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Survey results shed light on economic goals

BY JASON BLEAU
TIMES CORRESPONDENT

DUDLEY – The results are in for Dudley's recent economic development survey, and now town officials will examine the results to determine the best course of progression as the Economic Development Committee formulates a five-year plan.

The survey ran through the month of October and in early November Economic Development Committee Chair John Briare presented the finding to selectmen with 229 submissions recorded throughout the length of the survey.

"The reason why the survey came around rather quickly was we were trying to get about 10 hours out of the Central Massachusetts Regional Planning Commission. They had 10 hours invested in a public forum. As a board, we decided that we wanted CMRPC to spend that extra 10 hours not on a public forum, but researching what's the best way to get our agricultural lands out of hibernation and what programs are available. We still wanted formal public opinion, so we created the survey," Briare told selectmen.

"The people of Dudley really talk quality. A lot of people really took their time and put some thought into their comments, questions, and answers and I want to thank them for doing that. It's only because of them that we kind of know what to do going forward."

Around 93.45 percent of the submissions came from Dudley residents who collectively listed the education system, low taxes and the natural habitat among Dudley's greatest assets. Among the major weaknesses were a lack of local jobs, few recreational opportunities, and the location.

Top priorities for economic development from the survey included revitalizing West Main Street, reusing agricultural land, and creating a restaurant district. The survey also asked questions specific to economic development and education spending going forward among other major topics of consideration. "That's what our plan is going to focus on and the good news is, it was in sync with what we've been hearing along the way," Briare said. "This just gave us some confirmation on what we'd been hearing - The common theme here is not maintenance, but improvement. People want to see that happen."

One of the major topics on the survey was the acceptance of home occupations, with the survey seeking input into how the town should handle such businesses in the future. Briare said voters seemed open-minded as to how these businesses are managed, especially with the growing market for online sales. Voters also showed support for bed and breakfasts in the town but presented mixed reactions to limitations marijuana dispensaries in the community.

One "elephant in the room" as Briare called it, was the questions about whether or not Dudley should examine embracing a separate tax bill, effectively creating two bills,

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Jason Bleau photo

The Black Stones perform The Wall as part of their interpretation of Pink Floyd's concept album.

Black Stones bring The Wall to life

BY JASON BLEAU
TIMES CORRESPONDENT

WEBSTER – For years a local group of Blackstone Valley teenagers has worked to bring classic and legendary albums to life and on Saturday, Nov. 26 the band known as the Black Stones tackled possibly the most challenging album to date, Pink Floyd's legendary 1979 double album "The Wall."

The band is composed of five members, vocalist and guitarist Joey Monahan, keyboardist and vocalist Vito Caccavelli, bassist, vocalist and mandolin player Nick Bernier, guitarist, saxophonist and vocalist James Briand, and Jesse Mosczynski on drums and vocals. All five are 21 years of age or younger and have made a habit of utilizing past iconic works or rock legends to perform their shows.

The band has previously performed The Beatles "Abby Road," "Tommy" by The Who, and "Led Zeppelin II" by Led Zeppelin. However, lead singer Monahan explained The Wall might be the most challenging work they have tried to capture.

"It originally started off as maybe we are going to play 'The Wall' and we'll have a wall there. Then it just kept getting bigger and bigger and now we have this whole setup with sound effects and lights. It's just awesome. It went from us in a basement just playing 'Abby Road' all the way to setting out a whole show. It's been awesome," Monahan said.

The band called it one of the biggest shows they've ever done considering it was a sold

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Shepherd Hill earns the gold at national championship

BY JASON BLEAU
VILLAGER CORRESPONDENT

DUDLEY – The members of the Shepherd Hill marching band have come home champions after several hard fought competitions spanning the best of New England and beyond.

After receiving perfect scores and a gold medal in the Massachusetts Instrumental & Choral Conductors Association finals in October, the band has won and even bigger honor, first place in their division in the US Bands National Championship in New Jersey over Veterans Day weekend.

The band competed in an event with more than 50 bands from across the country at Metlife Stadium, and repeated past success by taking the

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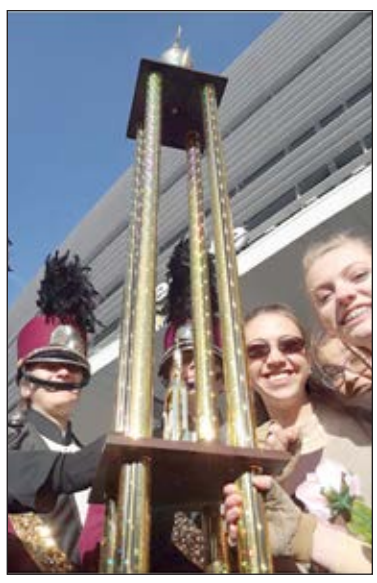

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Members of the Shepherd Hill band mug a bit with the trophy.

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Kicking off this year's campaign by setting up the thermometer at Webster town hall including representatives of United Way Agencies, United Way President Bill Keefe, Executive Director Janet Scheffler and Webster Town Administrator Douglas Willardson.

Investigation results in hefty settlement

BOSTON — A Dudley contract packager of aerosol containers and the U.S. Department of Labor have reached a settlement agreement resolving alleged violations of the federal Fair Labor Standards Act. Shield Packaging Co. Inc. has paid $210,227 and an equal amount in liquidated damages to 205 employees and pledged future compliance with the FLSA.

The Department's Wage and Hour Division found that the company failed to pay the employees overtime based on their regular pay rates between April 1, 2015, and Oct. 31, 2016. The company also failed to pay employees for — and keep proper records of — the time they spent putting on and removing safety equipment required for their jobs. The FLSA requires that employees receive one-and-one-half times their regular rates of pay for hours they work beyond 40 in a workweek and that employers maintain accurate records of employees' wages and work hours.

The Division's investigation was part of a joint enforcement effort with the Fair Labor Division of the Massachusetts Attorney General's office. The state's investigation identified alleged violations of state laws including failure to pay minimum wage, hindrance, and paystub violations, for which the company will pay more than $564,000 in wages and penalties.

"This cooperative federal-state effort and the resulting settlements compensate these employees for wages they rightfully earned but did not receive. As the Department of Labor enforces the Fair Labor Standards Act, we encourage all employers to take advantage of the Division's education and outreach efforts to help them understand their responsibilities and how to properly comply with the law," said the

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United Way kicks off its 2017 campaign

The United Way of Webster and Dudley is entering its 52nd year of service to the community.

"Our local United Way raises funds in a community wide appeal and helps to fund 17 health and human service partners that provide support to over 7,000 Webster and Dudley residents each year. We can only accomplish this task with the help and generosity of the donors who live and work here and believe in the work we do" noted Executive Director Janet Scheffler.

To mark the start of the annual appeal agency representatives along with Webster Town Administrator Doug Willardson appeared for a photo op in front of the empty goal thermometer on the lawn at Webster Town Hall on Friday Nov. 3 and then headed up to Gentex Optics in Dudley for the annual Campaign Kick-Off Breakfast.

Gentex Optics hosts the breakfast each year that brings together agency partners, United Way directors and key campaign volunteers. Director of plant operations Bill Van Wieren greeted guests and thanked them for all they do to help support the people and families of the community.

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Tapping into the Elf spirit

Gus Steeves photo

The chorus, portraying random New Yorkers, gets its first sight of Santa flying by.

BY GUS STEEVES
STAFF WRITER

OXFORD – Even the most cynical person can get the spirit of Christmas.

At least that's what Oxford Middle School's drama program is hoping you'll walk away from this weekend's performances feeling.

On Thursday, Friday and Saturday the school's hosting "Elf, Jr," starring Matt Szela as Buddy, the title elf masquerading as a human boy (or is it the other way around?), whose goal is to get hard-bitten New Yorkers to see Santa again. Several of them are in his own family, portrayed by Carly Cornacchioli, Robert Shaw and Trever Millette.

"This is the best experience I've ever had," said Cornacchioli after last week's rehearsal. "We've all put a lot of effort into it and it's great."

She's playing Emily Hobbs this time, but has been involved in the school's plays "my whole time at the middle school."

"I first heard about it in fifth grade, when they did 'Shrek'," she added. "I saw all the eighth graders doing it and I was excited. I wanted to be one of those eighth graders."

So has director Cathy Looney, who's also running the high school play next spring. She said the junior version of "Elf" came out last year "and it's been very popular, so we thought we'd try it."

"Between the actors, singers, dancers, set design and stage crew, we have over 100 kids involved," she added. "Some of the seventh graders have been with me for three years, and some have done other things outside of school," including a few involved in this year's Nutcracker at the Hanover.

The musical has a multi-part history, being descended from the musical "Elf," which came from a book adaptation of the 2003 film of the same title. Over those generations, it has seen several plot changes, including a shift from Walter Hobbs (Trever Millette's character) being "greedy, obsessed with his work and intentionally neglectful of his family duties" in the film to being "more bumbling, forgetful and overworked" on stage, Wikipedia states.

Looney noted Oxford's version will also exclude the film's scene with a narwhal -- "The kids all wanted to be the narwhal, but it's not in the play."

Looney's being aided in direction duties by several people, including Sarah Rutkiewicz as music director. At one point, she summarized the whole point of the play with one stage direction: "Can you all kind of bring out your inner elf? We shouldn't see the super-serious New Yorkers anymore, and more of the elf spirit."

Of course, being middle schoolers, that wasn't hard, especially between scenes. While Looney was troubleshooting the lights, the kids on stage were bouncing around to burn off energy. She noted that will probably be apparent during the performances, too, recommending people attend Friday specifically because "by Saturday, they're hams. You can't even look at them."

Of course, that might be a reason to see it Saturday.

Thursday and Friday performances are at 7 p.m.; Saturday's is at 1 p.m. Tickets are available at the school's auditorium door for $7, $5 for seniors and students.

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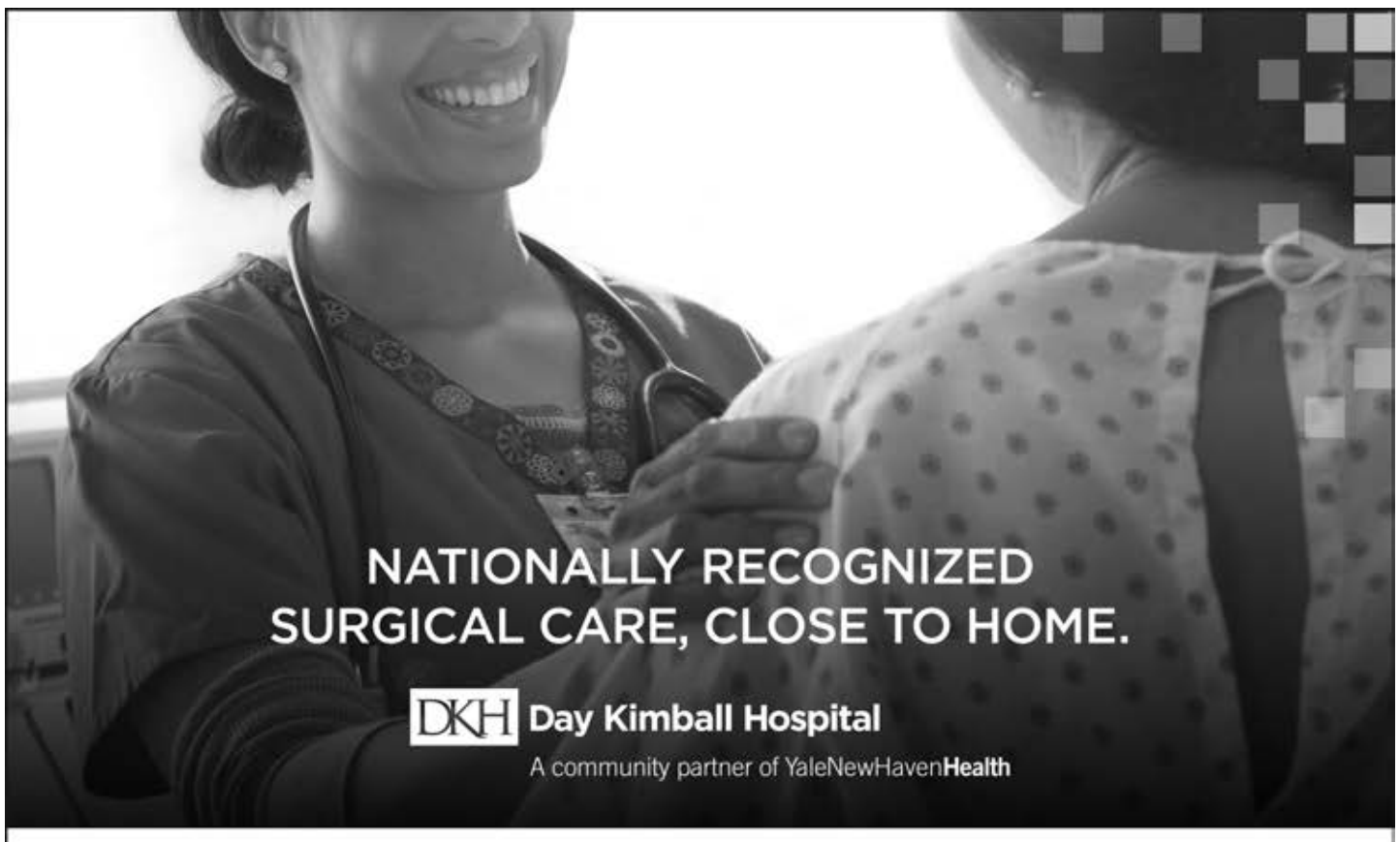

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Why is there so much high turnover in the Real Estate Business?

REALTOR'S REPORT

JAMES BLACK

You may have had the experience of hiring a Real Estate Agent and they left the business while working with you or the next time you called for their services they had left the business. There are many reasons for this. I personally got licensed in 2004 and only stayed in the business about 1 year before leaving to go to another job. Financially I was successful but I was working from the moment I woke up till the moment I went to be 7 days a week and burnt myself out. The more common reason is that they did not make enough money to continue to pay their bills and had to go back to a job. I came back into Real Estate in 2010 and it took me 18 months to replace my previous income. Luckily I had put aside some reserves to allow me to make it through that time.

We have too many television shows that show a Real Estate Agent showing 3 homes and then the buyers buys one and lives happily ever after. What it doesn't show you is the other homes they showed them, the research they had to do to uncover that home, the training the agent needed to go to in order to know the strategies to win out on a bidding war. They also don't show that once the home is found the real work begins such as negotiating home inspection items and appraisal repairs and figuring out what to do when the sellers doesn't move everything out of the house.

According to payscale.com Real Estate Agent make an average of $47,737 a year. I would say some Real Estate Agents work less than 40 hours per week but that is not the norm. Most don't even realize they are working 60-80 hours a week because it many times ads up between the Sunday afternoon open house and the Saturday morning showings and then those showing on Wednesday night and then the marketing you stayed at the office for on Thursday night.

Being that Real Estate Agent are typically 100% commission it will always have a high turnover but the agents that jump in 100% and have a mentor and training will almost always succeed. I have looked at several sources that range between 75% and 80% of Real Estate Agents fail in the 1st year. I think the truth to that is that the Real Estate Agents gave up and didn't really account for that 18 month or so ramp up timeframe and have a reserve fund to uncover that ramp up timeframe.

Looking for kettle volunteers

"Webster and Dudley needs your help!"

The Salvation Army is currently looking for volunteer bell ringers to participate in the Red Kettle Campaign this holiday season. Tony Yeulenski, service unit coordinator and Tiffany Krasnecky, outreach director for the Webster Salvation Army Service Unit are pleased to announce the hiring of seven individuals from Life-Skills, Inc. who will actively serve as Salvation Army Bell Ringers during the day Monday through Friday at your local Price Chopper grocery store.

The Salvation Army is also seeking volunteers (in 1 to 2 hour increments) between the hours of 2 p.m.-9 p.m. Monday through Friday, and 9 a.m.–9 p.m. on Saturday to ring the bell.

Funds generated through this event stay in the respective communities they are generated in to support Christmas assistance and other emergency assistance programs, and to also provide assistance to those in need throughout the winter months. This campaign represents the community spirit of giving at its best - through the funds that are raised and the volunteers who make this effort possible.

When many of you hear the familiar ring of the Salvation Army bells at Price Chopper it is important to note that at least 82% goes directly to program funding in the local area to help those most in need. The Salvation Army offers food, clothing, medicine, assistance with utility bills and other aid to area residents in financial distress.

The Salvation Army also sends children to summer camp in Sharon, and provides toys to children and gifts to nursing home residents at Christmas time.

The Kettle Campaign at Price Chopper in Webster officially started November 13 at 9 a.m. and concludes on Christmas Eve. If you are interested in volunteering a few hours of your time this holiday season to support the Salvation Army in supporting those in need, feel free to call Yeulenski at (508) 847-7339.

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1. Emaciation
6. Exchequer
10. Sacs where fungi develop
14. First letter of the Hebrew alphabet
15. Unexplored waters
17. Berkeley athletes
19. Norse giantess
20. Crater on the moon
21. Resembles velvet
22. Pearl Jam's debut album
23. Hair-like structure
24. Turfs
26. Put in advance
29. First son of Lot
31. Native American language
32. Furry family member
34. Vedic God of fire
35. Genie
37. German city
38. Acquire
39. Cambodia currency
40. A person from a Balkan republic
41. More simple
43. Bleats
45. "The other white meat"
46. __ student: learns healing
47. 04492, town in Maine
49. Paddle
50. Airline once owned by Howard Hughes
53. Big 10 athlete
57. Inflammation of the intestine
58. Key's comedic partner
59. Chamomile and black are two
60. Distress signal
61. Assn. for translators

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2. Wings
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4. Upon
5. Superhigh frequency
6. Colorless liquid
7. Hostelries
8. __ fi (slang)
9. One who accompanies
10. Where rockers play
11. "__ the Man" Musial
12. Waxy cover on some birds' beaks
13. Software that monitors for malicious activity (abbr.)
16. Becomes less intense
18. Lyric poems
22. Touchdown
23. From end to end
24. __ Claus
25. Jedi Master Kenobi
27. Fencing swords
28. Famed child psychiatrist
29. Gossip
30. S-shaped lining
31. '__ death do us part
33. Bar bill
35. Placed over a vowel to indicate sound
36. Steve Martin was one
37. Low paid educator (abbr.)
39. One who rampages
42. Backbones
43. "Friday Night Lights" director
44. Anno Domini
46. One-time Yankees sensation Kevin
47. Fermented grape juice
48. Peruvian province
49. Former Braves outfielder Nixon
50. Entertainment award
51. Feeling good
52. Greek god of war
53. Famed NYC museum
54. Of the ears
55. Select
56. Friend to the carrot

PUZZLE SOLUTION

STUDENT PART OF HANOVER PRODUCTION

Courtesy photo

Danielle Johnson returns to the Hanover Theatre in Diane Kelley's Holiday Spectacular on Dec. 2. She is excited to be performing in this show for a second time.

Johnson, age 14, is a student at Oxford High School. Other Oxford area students are also part of the production.

Just the right gift

Courtesy photo

Looking for an inexpensive gift or a holiday stocking stuffer? The Friends of the Pearle L. Crawford Memorial Library 2018 Calendar is now available at the Library Circulation Desk for just $4! Add a set of notecards and get both for just $5! The calendar features Dudley landmarks, and the set of six notecards depict prints of antique bookplates. The Library is located at 40 Schofield Avenue in Dudley. Hours are Monday & Thursday 10-8, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday 10-5, and Saturday 10-2. All proceeds go to support Friends of the Pearle L. Crawford Memorial Library who provide funding for many of our programs and resources.

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REAL ESTATE

WEBSTER

$425,000 13 Pavillion Ave, Diplacido, Charise, to Gorski, Thomas W, and Gorski, Karen A.

$350,000 50 2nd Island Rd, Gorski, Thomas W, and Gorski, Karen A., to Snow, Wynter.

$295,000 113 Sutton Rd, Lesley, Robert W, and Lesley, Robin, to Lizotte, Matthew C.

$290,000 7 Ragina Ave, Beaudette, Ross M, and Beaudette, Samantha M, to Ferreira-Desouza, Leandro.

$278,000 10 Highland St, Fournier, Ross, and Gordon, Renee, to Colella, Patricia E.

$270,000 3 Beach St, Cullen, Michael P, and Cullen, Rana M, to Rivera, Keithon.

$268,000 15 Lower Gore Rd, Kelleher, Robert M, to Rondeau, Joshua, and Rondeau, Erika.

$267,500 74 Upper Gore Rd, NT, and Conner Land T LLC Tr, to Brothers, Michael L, and Brothers, Lynn M.

$248,000 64 Ray St, Hartling, Sean B, and Hartling, Lindsay N, to Kelley, Tyler.

$234,000 42 Cushing Rd, Feig, Henry W, and Feig, Rachel G, to Viel, Cynthia M.

$205,000 33 Joyce St, Armstrong, William S, to David, Shawn W.

$168,100 50 Ash St, Morway James R, and Lakeview Loan Servicing, to Lakeview Loan Servicing.

$135,000 12 Lakeview Rd, Dumore Rose Est, and Farquhar, Donald J, to Duffy, Maureen E.

$132,840 21 Cody St, Jefferson, Kelly A, and Bank Of America NA, to Bank Of America NA.

$80,000 18 Crosby St, Wells Fargo Bank NA Tr, to Flawless Properties LLC.

$71,500 3 Pine St, US Bank NA Tr, to Marchand, Wayne, and Marchand, Tammy.

$71,500 35 Eastern Ave, US Bank NA Tr, to Marchand, Wayne and Marchand, Tammy.

$50,000 4 Humes St, Marschall, Frederick, to Sirard, Peter N, and Sirard, Kathleen M.

DUDLEY

$368,000 55 Airport Rd, Ruda, James P, and Ruda, Linda C, to Goetz, Jared M, and Goetz, Rachael.

$355,000 9 Eric Way, Lebel, Jay J, to Lepage, Mark G, and Lepage, Stacy L.

$324,900 12 Fairfield Dr, Yarnell, Kevin P, and Yarnell, Pamela, to Chege, Michael.

$255,000 11 Center Rd, Lapge, Mark G, and Lapge, Stacy L, to Pashkevitch, Ekaterina.

$255,000 17 Brentwood Dr, Andolewicz, Raymond M, to Rogacz, Eric.

$243,700 407 Dresser Hill Rd, Flynn, James, and Flynn, Nina, to Hagopian, Hayley E, and Tremblay, Dylan P.

$157,000 72 Airport Rd, Deutsche Bk Natl T Co Tr, to Krawczykk, Marek.

$68,900 9 Wysocki Dr #33, Palino, Douglas F, to Palladino, Frank.

OXFORD

$1,400,000 24 Sutton Ave, Oxford Sutton LLC, to Global Montello Group.

$256,000 28 Holly St, Canela, Samela O, and Aseret-Canela, Daisy, to Nicastro, Amanda, and Nicastro, Timothy.

$247,374 10 Rocky Hill Rd, Lacroix, Catherine, and Albin, Carl, to FNMA.

$237,000 31 George St, Latour, Joseph P, and Latour, Martine G, to Echevarria, Daisy, and Lessard, Michael T.

$220,000 75 Leicester St, Boulder Industrial Park to Ox Bo 7 LLC.

$199,900 17 Waite St, Rondeau, Joshua J, to Smith, Lindsay P.

$164,500 27 Plantation Rd, #27 Lizotte, Mattew C, to Burkman, Erik, and Burkman, Louisa.

$161,000 54 Plantation Rd #54, Obrien, Christopher J, to Jorge, Nicole M.

$80,000 Southbridge Rd, Boulder Industrial Park, to Ox Bo 7 LLC.

$58,000 30 Sullivan Blvd, Cashman Eugene R, to Wamback, David and Wamback, Ryan D.

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Evangelidis backs Tran for state senate seat

FITCHBURG — Worcester County Sheriff Lew Evangelidis officially endorsed Fitchburg City Councilor-At-Large Dean Tran's candidacy for State Senate. Evangelidis cited Tran's track record of strong support for public safety and his plans to continue efforts to help those suffering from the scourge of addiction and to improve resources for mental health treatment.

Evangelidis stated, "As sheriff of Worcester County for seven years, my number one priority has always been public safety and I know Dean Tran is as committed as I am to ensuring our communities are safe for our families. Right now, we find ourselves in the middle of an opioid epidemic which goes hand in hand with mental health issues. We really need someone who is focused on solving this problem. I've had the opportunity to work with Dean and I know he will continue working to solve the problem and make our communities safer. Dean will partner with police and public safety professionals to provide them the resources they need to do their jobs. I am pleased to give Dean my unconditional endorsement."

Tran stated, "Sheriff Evangelidis' endorsement means a lot to me. He knows I have always been a strong supporter of police and public safety officials. I am committed to solving the opioid epidemic by doing whatever it takes to marshal the resources necessary to improve outcomes for those suffering with mental health and addiction issues. I will work to make sure police, public safety and healthcare professionals have what they need."

Dean is married to his wife Kerry and they have four children who attend public schools. His childhood experiences as a refugee from a communist regime seared in his mind the value of family and hard work. He is a former reserve deputy sheriff for the Worcester County Sheriff Deputy Association. He has served on the Fitchburg Planning Board, the Board of Trustees for the Wallace Civic Center and the Fitchburg Cable Oversight Committee before being elected as one of Fitchburg's At-Large Councilors in 2005 becoming the first person of color to be elected in the city of Fitchburg. Dean also serves on the Board of Trustees for Mount Wachusett Community College, on the executive board for the Boy Scouts of America, NVC and as a corporator for the YMCA of Central Massachusetts. He is a graduate of Brandeis University.

For more information visit www.DeanTran.com or www.facebook.com/DeanTranforStateSenate.

Courtesy photo

Worcester County Sheriff Lew Evangelidis with Senate hopeful Dean Tran

WIB into business year

Courtesy photo

November's meeting was in Webster, December will be in Sturbridge.

Woman in Business, Inc. held its November networking social at Christopher Heights in Webster. Guest speaker was women's health advocate and OB/GYN Dr. Erica Kesselman, and guests included the Northeast Connecticut Women and Girls Fund.

Next month brings the highly-anticipated Holiday Social for Woman in Business - always one of the most popular events of the year! The event will be held on Wednesday, December 13 at the Sturbridge Host Hotel from 5:30 - 7:30 p.m. Pre-registration and payment is required by December 6. The cost is $30 for members and $35 for non-members.

The Holiday Social will feature great food, networking and a Recipe Basket exchange. More information can be found by visiting wibsturbridge.org.

Woman in Business, Inc. will also have a featured tree at the Festival of (Giving) Trees event in Southbridge from November 30 to December 3.

On January 10, 2018, a breakfast seminar and social will be held at The Overlook and feature registered dietician and nutritionist Kirsten McEvoy to discuss women's health as it pertains to food and exercise.

Woman in Business, Inc. is a 501 (c) (3) organization that supports women by fostering networking, sharing information and experiences and providing educational opportunities. Our meetings incorporate a comfortable blend of socializing and networking; we believe this is the most important benefit we offer. Individual and business memberships are available.

LIBRARY

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TWELVE BOOKS OF CHRISTMAS READING CONTEST

November 20 through December 8

For those ages 5-11. Pick up your reading log and return it by December 8. Your name will be entered into a daily drawing for a special book between December 9 and 22.

FAMILY GINGERBREAD HOUSE DAY

Saturday, December 2, 10:30-11:30 OR 12:00-1:00

Children are invited to build their own gingerbread houses! We supply the materials, kids supply the creativity! Registration IS required. Children under 12 must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. Sponsored by Friends of the Library.

PIZZA & PAGES TEEN BOOK GROUP

Monday, December 4, 6:00-7:00

For those in grades 6-12. This month will spend a few minutes talking about the book "Princess Bride" and then watch the movie while enjoying a slice of pizza. Held in the Teen Room. Registration IS required. Sponsored by Friends of the Library.

BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP

Thursday, December 7, 6:00-7:30

This month we will discuss "Hillbilly Elegy" by J. D. Vance. We will also choose titles for future discussions. Held in the Fels Community Room tonight. Books available at circulation prior to discussions. No registration.

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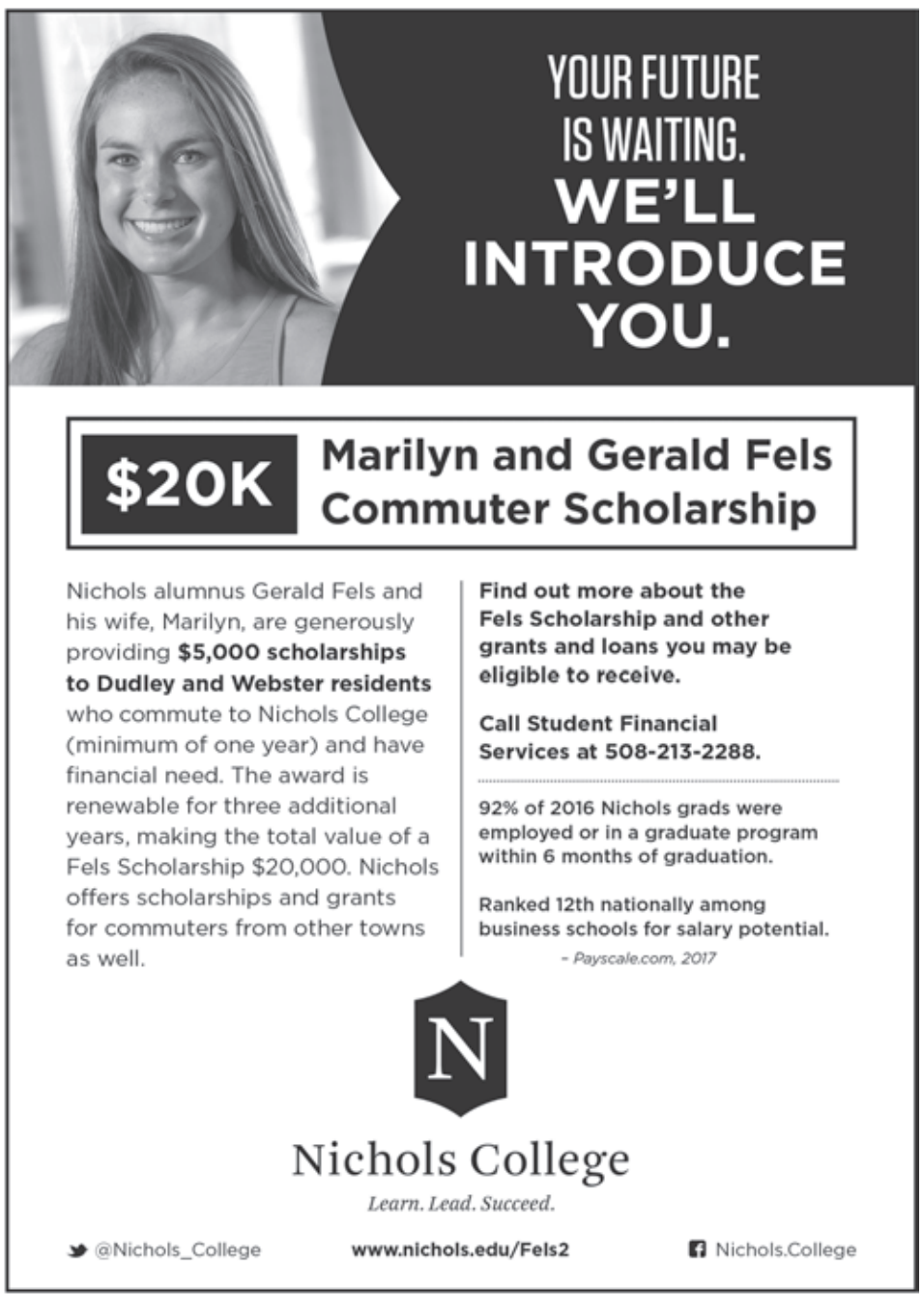

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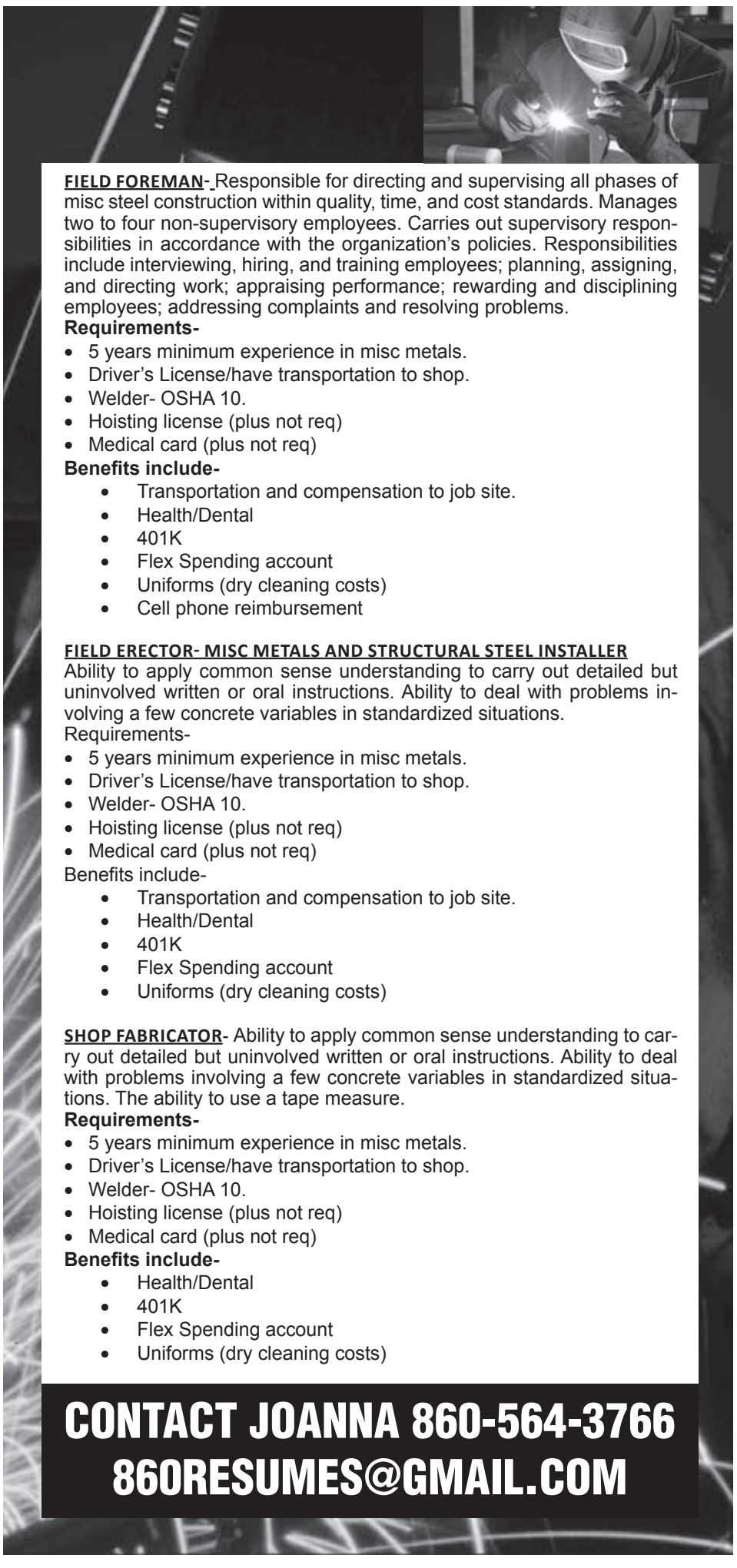

FIELD FOREMAN- Responsible for directing and supervising all phases of misc steel construction within quality, time, and cost standards. Manages two to four non-supervisory employees. Carries out supervisory responsibilities in accordance with the organization's policies. Responsibilities include interviewing, hiring, and training employees; planning, assigning, and directing work; appraising performance; rewarding and disciplining employees; addressing complaints and resolving problems.

