresponsible and is inconsistent with law enforcement’s objective to keep civilians safe. A sanctuary state will only serve to protect violent illegal immigrants and endanger non-vi-

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olent illegal immigrants, legal immigrants, and American citizens. We wholly support Senator Fattman’s initiative that will give law enforcement the tools they need to maintain security within our communities.”

The committee continued, “The debate regarding illegal immigration and safety has been misconstrued to mean that republicans are anti-immigration. This could not be further from the truth. The Webster Republican Committee is pro- ‘legal immigration.’ America must continue to open to the door to talented foreign immigrants who wish to come to our country and contribute to our economy and communities. However, we must always weigh this goal with the need for domestic security.”

If any member of the community is interested in joining they may contact the Webster Republican Committee Chair, Tyler Spencer, at 508-414-7937 or at tspencer335@gmail.com

Saying “I Do” might mean “I Can’t” for Roth IRA

June is a popular month for weddings. If you are planning on tying the knot this month, it’s an exciting time, but be aware that being married might affect you in unexpected ways – including the way you invest. If you and your new spouse both earn fairly high incomes, you may find that you are not eligible to contribute to a Roth IRA.

A Roth IRA can be a great way to save for retirement. You can fund your IRA with virtually any type of investment, and, although your contributions are not deductible, any earnings growth is distributed tax-free, provided you don’t start withdrawals until you are 59-1/2 and you’ve had your account at least five years. In 2018, you can contribute up to \$5,500 to your Roth IRA, or \$6,500 if you’re 50 or older.

But here’s where your “just married” status can affect your ability to invest in a Roth IRA. When you were single, you could put in the full amount to your Roth IRA if your modified adjusted gross income (MAGI) was less than \$120,000; past that point, your allowable contributions were reduced until your MAGI reached \$135,000, after which you could no longer contribute to a Roth IRA at all. But once you got married, these limits did not double. Instead, if you’re married and filing jointly, your maximum contribution amount will be gradually reduced once your MAGI reaches \$189,000, and your ability to contribute disappears entirely when your MAGI is \$199,000 or more.

Furthermore, if you are married and filing separately, you are ineligible to contribute to a Roth IRA if your MAGI is just \$10,000 or more.

So, as a married couple, how can you maximize your contributions? The answer may be that, similar to many endeavors in life, if one door is closed to you, you have to find another – in this case, a “backdoor” Roth IRA.

Essentially, a backdoor Roth IRA is



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a conversion of traditional IRA assets to a Roth. A traditional IRA does not offer tax-free earnings distributions, though your contributions can be fully or partially deductible, depending on your income level. But no matter how much you earn, you can roll as

much money as you want from a traditional IRA to a Roth, even if that amount exceeds the yearly contribution limits. And once the money is in the Roth, the rules for tax-free withdrawals will apply.

Still, getting into this back door is not necessarily without cost. You must pay taxes on any money in your traditional IRA that hasn’t already been taxed, and the funds going into your Roth IRA will likely count as income, which could push you into a higher tax bracket in the year you make the conversion.

Will incurring these potential tax consequences be worth it to you? It might be, as the value of tax-free withdrawals can be considerable. However, you should certainly analyze the pros and cons of this conversion with your tax advisor before making any decisions.

In any case, if you’ve owned a Roth IRA, or if you were even considering one, be aware of the new parameters you face when you get married. And take the opportunity to explore all the ways you and your new spouse can create a positive investment strategy for your future.

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Speeding and its consequences



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Speeding was the subject of a recent question. A person asked me about speeding in construction areas. What qualifies as a construction area and what are the potential fines associated with

speeding in these places?

Speeding regulations are generally covered by Sections 17 and 18 of Chapter 90 of the Massachusetts General Laws. The penalties for violation are controlled under Chapter 20.

Generally the minimum fine for speeding is \$50 for the first 10 miles over the speed limit. In addition to this fine, surcharges are added to this amount and earmarked for such places as the Head Injury Trust Fund (\$50) and Public Safety Training Fund (\$5). Also, the fines are increased by an additional \$10 per mile for speeds in excess of the first ten miles per hour. For example, if traveling 50 mph in a 30 mph zone, the minimum fine applies up to 40 mph, plus an additional \$100 for the ten miles from 40 to 50. The total citation, with assessments, would be \$205.

In the early 2000s, fines were authorized to be doubled in construction areas. This means in reference to the example above (50mph in a 30pmh zone), the speeding fines and assessments will be well be in excess of \$300 if the violation occurs in a construction area.

A “construction area” does not appear to be clearly defined in Chapter 90, however; 720CMR9.06 offers guidelines in application to highways where “traffic signs are erected or warning lights are displayed... to notify of the presence of men or equipment.”

This is fairly general and broad, so numerous areas of work can apply. These can be places where accidents or injuries can take place easily, so the laws provide stiff penalties for speeding in these areas.

With the good weather finally upon us, and school wrapping up for the summer break soon, speeding complaints are on the rise. We are receiving numerous reports from a variety of streets in town. We will be out enforcing traffic laws and we encourage everyone to watch their speed and drive defensively. Your cooperation can reduce crashes and injuries. Thank you in advance for your assistance.

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

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Tips to pick, preserve & prepare garden herbs

What could be more delightful than the pleasure of plucking fresh herbs from an outdoor garden? Herbs not only bring essence and beauty to the landscape, they also provide an element of enchantment to a garden. Whether you grow herbs for their unique flavors, medicinal value, or just for the pure pleasure of it - the humble herb adds spice to any garden plot! Read on for some harvesting and preserving tips, plus few recipes to spotlight your fresh snipped herbs.

Harvesting Herbs

While snipping herbs daily for kitchen use is a common practice, the act of fully harvesting herbs regularly is also important to ensure new growth. For best flavor, cut or snip herbs in the morning, after the dew has evaporated from the leaves but before the midday sun heats the plant.

Most annual plants can be harvested twice during the planting season. Cut

plants back to about five inches above the ground and feed after cutting. Annual herbs can be harvested until frost.

Perennial herbs may be harvested once during the first year and up to three times each season after the initial growth year. Harvest up to 75 percent of the top growth in late spring and another quarter in late summer. Stop harvesting about one month before the frost date. Late pruning could encourage tender growth that cannot harden-off before winter.

Flowering herbs should be harvested when the buds are apparent or when flowers are just opening. This is when their oil concentration is at its peak.

Preserving Herbs

While herbs for cooking should be



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used fresh for optimal quality and flavor, a zealous growing season can necessitate preserving the herbal plants. There are several methods to “keep” herbs for later use.

Freezing: This is the easiest method to preserve herbs that are be used in cooking. Herbs should be cut fresh and rinsed briefly in cold water. Chop herbs and spread out on a cookie sheet to freeze. Once frozen, transfer to a zip lock freezer bag. Another popular way to freeze herbs for uses in soups and other dishes that require liquid is to place pinches of herbs in water filled ice cube trays. Freeze and pack them into a zip lock freezer bag. Don’t refreeze herbs after thawing.

Drying: Drying is the traditional method of herb preservation. There are also several methods to dry herbs for

later use.

Air Drying: If the herbs are clean, do not wet them. Otherwise, rinse, shake off the excess water, and spread the herbs out to dry on paper towels or dishcloths until all surface moisture has evaporated. Remove any dead or damaged foliage. Then, tie the stems into small bundles with twine or string and hang them upside down in a warm, dry, airy place out of the sun. Be sure to make small, loose bundles and allow for good air circulation around each bunch. Dry indoors as sun and dew moisture can discolor and ruin the quality of many herbs. Hang and dry in the kitchen or even a garage or shed. Note: Some herbs, such as basil and mints may mold if not dried quickly. An alternative to hanging herbs to dry in bunches is to spread the herbs out on window screens. Suspend the screens over sawhorses or the backs of chairs. Turn the leaves often to ensure even

POLICE LOGS

Webster Police Department

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

SUNDAY MAY 27
7:50 p.m.: disturbance (Brandon Road) arrest: adult male, age 49 of Dudley: A&B on family or household member.
8 p.m.: disturbance (Fifth Avenue) arrest: Brian K. Coburn, age 47 of 15 Fifth Ave. #1, Webster: two outstanding warrants.
10:12 p.m.: disturbance (Poland Street) arrest: Nathan Rex Cordell, age 20 of 29 Providence St., Putnam CT: disorderly conduct, A&B with dangerous weapon, obstruct justice, conspiracy,

disturbing the peace, person under 21 in possession of liquor, refuse to give name-address at night.
AND arrest: Juvenile, age 17: obstruct justice, A&B with dangerous weapon, conspiracy, disorderly conduct, person under 21 in possession of liquor, disturbing the peace.
AND arrest: Jonathan P. Peterson, age 25 of 345 Senexet Road, Woodstock: obstruct justice, conspiracy, A&B with dangerous weapon, disorderly conduct, disturbing the peace, assist person under 21 in purchase of liquor, negligent operation of MV, leave scene of personal injury;
AND arrest: James Manuel Lantigua, age 21 of 82A Franklin St., Danielson CT: obstruct justice, conspiracy, A&B with dangerous weapon, disorderly conduct, disturbing the peace, and refuse to give name-address at night;
AND arrest: Jose Felix Velazquez, age 22 of 76B Maynard St., Putnam CT: obstruct justice, conspiracy, disorderly conduct, A&B with dangerous weapon, disturbing the peace, refuse give name-address at night;
AND summons: Ricardo Rodriguez, age 18 of 8 Harris St. #2, Webster: assault w dangerous weapon, disorder-

ly conduct and disturbing the peace;
AND summons: Antonio F. Torres, age 20 of 573 Main St. #1, Southbridge: disorderly conduct and disturbing the peace;
AND summons: juvenile, age 16: disorderly conduct and disturbing the peace;
AND summons: juvenile, age 15: disorderly conduct and disturbing the peace;
AND summons: Anthony James Manzo, age 17 of 16 Spring St., Webster: disorderly conduct and disturbing the peace.
TUESDAY MAY 29
6:10 p.m.: follow up (Main Street) arrest: adult male, age 34 of Maple Avenue, Rutland: A&B on family or household member and strangulation or suffocation.
7:29 p.m.: follow up (Main Street) arrest: adult female, age 26 of Negus Street #2, Webster: A&B on family or household member, strangulation or suffocation, A&B with dangerous weapon, wantonly injuring real or personal property and assault with dangerous weapon.
FRIDAY JUNE 1
2:23 p.m.: suspicious activity (Main

Street) Edmund J. Noga, age 57, homeless in Webster: indecent exposure, disorderly conduct, disturbing the peace.

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FRIDAY MAY 25
8:14 p.m.: attempt to serve (West Main Street) arrest: Shaun J. Page, age 31 of 113 Dudley Oxford Road, Dudley: out of agency warrant
11:47 p.m.: disturbance, arrest: adult male, age 31: A&B on family or house hold member.
SATURDAY MAY 26
1:19 a.m.: suspicious activity (West Main Street) arrest: Darrin P. Lavallee Sr., age 47 of 34 Market St., Webster: larceny over \$250, trespass, possession burglarious instruments, B&E vehicle or boat in nighttime for felony.
SUNDAY MAY 27
4:14 p.m.: attempt to serve (Cross Street) arrest: Racheal Caitlin Watterson, age 26 of 6 Cross St., Dudley: out of agency warrant.
7:50 p.m.: disturbance, arrest: adult male age 49: A&B on family or household member.

Unique edibles to wow your guests



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Make your next gathering one to remember by including a few unique vegetables on the relish tray, as a side dish or for dessert. Your guests will be “wowed” not only because you grew your own ingredients, but because of the unique shape, color or flavor of the vegetables you serve.

Create a memorable dining experience with attractive edible containers adorning the patio, balcony or deck. Include a few Candle Fire okra plants in large containers to create a tropical feel. The dark green leaves, hibiscus flowers and colorful red pods make a striking display in a container or the garden.

Surprise guests with roasted Candle Fire okra and Candyland red currant tomatoes. Roasting okra eliminates the slime that prevents many from eating this unique vegetable. And don't discard any overripe pods, use them in flower arrangements to dress up any event.

Allow your guests to harvest their own greens, herbs and cherry tomatoes to toss into their salads or season their meal. Use Prizm kale as a vertical dark green accent in your containers. Then add a contrasting ornamental leaf lettuce like Red Sails, long lasting vibrant Red Kingdom Mizuna (Japanese mustard) and edible flowers like calendulas, nasturtiums and pansies. The new Patio Choice tomatoes produce up to 100 yellow cherry tomatoes on an 18” plant. Plant it in a container for a splendid display then watch as guests harvest fresh tomatoes from your centerpiece.

Dress up the table, indoors or out, by using a few potted herbs as centerpieces. Include Dark Opal basil with dark purple leaves and compact Dolce Fresca in a simple container or more decorative pot to create a splendid display. Just place a pair of garden snips on the table and let your guests flavor their meals.

Make any meal special with a bok choy frittata. Your guests will be impressed when you create this popular dish from your own homegrown ingredients. Asian Delight pak choi (or bok choy) is slow to flower so you will enjoy season-long harvests. The mild flavored tender white stems and textured dark green leaves look good in containers, the garden and when served fresh in a salad, frittata or stir fry.

Serve a colorful platter of sliced tomatoes with the Chef's Choice series of red, pink, orange, yellow and green fruit. The globe shaped beefsteak tomatoes



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The uniquely shaped Mad Hatter sweet red pepper has a refreshing citrusy floral flavor.

have the perfect balance of acid to sugar. Their disease resistance, productivity, yield, flavor, color and performance made them winners in the non-profit All-America Selections national trials (all-americanselections.org).

Stuff a few of the uniquely shaped Mad Hatter sweet peppers with cheese. Your guests will enjoy the beauty and refreshing citrusy floral flavor of this three-sided red pepper. The vigorous plant produces an abundance of fruit, so you'll have plenty to use fresh in appetizers and salads throughout the growing season or pickled for future enjoyment.

End the evening with a surprise. Serve each guest their own watermelon for dessert. Mini Love watermelon packs lots of sweet flavor into individual size fruit. Or brighten their dessert plates with a slice or two of Gold in Gold. This eye-catching watermelon has a yellow rind with golden stripes. The orange-gold flesh is crisp and sugary.

With just a little planning, you can plant unique and beautiful edibles in your garden and containers this season. Then find fun ways to include these in dishes shared at potlucks, meals for family and friends, or as a snack to enjoy on a summer afternoon.

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The updated building with what was once a wraparound porch incorporated into more space within the building itself.



The newly renovated seating area

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years past, including making handicap accessible ramps, replacing the ball adornment on the roof's peak, removing the walk-in closet on the upper floor, and enclosing the second-floor porch.

“This room [the expansion] was the last that wasn't updated,” Hickey said.

Edward C. Sitkowski founded the funeral home in 1933 as a store front business on Lake Street. The current building on School Street was bought in 1945 from the Joslin family, and Sitkowski spent a year renovating before the funeral home opened for business. He worked with his son Edward D. Sitkowski until the son took over management in 1963.

Today, Sitkowski & Malboeuf is owned by Roland Malboeuf and John Hickey.

Malboeuf originally worked at the Paradis Funeral Home before starting work at Sitkowski's in 1968 as an apprentice. He was also a teacher at Shepherd Hill Regional High School, splitting time between the funeral home

and teaching before retiring from teaching in 1993. In 1986, Malboeuf bought part of the business from Edward D. Sitkowski and became a licensed funeral director and embalmer. He then bought the remainder of the business in 1988 while Sitkowski stayed on as funeral director and consultant.

Hickey began work at Sitkowski & Malboeuf in 1984 and became an apprentice two years later. In 1988, Hickey became a licensed funeral director and embalmer. He bought part of the business from Malboeuf in 1999.

Now, Sitkowski & Malboeuf work with most of the churches in the area to coordinate their funerals.

One service Malboeuf and Hickey believe is unique to their business is the funeral ark. The funeral ark is used for cremations, and it is designed so that a cremation funeral can still have pallbearers and a “more dignified ceremony,” as Malboeuf described it.

Looking forward to their next renovation, Hickey said he is hoping to focus on updating the outside more and redoing the rope-style decorations on the exterior.

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drying. To air dry herbs with seeds, tie the herbs in small bundles and suspend inside a paper bag with holes punched in the sides. Suspend the bag in a dark area with good air circulation. Collect the seeds when they are dry, and store in rigid light-proof containers.

Oven Drying: Traditional kitchen stoves can also be used to dry herbs. Spread the herbs on cookie sheets and dry at the lowest temperature. Home food dehydrators also do an excellent job of drying herbs. Follow the directions provided with the dehydrator.

Herbs are sufficiently dry when they are brittle and crumble easily. When the leaves are dry, separate them from their stems and package the leaves in rigid containers with tight fitting lids. Glass or hard plastic are best, although zip-lock plastic freezer bags can be used. To preserve full flavor, avoid crushing the leaves until you are ready to use

them. Store dried herbs in a cool, dry place away from sunlight, moisture, and heat. Many herbs ca keep for a year if stored properly.

Herbal Recipes

Below are some simple, yet delicious recipes that showcase the flavor of freshly picked garden herbs.

