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Hugh Macleod

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Valley Tech junior Jeffrey Hebert (left) of Sutton won a gold medal and sophomore Matthew Keith (right) of Douglas took home a silver medal in the SkillsUSA Massachusetts State Leadership and Skills Conference Championships Heating, Ventilation, and Air Conditioning event. The state's top two HVAC students for 2016 are seen here with BVT instructor and

BVT students shine in SkillsUSA

37 MEDALS AMONG BEST IN STATE

UPTON — It's on to Louisville for 23 Blackstone Valley Tech students who will represent Massachusetts in this summer's SkillsUSA National Leadership and Skills Conference Championships.

The students punched their tickets to the national stage by winning gold medals and special elections during the SkillsUSA

State Massachusetts Leadership Conference Championships on April 29. Hosted by Valley Tech, the annual event featured more than 3,000 of the state's top career technical education students competing in skill-based challenges designed and judged by panels of industry and

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the SkillsUSA Massachusetts Championships **Equipment Technology com**petition, BVT Auto Tech senior Hunter Schreiber of Uxbridge took home a silver medal (left) and junior Bailey Martin of Upton won the first-place gold medal.

Anti-drug purchase pays off

POLICE OFFICER EQUIPPED WITH NARCAN SAVES A LIFE

BY GREG BARLOW NEWS STAFF CORRESPONDENT

NORTHBRIDGE The Northbridge Police Department has added a new tool in their fight against narcotics.

Northbridge Chief Walter Warchol agrees the four-month process involving his department getting certified and trained by the Department of Public Health in allowing all Northbridge police officers to be equipped with the opioid antidote Naloxone (Narcan) was well worth it.

"A lot of times, police are on the scene first, so we thought it would be important to start carry-

ing it," said Warchol. Sgt. Richard Gorman saved a women's life upon the department receiving the first 20 units of Narcan on the week of May 8. Within 24 hours of receiving the overnight shipment, Gorman was first to the scene on an overdose happening at 4:30 p.m. in a public park in town.

Surveying the scene, he identified a woman in her mid-20's overdosing on heroin. The women was blue in the face and had a pulse, but was not breath-



Greg Barlow photo

Sgt. Richard Gorman.

ing. She was in respiratory arrest and needed help immediately.

Acting quickly, he administered the Narcan through the women's nose to enable her to breathe again within 2 minutes. Had he not been equipped with Naloxone, this may have been a different story.

"It's amazing to see that happen and see how

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Annual Election on tap next week in Uxbridge

BY GREG BARLOW NEWS STAFF CORRESPONDENT

UXBRIDGE — Seven vacancy spots, three contingent positions, and one question will make up this year's ballot at the Annual Town Election in Uxbridge on Tuesday, May 24.

Between 7 a.m. and 8 p.m., Uxbridge residents can cast their votes at McCloskey Middle School (62 Capron Street). The empty writein spots are as follows:

 One Non-Veteran Trustee of Soldiers' Memorials (three-five years)

• One Veteran Trustee of Soldiers' Memorials (three-five years)

One Housing Authority (five years) One Finance Committee member

(three years) · Two Board of Library Trustees (three years) One Edward C. Thayer Trustees (three years)

Uxbridge residents will also be voting on:

· Two Board of Selectmen (three years) Two School Committee Members (three years)

• One Board of Health

Member (three years) The ballot question entails the Uxbridge Police Department's request to withdraw from the rules and regulations of civil service when hiring new administrative and law enforcement employees.

Currently, staffing decisions are proposed based off of methods implemented by the Legislature. The hiring and firing procedures for civil servants are typically more regulat-

Under civil service, adding a new officer

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BHC opens new office in Whitinsville

OPEN HOUSE TO INCLUDE AWARD PRESENTATION



Blackstone Heritage Corridor Inc. (BHC) has moved its office to the Linwood Mill at 670 Linwood Ave., in Whitinsville.

WHITINSVILLE — Blackstone Heritage Corridor, Inc. (BHC) has moved its office to the historic Linwood Mill at 670 Linwood Avenue in Whitinsville.

An Open House is planned for Thursday, June 16, from 4 to 7 p.m., with a program beginning at 5:30 p.m. The new office was selected because

it is in the geographic center of the Blackstone River Valley National Heritage Corridor. The new office will also serve as the northern headquarters for the new Blackstone River Valley National Historical Park.

BHC built out 4,400 square feet in the

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Douglas votes 'no' to Prop. 2 1/2 override

BY GREG BARLOW

DOUGLAS - Douglas residents casted their votes and decided to turn down a Prop. 2 1/2 override at the Annual Town Election on Tuesday, May 10.

"yes" votes at both the Annual Town Meeting Annual and Town Election for the override to go through.

Article 3 at the Annual Town Meeting and Question 2 on the ballot at the Annual Town The town required Election asked if the

town would be allowed to assess an additional \$1.7 million in real estate and personal property taxes for the purposes of funding school operating expenses and "extraordinary building mainte-

nance expenses. First, at the Annual Town Meeting Tuesday, May 2, Article 3 passed by a 347-167 tally. However, 2,793 peo-

ple showed up at the Municipal Center to vote at the Annual Town Election, where 1,841 voted "no" to a lesser 941 "yes" votes in response to

Question 2 on the ballot, dismissing the override.

The override has been a staggering topic in town since first being initiated and presented in the midst of a four-hour long School Committee

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Free tours on Blackstone Valley Explorer offered

Park is celebrating the National Park Service Centennial with 100 Days of Summer here in the Blackstone River Valley. For 100 days, you will find park rangers out and about in the Blackstone River Valley, offering programs, or just meeting with the public.

To kick off 100 Days of Summer, the park will offer free tours aboard the Blackstone Valley Explorer on Saturday, May 28. The tours will be offered at 11 a.m., Noon, 1 p.m., and 2 p.m. Tickets are free, and will be available on a first come, first served basis at the dock at the Central Falls Landing, 45 Madeira Avenue, Central Falls, R.I. Seating is limited to 40 passengers per trip. Please come join us to enjoy a guided tour of the Valley Falls Marsh, and learn a little bit about your new National Park.

"We were looking for a way to help celebrate the Park Service Centennial, and introduce people to the park," said Ranger Kevin Klyberg. "We decided what better way than to have rangers out to meet with the public at the park sites, and other locations around the Blackstone River Valley. Right now, the park is still in the planning stages, and we do not have a formal visitor center yet. So we will be setting up our tent at the different sites within the park for a few hours each day, so we can meet our new neighbors

> and partners." The 100 Days of Summer

> schedule will be released



Courtesy photo

To kick off 100 Days of Summer, the Blackstone River Valley National Historical Park will offer free tours aboard the Blackstone Valley Explorer on Saturday, May 28.

weekly on the park's website and Facebook page. There are six sites within the Blackstone River Valley NHP, including Slater Mill, the Blackstone River State Park, Slatersville, and Ashton villages in Rhode Island, the villages of Whitinsville and Hopedale in Massachusetts, and the Blackstone River and the Blackstone Canal in both states. Everyone is invited to come out and chat with our rangers, find out what is going on in the new park, and maybe learn a little bit about some of wonderful natural and historic resources within the park.

NEWS BRIEF

Muradian turns in signatures for nomination

BOSTON — Rep. David K. Muradian Jr. (R-Grafton) recently filed his nomination papers with the Office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth, turning in more than 1,000 signatures from Grafton, Northbridge, and Upton. Needing only 150 signatures to be nominated, Muradian was well over the necessary minimum number of names needed.

"I am honored

"Campaign season

and I am thrilled

for the opportunity to once again prove myself worthy to represent the 9th Worcester District in the

Massachusetts

Representatives. I take pride in being the Representative for all within my district and I am excited to continue to advocate for

all of the great residents of Grafton, Northbridge, and

uent who wish-

es to speak to Representative Muradian or his staff please call

(617) 722-2240.

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Upton."

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By turning in these nomination papers Muradian ensures that he will be on the ballot once again in November as a candidate for re-election to the House of Representatives. ◆ Electric Openers → Broken Springs → Replacement Sections
 → Broken Cable → Remote Problems by the outpouring of support that I was shown during **Chain Drive** my work to secure enough signatures 7ft Opener to be nominated for re-election,' stated Muradian. is always exciting

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QUOTATION OF THE WEEK—

"It's stronger and people aren't use to it. It's not the same dosage that they may have had in the past, so they're shooting up with what they think is normal amount, and it's actually quite a bit stronger. That's why so many people are overdosing because they don't know exactly what they're putting in their bodies."

- Northbridge Police Sgt. Richard Gorman, commenting on the region's opioid epidemic.

Cub Scouts celebrate Annual Blue & Gold Banquet



Uxbridge Cub Scout Pack 25 held its annual Blue and Gold Banquet at the Crystal Room in

MILFORD — On March 13, Uxbridge Cub Scout Pack 25 held its annual Blue and Gold Banquet at the Crystal Room in Milford. Each year this important pack event draws in scouts from Tigers to Webelos 2, along with their families. This year the dinner was for approximately 150 scouts, leaders and families.

The annual Blue and Gold Banquet is held as a "birthday celebration" for

the Boy Scouts of America, established in 1910. The event recognizes what Scouting is all about, boys gaining confidence and skills through achieving goals with the help of their leaders and families and the importance of getting involved in their local community. The theme of this years banquet was Geology and each den made centerpieces based on the theme including crystals, terrariums and the main decoration a huge volcano.

The colors blue and gold have special significance in Scouting. The blue is a reminder of the sky above and stands for truth, spirituality and steadfast loyalty. The gold stands for sunlight, warmth, good cheer and happiness.

At the Blue and Gold, it is customary to 'cross-over' Webelos 2 scouts as they are ready to leave Cub Scouts and move on to Boys Scouts. The banquet included a ceremony for nine Webelos Scouts: Brandon Bibeault, Joshua Cristina, William Crosby, Sam Ferrage, Riley Goyette, Jack Gray, Zachary Roerden, Elijah Tetrault and Noah Tetrault who received their Arrow of Light awards. The Arrow of Light is the highest award a Cub Scout can achieve and allows him to crossover to a Boy Scout Troop.

The Arrow of Light plaque and ceremonial arrow has color markings representing the boys' achievements in Cub Scouts. Families watched with pride as the boys crossed a hand made bridge and were welcomed into Boy Scouts by members of Troop 1122, Troop 21 and Troop 155. The pack also said farewell



ACCURACY WATCH

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you find a mistake, call (508) 909-4130 during normal business hours. During non-business hours, leave a message in the editor's voice mailbox. The editor will return your phone call.

to the Webelos 2 dedicated leaders, Jack Gray, Jeff Bibeault, Tara Corcoran and Jon Cristina.

The Tiger, Wolf and Bear Scouts were also presented their Rank Badges by Cubmaster Jamie Fowler at the ban-

Pack 25 meets as a pack once a month. Dens meet weekly at various locations. All boys, in first through fifth grade, are welcome to join. For more information contact Jason Andolina at 508-278-5357 or email jaandolina@yahoo.com.

Valley Friendship Tour fundraiser coming in June



A fun day for a great cause: Alternatives' signature fundraiser, the Valley Friendship Tour, will be held on June 4.

WHITINSVILLE - Alternatives' signature fundraiser, the Valley Friendship Tour, will be held on June 4 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Alternatives' Whitin Mill, 50 Douglas Road in Whitinsville.

Since it began over three decades ago, the Valley Friendship Tour has raised more than \$2 Million in support of Alternatives' services for individuals with disabilities in Central Massachusetts. With an outpouring of community support, last year's 30th Anniversary event raised nearly \$300,000. The organization hopes to reach that goal this year and break records for the fifth year in a row.

The Tour is an opportunity to gather friends, family and co-workers for a day of fun and exercise in the beautiful and historic Blackstone Valley. Participants of all ages and abilities can travel along one of three non-competitive routes: a 1-mile walk, 5K walk/run, or 30 mile bicycle ride. After completing their route, participants enjoy a complimentary lunch on the Community Plaza at the Whitin Mill, therapeutic massages, raffles and live music by the Marshall Morris Band.

Both teams and individuals are welcome to register; pre-registration is \$30 while registration the day of is \$35. Teams that are formed by non-profits or community organizations have a special opportunity to use Valley Friendship Tour as a fundraiser for their cause as well. When they raise over

\$1,250, everything above the first \$625 is returned to their organization as part of Alternatives' community-building effort. Participants can register online at http://Support.AlternativesNet.org/ VFT2016.

"It's hard to imagine a more perfect day than last year's event, but we're working on it! We had more than 600 people on the Plaza and everyone seemed to be enjoying themselves. Best of all, we almost reached our goal and I'm hopeful this year we'll do it. It's important because the funds make a huge difference for the peowe serve, explained Alternatives' Director of Marketing and Development Karen Goldenberg.

more information about Valley Friendship Tour visit http://Support. AlternativesNet.org/VFT2016 or call 508-234-6232.

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Secondary Certified Special Education Teacher to work in a self-contained classroom, with boys that have behavioral and learning challenges. Must have Rhode Island Special Education Certificate for middle and secondary schools.

All full time positions include benefits

Summer Certified Teacher to work in a self-contained classroom, with boys that have behavioral and learning challenges. Hours are 9am-4pm, Mon.-Thurs., beginning in late June and ending in mid-August. Must have Rhode Island Special Education Certificate for middle and secondary schools.

> Training is available on site for all positions. Send Cover Letter and Resumé to lmcnulty@hhs.org

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NORTHBRIDGE

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UXBRIDGE

Tuesday, May 24

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Wednesday, May 25

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Each tour begins with a short presentation at the:

Alternatives provides services to individuals with disabilities throughout Central Massachusetts and sponsors community activities that people of all abilities can enjoy together.

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EDITORIAL

My green thumb

My back yard has been grown in for about a decade now. It used to house a nice little garden that my father kept up religiously over a span of 10-15 years before that.

I remember as a kid, growing up in the house



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various lawn clippings and waste from our rabbits, and using it to fertilize the garden. It wasn't much, but we got a nice little harvest every year. Cucumbers and tomatoes were the main ones, but every now and then, we would get some peas. I think I even remember a pepper or two here and there.

However, over the last 10 years, he lost interest. I'm not sure why. I assume it was just that his attention was drawn elsewhere as life got busier and busier. The back yard soon grew in, and brush and other weeds overtook the garden until one couldn't even tell that a nice little patch of soil even existed there.

When my wife and I bought the house from them in 2014, one of the first things I remember saying to myself was, "I'm bringing that garden back." Of course, the first summer we spent here was spent cleaning, painting, renovating and throwing stuff away. That project still hasn't been completed yet, and I fear many hours lay ahead me on that

Nevertheless, this summer I am determined. That garden is making its glorious return, and over the past couple weekends, I have been at work in the back yard, cutting back trees, removing a huge pile of brush, and planning out the 13'x13' square that will be the new garden. As I moved the soil around. it was nice and loose still, rich with the last few years of leaves and the remnants of the old garden. I have yet to till it as of this writing, but I am excited to get that part done.

This iteration of the garden will be protected. When my father did it, it was wide open to nature, and animals often invaded the space, munching on whatever they wanted. I suppose that frustration may have led to him just giving up on it altogether. I'm not messing around this time. After a trip to Lowe's, I secured a nice little fence — a 5-foottall beast — I'd like to see those lousy critters hop over that!

This year, we are starting small with just a few cucumber, tomato, zucchini and squash plants. For the kids, we promised to plant a couple pumpkin and watermelon seeds just for fun. We'll see if anything comes of them. We even got a couple pepper seedlings and a potato seed given to us from a friend. I think I'll plant those just out of curiosity off to the side and see what happens. We planted seeds in a starter greenhouse a few weeks ago and have witnessed them grow into small plants. As I type this, I can reach out and feel the soft leaves of my future zucchini plants. The kids have gotten a kick out of watching them grow little by little, from when they first sprouted out of the soil to becoming the baby plants they are now. We even had a few extra spaces left in the greenhouse, so we planted a couple "magic beans" — shiny rocks that my son found in the front yard.

I suppose that will be half the fun of creating this garden, making it a fun, educational experience for my kids. I mean, yes, hopefully, we will get some nice, fresh vegetables later this summer, and hopefully some to share with others, but getting the kids involved will be a learning experience not only for them, but for me, as well. I have never tended a garden before, so I am learning everything all over again myself. As the weeks and months go on, and I figure out what works and what doesn't, I will get a feel for how to create the best garden possible for that spot, and return it to its former glory.

Happy gardening, everyone! Let's see

how this goes...

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Opinion and commentary from the Blackstone Valley and beyond

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Advocating for advocacy

To the Editor:

In an era when a superintendent is expected to be a visionary, what better way to gain a glimpse of the likely future than active advocacy?

As superintendent of a regional vocational school district in New England, I have found that the activity, if not art, of advocacy brings multiple rewards. Educational leaders who venture out in the community increase public awareness of what is happening in their classrooms while gaining timely insight into what the community expects from its schools. Superintendents who monitor and contribute to proposed state or federal legislation enter the pipeline of change and potential opportunity. By actively pursuing working relationships with state, local, and federal policymakers, we ensure that field-based researchers have a grass roots perspective and in turn benefit from a greater understanding of the rationale behind legislative proposals which impact our schools.

Today's public is asked to direct limited local financial resources to fund education. It rightfully expects its educational leaders to be agile and creative in securing outside assets which complement that local investment. Clearly, applications for both formula and competitive grant proposals gain strength when aligned with the legislative discussions and rationales that established the opportunity.

today's challenging ever-changing fiscal and political environment, any chance to reduce the number of surprises should be maximized. The superintendent who is an active advocate for our schools will be able to spot change on the horizon, and will therefore be better equipped to respond to both challenges and opportunities.

> MICHAEL F. FITZPATRICK SUPERINTENDENT-DIRECTOR, BLACKSTONE VALLEY REGIONAL VOCATIONAL TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL

A letter of thanks from the Finn family

To the Editor:

We wish to thank all of Ed Finn's friends, associates and former customers for the many sincere condolences and thoughtful words of remembrance last week.

Also, we are so grateful to Fr. Tomasz Borkowski and his staff at St.Patricks Church, the Roney family who collaborated behind the scenes with The Jackman Funeral Home professionals, and especially Fr. Dennis O'Brian for making the trip from his parish at Our Lady of the Lake to his hometown of Whitinsville to concelebrate our Dad's Funeral Mass.

To paraphrase Fr. Dennis, if each one of us can put just a little 'Mr. Finn' in our daily lives, the world will be a much nicer place in which to live.

The care that both Ed and Bette received at the Salmon Health and

Retirement communities of Whitney Place and Beaumont Nursing Home was exemplary. The Salmon VNA/ Hospice team provided wonderful support to us as well. We were always confident that our parents were getting the best of care and respect throughout the last 10 years of their lives. The entire staff at these residences made such a tremendous difference in our parents' quality of life; we thank all of you so

In addition, the generous donations to the Grafton Little League and the Whitin Community Center, two organizations close to Dad's heart, has been

Many thanks to you all.

PAT FINN WERT KIAWAH ISLAND, S.C.

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Monthly real estate market update

The market is continuing on a positive note this year, which has been a very nice change from years past. There are still concerns that with this being an election year and with interest rates expected to rise, that we will see



a negative impact to our real estate market.

Locally, we have not seen any negative effects yet. If we compare the first four months of this year to the same period last year for Worcester County, all the numbers are positive.

The average days to receive an offer has lowered over 15 percent from 90 days to 76 days. This has largely been impacted by the low inventory of homes for sale and the low interest with fear of rising interest rates causing people to jump on the homes quicker. The average sales price has risen about 2 percent from \$264,886 to \$270,164, which is in line with what the National Association of Realtors predicted of a 5 percent increase in prices Nationally this year. Sales are up 30 percent from the same period last year from 1534 sales to 1993 sales. We have seen that the inventory of homes coming on market is not able to keep up with the demand for homes. Many sellers are waiting to sell because there are no homes on the market, which is causing inventory to stay low.

Not every home is selling within a couple days with multiple offers. If REALTOR'S REPORT

> **JAMES BLACK**

ly and at a premium. However, if a home needs work, doesn't show well or is overpriced buyers are still overlooking it and sitting back waiting for another home to come on the market. I think this is due to our busy society and most people don't have time to make repairs or the extra money to make the repairs. If they do buy the

home with needed repairs they are ask-

ing for a huge discount on the home. My advice for buyers in this market is to be willing to look at those homes that need repairs and get contractor estimates to know what you are getting into. This may be a great opportunity to get a home for a good deal because most buyers don't want to do the work. My advice for sellers is to do as much work as possible on your home to get it ready for a sale and make sure to hire your real estate agent right away and have them come in to help you decide which repairs to make to ensure you optimize vour return.

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How to keep your portfolio healthy



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If you have medical appointment this week, you might to wish your nurse a happy National Nurses Week.

This annual event is designed to celebrate the important role nurses play in health care. Of course, while nurses and doctors can help you in many ways, you can do a lot of good for yourself by adopting healthy living habits, such as eating right, exercising frequently, and so on. But you can also do much to help your financial health.

Here are a few suggestions:

Stay invested. During times of market volatility, it can be temping to head to the investment "sidelines" until things 'cool off." Going to the sidelines can mean a few different things - you could simply not invest anything for a while, or you could move a substantial portion of your portfolio to "cash" instruments, which are safe in the sense of preserving your principal but offer almost nothing in the way of return or protecting against inflation. If you're not investing during a market downturn, or if you've moved heavily into cash, you might well miss out on the beginning of the next market rally.

Rebalance your portfolio. It's a good idea to periodically rebalance your portfolio to make sure it still reflects your goals and your comfort level with risk. Over time, and without any effort on your part, your portfolio can become unbalanced. For example, following a long "bull" market, the value of your stocks could have risen to the point where they make up a greater percentage of your portfolio than you had intended. When that happens, you may need to rebalance by adding bonds and other fixed-income vehicles.

Diversify. Rebalancing is important. But a balanced portfolio should also be a diversified portfolio. If you only owned one type of financial asset, such as U.S. growth stocks, you could take a big hit during a market downturn. But different types of financial assets don't always move in the same direction at the same time, so by owning a wide variety of investments - U.S. stocks, international stocks, government securities, corporate bonds, real estate, certificates of deposit (CDs) and so on - you may help reduce the effects of market volatility on your portfolio. Keep in mind, though, that diversification by itself can't guarantee profits or protect against loss.