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Requirements-

- 5 years minimum experience in misc metals.
- Driver's License/have transportation to shop.
- Welder- OSHA 10.
- Hoisting license (plus not req)
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Benefits include-

- Transportation and compensation to job site.
- Health/Dental
- 401K
- Flex Spending account
- Uniforms (dry cleaning costs)

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Requirements-

- 5 years minimum experience in misc metals.
- Driver's License/have transportation to shop.
- Welder- OSHA 10.
- Hoisting license (plus not req)
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Learning

Bay Path announces first quarter honor roll

CHARLTON — The following students have earned a place on the honor roll for the first quarter at Bay Path Vocational Technical Regional High School

GRADE 12

High Honors: Shane Clardy, Andrew Ferrecchia, Robert Gallagher, Erin McMenemy, Jacob Morin, Dylon Sandstrom, Christian Shadis, and Savannah Vangel.

Honors: Alexis Albin, Kendra Alice, Conner Allen, Destiny Baldwin, Kyle Bankowski, Ecko-Luv Beaver, Sofia Bertine, Bryan Bishop, Kyle Bouvier, Cheyenne Boyle, Tyler Brindle , Thomas Bruso, Ashley Burlingame, Jamie Butkiewicz, Christopher Carmody, Katelyn Chalupka, Erica Czechowski ,Dylan Delaney, Patrick Dyer, Caiden Ellis, Nicholas Fletcher, Orianna Gendron, Kristin Hadley , Andrew Hafferty, Corrina Hamilton, Daniel Henry, Rachel Hitchcock, Zachary Horne, Briana Johnson, Jacob Johnson, Payton Kallanian, Christian Keeler, Benjamin Lagasse, Salah LaTulippe, Benjamin Leach, Taylor Lemoine, Joshua MacIntosh, Cameron MacLellan, Cameron Maher, Alessandra Martocci, Christopher Merced, Tariyaha Morris, Kayla Morrison, Emily Mullen, Fintan Neff, Kayla Nystrom, Jonathan Olds, Megan Ouellette, Shivani Patel, Drew Paulhus, Adam Pelic, Hector Perez, Katelynn Peterson, Kyla Rafferty , Antonio Sanelli, Michael Shedd, Cole Simpson, Camden Sinkewich, Mason Smith, Sarah Sputo, Nathan St. Marie, Rhianna Sweeney, Karlee Therrien, Noah Thompson, Joshua Troy, Joseph Van Dam, Jeremy Wheeler, Brianna White, Thomas Willette, Bennett Wisniewski, Emily Woodruff, and Connor Zaleck.

Principal's List: Ceasar Alvarado, Amber Antonopoulos, Julia Barton, Matthew Bega, Adriana Bennett, Daniel Blanchard, Ryan Brown, Tyler Cahill, Linda Calley, Brian Choiniere Jr., Bradley Cook, Anthony DeMichele, Megan Etzweiler, Alexander Fengler, Katelyn Gillespie, Madison Gosselin, Madeleine Grillo, Joseph Hallihan, Lauren Hapcook, Sarah Hesselton, Althea Houston, Alexis Kimbar, August Koebke, Meggie Lacaire, Daniel LeBlanc, Simone LeBlanc, Melissa Lees, Jillian Lier, Robert Livsey, Jiliana Marrero, Alexander Mayo, Ariana Melendez, Dylon Mercon, John O'Loughlin, Stephanie Redmond, Marisabel Rivera, Odalis Rivera, Breanna Rollins, Courtney Rousseau, Jacob Seymour, Andrew Vidot, Zachary Williams, Hannah Wroblewski

GRADE 11

High Honors: Emily Downer, Hayden Smith , Jacob Veber

Honors: Lauryn Alicea, Mikayla Battaglia, Dominick Berthiaume, Timothy Bordeaux, Margaret Borowski, Theresa Boucher, Devon Bruyere, Jacob Burgos, Kaitlyn Chabot, William Christian, Christopher Chute, Brendan Coomey, Jonathan Dalbec, Joslynn Daniels, Ian Augusto DaSilva, Adrian DeMichele, Mikaylee Dickinson, Codey Drummond, Jason Dufresne, Lily Eccleston, Dominic Esposito, Andrew Flanagan, Macy Fongeallaz, Brianna Galvin, Loriauna Graika, Jake Grampetro, Ryann Hassett, Joseph Herard, Joseph Heywood, Noah Huehls, Noah Hunt, Andrew Hurton, Ian Inangelo, Hannah Iozzo, Catherine Jones, Montana Josey, Kyle Kallgren, Daniel Krull, Ryan Langlois, Kalyn Lavallee, Mackenzie Martin , Marissa Martocci, Mariah Mason, Alejandro Medina, Kristopher Mekal, Danisa Melendez, Neftali Morales, Michael Moran, Kailyn Murphy, Jayden Pantalone, Scott Pare, Janvi Patel, Zachary Perry, Ashlin Peters, Heather Poirier, Emily Rodriguez, Michael Roy, Kathryn Ryan, Jack Santon, Zane Schlegel, Marrissa Scopa, Melody Serrano, Scott Singer, Fisher Smith, Joshua Szafarowicz, Jaelyn Taylor, Paul Thomas, Lillile Torteson, Apryl Tucker, Noah Tyler, Auguste Valley, Natasha Vargas Taft , Eliza Wandelear, Tyler Wilson, Gabriella Wondolowski, Emily Wong Kam, Cody Wood.

Principal's List: Karisa Allen, Ethan Armstrong, Joseph Boisvert, Christian Bowlin, Kayla Brodeur, Hannah Brody, Tori Cahill, Fabian Campoverde, Matthew Caranci, Alec Casansanta, Kyle Chenevert, Kayla Davis, Melissa De Paz, Mason Deane, Marya DeJesus, Thomas Donahue III, Keenan Doney, Sierra Duval, Madalyn Endriga, Mason Faraday, Gabriella Ferrantino, Andrew Fritze, Jaime Fuentes Jr., Madeline Gingras, Michael Grant, Kacie Grenier, Patricia King, Carter Koneczny, Ryan Lachapelle, Kolby Lamoureux, Isabelle Leahy, Karissa Lugo, Lukas Mara, Emiliy Margoupis , Kaitlyn McCarthy, Jarad Merchant, Mathieu Mitchell, Craigan Nawrocki, Samuel O'Brien, Georgios Palazis, James Partlow, Sarah Partlow, Matthew Raymond, Jamie Rodriguez, Jalen Rojas, Michael Russo, Scott Saad, Aiden Sanborn, Juan Sanchez, Abraham Santos-Ramos, Isabelle Sargent, Evelyn Sheehan, Izabelle Somicu, Theodore Stauffer, Cameron Stella, Vincent Strzelecki, Steele Sturgis, Alexander Teguis, Leeha Thompson, Beylie West, John Winsky.

GRADE 10

High Honors: Jared Aucoin, Lauren Bigelow, Mia Bohanan, Elizabeth Cormier, Lauryn Dawson, Anna Israelian, Erica MacGrory, Julianna Marcoux, Benjamin Morin, Shiloh Murphy, Maeve Perreault, Cody Prince, Alexandar Vesovski

Honors: Riane Anderson, Julia Antocci, Alicia Ayala, Osaias Ayala, Jacob Bachand, McKayla Baldwin, Meghan Barry, Trinity Battista, Jordan Belford, Alexander Berube, Adam Bickford, Gabrielle Boivin, Ayva Borelli, Rachel Bourgault, Ethan Brown, Troy Brown Herraiz, Nicholas Butler, Matteo Capuano, Sydney Cardinal, William Carlson, Evan Clockedile, Anthony Colacchio , Alec Dalton, Louis Daniels Jr., Jack Davis, Devon DeCarolis, Andrew DeCelle, Thadius Dubsky, Sean Dumont, Kelsey Durant, Kaley Eaton, Gavyn Floury, Nathan Fontaine, Ariana Gelardi, Max Ginsburg, Luke Girard, Morgan Girard, Brandon Gomes, Jacob Hinman, Michael Houghton, Jaden Jarmulowicz, Emily Johnson, Jocelyn Keefe, Jadon Kirkorian, Edward Knopf, Samantha Lackey, Patrick Lange, Mathew Langlois, Jared Lavigne, Samantha LePage , Eric Lindgren, Thomas Lombardi, Andrew Makowiecki, Danielle Mandella, Madison Marois, Patrick McManus, Kiyiana Minton, Kimberly Ngo, Kevin O'Rourke, Justin Orrell, Kyle Osborn, Katelyn Paquette, Kyle Paquette, Joseph Postale, Abigail Rambelje , Austin Rebello, Colin Richardson, Janeli Rivera, Karen Rocha, Carla Rodriguez, Melanie Rondeau, Mary Rutter, Kalyn Saez, Elijah Santos-LaBarge, Todd Sauter Jr., Matthew Shedd, Luke Snay, Cady Stevens, Cameron Stisitis, Steven Sutton, Rachael Taylor, Cameron Therrien, Kamila Tomei Maldonado, Jamie Vigeant, Kaylyn Violette, Kathleen Vosburgh, Rachel Watson, Georgi Weagle, Lexianna Wheeler, Zachary Whittemore, Sarah Wisniewski, Isabella Yaede, Allison Zopatti

Principal's List: Katianna Alvarez, Tidus Antuna, Tiffany Arnold, Aisha Aviles, Laura Banach , Heath Bigelow, Christopher Catino, Jack Cicero, Matthew Coffin, Colton Cowher, Brendan Dennett, Amber Derosier, Carly Dumas, Faith Dupuis, Daysia Forbis, Robert Gonyea, Tyler Gonzalez, Kaley Hibbert, Michael Keeler, Nalin Koo, Benjamin LaPointe, Christopher Litchfield, Nicholas Livingston, Jenna Luke, Evan Lussier, Adam Mancini, Amber Melanson, Carina Miller, Jaden Morales, Benjamin Mousseau, Mackenzie O'Neill, Melissa Owusu, Hernan Pacheco, Jonathan Paquette, Addison Paradis , Gabriel Penaflor, Chantal Ravenelle , Shawn Reniere, Christian Rivera, Briana Rodriguez, Natalya Sawa, Lauryn Sey, Sadie Smith, Ciera Sweeney, Trinity Woodworth, Michael Zanca

GRADE 9

High Honors: Kaitlyn Brindle , Samantha Busold, Kayla Canty, Gabriella Caron, Lauren Chase, Emma Christian, Megan Costa, Cheyenne Courtney, Lexia Demers, Evan Duffey, Jessi Escoto-Cifuentes, Madison Etzweiler, Annabelle Fitts, Benjamin Gelineau, Alexis Gosselin, Jayce Hutchinson, Juliannah Kolofsky, Susanna Krantz, Samantha Labelle, Eliana Lasell, Julio Lopez-Torres, Marilena Matos-Criado, Kevin McManus, Robert Nichols III, Owen Ostromecki, Ryan Rice, McKenzie Robinson, Kyle Sadusky, Stacia Shocik, Ryan Steiner, Jared Torosian, Christopher Towns Jr., Caitlin Young.

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St. Joseph's 12th Annual Christmas Bazaar

Saturday, December 2nd
9:00am - 2:00 pm
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Students of the Month

Courtesy photo

Students of the Month at St. Joseph School for the month of October (not pictured in any particular order) are: PreK2 - Nico Mejias; PreK3 - Sylvia Cyr; PreK5 - Evelyn Macko; K - Neli Kuznecki; Gr.1 - Lena Gago; Gr. 2 - Emily Macko; Gr. 3 - Cadence Benes; Gr. 4A - Gabriel Faria; Gr. 4P - Jayce Plante; Gr. 5 Zane Ferri; Gr. 6 - Sara Gruppose; Gr. 7 - Kaileigh Strong; and Gr. 8 - Szymon Mamro.

Learning

Holy Name announces honor roll

WORCESTER — The following students have earned a place on the first quarter honor roll at Holy Name Academy.

GRADE 7

High Honors
Auburn: Chloe Diguette, Ryan Mechery
East Brookfield: Ronald Pataky
Princeton: Catherine King
Shrewsbury: Sabrina Williams
Worcester: Kwame Asare, James Farrell
Honors
Auburn: Adam Toscano, Ashley Wilbur
East Brookfield: Brady Sullivan
Worcester: Joseph Bowden, Keziah Danso, Nicholas Euzebio, Gianna Fields, Christopher Larson, Connor Paul, Alexa Tighe, Stephanie Tran

GRADE 8

High Honors
North Grafton: Olivia Diorio
Upton: Kara Moquin
Worcester: Kylie Barbour
Honors:
Douglas: Hayley Houston
Hudson: Sarah Walsh
Millbury: Sophie Ikeda, Quinn Romaine
Spencer: Fallon Desforges, Elizabeth Manfield
Worcester: Ebenezer Ampofu, Maria Basta, Emma Bolduc, Brianna Borrero, Nicole Byrnes, Matthew Camfield, Reianna Delapara, Morgan Kennedy, Boston Kielbowicz, Martyna Myslinski, Terrance O'Connor, Mario Paldino, Joshua Petkie, Olivia Pontius, Bella Romeo,Corey Rondeau, Jaiden Shekoni

GRADE 9

High Honors
Milford: Ashby Norris
Oxford: Cienna Barszcz
Shrewsbury: Frances Fernandez
West Boylston: Cadence Dimen
Worcester: Elizabeth Galeriu, Cristianna Giovanangelo-Nicotera, Melina Iannacchione, Lilanne Lipka, Amelia Nadeau-DaCruz.
Honors:
Auburn: Matthew Card, Ashley Deneault
Charlton: Mary Graff, Yugi Han, Ziqing Zhao
Clinton: Issaih Agnew
Holden: David Prosser
Millbury: Olivia Cadrin
North Grosvenordale: Lillian Krysinski
North Grafton: Anmarie Huggett
North Oxford: Danielle Frasco
Northbridge: Acadia Tucker
Oxford: Daniel Depatie, Trever Johnson, Julianna Warman
Paxton: Jillian Reynolds
Shrewsbury: Carrina Carnrike, Jongmin Lee, Kyungmin Nam, Hyunjun Seo
Spencer: Kalli McCutcheon, Amanda Scannell
Sturbridge: Arianna Lester
Sutton: Deirdre Gill
Worcester: Bryan Agyemang, Cara Amorati, Jacob Bowden, Malaki Brown, Anthony Cao, Gianni DeProspo, Paige DeSiata, Carissa England, Caitlin Graham, Ry Kariuki, Georgette Larbi Jose Martinez-Paulino, Anthony Romeo, Alexandra Selvitelli, Rachel Silverio, Nicholas Sotiropoulos, Olivia Spokis, Nolan Sweetser, Yuanhui Zhang, Jun Xia

GRADE 10

High Honors
Oxford: Abigail Duval
Shrewsbury: Seohkyung (Wyatt) Hong, Elyse Duff
Webster: Nicholas Paul, Ferras Coulibaly, Lucia Garcia, Benjamin Lanava, Olivia Lupisella, Astrid Otchere.
Honors:
Auburn: Anna Pyche
Boylston: Elise Probst
Charlton: Liam Gordon, Janelle Schulman
Dudley: Colby Fenton
East Brookfield: Alexander Demarski
Hudson: Emily Regis
Jefferson: Madison Ayik
Leicester: Katelyn Lepard
Marlborough: Haven Leclerc, Abigail Spitzer
Mendon: Priscilla Younes
Milford: Rachael Allegakoen, Amanuel Zimmerman
Millbury: Julia Rosum, Faith Sheehan
Millville: Elizabeth DiCecco
North Grafton: Isabella Diorio
North Oxford: Daniel Donovan
Oxford: Sejun Kim
Rutland: Erin Duncan
Shrewsbury: Emily Baril, Sean Hammitt, Rylie Murphy
Southborough: Isabelle Lindhurst
Spencer: Abigail Manfield
Sturbridge: Rebecca Kowal
Upton: Maximus Lucas
Uxbridge: Caroline Adam, Juliana Cafarella, Krista Sullivan
Webster: Jessica Gardner, Ashley Wentworth
Westborough: Rachel Liazos, Declan Roche
Whitinsville: Lindsey Sanderson
Worcester: Barbara Amoah, Nana-Afua Asamoah, Anna Camfield, Anthony Caporelli, Linda Maria Collesei, Owen Coppinger, Andrew Debs, Muqing Di, Ava Diggs, Jaini Edmonds, Abigail Erickson, Oumou Fall, Zayvier Fields, Kamille Hylton, Yiwei Luo, Junyu Meng, Amina Mohammed, Roshara Morgan, Kallie O'Brien,, Heavynn Ogunfeitimi, Daniel Onyema, Brock Richmond, Emily Vo, Adina Williams, Ju Wu, Huanxi Xu

GRADE 11

High Honors
Hudson: Katherine Regis
Milford: Kaycee Conover
Rochdale: Erin Socha
Shrewsbury: Elizabeth Fernandez
Sutton: Sabrina Woolf
Worcester Cyndi Le, Jialei (Lala) Liu, Anna Nguyen, Haiyi Wang, Alexandra Ward
Honors:
Auburn: Sean Gilmartin, Hang Ly, Jia Tao
Charlton: Emma Bailen, Kenneth Graff
Cherry Valley: Jingyi Bai, Jieren Kou, Shuwen Zhang
Grafton: Alexis Desmarais, Gabriella Vescio
Holden: Hannah Nicoloro
Leicester: Emily Gibney, Nathan Novia
Millbury: Alexis Moscoffian
Millville: Michelle Riley
North Grafton: Abaigeal Carroll
Northborough: Jeong Ah Shon
Oxford: Kathryn Horan
Rochdale: Juliana Morrissey, Justin Turgeon
Rutland: Catherine Dinsdale
Shrewsbury: Varun Nathan, Ava Vincequere
Sutton: Reanna Mankaryous
Uxbridge: Matthew Worthington
Webster: Morgan Richardson, Alexandra Sobczak
Whitinsville: Marcos Morrissette, Michael Wickstrom
Worcester: Colivea Acquaye, Olivia Amorati, Olivia Ankrah, Dyson Barbour, Zuzanna Basta, Taylor Cordova, Yulianny De Los Santos, Adam Diliddo, Nicholai Faber, Helena Greenslit, Nan Guo, Ngoc Tran, Alvin Kouassi, Yuting Liu, Hannah Lynch, Clariese Natal, Julie Obeng-Nyarkoh, Nikolas Padilla, Arianna Stratman, Xuan Zhao.

GRADE 12

High Honors:
Holden: Ryan Prosser
Milford: Mitchell Baker
Oakham: Alexa Olson
Upton: Kaitlyn Schimp
Worcester: Alexa Giroux, Quy Nguyen, Ryan Saucier
Honors:
Barre: Megan VanDyke
Charlton: Meaghan Daniels
Clinton: Zachary Whitney
Dudley: Jared Berg
East Brookfield: Alexandra Button
Grafton: Zhengyang Wang
Holden: Molly Desautels, Han Yang
Hopkinton: Noah Kozub
Jefferson: Ashley Setterlund
Leicester: Kelly Krull
Marlborough: Carrington Leclerc
Millbury: Caitrinn Romaine
North Oxford: Nathaniel Elliott
Oxford: Brian Gionet
Rochdale: Yanpei Zhang
Rutland: Rebecca Goodney
Shrewsbury: Louis Davolio, Sunmin Lee, Ye Eun Lee, Hyerin Sung, Linjin Yuan
Southbridge: Grace Martinek
Spencer: Hannah Fitzpatrick
Sturbridge: Sarah Kowal
Sutton: Robear Mankaryous
Thompson: Kobe Akana
Uxbridge: Rachel Adam, Ryan Tonry,
Webster: Alyssa Wentworth
Westborough: Kathryn Smith
Whitinsville: Katherine Pingeton
Worcester: Tyler Adu, Zhilei Bian, Samuel Boakye, Conway Campbell, Jr., Zachary Debs, Amanda Gocklin, Emily Greenslit, Justin Humphrey, Ziliang Jin, William Kibe, Kevin Krusas, Ryan Lanava, Jinyu Li, Krystal Melendez, Destiney Monfreda, Mia Monopoli, Isabel Muhia, Jaclynn Ngo, Tina Nguyen, Samuel Ofosu-Ampofo Jr., Keelia Rabbett, Yadriana Williams, Keying Xu, Yuning Zhang.

Bartlett announces honor roll

WEBSTER — The following students have earned a place on the honor roll for the first quarter at Bartlett High School.

GRADE 9

High Honors: Talya Binienda, Kathryn James, Gabriela Piwowarczyk, Ryan Spitz, Ryan Truscott. Honors: Noah Azzaoul, Joseph Bartkiewicz, Jurnee Bonnick, Abena Bonsu, Brandon Boucher, Jayden Cuellar, Chase Czernicki, Joseph Dupont, Welfry Duran, Abigail Giguere, Juliette Griffiths, Christopher Hansen, Emma Hinchey, Andrew Hinkle, Ethan Hinkle, Samuel Kontoes, Raven Lucero, Julie Mercer, Katrina Mrzyglod, Vivian Poplawski, Jake Richard, Hannah Sullivan, Mitchell Toner, Tye Trotter, and Aaron Zalewski.

GRADE 10

High Honors: Anna Asamoah, Ahmed Azzaoui, Nathan Blythe, Benjamin Brodeur, Haleigh Carlson, Kelsey Connor, Nadia Gaber, Alyjah Gagnon, Sophia Gardner, Deanna Girard, Sok Leap Khem, Sasiwimon Komsin, Mason Lavache, Jocelyn Lewie, Mia Lipman-Tessicini, Chaya Lipman-Tessicini, Edna Mbugua, Igor Napoli, Gabrielle Nelson, Andy Nguyen, Corey Paradis, Madison Piehler, Riley Stawiecki, Jacob Vosburg, and Brittany Ward. Honors: Anna Asamoah, Wilson Aybar, Carin Bolos, Nikki Bolton, Camden DeSalvo, Jennah Desourdy, Natalie Duszlak, Jeykiel Gonzalez-Aponte, Madison Hart, Ford Jarmolowicz, Matthew LaBounty, Jocelyn Lewie, Logan Paranto, Joseph Pierce, Matthew Powers, Sean Stockhaus, Elias Taborda, Michael Toner, Brittany Ward, Brooks Williams and Jakia Williams.

GRADE 11

High Honors: Shannon Casey, Samantha Coombs, Julie Dwyer, Brian James, Garrett Mann, Shaye Parker, and Kyle Sullivan. Honors: Tyler Adolfo, Leighah Beausoleil, Mariah Belleti, Stephanie Boersma, Emma Bonneau, Alexis Brunell, John Bsoumai, Ashlee Cuellar, Emily Desrosiers, Vangjel Gjergo, Joseph Grundel, Allison Grzembski, Amyah Jones, Zachary Kraal, Jenna Lang, Zachary Legasey, Bradley Markiewicz, Katherine Martinez, Joseph McGonagle, Duncan McIntyre, Brandi Mercer, Ognjen Milosavljevic, Justice Ofori, Patryk Piwowarczyk, Julia Podedworny, Abbigail Poplawski, Marina Rezk, Ryan Rice, Scott Richard, Eric Vazquez, Breanna Veitenheimer, Allyson Wheeler-Ramsey, Johnathon Wilson, and Ryan Zalewski.

GRADE 12

High Honors: Connor Brennan, Caitlin Frabotta, Avory Gagnon, Olivia Houlihan, Phuong Le, Megan Marrier, Lays Napoli, and Michael Rose. Honors: Kyra Binienda, Jeffrey Bishop, Abigail Brodeur, Brent Chicoine, Rachel Connor, Amanda Donovan, Jared Drisco, Alejandro Espino, Emily Fitzgerald, Noah Fleming-Gayewski, Anya Gonzalez-Aponte, Dylan Hatfield, Alex Hetherman, Madison Johns, Noah Karlon, Caitlyn McLaughlin, Anthony Mercado, Zoe Paige, Dominic Palmerino, Alana Parrott, Caleb Paterson, Christopher Place, Alexander Polanco, Kelsey Prince, Joseph Resto, Owen Simonis, Kyle Stewart, Zoe Thomas, Dylan Thomas, Jonathan Truscott, Tiana Vega, Orion Walker, Alyssa Ward, and Ryan Zajac.

Friday's Child

Olivia and Aleah are friendly sisters looking to find their forever family together! Olivia is an artistic 9-year-old girl of African American descent. Some of Olivia's favorite activities include crafts projects and reading. In school, her favorite subjects are science and music. Olivia is an accelerated reader and has received high grades on her reading tests at school. Aleah is a 6-year-old girl of African American/Hispanic descent. Those who know Aleah say she has a bold personality. Aleah enjoys activities such as arts and crafts and playing with her bouncy ball. She also likes to play outdoors. Olivia and Aleah thrive in structured environments with a consistent routine. They could be successful in any type of family, with or without other children in the home. Any interested family should be strong advocates for the girls, and be open to engaging in ongoing services with them. Olivia and Aleah are legally freed for adoption.

Who Can Adopt?

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

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

To learn more about adoption from foster care, call the Massachusetts Adoption Resource Exchange (MARE) at 617-54-ADOPT (617-542-3678) or visit www.mareinc.org. The sooner you call, the sooner a waiting child will have "a permanent place to call HOME."

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EDITORIAL

Putting on the lights

It's the weekend after Thanksgiving, and we know that even last weekend people were out on ladders, putting up the holiday lights. A tradition we think America began in the 1940s and '50s in suburbia, at least searching for the source finds traditional wreaths and trees coming from Scandinavia, Germany and eastern Europe, but only America thought to string whole lines of lightbulbs on them once electricity became a common thing.

It was a quick step from stringing the tree to stringing the house, the yard, the outside trees, the fences…

And now we do it for holidays ad nauseum. We have blowup bunnies and hearts with cupids, Halloween characters and four-leaf clovers… name a holiday we decorate.

But we have found something we can buy into, even if we prefer a single candle in the window as our sole nod to recognition.

The last couple of years, we've heard about a drive to replace a single bulb visible at your home with a green hued one to honor those in the military. A nice gesture, and intended to be kept on at all times, beyond any holidays, as a tribute and recognition; a thank you.

Now, we have another, and this one is equally commendable. We intend to find a way to have both a green, and now a blue, bulb prominently displayed soon. The following is an explanation about the blue tribute bulb:

"PROJECT BLUE LIGHT

As you are preparing your Christmas decorations, which many people are putting up this weekend now that Thanksgiving is behind us, please keep in mind Project Blue Light, which asks that people put a blue bulb on a holiday display in one of their windows to show their support for law enforcement.

The tradition began in 1988 in Philadelphia, when a woman used such a light to honor her son-in-law, an officer who had been killed in the line of duty, and grew from there. The light honors all law-enforcement workers, not just the police. So far, this year, 118 law enforcement officers have lost their lives in the line of duty, nationwide.

To facilitate this honor, we are once again asking residents and businesses to please join us in Project Blue Light. Project Blue Light participation simply involves the placing a single Christmas candle in one of your windows, with the candle to be lit by a single blue bulb.

The purpose of the blue light is threefold:

First, the blue light is in memory of all of the men and women of law enforcement who have paid the ultimate sacrifice or have been disabled in the line of duty, this year and those before.

Second, the light is in honor of those who remain on duty and within the profession of law enforcement. Despite the threats of not returning home at the end of their shifts, they continue to report for duty daily.

Lastly, the blue lights are in appreciation of the officers who will be serving during the holidays. While many businesses are closed and families and friends gather to enjoy the holiday's festivities, officers remain on duty to protect our families, homes and businesses.

The placing of your single blue light candle is a simple process, but it says a lot. We ask for your support and assistance by participating in Project Blue Light."

The majority of people use one blue light in a window, but some people put up a display of blue lights. Law E\ enforcement workers appreciate the gesture, regardless of the number of blue lights."

Green lights, blue lights. A very nice gesture, recognizable as a tribute to those who are serving. Thank you for considering being part of it.

Advent a season of reflection

BEYOND THE PEWS

REV. PAULA J. TOLAND
PRIEST-IN-CHARGE
GRACE CHURCH, OXFORD

On December 3, the Episcopal Church, along with many other Christian denominations, enters into the Season of Advent. Advent is a solemn season, one of reflection and preparation.

Contrary to popular understanding, Advent is not about preparing for Christmas. Preparing to celebrate the birth of the incarnate God is a part, an important part, but it is not the whole of it. In Advent, we are preparing to meet the Risen Christ, to participate more fully in the Reign of God, to celebrate the realization of God's Kingdom.

Advent is a bit of a paradox, I think. It is both preparation for a "now" and a "not yet." We know that the birth of Jesus was God's inbreaking into the world in a way that had not been before, and has not been since. The Christian Christmas is a celebration of that reality, of God's grace given to us in the life and ministry of the man, Jesus.

As part of the Christmas story we hear of God's choosing of Mary to give birth and of Mary's humble and open-hearted acceptance of God's will. We hear of Joseph's willingness to cast aside his doubts about Mary and to enter into marriage with her, even though no one would have blamed him for walking away. We hear of angels and magi, of bright stars and precious gifts. We hear of people throughout the land understanding that this infant, born in humble circumstances, is no ordinary baby. We seek to model our faith, our lives, on these examples.

The birth of the incarnate God was and is cause for great celebration. Jesus the Messiah, Prince of Peace, Light of the World, born to change the world in ways we continue to try to understand. Even some of those who do not know Jesus as Lord and Savior, such as our Jewish and Muslim brothers and sisters, know him as a great prophet and teacher.

