

# MacDonald, Carter, Stone named to girls’ basketball All-State teams



Lauren MacDonald of Winnisquam was named Division III First Team All-State.

BY JOSHUA SPAULDING  
Sports Editor

REGION — With the conclusion of the winter high school basketball season, the New Hampshire Basketball Coaches Organization has announced the selection of the All-State teams.

In Division III, Winnisquam’s Lauren MacDonald earned First Team honors, Gilford’s Ryan Guyer, Prospect

Mountain’s Sophia Capsalis and Ainsley Savage of White Mountains earned Second Team and Ella Smith of Prospect Mountain, Olivia Keenan and Millie Caldon of Gilford, Darci Stone of Belmont, Caidyn Carter of Winnisquam and McKenna Kelley of Berlin all earned Honorable Mention. Caldor also earned All-Defensive Team hon-



Belmont’s Darci Stone earned All-State Honorable Mention for Division III.

ors.

Joining MacDonald in earning First Team honors were Shaylee Murdough of Hopkinton (Player of the Year), Kiley Bundy of Stevens, Tessa Marinello of Kearsarge, Genna Bolduc of St. Thomas and Shaylee Branon of Monadnock.

Second Team honors also went to Emilie von der Linden of St. Thomas, Ava Shapiro of Kearsarge and Hannah Manley of Conant.

Also earning Honorable Mention were Sydney Westover and Lizz Holmes of Hopkinton, Emily Seiler of Mascoma, Cainen Avery of Monadnock, Isabella Bovell of Stevens, Bella Hart of Conant, Emma Toriello of St. Thomas, Sophia

Grillone of Fall Mountain and LeAnn Ramos of Campbell.

Joining Caldor on the All-Defensive Team were Shapiro, Bovell, Murdough and Branon, while Mike Mahoney of Hopkinton was named Division III Coach of the Year and Celeste Best of Gilford was named Sub-Varsity Coach of the Year.

For Division IV, Groveton’s Delaney Whiting was named Player of the Year while Littleton’s Dale Prior was named Division IV Coach of the Year.

Littleton’s Addison Hadlock joined Whiting with First Team honors, while Woodsville’s Makayla Walker, Littleton’s Lauryn Corrigan



Caidyn Carter of Winnisquam was named Division III All-State Honorable Mention.

and Groveton’s Aspen Clermont all earned Second Team honors and Honorable Mention went to Littleton’s Addison Pilgrim, Woodsville’s Paige Royer, Moultonborough’s Alicia Johnson, Gorham’s Sara Godin and Profile’s Kyah Knight.

Clermont, Hadlock

and Johnson were also named All-Defensive Team along with Littleton’s Juju Bromley and Newmarket’s Jillian Long.

Also earning First Team honors were Haley Rossitto of Colebrook, Ava Buchanan of Portsmouth.

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## Around and About Tilton

BY GREGG DEVOLDER

Hello and welcome back. I mentioned last week that I’d be attending our town meeting and bringing you all the details. Unfortunately, I spent the weekend in the hospital fighting a bad case of pneumonia and missed the meeting. But fear not, I watched it online and thought it was a very well-run meeting and it moved right along. The video is less than two hours in duration, and I have to say thank you to Helen Hanks, our Town Moderator, for a job well done! There was a very good discussion regarding both the Library and the Franklin Visiting Nurses Association and, in the end, both prevailed with full funding. The balance of the Articles passed through without much difficulty. I would like to point out that Article 11, modifying the Veterans Tax Credit from its \$500 per year credit to \$750 per year was passed. There’s information on the town’s website and at town hall to help with the paperwork and the deadline is approaching as it’s April 15. To all our veterans, thank you for your service and please take advantage of this program!

And finally, as the meeting wrapped up, there were a few folks who asked about the Island Bridge and the Island itself. I’ll have more insight on this in my Selectmen’s report below.

The selectmen met on the 21st and elected board positions with Pat Consentino remaining as Chair and John Scanlon as Vice Chair. A representative from Lakes Regional Planning presented the town’s Hazard Mitigation Plan. For those of you who are not familiar with this, our current one is on the town’s website and it’s a hundred plus pages of all sorts of information. It must be updated every five years and from the looks of it, it probably takes every day of that. It’s mostly about natural disaster mitigation and preparedness and has some interesting statistics on past storms, floods, and even traffic flows and counts. I imagine the new one will be on the website as soon as FEMA approves it. It goes to them on April 1.

I’m happy to report a very nice resident has stepped up with a large donation of \$500 to fund a couple of dog waste bag dispensers. They’ll be going up downtown. It seems such a shame to spend money on something so simple as cleaning up after your dog, especially downtown. I should also mention another donation of \$250 was given to the Senior Center and \$100 in refreshments enjoyed at town meeting was also donated. Such great generosity in town, thank you!

For those of you who have asked, I did follow up on the Elderly Tax Exemption with the board and they are waiting to hear back from our assessor who

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## Spring blooms at the Belmont Public Library

BELMONT —

“It was a bright cold day in April, and the clocks were striking thirteen.”

— George Orwell, 1984

During April, daffodils, tulips, and lil-

ies spring up, as do the events at the Belmont Public Library! The staff are busy curating new programs and materials for all our patrons to enjoy.

The Great North American Eclipse is coming our way on April

8. Thanks to a generous grant from the Space Science Institute, we have a supply of eclipse glasses to share with our community. In order to share these glasses with as many households as possible, we are asking that people register for

one pair of glasses for every two people who live in their home. Supplies are limited and registration is required. Library cards will be required to register. Register between Wednesday, March 27 and Wednesday, March 28.

