

# Waldron pitches Belmont baseball to a pair of wins



Liam Waldron picked up a pair of wins on the mound last week for the Belmont baseball team.

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**BELMONT** — The Belmont baseball team was able to pick up a couple of wins in the week coming back from vacation.

On Thursday, the Raiders welcomed Conant to town and opened up a one-run game with four runs in the bottom of the sixth inning to pull away for the 6-1 win. Liam Waldron went the distance to get the win.

“Liam’s our number one and he’s been our number one for two years, we’re lucky to have him,” said Raider coach Matt LeBlanc. “He battles, he’s a baseball kid and he loves this game.”

Waldron hit the first two batters of the game,

but bounced back nicely, getting a line drive to left, a groundout and a strikeout to get out of the inning with nobody crossing the plate.

Owen Waldron led off the bottom of the inning with a base hit and with one out, stole second. Liam Waldron worked a walk and a walk to Isaiah Lambert loaded the bases with two outs, but the Orioles were able to get out of the inning with no runs coring.

Liam Waldron set down the visitors in order in the top of the second inning and the Orioles did the same in the bottom of the inning. Conant was able to put together a run in the top of the third inning

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## First Baptist Church of Belmont to host community meal

**BELMONT** — The First Baptist Church of Belmont is pleased to announce that they will be hosting a drive-thru community meal at their Church St. location in Belmont, May 14 from 4:30 – 6 p.m. The event is free of charge and open to all.

Pastor Andy Barnes stated, “It’s good to get back to serving the community. We haven’t held a meal in quite some time, and I think everyone is excited to get back into the routine.”

Barnes continued, saying, “Meals are always on Saturday, and so

we thought it would be fun to serve a traditional Saturday night meal of Beans and hot dogs. The church folks are working hard at homemade beans, as well as desserts. It should be a great night.”

The Mission’s Board of FBC Belmont, along with church members and friends, plans, prepares and serves the meal as an act of community outreach, and service to our Lord, Jesus Christ.

Scripture encourages us to be “doers of the word, not just hearers,” and it is our goal to hon-

or the Lord all the while meeting the basic human needs of food and fellowship.

For more information, please contact the church office.

The First Baptist Church of Belmont is a 211-year-old congregation that keeps one foot in the traditional forms of worship, and one in the more modern forms. Our multi-generational body of believers is continually seeking a closer relationship with Jesus Christ, our Savior.

The mission of the church is to share God’s

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## Sanbornton Historic District Commission hosts historic preservation and old house renovation workshops

**SANBORNTON** — The Sanbornton Historic District Commission will hold a day of seminars on Saturday, May 21 at the Town Hall on Meeting House Hill Road in Sanbornton starting at 9:30 a.m. These workshops will be facilitated by experts from the Historic New England organization.

The morning program begins at 9:30 to 11:45 a.m., and features

an overview of Historic New England’s preservation philosophy and the Secretary of the Interior’s Standards for Treatment of Historical Properties including Preservation, Rehabilitation, Restoration, and Reconstruction. Along with this review of preservation principles, this session will delve into typical architectural styles of buildings in Sanbornton and

surrounding areas and provide a framework for identifying character defining features at their properties.

Following a lunch break from 11:45 a.m. to 1 p.m., the afternoon program will begin at 1 p.m., running to 3:30 p.m. At this afternoon session, attendees will learn how to apply the information from the learned morning program, as

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## Students exhibit creativity, excitement for learning at Spaulding Academy Science Fair

**NORTHFIELD** — Spaulding Academy & Family Services recently held the 2022 Spaulding Academy Science Fair, which brought families, friends, and community partners to campus to experience student science projects. Serving as guest judges were New Hampshire Department of Education Commissioner Frank Edelblut; Ron Magoon, president and CEO of Franklin Savings Bank; Dan Kaplan, director of Information Technology, Associated Grocers of New England; and Tilton-Northfield Fire Department Firefighters Timothy Ames, Tyler Bannister, Travis Gosine, and Theodore Partingt.

The Science Fair is a school wide, experiential learning event that allows students of all abilities and ages (kindergarten through grade

12) to explore scientific concepts using the scientific method. Projects included hypotheses, written summaries, posters, and experiment demonstrations and covered various themes including chemical reactions, fossils, heat exchange, and the ocean floor.

“It was an honor to participate in the Spaulding Academy Science Fair as a guest judge,” Edelblut said. “Along with my fellow judges, I was deeply impressed by the creativity and thought that went into each student’s project. It was a testament to the dedication of both the students and faculty.”

Some of this year’s projects examined the best starter for making rock candy, how plants grow based on different substrates, what foods

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# Elizabeth Brothers promoted to Mortgage Loan Officer at MVSB



Elizabeth Brothers

MEREDITH — MVSB (Meredith Village Savings Bank) has promoted Elizabeth Brothers to Mortgage Loan Officer NMLS #69282. In this role, Brothers will serve Alton, Gilford, Wakefield, Wolfeboro and surrounding communities in assisting clients with their home lending

needs. Brothers most recently served as the Bank's Assistant Vice President, Mortgage Strategy Officer and has held multiple roles in mortgage lending throughout her career.

"We are extremely proud and excited to have Elizabeth available to showcase her incredible commitment to customer service and experience as a Loan Officer," said Charlie Dowd, Vice President, Residential Mortgage Sales at MVSB. "With her vast experience, attention to detail and comforting communication skills, Elizabeth will be an excellent addition to our team and a great support

team with loan structuring, industry guidelines, regulatory changes and system proficiencies. She implemented a number of strategic initiatives in mortgage lending, enhancing the customer's experience. She was promoted to Assistant Vice President in 2021.

Susan "Sue" Ross, mortgage loan originator NMLS# 165861, recently announced her retirement after 14 years of dedicated service at MVSB. Ross earned recognition as one of the top mortgage loan officers within the local communities she served. Brothers has been working with Ross to ensure the continued delivery of the high quality mortgage lending experience that customers have come to know.

Brothers joined MVSB in 2020 as Mortgage Sales Support Manager, where she supported and guided the mortgage origination

Award in recognition of her tremendous service to young people in the Lakes Region.

Brothers grew up in Laconia and graduated from the Granite State College with an Associate of Business Science. She also attended Northern New England School of Banking. She loves being a part of her community and enjoys the beauty of New Hampshire.

Unlike a stock bank, MVSB is a mutual savings bank that operates for the benefit of its depositors, borrowers and surrounding communities. As a result, MVSB has remained steadfast in fostering the economic health and well-being of the community since

it was founded in 1869. For more than 150 years, Meredith Village Savings Bank (MVSB), has been serving the people, businesses, nonprofits and municipalities of New Hampshire. MVSB and its employees are guided by the values of accountability, mutuality, excellence, respect, integrity, teamwork and stewardship. To learn more, visit any of the local branch offices located in Alton, Ashland, Center Harbor, Gilford, Laconia, Melvin Village, Meredith, Moultonborough, Plymouth, Portsmouth or Wolfeboro, call 800-922-6872 or visit [mvsb.com](http://mvsb.com).

## Sue Ross retires after 14 years of service to MVSB

MEREDITH — Susan "Sue" Ross, Mortgage Loan Originator NMLS #165861 for MVSB (Meredith Village Savings Bank), has retired after 14 years of dedicated service to the Bank. Sue proudly served the community by helping individuals and families with their mortgage financing needs.

"We have been incredibly lucky to have Sue represent the Bank through all these years," said Charlie Dowd, Vice President, Residential Mortgage Sales at MVSB. "She started just prior to the Wolfeboro branch opening in 2008

that truly cares about the areas we serve," said Ross. "It has been an amazing experience to help people achieve their dream of homeownership and guide others through buying a second home, land or refinancing. I look forward to enjoying my retirement in this beautiful area we are fortunate enough to call home alongside so many of my past clients, family and friends."

Elizabeth Brothers, who was recently promoted to Mortgage Loan Officer NMLS #69282, has been working alongside Sue to ensure a seamless transition and

production, ranking #2 in Belknap County, #4 in Carroll County and #34 out of 3,000 in the entire state.

Prior to joining MVSB, Ross served as a real estate paralegal and as a real estate agent. She is a member of the Gilford Community Church, has volunteered on various committees, and plans to continue to give back to the community in retirement. She also looks forward to traveling with her husband Eston, spending time with family and friends, and playing tennis. Sue said they are planning to travel and hike in New Hampshire, Utah and Europe this summer.



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Sue Ross (second from left), who recently retired from MVSB as a Mortgage Loan Originator NMLS #165861 after 14 years of service, receives flowers from Charlie Dowd, Vice President, Residential Mortgage Sales at MVSB. Also pictured: Jessica Ruel, Branch and Business Development Manager in Laconia, (right) and Becky Reposa, Branch and Business Development Manager in Gilford.



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and has been essential to continued vitality of the community. She will truly be missed here, we wish her the best of luck in her well-earned retirement.

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# It’s “Murder Madness” on LRPA all month long!

LACONIA—Throughout May, Lakes Region Public Access Television will highlight some of the most dark and gritty movies ever to come out of Hollywood! Join us each Friday and Saturday night at 10:00 p.m. for “May Murder Madness.” Some films fall in the category of film noir; some are thriller-adventures – but all have murder on their minds! This weekend (May 6 & 7), we get the month started with 1946’s film noir classic “The Strange Love of Martha Ivers,” starring Barbara Stanwyck, Van Heflin, Elizabeth Scott and Kirk Douglas (in his debut role!).