Maintain realistic expectations. If you expect the financial markets to always move upward, you will be disappointed many times. Market downturns are a normal part of the investment process, and they will always be with us. Once you accept this reality, you will be less likely to make questionable decisions, such as abandoning a longterm strategy. If you've designed an appropriate strategy, possibly with the help of a financial professional, you can stick with it through all market envi-

By following the suggestions mentioned above - staying invested, rebalancing your portfolio as needed, diversifying your holdings and maintaining realistic expectations, you can go a long way toward maintaining the fitness of your financial situation.

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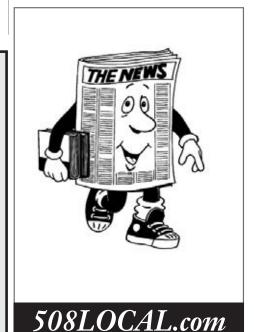
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So, what are you waiting for? Start writing!



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Spring turkey season is coming to a close



THE GREAT **OUTDOORS** RALPH **TRUE**

As the spring turkey season in Massachusetts comes to a close this Saturday, May 21, many sportsmen are still looking for their first bird.

It was a crazy season this year with many hen turkeys still roaming fields and woodlots, when they should have been sitting on there eggs. Some mornings the tom turkeys would gobble for a short while and then become very quiet. It took a lot of patience to call a bird into the decoys during the final days of the season, with the best hunting from 9:00 am. till noon. Some turkey hunters will still have the opportunity to harvest one bird of either sex bird during the fall season.

Although some hunters did not bag a single bird, many had a great time in the outdoors watching numerous forms of wildlife. One local hunter reported watching two big snapper turtles fighting or engaging in the turtle ritual prior to laying their eggs. Large snapper turtles will be on the move in the next few weeks trying to locate a good spot to lay their eggs. Parents should be on the alert for a turtle encounter if they live near a river or stream, as they can be extremely dangerous to small children that are unaware of there ability to snap off a finger or two. Turtles will often travel hundreds of yards to find the right spot for their egg deposits, often along an embankment with sandy soil.

The invasion of the gypsy moth caterpillar has started in the Valley and they have already defoliated numerous trees in the area. One local resident of Uxbridge had the nasty little caterpillars crawling on his arm as he sat outdoors under an oak tree last weekend. Although they are very small now they will soon be crawling all over local back yards and on trees. Together with tent caterpillars, mosquitoes and black flies, hornets, horseflies, ticks, etc., they should do their best to make life miserable for local residents this summer.

Local trout anglers are enjoying some great spring fishing locally. As the state starts to wind down their 2016 trout stocking season at the end of the month, anglers should enjoy some great trout fishing through out the summer months. Finding the deep holes that support trout throughout the summer months can have an angler catching some impressive trout. Boaters have a great advantage over shore fishermen as the can easily locate trout with their fish finders. Cape ponds are also a great place to catch holdover lunker trout during the summer months. The Quabbin Reservoir and Wachusett Reservoir are also providing some great fishing.

Many anglers have complained about the poor taste of stocked trout by the state and private vendors. I too have noticed the difference in taste and no longer eat them. Catching holdover trout that have been feeding on insects and small fish can have you enjoying the taste of trout again. It must be something in the pellets of food that they feed the fish today to make them grow rapidly, but the sweet taste of trout has been sacrificed. Using numerous techniques and spices to make the trout taste better can alter the bad taste that anglers are complaining about, but the sweet taste of the trout that we once knew are absent. Catching



This week's picture shows Matt Fontaine with a 3-pound rainbow trout from a local rod and gun club pond. Nice fish!

6-inch native trout from local streams during my youth had us enjoying some of the most flavorful eating fresh water fish around.

Stripers are providing fair to good action in both Massachusetts and Rhode Island waters but the big boys had not arrived as of this writing. They cannot be far away! Tautogfishing has been improving in Rhode Island waters and fluke fishing is about to break wide open in the next couple of weeks. Again, it has been

and cut the top off. Poke a

small drainage hole in the

bottom of each egg cra-

dle and use the top as a

tray for draining. Let me

stress that this will leak

so either use Styrofoam

or make sure you have a

plastic case underneath.

Have your kids scoop

soil into each cradle only

a crazy spring. Most anglers thought that fishing was going to be early this year due to the unusually warm winter, but the up and down temperatures of March, April and May have slowed the fishing season on all fronts. Farmers are also having a hard time with their crops with numerous farmers complaining about the loss of peaches and strawberries this year due to the warm and then cold temperatures.

Take a kid fishing and keep them rods bending!

Get your green thumbs ready

There is nothing better than fresh

Whether you go to your local farmers market or grow your own, you can taste the quality and hard work that went into making these delicious foods so fresh. One of the most important types of food you can put into your body are vegetables. They are super high in vitamins and minerals and fiber and so many other amazing nutrients that our bodies need to function. Dark leafy greens like spinach, kale, broccoli, Swiss chard, etc., are very high in iron, vitamin K, and calcium. Protein is necessary for healthy muscles, bones, skin, and blood. Some vegetables that are highest in protein are beans, peas, mushrooms, artichokes,

spinach, sprouts, etc. The list goes on,

both fruits and veggies are as important

to our body's function as water!

So with the weather finally getting warmer and now that the rain has finally subsided I challenge you to get into the garden and start planting. Typically I would suggest starting your garden in containers inside at the end of winter, but if you're a procrastinator like me, we get motivated once the weather gets warmer. There is still time and there is still hope. Once you know for sure there will not be another freeze (which in New England is hard to predict) you can get outside and till your soil and get ready to plant. The best way to have a successful garden is to make sure it is planted correctly. Make sure you have a good soil base and use good fertilizer or compost.

Make sure your garden gets plenty of sunlight and have steady access to water. Pick seeds that will thrive in your area and can grow quickly. Some great choices for the beginner are, salad greens, green beans, tomatoes, eggplant, squash, and cucumber. Mint is also fail proof. I can't tell you

how many mint plants I have killed and they mysteriously come back to life. I will warn you though, that if you plant mint make sure it's in a contained area because it will spread like wild fire, you will only have to plant it once and you will have it forever. I do have to say though that as it comes up in the spring and any time you mow your lawn, everything will smell amazing!

As you plant, make sure that you plant your seeds only a couple of inches down and make sure you spread them out far enough away from each other that they can thrive individually. Fertilize, water, adequate light, and patience. Before you know it you will have a garden.

If you start them in the house, one of the most inexpensive ways to do it is starting your seeds in an egg carton. This is such a fun project for kids as well, they will be able to cultivate their own garden and this will not only be a lesson that will stay with them, but they will also be more inclined to eat the veggies because they grew them themselves, and they are proud of it. Take a cardboard egg carton

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about halfway, place a few seeds in the center of each then cover with more soil to the top. Water until moist and place in a sunlit window. Within a week you should see a sprout. Once the sprouts reach about 2 inches transplant to your garden. If you used cardboard you can transfer them, egg crate and all, because the cardboard is biodegradable.

This weeks recipe: "Farmers Table"

Ingredients:

1 lb. ground sausage browned and drained

1 1/2 c beef broth

However much of the following diced veggies you would like

Summer squash Green pepper

Green onion

Zucchini

Tomatoes (really good with either cherry tomatoes or sun dried)

Grain of your choice cooked- Wholewheat pasta, quinoa, brown rice...

Directions: Return cooked sausage to a pan, add in beef broth, and bring to a

Once simmering add green onion and peppers

Once peppers soften add remaining

Bring back to simmer and once the veggies are cooked to your desired firm-

Spoon over grain

Enjoy!

This weeks tip:

Let's start a garden! If you have kids, make this a fun weekend project. Let me know how you did and what you grew. This week our Advice from a Pro is

from four of my most favorite kids: Vegetables grow in the garden. I like

vegetables." - Maya, 3 years old Vegetables are not a cookie. I love the

carrots." – Maddie, 2 years old "Vegetables are so good for you.

Choose them over candy." Jordan, 8 years old

"Don't pack the soil down too hard and don't over water them. Make sure there is nothing bad in your soil." – Kylie, 12

Please write in and share your thoughts! As always, take what you want from what we discuss as advice or information, share with me your favorite tip or recipe and join me on our next edition of "Mom in Motion." E-mail me your thoughts and tips at jill@stonebridgepress.com.

Tips to get a jump on joy



TAKE THE HINT **KAREN TRAINOR**

One of the longest and coldest New England winters may be over, but the aftermath lin-

The brutal season not only brought frigid temperatures and flu outbreaks, but for many, a bad case of the "doesn't feel like spring yet" blues. So what's the cure for a less than jolly mood? How about a season of green landscapes, outdoor marketplaces and flea market fun?

Endorphin inducing activities are at the top of the list when it comes to combating the impact of a cold spell, and in our area, such pastimes are plentiful. From basking in the warmth of a greenhouse nursery to hiking and haggling at a famous flea market, getting a jump on springtime joy might be easier than you think.

Amp Up the Endorphins: Studies show "feel good" endorphins can be as effective as antidepressants when it comes to boosting a mood. Thankfully, there are many springtime activities that are not only enjoyable on their own, but also release powerful endorphins.

· Area nurseries are gearing up for the planting season, and simply strolling through a local greenhouse can flood your body with feelings of joy and well being. "Garden therapy" is more than just a marketing buzz phrase. Research reveals a lush green landscape and/or colorful blooms has the power to elevate a mood, increase enjoyment and life satisfaction, and even relieve pain. Studies show it takes from three to five minutes looking a views dominated by trees, flowers or greenery to begin to reduce anxiety and pain and to induce relaxation. Add the soothing warmth of the sun on your back, along with the Vitamin D the sunshine offers, and vou have a double dose prescription for happiness!

 Spring is also the season for Farmers Markets and visiting these outdoor events offer another opportunity to rev up the "happy factor." Many small towns in the region host outdoor markets on a weekly basis. Purchasing food directly from local farmers not only ensures the freshest fruits and vegetables for your family, but the experience offers social and health benefits as well. Shopping a farmer's market is literally a breath of fresh air! Often a community hub, the marketplace offers a dose of happiness via valuable social interaction and items that cannot be found anywhere else, such as local honey, which can be beneficial in treating aller-

Trifecta Effect: Sprucing up the home, buying something nice, and getting a bit of exercise have all proven to be mood boosting activities – so why not merge the three for a trifecta

effect? Spring kicks off the flea market season, and nowhere is that more apparent than at the premiere Brimfield Antique Shows each May, July and September. The one and a quarter mile strip of Main Street fields host 5,000 dealers each season Walking the market is not only great for releasing exercise endorphins, but the fun of snagging a bargain, coupled with the pleasure of enjoying it in the home, all add up to a happy shopping expe-

· Other regional outside flea markets, typically open on weekends, offer exciting browsing, and as a bonus provide a jolt of joy on sunny days. And indoor multi shop flea markets and co-ops take antique shopping literally to a new level, as some have multiple floors to investigate, offering not only the pleasure of hidden bargains, but an opportunity to get in a little mood boosting exercise too. "Antiquing endorphins" are what keep collectors happy and always on the hunt for the next find, as most any flea market shopper will attest.

Retail Therapy: With a difficult winter finally behind us and shopping opportunities

around every corner, is it any

wonder eager buyers are more than happy to do their part to boost the economy? There is no denying it, buying stuff makes us feel good, and it's no surprise to anyone who has experienced a "serotonin surge" while scoring a great deal. Research from the University of Michigan bolsters the claim that shopping (when not an addiction) can be therapeutic and "can help to restore a sense of personal control over one's environment and reduce sadness."

• In three experiments, researchers found that purchasing something was up to 40 times more effective at giving people a sense of control, and they were three times happier than those who only browsed! Great excuse to shop on!

 Shop for someone else as a "thank you." Practicing gratitude can ignite the happy chemicals in your brain.

• Tap your toes to lively music as you browse and you're igniting another round of mood enhancing compounds.

· Nibble on a chocolate bar as you shop. Chocolate's virtues include promoting mood boosting endorphins, increasing libido, and warding off depression.

• Don't forget to laugh as you're shopping. Studies prove people who laugh often show increases in the good hormones such as endorphins and neurotransmitters, and decreased levels of the stress hormones

cortisol and adrenaline. Researchers from the University of Michigan claim 'retail therapy' should no longer be dismissed as it could help people overcome melancholy.

*Previous studies have shown that shoppers enjoy positive feelings when reflecting on their most recent purchase, when that shopping had been motivated by a desire to repair moods.

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

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, P.O. Box 90, Southbridge, MA 01550. Or e-mail kdrr@aol. com. Hints are entered into a drawing for a three course dinner for two at the historic Publick House Inn!

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Friday, May 20

NORTHBRIDGE

St. Peter's Parish will be hosting a "Date Night" on Friday, May 20, from 6-9 p.m. Come and drop off your kids to go and spend some time with your someone special. We will have crafts, games and a ton of stuff to keep the kids busy while you are out on your "Date." \$10 per child and all proceeds will go to funding our Mission Trips for the Edge & Lifeteen kids. Please call Leeann at 508-234-6355 to reserve your spot or if you have any questions.

DOUGLAS

The popular Free Open Mic Night/ Coffee house will once again be held at the EN Jenckes Store, 283 Main Street, Douglas, on Friday, May 20, from 7 to 10 p.m. Proceeds from refreshment and dessert sales will go to benefit Douglas Farmers Market and Historical Society. This has been a great showcase for local talent; some have then been featured at Douglas Octoberfest Interested performers should contact Keith Menard at douglas_octoberfest@yahoo.com.

Saturday, May 21

WHITINSVILLE

Public Plant Sale — Presented by Blackstone Valley Gardeners, Saturday, May 21, 9 a.m. until sold out. Whitinsville Town Common, Linwood Ave. & Church St. Featuring our members' beautiful perennials, cool garden ornaments and much more!

The Friends of Northbridge Elders, Inc. (F.I.N.E.) are sponsoring a Car Wash, Saturday, May 21 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Advanced Auto Parts parking lot on Church Street, Whitinsville at a cost of \$7.00. Benefits to assist the Northbridge Council on Aging in providing programs at the Northbridge Senior Center. Bring in your vehicles for a spring cleanup.

GRAFTON

Plantapalooza — Saturday, May 21, from 7:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m., rain or shine. Plantapalooza is Community Harvest Project's annual plant sale fundraiser. We offer a huge selection of annuals, perennials, herbs and vegetable plants provided by Sweetbriar Florist of North Grafton. Whether you are looking for that rare heirloom tomato plant, or the right annual to liven up your garden,

first 1,000 attendees receive a free tomato plant! Plantapalooza also features local craft vendors, our Cookie Walk with delicious locally baked cookies, and a great raffle.

Community Harvest Project (CHP), a 501(c)3 organization, is dedicated to improving access to healthy foods through community engagement. Our mission is to create healthy and engaged communities through volunteer farming and nutrition education. In 2015, thanks to over 11,000 volunteer visits, CHP grew nearly 270,000 pounds of fruits and vegetables, which were donated through partnerships including the Worcester County Food Bank's hunger relief network, Community Servings, Hector Reyes house, Grafton Food Bank and our Farm to Health Initiative. The fruits and vegetables we grew provided 1.2 million servings of fresh produce for individuals and families in need in our community who otherwise may not have had access.

MENDON

On Saturday, May 21, we will be hosting our inaugural diner dinner. The classic comfort food of the good old days at good old-time prices. The complete meal will consist of meatloaf, mashed potatoes with gravy, vegetables, salad, dessert and coffee. Join us on Saturday, May 21 at the Unitarian Church at 13 Maple St. in Mendon. Supper will be served from 5-7 pm. The cost is \$7 for adults and \$3 for children.

DOUGLAS

Join us for a fun-filled, family-friendly day! The Douglas PTO is excited to announce our first Touch-a-Truck & Craft Fair event on Saturday, May 21, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Douglas Elementary School, 19 Davis St, Douglas. Kids of all ages can climb aboard and explore a number of real-world vehicles, from emergency to construction trucks, and speak with the men and women who operate them. Inside the gym, come browse a selection of unique crafts, gifts and handmade items from over 30 local vendors at our Craft Fair. When you need a break, sit back and relax with some delicious food or a tasty frozen treat from one of our amazing food vendors. We'll also have music, face painting, massages and raffles. It's sure to be a fun day for all!

May 21, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., Douglas, St. Denis Church at 23 Manchaug St. will be hosting a Family Fun Day/Community Yard Sale. Fun activities include pony rides, dunk tank, douglas ambulance and police, Disney characters, food, bake sale, and more. Raffle items include Red Sox tickets (Baltimore vs. Boston) a grandfather clock and a handmade hunting knife! There's something for the whole family so join the fun!

Sunday, May 22

NORTHBRIDGE

St. Peter's Parish will be hosting "Breakfast of Champions" in the Parish the wide selection is sure to please. The Hall on Sunday, May 22, from 9:30 a.m. to

1 p.m. Breakfast will include: Scrambled eggs/home fries/pancakes/bacon/sausage/juice/milk and coffee. Tickets are \$10 Adults/\$7 Seniors and Kids/ \$30 per Family. All proceeds will go to help fund our Mission Trips for the Edge & Lifeteen Kids in July. Please call Leeann at 508-234-6355 to purchase tickets or if you have any questions.

MILLBURY

The First Congregational Church of Millbury, 148 West Main St., Millbury is hosting a "Young People's Concert" on Sunday, May 22, at 4 p.m. Come and enjoy the sounds of jazz featuring Noah Mejaour on piano, Austin Hartshorn on bass, Tyler Whiterell on sax. No admission a free will offering. For more information contact Joyce at jsbach12@ comcast.net or 774-551-6839.

Monday, May 30

REGION

All SCM Elderbus offices will be closed on Monday, May 30, to observe Memorial

Wednesday, June 8

MENDON

Blackstone Valley Heritage Quilters will meet June 8, for their dinner meeting, at the Imperial Room in the Chevrolet building of the Imperial Automobile Complex on Route 16 in Mendon. Arrival time is between 6 to 6:30 p.m., dinner is at 7 p.m. Members are asked to bring their "Block of the Month" quilts for show and tell.

Sunday, June 12

NORTHBRIDGE

St. Peter's Parish will be hosting a "Summer Cookout" on the lawn on Sunday, June 12, starting at 12 p.m. We will be having all of your summer favorites, burgers/hot dogs/chicken breast/macaroni salad/green salad and desserts. Tickets are \$11, Adults/\$8, Seniors and Kids ages 4-12/\$35 per family. All proceeds will go to help fund our Mission Trips for the Edge & Lifeteen Kids in July. Please call Leeann at 508-234-6355 to purchase tickets or if you have any questions.

Saturday, June 18

NORTHBRIDGE

St. Peter's Parish will be hosting a Car Wash on June 18 and 19 before and during all Masses. All proceeds will go to help fund our Mission Trips for the Edge & Lifeteen Kids in July. Please call Leeann at 508-234-6355 if you have any questions.

Thursday, June 23

Join us on Thursday, June 23 from 7-8:30 p.m. for a fun Trivia Night at the Whitinsville Social Library, 17 Church St, Whitinsville. Come with a Trivia Team of 3-5 friends, coworkers or family members and work together to answer questions from an assortment of categories. Adults & Teens are welcome. Prizes will be awarded to the top trivia teams. Grand Prize is a \$75 gift card to Alicante restaurant in Mendon. Snacks and beverages will be provided. Register your Trivia Team online at http:// whitinsville.evanced.info/signup or call the library at 508-234-2151. Team names encouraged!

ONGOING EVENTS

SUTTON

The First Congregational Church of Sutton, 307 Boston Road, presents its monthly free will offering of open seating dinners from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. on the second Saturday of each month. All are welcome. Dinners are served with bread, beverage and dessert. For more information, call (508) 865-6914.

There will be a Senior Breakfast from 8 to 9:30 a.m. every first Friday of the month at St. John's Episcopal Church, 3 Pleasant St. (off Route 122A), Sutton. A \$4 per person donation is suggested. This breakfast meal is especially prepared for seniors. Handicapped accessible. For the menu and more information, please call (508) 865-3103 or (508) 277-9822.

Participants & spectators: Waters Farm is pleased to announce the 2016 Lawn & Garden Tractor Pull season has started. A special date has been set for the week after Mother's Day. Going forward, please join us on the 2nd Sunday of every month, June through September, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. The pull is open to all ages. Minors must have adult supervision. Most pulls run in conjunction with other Waters Farm activities for the family. For more information on the tractor pull, contact Bob Chauvin at $508.949.09\overline{7}1$. Waters Farm is a 501(c)3nonprofit, all volunteer organization located at 53 Waters Road, Sutton, and is on the National Register of Historic Homes.

MILLBURY

Parent Support Group in Millbury sponsored by Parent Professional Advocacy League (PPAL). Please join us for our free and confidential Parent Support Group on the second (workshop) and fourth (sharing) Friday of the month from 10:30 a.m. to noon at the Millbury Public Library. Call PPAL at (508) 767-9725 for further information. Parent Professional Advocacy League is a statewide network of parents and professionals and adolescents with emotional, behavioral and mental health needs.

NORTHBRIDGE

The Caregivers Group will meet in the library at the Northbridge Senior Center on the fourth Friday of the month. If you are currently caring for a family member or close friend, come and join others who share your compassion.

"Serenity On The Hill" Al-Anon step meeting will be held at 7 p.m. every Wednesday at the Rockdale Congregational Church, 42 Fowler Road, Northbridge. This is a support group for family and friends of problem drinkers. Newcomers always welcome. For more information, call 508-366-0556.

WHITINSVILLE

Come join the Sunshine Yoga Collaborative in our mission to bring community based yoga to Uxbridge and the surrounding communities! These classes are appropriate for those just beginning to the advanced student. Our class is every Sunday morning from 7:30-8:30 a.m. at Alternatives, Unlimited at 50 Douglas Road in Whitinsville. We have extra yoga mats, but most folks bring their own. We ask for a \$5 donation per class, which is passed on to a local organization doing good work in our community. Visit us on Facebook: Sunshine Yoga Collaborative.

Every Monday — Celebrate Recovery is a Biblically based step program designed to heal a wide variety of habits and harmful behaviors, such as drug dependency, abuse, eating disorders, depression, anger, pornography, broken relationships. The group meets every week in a two-part session, an open group followed by gender-specific small share groups. Starts at 7 p.m. and ends at 9:00. Come at 6:30 for coffee and conversation. Pleasant Street Church, 25 Cross Street, Whitinsville, 508-234-5268, ext. 14, or email howard@pscrc.org.