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## Americana Corner awards \$7,500 to Canterbury Shaker Village

CANTERBURY — Canterbury Shaker Village has been selected as a 2024 Americana Corner Preserving America Grant recipient with a \$7,500 award to preserve ten windows in its historic Meeting House. Awarding more than \$1.4 million in 2024, the Preserving America Grant Program was established to assist non-profit organizations in telling “the incredible story” of America from its founding through its first century as a nation.

“We thank Americana Corner for this timely grant,” explained Shirley Wajda, Ph.D, Curator of Collections. “Getting this project underway during the 250th anniversary year of Shakerism in America is another form of celebration of the Shakers’ contributions to our history.”



The visual and spiritual focal point of the Village and the first building constructed by the Canterbury Shakers in 1792, the Meeting House is the oldest Shaker meeting house in its original form and location. A two-and-a-half-story, 3,800-square-foot, wood-framed, gambrel-roofed building, the Meeting House is among the least changed of all the structures in the Village.

The Village will begin restoration of the windows this spring.

“Completing this project allows us to begin other needed preservation activities recommended for the building, such as interior finish-

ing and exterior painting,” added Wajda.

Designated a National Historic Landmark for its architectural significance, the Village includes 26 original Shaker buildings, four reconstructed Shaker buildings, a collection of more than 100,000 artifacts, and 694-acres of forests, fields, gardens, nature trails, and mill ponds.

To learn more about the Village or support its Annual Fund, which concludes March 31, 2024, visit shakers.org.

The 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.



# MVSB supports Community Economic Development Capacity Building Program

MEREDITH — MVSB (Meredith Village Savings Bank) is proud to continue its commitment to New Hampshire nonprofits by purchasing \$10,000 in tax credits through the Community Development Finance Authority (CDFA) Capacity Building Program.

The Capacity Building Program is a subset of the CDFA's Tax Credit Program that focuses on strengthening organizations that are committed to community economic development in New Hampshire. It prioritizes projects that increase collaboration and resource organizations led by and supportive of priority populations and areas.

"We are grateful to the team at MVSB for their support of the program and the lasting effects it will have on nonprofits throughout New Hampshire," said Katherine Easterly Martey, CDFA Executive Director. "This year's awardees utilize art, access to locally sourced food, education and housing to generate impact. These



From left, Eric Petell, MVSB Mortgage Loan Officer NMLS# 696445, Tate Miller, MVSB Commercial Loan Officer, Katherine Easterly Martey, Community Development Finance Authority Executive Director, and Jessica Ruel, MVSB Branch & Business Development Manager, stand at the MVSB Laconia office.

creative, accessible programs, deeply rooted in their communities, will use the funding to get to the next step in their programming and growth."

"Caring for our local

communities is at the heart of who we are at MVSB, and supporting the CDFA amplifies the impact of our donations in improving the well-being of our local economies," said Marcus

Weeks, MVSB President.

Go to [resources.nhcdfa.org/programs/capacity-building](https://resources.nhcdfa.org/programs/capacity-building) to learn more about the Capacity Building Program and how to apply for funding.

CDFA tax credits allow businesses to fund qualifying economic or community development projects in exchange for a tax credit that can be applied against state business tax payments. The tax credits are administered by the New Hampshire CDFA. Any business with operations in New Hampshire that contributes to a CDFA tax credit project receives a New Hampshire state tax credit worth 75 percent of their contribution. The credit can be used over a period of five

years to reduce the business' state tax liability (business profits, business enterprise, or insurance premium taxes). The tax credit program allows New Hampshire businesses to use their state tax dollars to support local projects that they care about. CDFA reviews many project applications each year, and awards tax credits to those they determine are feasible and will make the biggest impact on economic development in the state. Visit [nhcdfa.org](https://nhcdfa.org) for more information.

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## LCA to hold Father Daughter Dance

LACONIA — Laconia Christian Academy will hold its seventh annual Father Daughter Dance on Saturday, April 20 from 6:30-8:30 p.m. in the school gymnasium. The dance is open to the public and will be the delight of girls young and old. The school is located at 1386 Meredith Center Road in Laconia, just north of the NH Humane Society. In what has become a favorite tradition at LCA, girls of all ages will be escorted by their dads for an evening of being treated like a princess. (If a father is unable to attend, stand-ins are more than welcome.) Memories that will last a lifetime are made at gatherings like this.

The evening will feature lots of memorable activities including fun group dances, hors d'oeuvres, and a limbo contest. Local DJ Carroll Brown will be Master of Ceremonies again this year, bringing back his flair for creating a fun filled evening. Come and find out if we will be doing the "Macarena," the "Chicken Dance" or the "YMCA."

Please join us for a fun and wholesome evening. Tell your friends and their dads! Tickets are available at the door for \$10 per household. Professional framed portraits will be available for an additional fee of \$10.

For more information call LCA at 603-524-3250, or go to [www.laconiachristian.org](https://www.laconiachristian.org). You can also find us on Facebook and follow us on Instagram!

Laconia Christian Academy is a non-denominational Pre-K through grade 12 school committed to providing a stimulating educational experience in a nurturing environment that fosters a passion for God's truth.



### Belknap Mill board members complete terms

Jenn Anderson (pictured), Kathy Calvin, Mark Edelstein, and Dana Gardner recently completed their terms on the Board of Directors of the Belknap Mill. Everyone at the Belknap Mill would like to thank you for your commitment. The staff wishes you all well in your future endeavors.

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# Children's Auction awards \$609,700 to 63 nonprofits

LACONIA — The Greater Lakes Region Children's Auction recently distributed \$609,700 in grants to 63 area nonprofit organizations at a luncheon at the Huot Career and Technical Center.

