

# Community mourns passing of longtime police officer

BY DONNA RHODES  
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BRISTOL – It was a solemn day in several local communities last Thursday, as family members, close friends, law enforcement officers and residents alike mourned the loss of 52-year-old Barry Douglas Tanner, a man who served for 30 years as a well-respected police officer and youth advocate in Plymouth, Haverhill, Holderness and Bristol.

Sgt. Tanner died on Thursday, March 23, from complications following a medical incident that occurred a week earlier.

According to his obituary, Barry was born in Boston, Mass. on Feb. 7, 1971. After graduating from Middleborough High School, where he was a member of their football team, he went on to play football for Plymouth State College, played semi-pro football for the Middleborough Cobras and even “dabbled in amateur wrestling, where he became known as “Lumberjack Jack Tanner.”

It was during his time in Plymouth in 1993 that he first was inspired to become a part time police officer. That opportunity led him to the New Hampshire Police Standards and Training Academy where he and his friend Steve Lefebvre (the eventual police chief in Plymouth) were members of the 102nd graduating class.

Barry was first hired as a fulltime officer for the Haverhill, N.H. Police Dept. in 1994 and remained

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Students of Newfound Memorial Middle School stood silently on Lake Street last Thursday afternoon as a procession of multiple law enforcement agencies, led by Bristol Police Department, made their way to a Celebration of Life for Det. Sgt. Barry Tanner, who passed away suddenly on March 23.

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# Ashland selectmen appoint committees to study police station, ambulance services

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ASHLAND — The Ashland selectmen dealt with a long list of issues at their April 3 meeting, including the establishment of committees to study a new police station and ambulance services, the reevaluation of the town, and a sewer system development charge.

The board voted to establish a committee to study a new police station. Selectmen Andrew Fitch, who chaired the meeting, described the present police facility as very inadequate. Town Manager Fred Welch noted that the Town’s insurance company has said that it may no longer insure the present police station if changes are not made. Suggestions for members on the committee included Police Chief Ulwick, Selectman Fitch, former selectman Alan Cilley (who has done a lot of work on the issue) and a member of the public.

The voters approved the purchase of a new ambulance at the March town election. Fire Chief Steve Heath explained that the firefighters had spoken to two vendors and planned to meet with a third vendor soon. He hoped to have a proposal for an ambulance to present to the selectmen at their next meeting. Because of the demand for ambulances, costs have risen and it may take ten to thirty months for delivery. Welch reported that Grafton County has surplus funds from Covid-19 that they would like to spend on fire equipment, including ambulances.

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# Bohlmann named Division III First Team All-State

BY JOSHUA SPAULDING  
Sports Editor

REGION — At the conclusion of the 2022-23 girls’ basketball season, the New Hampshire Basketball Coaches Organization announced the recipients of All-State Awards and there were a number of local athletes on the lists.

In Division III, First Team honors went to Winnisquam’s Lauren MacDonald and Newfound’s Malina Bohlmann.

Earning Honorable Mention for Division III were Vanessa Flanders of Gilford, Ella Miaszek, Sophia Capsalis and Ella Smith of Prospect Mountain, Makena Peare of Berlin and

Ainsley Savage of White Mountains Regional.

Also earning First Team honors were Brynn Rautiola (Player of the Year) and Emma Tenters of Conant and Alyssa Paquette and Kiley Bundy of Stevens.

Second Team honors went to Emma Smith, Sarah Muir and Lilli Carlile of Concord Christian, Bailee Soucia of Monadnock, Ella Stocker of Kearsarge and Shaylee Murdough of Hopkinton.

Honorable Mention also went to Taylor Fellows of Newport, Maddie Carmichael and Elise Miner of Hopkinton, Bree Lawrence of Monadnock, Tessa Mari-

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Malina Bohlmann was named Division III All-State First Team for her senior season.

# Plymouth State Students compete in annual Rail Jam after snow delay



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From left, Rail Jam competitors Jack Czarnecki, Alex Wasylko, Abby Halloran, Griffin Gamache, Tyler White and Alden Dimick sported a newly designed bib as part of this year’s event at Plymouth State University on March 3. The competitors’ bib was designed by students on the MAPS Graphic Design team.

PLYMOUTH — The Marketing Association of Plymouth State (MAPS) hosted its annual Rail Jam competition at a section of the campus in Holderness, New Hampshire on Friday, March 3.

With snow park elements provided by Waterville Valley Resort and snow features sculpted by the PSU Physical Plant crew, about 75 student competitors navigated rails and performed tricks for prizes and special giveaways. And an estimated

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# Join the NLRA for spring migration birding at Grey Rocks!

HEBRON — Join local birders Tom McShane & Suzanne Smith for a birding walk at Grey Rocks Conservation Area, Tuesday, April 11, 8-10:30 a.m. Spring migration will bring a host of species to the Newfound Watershed over the next two months. Some will stay for breeding, but others are just passing through—now is a great chance to

become familiar with both groups! Participants will explore the trails at Grey Rocks using their eyes and ears to locate and identify birds. Tom and Suzanne will share their tips for bird ID and enthusiasm for exploring Newfound in all seasons. This event is geared toward all people with an interest in exploring the natural world. Registration is required for this event—register and find more information including other upcoming events at [NewfoundLake.org/events](http://NewfoundLake.org/events) or call 603-744-8689.

NLRA works to protect the high-quality waters of Newfound Lake and its watershed, maintaining a healthy and diverse ecosystem. Along with educational programming like guided walks and paddles, NLRA monitors water quality, conserves land, manages stormwater pollution, and monitors for invasive species. For more than 50 years, NLRA has been protecting Newfound Lake, and the results of that conservation are as clear as Newfound's water. You can learn more about NLRA's initiatives at [NewfoundLake.org](http://NewfoundLake.org).

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## NHSaves Button Up workshop hosted by Blazing Star Grange

DANBURY — Button Up New Hampshire, the popular home energy savings workshop series, is coming to Danbury. The Blazing Star Grange is presenting this free

workshop for residents and it will take place on Sunday, April 23 from 2-3:30 p.m. at the Grange Hall at 15 North Rd. in Danbury. The Grange will also be offering

some energy conservation door prizes. The workshop is sponsored by NHSaves and coordinated statewide by the Plymouth Area Renewable Energy Initiative (PAREI).

NHSaves is a collaboration of New Hampshire's electric and natural gas utilities (Eversource, Liberty Utilities, NH Electric Cooperative and Unitil). The utilities are working together to provide New Hampshire customers with information, incentives, and support designed to save energy, reduce costs, and protect the NH environment. PAREI of Plymouth is working with local groups around the state to bring these workshops to the public on behalf of New Hampshire's utilities.

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this informative workshop."

The local workshop organizer, Blazing Star Grange, said, "We are bringing this workshop to Danbury because it offers valuable and practical information about how to save energy and reduce costs while making our homes more comfortable. The information about available funding can also help make these improvements possible for more people. With the high cost of energy, efficiency is now more important than ever. We hope many people will take the time to attend


The workshop is free and no registration is necessary. For more information on the Danbury event, email [blazingstargrange71@gmail.com](mailto:blazingstargrange71@gmail.com) or call/text 512-676-7722. For other NHSaves Button Up Workshops visit [https://nhsaves.com/learn/?resource\\_type=events](https://nhsaves.com/learn/?resource_type=events). Workshop organizers also recommend the public sign up with NHSaves Facebook and Twitter pages for up to date information on energy saving tips and programs.

## Grafton County announces pandemic emergency relief funding for small businesses

REGION — Grafton County has received an allocation of American Rescue Plan Act – Local Fiscal Recovery funds. The Grafton County Commissioners and Executive Committee have authorized \$500,000 in Pandemic Emergency Relief funding to be made available to qualifying small businesses located in Grafton County.


The goal of this funding is to provide grants in amounts between \$1,000 and \$20,000 to small businesses located in Grafton County to reopen or recover from negative economic impacts linked to the COVID-19 pandemic. Small businesses interested in this opportunity should visit Grafton County's Web site at [www.co.grafton.nh.us](http://www.co.grafton.nh.us) to view the eligibility requirements, terms and conditions, and the application. For questions and additional information not available on our website, please contact County Administrator, Julie Libby by email at [jlibby@graftoncounytynh.gov](mailto:jlibby@graftoncounytynh.gov) or by calling (603) 787-6941. Applications can be submitted until April 28.

The Grafton County Commissioners are very excited to be able to provide this money to small businesses in our community to help them recover from the ongoing effects of the COVID pandemic.



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# Pease Library hosting discussion on sustainability in American literature

PLYMOUTH — What is sustainability and how has American literature shaped our understanding of this concept, in ways both surprising and disturbing? This interactive program, co-sponsored by Pease Public Library and Plymouth Historical Society, begins with a discussion of current ideas about sustainability. Then, we will go back in time to examine Thomas Jefferson's vision of American agricultural

abundance, which he contrasted with an overpopulated and under-resourced Europe.

Throughout the 19th and early 20th centuries, writers such as Walt Whitman and Charlotte Perkins Gilman drew on Jefferson's agrarian vision to respond to sustainability crises of their time. But, in doing so, they depicted selective breeding and racial "improvement" as the solution to the population crises and the path

to agricultural plenty. We will explore this particularly eugenic conception of sustainability and discuss what new or different versions of sustainability might prove more useful in our current moment.

This Humanities to Go program is presented by Dr. Abby Goode, an English professor at Plymouth State University. She is the author of "Agrotopias: An American Literary History of Sustainability" (UNC

Press, 2022). She teaches courses in American literature, critical theory, wilderness literature, writing, and sustainability and American food issues. She is a recipient of Plymouth State's Transformative Teaching Award and Distinguished Scholarship Award.

The program is made possible by New Hampshire Humanities, supported in part by the National Endowment for the Humanities. It is free

and open to the public. It will be held at Pease Public Library on Wednesday, April 19 at 7 p.m.

## Ahern, Shokal solid for PSU track at SNHU Twilight Invite

HOOKSETT — Seniors Ian Griffiths (Bedford, Mass.) and Jacob Rigoli (Essex, Vt.) led the Plymouth State University men's outdoor track and field team with top finishes at the SNHU Twilight Invite at Mark Ouellette Stadium on Friday evening.

Griffiths joined senior Justin Shokal (Alexandria), junior Brandon Vachon (Ayer, Mass.) and freshman Zach Hodge (Springfield) to take the first victory of the day for the Panthers in the 4x100-meter relay, with Griffiths blowing past the field in the final straightaway to cross the line in 45.19 seconds. He continued his day in the 100-meter dash with a fifth place showing in 11.31 seconds and capped the day in the 200-meter dash after finishing second in a time of 23.45 seconds.

Rigoli, coming off a second straight indoor All-American season, finished second in both of his events. He had a dominant performance in the discus throw with a toss of 43.06 meters and laid down an impressive mark in the hammer throw of 46.12 meters to begin the young season.

Plymouth State took home three event victories in the non-scoring meet.

Freshman Luke Cloutier (Limerick, Maine) kicked off the day in the 3,000-meter steeplechase with a second place finish in a time of 11:07.58. Senior Mike Olson (Sutton, Mass.) led the way in the mile run after finishing fourth in 4:24.62 while classmate Michael Barrett (Hartford, Conn.) took eighth in 4:28.54. Junior Jyaire Hatcher (Uniondale, N.Y.) won the 400-meter dash in a time of 51.59 seconds and freshman Josh Rebello (North Dighton, Mass.) snagged

third with a time of 53.20 seconds. Sophomore Christian Oglesby (Penacook) and Hodge also placed inside the top six in the 400-meter dash with times of 53.68 and 53.89 seconds, respectively.

Griffiths took fifth in the 100-meter dash with a time of 11.31 seconds, and finished third in the 200-meter dash, crossing the line in 23.45 seconds. Senior Luke Gomes (Litchfield) kicked hard on the final stretch to place second in the 800-meter run in 2:02.44, while Barrett was right on his heels to win the first heat in 2:03.93. Freshman Joel Newman (Natick, Mass.) represented in the 400-meter hurdles to place seventh with a time of 1:08.06. Sophomore Jacob Gallaher (Gambrills, Md.) had a strong race in the 5,000-meter run, keeping up with the lead pack to take fifth overall in a personal best time of 15:40.40.

The foursome of Griffiths, Hodge, Shokal and Vachon claimed victory in the 4x100-meter relay in a blazing time of 45.19 seconds. The 4x400-meter squad of Oglesby, Rebello, Hatcher and Olson placed second in 3:36.89.

The duo of senior Owen Billin (Meredith) and freshman Nik Snyder (Pelham) took fourth and fifth in the long jump with distances of 5.73 and 5.58 meters, respectively.

Billin also took first in the triple jump with a leap of 12.25 meters. Rigoli took second in both discus and hammer throw with heaves of 43.06 and 46.12 meters.

Freshman Austin

Cornish (Milan) placed sixth in the javelin throw with a launch of 40.68 meters.