In 1928, the young heiress Martha Ivers tries to escape her claustrophobic life with her authoritarian aunt, Mrs. Ivers (Dame Judith Anderson). She wants to run away with local bad boy Sam Masterson, but

the police catch them and bring her home. Martha and her aunt argue, and in the heat of the moment, the teenager pushes Mrs. Ivers down the stairs, killing her. The son of her tutor, Walter O’Neill, witnesses the event. When Martha lies to her tutor about how the accident happened (an intruder killed her!), Walter backs up her story. Walter’s father suspects that young Martha is lying, and so manipulates the situation to one of financial gain for his son. Fast forward nearly 20 years. A grown Martha (Stanwyck) is now married to Walter (Douglas), an alcoholic district attorney. Martha has built her aunt’s factory into a small empire. Their marriage is a disaster, as he loves her, but she doesn’t return the feelings. Meanwhile, Sam Masterson (Heflin), now an aimless drifter, winds up back in his

hometown dues to a car wreck. While waiting for his car to be repaired, he meets the lovely Toni Marachek (Scott), who’s just gotten out of jail. After Toni gets picked up for violating her parole, Sam visits Walter to see if he can help her out of this jam. Walter is wary of Sam, as he thinks that Sam is in town to blackmail the couple for what he knows about Miss Iver’s death. Martha sees Sam again for the first time in nearly two decades, and Walter jealously realizes that Martha never lost her feelings for Sam. What follows is an unfortunate chain of events that prove the cold, calculating and vengeful nature of four human beings.

If you’re a lover of classic movies and of film noir in particular, then Martha Ivers has it all: murder, blackmail, greed, deceit, dirty secrets and ruthless

dames. It received an Oscar nomination for Best Original Story, and deservedly so. Every actor gives a stellar performance, particularly Van Heflin, who played here against type as the sneering, hard-boiled bad boy. In writing about the film debut of Kirk Douglas, famed columnist Louella Parsons noted that Paramount Pictures had “unearthed themselves another wonder boy,” and she certainly was right. Critic Leonard Maltin described Martha Ivers as a “...gripping melodrama – 3 out of 4 stars.” What more do you need to know? So grab your popcorn and join LRPA after dark for this vintage classic!

Mark your calendars for these upcoming murderous movies:

May 6 & 7: 1946’s “The Strange Love of Martha Ivers”  
May 13 & 14: 1932’s

“The Most Dangerous Game”  
May 20 & 21: 1954’s “Suddenly”  
May 27 & 28: 1956’s “Please Murder Me!”

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About Lakes Region Public Access Television (LRPA)

Lakes Region Public Access Television (LRPA) is a nonprofit, noncommercial public access TV station and community media center located on the Laconia High School campus in Laconia, NH. LRPA streams via the web at [live.lrpa.org](http://live.lrpa.org), and broadcasts locally on Breezeline Channel 24 (educational programming),

Channel 25 (information and entertainment) and Channel 26 (government meetings) to 11,000 viewers in our member communities of Belmont, Gilford, Laconia, Meredith and Northwood. Programming is produced by and for the people of the greater Lakes Region. LRPA’s mission is to empower our community members to produce content that

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# Canterbury Shaker Village reopens May 14



CANTERBURY — Saturday, May 14 marks Opening Day for Canterbury Shaker Village, which features 25 original and 4 reconstructed Shaker buildings set on nearly 700 acres of forests, open fields, and well-tended gardens.

“We are thrilled to welcome visitors back to our lovely campus,” said Executive Director Leslie Nolan, who cited guided tours as “the best way” to explore The Village. “This year, our tours start with a new 8-min-

ute film that provides a broad overview of the

Shakers, so it’s a wonderful way to get started.”

Currently, there are four available tours, which will be offered Tuesday - Sunday in May and June at 11 a.m., 1 p.m., and 3 p.m. Additional tours and times will be added throughout the season.

In A Cultural Landscape: Village Design, visitors will learn about the Shakers’ contributions to architectural design, landscaping, waterworks, and masonry. Shaker Stories: History & Legacy explores how the Shakers went from a misunderstood and per-

secuted people to one of the most successful religious communities in our nation’s history. Other tours include Innovations & Inventions: Shaker Ingenuity and Hale & Hearty: Shaker Health.

“The Shakers were incredibly innovative and entrepreneurial,” said Nolan. “Each of our tours provide an interesting, unique look into their way of life, which remained prominent for 200 years.”

In addition to guided tours, Canterbury Shaker Village interprets Shaker life through ex-

hibits, buildings, gardens, and programs. Canterbury Shaker Village is located at 288 Shaker Rd., Canterbury, just south of Laconia and north of Concord. To learn more, or purchase tickets online, visit [shakers.org](http://shakers.org).

Canterbury Shaker Village is a member of the NH Heritage Museum Trail, which connects the public with culturally rich heritage institutions in New Hampshire. For more information, visit [nhmuseumtrail.org](http://nhmuseumtrail.org).

## BELMONT POLICE LOG

BELMONT — The Belmont Police Department reported the following arrests during the week of April 25 to May 2.

Cristie L. Glueck, age 33, of Franklin was arrested on April 26 for Aggravated DUI with a Passenger Under the age of 16.

Christopher L. Levreault, age 44, of Belmont was arrested on April 28 for Theft By Unauthorized Taking in an amount less than \$1,000 and Receiving Stolen Property valued at \$1,000.

James P. Dragon, age 57, of Belmont was arrested on April 28 for an Attack on Animals of Humans.

Britiny N. Lebeau, age 27, of Laconia was arrested on April 29 for Possession of a Controlled Drug.

Nicholas Didonato, age 40, of Laconia was arrested on April 30 for Resisting Arrest or Detention and in connection with a warrant.

Brandon Alexander Destefano, age 20, of Weare was arrested on May 1 for DUI-Impairment, Unlawful Possession and/or In-

toxication, an Open Container violation, and Transporting Alcoholic Beverages.

Devon A. Eldridge, age 26, of Franklin was arrested on May 1 for Receiving Stolen Property valued at less than \$1,000 and Breach of Bail.

Heather A. Smith, age 43, of Sanbornton was arrested on May 2 for Driving After Revocation or Suspension and violating Driver’s License Prohibitions.

## Sanbornton Historical Society kicks off 2022 season Thursday

SANBORNTON — The Sanbornton Historical Society is proud to start its 2022 programs with New England Meetinghouses on Thursday, May 12, 7 p.m., at the Lane Tavern, presented by Brad Wolff.

The central focus of every New England town was the meetinghouse and many of these buildings still play an important role today. What makes a meetinghouse and what role(s) did they play in their communities? These buildings have witnessed and been a part of significant historical events.

Brad Wolf is a retired social studies teacher and former NH Department of Education Social Stud-

ies Teacher of the Year. He is a frequent and popular presenter of historical programs throughout the area. He resides in Moultonborough with his wife Karen.

Please note that the Sanbornton Historical Society programs for 2022 will return to the Lane Tavern at 520 Sanborn Rd. (Route 132) in Sanbornton. Programs start at 7 p.m. and are free to the public. The Tavern is handicapped accessible, and all are welcome. For more information, check

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## Spring cleaning can improve your health

It's been a week mixed with sunshine and rain, which means that spending time inside organizing and cleaning (along with watching the Red Sox) has been top on our list. Spring cleaning, a chore that happens every year feels great when complete. Why is it that something so tedious and boring could be so good for us?

Did you know that cleaning actually supports your immune system? Cleaning is of huge benefit, especially to those with allergies. Getting rid of dust, pet dander, mildew and mold can trigger the immune system causing unnecessary illness. Those with cluttered homes tend to suffer the worst. To avoid indoor allergies, vacuum regularly, this to include your furniture.

Cleaning reduces stress. While cleaning, your brain is able to relax. This mindless activity can give you a chance to de-stress. Experts say that cleaning for as little as twenty minutes can reduce anxiety by up to 20 percent. It's a win/win. Sure, it's no day at the spa, but constructive relaxation is always good. Using products with scents said to induce relaxation such as lavender is also an expert tip.

Heart health can be improved by cleaning by way of exercise. Just a half an hour of vacuuming can burn up to 100 calories. It's a known fact that people who like to keep their homes clean tend to take more interest in their overall health and well being.

A tidy bedroom is said to help you sleep better. Individuals who make their beds are roughly 20 percent more likely to get a more restful night sleep. Seventy-five percent of people polled sleep better on clean sheets, in a room with less clutter.

When you are in a tidy area, your production increases. Less clutter, means less distraction which is said to clear up mental space. A study from 2011, from the Journal of Neuroscience, used MRI's to track the brain's response to cleanliness. More clutter, was found to significantly limit the brain's processing capability.

Checking off the cleaning to do list can make you feel more satisfied and can boost your mood. A clean, fresh house is said to naturally boost endorphins and boost energy levels which leads to a decrease in depression.

Cleaning and organization can have a domino effect in that it can lead to sprucing up other areas of your life. Interesting, was the one finding that stated when individuals were placed in a clean, well organized space they were more likely to choose healthier menu items.

In the wise words of William Morris, "Have nothing in your house that you do not know to be useful, or believe to be beautiful."

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## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

### Let the will of the people speak

To the Editor:

Sen. Bob Giuda pushed to defeat two Marijuana bills that been passed by the House because he feels that's best for the citizens of New Hampshire, although the majority of folks are in favor of the bills that the House passed. He thinks he knows better than the majority of the New Hampshire voters.

The only way we will ever get a bill passed that the people want is by voting Bob Giuda and the other Republican Senators out of office in November!

Bill Whalen  
Sanbornton



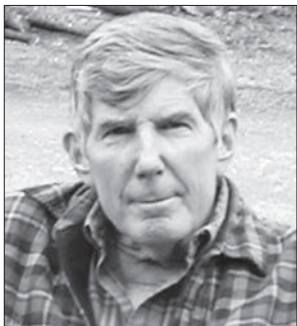
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### Spring Craft Fair returns to Tanger Outlets

Come to the Lakes Region Spring Craft Fair at the Tanger Outlets, 120 Laconia Rd., Tilton, on May 21 & 22, Saturday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. & Sunday 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Don't miss this fabulous arts & crafts fair with more than 100 amazing artisans! Some of the exhibits will include handsome soy candles, amazing wrought iron creations, unique macrame chairs & swings, cedar wood furniture, amazing leather jewelry, NH maple syrup products, folk art, pottery, beautiful hand painted wood/metal/snowshoes/glass, hand poured soaps/personal care products, charcuterie boards, cribbage boards, amazing wildlife photography, inlaid wooden furniture, pet products, clothing, Dick's sticks, whoopie pies, & lots more!!! Friendly, Leashed Dogs Welcome! Rain or Shine Under Canopies! Music with Sergei! Always free admission. For more information, call Joyce at 603-387-1510 or email [joycescraftshows.com](mailto:joycescraftshows.com).