Melted Cheese Spread with Yarrow

This is a great salsa alternative when served with tortillas or corn chips)

Ingredients: one pound soft cheese; one tablespoon minced yarrow leaves; one half cup tomato soup two tablespoons whole yarrow flowers; black pepper, onion powder and garlic powder to taste.

Directions: Melt the cheese and add the tomato soup, stirring until well mixed. Add yarrow leaves and spices to taste. Blend in one tablespoon of the yarrow flowers. Use remaining flowers as a bowl garnish.

Quick Chive Biscuits

Bisquick makes it quick and easy to bake up a batch of biscuits laced with fresh chives.

Ingredients: two cups Bisquick; 2/3 cup sour cream; 1/3 cup water; one tablespoon chopped chives.

Directions: Stir together all ingredients to a soft dough. Beat 30 strokes until stiff but still sticky. Knead dough ten times. Roll out one half inch thick and cut with a floured glass or biscuit cutter. ***

Cilantro Salsa

This spicy salsa is a tasty accompaniment to seafood.

Ingredients: one half cup minced onion; one half cup tomato (chopped small); one teaspoon minced Jalapeno chili; one teaspoon salt.

Directions: Soak onion in cold water for a half hour, rinse and drain. Mix together all other ingredients and chill covered until serving time.

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

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SPORTS

Despite loss to Grafton, Indians district bound for first time in seven seasons

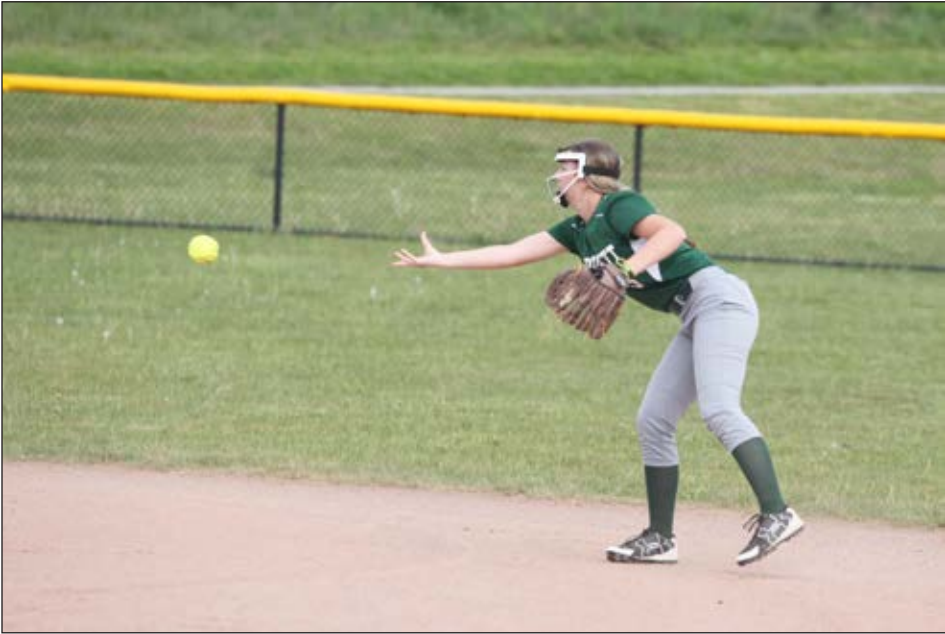


Bartlett's Alyssa Ward sends a deep drive into the outfield.

Nick Ethier photos



Bartlett's Breanna Ward pokes the ball with the end of her bat.



Shannon Bombardier of Bartlett flips the ball over toward second base.



Bartlett's Lexi Balducci prepares to get a running start off first base against Grafton.

BY NICK ETHIER
SPORTS STAFF WRITER

GRAFTON — An 11-0 loss to Grafton High on Wednesday, May 30 in what might have been their toughest game to date didn't deter Bartlett High's varsity softball team from feeling accomplished. That is because, just four days prior, the Indians defeated Quaboag Regional to automatically qualify for the Central Mass. Division 2 Tournament. It will be Bartlett's first postseason appearance since 2011.

"We're coming from such a high of qualifying for districts — we qualified in our last game against Quaboag — so you're aware of the names and how their season's going," Bartlett head coach Ryan Renauld said of a letdown game against

Grafton, who improved to 17-2 and finished an unblemished 11-0 inside the Southern Worcester County League.

When speaking of reaching districts — Bartlett finished 9-8, 5-6 in the SWCL — Renauld said that it was a long time coming.

"For years I've been telling them about the potential that the program has and what we're working toward an all the seniors before them," Renauld explained.

One of those graduated seniors, Lucy Orne (Class of 2017) attended the district-clinching Quaboag game and filmed it. She then made a highlight video for the current players and coaches.

"She attached how proud she is to see the program where we've always talked about it

going," said Renauld of Orne, who pitched in six seasons for Bartlett (2012-17).

In the game with Grafton, Bartlett nearly got through two innings of scoreless play, but a throwing error plated two runs for the hosts. Grafton added another two runs in the third inning, five in the fourth and two more in the sixth.

"Defensively we were a little shaky," said Renauld following his team's three error showing, which led to seven unearned runs.

Bartlett also mustered just two hits off of Grafton's Sofia Valverde (complete game, eight strikeouts, three walks). Riley Stawiecki and Brittany Ward both singled off Valverde, while Olivia Houlihan, Lexi Balducci and Katelyn

Picard drew the walks.

"We didn't swing the bats as well as we have this year, she did a great job of keeping us off balance," Renauld said.

Bartlett saw Madison Johns, Breanna Ward and Alyssa Ward pitch versus Grafton. Renauld employed all three since the earliest they can play a postseason game is June 7, and he wants to keep everyone fresh.

Bartlett's signature win came when they defeated Auburn High, a recent Division 2 District champion back in 2016, on April 30, 5-1. The Indians and Rockets could meet again in this year's postseason.

"We did what we normally do at the plate — we put the ball in play and made them have to make some plays, and [Johns] threw brilliantly against them," Renauld said. "Our girls play confidently."



Shortstop Brittany Ward of Bartlett collects the ball from an outfielder and brings it back to the infield.



Bartlett's Madison Johns winds up and delivers a pitch versus Grafton.



Katrina Mrzyglod of Bartlett stretches out in an attempt to catch the ball in left field.



Center fielder Olivia Houlihan of Bartlett tracks down a fly ball hit her way.

SPORTS

Pietz, Bonaventura power Rams past Notre Dame, into district tournament



Shepherd Hill's Katie Lavoie, right, scoops a groundball while battling with Notre Dame Academy defender Molly Vinton.

BY KEN POWERS
SPORTS CORRESPONDENT

DUDLEY — As far as goal-scoring duos go, Shepherd Hill Regional's Skylar Pietz and Claudia Bonaventura are simply dynamic.

Against Notre Dame Academy of Worcester on Tuesday, May 29, Pietz scored seven goals and Bonaventura six to lead the Rams' varsity girls' lacrosse team to a playoff-clinching 13-8 victory over the Rebels at Richard Carmignani Memorial Field.

Shepherd Hill improved to 10-9 with the win and, as a result — in just its second season as a varsity program — qualified for the Central/West Division 2 district tournament. Notre Dame Academy, which defeated the Rams 12-11 earlier in the season, slipped to 11-6 with the loss.

"It's incredible, being only a second-year team and making districts. It's crazy," said Pietz, a sophomore and co-captain of the team. "Seeing how hard these girls work every game, it's awesome. Their hard work really paid off this year. I'm really proud of them."

With one regular season game remaining Pietz, who scored her seven goals on just

eight shots, has scored 71 goals this season. Bonaventura, a freshman, scored her six goals on 13 shots, raising her season-long goal total to 75.

"Qualifying for districts is so exciting," Bonaventura said. "We knew we needed to win today and everyone worked really hard to get that win."

Rams' head coach Sarah Morin said that she — and the team — believed a spot in the Central/West tournament was a realistic preseason goal, which is exactly what it was for the 2018 squad.

"We knew that we were going to be a whole different team this year," Morin said. "The girls proved that. It took us to the second-to-last game to get there, but we're excited to be going to districts. I am just so proud of the girls and how far they've come. They play as a team; it's obvious when they're out there. They really love the game and they're just happy to be here. I think that shows when they play and that's why we're going to districts."

After falling behind early, 1-0 and 2-1, Shepherd Hill scored eight of the final nine goals of the first half to lead, 9-3, at half-time. Pietz scored the Rams' first two goals of the game,

Bonaventura then scored three straight for Shepherd Hill. Pietz then scored two in a row and Bonaventura then scored two in a row herself.

The Rams picked up in the second half where they left off in the first, scoring four of the first five goals to push their lead to 13-4 with 10:57 remaining. Pietz scored Shepherd Hill's first three goals of the second half, and Bonaventura the Rams' final goal of the game.

"The first time we played Notre Dame we were missing four starters and we lost by just one goal, so we knew we had a real chance to win today and go to districts," Morin said. "The girls really wanted it and they showed up today and they did the job. We're excited to be moving on."

When the season began Morin said she knew she had two legitimate scorers in Pietz and Bonaventura, but what she has enjoyed most this season is watching how the duo has morphed into a single scoring threat.

"We've got a nice balance offensively, having both of them playing together. They're beautiful to watch and they're such leaders on the field," Morin said. "In the beginning their scoring was more individualized. As the season has gone on, anytime we score it's off of a play or because they've really used each other. They don't just depend upon each other however; they rely on the whole team. That shows me they're good teammates."

Pietz said the transition from two different scorers to one two-headed scoring machine occurred mid-season.

"At first it was hard adjusting to us both being out there at the same time. Early in the season it was definitely noticeable; we didn't really click. But, during the middle of the season, it finally clicked and we've been improving throughout the year," said Pietz, who believes the transition occurred as a result of the pair playing together. "The more we played



Skylar Pietz of Shepherd Hill plays a tight defense on an attacking Molly Vinton from Notre Dame Academy.



Shepherd Hill defender Hannah Cushing makes a stick-check on an attacking player from Notre Dame Academy.

together the more we learned how to play together." Bonaventura agreed.

"It took us a little while to figure out that we can use each other offensively," Bonaventura said. "At the beginning of the season we were just kind of scoring on

our own; we weren't really looking for each other. But now we have plays we set up where we're able to see each other in the field and off the draw. I think it's going to be great playing with her for the rest of this year and the next two years."



Shepherd Hill goalie Carrienne Fortier holds her ground while Notre Dame Academy's Jill Lucier comes charging in with possession of the ball.



Claudia Bonaventura of Shepherd Hill possesses the ball into the attacking end of the field versus Notre Dame Academy.

SPORTS BRIEFS

All Saints Academy's annual golf tournament is fast approaching

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

Check in at 12:30 p.m. with a shotgun start at 1:30. Play in teams of four. Registration is \$100 per person and includes green fees and golf cart, bag lunch, awards and dinner. There will be a silent auction, raffles, contests

and prizes. Sign up by June 9. Space is limited. To register or for more information, please contact Pam Shaw at pamelab.shaw@gmail.com or call (508) 987-1749.

Dudley/Charlton women's basketball looking for available players

There will be women's pick-up basketball happening at the Heritage School gym from 7-9 p.m. We play Monday evenings based on school schedule until June. There are no

set teams and no fees, so no weekly commitment. Come when you can for some friendly competition and exercise. Must be 18 years of age or older. Please contact Deb at (508) 248-3600 or mzd531@charter.net for more information.

Learn to play softball for girls ages 6-8

A free event being run by Dudley Little League is provided to introduce girls ages 6, 7 and 8 to softball in a fun and positive way. The event is held at Dudley Little League's field on School Street in Dudley on June 10 from 1 to 2:30 p.m. Contact dudleybaseball@yahoo.com if you have any other questions. More information can be found at www.dudleylittleleague.com.

Webster Youth Soccer now accepting registrations

Webster Youth Soccer is accepting registrations for its Travel and In-town Leagues for boys and girls in grades kindergarten through high school. Parents can register their children online via <https://www.sportsmanager.us/RegistrationWizard.htm> or by visiting the Webster Youth Soccer website at WebsterYouthSoccer.org and clicking on the Registration button. The deadline for Travel is July 15 and for In-Town is Aug. 15. There is a \$5 early bird discount if registration is completed by June 15. Registrations may be accepted after the deadlines if space permits, however, a \$25 late fee will apply. The fall season starts in August.

SPORTS

Shepherd Hill finds form in final game to beat Warriors, qualify for districts



Shepherd Hill's Cole Carty defends the open field against Tom Muir of Tantasqua.



Mathew S. Plamondon photos

Shepherd Hill's Ben Carpenter releases a pass as he tries to run out the clock during the Rams' district-clinching win over Tantasqua.

BY DEAN P. ST. LAURENT
SPORTS CORRESPONDENT

STURBRIDGE — Shepherd Hill Regional senior captain Tristan Pietz raced down the sideline as time ticked down to less than 40 seconds remaining versus Tantasqua Regional on Wednesday, May 30 in a boys' varsity lacrosse matchup. Pietz wound up and rifled a shot past Warriors' goalie Mike Lucas to secure the Rams a 9-7 win over Tantasqua. More importantly, it lifted The Hill's record to 9-9, earning them a spot in the upcoming Central/West Division 2 District Tournament in their final regular season game.

Pietz gave all credit to his teammates after the emotional win.

"It felt good," Pietz expressed excitedly. "It means a lot, my team showed a lot today. It was all on them. I had a guy locking me off, but my teammates were moving and I knew I could draw and dump to them. It was all them today."

Back and forth the game went for its entirety in a battle of two playoff teams, as the Warriors finished 11-7 and will also partake in the Central/West Division 2 Tournament.

Tantasqua got on the board first when Tom Muir found Austin Varney with a perfect pass toward the middle of the field. Varney did the rest, avoiding a

Shepherd Hill defender with a juke to the right, followed by a rocket of a shot that pierced the back of the net.

It didn't take long for the Rams to counter, as with aggressive offense Pietz penetrated the Warriors' defense and dumped a pass to a cutting Anthony Detarando, who finished the play with a finesse shot that crossed the goal line.

"We are an up-tempo team, explained Shepherd Hill head coach Mark Kelley. "We like to run and a lot of teams have taken the approach where they're going to keep the ball from us and we try and get after it as quick as we can and get the ball."

With their backs against the wall, the Rams' performance could be best described as "gritty." Down 3-2 at the 7:13 mark, Shepherd Hill amped up its desire to win.

Still down a goal nearing halftime, Detarando made a gutsy play deep in Tantasqua territory. He fought for possession of the ball with multiple defenders and won the battle, eventually popping a shot up over Lucas' shoulder and into the net to tie the game at 3-3.

Moments later the Rams took the lead on a jumping shot by sophomore Nolan Burke, assisted by Detarando. Shepherd Hill never surrendered the lead again.

"It is a character win," expressed Kelley. "They set their goal to make playoffs and they did it. I am proud of them. They showed a lot of character and hard work, just guts."

Shepherd Hill stuck to its game plan and never veered away from it.

"We always want to make them play our game," explained Kelley. "They play a very different style, very patient. It can be very frustrating, so one thing we have adopted this year is we try and force our opponent to play how we want to play. That is why we go as quickly as we do, a lot of off-ball stuff. We try not to be one-dimensional and try to be as productive as we possibly can."

Fighting the whole game, Tantasqua played hard and with great discipline.

With Districts next up, Warriors' head coach Gregg Anderson explained that his team's offensive production needs to increase.

"We have to score more goals, our defense has been playing pretty well the last few games, but we have had some trouble putting the ball into the net," Anderson said. "That is what we will be focusing on in practice the next few days."

Muir led Tantasqua with three goals and an assist.

Both teams will play their playoff games on Tuesday, June 5, after press time. No. 9 Shepherd Hill will compete at No. 8 Nashoba Regional (11-7), while No. 11 Tantasqua will take on No. 7 Shrewsbury High (11-7) at Assumption College.




Tristan Pietz of Shepherd Hill runs into the open field while battling against the defense of Tantasqua's Nick Stagias.



Shepherd Hill's Eric Dileone handles the ball as the Rams run out the clock and advance into the District tournament.

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Hi! My name is Ezra and I'm a good writer!

Ezra is a twelve -year-old girl of Cape Verdean heritage. Ezra is usually laid back and quiet until you get her talking about her favorite topics: Monster High and the robotics club she belongs to at her Boys and Girls Club! Ezra enjoys reading, writing and drawing. She has a great imagination for writing her own stories and is an excellent writer. Those who know Ezra would say she loves to please others. She does well in school and has recently been on the honor roll.

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Oxford ends regular season strong by beating younger Panthers



Aidan Fahey of Oxford swings the bat and sends the ball into the outfield.

BY KEN POWERS
SPORTS CORRESPONDENT

SPENCER — The Oxford High varsity baseball team finished off its most successful regular season in school history with an 8-0 win over David Prouty Regional on Thursday, May 31. With the win over the Panthers, in which three pitchers combined to throw a two-hitter and strike out 11, the Pirates improved to 20-2 overall, which included an undefeated, 11-0 record in Southern Worcester County League (SWCL) games.

