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DONNA RHODES

Local bed & breakfast owner recognized with award

The New Hampshire Lodging and Restaurant Association held their annual dinner and awards ceremony on Nov. 14 at the Atkinson Resort and Golf Club, where they presented several awards to those in the hospitality industry. Bringing home their annual Stars of the Industry award for Innkeeper of the Year was Heidi Milbrand of Pleasant View Bed and Breakfast, located on Hemp Hill Road in Bristol. Heidi has been part of the hospitality business for 22 years and was pleased to be this year's top recipient in her category. Her inn is one of more than 40 Bed and Breakfast registered facilities in the state.

Keep The Heat On needs good neighbors

PLYMOUTH — "Once there was this day when everybody seemed to know that they needed each other...one day when they knew for certain that they couldn't do it alone." — From April Burns, "Pieces of April," 2003

These days, news stories about food and fuel prices and inflation are commonplace nationwide. Surely, you've seen a few headlines like

these recently: Food Prices Are Soaring and That's Changed How We Eat (CNN.com); Inflation Explained: The Good, the Bad and the Uncertain (NYTimes); Food Inflation Is What's for Dinner this Thanksgiving (Washington Post); Who's Really to Blame for Inflation (Boston Globe). Simply put, inflation is the rate of price

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Shuffleboard tournament to benefit Hazel's Light Foundation



DONNA RHODES

Shackett's Brewing Company at 26B Central Square in Bristol will be the site of a shuffleboard tournament this weekend to benefit Hazel's Light Foundation, a newly formed 501(c)3 in honor of a local four-year-old who passed away in 2021. Proceeds from the tournament and the day's sales will be used to maintain a new playground at Wells Field and help other families that have experienced the loss of a child.

BY DONNA RHODES
CONTRIBUTING WRITER

BRISTOL — On Saturday, Nov. 26, Shackett's Brewing Company in downtown Bristol will be hosting a Shuffleboard Tournament with 50-percent of all proceeds that day designated to benefit the newly formed 501(c)3 nonprofit organization, Hazel's Light Foundation.

Since the death of their four-year-old daughter Hazel in 2021, Peter and Charlene Roy have dedicated themselves to making sure her light of life lives on, beginning last year with the new tradition of lighted pumpkins in Central Square each Halloween.

Their mission has grown beyond just that however and Shackett's Brewery in Bristol is now pitching in to help keep young Hazel's memory alive in the community through their latest fundraiser.

"Our mission for Hazel's Light is to offer support to bereaved families that have experienced the traumatic loss of a child," the couple said.

Their ultimate goal is to build a retreat where parents, siblings and extended family can come together and heal as a family. In the meantime, donations they requested in lieu of flowers when their daughter passed have been given to Tapley-Thompson Community Center, which is now in the process of building Hazel's Park, a new playground at Wells Field.

"Hazel loved going to the parks here in town so Cindy at Emmons Funeral Home suggested we ask for the donations, which she then turned over to TTCC," Charlene Roy said.

In all approximately \$23,000 was given in Hazel's honor to create a place for children to play

SEE SHUFFLEBOARD PAGE A14



Plymouth's Hometown Holiday Celebration set for Dec. 4-6

PLYMOUTH — Yes, Plymouth's Hometown Holiday Celebration, Parade and Festivities will be held this year! Santa insists! Three days of events are planned to share with your family and friends, right here in Plymouth. Find the details on our Facebook page "Plymouth's Hometown Holiday Celebration", and "like" and "share." Then, invite your friends and relatives to come for a visit on the weekend of Dec 5th to enjoy a great Plymouth tradition.

This year promises some great entertain-

ment at PSU's Silver Center for the Arts. Friday, Dec 2, at 10:30 a.m., PSU's Staff Senate begins its 14th Annual Festival of Trees, a raffle for beautifully decorated trees on display in the main lobby. Check their Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/PSUFestivalofTrees>. At 7 p.m. on Friday, "Full of Cheer" is a free one-hour A Cappella Winter Concert provided by PSU's Mixed Emotions and Lower Voice student groups. This concert is always fun and always a great hit!

On Saturday, Dec 3, SEE PARADE PAGE A14

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Sat. Dec. 3 8:00 AM-10:00 AM 10:30 AM-8:00 PM 11:00 AM-2:30 PM 2:00-3:00 PM 4:00-5:00 PM 4:30-5:00 PM 5:00 PM 6:00 PM 6:00 PM	11th Annual PES Jingle Bell 5k Trail Fun Run/Walk PSU's Festival of Trees — continues at Silver Center for the Arts Kids' Holiday Cookie Walk — Plymouth Regional Senior Center PSU Holiday Concert — Silver Center for the Arts Hot Chocolate & Hospitality — Main Street Holiday Carol Sing-Along — Town Common (Led by Tim Keefe) Holiday Parade Begins — Main Street "Chill-Buster" Barbeque — Green Street (across from Senior Center) Visit with Santa — Plymouth Regional Senior Center
Sun. Dec. 5 12:00-2:00 PM 4:00-6:00 PM	Skate with Santa — PSU's Hanaway Ice Arena Pemi Choral Society Winter Concert — Silver Center

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Waterville Valley Resort launches \$10,000 childcare scholarship fund to Curious Cottage Preschool

WATERVILLE VALLEY — Waterville Valley Resort is excited to announce the launch of a new childcare scholarship fund, benefiting local employees working in the town of Waterville Valley, NH. The Resort is committing \$10,000 annually in financial aid to the Curious Cottage Pre-

school, a local, non-profit early education center for children ages three to five. Supporting local working parents, scholarship recipients are restricted to employees working within Waterville Valley. Both full-time and part-time employees working within the town of Waterville

Valley are eligible for this scholarship.

"As New Hampshire's Family Resort, we remain committed to supporting local families," says Tim Smith, President and General Manager of Waterville Valley Resort. "Many towns across the country have an ongoing

childcare crisis, and Waterville Valley is no exception. By establishing this childcare scholarship fund, we hope to help local families by increasing access to early childhood education while also alleviating the financial burden of childcare."

The Curious Cottage

Preschool is a sector of the non-profit Rey Cultural Center. The preschool operates an Art and Nature-Based childcare program in Waterville Valley. Using a variety of different teaching methods, Curious Cottage Preschool partners with the Holistic Impact Foundation

(HIF). Abiding by HIF's principles, Curious Cottage Preschool does not teach kids what to think, but rather how to think, engage and act with intention and agility.

"Supporting early childhood education in Waterville Valley is vital for community growth," states Leah Elliot, Executive Director of the Rey Cultural Center. "Partnering with businesses, such as Waterville Valley Resort, to provide exceptional care and preschool education speaks to the needs of the families and organizations."