### North Country Notebook

## Now here was a mouse that at least made scents



By JOHN HARRIGAN  
COLUMNIST

"On the trail of a mouse" sounds like a short subject at a movie, not quite on a par with following a wounded tiger into a thicket. But that was the stuff of yesteryear, when a movie ticket was 20 cents. If you could spare a dime, Cob Sutton would stop buttering popcorn and fold it with his thumbs.

The smell hit me on the last step of the day, the last step of the stairs. It was the smell of bottled gas, except that it wasn't. It was the Smell of Something Dead.

In this house, with me as the only large carbon-based creature (to quote Captain Kirk, or somebody), and with my Jeep sidekick Millie gone to the Chipmunk-Catching Happy Hunting Grounds of Dogdom, the smell--no, stink--of something dead could only be coming from--a mouse.

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Now, I'm pretty keen about mice, "keen" in the sense of "sharp." Having spent most of my life in and around hunting and fishing camps, I learned about mice when they were, well, campy. Sort of like Mickey Mouse in "Steamboat Willie."

In adult life, which is the reality check in this movie, I'm keen enough about mice to know when there's probably a weasel around. For instance, I did not have to deploy my trap-line this past winter, because I had no mice.

If a mouse can get its head through any open-

ing in your house--a shift of rocks from frost near your foundation, a crack under a shed door--it can squeeze the rest of its body through. This is a true axiom from the Book of Mice. Take it from a guy who's had mice gallop across his face, which will ring true with anyone who's ever spent a night in a loose camp.

Oh sure, I put a trap or two out last fall, when mice are so desperate to get in, but turned up none. "Aha!" I thought. "A weasel in the woodpile!" But I didn't rush out to stare at my woodpile, because I could somehow feel it. If I'd wasted my energy by going out to stare at my woodpile, sure enough, a weasel--by then an ermine--would have popped its head out.

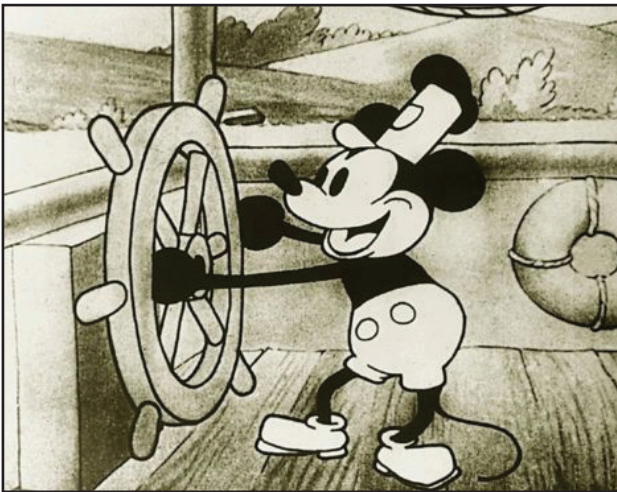
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There is something revolting yet compelling about the smell of death. First among the compelling parts, I think, is that you hope it's not you. This is a silly thought, because if it were you, you'd be beyond smelling.

Bears, coyotes, and all sorts of other omnivores can smell death and home in on it like a tired pigeon. They are among the ill-named scavengers, the ones that keep the landscape clean.

Birds on high have keen noses to go along with their incredibly sharp eyes. There is evidence that turkey vultures can actually smell the smell, even way up there. Like dung beetles, turkey vultures (given away by their V-shaped wings) have a bad name.

Turkey vultures first appeared in the North Country in the 1970s. One of my first friends at Fish and Game during my early days of newspapering was a biologist's aid named Al Smith. He was on my list for the news of the day.



COURTESY

A steamboat chuffed its way along as the original Mickey Mouse bee-bopped at the wheel in Disney's feature cartoon, "Steamboat Willie." (Courtesy Museum of Modern Art)

One day, Al had something unusual to say. "Saw a turkey vulture," he said. "Was so big, thought it was an air-eo-plane." He said it like the old-timers, just to be funny: "Air-eo-plane."

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As with the coyote taking the place of the northeast's original wolf, the story about turkey vultures is too simple for some people to take. It is a story of road-kill.

The turnpikes--the worst of wildlife killing fields--have reached beyond the notches. The length and breadth of New Hampshire, there is more than ever traffic--and the next year and the next, still more.

The chief food for turkey vultures is any dead creature--farm animals dragged out to the bone yard, wildlife carcasses of all stripe, but particularly road kill, the worst sort of death-trap for wild creatures, from hoppy-toad to tick-laden moose.

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Bottled gas (propane) is deliberately instilled with a scent so that if it is where it's not supposed to be, someone will smell it. Perhaps it is no coincidence that it mimics the smell of death.

I knew damned well that there was a dead mouse near my bedroom, somewhere, but still I took to bed, hoping

I could drift off to somewhere else.

But no, it was not to be. My sniffer still works too well, and it sent messages to what remains of my brain, saying, "Find the mouse."

So I got up and searched, and I was drawn to a wastebasket, which I thought contained only a few scraps of paper, but there it was--a little mouse, its little feet up in the air, stinking away, what we've always called a kangaroo mouse, the kind we love (but not in the kitchen, not the house, even), drawn to the lip of the wastebasket by who knows what, but then fallen in, from which there was no escape.

Practicality took over, and I took the wastebasket downstairs, picked the paper out for the fire, and heaved the rest of the contents (the mouse) out onto lawn.

I'd have left the carcass atop a fence-pole for the owls, but it was just too close for comfort.

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# 150 Years on the Lake

*M/S Mount Washington celebrates milestone anniversary*

LACONIA — This year will mark the M/S Mount Washington’s 150th season on Lake Winnepesaukee, and Mount Washington Cruises has a season full of celebrations to mark the event.

The anniversary comes as the state heads into a summer season that promises to see the return of many events and activities that were restricted due to the Covid-19 pandemic.

“The 150th anniversary not only marks a milestone for a historic ship, it’s also a chance to celebrate a return to the traditional Lake Winnepesaukee summer season,” said Capt. Jim Morash from Mount Washington Cruises. “The ship has endured for generations, in good times and bad, and we’re excited to see her again be a place where people come to gather, unwind and enjoy our beautiful lake.”

Mount Washington Cruises will celebrate the 150th anniversary of the M/S Mount Wash-

ington on Lake Winnepesaukee with the Anniversary Gala on Aug. 12, hosted on the date the ship was launched. The special event will include multiple decks of entertainment, hors d’oeuvres, signature drinks, photo opportunities, and special limited-edition souvenirs.

Tickets to this signature event are available at [cruisenh.com/products/150th-anniversary-gala](http://cruisenh.com/products/150th-anniversary-gala).

A Season of Events  
The 2022 Season will officially kickoff on May 8, with the Mother’s Day Brunch cruise, featuring a grand buffet, entertainment, and a flower for the moms. Other special events slated for the 150th Anniversary season include:

Memorial Day Dinner Cruise on May 29  
Independence Day Cruise on July 4  
150th Anniversary Gala on Aug. 12  
Labor Day Dinner Cruise on Sept. 4  
Halloween Masquerade Ball on Oct. 22

In addition to these special events, visitors can come aboard the M/S Mount Washington during a Narrated Cruise, running twice daily most days during the season, or the Sunset Dinner Cruise, offered on select evenings in spring and fall and on Monday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday during the summer months. In addition, the M/S Mount Washington will offer a Sunday Brunch Cruise throughout the season.

A Tradition 150 Years in the Making  
Since 1872, there has been a ship on the lake commissioned under the name Mount Washington. The first was the S.S Mount Washington, a 178-foot wooden side-wheeler built and launched in 1872 by the Boston & Maine Railroad company to take travelers and cargo from one side of the lake to the other.

There were many steamships operating

on Lake Winnepesaukee in the late 1800s, but the SS Mount Washington gained notoriety as the fastest, and because of her connection to the railroad, quickly became the busiest lake transportation business, carrying more than 60,000 passengers a year by the end of the 19th century.

In the early 20th century, the SS Mount Washington, referred to today as the “Old Mount,” continued to take passengers around the lake and to the grand Weirs Hotel at the SS Mount Washington’s home port of Weirs Beach. But that all changed when fires took down two icons in the area, first in 1924, when the Weirs Hotel was destroyed by a fire and again in 1939, when a fire at the railroad station spread down the dock to where the SS Mount Washington was berthed for the winter.

Captain Leander Lavallee, who was the owner of the destroyed

Mount, soon announced plans to find a bigger, faster ship for the lake. In 1940, Lavallee purchased the 203-foot Chateaguay, berthed on Lake Champlain, Vermont. Moving the iron ship required cutting it into 20 sections and shipping it by flat-bed railroad car. It was reassembled and outfitted with a new, powerful steam engine. Now 205 feet in length, the SS Mount Washington II launched on August 12, 1940, less than a year after the tragic fire.

The ship continued service through tough economic times and World War II, ushering in an era of transition. The Mount Washington’s steam engine was replaced by a diesel engine 1946, and she rechristened as the M/V Mount Washington. The ship underwent a complete overhaul in 1982, when the ship was cut down the middle and 25 feet was added to her length, reclassifying her as the M/S Mount Wash-

ington, the ship that is on Lake Winnepesaukee today.

M/S Mount Washington Today  
The M/S Mount Washington draws thousands of visitors each year who enjoy the daily cruises.