By God's grace the world was and continues to be changed. Jesus the man challenged those with whom he lived to live differently, to love differently, to invite the Spirit of God into their hearts and minds so that God's peace, God's justice, God's compassion, God's mercy, God's love, would become their hope, transforming them and all the world. We know these things. We are grateful for this knowledge. We know and are grateful for these things now. Christmas is a "now" celebration.

Jesus the Christ, whose Holy Spirit moves in and through us, continues to challenge the world in this way, always inviting us deeper into God's heart, the place of true transformation. We know these things. We are grateful for this knowledge. We know and are grateful for these things now. Easter is the "now" celebration of these things.

And yet there is more to the story. Advent is a time of preparation for the fulfillment of the Christian Scriptures, of the Second Coming of Christ. Although we are told that this time is coming, it has not yet come. We cannot know exactly what this will be, at least not in the same way we know what the first Christmas and first Easter were. While we are grateful for the promise of what is yet to be, we are grateful in anticipation, because we cannot know when or how the full manifestation of the Reign of God will come. And we are told that we need to be prepared whenever or however the promise is fulfilled. Advent is the season in which we are to be intentional in our preparation for the "not yet."

We do this year after year, in hopeful expectation. Those of us who mark the year with the liturgical seasons relive each year God's work in the world from the beginning of time through to the time we cannot know. We celebrate Christmas and Easter as world-changing signs of God's grace. We do that in the reading of our Scriptures: the Hebrew Scriptures and the New Testament. In the Episcopal Church, we make changes to our liturgy (worship). Some of our prayers change. Our hymnody is different, with lyrics that speak of waiting and preparation, and with melodies and harmonies that evoke a feeling of anticipation. We decorate in purple or blue. These changes in the rhythm of our life together, in the ways we pray and stimulate our senses to open our hearts and our minds, remind us that there is more to the story of how God has, is, and will continue to work in and through us. In Advent, we celebrate and prepare for the great "not yet."

Take action on 'Giving Tuesday'… and beyond

FINANCIAL FOCUS

DENNIS ANTONOPOULOS

You probably already know about the two big shopping days – Black Friday and Cyber Monday – that follow Thanksgiving. But did you know that Giving Tuesday is observed on Nov. 28? By showing your generosity on this day and throughout the holiday season, you can benefit charitable organizations and your loved ones – and your gifts can even provide you with some potential financial advantages.

So, what sort of gifts should you consider? Here are a couple of suggestions for the charitable organizations you support:

Give cash. Any charitable group will welcome cash contributions. And if the charity has 501(c)(3) status (named after the section of the Internal Revenue Code that governs such groups), your gift can offer you a tax deduction. So, for example, if you are in the 25 percent tax bracket and you give $1,000 to a qualified charity, you will be able to deduct $250 from your taxes. (You will need to itemize deductions to gain this tax benefit.) Generally speaking, your maximum deduction is limited to 50 percent of your adjusted gross income.

You might be able expand the reach of your cash gifts through your workplace. Some companies will match some of your contributions to charitable organizations. Also, your employer may allow you to apply for larger grants to support nonprofit groups, especially those in which many employees are actively involved.

Donate appreciated stocks. If you have stocks that have grown significantly in value, you may want to donate them to a charitable group. You will be allowed a charitable deduction for the full fair market value of the gift on the date of the transfer, even if your original cost was only a fraction of today's value. Furthermore, you will avoid the capital gains taxes you'd have to pay if you sold the stock, provided you've held the stock for at least a year.

You don't have to restrict your giving to charitable groups. If you have children or grandchildren, you might want to provide them with the gift of higher education by contributing to a 529 college savings plan.

A 529 plan offers several benefits. Contribution limits vary from state to state, but are generally quite high – you can accumulate more than $200,000 per beneficiary in many state plans, although special gifting provisions may apply. And you can typically invest in the 529 plan offered by any state, even if you don't live there, although you might not receive the tax benefits – such as deductions or tax credits – you'd get if you invested in your own state's plan.

Also, all withdrawals from 529 plans are free from federal income taxes, and possibly from state income taxes, as long as the money is used for a qualified college or graduate expense of the beneficiary you've named – typically, your child or grandchild. (Withdrawals for expenses other than qualified education expenditures may be subject to federal, state and penalty taxes.) Be aware, though, that 529 plans may affect financial aid, particularly if you've set up a plan for your grandchild, so you might want to consult with a college's financial aid office before the child heads off to school.

Through your gifts to charitable groups and your family members, you can take the spirit of Giving Day and extend it throughout the holiday season – and even beyond.

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The best gift of all

CHIEF'S CORNER

STEVE WOJNAR

The holiday season always has people searching for the perfect gift to buy for family or friends. This is even more difficult as we get older. We become tougher and tougher to buy for. The question always arises of what is a good gift idea for seniors? A suggestion I received a few years ago, is to give someone a practical gift they can use to assist them in their daily life or enhance safety in their home. Below are a few of the ideas.

Some easy purchases are gift cards. Perhaps one card can be for a person's favorite restaurant or grocery store. Car repair shops can give certificates for oil changes, annual inspections, car washes, parts, or repairs. Perhaps others could include gift certificates for heating oil, snow removal, newspaper or cable TV services, pet care, or hairdresser or barber services, and many others.

If actual gifts are more your style, try thinking about purchasing practical or safety related items. Anything that grips is extremely valuable. Consider grip socks, non-slip bathroom mats or strips for the tub, shower, or rugs. Possibly even an arm extender/gripper to pick up items without bending or reaching overhead.

Other items include: first aid kits, smoke or carbon monoxide detectors, medicine organizers, remote car starters, emergency car kits, a sturdy step stool, ice melt, medical alert ID bracelets, safe power cords, energy efficient bulbs or motion detection lights, flash lights, batteries, or safety vests to use while walking.

These are many things you know will hold great value to someone as they can use them in their everyday lives. There are many other gift ideas that can be useful and relatively inexpensive. These can serve a practical purpose for those you love. They can also enhance the quality of life for many people and prevent accidents and injuries. A list with other suggestions is available in our station lobby for anyone interested.

I wish to thank Principal Parmley, the teachers, and staff of the Mason Road Elementary School for allowing me to participate in the first ever Kindergarten "Gratitude Gathering" held on Tuesday, November 21st. The children enjoyed food, festivities, and the opportunity to dress up as Pilgrims, Native Americans, and Turkeys all in honor of the Thanksgiving Holiday. A great time was had by all.

As a reminder, our department is collecting Christmas gift donations for local families in need. New and unwrapped toys and clothing can be brought to the Dudley Police Department at 71 West Main St. Of particular need in the past were gifts for children between the ages of 10-17 years old. Monetary donations are also accepted. Checks should be made payable to the "Dudley Police Association" with a special note for the Holiday Drive. All contributions are for Dudley families and anything left over is given to local charities, such as Webster-Dudley Food Share. The Dudley Police thank everyone in advance for their continued generosity. Anything you can give will help bring some happiness to those who would otherwise go without during this holiday season.

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

Opinions expressed in this weekly column are those of Chief Wojnar only and unless clearly noted, do not reflect the ideas or opinions of any other organization or citizen.

Something for everyone at annual festival

DUDLEY — As one of the largest annual local craft fairs the Shepherd Hill Festival of Crafts continues to be an annual holiday tradition.

More than 150 crafters and vendors filled the halls and gym of Shepherd Hill Regional High School with students from the school all volunteering to make the event a success once again. The annual fair is meant to ring in the giving season by giving locals access to hand-made goods and treasures they can't find anywhere else. For 2017, the festival saw one of its largest and most successful years, with the proceeds of rentals of vendors going toward music programs and other causes at Shepherd Hill.

Jason Bleau photos

For those with a sweet tooth, fresh made cannolies from Joni's Cannolis did the trick.

As a surprise for the younger guests, Buddy from the hit movie "Elf" made an appearance at the craft fair..

Shawn Lebel shows off his creations under the brand name "Let the Fairies In".

Shepherd Hill Regional High School students were all decked out in holiday gear as they volunteered at their school's annual craft fair.

Lindsay of Woodstock, Connecticut shows off her purchases from Linda Spang Art.

Crafters from Vicky's and Maggie's Creations in Charlton show off some holiday themed goods.

Christina Pezzano of Worcester shows of a holiday-themed sled that will decorate her home this holiday season.

Among the most creative of offerings at the craft fair were these planes, hand-made out of drink cans to celebrate different sports teams and styles.

Potential buyers examine homemade goods at the annual Shepherd Hill Craft Fair.

Sleeping Bag Ministry seeking volunteers

Now that winter is here, there have been more calls for people in need of sleeping bags to help keep warm. Whether they are homeless through circumstances, been displaced due to fire or weather or simply ran out of fuel or have a broken-down heater that will take time to get fixed, the "Golden Bees" are working hard to make sleeping bags for them so they have a bit of warmth and know that people do care.

The Sleeping Bag Ministry at United Church of Christ Federated at 4 Church St. in Webster is looking for volunteers to help make sleeping bags.

At this time, what is needed are people who can work on their feet putting together the materials that then go to the sewers to make the sleeping bags. If you have time on Monday mornings from 9:00 a.m. to noon, consider joining the "Golden Bees" in this worthwhile cause of making sleeping bags for those who have been displaced.

Our sleeping bags have found themselves going all over the world. For more information, call our church office at 508-943-0061.

Also, if you have comforters you no longer use, consider donating them as they make great sleeping bags.

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Tri-Valley lunches: served Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays 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.

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: 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.

The Webster Senior Center will be closed on Friday, Dec. 22 and Monday, Dec. 25 in observance of the Christmas holiday. The Senior Center will also be closed on Friday, Dec. 29 and Monday, Jan. 1 in observance of the New Year holiday.

Fallon Senior Plan Open Enrollment Presentation to be held on Wednesday, Dec. 6 from 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Presentation will be held on the upper level of the Senior Center, elevator available.

Linda Littleton will be offering a painting with acrylics art class on Wednesday, Dec. 8. Cost: $10.00 includes supplies. Please sign up at front desk or by calling (508) 949-3845.

The Webster Senior Center Christmas Party will be held on Monday, Dec. 11th. Tickets are $12 per person. You must purchase your ticket by Dec. 5th. Appetizers will be served at 11 am, buffet lunch at 11:30 am followed by entertainment. Tickets may be purchased at the Senior Center front desk.

WEEKLY EVENTS

Forty Arroyo Fitness Classes: MONDAY: Beginner Line Dancing 10-10:45 a.m. Advanced Line Dancing 10:45-11:30 a.m. THURSDAY: Country Line Dancing 9:30-10:30 am. FRIDAY: Chair Dancing 10-11 a.m. Move While You Groove 1-2 p.m. All Line Dancing classes and Move While You Groove class are limited to 15 participants. Chair Dancing is limited to 20 participants. All classes cost $3 each.

MONDAY
Progressive Pitch: Every Monday and Wednesday at 1 p.m. No need to commit to a league, come and play when you can make it.

Knitting/Crocheting Social: Mondays 10 a.m.-noon

Yahtzee Social: Monday – Thursday 9 a.m.

Line Dancing Class with Forty Arroyo. Mondays: Beginner Line Dancing 10-10:45 a.m. Advanced Line Dancing 10:45-11:30 a.m. Each class costs $3. Sign up at front desk or call (508) 949-3845.

TUESDAY
Adult Coloring: Tuesdays, 10-11 a.m.
Bingo: Every Tuesday, starts at 1 p.m. promptly. Please plan to arrive by 12:45 p.m. to allow time to buy your bingo sheets.

WEDNESDAY
Progressive Pitch: Every Monday and Wednesday at 1 p.m. No need to commit to a league, come and play when you can make it.

Falun Dafa on Wednesdays from 9-10 a.m. (weather permitting) at the French River Park off Davis Street, Webster. In the case of inclement weather, Falun Dafa will be held at the Webster Senior Center located at 5 Church St. Please contact Juliet Jin at (617) 997-2711 between the hours of 8 a.m.-5 p.m. if you have any questions.

THURSDAY
13 Card Pitch: Every Thursday at 1:00 p.m.

FRIDAY
Friday Exercise Classes - Instructor: Forty Arroyo. Chair Dancing Class 10:00 – 11:00 a.m. and Move While U Groove class 1:00 – 2:00 p.m. $3.00 per class.
9-Card Pitch: Every Friday at 1:00 pm

Please call the Senior Center at (508) 949-3845 for a complete list of additional activities and upcoming events.

Dudley Senior Center

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coa@dudleyma.gov
Margaret Bussiere, Director extension 3
Hours: Monday-Friday 10 a.m.-3:30 p.m.)

For Tri Valley senior lunch program reservations call Inge Gassner, at (508) 949-9081

Tri Valley Lunches are served here on Mondays and Fridays at 11:30 a.m. A $3 donation per lunch is requested.

Important the new Elder Abuse Hotline for Massachusetts is 1-800-922-2275

Medicare Open Enrollment ends Dec. 7, you may change your insurance plan for next year. SHINE counselors can help you understand your plan changes, as well as any other options you may have. There will be group presentations, and/or you may schedule a phone or in-person appointment. Trained SHINE counselors offer free, confidential counseling on all aspects of Medicare and related health insurance programs. To schedule a SHINE appointment, call 1-800-AGE-INFO (1-800-243-4636)…then press or say "3". If you get the SHINE answering machine, leave your name and number. A counselor will call you back as soon as possible. Tri Valley Inc. also has a SHINE counselor available by appointment, call 1-800-286-6640 or 508-949-6640.

Call early to receive a pre-enrollment form, make that appointment, bring Medicare and insurance cards and a complete list of your medications. Do not wait until it's too late to make changes!

**Watercolor Painting workshop with Marguerite Gaddis has been postponed until further notice.

Friday, Dec. 1 at 10-11:30 a.m., BP Clinic and Ask the Nurse, with Joan Grindle LPN, Overlook VNA.

Monday, Dec. 4, after lunch COOKIE SWAP! Bring some cookies, get some cookies, YUM!

Monday Movie matinee will follow at 12:30 p.m. Movies this month will have a Christmas Holiday theme.

Wednesday, Dec. 6 at 6 p.m. town of Dudley annual Christmas tree lighting at the town hall. FREE refreshments, all are welcome to attend! Pssst, Santa will be here too!

Monday, Dec. 11 at 11:30 a.m., tuna sandwich lunch/soup, followed by ice cream social, Monday Movie Matinee at 12:30 p.m. Christmas/Holiday themed movie, snacks will be provided!

Friday, Dec. 15. at noon, annual Senior Christmas Party. Delicious catered chicken cordon bleu, red potatoes, roasted veggie, salad, roll, cheesecake, chocolate cake, small house wine, coffee, tea. Tickets are $10 per person and available now see Margaret, Alice, or Inge to purchase. Music entertainment/MC, will be Frannie Mik! If possible, please bring a holiday gift card, or a small gift which will be given to the local Salvation Army representative after the Christmas party today. Some gift ideas: new items, clothing, hats, scarves, mittens, socks, HBA items, gift cards, knitted/handcrafted goods, all will be donated to local families in the community who may need a little something special to help make their holidays a bit brighter. We will be donating all the fleece tie blankets made during our workshop! Thank you everyone for your generosity and thoughtfulness!

Monday, Dec. 18 at 9 a.m., Bemis Farm Fun Christmas Holiday Workshop. $15, please RSVP to Margaret

Thursday, Dec. 21, 3-5 p.m., Common Ground Memory Café at the Dudley Senior Center, FREE to caregivers/family/friends/ loved ones, and especially individuals who are suffering with memory issues due to Alzheimer's, dementia, Parkinson's, or other brain difficulties. Come and enjoy a fun date together, complete with a light meal and refreshments. We offer live music programs, art programs, games, ping pong, etc. The monthly Memory Café is meant to be a great time out together, sharing laughter, and non- judgmental, fun times! Please RSVP to Margaret. Walk- In" friends are always welcome! The Memory Café is scheduled to take place every third Thursday 3-5 p.m. This Memory Café, will feature, a music sing along with Bruce Joy and Dan Bellanger. Come and join us for some FUN and refreshments! This Memory Café is sponsored by Massachusetts Councils on Aging, through the Office of Elder Affairs.

Friday, Dec. 22 at 11:30 a.m., a Tri Valley Christmas Holiday Dinner, $ 3 donation. Please sign up with Inge if you'd like to attend.

December 25 and Jan. 1, we'll be Closed. The Dudley COA wishes everyone a Happy Hanukkah/Merry Christmas/Happy New Year! We hope 2018 brings to you and yours, good health, wealth, and happiness!

Winter Schedule

MONDAY: Chair Yoga @ 10:30-11:30 a.m., with Joanne LaLiberte HHP. Come join in anytime, it's great for your mind as well as your body! Monday Movie Matinee at 12:30 pm.

TUESDAY: at 1pm: Card Players, 13 Card Pitch, and Dudley Senior Women Needleworkers.

WEDNESDAY: at 1 pm: Dudley Senior Women Needleworkers.

THURSDAY: New Year, New Program: One to One Computer returns at 10 a.m. on Thursdays by Appointment, please call the senior center if you would like to learn how to use your laptop, new tablet, or smart phone. Our instructor will be Joyce Cordero who has an impressive background in computers. at 1pm: Cribbage players, (new players always welcome).

FRIDAY: Chair Yoga @ 10:30-11:30 am, with Joanne LaLiberte HHP. Tri Valley lunch is at 11:30am, followed by BINGO, a friendly, small group, slower paced BINGO.

Seniors did you know that you are welcome to attend any of our events or activities regardless of where you live? If you see something on our schedule you'd like to try, come join us! We like making new friends!

Don't forget, Panera Bread Donation is here on Friday mornings at 10 a.m., until it's gone! Thank you Panera!

UNITED WAY

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"So many vital services are available to those that need help and assistance, we are proud to be a part of the United Way family" he said. "

As a special treat from Gentex , two lucky guests at the breakfast win a pair of prescription glasses made from Essilor lenses manufactured here in Dudley and the finest lenses available anywhere in the world noted Scheffler.

United Way President of the Board of Directors Bill Keefe also thanked the agency partners for the wonderful work they do in the community.

"We are hopeful that this year's appeal will be a success. So many people rely on all of you for help and support and we are grateful you are all there to make a difference in so many people's lives. The campaign goal this year is $260,000 and every dollar from every donation really does make a difference," he said.

Funded partners from the 2017 Campaign which began on October 1st include the American Red Cross, Big Brothers Big Sisters, the Boys and Girls Club of Webster Dudley, Boy Scouts Mohegan Council, The Bridge, the CASA Project, Community Legal Aid, Family and Children's Services of Catholic Charities, the Family Health Center, Girl Scouts of Central & Western Massachusetts, the Guild of St. Agnes, Literacy Volunteers of South Central Massachusetts, New Hope, St. Vincent DePaul Society, Tri-Valley Inc., Tri-Community YMCA and the Visiting Nurses of Southern Worcester County.

Two days later on Nov. 5, United Way of Webster Dudley hosted the eighth annual Jazz Brunch fundraiser at Point Breeze Restaurant in Webster. Over 170 guests enjoyed a wonderful brunch buffet crafted by our friend AJ Alkire, great jazz music by the Jerry Seeco Trio and had an opportunity to win over 60 raffle prizes.

"The goal of the event is to raise $10,000 to get the campaign off to a good start. Special thanks go out to Webster First Federal Credit Union who donated $1,000 to the event and to everyone who purchased tickets, attended the brunch, donated raffle prizes and purchased ads in the United Way Jazz Brunch ad book," noted Scheffler.

Donations to our local United Way can be sent to United Way, PO Box 636, Webster, MA 01570. For more information on the United Way of Webster and Dudley or any of their funded partners visit their website at www.unitedwayofwebsterdudley.org.

The new committee to plan next year's Jazz Brunch are already meeting to get started.

SURVEY

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one for the town finances and another for education, to prevent the two entities from taking money from the same pool. It's a system the state itself has been examining with a recent auditor report suggesting the change especially for multi-town school districts.

"Overwhelmingly people support the change," said Briare. "A lot of people would like more information on the pros and cons of it, so I think this is something that will have to be tackled with the Board of Selectmen and with the state senators and state representatives. Let's look at this auditor report and see if Dudley can be the town that makes this happen."

Those surveyed also left individual comments on their submissions, many complimenting town officials, employees, and volunteers for their hard work. Briare said the results will be utilized going forward to help improve and perfect the concept of a five-year economic development plan for Dudley. Selectmen and Briare agreed that the results are only a cross-section of the community as a whole, but they see it as a good place to start.

BLACK STONES

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out crowd at the show's host venue, Kretschmann Brewery & Beer Garden in Webster.

Briand said the album had the extra challenge of a lack of practice time as the band found themselves having to learn the entire project in only a few months.

"We usually spend months getting it ready, but this time around we waited till the last minute. We started in September or October and by November first we were only half way through so we had to learn a lot of new material in a short period of time," Briand said.

The band compared the grueling preparation to crunching for a college exam and noted that they practiced nearly every night to get everything right in order to fully emulate the original album.

Bernier said the show came with a lot of pressure, but the band had confidence in what they had to offer to do the album justice.

"Even when we were done with 'Abby Road' we knew we had to do 'The Wall', but we knew it was a long album," Bernier said. "The excitement of the show outweighed the pressure of it."

With so many musical acts trying to make a name for themselves these days, the approach of the Black Stones to their art seems quite unique. Few bands work to fully emulate a classic album, especially one with as much clout and as big a fan base as The Wall. Monahan said the approach might be challenging, but it's what the band loves to do and they have even bigger plans for the future.

"We love all these albums and we wanted to kick it up a notch by doing one of the greatest concept albums of all time. We knew this would be difficult, which is why we practiced so much. The thing that kept us going with 'The Wall' is the fact that we kept adding more and more to the show. There was no turning back at that point," Monahan said.

The program included a series of multimedia and interpretative aspects to add to the show, including the building of an actual wall. For those who missed the sold out show over Thanksgiving weekend a second show has been scheduled Dec. 30, also at KBC Brewing in Webster, where the band will once again bring The Wall to life.

POLICE LOGS

Dudley Police Department

ARREST LOG

Friday, November 17

8:30 a.m. MV stop (Oxford Avenue) arrest: Rey F. Delgado, age 41 of 1 Sturgis St. #2, Worcester: speeding, operating MV with license suspended subsequent offense and out of agency warrant.

10 p.m.: MV stop (Mechanic Street) arrest: Webster, no further information provided.

Saturday, November 18

3:44 p.m.: MV stop (Cemetery Road) arrest: Eric Hardy, age 27 of 61 Poland Ave., Webster: operating MV with license suspended or revoked, unregistered MV, uninsured MV.

Sunday, November 19

12:23 a.m.: attempt to serve (Main Street) arrest, Webster PD no further information provided.

Monday, November 20

1:34 a.m.: disturbance, arrest adult female, age 22: A&B on family or household member.

Thursday, November 23

1:53 a.m.: disturbance (Myrtle Avenue) arrest, Webster PD, no further information provided.

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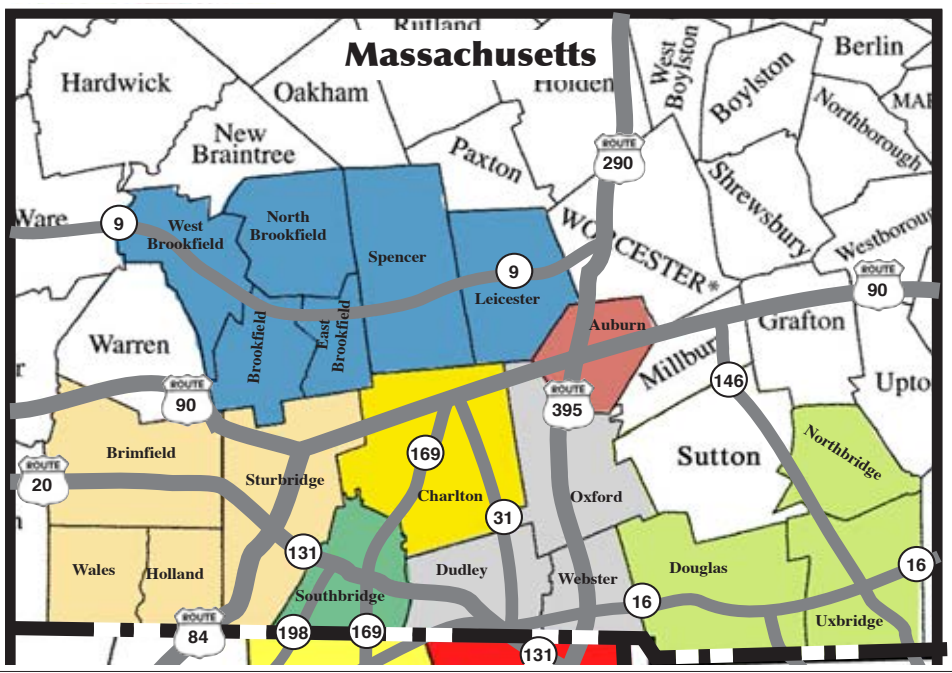

Sports

Indians air it out to win Thanksgiving game with Southbridge

Nick Ethier photos

Romeo Soto of Bartlett, who rushed for 59 yards, gains some ground here versus Southbridge.

Jesse Torres of Bartlett performs a spin move while carrying the ball, which in turn led to a 26-yard touchdown.

BY NICK ETHIER
SPORTS STAFF WRITER

SOUTHBRIDGE — With Southbridge High's defense packing the box to limit Bartlett High's talented rushing attack, the Indians found success airing it out via the pass in their annual Thanksgiving Day rivalry game with the Pioneers, this year played at Harry J. McMahon Field.

Bartlett tailback Jesse Torres did break free for a 26-yard touchdown run late in the first quarter to put points on the Indians' side of the scoreboard, but from there he threw for a touchdown pass and added three successful two-point conversion tosses to win the Captain Vincent Sabatinelli Trophy for being the game's MVP. As a result Bartlett won the game, 30-0, to regain the VFW Trophy.

"Jesse's a guy that has good playmaking ability and field vision and throws a good ball," said Dane Laboissonniere, head coach of the Indians, who last won on Thanksgiving in 2014. "He had a great day for sure."

"When I played backyard football with my friends I was always the quarterback and JV my freshman year I was the quarterback and we threw a lot. It's my thing I guess," added Torres.

Southbridge head coach Frank Koumanelis noted that "the pass killed us. It wasn't the run that killed us today."

The Pioneers got the ball first and nearly scored, marching from their own 39-yard line to Bartlett's 6. But Juan Tula-Rojas (13 carries, 61 yards) fumbled and the Indians' Dezman Gonzalez recovered the ball.

Bartlett shortly thereafter punted back to Southbridge, but again the Pioneers fumbled and Eric Vazquez recovered. Torres (eight carries, 59 yards) scored his 26-yard touchdown via a spin move at the line of scrimmage to create separation in the first quarter's final minute. Torres then connected with Johnny Torres on the two-point conversion pass to make it 8-0.

Southbridge had a successful drive to open the second quarter but saw it stall on a fourth-and-four play deep in Bartlett territory. Vazquez broke into the Pioneers' backfield and sacked Andre Chevres on a possible running back passing play.

"He was instrumental in us winning the game," Laboissonniere said of Vazquez, who earned votes for the Harry J. McMahon Award, given to the game's best defensive player. "He was great."

The Indians then punted but got the ball back quickly when Jesse Torres forced a fumble and recovered it. Then, his 20-yard passing play to Donald Speight set up a two-yard rushing score from Erik Kunkel two plays later.

Jesse Torres' two-point pass to Will Harding made it 16-0 — the halftime score — as the clock wound down in the second quarter.

A scoreless third quarter ensued until Bartlett put the game away with 8:48 to go. There, Jesse Torres (3 for 5, 60 yards) launched a deep pass in stride to Harding, who caught the ball and scampered into the end zone from 48 yards out. Jesse Torres then hit Johnny Torres on the two-point pass to extend the lead to 24-0.

Bartlett scored on the game's final play when Nate Whipple, a defensive captain, earned an offensive carry and scored from 15 yards out. That made it 30-0, which was significant since Brett LeBeau, a senior leader who wears No. 30, was ejected from the game just two snaps into the contest after a brief skirmish near the Southbridge sideline.

"You feel for the kid in his last game of his high school career…but you can still be a leader when you're not on the field," said Laboissonniere. "To get those kids to get the job done for him, they looked up at the scoreboard and said, 'Thirty, that's for you, man.'" The Indians were also playing for former Webster Police Officers Mike Lee and Cindy Johnson, both Bartlett High graduates who have passed away.

"We're proud to do it for Officer Lee and Officer Johnson," said Laboissonniere. "This season was really about honoring them and actually I'm on my way to go drop off the game ball to WPD."

For Jesse Torres, he called winning the MVP award "surreal" after the Indians — who finished 7-4 — lost in the Central Mass. Division 8 sectional title game.

"We would have loved to get that championship, but to actually win Thanksgiving means so much to us," he said.

Southbridge's rebuilding year finished at 1-10, but Koumanelis was proud of the way his team closed out their season.

"It's crazy to say, but I think we've come together as a team today," he said. "The thing I'm proud of about these kids is they stuck together — they didn't quit. It's so easy when you win one game to quit, but they didn't. They stuck together and I think you saw the results today. The score might say 30-0, but if you were here you would have seen a whole different game."

The Pioneers' Garrett Lazo earned the Harry J. McMahon Award thanks to his stout defensive effort. Lazo was also instrumental in the offensive attack, rushing the ball four times, completing three passes and catching another three balls.

Bartlett's Jesse Torres won the Captain Vincent Sabatinelli Trophy for being the game's MVP versus Southbridge. Torres ran for a touchdown and also threw a TD pass, along with three two-point conversion completions.

Nate Whipple and the Bartlett High football team are excited to take home the VFW Trophy after the Indians topped Southbridge High on Thanksgiving, 30-0.

Mohegan Bowl fall leagues, weeks ending Nov. 19, 26

Monday Men's Business
Single — Jon Dufield 148, Bruce Labay 142, Josh Antos 136
Series — Pete Caffrey 373, Jon Dufield 361, Nate Assanov 356
Series over average — Kyle Russo +60

Tuesday Chet's Social
Single — Dave Lamontagne 136, Tom Smith 127, Zachary Lamontagne 125, June Carpenter 115, Erin Van Dam 111, Kathryn Ward and Lorraine Brezniak 103
Series — Dave Lamontagne 380, Tom Smith 377, Ryan Pelletier 341, June Carpenter 305, Lorraine Brezniak 290, Erin Van Dam 287
Series over average — Tom Smith +65, June Carpenter +29

Wednesday Women's Industrial
Single — Tiff Jarmolowicz (Barber's Nook II) 125, Marie McNally (Nikki's Doghouse) 123, Joanne Grzembski (Nikki's Doghouse) 121
Series — Joanne Grzembski 342, Marie McNally 315, Tiff Jarmolowicz 303

Thursday Coffee
Single — Pat Blake 113, Barbara Penkala 110, Marsha Kallgren 107
Series — Marsha Kallgren 290, Tammy Moran 286, Lorraine Brezniak and Barbara Penkala 280
Series over average — Janet Strazzulo +44

Thursday Men's Industrial
Single — Scott Gauvin 169, Ken Bleau 133, David Blake 130
Series — Scott Gauvin 381, David Blake 354, Bo Gauvin 335
Series over average — Erick Mauke +93

Saturday Youth
Single — Robert Gordon 81, Jackson Schnare 78, Tyler Owens 77, Amelia Peterson 96, Savannah St. John 87
Series — Robert Gordon 229, Jackson Schnare 211, Tyler Owens 208, Amelia Peterson 259, Savannah St. John 208
Series over average — Brendan Moran +15, Amelia Peterson +4

Sunday Mixed
Single — John Dupuis 129, Brian Lavallee 121, Dan Farrar 115, Loda Blackmer 104, Rebecca Cloutier 103, Carol Turner 100
Series — Brian Lavallee 347, Todd Duddie 321, John Dupuis 316, Carol Turner and Rebecca Cloutier 280, Leigh Farrar 279
Series over average — Brian Lavallee +26, 31 Rebecca Cloutier

Monday Men's Business
Single — Dan Labay 137, Scott Gauvin and Jason Mahan 135
Series — Dan Labay 365, Scott Gauvin 358, Jason Mahan 356
Series over average — Dan Labay +35

Tuesday Chet's Social
Single — Tom Smith 126, Ryan Pelletier 119, Joe Pranaitis 118, Marsha Kallgren 127, Erin Van Dam 126, June Carpenter 107
Series — Ryan Pelletier 334, Tom Smith 332, David Blake 314, Marsha Kallgren 305, Brenda Mayer & Diane Levesque 292
Series over average — Alan Perreault +39, Marsha Kallgren +26

Saturday Youth
Single — Brendan Moran 79, Robert Gordon 76, Jackson Schnare 75, Amelia Peterson 96, Savannah St. John 81
Series — Robert Gordon 220, Jackson Schnare 213, Ben Gervais 199, Amelia Peterson 271, Savannah St. John 231
Series over average — Matthew Ezzell +12, Savannah St. John +24

Sunday Mixed
Single — Brian Lavallee 135, Angel Claudio 118, Dan Farrar 117, Carol Turner 107, Briana Baillargeon 104, Leigh Farrar 100
Series — Brian Lavallee 343, Dan Farrar, John Dupuis and Carol Turner 302, Leigh Farrar 279, Briana Baillargeon 270
Series over average — Trey Salce +20, Carol Turner +23

Sports

Pirates sink Bay Path for first Battle for Buffums victory

The Oxford defense is able to bring down Bay Path's Josh Troy.