Enrollment for the Curious Cottage Preschool scholarship is currently open, with four spaces available. For more information about the Curious Cottage Preschool, please visit: <http://thecenter.org/curious-cottage-preschool.html>.

For images, please visit: <https://www.waterville.com/curious-cottage-preschool-scholarship>.

Bristol United Church of Christ to host Women's Fellowship Christmas Fair

BRISTOL — On Saturday, Dec. 3, there will be a Christmas Fair in the Fellowship Hall at the Bristol United Church of Christ, 15 Church St., Bristol. There will be free hot mulled cider to enjoy as shoppers select from the heavily laden baked goods table, crafts made by the ladies and gently used Christmas

decorations. The gently used items are not priced but are sold by donation.

Proceeds from the fair are used to further the mission of the fellow-

ship, to help local organizations. The fair hours will be 9 a.m.-noon.

For more information, you may contact 603-744-2751.

Ashland selectmen sign off on proposed budget

BY DAVID RUELL
CONTRIBUTING WRITER

ASHLAND — The Ashland selectmen devoted almost all of the public portion of their Nov. 21 meeting to finishing and finally approving the proposed 2023 Town Budget.

The budget discussion began with a review of updated changes in the budget, including correction of a typo in the Fire Department budget; increases in the Public Works budget for drug testing, the Highway Block Grant, and the price of salt; and increases in the Water and Sewer budgets for health insurance and computers.

Changes in the Executive budget included salaries, training, copier lease, telephone and fiber optic network, the audit, printing the town report, and the Lakes Region Planning Commission, but it was noted that the overall increase was less than \$1,000.

The Electric Department budget includes increases for part time

wages, health insurance and the miscellaneous category. As the stock of utility poles will be exhausted after the worst poles are replaced, the Superintendent asked for money to buy 33 new poles. The computer line was also increased significantly for an improved system for the new substation.

The Legal budget was increased by \$10,000. The Personal Administration budget also saw a 7.1 percent increase in health insurance, as well as an increase in the sick buyout line. The Insurance budget saw an increase in property, auto and liability insurance, a decrease in unemployment insurance, and a new line for terrorism insurance.

formerly paid elsewhere.

After briefly discussing the Animal Control budget, the selectmen ended their budget review and proceeded to vote unanimously for \$3,124,588 for the general Town budget, \$375,325 for the Water Department budget, \$838,476 for the Sewer Department budget, and \$3,440,794 for the Electric Department budget. The grand total of the four budgets is \$7,769,382. The budgets will now go to the Budget Committee, which is meeting on November 29, for the Committee's review and votes.

The only other business in the public portion of the meeting was

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How to manage fatigue when living with a serious illness

Pemi-Baker Hospice & Home Health introduces newest Palliative Team Member, Krissy Carr, APRN

PLYMOUTH — When living with a serious illness, it's important to know that feeling easily and constantly tired—or fatigued—is a common symptom. In fact, many people experience fatigue, no matter if they are living with cancer, COPD, kidney disease, or another serious illness. Fatigue may make you or your loved one feel forgetful and unable to stay focused or have energy to do everyday things. This may include activities like seeing friends, pursu-

ing hobbies, or even pursuing treatment for the serious illness.

While fatigue is not always easy to recognize, learning about its symptoms is a good place to start. Since fatigue can impact quality of life, it is important to get it under control so that you or your loved one can start to feel better. If you aren't sure where to start or need support along the way, palliative care from Pemi-Baker Hospice & Home Health can help.

What is palliative

care? Palliative care is specialized medical care for people living with a serious illness. This type of care focuses on providing relief from the symptoms and stress of the illness. The goal is to improve quality of life for both the patient and the family. Palliative care is provided by a specially trained team of doctors, nurses and other specialists who work together with a patient's other doctors to provide an extra layer of support. It is appropriate at any



Kristina Carr

has recently joined the Pemi-Baker Palliative Care team. She brings over 27 years of Hospice and Palliative care experience to the Plymouth area and is eager to meet the community. For more information on how palliative care can help you or your loved one please call Pemi-Baker and ask for a free consultation.

Pemi-Baker Hospice & Home Health is a trusted, nonprofit agency proudly serving 29 towns in central and northern New Hampshire since 1967. Expert services include at-home healthcare and physical therapies (VNA), hospice and palliative care, and community programs including: American Red Cross CPR/AED/FA, Caregiver and Bereavement Support Groups and Ask A Pemi-Baker Nurse days at your local senior centers. Providing compassionate care with experienced staff who are trained, certified professionals and also your neighbors. In your time of need, we're right where you need us.

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age and at any stage in a serious illness, and it can be provided along with curative treatment.

How can palliative care help?

If you notice that you or your loved one are constantly tired, unable to focus, withdrawn, or just not doing things you normally enjoy, let your doctor know. They will ask you questions and try to figure out what may be causing it. This could mean anything from low blood count, pain, medications, anxiety and/or depression, and more. There are different ways to treat fatigue, depending on the cause. Either way, your doctor can refer you to palliative care, to help manage the fatigue and get back to doing what is most im-

portant to you.

During your first visit with the palliative care team, let your doctor, nurse, or social worker know that you've been feeling fatigued. They will continue to evaluate your fatigue by asking about sleep disturbances, pain, nutrition, emotional distress, and more. And they will work with you to come up with ways to start feeling better.

This may mean following a regular sleep schedule, avoiding caffeine, choosing relaxing activities before bed, and more. But it all depends on the root cause, and you will figure this out together.

Krissy Carr, APRN



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PAREI is moving in 2023

PLYMOUTH — The Plymouth Area Renewable Energy Initiative (PAREI) will be re-locating their operations to the West Wing of the old Brimstone Office Building in Plymouth in 2023. Their new long-term home and green space will be located at the corner of Fairgrounds Road and Route 3, and will serve as a new community-resource anchoring PAREI's many programs, services, and events.

PAREI is looking to the future and working hard to strengthen the organization as they near their 20th year in operation. They are calling this effort "Vision 2030."

This new site will improve PAREI's ability to deliver community-driven solutions around energy conservation, energy education, energy equity, solar energy, and local food sourcing. Since Aug. 1, the NH Department of Transportation has approved a permit to add a new curb cut and driveway to the property and the



Town of Plymouth has approved PAREI's Site Plan Application and Building Permit to construct a new Local Foods Solar Pavilion to provide easier farmer drop-off and buyer pick-up for the popular weekly Local Foods Plymouth (LFP) program. The out-

door area around the LFP Solar Pavilion will be used occasionally for educational gatherings, Energy Exchange meetings, NH Solar Shares hands-on workshops, as well as Little Gardens Everywhere demonstration gardens.