In addition to the M/S Mount Washington, the Mount Washington Cruises fleet has grown to include the M/V Sophie C, the mail ship for the lake’s islands and the oldest floating post office in the nation; the Winnepesaukee Spirit, equipped for private events; and the M/V Doris E., which provides short cruises and shuttle service to Meredith.

For more information about the M/S Mount Washington, the 150th Anniversary Season, or Mount Washington Cruises, contact Jared Maraio at (603) 366-5531 or [jared@cruisenh.com](mailto:jared@cruisenh.com), or go to [cruisenh.com](http://cruisenh.com).

## University of Saint Joseph Undergraduate Awards Ceremony celebrates Kiara Chase

WEST HARTFORD, Conn. — On Thursday, April 28, the University of Saint Joseph community gathered to celebrate the many students honored in the annual Undergraduate Awards Ceremony. USJ President Rhona Free was joined by students, their families, faculty, and staff to commemorate student achievements in areas including academics, leadership, service, scholarship, and scholar-athletes.

USJ Provost Michelle Kalis, Ph.D. presided over the event and said, “The undergraduate students honored this year excelled in the areas of academics, leadership, and service. We are incredibly proud of their accomplishments both in and out of the classroom and we know they will go on to excel in their careers and serve their communities as leaders.”

Kiara Chase of Tilton earned the Beth Bye Early Childhood Education Award.

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## Streetcar’s “Lion King, Jr.” off to a roaring start

TILTON — You are hereby summoned by the King of the Pride lands to join the “Circle of Life” as the Streetcar Company’s youth theater group, SKYT, brings Disney’s “Lion King, Jr.” to the stage at the Tilton School June 24-26.

Under the guidance of co-directors David Nelson and Raelyn Cottrell, a talented young cast is excited to wow audiences with the story of Simba, heir to the throne of the powerful king Mufasa who is forced into exile when Mufasa dies at the hands of his envious brother, Scar. Left to wander the jungle with companions Timon, Pumba as he comes of age and finds romance with childhood friend Nala, Simba must ultimately decide whether or not to embrace his destiny, face his evil uncle, and reclaim his rightful place as king. Along the way, Simba and his friends are sure to have audiences dancing in their seats to all the classic songs featured in the original film, including “Circle of Life,” “I Just Can’t Wait to be King,” “Hakuna Matata,” and “Can You Feel the Love Tonight?”

Bladimir Figueroa leads the gifted cast of children and teens as Simba, with Max Cohen as Mufasa, Ethan Larson as Scar, Siera Kender as Nala, Leah Haskins and Abby Bryant as Timon and Pumba, Jackson Blendowski as Zazu, and Isabella Cottrell as Rafiki. Ben Lipson and Hannah Powers will portray Young Simba and Young Nala. Scar’s 3 sidekicks are Dylan Hurst, Tanner Olson and Hazel Towne. Olivia Lipson and Rowan Sottak lead the pack of Lionesses played by Bridget Holloran, Berylin Ippolito and Emmalynn Varney. This cast wouldn’t be complete without the amazing Pride Land Animals, Kilean Fredette, Cooper Plourde, Connor Hough, Ellie Feola, Conner Nugent and Eli Parry.

Performances of “The Lion King, Jr.” will take place at the Tilton School’s Hamilton Hall Theater the weekend of June 24-26, with evening shows starting at 7 p.m. on Friday and Saturday and a matinee Sunday at 2 p.m. For more information and to purchase advance tickets, please visit [streetcarcompany.com](http://streetcarcompany.com).

## HIGH SCHOOL SLATE

**Thursday, May 12**  
GILFORD  
Baseball vs. Prospect Mountain; 4  
Girls’ Lacrosse at Pelham; 4  
Girls’ Tennis vs. Inter-Lakes; 4  
Softball vs. Prospect Mountain; 4

**Friday, May 13**  
BELMONT  
Baseball at Somersworth; 4  
Girls’ Lacrosse at St. Thomas; 4  
Softball at Somersworth; 4  
WINNISQUAM  
Baseball at Franklin; 4  
Softball at Newfound; 4

**Saturday, May 14**  
BELMONT  
Softball at St. Thomas; 10  
Track at Winnisquam; 10  
GILFORD  
Track at Winnisquam; 10

WINNISQUAM  
Track Home Meet; 10

**Monday, May 16**  
BELMONT  
Baseball vs. Winnisquam; 4  
Girls’ Lacrosse vs. Inter-Lakes; 4  
Softball vs. Winnisquam; 4  
GILFORD  
Baseball at Kearsarge; 4  
Boys’ Lacrosse at Lebanon; 4:30  
Boys’ Tennis vs. Trinity; 4  
Girls’ Lacrosse vs. Lebanon; 4  
Softball at Kearsarge; 4  
WINNISQUAM  
Baseball at Belmont; 4  
Softball at Belmont; 4

**Tuesday, May 17**  
BELMONT  
Track at Gilford; 4  
GILFORD  
Track Home Meet; 4

**Wednesday, May 18**  
BELMONT  
Girls’ Lacrosse at Campbell; 4  
GILFORD  
Boys’ Lacrosse at Stevens; 4  
Girls’ Lacrosse at Bow; 4  
Girls’ Tennis at Prospect Mountain; 4  
WINNISQUAM  
Baseball vs. Monadnock; 4  
Softball vs. Monadnock; 4

**Thursday, May 19**  
BELMONT  
Baseball vs. Gilford; 4  
Girls’ Lacrosse at Lebanon; 4  
Softball vs. Gilford; 4  
GILFORD  
Baseball at Belmont; 4  
Girls’ Lacrosse vs. Inter-Lakes; 4  
Softball at Belmont; 4

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Retiring early? Know your health care choices

Life doesn't always go as planned. For example, you might think you'll retire at 65 or later, when you'll be eligible for Medicare. But if you retire before then, how will you pay for your health care? Without insurance, you risk incurring thousands of dollars of expenses if you are injured or become seriously ill. And if you must pay for these costs out of pocket, you might have to dip into your IRA, 401(k) or other retirement accounts earlier than you had planned – which could result in a less desirable retirement lifestyle than you had envisioned.

What, then, are your options? It depends on your situation, but here are four possibilities:

- *Employer retiree health benefits* – If your former employer offers health coverage to retirees, it could well be your best choice, especially if the employer continues to pay a share of the premiums. However, fewer employers

are offering continuing health coverage to former employees, and among those who do, they may use certain criteria – such as length of service and position within the company – to limit eligibility.

- *Spouse's plan* – If you're married and your spouse still has employer-provided insurance, you may be able to get coverage under this plan or continue this coverage if you have it already. If the employer subsidizes premiums for spouses, this plan could be an affordable choice – if not, though, it might be more expensive than other options.
- *COBRA* – The Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act (COBRA) allows you to maintain your existing coverage with the same benefits and provider network. However, COBRA is typically only available for a specific time – usually 18 months – after you leave your employer, and coverage can be expensive. Your previous employer subsidized a portion of the premium as

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a benefit, but once you've retired, you'll likely have to pay the entire premium, plus an additional charge.

- *ACA Marketplace plan* – Through the Affordable Care Act Marketplace, you can find a variety of plans from which to choose, possibly including ones that include your existing network. If you qualify for subsidies, the premiums for your coverage may be similar to employer-sponsored coverage; if not, though, they can be more expensive. For information on ACA Marketplace plans, visit [www.healthcare.gov](http://www.healthcare.gov). If you have options for health insurance, you'll want to take into account differences in coverage and cost. Check whether your desired health care providers are in-network and try to determine if your current medications and the benefits you rely on are covered. You may also want to consider a plan that



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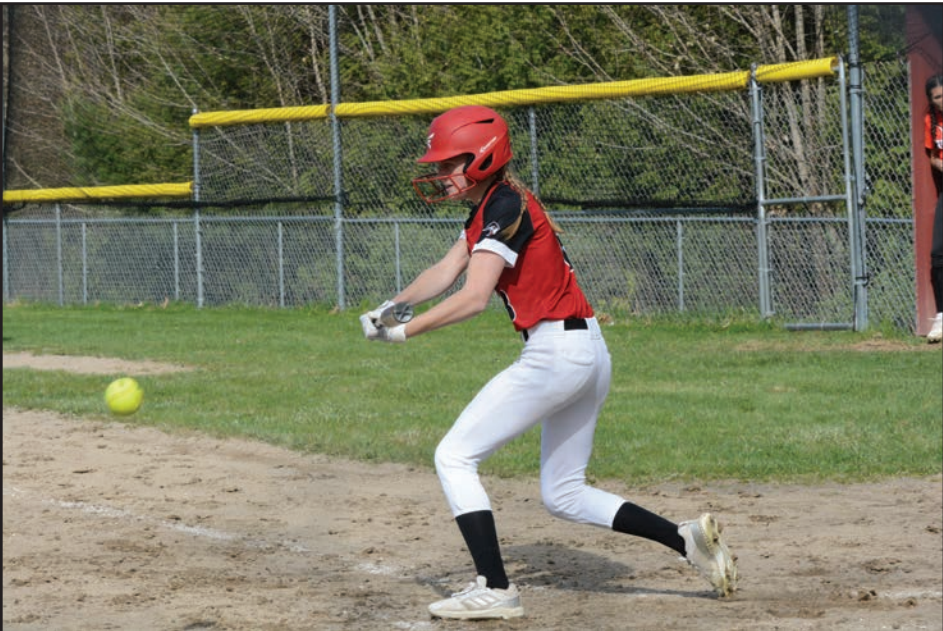
allows you to open a health savings account (HSA), which offers potential tax benefits. To contribute to an HSA, you must be covered by a high deductible health plan (HDHP), so there's that cost to consider, but if you're in generally good health and you don't expect to depend heavily on your health insurance until you're eligible for Medicare, you might want to consider an HDHP.

One final note: Even when you do enroll in Medicare, you will still incur expenses for premiums, deductibles and co-pays, so you'll want to budget for these costs in your overall financial strategy.