The sprinting duo of junior Mackenzie Labrie (Canaan) and freshman Cass Hanson (Stetson, Maine) helped lead the Plymouth State University women's outdoor track and field team with multiple top-10 finishes at the SNHU Twilight Invite at Mark Ouellette Stadium on Friday evening.

Labrie and Hanson struck first when they teamed up with senior Abbey Johnson (Orlando, Fla.) and sophomore Montana Casa (Storrs, Conn.) in the 4x100-meter relay as they coasted to a second place finish in 53.71 seconds.

They continued their dominant performances in the 100-meter dash when Labrie took sixth and Hanson was not far behind in ninth with times of 13.03 and 13.47 seconds.

The two finished the day with top-five finishes in the 200-meter dash when Labrie blazed through the line in 28.47 seconds, with Hanson hot on her heels in 28.58 seconds.

The meet was non-scoring and featured several NCAA Division II programs.

Senior Abby Hurley (Kennebunkport, Maine) took eighth in the mile run in a time of 5:59.84.

Labrie and Hanson placed sixth and ninth in the 100-meter dash in 13.03 and 13.47 seconds, respectively.

Hurley also had a sixth-place finish in the 800-meter run, crossing the line in 2:45.83, while

sophomore Gracie Villareal (Walden, Vt.) and juniors Lexi Marcolini (Milford, Mass.) and Erika Boone (Canton, Mass.) swept seventh through ninth.

Freshman Megan Moynihan (Hingham, Mass.) had a second place finish in the 400-meter hurdles with a time of 1:22.70.

The duo of Labrie and Hanson finished right behind each other in the 200-meter dash in fourth and fifth with times of 28.47 and 28.58 seconds. Junior Emily Philbrook (Penacook) smashed her previous best in the 5,000-meter run by over a minute, breaking the 20-minute mark in 19:43.92 to place eighth overall.

The 4x100-meter relay team of Hanson, Labrie, Johnson and Casa snagged second in a time of 53.71 seconds.

Sophomore Julia Ahern (Plymouth) jumped a personal best height of 1.55 meters in the high jump to place third.

Johnson also had a third-place finish in the triple jump with a leap of 10.12 meters.

Senior Breanna Fearon (Monroe) launched herself into fifth in the hammer throw with a toss of 29.51 meters.

Plymouth State heads to Wenham, Mass. next Saturday, April 8, for the Gordon Invitational.



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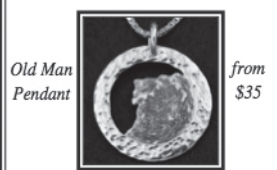
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# Champs loaded up for another season

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PLYMOUTH — While the Plymouth tennis boys return to the courts this season as the defending Division III champions, coach Tony DiNardo knows that last year doesn't mean much when it comes to the new season.

"Reading last year's headlines isn't going to prepare us for the 2023 season," the Bobcat coach said. "We have a lot of experience coming back, but we did lost the top of our lineup."

The Bobcats lost a pair of seniors from the top of the lineup in Anton Smith and Will Fogarty, but the good news for DiNardo is that the Bobcats also have a large core of returning players back in the fold and a couple of juniors ready to take the next step to those top spots.

Leo Ebner and Chance Twomey played in the third and fourth spots in the lineup last year and will be looked at to move up to the top spots this season.

"They had outstanding sophomore campaigns and they are looking forward to the challenge of moving up the ladder and playing in those top two spots," DiNardo said. "Those one and two players almost never get a match off."

Last season, depth was a key strength for the Bobcats and it will be key for the success of this year's team as well, as DiNardo has 12 of the 15 players from last year returning to the courts.

Junior Charlie Cushing is moving up the ladder, along with Jack Swanson, who both played in the singles last year for the Bobcats. Fellow junior Brennan Johnson and senior Spencer Inwood also earned playing time in doubles and singles last year and will be asked to take a step forward this season.

They will be joined by exchange student Sami Lekkol, who will be in the mix for the top six in his first year on the courts for Plymouth. Juniors Declan Ulricson, Max Levin and Xander Tirrell are also looking to make their marks on the program as well.

Senior Dash Ough is also back and classmate Gianni Ciotti is out for tennis for the first time. Junior Adam Frazeur is also out for the first time, while sophomores Grady Marunowski, Connor Johnson and Gordon Love also are looking to get on the courts.

Freshmen Nolan Johnson, Collin Lane, Sebastian Eisenbarth, JD Doherty, Jackson Bouchard and Phoenix

Mitchell will also be in the mix on this year's squad.

"Hopefully the kids will all get some chances to play some exhibition matches and we're trying to schedule some JV matches if possible," DiNardo stated, noting it is tough to get some extra matches against D3 teams that don't have enough players.

The Bobcats will be playing two matches each with Moultonborough, White Mountains, Profile, Inter-Lakes, Littleton and Kennett and single matches each with Gilford and Monadnock.

"We're hoping to continue to build off of last year and continue to strive to be better every day," DiNardo said. "They believe in this team, the team comes first."

The season kicked off after deadline on Monday at home against Moultonborough. They play again on Monday, April 10, at White Mountains, will host Profile on Wednesday, April 12, and will be at Moultonborough on Thursday, April 13, all at 4 p.m.

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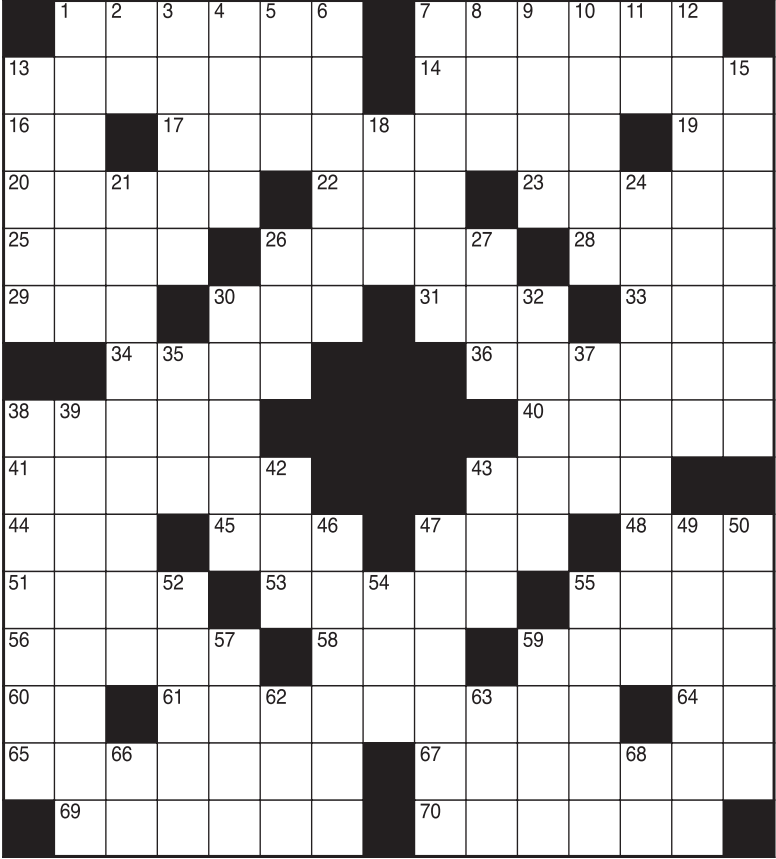
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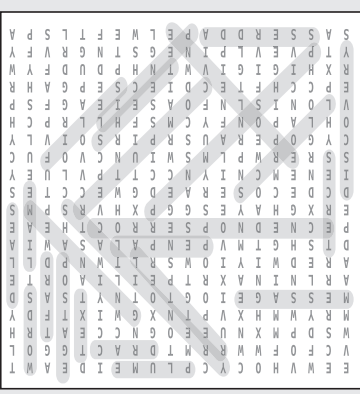
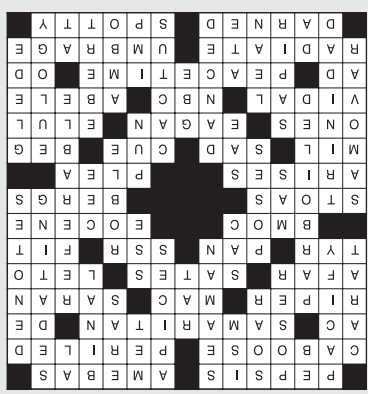
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## This Week's Answers





# Senior quartet set to lead Plymouth tennis girls

BY JOSHUA SPAULDING  
Sports Editor

PLYMOUTH — Once again, the Plymouth girls' tennis team has plenty of depth, as coach Diane DiNardo welcomes 25 girls to the courts as the season gets under way.

"All have shown a lot of enthusiasm and desire to learn the game," DiNardo said. "The returning players would like to see us make it further into tournament play, after making it to the quarterfinals last year."

The team's four returning seniors will all be in the battle for the top six spots in the lineup and will also be serv-

ing as the team's captains this spring. Those returning seniors are Sophia Inwood, Rhianon Harris, Samantha Sanborn and Jenna Benoit.

"They all are strong players and are already showing improvement from last year," DiNardo said. "They are very excited to get on the courts and start playing."

Juniors Emma Smith, Abey Gordon, Kerry Tole and Hailey Guilbert all got some experience on last year's team and will be looking to secure spots in the top six and should see ample time on the courts. Fellow juniors Christine Kuan and Katie Park are also

working hard in the pre-season looking to earn their time.

Sophomore Kate Ricotta, Rylie Langford and Kelina Donnelly all played on the team as freshmen and will be joined by classmate Leea Bakhahi, who is out for the team for the first time.

DiNardo also has 11 freshmen on the roster this year in Amanda Ahern, Addy Allain, Athena Ball, Sophia Brown, Sophia Kelsey, Adrienne Lee, Claire Miller, Hannah Pickard, Izzy Son, Nellie Stanley and Elliott Sutherland.

The Bobcats will play two games each with Inter-Lakes, White Moun-

tain, Profile, Kennett and Moultonborough and single games against Littleton, Kearsarge, St. Thomas and Gilford.

The season kicked off after deadline on Wednesday, April 5, against Profile and continues on Friday, April 7, at home against Inter-Lakes and at home against White Mountains on Monday, April 10, before a trip to Profile on Wednesday, April 12, all with 4 p.m. scheduled start times.

*Sports Editor Joshua Spaulding can be reached at 279-4516, ext. 155 or josh@salmonpress.news.*

# Newfound seeking Hall of Fame nominations

BRISTOL — The Newfound Hall of Fame Selection Committee will be meeting later this spring. Nominations for people/teams deserving of recognition are still being accepted until April 28. The nomination forms can be found on the NRHS Athletics web site by clicking on the "Hall of Fame" tab at the top of the page.

The Newfound Regional High School Athletics Hall of Fame provides a means by which to recognize the significant contributions of athletes, coaches, teams and contributors to Bristol High School, Newfound Memorial High School and Newfound Regional High School while reinforcing a sense of history and tradition. This event is annually held during Homecoming Weekend.

# MSHC and LRH hosting free skin cancer screening clinic

PLYMOUTH — One in five Americans will develop skin cancer, making it the most common type of cancer in the United States. To help raise awareness of protecting your skin and preventing skin cancer, Mid-State Health Center and Littleton Regional Healthcare have partnered to host a free skin screening clinic in the early spring.

Littleton's Board-Certified ENT and Facial Plastic Surgeon Patrick Fitzpatrick, DO, will be at Mid-State Health Center to provide free skin cancer screenings. The clinic will be held at Mid-State's Bristol Office, 100 Robie Rd., on May 1 from 3 to 5 p.m.

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## CADY Corner

# Social host laws increasingly include marijuana

BY DEB NARO  
Contributor

April is Alcohol Awareness month and one way we can work to prevent teens from drinking is to prevent easy access to alcohol. Your child wants to have a group of friends over or throw a party at your home but there can be consequences if alcohol is consumed in the home by minors, and increasingly, states are expanding social host laws to include marijuana. These laws hold homeowners, parents, guardians, or landowners accountable for underage substance use on their property. Adults can be held responsible even if they don't provide alcohol or marijuana to minors or are unaware that these substances are being used in their homes.

Social hosts in towns in some towns in California can face up to six months in jail and a fine of \$1,000 for serving anyone under the age of 21 alcohol or marijuana. Additionally, the person who hosted the party may be required to pay any expenses incurred by law enforcement. An adult may also be responsible if anyone gets hurt. This means they may have to cover medical or hospital bills and the value of lost or damaged property. They may also have to pay for any damages related to pain and suffering.

Connecticut's law states that it may be a crime for parents or other adults to allow anyone under the age of 21 to possess or use marijuana on their property.

As legalization spreads across the country more cities and states are debating this issue. It's best to check your city and/or state's social host law to understand what applies to you.

What actions can parents and other caregivers take? There are several actions you can take to protect yourself and your child. Establish ground rules within your household where it is understood by all members (including adult children) that underage youth may not use nicotine, alcohol, marijuana, or other substances.