The John 21 Community Breakfast at St. Patrick's Church has been established as a response to the needs of many people in our community. Breakfast will continue each and every Saturday from 8-10 a.m. in the Parish Center, 1 Cross St., Whitinsville. Our mission is to serve a nutritious breakfast, free of charge, every Saturday morning in the spirit of community fellowship and hospitality. Teams of volunteers prepare and serve breakfast on a rotating basis. All are welcome. For more information,

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QR Code Challenge Winners! The QR codes ran on 4/29, and the answer ads ran last week, on 5/13/16. This

was by far the largest response we've ever gotten to one of these QR Code Contests! Thank you to our many readers for your entries, and to the businesses that sponsored this fun contest! Winners were chosen by random drawing and were able to choose a \$25 gift card from any business on the page. Names and businesses they chose are as follows:

1. Denise Paparazzo of Sturbridge:

Won a gift card to Salem Cross Inn

2. Kayla Cantell of Brookfield:

Won a gift card to E.B. Flatts Comments were optional...here are just a few:

"This was awesome, I love challenges like this!" A.S., Spencer "Three of these businesses I've given business to, some I didn't know about.

Great idea to do this!!" D.A., Charlton

"Love some of these places!" A.N., Brimfield "This was fun, I got the chance to teach my mother-in-law how to use a QR code

K.C., Brookfield "Thanks! I learned how to use QR code & found some local businesses I'll be

B.H., Fiskdale utilizing in the future."

"This was fun! Company's look good and fairly local. Thank you."

L.C., Uxbridge "There were a couple businesses on this list that I hadn't heard of before. Glad P.L., Brimfield to know more about them. Thank you!"



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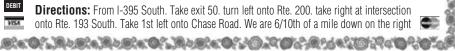


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OBITUARIES

DOUGLAS

Fred Hutnak, 80

UXBRIDGE — Fred Hutnak, 80, of Uxbridge, passed away peacefully in his home early Thursday morning, May 12.

He was the husband of Arlene M. (Johnson) Hutnak. They were happily married for 59 years.

Mr. Hutnak spent most of his life as a heavy equipment operator. Many of those years were alongside his son Gary. Prior to that he was an inspector at the General Motors Assembly plant in Framingham.

Fred was born on Feb. 28, 1936, in Nasonville, R.I., a son of the late Veronika (Gallik) Hutnak. He attended Burrillville High School, Burrillville,

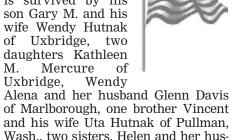
He was a member of the Co. B, 118th Eng. Bn. (Combat) National Guard Unit, Woonsocket, R.I., being the youngest member to complete the Engineering Equipment Maintenance Course at Fort Belvoir, Va.

Fred was a faithful member of Saint Mary's Church in Uxbridge. His passion was moving rocks and dirt. Much enjoyment came from travelling the country via motor home with his wife and family. He loved all animals great

Throughout his life he contributed to the community in many ways including funding equipment purchases for local emergency services, sponsoring a girls softball team and providing services and donations to St. Mary's

Parish.

In addition to his wife Arlene, Fred is survived by his son Gary M. and his wife Wendy Hutnak of Uxbridge, daughters Kathleen Mercure Uxbridge,



of Marlborough, one brother Vincent and his wife Uta Hutnak of Pullman, Wash., two sisters, Helen and her husband John Ammerman of Nasonville dren, Emily, Jacqueline, Connor, Julia, RI and Mary Cardillo of Cranston RI, one sister-in-law Julia Hutnak of Nasonville RI; 6 grandchildren, Eric Hutnak, Brandy Belmas, Amy and Kasey Mercure, Sasha May and Dottie Rose Davis, two great grandchildren, Hunter and Garrett Belmas and many nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by 3 brothers Joseph Gallik, Joseph Hutnak, John Hutnak and 1 sister Katherine Francis.

Visiting hours were held Sunday, May 15, at the Buma Funeral HOME. 101 No. Main St., Uxbridge.

Funeral services will be private. Memorial donations may be made to the Shriners Hospital for Children, 516 Carew St., Springfield, MA 01104 and Crazy Horse Memorial, 12151 Avenue of the Chiefs, Crazy Horse, SD 57730-

Visit www.bumafuneralhome.com.

(Ramsay) Heldenbergh; two sons, Kyle W. Heldenbergh, and his wife, Jessica, of Sutton, and Gary V. Heldenbergh, and his wife, Patti, of Burlington; two daughters, Pamela Moynagh, and her husband, Kevin, of Worcester, and Andrea Hughes, and her husband, Mitch, of Barre; a brother, Richard Heldenbergh, of Millville; 12 grandchil-

Heldenbergh, 72, died Friday, May

6, in the Jewish Healthcare Center,

Worcester, following an illness. He is

survived by his wife of 51 years, Gladys

William

Mr. Heldenbergh was born in Woonsocket, R.I., Aug. 7, 1943, a son of Maurice and Sally (Krylowicz) Heldenbergh, He lived in Uxbridge for many years before moving to Douglas 42 years ago. He was a 1961 graduate of Uxbridge High School, and held a bach-

Carter, Timothy, Ryan, Abigail, Tyler,

Patrick, Joshua, and Caroline; and sev-

elor's degree form DeVry University in Chicago.

eral nieces and nephews.

William V. Heldenbergh, 72

He was a U.S. Navy veteran of the Vietnam era. Mr. Heldenbergh was a computer technician at Honeywell and Data General, Following retirement, he worked at Walmart



He was a member of St. Denis Church in Douglas, and for many years he coached vouth soccer in Douglas, and the Fuller Hamlets in Sutton.

Mr. Heldenbergh's funeral mass was held Tuesday, May 10, in St. Denis Church. Calling hours were held Monday, May 9, in the Carr Funeral Home, 24 Hill Street, Whitinsville. Burial will be private.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Cancer Society, 30 Speen Street, Framingham, MA, 01701.

To leave the family an online condolence, please visit www.carrfuneral-

Nicole A. Lavallee, 22



WHITINSVILLE — Nicole A. Lavallee, 22, died Saturday, May 14, in a fire in her home. She is survived by

her parents, John and Donna Lavallee; grandparents, William and Carolyn

Lavallee; two sisters, Jessica Ricci, and Brittany Ricci, all of Whitinsville; a brother, Kevin Lavallee, of Farmington, N.M.; several aunts and uncles, and many cousins.

She was predeceased by her mother, Jacqueline (Kellywood) Lavallee, and her grandmother, Ann (LaPointe) Lavallee.

Nicole was born, Dec. 14, 1993, in Altus, Okla., and had lived here since 2007, after living in New Jersey for several years.

She was a 2012 graduate of Northbridge High School, and was

working as a customer service representative at Potpourri, in Whitinsville. An accomplished guitarist, Nicole's

passion was writing and playing her own compositions.

A time of reflection and remembrance was held Thursday, May 19, in the Carr Funeral Home, 24 Hill Street, Whitinsville.

Please omit flowers. Memorial donations may be made to Faris House, c/o Spectrum Health Systems, 10 Mechanic St., Suite 302, Worcester, MA 01608.

To leave a condolence for Nicole's family, please visit www.carrfuneralhome.com.

Raymond Lussier of Northbridge, two grandchildren, Justin Lussier of



UXBRIDGE - LeoJ. Lussier, 92, passed away Sat. May. 14, 2016 at the Beaumont Skilled Nursing Rehabilitation Center, Northbridge. He was the hus-

band of Mabel C. (Desjardin) Lussier who passed away in 2013.

Mr. Lussier was employed at the U.S. Postal Service in Uxbridge for 35 years before his retirement in 1986.

Leo was born Aug. 27, 1923 in Northbridge the son of the late Joseph and Parmella (Contois) Lussier and was a graduate of Northbridge High School. He had been a resident of Rockdale before moving to Uxbridge in 1948.

Mr. Lussier coached the Cocke-N-Kettle Little League Team for many years. He and his wife, Mabel travelled a great deal with the Foxy Travel Club of Uxbridge and were members of the Uxbridge Couples Club. Leo was a Detroit Tigers baseball fan and enjoyed playing cribbage.

Mr. Lussier is survived by his

son, Wayne A. and his wife Karen A. Lussier of Douglas, one brother, Plantation, Fla.., Keith Lussier and his wife Dr. Krista Lussier of Wrentham and 1 great grandchild, Sophie Lussier of Wrentham. He was predeceased by two brothers, William Perron and Normand Lussier.

The family would like to thank the staff of both Whitney Place and Beaumont Nursing and Rehab Center of Northbridge for all their great care of Leo.

Visiting hours were held Tuesday, May 17, in the Buma Funeral Home, 101 North Main St., Uxbridge.

Funeral services with full military honors were held Wednesday, May 18, in the funeral home. Burial followed in Prospect Hill Cemetery, Mendon St., Rte. 16, Uxbridge.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the First Congregational Church of Uxbridge, 8 Court St.

Uxbridge, MA 01569. Visit www.bumafuneralhome.com.

Joseph A. Williamson, 65



WHITINSVILLE Joseph A. "Andy" Williamson, 65, died Friday, April 29, in the UMass Memorial Medical Center, surrounded by his loving family. He is survived

by his wife of 43 years, Jane M. (Lubas) Williamson: two daughters, Katie Williamson, of Northbridge, and Lorraine Williamson, of Worcester; his mother, Norma (Nancy) Williamson, of Oxford; three brothers, Sven Williamson, III, and his wife, Paulette, of Oxford, Arthur Williamson, and his wife, Vanessa, of Worcester, and Anders Williamson, Sr., and his wife, Paige, of Holden; three grandchildren; and many aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces and nephews; his extended family, Tom and Pat Patnode, Joe Lubas, David and Cookie Blodgett, and Rusty Provencial, who

was like a brother to him. Andy was born in Worcester, October 22, 1950, a son of the late Sven Williamson, II. He grew up in Worcester and graduated from Burncoat High School and also from Worcester Vocational High School. He had lived here for 40 years.

He was a U.S. Army veteran of the Vietnam era.

Andy was an inspector at Wyman

years, prior to retiring in 2010. Previously, he worked at the former United States Steel Company in Worcester. He was a member of

Gordon for many

Saint Peter's Church Northbridge.



Andy's funeral mass was celebrated Wednesday, May 4, in Saint Peter's Church, followed by burial in Saint Patrick's Cemetery. Calling hours were Tuesday, May 3, in the Carr Funeral Home.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Pancreatic Cancer Alliance, c/o UMass Memorial Foundation, 333 South Street, Shrewsbury, MA, 01545. To leave a condolence for Andy's family, please visit www.carrfuneralhome.com.

Ruth E. Lowe Bickford, 79

Leo J. Lussier, 92



NORTHBRIDGE — Ruth E. (Mahoney) Lowe Bickford, 79, died Saturday, May 14, in the Milford Regional Medical Center.

She is survived by two sons, David A. Lowe, and his wife,

Debra, of Burrillville, RI, and James H. Lowe, of Northbridge; four daughters, Donna Lannon, and her husband, Christopher, of Sutton, Mary Griffin, and her companion, Sean Trainor, and Cathy A. Grant, and her husband, Joseph, of Northbridge, and Sally A.

Selvidge, and her husband, Lance, of Uxbridge, a brother, Robert Mahoney, of Uxbridge; 13 grandchildren and eight great grandchildren.

Mrs. Bickford was born in Northbridge, June 27, 1936, the daughborn in ter of Michael and Ellen (Bennett) Mahoney. She was a lifelong resident. and graduated from Northbridge High School in 1954.

Mrs. Bickford was a nurse's aide at the former Westborough State Hospital. She enjoyed writing poetry, cooking, and spending time at the West Hill Recreation Area. At Mrs. Bickford's request, there will

be no funeral services or calling hours.

CALENDAR

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please contact the ministry coordinator at John21Breakfast@gmail.com. If you would like to make a donation to this project, please contact St. Patrick's rectory at 508-234-5656.

The Whitinsville Social Library is pleased to announce that they are partnering with Tufts Veterinary School's Paws for People Program, called R.E.A.D, on the third Saturday of each month beginning in December, from 10 a.m. to noon. During the program, a trained therapy dog will visit the library, along with its owner, and children have the chance to read to the dog. This program is designed for children ages 4-8 at any reading level and helps to promote confidence in the child's reading abilities. Registration is required for 10-15 minute sessions of reading to the dog. Call the library at 508-234-2151. For more information about programming, please visit the library's website at www.northbridgemass.org/whitinsville-social-library.

Legos Club the first and third Mondays of each month, for ages 6 and up from 3 until 5 p.m. at the Whitinsville Social Library. For more information about programming, please visit the library's website at www.northbridgemass.org/ whitinsville-social-library.

The Men's Bible Study will be held from 9:30 to 11 a.m. every Tuesday in the fourth floor conference room (the upper room) at the Whitinsville Community Center which can be conveniently accessed by elevator. The study is a non-denominational look at New Testament Scripture from a Christian Worldview perspective. Men from all the area towns are invited to share the Word, fellowship, food and fun. Just come to the Whitinsville Community Center or email mikeytierney@gmail. com for more information.

DOUGLAS

Time are tough and the economy is tight. It can be hard to make ends meet. What about your four-legged friends? Project Kibble is a food pantry for pets. Project Kibble will operate out of Dog Orphans Humane Society in Douglas on the second Saturday of each month from 1-3 p.m. Project Kibble accepts donations of dry and wet dog food, cat food, kitty litter, treats, small rodent food (for hamsters, gerbils, etc.), bird and fish food. All collected donations will then be distributed through local food pantries. For more information or to make a donation, please email projectkibble@ gmail.com or call 508-234-8131.

HOPEDALE

The Adult Children of Alcoholics 12-step support group meets from 7:30 to 9 p.m. on Mondays at the Hopedale Unitarian Church, 65 Hopedale St. For more information, call Rose at (508) 234-9004.



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Wednesday, May 25: Turkey a la King, wild rice, Brussels sprouts, pears, pumpernickel bread.

Thursday, May 26: Meatloaf and gravy, garlic mashed potatoes, summer blend vegetables, Birthday cake, diet=plain cake. whole wheat bread.

Friday, May 27: Macaroni and cheese, stewed tomatoes, green beans, fresh fruit, French bread.

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Phone: 508-234-2002 www.northbridgemass.org/ council-on-aging

Hours: 8:30 a.m. .– 4 p.m. Monday-Thursday; 8:30 a.m. . -1 p.m. Friday.

UPCOMING SPECIAL EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

We require registration for all of our events and trips. Additionally, if you need transportation, please inform the center at the time of registration. Simply call 508-234-2002 to sign-up. Deposits and fees are required at time of sign up in order to reserve your spot.

FREE BOWLING

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CLUES ACROSS

4. Not worried

11. Indian city

15. Understood

17. Jewish state

(abbr.)

23. __ Squad

CLUES DOWN

3. They pour drinks

5. Take advantage of

10. Natives of the American

14. The Science Guy Bill

17. Contraceptive device

15. Soviet Socialist Republic

4. Communicates

6. Take on cargo

7. A stiff drink

9. Actress Watts

Southwest

12. Covered

1. Belittled

2. Actress King

10. Stars

16. Foe

1. Administrative Review Board

8. Rowan Atkinson played him

13. He partnered with Garfunkel

12. North American nation

18. 2015 postseason hero

22. Goddess of the dawn

21. Largest English dictionary

the first and third Monday of the month from 1-2 p.m. at Sparetime Lanes. This is open to all Northbridge residents aged 60 or older. This is not a MEET league, it is a come-wheneveryou-can-make-it activity.

WALKING CLUB

Every Tuesday from 10-11 a.m. . meet at St. Patrick's Cemetery

IN TOWN WEEKLY SHOPPING

morning Monday Every and Wednesday afternoon Walmart

Every Tuesday afternoon and Friday morning – Shaw's First Tuesday morning of each month – Hannaford's

TAP DANCING CLASS

TRIPS

Every Wednesday, 2:30 p.m.: Eight week class (started May 4) meeting every Wednesday. Come join us for fun and exercise! We will provide the tap shoes at a discounted price. Call ahead to reserve your spot and give us your shoe size. \$5 per class, instructor is from Joanne Warren Dance Studio. No experience necessary!

TECHNOLOGY HELP IS HERE! Every Thursday from 1-3 p.m. Paul Holzwarth will be here every Thursday if you need help with any of your technology needs including iPads, cell phones, laptops, etc. Please call to sign up for half hour sessions.

NAME THAT TUNE!

24. Belonging to a thing

Food-related allergic

26. Car mechanics group

reaction (abbr.)

27. Exceed in weight

34. Deserved

35. Singer Thicke

40. Type of tissue

23. Ties the knot

28. Foot (Latin)

31. Calculator

32. Herbal tea

33. Catch

26. Turf

29. Flub

Actor McKellen

30. Birds settle here

34. Pitcher Santana

36. Not for vegetarians

37. Japanese novelist

25. Optical phenomenon

42. It comes in a can

44. Retirement account

43. His heart is in San Francisco

student, learns healing

36. Clemencies

38. Critique

39. Resented

41. Passages

FINE (Friends of Northbridge Monday, May 23, 10:30 a.m. . Elders) offers free bowling on Steve Damon will be here to

play a fun game of "Name That taking a bus trip to Meredith, Steven Wickstrom for teach-Tune," try to recognize the song with just a few notes!

OUR TOWN **VETERAN'S AGENT** Meet Carl Bradshaw, Tuesday, May 24, 11 a.m. . Carl will be here to meet with you and answer any questions you may have in regards to veterans services.

CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP

Tuesday, May 24, 3 p.m.

SUMMIT OFFICE HOURS Tuesday, May 24, from 10:30-11:30 a.m. .

BLOOD PRESSURE CLINIC/ ASK THE NURSE

Tuesday, May 24, from 11 a.m. . to 1 p.m.

PRESSED FLOWER CLASS Wednesday, May 25, from 10-11:30 a.m. . \$10 per class, instructed by Elaine McNanna.

MONTHLY BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION Thursday, May 26, 11:30 a.m. .

VISITING DENTAL CLINIC Thursday, May 26, from 9:30 a.m. . to 2:30 p.m. Please call to make an appointment.

UPCOMING DAY TRIPS

Please call ahead and soon to reserve your spot:

June 9: Magic Wings and the Bridge of Flowers: Tour of Magic Wings Butterfly Conservatory & Gardens located in S. Deerfield, then to the Bridge of Flowers in Shelburne Falls, and finally on to the Yankee Candle Company all via Deluxe Motorcoach transportation.

 June 15: Whittier Farms Senior Citizen Day: 10:30 a.m. ., we are invited to tour the farm and enjoy a cookout lunch. \$16 per person.

• July 13: Indian Princess Tour on Webster Lake. \$69 per person, board the modern day replica of the grand river boats, lunch at Point Breeze, and on the way home we will stop at Foppema's Farmstand for fruits and vegetables.

CALLING ALL TRAVELERS! The FINE Travelers Group presents two exciting bus trips this fall:

1) Washington, D.C.: 4 Days /3 Nights, Sept. 9-12, \$369/DBL 2) Chicago: 7 Days/6 Nights,

Oct. 2-8, \$575/DBL Details of these trips can be viewed at www.grouptrips. "Join This Tour". Or call the Sr. Center for more information.

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DOUGLAS SENIOR CENTER

SCHEDULE OF DAILY **EVENTS**

• Mondays: 9 a.m. ., Walking Club; 9:30 a.m. ., Reverse Glass Painting; 10 a.m. ., Osteo exercise; 12 p.m., Needle Works.

• Tuesdays: 9 a.m. ., Walking Club; 9:30 a.m. ., Cribbage; 9:30 a.m. ., Zumba; 12 p.m., Bingo.

• Wednesdays: 9 a.m. ., Walking Club; 10 a.m. ., Osteo exercise; 11 a.m. ., Coloring Group; 12 p.m., Needle Works

• Thursdays: 8:45 a.m. ., Yoga; 9 a.m. ., Walking Club; 9:30 a.m. ., Computers, 10 a.m. . and 12 p.m., Painting; 10 a.m. ., Tai chi; 12 p.m., Bingo.

May is National Older Americans Month! Join us and celebrate with us at one of our many events!

SUNSHINE CLUB EVENTS Thursday, May 26, 6 p.m. Movie Night, light refreshments will be served

Sue's Trips: For information on our upcoming trips please contact Sue at (508) 476-5820.

HEALTH SERVICES

Podiatrist: The podiatrist will be at the center June 27. Appointments start at 10:30 a.m. . and require a reservation. Appointments fill up quickly. Please reserve your space early, if you need to cancel please let us know as soon as possible so that someone else can utilize this appointment time. Blood Pressure Clinic with

Nurse Ann: May 26 at 10 a.m. . walk-ins are always welcome.

TRIPS

N.H., on Thursday, July 28. The musical "My Fair Lady" will be at the Interlakes Theatre, a great summer theatre! There will be lunch first at Hart's Turkey Farm with a choice of turkey dinner, roast sirloin, or broiled haddock. Everything is included for \$74. Then on Monday, Aug. 15 there will be a cruise out of Portland, Maine, to Bailey's Island with lunch on the island. The price is \$92. Tuesday, Sept. 13 will be a

cruise on the MS/Washington on Lake Winnipesaukee w/the buffet on the boat and a stop in Wolfeboro for \$72.

There are a few overnight trips planned: Oct. 10-14 to Niagara Falls for \$489 for 5 days; Oct. 3-12 to Scotland for 10 days; Nov. 6-8 to the Villa Roma Resort in the Catskills for \$369; Nov. 28-30 to the White Mountain Hotel and Resort in North Conway for \$439; and to NYC at Christmas from Dec. 10-12 for \$339, including the 9/11 Museum.

All trips originate from Whitinsville Walmart. the Everyone is welcome to join the group on any of these trips. Don't be shy! We encourage new people to come! Please call Sue at 508-476-5820 for more information.

Next meeting of the Sunshine Club is scheduled for June 2, at 2 p.m. Note change of time. Other events include Movie Night scheduled for May 26 at 6 p.m. Bingo will be held on June 14, with ice cream social at 5:30 p.m. and Bingo at 6 p.m. For information regarding the programs contact Pam Schwartz at 508-476-4474. New members are always welcome.