Oxford's Niko Murray follows his blockers while carrying the ball.

BY GUS STEEVES
STAFF WRITER

CHARLTON — For the first time this century, Oxford High won its Thanksgiving Day football game as it edged past Bay Path Regional, 28-20, in the fifth annual Battle for Buffums. The Pirates previously defeated Auburn High in 1999.

"That was just a great Thanksgiving game," said Oxford head coach Jeff Clarkson, whose team finished an impressive 8-3 after a 1-10 season last year. "It went back and forth the way it's supposed to be played."

Actually, Oxford's ship got out of port faster and never lost the momentum. Although the Pirates weren't able to take advantage of winning the coin toss, their defense sacked the Minutemen quarterback in his first series of downs, and stymied Bay Path's second possession as Jason Panient intercepted an end zone-bound pass on the three-yard line with about two minutes left in the first quarter.

Oxford's offense immediately turned that around for a 97-yard touchdown run by Niko Murray and a two-point conversion. Murray would go on to score three of the four Pirate TDs, earning himself the game's overall MVP Award.

The following kickoff drew a chant of "fight a little harder" from the Bay Path cheerleaders, but the Minutemen couldn't turn their remaining minute into a score. In fact, neither side did during the second quarter either, which was most notable for a long Bay Path possession marred by penalties. At one point they faced a second-and-23 before ending with another sack.

Joel Erickson of Oxford gets a great block from James Cutroni and has time to throw a pass down the field.

Oxford's David Meech gets in front of a pass thrown to Bay Path's Daniel Keefe.

Halftime saw four inductions into Bay Path's Hall of Fame. Mike Salvaggio of the Super Bowl winning 2000-01 team was the male honoree for his record 4,240 total yards, eight 200-yard-plus games, 47 carries in a single game, among other exploits. The whole team was also inducted as the school's first championship team. Tasha Colon was the female inductee for playing three sports and winning first (1999) and second (2000) prizes in the precursor to the Skills USA competition. Longtime School Committee member and former Superintendent Clarence Bachand was awarded for his extensive involvement since the school began.

The Minutemen took advantage of halftime to regroup, hitting their target with a 37-yard TD run by Pat Dyer with 8:30 remaining in the third.

Less than a minute later, a brawl nearly started near midfield. The exact cause wasn't clear from the sidelines, but the entire Bay Path coaching squad ran out to break it up quickly, with one coach reprimanding a couple of his players to "pick up our guys and walk away." The players involved both ended up with unsportsmanlike conduct penalties.

Whatever had happened, the energy was soon channeled into scoring, as the teams traded rushing touchdowns to end the third quarter tied, 14-14. The crowd felt that energy, too, getting louder as the game progressed and drumming on their bleachers. Before long, though, most of the noise began coming from the Pirates' side.

Halfway into the fourth, Oxford was able to turn a bad snap into a good pass to keep their drive going. It ended with a quick 13-yard flick to Ryan Walsh for another TD and a lead Bay Path couldn't recover from.

They certainly tried, though, giving Dyer the ball for another running score with 3:01 remaining. But Oxford's defense snuffed out their two-point conversion up the middle and turned the resulting kickoff into another scoring drive. Once again, Murray scooted into the end zone on fourth down with just 43 seconds remaining.

Going into their last possession, a Bay Path player was heard to say, "we've got time to score. Let's go!" But two missed passes later, the clock ran out, and the Minutemen walked the plank.

"This is the game that both programs have been waiting for," said Bay Path head coach Matt Fall, whose team finished 6-5. "We've reached a point where we've built a rivalry we've been waiting for. Both teams had great plays and great speed."

Fall noted he was happy his team had "left ourselves a chance at the end," adding that "effort is the number one thing for Bay Path."

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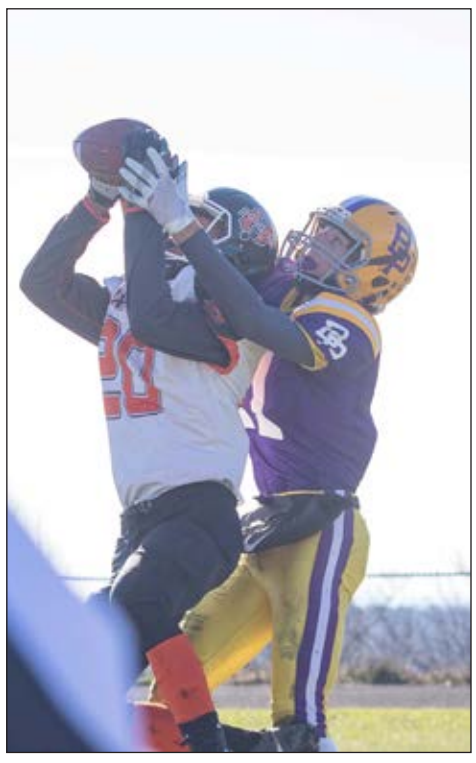

Jason Panient of Oxford intercepts a pass intended for Bay Path's Alec Desimone.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTEBOOK

High school basketball coverage to be broadcast on FM airwaves

Beginning Friday, Dec. 8, live coverage of MIAA basketball moves to a new home on FM stations WXRB-95.1 and WNRC-97.5, both of Dudley-Webster. These stations allow for a clear signal in the area at night and the opportunity to be on more than one FM outlet at times.

Matt Morway, a 31-year broadcasting veteran and New England Basketball Hall of Famer will continue to provide play-by-play, and he will still be joined by 27-year veteran Pete Geanis, a Gardner High School Hall of Famer. Live sports studio updates will be provided by Danny Dragin.

The broadcasting schedule, which is subject to change based on winter weather, is as follows:

Friday, Dec. 8: Bartlett at Oxford, 6:30 p.m. (WXRB, 95.1)

Tuesday, Dec. 12: Shepherd Hill at Tantasqua, 6:30 p.m. (WXRB, 95.1)

Tuesday, Dec. 19: Northbridge at Bartlett, 6:30 p.m. (WXRB, 95.1)

Wednesday, Dec. 27: Shepherd Hill at Fitchburg, 7 p.m. (WXRB, 95.1)

Friday, Jan. 5: Oxford at Bartlett, 6:30 p.m. (WNRC, 97.5)

Friday, Jan. 12: Tantasqua at Oxford, 6:30 p.m. (WNRC, 97.5)

Monday, Jan. 15: Bartlett at Shepherd Hill, 7 p.m. (WXRB, 95.1)

Monday, Jan. 22: Leicester at Bartlett, 6:30 p.m. (WXRB, 95.1)

Tuesday, Jan. 30: Shepherd Hill at Shrewsbury, 7 p.m. (WXRB, 95.1)

Friday, Feb. 2: Westborough at Shepherd Hill, 7 p.m. (WXRB, 95.1)

Monday, Feb. 12: Southbridge at Bartlett, 6:30 p.m. (WXRB, 95.1)

Sunday, Feb. 18: Clark Tournament (TBA)

February School Vacation: Clark Tournament (TBA)

Thursday, March 1: MIAA Tournament (TBA)

SPORTS BRIEFS

Ski or snowboard at Wachusett Mountain

Are you interested in having a lot of fun while also helping to make the winter fly by? Any student (8 years old and older), parent or teacher from any of the surrounding towns and states can ski or snowboard for eight consecutive Saturday nights at Wachusett Mountain for just $150 through the Southbridge Ski Club. You drive to Wachusett Mountain on your own. The eight-week program begins on Saturday, Jan. 6 and ends Saturday, Feb. 24. Ski or snowboard rentals, as well as lessons are also available at a very reasonable cost. You may also be able to ski or snowboard for free through your health insurance coverage. Also, anyone (students or non-students) can purchase gold, silver and bronze century passes at a lower discounted price through our Club. All eight-week and season passes must be ordered through the Wachusett website by Nov. 30 for these lower discounted prices. For more information on how to order, please contact Dick Lisi at (508) 410-1332 or at lisirichard15@yahoo.com.

Webster Youth Soccer now accepting online registration

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 Jan. 1 and for In-Town is March 15. Registrations may be accepted after the deadline if space permits, however, a $25 late fee will apply. The spring season starts in April.

Worcester State University to host various baseball clinics in 2018

With various baseball clinics at Worcester State University set for 2018, please visit wsulancers.com/camps-clinics and facebook.com/WSUbaseballclinics for more information. You can also call (508) 929-8852, (774) 230-3872 or email dbaker1@worcester.edu.

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.

Sports

Tantasqua shocks Rams for first Thanksgiving Day win in nine years

Jason Bleau photos

Quarterback Mick Sullivan of Shepherd Hill makes a dash through defensemen.

Blockers clear a path for a runner as the Shepherd Hill offense moves down the field.

BY JASON BLEAU
CORRESPONDENT

DUDLEY — Another year and another Thanksgiving Day matchup took place between the Shepherd Hill Regional and Tantasqua Regional varsity football teams. The Rams have recently owned the rivalry, taking the win every year since 2009. However, in 2017, the Warriors would not be denied as they pulled off the upset victory, defeating The Hill soundly at Carmignani Field, 32-15.

Tantasqua took advantage of mistakes on Shepherd Hill's part to open up a slim 14-9 lead by the end of the second quarter. When the two teams returned to the field the Warriors came out even stronger, scoring touchdowns in each of their first three possessions of the half. Tantasqua kept Shepherd Hill out of the end zone until the end of the second half, but at that point it was too late for the Rams to mount a comeback.

Tantasqua first-year head coach Jon Hargis said it was a very rewarding win for his squad, who had nothing to lose as they went into the game and looked to turn things in their favor this time around.

"We have a great group of seniors and they have worked super hard all year. We're sending them out the right way. This is a stepping-stone for us. I have to give credit to Shepherd Hill, they have a great team but our team did awesome against a tough opponent," Hargis said. "It really hasn't sunk in yet. To beat a team like this is just going to continue to progress us to where we want to go and we didn't have a great year this season. We'll end up 3-8 on the year, but a win like this helps us move toward the future. My name might be in the paper, but the 55 guys on this roster really made it happen."

Tantasqua sophomore Ryan Sears was named the Offensive MVP following the game after rushing for 144 yards and scoring a 17-yard touchdown. Sears was proud to see the team finally break through and take home the hardware on Thanksgiving Day.

"It feels great to be the MVP, but it's not about me. It's about the team. We did it as a unit. It's awesome to make this happen," Sears said. "Everyone worked hard for this. We did what we had to do and it felt really good to get it done. I've got a few more years to go so I want to help build up a new team. We start from scratch next year."

In addition to Sears' touchdown (with quarterback Colin Eliason hitting Liam Gore on the two-point conversion), the Warriors also scored on a Gore 1-yard run, a 10-yard touchdown pass from Eliason to Jack Dalton, a Sebastion O'Leary 39-yard run and an Eliason 1-yard run.

On the other side of the ball, Tantasqua senior Billy Jones was awarded the Defensive MVP award.

Hargis said he wasn't surprised by the success of his team and added he knew coming in that his players would give it everything they had to beat a tough and worthy opponent.

"This isn't a surprise for us. We've had a tough schedule and all the work that we put in we knew that if we kept battling and doing the little things correct that we've been preaching all season we'd get the job done," Hargis said. "Today was the first time we didn't have critical penalties or critical missed assignments. I challenged the seniors earlier to have a perfect game and they did. We battled every game, we have four close loses, but it's been a fun ride."

For the Rams, it was an eye-opening loss and one that first-year head coach and Shepherd Hill graduate Ryan Dugan said offered a learning experience for his players.

"Today was very humbling. I said that to the kids, 'losing is humbling.' Football is a very honest game and what happened on the field today is what should have happened. Tantasqua came to play and they were ready to play. They played hard, they played tough, they played physically and we didn't," said Dugan. "I hope this serves as fuel for our younger guys that there are no guarantees in anything, whether it's football or life, and if you don't go at it as hard as you can this kind of stuff is going to happen. Tantasqua played hard and they deserved the win."

On coaching his first Thanksgiving game as a head coach, Dugan said it was a fun experience and one that he has waited for.

"I've been coming to these games my whole life. I've played in the game and I coached in it as an assistant for seven or eight years. It really means a lot. Thanksgiving football in Massachusetts is still very important and it really is something that makes you thankful for what you have," said Dugan. "It might be a cliché but this is something we always look forward to and we were on the better side of it for a long time and this time we're not. Tantasqua deserves a lot of credit. We've got a lot of time to get better as coaches, players, and as a team for next year. We have a big offseason where we're only going to grow."

The Rams, who finished 6-5, scored on a Sean Mulcahy 32-yard field goal, a Cody Adams 11-yard run and a Mick Sullivan 9-yard run.

All signed up; Shepherd Hill's Norton, Pietz headed to SNHU for track, lacrosse

Makayla Norton, left, will run track at Southern New Hampshire University, while Tristan Pietz will be a member of the men's lacrosse team after both graduate from Shepherd Hill Regional.

BY KEN POWERS
SPORTS CORRESPONDENT

DUDLEY — The official colors of the athletic teams at Southern New Hampshire University are blue and gold, but for the next four years the Penmen uniforms will have a touch of "Shepherd Hill burgundy" as well.

That's because a pair of Rams — Makayla Norton and Tristan Pietz — have decided they will bring their considerable athletic talents to the Hooksett, N.H., school, beginning this fall. Norton and Pietz each signed their National Letter of Intent to attend Southern New Hampshire University (SNHU) in a dual signing ceremony held Friday, Nov. 17 at Shepherd Hill Regional, in the John F. Canavan Library.

William F. Chaplin Jr., the Shepherd Hill Regional Principal, was thrilled to have Norton and Pietz sign an NLI.

"I love each and every one of these occasions that we host. They are truly great moments," Chaplin said. "We can all see the hard skill set that Makayla and Tristan possess, it's all facets of their athleticism. But it's the soft skill set that they both have — determination, commitment, dedication, character and heart — that will take them both far in life, athletically and professionally."

Norton said she expects to compete in her signature event for the Penmen, the 400-meter run, and may even add in the 800-meter run. She is also an accomplished triple jumper, having won the Mid-Wach A League meet last year with a leap of 33 feet, 4-1/2 inches, which is her personal best in the event.

"I really liked the atmosphere at Southern New Hampshire when I visited," Norton said. "I met with the coach of the program, Lex Butler, and he gave me a tour. They're building a brand new track and they're very excited about where their program is going. They're an up-and-coming program and I am very excited to be a part of it. I think coach Butler sees me as a 400 runner. Depending on how things go, maybe I will run some 800s to see how it feels. We'll see when we get there."

Shepherd Hill track coach Nicole Fossas believes Norton is just beginning to scratch the surface of her potential.

"Last year I was able to get her to try the 400 and while she was reluctant to do so, when she did she realized that it opened up a whole new world for her," Fossas said. "Makayla has a great spirit and great versatility. She can run the 100, the 200, the 400, at some point maybe the 800, and she is also a great competitor in the high jump, long jump and triple jump."

Norton acknowledged she was hesitant to make the switch from the 200 to the 400 prior to last season.

"At first I was very nervous and very hesitant to try the 400 because I was all about the 200," Norton said. "As soon as I ran my first 400 I knew that it was my event, it was the event I needed to be focused on. I'm excited for it. I have strengths that work really well running the 400."

Pietz, like Norton, said SNHU is just what he was looking for in a place to continue his education.

"The location is perfect for me; it's not too far away, but it's not too close, either," said Pietz, who also considered attending UMass-Lowell. "I love the area, the coach [Paul Calkins] is great and the guys on the team are unbelievable. They're hilarious; I love them."

Pietz, who started playing lacrosse when he was 7 years old, lines up at the attack position for Shepherd Hill and expects to do the same at SNHU. Last year he was the seventh-leading scorer in Central Mass., with 96 points (44 goals, 52 assists). As a sophomore he was No. 14 in scoring in Central Mass., with 77 points (32 goals, 45 assists).

"Since the day Tristan set foot at Shepherd Hill he's been the most dominant player here," Rams' lacrosse coach Mark Kelley, who is also the school assistant athletic director, said. "He's been a league all-star and team captain for three years. As phenomenal a player as he is, he's an even better human being. In Tristan, Southern New Hampshire University is getting the best of both worlds."

Perhaps the most interesting thing about Norton and Pietz signing on the same day is the fact that neither discussed it with the other.

"We're friends; we're in the same English class, but I had no clue that she was also going to Southern New Hampshire. Then, she tells me that we're signing our letters on the same day. I'm very excited that she is going there as well," said Pietz.

Norton learned of Pietz's interest in SNHU from a mutual friend.

"Tristan and I, we never discussed it," Norton said. "We're in English class together and I toured the college and never even thought about it. Now, here we are, signing on the same day. It will be cool to know someone there, to have a friendly face on campus. That will be nice."

Courtesy photo

The Shepherd Hill girls' cross-country team, represented as Ohana Track Club, raced in the Nike Cross Regionals Northeast Championship Meet on Saturday, Nov. 25. The team consisted of, from left, Kasey Clark, Helena Duke, Rebekah James, Audrey Carragher, Emma Sullivan, Christina Gunsalus, Emma Whitehead and Gabby Lawrence.

SHEPHERD HILL CROSS-COUNTRY TAKES TALENTS TO NIKE CROSS REGIONALS

Following a fourth place team finish at the Division 1 cross-country state meet a week prior, the Shepherd Hill Regional girls' team traveled to Bowdoin Park in Wappingers Falls, N.Y. for the Nike Cross Regionals Northeast Championship Race on Saturday, Nov. 25.

All six New England states, plus New Jersey and Pennsylvania, competed and the girls from Dudley and Charlton placed ninth in a field representing some of the best teams in the region. The rules do not allow for high schools to enter teams directly, so the girls entered as Ohana Track Club.

Easy Homemade Holiday Gift Ideas

TAKE THE HINT

KAREN TRAINOR

The holidays are here, and if you're scrambling to find the perfect present on a budget, you're not alone. Before you run out to search a token present from picked over department store leftovers, or recharge a chain store gift card, read on. Today's giving philosophy is focused on simplifying, and a homemade touch can make the difference between a dull or dazzling present.

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Festive Guest Soaps: These "semi homemade" fragrant soaps are a nod to nostalgic soaps from days of yore. Fancy, yet practical, these impressive soaps make the perfect hostess present. Or add a few to a basket along with a pair of coordinating hand towels for a sensational gift set.

Ingredients: glycerin bar soap (available at dollar stores); dried flowers such as lavender, chamomile, etc.; dried herbs or herbal tea bags; essential oils.

Instructions: Cut glycerin soap bars into chunks and melt in a double boiler or (carefully) in the microwave. Stir until melted. Skim off any top residue that may form. Gently stir in dried flowers and herbs. Pour melted glycerin into soap or candle molds. When thoroughly cool, remove soap from mold. Embellish for gift giving by wrapping a grosgrain ribbon once around the soap, securing with a floral sticker. Or wrap in tissue paper and tie off with ribbon.

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Homemade glycerin soaps as made above are fantastic bath gift items for family members too. Chop unscented glycerin soap bars and melt – individualize them as follows:

For men: toss in a little white sand for an effective abrasive hand soap that's ideal for the workshop.

For women: the addition of poppy seeds, oatmeal or coffee grounds makes an excellent exfoliate soap.

For kids: Poke a plastic bug or other small safe toy surprise in the soap before setting.

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Gourmet Condiment Basket: Fancy imported mustards and gourmet vinegars can be costly. All you need are some inexpensive ingredients and a few embellishments to conjure up a gift basket worthy of the fussiest of cooks! Mix up a couple of small jars of flavored mustard and add a tall decanter of vinegar for a complete gift.

Base Mustard Recipe

This base recipe uses the addition of ingredients (posted below) to prepare various gourmet mustards. Makes one cup.

Ingredients: Three ounces of brown or yellow mustard seeds; one quarter cup brown sugar; one teaspoon salt; one teaspoon cracked pepper; one teaspoon turmeric; seven eighths of a cup wine or white vinegar.

Instructions: In a blender, mix together mustard seeds, sugar, salt, pepper and turmeric. Add the vinegar one tablespoon at a time to form a coarse paste. Let mixture rest for about 15 minutes. Add the additional gourmet ingredient flavors below. Spoon into a tightly capped jar. Label jar with mustard name. Make up a gift tag with instructions to allow mustard to cure for two weeks before serving.

Gourmet Blend Additions (add to one cup base recipe)

Clove Spice Mustard: add one teaspoon of cloves; Tarragon Mustard: add a pinch of cloves and one teaspoon tarragon; Horseradish Mustard: add up to one tablespoon of grated horseradish; Hot Garlic Mustard: add one dried chili pepper and one garlic clove.

Note: Small jelly canning jars are ideal for packaging gift mustards. You can fill two jars with this one cup recipe. Use your computer to make up unique labels.

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Scented Home Décor Medallions: These fragrant air fresheners make a fashion statement! They can be hung on a doorknob, in a closet or all around the house. Can be made with candy or candle molds as well as soap molds.

Materials: plaster of Paris; pearly craft paint; essential oil; soap or candle molds; ribbon

Instructions: Mix plaster according to directions on package and pour into molds. Each medallion requires two identical molds. When completely dry, remove from molds. Using a pearl or enamel, paint front and sides of each form as desired. Leave a small area at the top of each mold unpainted. Apply a finish coat over paint. When dry, apply several drops of essential oil to the top of medallion. The unpainted area is porous and fragrance will be absorbed by the medallion. Cut a loop of ribbon and glue to the back of one mold. Glue the molds together back to back, securing carefully with a vise if necessary to press seams together. When dry and secure, suspend wherever a fresh scent is desired.

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Heirloom Tea Spoons: Vintage silverplate spoons coated with candy provide a sentimental sweet treat for tea drinkers. Silver plated spoons are inexpensive and readily available at flea markets or antique shops. Wrap a few of these stirrers in cellophane and tie with a ribbon. To sweeten the deal, present a matching set of spoons along with a selection of loose tea.

Ingredients: Approximately 35 pieces hard candy, crushed (lemon and cinnamon are great with tea); two tablespoons corn syrup.

Directions: Line a cookie sheet with wax paper and spray with cooking spray. In a heavy saucepan combine crushed candies and corn syrup. Melt over low heat stirring frequently. Spoon candy into bowl of each spoon. Place spoons on cookie sheet with handles on rims to make spoons level. Allow to harden.

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Win Dinner for Two

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 dinner for two at the renowned restaurant, located on Route 131 across the town common in historic Sturbridge. Because I'm in the business of dispensing tips, not inventing them (although I can take credit for some), I'm counting on you readers out there to share your best helpful hints!

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

SHEPHERD HILL

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Excited band members line up before taking the field at division competition.

The band members try to keep it together to get at least one good group shot

top trophy in Division 2. Band Director Dave Macuga said it was a proud moment for him, and his students, to share as they took the field and gave it their all.

"We did the same two years ago, so it's been a good couple of years and the weekend before we came in first in our division in the New England Scholastic Band Association competition. That's kind of the competitive circuit in New England for marching bands. We had great success. There's a lot of bands from everywhere that come out and put out a fight to try and be judged the highest and every year we have an incredible group of kids that work very hard and this year was no exception," Macuga said.

Students spent hundreds of hours preparing their routine for the big show, starting back in May with freshmen being welcomed into the program and ending in September before competition season kicked into high gear.

Macuga complimented the students for their hard work and their ability to adapt and bring themselves to a higher level of determination to bring home the prize for their school.

"I'm actually a Shepherd Hill graduate and to carry the tradition of hard work and excellence has been great and to see the kids experience the huge pay off of all the work they've put in has been great," Macuga said.

"To be successful you have to have bad days as a teacher or student. For these students to be champions, they had to learn from mistakes and adjust faster than other students in other bands. We had to work smart and to see them day after day work harder and smarter was great and it really paid off for everyone. To be at the top you have to overcome the bad days and you have to be real and take every day as a new challenge to overcome."

The significance of the victory and the hard work put in to make it all possible has not gone unnoticed or unappreciated by the students who took part in the band's successful run. Drum Major and senior Camden Boggio, who was thrust into this leadership position in the band for the first time, said it was a rewarding experience he will never forget.

"I feel honored to know that I was one of the leaders who led the team to the ultimate victory. I also felt extremely accomplished because of the amount of new members in marching band there were this past season and the fact that we pulled off such an amazing feat with so many rookie members who are not only just new to the Shepherd Hill band program, but new as well to the marching activity as a whole," Boggio said. "Watching the transition of the band from the beginning of the season with all of our brand new members, to the end of the season with all of us gathered around our 9 foot 7 inch tall trophy was truly remarkable."

Sophomore Drum Major Allison Donais agreed with her fellow bandleader, and complimented the band as a whole for coming together to earn the trophy.

"The Shepherd Hill marching band is an extremely dedicated group that works countless hours to progress their show to the highest level we can," Donais said.

"Winning does feel pretty amazing considering all of our hard work, but it's really the progress and memories we make and the people we meet along the way that mean the most to me."

A rookie band member, freshman tuba player Timothy Berthiaume, got to celebrate a championship in his first year in the band and said it was something he will not soon forget.

"It feels amazing to be part of a great generation of amazing music and memories," Berthiaume said. "I loved how we worked so hard to achieve our goal of winning Nationals and I'm so glad it all paid off."

The marching band returned home following the Veterans Day holiday weekend with warm welcomes and congratulations from residents, officials, and school leaders for becoming champions for the second time in three years.

INVESTIGATION

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Wage and Hour Division's Northeast Regional Administrator Mark Watson Jr.

"This action resolves allegations that this employer robbed low-wage workers of money that they had earned, while at the same time gaining an unfair advantage over honest businesses," said AG Healey. "Companies can't cheat their workers and I am glad that through this settlement, hundreds of workers will now get paid the wages they are owed."

The company, Shield Packaging, Inc., sells custom aerosol packaging products and workers primarily fill, label and package aerosol containers on assembly lines. The AG's Office alleges that the company used staffing agencies to pay its workers in an attempt to protect itself from liability.

In a state settlement agreement with the AG's Office, Shield Packaging, its president George P. Bates and plant manager A. Bruce Simpson have agreed to pay more than $564,000 for alleged violations of state laws including failure to pay minimum wage, hindrance, and paystub violations.

In a related federal settlement with USDOL, the employer has agreed to pay more than $210,000 in back wages and an equal amount (another more than $210,000) in liquidated damages to workers for alleged violations of federal overtime law.

The investigation revealed that between August 2014 and October 2016, temporary workers at Shield Packaging were paid at an hourly rate below the state minimum wage. They were also not paid proper overtime premiums because those are based on the underlying rate, which was below minimum wage. Overtime was not paid to compensate employees for time spent putting on and taking off safety equipment as required by federal law.

Additionally, the AG's Office determined that two employees were allegedly instructed to misrepresent and obscure facts to the AG's investigators during a site inspection.

The AG's settlement requires that Shield Packaging strengthen their recordkeeping practices, as well as strictly monitor the payroll practices of any staffing agency that they work with.

Senior trial attorney Susan Salzberg of the Department's Boston regional solicitor's office provided legal support in this matter.

The Wage and Hour Division is committed to providing employers with the tools they need to understand and comply with the variety of labor laws the Division enforces in a variety of languages. It offers useful resources ranging from an interactive E-laws advisor to a complete library of free, downloadable workplace posters. In addition, the Division's community outreach and resource planning specialists conduct ongoing outreach activities to educate stakeholders, including employers, employees, business and labor groups and professional associations, among others, with accessible, easy-to-understand information about their rights and responsibilities.

For more information about the FLSA, contact the Division's toll-free helpline at 866-4US-WAGE (487-9243) or its Boston district office at (617) 624-6700. Information also is available at http://www.dol.gov/whd.

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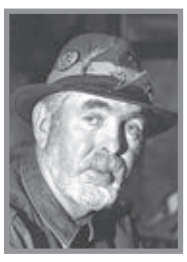

The Great Outdoors

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The Massachusetts archery deer season came to an end this past Saturday November 25, & shotgun season followed with only a one day lull. Shotgun season will see a lot of impressive bucks taken during the first few days, if all of the stories about archers spotting big bucks during the archery season were true. Deer hunters are reminded that all deer must be brought to a checking station during the first week of the shotgun deer season. After that they can be checked in on line at the fairly new system which can be found at the massfishhunt website.

Just because the archery deer season is over for most deer hunters, some still prefer to hunt with their bows, which is perfectly legal. They can also hunt deer with their black powder guns if they wish. Some of the latest black powder guns are extremely accurate and are preferred over a shotgun by many. Hunters also enjoy the challenge of harvesting a deer with a bow or black powder gun.

After a deer is harvested, field dressing the animal should be done as soon as possible, and it needs to be done correctly to ensure that the meat does not become tainted. After the deer is field dressed it needs to be stored in a cool and controlled temperature to ensure the meat does not spoil. Skinning and processing the meat needs to be done within a few days. Deboning all of the venison is the best way to go.

Having an experienced butcher process and package the meat is essential if you are not able to do it yourself. Choosing a reputable meat processer should be done to ensure that you are getting venison from your deer and not someone else's. Most Rod & Gun Clubs can recommend a good meat processor, as well as some of the local sporting goods stores.

Having your venison cut and packaged properly will provide your family and friends with some great eating. Making hamburger and sausage needs to be explained to the processor prior to leaving the deer off. You should retain the two tenderloins inside of the deer cavity for eating the day after it is harvested. Too often the tenderloins are left in the deer cavity and spoil or dry out after a few days.

Proper skinning of the deer is essential if you are going to have the head mounted by a taxidermist. Choosing the right taxidermist is very important! Ask to see some of his or her work. In the past, some hunters needed to wait a few years to get their mounted deer back. Be sure to get a finished date, and never pay for your mount in full prior to picking it up. Six months to a year is reasonable time for a deer head to be mounted.

The 2017 Massachusetts pheasant hunting program is over. The pheasant season closed this past Saturday Nov. 24. The stocking of pheasant by Mass. Fish & wildlife this year was receiving high marks by many hunters. Although some of the birds were small at the start of the season, the last two stockings had some very large birds. Two Connecticut Valley District stocking trucks allegedly had a person affix GPS tracking devices to presumably monitor the stocking routes. Now that we live in the age of high technology some people always find ways to take advantage of the system. Environmental police and the Attorney General are investigating the situation.

Tautog fishing remains very good in both Mass. & Rhode Island waters. This week's picture shows a possible world record tautog weighing in at a cool 28 pounds a couple of years ago. Photo courtesy of One the Water Magazine.

Sportsmen that harvest a big buck similar to this week's picture, can have their picture in this column by sending it tooldsalt_65@msn.com. Courtesy photo!

Wishing everyone a happy and safe Holiday season.

Take A Kid Fishing And Keep Them Rods Bending!

Courtesy photo

This 28 pound tautog holds a record for largest.

A fine looking buck taken this year.

Farm steam engines

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According to its website, the Woodstock Fair began in 1809. The Connecticut fair's attractions include the usual animal and agricultural exhibits you'd expect at a fair. Having the opportunity to watch running antique steam and gas powered engines doesn't take place at many local fairs though. Steam engines were an important part of our country's expansion, as the transcontinental railroad linked the east and west. The steam engine played an important role in American farming as well.

Thomas Savery is credited with inventing an "engine to raise water by fire" in 1698. Thomas Newcomen created the first practical steam engine in 1712. Because Savery had such broad patents, Newcomen was forced to partner with him when he created his engine. The Newcomen engine used atmospheric pressure to push down a piston after condensed steam created a vacuum in the piston, according to Encyclopedia Britannica. James Watt made important improvements to the steam engine. Watt was repairing a Newcomen machine, in 1764, when he noticed that a large amount of steam was lost. He created a separate condensing chamber that prevented massive loss of steam and made the engine much more efficient.