PAREI's goal is to begin construction of the LFP Solar Pavilion by mid-November and complete the West Wing interior renovations plus solar installations by the spring/summer of 2023. The move-in target for LFP weekly operations is late January 2023 and

the office staff by late Spring/early summer.

PAREI is currently located on Highland Street in the same building complex as Lakes Region Mental Health (LRMH). PAREI's building space will be needed by LRMH to deliver services to the

Plymouth area.

"We want to thank Alex Ray for offering us a new location for our headquarters and for the work he has personally put in to the site to make it functional for our purposes. We're excited that our space consists of a separate brick structure that we can make our own," said Sandra Jones, PAREI co-founder and director. "The community has played a key role in developing PAREI over the last 19 years and we hope everyone will support our vision as a volunteer or donor to make this transition happen."

For volunteer and donor opportunities visit: www.plymouthenergy.org/vision-2030 or email Trip Anderson at trip@plymouthenergy.org or call the PAREI office at 603-536-5030.

NH Solar Shares program now accepting applications

PLYMOUTH — NH Solar Shares, a program of PAREI, is now accepting applications for 2023. The Solar Shares model is the first of its kind in New Hampshire – a community

solar PV installation with 100 percent of the power going to our shareholder families, who

each receive a credit of \$23-\$29 each month on their electric bills.

Solar Shares is available to families receiving Fuel Assistance or Electrical As-

sistance (EAP), or living in Habitat for Humanity or Multi-Unit Low Income Housing. The program

helps families benefit from the cost savings and environmental benefits of solar energy,

contributing to healthier communities, both environmentally and economically. Our

current two solar arrays (in Warren and Plymouth) generate energy that goes into the

grid. NHEC purchases the energy produced by the Solar Shares arrays, and in return,

this payment is divided up among the shareholders, showing up as a "solar credit" on

their electric bill. There is no cost to participate, and in addition to the solar credit, our shareholders will

also receive quarterly newsletters and will be invited to our Solar Shares Meetups. The Meetups are fun, ca-

sual events where we gather as a community to do site work at the solar arrays and learn about renewable energy and energy saving tips, with the goal of

further reducing utility bills.

There are limited spaces available for the Solar Shares program, and applicants are

taken on a first come, first serve basis. For more information, or to apply, please click the blue "Solar Shares Shareholder Application" button at

our website,

<https://nhsolarshares.org/>, email us at nhsolarshares@plymouthenergy.org, or call

603-536-5030. NH Solar Shares is a part of the Plymouth Area Renewable Energy

Initiative (PAREI), which offers many programs striving to strengthen our community's

sustainability both economically and environmentally.

Crews respond to Russell Street fire

PLYMOUTH — At 6:04 p.m. on Nov. 15, the Plymouth and Campton-Thornton Fire Departments responded to a reported building fire at 7 Russell St. in Plymouth. This occupancy is a three-story, multi-family dwelling. First arriving companies discovered a fire in the restroom on the second floor and moved quickly to ensure that all occupants were accounted for. The fire was extinguished, the building was checked for fire extension, and the smoke was evacuated.

There were no injuries reported.

We are thankful for the assistance of the Campton-Thornton Fire Department as well as the Plymouth Police Department.

The cause of the fire was determined to be an overheated exhaust fan.

"The responding Companies did a fantastic job of ensuring

that all the occupants were out of the building and containing the fire to the room of origin. The occupants are to be commended for discovering

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CADY Corner

More than three million youth reported using a tobacco product in 2022

BY DEB NARO
Contributor

A study released from the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) and the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) found that 3.08 million (11.3 percent) U.S. middle and high school students reported current (past 30-day) use of any tobacco product in 2022, which includes 2.51 million (16.5 percent) high school students and 530,000 (4.5 percent) middle school students.

The study assessed eight commercial tobacco products. E-cigarettes—for the ninth consecutive year were the most commonly used tobacco product among all students (2.55 million), followed by cigars (500,000), cigarettes (440,000), smokeless tobacco (330,000), hookah (290,000), nicotine pouches (280,000), heated tobacco products (260,000), and pipe tobacco (150,000).

“Commercial tobacco product use continues to threaten the health of our nation’s youth, and disparities in youth tobacco product use persist,” said Deirdre Lawrence Kittner, Ph.D., M.P.H., director of CDC’s Office on Smoking and Health. “By addressing the factors that lead to youth tobacco product use and helping youth to quit, we can give our nation’s young people the best opportunity to live their healthiest lives.”

“It’s clear we’ve made commendable progress in reducing cigarette smoking among our nation’s youth. However, with an ever-changing tobacco product landscape, there’s still more work to be done,” said Brian King, Ph.D., M.P.H., director of the FDA’s Center for Tobacco Products. “We must continue to tackle all forms of tobacco product use among youth, including meaningfully addressing the notable disparities that continue to persist.”

Many factors contribute to youth tobacco product use, including flavors, marketing, and misperceptions of harm. Most youth who use tobacco products, including e-cigarettes, want to quit.

This study’s findings suggest continuing disparities in tobacco product use, which to a certain extent could be attributed to greater exposure to tobacco promotion and advertising and greater tobacco retail outlet density in racial and ethnic minority communities, among other systemic factors. Those other factors include social determinants of health, which are conditions in the places where people live, learn, work, and play that affect a wide range of health and quality-of-life risks and outcomes.

There are, however, ongoing efforts at the national, state, and local levels to help reduce youth tobacco product use, such as enforcing the federal minimum age of sale of 21 years for all tobacco product types; FDA’s ongoing actions against sales of unauthorized e-cigarettes; state and community restrictions on the sale of flavored tobacco products; efforts to raise the price and prohibit public indoor use of tobacco products; media campaigns and other education efforts that warn about the dangers of tobacco product use.

Commercial tobacco product use remains the leading cause of preventable disease, disability, and death in the United States. Nearly all tobacco product use begins during youth and young adulthood. Youth use of tobacco products—in any form—is unsafe. Such products contain nicotine, which is highly addictive and can harm the developing adolescent brain. Using nicotine during adolescence might also increase risk for future addiction to other drugs.

Everyone can help reduce youth product tobacco use. Parents, educators, and healthcare providers can help youth recognize and avoid the dangers of tobacco product use, and support and encourage youth who use tobacco products to quit. Furthermore, it is imperative to address policy and environmental factors that are driving tobacco-related disparities. For prevention information please visit our website at cadyinc.org.

If you, or someone you know, struggles with substance misuse or addiction, please call 2-1-1 or the Doorway at (603-934-8905) for help. You can also connect with Plymouth Area Recovery Connection (PARC), our local recovery center, located at Whole Village Family Resource Center in Plymouth at info@parcnh.org or 603-238-3555.