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36 South Main St. Marsha Petrillo - Director - 508-

278-8622 Donna Oncay – Administrative Assistant - 508-278-8622

Lynne McPherson - Chef - 508-278-8622 Gail Boutiette - Outreach

Coordinator Peter Waeger - Van Driver

Please call the Senior Center 48 hours ahead at 508-278-8622 to reserve your meal and also to arrange for transportation to lunch and for medical appointments. Van transportation begins at 10:30 a.m. . each day. Please check with the Senior Center by calling 508-278-8622, Uxbridge Cable Local Access Channel 191, Facebook, or the com/finetravelers Click on Council on Aging website for the Lunch Menu.

The Senior Center is a drop off site for the People First Food Pantry. Donations are accepted Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. . to 4 p.m.

SENIOR CENTER WISH LIST We welcome and appreciate the support of anyone in a position to give. Your donations make a significant difference in the lives of our elders and help support our daily lunch program. All monetary gifts can be made out to the Town of Uxbridge with Senior Center in the memo section of your check. Gift cards for Hannaford, Walmart and CVS also make nice gifts for senior citizens in need.

We also continue to need in kind donations of thank you & get well cards, paper towels, dishwasher soap and plastic 8oz cups. One can donate directly to the center at 36 S. Main Street or on-line via the town's web page. Every donation helps and comes enormously appreciated! Feel free to contact us at 508-278-8622 or visit us on our webpage at Uxbridge-ma.gov/coa or like us on our Facebook page or by Googling Uxbridge Senior Center, or even dropping by. Uxbridge-ma.gov/coa

Facebook.com/ UxbridgeMASeniorCenter

SHOPPING TRIPS Grocery shopping every

Tuesday. Pick up begins at 1 p.m. We have changed the time to make it easier to get people to lunch and give everyone time to get their shopping done. Walmart Shopping: Second and

fourth Thursdays of the month. Pick up begins at 12:30 p.m. Please sign up in advance for Walmart shopping by calling us at 508-278-8622 to reserve your seat on the van.

COMPUTER CLASSES

Computer classes will be every Monday at the Senior Center from 3-4 p.m. You can call ahead to sign up 508-278-8622 or just stop in. Everyone is welcome! The Sunshine Club will be Thank you to Nipmuc student

ing our classes this year! He can teach you on your tablet, phone, nooks, iPads, Kindles, etc. Bring in your device and learn! We are wireless at the Senior Center, so please feel free to come take advantage of this service.

SMP PROGRAM

Friday, May 20, 1-3 p.m. The Massachusetts Senior Medicare Patrol (SMP) Program in partnership with The Uxbridge Council on Aging invites you to it's first Medicare Beneficiary Council Meeting at the senior center. This meeting is open to the public and we strongly encourage Medicare beneficiaries, family members and caregivers to attend. Come and share your concerns, ask questions and gain a better understanding of how to protect, detect and report healthcare errors, fraud and abuse which cost American taxpayers billions of dollars annually.

'NAME THAT TUNE AMERICANA'

Monday, May 23, 11:30 a.m. . to 12:30 p.m. Steve Damon will be joining us again and will have music and a "Name That Tune" game! Come join us for some patriotic fun! Thank you to the Uxbridge Cultural Council for sponsoring this special event.

CLOSED

The senior center will be closed on Friday, May 27, and Monday, May 30, in observance of Memorial Day. No lunches will be served.

NAVICARE

Nelly Colon is the new Account Executive. You are eligible to join Navicare if you are 65 or older, live in our service area and have MassHealth. Nelly Colon can be reached at 508-847-8511 and she is also bi-lingual.

11TH ANNUAL TOURNAMENT Saturday, June 11, at Crystal

Lake Golf Course. The Uxbridge Elderly Connection Inc., in conjunction with the Uxbridge Senior Center will host it's 11th Annual Elderly Connection Golf Tournament at the Crystal Lake Golf Course in Rhode Island. Make plans to join us for this Special Event. Fee for one person is \$130, for a foursome \$520 and for buffet only \$30. This Elderly Connection fundraiser helps the Senior Center by providing funds for special programs and other needs not covered by the budget. Also, if you are a local business owner you can support us with a tee sign bearing your company's name for a \$100 donation to the Uxbridge Elderly Connection Inc. Or, for all you golfers out there please consider playing in this fun and worthy event! Call Pete at 508-326-4328 to learn more!

THE WEEK AHEAD

• Monday, May 23: 11:30 a.m. . -Lunch – Stuffed shells, spinach, Italian bread & fresh fruit.

• Tuesday, May 24: 11:30 a.m. . -Lunch – Spaghetti w/bolognese sauce, garden salad, Italian bread & ice cream sandwiches. 1 p.m. - Pick-up begins for grocery shopping at Hannaford's. Call 278-8622 to arrange for pick-

• Wednesday, May 25: 11:30 a.m. – Lunch – Roasted chicken, mashed potatoes, butternut squash & sugar free ice cream.

• Thursday, May 26: 11:30 a.m. - Lunch - Hamburger w/roll, baked beans, potato salad & birthday cake. 12:30 p.m. - Pickup begins for Wal-Mart shopping. Call 278-8622 to arrange for pick-up.

• Friday, May 27: Closed for Memorial Day - No Lunch Served

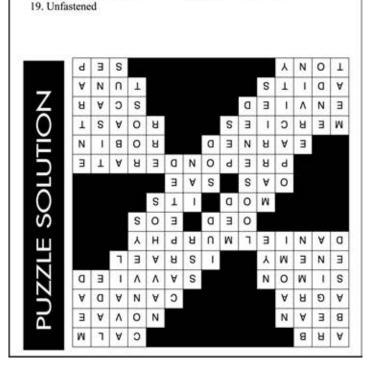
MILLBURY SENIOR CENTER

Lunch is served Monday-Friday, 12 noon, for a \$2.50 donation. Reservations must be made 48 hours in advance.

Presented by the Mass Bar Association — Elder Law Education Program, focusing on the 15 Common Reasons to Do Estate Planning. Topic: "Protect your Assets." Date: Monday, May 23, at 11 a.m. ., at the Millbury Senior Center. Speaker: Atty. James A. Miller.

Summer Concert — Sponsored by the generosity of Mike and Lucille Maguire, Elvis Impersonator, June 23, 6-8 p.m. Hot dogs and drinks will be

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Appraising your antiques

I often get called by people asking to have their items appraised. Often people don't really need an appraisal because their ultimate goal is to sell their items. There are many cases where an appraisal is needed though.

Most of the work we do is for attorneys or estate representatives (formerly called executors) who require a written appraisal for probate and/or tax purposes. Items are inventoried, photographed and assigned a value. A report is then created that can be used by the attorney, Internal Revenue Service and other parties that require it.

There are other times when a more informal and less expensive option is adequate. For example, there may be siblings who want to know the value of some of the items in an estate. They want to make sure that one heir isn't getting a piece worth \$50,000 while another is getting items worth \$2,000. A verbal appraisal is typically fine for an appraisal for equitable distribution of personal property.

If you have valuable home furnishings or an important collection an insurance appraisal is advisable. Many people with a large amount of person-



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to remember everything they had in the event of a fire or other disaster. Even if you do have an inventory, that may also be destroyed. Having your items appraised by an independent appraiser and sending that appraisal to your insurance company can help ensure that you are able to get adequate compensation in the event of a catastrophe.

al property may not be able

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SENIOR SCENE

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\$2.50. Remember every Friday is special treat day. A 48-hour reservation is required.

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Police department sees immediate results with Narcan purchase

NARCAN

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quickly it works," said Gorman. "We have seen an increase in opiate overdoses. When you're at the call and you don't have that kit available to you, and you know that is what can bring that person back, it's tough to have to sit there and wait while this stuff goes on. Now that we carry it, we're the first ones there, and we administer it as quickly as we can. We brought somebody back to life using something we had just implemented days before.

On average, an annual 25 cases of overdosing occurs in Northbridge. Last year, there were four deaths from overdose in town. Across the Commonwealth, the opioid epidemic claimed nearly 1,200 lives in 2014.

Opiates attach to neurons in the brain, disabling users to exercise particular involuntary functions. Narcan knocks open receptors in the brain, so people can regain normal central nervous system functions like breathing.

Narcan is short-acting and will only temporarily reverse the effects of an opiate like heroin. Those revived from Naloxone must be rushed to the hospital for full recovery measures.

"I think the heroin epidemic has gotten worse over the last five years," said Warchol. "Part of that is because of Fentanyl that they started putting into the heroin. Now with fentanyl, users are not sure of the concentration of heroin they're getting."

Officials claim opiate addicts are likely to turn to heroin as a cheaper alternative to oxycodone and other prescription drugs.

Fentanyl is a powerful prescription ainkiller that is being pr street drug in powder and pill form and is often cut with heroin. Police have noticed a trend in drug dealers lacing heroin with fentanyl to make their drugs more potent.

"It's stronger and people aren't use to it," said Gorman. "It's not the same dosage that they may have had in the past, so they're shooting up with what they think is normal amount, and it's actually quite a bit stronger. That's why so many people are overdosing because they don't know exactly what they're putting in their bodies."

In 2013, a rapid spike in law enforcement departments across the nation began carrying Naloxone. Law enforcement departments in 48 communities within the Commonwealth carry it, and 35 states have hopped on board.

Narcan doesn't come cheap. The first shipment for the Northbridge Police Department tallied up a \$500 expenditure directly out of their budget. Skeptics question if Naloxone is worth the time spent training in conjunction with the cost per unit with the rising demand.

However, with the statistics of overdoses annually increasing, it may be better to be with it than without it.

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SPORTS

Behind Fluke and Favaloro, Douglas softball hangs on for win over AMSA

BY JON GOUIN SPORTS CORRESPONDENT

DOUGLAS — On Thursday, May 12, the Douglas High varsity softball team hosted the Advanced Math and Science Academy (AMSA) in an important interleague matchup. Led by sophomore Maddy Fluke on the mound, the Tigers came away with a big 3-2 victory to move one game over .500, at 7-6.

"That's a big win for us," Douglas head coach John Furno said after the game. "We needed this because we've got some tough games coming up. Seven and six, that's huge. Three more wins to get in the playoffs and it's very doable."

The Tigers jumped on AMSA starter Emma Forte early, posting a run in the bottom of the first inning. Hannah Favaloro (3 for 3, 2 runs) opened the game with a single and moved to second on a Devin Haire (1 for 1, RBI) sacrifice bunt. Fluke later singled her home and it was 1-0 Douglas.

On the mound, Fluke was dominant at times, especially early. Her complete game performance saw her allow two earned runs on six hits, while striking out six and walking no Lady Eagle battesr. She faced just one batter over the minimum through the first four frames.

AMSA got on the scoreboard in the top of the fifth inning, though, piecing together an Ella Kinney (2 for 3, run, stolen base) single and Angela McClay (2 for 3, RBI) triple to knot the game at 1-1

But the Tigers answered immediately by posting a pair of runs in the bottom of the inning.

Again it was Favaloro, a captain, getting the rally started, this time singling with two outs. A Haire triple brought her home to get the lead back, and a Brynn Hurley RBI double brought in Haire to make it a 3-1 game heading to the sixth inning.

kid's an animal. We stole her from the track team last year and taught to play softball; she does a heck of a job for us."

AMSA didn't give in, though, and in the next frame made it 3-2 as Jessica Urella doubled and later scored on an Alex McNamara groundout.

Entering the seventh and final frame, Fluke appeared to be tiring some, but seemed to be determined to finish the contest. After recording two quick outs, the AMSA offense got going as the bottom third of the order put together a rally. Those 7-8-9 hitters combined to go 4 for 9 on the day.

First off, it was Kinney singling up the middle, and then McClay singled to right. A Shivanka Ruhela fielder's choice, which could have ended the game, ultimately recorded no outs as a disputable play at third may have been called fair instead of out. But either way, the bases were full of Eagles as the pressure began to mount.

Fluke buckled down, and although leadoff hitter Jessica Urella put up a nice at-bat, she eventually popped up to Haire at third base, who made the catch to end the threat and the game.

"We're having a lot of fun out there this year," Favaloro said after the win. "It's really exciting to see all our hard work in practice finally paying off. I honestly think we have a chance against anyone right now, we can play with everyone and we're not scared of anyone, we come to play."

The Tigers will look for three more victories in their final seven games in order to earn a spot in the Central Mass. Division 3 district tournament, and Furno likes his squad, despite their youth.

"We've got six freshmen on this team, a sophomore pitcher and a great group of girls on the bench," he said. "I just can't ask for more from these girls and I couldn't be prouder of them."



Sophomore starter Maddy Fluke of Douglas was terrific in a complete game win, tossing six strikeouts and scattering two runs on six hits.



Douglas captain Hannah Favaloro takes off from second base to score during the first inning versus the Advanced Math and Science Academy on May 12.



Ion Gouin photos

Starting pitcher Maddy Fluke lets out a sigh of relief after pitching out of a bases loaded jam in the seventh inning to help earn her Douglas Tigers a 3-2 win over AMSA last Thursday.



Brynn Hurley of Douglas steps into a swing that would end up as an RBI triple that scored the eventual game winning run for the Tigers versus AMSA.

Uxbridge's Arpin a member of NCAA Super Regional-bound WPI softball team

WORCESTER — Casey Arpin, an Uxbridge native and Notre Dame Academy graduate, is a member of the WPI softball team that will be making an appearance in the NCAA Super Regional tournament after winning the regional portion of the Division 3 Softball Championship.

The NEWMAC champion Engineers (38-7) will next take on NEWMAC runner up MIT in the Super Regional, which opens on Friday, May 20.

The Engineers won the regular season and tournament titles for the first time in the NEWMAC era. The program shared the 1991 NEW 8 regular season crown and went on to win the tournament before claiming the 1993 NEW 8 regular season title outright. They also set a school record for single-season wins in any sport.

Arpin has appeared in 19 games inside the circle for WPI, posting a record of 7-0 with five saves and an ERA of 1.52.



Photo courtesy WPI Athletics

Uxbridge native Casey Arpin

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SPORTS

Star with local ties helps Nipmuc baseball topple Douglas, 10-0



Jon Gouin photos

Douglas starter Jake Smith fires the first pitch at Nipmuc Regional on Tuesday, May 10, an eventual 10-0 loss for the Tigers.



Danny Hayes of Douglas tries to frame a pitch that was called just low for a ball versus Nipmuc. $\,$

BY JON GOUIN SPORTS CORRESPONDENT

UPTON—Izaiah Wadsworth has spent the last couple summers playing for the Northbridge American Legion Post 343 baseball team, and all the success that squad has had has really translated for him to the high school field.

On Tuesday, May 10, his Nipmuc Regional Warriors hosted Dual Valley Conference (DVC) foe Douglas High in a rain-date make-up from one week ago. This time, the battle fell on a beautiful sunny afternoon. Wadsworth got the call to start and was masterful, nearly

perfect in fact.

Wadsworth's line was a sparkling seven innings of one-hit ball, striking out 10 without issuing a walk in helping his team its eighth victory (8-3) in the 10-0 win. Wadsworth retired the first 17 batters he faced before Douglas senior Matt LaTour looped a single to shallow left field, ending the no-hit bid.

"Relentless, going right after people, and just an awesome performance; it was nicely done," Nipmuc head coach Steve DellaRovere said of his

Opposing Wadsworth on the

hill was Douglas junior Jake Smith and he fared pretty well. Smith allowed three runs (two earned) on two hits through four innings of work.

The hosts got on the board with three runs in the bottom of the second inning when wildness and mistakes cost the Tigers. Things got started with No. 5 hitter and Warrior catcher Pete Schiloski being hit by a pitch and with DH James Rogan earning a walk.

Later in the frame, Jack Ernst (2 for 3) singled home the first run of the inning. Then, two errors in the field for Douglas allowed two more runs to come in, making it a 3-0 game heading into the third inning of a quickly moving affair that took just under two hours to complete.

"This has been the story of our season right here; we'll play four or five innings of decent baseball and in the middle of all that we have a couple innings where the wheels fall off of the wagon," is what Douglas head coach Ed LaChapelle said of his team's 1-9 start.

The couple bad innings were the second and sixth for Douglas, but the offense could never get going against Wadsworth, so when the Warriors posted a seven-spot in the bottom of the sixth, it really didn't change much.

Nipmuc sent 11 batters to the plate, amassing their seven runs on just three hits and getting the aid of three walks and two errors to make it 10-0. The final blow came off the bat of Zack Hunter, who laced a tworun double to score Schiloski and Kyle Nocera.

Josiah Smith and Nevan Fish closed out the game on the hill for Douglas, but with neither having any experience pitching this season, the Tigers were struggling to get to the seventh inning.

"We had two guys pitch tonight that haven't thrown for us all year, that's not an excuse, it's just the reality of the situation," LaChapelle said of the backups' effort.

LaChapelle hoped for his team to leave Upton with their heads held high, and stated so in a postgame huddle.

On the tough season they are enduring, LaChapelle noted, "I told them, 'you don't make the tournament you don't stop playing.' We're not going to make a mockery of the game, we're still going to play baseball and we're going to play hard. If nothing else we can be spoilers and ruin someone else's season."

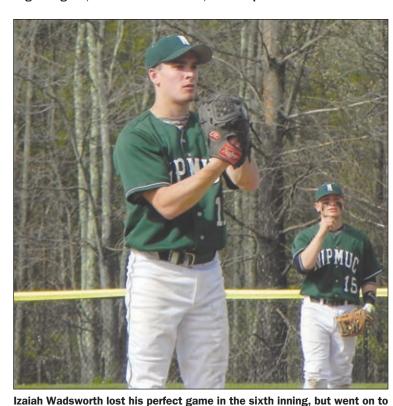
The Tigers will look to get back on track with a busy schedule in the coming days, since Mother Nature has not been recently kind to any of the Central Mass. squads dumping rain for over a week and postponing countless contests region-wide.



Josiah Smith of Douglas, brother to starter Jake, came on in relief to start the fifth inning versus Nipmuc.



Nipmuc's Izaiah Wadsworth, a Northbridge American Legion Post 343 Legion regular, celebrates his one-hit, shutout performance.



earn the shutout victory for Nipmuc, 10-0 winners versus Douglas.

SPORTS BRIEFS

Registration now open for Blackstone Valley Pop Warner

Blackstone Valley Pop Warner (BVPW) offers football and cheerleading for kids ages 5-15. BVPW is open to kids in Northbridge, Uxbridge and Sutton, as well as surrounding towns that do not have a Pop Warner program. We group kids according to age and size to maximize safe and balanced competition. No tryouts and mandatory play rules makes sure evervthing sees playing time. The season runs from August to November. All forms and online payment options, along with further information can be found at www.bvpw.org as registration is ongoing.

Blue Jays Baseball Club sponsoring high school exhibition series in Cooperstown

The Blue Jays Baseball Club is sponsoring a high school exhibition series in the Cooperstown, New York area next spring for varsity and junior varsity teams. They are also sponsoring three-game summer tournaments for 13U, 14U, 16U and 18U clubs. Night games can be scheduled. Trophies awarded. For additional information, contact Harvey Sandig at (607) 652-7740 with your open dates. You can also email him at Cooperstown314@aol. com.

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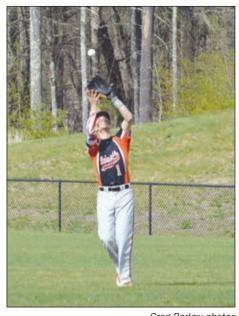
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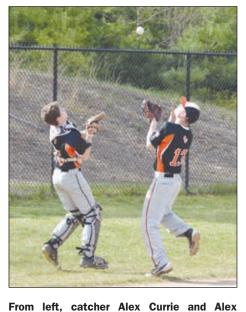
SPORTS

Middle inning surge sends Uxbridge baseball past Pioneers



Greg Barlow photos

Jesse Hanscom of Uxbridge makes a catch in right-center field.



Lawhorn chase after a foul ball for an out.

BY GREG BARLOW PORTS CORRESPONDENT

UXBRIDGE — Both the Uxbridge High and Southbridge High varsity baseball teams tallied seven hits at the plate, but the Spartans came out on top, 8-5, in a contest played last Tuesday, May 10. The win mean a lot for Uxbridge in terms of advancing to the Central Mass. Division 4 district tournament.

"That's the goal right now, to get the wins and get into districts," said head coach Peter Rice. "If you get into districts, anything can happen, especially in our division. These guys are playing hard and we got the bats going. We've mixed the lineup a little bit. The lineup hasn't been consistent, and we have guys that have been able to get in there and produce. Guys have been stepping up and when they have the opportunity, they make the best of it."

Right-hander Alex Lawhorn pitched a full seven innings for Uxbridge, recording three strikeouts to claim the win, as the Spartans improved to 8-4 with two victories to go to clinch a postseason berth

Starting on the mound for the Pioneers in his season pitching debut was right-hander Carlos Escalera-Gomez, who threw six innings, notching one strikeout and allowing six hits. Right-hander Trent Mahoney relieved Escalera in the sixth inning. Mahoney ended the game with one strikeout and allowed one single.

Southbridge dropped to a 3-8 overall record, as the Pioneers search for wins in the upcoming weeks to also be playoff-bound in the same Central Mass. D4 tournament by the end of May.

"We need to get the bats going more," said Southbridge center fielder Brendan Casaletta. "We started off a little slow and kept putting the balls right at them. We have to start finding the gaps more."

Shortstop Lucas Pomeroy batted 2 for 4 for the Spartans with two singles, while left fielder Jose Miranda-Morales led the Pioneers with a 2 for 3 showing, which consisted of two doubles.

After preventing a run with the bases loaded in the bottom of the first inning, the Pioneers jumped out to a 1-0 lead in the top of the second. Miranda-Morales started the inning with a double before Escalera-Gomez advanced him to third base on a sacrifice grounder to second. First baseman Josh Rivera earned the RBI with a sacrifice grounder to third

The Spartans then claimed the next eight runs over the course of four innings. Uxbridge responded right away in the bottom of the second to tie the game at 1-1. Left fielder Paul Berthelette cranked an RBI double to right field to the score the run.

After a quick inning for Southbridge, the Spartans added four more runs in the bottom of the third. Third baseman Dan Page scored the first run on a passed ball. Up next, right fielder Dom Cariglia slugged an RBI double to the left field fence to score two runs. Second baseman Scott Blanchard posted the final RBI of the inning with a single to right field.

"We have to keep hitting consistently," said Cariglia. "We got the bats going and capitalized on a lot of things today. The pitching was great. The other team found their spots, but we bounced back."

The Pioneers continued to make contact in each inning but couldn't find the gaps, as the Uxbridge defense was spotless. In the top of the fourth, third baseman Tyler Stoever crushed a ball to deep center field, but the hit was tracked down by center fielder Jesse Hanscom.