Oxford’s 20 regular season victories are the most wins ever racked up by a Pirates team before post-season play. Oxford will open the Central Mass. Division 4 Tournament as the No. 1 seed. “The regular season couldn’t really have gone any better. To win 20 games in baseball in the regular season is super difficult,” Oxford head coach Justin Richards said. “To be consistent all the time with the weather you’re dealing with in the spring, along with everything else that comes up during the course of a

season is tough. Going undefeated in the SWCL is a big accomplishment. The top of the SWCL is real good. We did pretty much everything we wanted to do this year in the regular season. We were super happy with the results.” Junior Joel Erickson started on the bump for the Pirates and pitched three no-hit innings, striking out three and walking one. Senior Dante Purretta took over for Erickson in the fourth and allowed two hits and a walk while striking out three. Senior Jason

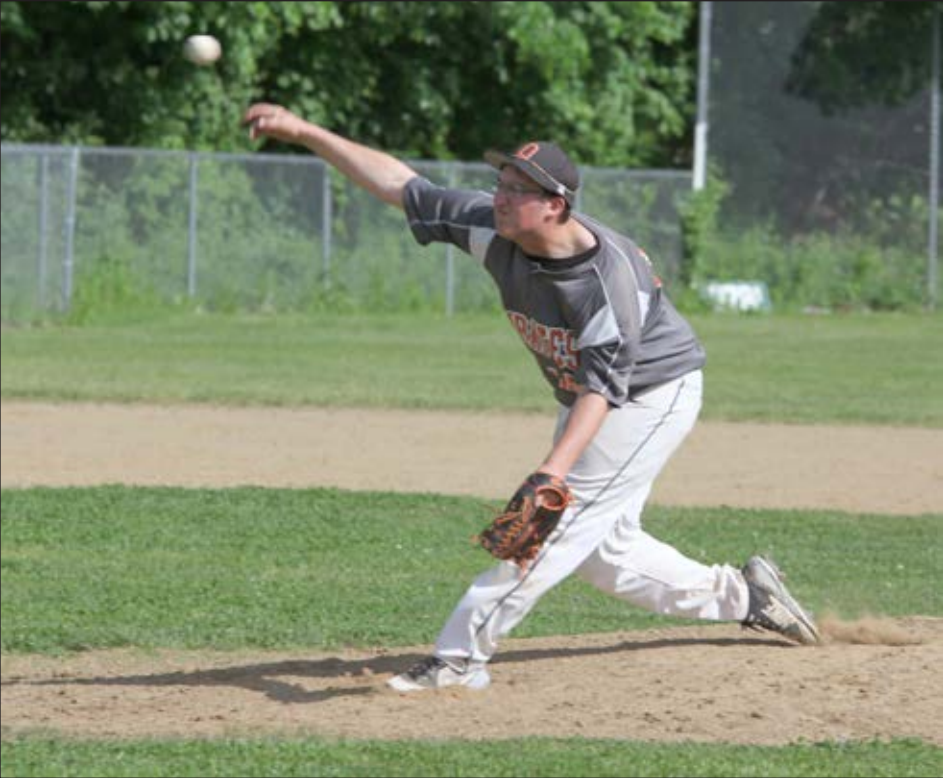
Panient pitched the sixth and seventh innings and didn’t allow a hit while striking out five, walking three and hitting two batters. Oxford jumped out to a 3-0 lead in the top of the third inning and then added a run in the fifth, three in the sixth and one in the seventh. Leading the way offensively for the Pirates were Panient and freshman Sawyer MacPherson, as the duo paced Oxford’s 10-hit attack with two hits each and both drove in a run as well. Senior Mike Bordeaux had a double and a sacrifice fly in five trips to the plate. Senior Ryan Nolan added a double and an RBI in four at-bats. Richards said his mindset going into the game, since the Pirates are going to have about 10-plus days off before playing again, was to get everyone on his 14-man roster some work. “This time of year is tough with the prom and graduation,” Richards said. “We’re senior heavy, so there are a lot of distractions. We try to focus as much as we can. We only had two games this week, so we knew we were going to throw those three pitchers today. We knew we were going to play everybody. We’re trying to play loose, stay sharp and not overdo stuff. The kids get it, it’s just hard.” Oxford’s success this year has been a mix of top-notch play from the starters and solid performances from the reserves. “We have 14 guys and 10 are back from last year,” Richards said. “They all gave us, all of them, a little more than we expected. They all improved physically and mentally from last year. Because they all improved, our team improved a heck of a lot. Our four freshmen and sophomores are as good as a supporting cast as we have ever had here. If something happens to one of our older guys and we have to put them in, we are more than comfortable with them in there. This is a very well developed team right now.” Despite all the regular season success that Oxford has enjoyed this year, Richards is fully aware that his team’s record reverted back to 0-0 when the final out of the David Prouty game was recorded.



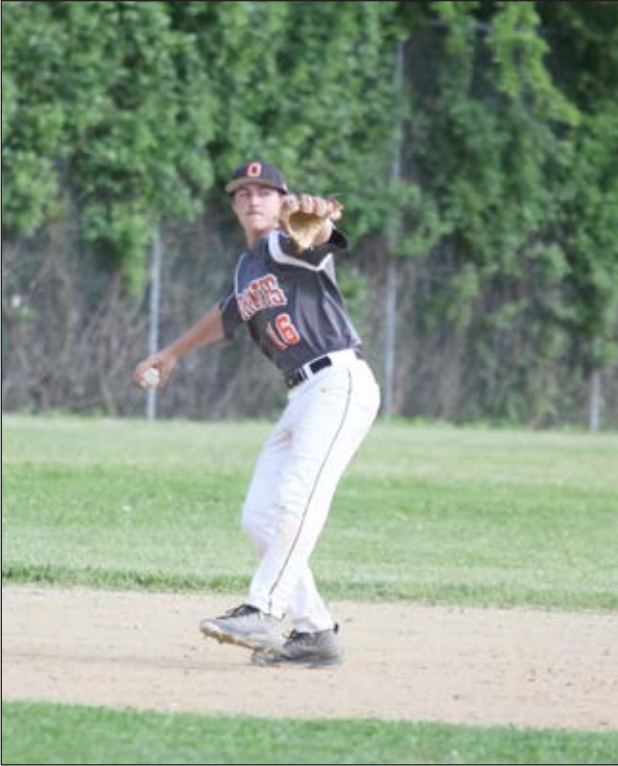
Oxford’s Sawyer MacPherson applies the tag on a sliding Cam Dubey of David Prouty for an out at second base.

“We feel like we’re a very good team, but we know in Division 4 there are very, very good pitchers and our kids are intelligent enough that they’re going to get that. So, we’re going to spend the next few days going over, fundamentally, the stuff we want to do. Then, because we’re the No. 1 seed, we’re going to be able to go watch the 8-9 game and really game plan for the team we’re going to face,” Richards said. For David Prouty, Cam Dubey and Trevor Grenier both singled in the game. The Panthers finished the season 0-20 overall and 0-11 in SWCL, but David Prouty head

coach Eric Hanson was still encouraged by the season his team had. “Every player got better and none of these kids play summer baseball; none of them,” Hanson said. “So, they come out, and through the season they get better and better and they have — every one of them has gotten better. But, the only way to turn this around is they’ve got to start playing more baseball. They’re good kids, they gave 110 percent, every single one of them did. We only have two seniors on the team and just one of them is a starter, so we’re going to be junior heavy next year.”



Oxford’s Dante Purretta slings a pitch to the plate versus David Prouty.



Joel Erickson of Oxford steps into a throw from his shortstop position to get the ball to first base in time for an out.

SPORTS BRIEFS

Oxford Lions Club, Barton Center combine for golf tournament to benefit children with Type-1 diabetes

The Oxford Lions Club, in conjunction with and for The Barton Center, is sponsoring their 23rd annual golf tournament to benefit the Barton Center for children with Type-1 diabetes. The tournament is on Friday, June 15 at the Pine Ridge Country Club on Pleasant Street in North Oxford. All proceeds from the tournament go to scholarships for children with Type-1 diabetes so they can enjoy two weeks of fun at camp. It is very expensive to care for the children for two weeks and this tournament helps to bring more children to camp. Every penny of the proceeds goes to scholarships. Not one cent is used for salaries, maintenance or expansion of the camps. Sign in is at 8 a.m. with a shotgun start at 8:30, rain or shine. We will also have a good size raffle after the banquet, which follows the tournament. We are looking for more foursomes to play that day and if you would like to join us for a fun day, with the knowledge you are contributing to the chance for another child to come to camp, as the Barton Center covers half the cost of each child’s camp experience, please contact Lindsay Charest, the program director, at events@bartoncenter.org for more information and applications. Please consider joining us.

Bartlett Athletic Hall of Fame inductees announced

The Bartlett High School Athletic Hall of Fame

Committee is pleased to announce the Inductees of the Class of 2018:
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The Induction Ceremony will be held on Saturday, Oct. 27 at the Raceway Restaurant and Golf Club in Thompson, Conn. at 6 p.m. Further information regarding the ceremony will be announced at a later date. The Committee will be hosting a Golf Tournament on Saturday, June 16 at the Raceway Golf Club in Thompson at 1 p.m.
For more information regarding the induction or golf tournament, please contact Athletic Director Anthony Paranto at (508) 943-8552 Ext. 28 or visit our website at www.bhsathletichof.org.

Annual Saint-Jean-Baptiste Educational Foundation golf Tournament comes to Pleasant Valley

The 22nd annual Saint-Jean-Baptiste Educational Foundation golf tournament is set for Monday, July 23 at Sutton’s Pleasant Valley Country Club. The cost is \$150 per person — twosomes and singles are welcome — and there will be a hole-in-one contest as well as a putting contest, door prizes and a special golfers raffle. There will be 18 holes of golf on a PGA

and LPGA course with valet parking, bag handling services, unlimited use of the driving range, and chipping and putting areas prior to the 10 a.m. shotgun start, Florida-style scramble. Early registration begins at 8 a.m. with carts with bag rain covers, a gift bag, coffee, continental breakfast and snacks. An executive buffet dinner follows the tournament. For additional information and registration please call Ken (Golf Committee) at (508) 277-5314 or Ted (Foundation Trustee) at (508) 764-7909. Golfers who make entire payment by July 1 will be entered into a raffle for a chance to win a gift certificate from the Pleasant Valley Pro Shop.

Webster Dudley Oxford Chamber of Commerce presents annual golf tournament

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

Weather finally cooperating for anglers



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This past Sunday's weather sure changed dramatically, causing rough seas and cool temperatures. It did not stop many anglers from fishing some of their favorite hot spots for stripers. Cape fishing for stripers was fantastic all of last week with numerous 30 and 40 pound stripers being caught daily.

Large schools of stripers inundated many areas of the Cape giving fly fishing anglers some great fishing. This week's weather prediction for heavy rain and wind most of the week will hopefully be gone before the weekend.

This week's two pictures are courtesy of Red Top Bait & Tackle Shop. The young lady holding a large fluke, and an elated angler with his huge striper are enough to get the average angler packing his fishing equipment and heading to the Canal.

This week's Snug Harbor report has anglers catching a lot of fluke at Block Island, but

closer to shore fishing is spotty. Fish that are being caught have a lot of sea lice on them, which is a good sign that the fluke are moving in. Legal size stripers are also spotty, with schools of undersize stripers invading the shoreline.

A report from Archie's Bait & Tackle at Riverside Rhode Island was not too exciting, although there are some large stripers being caught in the Providence River. There are still not many porgies around, and bait shops are running out of the popular bait weekly. Some areas of the Providence River have up to 30 boats chasing stripers, but the success rate is slow. It sure is a crazy year.

Lackey Pond Dam is having some construction work done at the dam this year. The boat ramp is receiving a face lift, as well as the huge stone granite that holds the area around the dam together. The initial construction of the dam 20 years ago was the work of local citizens and Ducks Unlimited. It sure has paid off for anglers and waterfowl sportsmen. The wetlands habitat provides wood duck populations to thrive in the area and with the construction of numerous wood duck boxes by Mass Fish & Game they should continue to have successful nesting in



Photos Courtesy Red Top Bait & Tackle Shop

This is a pretty decent sized fluke for certain.

the area.

One local angler was trout fishing at the Uxbridge Rod & Gun Club last week and successfully landed a nice rainbow trout. After placing it in the water on his fish stringer he noticed a lot of activity in the water next to his fish. It seemed as though a couple of large water snakes decided to make a meal out of his trout.



An elated angler with a huge striper.

After recording the event he reached down and removed the trout from his stringer, and the snakes swam off with his trout. The snakes were in excess of four feet. Yikes!!!!

Deer are now having their young! If you come across a young deer that seems to be abandoned, it is best to leave it there. Every year someone picks up a new born deer thinking it is lost. People need to

leave wildlife alone. It is their best chance for survival.

Family Fishing Day at West Hill Dam will be Saturday June 16, this year. Everyone is invited to attend. No fishing licenses are needed and fishing equipment will be available for all of the anglers young and old. The event is from 9:00 a.m. till 1:00 p.m.

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Saturday June 9

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

Friday, June 15, Saturday June 16 & Sunday June 17

45th ANNUAL ST. JOSEPH FESTIVAL: Friday, Saturday and Sunday, June 15, 16 & 17 on the St. Joseph grounds, 47 Whitcomb St., Webster. Fresh homemade foods including favorites pierogi, golabki, kapusta, kielbasa & more. Free admission, live music with Maestro's Men both Friday & Saturday night; a barbecue dinner noon on Sunday, St. Joseph School talent show, raffles and more. Friday 5-11 p.m.; Saturday noon-11 p.m. and Sunday noon-4 p.m.

Saturday, June 16

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

Thursday, June 21

PARTY FOR THE PUPS: Friends of Oxford Dog Park are hosting a fundraiser Thursday, June 21 at the KBC Brewery. Featured will be Taste of the Area pizza, raffles, entertainment and a lot of good fun. Tickets are \$20. Visit

the Facebook page OxfordBarkingLot or email oxfordmadog@gmail.com to purchase tickets.

ANNUAL STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL: On Thursday, June 21 4 p.m. until the berries are gone, the Dudley Grange hosts its annual Strawberry Festival on the lawns at the Grange, 139 Center Road. Adult size is \$6, Child size is \$4. To be sure you get one, you can pre-purchase tickets in advance through the Dudley Town Clerk, Peters Hair Salon or see a Dudley Grange member. Traditional Frog Jumping Contest (Grange requests all frog entries be put back where you found them). Sign Up: 4:15-5:50 p.m., contest begins: 6:00 p.m.

Saturday, June 23

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

ANNUAL CHICKEN BARBECUE: Oxford VFW Post 5663 hosts its annual chicken barbecue Saturday, June 23 serving 1-4 p.m. \$10 donation; tickets available at the VFW (508) 987-8777.

Wednesday, July 18

TEXTILE ART SHOW: Rug Exhibition presented by Pearl K. McGown Northern Teachers' Workshop Wednesday, July 18 noon to 7 p.m. at the Nichols College auditorium, 124 Center Road, Dudley. Free admission. For information call (860) 928-4767.

ONGOING EVENTS

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

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

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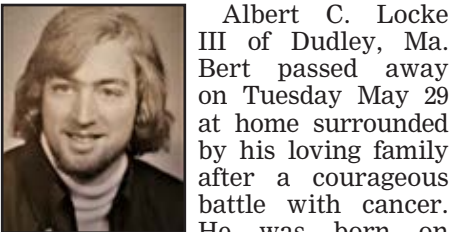
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Albert C. Locke III



Albert C. Locke III of Dudley, Ma. Bert passed away on Tuesday May 29 at home surrounded by his loving family after a courageous battle with cancer. He was born on December 30th, 1957 in Worcester, MA.

He leaves behind his wife Susan of almost 40 years, their oldest daughter, Elizabeth and Eric Pettengill of Virginia, and their three children, Matthew, Erin and Emily and their youngest daughter Shelley with whom they shared their home., and their two beagles, Lucy and Tobey. He also leaves behind his mother, Lillian Cathline of Dudley, and his six sisters; Jane and Richard Poirier of North Grosvenordale, Sandra and Chris Bartolomei of Dudley, Deborah and Jim Peloquin of Lakeland, Fla, Kim Cathline of Dudley, Amy and Phil Leboeuf of Dudley, and Kris and Steve Henry of Barre. And numerous nieces and nephews.

In his younger years he was an avid chess player and won many trophies tournaments. He enjoyed ham radios and anything electronic, which was his lifelong occupation. He enjoyed fishing, and playing strategy games like Risk and Civilization. He liked a cold Sam Adams, and his attire of choice was flannel shirts and blue jeans and sneakers, regardless of the weather. He had a great sense of wit and humor that will be greatly missed.

Shaw- Majercik Funeral Home, 48 School St., Webster has been entrusted with his arrangements. Per his wishes there are no calling hours and burial will be private. A guest book is available at www.shaw-majercik.com where you may post a condolence or light a candle. Contributions can be made to: The American Lung Association, 1661 Worcester Rd, Framingham, MA 01701 or because of his lifelong love of Beagles with his wife, B.O.N.E.S (Beagles Of New England States) P.O. Box 1510 New Boston, NH 03070.