Letter submission policy

Letters to the Editor must include the author’s name, address, and a daytime phone number for purposes of verification in order to be considered for publication. Only the author’s name and the town in which they reside will be published. Letters submitted without all of the required information will not be accepted.

It is the sole prerogative of the Editor to determine whether a submission satisfies our requirements and decency standards, and any submission may be rejected at any time for any reason he or she might deem appropriate.



Girl Scouts learn about space exploration

The Daisy-Brownie Girl Scout Troop #62526 would like to extend their thanks to Sally Jensen, who came to talk to them about space at a recent meeting. She applied her skills as a NASA Ambassador to questioning the girls and then extending their space knowledge.

COURTESY

Letters to the Editor

Let’s celebrate the season with song!

To the Editor:

Once again, the Pemigewasset Choral Society (Pemi Choral) is live on stage for the season with three performances of their holiday selections titled “Sing Out My Soul.” As a former member of the chorus, I might be a bit biased, but I can’t think of a better way to start the December holiday season. The Chorus is performing at Gilford Community Church in Gilford on Thursday, Dec. 1 at 7:30 p.m.; at a new location, Moultonborough Academy in Moultonborough; Friday, Dec. 2 at 7:30 p.m., and the final performance is Sunday, Dec. 4 at 4 p.m. at the PSU Silver Center for the Arts in Plymouth. The concert performances are free, donations are thankfully accepted.

“Sing Out My Soul” is a holiday-themed concert that incorporates a mix of traditional Christmas classics with newer pieces. The concert title is taken from one of the newer pieces, based on a poem by Welsh poet William Henry Davies.

A focal point of the concert is three versions of

Ave Maria, a traditional Catholic prayer often sung at Christmas. Director Will Gunn has selected three different settings: one by R. Nathaniel Dett, a Black American-Canadian composer, who uses jazz harmonies; one by Spanish composer Javier Busto, whose setting is more ethereal and modern; and finally, an energetic version by Estonian composer Arvo Pärt, sung in Russian.

The Pemigewasset Choral Society, celebrating its 50th season, is a regional community chorus based in Plymouth, with a wide-ranging musical repertoire. Members come from communities throughout the Lakes Region and the White Mountains and include a diverse range of ages from high school students to those in their 80s. They perform concerts in December and in the Spring, and welcome new members at the beginning of each semester. For more information, please visit pemichoral.org.

Rosemary D’Arcy
Bristol

Thank you for the win

To the Editor:

To the voters in Grafton County District 18 (Alexandria, Bridgewater, Bristol, Canaan, Dorchester, Enfield, Grafton, Groton, Hebron and Orange), thank you for the win. Your vote and trust really mean a lot to me, and I hope live up to your expectations. To my supporters, family and friends, thank you for all your hard work and days of support.

This election was too close for comfort — four votes of 8,454 votes cast separated the winner from the loser. This link will give you the vote count by town; select the Grafton County Excel downloadable document <https://www.sos.nh.gov/elections/elections/election-results/2022-general-election-results>. All towns including Enfield and Canaan showed their support for me (even though I did not win these two towns, I got more votes from them than expected;

thank you). This will be one tough, tough job trying to represent all because we are so divided. We need to find ways to compromise where we can for the better of us all. To show logical factual information to our discussions on topics where we don’t agree so that we might agree going forward. I want to understand why we don’t agree because I believe we have more in common than not. It takes at least two to talk so let’s start talking. You can reach me at John.Sellers@leg.state.nh.us or call/text 603.787.3110. Visit the website <https://johnsellersnh.com/> for updates and other news/events.

Thanks again for your vote and trust; have a wonderful, Happy Thanksgiving with family and friends, and let’s have a productive and safe two years.

John Sellers
Bristol

NORTH COUNTRY NOTEBOOK

About thanks and turkeys



By JOHN HARRIGAN
COLUMNIST

Editor’s note: Mr. Harrigan was unable to submit a new North Country Notebook column in time to meet our press deadline for this week’s edition. In its place, we present the following column, originally published on Thanksgiving 2011.

Because this is be-

ing writ- ten for around Thanksgiving, it could be about thanks and about turkeys. Perhaps both.

Thanks, for living in a place where people don’t come after you in the dead of night for writing or saying anything you want. That is a precious thing in an ever-worsening world. We live in one of the most free societies on earth. “Thanks” doesn’t even begin to cover it.

And now on to the turkeys.

Benjamin Franklin wanted the wild turkey to be the new nation’s symbolic bird. He lost that fight, one of the few fights he ever lost, and we wound up with the eagle, not a bad second choice.

Where we live there

are few choices for fresh, as op- posed to frozen, turkeys, and

almost no choices for locally raised birds, so for a few years we raised our own. These were turkeys who got to live like real turkeys, grubbing around for roots and stuff, and of course, bugs.

One year, when it came time to kill a few turkeys, my daughter Karen, now owner and publisher of the news- paper in Colebrook, volunteered to help. Never will I forget her lugging two huge, muddy turkeys from the pen, their wings flapping her al- most to death. “I’m never touching another live turkey again,” she said, which is fine with me, because I’d rather raise pigs than turkeys. Pigs

are clean if given the chance, while turkeys are just plain filthy.

One of my first memories of an alteration between adults concerned a turkey. My grandparents on the White side (my mother’s family) were from Littleton, and my father’s parents lived in Lisbon. On this occasion everyone got together for Thanksgiving in the Harrigans’ house in Lisbon, on the bluff just out of town on the road to Landaff.

The Whites had their way of doing things in the kitchen, and the Harrigans had theirs. Still, all was tranquil until it came time to carve up and serve the turkey.

I’m not sure what the is- sue was, but a terrif-
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Matti Douville was named Division 3 Defensive Player of the Year.

JOSHUA SPAULDING



Adeline Dolloff earned First Team All-State honors in Division III.

JOSHUA SPAULDING



Plymouth's Grace Bannon, Madison Hershey and Chloe Bouchard earned Division II All-State honors.

COURTESY

Bears, Bobcats named to field hockey All-State teams

Newfound's Douville named D3 Defensive Player of the Year

BY JOSHUA SPAULDING
Sports Editor

REGION — With the conclusion of the field hockey season, the New Hampshire Field Hockey Coaches Association has announced its All-State lists.

In Division III, First Team honors went to Berlin's Cienna Langlais and Erin McCormick, Gilford's Olivia Keenan and Lexi Shute and Newfound's Elle MacDonald, Adeline Dolloff and Matti Douville. Langlais was named Offensive Player of the Year and Douville was named Defensive Player of the Year.