Learn about your state's marijuana and alcohol laws and trends in youth use. Talk with your teen about alcohol and marijuana and try to understand their point of view. Lay out your expectations, rules and consequences in clear terms.

Be at home when your teen has a party and check in often. Refreshing food and drinks are a good way to see what is going on. If your child attends a party or a gathering where alcohol or marijuana is being used, let them know that they will not face punishment if they call to be picked up. Consider role-playing what your child might say to help them avoid substance use without feeling shame or pressure from their peers.

If you are going to be away for an evening or overnight, ask a neighbor, relative or another trusted adult to check in on your teen. If that's not possible, consider having your teen spend the night in a home where there is adult supervision. Reach out to their friends' parents and create a network in which social hosting is unacceptable. Like minded adults will agree to supervise substance-free gatherings of teens.

Be prepared to hear complaints such as "You're too strict. Other parents allow it," "Why are you making such a big deal out of it? Everyone knows marijuana is harmless and it's safer than drinking." Let your child know that you aren't trying to control them or make them miserable, but that you are only concerned for their health and safety. And, while there may be some known "party houses" in your community where the adults buy substances for teens or look the other way, you're likely to find that most adults agree with your stance.

For additional tips on how to talk to your child about the harms of alcohol and marijuana, visit our website at cadyinc.org. If you, or someone you know, struggles with substance misuse or addiction, please call 2-1-1 or the Doorway at (603-934-8905) for help. You can also connect with Plymouth Area Recovery Connection (PARC), our local recovery center, located at Whole Village Family Resource Center in Plymouth at info@parcnh.org or 603-238-3555. To learn about prevention, treatment, and recovery resources in the Central New Hampshire, visit Findwell NH at findwellnh.org.

## Pemi Valley DAR learns about NH's covered bridges

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Pemigewasset Valley Chapter, NSDAR, and many members of the public enjoyed a wonderful program on April 1, given by Kim Chandler, author and photographer, of "Covered Bridges of New Hampshire." Chandler's slide presentation was very informative, comprehensive and highlighted the bridges of the Pemigewasset River Valley in Ashland, Campton, and Plymouth. Chapter Regent, Deborah Plimmer, was delighted to present a



signed copy of Covered Bridges of New Hampshire to Diane Lynch, Director of the Pease Library. It won't be long before it's catalogued and on the shelves! Membership in the Daughters of the American Revolution is open to any woman 18 years or older who can prove lineal descent from a Patriot of the American Revolution. For more information please contact Paula Woodward at woodwardpm1@gmail.com. Pictured, left to right, are Deborah Plimmer, Diane Lynch, and Kim Chandler.



## In the Spotlight

BY GARY JESSEMAN  
Contributing Writer

It's getting to be that time again when the lights will dim, and the curtain will go up on another season of incredible summer theater. I for one can't wait! Below I list (in alphabetical order) what's on stage at 4 fairly close by summer theaters.

Let's start with Interlakes Theatre in Meredith: "Fiddler on the Roof" (July 5-16), "Kinky Boots" (July 19-30), "South Pacific" (Aug. 2-13) and "Footloose" (Aug. 16-30). The theatre

is located in the main auditorium of Interlakes High School on Route 25 in Meredith.

Next comes Jean's Playhouse in Lincoln: "The Wizard of Oz" In Concert, Outdoors, against the gorgeous backdrop of the White Mountains, (July 6-8, rain date July 9), Stephen Sondheim's "Into the Woods" (July 13-29), "Legally Blonde" (Aug. 3-19) and "On Golden Pond" (Aug. 24-Sept. 2).

Take a trip to Ogunquit, Maine, and the iconic and historical Ogunquit Playhouse. Last year's smash hit "Beautiful-the Carole

King Story" continues its regional premiere from May 11 through June 10.

The amazing 91st season opens with the classic "Singin' in the Rain" (June 15-July 15), "On Your Feet! The Gloria and Emilio Estefan Story" (July 20-August 19), the American Premiere of Dan Brown's "The DaVinci Code" (Aug. 24-Sept. 23) and finally the Regional Premiere of "Tootsie" (Sept. 28-Oct. 29).

Back in New Hampshire, enjoy some entertainment in the woods of Meredith, at Winnipesaukee Playhouse:

The return of the hit "Mama Mia!" (June 15-July 8), "Shout! The Mod Musical" (July 12-22 in the outdoor amphitheater), "Murder on the Orient Express" (July 27-Aug. 12), "Driving Miss Daisy" (Aug. 16-26 in the outdoor amphitheater), "Sweeney Todd" (Aug. 31-Sept. 9) and "The Glass Menagerie" (Sept. 14-24).

And there you have it. Some great titles, and I'm sure some amazing performances await us this summer. Please support these and any other theaters near you. Watch for my reviews here in this newspaper.

## Letters to the Editor

### Help is needed to bring musician-led NH Music Festival to life

To the Editor:

As longtime attendees of the New Hampshire Music Festival, my wife and I thoroughly enjoyed every concert or presentation we attended and have considered the orchestra and its members as wonderfully skilled and motivated to continue the tradition as a genuine asset to the region for over 70 years that they represent.

Although the festival board several weeks ago reluctantly announced the financial decision to end the festival, a working group of orchestra members began to create plans for the festival's programs to continue for a three-week season this

coming July. Inspired by their love for and their long service to the festival, that working group seems to be acting on a familiar quotation that notes: "Opportunities don't happen, you create them." And that is exactly what they are doing.

Those plans are well along, but they really need help from festival fans just like my wife and me to make this happen. I hope those fans will consider joining this uphill effort by sending what you can to the festival at P.O. Box 64 in Plymouth to keep the music alive.

George Blaisdell  
Bridgewater

### Congratulations to Michael Delaney

To the Editor:

Congrats to Michael Delaney of New Hampton on his election representing New Hampton in the SAU 4 Newfound School Election for school board. Everyone kept asking during the election who he was. He didn't announce, campaign, send a letter to the Editor introducing himself, or publicly ask for your vote. I had not met him before, but since the recount, I have had several conversations with him, including a lovely dinner with him and his significant other. I am confident he will rise to the challenge but has quite the learning curve. I have offered to assist in any way. I suspect he is cut from the same cloth as I am. I wish him well. I am not going away and will stay actively involved in Sau 4 issues.

You will be hearing more about the process of this election. First off, I do not believe there was any improper involvement by any town election official. However, the final result was me

losing by four votes. There are seven towns in the district. I won Bristol, New Hampton, Bridgewater, Groton, Alexandria, lost Danbury by three votes, and was creamed with almost 80 percent of the Hebron vote against me. It is so far out of whack that "something" happened to impact Hebron. Once established it was not a counting error; there will be an investigation into how that count is so suspicious and what caused it. Was there illegal interference that impacted the result? That will be for the Attorney General to look into. Again, there is no indication of election officials causing this. More to come!

I do thank the voters who voted for me. I totally enjoyed my three years serving on the school board and would have like to see the Bridgewater School issue and the space needs issue through, but I am sure Michael will do just fine.

Fran Wendelboe  
New Hampton

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# Comfort Keepers

## Ten activities for seniors with dementia or Alzheimer's

BY MARTHA SWATS  
Owner/Administrator  
Comfort Keepers

According to the Alzheimer's Association, it's important to implement routine and creative daily schedules to those who may be dealing with Alzheimer's or Dementia. Routines and creativity can help seniors stay focused, promote relaxation, and decrease the risk of depression. At the same time, one can bring joy, purpose, and positivity to a daily routine.

In these routines, there are plenty of ways for family caregivers to cherish great moments and memories together. Start with simple and fun activities that provide joy, mental and physical stimulation, and boost emotional well-being.

Keep in mind that the activities may also change according to a senior's mood, physical and mental abilities. It's important to keep having open discussions and list what brings them joy and what they're capable of doing that given day – that way, seniors can still have fun and feel engaged.

For example, we all know that social interaction is essential, but if an individual is having a more challenging day, consider meeting with smaller circles of people instead of larger social gatherings. It's also important to combine activities inside and outside with a caregiver or loved ones who can help.

Here are 10 activities seniors with Dementia and Alzheimer's can do with caregivers or loved ones to bring joy and consistency into their everyday lives:

Listen to some favorite music  
We all appreciate the gift of song. According to the Mayo Clinic, music can also reduce stress by lightening the mood of the caregiver and the senior. If a senior has a particular type of music they enjoy, put an album on and listen with them. Sing along or incorporate a bit of movement for added benefit and fun.

Arrange flowers in bouquets  
As simple as it sounds, arranging flowers in a bouquet is an excellent activity that stimulates positivity and joy. Perfect for those with Alzheimer's or dementia, this activity is creative, stress-free, and engages the mind and brain, reducing agitation and promoting a feeling of safety.

Talk about childhood, family, school, or pets  
Engaging in conversations about pleasant memories encourages self-expression and positive thinking. Asking questions about their childhood or family can support those memories and help a person feel connected to their experiences. And it's great for family bonding.

Look at old family photo albums  
Looking at old family photos can also be an excellent way to bring a senior joy! You can ask them about family members and events or admire the pictures together.

Bake cookies or bread  
It's always nice to have the house smell like baked treats, and the familiar scents of one's favorite bread or cookies can stimulate their senses and make them feel happier. Try making simpler recipes together and put on some music while you bake.

Take a walk outside

People with Alzheimer's and Dementia need to engage with the outdoors and get in a little bit of exercise, and this activity accomplishes both. Whether it's a walk around the neighborhood or just down the block, getting outside boosts endorphins, which are excellent for reducing anxiousness.

Water plants  
Help a senior feel accomplished and engaged with the outdoors, especially if they can't do strenuous physical activity. Watering plants is another way they can interact with plants and colors.

Sit on the porch and drink coffee, hot chocolate, or lemonade  
Activities don't always have to be "active." Getting out to enjoy a refreshing drink is an easy way to get some fresh air; the taste – like the smell – is a potent memory booster.

Play catch or toss a ball around  
If a senior can perform slightly more intense physical activities, tossing a ball around in the front or backyard can be a great way to spend time together and exercise. Try tossing a larger,

lighter ball that's easier to throw and catch.

Do a simple table activity like a puzzle or arrange colored letters  
Puzzles are excellent brain engagers. You can sit at a table on the porch or in the living room and do a puzzle with fun pictures and colors or arrange colored letters around – they don't even have to make words! Fun activities like these ease agitation and provide a feeling of accomplishment.

These activities all have a similar goal – supporting peace of mind, independence, and engagement while simultaneously providing safety and positivity.

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# What's in a name? More than you think

Picture this: You've been granted an opportunity to travel back in time, and you find yourself face-to-face with none other than Napoleon Bonaparte, the legendary French emperor. As you stand in awe of him, you notice he's captivated by your name. He leans in, furrowing his brow, "Pardon, I didn't quite catch your name." You eagerly repeat it, and as you turn to leave, you catch a glimpse of him pulling out a notepad. He scribbles down your name, briefly describing your appearance and the intriguing subjects you discussed.

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topics, sharing stories and insights for over an hour. As you part ways, you suddenly realize you've completely forgotten their name!

In the grand scheme of things, it seems impossible to remember every name that crosses our path. We may consider it trivial, believing it's just a tiny, inconsequential detail. But what if I told you that the key to unlocking your wildest dreams and aspirations might lie in remembering someone's name?

Dale Carnegie, author of the groundbreaking bestseller "How to Win Friends and Influence People," shares a captivating insight: "A person's name is to that person the sweetest and most important sound in any language."

While writing his book, Carnegie sought the wisdom of Jim Farley, a man who, at age 46, had already been given honorary degrees from four universities, held the title of Chairman of the Democratic Committee, and served as the Postmaster General of the United States.

Intrigued by Farley's meteoric rise, Carnegie inquired, "What's the secret to your success?" Farley quipped, "Hard work!" Carnegie, unamused, retorts, "Don't be funny."

Turning the tables, Farley asked Carnegie for his take on the reason for his success. Carnegie ventures, "I understand you can call 10,000 people by their first names."

Stunned by the underestimation, Farley corrects him: "No, you're wrong; I can call 50,000 people by their first names."

When Farley encountered a new face, he would commit their full name to memory and intimate details about their family, their line of work, and any other tidbits he could glean. He meticulously recorded these nuggets of information. Whether it was months or years later, he could effortlessly reconnect with these individuals, asking after their families and reminiscing about their shared conversations. This uncanny ability left a lasting impression on everyone he met.

Remembering someone's name is the ultimate demonstration of care and consideration. Carnegie says, "The average person is more interested in their name than in all the other names on Earth combined. Remember that name and call it easily; you've paid a subtle but

very effective compliment. But forget it or misspell it, and you've placed yourself at a sharp disadvantage."

You may think I have a terrible memory. I could never do that! Well, Napoleon and Jim Farley had to take notes. Remembering names wasn't a natural talent. It was a skill they consciously developed.