In the words of his favorite band, The Beatles ‘Let It Be.’

Joseph J. Olney, 79



OXFORD - Joseph J. Olney, 79, died at home surrounded by his family on Tuesday May 29, 2018. He was born on February 24, 1939, son of Richard Olney and Flora Dumas, and lived his entire life in

Oxford. He was predeceased by his loving wife of 46 years, Patricia M. Olney, who died on August 19, 2008. Besides his wife, Joseph's children and grandchildren were the most important part of his life. Joseph is survived by five children, Jean M. Church and her husband Michael of Spencer, Michael J. Olney and his wife Cindy of Worcester, Beth A. Thomas and her husband Christopher of Holland, James N. Olney and his wife Sherrye of Oxford, and Lois F. Taylor of Thompson, Connecticut. He was known as “Papa” to his eleven grandchildren. He leaves behind Nicholas Church, Joshua Church, Katelyn-Rose Church, Amanda Olney, Shawn Olney, Joseph Thomas, Rebecca Thomas, Samantha Olney, Mark Olney, Rachel Taylor and Martin Taylor. He also leaves three great grandchildren; Quincy, Mark, and Morgan. Joseph is also survived by his sisters Cynthia Olney of Oxford, Susan Olney of Oxford, and his brother Richard Olney and his wife Norma of Oxford. He leaves several nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Joseph served his country in the Army National Guard. He was also a member of the Oxford Fire Department for many years, eventually retiring as Captain. In later years, Joseph was an active member of the Oxford Firefighters Association at the Huguenot Steamer No.1 Fire Station Museum in North Oxford. He conducted tours and donated firefighter memorabilia to the museum. Joseph managed several manufacturing facilities during his career including RAYOVAC, L. Hardy, and MacNeil

Engineering. Joseph took pride in being able to build, fix, and make anything with his own hands. He felt it was important to pass his skills onto the next generation. After retirement, Joseph and his wife, Patricia, enjoyed traveling and taking the grandchildren on camping trips. They later operated a crafting business which consisted of all handmade items. His crafting specialty was building birdhouses.

While Joseph's family was his top priority, he also enjoyed many hobbies. From a young age, he was an avid train enthusiast. Although he loved anything railroad related, he was especially passionate about model railroad-ing. He created brilliant displays which eventually moved from his basement to his museum, Railside America. He operated the museum for many years in the 1970's. Joseph enjoyed watching the Patriots football and was a dedicated NASCAR sports fan. Joseph was an ardent collector of many things and loved to yard sale, always getting the best deals. He loved fireworks and never missed a single display. Joseph leaves behind a wonderful legacy and will be loved and missed dearly by his family.

A funeral service was held at 10 a.m. on Saturday, June 2, 2018, at Paradis-Givner Funeral Home, 357 Main St., Oxford. Burial with military honors followed at North Cemetery in Oxford. Calling hours were Friday, June 1, 2018, from 6-8 p.m. at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Oxford Firefighter's Association, P.O. Box 606, North Oxford, MA 01537. paradisfuneralhome.com

Margaret E. Briere age 78

WBSTER- Margaret E. (Reynolds) Briere age 78 died Friday, June 1, 2018, at the University of MA Health Care Center, Worcester, MA. She leaves her husband of 42 years, Joseph R. Briere of Webster. She also leaves two sons, Anthony R. Kopas II of Wrentham, MA, Jan Adam Kopas II of Worcester, two daughters, Kathleen Kopas of Texas and Mary Lou Kopas of Seattle Washington, nine grandchildren, and two great grandchildren. Margaret also leaves a sister Mary Lou Langer of Elmhurst, Illinois.

She was born in Detroit, Michigan daughter of the late Raymond Reynolds and Loretta (Puschman) Reynolds and lived in Webster most of her life. She was a sales clerk for many years at

Sears and Roebuck. She was a member of the Zion Lutheran Church in Oxford. Margaret enjoyed reading, music, gardening and most of all Webster Lake. There are no calling hours. A memorial service was held Monday, June 4, 2018 at 10 am at the Zion Lutheran Church, 70 Main St., Oxford, MA. Burial will be private at a later date. Please omit flowers and donations in her memory may be made to the Zion Lutheran Church. The Shaw-Majercik Funeral Home, 48 School St., Webster, MA have been entrusted with her arrangements. A guest book is available at www.shaw-majercik.com where you may post a condolence or light a candle.

Stephen I. Beausoleil,62

POMFRET CENTER, CT- Stephen I. Beausoleil age 62 died Monday, May 28, 2018. He leaves his brother Victor Beausoleil of Pomfret Center, a son Jacob Ross of Wisconsin also a daughter Becca Ross of Wisconsin.

He was born in Fairbanks, Alaska son of the late Henry R. Beausoleil and Patricia A. (Tingley) Beausoleil and lived in Pomfret for the past 15 years,

prior to that living in Danielson.

Stephen enjoyed fishing and hunting. There are no calling hours. All arrangements are private. The Shaw-Majercik Funeral Home, 48 School St., Webster, MA has been entrusted with his arrangements. A guest book is available at www.shaw-majercik.com where you may post a condolence or light a candle.

Stephen H. Brown, 58

SPENCER- Stephen H. Brown age 58 died Sunday, May 27, 2018 at his home. He was the husband of Rene (Dumont) Brown of Charlton, MA. He was predeceased by a daughter, Melanie Brown of Salem, MA. He leaves a stepson, Michael McEleney of Worcester, a step-daughter, Jena McEleney of Spencer. Stephen also leaves a sister Rev. Janet Brown Matthews of Gig Harbor, Washington and his mother June Claire (Adams) Macindoe of SC. He was born in Rumford, Maine son of June Brown Macindoe and the late Kenneth P. Brown. He grew up in Holden, MA and was a graduate of Wachusett Regional High School, a graduate of the Univ. Of MA with a

degree in engineering, and took post grad at WPI. He was a member of the Free Masons. One of his great joys was cooking. A Celebration of life will be held June 13, 2018 at 5 pm at the Wong Dynasty Restaurant in Holden. Donations may be made in his memory to the Fox Island United Church of Christ, PO Box 475 Fox Island, Washington, 98333 where his sister is the pastor.

There are no calling hours. The Shaw-Majercik Funeral Home, 48 School St., Webster, MA has been entrusted with his arrangements. A guest book is available at www.shaw-majercik.com where you may post a condolence or light a candle.

Theresa A. (Raymond, Caron) Wilcox, 79



DANIELSON -- Theresa A. (Raymond, Caron) Wilcox, 79 of Danielson, passed away peacefully with her family by her side, on May 25, 2018 at W. W. Backus Hospital in Norwich. She was born on November 30, 1938 in Norwich, daughter of the late Joseph, Sr. and Emma (Vautour) Raymond.

She lived in Brooklyn for many years. She worked at Idle Wild Farms, Danielson Curtain and as a babysitter. Theresa was a big fan of John Cena (Wrestler), and she was a member of the Irish Club in Putnam. She enjoyed dancing, knitting, ceramics, country and polka music and throwing big parties. She inspired many people. She is survived by a sister Trudy

Charette of Florida, fiancé Raymond Abby, six daughters Pamela Lloyed of Webster, Massachusetts, Robin (Ted) Bernier of Dayville, Lisa (Gary) Hegedus of Surprise, Arizona, Susan Caron (Lianne Berard) of Danielson, Shannon (Dennis) Larochelle of Dayville, Sandra Stott (Michael DeFevres) of Putnam, 15 grandchildren, 12 great grandchildren, god children Darlene, Mark, Kandy, Hank, Jr., Andy, many nieces and nephews.

She was predeceased by her parents, two sisters, three brothers and husband Keith Wilcox, Sr.

A calling hour will be Friday, June 8, 2018 from 10:30 to 11:30 AM at Gagnon and Costello Funeral Home, 33 Reynolds Street, Danielson, followed by a service at 11:30 AM. Burial will be in Holy Cross Cemetery, Danielson, CT. Share a memory at www.gagnonandcostellofh.com

Robert C. Rice, 85



OXFORD – Robert C. Rice, 85, formerly of Hammond Street, passed away peacefully on Thursday, May 31, 2018, at St. Vincent Hospital in Worcester. He was predeceased by his wife of 31, years, Leah A. (Plaud)

Rice who died in 2014. He is survived by four children, Robert C. Rice Jr. of Worcester, Rose A. Bednar of Millbury, Debra L. Palumbo of Millbury, and Daniel P. Rice of Webster; five step-children, Rich R. Dupuis, Doreen P. Smith, Robin M. LeClair, Philip R. Dupuis, and Darlene A. Dupuis; and many grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nephews and nieces. He was born in Grafton, son of the late Ralph and Irene (Banks) Rice, and lived most of his life in Oxford before moving to Whitinsville in 2015. He was a U.S. Army veteran of the Korean War.

Mr. Rice was a machinist at Norton Company in Worcester for 29 years,

retiring in 1992. He was a member of St. Ann's Church in North Oxford, and enjoyed bowling, golfing, and fishing. He was a generous kind hearted individual who loved everyone. He was well known to light up a room with his funny sense of humor and friendly disposition. He leaves an imprint on many hearts.

A funeral service was held at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, June 6, 2018, at Paradis-Givner Funeral Home, 357 Main St., Oxford. Burial followed at Worcester County Memorial Park in Paxton. Calling hours were Tuesday, June 5, 2018, from 5-8 p.m. at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Boston Children's Hospital, 401 Park Dr., Suite 602, Boston, MA 02215. paradisfuneralhome.com

Veronica R. ‘Ronnie’ Jolicoeur, 89



CHARLTON / WORCESTER - Veronica R. ‘Ronnie’ (Hudec) Jolicoeur, 89 passed away Thursday, May 31, 2018 at the Overlook Masonic Healthcare Center in Charlton.

Her husband of 41 years, Hervey J. Jolicoeur died in 2001.

She leaves a son, Kevin J. Jolicoeur and his wife Cathy of Charlton, 2 sisters; Rose Gaumond of Southbridge and Stella Borawski of Utah, daughter-in-law, Barbara of CA, many grandchildren, several great grandchildren and nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by a grandson Steven who died in 1978 and her husband's children, Donald, Robert and Paula (deceased). Ronnie was also predeceased by her brother John Hudec and sisters; Anne Strenk, Agatha Werstak and Margaret Kruger.

Veronica was born and raised in Webster, the daughter of the late Gaspar and Veronica (Kasik) Hudec

and was a 1946 graduate of Bartlett High School, she then lived many years in Worcester before moving to Charlton.

Ronnie worked in the medical records department at U.Mass. Hospital and prior to that worked for Rexnord in Worcester.

She enjoyed gardening, The past two years she enjoyed visits with her sister Rose. Kuvo and Beth were a joy to many while at the Overlook and being with her daughter-in-law and her family and her dogs.

Ronnie's Funeral Mass will be Saturday, June 9, 2018 at 10 AM in St. Joseph's Church, 10 H-Putnam Rd., Ext. in Charlton. Burial will follow in Notre Dame Cemetery, 162 Webster St. in Worcester.

A calling hour will be from 9-10 AM prior to the Mass (At the Church).

The ROBERT J. MILLER-CHARLTON FUNERAL HOME, 175 Old Worcester Rd. is directing arrangements.

For an on line Guest Book for Ronnie, please visit: RJMillerfunerals.net

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OBITUARIES

George B. Gamble, Jr., 84



WORCESTER - George Baden Gamble, Jr., 84, treasured father to Laura-Lee and Wendy, passed away peacefully on May 31, 2018 after a long illness. Born in Worcester on December 7, 1933, he was the son of Sigrid (Lundquist) Gamble and George B. Gamble, Sr. He attended Worcester Boys Trade School and honorably served in the United States Air Force during the Korean War. He married Lorraine A. Gendron of Sutton upon his discharge and settled down to raise a family. He was predeceased by Lorraine in 1995.

George retired from Worcester Wire where his specialty was the production of violin wire. He was also an entrepreneur as the sole owner of Gamble Trucking, taking great pride in his red dump truck. His girls delighted in their role as helpers on the weekends. He was a longtime member of the First Baptist Church in Worcester and was a mason for 50 years with the Morning Star Lodge of Auburn.

An avid golfer, he could be seen on the links of Hillcrest and Dunroamin Country Clubs. He was a farmer at

heart, boarding Hereford cattle out of town which were visited during his famous family Sunday drives. He was a skilled gardener, whether raising a perfect tomato or those yellow roses that won a blue ribbon at the Worcester Horticultural Society's annual flower show. He also enjoyed ice fishing, which was always a family outing complete with skates, grill and home movie camera. Snow mobiling trips included pulling the caboose for his girls. His best times were spent with his family, whether at home or on vacation, to the wilderness of a fishing lake in Canada or to the shores of Nantucket Sound in Chatham.

Upon retirement George and Lorraine moved to northern Vermont and settled on a bucolic 55 acres which included a sugar shack for maple syrup production, and plenty of room to raise pigs. He made a large circle of friends and was known for his delicious home-made chili during the weekly card parties. He joined the First Congregational Church of Dudley after returning to Massachusetts where he was a devoted volunteer, always available to work the chowder booth at the Woodstock Fair, peel potatoes for a turkey supper, bring a truck full of Christmas wreaths for the holiday

fair, and organize and fund a pig roast at the church. He had a close relationship with Pastor John White and his wife Sarah and was blessed to meet with them shortly before his passing.

A die-hard Red Sox fan, his joy was unsurpassed when finally "the curse was reversed" in 2004. Subsequent World Series Championships were enjoyed in equal measure. He also cheered for the New England Patriots and their multiple Super Bowl wins but bemoaned the fact "there were too many night games because they win so much."

George is survived by his daughters Laura-Lee Carey and her husband Greg of Dudley, and Wendy Gamble and her husband Rory Fitzgerald of South Chatham; a granddaughter, Megan Carey and her husband Jay Carlson; a grandson, Baden Jaye Gamble Carey, all of Dudley; two great-granddaughters, Bellalorraine Carey-Hicks and Wren Carey-Carlson; his beloved long-time companion, Jacqueline Nichols of Worcester and her sons Brett and Jimmy, along with their families; his sisters and brothers-in-law, along with many nephews and nieces. He was pre-deceased by his sister Jane O'Brien.

The family wishes to extend their

gratitude for the comfort and care provided by Dr. Tony Samaha and Dr. John Platt along with the staff of The St. Vincent Cancer and Wellness Center, and also by the staff at Lanessa Extended Care for the past month.

A service to celebrate George's life will take place at noon on Saturday, June 19, in the First Congregational Church of Dudley, 135 Center Road, Dudley. The Masonic Lodge will perform its ritual at 11:45 AM in the church prior to the service. Burial will be held privately. The family will receive relatives and friends in the church from 10:30 to 11:45 AM Saturday, June 19, prior to the services. Donations in his name may be made to either the Cape Cod Commercial Fisherman's Alliance, 1566 Main Street, Chatham, MA 02633 or to The First Congregational Church of Dudley, 135 Center Road, Dudley, MA 01571. Arrangements are under the direction of Sitkowski & Malboeuf Funeral Home, 340 School Street, Webster.



kids' corner

THIS IS THE LARGEST AND DEEPEST OF THE WORLD'S OCEANS.

ANSWER: PACIFIC OCEAN

Ocean Word Find

Find the hidden words in the puzzle.

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FISH	SHELLS	WAVES

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HISTORY

- 1861: TENNESSEE BECOMES THE 11TH AND FINAL STATE TO SECEDE FROM THE UNION.
- 1949: "NINETEEN EIGHTY-FOUR" BY GEORGE ORWELL IS PUBLISHED.
- 1992: THE FIRST WORLD OCEANS DAY IS CELEBRATED.

Get Scrambled

Unscramble the words to determine the phrase.

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Answer: Seaside fun

New word

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movement of the tide out to sea

How they SAY that in...