The 63 nonprofit leaders accepted their checks during the meet-and-greet event that also offered nonprofit leaders the chance to collaborate and share challenges and strategies over a lunch prepared by students at the center.

"We were glad to see everyone enjoying this celebration of their successes, feeling grateful not only for their grant but for the chance to gather with other nonprofit leaders and share stories and ideas," said Jennifer Kelley, the auction's executive director. "It was a great opportunity for everyone."

Grants will be used by the nonprofit organizations to fund wide-ranging programs that support local children and families in need. These initiatives address needs that are vital to the well-being of children in area communi-



Children's Auction Executive Director Jennifer Kelley, left, and Lisa Cornish, auction board member, right, present a grant award to Cady Hickman, social media and community engagement manager at Boys and Girls Clubs of Central and Northern New Hampshire.

ties, including food and housing insecurity and related emergency assistance; childcare and afterschool programs, recreation, education and the arts; family resources; and healthcare, including mental health support, victim outreach

and support, and preventative health and wellness training.

The auction had over \$800,000 in requests in 2023 and awarded \$609,700 to 63 agencies. For a list of organizations that received

funding, visit [childrensauction.com/where-ourmoneygoes](http://childrensauction.com/where-ourmoneygoes).

The auction's board president, Doug Morrisette, is pleased with the process the organization uses to determine grant eligibility.

"We have a Distribution Committee that works tirelessly over many months to review grant requests, and these committee members also look at the health of each organization and its past use of funding to

ensure that every dollar the auction grants has impact," Morrisette said. "We are confident that funds we raise and distribute significantly work to improve the lives of local children and their families by ensuring their basic needs are met, and they have opportunities to thrive."

Cindy Hemeon-Plessner, chair of the Distribution Committee, said, "The committee is charged with problem-solving, analysis, empathy and community awareness, so we can assure all who donate, bid and volunteer that the funding is being spent wisely."

The next round of grant applications will be due by Oct. 15. To apply for funding or learn more, visit [childrensauction.org/apply-for-funding](http://childrensauction.org/apply-for-funding).

In past 42 years, the auction has distributed \$8.6 million to nonprofit organizations in the community.

Learn more about the auction at [childrensauction.org](http://childrensauction.org), or follow the Children's Auction on Facebook, Instagram, Twitter or LinkedIn.

# Amoskeag Beverages donates to Live Like Doug Educational Center

GILFORD —Live Like Doug Educational Center (LLDEC) ac-



Left to right: Amy Landers, Executive Director of Lakes Region Tourism Association and Board Member, Live Like Doug Educational Center and Tim Quinn, Regional Sales Director, Amoskeag Beverages, LLC.

knowledges the generous donation from Amoskeag Beverages, LLC presented by Tim Quinn, Regional Sales Director, in the amount of \$500.

This contribution will go to supporting the LLDEC's ability to makes Doug's dream for a covered bridge and accessible walking path around the pond at Gunstock a reality.

"I'm excited to be able to present this check to Live Like Doug on behalf of Amoskeag Beverages," noted Quinn. "Gunstock has long been a catalyst in the community for recreation and enjoyment. I've been coming to the mountain for many years as Amoskeag's representative, and fulfilling Doug's vision for the entrance around the pond will make an amazing impact to anyone driving or walking in. The fact that the bridge and walkway are accessible to anyone is a tribute to his memory of hoping

everyone should be able enjoy the area."

"We are grateful for the support from Amoskeag Beverages," said Dick Tappl, President of the LLDEC. "This generosity will enable us to move one step closer in making our efforts of getting this project completed a reality."

Amoskeag Beverages have been long time supporters of tourism around the Lakes Region and also have been instrumental in contributing to many events and communities throughout New Hampshire. The company was incorporated in 1946, operating in a garage on Rimmon Street in Manchester. Through the years, Amoskeag has expanded operations and in 1979, relocated to Hooksett and eventually moved the distributorship to a 205,000 square foot facility in Bow in 2009. Amoskeag serves the entire state and is the largest beverage wholesaler in New Hampshire.

The Live like Doug Education Center is a non-profit organization dedicated to fostering interest in people in environmental awareness, conservation, stewardship and the use of the outdoor environment for healthy mental and physical enjoyment. For more information, go to [www.livelikedoughn.org](http://www.livelikedoughn.org) or [info@livelikedoughn.com](mailto:info@livelikedoughn.com).

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## The origins of the Easter Bunny

The Easter Bunny will be getting a workout this season, as the newly fallen deep snow in some parts of New England may make for some difficult travel. But alas, with baskets filled with colorful eggs and chocolates, this beloved character has been a part of Easter celebrations worldwide. Where does this tradition stem from?

The legend of the Easter Bunny traces its roots back centuries, intertwining folklore, mythology, and religious symbolism. While its precise origins are a bit of a mystery, various theories and cultural influences have contributed to the emergence of this cherished icon.

One prevailing theory suggests that the Easter Bunny's lineage can be traced back to ancient pagan rituals celebrating spring and fertility. In pre-Christian Europe, the hare was revered as a symbol of fertility and new life, representing the arrival of spring after the barrenness of winter. As Christianity spread across the continent, pagan customs melded with Christian traditions, giving rise to a hybridized celebration that incorporated elements of both.

Another theory proposes that the Easter Bunny found its way into Christian festivities through German immigrants who settled in America during the 18th century. In German folklore, the "Osterhase" or Easter Hare, was believed to lay colorful eggs as gifts for children who had been good. This tradition evolved over time, with the hare eventually morphing into the familiar bunny we know today, and eggs becoming synonymous with Easter.

Furthermore, the association of rabbits with Easter can also be attributed to their prolific breeding habits, symbolizing fertility, abundance, and the cycle of life. This symbolism aligns seamlessly with the Easter narrative of rebirth and resurrection, making the bunny a fitting emblem for the holiday.