By developing this skill, you'd instantly set yourself apart from the crowd, creating unforgettable impressions and nurturing lasting connections.

In a world where so many things compete for our attention, remembering a name can be a game-changer. It's an investment in building meaningful relationships and a testament to your genuine interest in others.

By harnessing the power of names, you unlock a world of possibilities and turn every encounter into an oppor-

tunity. So, take a stand against the sea of forgotten names, and become that rare individual who

can captivate hearts and minds by always remembering the names of those you meet.

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CDs can be part of your investment strategy

In the financial world, stocks and stock-based mutual funds often get a lot of attention. And deservedly so, because they often form the core of a portfolio. But to help achieve your goals, you may also want to consider a broader array of investments — one of which may be a certificate of deposit (CD).

As you may know, a CD earns interest on a lump sum for a designated period. You can purchase CDs whose maturities range from a few months to 10 or more years. Generally, the longer-term the CD, the higher the interest rate, although this isn't always the case.

In recent years, CD rates have been pretty low, reflecting the overall interest-rate environment. But now, as the Federal Reserve has repeatedly raised interest rates to combat inflation, CD rates are rising, too. In fact, one-year

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CDs can currently be found paying in the 5% range — a rate that hasn't been seen in more than 15 years. Later in 2023, though, if the Fed eases up on rate hikes, or perhaps even starts reversing them, CD rates could fall again.

You can purchase a CD from a bank or buy a "brokered" CD from a financial services provider. The income you receive from a CD may be its main attraction, especially if the rates remain elevated for a while. But there's another key advantage to owning CDs: They can help diversify a portfolio of stocks and stock mutual funds that are generally more susceptible to movements in the financial markets. A portfolio that contains CDs, as well as bonds and government securities, can help reduce the effects of market volatility. Keep in mind, though, that

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diversification can't guarantee profits or prevent losses in a declining market.


While adding individual CDs can be valuable, you might get a greater benefit from a more strategic approach known as laddering. You can build a CD ladder by buying a series of CDs that mature at different dates in the future — perhaps one month, three months, six months, nine months and 12 months out, or an even longer-term ladder of one to five years. In either case, as one CD matures, you can use the money if you need it or reinvest it to another "rung" on your ladder. If interest rates are up, the reinvestment option might be appealing, but if the available CD rates are lower than your maturing CDs, you could find better uses for your money. And you'd still have your lon-

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ger-term CDs, possibly paying higher rates, working for you. You must evaluate whether a CD ladder and the securities held within it are consistent with your investment objectives, risk tolerance and financial circumstances.

The amount of space occupied by CDs in your portfolio should depend somewhat on your stage of life. If you're a long way from retirement, you may want to own a larger percentage of growth-oriented investments. But once you're retired and getting more income from your portfolio becomes more important, you might find a greater need for CDs.

In any case, CDs may prove useful to your overall financial strategy — so give them some thought.



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# Talk of the Towns

## News from our Local Correspondents

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We have certainly been getting an interesting mixture of weather this week. Best part of it is that not only is the snow on the ground melting away, the mudholes in the roads are drying up! Have patience folks, the road crews will be out there grading those ruts away. If it's done too soon, it'll only make everything worse, especially if we get a lot of rain.

#### Town

Board of Selectmen meeting Tuesday, April 18 at 6 p.m. in the Municipal Building.

Planning Board meeting Wednesday, April 19 at 6 p.m. in the Municipal Building.

All meetings are open to the public unless otherwise noted.

#### Alexandria UMC

The young ladies, and adult advisors of Pemigewasset Assembly # 28 NH IORG (Rainbow Girls) joined our Palm Sunday Service on April 2. IORG was founded on April 6, 1922, and they have chosen the Sunday closest to April 6 to celebrate worldwide.

There will be a Maundy Thursday service on Thursday, April 6, at 7 p.m.

Friday, April 7 at 7 p.m., Good Friday will be celebrated at the Weirs Church. There will also be a sunrise service on the Docks of the Weirs Beach on Sunday, April 9.

Sunday, April 9 at 9 a.m., Easter services will be led by Pastor Mark Lamprey at AUMC.

There will be no Sunday School today.

That's it for news this week folks! Hope you have a happy and blessed week ahead! Have a wonderful Easter, however you celebrate. Be kind in your words and deeds, for you never know who is having a rough day.

### Ashland

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Easter Dinner at Legion

The Dupuis Cross Post of the American Legion will serve an Easter Eve Ham and Beans Supper from 5 to 7 p.m. on Saturday, April 8, in the Legion Hall at 37 Main St. The menu includes homemade beans and bread, and carrot cake for dessert. The cost is \$12 per person.

#### Story Time at Library

The Ashland Town Library will hold a storytime for children at 3 p.m. on Monday, April 10, with stories, crafts, activities and a snack.

#### Wool Dryer Ball Workshop

The Town Library will present a Wool Dryer Ball Workshop from 10 a.m. to noon on Saturday, April 15. All supplies are included. But space is limited, so registration is necessary.

#### Legion Breakfast

The American Legion Post will serve its monthly breakfast from 7 to 11 a.m. on Sunday, April 16, in the Legion Hall. The cost is \$8 for an adult, \$6 for a senior and \$4 for a child.

#### Historic Photo Exhibit

The Ashland Historical Society has mounted a new exhibit of historic Ashland photographs at the Utility Office on Collins Street. The ten photos of Early Motor Vehicles mostly depict automobiles, but also include a 1930's fire truck and the bus of the Asquam Transportation Company, which ferried passengers between the railroad station and the steamboat company's boathouse on River Street. The exhibit can be seen during the regular business hours of the Utility Office.

### Bristol

Al Blakeley  
Adblakeley0@gmail.com

I saw my first robin of this Spring today! This has always been my fondest remembrance of my first days of Spring. The start of fishing sea-

son is another, but that is probably more of a personal favorite. The ice will probably be out of the big lakes this week also. I am wishing that the snow on my front lawn would disappear this week also! Happy Easter, everyone! If none of these are your sure sign of Spring, I would like to hear about yours.

All dogs need to be registered by April 30 at the Bristol Town Clerk's office. Fines will be posted after that. Please make sure you have a current rabies certificate at registration.

Recurring events at the Minot-Sleeper Library include: Knot Only Knitters on Mondays from 2:30-4:30 p.m., Storytime on Wednesdays at 10:30 a.m., Mah Jongg on Wednesdays from 1-3 p.m., Scrabble with Jenna on Thursdays from 10:30 - 11:30 a.m., Lego Club on Fridays at 2:30 p.m. and Quilt Club on Fridays at 1 p.m. The library hosts Poetry Night on the first Tuesday of every month at 6:30 p.m.

Friends of Minot-Sleeper Library Monthly Meeting will be on Monday, April 10 at 10:30 a.m.

The Trustees Meeting will be held on Thursday, April 27, the fourth Thursday of April.

Craft Corner will meet on Tuesday, April 18 at 6 p.m. Use this opportunity to help your creative mind to expand as you may be surprised at all that will be done this day.

'English, the Story of our Language' is a 6-week course instructed by Dr. Bruce Nilsson (B.A.- Bowdoin; Ph.D.- University of Michigan), and will be offered at the Minot-Sleeper Library. The course will explore how grammar and word-meaning have changed over time and how language was and is an integral part of our social, cultural and political world. This class runs on Tuesdays at 3pm from April 18 through May 23. Please call the library at 744-3352 for details and to register for the course.

An Easter egg hunt for all ages will be held on Saturday, April 8 at 1pm at the TTCC on 30 Main St., Bristol. No registration is required, donations accepted at the door. Lots of prizes, candy, and lots of fun will be had including pictures with the 'Easter Bunny', face painting, balloon twisting, a coloring contest and more.

The Bristol United Church invites friends and neighbors in the Newfound Area to come celebrate the good news of the Easter event on Sunday, April 9. The BCC welcome, respect and try to honor people from diverse backgrounds and experiences of faith. Come sing, pray, and hear a positive word. Then, stay for breakfast if you are comfortable in doing so.

Gather on the lawn in front for 6:30am and breakfast will be served by 7:30 a.m.

On Sunday, April 9, Bristol Baptist Church will be holding a Sunrise Service at Bristol Town Square at 6 am followed by a Resurrection Sunday Service in the church at 10 a.m.

Registration is now open for TTCC Baseball, Softball and T-Ball. For details, see the TTCC Baseball/Softball/T-ball page on the TTCC website. The TTCC offers programs from T-Ball to Babe Ruth baseball and softball. T-Ball - ages four, five & six; Rookie Baseball & 8U Softball - ages seven & eight; Minor Baseball and 10U Softball - ages 9 & 10; Major Baseball & 12U Softball - ages 11 & 12; Babe Ruth Baseball and Softball - ages 13 - 16. Age determination: Softball - Jan. 1, Baseball - May 1. The program runs primarily through volunteer efforts. Please consider helping out as a board member, coach, help with concessions, press box, field maintenance and more.

The Bristol Events Committee is getting ready to publish its 2023 Spring & Summer Activity brochure. If you are a non-profit organization holding an event in the Newfound Region between Memorial Day and Labor Day in 2023 you could be included in the next brochure printed and distributed by the Committee. A total of 5000 brochures were distributed in 2022!

Preference will be given to Bristol events, and non-Bristol events occurring in the Newfound Region will be added on a space-available basis. Events must be open to everyone, and either organized by or benefitting a not-for-profit organization. Free events open to the community by a for-profit business may be considered as space allows. Space in the brochure is limited, and all events submitted may not be listed. The Bristol Community Events Committee reserves the right to refuse inclusion in the brochure to any

and all submissions. Please send all event details including: event date, time, place, event name, type of event, target audience, and any fees charged. Be sure to include your contact info - organization name, contact person name, mailing address, phone and email address. Submissions can be sent to: [bristolevents@bristol-nh.gov](mailto:bristolevents@bristol-nh.gov) or [ldion@ttccrec.org](mailto:ldion@ttccrec.org). Deadline for submission is April 12.

I can't believe the college basketball season ended with such close parity among the men and the women. The brackets were busted early and the final teams were not as many fans expected. Many games were very close and hotly contested with surprise 'heroes' in almost every game. There were very few 'incidents' which made them all the more enjoyable.

Now the baseball season is upon us, while the professional hockey and basketball seasons draw to a close. There is always someone or something to cheer for.

### Campton-Thornton

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#### New Hampshire on Skis

Monday, April 17 at 7 p.m., Campton Historical Society, in partnership with the NH Humanities Council, will present New Hampshire on Skis by E. John Allen. Take Scandinavian and Austrian immigrants, the Dartmouth Outing Club, the Cannon Mt Tramway, the muscular Christian, amateur tinkerers, and Professor E. John Allan. Cover it with snow and shake, and you have all the makings of a unique New Hampshire history! Join us and learn about early skiing in the state, the importance of jumping, the mechanization of skiing, and how New England and NH fit into the big picture.

Professor Emeritus of History at Plymouth State University E. John Allen was awarded the international Skiing History Association's Lifetime Achievement Award in 2009. He serves as historian for the New England Ski Museum in Franconia, and is the author of several books, including "From Ski Sport to Skiing: One Hundred Years of an American Sport"; "The Culture and Sport of Skiing from Antiquity to World War II"; "A Historical Dictionary of Skiing"; "Skiing in the Eye of an Artist," published in Vienna in October 2021 and "Traveling the Old Ski Tracks of New England." Allen has served as a consultant to several ski history documentary films.

### Danbury

Donna Sprague  
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#### South Danbury Church

Everyone is invited and welcomed to attend the South Danbury Church's Holy Week worship services. Rev. Gail Kinney will lead their traditional Maundy Thursday / Tenebrae service at the South Danbury Church on Thursday, April 6, at 7 p.m. The brief candlelight service commemorates the night when Jesus observed the Passover meal with his disciples and ends in darkness and reverent silence as the candles are extinguished.

Their Easter Sunday sunrise service will be at 6:15 a.m. on April 9, at the scenic overlook facing Ragged Mountain and Kearsarge, at the intersection of Frazier and Walker Brook Roads in South Danbury. To keep informed of all their news, follow on Facebook at "Friends of the South Danbury Christian Church," watch for the outdoor sign at the church, call/text 603 744-8073, or email [south-danburychurch@gmail.com](mailto:south-danburychurch@gmail.com).

The South Danbury Church, located at 1411 U.S. Route 4 in South Danbury, NH 03230, is listed in the National Register of Historic Places, and is an Open & Affirming Congregation of the United Church of Christ, UCC.

Danbury Winter Market  
The last Danbury Winter Market of this season will be held on May 6 from 9 a.m. to noon. While a few vendors do not join us for the last market, the Merrimack County Conservation District fills the space with the extra plants, trees and bulbs from their fundraiser. While supplies last, there will be extras but no guarantees on quantities. Should you wish to have something and you did not order, email [info@merrimackccd.org](mailto:info@merrimackccd.org) directly. If they still have the items, your order will be set aside for pick-up during market hours.