ENGLISH: Ocean

SPANISH: Océano

ITALIAN: Oceano

FRENCH: Océan

GERMAN: Meer

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CHARLTON - 8 Cheslie Way! ANGALIE ESTATES! 2,500' 10 Rm Colonial! 4 Bdrms, 2.5 Baths! 3.02 Acres! Cul-de-sac! 2 Story Grand Foyer! SS Appliance Kit w/ Isl! Huge Liv Rm! Formal Din Rm! 1st Flr Master w/Bath! 1 1/2 Flr Laundry! C/Air! In-ground Pool w/Pool House! 3 Car Garage! **\$488,000.00**



WEBSTER - 175TH Ave! 3 Fam! 4/4 Rms! 22/2 Bdrms! Each w/Spacious Kts, & Liv Rms! Full Baths! 1st & 2nd Flr Units Remodeled, Rented in VGood Cond! 3rd Flr Vacate, Needs Cosmetic! Washer/Dryer Hookups Each Unit! C/Breakers & Landlord Meter! Separate Gas Heat & Water Heaters! Newer Roof! Nice Yard! Shed! **\$249,900.00**



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



DUDLEY - 34 West Main St! 10 Rm, 3,322' Antique Colonial! .87 Acre! Grand Entry Foyer! Frpld Formal Liv Rm & Frpld Library! Fam Rm w/Hrdwds! Formal Din Rm w/Hrdwds & Tall Bay Window! Applianced Eat-in Kit w/Isle & Walk-in Pantry! 1st Flr Laundry Rm! 1/2 Bath w/Dressing Rm! Grand Stairway to 2nd Flr! Spacious Frplc Master Bdrm w/Hrdwds, Walk-in Closet & Full Bath! 2 Additional Bdrms w/Built-ins & Hrdwd Flrs, 1 Bdrm w/Access to Additional Full Bath! "Maids Quarters" w/Spacious Bdrm w/Hrdwd Flr, Full Bath & Separate Stairway Access! 4 Bdrms, 3.5 Baths, 4 Frplcs! Lower Level Finished Fam Rm w/Frplc & Abundant Shelving & Storage! 2 Car Detached Garage w/Full Loft! Fenced Yard w/Circular Driveway! Commercial Zoned! **\$695,000.00**



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



STURBRIDGE - 13 Main St! Work & Live Here! Completely Remodeled! "Turn Key" 1st Flr Beauty Salon w/Cair, Handicapped Bthrm, Kt, Gas Heat! 2nd Flr - Applianced Kit, Liv Rm, 2 Bdrms, 1.5 Baths, New Oil Furnace! 13 Parking Spaces! 2 Car Garage! Sep Utilities! Town Services! Rte 26, 84 & 90! **\$289,900.00**



OXFORD - 19 Wheelock St! 6 Rm Cape! Well Maintained! Level Lot! Knotty Pine Sunroom w/Slider to Stone Patio! Applianced Eat-in Kit! Liv Rm w/Hrdwd Flr! 2 Spacious 1st Flr Bdrms w/Hrdwds! Full Bath! 2nd Flr 3rd Bdrm w/New Carpets! Full Basement w/Laundry! Attached Garage w/Workshop! **\$239,900.00**



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WEBSTER - 53 Brookside Ave! 7 Rm Cape! 46 Acres! Applianced Eat-in Kit, Breakfast Bar, Din Area, Slider to Deck! Liv Rm w/New Carpet & Wall A/C! Full Bath! 2 1st Flr Bdrms! 2nd Flr w/2 Huge Bdrms, Walk-in Closet & Skylights! Full Bath! Walk-out Fm Rm! 2 Sheds! Fenced Play Area! **\$299,900.00**



THOMPSON - 1338 Riverside Drive! 8 Rm Colonial w/Grand Entry Foyer! 94 Acres! Farmers Porch! Applianced Granite Kit w/Isle! Din Area w/Pellet Stove & Slider to Deck w/Jacuzzi! Din Rm & Frpld Cathedral Ceiling Liv Rm w/Hrdwds! Den/Office! 3 Bdrms! Master Bath! 2.5 Baths! Finished Lower Level! C/Air! Garage! **\$369,900.00**



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



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



WEBSTER - 32 Canille Rd! 9 Rm Cape w/Farmers Porch! Open Flr Plan! Applianced Kit! Din Area w/Slider to Deck! Frplc Cathedral Liv Rm! Den or Din Rm! Full Bath! 2nd Flr Master Suite w/Master Bath! 2 Add Bdrms! 3 Baths Total! C/Air! LL Fam Rm! Garages! Irrigation! Shed! **\$349,900.00**



DUDLEY - 50 Airport Rd! Updated 5 Rm Ranch! 1/2 Acre Level Lot! Kit 2009! Frpld Liv Rm! 2 Comfortable Bdrms! Master Bath! 2 Full Baths Total! Mud Rm Entryway! Walk-out Frpld Lower Level! Updated Roof & C/Air 2010, Breakers 2011, Windows 2015, Furnace 2016! Won't Last! **\$269,900.00**



DUDLEY - 9 Page Ln! Newly Renovated 6 Rm, 3 Bdrm, 2.5 Bath Cape! 1 Acre Lot! Cul-de-sac! Hrdwds Throughout! Open Liv Rm, Kit & Din Area! SS Appliance Granite Kit w/Isle! Slider to Composite Deck! 1st Flr Master w/Walk-in Closet & Master Bath! 2nd Flr w/2 Large Bdrms & Full Bath! Garage Under! **\$309,900.00**



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WEBSTER - 21 Madden Dr! 7 Rm Split Entry Cape! SS Appliance Granite Kit w/Breakfast Bar! Din Area w/Slider to Dble Tier Deck! Din Rm & Frplc Liv Rm w/Hrdwds! Fam Rm! 1st Floor 1/2 Bath Laundry! 3 Bdrms! Master Bath! 2.5 Baths Total! Skylights! C/Air! Gas Heat! 2 Car Garage! 52 Acre Lot! **\$309,900.00**



WEBSTER - 7 Vine St! 5+ Rm L-Shaped Ranch! Looking for Larger, this May Be It! 10'6" X 19' Eat-in Kit! 27' Liv Rm! Entry Foyer! 3 Comfortable Bdrms w/Dble Closets! Huge Master! Hrdwds Flrs! Tile Bath! 1.5 Baths! Walk-out Lower Level! Heat & Hot Water by Gas! Garage! **\$219,900.00**



WEBSTER - 47 Lakeside Ave! 2 Family! 6/6 Rms! 3/3 Bdrms! 1/1 Baths! Applianced Kitchens! Recent Roof at 5 Yrs! Solar Panels at 2 Yrs! Separate Oil Furnaces! Walk to Lakeside Beach! Launch Your Boat at the State Ramp! Convenient Location! **\$249,000.00**



DUDLEY - 67 West Main St! Live or Work or do Both from this 7 Rm Colonial on 25.860' Lot - 594 Acres! Needs Updating! Zoned Business! Convenient Location for Either! Room to Expand! Hrdwds! 2 Baths! Corner Lot - Rd Frontage on View St As Well! Town Services & Gas! Recent Buderus Furnace! **\$198,900.00**



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



WEBSTER LAKE - 10 Kenneth Ave! South Pond! Sandy Shoreline! 9 Rm Contemporary! 3 Bdrms! 3 Baths! Lake Views from Most Rooms! Hrdwd & Tile Flrs Throughout! Brunarhan Custom Granite Kit w/Cherry Cabinets! 1st Flr Office! Master w/New Bath! Frpld Fam Rm! Deck w/Custom Bar! 2 Car Garage! **\$639,900.00**



WEBSTER LAKE - 60 Bates Point Rd! Middle Pond! Absolute Prime 52' Level Waterfront Lot w/Western Expo! Beautiful Sunsets! Panoramic Lake Views! 8 Rms, 3 Bdrm, 2 Baths, A/C'd, Ranch! Custom SS Applianced Granite Kit! Din Rm w/Hrdwds & Slider to Waterfront Deck w/Awning! Lake Facing Frplc Liv Rm w/Cathedral, Skylight & Hrdwds! Comfortable Master Bdrm! Frpld Lower Level Fam Rm! 2 Car Garage! **\$729,900.00**



WEBSTER LAKE - 412 Beacon Park! WATERVIEW! 1,280' 5 Rm Townhouse! End Corner Unit! Lake Views! Applianced Galley Kitchen! Frpld Liv Rm w/Hrdwds! Din Rm w/Hrdwds! Master w/Custom Bath & Closet w/Skylight! 2.5 Remodeled Tile Baths! Central Air! Garage! Great Lakeside Pool! Sandy Beach! **\$279,500.00**



WEBSTER LAKE Access! 2-A Lakeview Rd! 7 Rm Split Entry Cape! Applianced Granite Kit! 4/5 Spacious Bdrms! 2 Full Baths! C/Air! Handicap! ELEVATOR! 3 Car Under! 30'x40' 2 Story Detached Garage w/12' Ceiling & 3 Car Lifts! Overlooking & Short Walk to Lake & Dock! **\$479,900.00**



WEBSTER LAKE - 3 Long Island! Accessible by Boat Only! "True Summer Cottage" Ready to Rough It! Loads of Potential! Water on 2 Sides! Panoramic Views Across Wide Expanse of the Middle Pond! 3 Separate but Connected Buildings! 4 Bedrooms! Town Water & Sewerage! **\$229,900.00**



WEBSTER LAKE - 3 Lakeside Rd! Middle Pond - Reid Smith Cove! Ideal Summer or Yr Round! Western Expo - Beautiful Sunsets! 6 Rm Ranch! New Quartz & Stainless Steel! 3 Remodeled Bdrms! 2 New Baths - Master Bath! Tile & Hrdwds! Frplc Oil Heat! Unique Waterfront! **\$575,000.00**



WEBSTER LAKE - 15 Lakeside Rd! Reid Smith Cove! Enjoy the Music of Indian Rhythms & the Indian Princess! 7 Rm Summer Cottage w/Possible Bdrms! Master Overlooking Lake! Great Potential! Or Tear It Down, Build Something New! 50' X 118' Lot w/Gentle Slope, Almost Level! Town Sewer! **\$297,900.00**



WEBSTER LAKE - 33 Beacon Rd! 6 Rms, 3 Bdrms, 2 Baths! 141' Waterfront! 12,458' Lot w/Plenty of Privacy! Kit, Master Bdrm, Master Bath, Roof & Windows New in 2013! Enjoy Sunsets from Wrap-around Porch! Beautiful Lake Views! Frplc Liv Rm! SS Appliances C/Air! 2 Car Garage! **\$519,900.00**



WEBSTER LAKE - 602 Treasure Isl! Townhouse! 6 Rm! 1.5 Bath! Hrdwd Floors! Applianced Granite Kit! Open Flr Plan! 2 Bdrms! Master Bath w/Whirlpool Tub, Separate Shower & Bidet! 3 Baths! Frpld Fam Rm! C/Air! Gas Heat! Trex Deck! Recent Windows/Doors! Garage! 2 Boat Slips! Heated Pool, Sandy Beach! **\$339,900.00**



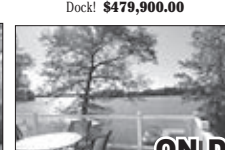
WEBSTER LAKE - 48 Laurelwood Dr! Reid Smith Cove! One of the Lake's Best Lots! Beautiful 10 Rm, 3,686' Contemp! 104' Waterfront, 228' Rd Frontage, 33,628 Sq. Ft. or .77 Acres! The Best on Market! Gradual Sloped Lawn to Beach/Shore! Private Rd w/Woods Across Street! Location, Slope to Water, View & Exposure,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



WEBSTER LAKE - 109 Beacon Park! Waterfront! Beach Front, Pool Side! Townhouse w/BOAT DOCK! 5 Rms! Move-in Condition! Panoramic Lake Views! Applianced! Din & Frpld Liv Rm w/Hrdwds! Lake Facing Master! Custom Master Bath! 2 Bdrms! 2.5 Baths! C/Air! Garage! **\$288,000.00**



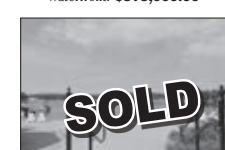
WEBSTER LAKE - 8 Reid Smith Cove Road! Panoramic Lake Views! West Expo! Super Sunsets! 9,686' Lot! Gently Sloping! 2,254' Custom Contemp Cape, Built 09 as 2nd home, Lake New! Open Flr Plan! Spectacular Lake Facing Great Rm w/17' Ceiling, Recessed Lights, Sliders to Trex Deck, Stone Gas Frplc, Surround Sound & Gleaming Hrdwds! Granite Kit w/Isle, SS Appliances, Soft Close Cabinets, Hrdwds & Recessed Lights! 1st Flr Master w/Tile Bath, Whirlpool Tub/Shower, Dble Sink & Linen Closet! Upstairs Sitting Area Overlooking Great Rm w/Lake Views! Hrdwd Hall to 2 Bdrms w/Recessed Lights, Ceiling Fans & Dble Closets! Full Bath & Linen Closet! Lower Level Walkout Fam Rm w/Tile Flr, 10' Ceilings, Recessed Lights, Ceiling Fans, Stone Gas Frplc, Surround Sound, Wet Bar & Slider! Full Bath w/Tile Flr! Utility Rm w/Laundry & Storage! Nice Deck! Get Picking! **\$724,900.00**



WEBSTER LAKE - 109 Beacon Park! Waterfront! Beach Front, Pool Side! Townhouse w/BOAT DOCK! 5 Rms! Move-in Condition! Panoramic Lake Views! Applianced! Din & Frpld Liv Rm w/Hrdwds! Lake Facing Master! Custom Master Bath! 2 Bdrms! 2.5 Baths! C/Air! Garage! **\$288,000.00**



WEBSTER LAKE - Access! 124 Gore Rd! 440' Waterfront! Great Location! Direct Highway Access! 3/4 Acres! UNDEVELOPED LAND w/EXQUISITE VIEWS! Explore the Opps! Build a Restaurant, Hotel, Condominiums! Cozy 4 Rm, 2 Bdrm Home! Oversize 2 Car Garage w/2nd Floor! **\$359,900.00**



WEBSTER LAKE - 602 Treasure Isl! Townhouse! 6 Rm! 1.5 Bath! Hrdwd Floors! Applianced Granite Kit! Open Flr Plan! 2 Bdrms! Master Bath w/Whirlpool Tub, Separate Shower & Bidet! 3 Baths! Frpld Fam Rm! C/Air! Gas Heat! Trex Deck! Recent Windows/Doors! Garage! 2 Boat Slips! Heated Pool, Sandy Beach! **\$339,900.00**



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WEBSTER - 36 WEST AVE

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WEBSTER - 19 PEPKA DR



Desirable one level living with a long list of upgrades! Electrical service, new pro windows, roof, central air & heat pump, gas heat. New ss appliances, new kitchen and more! Hardwood flooring. Private, tree bordered - level lot! Shed which has garage door. Covered back porch for summer enjoyment! **\$245,900**

THOMPSON - 5 BEATTIE AVE



SORRY, SOLD!

NEW LISTING! Under Construction! 1.31 acre +/- lot Close to I-395! Open flr plan, cathedral ceilings, hrdwd & ceramic tile flrs! first! Granite counters, center island! Dining rm w/ sliders to deck! 2 BRs, & Mstr BR suite w/private bath! 1/2 bath/laundry, 2-1/2 bath total! Central Air, 2 car garag. **\$259,900.**

WEBSTER - 109 UPPER GORE RD



Gorgeous brick faced, 3 bedroom, 2.5 Bath split entry on a manicured yard! Location, location, location! Spacious home with many updates! Large dining area, inviting fireplace! Living room! New wall to wall carpeting and hardwoods! Both bathrooms are remodeled! Master has a luxurious jet shower! Walk in closet! Sun porch overlooks inground heated pool! Family room has new enchanted wood stove with large bar area, great for entertaining! 2 car garage. **\$311,900**

WOODSTOCK - 606 PROSPECT ST.



FIRST TIME OFFERED! Pristine Colonial on 2.54 Acres! Picturesque Setting! Magazine Quality Décor! Arched Openings, Balcony, Bonus Room above Garage! 9 rooms, 3 Bedrooms, 2-1/2 baths, Teen Suite - Media Room - Game Room - Craft Room! Brick Patio with Attached Fire Pit! *2011 Updates: Roof, Furnace & Re-pointed Chimney! All This and More is Waiting for YOU **\$415,000.**

WEBSTER - 115 SUTTON RD



ON DEPOSIT

New listing! Charming well appointed cape! Mahogany floor farmers porch! Andersen windows! Beautiful 2 story foyer! Cabinet packed kitchen custom cherry cabinets - ss appliances - island, formal dining room w/hardwood floors, family room with fireplace! French doors that open to 15x18 of extra entertaining space! Second floor has large 10x23 master & full bath with jetted tub - bedrooms 2x3 share a full bath! Finished basement! **\$329,900**

WEBSTER - 90 UPLAND AVE



ON DEPOSIT

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

WEBSTER LAKE - 203 BEACON PARK



ON DEPOSIT

Webster Lake Condo in BEACON PARK! 10 acres of Park like Grounds!, Natural Sandy Beach! Excellent for Swimming! Do your early morning laps in the inground pool! 1200+ sf Living space! 2 large bedrooms, dining and living room! 2 sliders - Deck! BOAT DOCK INCLUDED! Buy now - enjoy the 4th of JULY FIREWORKS! **\$254,900**



SORRY, SOLD!