Whether nestled in the pages of children's books, adorning decorations, or delighting young hearts during egg hunts, the Easter Bunny continues to evoke a sense of wonder and joy.



COURTESY

### LRAA congratulates Artists of the Month

Lakes Region Art Gallery congratulates the March LRAA Artist of the Month winners. Back Row: Pat Anderson, Sally Hibberd, Robert Heiner, Martha AuCoin. Front Row: Sherwood Frazier, Fay Lee, Wendy Oellers-Fulmer. Pat Anderson, this month's First Place winner, has the distinct honor to display several pieces of her artwork at Annie's Cafe & Catering in Laconia. Warm up with some scrumptious homemade soup and sandwiches and enjoy the art while you eat!

## Treat yourself like a million-dollar racehorse

Growing up, my dad was a huge fan of Zig Ziglar, filling our home with the sound of his motivational speeches. One story that always stuck with me was the story about a million dollar racehorse.

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Ziglar poses a thought-provoking question: "If you did have a million-dollar racehorse, would you let him stay up half the night drinking coffee and booze, smoking cigarettes, and eating junk food?" Of course, you wouldn't! He then extends the analogy, asking, "Would you treat a \$10 dog or a \$5 cat that way? What about a billion-dollar body?"

The point he's trying to make is clear: You are that billion-dollar body. You may not feel like a Billion Dollars but nobody is going to bring you the life you want except yourself. It's true that you're the best investment your money can buy. You must invest in yourself to get far in life, but it takes work. Investing in yourself takes time, patience, and sacrifice.

This investment concept extends beyond the racetrack to the broader market of our personal development, where the stakes are high, and the returns on investment can be life-changing.

Consider your personal development as a portfolio. Diversification is key to any sound investment strategy. Similarly, investing in oneself encompasses various aspects: physical health, mental well-being, emotional strength, and intellectual growth.

It requires consistent effort. Whether it's committing to a regular workout routine at the gym, attending night classes to further our education, or seeking therapy to address underlying issues, each action signifies an investment in our well-being and future success.

Through the years, I eventually started to think of myself as an investment in my future, and I thought a lot about bad habits. Just like savvy investors review and adjust their portfolios to optimize performance, we must periodically assess our habits, routines, and choices.

While we may know on an intellectual level that we need to take care of ourselves to accomplish our dreams and be healthy, it's not easy, and bad habits are hard to kick. Very few of us can kick a bad habit Cold Turkey.

Bad habits, in this analogy, are like under-

performing assets. They drag down our overall portfolio's value—our life's potential and well-being. Just as an investor wouldn't hold onto a stock plummeting in value without good reason, we shouldn't cling to habits that don't serve our ultimate goals of health, happiness, and success.

Yet, the process of divesting from these habits isn't akin to simply clicking a "sell" button. It's a gradual, sometimes challenging process of trial, error, and perseverance.

I've been paying close attention to Bitcoin since 2016, and I'm always amazed at its volatility. Yet, amidst the ups and downs, it keeps trending upward.

Watching Bitcoin's ascent has taught me that volatility is part of the journey. There will be days when our resolve weakens, and old habits resurface like a market correction testing investors' nerves.

However, it's not the daily fluctuations that define our success but the overall trend. If you're gradually becoming more mindful of your health, more resilient in facing stress, and more dedicated to your personal growth—even amidst occasional setbacks—you're on an

upward trajectory.

Remember, the most significant investments don't yield returns overnight. They require time, belief in their value, and the patience to ride out the volatility. Your investment in yourself is no different. Each step toward breaking a bad habit, no matter how small, is a deposit into your billion-dollar body's account, accruing compound interest in the form of a healthier, more fulfilled life.

As you continue on this journey, don't beat yourself up if you have the occasional backslide, stop counting calories for a couple of days, get too busy to make it to the gym, or aren't able to stay on track the way that you thought you should. Volatility is part of the game; just keep focused on making those baby steps and keep trending upward!

Keep the image of the million-dollar racehorse in mind, and remember, that racehorse is you! Would you bet against a horse of such value by neglecting its care? Unlikely. Then why bet against yourself? By viewing each choice and habit through the lens of investment, you position yourself to succeed and thrive



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# Martinez, Underhill, Nichols earn All-State hoop honors



Belmont's Keegan Martinez was named Division III All-State Second Team.

JOSHUA SPAULDING



Anakin Underhill of Belmont earned All-State Honorable Mention for Division III.

**BY JOSHUA SPAULDING**  
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REGION — The New Hampshire Basketball Coaches Organization recently released the All-State lists for the 2023-2024 boys' hoop season.

For Division III, Avery Woodburn of White Mountains earned First Team honors, Belmont's Keegan Martinez was named Second Team and Hayden Poulin of Berlin, Logan Grant and Brendan Baldi of Gilford, Anakin Underhill of Belmont and Alex Nichols of Winnisquam all earned Honorable Mention.

Joining Woodburn with First Team honors were Will Mollica and Cole McClure (Player of the Year) of St. Thomas, Drezell Duffault of Raymond, Noah Whipple of Kearsarge and Manny Hodgson of Conant.

Joining Martinez on Second Team were Jordan Nagle of Conant, Logan Rice of Campbell, Brayden Pierce of Mascoma, Abram Standefer of Hopkinton and Tanner Moulton of Masco-



Alex Nichols of Winnisquam earned Division III All-State Honorable Mention.

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Also earning Honorable Mention were Ben Dean of Monadnock, Aaron Fellows and James Thomas of Mascoma, Parker Goin of Kearsarge, Carson Couperthwait of St. Thomas, Ledger Williet of Fall Mountain, Noah Aframe of Hopkinton, Alex Brown of Somersworth, Lucas Belisle of Stevens and Austin McHugh of Campbell.