Second Team honors went to Aly Pichette and Lauryn Nash-Boucher of Gilford, Marlyn Valentin and Rebecca Colby of Littleton, Isa LaPlume of Newfound and Abigail McCusker and Adrianna Dami of White Mountains.

Earning Honorable Mention were Arianah Richard of Berlin, Lilly Winward of Gilford, Makenna Reed of Littleton, Allie Normandin of Newfound, Cierra Chalinor of White Mountains and Lily Auger of Winnisquam.

Also earning First

Team honors were Laura Yap and Margaret Sheehan of Bishop Brady, Maddie Bergeron of Conant, Lexis Vautour and Jade Traffie of Mascenic, Kylie Rogers of Mascoma, Katie Sharron of Newport and Kensley Harris of St. Thomas.

Second Team honors also went to Kimble Rose of Bishop Brady, Leah St. John of Mascenic, Kara Miller of Mascoma, Taylor Fellows and Maddox Lovely of Newport, Lacey Clark and McKenzie Wessling of St. Thomas and Sara Faro of Stevens.

Also earning Honorable Mention were Ava Archambault of Bishop Brady, Sophia Spingola of Conant, Abby Pitman of Franklin, Jazz Lee of Hopkinton, Millie McClain of Mascenic, Carmen Zani, Hailey Miller, Gabby Pierce and Ann Buffington of Mascoma, Makayla Harwood of Monadnock, Kadence Law of St. Thomas and Richelle Girard, Cameron Ferland, Daniella Varela and Sarah Wheeler of Stevens.

Dave Rogacki of Gilford and Selena Shaw of Mascenic were named the Division III

Co-Coaches of the Year.

For Division II, Kennett's Tessa Capozzoli and Ava Gaudette and Kingswood's Sarah Paraskos all earned First Team honors.

Second Team honors went to Kennett's Allie Hussey and Honorable Mention went to Kennett's Georgia Coleman and Vivian Rober-Carpenter, Kingswood's Carrigain Williams, Hadley Larson and Hailey Kelly and Plymouth's Madison Hershey, Chloe Bouchard and Grace Bannon.

Also earning First Team honors were Alexandra Larrabee of Bow, Laramie Wilson of Con-Val, Kira Geddes of Derryfield, Aubrey Fischer and Adie Bolduc of John Stark, Ashlee Blashock of Lebanon, Kaiya Mercier of Merrimack Valley, Mia Edwards and Charlotte Marston of Portsmouth and Ella Barrett of Souhegan. Barrett and Marston were named Co-Offensive Players of the Year and Edwards was named Defensive Player of the Year.

Second Team honors also went to Reilly Loughman and Sadie Higgins of Hanover,



Elle MacDonald was named First Team All-State for Division III.

JOSHUA SPAULDING

Hailey Arsenau, Lindsey Dattis and Alyssa Hill of Hollis-Brookline, Jackie O'Donnell and Lauryn Guevin of John Stark, Mikayla Thornton of Lebanon, Abby Forbes of Merrimack Valley, Brooke Slaton of Pelham, Natalie Longacre of Pembroke, Darla Mahoney of Portsmouth and Annika Madeja and Annie Raduazzo of Souhegan.

Also earning Division II Honorable Mention were Elena Roy and Sabrina Bernard of Bow, Lydia Cleveland of Con-Val, Chloe Bremberg and Kennedy Overhoff

of Derryfield, Alexis Brown, Kendall Dubois and Ava Jones of Goffstown, Emily Perras, Eva Bell and Maggie Higgins of Hanover, Bella Haytayan and Sabrina Hill of Hollis-Brookline, Jillian Fredette and Hailey Brisson of John Stark, Madelyn Lounsbury, Lydia Kneur and Sam Gray of Laconia, Kiera Houdege of Lebanon, Kalee Keyser of Merrimack Valley, Addyson Pare, Shelby Miles, Mairead Kirby and Willa Audley of Milford, Olivia Anderson, Nora Rogers and Rowynn Pickering of Oyster River,

Jessica Bevans and Molly Coakley of Pelham, Camdyn Despres and Treic Thomas-Guerzon of Pembroke, Sydney Moreau and Sam Rule of Portsmouth, Abbie Lucas and Olivia Dwyer of Sanborn and Allison Jordan, Maddie Lim, Chloe Luongo of Souhegan.

John Stark's Dennis Pelletier was named Division II Coach of the Year.

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Edward Jones: Financial Focus
Is a Donor-advised Fund Right for You?

You can find many ways to support charitable organizations. One method that's gained popularity over the past few years is called a donor-advised fund. Should you consider it? The answer depends on your individual situation, because donor-advised funds are not appropriate for everyone. However, if you're in a position to make larger charitable gifts, you might at least want to see what this strategy has to offer. Here's how it works:

- **Contribute to the fund.** You can contribute to your donor-advised fund with cash or marketable securities, which are assets that can be converted to cash quickly. If your contribution is tax deductible, you'll get the deduction in the year you make the contribution to the fund. Of course, these contributions are still subject to IRS limits on charitable tax deductions and whether you itemize your deductions. If you typically don't give enough each year to itemize and plan on making consistent charitable contributions, you could consider combining multiple years' worth of planned giving into a single donor-advised fund contribution, and claim a larger deduction in that year. This move may be especially impactful if you have years with a higher amount of income, with an accompanying higher tax rate. If you contribute marketable securities, like stocks and bonds, into the fund, a subsequent sale of the securities avoids capital gains taxes, maximizing the impact of your contribution.
- **Choose an investment.** Typically, donor-advised funds offer several professionally managed diversified portfolios where you can place your contributions. You'll want to consider the level of investment risk to which your fund may be exposed. And assuming all requirements are met, any investment growth is not taxable to you, the donor-advised fund or the charity that ultimately receives the grant, making your charitable gift go even further.
- **Choose the charities.** You can choose grants for the IRS-approved charities that you want to support. You decide when you want the money donated and how it should be granted. You're generally free to choose as many IRS-approved charitable organizations as you like. And the tax reporting is relatively easy — you don't have to keep track of receipts from every charity you support. Instead, you can just keep the receipts from your contributions to the fund.

Although donor-advised funds clearly offer some benefits, there are important trade-offs to consider. For one thing, your contributions are irrevocable, which means once you put the money in the fund, you cannot access it for any reason other than charitable giving. And the investments you choose within your fund will carry some risk, as is true of all investments. Also, donor-advised funds do have investment management fees and other costs. So, consider the impacts of these fees when deciding how you want to give. In any case, you should consult with your tax and financial professionals before opening a donor-advised fund. And if the fund becomes part of your estate plans, you'll also want to work with your legal advisor. But give this philanthropic tool some thought — it can help you do some good while also potentially benefiting your own long-term financial strategy.