WEBSTER LAKE - 110 LAKESIDE AVE

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

WEBSTER LAKE - 93 BIRCH ISLAND RD



New listing! 2 Family on webster lake middle pond waterfront! Rare Opportunity! Great for the investor or home owner looking for additional income. Views with a sandy shoreline! First floor has one bedroom - second floor is 2 bedrooms. Each unit has its own washer/dryer hook ups. Quick access to I-395! Walkout basement & storage area. Paver patio! Taxes

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NEW BRAINTREE: Cape w/ apt on 7.8 acres! Great property for small farm. Approx 6 acres of pasture for horses or sheep w/ room for a barn. Main house 4 BRs, 2 full BAs. Unfinished farm room could convert to a heated garage. Huge W/O basement w/ room for storage, workshop or finish for townhouse or office area. Apt is registered w/ the play as a 2 family w/private entrance & own laundry hook-up & can bring in about \$800 a month in income. Recent updates incl kitchen, wood floors 2nd floor, electrical panel, new UV water filtration system & new 5 BR septic system! 6 acres of pasture & about 2 acres of wooded area, w/ enough frontage to possibly divide into an extra building lot. Just 20 min to Wroc for commuters. **\$389,900**



WARE: First time on the market! In established neighborhood of well-kept homes near Palmer line. Generous sized, ad-in kitchen has a ton of cabinet and counter space. Nice natural light from slider leads to deck. Formal dining & living rooms, & den on 1st level. Den has custom cabinet built-in cabinets w/ fireplace & French doors leading to back deck. Beautiful front to back master suite w/ full BA. Two more BRs and a full BA make up the 2nd fl. Walk up attic. Basement w/ plenty of room for storage or game room. 2 car garage under has interior entrance to the home. Close to Restaurants, shopping, Quabbin Reservoir, fishing and 10 minutes to the MA Pike for commuters, half hour to Amherst area. Don't wait! **\$329,900**



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OXFORD: Recapture the grace of times gone by - The Taft House" 4300 sq. ft. of living space with a spectacular stairway highlighted by a stained glass Paladium window. 5 bedroom, 14 rooms, 3.5 baths, 2 fireplaces, modern kitchen. 3 Levels with exquisite detailings. Both residential & business use allowed & second building includes apartment, office space and garage.

<p>EAST BROOKFIELD- WATERFRONT LAKE LASHAWAY</p>  <p>*136' Frontage * Fully Recreational * Finished Lower Level * 2.5 baths * 3 Bedroom * 2-C Garage</p> <p>42 Gleason Ave \$335,000</p>	<p>WEBSTER- NEAR BOAT RAMP</p>  <p>*2-3 Br * Garage * Newly Vinyl Sided * Nearly 1/2 acre lot * Refined HW Floors</p> <p>81 Lakeside Ave \$234,900</p>	<p>WORCESTER- NEAR UMASS NEW PRICE!</p>  <p>*Sided * 3 Bedrooms * 1.5 Baths * 1st Floor Laundry * Fireplace</p> <p>84 Coburn Ave ~ \$259,900</p>
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NEW TO MARKET

DUDLEY- Charming Cape Totally Renovated!!!!









- * 3 Bedrooms
- * 1.5 Baths
- * Crown Molding,

Hardwood Floor

- * Granite Countertops
- * Town services and easy commute

95 Dudley Oxford Road \$299,900

<p>WEBSTER LAKE - SUBDIVISION POSSIBLE</p>  <p><i>Divide off a Lot- Build Your Way!</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *3900 sq. ft * 3 BR *Cathedral Ceilings *Family /Dining Room <p>3 Bates Grove Rd \$1,250,000</p>	<p>WEBSTER LAKE - MOTIVATED!!!</p>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * 3 Levels * 3.5 Baths * 130' Frontage * Cathedral Ceilings * 2-C Garage <p>16 Pattinson Rd Asking \$799,900</p>
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<p>INGROUND POOL - DUDLEY</p>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Cathedral Ceilings * 7 Rooms * 1.5 Baths *1400 sq. ft. Ranch * Studio or Family room <p>11 Luther Lane \$304,900</p>	<p>OXFORD- CENTRAL AIR CONDITIONING</p>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Sunken Livingroom * 24x24 Great Room * Finished Lower Level Office Game Room * 2 Baths * 2 C-garage <p>23 Merriam District \$329,900</p>
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Sturbridge: One of a kind beautiful Condo located with costly upgrades! Exquisite Condo with 8 rooms 4 bedrooms 3 baths. Each closet has been upgraded with closet organizers. Lower level all finished including decorated tub. Living room, bedrooms and lower level have built in cabinetry custom made for the seller. Attached 2 car garage. So much storage! Location a premium for commuters! **\$279,900.**

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Custom contemporary Cape 3/4 BR, 3 BA. Gleaming hardwoods, cathedral ceilings, gas FP
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Putnam \$339,900




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Brooklyn \$395,000



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Woodstock \$415,000



Stunning 4 BR with 4 garage spaces, bonus living spaces & private pond!
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Woodstock \$655,000



Custom Colonial w/5 fireplaces, hand crafted built-ins, granite kitchen & hardwoods throughout the home & in-law/au-pair home.
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Pomfret \$575,000



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Woodstock \$249,000



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

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100 GENERAL

130 YARD SALES

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HUGE YARD SALE - 76 Baylies Road, Charlton, Home decor, furniture, lots of baby/toddler items/clothing, misc. items. ALL MUST GO! Saturday, June 9, 9am-3pm

HUGE YARD SALE - Start Christmas shopping early! Fabulous selection brand new sale rep samples- including giftware, home decor, linens, women's accessories, picture frames, etc. 131 MacArthur Road, Northbridge, MA. June 9&10, 9-3. No Early birds.

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200 GEN. BUSINESS

205 BOATS

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300 HELP WANTED

310 GENERAL HELP WANTED

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DRIVER/LABORER - North Brookfield Highway Department is looking to fill a full-time driver/laborer operator position. Class B CDL license. Applications available at the Highway Garage, 58 School Street, North Brookfield 508-867-0213 nbhighwaydept2@verizon.net Equal Opportunity Employer, Tell me about yourself

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310 GENERAL HELP WANTED

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400 SERVICES

402 GENERAL SERVICES

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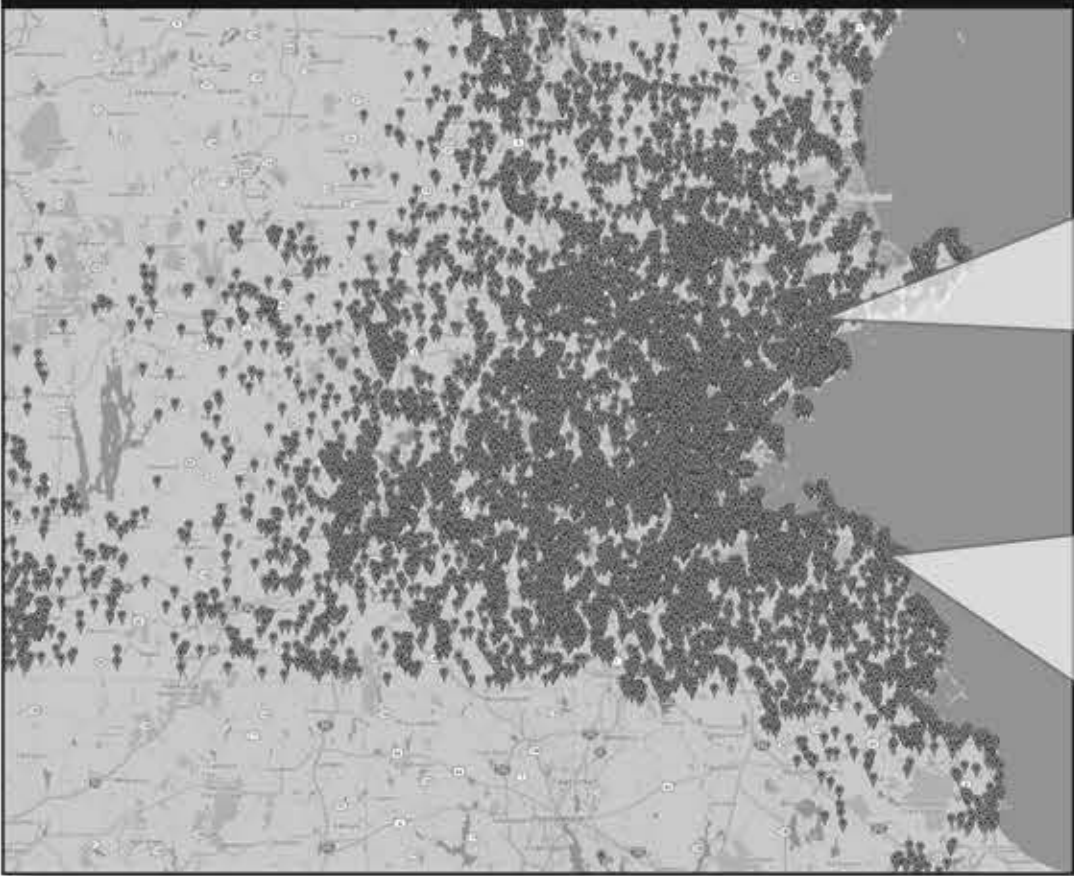
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MORTGAGEE'S SALE
OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue of and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Carl G. Vermette and Briana L. Vermette to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. acting solely as a nominee for Radius Financial Group Inc., dated August 31, 2016 and recorded in Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 55901, Page 288 (the "Mortgage") of which mortgage Ocwen Loan Servicing, LLC is the present holder by assignment from Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., (MERS) solely as nominee for Radius Financial Group Inc., its successors and/or assigns to Ocwen Loan Servicing, LLC dated October 26, 2017 recorded in Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 58009, Page 127, for breach of conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, the mortgaged premises located at 863 School Street, Webster, MA 01570 will be sold at a Public Auction at 1:00 PM on July 10, 2018, at the mortgaged premises, more particularly described below, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit: Beginning at a stake in the easterly side line of School Street one hundred (100) feet southerly of a Webster Highway bound marking the intersection of the southerly side line of Harvard Street with the easterly side line of School Street; THENCE southerly by the easterly side line of said School Street forty-five (45) feet to a point at the northwesterly corner of Lot #56 and at land of grantee; THENCE easterly with an included angle of 98 degrees 43' and passing over an iron pin twenty one-hundredths (0.21) feet easterly of said street line one hundred eighteen and four tenths (118.4) feet to an iron pin in the westerly side line of Otis Street as shown on said plan; THENCE northerly with an included angle of 87 degrees 18' 40" by said westerly side line of Otis Street forty-five and sixty-six one hundredths (45.66) feet to a drill hole; THENCE westerly through Lot #52 and by the southerly side line of Lot #54, a distance of one hundred twenty-three and one tenths (123.1) feet to the point of beginning. BEING the same premises shown as Lot #55 on plan drawn by A.R. Klebart, Engineer, dated November 13, 1970 entitled "Property to be conveyed to John P. and Helen Lipski" recorded with Plan Book 345, Page 86. SUBJECT to restrictions recited in deed dated June 10, 1948 and recorded with the Worcester District Registry of Deeds in Book 3131, Page 105, if still in force and effect. ALSO a certain parcel of land with buildings thereon, situated on the easterly side of School Street in Webster, County of Worcester and Commonwealth of Massachusetts bounded and described as follows: WESTERLY by School Street forty-five (45) feet; NORTHERLY by Lot #5 on Plan of Lots of Dewey Park, one hundred and eighteen and two tenths (118.2) feet; EASTERLY by Otis Street forty-four and thirty-seven hundredths (44.37) feet; SOUTHERLY by Lot #57 on said Plan one hundred twelve and six tenths (112.6) feet. SUBJECT to building restrictions of record. BEING Lot #56 on Plan of Dewey Park, recorded with the Worcester District Registry of Deeds in Book 1603, Page 653. ALSO another tract of land located on the east side of School Street and the west side of Otis Street, being the northerly half of Lot #57 on a Plan in Book 1603, Page 653, bounded and described as follows: BEGINNING at School Street at the southwest corner of Lot #56; THENCE easterly by Lot #56 one hundred twelve and six-tenths (112.6) feet to Otis Street; THENCE southerly by Otis Street twenty-two and nineteen hundredths (22.19) feet; THENCE westerly by Ceminski one hundred nine and eight-tenths (109.8) feet; THENCE northerly by School Street twenty-two and five-tenths (22.5) feet to the place of beginning. Also subject to the building restrictions of record. For mortgagor's title see deed recorded with the Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 55901, Page 285. The premises will be sold subject to any and all unpaid taxes and other municipal assessments and liens, and subject to prior liens or other enforceable encumbrances of record entitled to precedence over this mortgage, and subject to and with the benefit of all easements, restrictions, reservations and conditions of record and subject to all tenancies and/or rights of parties in

possession. Terms of the Sale: Cash, cashier's or certified check in the sum of \$5,000.00 as a deposit must be shown at the time and place of the sale in order to qualify as a bidder (the mortgage holder and its designee(s) are exempt from this requirement); high bidder to sign written Memorandum of Sale upon acceptance of bid; balance of purchase price payable in cash or by certified check in thirty (30) days from the date of the sale at the offices of mortgagee's attorney, Korde & Associates, P.C., 900 Chelmsford Street, Suite 3102, Lowell, MA 01851 or such other time as may be designated by mortgagee. The description for the premises contained in said mortgage shall control in the event of a typographical error in this publication. Other terms to be announced at the sale. Ocwen Loan Servicing, LLC Korde & Associates, P.C. 900 Chelmsford Street Suite 3102 Lowell, MA 01851 (978) 256-1500 Vermette, Carl G., 17-030483 May 25, 2018 June 1, 2018 June 8, 2018

NOTICE OF MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Christopher A. Penney to Wells Fargo Financial Massachusetts, Inc. dated June 1, 2005, recorded at the Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 36572, Page 297; said mortgage was then assigned to U.S. Bank Trust, N.A., as Trustee for LSF10 Master Participation Trust by virtue of an assignment dated May 31, 2017, and recorded in Book 57227, Page 342; of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder for breach of conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at PUBLIC AUCTION at 11:00 AM on June 26, 2018, on the mortgaged premises. This property has the address of 72 Old Douglas Road, Webster, MA 01570. The entire mortgaged premises, all and singular, the premises as described in said mortgage: The land referred to in this policy is situated in the State of Massachusetts, County of Worcester and is described as follows: A PARCEL OF LAND LOCATED IN WEBSTER, COUNTY OF WORCESTER, STATE OF MASSACHUSETTS WITH A STREET LOCATION ADDRESS OF 72 OLD DOUGLAS ROAD, WEBSTER, MA, 01570 CURRENTLY OWNED BY CHRISTOPHER A. PENNEY AND MORE FULLY DESCRIBED IN THE VESTING DOCUMENT DATED 01/06/03, RECORDED ON 01/29/03, IN LIBER 28869 PAGE 22 AND DESIGNATED AS METES AND BOUNDS PROPERTY. Subject to and with the benefit of easements, reservation, restrictions, and taking of record, if any, insofar as the same are now in force and applicable. In the event of any typographical error set forth herein in the legal description of the premises, the description as set forth and contained in the mortgage shall control by reference. Together with all the improvements now or hereafter erected on the property and all easements, rights, appurtenances, rents, royalties, mineral, oil and gas rights and profits, water rights and stock and all fixtures now or hereafter a part of the property. All replacements and additions shall also be covered by this sale. Terms of Sale: Said premises will be sold subject to any and all unpaid taxes and assessments, tax sales, tax titles and other municipal liens and water or sewer liens and State or County transfer fees, if any there are, and TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$10,000.00) in cashier's or certified check will be required to be paid by the purchaser at the time and place of the sale as a deposit and the balance in cashier's or certified check will be due in thirty (30) days, at the offices of Doonan, Graves & Longoria, LLC ("DG&L"), time being of the essence. The Mortgagee reserves the right to postpone the sale to a later date by public proclamation at the time and date appointed for the sale and to further postpone at any adjourned sale-date by public proclamation at the time and date appointed for the adjourned sale date. The premises is to be sold subject to and with the benefit of all easements, restrictions, leases, tenancies, and rights of possession, building and zoning laws, encumbrances, condominium liens, if any and all other claim in the nature of liens, if any there be. In the event that the successful bidder at the foreclosure sale shall default in purchasing the within described property according to the terms of this Notice of Sale and/or the terms of the Memorandum of Sale executed at the time of foreclosure, the Mortgagee reserves the right to sell the property by foreclosure deed to the second highest bidder,

providing that said second highest bidder shall deposit with the Mortgagee's attorneys, the amount of the required deposit as set forth herein. If the second highest bidder declines to purchase the within described property, the Mortgagee reserves the right to purchase the within described property at the amount bid by the second highest bidder. The foreclosure deed and the consideration paid by the successful bidder shall be held in escrow by DG&L, (hereinafter called the "Escrow Agent") until the deed shall be released from escrow to the successful bidder at the same time as the consideration is released to the Mortgagee, whereupon all obligations of the Escrow Agent shall be deemed to have been properly fulfilled and the Escrow Agent shall be discharged. Other terms, if any, to be announced at the sale. Dated: April 26, 2018 U.S. Bank Trust, N.A., as Trustee for LSF10 Master Participation Trust By its Attorney DOONAN, GRAVES & LONGORIA, LLC, 100 Cummings Center, Suite 225D, Beverly, MA 01915 (978) 921-2670 www.dgandl.com 54552 (PENNEY A/K/A CHRISTOPH A. PENNEY) June 1, 2018 June 8, 2018 June 15, 2018