Aframe was joined on the All-Defensive Team by Anthony Settineri of St. Thomas, Caden Claytor of Raymond, Aidan Smith of Mascoma and Jashaw Hawkins of Campbell. Nate Camp of Kearsarge was named Division III Coach of the Year.

In Division IV, Profile's Josh Robie was named Player of the Year and was joined on First Team honors by teammate Alex Leslie, Littleton's Kayden Hoskins and Gorham's Isaac Langlois. Profile's Mitchell Roy was named Division IV Coach of the Year.

Woodsville teammates Ryan Walker and Landon Kingsbury both earned Second Team honors.

Honorable Mention went to Littleton's Mikey Rodriguez and Dre Akines, Gorham's Brendan Saladino, Groveton's Kaden Cloutier and Woodsville's Connor Newcomb.

Akines, Woodsville's Connor Houston and Profile's Riley Plante all earned All-Defensive Team along with Cody Brazee of Farmington and Connor Hickey of Portsmouth Christian.

Also earning First Team honors were Jack Krasnof of Derryfield and Kolten Dowse of Colebrook.

Second Team honors also went to Gabe Lacasse of Holy Family, Zeke McCoy of Franklin, Connor Hickey of Portsmouth Christian and Brayden Eastman of Hinsdale.

Also earning Honorable Mention were Shawn Murphy and Demery Hades of Farmington, Cai Summers of Portsmouth Christian, Parker Sweitzer of Newmarket, Lucas Leroux of Mascenic, Enzo Ynkeu of Holy Family, Connor Dixon of Hinsdale, Brayden Pelletier of Pittsfield, Isaac Bowers of Concord Christian and Alex Drake of Derryfield.

In Division II, Kingswood sophomore Brady Moulton earned Second Team honors and Kennett's Daven Bailey and Plymouth's Chance Twomey both earned Honorable Mention.

First Team honors went to Keaton Beck of Laconia (Player of the Year), Joseph Fitzgerald of Pembroke, Zach James and Dom Herrling of Pelham, Max Shosa of Manchester West and Ryan McLaughlin of Hanover.

Joining Moulton with Second Team honors were Jake Reardon of Bow, Connor Bagnell of Coe-Brown, Jaysen Oriol of Hanover, Nolan Colby of Souhegan and Evan Berkeley of Pembroke Academy.

Also earning Honorable Mention were Dylan Rego and Chase Frizzell of Sanborn, Tevin Edmunds of Manchester West, Matt Jernigan of Oyster River, Quinn Salter and Jack Matson of Coe-Brown, Logan Goubor of Merrimack Valley, Logan Sanchez of Laconia, Peter Hemmerdinger of Pelham, Ryan Casey of Bishop Brady, Brendon O'Keefe of Bow, Nick Brill of Lebanon and Weston Hickman of Souhegan.

Beck, Herrling, Dave Frechette of Hanover, Edmunds and Peyton Larabee of Bow all earned All-Defensive Team, Ben Davis of Hanover was named Division II Coach of the Year and David Daigle of Coe-Brown was named Sub-Varsity Coach of the Year.

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### Local school districts partner with Friends of Aine Center for Grieving Children and Families

On March 12, a group of 16 staff members from the Winnisquam and Franklin School Districts received grief training and resources from the Friends of Aine Center for Grieving Children and Families as part of its “Grief Backpack Initiative.” Our staff received grief education training to include tips on starting conversations, information about what grief looks like at different developmental ages, and ideas on what to say and what not to say, as well as an overview of the grief backpack kit and its contents so that as a staff, we can better support grieving children. A Friends of Aine purple backpack was delivered to each school in our district, thereby providing a valuable grief resource toolkit to help navigate the difficult topic of grief with our students. For more information about grief services, education, or support, please visit the Friends of Aine Web site at [www.FriendsofAine.com](http://www.FriendsofAine.com)

## Kimayo’s “My Queer Faith” Tour coming to Unitarian Universalist Society of Laconia

LACONIA — Singer-songwriter Kimayo will perform at the Unitarian Universalist Society of Laconia, 172 Pleasant St. in Laconia, on Sunday, April 7, 1:30 p.m., as part of her tour: My Queer Faith.

Kimayo said: “My Queer Faith was

birthed out of three core desires:

- \* To highlight and introduce the LGBTQIA+ community to existing Open & Affirming faith-based safe spaces.
- \* To emphasize the need for and value of Open & Affirming faith communities to the

LGBTQIA+ community.

“To provide a way to connect with Open & Affirming faith communities as she continues her own faith journey.”

Kimayo lived in Gilford throughout the first two years of the pandemic. During that time, she recorded

multiple singles at The Greenhouse recording studio in Gilford, which were released by Unlabel Records. Her third single, Becoming Untamed, celebrates her coming out as queer in May 2020. She has since recorded another single, Something Real, and a full-length album that

includes all of the songs from her tour.

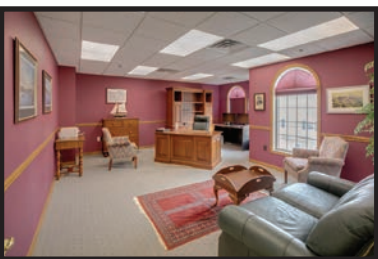
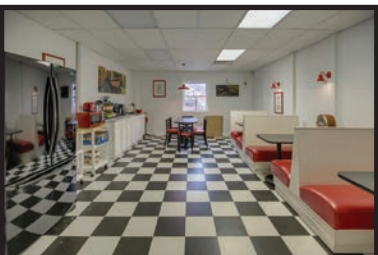
In welcoming Kimayo to perform at Unitarian Universalist Society of Laconia, Matt Soza, Chair of the Social Justice Committee said, “I saw this concert and I can recommend it as a great performance as well as an insightful,

meaningful exploration of one’s faith journey.”