Advances with the steam engine continued and it was applied to moving vehicles by the early 1800s, according to historylink101.com. The enormous weight of the engines limited their use. In 1850, the first steam engine was used for plowing in Europe. The machine could plough 10 times the amount that a horse could plough in a day. However, the machine was costly and cumbersome. Horses remained the main power source for farming until the early 20th century.

The timeline on the American Society of Agricultural and Biological Engineers' website chronicles the use of steam engines in farming. In 1832, stationary steam engines were manufactured by James Allaire for agricultural and other purposes. One of the first successful "steam plows" was used in 1858 and patented in 1859, by John W. Fawkes of Christiana, PA. Steam engines and threshers were produced by Aultman and Taylor Machinery Co. of Mansfield, OH beginning in 1865. Between 1870 and 1920 there were 65 manufacturers of farm steam traction engines in North America.

Manufacturers also made engines for other types of farm use. Hot air pumping (Stirling) engines were developed in the early 19th century according to rustyiron.com, an "Antique Engines & Machinery" website.

John Ericcson built the ironclad U.S.S. Monitor, which famously battled the Confederate ironclad, Merrimack (renamed Virginia), during the battle of Hampton Roads during the Civil War. Ericcson had patents prior to the Civil Warm dating back to 1826 for Stirling engines. Ericcson partnered with Alexander Rider to produce his engines later in the 19th century. The engines were used to pump water. Technological improvements continued to take place during this time. Gas engines eventually replaced steam and hot air engines.

We are offering a Rider Ericcson engine in the Northborough online farm auction. The auction preview takes place December 9th and 10th and the bidding ends on December 13th.

Our next live auction will take place in Worcester on January 25th. Other events are being planned. See www.centralmassauctions.com for details.

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Project to highlight women

CHARLTON — The Overlook retirement community will unveil a unique traveling exhibition, The Reunion Project featuring Boston artist Lora Brody on Dec. 15. The Reunion Project Featuring the Women of The Overlook, will spotlight 40 women, presenting photographic images, text, and spoken word.

"Then I was… Now I am…"

Brody is a visiting research associate at the Women's Study Research Center of Brandeis University, where she is working on a multi-media project about aging as documented in image, text and spoken word. She is an award winning photographer, Brody's photographs have been published on the cover and in feature articles in The Boston Globe Sunday Magazine and The Cape Cod Times.

The Reunion Project, a celebratory presentation focusing on women and aging, uses the combination of art and narrative, designed to encourage older women to reflect on their memories and recognize the wisdom that comes with age.

The impact on the participants was summed up by Brody: "The women shuffled in and danced out." The Reunion Project observes and captures the images of senior women as they reflect on who they were as teenagers and who they are now."

The project culminates in an art exhibit featuring photographs and quotations that will be on display at The Overlook Retirement Community's Performing Arts Center in Charlton. The Women of The Overlook exhibit will debut on Dec. 15 with an opening reception at 6 p.m., and the unveiling of the gallery at 6:30 p.m.

The Overlook in Charlton offers retirement living on 450 spectacular acres in Worcester County. Located in the heart of New England, The Overlook is a short distance from the cities of Boston, Providence and Hartford; and offers residents a bevy of amenities and artful opportunities on the idyllic campus.

Oxford Middle School honor roll

OXFORD — The following students have earned a place on the honor roll for the first quarter at Oxford Middle School.

GRADE 7

High Honors: Ayton Banfill, Genevieve Bartlett, Isabella Biedrzycki, Zoe Butzke , Carly Cornacchioli, Claire Crossman, Aidan Diamond, Caiden Dumas, Ty Dupuis, Hallie Gaudette, Ciara Gendron, Noah Glispin, Julius Guillen, Paige Gustafson, Lyla Hunter, Samantha Inangelo, Jenna Katsoulis, Teagan Keefe, Lucas Lambert, James LeProhon, Anna L'Esperance, Connor McCarthy, Hannah Pierce, Evan Remington, Brianna Rivera, Emma Robertson, Sydney Ryder, Evelyn Smith, and Matthew Szela.

Honors: Daniel Alamo-Abad, Hannah Alvarez, Jonathan Baraklilis, Samuel Boucher, Benjamin Burke, Connor Burke, Michael Chansignavong, Crystal Curving, Kaitlyn DeJesus, Christopher Derry, Makenzie Durgin, Lily Eastman, Mikayla Escolas, Damien Falconer, Zachary Finizza, Aidan Forcina, Zachary Ford, Dylan Fox, Abigayle Frappier, Aiden Gelardi, Osiris Gonzalez, Skylah Goodrich, Lillian Harvey, Lauren Hennessy, Braydon Hickey, Matthew Hoyt, Anthony Jancewicz, Isabella Jordan, Tyler Kasprzycki, Hunter Kelley, Elizabeth Kissi, Jacob Labelle, Jason Lavallee, Noah Lomax, Daltin McCarthy, Dylan McDonald, Jayme Melanson, Brielle Morse, Justin Murphy, Ana Julia Neves, Lily Nolin, Sebastian Pabon, John Perveiler, Trevor Phillips, Lilly Rayess, Patrick Reed, Abigail Rochette, Riley Sargent, Nolan Sharry, Robert Shaw, Kiley Shea, Leigha Staniunas, Mya Szkutak, Evelyn Torosian, Logan Velez, Mackenzie Vieira, Mariah Vieira, Jailyn Wariebi , and Benjamin Wing.

GRADE 6

High Honors: Matthew Beals, Ryan Bray, Evan Byrnes, Allison Carney, Gabriel Dadah, Andrew Demicco, Kaila Donahue Seely, Andrew Grniet, Hannah Harris, Angelica Kopec, Daniel Kudron, Abby Lewis, Catherine Magnusson, Madison Nolin, Melanie Noonan, Jessica Parent, Adrianna Roszkowski, Cody Sexton, Andrew Shultz, Alexis Silva, Catherine Sirard, and Logan Snow.

Honors: Jenna Albert, Abigail Alicandro, Sophia Balestracci, Kristiana Benvenuti, Caeley Bishop, Luke Boliver, Samantha Buchanan, Kenzie Bylund, Kayla Carrier, Juliana Cartagena, Lillian Cybula, Pedro Augusto Da Silva, Elizabeth Davis, Austin Deso, Jake Dwinell, Robert Fisher, Jenna Gajewski, Marcus Graham, Lauren Gullbrand, Natalie Hayes, Derek Hosley, Kenny Huang, Cody Huard, Nicholas Jablonski, Cory Krantz, Mateo Lavallee, Nolan Libby, Brady Margoupis, Mackenzie Masters, Payton McCarraher, Trevor Millette, Gavin Nawrocki, Anabelle Newton, Dominic Nitti, Anais Ortiz, Noelia Ortiz, Nicholas Perry, Colin Plante, Kaylei Prunier , Reese Reynolds, Emma Rice, Jewelisa Richardson, Genesis Rivera, Kaycie Rodgers, Jeremiah Rojas, Zachary Sabotka, Alexa Sherwin, Ava Sledzik, Faith Southwick, Brady Staniunas, Arianna Stukowski, Alan Suklis Jr., Lucas Sylia, and Elias Vargas.

GRADE 5

High Honors: James Burke, Maximus Costa , Nathan Davis, Amina De Faria Gomes, Caitlin Diaz, Dylan Dipietro, Ian Farber, Hailey Filipkowski, Isabella Geragonis, Reyna Gonzalez, Jonathan Grenier, Paul Hanlon, Valerie Hilner, Madeline Joyce, Rylie Keefe, Valerie Magill, Emma Martin, Brayden Mercier, Alexander Paradise, Eva Powers, Marta Slanda-Hellstrom, Savannah Steiner, Jacklyn Thomas, Sean Tyrrell, Christopher Ucher, and Daniel Wing.

Honors: Alyssa-Rae Anderson, Abigail Bartlett, Kayla Benoit, Nathan Brown, Nicole Brzozowska, Evangeline Chansignavong, Sophia Cornacchioli, Mariah Cutroni, Kayla Dodge, Gabriella Dube, Chloe Dumas, Gabriel Elwood, Anna Forcina, Owen Girard, Maxx Judson, Dylan Kasprzycki, Ella Kirkpatrick, Enzo Lagares, Gianna LaRose, Dominic Marino, Alison Masi, Annie Maynard, Ava Millette, Julian Mucci, Erin Mulcahy, Ashlynn Nickerson, Kofi Owusu, Sarah Parker, Tatiana Pelka, Raegan Perreault, Emerson Pitz, Ryan Plante, Alexa Robertson, Milon Sneed, Maya Staltare, Zaydyn Streeter-Wornham, Zoeybeth Streeter-Wornham, John Sullivan, Aaliyah Szkutak, Matthew Twombly Jr., Colin Vaillancourt, and Aidan Van Arsdalen.

Shepherd Hill honor roll

William F. Chaplin, principal, has announced the honor roll for the first quarter of the 2017-18 school year at Shepherd Hill High School. The following students have earned a place.

GRADE 9

First Honors: David Acquaah Mensah, Alex Anuszkiewicz, Samuel Bailen, Cutter Beck, Dylan Berk, Ricky Bowden, Sophie Briggs, Daniel Brooks, Abigail Bullard, Andrew Bullen, Rahni Bussiere, Michael Caramiello, Audrey Carragher, Chase Chandler, Alissa Cloutier, Olivia Cloutier, Michaela Cluett, Kylee Croteau, Timothy Dinsdale, Colin Drake, Faythe Eisnor, Ashley Figueroa, Grace Gamelli, Matthew Gard, Michael Gard, Mikaela Gosselin, Elizabeth Gunsalus, Sophia Hatzidis, Evan Healy, Brady Hobson, Kirolos Ibrahim, Aaron Iwanski, Samantha Katz, Christopher Kustigian, John Lehman,Ethan Lilley, Riley Marengo, Muskan Patel, Aimon Shaw, Kaitlyn Stevens, Aubrey Traverso, William Tyrrell, Serena Veilleux, Panayiota Veronis, Henry Weilland

Second Honors: Allison Anger, Julian Baracz, Jared Barrow, Tabitha Bezanson, Kara Bilis, Andrew Bitar, Madison Bosowski, Molly Brodeur, Emma Carpenter, Alyssa Clemence, Jacob Damelio, Kathryn Davison, Helena Duke, Christian Figueroa, Juliana Fox, Maegan Fredette, Thomas French, Calvin Fullerton, Jacob Gallant, Joseph Gallien, Brooke Garrepy, Samantha Gevry, Sofia Hargrave, Eli Harmon, Jacob Heywood, Maria Holland, Lukas Janusz, Jenna Johnson, Connor Johnston, Sean Kirwin, Anthony Kopas, Maryn LaPlante, Sydney Lizotte, Virginia Mayville, Austin Michaelson, Hannah Morrill, Anna Murray, Katerina Nemera, Eric O'Loughlin, Elise Palfreman, Mackenzie Parrettie, Abigail Peters, Jordyn Poirier, Eliza Quinn, John Reynolds, Candilize Santa, Jordyn Szretter, Gavin Tarnowski, Demetria Teguis, Emma Tyler, Samantha Zannotti

Recognition: Naima Ahsan, Michael Alicea, Anthony Awad, Timothy Berthiaume, Natalie Boutiette, Megan Burdett, Nicholas Champagne, Sydney Clark, Haley Coggans, Danielle Como, Lisa Cotton, Courtney Cristo, Hannah Cushing, Elyssa D'Ambra, Sakara Fancy, Shannon Flynn Richards, Louisa Foisy, Ashley Foley, Cole Gagne, Christina Gunsalus, Ryan Hennessey, Aurora Hughes, Colin Humphries, Nicholas Karalus, Tyler Karam, George Karamanakis, Caroline Lamarine, Emma Lanpher, Cole Lewandowski, Matthew Marshall, Grace Mattson, Ryan McKendry, Jenna Miller, Julia Morse, Matthew Nguyen, Shaliah Ortiz, Avrek Pietrzak, Gracie Rayess, Jaelin Rheuame, Ariana Rizzo, William Ross, Hector Rousseau, Kyra Sanborn, Haley Sautter, Abigail Shaw, Abigail Shields, Isabella Sousa, Brett Spiewakowski, Allison, St. Pierre, Ethan Stallings, Kylie Sullivan, Karyssa Thompson, Bryan Thongphala, Payton Vega, Kiarilys Villa, Nicolas White, Makenzie Woods, Matvey Zhuk

GRADE 10

First Honors: Lauren Alicea, Alexander Appiah Kubi, Tyler Brassard, Emily Brindisi, Abbey Burdett, Abigail Cofsky, Kaylee Comeau, Madeline Davis, Edison Doko, Allison Donais, Brock Dubey, Juliette Dubey, Catherine Fengler, Parker Filo Loos, Emma Forrester, Kaylee Galvin, Logan Gervais, Marci Giorgio, Pavlos Goulas, Kerry Greenough, Anya Grondalski, Hannah Guerin, Michelle Gunton-Lamothe, Liam Healy, Madison Hill, Zachary Johnson, Emily Kania, Alayna Karem, Davone Keovongmanysar, Payton Krukonis, Katie Lavoie, Carolyn Manske, Ryan Moore, Madeleine Mulcare, Christian Nayfeh, Mildness Onyekwere, Victoria Paine, Aleksandra Piascik, Skylar Pietz, Allie Provost, Emma Provost, Olivia Richardson, Olivia Sciarappa, Jacob Scotti, Hannah Sharma, Elizabeth Stone, Maxwell Taylor, Melina Tequis, Amanda Tonkin, Haylee Wagner, Sean Wang, Emily Waterhouse, Rachel Whipple, Madison White

Second Honors: Alec Ambrosia, Riley Biron, Juliana Callahan, Matthew Celona, Matthew Clark, Sam Clinton, Zachary Cook, Kelly Cournoyer, Jesslyn Croteau, Alexandra D'Arcangelo, Christina DiBona, Gabriella Dillenback, Gabriel dos Santos, Owen Doyle, George Foto, Sierra Grybowski, Kylie Hogan, Abigail Holden, Tanya Hunt, Adam Ide, Abigayle Jones, Megan Kennedy, Hanna Kunkel, Eric Lavoie, Michael Lukasevicz, Jordan Maple, Johanna McAuliffe, Tyler McKeen, Kendall Mullen, Jason Nowak, Gianna Peluso, Alaina Plourde, Ethan Quinn, Shannon Ross, Shawn Scanlon, Eliana Singer, Maximilian Siwik, Emma Sullivan, Shelby Szkutak, Ann Marie Taylor, Hayden Wildes, Kiley Wong Li, Anthony Zaleski.

Recognition: Chase Abbott, Nathaniel Albano, Emma Albright, Christian Asquith, Hunter Audet, Caitlin Baer, Bobbilyn Baillargeon, Julia Blauvelt, Cameron Bonin, Nolan Burke, Mason Bussiere, Matthew Conner, Aneta Czyz, Jayce Diaz, Tyler DiGiorno, Emma Dix, Alexis Doko, Samantha Doktor, Evan Donovan, Gabrielle Eberhart, Talia Eckbold, Hannah Flayhan, Joseph Guaragno, Dominic Hansson, Hanna Hattabaugh, Jordan Hollins, Rhylan Hopkins, Avalon Huber, Madison Hughes, Collin Jyringi, Mariusz Karlowicz, Nicole Karp, Liliana Kwiatkowska, Livia Lajoie, Veronica Levesque, Lauren Lundstrom, Drew Malboeuf, Gavin May, Cassandra Moninski, Isabella Nascimento, Ceilidgh O'Brien, Anthony Oriente, Victoria Palkon, Andreas Papoutsides, Antoni Piascik, Leyonia Ramirez, Caitlyn Robertson, Julia Ryan, Albert Salonis III, Justin Santiago Wonoski, Bryan Santos Ramos, Mackenzie Shilinsky, Jade Shultz, Jenson Slauenwhite, Emily Szeredy, Lyba Tariq, Summer Taylor, Brady Teague, Nadia Terrell, Alana Torres Rodriguez, Mehrael Towadros, Rylee Trinque, Mary Vaillancourt, Dakota Woodford, Regan Zablocki.

GRADE 11

First Honors: Natalie Baclawski, Isabella Beaulieu, Frida Bolinder, Emily Briggs, Caitlin Burke, Keegan Casey, Erica Cordeiro, Vanessa Corriveau, Declan Cronin, Cameron Cushing, Shaelyn Donovan, William Dunion, Amani Eljadidi, Madison Gendreau, Ariel Goharzadeh, Nicholas Goharzadeh, Nikolas Goulas, Veronica Helock, Acquinnah Hill, Kaleigh Hill, Zachary Hill, Haylie Ingels, Alexander Jankowski, Jordan Keovongmanysar, Alexandra Kiely,Arton Krasniqi, Eric Lehmann, Paige Leite, Alissa Lomax, Sarah Manske, Grace Marderosian, Ericka Mardirosian, Shelby Mardirosian, Hannah Marshall, John McCabe, Orpheus Meletis, Jonah Messier, Drew Montigny, Christopher Montville, Claire Myers, Alexandria O' Brien, Camryn Ozolins, Daria Panayiotou, Deep Patel, Om Patel, Alana Popp, Eric Prussman, Kaylyn Reilly, Gabrielle Remy, Tyler Rice, Michael Richard, Zachary Roland, Nicholas Ruo, Justyn Sudyka, Jacob Wheeler, Emma Whitehead, Kathryn Winans, Gina Yu.

Second Honors: Cody Adams, Dale Blake, Bailey Bowes, Cameron Carpenter, Nathan Carty, Avery Ceccarelli, Julia Chapdelaine, Julia Cierpich, Gianna Cravedi, Hailee Cronin-Loggie, Danielle DaSilva, Jillian Duhamel, Gwen Earnest, Katrina Gagner, Grace Gavin, Cody Germain, Ray Hensel, Nicholas Hill, Kayleigh Irish, Ashlyn Kelly, Evan Kokocinski, Derek Lemberger, Payton Lewandowski, Matthew Lubecki, Grace MacGrath, Sophie Maker, Jacob Marrier, Benjamin Martin Jaffe, Kiara Millett, Monika Mosio, Casey Mullaly, Danilo Nunes, Hunter Parent, Jenna Peters, Vanessa Pino, Wilson Reich, Paige Samia, Lily Seremet, Shane Smith, Carly Snyder, Alicja Stachowicz, Dennis Stelmach, Rachel Sullivan, Alexa Trahan, Olivia Wilson, Samuel Winalski.

Recognition: Casey Aubin, Alex Benoit, David Bilis, Alexandra Cafarelli, Megan Clemence, Thomas Constantino, Natalie Diaz, Cayley Fagan, Lauren Fox, Filoupater Gad, Brett Hagan, Renee Harvey, Sydney Hill, Troy Hogan, Andrew Kallanian, Britany Larson, Morgan LeDuc, Ashlynn Liberty, Ingrid Lindstrom, Seth Livernois, Sadie MacGrath, Elizabeth Madeiros, Paige Marino, Allison Marrier, McKenzie McArthur, Maxwell Megas, Collin Mulcahy, Chantel Ndungu, Ravi Patel, Pandorah Peterson, Jayce Porter, Maya Pullin, Samantha Reinke,Renee Richard, Kassidy Robertson, Sarah Roseen, Rosalia Sanchez, Keely Scotia, Abigail Spiewakowski, Jackson Squitier, Trevor Thompson, Benjamin Thongphala, Keyla Torres, Kamerin Tracey, Lexi Tsoumakas, Rebekah Ukpong, Drew Vangel, Helen Vincent, Elizabeth Walker, Mariam Wassef, Anthony White, Annabell Whitley,Isabella Zaleski, Sebastian Zielinski.

GRADE 12

First Honors: Zachary Blauvelt, Brittny Bond, Ryker Capielo, Leila Card, Tyler Cierpich, Anthony D'Elia, John Davison, Kylie Deem, Hailey Delphia, Eric Dileone, Thomas Dziechciarz, Jack Erlich, Isabel Ferreira, Gabrielle Figueroa, Marissa Fontaine, Jake Frappier, Emily French, Ashley Gagne, Morgan Gallegan, Meghan Gates, Jacob Greenough, Adam Hall, Megan Hueras, Brittany Jefferson, Shelby Jyringi, Jillian Laabs, Gabrielle Lawrence, Victoria Lindberg, Tyler Lizotte, Jillian Luke, Andrew McCoy, Rachel McCoy, Rebecca Moore, Abagayle Morin, Nicole Morrison, Jennifer Morrissey, Bryanna O'Kelley, Leena Pariseau, Eryk Pecyna, Isabella Pellegrine, Karina Provost, Jessika Rachholz, Mohamad-Omar Rachid, Jordan Robinson, Chloe Ryder, Bailey Savage, Sophia Sciarappa, Julia Scioletti, Hayley Shoemaker, Morgan Silk, Emily Snay, Meghan St. Pierre, Eric Sutherland, Kristin Tagg, Jared Tetreau, Sarah Tonkin, Sean Tully, Theodora Veronis, Lindsay Vo, Matthew Waterhouse, Jonathan Wenzel, Zachary White, Hadley Zibel, Hannah Zieminski

Second Honors: Amogh Basil, Dominic Battista, Sarah Bellantoni, Kyle Belmonte, Aiden Bishop, Camden Boggio, Allison Bolton, Emily Bubon, Emily Butkus, Sydney Campbell, Bellalorraine Carey Hicks, Kaylee Ceppetelli, Kasey Clark, Casey Croteau, Nicholas D'Arcangelo, Aeryn Fahl, Carrianne Fortier, Diana Giorgio, Emily Girouard, Sarah Horgan, Bethany Irish, Fotini Karamanakis, Jan Kopas III, Alyssa LaPan, Caroline Lawson, Brianna Leal, Natalia Lewis, Paul Lovely, Matthew Mackay,Daniel Mancini, Hannah Marrier, Erin Masciangioli, Shannon Mattson, Olivia McAleer, Baker Meece, Reilly Moroz, Matthew Mulcahy, Alexander Mulcare, Jacob Murphy, Tracy Murray, Kyle Pastore, Naia Patterson, Kalia Pfeiffer, Jacob Podskarbi, Lucas Roberts,Reagan Sanborn, Jenna Savoie, Jacob Szeredy, Cassandra Taylor, Paige Vaillancourt, Sarah Vangel, Autumn Vezina, Brittany Warrington, Krysten Woods, Chloe Zastrow.

Recognition: Dante Behan, Olivia Boehnke, Lillian Boisseau Tryba, Rebecca Borgeson, Melissa Burke, Cole Carty, Cody Chauvin, Cameron Contois, Cameron Cox, Jared DiGiorno, Raffaela Dillenback, Trevor Dow, Ryan Duhamel, Ryan Fenton, Kohmara Gabino, Glorinette Gonzalez, Amber Grybowski, Elliott Hunt, Jack Krukonis, Delanie LaFlamme, Christopher LaFortune, Breanna LaHair, Kathleen Landry, Hunter Lavigne, Sarah Lavoie, Hannah Lawson, Brielle Lemieux, Jacob Leo, Samantha Leveille, Zachary Magdis, Nicholas Megas, Hailey Mendez, Amalia Monson, Travis Moroney, Sydni Novak, Tristan Pietz, Conner Pigott, Marina Popovich, Stephen Porth, Tyler James Risenhoover, Casey Robson, Andrew Smith, Kevin Sokol Haylee Sulkoski, Meghan Thomas, Samantha Tinsley, Abigail VanDeMark, Arissa Vaughn.

St. Joseph School honor roll announced

WEBSTER — The following students have earned a place on the honor roll for the first quarter at St. Joseph School

GRADE 8

High Honors: Benjamin Duval, Elzbieta Gronek, Szymon Mamro, Emilia Pianka, and Juliana Zalewski.

Honors: Seth Boudreau, Olivia Duquette, Julia Libuda, Sebastian Podgorny, Antonia Peters and Riley Peters.

Credit: Payton Booth, Jacob Boynton and Elizabeth Walker.

GRADE 7

High Honors: Nicholas Fennelly, Remonda Mankarios, Kaileigh Strong and Caroline Villa.

Honors: Christopher Best, Benjamin Duquette, Patrick Mahlert, Alexandro Montreuil, Morgan Royston, Jadyn Williams, and Julia Zdrok.

Credit: Olivia Montione.

GRADE 6

High Honors: Jack Dooner, Daniel Gronek, Matthew Krysinski, Tessa McCabe, Noalani Perez, Katrina Piekielniak, Wiktoria Potem, Adrian Sobczak, and Jacob Sirard.

Honors: Kylie Berthiaume, Sophia Buffone, Roksana Chruslicka, Sara Grupposo, Jillian Edwards, Dominic Pigeon, Cheyanne Matthews, and Kyleigh Czechowski.

Credit: Toriana Baldassari, Lucas Grigware, Abigail Kibaru, Jordan Kippax, Jordan Kippax, Kristina Montione, and Gracie Scott.

GRADE 5

High Honors: Dale Boudreau, Nicholas Janeczek, Derian Medaglia, Maya Podskarbi, and Grace Pomfret.

Honors: Lucas Boynton, William Colebourn, Justin Dooner, Zane Ferri, Dominik Gielarowicz, Lauren Gingo, Krystian Kowalczyk, Dominic Lilley, Elizabeth Mahlert, and Evan Pomfret.

Credit: Alexandra Bergeron.

GRADE 4A

High Honors: Andrew Bergeron, Dery Treyton, Aleksandra Kurowski, Brayden McNair, Matthew Obrycki, Alexsandra Parafinowicz, Adam Podgorny, and Hannah Watson.

Honors: Connor Czechowski, Gabriel Faria, Bradley McCarthy, Sheridan Medaglia, Juliana Rudnicki, and Rocco Rudnicki.

Credit: Errol Azu.

GRADE 4P

High Honors: Gloria Bromberg, Amelia Duquette, Rylie Edwards, Aiden Grigware, Isabella Mello, Jayce Plante, and Maeve Sullivan.

Honors: Chloe Haseotes, Jayden Njoroge, Samantha Reseigh, and Matthew Zdrok.

Give Something Special This Year

(NAPS)

This holiday season, remember, the more thought you put into the gifts and greetings cards you choose, the happier the recipient may be.

First, take your time by planning ahead. Is the purchase for a man or woman? Consider the recipient's personality and interests. Does the person do jigsaw puzzles or love books? Make the effort to ensure the gift you choose is presented as attractively as possible. Give thought to the words you write on the gift tag. Consider adding a photo to the card and a heartfelt, handwritten message.

Second, choose a gift or card that's a bit different, such as those created by the talented artists who belong to Mouth and Foot Painting Artists (MFPA).

This year, the MFPA celebrates its 60th anniversary since its formation by Erich Stegmann, who painted by mouth from childhood, due to polio. His vision was to form a unique, international self-help group of disabled artists (those without the use of their hands), seeking financial independence and a fulfilling life through art. Selling reproductions of their mouth- or foot-painted images in the form of Christmas greetings cards, calendars and a range of other products, the artists' motto is "Self-Help, Not Charity."

One of these talented painters is Chicagoan Mariam Paré. She became a quadriplegic at age 20, when, already an art student, she innocently took a stray bullet to the back in gang cross fire. She then retaught herself to paint by holding a brush in her mouth.

Today, her paintings reflect her love of art and the freedom of expression it brings her. Many of her images have been exhibited in galleries across the U.S. and in Europe. Paré's greetings card images are popular around the world and her talent has brought her a number of high-profile gigs, including appearing on "The Today Show" with Hoda and Kathie Lee and a visit to the Malibu home of actor and keen artist Pierce Brosnan.

How To Purchase

In early October, selected households across America will receive, through the mail, a collection of greetings cards and calendars for purchase. These items and other seasonal products are also available online at www.mfpausa.com and at (877) MFPA-USA.

"Christmas Snowfall" by Natalina Marcantoni is one of this year's offerings.

Mariam Paré painting "The Gift."

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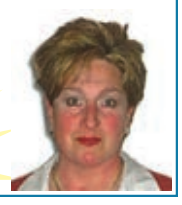

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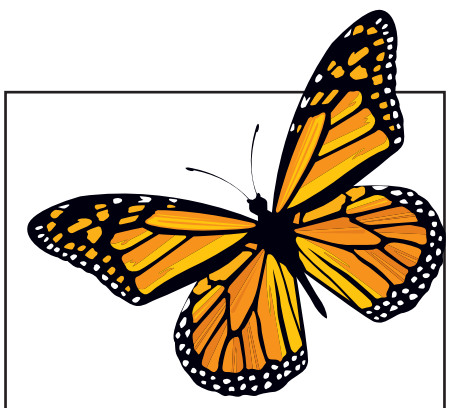

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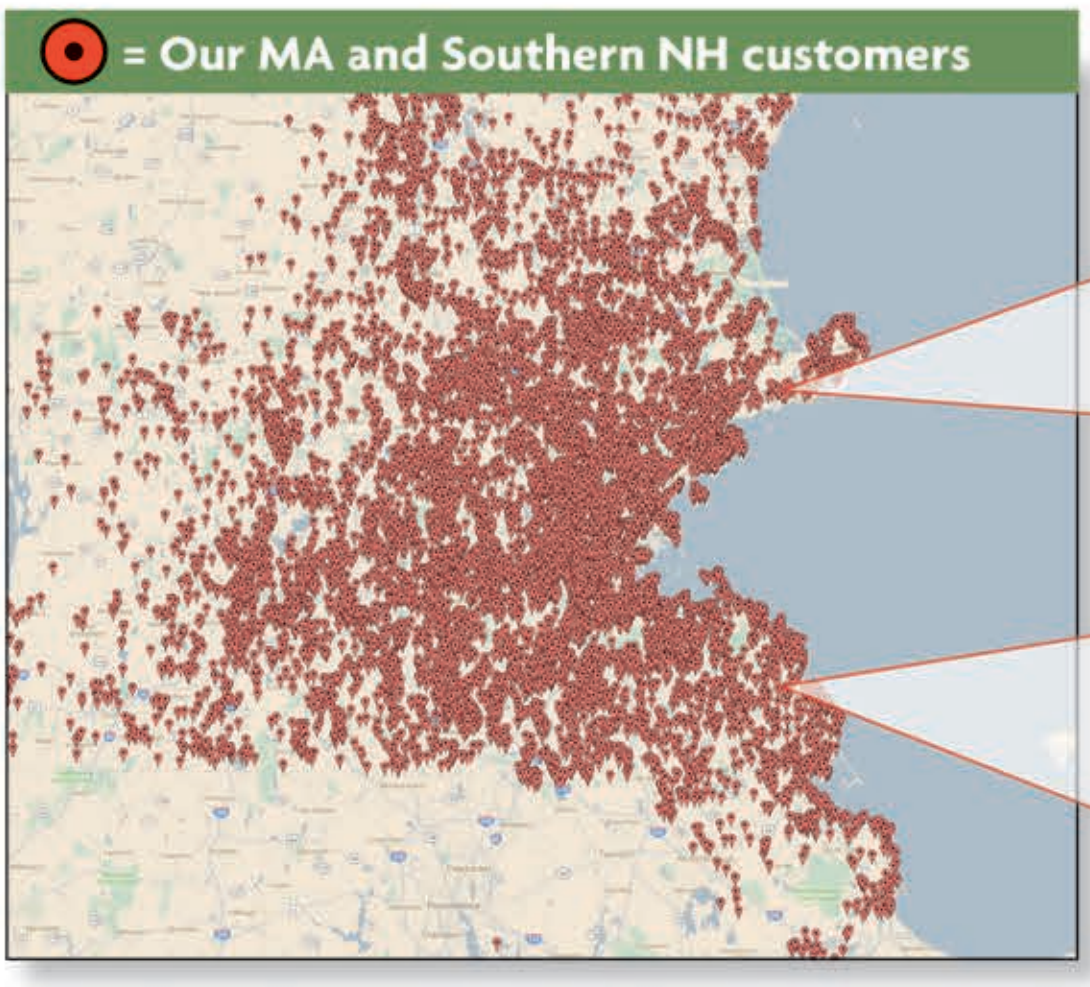

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Obituaries

Christina M. Gallo, 25

LEICESTER: Christina M. Gallo 25, of Leicester, died unexpectedly at home on Wednesday, Nov. 15.

She leaves her sons Jaedyn Alexander Santos and Jianni James Ross, her mother Christine M. Lucia of Leicester and her father Christopher J. Gallo, Sr. and his wife Brenda of W.Boylston, her maternal grandparents Shirley (Brooks) Perron and her husband Robert of Leicester, three brothers Michael J. Gallo of Oxford, Dominic J. Gallo and Christopher Gallo, Jr. both of W.Boylston, her sister Arianna Muhlidis of W.Boylston, aunts, uncles, cousins and a niece. She is predeceased by her paternal grandparents Angelo J. and Josephine (Noterangelo) Gallo.