Off A Bit Farm plans to bring their extra seeds to the market to share. Concentrating their efforts on their goat business, they have decided to garden for their own needs. The market vendors offer a variety of items- all handmade, home baked and made in our neighborhoods. Two floors of crafts and farms, plus lunch and breakfast.

Energy Workshop  
The Blazing Star Grange will host a Button Up NH workshop on Sunday, April 23 at 2 p.m. The hour and a half program gives suggestions on saving energy and homeowner programs available. There will be door prizes for energy conservation items and light refreshments.

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# THE REAL REPORT

RECENT REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

Town	Address	Type	Price	Seller	Buyer
Bristol	30 Beech St., Unit 2A	Condominium	\$25,466	Karyl Court Condo Association	Econo-Homes LLC
Campton	25 Lower Beech Hill Rd.	Single-Family Residence	\$615,800	David J. and Eileen M. Cunis	Coralee and Paul R. Enos
Campton	Richardson Trail	N/A	\$28,000	John and Chelsie Groves	David Sanborn
Holderness	New Discovery Road, Lot 4 N/A		\$50,000	David Court	David E. and Tammy L. Court
Plymouth	Randolph Street (ES)	Residential Developed Land	\$75,000	David D., Jr. and Sharon S. Thorne	Ryan T. and Madison C. Quinn
Thornton	54 Cold Springs Rd.	Single-Family Residence	\$375,000	Lauren and Jacob Josef	Devin Price
Waterville	Valley 21 Mountain Brook Way, Unit 19	Condominium	\$327,533	Jennifer L. and Joshua J. Riff	Barrett J. and Louis E. Gareau

## ABOUT THE REAL REPORT

Here are recent real estate transactions in Alton and the surrounding areas. These sales summaries are informational only, not a legal record. Names shown are usually the first listed in the deed. Sales might in-

volve additional parties or locations. Prices are usually based on tax stamps and might be inaccurate for public agency sales. Refer to actual public documents before forming opinions or relying on this information. Additional publicly recorded information on these sales, prior sales and data from Department of Revenue Administration forms is available at [www.real-data.com](http://www.real-data.com)

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## Towns

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The program is funded by local utilities companies, managed by the Plymouth Area Energy Initiative (PAREI) and is brought to you in our neighborhood by the Blazing Star Grange.

The Blazing Star Grange will hold an open house on the afternoon of Sunday April 30th . Tentative time is 2 p.m. There will be refreshments, membership awards presented, some humor and an introduction of our newest initiative. It seems that Grange farmers market associations and the National Grange program on reducing food waster has produced many conversations leading to a multifaceted endeavor to reduce food waste while also working to make a community commercial kitchen available for value added farm products and inspiring food entrepreneurs. State approved kitchens are often too costly for start-up businesses. Beyond businesses, it is also hoped to have a dehydrator and/or freeze dryer available to individuals. There are many parts to this project: commercial kitchen, personal use of kitchen/dehydrating, composting and reducing landfill food waste, regional marketing campaign and processing gleaned locally raised nutritious foods for community needs. Those avenues with interested volunteers will make the first phase of our multiyear progressive project. Those interested should email [blazingstargrange71@gmail.com](mailto:blazingstargrange71@gmail.com) or call Donna at 512-676-7722.

## Holderness

Fran Taylor 968-3846

Squam Lakes Association trails off Route 113 are closed until conditions improve.

The Daughters of the American Revolution is having a US Flag Retirement Ceremony on April 21 & 22. If you have a US flag that is faded, worn, torn, just tired, you can bring it to Holderness Free Library before April 19 and they will hold it for pick-up.

Open-Water Landlocked Salmon season started on NH large lakes including Squam on Saturday, April 1. Noticed a lonely fisherman out on Little Squam on opening day.

The average high temperature for the month of March was 43.0 degrees, and the low 26.7 degrees. This is 3.6 degrees above normal. The warmest temperature was 55 degrees on the 27th and the coldest 16 degrees on the 20th of the month. Total snowfall was 31 inches, which is 12.1 inches above normal. Total precipitation was 3.12 inches, which is 0.88 inches below normal.

Spring catalog of activities for Holderness Recreation is out this week. For those thinking of sending youngsters to summer day camp, the SummerEscape is described. Many weeks fill up quickly so suggest you apply soon. This year's program will include Group and individual activities, swimming, field trips, Yoga, special guests and activities for ages five to 12 yrs.

If you have, or know of a child, who will be five years old by September 30 please call the

Central School to register for Kindergarten at 603-536-2538. Kindergarten screenings will take place in May.

Area singers are rehearsing for a concert at Plymouth Congregational Church on Sunday, April 16 at 5 p.m. featuring the works of John Rutter. Ethan Haman, organist at Yale University's Marquand Chapel will accompany the chorus. John Rutter is well known for his church anthems including "For the Beauty of the Earth" and "Clap Your Hands." They will be part of the program.

Hope you're all checking out the Spring 2023 Recreation Calendar. Ray Lagasse will be back on July 15 for another day of Traditional Basket Making. Class fills up quickly.

Safesitter Training course is offered at the Town Hall on Monday, April 24 for students grades 6-8. For kids looking to do some babysitting during summer vacation, this would be a real asset. Information about fees and registration are listed on the town website.

Lakeshore residents are continually looking for the first loon to appear. It is said the loons send out scouts and let the others in the flock know when there's enough open water.

Now that the snow is gone an outside Burn Permit is required. You can obtain one at the Town Hall, Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. or stop by the fire station.

## Warren/Wentworth

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Greetings everyone. Hope you are all having a good week. Mother Nature was not happy with us this past weekend. What a variety of different types of weather!

WARREN NEWS—Don't forget the Masonic Breakfasts held on the 1st Sunday of each month, now thru December. 7:30 a.m.! Come enjoy!

Warren Old Home Days will be celebrated on July 14, 15, 16. The theme for this year is "Life on the Farm." More information as

time gets closer.

Moose Scoops Ice Cream opens for the 2023 season on May 11!

Hours for May are Thursday and Friday 4-8 p.m., Saturday and Sunday noon-8 p.m. and on Memorial Day noon-8 p.m.

WENTWORTH NEWS—Webster Memorial Library announces the title of the next Book Club read..."Horse" by Geraldine Brooks. The group will meet on April 10 at 6 p.m. Copies of the books are available at the library.

Wentworth Open Air Market is currently accepting vendor applications for the 2023 season. It runs from July 5 to Oct. 7, Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Email Renee at [wentworthfarm-](mailto:wentworthfarm-)

[market@gmail.com](mailto:market@gmail.com) to register, or for more information.

West Rumney Community Church hosts the annual Maundy Thursday/Good Friday service on Thursday evening at 7 p.m.

Easter Sunrise Service is at Hildreth Dam at 6:30 a.m., followed by Breakfast at the Warren Methodist Church.

Easter Services are celebrated at individual churches.

Wentworth is at 10 a.m. with Joy Moody leading the service.

I hope you all have a very happy and Blessed Easter.

Have a good week, and always remember to count your blessings!

## TOWN OF THORNTON



### PLANNING BOARD NOTICE OF MEETING Thursday, April 20, 2023

The Planning Board for the Town of Thornton will hold a Public Meeting on **Thursday, April 20, 2023** beginning at **6:00 PM** based at the Thornton Town Offices at 16 Merrill Access Road for the purpose of holding public hearings:

APPLICATION/PUBLIC HEARING –Boundary Line Adjustment; Marc Burnell as agent for LCJ Holdings, LLC., Clubhouse Lane and Lake Road [Map 240, Lot 107; Map 240, Lot 109; Map 240, Lot 110; Map 246, Lot 24 ]. *Reconfigure lot lines of the parcels.*

APPLICATION/PUBLIC HEARING –Site Plan Review; Marc Burnell as agent for LCJ Holdings, LLC., Clubhouse Lane and Lake Road [Map 240, Lot 107; Map 240, Lot 109; Map 240, Lot 110; Map 246, Lot 24 ]. *Converting existing developed property within Owl's Nest Resort to a condominium.*

\* If the Planning Board determines that an applicant has not provided sufficient information to give the Board jurisdiction over the application, the application will be deemed incomplete and Public Comment will not be accepted. \*

**The Town Hall is open to the public and the public is allowed to attend in person or remotely using ZOOM by going to <https://zoom.us/j/8256731802> (or via telephone at 1-646-876-9923) with Meeting ID: 825 673 1802.**

**For further information please visit our web page at [www.townofthornton.org](http://www.townofthornton.org)**

Nancy Decoteau, Planning Board Chair

# Hiring?

# Reach More

# Local/Applicants

## Email: [Tracy@salmonpress.news](mailto:Tracy@salmonpress.news)

## Phone: (603) 279-4516

Help  
Wanted



Campton Congregational

Good Friday, April 7  
Noon – 3 p.m. Camp-ton Congregational Church will open for prayer & reflection

Sunday, April 9  
6 a.m. Easter Sunrise Service, Ellsworth Hill Road, Campton (site of once Armont Inn)  
7 a.m. Pancake Breakfast at the Baptist Church in Campton Vil-lage  
9:30 a.m. Easter Sun-day Service, Rev. Jeff Ro-bie will lead us in Wor-ship  
10 a.m. Children’s Sermon/Sunday School.  
Following Worship there will be an Easter egg hunt for the chil-dren.  
There will be not reg-ular fellowship this Sun-day.

Tuesday, April 11  
10:30 a.m. Bible Study  
Noon BYO Lunch  
1 p.m. Ladies Guild  
6 p.m. Bible Study on Zoom

Good Friday the Church will be open for prayer and reflection to remember the hours that Jesus spent on the cross. One may enter and leave as they wish or stay for the three hours. Scripture passages will be available for reflec-tion.

Celebrating Easter by attending a sunrise service is a unique and joyful experience that brings a sense of renew-al, hope, and community. Watching the sunrise on Easter morning can be a powerful symbol of new beginnings and a reminder of the resur-rection of Jesus Christ. Come to Ellsworth Hill in Campton and enjoy this meaningful way to celebrate Easter and ex-perience the joy of na-ture, community, and

faith. Pastor Jeff will lead us with scripture and Jim Tyrrell will lead us with music. Follow-ing the service enjoy a delicious pancake break-fast at the Campton Bap-tist Church, in Campton Village. This annual breakfast is an enjoyable time of fellowship.

Join us at 9:30 a.m. for Pastor Jeff’s inspiring Easter message, back at Campton Congregation-al Church.  
Happy Easter!  
Our Church is a mem-ber of the National Asso-ciation of Congregation-al Christian Churches, a national body of church-es dedicated to preserv-ing traditional Congre-gational principles and practices in the world.  
Our Services are available on Facebook. Bible studies are avail-able on Zoom. If you are unable to be with us in person, tithes and offer-ings may be sent to PO Box 328, Campton, NH 03223.  
Please direct any questions or needs to ourccc1774@gmail.com or call 603-536-2536.

Chapel of St. John of the Mountains

Pastor always in  
Contact Pastor Cin-dy by Phone home (603) 539-7064, or text (603) 515-6684; private Zoom meet-ings are possible as well. Please call at your conve-nience, serving you is a privilege.

Zoom meeting  
If you are interested, please let Pastor Cindy know. We have a new Zoom address and pass-code, to receive this, you must be included in our e-mail invitations. The new Zoom address has been e-mailed to all on our list, if you are not currently receiving our invitations by e-mail,

simply send Pastor Cin-dy your e-mail address or call.

In prayer  
Please contact Pas-tor Cindy at your con-venience for prayer re-quests. In the days ahead, please keep our Chapel Family in your prayers. We are an Ecumenical Christian Church gather-ing on Sunday after-noons during the Sum-mer and through the first Sundays of Sept. Oct. (second week of Oct. in 2023). Nov. and Dec. We also gather at other times for fellowship as well. You are always wel-come here.

Planning  
As we plan our schedule for this year’s fieldtrips, your input is greatly appreciated. Please let Pastor Cindy know where you would like to go and our Board will give all suggestions serious consideration. We look forward to trav-eling with you again next season.

Every Sunday of our season  
The Good News of Je-sus Christ and His Love for us will be shared. God’s Holy Spirit will always help us to find a deeper understanding of His Word and His Will for our lives. Come join us and return to your lives better able to fulfill God’s Will with running feet.

Christian Science Society, Plymouth

We welcome all to our Sunday church services at 10 a.m. in our Emer-son Street building. The Bible lesson sermon this coming Easter Sunday includes these words from I Corinthians: “Grace be unto you, and peace, from God our Fa-

ther and from the Lord Jesus Christ.” This les-son, which can be stud-ied during the week, will be read this Sunday in more than seventy coun-tries around the world.

In our Sunday school, which takes place during the church ser-vice, children and young people learn Bible-based lessons which help them in all areas of their lives – at school, with friends, and at home and in com-munity.