The Spartans responded with another run in the bottom of the fourth inning before using a two-run surge in the fifth to expand to an 8-1 lead.

Page earned the RBI in the fourth inning with a sacrifice grounder hit to the shortstop. Then, in the fifth, Berthelette scored a runner with a another sacrifice grounder to shortstop for the first out of the inning. Pomeroy continued the scoring frenzy with an RBI single to right field. Southbridge then turned a double play with a grounder to third base to end the inning

The action picked up in the top of the sixth inning when the Pioneers trimmed the deficit to three runs. Southbridge got its bats active to score four runs on five hits. During this span, the Pioneers notched four consecutive doubles

Starting off the rally, Casaletta singled to right field with one out. Stoever hit him home with a double to right field, and Miranda-Morales returned the favor with another double to left field. Escalera-Gomez then hit a third double to score Miranda-Morales before Rivera cranked the fourth consecutive RBI double to left-center field to make the score, 8-5.



Uxbridge's Lucas Pomeroy slides into second base on a steal.



Dan Page of Uxbridge makes a play at third base.

Neither team scored another run, as the Spartans held onto the three-run lead to earn the victory.

"The issue we've had all year is not getting hits at the right time," said Southbridge head coach Jason Stien. "Today we did get those hits when we needed them. We got on top early on, which is something we've struggled with at the beginning of the season. Unfortunately, we just came out a couple runs shy. We have some winnable games coming up, as long as we come ready to play. We need to play from pitch one up until the final pitch of the game."



Spartans' softball victory helps Uxbridge top Northbridge in Battle of the Bridges contest

Jaycee Garrigan powered The Uxbridge High varsity softball team at the plate and on the rubber Wednesday, May 11, willing the Spartans to an 11-3 victory over Northbridge High. Garrigan reached base three times, tripling in the seventh inning. She also struck out six hitters en route to Uxbridge's win. Garrigan allowed no earned runs on six hits and two walks over seven innings.

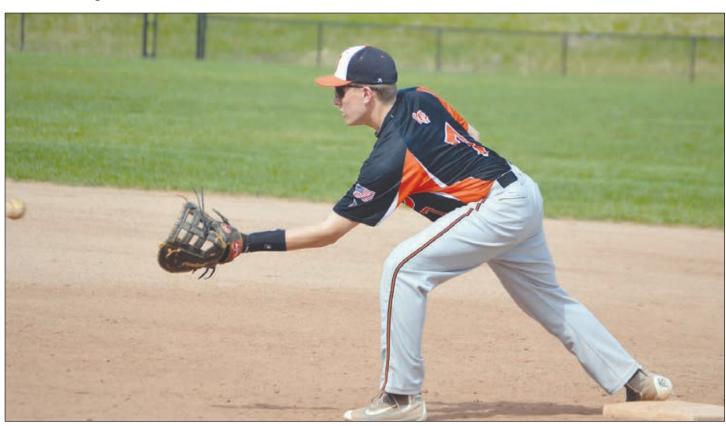
Uxbridge beat Northbridge thanks to seven hits, including two extra base hits. The Spartans scored five runs in the fourth on a two-run single by Breanna Bonnollo, and a two-run single by Emma Gilchrist.

Julia Fair took the loss for Northbridge, allowing 11 runs in seven innings, walking seven and striking out six.

Uxbridge went up for good in the first, scoring two runs on a groundout by Bonnollo.

Uxbridge matched its one-run third inning with one more in the seventh. In the third, The Spartans scored on a passed ball, bringing home Erika Dube.

This game boosted Uxbridge over Northbridge in the Battle of the Bridges contest, 14 to 13 this



Uxbridge's Josh Bell catches the ball at first base to get the out.

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Ballot question addresses police biring procedure

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may consist of eligibility lists made up of candidates meeting specific qualifications determined by tests and examinations. On the other hand, dismissing an officer in correspondence to civil service would require that person to be fired "for cause" as opposed to the possibility of being fired at will.

Through the passing of the question with a majority "yes" vote, the UPD hopes to choose from a larger pool of candidates when conducting future job searches. Existing officers in town will still be subject to civil service until being promoted.

UXBRIDGE OPTS OUT OF STATEWIDE MOSQUITO **PROJECT**

On Tuesday, May 10, 125 Uxbridge residents visited the High School to vote on 20 articles at the Annual Special Town Meeting. The meeting went from 7-10:15 p.m., as all but three articles were motioned to carry over.

Besides numerous municipal department's budget-related requests and the establishment of a Dog Park Committee, one highlight of the meeting was Article 15, in which residents voted to decide if the town would continue to participate

in the Central Massachusetts Mosquito Control Project.

Since joining the mosquito prevention initiative on June 17 in 2007, the town has invested \$368,428 in working

towards reducing the mosquito population across the Blackstone Valley. On average each year, Uxbridge has spent \$61,404 on the project. For FY17, the town was projected to add another \$71,000 to the total.

The motion failed, as some residents believed the mosquito project would only benefit a portion of the town. The Massachusetts State Legislature started the project in 1973. Currently, 43 communities within the Worcester and Middlesex Counties are involved.

Additionally, the town voted to authorize a lease agreement with a solar energy developer. Residents motioned to lease town-owned property at 285 Sutton Street for a Payment in Lieu of Tax (PILOT) settlement with the solar company.

The lease payment and terms are currently under negotiation, but town officials look to create a revolving fund for the clearing, maintenance, and improvement of the Sutton Street prop-

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Blackstone Heritage Corridor opens Whitinsville office

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Linwood Mill and incorporated existing stone and brick walls, wood and steel beams, and other industrial elements in the office design. All of the construction in the new office space was done with eye toward energy efficiency and meeting or exceeding LEED standards. The project manager was BHC's own Deputy Director, Megan DiPrete.

The Open House program will include the presentation of the prestigious John H. Chafee Award. Because of Senator John H. Chafee's (1922-1999) extraordinary service to historic preservation and his advocacy for the Blackstone River Valley, the National Heritage Corridor was renamed in 1999 the John H. Chafee Blackstone River Valley National Heritage Corridor. He was also the 66th Governor of Rhode Island and the Secretary of the Navy under President Nixon, John H. Chafee was awarded the Presidential Medal of Freedom posthumously in 2000 by President Clinton. BHC created the John H. Chafee Award in his memory to recognize people who give extraordinary service to the National Heritage Corridor and its communities. This year, BHC will present the Chafee

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"Ed Augustus has worked for over a decade to create a northern gateway visitor center for the National Heritage Corridor and Worcester," said BHC Executive Director Charlene Perkins Cutler. "He began when Chief of Staff for Congressman McGovern, then as state representative, then as Director of Government and Community Relations at Holy Cross, and now as City Manager. Without his vision, this project would never have gotten to construction phase. This is a very important project for the whole Blackstone Valley.

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Town turns down Prop. 2 1/2 override question

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meeting on Wednesday, March 16.

The Douglas School Committee brought forth the idea of a \$1.8 million override over the course of five years to be proposed in front of the Board of Selectmen, who decided to make it a ballot question at the Annual Town Election, reducing the override to \$1.7 million over the course of five years.

This would mean, based off an average single family home value of \$265,600, an annual tax increase of \$510.22 would be implemented at a new tax rate of \$18.74 with the passing of the article.

Budget issues arose in town through numerous factors, including underfunded state mandates that have sparked a rapid growth in education expenditures, while the 4.63 percent increase in unrestricted local aid disallows the town to keep up with inflation, as 96 percent of the town's taxes are strictly residen-

All the while, the history of the PILOT funding issue in town hasn't been reviewed, causing property owners to continue to subsidize the state park, and the school budget suffers further due to inadequate funding from the state for Chapter 70.

With the school system having one of the largest budgets in town, the financial crisis has hit the Douglas Public Schools hard. Teachers, administrators, staff, and students have felt the wrath.

The projected \$14,602,482 school budget in January has been trimmed to \$12,543,032, resulting in another year of operating at the bare minimums or worse.

Facing faculty and staff positions, programming, and extra/co-curricular activities being cut, along with over-crowded class sizes across the entire public schools population in town, the override was set to allocate \$1.5 million towards the school budget, while \$200,000 would

be used for town capital programs.

Educational programming, athletics, instrumental music programming, AP courses, and current levels of school teaching and support staff would be stabilized for the next five years. The average class size for students would no longer increase.

Additionally, improvements to town properties and infrastructure would be made.

Since the town decided to turn down the override, school officials will now have to find an alternate solution or face the possibility of the equivalent of cutting 12.5 teacher and six staff positions, increase class sizes to up to 35 students, the loss co/extracurricular activities, loss revenue from school choice students, and add additional expenses for a higher rate of out-of-district school choice students.

Greg Barlow may be reached at gbarlow@ stonebridgepress.com.

LEARNING

EDUCATION NOTEBOOK

Belmont University

NASHVILLE, Tenn. — Sydney Volpe, of Uxbridge, qualified for the spring 2016 Dean's List at Belmont University. Eligibility is based on a minimum course load of 12 hours and a quality grade point average of 3.5 with no grade below a C.

Bridgewater State University

BRIDGEWATER — Nearly 2,100 bachelor's degrees in the arts, science and education were awarded during Bridgewater State University's historic 175th Spring Commencement Convocation on Saturday, May 14 on the Boyden Quadrangle.

The following area residents were among those who graduated:

Douglas: Alexandra Madden

Northbridge: Steven Lagasse Uxbridge: Hannah Cohen, Philip Gomez, Robert Jordan

The following area residents earned graduate degrees:

Uxbridge: Jillian Chiasson, Helen Thompson

Merrimack College

ments of more than 750 students who will receive their bachelor's degree at the college's 66th Commencement Exercises on Sunday, May 22, at the Merrimack Athletics Complex on the North Andover campus.

Rachel DeYoung, of Uxbridge, will receive a BSBA in Business Administration,

Langin, of Uxbridge, Brady will receive a BSBA in Business Administration

Anthony Barry, of Uxbridge, will receive a BS in Sports Medicine

Brian VandenĀkker, of Whitinsville, will receive a BSBA in Business Administration, Economics

UMass Dartmouth

NORTH DARTMOUTH — The following students from your circulation area graduated from UMass Dartmouth during the May 13 and 14 Commencement ceremonies held on the Main campus in Dartmouth. for more information go to http://www. umassd.edu/commencement/. Northbridge: Joseph Bouthillette Whitinsville: Alexander Cone Douglas: Cara Stacy Uxbridge: Ryan Fredette Douglas: Cassandra Begin Uxbridge: Hannah Benedict Northbridge: Adam Pietruszka Uxbridge: Lauren Winner Uxbridge: Kathryn Sherlock

Uxbridge: Alex DiCrescentis Uxbridge: Timothy Kramer Whitinsville: Melissa Burdick Douglas: Dylan Girard

Colby-Sawyer College

NEW LONDON, N.H. — Jennifer Mailhiot, of Douglas, graduated from Colby-Sawyer College on Saturday, May 7, earning a B.S. in Athletic Training.

Embry-Riddle University

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla. — Samuel Bergen (2011 Northbridge High School graduate) graduated from Embry-Riddle University in Daytona Beach, Florida. He received his Bachelor of Science in Aerospace Engineering. Sam also received his commission as a Second Lieutenant in the United States Air Force. Sam will be stationed at Fort Riley, Kansas and he will be training to become an Air Liaison Officer.

McCloskey Middle School

UXBRIDGE — McCloskey Middle School Debate Finals to be held in the auditorium on June 16, at 6 p.m., at McCloskey Middle School 62 Capron Street, Uxbridge, MA 01569.

On the evening of June 16, at 6 p.m., selected Grade 8 students of the McCloskey Middle School in Uxbridge will take part in a formal debate in the school gymnasium. The Grade 8 English teachers began these debates as a way of promoting critical thinking, public speaking, and team building skills among their 8th grade students. Over the years the debates have grown in scope and popularity to the point where they are now a much-anticipated part of each year's English curriculum.

Debate involves a proposition: a statement that can be argued with equal effectiveness either in the affirmative or the negative. Recently, students were placed into groups, assigned

a position, and began to prepare their arguments. After an intensive crash course in debate strategies, student teams will immerse themselves in days of research, practice, and angst to ready themselves for the Preliminary round competition. Each team's debate must, first and foremost, be thoroughly supported by facts, but drama and personal flair count as well. After the Preliminaries, the three highest scoring Affirmative teams and the three highest scoring Negative teams will move on to the June 16th Finals. The Finals are will be held in the Middle School auditorium and attended by over a hundred audience members, a panel of three judges and filmed by Uxbridge Public Access Television.

Northbridge School Committee

NORTHBRIDGE — The Northbridge School Committee is actively seeking interested individuals to serve on the School Building Committee.

The purpose of the School Building Committee (SBC) is to monitor the application process and advise the school system during the construction of an approved project. Specifically, the SBC will:

• Hire the Owner's Project Manager (OMP) and architect

• Make thoughtful project design decisions on a new or renovated elementary school

• Provide necessary information to the Massachusetts School Building Authority (MSBA) through all phases of the project

· Monitor the progress of the project • Disseminate information about the building project and keep the community informed of the project status

The following positions are open to prospective applicants:

• Northbridge High School student · Northbridge parent of an elementary-aged student (pre-school-grade 4)

 Members of the Northbridge community with architecture, engineering and/or construction experience (up to

Individuals wishing to be considered need to send a letter of intent that outlines the qualifications and contributions that one will bring to the committee. Letters should be emailed to Kristen Ferrante at kferrante@nps.org by May 20. The School Committee will conduct a meeting to speak with applicants on Tuesday, May 24, at 6 p.m., at the Northbridge High School Media

Please be advised that the time commitment to this committee includes bi-monthly meetings during the planning phase and monthly meeting after construction begins over the course of

Uxbridge High School Reunion: Class of 1966

UXBRIDGE — The Class of 1966 at Uxbridge High School is asking anyone who would like to be on the committee or simply express an interest in having a reunion to please contact: Margie Hutnak at 508-234-7396 or Mary Lynch at marymlynch@icloud.com.

Uxbridge Free Public Library: Upcoming Events

UXBRIDGE — Adult Coloring Tuesdays & Saturdays, from 10 a.m. to noon and Thursdays, from 6-7:30 p.m. Coloring books and pencils provided or bring your own.

Sit and Knit or Crochet the first and third Thursday of the month, from 1:30-3 p.m. This is a free, drop-in program. It is open to all.

Technology Drop-In: Bring your tablet, laptop or smart phone and we will show you how to use library apps to access books, music, movies and databases (these include but are not limited to; Axis 360, EBL, Biblioboard, Rocket Languages, Freegal Music & Movies, and Overdrive).

May is Mental Health Awareness Month. Please call to sign-up for this free program.

Running Group for Adults and Teens: Wednesdays at 5:30 p.m. in May. Come to the library before we close at 5:15 p.m. and we will leave for a run at 5:30

Teen & Pre-teen Craft Days: Check the website for dates and times. This program will be run by members of our Teen Advisory Board for students in grades 4-12.

Uxbridge Meditation Group: Please check our library calendar on our website for dates and times.

Free Seed Library Program: Seeds to plant directly outside will be here in May. Seeds are provided by the University of Rhode Island CELS Outreach Center, volunteers from the University of Rhode Island Master Gardener Association, and Ocean State Job Lot. The URI CELS Gardening Hotline is available until the end of October to answer your plant related questions Monday through Thursday 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at 1-401-874-2900.

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

Baby & Me (ages 0-2 years) Mondays through June 6 at 10:30-11 a.m. This program is designed for children ages 0-2 and their caregivers. Reading and music and movement are enjoyed each week. Caregivers are fully engaged with their child each week. Sign-up is required.

Story Time (ages 2.5-6 years) Thursdays through June 9, from 11-11:45 a.m. This program offers stories, music, and a craft. Sign-up is required.

Lego Time: Thursdays, from 3:30-4:30 p.m. Bring your own base, all other Legos are provided for your building creations.

Bedtime Stories with Miss Nancy, Thursday, May 9, at 6:30 p.m. Free, Drop-in Program for children of all ages and their parents.

Crafty Wednesday: Each Wednesday in May, between 10 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. One craft per child please. This is a free drop-in program.

Library Meetings Open to the Public: The Friends of the Uxbridge Free Public Library, Thursday, May 26, at 7 p.m.

Save these dates for special programs in June: Sparky's Puppet Show on Thursday,

June 9 at 4:30 p.m.

Greg & Axel Show on Monday, June 13 at 3:30 p.m.

Summer Reading Kick-off Party with mini-golf on Thursday, June 23 from

Middle School Running Program with Jake Murray, June 22, at 6 p.m.

• Monday, May 23 at 3:30-4:30 p.m. is drop in Lego Club for children in grades K - 4.

· Ready, Set, Steam, a preschool steam program funded by the Institute of Museum and Library Services, will be held on Tuesday May 24, at 10 a.m. for ages 3-5, and will focus on planting.

All registrations are online now by visiting the library's webpage, clicking Event Calendar on the left had side of the page, which will take you to the registration site. Please contact the library to register if you have problems or do not have access to a computer.

Save the Date for Summer Reading Kick Off: Join us on Saturday, June 18, for the library's summer reading kickoff. Circus Minimus will be performing at 10 a.m. for a family show full of circus acts, magic, and laughs! All are welcome! Pick up your summer reading brochure which will have all of the summer programs listed for all ages.

Registration for all programs will begin on that day at 9 a.m. There will be free giveaways while supplies last, as well as your chance to enter to win a free bike, when you borrow a book on that day. Don't forget to pick up your summer reading logs as part of our summer reading theme: On Your Mark, Get Set ... Read!

BVT Friends of Rachel Club **DEADLINE** for space and ad copy: announces car wash fundraisers

UPTON — Area residents are encouraged to get their cars squeaky clean and help raise funds for a good cause during the upcoming Blackstone Valley Tech Friends of Rachel car-wash events.

The Friends of Rachel Club will hold its first car wash on Saturday, May 22, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the All Phase Glass Corporation on Cross Street in South Grafton. The second car wash will take place on June 5, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Upton VFW Post 5594, 15

Milford St. in Upton.

There is no charge for the car wash, but monetary donations of any amount will be accepted. Proceeds will help fund travel expenses for 23 BVT students competing in the 2016 SkillsUSA National Leadership and Skills Conference Championships in Louisville, Kentucky, June 20-24. The BVT Friends of Rachel Club was

formed following a Rachel's Challenge program presentation made during the 2010-11 school year. The program is named after Rachel Scott, who was the first person killed during the horrific massacre at Columbine High School in 1999. Her acts of kindness and compassion coupled with the contents of her personal diaries have become the foundation for the life-changing program, which has had a profound effect on Valley Tech students. The Friends of Rachel Club formed as a means for the students to perpetuate the program's positive message by practicing random acts of kindness.

Wednesday, MAY 19 @ NOON Contact: June Simakauskas at 508-909-4062,

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WCS breaks ground on new arts and athletic facility



From left, Dan Cobb (JM Coull), Sen. Ryan Fattman, John Esler (Campaign Co-Chair), Russ Vander Baan (WCS Board of Trustees President), Lance Engbers (WCS Headmaster), Tom Swaim (Campaign Co-Chairman).

WHITINSVILLE

Whitinsville Christian School (WCS) hosted a ceremonial groundbreaking on Saturday, May 7, to celebrate its newest addition, a project known as Rise Up & Build.

The new facility will add a field house, a performing arts center, new offices, and additional classrooms to the 40-acre campus.

WCSDirector of Advancement Adam Meyer welcomed guests to the construction site where excavation has already taken place.

"This project is the result of the hopes and dreams of many people. All of us share in the excitement of what this project represents. The progress already made is a testimony to the construction and design team of JM Coull and Dixon Salo Architects, and how everything has just worked so well

together," said Mr. Meyer. State Sen. Ryan Fattman of the Worcester and Norfolk District attended the event.

The people who are educated at this school are good people who have learned Christian values, and take those values out into their everyday life. When I see the school expanding in the area I represent, I know this school can provide that same opportunity to even more people, and for that we can all be very thankful," said Fattman.

Tom Swaim, WCS parent and co-chairman of the Rise Up &

thanks to God for providing the gifts needed for this endeavor.

The Lord has provided unity, the means, and the fortunate timing to make this a success. This project celebrates the generation of 1968 who built the current facility and carries on for the next generation. The design team has been phenomenal," said Mr. Swaim. "We are grateful for the interactions and the fact that they are considering the students first."

As an example of putting students first, sentatives from JM Coull, Surveying Andrews Dixon Salo Architects hosted a STEAM (Science-Technology-Engineering-Art/Design-Math) event for the middle school students of WCS in April. Using actual blueprints and site plans, students took an in-depth look at the construction in progress. As they experienced the work, they heard about and saw firsthand things they are learning in the classroom, and middle school teachers were excited to see classroom work come alive on the site.

Dan Cobb, Project Manager with JM Coull said, "I'm honored to be here today. This new facility will enrich the lives of students for years to come. I see the community collaboration and teamwork represented here this morning and that is our mission. I'm thrilled with the design and the construction progress to date. We have lechristian.org or 508-234-8211, Build Steering Committee, gave a very exciting summer ahead



Courtesy photos

Sam Johnson, of Uxbridge, gets in on the festivities.

of us."

Mr. Meyer invited the speakers and construction partners to take a shovel to the earth for the groundbreaking, and any of the approximately 100 attendees who desired to do so were then invited to participate. Those working the shovels included WCS parents, donors, and students ranging from Stepping Stone Preschoolers to members of the class of 2016.

For more information about Whitinsville Christian School contact the Admissions Office at admissions@whitinsvil-

WES hosts STEM night



UXBRIDGE — STEM education is an interdisciplinary problem-based approach learning, incorporating the fields of Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics. Current educational research shows that students who have a strong background in relating these subjects early on, have more success in today's job market. These fields are deeply intertwined in the real world, and in how students learn most effectively.

On Thursday, May 5, the educators from across the district hosted a STEM night for Whitin Elementary School families. Families created Puff-mobiles, Marshmallow Catapults, and Paper Tables. They explored buoyancy by Flinking Balloons, and others explored computer coding. The evening ended with



a presentation by the WPI Robotics Team, where children were encouraged to ask questions and were rewarded by operating the robot.

We would like to thank all of the Uxbridge Public school staff who volunteered their time, the Whitin PTO, the Uxbridge Education Foundation, the WPI Robotics Team and Hannaford. Their support ensured a successful night.