The concert is open to adults and mature teens with parental discretion as this event contains sensitive topics relating to physical and mental health. For more details contact Rev. Judith Wright at 603-524-6488. Doors open at 1:30 p.m., with the performance beginning at 2 p.m. This is a donation-based event.

Following the performance, meet Kimayo, enjoy light refreshments, and stick around for a unique panel discussion featuring local representatives. To learn more about Kimayo or listen to her music visit [www.kimayomusic.com](http://www.kimayomusic.com).

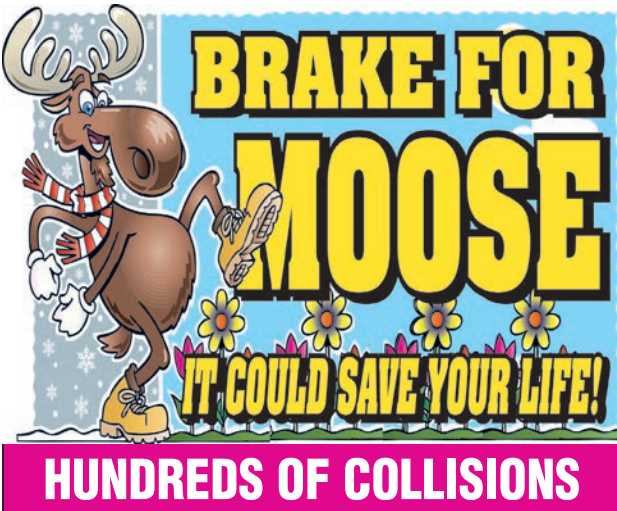
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Ladies of the Lake hosting Designer Bag Bazingo

Join the Ladies of the Lake as they host Designer Bag Bazingo at the Laconia VFW on Friday, April 19. Doors open at 5 p.m., and games start promptly at 630 p.m. Get your tickets today, as space is limited; \$30 presale, \$40 at the door (if we haven't sold out). Eighteen designer bags are up for grabs from Kate Spade, Coach, Michael Kors and Dooney and Bourke. Full Circle Food Truck will be there with their amazing food! Cash bar. Daubers will be available to purchase, along with a 50/50 for the night and so much fun with all your friends! All of this to benefit The Greater Lakes Region Children's Auction. Any questions, contact us at ladiesofthelakenh@gmail.com. Reserve your spot by purchasing your ticket at www.ladiesofthelakenh.com/shop.

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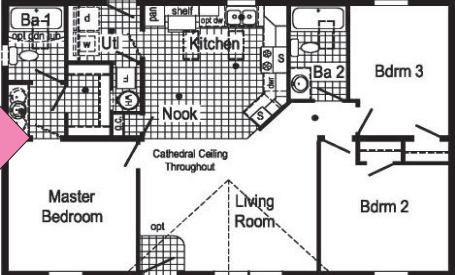
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mouth Christian, Kourtney Kaplan of Franklin and Saidy Placey of Pittsburg-Canaan.

Second Team honors also went to Madison Ricker of Farmington, Lexi Bausha of Wilton-Lyndeborough and Newmarket's Long.

Also earning Honorable Mention were Newmarket's Amya Beckles

and Kiara Rugora, Hinsdale's Addy Nardolillo and Brooke Pagach, Wilton-Lyndeborough's Adri Bausha, Colebrook's Niomie Nadeau and Lexi Santamaria, Farmington's Zoey Johnson, Mount Royal's Katherine McMenaman and Holy Family's Ryenn Pedone.

In Division II, Kennett's Kaley Goodhart earned First Team honors, teammate Sam Si-

but my understanding is that the government is very particular in how they write these things up. Unfortunately, the Selectmen didn't have this information prior to the town meeting so they couldn't share it with us. I'm sure we'll hear more about this and the island in the coming weeks and months ahead.

Well, that's all I have for now. Thank you for reading and all your comments! As always, you can email me at: aroundandabouttiltonnh@gmail.com. I can't promise I'll respond to everyone, but I will read them all.

Have a great week!

TILTON

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has been tasked with figuring out the tax impact of changing the numbers. The deadline for this year's filing is April 15th. I know for many of you, we're getting mighty close to that date.

And finally, some good news about the Island Bridge. It looks like Jean Shaheen's office has come through with \$500,000 in funding for the restoration of the Island Bridge. It was mentioned by the Selectmen that the wording for the funds is for the restoration of the bridge, not the replacement. It may sound like semantics,

doti was named Second Team and Plymouth's Kayley Merrifield earned Honorable Mention. Goodhart was also named to the All-Defensive Team.

Joining Goodhart in earning First Team honors were Pembroke's Annelise Dexter (Player of the Year), Hanover's Sydney McLaughlin, Laconia's Macy Swarmstedt, Eleanor Giradet of John Stark and Lilli Carlisle

LIBRARY

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day April 3. The glasses will be available for pick-up beginning on Thursday, April 4 from 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Check the library website for details.

National Library Week will kick off on April 7 with the opening of our first StoryWalk® of the year. The theme for 2024 is Ready, Set, Library! What better way to celebrate your local favorite hangout than stopping in for a program and then taking a walk to read a story. Thank you to all the patrons who voted for this spring's book: "The Book Hog" by Greg Pizoli. There are many ways that the public can also support the library during National Library Week - each day has a special meaning to libraries and librarians. Stop in at Belmont Pub-

lic Library to check out the full list of ways to celebrate.