Christina was born in Worcester and raised in Leicester, graduating from Leicester high School.

Private funeral services were held for the family in St. Pius X Church Leicester. There are no calling hours. Please omit flowers.

MORIN FUNERAL HOME, 1131 Main St., Leicester is assisting the family with arrangements.

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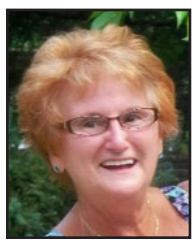
Cecile F. (Cazeault) Butler, 78



WEBSTER – Cecile F. (Cazeault) Butler, 78, of Golden Heights, died Tuesday, November 21, 2017, at St. Vincent Hospital in Worcester. She was predeceased by her husband of 23 years, John W. Butler who died in 2004. She is survived by three children, Norma L. Collins of Webster, John LaFountain of Dayville, CT, and Katherine Haseley and her husband Mark of Lynn Haven, FL; five grandchildren, four great-grandchildren, and several nephews and nieces. She was predeceased by two brothers, Bernard Cazeault and Armand Cazeault; and two sisters, Rita Chiras and Mary Jane Kozlowski. She was born in Webster, daughter of the late Gerard and Cecelia (Anderson) Cazeault, and lived most of her life in Webster

Mrs. Butler worked as supervisor of housekeeping and as a housekeeper at area nursing homes for most of her life. She loved dancing, crocheting, and gardening.

A graveside service was held at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, November 29, 2017, at North Cemetery, Main Street, Oxford. There were no calling hours. Paradis-Givner Funeral Home in Oxford is directing the arrangements. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the American Lung Association, 1200 Hosford St., Suite 101, Hudson, WI 54016-9316.

Daniel Paul Jugovic', age 28

Daniel Paul Jugovic', age 28, of Baylies Road, Charlton, Massachusetts passed away on Saturday, November 25, 2017 at UMASS Memorial Hospital in Worcester after a brief illness. He leaves his parents, Bruno and Joyce (Robinson) Jugovic' and one brother, Nicholas Jugovic', all of Charlton. He also leaves his paternal grandmother, Mary (Marinich) Jugovic' of Canton, Illinois and his maternal great aunt, Priscilla Dyson of Danielson, CT., Numerous aunts, uncles and cousins survive him. He was predeceased by special grandparents, Franjo B. Jugovic' of Canton, Illinois, and Dr. Lavius and Marjorie Robinson, Jr. of Danielson, CT. Born with severe special needs, Danny attended the S.W.C.E.C. Project SMILE for all his education. He attended FRS in Dudley for his adult day program. He lived in a group home for the past 4 years, and was very well taken care of by many amazing people. He was a truly special child, touching the hearts of all who knew him.

In lieu of flowers, since Christmas was such a special holiday for Danny, unwrapped toys or cash donations for the Toys for Tots program may be brought to the service. Those who wish may make a donation in Danny's name to your local Toys for Tots program, or donations to the Massachusetts Special Olympics are also welcome as Danny participated in the local Special Olympics several times.

There will be no calling hours. Committal will be private.

A Celebration of Life service will be held on Saturday, December 2, 2017 at 11 AM in the Preforming Arts Center at the Overlook Masonic Home, 88 Masonic Home Rd. in Charlton, MA.

The ROBERT J. MILLER-CHARLTON FUNERAL HOME , 175 Old Worcester Rd., is assisting the family with arrangements.

To leave a condolence or share a memory for Danny's family, please visit:RJMillerfunerals.net

Gerald R. Willett, 72

MANCHESTER, CT / WORCESTER – Gerald R. Willett, 72, of Charis Road and formerly of Worcester, died in his home with his daughter by his side on Sunday, November 19, 2017, after a long battle with Multiple Myeloma. He is survived by four children, Steven of Cherry Valley, Deborah of Dudley, Michelle L. Conlon of Worcester, and Sandra A. Willett of Hampton, NH; his brother, Richard F. Willett of Quincy; his sister, Mary M. Brodeur of Oxford; 10 grandchildren, 1 great-granddaughter, and many nephews and nieces. He was predeceased by a brother, Robert K. Willett; and two sisters, Winifred L. Simpson and Louise T. Ritchotte. He was born in Worcester, son of the late Kenneth C. and Louise M. (DesLauriers) Willett, and lived in Worcester and Grafton before moving to Connecticut over 30 years ago.

Mr. Willett was a draftsman for most of his life. He operated his own drafting business in Connecticut for 15 years, retiring in 2009. He was a self-taught artist who enjoyed creating portraits with colored pencils and paint. He had a talent for building with wood and enjoyed bowling, paying chess, collecting movies, and spending time with his family.

A memorial service will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, December 2, 2017, at Paradis-Givner Funeral Home, 357 Main St., Oxford. Burial will be private at a later date at Worcester County Memorial Park in Paxton. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Multiple Myeloma Research Foundation, 383 Main Ave., 5th Floor, Norwalk, CT 06851.

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Dorothy F. (Summers) Whittemore, 92

THOMPSON, CT/ FORT MEYERS, FL - A died Sat. Nov. 18, 2017 in Putnam. She was born in Woodstock, the daughter of the late Robert and Ethel (Basto) Summers. She resided in Thompson, CT and Fort Myers, Florida. Dorothy leaves her husband of 55 years, Clarence J. Whittemore. Dorothy was preceded in death by her siblings; Robert Summers Jr. (Also known as Archie), Raymond Summers, Elizabeth Heath and Beverly Manso. She leaves her sister-in-law Mabel Burke and several nieces and nephews. Dot had great times with her friends on Caribbean Cruises and at the many Florida attractions. She could yodel with the best of them and she enjoyed playing the Thomas Organ.There will be no services at this time, but there will be a remembrance ceremony in the spring. Cremation arrangements have been entrusted to Shaw-Majercik Funeral Home, 48 School St., Webster, MA. A guest book is available at www.shaw-majercik.com where you may post a condolence or light a candle.

Send all obituary notices to Stonebridge Press, PO Box 90, Southbridge, MA 01550, or by e-mail to jean@stonebridgepress.news

Joyce P Donovan age 90

PAXTON/ WEBSTER- Joyce P Donovan age 90 died Saturday, November 25, 2017 at St. Vincent Hospital, Worcester. She was the wife of the late Richard J. Donovan who died in 1975. She leaves one son, Michael C. Donovan of Paxton.

She was born in Oxford and lived on Webster Lake for many years and most recent living in Paxton for the past 27 years. She was a Registered Nurse at the Worcester State Hospital for 34 years and has been retired for 32 years.

All services are private. 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. Donations in her memory may be made to eye research

Cecile A. (Peloquin) Miller, 94

DANIELSON- Cecile A. (Peloquin) Miller age 94 died Saturday, November 25, 2017 at home, surrounded by her loving family. She was the wife of the late Virgil Miller who died in 1946.

She leaves two sons, Col. Kipp Miller and his wife Danuta of Manchester, CT, Leslie Miller of Lihue, Hawaii, three daughters; Beverly Miller of Brattleboro, VT, Mina Miller of Danielson and with which she made her home and Emile Miller of Eastham, MA. She also leaves six grandchildren. She had a son that predeceased her, Keith Miller of Manchester, CT.

She was born in Moosup, CT daughter of the late Alphonse and Mary (Moulin) Peloquin and lived in Danielson most of her life except for twenty years nursing at Cape Cod. She served as a 2nd LT. in the US Army Air Corp during WW II. She was a Registered Nurse working in convalescent homes in the Manchester, Windsor area. She was a Gold Star Wife and Mother. She was the first nurse to give the Polio Vaccine. She was a Special nurse for Senator Teddy Kennedy during her time at Cape Cod. She enjoyed knitting, and travel.

All services are private. The Shaw-Majercik Funeral Home, 48 School St., Webster, MA has been entrusted with her arrangements. Donations in her memory may be made to the Disabled American Veterans. A guest book is available at www.shaw-majercik.com where you may post a condolence or light a candle.

Florence Morse Shaw, 91

WEBSTER – Florence Morse Shaw, 91, passed away peacefully at home on November 18, 2017, surrounded by the love and care of her family. She was tirelessly attended in her last weeks by her daughters.

Born December 4, 1925 in Webster, Florence was the daughter of the late Delia (Belisle) Morse and Edward J. Morse of Webster. She was preceded in death by her husband of 56 years, John M. Shaw; by her brothers, Eudore "Ted" Morse, Eugene "Gene" Morse and Henry J. Morse; and by her sisters, Marion Belisle and Doris LaRocque.

Florence will be dearly missed by her two daughters, Susan Shaw Ostrowski of Aberdeen, NC and Nancy Shaw Chateauneuf of Dudley; by her sons-in-law, Dr. Edward Ostrowski and Russell Chateauneuf; by her sister, Jeannette Millette of Florida; by her five grandchildren, Laura Kessell, Pharm.D. and her husband Andrew, Pharm.D., Leslie Cavallini and her husband Dr. Maximiliano, and David Ostrowski and his wife Kayle, all of North Carolina; Peter Shaw Chateauneuf and his wife Theresa of Massachusetts, and Michael Morse Chateauneuf and his wife Victoria of Rhode Island. Florence also leaves the five great-grandchildren she doted on: Samuel, William, Max, Jack and Cecilia (with two more great-granddaughters on the way).

Florence attended St. Anne's Elementary School where she retained four lifelong friends, Priscilla Donais, Gloria Gilbert, the late Irene "Dukey" (Duclos) Rulli, and the late Jeannette Rowe. Florence's high school education was interrupted during WWII, when at age 16 she went to work for the war effort, packing gears to send to the labs at Los Alamos, NM. She returned to graduate with Bartlett High School class of 1946. She kept up with friends from both the class of '44 and '46 throughout her life.

Florence married the love of her life, John M. Shaw in October, 1949. The couple was blessed with twin daughters 5 years later. Their birth was the greatest joy of her life.

Florence had a varied career spanning six decades. After graduating from high school, she prepared food at the local "Grill" owned by relatives. She clerked for 18 years at Webster Music Mart in the 1950's and 1960's, selling records and camera equipment, where she developed quite a following. She was a champion of Girl Scouting, and co-led GS Troop 563 in Webster for nearly a decade.

Florence loved learning and was thrilled to continue her education by returning to college in 1968. She graduated from Worcester State in 1971, later earning a Master of Education degree and many additional credits in Library Science. She belonged to the Kappa Delta Pi International Honor Society and the Phi Kappa Phi honor society for superior scholarship. She was also a proud member of the "Antiks," a group of women completing college later in life.

Florence went on to become Head Librarian at Sutton High School from 1972-82 and at Shepherd Hill Regional High School in Dudley from 1983-88. While at Sutton, she founded and led the student Photography Club. She competed for and won a grant from the Town of Sutton's Bicentennial Commission to produce "Sutton 1976," a book of photographs she co-authored with her student Laurie Picard, who remained a lifelong friend.

After retiring in 1988, Florence researched her genealogy and created an extensive family tree spanning the U. S. and Canada. She later volunteered her services assisting Librarian Sr. Mary Luke at St. Louis Elementary School in Webster for over a dozen years, leaving only to care for her beloved husband John in his last illness. Florence worshipped for many years at St. Louis Church, where she belonged to the St. Louis League of Catholic Women. She was briefly called out of retirement in her late eighties to serve as Acting Director of the Pearle L. Crawford Memorial Library in Dudley.

Florence was a lifelong photographer, starting at age five. With the help of her husband, she photographed weddings and graduations as a side business for several years. In the late 1970's and 80's, she pursued her creativity in summer courses at the Maine Photographic Workshops in Rockport, where she honed her camerawork and darkroom skills. Starting in 2004 she transitioned to digital photography, and was proud to have photographed the weddings of all five of her grandchildren, alongside the hired professionals. She was a Francophile who decorated her home with photographs of Paris taken during the trip of a lifetime with her daughters in 2008.

Florence loved cars and planes, and continued driving until the last month of her life. As a young person she built models of aircrafts; and as a mature woman in the late 1970's, she fulfilled a dream by taking flying lessons at a local airport. To avoid worrying her family, she kept this adventure a secret for nearly 30 years.

Florence loved history and immersing herself in a good project. After her husband passed, she pursued research projects about local history, as well as conducting extensive research into WWII. She consumed dozens of books, particularly about the war in the Pacific, and frequently attended webinars offered by her favorite historical museums. Her final project was centered on her husband John's experiences as a Fireman First Class in the U.S. Navy, stationed in the Pacific during 1944-45 aboard the USS San Diego.

In her later years, Florence was frequently recognized and warmly greeted around the town of Webster, sometimes by people she hadn't seen in years. She was always interested in people and continued acquiring new friends all her life, while delighting in the company of old friends and dear neighbors. Florence had a strong faith and abiding sense of gratitude that carried her through life. She will be forever remembered with love by the many friends and family members she leaves behind.

Relatives and friends are invited to visit with Florence's family on Thursday, November 30, 2017 from 9:00 to 10:30 AM in Scanlon Funeral Service, 38 East Main Street, Webster. A funeral Mass celebrating her life will follow at 11:00 AM at Saint Louis Church, 14 Lake Street. Burial will be in Mount Zion Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations in her memory may be made to the library at All Saints Academy, 48 Negus St., Webster, MA 01570. Arrangements are under the direction of Sitkowski & Malboeuf Funeral Home, 340 School St., Webster. www.sitkowski-malboeuf.com

Obituaries

Grace M. LaRock, 85

Sutton – Grace M. (Titus) LaRock, 85 , of Sutton died Wed. Nov. 22, 2017 at Beaumont Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, Northbridge. She was the wife of Fred C. LaRock, Sr.

She was born May 11, 1932 in Craftsbury, VT, a daughter of the late James A. and Elvina L. (Young) Titus.

Mr. & Mrs. LaRock observed their 68th wedding anniversary on Aug. 19, 2017.

Grace enjoyed spending winters with her husband in New Port Richey, FL before returning to Massachusetts in 2011. She enjoyed baking, cooking, flower gardening and daytime soap operas. Grace loved going out to eat with her friends and family.

In addition to her husband Fred, she is survived by a son Fred C. LaRock, Jr. and his wife Constance of Sutton; two daughters, Penny L. and her husband Maurice Begin of Auburn and Deborah L. and her husband Robert Muller of Oxford; a brother Larry Titus of Pensacola, FL; two sisters, Allene Small of Stowe, VT and Freda Moody of Wolcott, VT; 4 grandchildren, 8 great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Visiting hours will be held Tues, Nov. 28, 2017 from 3-5 PM in the BUMA FUNERAL HOME, 480 Church St., Whitinsville.

Funeral services will be held Wed. Nov.29, 2017 at 10 AM in the funeral home.

Burial will follow in the Massachusetts Veteran's Memorial Cemetery, 111 Glenallen St., Winchendon 01475.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Dana Farber Cancer Institute, P.O. Box 849168, Boston, MA 02284-9168. www.bumafuneralhome.com

Melissa A Brodeur, 40

DUDLEY-Melissa A Brodeur, age 40, died Friday, November 24, 2017 at Harrington Memorial Hospital in Southbridge, MA. Melissa was born November 12, 1977 in Southbridge, MA. She is the daughter of the late Kenneth Brodeur and Linda (Lubecki) Brodeur.

She is survived by one son: Johnpaul Story Jr of Dudley, her mother Linda (Lubecki) Brodeur; of Dudley Sister Trista Brodeur of Dudley, grandmother, Theresa Lubecki of Dudley, One niece Ashlynn and two nephews Richard Jr, and Anthony who she adored and treated them like her own. She also leaves several; aunts uncles and cousins.

She graduated from Bay Path in 1995 . She spent some time in Florida working at a French bakery . She was employed as a teachers aide by private duty day Care in Webster.

Melissa loved the Boston red sox and the patriots. . She enjoyed cooking and singing .

She is predeceased by her dad Kenneth and a special aunt Ann kosakoski

Prayers was held 8:00 pm on Monday, November 27 at Bartel Funeral Home & Chapel, 33 Schofield Ave., Dudley . Calling hours were Monday, November 27 from 6 to 8 PM at Bartel Funeral Home, 33 Schofield Avenue, Dudley, MA

In lieu of flowers donations to maybe made to the family to help with medical and final expenses. www.bartelfuneralhome.com for her condolence book.

Michael D. Hazzard, 56

WEBSTER - Michael D. Hazzard, 56, died Wednesday, November 22, 2017 in Harrington Memorial Hospital, Southbridge surrounded by family after a period of declining health.

He leaves 2 brothers, Morten J. Hazzard and his wife Carolynn of Holland and Mark S. Hazzard and his wife Tabatha of Groton, CT; three nephews, two nieces, a grand-niece Abigail "Abi," and cousins.

He was born in Munich, Germany, son of Frederick A. and Margarete D. "Doris" (Doehler) Hazzard. He moved to Thompson, CT in 1972 and had lived in Webster since 1980. He attended Tourtellotte Memorial High School in North Grosvenordale, CT.

Mr. Hazzard held a variety of jobs. He worked on the production line at Bates Shoe Company in Webster. He was employed by the Colonial Club Restaurant as a dishwasher. He also enjoyed working with the greyhounds at the former Plainfield Greyhound Track in Plainfield, CT.

He was a member of the Thompson Congregational Church.

A service will be held at 3:00 PM on Sunday, December 3, in Scanlon Funeral service, 38 East Main Street, Webster. Visitation will be from 2:00 to 3:00 PM, prior to the service. Donations in his name may be made to the American Diabetes Association, 2451 Crystal Drive, Suite 900, Arlington, VA 22202.

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Stanley J. Lenky, 89

WEBSTER - Stanley J. Lenky, 89, died Friday, November 24, 2017 in Hubbard Regional Hospital with family at his side. His wife of 58 years, Clara B. (Knurowski) Lenky, died in 2008.

He leaves nephews and nieces, grandnephews and grandnieces.

He was born and raised in the Fabyan section of Thompson, the youngest of the 10 children of Albert and Bridget (Kaput) Lenky and lived in Webster for the majority of his life. He was a graduate of the Boys Trade High School of Worcester in 1945.

He was an Army veteran of World War II, serving in the demobilization in the South Pacific. He was member of the Polish American Veterans and later became its commander aa well as being State Commander for the PAV of Massachusetts in the 1960's. A founding member of the Webster-Dudley American Legion Post #184, he held a lifetime membership. He was a past commander to the Webster-Dudley Veterans Council.

Mr. Lenky worked for over 35 years at the American Optical Company in Southbridge, retiring as a supervisor in 1992.

He was a communicant of St. Andrew Bobola Church in Dudley and a life member of the Webster-Dudley Knights of Columbus #228. He served the Town of Webster on its finance committee until this past summer, was an inspector for the Board of Health for several years, and once belonged to the Webster Industrial Development Commission. He was a member of the Athletic Booster Club. He was an avid golfer and a former member of the Nichols College Golf Club in Dudley.

Mr. Lenky was a charter member of the Southern Worcester County Regional Vocational School District Committee which planned and completed the building of Bay Path Regional Vocational Technical High School in Charlton. He served from the first planning meeting until 1994, and from 1976 to 1980 was its chairman. He was awarded a citation from the Senate of the Commonwealth of Mass. in 1994 for his many years of dedication to the advancement of vocational education.

A memorial Mass will be held on Tuesday, December 5, at 10:00 AM in St. Andrew Bobola Church, 54 West Main Street, Dudley (please meet at the church). Burial will be in St. Joseph Garden of Peace. The Webster-Dudley Veterans Council will perform the military honors. Donations in his name may be made to either the Webster-Dudley Veterans Council, 3 Veterans Way, Webster, MA 01570. Arrangements are under the direction of Sitkowski & Malboeuf Funeral Home, 340 School Street, Webster.

www.sitkowski-malboeuf.com

Stella B. (Kogut) Ohop, 98

DUDLEY - Stella B. (Kogut) Ohop, 98, died Monday, November 13, 2017, after a long illness. Her husband was the late Stephen Ohop, who died in 1969.

She is survived by her daughter Joan Guerin of Dudley, 4 grandchildren Richard Guerin, Becky Bussiere, Sally Benson, and Steven Ohop, and 2 great-grandchildren Rahni Bussiere, and Thomas Benson. She also leaves extended family members.

She was predeceased by her son Robert Ohop who died in 2007, 2 brothers Stephen and Nicholas Kogut, and 2 sisters Helen and Jennie.

Mrs. Ohop was born in Danielson, CT, the daughter of Adam and Kadie (Misterka) Kogut, and lived most of her life in Dudley.

She loved gardening, and spending time with family.

Funeral Services will be private.

Sansoucy Funeral Home, 40 Marcy Street, Southbridge, MA 01550. www.sansoucyfuneral.com

Ronald L. Dumouchel, 79

EAST BROOKFIELD- Ronald L. Dumouchel age 79 died Tuesday, November 28, 2017 at his home. He leaves his wife of 29 years Irene M. (Dillstrom) Dumouchel. He also leaves three daughters; Susan Couture of N. Oxford, Sandra Miller of Leicester and Dawn Marie Constantino of Corinth, NY, three sons, Michael Dumouchel of Nashua, NH, Joseph Lynde of Brookfield and Ernie Pullano of RI. He also leaves Eleven grandchildren and two great grandchildren, a sister Joan Pratt of Worcester. Ronald also leaves his former wife and friend, Christine Homewood of Rutland. He had two sons that predeceased him, Walter Lynde III and Dennis Lynde both of E. Brookfield and a brother, Gerald Dumouchel of Maine.

He was born in Worcester, son of the late Louis A. Dumouchel and Doris M. (Emmett) Dumouchel. He was a US Marine Corp. Veteran. He worked for many years as a automobile salesmen. There are no calling hours burial will be in the National Veterans Cemetery with military honors at a later date. He enjoyed racing cars, fishing, boxing and the Patriots. 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.

Bennett J. Smith, III, 67

WEBSTER- Bennett J. Smith, III, 67, passed away Wednesday, November 22, 2017 in his home.

He leaves behind a daughter, Melissa M. Smith, D.M.D. of Millis ; his father and step-mother; Bennett J. and Carol Smith, Jr. of Webster, 2 brothers; Bruce J. Smith of Webster and Brad J. Smith of New Mexico, a sister, Heidi Smith of Dudley, sister, Seana Smith, Esq, of Irvington, N.Y., a step brother, David Wasilko of Webster and many nieces, nephews and cousins. He was predeceased by his mother, Barbara (Burzycki) Smith and a step brother, Daniel Wasilko.

Bennett was born in the Bronx, New York, and lived in Webster for many years. He was a 1968 graduate of Bartlett High School and was in the French club, choir and played football. He later graduated from the former St. Vincent School of Nursing and was a Registered nurse. Also continuing his education as an anesthetist. He also served in the U. S. Navy. Bennett also served on the Webster Conservation Board for several years.

A Funeral Service will be Friday, December 1, 2017 at 10 AM in Zion Lutheran Church, 70 Main St., Oxford (kindly meet at the Church), burial will be at a later date in St. Joseph Garden of Peace Cemetery, Webster.

Calling Hours will be Thursday, November 30, 2017 from 4-6 PM at the ROBERT J. MILLER FUNERAL HOME and LAKE CHAPEL, 366 School St., Webster.

In lieu of flowers, Memorial Contributions may be made to: Zion Lutheran Church, 70 Main St., Oxford, MA. 01540.

To send a condolence or share a memory, please visit: RJMillerfunerals.net

Wendie A. (Walker) Germain, 68

OXFORD – Wendie A. (Walker) Germain, 68, of Main Street, died Thursday, November 23, 2017, at UMass Memorial Medical Center – Memorial Campus in Worcester, after a short battle with cancer. She is survived by her husband of 2 years, Donald R. Germain of Oxford; two sons, Mark D. Darby and his wife Jamie of Nebraska, and Joel D. Darby of Sutton; her stepfather, Bernard Brabant of Dudley; her brother, Wayne Taulzetti of Florida; her sister, Cheryl Gonyea and her husband Gary of Webster; 13 grandchildren; several cousins including Suzie Smichinski of Webster; and many nephews and nieces. She was born in Webster, daughter of the late Francis E. Walker and Claire M. (Dandurand) Brabant, and lived in Webster, Dudley, and Oxford throughout her life. She graduated from Bartlett High School in 1967 and received her associate's degree from Becker College.

Mrs. Germain was a pharmacy technician at Hahnemann Medical Center in Worcester for many years, retiring in 1998. She enjoyed quilting, making jewelry, and traveling. She was known to all her nieces as "Auntie." (Just Auntie)

A funeral will be held on Thursday, November 30, 2017, from Paradis-Givner Funeral Home, 357 Main St., Oxford, followed by a Mass at 10 a.m. at St. Roch's Church, 332 Main St., Oxford. Burial will follow at St. Roch's Cemetery in Oxford. Calling hours were Wednesday, November 29, 2017, from 4-7 p.m. at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Wendie Germain Memorial Fund, c/o Santander Bank, 335 Main St., Oxford, MA 01540.

paradisfuneralhome.com

CALENDAR

Saturday, December 2

CHRISTMAS TEA: First Congregational Church of Oxford, 355 Main St. will hold its annual Christmas Tea Saturday, Dec. 2. Doors open with tea & sweets at 9:30 a.m.; luncheon selections served 11 a.m.–2 p.m. Soups: corn chowder, autumn bisque, tomato basil; Entrees: baked apple French toast (lactose free), French (tourtiere) meat pie with gravy (contains potato), roast beef & bacon wrap with Provolone, lettuce and tomato, and chicken salad on a roll; Desserts: trio tray sampler, Black Forest cake, carrot cake, assorted scones; Specialty Teas: assortment of loose leaf teas; (flavors of the season); Coffee or Hot Chocolate. Treat: Sweet & Beverage: $5.50; Snack: Soup, Sweet & Beverage: $8; Delight: Entrée, Soup, Sweet & Beverage: $10; Complete: Entrée, Soup, Sweet & Beverage: $12.00; Child 8 and Under: Small Entrée, Sweet & Beverage: $5. Gift Center, baked goods, Raffle Room, Book Nook & Granny's Attic: gently used treasures sure to please.

CHRISTMAS FAIR: The First Congregational Church of Dudley at 135 Center Road is having a Christmas Fair on Saturday Dec. 2 between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. The fair will include crafters & vendors, a Christmas and gift shop, delicious baked goods and luncheon, pictures with Santa, live entertainment, a basket drawing and a handmade quilt drawing. Great food and fun for all ages! A Goods and Service auction will take place at 2 p.m. Child care and movies will be provided during the auction. For more information and a list of auction items, please check our website: www.uccdudley.org

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR: All Saints Academy is holding their annual Christmas Bazaar Saturday, Dec. 2 from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the St Anne Campus, 12 Day St, Webster. Shop local vendors, participate in holiday games and crafts, take pictures with Santa, enter to win raffles, and enjoy a pancake breakfast. No entrance fee.

THE LIVING BREAD: A December luncheon, enjoy a free, delicious home cooked meal the first Saturday of every month. This month, Saturday, Dec. 2 it's split pea soup, pork roast, roasted red potatoes, salad and pumpkin pie! At Sts. Constantine & Helen Greek Orthodox Church, 37 Lake Parkway, Webster from 12:30-1:30 p.m. Everyone welcome!

HOLIDAY PET PHOTOS! Saturday, Dec. 2 from 9 a.m.-1 p.m. at PT Pet Supply, 86 Worcester Road, Webster. Celebrate the holiday season with us and our friends at PT Pet Supply! Get a FREE holiday photo of your pet with Santa! Bring in your dog, cat, parrot or reindeer! Any donation is appreciated and all proceeds will be donated to Friends of Oxford Dog Park.

Wednesday, December 6

TREE LIGHTING: Christmas Tree Lighting Ceremony, Wednesday, Dec. 6, at 6 pm. at the Dudley Municipal Complex, 71 West Main St., Dudley. Come join the community and celebrate at our annual tree lighting. Santa will be arriving once again on his magical fire engine. Refreshments will be served along with crafts and games. All residents are welcome to attend! Sponsored by the town of Dudley.

Saturday, December 9

BREAKFAST WITH SANTA! Dudley Lions will be hosting its annual All You Can Eat Breakfast with Santa! Breakfast includes: pancakes, eggs, sausage, juice, milk, coffee, tea and hot chocolate. The cost for the breakfast is $5 for adults and $3 for kids 6-12, and children under 6 are free. The event is at Shepherd Hill Regional High School on Saturday, Dec. 9 from 7:30-11 a.m. Proceeds from this event will go back to the community in the form of sight and hearing needs, holiday food baskets and scholarships.

SANTA NEEDS HELPERS: Do you create amazing crafts? Sell beautiful jewelry, handy handbags, useful kitchen tools, natural soaps & lotions? OHS Operation Graduation 2018 is currently accepting vendor applications for our Santa Breakfast & Vendor Fair to be held Saturday, Dec. 9 at the Oxford High School cafeteria. OpGrad members will do the cooking, vendors will sell their wares! Cost is $25 per 6-foot table space (you provide your own table) and $5 per additional table (if you need more than 1). Please contact Lysa Dell'Aquilla at lvd987@charter.net or 508-523-8982 (text or call) to submit a Vendor Application.

A pancake breakfast (pancakes, sausages, juice and coffee) will be served from 8-11 a.m., and children will have the opportunity to have their photos taken with Santa.

Sunday, December 10

CHORALE PLANNED: United Church of Christ, Federated, 4 Church St., Webster, invites the community to a free Christmas Concert on Dec. 10 at 2:00 pm. Featured will be the Worcester State University Chorale under the direction of Dr. Christie Nigro. A free-will offering will be taken to support Chorale's 2017 tour. A free reception will follow the concert. This concert is possible in part through a grant from the Janet Malser Humanities Trust.

Wednesday, December 13

FREE COMMUNITY FELLOWSHIP MEAL: sponsored by the Blessed Backpack Brigade and the Janet Malser Humanities Trust. American Legion Hall, 9 Houghton St., Webster. Meals are served from 5-6 p.m. Everyone is welcome! Come on down for some great food, fellowship and fun. Please note that there is no handicapped access.

Saturday, December 16

HOLIDAY BASKET FESTIVAL: Grace Episcopal Church will hold a Holiday Basket Festival on Saturday, Dec. 16 in Hodges Hall, 270 Main St, Oxford. The event will run 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. There will be a variety of baskets as well as small, affordable gifts, a bake sale table and a delicious lunch available. This will be a great event for those last minute gifts and for an opportunity to recharge your holiday spirit "battery."

CONCERT & DINNER: Christmas concert and dinner on Saturday, Dec. 16 at Holy Trinity Church, 68 Lake St. in Webster. The Worcester State Chorus alumni will be performing in the church at 4:00 pm following by a chicken parmesan dinner. Ticket cost is $25 and may be purchased in advance by calling Rita at (774) 314-0927. Some tickets will be available at the door. Please support our fundraising efforts.

Sunday, December 17

FREE COMMUNITY FELLOWSHIP MEAL: sponsored by the Webster Dudley American Legion and the Blessed Backpack Brigade. American Legion Hall, 9 Houghton St., Webster 1-3 p.m. Bring your families! Rumor has it that Santa Claus will be stopping by for a visit. Everyone is welcome! Come on down for some great food, fellowship and fun. Please note that there is no handicapped access.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT: come to our annual Christmas Concert, filled with holiday favorites of days gone by, as well as contemporary pieces of joy, love and peace. Step away from the Christmas madness and be filled with a true sense of the reason for the season. Join us on Sunday, Dec. 17th, 2 p.m. in the sanctuary of our church, The First Congregational Church of Dudley at 135 Center Road. Admission is free and open to all, with a free-will offering being collected during the concert. Following the performance there will be a reception downstairs in Jacob's Hall, providing a time for socializing while enjoying delicious treats provided by members of the church.

Wednesday, December 27

FREE COMMUNITY FELLOWSHIP MEAL: sponsored by the families of Erica and Larry Groh. We will be serving roast beef with all the trimmings. American Legion Hall, 9 Houghton St., Webster. Meals are served from 5-6 p.m. Everyone is welcome! Come on down for some great food, fellowship and fun. Please note that there is no handicapped access.

Saturday, January 13

MEAT RAFFLE: the TSKK holds its monthly meat raffle beginning at 2 p.m. at the club, 21 Harris St., Webster. Come join the fun! (No raffle in December.)

Saturday, February, 10

MEAT RAFFLE: the TSKK holds its monthly meat raffle beginning at 2 p.m. at the club, 21 Harris St., Webster. Come join the fun!

Saturday, March 10

MEAT RAFFLE: the TSKK holds its monthly meat raffle beginning at 2 p.m. at the club, 21 Harris St., Webster. Come join the fun!

Saturday, April 14

MEAT RAFFLE: the TSKK holds its monthly meat raffle beginning at 2 p.m. at the club, 21 Harris St., Webster. Come join the fun!