Courtesy photos

MCCLOSKEY NAMES STUDENTS OF THE MONTH



UXBRIDGE — McCloskey Middle School is pleased to announce our April Students of the Month. Students were chosen by their teachers for demonstrating "Hard Work!" Pictured, from left, are Brandon Bibeault (Grade 8), Anna Horne (Grade 7), Justice LaGrave (Grade 6), Lilly Anne McDorman (Grade 8), Amelia Germain (Grade 6), Ryan Worthington (Grade 6), Ella DiMarco (Grade 7), Maddie Ouellette (Grade 8), Avery Cortellessa (Grade 7), Paige Seymour (Grade 8), and Jessie Schelin (Grade 8).

Blackstone Valley Tech students succeed in SkillsUSA

SKILLS

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trade professionals. Valley Tech students won a total of 37 medals, including 19 gold, 15 silver, and 3 bronze, and kept their impressive winning streak alive in the Olympics of vocational technical educa-

The championships kicked off with a special address from Massachusetts Secretary of Education James A. Peyser, who noted that it was not his first time inside the Valley Tech competition center, as he visited BVT alongside Governor Charlie Baker and Lieutenant Governor Karyn Polito for an inaugural event in January 2015. Similar to the inaugural celebration, Secretary Peyser said that his participation in the SkillsUSA opening ceremony represented the Baker Administration's enthusiasm and excitement for the "importance of this school and schools like it to the future of the Commonwealth.'

technical "Our career education system is one of Massachusetts' greatest success stories," Secretary Peyser told the students. "The knowledge and skills you're gaining will give you an important advantage in the marketplace."

Blackstone Valley Tech Superintendent-Director Dr. Michael Fitzpatrick followed Secretary Peyser's remarks by encouraging students to celebrate their roles as "champions of excellence" and pay no heed to anyone who suggests that their accomplishments are "attributable to the skill-set you possessed when you originally entered your vocational technical system."

"Some observers feel your chosen school plucked you from a garden of excellence and you prospered automatically," Fitzpatrick said. "Such a viewpoint fails to recognize your attention to detail, your response to expert coaching and instruction, and your daily hard work as vocational technical champions.'

Top performers from state championships around the country will now advance to the SkillsUSA National Leadership and Skills Conference Championships in Louisville, Kentucky, June 20-24, 2016.

The following Blackstone Valley Tech students won 19 gold, 15 silver, and 3 bronze medals, as well as several student elections and special awards at the 2016 SkillsUSA Massachusetts State Leadership and Skills Conference Championships:

Bellingham Gold: DeWolfe, Rachel Photography.

Robert

Lizotte,

Silver:

Cabinetmaking.

Blackstone Silver: Zachary Marcus, Carpentry.

Douglas

3-D Gold: Ben Aube, Visualization & Animation. Keith, Silver: Matthew H.V.A.C.

Grafton

Gold: Mikayla Corda, Community Service; Olivia



From left, Rep. Kevin J. Kuros; BVT Assistant Superintendent-Director/ Principal Anthony Steele; BVT Superintendent-Director Dr. Michael Fitzpatrick; Massachusetts Secretary of Education James A. Peyser; Representative David Muradian, Jr.; and Director of the Governor's Office for Western Massachusetts and BVT graduate Ryan Chamberland.

Klotz, Urban Search & Rescue. Silver: Alexandra Valoras, Additive Manufacturing. Jannine Baker Legacy Award & Scholarship: Mikayla Corda.

Hopedale

Gold: Kathleen Daly, Medical Terminology (Post-Secondary). Silver: Genevieve Kempster, Nail Care.

Mendon

Silver: Kristina Campbell, Esthetics; Amanada Godowski, Painting and Design Technology.

Milford

Silver: Nagelie Otero Mendez, Nail Care; Cameron Pelletier, Additive Manufacturing. Bronze: Steven Beaudrot,

Telecommunications Cabling. State Officer Elect: Stacey Muanya.

Millbury

Gold: Justin Duclos, 3-D Visualization & Animation; Gold:

Brittney Hjort, Commercial Baking; Rebecca Rose, Restaurant Service. Silver: Emeline Imbody, Cosmetology Under 500 Hours.

Millville

Gold: Mina Dehestani, Community Service; Bryan Desrosier, Robotics Automation Tech.

Northbridge

Gold: Rachel Arnold, Urban Search & Rescue. Bronze: Kayleigh Poudrier, Medical Terminology. National Voting Delegate: Nicole Cella; Kayleigh Poudrier.

Sutton

Gold: Jeffrey Hebert, H.V.A.C.; Carson Hope, Health Occupations Portfolio; Lauren Mahoney, Culinary Arts; Marc Peladeau, Welding Sculpture.

> Upton Josie Burlingame,



Electronics and Engineering **Technology juniors Rachel Arnold of** Northbridge (left) and Olivia Klotz of Grafton teamed up to win gold medals in the Urban Search and Rescue (Mobile Robotics) category. With gold medals secured at the state level, Rachel and Olivia will travel with nearly two-dozen BVT students to compete in June in the SkillsUSA national championships.

Community Service; Kevin Konieczny, Welding; Bailey Martin, Diesel Equipment Technology.

Silver: Alyssa Andrade, Esthetics; Alexis Sherwin, Cosmetology Under 500 Hours. Taylor Bronze: Nasuti. Restaurant Service.

Uxbridge

Gold: Steven Alger, Robotics & Automation Tech. Silver: Daniel Rice, Automotive Service Technology; Hunter Schreiber, Diesel Equipment Technology; Meagan Villemaire, Practical Nursing (Post-Secondary).

National Voting Delegate: Meghan Wills.

BLACKSTONE VALLEY TRIBUNE Friday, May 20, 2016

NEWS BRIEFS

'Wooed by the Food' returning for second year

WHITINSVILLE — The Whitin Community Center is pleased to announce our 2nd Annual Wooed By The Food to be held on Saturday, June 11, from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Wooed By The Food will be held rain or shine, in our beautiful 7.5 acre Whitin Park. This event will encompass a wide variety of food truck vendors and event vendors from all around New England, with free kids activities, free bouncy house, 50/50 & raffles, entertainment, beer garden, food truck awards & more!

Get your fill of 24 Food Trucks: Anzio's Brick Oven Pizza, Sara's Sweets, Hawaiian Shave Ice, Captain Marden's The Cod Squad, The Big Freezy, Wooberry Frozen Yogurt, GottaQ BBQ, Sweet Wise Ice Cream, Wacky Candy Shack, Uxbridge First Holiday Night, Capriotti's, Nonnie Roses "The Next Generation", Bit'Chin BBQ, Windsor Popcorn, Armenian Church, Split My Banana, Soul Full Fried Chicken, The Dog Father, Say Cheese!, Mo'Rockin Fusion, Deans Beans Organic Coffee, Buen Provecho, Cake Shop Café, & Hive (mobile bar).

Admission is \$5 per person, ages 5 & under free.

Money raised from this event will go directly to supporting the Whitin Community Center, a non-profit 501(c) (3) organization, that is committed to the health and well-being of individuals and families and to building a strong community in the Blackstone Valley.

Boy Scout Troop 21 holds Spring Court of Honor



Courtesy photo

On Sunday, May 15, Boy Scout Troop 21 held its Spring Court of Honor Ceremony.

MILLVILLE — On Sunday, May 15, members of Troop 21, and their families and friends met at St. Augustine's Parish Hall for the Spring 2016 Court of Honor Ceremony.

The current Patrol Leaders' Council were given their position patches. Kevin Wagner, Senior Patrol Leader; Casey Goyette, Assistant Senior Patrol Leader; Zachary Desrosiers, Patrol Leader; Thomas Andolina, Patrol Leader; Jacob Ridlon, Scribe and Assistant Patrol Leader; Jacob Fuller, Assistant Patrol Leader; Colin Wilson,



GOOD DEEDS REWARDED

Courtesy photo

NORTHBRIDGE — A new promotion has been formed between West End Creamery and the Northbridge Police Department, issuing "Good Deed" certificates to residents of Northbridge who are doing good deeds in the community. They receive certificates good for a free ice cream at West End Creamery in the 2016 season. The Northbridge Police Department recently issued their first certificate to Yvette Ayotte for her efforts at cleaning the town. She is also a long-time volunteer with the Blackstone Heritage Corridor.

Quartermaster.

Three Scouts earned merit badges at the ceremony. Zachary Morin earned Communication, Personal Management, and Family Life. Casey Goyette earned Citizenship in the Nation, Citizenship in the Country and Family Member. Thomas Andolina earned First Aid, Emergency Preparedness and Robotics.

Two scouts were awarded Rank Advancements. Casey Goyette and Thomas Andolina were awarded Star rank.

The evening ended with a social hour and refreshments, a time for all to recognize and congratulate all the members of Troop 21.

Troop 21 in Millville invites boys, 11 to 15-years-old, who are interested in joining Boy Scouts, to a troop meeting at St. Augustine Church, Lincoln Street, on Sunday evenings from 6:30-8 p.m. No prior scouting experience is needed and parents are encouraged to attend the meeting, as well. Anyone interested may contact the Scoutmaster, Al DeNoncour, at 774-280-1638 for more information.

MRMC earns 'A' grade for patient safety

MILFORD — New Hospital Safety Scores, which assign A, B, C, D and F letter grades to hospitals nationwide and provide the most complete picture

of patient safety in the U.S. health care system, were announced today by The Leapfrog Group, a national patient safety watchdog. Milford Regional Medical Center was one of 798 hospitals to receive an A, ranking among the safest hospitals in the United States.

'Patient safety is a top priority for everyone that works at Milford Regional," says Edward J. Kelly, president & CEO of Milford Regional. "Receiving an 'A' grade from Hospital Safety Score for the fourth consecutive time affirms our efforts to provide patients with care that is both high quality and safety focused. I want to commend our physicians and staff whose commitment to safety brought us this national recognition.'

"Avoidable deaths in hospitals should be the number one concern of our health care leaders. Hospitals that earn an 'A' from Leapfrog are leaders in saving lives, and we commend them and urge their continued vigilance,' said Leah Binder, president and CEO of

The Leapfrog Group. Developed under the guidance of Leapfrog's Blue Ribbon Expert Panel, the Hospital Safety Score uses 30 measures of publicly available hospital safety data to assign A, B, C, D and F grades to more than 2,500 U.S. hospitals twice per year. It is calculated by top patient safety experts, peer-reviewed, fully transparent and free to the public. For the first time, the Hospital Safety Score includes five measures of patient-reported experience with the hospital as well as two of the most common infections, C.diff and MRSA.

To see Milford Regional's full score, and to access consumer-friendly tips for patients and loved ones visiting the hospital, visit www.hospitalsafetyscore.org or follow The Hospital Safety Score on Twitter or Facebook. Consumers can also download the free Hospital Safety Score mobile app for Apple and Android devices.

Community Chorus to perform at Grafton church

GRAFTON — Apple Tree Arts' Community Chorus performs Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart's Requiem in D Minor accompanied by a chamber orchestra on May 22, 2 p.m. at the Congregational Church of Grafton, 30 Grafton Common.

Community Chorus members include Bette and Steve Lotterman of Whitinsville and Amy Robidoux of Northbridge. Professional musicians playing bassoon, cello, violins, viola, trumpet, trombone and tympani and four soloists will perform with the 40-member Chorus under the direction of choral director Chuck Brown. Admission is \$10/adults, \$5/seniors and free for children and youth. Tickets will be sold at the door.

"Performing Mozart's Requiem is an amazing experience for musicians and vocalists," explained Donna Blanchard, executive director of Apple Tree Arts and a member of the Community Chorus. "The Requiem Mass is one of the most revered, classic pieces a musician may have within her/his reper-



Courtesy photo

The Apple Tree Arts Community Chorus will perform May 22, at 2 p.m. at the Congregational Church of Grafton.

toire. The quality of the choral writing the harmonies and the simplicity of the unusual instrumentations convey the meaning of the text so well"

The history and mystery surrounding this masterful composition is fascinating. The Requiem in D Minor was commissioned by Count Franz von Walsegg-Stuppach with the intention of it being a tribute to his late wife. Unfortunately, Mozart died in 1791 before he could complete the work from a mysterious illness which may been caused by poisoning. In 1792, his student Franz Xaver Sussmayr finished the work and may have used Mozart's notes to do so. The work was performed at a public benefit for the late composer's wife Constance which prevented the Count from suggesting the masterpiece was his work.

Mr. Brown has been rehearsing with the Community Chorus since January with the accompaniment of pianist Theresa Atkinson, keyboard and piano faculty member. He has directed the chorus for three years. Chorus members live in Grafton and the surrounding communities of Millbury, Northbridge, Northborough, Shrewsbury, Sutton, Wayland, Westborough and Whitinsville.

A chamber orchestra will be accompanied by professional vocalists including soprano Sara Zastoupil, Apple Tree Arts' voice and early childhood educator; alto Elizabeth Clements, alto tenor Dan Allison and bass Matthew Quinn.

Founded in 1989, Apple Tree Arts, a nonprofit 501 (c) 3 organization has grown to serve over 1,000 children and adults annually with early childhood music classes, group keyboard lessons, private music and voice instruction, ensembles, theatre arts programs and community concerts. For more information, visit www.appletreearts.org.



Milford Regional volunteers receive their pins for completing 1,000- 6,000 hours of service. From left, Mary Ann Courtemanche, Mike Cooper, Mary Garvey, Olimpio Zaino, Barbara Hale, Lynda Keenan, Mary Arcudi, Patricia Houston, Sherry Levine, Mel Gouthro, Carol Cerasoli, Ernie Gentile and Sylvia LaFlamme.

Milford Regional honors volunteers at Annual Luncheon

MILFORD — Milford Regional Medical Center recently honored the more than 500 volunteers who contribute their time and talents to support the patients and staff with a luncheon at the Doubletree Hotel in Milford.

The annual luncheon is an opportunity for department managers and administrative staff to show their appreciation and to thank the volunteers for their service. Milford Regional has a total of 501 volunteers who contributed 34,550 hours during the past fiscal year assisting various hospital departments and programs.

"We are fortunate to have so many caring and skilled volunteers at Milford Regional," said Elaine Willey, director of Volunteer

Services. "Volunteers make such a difference to patients and staff throughout the Medical Center." Local volunteers include:

• Douglas — Michelle Eddy, Mary Ellen Laythe, Rebecca Malone, Teena Porter, Joan Rodgers, Ron Michaud

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POLICE LOGS

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NORTHBRIDGE POLICE ARRESTS

NORTHBRIDGE — On Tuesday, May 10, at approximately 1 a.m., the Northbridge Police Department received a call reporting a rollover accident, in the woods near 1489 Providence Road. Upon arrival officers located a blue 2006 Lincoln Zexhyr on its roof. Both females were

still in the vehicle.

Northbridge Fire Department responded for extradition and possible hazards. Both female were removed from the vehicle both were unharmed.

The driver of the vehicle, Erica Walsh, 22 of Shrewsbury, was placed under arrest. While officers were attempting to place her under arrest Ms. Walsh started fighting and tried to get free. The passenger in her vehicle, Sierra Nava started fighting and tried to get free. The passenger in her vehicle, Sierra Nava, 24 of Bellingham, attempted to fight officers to free Ms. Walsh.

Erica Walsh was charged with liquor, marked lanes violation, disorderly conduct, resist arrest. Sierra Nava was charged with disorderly conduct, resist arrest.

Both prisoners were transported to Uxbridge District Court on Tuesday, May 10 for arraignment.



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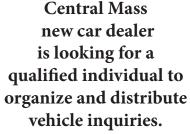
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WEBSTER LAKE - 82 Lakeside Ave! South Pond! Prime 157' Waterfront w/Western Expo! Beautiful Sunsets! Panoramic Lake Views! 10+ Rm, 4 Bdrm, 4.5 Bath, A/C'd, 3,832' Custom Colonial! Technical/Electrical Marvel! 2 Story Grand Entry! Fully Appliance Lake Facing Quartz Kit w/2 Dishwashers, Heated Flr & Pantry! Spacious Din Area w/Custom Wall Unit & Slider to the Waterfront Deck w/Elect Awning! Frplc Liv Rm w/Entertainment Center! Din Rm w/Tray Ceiling! 1st Flr Lake Facing Master w/Tray Ceiling, Walk-in Closet, Full Bath w/Dble Vanity, Whirlpool & Corner Shower! Upstairs 3 Comfortable Bdrms, 2 Lake Facing, Both connect to a Full Bath, the 3rd has its Own Full Bath & Walk-in Closet! Walkout Lower Level Lake Facing Fam Rm w/2nd Kit, Cedar Sauna & Full Bath! Separate Utility Rm & Workshop! 3 Car Attached Garage! Detached 1 Car Garage! Security System! LP Gas Whole House Generator! Boat House that Auto Draws Boat Out of the Water, Launches It on a Rail System! Weather Station! Well Irrig System! See/Ask For All Attachments! \$1,375,000.00



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Meadow Pond! 112 Klondike Rd! 100

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Open Floor Plan! Shed!

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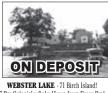
DUDLEY - 4 Flaxfield Rd! 11 Rm Gambrel w/4 Rm In-law Apart! 1.13 Acres! Hearth! Din & Frolc Liv Rm w/Hrdwds! Fan Rm w/Skylights & Full Bath! Huge Master! Game Rm! 2 Car Garage! \$369,900.00



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WEBSTER LAKE – 402 Treasure Island! Townhouse! 6 Rms! 1,874'! Hardwood Floors! Applianced! Open Floor Plan! 2 Bdrms! Master Bath! 2.5 Baths! Frolcd Fam Rm! CAir! Gas Heat Recent Trex Deck! Garage! 2 BOAT SLIPS! Heated Pool, Sandy Beach! \$304,900.00



WEBSTER LAKE – 21 Wakefield Ave! n a Cove Protected! Idle Out to the Lake Cove Protected! Idle Out to the - South Pond Lake Access! 10 Rm Colonial! 5 Bdrms & 2.5 Baths! Applianced! Flexible Flr Plan! Master Suite w/Bath, Dressing Rm & Office Area! Buderus LP Gas Heat! \$344,900.00

NEW/PRICE



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WEBSTER LAKE - 17 Beacon Rd! ALL! 100' Level Waterfront! 07 Completely Renovated! Grainte Kit! Mostly Lake Facing Rms! Mst Suite w/Private Deck! 4 Bdrms! 3 Granite Baths! Possible In-Law! C/Air! 42 Timber Tech Covered Deck! 3 Car Garage Boat Ramp! \$799,900.00





WEBSTER LAKE! 39 Loveland Rd! Custom 13 Rm 5,252' Contemp! 130' South Facing Waterfront! 10' Ceilings! Granite & Cherry Kit w/Slate Fir, Wolf SS Gas Range w/Dble Ovens, Sub Zero Frig, Isl w/Dble Sink, In-Counter Steamer! Formal Din Rm & Frplc Liv Rm w/Brazilian Cherry Hrdwds! Granite Wet Bar w/Ice Maker, Bottle Cooler & Bosch Dishwasher! Office/1st Fir 5th Bdrm w/Marble LP Frplc Bthrm w/Mak!n Kohler Steam Shower! Beautiful Stairways! 4 Bdrms w/Water Views! Huge Lake Facing Master w/Cathedrals, 3 Dble Closets & Slider to Private Deck! Master Bath w/"Vita" Whirlpool Tub, Tile Shower & Dble Marble Vanity! Another Marble & Granite Bthrm! Lower Level Walks Out to Lake! 8 Seat Theater! Stone Frplc Fam Rm! Granite Wet Bar! Workshop w/French Dr to Lake, Possible Bdrm! Half Bath! House Sound System! Andersons w/Nickel Hardware! 2 Car Heated Garage! Beach! Dock! \$1,299,900.00



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WEBSTER LAKE - 17 South Point Rd! Middle Pond! 6 Room Cape! 72' Waterfront! Completely Renovated! Center Island Kit! Mostly Lake Facing Rms! Master w/Bath & Private Deck! 2/3 Rdrms! 2 Baths! Oil by Ruderus! 4 Flectric Mitsuhishi Heat Pumps w



WEBSTER LAKE - 14 Bates Crossing! South Pond! East Expo – Beautiful Sunrises! Expansive Water Views! 11,000' Level Lot! 6 Rm Colonial! 10x46 Porch! Open Flr Plan! 3 Bdrms! 2nd Flr Master w/Cathedrals, Master Bath! 2 Baths! A/C! Garage! \$559,900.00



WEBSTER LAKE - 296 Killdeer Island! North Pond! 180 Degree Panoramic Water Views! Front Row Seat to 4th of July Fireworks! 5 Room Ranch! Ideal Second Home or Live Year Round! Winter in Florida – Summers on Webster Lake! Open Floor Plan! 2 Bedrooms! Nice Deck! Garage! \$314,900.00



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Webster Lake Waterfront! Breathtaking view of Middle Pond! Catch the Early Morning Sun at breakfast right at water edge or in the huge 4 season porch! Many recent updates! Interior Freshly Painted! Fieldstone Fireplace! Hardwoods! Oil Heat! 2 bedrooms! and

WEBSTER LAKE - 11 BATES POINT RD



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ON DEPOSIT \$485,000.