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Talk of the Towns

News from our Local Correspondents

Ashland

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Christmas Night

Plans for Christmas Night on Friday, Dec. 2, are coming together, as follows, although still subject to change. Most of the events will run from 4 to 6:30 or 7 p.m. unless otherwise noted. Santa Claus will arrive in Memorial Park by fire truck at 4 p.m. to visit with families. The AARA will serve popcorn and hot cocoa in the park. Memorial Park is also the place to pick up passports (one per person, both children and adults) for the raffle prizes. The passports must be stamped at twelve sites around town. Fully stamped passports can be returned to the park and entered in the drawing for the numerous prizes donated by local businesses. The Cookie Walk will be held in the Fire Station. Non-perishable food can also be donated to the Food Closet at the Station. Crosshairs Barber Shop on Monument Square will pass out candy. The American Legion Hall will be the site of the Craft Fair (the door will open at 2 p.m.), the Chowder Fest (starting at 4 p.m.) and music by Paul Herbert. From 4 to 6 p.m.,

the Ashland Town Library will provide children's activity kits and light refreshments and will house the Children's Storybook Giveaway by the Pond and Peak Reading Council. The Ashland Community Church will provide free drinks, snacks and meals, Desert Walk (starting at 6 p.m.), a photo booth, family pictures, and games and crafts for the kids. Roundabout

New England (next to the Common Man) will have a Christmas display and movie. It is also the site of the Mailbox for Letters to Santa, which will be open throughout the holiday season. At the bottom of Highland Street, the Meredith Village Savings Bank will pass out Christmas ornament kits. In St. Mark's Parish Hall, the Ashland

Historical Society will display photos of Christmas and Winter in Ashland. The tractor drawn hayride will start from the Town Hall parking lot and go up Highland Street to the Cheney House, where Anthony Hoerter's model train set will be displayed. Weather

permitting, the Common Man trolley will also provide transportation. The Ashland Reenactors will be caroling through-

out the downtown. The evening will end back in Memorial Park for the lighting of the Town Christmas tree at 7 p.m. and the drawing of the passport raffle prizes.

Twig Star Christmas Ornament Workshop

The Ashland Town Library will hold a workshop on making Twig Star Christmas Ornaments from 10 a.m. to noon on Saturday, Dec. 3. All supplies will be provided. But space is limited, so please register at the Library.

Ashland Property Tax Rate

Property tax bills have been sent out with the 2022 tax rate for Ashland. It shows an increase of 40 cents from last year, rising from \$27.47 per \$1,000 of valuation in 2021 to \$27.87 in 2022. The Municipal tax rate dropped by two cents from \$9.59 to \$9.57. The State Education tax rate also went down, from \$1.89 to \$1.46. But, the flip side of that is that the local School district tax rate, for the Ashland and Pemi Baker School Districts, rose from \$14.16 to \$14.90. The County portion of the tax rate also rose from \$1.83 to \$1.95.

Calendar with Ashland Scene

Every so often, a calendar will be published with a scene from Ashland. The Mahoney Publishing Co. of Needham, Mass. has issued its 2023 New Hampshire Scenic Engagement Calendar with photographs by Thomas Mitchell. The scene for May is a view of the Riveredge Marina from the Squam River side. The cost is \$14.95.

Memorial Park Update (from Stephen Jaquith)

As I sit down to inform everyone that the gazebo in Memorial Park now has a new roof and rebuilt cupola, I would like to thank Dan Uhlman and Ashland Lumber for helping us with the materials we needed. I also need to thank the Town DPW crew for hauling off the old roof and cleaning up the park, and my son Jeremy Jaquith for working with

me on installing the new roof. So, all that is left to do is to put a new coat of stain on it in the spring as the finishing touch. While I am thanking people, I would like to thank the girls from the Garden Club for doing a wonderful job taking care of the flower bed.

We strive to make a nice green space in the center of town for people to enjoy, so we hope that you will find your way there and sit along the river. If you would like to donate to help defray the cost of the work we have done, just send it along to: Ashland Memorial Park, P.O. Box 320, Ashland, NH 03217.

We wish everyone a Happy Thanksgiving!

Bristol

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It was nice to experience our first snowfall overnight last week, with just a dusting of the white stuff. Thank goodness we don't live in Buffalo, N.Y.! Those folks won't see bare ground until April at the earliest! I was amazed at some of the photos of the high drifts and folks needing ladders to clear off

the snow from their vehicles. My heart goes out to them, and kudos to the neighbors helping neighbors who were unable to cope with all that the storm brought.

The Annual Tree Lighting in Central Square will take place on Friday, Nov. 25. Music will begin at 5:30 p.m. Santa will arrive by fire truck at 6 p.m. to light the tree and all are welcome to participate. A great way to get into the holiday spirit with friends, family and neighbors!

The Festival of Trees will take place in the Historic Town Hall on Friday, Nov. 25 from 4-8 p.m. and Saturday, Nov. 26 from 10 a.m. - 7 p.m.

The One-Stop-Christmas-Shop for Kids will take place at the TTCC from 4 to 7 p.m. on Friday, Nov. 25. This will provide an opportunity for kids to purchase gifts and have them wrapped and tagged for Christmas.

The 41st Annual Bridgewater Turkey Trot to benefit the Newfound Children & Families in Need, a community partnership driven by Newfound Country Store & TTCC, will take place on Thursday, Nov. 24, starting at 9 a.m. Pre-register online or in person at the Newfound Country Store. If you have questions, donations or want to sponsor, you may contact: ttcc@metrocastnet.com or holly@nf-countrystore.com or online at: www.facebook.com/newfound-countrystore. Participants who pre-register will receive a special commemorative custom-knitted beanie hat with the Turkey Trot logo! Race day registration will be first come, first serve on the beanie hats.

The Friends of Minot-Sleeper Library have two fundraisers during November. First, you can order your favorite holiday cookies online at minotsleeperlibrary.org or in person at the MSL. You can choose among 12 delicious varieties including one for your dog! Orders must be received by Wednesday, Nov. 30 and will be available for pick-up at the library on Dec. 9 from 3-5 p.m.

The second fundraiser is a Fun-All-Year Raffle in which you have a chance to win one of 3 prizes. These include; a week-day lift ticket for two to Ragged Mountain, a one year family membership to McAuliffe-Shepard Discovery Center, or a one-year membership to Squam Lakes Natural Science Center. Stop in at the MSL for more information. Proceeds

from both fund raisers will help fund the museum passes provided for the patrons of the MSL.

Recurring events at the MSL include: Knot Only Knitters on Mondays from 2:30-4:30 p.m., Storytime on Wednesdays at 10:30 a.m., Mah Jongg on Wednesdays from 1-3:00pm, Movie Time on Wednesdays at 4 p.m. and Friday Quilt Club on Fridays at 1 p.m.