Also earning Second Team honors were Juliette Tarsa of Bow, Vivian O'Quinn of Oyster River, Emma Smith of Concord Christian, Mekhia Burton of Laconia and Kayla Smith of Merrimack Valley.

Joining Merrifield in earning Honorable Mention were Sophia Joncas of Pelham, Maia Parker of Timberlane, Abby Duclos and Avery Geau-

mont of John Stark, Abby Fournier and Tia Ferdinando of Derryfield, Kalina Kasprzak of Coe-Brown, Emma Gillis of Sanborn, Bryana Szepan and Ella Trefethen of Bow, Avery Fuller of Milford, Kaitlin Arenella of Pembroke, Claire Starosta of Hanover and Maddie Mousseau of Laconia.

Szepan, Burton, Joncas and Sam Chappell of Derryfield joined

thinking of venturing to the library on a Thursday, maybe join a book club or a teen group. Chapter and Verse Book Club will meet the first Thursday of the month at 4 p.m., offering book selections from the Great Stone Face and Isinglass nominations list. "Don't Be Board" while playing board/card games with Ms. Rebecca on the third Thursday at 4 p.m. Minecraft Minds is a new offering for our tween and teen population to bring in their Minecraft worlds and share with other individuals on the fourth Thursday. Belmont Public Library does have chromebooks available for use during this time.

Fun Fridays feature homeschool Lego drop-in time as well as Flashback Film Features. April is all about the retelling of classical films.

If your teens are

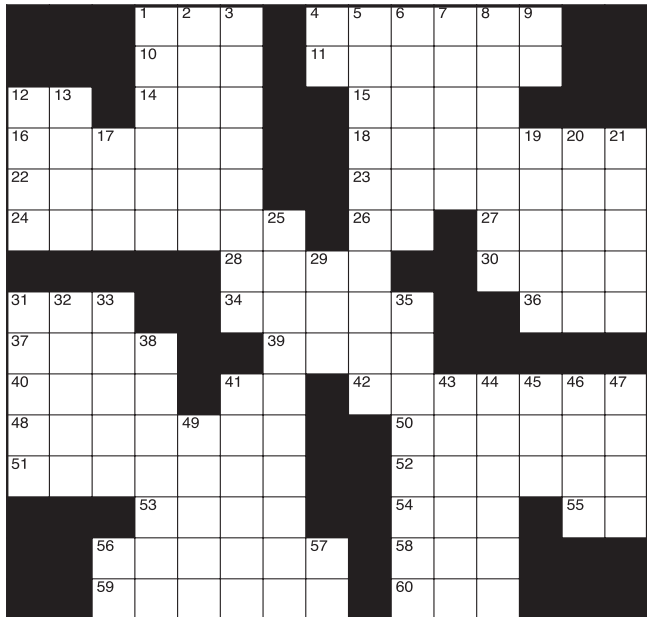
will begin each week at 2:30 p.m. to accommodate the running time of each film. Any questions on any teen programs, feel free to contact Rebecca at 603-267-8331 or youth-services@belmontpubliclibrary.org.

Belmont Public Library offers two adult reading groups. Miss Rebecca hosts Tea and Tales Book Group on the second Thursday of each month at 5 p.m. In April, her group will be meeting on the 11th to discuss "The Elegance of the Hedgehog" by Muriel Barbery. Eileen hosts Friday Fiction on the third Friday of each month. Her group meets on April 19 at 10:30 a.m. to discuss "Sooley" by John Grisham. Copies of both book selections can be found on the main level of the library or through the library's ebook services. Even if the meeting times are inconvenient, you can read along. If you want to participate remotely, contact Rebecca or Eileen at circulation@belmontpubliclibrary.org.

Adults, don't fret! We have programs for you as well. Do you love to work with fiber arts? Need a space to bounce ideas off of other crafters? Join staff and other patrons on Monday mornings at 10 a.m. for a laidback time of fiber arts crafting. Bring a knitting, crochet, or cross-stitch project you are working on plus a good friend. Our Watercolor Group is continuing to bloom like a field of wildflowers. The group meets Mondays at 2 p.m. for practice and socialization. Both groups are self-guided with experienced advisors on hand.

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ACROSS

- 1. Database management system
- 5. Medical procedures
- 11. \_\_\_ Clapton, musician
- 12. Defender
- 16. Exert oneself
- 17. Indicates position
- 18. Quay
- 19. Atrocities
- 24. A way to address an adult man
- 25. Ends
- 26. Unable
- 27. Taxi
- 28. Gratuities
- 29. A famous train station
- 30. Japanese persimmon
- 31. Sours
- 33. Beneficiary
- 34. Baseball official
- 38. Confused situation
- 39. Unworldly

DOWN

- 40. Yemen capital
- 43. Type of soil
- 44. Beloved beverage \_\_\_-Cola
- 45. Lying down
- 49. \_\_\_ Angeles
- 50. Fail to amuse
- 51. Collapsible shelter
- 53. Commercial
- 54. Taste property
- 56. Lordship's jurisdictions
- 58. It cools your home
- 59. Dismounted
- 60. Charge in a court of law
- 63. One less than one
- 64. Spoke
- 65. Famed garden