WEBSTER LAKE- 267 THOMPSON RD Webster Lake Water-



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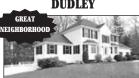
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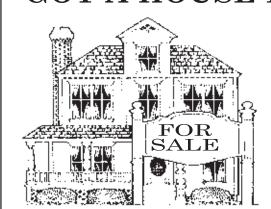
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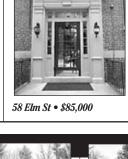
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NOTICE OF MORTGAGEE'S SALE

OF REAL ESTATE By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by James A. Lozano and Crystal A. Himes to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as nominee for Mortgage Master, Inc., dated September 1, 2005 and recorded with the Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds at Book 37261, Page 206, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder by assignment from Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., a Delaware corporation, as nominee for Mortgage Master, Inc. a Massachusetts Corporation to CitiMortgage, Inc. dated January 6, 2012 and recorded with said registry on January 13, 2012 at Book 48401 Page 324 and by assignment from CitiMortgage, Inc. to Citibank, N.A. as trustee for the benefit of SWDNSI Trust Series 2010-2 dated September 26, 2013 and recorded with said registry on October 28, 2013 at Book 51672 Page 147 and by assignment from Citibank, N.A. as trustee for the benefit of SWDNSI Trust Series 2010-2 to Christiana Trust, a division of Wilmington Savings Fund Society, FSB, not in its individual capacity, but solely as separate trustee for PennyMac Loan Trust 2012-NPL1 dated January 14, 2016 and recorded with said registry on January 21, 2016 at Book 54847 Page 54, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing, the same will be sold at Public Auction at 10:00 a.m. on June 6, 2016, on the mortgaged premises located at 39 Knowlton Circle Building 6 Unit C. Samreen Villa I Condominium, Upton, Worcester County, Massachusetts, all and singular the premises described in

TO WIT: The Unit known as Building 6, Unit C, 39 Knowlton Circle ("Unit") of the Samreen Villa I Condominium ("Condominium") Upton, Worcester County, Massachusetts, established pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 183A, by Master Deed dated September 16, 2003, and recorded with the Worcester District Registry of Deeds in Book 31683, Page 361, as amended in the First Amendment in Book 32105, Page 167, as further amended in the Second Amendment in Book 32498, Page 141, as further amended in the Third Amendment in Book 32735, Page 41, as further amended in the Fourth Amendment in Book 32922, Page 368, as further amended in the Fifth Amendment in Book 33221, Page 135, as further amended in the Sixth Amendment in Book 33443, Page 390, as further amended in the Seventh Amendment in Book 33717, Page 369, as further amended in the Eighth Amendment in Book 33997, Page 179, as further amended in the Ninth Amendment in Book 34169, Page 323, as further amended in the Tenth Amendment in Book 34174, Page 104, which Unit is shown on the Floor Plans recorded in Plan Book 812, Plan 62, a copy of which as signed by the engineer with the endorsement as required by the Statute is attached hereto as Exhibit

said mortgage,

Said Unit is conveyed together with an undivided percentage interest in the common areas and facilities of Samreen Villa I Condominium of 3.5710% and is subject to change as additional units are constructed and phased into the Condominium. Said common areas and facilities are described in said Master

The post office address of the Unit is 39 Knowlton Circle, Upton, Massachusetts

Said Unit is conveyed subject to and with the benefit of:

1. Provisions of said Chapter 183A;

2. The provisions of the Master Deed and the Floor Plans of the Condominium

recorded simultaneously with and as part of the Master Deed and the Declaration of Trust, recorded with said Deeds in Book 31684, Page 1 ("Trust"), and in each case as the same may be amended from time to time by instruments recorded with said Deeds, which provisions, together with any amendments thereto, shall constitute covenants running with the land and shall bind any person having at any time any interest or estate in the Unit, his employees, mortgagees, tenants, invitees, and visitors as though such provisions were recited and stipulated at length herein;

3. Provisions of existing building and zoning laws; and

The rights, reservations and restrictions described in the Master Deed.

5. The Unit may be used only for residential purposes subject to the Zoning By-Laws of the Town of Upton and the restrictions set forth in the Master Deed.

6. The terms and provisions of a comprehensive permit issued by the Upton Zoning Board of Appeals to Samreen Villa Realty Trust dated January 28, 2002, amended as of March 28, 2002 and recorded with the Worcester District Registry of Deeds in Book 27824, Page 267.

7. Subject to the terms and conditions of Regulatory Agreement recorded with the Worcester District Registry of Deeds in Book 29561, Page 376.

Said Unit is subject to and has the benefit of the obligations, restrictions, rights, easements and liabilities contained in Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 183A, said Master Deed and the Samreen Villa I Condominium Trust and the Bylaws and Rules and Regulations recorded in Book 31684, Page 1.

Being the same premises conveyed to the herein named mortgagor (s) by deed recorded with Worcester District Registy of Deeds in Book 34187, Page 266.

For mortgagor's(s') title see deed recorded with Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 34187, Page 266.

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

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

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

CHRISTIANA TRUST, A DIVISION OF WILMINGTON SAVINGS FUND SOCIETY, FSB, NOT IN ITS INDIVIDUAL CAPACITY, BUT SOLELY AS SEPARATE TRUSTEE FOR PENNYMAC LOAN TRUST 2012-NPL1 Present holder of said mortgage

By its Attorneys, HARMON LAW OFFICES, 150 California Street

Newton, MA 02458 (617) 558-0500 201208-1608 - PRP

May 13, 2016 May 20, 2016 May 27, 2016

NOTICE OF MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Tricia K. Trask and Peter A. Trask to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., dated January 10, 2005 and recorded with the Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds at Book 35797, Page 150 as affected by a modification agreement recorded with said records at Book 51223, Page 315, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder by assignment from Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. to The Bank of New York Mellon FKA The Bank of New York, as Trustee for the Certificateholders of the CWABS Inc., Asset-Backed Certificates, Series 2005-1 dated September 20, 2011 and recorded with said registry on September 30, 2011 at Book 47903 Page 57, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing, the same will be sold at Public Auction at 11:00 a.m. on June 15, 2016, on the mortgaged premises located at 384 HAZEL STREET, UXBRIDGE, Worcester County, Massachusetts, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage,

TO WIT: The land with the buildings thereon situated in Uxbridge, Worcester County, MA known and being numbered 384

Hazel Street: Being bounded and desctibed as follows:

BEGINNING at the northeasterly corner of the granted premises on the southerly side of Hazel Street at drill hole in the corner of

walls and at land now or formerly of Francis E. Racicot, formerly of John S.

THENCE S. 0 degrees 10' E., with wall and land of said Racicot, fifty-one and nine tenths (51.9) feet to drill hole in corner of walls;

THENCE S. 80 degrees W., with wall and land of said Racicot, formerly of said Taft, two hundred sixty-six (266)

feet to drill hole in wall; THENCE S. 72 degrees 10'W., with wall and still with Racicot land one hundred thirty-one and four tenths (131.4) feet to drill hole in wall at land now or formerly of James H. Daubney et ux, now or formerly known as the lane;

THENCE N. 1 degree 13' E., with said land now or formerly of James H. Daubney et ux, said land formerly of Charles B. Rawson two hundred forty-eight and six tenths (248.6) feet to an iron pin set in the ground at the end of wall on the southerly side of said street, the greater portion of this last course being with stone wall;

THENCE Easterly with said Street, three hundred ninety-six and seven tenths (396.7) feet to the point of beginning.

For a more particular description of the granted premises see Plan entitled "Plan of land of James Hamlet Daubney et ux, Uxbridge, Mass., to Walter G. Daubney et ux, January 1948" by Francis J. Brennan, recorded with Worcester District Registry of Deeds, Plan Book 150, Plan 48.

The premises are conveyed subject to and with the benefit of all rights, rights of way, easements, appurtenances, reservations.

restrictions, and layouts and takings of record, insofar as they are in force and applicable.

For mortgagor's(s') title see deed recorded with Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 25132, Page 237.

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

TERMS OF SALE:

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

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

THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON FKA THE BANK OF NEW YORK, AS TRUSTEE FOR THE CERTIFICATEHOLDERS OF THE CWABS INC., ASSET-BACKED CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2005-1 Present holder of said mortgage By its Attorneys. HARMON LAW OFFICES, P.C.

150 California Street Newton, MA 02458 (617) 558-0500 201503-0134 - TEA

May 20, 2016 May 27, 2016 June 3, 2016

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

In accordance with the provisions of M.G.L Ch 40A, Section 11, and Chapter 173, Section 47 of the Northbridge Zoning By-laws, the Northbridge Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing on June 9, 2016 at 7:05P.M. at the Aldrich School Town Hall Annex, 14 Hill Street, Whitinsville, MA to consider the application of Robert Chaille, 172 pond Street, Uxbridge, MA 01569 for a Special Permit purusant to Article X, Section 173-47 of the Town of Northbridge Zonng By-laws, Table of Use Regulations, in order to allow premises to be allowed for a contractor's yard to include interior and exterior storage and office space for a roofing company in a Business-2 zoning district.

The property is located at 1 Providence Lane, Whitinsville MA 01588 shown on Assessor's Map 24 as Parcel 99, consisting of 33,516 sf. The property is located in a Business-2 zoning district and is owned by Russell Shine.

The purpose of this hearing is to provide an opportunity for public comment. Anyone wishing to be heard regarding this matter should attend said meeting at the time and place designated. A copy of the petition is available for review at the office of the Town Clerk and Zoning Board of Appeals Office and may be reviewed during normal business hours.

Thomas Hansson, Chairman Northbridge Zoning Board of Appeals May 20, 2016 May 27, 2016

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NOTICE OF MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Laura A. Ozella to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as nominee for Maverick Funding Corporation, dated January 28, 2010 and recorded with the Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds at Book 45419, Page 114, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder by assignment from Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as nominee for Maverick Funding Corporation to Wells Fargo Bank, NA dated January 9, 2013 and recorded with said registry on January 11, 2013 at Book 50271 Page 113 and by assignment from Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. to The Secretary of Housing and Urban Development dated August 20, 2015 and recorded with said registry on February 22, 2016 at Book 54962 Page 333 and by assignment from The Secretary of Housing and Urban Development to Bayview Loan Servicing, LLC dated November 5, 2015 and recorded with said registry on February 22, 2016 at Book 54962 Page 336, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing, the same will be sold at Public Auction at 3:00 p.m. on June 14, 2016, on the mortgaged premises located at 10 DUCHESS PATH, UNIT D, CASTLES AT SCOTLAND YARD, UXBRIDGE, Worcester County, Massachusetts, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, TO WIT:

The unit known as No. D ("Unit") in Building No. 11 ("Building") in Phase 1 in The Castles at Scotland Yard ("Condominium") located in Uxbridge, Worcester County, Massachusetts and established by the Grantor pursuant to the Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 183A by Master Deed dated November 20, 1987 and recorded November 23, 1987 with the Worcester County Registry of Deeds in Book 10962, Page 255 ("Master Deed"), which unit is shown on the Floor Plans ("Plans") of the Building recorded simultaneously with the Master Deed and on a copy of the portion of said plans attached hereto and made a parthereof, to which is affixed the verified statement of a registered professional engineer, architect or land surveyor in the form required by Section 9 of said Chapter 183A Said Unit is conveyed together with:

1. an undivided 2.175 percent interest in the common areas and facilities of the property ('Common Elements') described in said Amendment to Master Deed attributable to the Unit. In the event that (as provided in the Master Deed) subsequent phases or sub phases are added to the condominium by Amendment to the Master Deed, the undivided interest of the Unit in the Common Elements shall be and become that specified in Schedule D of the Master Deed, as amended;

2. An exclusive right to use such attic, patio, deck or balcony as may be contiguous thereto or as may subsequently be built. Such presently unbuilt patio or balcony may be built only in those areas referred to as 'deck areas for the exclusive use of the adjacent unit' on the plans recorded with the Master Deed, and may not be built without the written approval of the Board of Trustees of the Castles at Scotland Yard Trust:

3. An easement for the continuance of all encroachments by the Unit on any adjoining Units or Common Elements existing as a result of construction of the Building, or which may come into existence hereafter as a result of settling or shifting of the Building, or as a result of repair or restoration of the Building or the Unit, after damage or destruction by fire or other casualty, or by reason of any alteration or repair to the Common Elements made by or with the consent of the Board of Trustees;

4. An easement in common with the owners of other Units to use any pipes, wires, duets, flues, cables, conduits, public utility line and other Common Elements located in any of the other Units or elsewhere on the Property, and serving the Units;

5. An exclusive easement to use for parking that rectangular surface area of the driveway which begins at the exterior surface of the garage door(s) appurtenant to the Unit, for a width of nine feet (9') and having length of twenty feet (20');

6. A semi-exclusive right (if applicable) to use the interior stairwell, staircase and storage area, adjacent to the Unit, leading from the first floor to the garage;

7. Rights and easements in common with other Unit Owners as described in the Master Deed and Declaration of Easements:

Said Unit is conveyed subject to:

1. Easements in favor of adjoining

Units and in favor of the Common Elements for the continuance of all encroachments of such adjoining Units or Common Elements on the Unit, now existing as a result of construction of the Building, or which may come into existence hereafter as a result of settling or shifting of the Building or of any adjoining Unit or the Common Elements after damage of destruction by Fire or other casualty, or after taldng in condemnation of eminent domain proceedings, or by reason of any alteration or repair to the Common Elements made by or with the consent of the Board of Trustees:

2. An easement in favor of the other Units to use the pipes, wires, ducts, flues, conduits, cables, public utility lines and other common Elements located in the Unit or elsewhere an the property and serving such other Units;

3. Exclusive rights in favor of the owners of other Units to use designate parking spaces;

Exclusive rights in favor of the owners or other Units to use such attic, patio, or balcony presently adjacent to their units to subsequently erected adjacent thereto in accordance with the requirements of the Master deed, as amended;

5. A semi-exclusive right (if applicable) to use the interior stairwell, staircase and storage area adjacent to the unit leading from the first floor to the garage;

The provision of said Chapter 183A, the Master Deed, Declaration of Trust, Declaration of Easements and the plans of the Condominium recorded simultaneously with and as part of Master Deed, and any Amendments of the master Deed, Declaration of Trust, Declaration of Easements or plans as the same may be amended from time to time by instrument recorded in the Worcester CountY District Registry of Deeds, which provisions, together with any amendments thereto, shall constitute covenants running with the land and shall bind any person having at any time any interest or estate in the Unit, as well as the Unit Owner's family, servants and visitors, as though such provisions were recited and stipulated at length therein:

The Unit is intended for residential purposes only. No use may be made of the Unit except as a residence for the Owner thereof or permitted lessees and the members of their immediate families, and not Unit or any portion thereof may be used for any other purpose, except as provided in the master Deed.

For title see Deed recorded with Worcester South County Registry of Deeds in Book 20878, Page 161.

For mortgagor's(s') title see deed recorded with Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 45419, Page 112.

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

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

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

BAYVIEW LOAN SERVICING, LLC Present holder of said mortgage By its Attorneys, HARMON LAW OFFICES, P.C. 150 California Street Newton, MA 02458 (617) 558-0500 201501-0507 - PRP

May 20, 2016 May 27, 2016 June 3, 2016

NOTICE OF MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Lisa Marcou, to Security First Mortgage Funding, LLC., dated March 25, 2011 and recorded with the Worcester County Registry of Deeds in Book 47225 at Page 110; ASSIGNED to Millbury Federal Credit Union, recorded in Worcester County Registry of Deeds in Book 47225, Page 129,

of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction at 10 o'clock A.M. on the 16th day of June, 2016, 42 D Street, Unit C, Northbridge, Worcester County, Massachusetts, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage.

Condominium Unit C (the "Unit") of the 38-48 D Street Condominium (the "Condominium") in Northbridge (Whitinsville), Worcester County, Massachusetts, a condominium established pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 183A, by Master Deed dated April 4, 2007 (the "Master Deed") recorded with Worcester District Registry of Deeds in Book 40969, Page 371.

Said Unit contains 1,560 square feet, more or less, and is laid out, as shown on the Condominium Site and Floor Plan of the Condominium recorded with said Registry of Deeds in Plan Book 855, Page 80, to which plan is affixed a verified statement in the form provided for in Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 183A, Section 9, certifying that the plan fully and accurately depicts the layout of the Unit, it's location, dimensions, approximate area, main entrance, and immediate common area to which it has access, and which plan is a copy of a portion of the plans recorded with said Master Deed. The Unit is conveyed subject to and together with the benefit of the rights, restrictions, agreements, and other provisions set forth in said Master Deeds, as amended of record, and the 38-48 D Street Condominium Trust recorded with said Registry in Book 40970, Page 1, and any rules and regulations promulgated pursuant thereto. The Unit is also conveyed subject to the obligation to pay (i) the proportionate share of common expenses of the Condominium attributable to the Unit, and (ii) real estate taxes attributable to the Unit for the current year as are not now due and payable, and both of which the Grantee, by the acceptance hereof, agrees to perform and assume. The Post Office address of the Unit is: 42 D Street, Northbridge, Massachusetts 01588.

Being the same premises conveyed to Lisa Marcou by deed of MCU Commercial Services, LLC, dated March 25, 2011 and recorded with the Worcester District Registry of Deeds in Book 47225, Page 108.

A deposit of \$5,000.00 for the entire mortgage premises being sold, is to be paid by certified check or bank check by the purchaser at the time and place of the sale. The Mortgagee also reserves the right to alter the order of sale on the date of the auction. The balance is payable at the closing. The closing will occur within thirty (30) days after the date of the sale at the Law Offices of Melia & Osol, 16 Harvard Street, Worcester, MA 01609. Other terms to be announced at the sale.

The Mortgagee reserves the right to continue the sale from time to time by public announcement at the time and date of the original or any continued sale.

If the highest bidder fails to complete the purchase of the mortgage premises on the terms provided in this notice and in the Memorandum of Sale signed following the auction, then the mortgagee reserves the right to convey the mortgage premises to the second highest bidder at the auction. If the mortgagee exercises that right it will notify the second highest bidder who will then have three (3) days to deliver the deposit specified above to the Mortgagee's attorney, Law Offices of Melia & Osol, 16 Harvard Street, Worcester, MA 01609, and agree upon a date for delivery of the deed.

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

> Millbury Federal Credit Union Present holder of said mortgage By its Attorneys, Law Offices of Melia & Osol 16 Harvard Street Worcester, MA 01609

May 20, 2016 May 27, 2016 June 3, 2016

MORTGAGEE'S NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain Mortgage from Cheryl Bergeron to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as nominee for Advanced Financial Services, Inc., its successors and assigns, dated February 27, 2009 and recorded with the Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds at Book 43883, Page 287, subsequently assigned to GMAC Mortgage, LLC by Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., by assignment recorded in said Registry of Deeds in Book 47042, Page 309, subsequently assigned to Ocwen Loan Servicing, LLC by GMAC Mortgage, LLC, by assignment recorded in said Registry of Deeds in Book 51241, Page 239, subsequently assigned to Federal National Mortgage Association by Ocwen Loan Servicing, LLC, by assignment recorded in said Registry of Deeds in Book 54143, Page 184; of which the Mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of said Mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction at 01:00 PM on May 27, 2016 at 99 Country Club Drive, Northbridge, MA, all and singular the premises described in said Mortgage, to wit:

said parcel of land herein being conveyed being more particularly bounded and described as follows: BEGINNING at the southwesterly comer thereof at a point on the northerly line of said private street and at the southeasterly comer of lot #4 shown on the Plan; THENCE North 02° 24' 00" West by said lot #4, one hundred ninety-seven and eighty hundredths (197.80) feet to a point at land now or formerly of the Whitinsville Golf Club; THENCE North 87° 36' 00" East by said land now or formerly of the Whitinsville Golf Club, two hundred two and fifty hundredths (202.50) feet to a point at the northwesterly comer of lot #6 shown on the Plan; THENCE South 02° 24' 00" East by said lot #6, one hundred ninety-seven and eighty hundredths (197.80) feet to a point on the northerly line of said private street; THENCE South 970 36' 00" West by the northerly line of said private street, two hundred two and fifty hundredths (202.50) feet to the point of beginning. CONTAINING 40,054 square feet of land, more or less, according to the Plan. Being a portion of the premises described in a deed of conveyance from the First National Bank of Boston, Trustee under the Will of Richard E. Lincoln to Roger D. Bajema, Trustee of the RDB Realty Trust, dated January 13, 1989 and recorded in the Worcester District Registry of Deeds in Book 11873, Page 130. Being the same property conveyed from Donald R. St. Germain to Cheryl Bergeron deed recorded August 15,2002 in Book 27230, page 255 in the registrar's office of Worcester County. Parcel ID #: 5-000085 Block: Lot:

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

TERMS OF SALE:

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.

> Federal National Mortgage Association Present Holder of said Mortgage, By Its Attorneys, ORLANS MORAN PLLC P.O. Box 540540 Waltham, MA 02454 Phone: 781-790-7800

May 6, 2016 May 13, 2016 May 20, 2016

LEGALS

(SEAL)

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS LAND COURT **DEPARTMENT OF THE TRIAL COURT**

> 15 SM 001553 **ORDER OF NOTICE**

TO: Scott C. Zuidema

Donna J. Zuidema and to all persons entitled to the benefit of the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act, 50 U.S.C. App. § 501 et. Seq.: Nationstar Mortgage LLC claiming to have an interest in a Mortgage covering real property in Whitinsville (Northbridge), numbered 32 Mason Road, given by Scott C. Zuidema and Donna J. Zuidema to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. acting solely as a nominee for Taylor, Bean & Whitaker Mortgage Corporation, dated May 12, 2008, and recorded at Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 42844, Page 328, and now held by the Plaintiff by assignment, has/have filed with this court a complaint for determination of Defendant's/ Defendants' Servicemembers status. If you now are, or recently have been, in the active military service of the United States of America, then you may be entitled to the benefits of the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act. If you object to a foreclosure of the above-mentioned property on that basis, then you or your attorney must file a written appearance and answer in this court at Three Pemberton Square, Boston, MA 02108 on or before June 20, 2016 or you will be forever barred from claiming that you are entitled to the benefits of said Act. Witness, JUDITH C. CUTLER Chief Justice of said Court on May 4, 2016. Attest:

> Deborah J. Patterson Recorder

15-020318 / Zuidema, Scott and Donna/05/20/2016 May 20, 2016

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COMMONWEALTH **OF MASSACHUSETTS LAND COURT DEPARTMENT OF THE TRIAL COURT**

> 16 SM 003313 **ORDER OF NOTICE**

Allen J. Tripp Jr.

and to all persons entitled to the benefit of the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act:, 50 U.S.C. App. §501 et seq..

WILMINGTON SAVINGS FUND SOCIETY, FSB, doing business as CHRISTIANA TRUST, not in its individual capacity but solely as **Trustee for BCAT 2014-4TT**

claiming to have an interest in a Mortgage covering real property in Uxbridge, numbered 59 Carney Street, given by Allen J. Tripp, Jr. to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as nominee for Family Choice Mortgage Corporation, its successors and assigns, dated June 20, 2008, and recorded with the Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 43008, Page 270, 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 June 13, 2016 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 May 2, 2016

Attest:

Deborah J. Patterson Recorder

(OM 16-002333) May 20, 2016

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Worcester Division Worcester Probate and Family

Court 225 Main Street Worcester, MA 01608 Docket No. WO16P1388PM CITATION GIVING NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF CONSERVATOR OR OTHER PROTECTIVE ORDER PURSUANT

TO G.L. c. 190B, §5-304 & §5-405 In the matter of: Jeanette Lizotte Of: Blackstone, MA RESPONDENT

(Person to be Protected/Minor) To the named Respondent and all other interested persons, a petition has been filed by

Blackstone Nursing of Blackstone, MA in the above captioned matter alleging that Jeanette Lizotte is in need of a Conservator or other protective order and requesting that

Lisa Judkins of Sutton, MA (or some other suitable person) be appointed as Conservator to serve With **Personal Surety** on the bond.