MORTGAGEE'S NOTICE OF SALE
OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain Mortgage given by Michael A. Pimental to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for Ocwen Loan Servicing LLC, its successors and assigns, dated July 23, 2016 and recorded with the Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds at Book 55706, Page 26, subsequently assigned to Ocwen Loan Servicing, LLC by Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc ("MERS"), solely as nominee for Ocwen Loan Servicing LLC, its successors and/or assigns by assignment recorded in said Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds at Book 56908, Page 293 for breach of the conditions of said Mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing same will be sold at Public Auction at 1:00 PM on June 22, 2018 at 198 Lower Gore Road, Webster, MA, all and singular the premises described in said Mortgage, to wit: A certain parcel of land with the buildings situated on the westerly side of Lower Gore Road, Webster, Worcester County, Massachusetts, and shown as lot #12 on a plan of land entitled: "(revised) Plan of Lots in Webster, Massachusetts, prepared for: Key Development, Scale: 1" = 40', dated December 19, 1989, said Plan filed with the Worcester District Registry of Deeds in Plan Book 631, Plan 4, to which further reference may be made for a more complete description. Being the same premises conveyed to the herein named grantor(s) by deed recorded with the Worcester County Registry of Deeds in Book 51413, Page 157. And Deed Recorded Herewith. "For informational purposes only property is subject to Boundary Line Agreement recorded at book 14853 page 29" The premises are to be sold subject to and with the benefit of all easements, restrictions, encroachments, building and zoning laws, liens, unpaid taxes, tax titles, water bills, municipal liens and assessments, rights of tenants and parties in possession, and attorney's fees and costs. TERMS OF SALE: A deposit of FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS AND 00 CENTS (\$5,000.00) in the form of a certified check, bank treasurer's check or money order will be required to be delivered at or before the time the bid is offered. The successful bidder will be required to execute a Foreclosure Sale Agreement immediately after the close of the bidding. The balance of the purchase price shall be paid within thirty (30) days from the sale date in the form of a certified check, bank treasurer's check or other check satisfactory to Mortgagee's attorney. The Mortgagee reserves the right to bid at the sale, to reject any and all bids, to continue the sale and to amend the terms of the sale by written or oral announcement made before or during the foreclosure sale. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. The description of the premises contained in said mortgage shall control in the event of an error in this publication. **TIME WILL BE OF THE ESSENCE.** Other terms, if any, to be announced at the sale. Ocwen Loan Servicing, LLC Present Holder of said Mortgage, By Its Attorneys, ORLANS PC PO Box 540540

Waltham, MA 02454
Phone: (781) 790-7800
17-011192
June 1, 2018
June 8, 2018
June 15, 2018

MORTGAGEE'S NOTICE OF SALE
OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain Mortgage given by Sandra D. Orne to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for Reliant Mortgage Company, LLC., its successors and assigns, dated March 24, 2003 and recorded with the Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds at Book 29480, Page 158, subsequently assigned to Green Tree Servicing LLC by Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for Reliant Mortgage Company, LLC., its successors and assigns by assignment recorded in said Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds at Book 50625, Page 286 for breach of the conditions of said Mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing same will be sold at Public Auction at 12:00 PM on June 29, 2018 at 14 Brookline Street, Webster, MA, all and singular the premises described in said Mortgage, to wit: A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon of every nature and description, situated on the Southerly side of Brookline Street in the Town of Webster, Worcester County, Massachusetts, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at an iron pipe drive into the ground on the Southerly side of said Brookline Street at land of Charles Dudley and being the most Northwesterly angle of the tract hereby conveyed; Thence southerly eighty one and four tenths (81.4) feet by land of said Dudley, to an iron pipe in the ground at land of Napoleon Richard; Thence Easterly fifty (50) feet by land of said Richard to a point in a fence at land of Charles L. Ross; Thence Northerly thirteen (13) feet by land of said Ross to an iron pipe in the ground at the corner of said fence; Thence deflecting to the right and extending Northerly a distance of thirty seven and one half (37 1/2) feet by land of Oliver Forcier et ux to an iron pipe in the ground; Thence deflecting to the left and still extending Northerly a distance of thirty two (32) feet by land of said Forciers to an iron pipe in the ground on the Southerly side of said Brookline Street; Thence Westerly fifty six and two tenths (56.2) feet by said Brookline Street to the point of beginning. Granting also to the grantees, their heirs and assigns, a right at all times and for all purposes with or without vehicles of ten feet in width over land of said Olivier Forcier et ux adjoining the Easterly line of the herein granted premises and extending from said Brookline Street Southerly to land of said Ross. For my title reference see that Deed in Book 22770 at Page 254. The premises are to be sold subject to and with the benefit of all easements, restrictions, encroachments, building and zoning laws, liens, unpaid taxes, tax titles, water bills, municipal liens and assessments, rights of tenants and parties in possession, and attorney's fees and costs. TERMS OF SALE: A deposit of FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS AND 00 CENTS (\$5,000.00) in the form of a certified check, bank treasurer's check or money order will be required to be delivered at or before the time the bid is offered. The successful bidder will be required to execute a Foreclosure Sale Agreement immediately after the close of the bidding. The balance of the purchase price shall be paid within thirty (30) days from the sale date in the form of a certified check, bank treasurer's check or other check satisfactory to Mortgagee's attorney. The Mortgagee reserves the right to bid at the sale, to reject any and all bids, to continue the sale and to amend the terms of the sale by written or oral announcement made before or during the foreclosure sale. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. The description of the premises contained in said mortgage shall control in the event of an error in this publication. **TIME WILL BE OF THE ESSENCE.** Other terms, if any, to be announced at the sale. Ditech Financial LLC fka Green Tree Servicing LLC Present Holder of said Mortgage, By Its Attorneys, ORLANS PC PO Box 540540 Waltham, MA 02454 Phone: (781) 790-7800 16-014734 June 8, 2018 June 15, 2018 June 22, 2018

LEGALS

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Worcester Probate
and Family Court
225 Main Street
Worcester, MA 01608
(508) 831-2200
Docket No. WO18C0202CA
In the matter of:
Karen Renee Landry
Of : Dudley, MA
NOTICE OF PETITION FOR
CHANGE OF NAME**

To all persons interested in petition described:
A petition has been presented by Karen R Landry requesting that: Karen Renee Landry be allowed to change his/her/their name as follows: Karen Renee Eisen
IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT **Worcester** ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING (10:00 AM) ON **06/19/2018**
WITNESS, Hon. Leilah A. Keamy, First Justice of this Court.
Date: May 18, 2018
Stephanie K. Fattman
Register of Probate

June 8, 2018

(SEAL)
**COMMONWEALTH
OF MASSACHUSETTS
LAND COURT
DEPARTMENT OF THE TRIAL
COURT
18SM003135
ORDER OF NOTICE**

To:
Eric Asante; Genevieve Nyarko, and to all persons entitled to the benefit of the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act, 50 U.S.C.c. 50 §3901 et seq.: JPMorgan Chase Bank, National Association claiming to have an interest in a Mortgage covering real property in Dudley, numbered 12 Eagle Drive, given by Eric Asante and Genevieve Nyarko to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for MetLife Home Loans, a Division of MetLife Bank, N.A., dated December 23, 2010, and recorded in the Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 46864, Page 195, as affected by Judgment recorded with said Registry of Deeds in Book 58626, Page 190, and now held by the Plaintiff by assignment, has/have filed with this court a complaint for determination of Defendant's/ Defendants' Servicemembers status. If you now are, or recently have been, in the active military service of the United States of America, then you may be entitled to the benefits of the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act. If you object to a foreclosure of the above mentioned property on that basis, then you or your attorney must file a written appearance and answer in this court at Three Pemberton Square, Boston, MA 02108 on or before July 2, 2018 or you will be forever barred from claiming that you are entitled to the benefits of said Act.
Witness, JUDITH C. CUTLER Chief Justice of said Court on May 21, 2018.
Attest: Deborah J. Patterson
Recorder
201205-0953-PRP
June 8, 2018

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Worcester Probate and Family
Court
225 Main Street
Worcester, MA 01608
(508) 831-2200
Docket No. WO18P1758EA
CITATION ON PETITION FOR
FORMAL ADJUDICATION
Estate of:
Imad Hussein Farhat
Date of Death: 10/15/2017**

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

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before: **10:00 a.m. on the return day of 06/26/2018**. This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION UNDER THE MASSACHUSETTS UNIFORM PROBATE CODE (MUPC) A Personal Representative appointed under the MUPC in an unsupervised administration is not required to file an inventory or annual accounts with the Court. Persons interested in the estate are entitled to notice regarding the administration directly from the Personal Representative and may petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including the distribution of assets and expenses of administration.
WITNESS, Hon. Leilah A. Keamy, First Justice of this Court.
Date: May 25, 2018

Stephanie K. Fattman,
Register of Probate

June 8, 2018

**NOTICE OF MORTGAGEE'S SALE
OF REAL ESTATE**
By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Theresa P. Choiniere and Jean P. Choiniere to JPMorgan Chase Bank, NA, dated December 28, 2006 and recorded with the Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds at Book 40517, Page 179, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing, the same will be sold at Public Auction at 10:00 a.m. on July 2, 2018, on the mortgaged premises located at 7 Lincoln Street, Webster, Worcester County, Massachusetts, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage,
TO WIT:
THE LAND IN SAID WEBSTER, COUNTY OF WORCESTER AND

STATE OF MASSACHUSETTS, TOGETHER WITH THE BUILDINGS THEREON, MORE PARTICULARLY BOUNDED AND DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING AT A POINT ON THE EASTERLY LINE OF LINCOLN STREET, SAID POINT BEING ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY-EIGHT AND TWO-TENTHS (188.2) FEET SOUTHERLY FROM THE SOUTHERLY LINE OF EAST MAIN STREET; THENCE EASTERLY BY LAND NOW OR FORMERLY OF WEBSTER MILLS, ONE HUNDRED SEVEN AND ONE-TENTH (107.1) FEET; THENCE SOUTHEASTERLY FIFTY-TWO AND THIRTY-THREE HUNDREDTHS (52.33) FEET; THENCE SOUTHERLY ELEVEN (11) FEET; THENCE WESTERLY ONE HUNDRED TWENTY (120) FEET TO LINCOLN STREET; THENCE NORTHERLY BY SAID LINCOLN STREET (60) FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING. SBL 27B-38. For mortgagor's(s') title see deed recorded with Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 6020, Page 275.

These premises will be sold and conveyed subject to and with the benefit of all rights, rights of way, restrictions, easements, covenants, liens or claims in the nature of liens, improvements, public assessments, any and all unpaid taxes, tax titles, tax liens, water and sewer liens and any other municipal assessments or liens or existing encumbrances of record which are in force and are applicable, having priority over said mortgage, whether or not reference to such restrictions, easements, improvements, liens or encumbrances is made in the deed.
TERMS OF SALE:

A deposit of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars by certified or bank check will be required to be paid by the purchaser at the time and place of sale. The balance is to be paid by certified or bank check at Harmon Law Offices, P.C., 150 California Street, Newton, Massachusetts 02458, or by mail to P.O. Box 610389, Newton Highlands, Massachusetts 02461-0389, within thirty (30) days from the date of sale. Deed will be provided to purchaser for recording upon receipt in full of the purchase price. The description of the premises contained in said mortgage shall control in the event of an error in this publication.

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

JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, NA
Present holder of said mortgage
By its Attorneys,
HARMON LAW OFFICES, P.C.
150 California Street
Newton, MA 02458
(617) 558-0500
201202-1429 - PRP

June 8, 2018
June 15, 2018
June 22, 2018

**Dudley Conservation Commission
Notice of Public Meeting**
A Public Meeting will be held at the Dudley Municipal Complex, 71 West Main Street in Dudley, MA at 6:30 PM on Wednesday, June 27, 2018 to consider a **Request for Determination of Applicability** of Kathleen Crocker for the property located at 28 Old Southbridge Road.
This is a Public Meeting under the requirements of G.L. Ch. 131 §40, as amended. Plans are available at the Conservation Commission's office at the Dudley Municipal Complex on Mondays and Tuesdays from 11:30-4:30 PM. For information, call 508-949-8011.
June 8, 2018

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Worcester Probate and Family
Court
225 Main Street
Worcester, MA 01608
(508) 831-2200
Docket No. WO18P1773EA
CITATION ON PETITION FOR
FORMAL ADJUDICATION
Estate of:
Valdrick Joseph Caron
Date of Death: 05/02/2018**

To all interested persons:
A Petition for **Formal Adjudication of Intestacy and Appointment of Personal Representative** has been filed by **Tammy M Patnaude of East Douglas MA** requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition. The Petitioner requests that **Tammy M Patnaude of East Douglas MA** and **Mark S Caron of Pascoag RI** be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve **Without Surety** on the bond in **an unsupervised** administration.
IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before: **10:00 a.m. on the return day of 06/26/2018**. This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

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WITNESS, Hon. Leilah A. Keamy, First Justice of this Court.
Date: May 29, 2018

Stephanie K. Fattman,
Register of Probate

June 8, 2018

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\$9,525

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\$149
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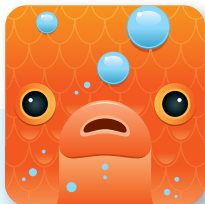
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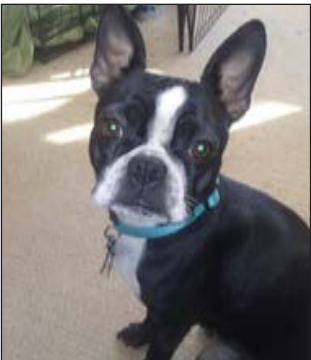
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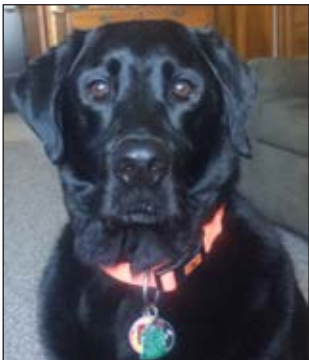
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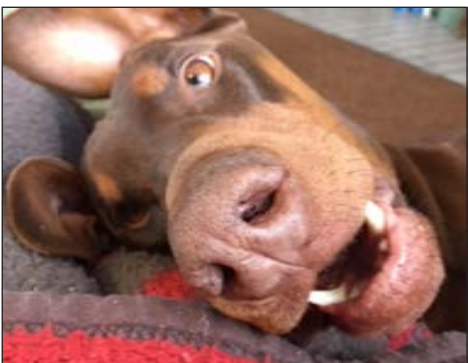
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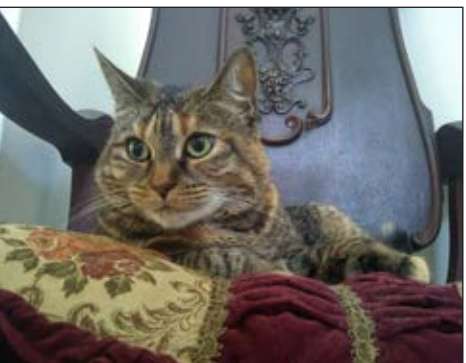
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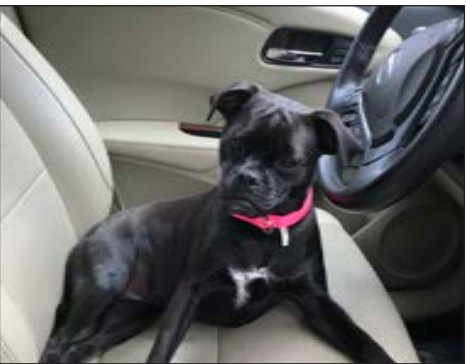
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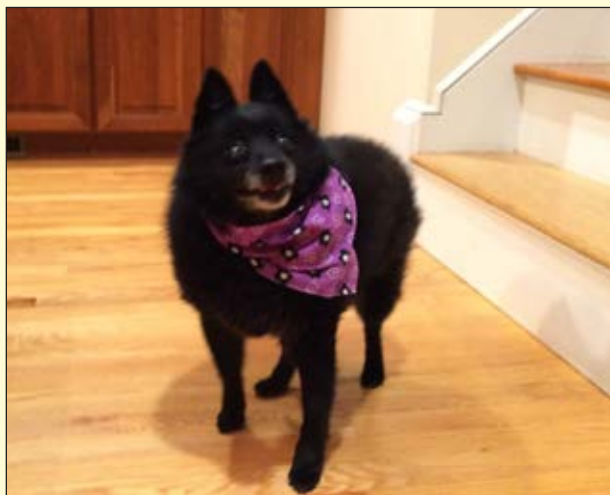
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Recognize and relieve sources of pets’ stress



Stress can affect anyone, even household pets. Although life may seem foot-loose and fancy free for companion animals, they have their share of stressors as well.

It may be hard to believe that dogs, cats, birds, and other animals can suffer from stress. But certain situations or scenarios may trigger a stressful response in pets, and pet owners should learn to recognize such stressors and do what they can to help pets avoid them.

Research indicates that stress, especially constant sources of stress, can impact pet health and well-being. A 2011 study published in the Journal of Physiology and Pharmacology found that when dogs are under stress, their bodies release an excessive amount of the fight or flight hormone norepinephrine. This can alter gut bacteria and interfere with gastrointestinal tract motility. Resulting diarrhea can compound stressful situations and exacerbate the situation.