Our Wednesday meet-ings are at 6 p.m. each week. It begins with short readings from the Bible and from the Christian Science text-book. Then there is time for sharing with one another gratitude for healing experiences in our lives, as well as thoughts and insights from our spiritual study and prayer. We’d love to have you join us.

Please visit our Web site at www.cs-plymouth-nh.org if you would like to join in our services by zoom.

At jsh-online.com you’ll find a wealth of articles and audio offer-ings which are new each week, including ones for children and teens. This week’s Sentinal maga-zine has articles for Easter inspiration which include “Resurrection moments...here and now” and “Lessons from minor characters in the Easter story.”

The Reading Room in our church building is open Monday noon to 2 p.m., where you can read these articles. The weekly Bible lesson is there for you to read as well. We welcome you to browse, and borrow all books and resources, and there are free maga-zines to take home.

Holy Trinity (Roman Catholic)

The Holy Week Sched-

ule is :  
Holy Thursday Mass, April 6 at 7 p.m. at Our Lady of Grace Chapel.  
Good Friday, April 7, Stations of the Cross at 3 p.m. at St. Matthew Church  
Good Friday Service, April 7 at 7 p.m. at Our Lady of Grace Chapel  
Easter Vigil Mass, April 8 at 7 p.m. at St. Matthew Church  
Easter Sunday Mass-es: 7:30 a.m. at St. Mat-thew Church, 9:30 a.m. at Our Lady of Grace Chapel

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is avail-able Monday, April 3 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at St. Matthew Church and 5 to 7 p.m. at Our Lady of Grace. The Sacrament of Reconcil-iation will also be avail-able on Saturday, April 8 from 3 to 3:30 p.m., even though there is no 4 p.m. Mass.

There will be a Par-ish Potluck Lunch on Sunday, April 23 after the 11:30 a.m. Mass at St. Matthew Church. All are welcome, please bring a dish to share.

Board Game Day hap-pens on Sunday, April 16 at 2 p.m. at the Marian Center. All are welcome!

All of us at Holy Trin-ity Parish wish you a Blessed Easter!

Starr King Unitarian Universalist Fellowship

Starr King Unitarian Universalist Fellowship holds Sunday services each Sunday at 9:30 a.m., both in person at 101 Fairgrounds Rd., Plym-outh, and live streamed via Zoom. Nursery and childcare services are available. Religious edu-cation classes are offered every week.

April 9

Love’s Power to Save  
Rev. Linda Barnes

On this Easter morn-ing, we’ll explore a bit of the historical Jesus and his resistance to the Ro-man Empire. We’ll use this story to understand the human relationship to power and the means of love to transform the world, to resurrect the world even now. We will also have a New Mem-bers Ceremony!

Unitarian Univer-salism is a caring, open-minded religion that encourages you to seek your own spiritual path. Our Faith draws on many religious tradi-tions, welcoming people with different beliefs. We are a Welcoming Congregation recog-nizing no distinction of class, nationality, race, gender, or sexual orien-tation.

For more information and Zoom link, visit our Web site: www.starrk-ingfellowship.org.

Wentworth Congregational

Please join us each Sunday at 10 a.m. for worship. We will move upstairs on Easter Sunday.

At this time we are hosting a rotation of speakers each Sunday. Here is our list of speak-ers:

We will join W. Rumney for a joint Maundy Thursday and Good Friday Service on Thursday, April 6 at 7 p.m.  
April 9—Easter Joy Moody  
April 16—Cindy Petrie  
April 23—Lynn Mor-rison  
April 30—Rebecca Larson

Blessings to all!



**ALEXANDRIA**  
**Alexandria United Methodist**  
12 Washburn Rd.  
Alexandria Village, Alexandria  
9 a.m. Sunday Worship Service  
Pastor Mark Lamprey • 603-744-8104  
Methodist Church  
April 16th Easter Worship @ 9a.m.

**ASHLAND**  
**Ashland United Methodist**  
18 Washington St., Ashland  
9:30 Sunday morning Worship Service  
Visit our Website:  
https://ashlandumc.faithlifesites.com/  
for more information and recordings of the Services.  
Pastor Roger Kleinpeter  
1-603-254-7796

**Ashland Community Church**  
55 Main Street - Ashland  
(across from Shurline Market)  
10:00 a.m. Worship  
August 18 – September 15 Teaching Series: "I Love My Church!"  
Toddler Zone (infants – five years old) led by Kara Hamill and Kid Zone (for K-6th grade) led by Debbie Madden.  
Small groups: We offer adult small groups that meet on Sunday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday evenings.  
New Women's Ministry: A women's group will be starting this fall the 1st and 3rd Thursday of each month beginning October 2019.  
Pastor Ernie Madden  
(603) 968-9464  
accernie@hotmail.com

**Emmanuel Episcopal Church**  
18 Highland Street, Ashland  
(603) 968-7640  
9:30 am Sunday School and Worship  
Rev. Stephen Rugg

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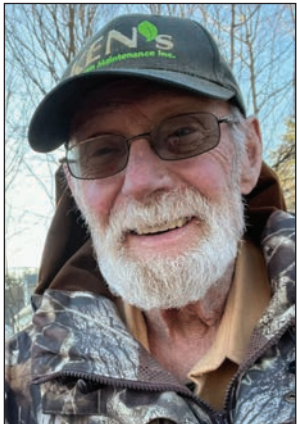
Walter H. Philbrick, 79,

Walter H. Philbrick, 79, passed away peacefully with his family at his side on March 27, 2023, at Concord Hospital-Laconia.

Walt was born on December 1, 1943 in Berlin, NH, the son of Earle D. and Katherine (Brown) Philbrick. He spent the first half of his life in Berlin. He was a graduate of the New Hampton School class of 1962 and also attended UNH.

He wore many hats while raising his family. He was employed with the US Forest Service in Gorham. He was a salesman and then owner of B&G Fruit and Produce Company in Berlin. After selling the business he became a logger for R & L Lumber in Berlin. In 1981 he moved his family to Gilford and was a sales representative for Idlenot Dairy of N. Springfield, VT and later H.P. Hood Dairy. Pre-retirement he was a sales representative for Munce's Superior, Inc. of Gorham and Royco.

He was director and past co-president of the Nansen Ski Club in Berlin. Was a past director, vice president and president of the Belknap County Sportsmen's Association of Gilford. Was a member of the Pemi Fish & Game Club of Holderness, the Millsfield ATV Club, the Belknap Family Adventures ATV Club and the Mi-



lan Trail Huggers ATV Club.

Walt was happiest when outdoors. One of his favorite places was on Lang Road in Milan where he spent many trips snowmobiling and ATVing. He also looked forward to ice fishing on Lake Winnepesaukee and his hunting trips to Maine. You could always find him in his chair in the garage looking forward to friends and neighbors stopping by for a chat (especially his buddy Beck). He had the gift of gab and could find something to talk about with anyone.

Family members include his wife of 58 years, Lois (Duff) Philbrick; three children, Katherine Stone of Falmouth, MA, Cindy Avery and her husband David of Wolfeboro and Harry Philbrick of Denver, CO; two grandsons, Ryan Stone of Waterloo, IL, and Riley Stone of Denver, CO; and two granddaughters, Phoebe and Charlotte Philbrick of Denver, CO. He was

predeceased by his parents and his sister, Martha Cheek.

Walt requested no funeral services. (He also requested no obituary, but as usual we kids would only half listen.) A come-as-you-are celebration of life will be held on Saturday, June 3, 2023 at the Belknap County Sportsmen's Association, 182 Lily Pond Road, Gilford, NH from 1-4 pm. Our father wasn't fancy in life and you don't need to be fancy to come and celebrate with us.

The family would like to extend its heartfelt gratitude to his friends and neighbors for their support and assistance during this difficult time. He truly appreciated all of you and couldn't have asked for better neighbors. Also our thanks to the emergency room staff as well as the nursing staff on North 2 at Concord Hospital-Laconia for their caring and compassion during his final hours.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made in Walt's name to the Belknap County Sportsmen's Association, PO Box 214, Laconia, NH 03247. To share a memory, leave a condolence, or make an electronic donation to the Sportsmen's Association, please go to: [www.EmmonsFuneralHome.com](http://www.EmmonsFuneralHome.com)

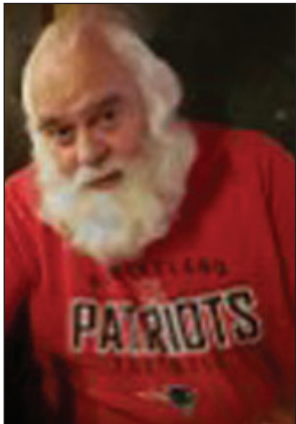
Bruce M Andrew (Bear)

Bruce M Andrew (Bear) of Waterville Valley, Campton and most recently Thornton, NH

After over 40 years in fire service we regretably announce retired Waterville Valley Fire Chief Bruce "Bear" Andrew has answered his last alarm. After fighting many types of fires over the years, the Chief lost his internal fire to cancer on March 30, 2023.

Bruce was a founder of the Waterville Valley Fire Department in 1962, serving 18 years' as it's Chief. He was a NH certified firefighter as well as holding National Certification in Fire, Arson and Explosion Investigation. During his fire service, Bruce designed custom pumper and aerial ladder trucks for the department. He was always working with the town's planning board and developers to keep structures to current fire codes. Life safety was paramount!

In 1970 Bruce reported for duty in the US



Army at Fort Dix, NJ. He served as President for the Waterville Valley, Campton, Thornton Chamber of Commerce and was a member of the Governor's Task Force on Tourism. He was a cofounder of the Waterville Valley Yacht Club, Waterville Valley Historical Society and Wigwag paper. He was cofounder and chairman of the annual WV Gusto Cup Race series. He served as the local Santa Clause for WV children from 1960 to the late 90's.

Over the years, Bruce worked at the Waterville Inn until it's fire in 1967, Fourways Restaurant and Conference Center,

Windsor Hill Condominiums and various restaurants in Waterville Valley and Rumney.

Bruce leaves behind Candy his soul mate and wife of 35+ years; his brother Mark Andrew (Linda) of Rumney, NH; nieces Lea Frandina (David) and their sons Jay, Cooper and Sam of Alpharetta, GA; Melissa Puga (Rafael) and their son Zach of Campton, NH; nephews: John Andrew (Courtney) of Tuckahoe, NY and Jerry Andrew of Bellingham, WA.

He is predeceased by his parents John A Andrew, Jr and Deborah M Andrew and brother John A Andrew III.

A celebration of Bruce's life will be held this summer at the convenience of the family.

In lieu of flowers; pictures, posters, artifacts of Waterville Valley before 1995 or contributions may be sent in memory of Bruce to Waterville Valley Historical Society, PO Box 13, Waterville Valley, NH 03215.

Geraldine Elaine Anderson-Peltier, 80

Geraldine Elaine Anderson-Peltier, 80, of Thornton, passed away on Tuesday, October 25, 2022.

Geraldine died peacefully in her sleep this Autumn due to her complications from stage 4 lung cancer. A barbecue was held in her memory on November 12, with the official ceremony to be announced in the Spring/Summer 2023.

Geraldine was born May 28, 1942, in Thornton, New Hampshire to Eric R Anderson and Olive Littlefield Anderson.

Geri worked in vacation stay management most of her working career. In the 60's and 70's, Geri worked at the Lodge at Loon Mountain. She worked at the Inns of Waterville Valley, from the early 80's until she

retired in 2007. After retirement, Geri enjoyed working at the Thornton Central School.

Geri loved springtime and summer. She loved working on her flower gardens, filling her birdfeeders, and listening to the birds sing. She had many bird books and could identify most of their songs. Geri also never met a stranger. She made friends very easily. Friends she would have for a lifetime.

Geri was preceded in death by her husband of 35 years, Wallace J. Peltier, and her siblings, Eric Robert "Bobby" Anderson, and Patricia Peltier. She is survived by her daughter, Deborah Elaine Boissonneault Morris. Her grandchildren Dakota LJ Morris, Kami Meredith Miller,

and her spouse, Andrew Miller. One great grandson, Alexander Eric Miller. Her siblings Gloria Tardif, Joanne Marcotte, spouse, Louis Marcotte, Gary Anderson, spouse Deborah Anderson and Eric Robert "Eric" Anderson. Many nieces and nephews.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that you make donations to the Humane Society of NH 1305 Meredith Center Road, Laconia, NH 03246. 603-524-5252 Donations may also be made online at [nhhumane.org](http://nhhumane.org) <<http://nhhumane.org>> Donations can be your time, or money.

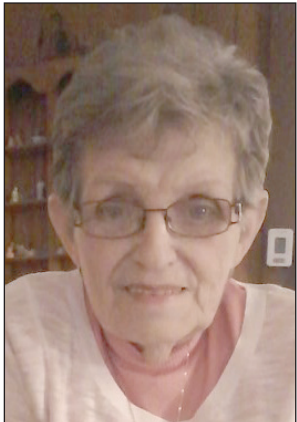
The Mayhew Funeral Homes and Crematorium in Meredith and Plymouth are assisting the family with their arrangements.