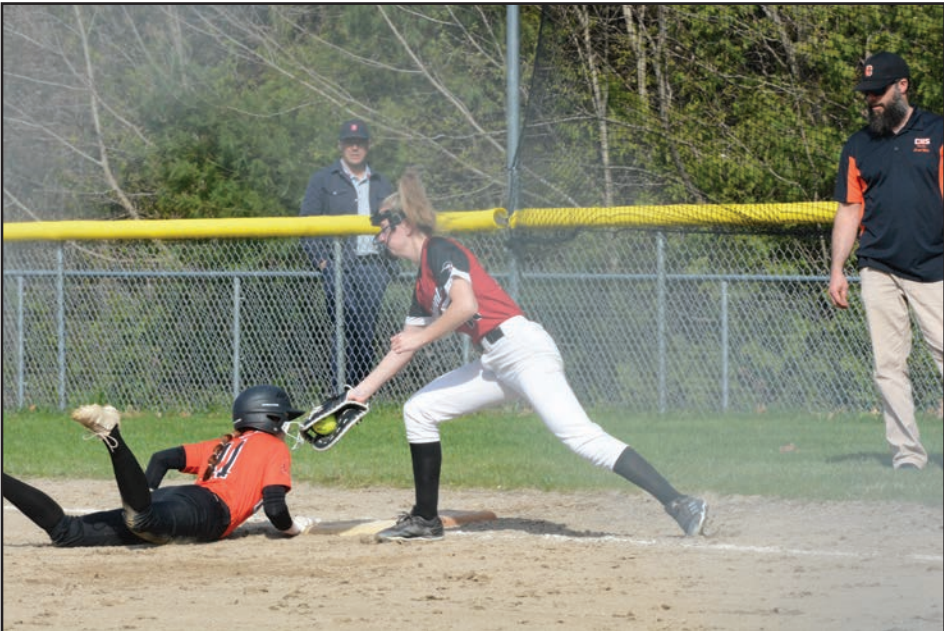
In the meantime, explore your health insurance options. The future is not ours to see – so you'll want to be prepared for anything.



# Rodrigues pitches a gem, but Raiders come up short



JOSHUA SPAULDING



Darci Stone takes a swing in action against Conant last week.

BY JOSHUA SPAULDING  
Sports Editor

BELMONT — The Belmont softball team got a solid pitching performance from Lena Rodrigues, but the Raider bats were unable to generate any runs and the hosts came out on the wrong side of a 1-0 score against Conant last Thursday afternoon. “We had the chances, but we haven’t hit well all season,” said Belmont coach Bill Clary. “We have a lot of freshmen and they are inexperienced at this level. “But I’m happy with the way played, it was the best game we’ve played all year,” the

Raider coach continued. “We’re starting to play smart ball and I like to see it.” Rodrigues worked around a leadoff base hit in the top of the first inning and struck out the side in the top of the second inning. She also set down the side in order in the top of the third as well. The Raiders went in order in the first four innings. Conant was able to score a run in the top of the fourth inning to take the 1-0 lead, but the Raiders didn’t have an answer in the bottom of the inning. Rodrigues then set the Orioles down in

order in the top of the fifth inning. Darci Stone reached on an infield hit to start the bottom of the fifth inning and moved up on consecutive sacrifice groundouts by Avery VonKadich and Riley Cotnoir. However, she was stranded at third base. Rodrigues worked around two base hits in the top of the sixth, striking out the side and the Raiders had a chance again in the bottom of the sixth inning. Courtney Burke beat out an infield hit with one out and moved up on a groundout by Savannah

Avery VonKadich reaches down to put a tag on a Conant runner in action last Thursday. Perkins, but she was stranded on the bases. The Orioles led off the top of the seventh inning by reaching on an error, but Rodrigues was able to settle down and retire the next two batters, two via strikeouts to give the Raiders one more chance at the plate. Carly Drouin reached on an error to lead off the bottom of the seventh and Madi Smith took over on the bases. Stone then worked a walk to put two runners on base, but the Orioles were able to battle back and record the next three outs to seal the 1-0 win. “Lena pitched a great

game, she really hit her spots,” Clary said. “And Riley (Cotnoir) is coming along as a consistent catcher. “I’m looking at this as a jumping stone for us, to keep them at 1-0, and we had our chances,” the Belmont coach added. “They’re a good team.” Rodrigues finished with 11 strikeouts in the loss. The Raiders opened the week with a 29-3 win over Lebanon after a week away for vacation. Perkins picked up her first varsity win in the circle, pitching three innings and allowing on unearned run and no

hits. Smith pitched two innings and allowed just three hits and two runs. Offensively, Rodrigues had three hits and scored four times and VonKadich had a pair of hits, including a triple. The Raiders are slated to be at Somersworth on Friday, May 13, at St. Thomas on Saturday, May 14, at 10 a.m., hosting Winnisquam on Monday, May 16, and Gilford on Thursday, May 19, both at 4 p.m.

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## Track Bears play host to eight-team meet

BY JOSHUA SPAULDING  
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TILTON — The Winnisquam track team played host to a meet on Tuesday, May 3, welcoming Gilford, Belmont, Newfound, Hopkinton, White Mountains, Inter-Lakes and Franklin to Tilton. The Bear boys came home in fifth place overall and the girls were sixth. Patrick Goodwin won the 400 meters with a time of 55.41 seconds, with Joey Damato in third place in 58.07 seconds and Collin Phelps finishing in 1:11.81. In the 100 meters, Leighton Morrison came home in fifth place overall with a time of 12.27 seconds, Nate Lavoie finished in 12.96 seconds, Victor Phan crossed in 13.12 seconds, Carter Laliberte finished in 14.48 seconds, Aemon Gauthier finished in 14.5 seconds and Ari Booth finished in 15.07 seconds. Damato added a sixth place finish in the 800 meters with a time of

2:24.75, with Brendan Goodwin finishing in 2:26.27. Aiden Donahue ran to fourth place overall in the 200 meters, crossing in 25.66 seconds, Luke Cote finished in 26.95 seconds, Laliberte finished in 29.41 seconds and Phelps finished in 31.42 seconds. Donahue won the high jump at five feet, six inches, with Cote clearing four feet, six inches. Carter Fredette finished in fourth place in the discus with a throw of 93 feet, three inches, Patrick Goodwin threw 83 feet, one inch, Laliberte threw 66 feet, 10 inches, Brendan Parry threw 65 feet, eight inches and Brendan Goodwin threw 60 feet, five inches. Fredette was also fourth in the shot put at 34 feet, 4.5 inches, Noel Licata threw 29 feet, 9.75n inches, Brendan Cilley threw 27 feet, 7.5 inches, Parry reached 27 feet, 3.75 inches, Elijah Livingston threw 24 feet, nine inches and John Li-



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Vanessa Power fires the discus during action Saturday at Belmont. cata hit a distance of 17 feet, 1.75 inches. In the 1,600 meters, David Swain was seventh in 5:10.86, with Caelan Roberts finishing in 6:29.9. Noel Licata was eighth in the 3,200 meters in a time of 13:08.76. In the javelin, Roberts threw 94 feet, three inches, Swain reached 87 feet, nine inches, Cilley threw 75 feet, eighth inches, Cote tossed 64 feet, three inches, Phelps threw 49 feet, three inches and John Licata got to 24 feet. The Bear boys ran to second in the 4X100-meter relay with a time of 48.47 seconds and took third in the 4X400-meter relay with a time of 4:02.57. For the Bear girls, Alexis Poole picked up the win in the high jump, clearing four feet, two inches. Victoria Kelly finished in fourth place in the 100-meter hurdles in a time of 19.9 seconds



David Swain runs in the 1,600 meters at Belmont on Saturday. and Lily Webster picked up a fifth place finish in the 400 meters with a time of 1:13.89. Kelly finished third in the javelin at 81 feet, two inches, with Webster throwing 53 feet, six inches. Vanessa Power threw the discus 49 feet, nine inches. In the 100 meters, Poole finished in 14.54 seconds and Ashlee Roache finished in 16.51 seconds. In the 200, Kelly finished in 30.98 seconds, Roache finished in 33.24 seconds and Ella Edwardson finished in 34.3 seconds. The Bear girls finished in sixth place in the 4X100-meter relay in a time of 58.79 seconds and took fourth in the 4X400-meter relay in a time of 5:20.61. On Saturday, the Bears made the short trip to Belmont for a meet, with the boys and girls both finishing in seventh place. Brendan Goodwin finished in fourth place in the 800 meters with a time of 2:20.71, with Henry Osmer in sixth place in 2:26.58. Swain ran to fourth place in the 1,600 meters with a time of 5:08.73 and also took sixth in the javelin with a toss of 90 feet, 11 inches. Cilley threw 90 feet, one inch for seventh place, Fredette was 11th overall at 80 feet, six inches, Livingston finished 14th at 74 feet, four inches, Cote threw 60 feet, seven inches for 19th place, Phelps reached 56 feet, nine inches for 21st place and John Licata was 25th at 33 feet, eight inches. The Bear 4X100-meter team of Pham, Lavoie, Laliberte and Gauthier



Henry Osmer breaks from the blocks in the 100 meters Saturday at Belmont High School.