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. Please come join with us at each meeting and you'll be glad that you did. Each person has a different story to tell and you will be given tips to help you work through this agonizing and dreadful disease.

SUICIDE PREVENTION: Attempted Suicide Prevention Group. Held each Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. at St Bernard's Church, 236 Lincoln St., Worcester Gym Entrance Side, second floor meeting room. Parking & T services. Weekly facilitator, inspirational speaker, founder Dan Pelly, two time attempted suicide survivor. Your life matters, never give up. No charge. More info at (617) 592-5081.

LEAGUE OF CATHOLIC WOMEN: The St. Louis League of Catholic Women is holding its annual membership drive. The purpose of the league is to bring together women to further their cultural, social, and religious interests. The league meets every first Wednesday of the month, with the exception of January, February, July, August, and September. Programs this year will include cupcake decorating, Christmas sing-a-long, flowers in the Bible, movie night, crowning of Mary, and other interesting topics. If you are interested, please call Financial Secretary Louise Duval at 508-943-7695 or club President Carolyn Smith at 508-943-4732.

MEDITATION & YOGA: Guided Meditation on the second and fourth Wednesday every month, 6:30 p.m. at Generations Healing Center, Oxford. Please visit Pinkhippy.org for more information.

Restorative Yoga Wednesdays, Noon to 1 p.m., St. Vincent Cancer & Wellness Center, 1 Eaton Place Worcester. Please visit Pinkhippy.org for more information.

Restorative Yoga Saturdays, 8:15-9 a.m., Oxford Community Center, 4 Maple Road, Oxford. Please visit Pinkhippy.org for more information.

Restorative Yoga Wednesdays, 6:30-7:30 p.m., Boucher School of Dance, 3 Millbury Boulevard, Oxford. Please visit Pinkhippy.org for more information.

Free Yoga Classes for Cancer Patients — Restorative yoga classes for cancer patients are offered weekly and are open to patients, survivors, and their families or caregivers. Classes are held every Saturday morning from 8:15 to 9 a.m. at the Oxford Community Center, 4 Maple Road, Oxford, and on Wednesdays from noon to 1 p.m. at Saint Vincent Cancer & Wellness Center, One Eaton Place, Worcester. The Restorative Yoga program is a complementary therapy that is designed to help reduce lymphedema, increase range of motion, and soothe neuropathies that may occur during all stages of treatment and recovery. This program also promotes relaxation, which is a vital element in healing, as it brings emotional and physical relief from stress through moving meditation and gentle yoga stretches. These programs have been made possible through PinkHippy.Org, a 501(c)(3) non-profit holistic service and support organization that serves breast cancer patients, survivors and their families throughout Central MA, Northeastern CT, and Northwestern RI. Classes are free for those undergoing treatments or in recovery from breast cancer.

For more information please visit www.pinkhippy.org, call (508) 987-3310, or send an email to info@pinkhippy.org.

NUMISMATICS: The Nipmuck Coin Club meets at 6:30 p.m. on the fourth Wednesday of each month at the Oxford Senior Center, 323 Main St., behind the Oxford Town Hall. For more information, contact Dick Lisi at lisirichard15@yahoo.com.

TWICE AS NICE: The Central Mass. Mother of Twins is a non-profit club to benefit those who are raising multiples and provide support and an outlet. The club meets from 6:30-8:30 p.m. every first Thursday of the month at the Oxford Community Center to discuss twins-related issues and have relaxing events such as movie nights and outings to take the children to and or your spouse or just for Moms. Anyone who is a childcare provider to multiples is welcomed and the meetings are held on the second floor of the building of the old school house.

HELP FOR HELPERS: Do you have a family member struggling with addiction or alcoholism? You are not alone. Join Families Helping Families Support Group. Meetings at Dudley Senior Center every first and third Monday of the month, 6:30-8 p.m. We spend so much time with our addicted loved one, that we become victims ourselves. Join us. It's informal, confidential, with tough love advice from the heart, sharing of resources, hope and hugs.

HOLISTIC HEALTH: Chair Yoga and so much more every Tuesday from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. at The First Congregational Church, 135 Center Road, Dudley (please park and enter through the right side basement entrance). Class Fee: $5/class voluntary contribution (Cancer patients always free). Proceeds donated to the First Congregational Church of Dudley. Instructor: Joanne LaLiberte, Holistic Health practitioner. This class of chair yoga is to expand the lungs and strengthen all the body's major muscle groups, for stability and mobility, balance, increasing flexibility, muscularity of hip and legs and increasing range of motion with our "rear view mirror" twists. We work through the entire body, quieting the nerves, relieving stress, realigning posture and we leave renewed. Chair yoga is open to adults of all ages. It is kept light-hearted with respect for every member of the class. We honor the body as it is right now and work to improve its overall health. We come to class as individuals and leave as family. Get to know yourself through the eyes of chair yoga and build a body that serves you better. Wear comfortable clothing. As with any exercise program, check with your healthcare professional before starting.

KNOWING KNITTERS: Come join the Drop In Knitting Group from 10 a.m. to noon on Fridays at the Pearle L. Crawford Memorial Library, Schofield Avenue, Dudley. All ages and levels, from beginner to expert, are welcome. For more information, call Mary Kunkel at (508) 943-8107 or Jacqueline Vassar at (508) 892-4754.

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

SUPPORT: The Cancer Support Group meets from 6:30 to 8 p.m. on the second Monday of every month in the Boardroom on the 4th floor at Harrington Hospital, 100 South Street, Southbridge. Call (508) 764-2400 for more information.

SUPPORT: Overeaters Anonymous group meeting every Wednesday at 6 p.m. Come to Room RHF-1 at Day Kimball Hospital, 320 Pomfret St., Putnam, CT. We will welcome you! For more information, contact Kathryn at (508) 949-0819.

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WEBSTER – 8 Oakwood Dr! 12 Rm Hip Roof 5,165' Custom Colonial on 1 Acre w/ In-ground Pool! Formal Din & Liv Rms! Frplc Fam Rm & Frplc Den! Master Suite/Master Bath! 6 Bdrms! 3 Full & 2 Half Baths! Hrdwds & Wall to Wall! C/Air! In-law Potential! 2 Car Garage! **$499,900.00**

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AUBURN – 5 Pinedale Rd! Updated 7 Rm, 4 Bdrm Cape! Appliance Cabinet Kit! Formal Din Rm w/Hrdwds! NEW 20x22 Liv Rm out to 14x20 Deck! 1st Flr 2 Bdrms w/ Laminate Flrs! Recent Full Bath! 2nd Flr w/2 Bdrms w/Laminate Flrs! Laundry w/ Washer & Dryer! 2 Sheds! Town Services! **$222,900.00**

DUDLEY – 36 Fish Rd! 7 Rm Raised Ranch w/Huge Split Level Cathedral Ceiling Family Rm w/Skylights! Open Cathedral Ceiling Kit/Din & Living Rms w/Skylights! 3 Bdrms! Master Bath! 3 Full Baths! Huge Steel I Beam Clear Span 2 Car Garage! 1.1 Acres! Oil Heat! Shed! **$299,900.00**

DUDLEY – 20 Williams St! Nice 7 Rm Cape w/3 Car Garage! SS Applianced Kit w/Oak Cabinets & Corian Counters! Frplcd Liv Rm & Din Rm w/Hrdwds! Sunroom w/Hot Tub/Skylights! 3 Bdrms! Master Bath & Walk-in Closet! 2 Tile Bathrms! Buderus Furnace! Town Services! Fenced Backyard! **$244,900.00**

LEICESTER – 36 Boyd St! Spacious 3 Fam! 6/6/6 Rms! 3/3/3 Bdrms! Investment or Owner Occupied! Quiet Residential Neighborhood! Corner Lot! Open Din/Liv Rms, Eat-in Kits w/Pantries & Laundry! Sep Utilities! Roofs, Gutters & Downspouts 2017! Garage & Shed! Off St Parking! Well Maintained! **$330,000.00**

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DUDLEY – 7 Kayla Lane! 8 Rm Colonial Set On 1.84 Acres! Applianced Granite Kit! Frplcd Dining Rm! Living Rm w/ Hrdwds! Cathedral Ceiling Family Rm! 3 Bedrooms! Spacious Master, Master Bath! 2.5 Baths! 1st Floor Laundry! Farmers Porch! Deck! Attached 2 Car Garage! **$359,900.00**

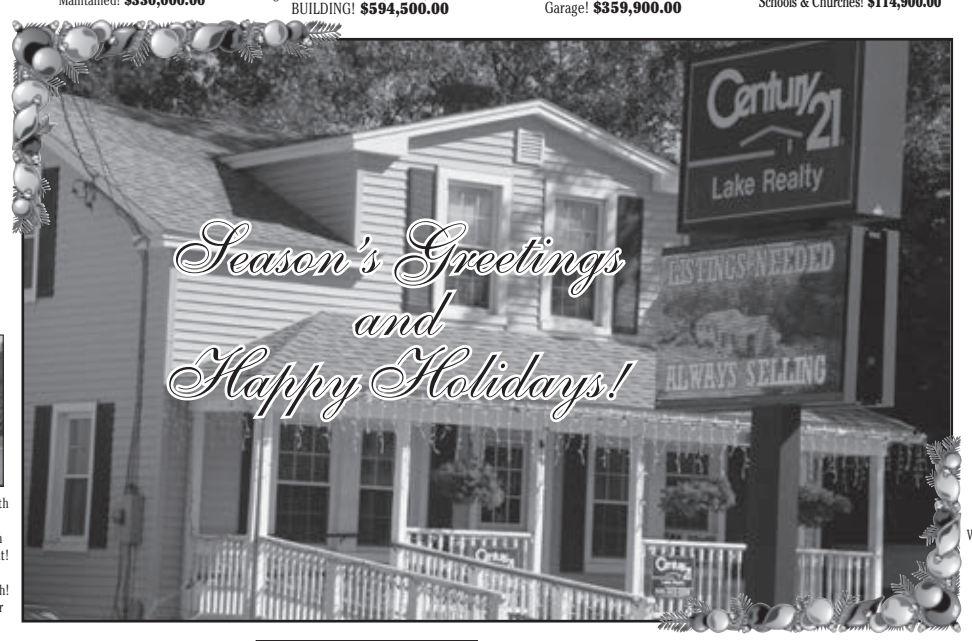
WEBSTER – 9-11 Lyndale Ave! 8 Rm Colonial w/Greenhouses! Eat-in Kitchen! Formal Dining Rm Open to Living Rm w/ Wood Floors! Full Bath! Den w/Built-ins! 4 Large Bedrooms on 2nd Floor! Nice Level Lot! Walking Distance to Center of Webster! Town Services! Rte. 395 Near! Walk to Schools & Churches! **$114,900.00**

CHARLTON – 44 Oxford Rd! 8 Rm Colonial w/Farmers Porch! 1.38 Acres! New Quartz Kitchen! Formal Dining Rm w/Hrdwds! Frplcd Fam Rm w/Hrdwds! Spacious Liv Rm! 4 Bdrms! Master Bath! 2.5 Baths Total! 16X30 Deck! 2 Car Garage! Shed! 2016 Roof! Many Updates! **$344,900.00**

OXFORD - 74 Walnut St! 5 Rm Ranch! Central Location w/Good Size Level Yard! 2 Bdrms w/3rd Possible! Full Bath! Hrdwds Liv Rm & Bdrms! Cedar Closet! Basement w/2 Finished Rms! Vinyl Siding! Older Replacement Windows! Deck! AG Pool! Shed! Cosmetics Needed! **$184,900.00**

WEBSTER – 42 Cushing Rd! 7 Rm Ranch! Cabinet Kit w/SS Appliances & Tile Flr! Dining Area w/Corner Hutch! Frplc Liv Rm w/Hrdwds! 3 Bdrms w/Hrdwds! Full Bath w/Tile Flr! Den w/New Carpet! New Electrical Service! Partially Finished Basement! Garage! Screened Porch! Shed! Town Services! **$239,900.00**

WEBSTER – 141 Gore Rd/Rte 16! 1.68 Acres! Prime Exposure! Business Opportunities! Zoned Commercial! 165' Road Frontage! 18X32' 4 Car Garage! 12X20' Workshop! 7 Rm Colonial! 3 Bdrms w/ Hrdwds! Din/Liv Rm w/Hrdwds! Sided! NEW FURNACE! Needs Roof, Updates to Electrical & Cosmetics**! $109,000.00**



WEBSTER – 56 Chase Ave! Well Maintained 2 Fam! 6/4 Rms! 3/2 Bdrms! Applianced Eat-in Kits! Formal Din Rm! Carpeted Liv Rm! Large Bdrms! Updated Full Baths! Skylight! Hrdwds! 6 Panel Drs! 2Z Oil Heat! Furnaces 1 Yr Old! Newer Plumbing & Electric! Fenced Yard w/Patio! **$219,900.00**

WEBSTER – 47 Harris St! Custom Built 6 Rm Ranch! .43 Acre Lot! Eat-in Kit w/ Oversized Pantry! Frplcd Liv Rm w/Bay Window! 3 Large Bdrms w/Wall to Wall Carpets & Large Closets! Den! Full Bath w/Linen Closet! Semi-Finished Lower Level w/Full Bath! 10yr Young Roof! Newer Gas Furnace! **$239,900.00**

WEBSTER LAKE – 294 Killdeer Island! North Pond! 62' Waterfront! Panoramic Views! 8 Rm Colonial! Kit w/Double Oven! GLEAMING Hrdwd Flrs! 4 Bdrms! 2 Full Baths! 14X20 Trex Deck! Newly Painted! Prof Landscaped! Fenced Yard! Plenty of Docks Included! **$524,900.00**

WEBSTER LAKE – 10 Kenneth Ave! South Pond! Sandy Shoreline! 9 Rm Contemp Ranch, 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! Frplcd Fam Rm! Deck w/Custom Bar! 2 Car Garage! **$639,900.00**

WEBSTER LAKE – 271 Killdeer Island Rd! Middle Pond! 120' Waterfront! Facing West! Beautiful Sunsets! 7 Rm Yr Rd Cottage! Open Flr Plan! Cabinet Kit & Din Rm out to Lake Facing Deck! Liv Rm that Walks Out to Small Balcony! 3 Bdrms! Updated Bath! Level Lot! Access All the Lake Has to Offer! **$279,000.00**

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! **$399,000.00**

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! Frplcd Lower Level Fam Rm! 2 Car Garage! **$749,900.00**

WEBSTER LAKE - 82 Lakeside Ave! South Pond! Prime 157' Waterfront w/ Western Expo! Beautiful Sunsets! Panoramic Lake Views! 10+ Rm, 4 Bdrm, 4.5 Bath, A/C'd, 3,832' Custom Colonial! Lake Facing Quartz Kit w/Heated Flr! Din Area w/Custom Wall Unit & Slider to Waterfront Deck w/Elect Awning! Frplc Liv Rm! Din Rm w/Tray Ceiling! Lake Facing Master w/Master Bath! Upstairs 3 Bdrms, 2 Lake Facing! Lower Level Fam Rm w/2nd Kit, Sauna & Full Bath! 3 Car Attached, 1 Car Detached! Security! Generator! Boat House! **$1,195,900.00**

WEBSTER LAKE – Reid Smith Cove WATERFRONT LOT! South Shore Rd! Build Your Dream Home or Summer Retreat! Set on Quiet Road, Surrounded by Woods! Sloping Lot Down to Level Waterfront! 7,200' Lot! 57' on the Water & Road! Town Water & Sewer Available! **$229,900.00**

WEBSTER LAKE – 30 S. Point Rd! 91' Waterfront! Yr Rd 7 Rm Colonial! Ideal 2nd Home! Panoramic Views of South Pond! NEW Kit w/Din! Frplc Din & Liv Rm w/Lake Facing Picture Window! 3 Bdrms! Walkout Lower Level w/Fam Rm w/Summer Kit! NEW Int. Paint! Recent Roof & Siding! **$349,900.00**

WEBSTER LAKE – 55 Colonial Rd! South Pond! 105' Level Waterfront! Western Expo! Awesome Sunsets! 10 Rm Contemp! Pano Lake Views Most Rms! Open Flr Plan! Frplcd Liv Rm! 4 2nd Flr Bdrms, 3 Lake Facing! Master Bath! 2.5 Remodeled Baths! 2 Car Garage! Dock! Add Lot Across St! Recent Roof! **$599,900.00**

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 – 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/Gas Range & Sink, Wall Ovens! Din Area! Lake Facing Din Rm! Frplcd 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/ Frplcd Fam Rm, Summer Kit & 3rd Full Bath, 3.5 Total! C/Air! Gas Heat! 2 Car Garage & More**! $1,100,000.00**

WEBSTER LAKE – 18 Bates Crossing! South Pond! Beautiful Sunrises! Huge Eastern Exposure! 8 Rm 3,100' Custom Contemporary! 2.43 Acres! Substantial Privacy! Home Features Endless Possibilities! Open Flr Plan w/Magnificent Views from Every Rm! 3 Bdrms, 3 Baths, Cathedral Ceilings w/Skylights! European Kit w/Center Isl! Modern Frplc Liv Rm w/Glass Sliders Open to Waterfront Balcony! Master Bdrm w/en-suite Bath, Separate Shower, Jacuzzi Tub, Walk-in Closet & Attached Laundry! Lower Level Bdrms Share Private Bath! C/Air! Attached Garage w/Work Space! Detached 2 Car Heated Garage w/Workshop! Greenhouse! Panoramic Lake & Estuary Views! **$950,000.00**

WEBSTER LAKE – 901 Treasure Isl! **Prime Beachfront** Townhouse! 6Rms! 1,874'! Open Floor Plan! Applianced Granite Kit w/Hrdwds! Din & Liv Rms w/ Hrdwds! 2 Bdrms! Master Bath! 2.5 Baths! Frplcd Fam Rm w/Tile Flr! Recent CAir, Gas Heat & Windows! Trex Deck! Garage! BOAT SLIP! Heated Pool! **$424,900.00**

WEBSTER LAKE – 334 Killdeer Island! Middle Pond! South Facing! Well Maintained 7 Rm Colonial! Applianced Oak Kit! Din Rm W/Hrdwds! Cathedral Ceiling Liv Rm w/Lake Views! Cathedral Ceiling 3 Season Sunrm Overlooking Lake! Lake Facing Master Suite, Master Bath! 3Bdrms! 2 Baths! Sandy Beach! **$469,900.00**

WEBSTER LAKE – 60 Lakeside Ave! 100' Waterfront! Huge Views of South Pond! Western Exposure = Fantastic Sunsets! In Time for Summer! 5 Rooms of Rustic Charm! Real Log Summer Cottage! 10,924' Lot Allows for Room to Expand! Remodel It! Tear it Down! Build New! **$359,900.00**

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7 CEDAR DR & 0 BIRCH ISLAND RD

English Tudor Style Colonial! Cathedral ceiling Dining & Fireplaced Living Room! 1600+ sq ft of living area! 3 Good size bedrooms. Master bedroom with Master Bath! 1 bedroom on the main living level. 2-1/2 Total Baths! 7 rooms total! Finished basement with Hearth! Forced hot air by oil! Central Air Conditioning! 14' X 42' car port! 3 car garage! Comes with Non-Seperable Waterfront Lot, on Middle Pond! Enjoy Webster lake without the High Taxes! **$367,000.**

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DUDLEY - 67 WEST MAIN ST

Looking for a place for your BUSINESS? Looking for a good INVESTMENT? Check out this Dudley Business Zoned (BUS-15) Property on the CORNER of West Main & View Street.197' road frontage (65' on W Main / 132' on View St.). Business Zoned Abutting Rear Lot on View St. is also available, asking $54,900. Improvements include an Antique 2 story single family home w/3 BRS, 2 Baths. It may be possible to convert this home back to a 2 family with the addition of a 2nd means of egress. Home is Connected to Municipal Water & Sewer, a recent Natural Gas Buderus FHW Boiler w/cast iron radiators, a 2 Car Detached Garage **$199,900**

WEBSTER - 12 ERNEST ST

Welcome home to this Huge, Sprawling, Custom Built, Very Attractive, Ranch Style Home! No Kidding - there is 2,848 SF+/- of Living Area on One Level! Meander on up the curved brick walkway and open the door to a very unique and private property! Half acre+/- level lot! In-ground pool, built-in hot tub, a poolside cabana w/kitchen & full bath, Gated driveway! Huge carport/pavilion for entertaining! The interior is incredible w/separate wings for private family living & entertainment, separate BR suites, 10 rooms total! Currently has a longtime, established, successful in-home hair salon business! You Will Be Amazed! **$349,900.**

DUDLEY - 54 MILL RD

"REFRESHED" Over-sized 3 Bedroom Ranch w/ Fireplace & 1+ Acres of Lg Private Backyard on Country Road! Lots of Updates! Fresh Paint & Refinished Hardwood Floors Throughout! New Heating/AC System New Lighting! Newer Windows! Kitchen has New Floor and Counters! Both Baths Have New Sinks, Counters and Toilets! First Floor Spacious Laundry Room with Cabinets and Closet for Extra Storage! **NEW PRICE $257,000**

THOMPSON- 422 RIVERSIDE DR

Roadside Oasis! Pride of Ownership! Close to 395! Ideal for anyone starting or has their own Business, 30x40 Steel Building, 12ft garage Door! 15 Foot Ceilings! Fully Insulated! Single Family - 3Bedroom, 2+ Bath,- 1456 Sq Ft, Flat Level Lot, 1/2 Acre! Completely Renovated! Originally a 2 family converted to a Single Family Use, Security System! Stainless Steel Appliances! Town Sewer! Private Water! **$259,000.**

WEBSTER LAKE - TREASURE ISLAND #306

WELCOME TO WEBSTER LAKE'S PREMIER CONDO COMMUNITY ~ TREASURE ISLAND END UNIT!!! Unit 306 - Original owner! Don't wait!This is the ONLY Condo Currently Available!! Enjoy [illegible] & Tranquil Setting ~ Private [illegible] the "Naturescape" Waterfront, [illegible] the Quiet Enjoyment of Watching Herons, Eagles and More! Freshly Painted! Newer Windows and Sliders! Recently Converted "Salt Water" Pool for Summer Fun & Ice Skating / Ice Fishing is only a Short Walk form Home!! 2 Boat Slips for Your Water Toys!! Almost 1900 sq ft of Lake Living ~ Full Time or Vacation Home,...2 Spacious Bedrms with Full Baths, Attached Garage, Economical GAS Heat, Central Air & Central Vac! PETS allowed! **On Deposit in 7 Days $342,000.**

DUDLEY - 33 RAYMOND ST

"EXCEPTIONAL" Custom Built Ranch on Expansive 5+ Acres! Very Private! Located on a Dead End St. Quality Workmanship & Design Throughout! Dining Area Opens to Deck Overlooking the Grounds! Most of the Main Level is Enhanced by Beautiful "Australian Cypress" Wood Floors & Decorative Custom Lighting! 2 Very Efficient "Harman" Pellet Stoves will Stay! RV Hook up! Underground Services! Floor Plan Offers a Split Bedroom Set Up, Private Master on one end, & the Other 3 at the Opposite End! Zoning is R-87 Some Permitted uses are: Horses, Barn, Livestock, Sales Stand for Garden or Other Produce! Finished LL Combined Living/Dining Area, Kitchenette & Utility Room. **$429,900.**

WEBSTER LAKE - 38 WEST POINT RD

On Killdeer Island with 90 feet of water frontage on North Pond! This 3-4 bedroom, 2 car garage! All town services. House would make a good rehab or complete tare down, nice location justifies either. assisted sale **$449,900.**

WEBSTER LAKE - 22 LAURELWOOD DR

1st Time Offered in Reid Smith Cove, Spectacular 3700+/- SF, 13 Rm/4.5 Bath Lake Home, Uniquely Designed for Lake-Style Living! Private Setting, Ideal Location, .68 Acres, 92' of Natural Shoreline, Prof. Landscape, Multiple Decks, Lakeside Cabana, 3 Mstr BR Suites w/Elegant 1st Flr Mstr ~ all w/ Private Baths, Finished Walkout LL w/Living & Billiard Rms & Summer Kitchen! Call Sharon at 508-954-7222 for More Information **$1,150,000.**

LAND!
WEBSTER/DUDLEY BUILDABLE LOTS

Webster Lake - 16 Black Point Rd. Waterfront, Boat Access, Buildable w/Town Water & Sewer. $54,900

Webster Lake - 0 South Point Rd. Waterfront, Garage on lot $144,900.

Webster Lake - 22 South Point Rd. Waterfront, Southern exposure! Town Water & Sewer $229,900

Oxford - 4 Leiecester St., 8.47 acres, mostly cleared $149,900

On The shores of Lake Chargoggagoggmanchauggagoggchaubunagungamaugg

WEBSTER LAKE - 18 BATES XNG

Privacy, view, and a lot of Land! 2+ acres! level waterfront with a natural shoreline, no walls. Private Lagoon! 3,100' Contemporary! 3 bedrooms, 3 baths! Large open kitchen, cathedral ceiling with skylites and fireplace, overlooking Ira Bates Cove! Master Bedroom with Jacuzzi Tub, large walk in Closet! Central Air! 2 Car Heated Garage! Experience Nature at it finest! assisted sale **$950,000.**

WEBSTER LAKE - 118 POINT BREEZE RD

Excellent Opportunity to Finally Own Your Own Webster Lake Waterfront Property! Prime Location, 5,697+/- SF Lot, 50' Rd & Water Frontage at a Great Price! Contemporary Ranch offers 996+/- SF of living area w/2 BRs & full bath. Plus, convenient, indoor access to Walkout Lower Level w/tremendous potential for additional living area. Main level features Open Floor Plan w/sliders to full front deck! Spectacular Westerly views across Middle Pond! Additional land & shore frontage available. **$345,000**

WEBSTER LAKE - 91 SOUTH SHORE RD

One of A Kind Property!- Gorgeous Panoramic Views of Reid Smith Cove! 90ft of Water Frontage, with privacy!! 3 bedrooms, 1 Bath & 2 half baths! Wet Bar!! Appliances Included. Walk Out Lower Level! Deck! 1 Car Detached Garage! Your own Private Boat Ramp. BOAT & DOCKS INCLUDED. Town Services! **$574,900.**

WEBSTER LAKE - 32 WEST POINT RD

On Killdeer Island! FIRST TIME OFFERED! Great for Swimming! Center Staged, Multi Level Stone Fireplace is the "Focus" of this Beautiful Custom Built Lakefront Contemporary! The Main Level is Complete with Fire Placed Living Room, Eat-In Kitchen, Full Bath and 2 Bedrooms! 2nd Floor offers a Private Master! Lower Level has Cozy Family Room, Office Area, Fireplace & Full Bath! Great for Over night Guests! Don't Let this One Get Away! **$585,000.**

WEBSTER LAKE • 2 SOUTH POINT RD

WEBSTER LAKE: PANORAMIC VIEWS OF WEBSTER LAKE! Great South Facing Location, 62' prime lakefront, large deep lot 10,489sf , flagstone & concrete patios, full concrete walkway at water's edge, dock, retaining walls & stonework, privacy fence, storage shed, recently paved drive, plenty offstreet parking in driveway & area at roadside, spacious, Year-round, 2 story Cape home, 4 BRs (1 on 1st flr), 2 full BAs, Harvey replacement windows, 6 year+/- young roof. **NEW PRICE $419,900**

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Southbridge: Built in 2007-like brand new! 5 room 3 bedroom 2 bath Ranch! Vaulted Ceiling Living room. Master bedroom with beautiful master bath! Some hardwds. Lower level fully finished-great additional space for family room, office, exercise room. New Deck. Large Level fenced backyard. Central Air. Move in condition! **$234,900.**

Southbridge: Classic Colonial with great front porch! 7 rooms 3-4 bedrooms 1 ½ baths. Large eat in kitchen. Three more rooms on the first floor, could use one for bedroom. 2nd floor large bedrooms plus full bath. Newly painted interior, some newer carpets, newer furnace, hot water tank, and oil tank. Back deck to level yard. **$134,900**.