- 4. A way to ski
- 5. Abba \_\_\_, Israeli politician
- 6. Observed
- 7. "Westworld" actor Harris
- 8. Belonging to me
- 9. Shoelace tube
- 10. Takes to civil court
- 13. Early multimedia
- 14. Produces anew
- 15. Horse races
- 20. Of I
- 21. Equally
- 22. Changes color
- 23. A place to stay
- 27. Town in Galilee
- 29. Mathematical figure
- 30. Klingon character
- 31. They \_\_\_
- 32. Atomic #58
- 33. Showed up extinct
- 34. Loosen grip
- 35. Unpleasant smell
- 36. Innermost membranes enveloping the brain
- 37. Esteemed college "league"
- 38. Partner to Pa
- 40. Small American rail
- 41. A salt or ester of acetic acid
- 42. Sodium
- 44. Military figure (abbr.)
- 45. Lighted
- 46. Paid to get out of jail
- 47. All of something
- 48. Ohio city
- 50. More abject
- 51. A radio band
- 52. Scientific development (abbr.)
- 54. Monetary unit
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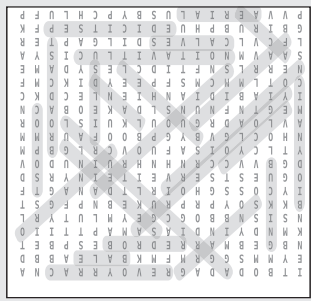
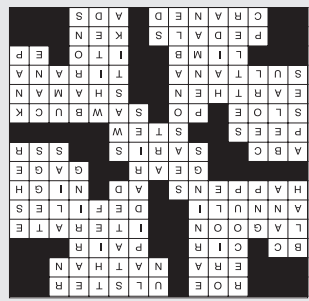
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## What to know about applying for an extension on your tax return

The Internal Revenue Service reports that the deadline to file a 2023 tax return is Monday, April 15, 2024. The vast majority of taxpayers will have no issue filing by the deadline, but some may not be able to file on time. In such instances, taxpayers can apply for an extension of time to file.

An extension is not necessarily as straightforward as the term suggests. In fact, the IRS urges taxpayers to be aware that applying for an extension does not grant taxpayers an extension of time to pay their taxes. Failure to pay by the April 15 deadline could incur penalties, even for people who have applied for an extension. The IRS urges taxpayers to estimate any owed taxes by the deadline and submit payments for those estimates by April 15.

Extension requests must be submitted by the regular return due date.

Some taxpayers may not have to submit an extension return. The IRS notes that taxpayers in certain disaster areas do not need to submit an extension electronically or on paper. For example, the IRS had already determined by February 2024 that Maine taxpayers impacted by severe storms and flooding qualified for tax relief. Various deadlines, including the April 15 filing deadline for individuals and businesses, were extended to June 17, 2024. Maine taxpayers are urged to contact a tax preparation professional to determine if they are eligible for the later deadline. A list of additional extensions affecting the 2024 filing deadline can be found at <https://www.irs.gov/newsroom/tax-relief-in-disaster-situations>.

Individual taxpayers, regardless of income, can use the IRS Free File (<https://www.irs.gov/filing/free-file-do-your-federal-taxes-for-free>) to request an automatic tax-filing extension. Filing that form gives taxpayers until October 15 to file a return. If October 15 falls on a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday, the due date is extended until the next business day. It's important that taxpayers filing for the October 15 extension deadline recognize that they must still estimate their tax liability on the Free File form and pay any estimated taxes owed.

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## BELMONT POLICE LOG

BELMONT — The Belmont Police Department reported the following arrests during the week of March 11-18.

A 31-year-old male from Laconia was issued a summons in lieu of arrest on March 14 for Driving After Revocation or Suspension.

A 33-year-old male from Sanbornton was issued a summons in lieu of arrest on March 15 for Possession of Marijuana.

A 41-year-old male from Laconia was issued a summons in lieu of arrest on March 15 for Driving After Revocation or Suspension.

Joseph Cole, age 36, of Boscawen was arrested on March 16 in connection with a warrant.

Heaven Leigh Boden, age 22, of Belmont was arrested on March 17 in connection with multiple bench warrants.

### SANDWICH CENTRAL SCHOOL KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION FOR 2024-2025 SCHOOL YEAR

**REGISTRATION BEGINS  
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Sandwich Central School is excited to announce that our annual Primary Multiage Registration evening will be on **Wednesday, May 15 at 5:00 pm.**

If your child will be five years old by September 30, 2024 or is entering SCS as first grader, and is a resident of Sandwich, Center Harbor, or Meredith, please email administrative assistant, Lucy Cunningham at [lucy.cunningham@interlakes.org](mailto:lucy.cunningham@interlakes.org)

#### The presentation will include:

- Meet the Faculty
- A Day in Primary Multiage (schedule overview)
- Special Education and Response to Instruction
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- Registration Packets

## SANBORNTON POLICE LOG

SANBORNTON — The Sanbornton Police Department responded to 85 calls for service and reported the following arrests from March 4-16.

Richard Miller, age 38, of Sanbornton was arrested on March 10 in connection with a warrant issued by Franklin District Court for Theft of Services, and is scheduled to appear in Franklin District Court on April 15.

Devin Valtz-Thomas, age 21, of Sanbornton was arrested on March 15 for Driving After Revocation of license, and is scheduled to appear in Franklin District Court on April 15.

### INTER-LAKES PRESCHOOL REGISTRATION IS OPEN March 13th - April 12th

Registration is open to all children who reside within Center Harbor, Meredith or Sandwich: and who will be 3 and 4 years of age by September 30, 2024.

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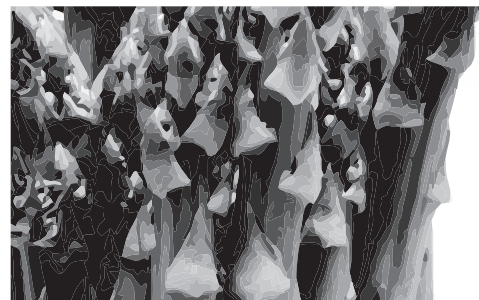
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**Plymouth, NH 03264**

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