The MSL will be closed on Nov. 24 and 25 for Thanksgiving.

Dog Obedience Classes will be having new sessions from Jan. 14 until Feb. 18 for two class levels at the TTCC. Level 1, the basics class will meet Saturdays from 1-2 p.m. and Level 2 will meet on Saturdays from 2:30 - 3:30 p.m. For more information, contact Mackenzie Fredericks at fiddlestickdogs@gmail.com or 603-217-7354.

The Bristol Rotary Club will begin their Christmas Tree Sale at O'Reilly Auto Parts in Bristol on Friday, Nov. 25.

There will be a Teen Dance at the TTCC on Friday, Dec. 2 from 6:30-9 p.m. for grades 6 through 8 for \$5 per person.

The 67th Annual Santa's Village and Craft Fair will take place at the TTCC starting on Friday, Dec. 9 from 6 - 8 p.m. It will continue on Saturday, Dec. 10 from 2-5 p.m. and on Sunday, Dec. 11 from 2-5 p.m. Cost of entrance is a canned food donation. For more details: www.ttcrc.org.

Breakfast With Santa will take place at the Masonic Lodge on Saturday, Dec. 10 from 8 - 10 a.m. for free!

A Luminary Walk will take place at the Slim Baker Lodge on Dec. 16 & 17 that will start at 6 p.m. each night.

The United Church of Christ Women's Fellowship will hold their Annual Christmas Fair on Saturday, Dec. 3 from 9 a.m. until noon in Fellowship Hall of the church. More details will be forthcoming. Save the date!

The TTCC Teen Council will hold another Parent's Night Out on Saturday, Dec. 17 from 5 - 9 p.m. for \$20 per person.

I am so thankful my family can get together for Thanksgiving and enjoy the holidays together. I wish you all a Happy Thanksgiving and hope your holiday season is joyful and festive.

PETS OF THE WEEK



Jenni

I'm Jenni and I bet you want my number, or the one for the shelter to come adopt me! I am most comfortable around the people I know and would probably do best with adults only. There is potential for me to share a home with a male dog, of course we'd have to meet first. A low traffic home able to help me build my confidence with new people would be best!



Tina

If you are looking for a sassy confidant or a bird watcher extraordinaire, Tina is your girl! Tina is way too cool to share her spotlight with others and would prefer to be in a home without other cats.



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Towns

FROM PAGE A8

Campton-Thornton

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After all the rain and the sudden drop in temperature, we started bringing the cows in the barn at night. Our cows wear a leather strap around their necks. When we bring them in, a chain is clipped to their collar and it is attached on the other end to a ring that rides up and down a pole, allowing them to stand or lie down. The other morning, I came in as usual and noticed my husband had left a grain cup right on the ledge in front of our cow, Belle. I was surprised she hadn't knocked it over. Just the day before, I had taken my mittens off to unchain her and she had no problem knocking those off the ledge right into her water buckets. Anyway, I opened the back door of the barn and first unchained Hilda and then went to Belle. To my surprise her collar was laying in the shavings beside her. She must have broken it in the night. But there she stood in her usual place waiting to be let out. Oh, the fun she could have had running loose in the barn all night. Go on out I say to her but she refused to move. I had to pick up the chain and pretend to unchain before she would follow her mother out of the barn. Sometimes cows don't miss and trick and sometime...well I leave it at that. Have a Happy Thanksgiving everyone!

Christmas Fair, Bake Sale and Chowdah Lunch

Please mark your calendar for the Campton Congregational Church annual Christmas Fair, Bake Sale and Chowdah Lunch on Saturday, Dec. 3 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. The Ladies Guild have out done themselves this year with an array of all manner of beautiful craft items including bird houses, pet toys, knitted dog jackets, doll clothes, ornaments, and much more. The bake sale is always a big hit with homemade fudge, cookies, donuts, pies, breads – don't miss it, stock up for Christmas. And, of course, we offer a delicious chowdah lunch which includes a choice of chowdah, a choice of sandwich, and dessert for \$8.

Thornton Public Library news

Storytime is offered at the Thornton Public Library for our young patrons on Wednesdays from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m.

Christmas Craft Fair

Come join the Campton Baptist Church for their Christmas Craft Fair on Saturday, November 26 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Enjoy your day with our crafters

and their unique creations & products. Soup n Sandwiches available for purchase. There will also be a bake sale as well as door prizes and a raffle. Admission and parking are free. Treat yourself to a special Christmas gift. For more info Contact Bette Ann Coy at 603 348 0402

Christmas Concert and Cookie Swap

The Campton Historical Society Christmas Concert and Cookie Swap will be Saturday Dec. 17 at 4 p.m. Come enjoy an early evening of fun and camaraderie. Like good apple cider, the best comes from a nice blend of apples. This year's Community Holiday Concert promises to create a blend of musical offerings that will satisfy anyone's thirst for a good time.

Dust off your vocal cords and get ready to join in the singing of Christmas Carols as

we all get in the spirit of the season. This year, emcee AJ Coppola will lead the way with special guests from Campton Elementary School. William Gunn will be returning with special guests from Plymouth Regional High School and Trisha Craig will be leading a flute ensemble.

After the musical performance and sing-a-long (there are no Simon Cowell types

among us) you can enjoy the annual cookie fest. Bring along a dozen or so of your own

cookies and you can swap them for other delightful treats. Even if you don't bring

cookies you can still join in the good food and good fun. The Campton Historical

Society will provide hot cocoa and more to help wash down the cookies and brighten your spirits! The event is free and family friendly.

Hebron

Bob Brooks 744-3597
hebronnnews@live.com

I am not sure what anyone else is going to be doing Thanksgiving morning, but I will be attending the 41st Annual Bridgewater Turkey Trot to benefit the Newfound Children & Families in Need, a community partnership driven by Newfound Country Store & TTCC

Nov. 24, 9 a.m. start time. Pre-register online now or in person at Newfound Country Store.

Registration also available the morning of the Trot beginning at 8 a.m. Trot begins at 9 a.m. at Newfound Country Store, 408 Mayhew Turnpike, Bridgewater. Great raffle prizes!

Any questions, call 744-8616!

Holderness

Fran Taylor 968-3846

Library Annual Tree Lighting, sere-

naded by the Central School Choir, will take place on Friday, Dec 2 at 5 p.m. All are welcome.

Ken Sheldon, author of the true crime book "Deep Water," will speak at the Library on Dec. 1 at 5 p.m. Sheldon has appeared on "NH Chronicle" and on stage, the radio and TV. He's the author of several other suspense novels under the pen name Michael Manley and also "Welcome to Frost Heaves," a collection of stories written by Yankee humorist Fred Marple.