Southbridge: Spacious Home with 8 rooms 4 bedrooms. Big Living room with fireplace. Formal dinning room w/built in china cabinet. Updated kitchen. Tile bathroom. Some HW floors. Playroom in lower level. 2 car garage. Updated gas furnace. Fenced in yard. Must sell!! Make an offer! **$239,900.**

Southbridge: Move In Condition Home with farmer's porch! Great 5 room 2 bedroom home! Blown in insulation. Replacement windows. Updated gas heat. 2 car attached garage. FHA or USDA financing good to go here! Walk to hospital and close to Westville Rec Area! Sturbridge side of Town-great for commuters. CHEAPER than RENT! Build equity each month! **$118,500.**

Auburn: BEAUTIFUL totally renovated Ranch with 5 rooms 2 bedrooms. Hardwood floors. Open living room, dining room & Kitchen-great for entertaining! Kitchen cabinets, counters, & ss appliances all done within 8 years. Spacious updated bath with ceramic tile floor. Vinyl sided, updated roof, windows, central air. NICE NICE HOME! **$217,900**

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OXFORD				
1 Carol Dr	S	11-1	$189,900	ReMax Advantage 1/Maria Reed 508-873-9254
WEBSTER				
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Wonderful lakefront home with inlet to dock your boat and be out of the lake traffic!
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Custom ward cedar log cabin has 3 beds, 2 baths situated on 4+ acres.
Jen Jackson 401-413-1001

Hampton $255,000 NEW LISTING

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Idyllic property and home. Pond, brook, welcoming lawns. 3 beds, new Roof, siding, gutters. Must see!
John Rich 860-315-2615

Killingly $285,000 NEW LISTING

bhhsNEproperties.com/170030129
3 BD 2.5 BA w/1768 sqft & open floor plan. Finished basement, master suite, pool, & 2 car garage. Located on rural rd.
Amy St. Laurent 860-617-6492

Woodstock $500,000 NEW PRICE

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Stunning contemporary home w/ 2 story solarium & lg. fieldstone fireplace. On 12 private acres of predominantly pasture.
John Downs 860-377-0754

Thompson $175,900 NEW PRICE

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Two Family- 2 beds & 1.5 Bath Each Side. Sep. utilities. Abuts trails, 4+ Acres. Close to MA line.
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Mid-century cedar home, complete privacy. Option for in-law, 6/12A. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths.Stable, riding trails, greenhouse.
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Thompson $148,000 NEW PRICE

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Rachel Sposato 860-234-1343

Woodstock $550,000

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Sweeping valley views! Stunning antique home. 19.55 Acres with pasture, developable land and 4 outbuildings.
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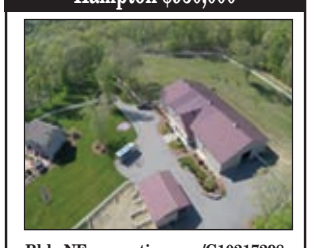
Hampton $950,000



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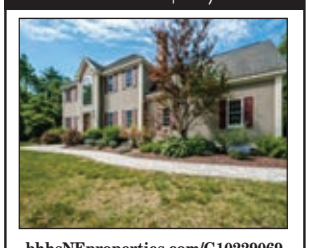

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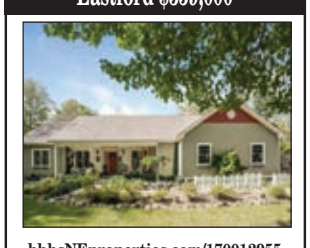

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Stunning farmhouse 4 BR/2.5 BA, 2 car garage, quartz counters, stainless appl, cathedral ceilings, 1 acre EZ to 44 & 198
Mary Scalise 860-918-1539

Woodstock $355,000

bhhsNEproperties.com/170017285
Very attractive 4 BD 2.5 BA home on 13 acres. Country Kitchen-Wd flr-FP-C.Air-2 car gar-Outstanding views-Academy nearby
Chet Zadora 860-208-6724

Websterm MA $199,000

bhhsNEproperties/72248978
Restored vintage home with NEW granite kitchen and bath. New electric & furnace. Newer family RM. 1 garage EZ highway access.
Mary Collins 860-336-6677

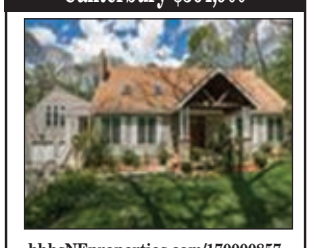
Pomfret $185,000

bhhsNEproperties.com/170030823
Private corner lot. New septic & roof Woodstove in FP. Pellet in Family RM Hardwoods, garage.
Mary Collins 860-336-6677

Woodstock $480,000

bhhsNEproperties.com/170027908
18.24 Acres of beautiful nature. Comfortable and spacious living w/ hrdwd floors throughout. Private, quiet and peaceful.
John Downs 860-377-0754

Canterbury $364,900



bhhsNEproperties.com/170000857
Captivating home, oak floors, enclosed sunrm w/tile, 2 FP, great room, covered entry, well maintained. So much to offer!
Rachel Sposato 860-234-1343

LAND FOR SALE

Woodstock $125,000 NEW LISTING
bhhsNEproperties.com/170033599
20 acres of pristine, lightly wooded Land ready for home on quiet Woodstock road. Well and house clearing in place.
John Rich 860-315-2615

Woodstock $25,000
bhhsNEpropeties.com/170031476
10.45 Acres. Deeded for agricultural or conservation use, right of way. Perfect for hunting, hiking, or four wheeling.
Amy Archambault 860-377-2830

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45 Route 171 | Woodstock, CT | 860-928-1995 bhhsNEproperties.com

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

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 30

FESTIVAL OF GIVING TREES
Opening Day Premiere
Tree Viewing
10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Admission $3 or $5
And stay for choral event
CHORAL PREMIERE EVENT
7:00 P.M. - 9:00 P.M.
Admission $5 at door or online @ www.sparklingtrees.com
LaSalle Reception Center
444 Main St., Southbridge, MA

LADIES NIGHT
5:30 p.m. -7:30 p.m.
First 50 people will receive a free Cormiers Gift Certificate ranging from $15-$200
Free refreshments and raffles from local businesses and in-store baskets.
Wine served - must be 21 years or older
CORMIER JEWELERS & ART GALLERY
136 Main St., Spencer, MA
508-885-3385

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1

6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
NORTH BROOKFIELD PTO HOLIDAY FAIR
Free admission.
Crafters, vendors, food truck.
Music, raffles and more!
NORTH BROOKFIELD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
10 New School Dr.
North Brookfield, MA

FESTIVAL OF GIVING TREES
Tree viewing and Senior Citizens' Day
Free admission for seniors age 62 and over
Free raffles for seniors and lunch Served by Annie's Country Kitchen at special price of $5
Live entertainment
FRIDAY NIGHT LIGHTS
6:30 p.m. - 11:00 p.m.
Admission $15 in advance or $20 at door
Entertainment, live auction
Buy tickets @ www.sparklingtrees.com
LaSalle Reception Center
444 Main St., Southbridge, MA

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 2

10 am - 3 pm
PICTURES WITH SANTA
Children & pets welcome
KLEM TRACTOR, INC.
117 West Main St.
Spencer, MA
508-885-2708 (Ext. 104)
www.klemsonline.com

ST. JOSEPH PARISH CHRISTMAS BAZAAR
9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
ST. JOSEPH PARISH CENTER
68 Central St., Auburn, MA
Jewelry, baked goods, plants, toys,knits, attic treasures, Collectibles.
Raffles, holiday items, unique finds

MILITARY APPRECIATION DAY
Mexicali Mexican Grill
117 Main St., Spencer, MA
(SPENCER LOCATION ONLY)
Special fundraising event for local veterans organizations.
Live DJ, visit from the balloon man.
Mexicali Mexican Grill gift cards raffle proceeds to feed two military families for the holidays.
Special t-shirt sale proceeds and 20% of every food order on special menu to be donated to a local veterans organization.
774-745-8200

FESTIVAL OF GIVING TREES
Children's Day
9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Food available for purchase 11-2
10:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.: Visit with Santa Claus 10:00 a.m.: Pumpernickel Puppets 11:00 a.m.: "Holly" the Elf
12:30 p.m.: Lee Irish Dance
1:15 p.m.: Heather, Cody & Cate "Acoustic Trio"
3:00 p.m.: Festival's Got Talent Contest LaSalle Reception Center
444 Main St., Southbridge, MA

DIRTY POCKET
9:00 p.m.
3-piece rock band performing classic and contemporary covers
308 LAKESIDE
308 East Main St.
East Brookfield, MA
774-449-8333

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 3

FESTIVAL OF GIVING TREES
Final Day
9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Admission $3
Food available for purchase 11:00 a.m.- 2:00 p.m.
Entertainment and raffles
LaSalle Reception Center
444 Main St., Southbridge, MA

SATURDAY AND SUNDAY DECEMBER 9, 10

Greater Auburn Community Chorus
Under the direction of Charles J. Pietrello
Presents "What Sweeter Music"
A Cantata for Christmas
By John Leavitt
And "The Most Wonderful Time of the Year"
Sat., 7:00 p.m.
Sun. 2:30 p.m.
BETHEL LUTHERAN CHURCH
90 Bryn Mawr Ave., Auburn, MA
Tickets: $15.00

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 9
9:00 p.m.
SARAH ASHLEIGH BAND
Great blues, rock and country band PLUS
UGLY SWEATER CONTEST
CASH PRIZES
308 LAKESIDE
308 East Main St.
East Brookfield, MA
774-449-8333

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 10

10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
VISIT WITH SANTA during brunch
308 LAKESIDE
308 East Main St.
East Brookfield, MA
774-449-8333

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14

LADIES & GENTS NIGHT
Free refreshments, beer from local breweries
One-day raffle. Must be 21 years or older
CORMIER JEWELERS & ART GALLERY
136 Main St., Spencer, MA
508-885-3385

ONGOING

YOGA CLASSES
Monday evenings
6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.
Woodstock Elementary School Gym
Oct. 23, 30, Nov. 13, 20, 27, Dec. 11, 18
$56 (7 classes), $35 (4 classes)
$10.00 "Drop In"
Diane Converse @ 860-315-5175 or recreationdirector@woodstockCT.gov

ROADHOUSE BLUES JAM
Every Sunday, 3:00 - 7:00 p.m.
CADY'S TAVERN
2168 Putnam Pike, Chepachet, RI
401-568-4102

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

WISE GUYS TEAM TRIVIA
Every Tuesday, 8:00 - 10:00 p.m.
CADY'S TAVERN
2168 Putnam Pike (Rt. 44)
Chepachet, RI
401-568- 4102

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

TRAP SHOOTING
Every Sunday at 11:00 a.m.
Open to the public
$12.00 per round includes clays and ammo
NRA certified range officer on site every shoot
AUBURN SPORTSMAN CLUB
50 Elm St., Auburn, MA
508-832-6492

HUGE MEAT RAFFLE
First Friday of the month
Early Bird 6:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
1st table: 7:00 p.m.
Auburn Sportsman Club
50 Elm St., Auburn, MA
508-832-6496

TRIVIA TUESDAYS
at 7:00 p.m.
Cash prizes
308 LAKESIDE
308 East main St.
East Brookfield, MA
774-449-8333

TRIVIAL THURSDAY
No cost to play
Cash prizes
Every Thursday at 7:00 p.m.
CHESTER P. TUTTLE POST AMERICAN LEGION
88 Bancroft St.
Auburn, MA
508-832-2701

LEGALS

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 Jeffrey M. Vassar, Kenneth F. Vassar and Dorothy M. Vassar to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for Prime Mortgage Financial, Inc., its successors and assigns, dated January 25, 2005 and recorded with the Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds at Book 35570, Page 370 subsequently assigned to Wells Fargo Bank, NA by Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for Prime Mortgage Financial, Inc., its successors and assigns by assignment recorded in said Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds at Book 50605, Page 245; of which Mortgage the undersigned is the present holder for breach of the conditions of said Mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing same will be sold at Public Auction at 10:00 AM on December 11, 2017 at 4 D'alessandro Avenue, Dudley, 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 AND ALL THE PRIVILEGES AND APPURTENANCES THERETO BELONGING, SITUATED IN THE TOWN OF DUDLEY, WORCESTER COUNTY, MASSACHUSETTS, FURTHER BOUNDED AND DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING AT THE SOUTHWESTERLY CORNER THEREOF AT AN IRON PIN ON THE EASTERLY LINE OF SAID D' ALESSANDRO AVENUE, SAID IRON PIN BEING AT THE NORTHWESTERLY CORNER OF LAND OWNED BY BUKOWSKI; THENCE NORTHERLY AND WESTERLY BY THE EASTERLY LINE OF D' ALESSANDRO AVENUE ALONG A CURVE WITH A RADIUS OF 261.13 FEET, FOR A DISTANCE OF SEVENTY-SIX AND EIGHTY-NINE HUNDREDTHS (76.89) FEET TO A STAKE; THENCE NORTH 4 DEG. 55' EAST BY THE EASTERLY LINE OF SAID D' ALESSANDRO AVENUE, FOR A DISTANCE OF SIX TENTHS (.6) FEET TO AN IRON PIN ON THE SOUTHERLY LINE OF A 30 FOOT RIGHT OF WAY; THENCE SOUTH 72 DEG. 47' EAST BY THE SOUTHERLY LINE OF SAID RIGHT OF WAY FOR A DISTANCE OF EIGHTY -SIX AND FIVE TENTHS (86.5) FEET TO A STAKE; THENCE SOUTH 7 DEG. 30' WEST BY THE WESTERLY LINE OF PROPOSED BEACON AVENUE FOR A DISTANCE OF NINETY- TWO AND FIVE TENTHS (92.5) FEET TO AN IRON PIN AT LAND OF BUKOWSKI; THENCE NORTH 64 DEG. 02' WEST BY LAND OF BUKOWSKI, FOR A DISTANCE OF NINETY-SIX (96) FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING. BEING THE SAME PREMISES CONVEYED TO CALEB A. MOODY BY DEED OF JOSEPH F. MROZINSKI, JR. DATED JULY 9, 1999 AND RECORDED WITH THE WORCESTER DISTRICT REGISTRY OF DEEDS IN BOOK 21605, PAGE 213. SAID PREMISES BEING NUMBERED 4 D'ALESSANDRO AVENUE.

The premises are to be sold subject to and with the benefit of all easements, restrictions, building and zoning laws, liens, attorney's fees and costs pursuant to M.G.L.Ch.183A, unpaid taxes, tax titles, water bills, municipal liens and assessments, rights of tenants and parties in possession.

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.

Wells Fargo Bank, N.A.
Present Holder of said Mortgage,
By Its Attorneys,
ORLANS PC
PO Box 540540
Waltham, MA 02454
Phone: (781) 790-7800
17-001398
November 17, 2017
November 24, 2017
December 1, 2017

(SEAL)

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
LAND COURT
DEPARTMENT OF THE TRIAL COURT
17 SM 003209
ORDER OF NOTICE

TO:
Carolyn L. Rocheleau AKA Carolyn L. Curl
and to all persons entitled to the benefit of the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act:, 50 U.S.C.c. 50 §3901 (et seq):
MTGLQ Investors, L.P
claiming to have an interest in a Mortgage covering real property in **North Oxford**, numbered **615 Main Street,** given by **Peter C. Rocheleau** to **Countrywide Home Loans, Inc.**, dated **March 15, 2004**, and recorded with the **Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds** in Book **33086**, Page **57**, and now held by 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 **December 25, 2017** 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 this Court on November 8, 2017

Attest:
Deborah J. Patterson
Recorder
(16-011813 Orlans)
December 1, 2017

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Worcester Probate and Family Court
225 Main Street
Worcester, MA 01608
Docket No. WO17P3060GD
NOTICE AND ORDER:
Petition for Appointment of Guardian of a Minor

In the interests of
Charlotte E Braun
of **Dudley, MA**
Minor

NOTICE TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES

1. Hearing Date/Time: A hearing on a Petition for Appointment of Guardian of a Minor filed on **09/25/2017** by
Michael Braun of Worcester, MA
Tracy Braun of Worcester, MA
will be held **12/12/2017**
08:30 AM Motion
Located **Courtroom 12, Worcester Probate and Family, Court, 225 Main Street, Worcester, MA 01608**

2. Response to Petition: You may respond by filing a written response to the Petition or by appearing in person at the hearing. If you choose to file a written response, you need to:

File the original with the Court; and

Mail a copy to all interested parties at least five (5) business days before the hearing.

3. Counsel for the Minor: The minor (or an adult on behalf of the minor) has the right to request that counsel be appointed for the minor.

4. Counsel for Parents: If you are a parent of the minor child who is the subject of this proceeding you have a right to be represented by an attorney. If you want an attorney and cannot afford to pay for one and if you give proof that you are indigent, an attorney will be assigned to you. Your request for an attorney should be made immediately by filling out the Application of Appointment of Counsel form. Submit the application form in person or by mail at the court location where your case is going to be heard.

5. Presence of the Minor at Hearing: A minor over age 14 has the right to be present at any hearing, unless the Court finds that it is not in the minor's best interests.

THIS IS A LEGAL NOTICE: An important court proceeding that may affect your rights has been scheduled. If you do not understand this notice or other court papers, please contact an attorney for legal advice.

Stephanie K. Fattman
Register of Probate
Date: October 31, 2017
December 1, 2017

LEGAL NOTICE
Notice of Sale of Motor Vehicle under G.L.c. 255, Section 39A

Notice is hereby given by School St Towing, 17-31 School St., Webster Mass 01570 pursuant to the provisions of G.L. c.255, Section 39A, that on 9 Dec 2017 at 9AM at 17-31 School St., Webster, MA 01570 by Private Sale the following Motor Vehicle will be sold to satisfy the garagekeeper's lien thereon for storage, towing charges, care and expenses of notices and sale of said vehicle.

Vehicle description: Year: 2012 Make: Honda Model: Civic Registration#/State: Un Reg VIN: 2HGLB2F50CH578524
Name and address of vehicle owner: Liberty Mutual Insurance, 2 Going Rd, Shirley, MA 01464
by: Frank A Czechowski, Jr.
Dated: 20 NOV 2017

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Vehicle description: Year: 2005 Make: Infinity Model: Q35 Registration#/State: Un Reg VIN: JNKCV51F45M309564
Name and address of vehicle owner: Jason G Robichaud 9 Ashland St Apt 4 Worcester MA 01609
by: Frank A Czechowski, Jr.
Dated: 20 NOV 2017

This notice has been given under the provisions of G.L c.255, Section 39A
November 24, 2017
December 1, 2017
December 8, 2017

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. WO17C0443CA
In the matter of:
Monique Nicole Josey
Of: Dudley, MA
NOTICE OF PETITION FOR CHANGE OF NAME

To all persons interested in petition described:

A petition has been presented by Monique N Josey requesting that
Monique Nicole Josey
be allowed to change his/her/their name as follows:
Monique Nicole Lopriore

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 **12/12/2017**

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

Date: November 16, 2017
Stephanie K. Fattman
Register of Probate
December 1, 2017

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. WO17P3707EA
CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION
Estate of:
Mark E. Devlin
Date of Death: 08/25/2017

To all interested persons:

A Petition for **Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative** has been filed by
Irene Yonta of **Woodstock CT**
requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.
The Petitioner requests that
Irene Yonta of **Woodstock CT**
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 12/19/2017.** 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: November 14, 2017
Stephanie K. Fattman,
Register of Probate
December 1, 2017

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Worcester Probate and Family Court
225 Main Street
Worcester, MA 01608
Docket No. WO17D2746DR
DIVORCE SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION AND MAILING
Adam Jan Panek
vs.
Anita Bies

To the Defendant:

The Plaintiff has filed a Complaint for Divorce requesting that the Court grant a divorce for Irretrievable Breakdown.

The Complaint is on file at the Court.

An Automatic Restraining Order has been entered in this matter preventing you from taking any action which would negatively impact the current financial status of either party. **SEE Supplemental Probate Court Rule 411**.

You are hereby summoned and required to serve upon:
Penelope Ann Kathiwala, Esq.
35 Harvard St
Suite 301
Worcester, MA 01609
your answer, if any, on or before **02/06/2018**. If you fail to do so, the court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer, if any, in the office of the Register of this Court.

WITNESS, Hon. Leilah A. Keamy, First Justice of this Court.
Date: November 16, 2016
Stephanie K. Fattman
December 1, 2017

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. WO17P3682EA
CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION
Estate of:
Michael J Lee
Date of Death: 10/07/2017

To all interested persons:

A Petition for **Formal Adjudication of Intestacy and Appointment of Personal Representative** has been filed by
Dorothea M O'Day-Sullivan of **Bourne 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
Dorothea M O'Day-Sullivan of **Bourne MA**
be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve **Without Surety** on the bond in **an unsupervised** administration.

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WITNESS, Hon. Leilah A. Keamy, First Justice of this Court.
Date: November 10, 2017
Stephanie K. Fattman,
Register of Probate
December 1, 2017

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31ST ANNIVERSARY SALE

Patty & Steve Duszlak are celebrating 31 years as owners of Horton Furniture!

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$17,377 BUY FOR: $190/mo. | 35 AVAILABLE

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BRAND SPANKIN' NEW 2017 FORD **F-150 REG. CAB** #17480

BACK-UP CAMERA • 17" ALLOYS | SAVE $10,000 | BEST FULL SIZE TRUCK - U.S. News

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Just reduced to: | MSRP: $24,645

$16,677 BUY FOR: $182/mo. | 60 AVAILABLE

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TITANIUM TRIM • NAV • LEATHER | SAVE $12,300 | 2016 IIHS TOP SAFETY PICK - U.S. News

Just reduced to: | MSRP: $39,735

$27,377 BUY FOR: $299/mo. | 30 AVAILABLE

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BRAND SPANKIN' NEW 2018 JEEP **WRANGLER** #18162

JK SPORT • 4x4 • ALLOY WHEELS | SAVE $6,200 | TOP 10 BEST RESALE VALUE - KBB

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$26,877 BUY FOR: $294/mo. | 65 AVAILABLE

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BRAND SPANKIN' NEW 2017 DODGE **JOURNEY** #17657

SXT TRIM • ALL WHEEL DRIVE | SAVE $10,000 | POWER AND STYLE

Just reduced to: | MSRP: $30,980

$20,977 BUY FOR: $229/mo. | 5 AVAILABLE

OR LEASE FOR ONLY $289/mo. | BOOK YOUR APPOINTMENT ONLINE

BRAND SPANKIN' NEW 2017 **RAM 1500 EXP.** #17540

4x4 • CREW CAB • 17" ALLOYS | SAVE $12,200 | GREAT TRUCK FOR THE MONEY - U.S. News

Just reduced to: | MSRP: $43,195

$30,977 BUY FOR: $337/mo. | 120 AVAILABLE

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Just reduced to: | MSRP: $19,095

$11,377 BUY FOR: $124/mo. | 70 AVAILABLE

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BRAND SPANKIN' NEW 2017 HYUNDAI **AZERA** #H7064

16" ALLOY WHEELS • LEATHER | SAVE $10,300 | UNRIVALED PERFORMANCE 293 HP

Just reduced to: | MSRP: $35,355

$24,977 BUY FOR: $273/mo. | 5 AVAILABLE

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BRAND SPANKIN' NEW 2017 HYUNDAI **TUCSON SE** #H7222

ALLOYS • BACK-UP CAMERA | SAVE $7,700 | AMERICA'S BEST WARRANTY

Just reduced to: | MSRP: $26,045

$18,377 BUY FOR: $201/mo. | 60 AVAILABLE

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BRAND SPANKIN' NEW 2017 HYUNDAI **SANTA FE** #H7009

SPORT • BLUETOOTH • 17" ALLOYS | SAVE $8,700 | 2017 IIHS TOP SAFETY PICK - U.S. News

Just reduced to: | MSRP: $30,085

$21,377 BUY FOR: $233/mo. | 70 AVAILABLE

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- *iPod Input • Power Package*

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Brand Spankin' New 2017 Hyundai Accent #H7152

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- *iPod Input • Power Package*
- *Automatic • America's Best Warranty*

SAVE $6,800 MSRP: $16,755

JUST REDUCED TO: $9,977

Brand Spankin' New 2017 Hyundai Sonata #H7346

- *SE Trim • Bluetooth*
- *Back-Up Camera*
- *iPod Input • 16" Alloys*

SAVE $8,400 MSRP: $22,785

BUY FOR: $14,377 | LEASE FOR $199/MO. 36 MOS. • $2,399 DOWN 12,000 MILES/YEAR

Brand Spankin' New 2017 Hyundai Azera #H7064

- *America's best warranty*
- *V6 economy • 18" Alloy wheels*
- *Dual exhaust • Push button start*

SAVE $10,300 MSRP: $35,355

JUST REDUCED TO: $24,977

Brand Spankin' New 2017 Hyundai Tucson #H7222

- *Bluetooth • 17" Alloy wheels*
- *Back-Up Camera • SE Trim*
- *America's Best Warranty*

SAVE $7,700 MSRP: $26,045

BUY FOR: $18,377 | LEASE FOR $179/MO. 36 MOS. • $2,999 DOWN 12,000 MILES/YEAR

Brand Spankin' New 2017 Hyundai Santa Fe #H7089

- *Sport Trim • All Wheel Drive*
- *17" Alloy wheels • Bluetooth*
- *Fuel Efficient*

BUY FOR: $20,977 SAVE $9,000 MSRP: $30,060 | LEASE FOR $229/MO.

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2015 CHEVY EQUINOX LS #38352L • ALL WHEEL DRIVE, ALLOY WHEELS, IPOD INPUT	$17,444	AS LOW AS $190 MONTH
2012 RAM 1500 SLT #17410A • 4X4, TRAILER HITCH, REG. CAB, BED LINER, 5.7L V8	$19,977	AS LOW AS $218 MONTH
2016 BUICK ENCORE #38182R • MOONROOF, NAV, ALL WHEEL DRIVE, ALLOYS	$20,988	AS LOW AS $222 MONTH
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2016 RAM 1500 4X4 #37938B • QUAD CAB, BEDLINER, 5.7L V8 HEMI, 16K MILES	$25,344	AS LOW AS $277 MONTH
2014 RAM 1500 4X4 #D8567 • HEATED SEATS, QUAD CAB, ALLOYS, BIG HORN TRIM	$24,977	AS LOW AS $273 MONTH
2014 FORD F-150 4X4 #17346A • SUPERCREW CAB, ALLOYS, TOW HITCH, BEDLINER	$25,988	AS LOW AS $284 MONTH
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LEGALS

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(SEAL)
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
LAND COURT
DEPARTMENT OF THE TRIAL COURT
17 SM 008176
ORDER OF NOTICE

TO:
Sean S. Hazzard
and to all persons entitled to the benefit of the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act, 50 U.S.C. App. §3901 *et seq*:
Nationstar Mortgage LLC d/b/a Mr. Cooper
claiming to have an interest in a Mortgage covering real property in Webster, numbered 106 Worcester Road, given by **Sean S. Hazzard and Amy Hazzard** to **Bank of America, N.A.,** dated December 28, 2009, and recorded in the Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 45341, Page 348, as affected by the Default Judgment entered by the Land Court on July 14, 2017 and recorded with said Registry in Book 57519, Page 150, and now held by 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 **December 25, 2017** 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 this Court on November 13, 2017
Attest:
Deborah J. Patterson
Recorder
December 1, 2017

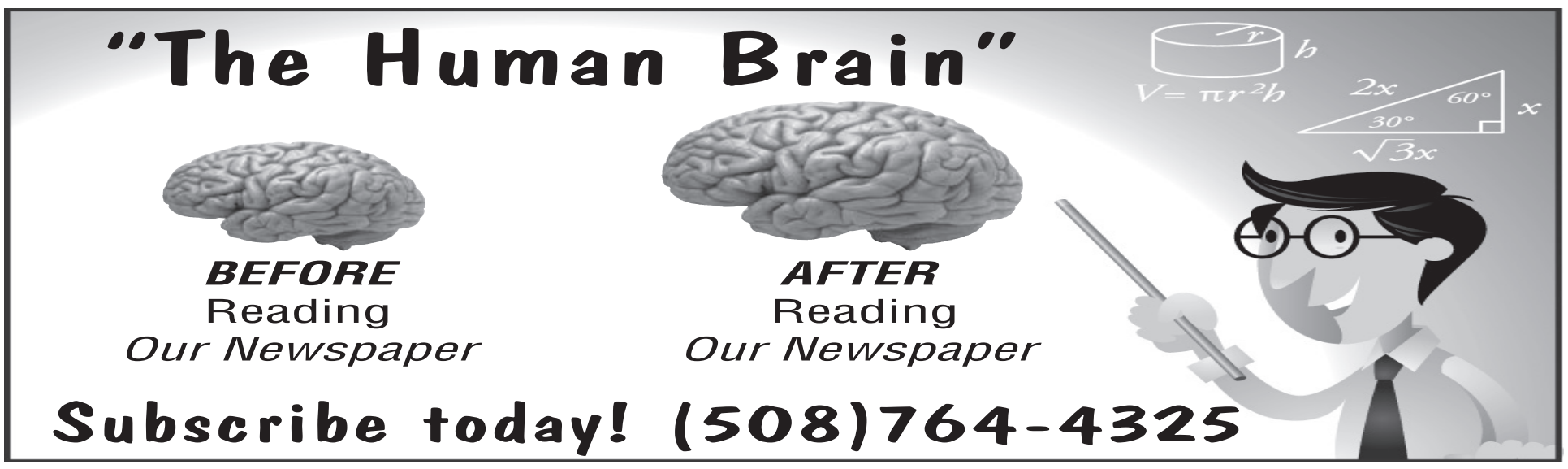
(SEAL)
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
LAND COURT
DEPARTMENT OF THE TRIAL COURT
17 SM 008183
ORDER OF NOTICE

TO:
Angela G. Feliciano; Jorge A. Feliciano AKA Jorge Feliciano
and to all persons entitled to the benefit of the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act:, 50 U.S.C.c. 50 §3901 (et seq):
U.S. Bank National Association, as Trustee for Residential Asset Securities Corporation, Home Equity Mortgage Asset-Backed Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2007-KS3,
claiming to have an interest in a Mortgage covering real property in **Webster**, numbered **340 High Street,** given by **Jorge A. Feliciano and Angela G. Feliciano** to **Ameripath Mortgage Corporation**, dated **May 25, 2006**, and recorded with the **Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds** in Book **39119**, Page **334**, and now held by 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 **December 25, 2017** 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 this Court on November 13, 2017
Attest:
Deborah J. Patterson
Recorder
(17-011791 Orlans)
December 1, 2017

(SEAL)
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
LAND COURT
DEPARTMENT OF THE TRIAL COURT
17 SM 004656
ORDER OF NOTICE

TO:
Sandra J. Whitney AKA Sandra Whitney; Paul F. Cournoyer
and to all persons entitled to the benefit of the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act:, 50 U.S.C.c. 50 §3901 (et seq):
Wells Fargo Bank, N.A.
claiming to have an interest in a Mortgage covering real property in **Webster**, numbered **60 Poland Street,** given by **Sandra J. Whitney and Paul F. Cournoyer** to **Wells Fargo Bank, N.A.**, dated **May 27, 2004**, and recorded with the **Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds** in Book **33773**, Page **313, as affected by a Loan Modification Agreement dated June 13, 2008 and recorded in said Registry in Book 43130, Page 370**, 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 **December 25, 2017** 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 this Court on November 8, 2017
Attest:
Deborah J. Patterson
Recorder
(17-006647 Orlans)
December 1, 2017



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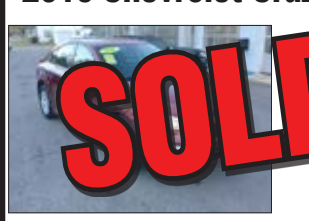

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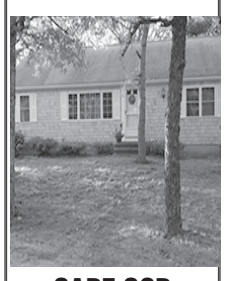

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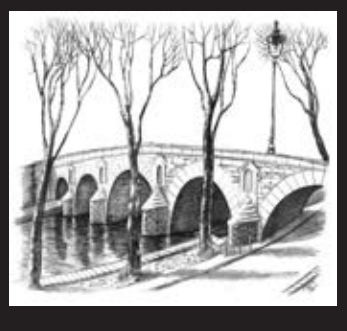

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ANSWER: IRELAND

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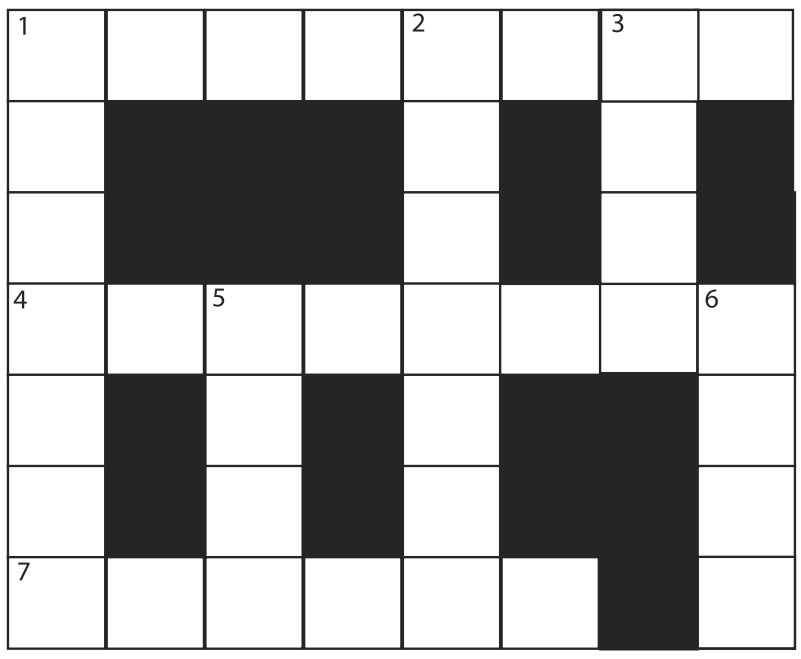

ACROSS

1. Feeling of wanting to know something
4. Joyous activity
7. Musical movements

DOWN

1. Island country
2. Mold again
3. Near future
5. Formal form of "on"
6. To present

Answers:
Across
1. Interest 4. Laughing 7. Dances
Down
1. Ireland 2. Reshape 3. Soon 5. Upon 6. Give

THIS DAY IN... HISTORY

- **1337:** EDWARD, THE BLACK PRINCE IS MADE DUKE OF CORNWALL.
- **1959:** THE 14TH DALAI LAMA, TENZIN GYATSO, FLEES TIBET FOR INDIA.
- **1992:** SOUTH AFRICA PASSES A REFERENDUM TO END APARTHEID.

CULTURE

the customs, arts and achievements of a particular nation

How they SAY that in...

ENGLISH: Island

SPANISH: Isla

ITALIAN: Isola

FRENCH: île

GERMAN: Insel

Did You Know?

MUSIC IS AN INSTRUMENTAL PART OF IRISH CULTURE. SONG AND DANCE

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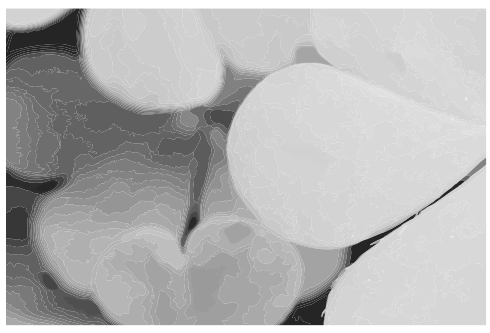

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ANSWER: CLOVERS

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A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z

Determine the code to reveal the answer!

Solve the code to discover words related to books.
Each number corresponds to a letter.
(Hint: 22 = a)

A. **5 6 6 20**

Clue: Written or printed work

B. **25 6 15 13 18 11**

Clue: Part of a series

C. **10 22 9 11 3**

Clue: They're in books

D. **4 11 22 21**

Clue: Comprehend meaning of words

Answers: A. book B. volume C. pages D. read

SUDOKU

								7
4	6	1		3				
							5	1
6								
		4	2	1			7	
	7		6				8	
8				6				3
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ANSWER:

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4	6	1	5	3	7	8	9	2
7	3	8	9	2	4	6	5	1
6	1	9	8	7	5	2	3	4
5	8	4	2	1	3	9	7	6
2	7	3	6	4	9	1	8	5
8	9	7	4	6	2	5	1	3
3	5	6	7	9	1	4	2	8
1	4	2	3	5	8	7	6	9

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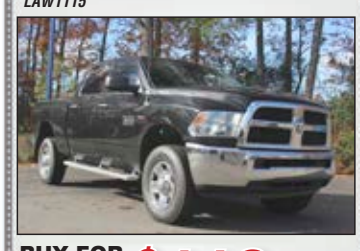

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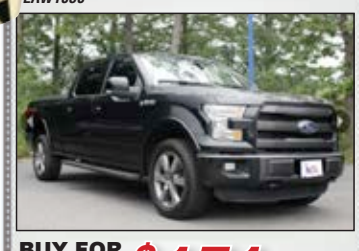

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