Velma J. Brown, 82

Wentworth, NH – Velma J. (Gendreau) Brown, 82, passed away peacefully on Thursday, March 30, 2023. She was born to parents, Rhea and Ned Gendreau, on June 7, 1940 in Madawaska, ME.

Velma married Alfred Brown and together they had three children, Kevin, Kent and Kim. She and Alfred owned and operated Shawnees Store for many years.

She loved to work on puzzles, play Bingo and worked with ceramics. Velma took every opportunity she could to travel to Maine and visit her family there. She loved her family.



Velma was predeceased by her husband, Alfred Brown, in August of 1987; and her son, Kent Brown, on August 17, 2019; a daughter in law, Carol Brown on January 29, 2016.

She is survived by her son, Kevin Brown, Sr. of Warren, NH; her daugh-

ter, Kim Brown of Wentworth, NH; three grandchildren, Kevin Brown, Jr., Joanne Hogan, and Andrew Brown; seven great grandchildren, Hunter Brown, Jared Brown, Carly Brown, Nate Hogan, Samantha Hogan, Andrew Brown, Jr., and Carolie Brown.

Services will be held privately at the convenience of the family.

To offer the family an online condolence, please visit [www.rickerfh.com](http://www.rickerfh.com)

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nello of Kearsarge, Abby Rayder of St. Thomas, Emily Howell of Hillsboro-Deering, Clara Stewart of Fall Mountains and Tara Sullivan of Stevens.

All-Defensive Team honors went to Brynn Rautiola of Conant,

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Sarah Muir of Concord Christian, Shaylee Brannon of Monadnock, Elise Miner of Hopkinton and Bella Bovel of Stevens. Bree Lawrence of Monadnock was presented the Jack Ford Scholar Athlete Award. Patrick Roye of Hopkinton was named D3 Coach of the Year and

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Trey Dansereau of Fall Mountain was named JV Coach of the Year.

For Division IV, First Team honors went to Addison Hadlock of Littleton and Marissa Kenison and Delaney Whiting of Groveton.

Littleton's Lauryn Corrigan and Moultonborough's Katie Velie both earned Second Team honors.

Honorable Mention went to Profile's Mya Brown, Gorham's Sarah Godin and Madi Girouard, Littleton's Ella Horsch and Lisbon's Kaitlyn Clark.

Woodsville's Tori Clough was selected as the Division IV Coach of the Year, while Kelly Hadlock of Littleton was named Sub-Varsity Coach of the Year.

Also earning First Team honors were Elizabeth Tschudin of Sunapee (Player of the Year), Arianna Lord of Colebrook and Lena Nicholson of Newmarket.

Second Team hon-

ors also went to Haley Rossitto and Sierra Riff of Colebrook, Madison Ricker of Farmington and Brooklyn Pagach of Hinsdale.

Also earning Honorable Mention were Amaya Beckles of Newmarket, Ava Buchanan, Maddie West and Hannah Dion of Portsmouth Christian, Emma McKeage of Colebrook, Jacqueline Giroux and Saidy Placey of Pittsburg-Canaan, Makayla LaPanne of Farmington, Annabel Shumway of Epping and Kourtney Kaplan of Franklin.

All-Defensive Team honors went to Sierra Riff of Colebrook, Katie Velie of Moultonborough, Addison Hadlock of Littleton, Jillian Long of Newmarket and Jacqueline Giroux of Pittsburg-Canaan, who also earned the Jack Ford Scholar-Athlete Award.

In Division II, the state champion Kennett Eagles had four girls on the list. Junior Kaley

Goodhart was named First Team, senior Sydney Chin earned Second Team honors and senior Kaylee McLellan and junior Sam Sidoti each earned Honorable Mention, while McLellan also earned All-Defensive Team honors and coach Larry Meader was named Division II Coach of the Year.

Also earning First Team honors were Jasmine Becotte of Pelham (Player of the Year), Macy Swormstedt of Laconia, Alex Larrabee of Bow, Sydney McLaughlin of Hanover and Annelise Dexter of Pembroke.

Joining Chin with Second Team recognition were Morgan Belmont of Con-Val, Juliette Tarsa of Bow, Cheyenne Colbert of Hollis-Brookline, Eleanor Girardet of John Stark and Kate Cavanaugh of Souhegan.

Also earning Honorable Mention were Lulu Maguire of Milford, Mekiah Burton and

Laconia, Bella LaPerle and Lyndsey LaPerle of Bow, Nyanakuak Piok of Manchester West, Abbey Duclos of John Stark, Emma Gillis of Sanborn, Hadleigh Sargent and Kayla Smith of Merrimack Valley, Megan Pellerin of Bishop Brady, Tia Ferdinando of Derryfield, Amina Ajwan of Hanover and Sophia Joncas of Pelham.

Joining McLellan with All-Defensive honors were Sydney Roberge of Bow, Hadleigh Sargent of Merrimack Valley, Bella LaPerle of Bow and Nyanakuak Piok of Manchester West. Sargent was also named the Jack Ford Scholar-Athlete Award winner and Amy King of Bow was named JV Coach of the Year.

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## Help Wanted

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Positions include Inside Customer Service/ Outside Dock and Boat support.

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TOWN OF THORNTON  
HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

INVITATION TO BID  
2023 Paving

The Town of Thornton is accepting bids for the following paving projects. A map describing the projects are available for pick up at the Thornton Town Hall during normal business hours or on the Town’s website [www.townofthornton.org](http://www.townofthornton.org) on the Highway Department page.

Bids shall be submitted as follows:

Project 1: Thornton Gore Road/ Dick Bradley Road

- Cost per square yard to reclaim, fine grade and compact approximately 6500 feet of road 20 feet wide.
- Cost per ton to pave said area using a 3/4 inch single course winter binder that meets/exceeds NHDOT standards for quality compacted to 2” thick.

Project 2: Sunrise Hill Road

- Cost per ton to shim/overlay approximately 4300 feet of road averaging 20 feet wide using a ½” inch wearing course that meets/exceeds NHDOT standards for quality compacted to 1.25” thick.
- Cost per ton shall include tack coat per NHDOT standards and 1 ground joint.

Scheduling details for estimated start/completion dates if awarded shall be noted in the bid as this may affect the Town’s decision.

Bids must be submitted in a sealed envelope and labeled “2023 Paving - Attention: Town Administrator” and mailed or delivered to 16 Merrill Access Road, Thornton, New Hampshire 03285.

All bids must be received at the Thornton Town Hall no later than 3:00PM on Monday, April 17, 2023.

The bids will be opened at the Thornton Town Hall on Tuesday, April 18, 2023 at 3:00PM.

The award process is scheduled for 3:30 PM at the Board of Selectmen’s meeting on April 19, 2023.

The Town reserves the right to reject any and all bids.  
If any questions, please contact Road Agent John Kubik at 726-4546

The Town of Rumney is accepting  
sealed bids for Tax Deeded Property  
1989 8’X31’ Sierra Travel Trailer  
with any and all attachments

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Travel Trailer must be removed from the campground within 7 days of winning bid being announced or winning bidder must make arrangements with the campground for the camper to remain on-site.

Bids must be submitted to:

Rumney Selectmen’s Office  
PO Box 220 - 79 Depot Street Rumney, NH 03266  
by 1:00 PM April 17, 2023

Bids must be in a sealed envelope marked “Camper Bid”. Travel Trailer is bid “as is” with no warrantee. Board of Selectmen reserve the right to refuse any and all bids.

Public Notice  
Town of Plymouth  
Road Load Limit Postings

The Plymouth Select Board has authorized the posting of the following list of roads for a 15-ton load limit during the period of March 1st through May 1st, 2023. The purpose of this posting is to prevent unreasonable damage to the roadways, which may result in hazards to public safety and or possible extraordinary maintenance expenses to the community.

Bartlett Road	Cummings Hill Road
New Hebron Road	Sanborn Road
Old Hebron Road	Chaisson Road
Morse Road	Loon Lake Road
Thurlow Street	Parker Street
Bell Road	Texas Hill Road
Reservoir Road	

Please direct any questions, comments or concerns to the Plymouth Highway Department at 536-1623

Joseph Fagnant,  
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NEWFOUND AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT  
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FOR 2023-2024 SCHOOL YEAR

If you have a child who will turn 5 years old by September 30, 2023 please call or email the school in the town in which you live for registration information.

Bristol Elementary School 744-2761 or [jtehven@sau4.org](mailto:jtehven@sau4.org)

Bridgewater-Hebron Village School (Bridgewater, Groton and Hebron) 744-6969 or [shunewill@sau4.org](mailto:shunewill@sau4.org)

Danbury Elementary School 768-3434 or [nross@sau4.org](mailto:nross@sau4.org)

New Hampton Community School 744-3221 or [adifilippe@sau4.org](mailto:adifilippe@sau4.org)

If you live in Alexandria, your child will attend either Bristol Elementary School or Bridgewater-Hebron Village School. Determination is made according to physical address. You may contact either school for more information.

NOTICE  
WOODSTOCK 27713

ARRANGEMENTS HAVE BEEN MADE BY THE NEW HAMPSHIRE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (NHDOT) TO HOLD A PUBLIC INFORMATIONAL MEETING TO DISCUSS THE REHABILITATION OF THE HISTORIC ARCH BRIDGE CARRYING NH 175 OVER THE PEMIGEWASSET RIVER IN WOODSTOCK, NH.

THE PURPOSE OF THIS MEETING IS TO PRESENT CITIZENS AND PUBLIC OFFICIALS WITH INFORMATION REGARDING THE PROJECT AND TO SOLICIT INPUT TO ENSURE THAT THE PROJECT DECISIONS MEET THE PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION NEEDS, COMMUNITY GOALS, AND PROTECT AND ENHANCE THE ENVIRONMENT. THE PROJECT MAY HAVE AN EFFECT ON CULTURAL OR HISTORIC RESOURCES THAT ARE POTENTIALLY ELIGIBLE FOR OR LISTED ON THE NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES. INDIVIDUALS OR ORGANIZATIONS WITH A DEMONSTRATED INTEREST IN THE POTENTIAL IMPACTS TO HISTORIC RESOURCES HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY TO BECOME CONSULTING PARTIES UNDER SECTION 106 OF THE NATIONAL HISTORIC PRESERVATION ACT.

NHDOT PROGRAMS AND SERVICES WILL BE ADMINISTERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF TITLE VI OF THE CIVIL RIGHTS ACT OF 1964 AND ALL APPLICABLE REGULATIONS TO ENSURE NONDISCRIMINATION. ANYONE NEEDING MOBILITY ASSISTANCE, SIGN LANGUAGE, FOREIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETER SERVICES, OR INFORMATION IN ALTERNATE FORMATS MUST CONTACT THE NHDOT BUREAU OF RIGHT-OF-WAY, NHDOT, PO BOX 483, CONCORD, NEW HAMPSHIRE 03302-0483 OR CALL 603-271-3222 – TDD ACCESS: RELAY NH 1-800-735-2964. NOTIFICATION FOR THE NEED FOR ASSISTANCE MUST BE MADE AT LEAST SEVEN BUSINESS DAYS PRIOR TO THIS MEETING.

THE MEETING IS SCHEDULED FOR:  
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 12, 2023 5:00 PM  
WOODSTOCK TOWN OFFICE  
165 LOST RIVER ROAD, WOODSTOCK, NH

WILLIAM CASS, P.E.  
COMMISSIONER

Community Meeting: Housing in Plymouth

Thursday, April 6, 2023 at 6:30 pm  
Plymouth Elementary School Cafeteria (43 Old Ward Bridge Road)

The Town of Plymouth Planning and Development Department, Planning Board, and Housing Steering Committee invite you to a community meeting on the topic of housing in Plymouth. This community meeting will launch the public participation process of a comprehensive housing study funded by InvestNH Municipal Planning & Zoning Grant Program.

During this first community meeting, project consultant Barrett Planning Group will provide an overview of initial findings and invite attendees to participate in group discussions about Plymouth’s housing opportunities, needs, and challenges.

For project updates, please visit and bookmark <https://www.plymouth-nh.org/housing-study/>. Questions can be directed to Joseph Perez, Community Planner for the Town of Plymouth, at 603-536-1731 or [planning@plymouth-nh.org](mailto:planning@plymouth-nh.org).

*This project is being supported, in part by, federal award number SLFRP0145 awarded to the State of New Hampshire by the U.S. Department of the Treasury*

Help Wanted  
Town of Rumney, NH  
Highway Department Employee

The Rumney Highway Department is accepting applications for a full-time and part-time employee. The candidate will have experience with heavy and light construction equipment and have a history of safe operation of this equipment. Knowledge of maintaining town streets, culverts, and other public works projects is preferred, and a clean driving record is required. The ability to obtain a Medical Card and CDL-B within 6 months is desired. The Town of Rumney is an Equal Opportunity Employer and offers a competitive benefit package. A completed Town of Rumney Employment Application must be submitted to the Office of the Selectmen no later than 2:00 p.m. March 31, 2023.