The pet advice site Pet-Happy says that, during stressful situations, pets’ blood pressure may climb, breathing may become more rapid, heart rate may increase, and the immune system can become less effective — instances that would also occur in humans. Various studies show that stress can be a contributing factor to disease.

Animals experience stress for different reasons and exhibit stress in ways that set them apart from one another and their human companions. The following is a breakdown of what may contribute to stress in birds, cats and dogs.

BIRDS

According to James Morrissey, a veterinarian at the College of Veterinary Medicine at Cornell University, birds are very good at picking up stress in

people, which may contribute to their own stress. It can be challenging to determine what is causing stress in birds. However, the appearance of stress bars on feathers, the sudden onset of aggression, fearful behavior, changes in appetite, and destructive behavior can indicate that stress is present.

CATS

Cats can become stressed over situations their owners may not consider major. Loud music and noises, changes in food or litter brands, having new carpet or furniture installed, or a number of visitors in the home may be stressors, says Pam Johnson-Bennet, author and cat behavior expert. Some of the easiest stress symptoms to spot include excessive self-grooming, urine spraying, aggression, extreme vocalization, and eliminating outside of the litter box.

DOGS

The British Small Animal Veterinary Association’s “Manual of Canine and Feline Behavioural Medicine” says that some of the most common dog stress triggers are novelty, housing changes, loud noises, changes in household members, and changes in schedule. Dogs may exhibit stress through appetite changes, isolation, digestive issues, lethargy, and increased sleeping.

Once stress is identified apart from any other health issues, pet owners can take steps to reduce it. Providing a security spot to which the pet can retreat, regular exercise, mental stimulation, and gradual changes to routine, diet or other things a pet has relied on can help.

Great reasons to adopt your next pet

There is no end to the companionship, love and joy a pet can bring to one’s life. That is perhaps one reason why the number of pets surrendered to shelters each year so greatly upsets animal lovers. But the same places that house animals that were lost or abandoned can be the very locations where families find new pets to love.

The ASPCA estimates that 6.5 million companion animals enter animal shelters in the United States each year. According to its most recent report, the Canadian Federation of Humane Societies says around 82,000 cats and 35,000 dogs were taken into Canadian shelters in 2015.

Animal shelters, rescue groups, pounds, and humane societies are great places to begin searching for new companion animals. The organization DoSomething.org states that, each year, approximately 2.7 million dogs and cats are euthanized because shelters are too full and there aren’t



enough adoptive homes. Homeless animals outnumber homeless people five to one. While private breeders and reputable pet stores may have pure-

bred animals that make great pets, to relieve the problems of relinquished or homeless pets residing in crowded shelters, prospective pet parents are

urged to first consider adopting shelter pets. The following are reasons why adopting shelter dogs or cats is such a great idea.

- Well-behaved animals: The Humane Society of America says most shelter pets end up in facilities not because of behavioral issues or something they did wrong, but due to circumstances affecting their owners, such as moving or divorce. That means there are thousands of housebroken, behavior-trained pets just waiting for a new family.
- Lower costs: When a person adopts a pet, microchipping, first immunization costs, neutering/spaying, and some vet costs may be covered by the adoption fee. Plus, that adoption fee can be hundreds of dollars less than purchasing a pet from elsewhere.
- Longer life expectancy: The Canine Journal

says “mutts,” or animals whose genetic makeup are a combination of at least two breeds, tend to have fewer health problems and live longer than their purebred counterparts. But shelters also house many purebreeds for those who prefer to go that route.

- Room for others: For every adopted cat or dog, room is freed up to take in more pets that need assistance.
- Hurt puppy mills: Puppy mills produce pets in factory-style facilities that seldom take the welfare of animals into consideration. Adoption hurts puppy mills’ bottom lines and helps fight against their inhumane breeding techniques.

Animal shelters can be the first and last stop for animal lovers looking to welcome companion animals into their lives.



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Protect your belongings at the beach



Spending time at the beach is a popular form of recreation and keeping cool when temperatures soar. A day of swimming necessitates bringing along supplies, namely towels, sunscreen and maybe even a bestselling novel. Having a few dollars on hand also can be beneficial, especially for those who plan to visit shops or concession stands along the boardwalk. But keeping your belongings safe at the beach while you're playing in the water may require a little ingenuity.

Many beachgoers want to enjoy the

sand and surf. However, a select number of people visit the beach hoping to take advantage of vulnerable people who leave their valuables unattended. When swimmers wade into the water, potential thieves may be canvassing the personal belongings swimmers leave behind, so it's best that swimmers take steps to protect their valuables.

* Do not bring valuable items. It is best to leave expensive tablets, smartphones and jewelry at home if at all possible. If you are a beach reader, invest in a paperback for summer reading

and leave your e-reader safely at home. Remove jewelry before you leave for the shore. Rings, earrings and necklaces can come off in rough surf and be lost forever. Flaunting a lot of jewelry could make you a target for theft. Establish a beach wardrobe of inexpensive attire that won't be missed if they happen to be stolen.

* Don't advertise what you have. Avoid flashing cash or credit cards at the beach. Try not to showcase certain items, such as mp3 players or costly cameras, that you brought along to the

beach.

* Camouflage money. Wallets left behind on the sand become easy targets. Find ways to keep money and other belongings out of sight. A good idea is to use an empty sunblock container as a money holder. Clean it thoroughly and allow to dry. Cut the container in half or cut the neck of the bottle enough so you can easily insert cash, phones and keys. Stashed with other beach supplies, sunscreen will not look out of place. Women can store money in a sanitary napkin wrapper as another option. Any container that would blend in with other beach supplies will suffice.

* Keep cash and cards to a minimum. The beach is not the place to bring all vital documents and large amounts of cash. Carry only what's needed, which may include only a few dollars and a driver's license. Should personal effects become stolen or get swept away by the waves, it is much easier to only replace a few items instead of the contents of an entire wallet.

* Set up camp far from the incoming tide. Sometimes the incoming surf is a greater danger than potential thieves patrolling the sand. If the tide is coming in or if the waves grow rough, clothing, shoes, towels, and other belongings can be quickly dragged out to sea. It may require a bit of a hike to the water, but placing blankets, tents and umbrellas far enough inland on the beach can save your belongings from being washed away.

Ensure a trip to the beach is a safe and enjoyable venture. Keep money, keys and other personal effects in mind when packing for your trip. TF146231

CAPTION: Keep items you bring to the beach to a minimum. Do not advertise how much money you're carrying, and hide the money you do bring in containers that look inconspicuous.

Guide to end-of-summer sales



End-of-summer sales include discounts on bathing suits and recreational items.

The end of summer is marked by mixed feelings. Come the end of summer, vacations may be coming to an end as children ready themselves for a new school year. But shoppers know the end of summer is an ideal time to find great deals on an array of items.

Although back-to-school sales flood the marketplace this time of year, plenty of other sales take place in the final weeks of summer — and consumers can save substantial amounts of money if they know where to look.

Outdoor furniture
As stores clear out their seasonal items, shoppers can score big deals on patio sets and other outdoor furniture. Retailers need to make room for snowblowers, rakes, shovels, and holiday merchandise, so

shoppers are bound to find discounted tables, chairs, fire pits, umbrellas, and chaise lounges. Individuals can use this opportunity to update worn-out patio furniture and other seasonal items they can store over the winter.

Camping/hiking equipment

Only the most devoted campers camp out when the temperatures begin to dip, so consumers can use this opportunity to grab camping equipment before it's gone for another season. Tents, flashlights, cooking gear, backpacks, outdoor recreational items, such as kayaks or fishing tackle, water bladders, and heaters may be available at steep discounts.

Grills

Backyard barbecues are a staple of summer. If your barbecue or out-

door cooking equipment experienced heavy use throughout the summer, now is a great time to shop sales on grills and outdoor cooking gear.

Travel
Consumer Reports says that prices tend to drop on airfare, hotels and theme parks after Labor Day. Deals on luggage also can be had once summer travel season ends. Tuesdays are a great day to book airline tickets because they tend to be cheaper on Tuesday than other days of the week. Travelers can use this information to their advantage, booking trips to destinations that have super weather throughout the fall, such as Hawaii or the Mediterranean. Caribbean destinations also are good choices, though travelers should consider travel insurance to protect against hurricane-related cancellations.

Vehicles
Many dealerships tend to begin discounting cars when new models begin to debut in August and September. The longer a dealership holds on to a vehicle, the more money it tends to lose. Prospective car buyers may be able to negotiate a good deal this time of year, ultimately walking away with a brand new vehicle with a solid warranty. It's not unheard of to receive a discount of 15 percent or more on previous year models.

Spa treatments
Many spas have begun discounting massages and facials at the end of summer, according to the International Spa Association. Shoppers can use this opportunity to try out new spas and save some money in the process.

In addition to these discounts, bathing suits, summer clothing, lawn and garden equipment, and pool/spa items may be discounted come the fall. TF168327

Top tips for fun days at the beach



Millions of people visit the beach each summer. For some people, there is no better place than the beach, where they can listen to the waves crash on the shore and smell the briny air.

The United States Lifesaving Association routinely compiles statistics on beach attendance, watercraft use and other recreational information, estimating that 367,231,142 people took to beaches across the country in 2015, the most recent reporting year. Cool coastal temps and refreshing oceans and lakes make the beach an ideal place to survive the heat.

While a trip to the beach has the makings of a great day, a few tips can help make these sun- and sand-filled days even better.

Protect electronics

Sand and surf can be calming, but not if your newest mobile phone gets doused with the incoming tide. For those bringing their phones or tablets along, steps to protect the gadgets can make the day even more calming. A zip-seal plastic bag can do the trick, and you can still access the screen through the plastic. If you plan to spend time on a boat, you may want to invest in waterproof, floating pouches.

Keep clean

Sand gets everywhere at the beach, so it can be a challenge to remain clean. Invest in a beach blanket where the sand falls through like a sieve, such as the Quicksand Mat from CGear. Pack baby powder in your

beach bag, which will help loosen sand from kids' bodies before they get back in the car. And while at the beach, use hand-decorated aluminum cans as drink cozies to keep condensing beverage bottles from becoming caked with sand.

Time beauty regimens right

Shaving legs or underarms right before heading to the beach can result in some painful irritation. It's best to shave the night before diving into saltwater or even pool water. If you need a last-minute touch-up, use mineral oil while shaving to help keep irritation to a minimum.

It's important to apply sunscreen to the skin approximately 15 minutes before heading outdoors so that it has time to absorb, advises the American Academy of Dermatology. If you wait until you get to the beach, you put your skin at risk. Use a self-tanner for bronze skin rather than soaking up the rays.

Hide your money
Leaving your money or belongings out in the open may entice thieves. Camouflage items of value by storing them in an empty sunscreen bottle nestled in a beach bag.

Stay cool

Purchase or make a vividly patterned tarp/tent to offer a shady respite. This will also help the family find their way back to your beach spot. Place sandals or flip-flops face-down in the sand or on a blanket to ensure they won't be scalding after a day at the beach.

Trips to the beach are a summertime tradition. With a few tips and tricks, the memories can be even better.

SUMMER

Simplify vacations and savor the fun

Vacations are a great opportunity for families or individuals to recharge. But especially active vacationers often return from their trips in need of rest, as planning may have taken its toll or schedules loaded with too many activities might have left little time for R&R. Those willing to simplify their vacations may find their excursions provide the rest they need and the energizing boost they can make use of upon returning from their destinations.

Leave work behind

The United States is one of the few countries that does not guarantee paid days off. The Center for Economic and Policy Research says one in four working Americans do not get paid time off. The employment site Glassdoor notes that among those who do get paid vacations, 75 percent of employees chose not to use all of their time in 2013. By comparison, Canadians get an average of 19 days of vacation time per year. Stress about making up work or falling behind makes some professionals worry about using their vacation time, and those who do travel may stay connected to the office in some shape or form. Splitting time between leisure and work responsibilities on a vacation can be taxing and take away



from the time you need to relax and recharge. Cut work ties and immerse yourself in the vacation experience.

Use a travel agent

Using a travel agent to plan your vacation can remove any stress and anxiety you may feel when planning a trip and juggling the responsibilities of everyday life. Many people

choose to book their own trips as a cost-cutting measure. What they don't realize is that travel agents may be privy to special deals and perks they can pass on to customers. These agents also know the ins and outs of certain resorts and locales. Leaving the legwork in their accomplished hands means all you have to do is show up with

your reservations instead of pouring over the minutiae of planning.

Consider an all-inclusive trip

All-inclusive resorts and cruise lines take the work out of having a good time. These types of vacations remove a lot of the problems associated with personal travel. Meals are

provided, activities are coordinated, and you don't have to carry extra cash, as most costs generally are covered.

Keep your itinerary flexible

Scheduling right down to the minute can remove the fun of the trip. Leave opportunities to just sit and enjoy your surroundings. Perhaps other members of the family or traveling party have their own ideas for entertainment. A rigid timeline can make the vacation seem more like a commitment rather than an opportunity to let loose and stop watching the clock.

Rent a car

Find out if a rental car can be included in the price of your vacation. Having a car at the ready means vacationers can come and go as they please without worrying about hailing taxis or waiting for public transportation. Rental cars also provide access to areas outside of resort confines. Research possible destinations in advance and map out where you want to go to remain safe and prepared.

Vacations don't have to be taxing. Cut down on some of the stressful aspects of traveling by simplifying and delegating tasks.

Plan ahead for a fun day at the water park

The search is on to find entertaining ways to fill the steamy dog days of summer. After days spent swimming in the pool or at the beach, adults and children alike may be looking for something new, and water parks are an ideal way to spend a summer afternoon. Such parks are not only adventurous, but they also make great ways to cool off when the mercury soars. As with any trip, preparation is necessary to make the most of your day at the water park.

- * Study the weather report. Summer weather can change in an instant. One moment it may be hot and sunny, while the next moment ominous thunderstorm clouds may soak anyone still outdoors. Many water parks shut down rides when there is thunder and lightning, and the park may close early if the weather is particularly bad. Double-check the weather report before making the trip so that your time and money is well spent.

- * Visit when the park is unlikely to be busy. Many parks are very busy during the summer, especially on the weekends when parents are not at work. So families who visit during the week might enjoy a less crowded park, which means shorter lines to get on the rides. Call ahead to inquire if any camps or large groups are scheduled to visit the park on a day you want to visit.

- * Research coupons and discount codes. Search the Internet to find out if the water park is offering any discounted tickets. Admission for a family of four can be expensive, but coupons or other discounts can cut those costs considerably. Find out if the park sells season passes, which will end up saving you money if you plan to visit the park on a regular basis. Certain amusement parks pair up with retailers and sponsors to offer discounts, so you may be eligible for discount tickets by dining out at a particular restaurant or collecting a coupon code from the back of a cereal box.

- * Measure the kids before you embark. Rides may have height restrictions. It is beneficial to understand these height limits so that you will know if your kids will be able to enjoy most of the attractions. In many parks, 42 to 48 inches is the magic number. Some parks may allow shorter, younger children to ride when accompanied by an adult. If your kids are too small, it may be better to wait until next season when they can enjoy more of the fun.

- * Get there early or very late. The parking lot at the water park may be as large as the park itself. Get to the park early to avoid parking miles away from the entrance. Know when the water park opens and be the first one in line, which affords you the luxury of the best parking spot and first choice for rides. If you're

not an early bird, visit the park just before closing. Crowds may have thinned out by then and the weather may be considerably cooler.

- * Wear brightly colored bathing suits. Many water parks have strict guidelines as to which type of clothing can be worn. Bathing suits are usually a must, as they won't get caught or tangled like shirts and shorts might. Choose brightly colored or patterned swimsuits so kids will stand out in the crowds. This will make it easier to keep them in your sights. Similarly, wear something that makes it easy for your children to find you should they get lost.

- * Invest in a waterproof money holder necklace. Chances are you will store many of your belongings in a locker so that you will not have to carry around too many items. But it is helpful to have a few dollars on hand for those times when lemonade or ice cream sundaes beckon, so purchase a waterproof necklace to secure and hold your money.

- * Bring along a change of clothing. Sitting around in a damp bathing suit, especially on the long car ride home, can be uncomfortable. Pack a change of clothes and different shoes. This way everyone will be dry, warm and comfortable.

- * Continue to apply waterproof sunscreen. Water reflects the sun's UV rays, making water park revelers highly prone to sunburn. Be sure to wear waterproof sunscreen and apply it continuously throughout the day to protect against painful skin damage.

- * Study and explain the safety rules. Water parks are frequently crowded, and children who wander off can easily become lost. As a family, go over safety precautions, including what to do in the event someone gets lost. Children can go to a park employee or a security guard and ask for help. Or suggest to your children that they go into any of the shops and tell the counter staff that they're lost. Establish a meeting spot to enable everyone to gather together in the event of an emergency.

- * Plan break times. The water park may be overwhelming, especially for tired, hungry children. So take breaks for snacks, lunch and even a few moments to just settle down and catch your breath.

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