The petition asks the court to determine that the Respondent is disabled. that a protective order or appointment of a Conservator is necessary, and that the proposed conservator is appropriate. The petition is on file with this court.

You have the right to object to this proceeding. If you wish to do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance at this court on or before 10:00 A.M. on the return date of **05/24/2016.** This day is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline date by which you have to file the written appearance if you object to the petition. If you fail to file the written appearance by the return date, action may be taken in this matter without further notice to you. In addition to filing the written appearance, you or your attorney must file a written affidavit stating the specific facts and grounds of your objection within 30 days after the return date. IMPORTANT NOTICE

The outcome of this proceeding may limit or completely take away the above-named person's right to make decisions about personal affairs or financial affairs or both. The abovenamed person has the right to ask for a lawyer. Anyone may make this request on behalf of the above-named person. If the above-named person cannot afford a lawyer, one may be appointed at

WITNESS, Hon. Leilah A Keamy First Justice of this Court. Date: April 28, 2016

Stephanie K Fattman Register of Probate

May 20, 2016

(SEAL)

THE COMMONWEALTH **OF MASSACHUSETTS LAND COURT DEPARTMENT OF THE TRIAL COURT**

> 2016 SM 003848 **ORDER OF NOTICE**

To: Suzanne Rosenthal; Edwin C. Rosenthal a/k/a Edwin J. Rosenthal and to all persons entitled to the benefit of the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act, 50 U.S.C. App. § 501 et seq.: Santander Bank, N.A. formerly known

as Sovereign Bank, N.A. formerly known as Sovereign Bank

claiming to have an interest in a Mortgage covering real property in UXBRIDGE, 141 GRANITE STREET, given by Suzanne C. Rosenthal and Edwin Rosenthal a/k/a Edwin J. Rosenthal to Sovereign Bank, dated

July 18, 2003, and recorded in the Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 30902, Page 95, 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 June 20, 2016 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 May 9, 2016 Attest:

> Deborah J. Patterson Recorder 201203-0064-PRP

May 20, 2016

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 Stanley Hodgdon and Pamela Hodgdon to World Savings Bank, FSB, dated July 31, 2006 recorded at Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 39569, Page 75 on August 14, 2006; 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 3:00 PM on May 31, 2016 at 314 Sutton Street, Northbridge, MA, all and singular the premises described in said Mortgage, to wit:

The land with the buildings thereon situated in Northbridge, Worcester County, Commonwealth of Massachusetts known and being numbered 314 SUTTON STREET: Being bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the southwest corner at a stake in the wall on the northerly side of Sutton Street, and the southeasterly corner of land now or formerly of Delphis LaPlante; THENCE: by said LaPlante land N. 3° 30' W. 76-5/10 feet to center of stone wall; THENCE: by stone wall and with LaPlante land N. 71° E. 139 feet: THENCE: by land now or formerly of Calixte Gauthier et als. S. 3° 30' W.

156 feet to Sutton Street; THENCE: by stone wall and with said Street N. 74° W. 133-5/10 feet to the place of beginning. Containing 15,104 square feet of land more or less. See Deed Recorded Herewith Book 39569, Pg. 71

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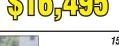




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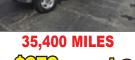




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2011 Ford F350 Lariat FX4

21,216MI - 4x4 Crew Cab, 4 Wheel Drive, Traction control, Stability control with anti-roll, Transmission hill holder, 6.2 liter V8 SOHC engine, Surroof, Signal mirrors-Turn signal in mirrors, Full power options including Power windows with 1 one-touch, Automatic Transmission, ice-cold Air conditioning, Cruise control, Tilt and telescopic steering wheel, Power heated mirrors, Tachometer, Edemal temperature display, Engine hour meter, Intermittent window wipers, Chrome grill # LAW248 **123**/wk.



2014 Ram 1500 Tradesman/Express

17,284MI - Four-Door 4x4, One Owner, Traction control, Stability control, Transmission hill holder. Power options including Power windows with one-touch, Automatic Transmission, 4-wheel ABS brakes, Air conditioning, Cruise control, Tilt steering wheel, Power heated mirrors, 4 Doors, Four-wheel drive, Tachometer, Power steering, Trailer hitch, Engine hour meter, Intermittent window wipers, Privacy/tinted glass, Dusk sensing headlights STK220765 /wk.



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2014 Chevy Silverado 1500 68,537Mi - Work Truck 1WT 4x4, Traction control, Stability control with an-

ti-roll, Air conditioning, Cruise control, 4.3 liter V6 engine, Automatic Transmission, 4-wheel ABS brakes, Tilt steering wheel, Tachometer, Trip computer, Video Monitor, Speed-proportional power steering, Engine hour meter, Intermittent window wipers, Transmission hill holder, Daytime running lights, Dusk sensing headlights #LAW244B



2010 Ford Explorer Sport Trac LTD

81,483MI - 4x4, Leather, One Owner, Traction control, Front fog/driving lights, Heated Leather seats, Bluetooth, full power options including Power windows with 1 one-touch, Automatic Transmission, 4-wheel ABS brakes, Cruise control, Audio controls on steering wheel, Tilt steering wheel, 8-way power adjustable drivers seat, Power heated mirrors, Tachometer, External temperature display, Compass, Trip computer, Trailer hitch, Stability control with anti-roll, Climate **70**/wk. controlled - Driver and passenger heated-cushion, driver and passenger heated-seatback #LAW212



2014 Toyota Tundra SR5

24,327MI - 5.7L V8 4x4, One Owner, Traction control, Stability control, Front log/driving lights, Automatic Transmission, 4-wheel ABS brakes, Air conditioning, Cruise control, 5.7 L liter V8 DOHC engine with variable valve timing- 381 hp horsepower, Power heated mirrors, Tilt steering wheel, 4 Doors, External temperature display, Heated Windshield Washer Jets, Interior air filtration, Speet-proportional power steering, Intermittent window wipers, Privacy/ Interior air filtration. Speed-proportional power steering, Intermittent window wipers. Privacy timled glass, Trailer hitch, Limited slip differential - Brake actuated, Daytime running lights # LAW289



2009 Cadillac Escalade
6.2 LTR V8, Leather Heated power seats, fog lights, steering control, blue tooth, Nav., traction control, 3rd row seating with DVD player, running boards, moon roof #LA235



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2012 Chevy Silverado 1500 LT
66,943MI - 4x4 - 5.3 liter V8 engine, 4 Wheel Drivel, Traction control, Stability control
with arti-roll, ABS brakes, Transmission hill holder, Automatic Transmission, Air conditioning, Cruise control, Head airbags - Curtain 1st and 2nd row, Passenger Airbag,
Power heated mirrors, Tilt steering wheel, 4 Doors, Four-wheel drive, Tachometer,
Compass, External temperature display, Daytime running lights, Dusk's sensing headlights,
Engine hour meter, Intermittent window wipers #LAW359



2014 Hyundai Tucson GLS

33,705MI - AWD All Wheel DTNe, Traction control, Stability control, Descent Control - Hill descent Control - Hill descent Control - Hill Advanced Hill and Less and Line Control - Hill and Less Cruise control, Automatic Transmission, 4-wheel ABS brakes, Cruise control, Audio controls on steering wheel, 164 hp horsepower, 2 litter inline 4 cylinder DOHC engine, 11 and telescopic steering wheel, Power Infrors, 4 Doors, Tachometer, 4WD Type - Automatic full-time, Front seal type- Bucket, Rear bench seats, Reclining rear seats, Intermittent window wipers, PrivaryIntend glass, Rear spoiler - Lip, Rear wiper, Speed-proportional power steering, Trip computer #STK922053



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24,407MI - V8 Double Cab 4x4, Traction control, Front air conditioning zones - Dual, Power options including Power windows with 1 one-touch, Automatic Transmission, 4-wheel ABS brakes, Cruise control, Tilt steering wheel, Power heated mirrors, 310 hp horsepower- 4.6 liter Speed-proportional power steering, Heated Windshield Washer Jets, Limited slip differential - Brake



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59,023MI - 4x4 LT 4 Door, one owner, 4 Wheel Drive, Traction control, Stability control with anti-roll, ice-cold Air conditioning, Power options including remote power door locks and Power windows with 1 one-touch, Automatic Transmission, 4-wheel ASS brakes, 53 liter V8 engine, Power headed mirrors, Tilt steering wheel, 4 Doors, step rails, Tachometer, External temperature display, Compass, Engine hour meter, Day-time running lights, Dusk sensing headlights
#LAW261





2014 1500 Dodge RAM 1500

14,830MI - 1500 Four-Door Tradesman/Express 4x4, One Owner, Traction control, Sta-bility control, Transmission hill holder, Power options including Power windows with one-touch, Automatic Transmission, 4-wheel ABS brakes, Air conditioning, Cruise control, Tilt steering wheel, Power healed mirrors, 4 Doors, Four-wheel drive, Tachometer, Power steering, Trailer hitch, Engine hour meter, \$98/wk.



2012Toyota Tacoma 4x4
28,101MI - V6 4DR, 4 Wheel Drive, Traction control, Stability control, 4-wheel ABS brakes, 4 liter V6 DOHC engine, full power options including Power windows with 1 one-touch, Automatic Transmission, Air conditioning, Tilt and telescopic steering wheel, 236 hp horsepower, 4 Doors, Tachometer, Speed-proportional power steering, Limited slip differential - Brake <mark>4</mark>/wk. actuated, Interior air filtration # LAW288



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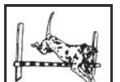
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• Listens attentively: In order for a team to function, every member has to listen to what his or her coworkers are saying. This also includes being receptive to criticism without lashing out. Listening can sometimes be more important than speaking.

• Communicates clearly: Team players effectively communicate their thoughts and ideas. This includes using language that is constructive, honest and respectful.

• Participates frequently: Even when his or her own work is done, a team player does not shy away from taking on the tasks of others to ensure a project is completed on time. This also can include offering tips or pointers.

• Happily shares the spotlight: Never the glory hog, a team player is content to stand in the spotlight alongside coworkers. Team players make sure everyone is involved and recognized equally, and even take their share of the blame when things go awry.

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The Expanding Health Care Industry Has Created Demand In This Exciting Field

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Imagine this: Your classroom has been turned into a disaster site, and you and your fellow students must make split-second decisions and follow through quickly with potentially lifesaving actions.

Fortunately, no one can get hurt because it's all a simulation, part of the kind of education that nursing students can get these days as schools work to meet the growing need for more nurses who are trained using the latest technology in the classroom or lab.

There are a number of reasons why America needs such trained nurses, including an increased emphasis on preventive care, growing rates of chronic conditions such as diabetes and obesity, more Americans covered under the Affordable Care Act, and demand for health care services from the baby-boom population as they live longer and more active lives.

"At University of Phoenix® College of Health Professions School of Nursing, we offer degree programs that stay on the pulse of health care change and address how to best prepare nurses for a rapidly evolving industry," said Betty Nelson, Ph.D., RN, academic dean for University of Phoenix School of Nursing. "This



The health care industry is rapidly evolving, creating an increased demand for trained and skilled nurses to play a major role in delivering high-quality care and implementing innovations.

prepares graduates with the skills needed to succeed in today's health care field."

Students can access nursing simulation labs that provide hands-on, lifelike patient care experiences focused on teaching applied skills in a safe environment while getting real-time performance critiques from faculty members and peers. The students practice giving injections, taking vital signs, conducting physical assessments, and responding to various patient scenarios such as heart attacks and childbirth.

The University's nursing programs use video and audio technology in conjunction with simulation. This lets faculty members analyze and evaluate nursing students' progress during

simulation exercises and provide feedback, ultimately improving student learning outcomes.

The school's technologies also include task trainers and an electronic medication-dispensing system. These let students engage in dozens of scenarios that give them the opportunity to build their confidence and skills in real-world nursing situations with-

out risk to live patients, while they complete a portion of their requisite clinical hours.

"Now more than ever, we must ensure that nurses have the skills and education needed to meet new demands of the profession so they can fill roles across the continuum of care," said Dr. Nelson. "Through a forward-looking curriculum and hands-on training,

University of Phoenix School of Nursing is committed to providing nurses with the skills, knowledge and confidence needed to be successful well into the future, no matter what the health care landscape may look like"

The University offers many conveniences for working adult students including evening classes, flexible scheduling, a universitywide academic social network, online classes, a digital library and computer simulations.

Whether you're a registered nurse looking to bolster your credentials to meet today's higher standards or an advanced-practice nurse seeking to expand your knowledge and take on greater leadership challenges, you can get the deep industry insight and up-to-the-minute knowledge and skills you need to become the nurse that tomorrow needs.

Learn More

For further information, including information about on-time completion rates, the median debt incurred by students who complete the University of Phoenix School of Nursing programs, and other important information, visit www.phoenix.edu/pro grams/gainful-employment.

Private Security And Its Expanding Role In Law Enforcement

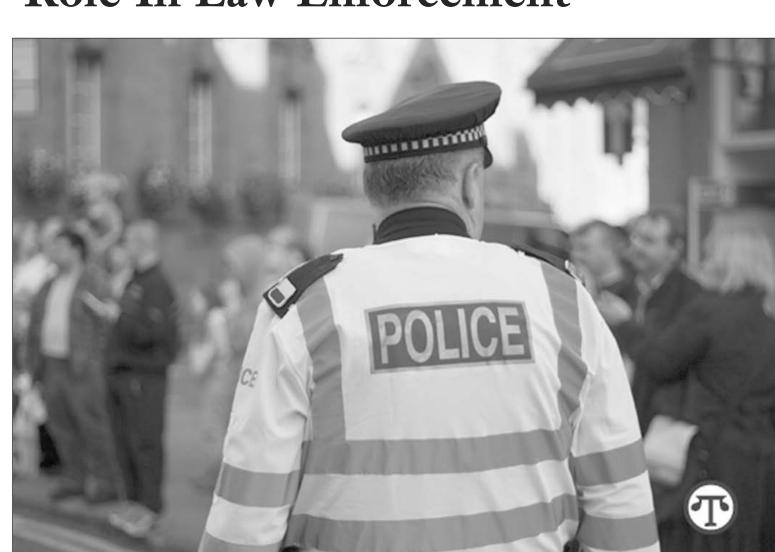
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Having your identity stolen is an eye-opening experience. Even more eye-opening is the response you may get when calling police to report the crime. That's because it's become more common today to receive a follow-up visit at your home, not from that police agency, but from a representative of a private security firm specializing in identity theft.

It's a new landscape of blended roles, as law enforcement agencies increasingly team up with private security companies to form public-private partnerships to serve the public. These partnerships cover a range of specialties including cyber security, financial criminal investigation and private protection.

"Law enforcement and private security share a number of goals including crime prevention, the protection of people and property, and identification of criminals," said Robert Gonzalez, program dean for University of Phoenix College of Security and Criminal Justice. "To better achieve these goals, law enforcement and private security have been teaming up in public-private partnerships that cover everything from local to national security."

The growing use of these partnerships reflects some recognized advantages. It often makes more sense for law enforcement to leverage the expertise and resources of a private security firm. Specialized security investigation sections can team with law enforcement to better investigate and prosecute complex cases. And private firms aren't restricted by a public budget and can invest in the latest technology. Additionally, law enforcement officers often moonlight with security companies, or transition into careers in private security, and have an understanding of the system and how they can work with law



Public-private partnerships between law enforcement and the security industry continue to grow.

enforcement to better serve their community.

This leads to the greatest benefit of these growing partnerships: the expansion of a force focused on crime deterrence. Neighborhood associations and business groups are finding that cooperation between law enforcement and private security is leading to a higher degree of satisfaction in discouraging criminal activity. This allows law enforcement to expand initiatives like community-oriented policing. The winners are those who now live in safer neighborhoods.

"As public-private partnerships between law enforcement and private security continue to grow, it is important that both law officers and security professionals are receiving proper education to complement their training," said Gonzalez. "University of Phoenix offers associate and bachelor's degrees in security and criminal justice*, as well as professional development and certificate programs that can help public safety professionals enhance their careers."

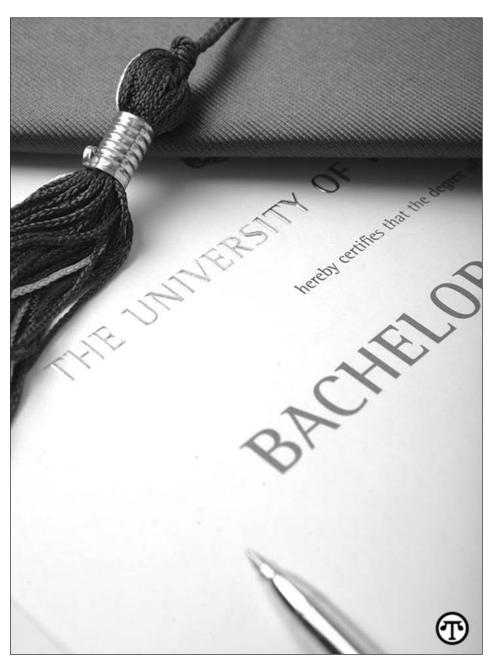
University of Phoenix™ College of Security and Criminal Justice recognizes the benefits of partnerships between law enforcement and private security. The

University offers curriculum for those looking to get into the industry as well as for industry professionals looking to enhance their careers. Students have the opportunity to learn directly from faculty members who have extensive experience in their respective fields. This includes a number of faculty members who are current or former chiefs of police, sheriffs, judges, wardens and security executives. For more information, visit www.phoenix.edu.

*The University's Criminal Justice programs are educational degree programs. For

those interested in pursuing a career in law enforcement, corrections or as a peace officer with any particular local, state, federal or international agency, there are numerous additional qualifications (and often disqualifications) depending on the position. Before enrolling in a Criminal Justice program, potential students are highly encouraged to check with the relevant agency for a complete list of position requirements. The University makes no representations regarding whether any particular University program will qualify a graduate for any such position.

Job Security, Higher Income Two Benefits Of A College Degree, Experts Say



(NAPS)

Whether you're searching for a new job or moving up in your current career, a number of professions require a minimum of a bachelor's degree. Most career analysts and experts agree that a bachelor's degree is a key asset that can offer professionals many advantages.

Yet, according to the Lumina Foundation, less than 40 percent of working-age Americans have a college degree. Many people today are choosing to forgo a college education and enter the workforce.

Dr. Elena Mastors, dean of faculty at University of Phoenix College of Humanities and Sciences, says a bachelor's degree has five primary benefits:

1. It aids in the job search. When job candidates have equal qualifications, an employer is often more likely to choose the person with a college degree. In addition, even in a job where

Flexible online offerings can make earning a degree possible. Nearly all college grads say their degree was "worth it." a college degree is not relevant, employers are more likely to choose college graduates.

2. It solidifies job security. Unemployment is lower for college graduates than it is for those who have completed some college or who ended their education with a high school diploma.

It helps secure a higher starting salary—with salary increases throughout a career. Workers with a bachelor's degree tend to earn more at the same positions than workers without a degree. For example, secretaries, police officers, construction workers, plumbers and retail salespeople with bachelor's degrees all earn more than those without. This is often because employers view workers with a degree as more valuable or more skilled.

4. It benefits rapidly expanding job fields. Many professions, such as writing, technically oriented fields, and science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) are evolving rapidly. To keep their positions, workers are expected to adjust and change with the times.

As a result, college graduates may have the advantage when it comes to adapting to a changing workforce.

5. It helps students hone and refine lifelong skills. Critical and creative thinking, collaboration, communication and knowing how to use information are valued skills in any career regardless of college major.

According to Pew Research Center, 83 percent of college grads say their degree was "worth it"

Where To Get A Degree

While many people feel they don't have the time or flexibility in their schedules to attend classes, flexible online offerings from schools such as University of Phoenix can make earning a degree possible. University of Phoenix has a number of undergraduate degree offerings that students can pursue on their own time

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Transitioning Resources Important To Returning Service Members

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Each year, between 240,000 and 360,000 service members transition out of the U.S. military, and as we draw down from the war in Afghanistan, the military is expected to separate a million service members over the next several years, according to the White House. This leaves our nation's heroes returning home only to face a new battle-finding a job in the civilian workforce. Service members and veterans gain valuable skills and knowledge during the time they serve. However, understanding how the skills gained in the military translate to civilian jobs isn't always easy.

An online survey conducted by Harris Poll on behalf of University of Phoenix® in fall 2015 of more than 500 hiring managers found that they overwhelmingly (86 percent) have considered hiring a person with military background. And of those same hiring managers, 80 percent cited hiring employees with a military background.

"Military veterans are well disciplined and possess a strong work ethic, making them desirable employees for organizations," said Adam Such, University of Phoenix Military Relations vice president and retired Army Lieutenant Colonel. "Hiring managers are taking notice of the unique skills that military members bring to the civilian workplace. The community can support veterans by providing resources to help them communicate effectively with employers and know how their skills can help them grow and thrive in civilian careers.'

Having a plan is critical for veterans transitioning, but less than one in three (28 percent) of current active-duty service members have made a transition plan, according to another

University of Phoenix survey of more than 1,000 past and active service members, 138 of whom identified as active duty. To prepare themselves for the private sector, veterans should consider:

1. Putting a plan in place before leaving the military

2. Getting additional career-specific training and education to add to military skill sets

3. Preparing for the job search and civilian work life.

"A transition plan is essential for veterans making the leap from a military career to the civilian workforce but employers also need to take steps to ensure that a candidate's military experience is matched appropriately to the civilian position," said Such. "It isn't always easy for returning military service members to know how to market their skills and employers may not instinctively know how those skills translate. The good news is that there are a number of resources out there to support veterans and employers in speaking the same language during the interview and job placement process."

Higher education and employers can play a critical role in providing resources to those who have served, as well as the opportunities they need to successfully transition to civilian careers

civilian careers.

Learn More
To learn about educational tools available to help military service members take charge of their search for a meaningful career, The American Legion and AMVETS provide great resources. A variety of career services can be located through their Veteran Employment Center. For more information, visit www.legion. org/careers or www.amvets. org/careercenter.



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www.townofcharlton.net/ opportunities.htm to **Town Administrator Robin L. Craver Town of Charlton 37 Main Street**

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