Ashlee Roache runs during the 100 meters at Belmont on Saturday morning. finished in sixth place in 55.32 seconds and in the 4X400-meter relay, the team of Cote, Lavoie, Brendan Goodwin and Swain finished in fifth in 4:11. In the 100 meters, Pham finished in 22nd place in 13.48 seconds, Laliberte was 27th in 14.06 seconds, Osmer was 29th in 14.08 seconds and Gauthier was 33rd in 14.38 seconds. Cote took 11th in the 200 meters in a time of 29.13 seconds and Phelps was 20th in 32.47 seconds. Lavoie finished in ninth place in the 400 meters with a time of 1:00.93 and Phelps was 14th in 1:10.77. Lavoie also finished in 13th in the long jump at 15 feet, 10.75 inches and Pham was 23rd at 14 feet, one inch. Fredette threw to eighth in the shot put with a throw of 29 feet, 11 inches, Cilley was 15th at 28 feet, 4.25 inches, Livingston was 21st at 26 feet, seven inches, Kyle Messier was 28th at 21 feet, 10 inches and John Licata finished 32nd at 15 feet, .25 inches. Fredette was also ninth in the discus at 79 feet, six inches, Brendan Goodwin was 20th at 61 feet, three inches and John Licata was 25th at 46 feet. For the girls, Kelly was sixth in the 200 meters with a time of 29.97 seconds, Jordan Boelig finished in 14th place in 32.45 seconds and Roache finished 17th in 33.23 seconds. Webster ran to fifth in the 400 meters with a time of 1:15.67 and Kelly took fourth place in the 100-meter hurdles in a time of 19.54 seconds. Boelig was fifth in the high jump with a leap of three feet, 10 inches and Kelly added a third place finish in the javelin with a throw of 87 feet and Webster was ninth at 49 feet, one inch. In the 4X100-meter relay, the team of Boelig, Webster, Kelly and Roache finished in sixth place in a time of 1:00.89. In the 100 meters, Roache was 19th in a time of 16.24 seconds, in the long jump Webster was 10th at 13 feet, four inches and Boelig was 14th at 11 feet, 11.5 inches and in the shot put, Madelyn Penney was 10th at 16 feet, eight inches. Power was 12th in the discus with a throw of 45 feet, two inches. Sports Editor Joshua Spaulding can be reached at 279-4516, ext. 155 or josh@salmon-



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# Busy week for Belmont track team



Mitchell Berry clears a hurdle in action on Saturday morning.



Will Riley runs in the 1,600 meters in Saturday's home meet.

**BELMONT** — The Belmont track team stayed close to home last week, competing at Winnisquam on Tuesday, May 2, and hosting a meet on Saturday, May 7.

At Winnisquam, the boys finished in second place behind Gilford and the girls finished in third place behind Newfound and Hopkinton.

For the boys, Mitchell Berry won the 100-meter hurdles in a time of 18.5 seconds and also won the 300-meter hurdles in a time of 47.27 seconds.

Colby Vetter won the 100 meters with a time of 11.78 seconds, Damien Sanborn finished in fourth place in a time of 12.22 seconds, Brendan Schofield finished in 13.09 seconds, Demetrius Kafkoulis crossed in 13.1 seconds and Kamdyn Boyd finished in 14.22 seconds.

William Riley ran to second place in the 1,600 meters with a time of 4:55.48, with Evan Christensen finishing in 7:02.25.

Vetter took second



Rebekah Edgre runs in the 1,600 meters during Saturday's meet in Belmont.

place in the 200 meters with a time of 24.13 seconds, Schofield finished in 27.26 seconds, Boyd crossed in 29.42 seconds and Nathan Allard finished in 30.48 seconds.

Brian Miles won the discus with a toss of 117 feet, 10 inches, Liam McNamara threw 73 feet, nine inches, Richard Johnson reached 71 feet, eight inches and Adrian McFall threw 59 feet, two inches.

Miles also won the shot put at 41 feet, 10 inches, with McNamara throwing 29 feet, .5 inches, Johnson throwing 27 feet, three inches and McFall reaching 25 feet, 6.25 inches.

Kaden Jewell leaped to fourth place in the high jump, clearing five feet, two inches

The Raider boys finished in first in the 4X100-meter relay in a time of 47.68 seconds and in the 4X400-meter relay, the Raiders were sixth in 4:12.06.

In the 800 meters, Baidyn Lewis finished



Cate McDonald, Talia Watson and Emma Winslow break from the starting line in the 100 meters on Saturday.

1,600 meters, with Alyssa Edgren in 6:28.44 and Emilie DeFrancesco in 7:41.17. In the shot put, Carter threw 20 feet, 4.25 inches and Irving finished at 20 feet, 11.5 inches.

At home on Saturday, the Raider girls were second to Hopkinton and the boys finished in third place behind Trinity and Hopkinton.

Winslow won the 100 meters in 13.19 seconds, Watson finished in second in 13.62 seconds and McDonald was sixth in 14.79 seconds. Ray was 11th in 15.24 seconds, Nialetz was 12th in 15.34 seconds and Decato finished in 17.25 seconds in 23rd place.

Watson finished second in the 200 meters in 29.1 seconds, Nialetz was ninth in 30.97 seconds, Fillebrown was 18th in 33.48 seconds, Liakas finished in 19th place in 34.01 seconds and Decato was 23rd in 35.52 seconds.

Papadopolous finished in second place in the 400 meters with a time of 1:11.34 while in the 800 meters, Alyssa Edgren was fifth in 2:54.32 and Defrancesco finished in seventh in 2:59.26. Rebekah Edgren placed sixth in 6:15.72 in the 1,600 meters.

Takantjas won the 300-meter hurdles in 53.66 seconds and Fillebrown was fourth in 1:00.15 while in the 100-meter hurdles, Takantjas was second in 18.74 seconds.

In the 4X100-meter relay, the team of Winslow, Jada Edgren, McDonald and Watson won in a time of 54.37 seconds and in the 4X400-meter relay, Alyssa Edgren, Re-

bekah Edgren, Papadopolous and Ray finished second in 5:04.98.

Watson jumped to fourth place in the long jump at 14 feet, 6.5 inches and Fillebrown was 12th overall at 12 feet, seven inches. Jada Edgren took fourth in the triple jump at 31 feet, 4.5 inches, Liakas was eighth at 25 feet, 11 inches, Nialetz was ninth at 25 feet, .5 inches and Ray was 10th at 24 feet, six inches.

Irving finished in fourth in the shot put with a toss of 23 feet, 2.75 inches and Carter was eighth at 20 feet, 1.75 inches. Irving was also sixth in the discus with a throw of 59 feet, four inches. In the javelin, Carter was fourth overall at 71 feet, two inches, Irving was fifth at 70 feet, three inches and Papadopolous was 11th at 46 feet, three inches.

For the boys in the 100 meters, Vetter was second in a time of 11.74 seconds, Sanborn took seventh in 12.43 seconds, Kafkoulis was 19th in 13.31 seconds, Schofield finished 20th in 13.33 seconds, Allard was 28th in 14.07 seconds and Boyd finished 32nd in a time of 14.27 seconds. Kafkoulis was 10th in the 200 meters in 26.58 seconds and Allard was 18th in 29.53 seconds.

Lewis finished in a time of 59.71 seconds in the 400 meters to take fifth place overall.

Riley ran to third in the 800 meters with a time of 2:17.04, with Pare in eighth place in 2:30.17 and Cody Annis in 13th place in 2:57.83.

Riley also took second place in the 1,600 meters in a time of 4:55.73 and Tanner McKim was

eighth in 5:40.63.

Berry finished second in the 110-meter hurdles in 18.54 seconds and also took second in the 300-meter hurdles in 47.48 seconds.

The team of Sanborn, Berry, Schofield and Vetter took third in the 4X100-meter relay in 48.82 seconds and the team of Pare, Lewis, McKim and Tyler Durand was sixth in the 4X400-meter relay in 4:19.71.

Jewell leaped to second in the high jump at five feet, six inches and finished second in the long jump at 18 feet, .25 inches, Boyd was 16th at 15 feet, five inches and Allard was 21st at 14 feet, 2.5 inches.

Jewell also added a third place in the triple jump at 36 feet, 1.5 inches and Montoya finished in sixth place at 34 feet, 4.5 inches.

Miles won the shot put at 41 feet, 9.5 inches, McNamara was 10th at 29 feet, 5.75 inches, McFall was 12th at 29 feet, four inches and Johnson was 23rd overall at 25 feet, 2.5 inches. Miles also won the discus at 115 feet, five inches, with Johnson in eighth at 81 feet, six inches, McNamara in 10th at 78 feet, six inches and McFall in 13th place at 72 feet, two inches. Montoya was 13th in the javelin at 76 feet, 10 inches and McFall was 20th at 59 feet, two inches.

The Raiders are in action on Saturday, May 14, at Winnisquam and will be at Gilford on Tuesday, May 17.

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

# Offense falls flat for Winnisquam softball

**BY JOSHUA SPAULDING**  
Sports Editor

**TILTON** — The Winnisquam softball team returned to action after the vacation week and struggled to get the offense going, dropping games to St. Thomas and Gilford.

The week started with a home game against St. Thomas on Thursday, May 5, with the Saints taking a 19-0 win over the Bears.

“Made way too many errors today,” said coach Mark Dawalga. St. Thomas is a very good team and when you give them extra outs, they take advantage of it.”

The next day, the Bears welcomed Gilford to town and fell 12-0 to the Golden Eagles. Gilford scored six times in the first inning to take the lead and never looked back.

“After going down six runs in the first, we were able to settle down and give ourselves some chances to get back in the game,” Dawalga said. “But we just could not get that big hit.”

The Bears came up empty in five plate appearances with runners in scoring position.

Lucy Prunier, Lily Auger, Isabella Dill and Rebecca Kulengosky all

had hits for the Bears.

Next up, the Bears will be at Newfound on Friday, May 13, will be at Belmont on Monday, May 16, and will be hosting Monadnock on Wednesday, May 18, all with 4 p.m. scheduled starts.

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Coco's strengths: smart, social, and motivated by food and toys, this little pup has a lot going for her!  
What needs some improvement: Coco can be nervous about her resources being taken from her such as food and toys. We have been working to teach her that people approaching her food bowl and other high value items means that good things happen and we aren't there to take her stuff away. So far, she is making great progress!  
What Coco is working on: Coco is learning that she does not have to fear her resources being taken from her. She can also get a little uncomfortable with restraint, so she is working on building positive associations with handling.  
What Coco needs in an adopter: Coco is looking for someone who is patient and has lots of love to give! She's a really sweet girl that needs to be shown that her fears in life aren't so scary after all. Through an adopter willing to continue down the path of positive experiences and training, Coco will grow up to be a lovely dog!  
Adoption information-  
Kids: no kiddos  
Cats: no feline friends  
Dogs: Coco may do well on some supervised doggie playdates, but is not ready to go home with another dog due to her insecurity around food and toys.