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Ashland

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Fitch noted that the costs for the ambulance services provided by the Town of Plymouth have risen over the years, and suggested that Ashland should study its options by creating an Ambulance Service Study Committee. Chief Heath and Lieut. Kendall Hughes were interested in serving on such a committee. The Fire Chief noted that there were many issues to be considered in delivering ambulance services. The selectmen did vote to establish an Ambulance Service Study Committee.

The Town Manager reported that the present revaluation of the town is nearing completion, and that the state wants

a new revaluation to begin soon. Currently, the valuations of properties in Ashland for taxes are running at about 57 percent of actual market values and may soon drop to about 40 percent. The New Hampshire Supreme Court has stated that valuations should be at about 95 percent of actual market values. The town will soon be seeking bids for the revaluation of the Town starting in 2024.

Town Manager Welch presented a proposal for a sewer system development charge that would mean new structures attached to the sewer system would buy into the system. The fees collected would be used for the future expansion and improvement of the sewer system. He asked the selectmen to review the proposal and hold a public hearing on it. After a very brief public hearing, the selectmen approved a increase in the septage receiving fees for portable toilets and pit toilets. Superintendent Andrew Benton explained that these toilets deliver an excessive amount of trash that often clogs up the septage receiving equipment and require more work. The fee for these toilets will change from a varied rate of six and a half

to 8 cents per gallon to 12 cents per gallon. The Superintendent and the Town Manager also discussed changes in plans for the wastewater treatment plant that will save money in the near term, which can be used for future changes that will be required at the plant in the future. Welch said that the cost for those improvements over the next ten to twenty years could cost up to ten million dollars.

The Town Manager discussed a request from the state Public Utilities Commission which is trying to understand why the municipal electric utilities have rates lower than the electric companies. The answers include that municipal utilities do not pay property taxes or dividends to stockholders. But Welch was looking forward to the meeting with the PUC on April 15 to also discuss other issues, such as allowing municipal electric utilities to have savings accounts or depreciation funds for future expenses, like water and sewer utilities can. He also discussed with the selectmen the problem of collecting unpaid electric bills from tenants who simply leave town. The town will work with people who have fallen behind

in their payments. Liens on properties could be part of the solution.

The New Hampshire Electric Cooperative has received a large grant to bring broadband service to Grafton County. The Co-op has asked the selectmen for permission to put the broadband lines on the Town’s utility poles. Welch said that the Coop has not been very communicative about the project with the four municipal utilities in the area. The selectmen tabled the Co-op’s request until a meeting with them.

The Pemigewasset Valley Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution have made improvements in the Church Hill Cemetery which includes the graves of two Revolutionary soldiers. They

want to erect a sign there. They also wanted to own the cemetery. But Welch said that was not appropriate, and suggested that the cemetery could be deeded to the town. The selectmen approved the sign and waived the usual fee for the sign permit.

The selectmen re-appointed Paula Hancock to the Planning Board. They are still looking for volunteers for the Planning Board and the Zoning Board of Adjustment. The ZBA has a meeting scheduled for April 19, but does not now have enough members to actually meet. The selectmen approved a veterans tax exemption. a tax abatement that had been negotiated with Squam Hydro, and a meeting with the Trustees of Trust Funds. They also approved

paying for a Cemetery Trustee to attend a workshop, as those Trustees have only a \$1 budget. A citizen’s complaint to a selectman about the lack of trash barrels at a local drive-in restaurant and the subsequent trash on the street led to Welch’s promise to contact the company involved. The select decided against becoming a Tree City USA because of the extensive requirements, and turned down a request from the Holderness Recreation Department for the exclusive use of the Town tennis courts by the Holderness tennis league for four hours per week, while the Holderness courts are being repaired. The selectmen ended their meeting with a non-public session.

Rail Jam

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500 spectators gathered to cheer them on.

“Rail Jam was a hit,” said sophomore and MAPS President Ryan Harrington, 19. “Coming off of last year’s success, I didn’t know how we were going to top it, but we did.”

The event, which is usually held in mid-February, was delayed for two weeks due to a lack of snow.

“When it initially got delayed, it was a huge bummer for MAPS and everyone involved, and especially the participants and spectators, but I was so happy we were able to quickly pull it together when the snow came,” Harrington said. “If anything, it created an atmosphere of excitement that culminated around the event.”

Head student organizer and sophomore Sam-

uel Bonner, 19, said the event went smoothly despite the initial hiccup, and he is thankful for the support of other student groups, such as Plymouth State Freeski Club, Girls Not Acting Right (GNAR) and Plymouth State Boardin’ Club, who helped with the Rail Jam.

“I’m so happy with the turnout and I’m excited to make it even better next year,” Bonner said. “It was so special to see so many awesome spectators cheering on our athletes. The energy from the crowd was incredible.”

More than \$6,000 in prizes from sponsoring organizations were awarded to the top skiers and snowboarders in both a men’s and women’s divisions. Additional prizes were given to athletes for performing certain gravity-defying maneuvers, awarded through raffle prizes or tossed into the crowd as free giveaways. Prizes included sweatshirts, water bottles and hats to Oakley goggles, and new snowboards and skis for

the top winners.

The winners are as follows.

1st Place Women’s Skis: Junior Lex Ludka, 21 (she/they)

1st Place Men’s Skis: Junior Jamison Coty, 21

1st Place Women’s Snowboard: Junior Isla Lyons, 22

1st Place Men’s Snowboard: Junior Cameron Donnell, 21

The bibs worn by competitors were a new feature of the event this year, designed by students on the MAPS Graphic Design team; Inna Horbovtsova (team leader), Emma Hodgkins, Emma Wilbur, Ryan Hendricks and Lauren Bartnicki.

Event sponsors included Waterville Valley Resort, Pepsi, Ken Jones Ski Mart, YES. Snowboards, Now Bindings, Liberty Skis and Walk-2Campus, a company that provides off-campus housing for students.

To learn more about Plymouth State University, visit [www.plymouth.edu](http://www.plymouth.edu).

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APOINTMENT OF FIDUCIARIES

Notice is hereby given that the following fiduciaries have been duly appointed by the Judge of Probate for Grafton County.

All persons having claims against these decedents are requested to exhibit them for adjustment and all indebted to make payment.

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**Mosman, Steven Timothy**, late of Woodstock, NH. Karen M. Blake, PO Box 144, Woodstock, NH 03262. #315-2022-ET-00761

**Steele, Mary Joanne**, late of Plymouth, NH. Paul Marella, 5213 Eileen Drive, San Jose, CA 95129. Gabriel Nizetic, Esq., Resident Agent, 66 Highland Street, Plymouth, NH 03264. #315-2023-ET-00032

**Tarnok, Mathias F.**, late of Lincoln, NH. Robert C Tarnok, 19125 Lake Audubon Drive, Tampa, FL 33647. Michael Francis Conklin, ESQ, Resident Agent, Conklin & Reynolds PA, 264 Main Street Suite 14, PO Box 849, Lincoln, NH 03251-0849. #315-2021-ET-00358  
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**Frantz, Helen Beth**, late of Warren, NH. Nancy L Peal, 2 White Horse Lane, Warren, NH 03279. #315-2022-ET-00512

**Gallagher, Shirley Ann**, late of Alexandria, NH. Shelley Gallagher, 194 Wyman Rd, Keene, NH 03431. #315-2022-ET-00369

**Lane, SR, Richard J.**, late of Woodstock, NH. Maryellen White, 245 Holmes Street, Halifax, MA 02338. Michael Francis Conklin, ESQ, Resident Agent, Conklin & Reynolds PA, 264 Main Street Suite 14, PO Box 849, Lincoln, NH 03251-0849. #315-2022-ET-00279

**Zatarga, Leo W.**, late of Bristol, NH. Andrew J Zatarga, 45 Brett Lane, Bedford, NY 10506. Dorcas J. Gordon, ESQ, Resident Agent, Newfound Law PLLC, 75 Pleasant St, Bristol, NH 03222. #315-2022-ET-00572

Dated: 10/28/2022

Russell Elementary School

195 School Street, Rumney, NH 03266  
603-786-9591

Kindergarten Registration Open House  
2023-2024 School Year

Thursday, May 11, 2023 from 3:15pm to 4:15pm

Parents are asked to pre-register their child for Kindergarten at [res.pemibaker.org](http://res.pemibaker.org).

If you have questions please call 603-786-9591.

All children who turn five years old by September 30th are entitled and encouraged to attend kindergarten.

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THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE  
2nd Circuit - Probate Division - Haverhill  
10/14/2022 thru 10/27/2022

APOINTMENT OF FIDUCIARIES

Notice is hereby given that the following fiduciaries have been duly appointed by the Judge of Probate for Grafton County. All persons having claims against these decedents are requested to exhibit them for adjustment and all indebted to make payment.

**Cammett, JR, Gordon A.**, late of Lincoln, NH. Angela J Smith, 4 Old Mill Road, Raymond, NH 03077. #315-2022-ET-00404

**Clarke, Christopher James**, late of Plymouth, NH. Rebecca J. Clarke, P.O. Box 3404, Concord, NH 03302. #315-2022-ET-00559

**Frantz, Helen Beth**, late of Warren, NH. Nancy L Peal, 2 White Horse Lane, Warren, NH 03279. #315-2022-ET-00512

**Gallagher, Shirley Ann**, late of Alexandria, NH. Shelley Gallagher, 194 Wyman Rd, Keene, NH 03431. #315-2022-ET-00369

**Lane, SR, Richard J.**, late of Woodstock, NH. Maryellen White, 245 Holmes Street, Halifax, MA 02338. Michael Francis Conklin, ESQ, Resident Agent, Conklin & Reynolds PA, 264 Main Street Suite 14, PO Box 849, Lincoln, NH 03251-0849. #315-2022-ET-00279

**Zatarga, Leo W.**, late of Bristol, NH. Andrew J Zatarga, 45 Brett Lane, Bedford, NY 10506. Dorcas J. Gordon, ESQ, Resident Agent, Newfound Law PLLC, 75 Pleasant St, Bristol, NH 03222. #315-2022-ET-00572

Dated: 10/28/2022

HOLDERNESS PLANNING BOARD  
PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE  
Tuesday, April 18, 2023 5:30 P.M.

Notice is hereby given that a meeting and public hearings will be held at the Holderness Town Hall located at 1089 US Rt. 3, on Tuesday, April 18, 2023 beginning at 5:30pm to consider the following application:

Case # 2023-03-05 M. Bagge & S. Lund and A. & C. Jacobs for a Boundary Line Adjustment to Map/Lots 241-077-000 and 241-078-000 in the General Residential Zone (GR) at 220 and 230 Shepard Hill Road as per the plans submitted entitled Boundary Line Adjustment surveyed January 2023 by Anthony Randall, LLS.

THE HOLDERNESS PLANNING BOARD

INTER-LAKES  
KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION  
IS OPEN March 20th - April 21st

Registration is open to all children who reside within Center Harbor, Meredith or Sandwich; and who will be 5 years of age by September 30, 2023.

**To receive a registration packet, please call:** Inter-Lakes Elementary School at **603-279-7968**, Monday through Friday between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. Registration packets can be mailed or picked up at the school, and must be completed and returned to schedule a screening appointment. What is required with your registration packet for Kindergarten?

- Your Child’s Birth Certificate
- Physical Exam within the last 12 months
- Up-to-Date Immunization Forms
- Proof of Residency

Screening dates are tentatively scheduled for May 15th and 22nd.

The screening takes approximately 1 hour and 15 minutes.

**Parents/Guardians must bring their child to this screening appointment.**

SANDWICH CENTRAL SCHOOL  
KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

THURSDAY, MAY 11th, 2023 - 5:30 p.m.

Sandwich Central School Kindergarten Registration for the 2023-2024 School Year will be held on Thursday, May 11 at 5:30 p.m. Registration packets will be available. The presentation will also include:

- Meet the Faculty
- A Day in Kindergarten (schedule overview)
- Special Education and Response to Instruction
- Bus Transportation

If your child will be 5 years of age by September 30, 2023, please email school secretary Alex Adriance at [alex.adriance@interlakes.org](mailto:alex.adriance@interlakes.org) or call (603) 284-7712.

ATTENTION  
CAMPTON RESIDENTS

KINDERGARTEN 2023-2024

If you have a child who will be 5 years of age by September 30, 2023 please call the school at 603-726-3931 to register your child and sign up for the Kindergarten Connection on Wednesday, April 12th.

Mandatory paperwork required for entry are: Immunization Record, Original Birth Certificate and copy of 5 year checkup. These forms may be brought in or mailed to:

Campton Elementary School  
1110 NH Rt. 175, Campton, NH 03223  
Fax: 603-726-8081  
Attn: Melissa Anderson









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