**Lina**  
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## Moultonborough School District Fall and Winter Coaching Opportunities

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- Varsity Girls Volleyball Coach
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- JV/Assistant Varsity Boys Soccer Coach
- JV/Assistant Varsity Girls Soccer Coach
- Varsity Boys Basketball Coach
- Volunteer Coaches

To apply, complete application found at: <http://www.sau45.org/district/employment> and submit along with a letter of interest to:

Chris Wood, Athletic Director  
Moultonborough School District  
PO Box 228  
Moultonborough, NH 03254  
or email all documents to: [cwood@sau45.org](mailto:cwood@sau45.org)  
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## Antique Auction on the Field Saturday May 21, 2022 @ 10 AM 2695 Mt. Moosilauke Hwy. East Haverhill, NH

Our first auction on the field in East Haverhill is a combination of some great local collections. Lots of folk art, Americana and country smalls from the collection of Binky Miller & June Seligman of Thetford, VT. White Mt. items from the Dick and Sandy Hamilton Collection. Over 1000 antique bottles and flasks, a coin collection and an assortment of log measuring tools. . This sale will be held outdoors under the big tents with a caterer. **PREVIEW from 1 - 6 PM. Friday May 20 and 8-10 AM Day of Sale.**

**Furniture:** Selection of mid century furniture to include set of 4 metal Woodward style wire mesh chairs; rock maple bedroom set; good teak server ; set of 2 chrome armchairs with black leather seats; large antique harvest table with turned legs 90x40x30 inches; step back baker's cabinet with many drawers; early pine storage trunk in old gray paint; nice pine 19th c. bucket bench in old paint; lots of old hall benches and footstools; Irish pine set back bar cabinet with doors;set of 8 modern maple dining chairs lots of other good clean furniture - see website for photos;

**Coins:** 76 walking Liberty Half Dollars; 50+ Silver Kennedy half dollars; 2 sets of nearly complete blue folders of Indian Head cents; lots of other blue folder collections; lots of US Silver coinage; small lot of early half cents; group of 19th c. hard times tokens; collections of US 1\$ silver certificates - some in consecutive groups; please see website for photos or email for a coin list:

**White Mountain Items:** Sm.12x9 in. late 19th c. oil on board of the Old Man of the Mt.; Large oil on canvas of Mt. Chocorua and surroundings; Collection of over 250 + White Mt. Stereoviews by Kilburn and others, interesting stereo-view picture sample book with hundreds of single images; Leavitt's map of the White Mts. mounted on board; grouping of White Mt. Souvenir china; vintage aluminum NH License plate topper; misc. NH advertising tins and bottles; large collection of sterling silver NH souvenir spoons; old White Mt. photos; Oil on board painting of Echo Lake 14x21; other White Mt. paintings and prints; Pages and Illustrations from Hurds Atlas, much more.

**Accessories, Antique Tools, Paintings, Small:** large Sabra Field print Surf. High Tide , Pencil signed Limited # 87/100 Woodblock 1988 27 X 22; 13x16 landscape painting signed R. Schrantz (PA); good assortment of 19th c. pastel still lifes and landscapes; folksy painting of a deer in winter landscape; folksy dog portraits; lots of other landscape paintings; Collection of Stoneware jugs and crocks with blue decoration; old mortar and pestles some made of Lignum Vitae and burl; old pack baskets; fishing creel baskets; Native American made splint storage baskets; one lot of coin silver spoons; misc. Sterling silver flatware; 14k gold pocket watch by Cheney Nashua NH; other pocket watches; 19th c. Banjo Clock; large Swan decoy stamped P&S; duck decoys; shorebird decoys; dough box in old red paint; Carborundum sharpening stones store advertising display box; birch bark snuff boxes; other early boxes; 19th c. Hudson Bay Co. brass trade bucket; Collection of antique wooden log calipers to include: C. Gould Littleton, NH; S.Clough Bath NH; T.R.Hoyt Goffstown, NH; G.Younglove Fitchburg, MA; T. Younglove; Fabian & Sons Milo, Maine log rule; H.A. Cole Millinocket ME 5 line log rule; G. Younglove Fitchburg MA log rule; I. Nealy. Elliot, ME 5 line log rule; Vineyard Shop West Milan 12ft. Pulp rule; early paver's hammer; 18th c. Jesuit made wrought iron goosewing axe; early crown molding planes; 5 lots of good moulding planes; Misc. military collectibles to include: vintage bayonets; old leather cartridge boxes; wooden canteen; helmet, etc; Sandpainted sign " Quiet Please "; painted sign on board Inman & Crier Surveyors 18x12 in.; nice selection of antique applique quilted coverlets; 2 old Hudson Bay wool blankets; Tintype portrait of 2 African American twin children; tintype portrait of African American man with baby; other tintype portraits; primitive Shaker style apple slicer / corer; Edison Amberola Model DX; boxes of cylinder rolls including one with Teddy Roosevelt speaking; Horse and Sulky rider weathervane with some repairs; much more.

**Toys:** selection of Wyandotte tin toys:red and black stake truck; fire ladder truck; conveyor truck in box; shooting galleries; tin target game boards; 3 construction vehicles;

**Great collection of antique bottles and flasks - to include:** Keene sunburst flask; early onion bottles; Willington Glass Co. eagle flask; early ink bottles; Cathedral pickle bottle; other pickle bottles; early glass fire extinguishers; Lafayette Coventry Ct. flask; Gen. Taylor/Washington flask; Pitkin flask; black glass bottles; blob top soda and beer bottles; embossed medicine bottles; figurals; Hundreds of other bottles will be grouped and sold in similar lots - please see website for photos;

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### Lumber & Building Materials Yard Associate

Our Ashland location is searching for a member of our Lumber & Building Materials Yard Team. The primary responsibility of a Lumberyard Associate is to maintain customer service per company standards, the accurate and efficient loading and unloading of all lumberyard related transactions. In addition, you will be responsible for maintaining the appearance of the yard and racks in an orderly and clean manner. Forklift experience and heavy lifting is required. Weekend hours required on a rotating basis.

You may apply in person or download an application from our website. All applications should be submitted to:

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**SKILLS & ABILITIES DESIRED:**

- \* Understanding of broadcast operations including studio and control room systems
- \* Experienced in procedures and methods for planning and executing video productions
- \* Working knowledge of operating audio/visual equipment both in the studio and field
- \* Ability to maintain and troubleshoot broadcast equipment
- \* Proficient in non-linear video editing
- \* Knowledge of Adobe Creative Suite, specifically Photoshop, Premiere and After Effects
- \* Excellent writing and communication skills with a strong attention to detail
- \* Capable of creating a variety of graphics including: on-air, motion, infographics and flyers
- \* Ability to work under limited direction, following general instructions and policies
- \* Ability to manage staff and delegate tasks
- \* And other tasks pertaining to the position and as assigned by the Town Manager

**SKILL & ABILITY REQUIREMENTS**

- \* Bachelor's degree in related field from accredited college or university or Associates Degree with a minimum of three years of experience in broadcasting, communications, TV/video production or related field
- \* Strong technical skills and familiarity with cable television operations and equipment
- \* Must be available to work a flexible schedule to accommodate township meetings and events, including nights and weekends

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Email resume and letter of interest to Kathryn Lowe, Town Manager, at [klowe@plymouth-nh.org](mailto:klowe@plymouth-nh.org) <<mailto:klowe@plymouth-nh.org>> or mail to Kathryn Lowe, Town of Plymouth, 6 Post Office Square, Plymouth, NH 03264, no later than May 18, 2022. Interviews will begin immediately. Position shall remain open until filled.



## PROGRAM ASSISTANT II Part Time

The State of New Hampshire, Department of Safety, Division of State Police – Marine Patrol Unit has multiple vacancies for **Boating Education Instructors**. These positions are part-time and cannot exceed a 29.5 hour work week. This position is also non-exempt.

**SCOPE OF WORK:**

To coordinate and perform professional instruction to evaluate compliance with state and federal safety laws and regulations for the purpose of testing and certifying the public on mandatory state boating laws.

**MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:**

Education: Associate's degree from an accredited institute of higher education with major study in education, public safety, public services or related field. Each additional year of approved formal education may be substituted for one year of required work experience.

Experience: Three years of experience in education, instruction, training, public safety or related field, with responsibility for providing program information to others. Each additional year of approved work experience may be substituted for one year of required formal education.

License/Certification: Must possess a valid driver's license and NH Boating Education Certificate.

**SALARY:**

Labor Grade: 15  
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**LOCATION:**

Statewide

Applications must be submitted online by **Thursday, 5/19/2022.**

Job ID #25169: For complete job posting and to APPLY TODAY go to [www.nh.gov](http://www.nh.gov) (Online Services, State Employment).

For more information, please contact: Stephanie.D.Colcord@dos.nh.gov or call (603)227-2135.

## REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPRESSION OF INTEREST CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT SERVICES Updated 5.5.22

Project: Thornton Central School Additions and Renovations  
1886 NH Route 175  
Thornton, NH 03285

Owner: Town of Thornton  
1886 NH Route 175  
Thornton, NH 03285  
Jason Bergeron, Facilities Director ([jbergeron@pemibaker.org](mailto:jbergeron@pemibaker.org))

Architect: Stewart Associates Architects LLC  
Peter Stewart, Principal ([pstewart@stewarchitects.com](mailto:pstewart@stewarchitects.com))

The Town of Thornton is soliciting Letters of Interest and Qualification Statements for Construction Management services relating to the Thornton Central School project.

**The Project**

The Thornton Central School is a 36,000 sf K-8 school with an enrollment of approximately 200 students. The general scope of the project is as follows:

- A new 12,500 sf wing housing Cafeteria and Kitchen, Music, Art, Technology and Special Education
  - A 4,000 sf expansion of the existing Gymnasium
  - Complete MEP renovations and new finishes for approximately 29,500 sf of existing space
  - Renovations and expansion of the adjacent wood-framed Town/School Library
- Sitework shall include new parking and vehicle access drives

The construction budget is \$14,300,000

**Schedule**

Design Development Documents Complete	September 2022
Construction Cost Estimate	October 2022
Town Meeting for Project Approval	March 2023
Final Construction Documents	June 2023
Construction Start	September 2023

**Construction Manager Selection Process**

Interested firms shall submit Qualifications and Experience Statements via email to Facilities Director Jason Bergeron. Statements shall include a brief letter of introduction, firm resume, and a completed "AIA A305 Qualifications Statement". **Packages shall be received no later than May 17, 2022.** Three firms will be selected to submit proposals for preconstruction and construction services.

## Town of Plymouth Highway Department

Seeking a qualified individual to perform all aspects of highway construction, maintenance and snow removal, will require you to work during adverse weather conditions such as high winds, hurricanes, and other weather events including snow and ice storms. The final candidate will have a minimum CDL-B with air brake endorsement (or the ability to attain one in a short period of time) and will be required to pass a physical, including a drug and alcohol screening, and will be subject to a criminal background check as well as a driving records check.

Applications are available on the Town of Plymouth's website, Mail application to Plymouth Highway Dept., 6 Post Office Square, Plymouth NH 03264, or upon request, 603-536-1623, at the Plymouth Highway Garage. Hours are from 6am-2:30pm. Please ask for Joe or Miah.

## Tilton-Northfield Water District Water Operator

The Tilton-Northfield Water District is accepting applications for a full time permanent Water Operator position. The position will perform skilled and semi-skilled work involving the operations and maintenance of a water treatment and water distribution system.

Position requires a current New Hampshire driver's license, ability to lift 80 lbs., heavy equipment operating experience; being able to respond to emergencies, be on a rotating on-call schedule and live within 15 minutes of the District. Overtime is required.

Minimum qualifications include a high school diploma or GED; possession of a NHDES Grade 1 Water Treatment and Grade 1 Distribution License (or must be willing to obtain these licenses within the first year of employment).

The Tilton-Northfield Water District offers a competitive hourly rate and benefits package. Please send letter of introduction with resume and references to: Tilton & Northfield Aqueduct Co., Inc. 14 Academy Street Tilton, NH 03276. Applications are available at our website [t-nwaterdistrict.com](http://t-nwaterdistrict.com) or at the office.

The successful applicant will be required to pass a background check, a DMV check and a drug test. EOE/ADA/AA

## Town of Plymouth Highway Department Highway Worker/Foreman

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This is a full-time position with excellent health, dental and retirement benefits with a pay range up to \$32.06 per hour. A full job description and application form is available at [www.townofthornton.org](http://www.townofthornton.org). Applications are also available at the Thornton Town Hall.

Applications must be submitted by Friday, May 13, 2022 to:  
Debra Shepard, Town Administrator  
Attn: Transfer Station Manager  
16 Merrill Access Road  
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TOWN OF LINCOLN

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Applications & Job Description are available on the Town’s website at [www.lincolnnh.org](http://www.lincolnnh.org) under Employment Opportunities. Applications are to be returned to the Director of Public Works, Nate Hadaway, 148 Main St., PO Box 25, Lincoln, NH 03215.

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WINS

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before the Raiders answered in the bottom of the inning with two runs of their own.

Hutch Haskins and Liam Waldron had one-out base hits and one out later, Lambert delivered a two-run double and Belmont had the 2-1 lead.

The fourth and fifth innings went relatively quietly, as nobody was able to score and Liam Waldron continued to shine by setting down the side in order in both the fifth and sixth innings.

In the bottom of the sixth inning, Matt Krasnecki reached on an error and two outs later, the Orioles intentionally walked Owen Waldron and then Haskins worked a walk to load the bases. Liam Waldron then drove in one run with a base hit and Jason Roberts worked

a walk to plate another run.

The Raiders were then able to take advantage of a botched rundown play on a pickoff attempt to score two more runs for the 6-1 lead.

Liam Waldron returned to the hill in the top of the seventh inning and struck out the side, working around a two-out base hit to close out the game and the 6-1 win for the Raiders.

“We knew their third base move was really good,” LeBlanc said. “They fooled us a couple times and they fooled us again (in the sixth) but this time they threw it away.

“Some breathing room is nice,” the Belmont coach added. “Isaiah (Lambert) has really been hitting the ball well, he’s been a good addition this year.”

The Raiders opened the week with a 10-0 win

over Prospect Mountain on Monday, May 2.

Liam Waldron went the distance on the mound again, throwing five innings, giving up just four hits and one walk while striking out three. He also had a double, a walk, two RBIs and a run scored. Owen Waldron had two hits and a walk, drove in three runs and scored twice, Lambert had a double, a single, two RBIs and scored a run, Haskins had a single and a walk and scored twice and Jaxon Embree had an RBI hit.

Liam Waldron doubled home Owen Waldron in the first inning and Lambert doubled to score Liam Waldron and Haskins for the quick 3-0 lead. The Raiders led 5-0 heading to the fifth and scored five times in the frame to end the game. Lambert singled, Owen Waldron had a two-run



Hutch Haskins dives around the base hit, Haskins had a single and Embree had a swinging bunt single to plate the deciding run.

“A good team win after spring break and not playing for over a week,” LeBlanc said. “Our defense played flawlessly behind Liam Waldron, who pitched to contact

for most of the day.

“With some timely hitting mixed in with some power and good at-bats, we played well all around,” the Raider coach said.

The Raiders are scheduled to be at Somersworth on Friday, May 13, will be hosting

Winnisquam on Monday, May 16, and will be hosting Gilford on Thursday, May 19, at 4 p.m.

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mold the fastest, and “art bot” inventions, which are motor-driven bots that draw art.

“The Science Fair is a wonderful opportunity for our students to get excited about science through research and hands-on demonstrations,” said Garrett Lavallee, director of Special Education. “The children and staff of Spaulding Academy and our guests were thrilled to be together again for this enriching event after two years of virtual

Science Fairs due to the COVID-19 pandemic. We are grateful to our judges for sharing their time to learn about our student-led projects.”

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they undertake routine maintenance and consider larger projects at their properties. Attendees will learn how to perform an annual conditions assessment at their homes and address smaller maintenance projects to avoid larger, more costly, and invasive repairs. This session will also provide information on what to consider when making changes or planning larger projects and best practices for increasing the energy efficiency in old or historic homes without compromising the building’s character.

This event is made possible in part with grant funding from the National Park Service, Department of the Interior through the New Hampshire Division of Historical Resources. As such they are all open

to the public in addition to residents of the Sanborn-ton Historic District. The Historic District was established by vote of the Town in 1984.

Finally, save the date for a Virtual Walking Program of the Sanborn-ton Historic District with Mae Williams, Historic Preservation Consultant, June 23, at 7 p.m. at the Sanborn-ton Historical Society’s Lane Tavern. This is another program funded through the NH Division of Historic Preservation.

The Commission hopes this kind of special programing will be of interest to the general public as well as those residing in the District and outside of Sanborn-ton, and that future instructional and informational programs can be scheduled.

BY JOSHUA SPAULDING  
Sports Editor

TILTON — The Winnisquam baseball team was unable to get the offense going and dropped a 6-0 decision to Gilford on Friday afternoon.

Gilford scored one run in the second and another in the third before opening things up with four runs in the top

of the seventh inning to seal the victory over the host Bears.

Marcus Korenkiewicz got the start on the hill for the Bears and pitched seven innings, giving up six runs, of which only one was earned, as Winnisquam made four errors. Korenkiewicz struck out eight and walked only two.

Offensively, Nathan McKinnon was the only Bear with multiple hits, getting two knocks on the day, while Anthony Boomer, Duncan Gosselin, Anthony Robbins and Korenkiewicz each added a hit.

The Bears are slated to be at Franklin on Friday, May 13, and at Belmont on Monday, May 16,

before returning home to host Monadnock on Wednesday, May 18, with all games slated to start at 4 p.m.

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# Lakes Region Community College launches Gateway to College program

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“We see a lot of students struggle with their transition from high school to college and we want to ‘bridge’ the gap to help them prepare for success,” said Laura LeMien, associate vice president of Academic and Student Affairs at LRCC. “We will be working with high school guidance counselors from across New Hampshire to help us identify those students who would best benefit from this pilot program, which we are planning to expand upon in the future.”

The Gateway to College program is designed to prepare high school students for the transition to college. Mornings are spent in the classroom where LRCC faculty will work with students to enhance their academic preparedness with a focus on English and math



readiness. This will include taking the ALEKS Mathematics Placement Assessment at no cost, a requirement prior to enrolling in classes. Afternoons will focus on the knowledge and skills needed to successfully transition from high school to college and include extracurricular activities on and off campus. Upon starting the fall semester, the cohort will be grouped together for core classes creating a peer support group to boost academic skills and build confidence.

“Helping students make a smooth transition to college is critically important,” explains Huot Technical Center Director David Warrender. “This goes beyond providing students an academic foundation to really helping students and families navigate the systems and processes of a post-secondary institution. Strengthening and clarifying the process for students to move from a school like the Huot to LRCC should lead to higher student achievement and future career success.”

Participants will be selected based on math and English placement scores. Students who successfully complete the program will receive credit for College Essentials, LRCC’s one-credit first year experience course, as well as \$500 scholarship for their first semester. The 15-student cohort will stay on-campus in the fully furnished Apple Ridge student apartments.

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