The Friends of the Library has an ongoing book sale located at the entrance of Adam's office. Might be a good choice for a Christmas present.

Next meeting of the Friends of the Library is on Dec. 6 at 4 p.m. All are welcome.

Big changes in the Central School Winter Ski/Skate program. Skiers will be going to Loon. Skiing/skateboarding for an all-day event on Tuesdays in January. Skaters will spend two hours at the ice arena with instruction and free skating and then activities including at the Science Center, Top Gun Gymnastics, snowshoeing and more. Chaperones are needed for both. If you're new in town and enjoy working with kids on the slopes or ice, check out the information on the school website called Winter Program slide show.

Squam Lakes Association has a gear library. Available for winter activities are snowshoes, micro spikes, trekking poles and backpacks. You need to reserve gear at least 24 hours in advance by calling 603-968-7336 or going to squamlakes.org/gearlibrary.

Our newly elected Grafton 8 member of the New Hampshire House of Representatives, Peter Lovett, will be participating in New Legislator Orientation scheduled for Nov. 29 and 30 and Dec. 1.

We are reminded that with a thin layer of ice forming on lakes and ponds, there is danger for pets to fall through. If you live near any areas like this, it's time to put the dogs on the leash until the ice is safe.

Check out PSU at athletic.plymouth.edu. Plenty of great games going on in facilities that are all located in the Holderness side of the Pemi. Men's hockey, men's and women's basketball continue on through December.

For those of you concerned for the welfare of those suffering from the high cost of heating this winter, check out the Keep the Heat On! fuel fundraiser that will take place at Fosters/The Common Man in Plymouth on Jan. 25. Tickets available online on Facebook. Former County Commissioner Martha Richards was one of the founders of this

great effort.

Warren/Wentworth

Gary Jesseman 707-7129
garyj@together.net

Greetings everyone. I hope you all had a good week and haven't frozen up.

Please take a few minutes to pause on Thanksgiving Day to give thanks for all your blessings!

Our show "The Regifiers" is progressing nicely. Less than two weeks to opening!

The show is hilariously funny and runs Dec. 2, 3, 4, 9, 10, and 11, with evening performances at 7 p.m.

and Sunday matinees at 3 p.m. The stage is at the Bradford Academy Building, just north of the town. Hope to see you there!

In Warren, The Parks and Recreation Department invite you to a planning meeting for 2023. The meetings are Thursday, Dec. 1 and Thursday, Jan. 5, at 5 p.m. at the Town Hall.

Come meet new people, and help build a calendar and plan events for 2023.

In WENTWORTH, Mark your calendars for Christmas On The Common, coming on Nov. 26. The fun goes from 3-6 p.m., with tree lighting, carols, Santa,

and much more! There will be more information as details are available.

Wentworth Elementary School is seeking vendors for their Christmas Craft Fair on Saturday, Dec. 10 from 9 a.m.-2 p.m.

\$20 a spot, or \$15 if you contribute an item for raffle. To reserve a spot or for more information contact Hannah at hbilodeau@pemibaker.org.

That's it for this time! Have a good week, and always remember to count your blessings, and have a WONDERFUL Thanksgiving!

KTHO

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increases over a given period. In October, the greatest inflation contributors were in food, energy, and housing. The extra cost for these necessities is often unaffordable for many families; over 20,000 New Hampshire households receive federal housing assistance and low-income home energy assistance.

Fuel oil is the most prevalent form of home heating fuel in New Hampshire. In New England, the current cost of residential fuel oil is up significantly from one year ago. We all know that winter here can be long and cold -- and even though less snowfall is expected this winter, the National Weather Service predicts a great many consecutive bitterly cold days during the winter months. Given that forecast, and with and home heating costs up 70 percent overall, it's no surprise that the "Keep the Heat On" annual fundraiser on Jan. 25 hopes to raise enough money through ticket sales and donations to ensure that folks in our catchment area can rely on financial fuel assistance from KTHO/PACC. Though many households will manage the higher

costs of living without assistance, scores of our neighbors will struggle to pay their bills. Why? A few reasons: a family breadwinner's wages are low, a spouse or child has expensive and/or unexpected medical bills and prescriptions, or the rent has been raised. KTHO's one-time grant of one hundred fifty (150) gallons of heating fuel (or its equivalent in pellets or wood) is a helping hand to a neighbor in need. Your contribution to Keep The Heat On makes those grants possible to provide the fuel that will sustain the warmth for those neighbors, their families, and their homes this winter.

"The holidays" are right around the corner; tis the season to celebrate with family and friends, to attend concerts and services, and to support a favorite charity. The fundraiser on Jan. 25 at the Common Man Inn in Plymouth will feature both well-known chefs and restaurant favorites along with cuisine from newly opened area establishments. We'll include be more of these culinary details, as well as updated auction item news in our next KTHO press release. For now, you could start (or continue!) a

tradition by making a contribution to Keep The Heat On. It's easy to do: go to the fundraiser website <https://bit.ly/KTHO2023>, and buy a ticket to attend the KTHO dinner and auction. Your purchased ticket includes your entry into the raffle drawings. If you can't attend the event, the website also permits you to make a direct a donation to the KTHO program and if you are already a contributor, thank you!!! Your "gift" to an unknown neighbor is a good news story that you've written. As April Burns realized as she struggled one Thanksgiving Day, "We all need each other, we can't do it alone."

The KTHO volunteer committee partners with PACC in the ongoing mission to aid our neighbors. Residents eligible for support are those living in one of the 15 communities served by PACC -- Alexandria, Ashland, Bridgewater, Ellsworth, Campton, Dorchester, Groton, Plymouth, Rumney, Hebron, Holderness, Waterville Valley, Thornton, Wentworth, and Warren. PACC is located at 5 South Main St., Plymouth. Fuel Assistance is available by phone on Tuesdays and Thursdays 9 a.m. to noon, tel# 603-536-1101.

TOWN OF THORNTON HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Invitation to Bid Mill Brook Road Tree Removal

The Thornton Highway Department is accepting bids for the removal of trees along approximately 550' of Mill Brook Road. This section of roadway is shown on tax map 213 as affecting lots numbered 11, 12, and 13. A map of this area is available at town hall and on the website. This area is known locally as the north side of Mill Brook Road beginning at the intersection of Fadden Road and extending to the "Old School House". The affected trees have been ribboned off by the Highway Department.

- Bids must be submitted reflecting the disposal of dead trees, cutting and chipping of any other debris and delivering logs to adjacent property owners' yard.
- Bids must be submitted in a sealed envelope marked "BID: Mill Brook Tree Removal 2022" to 16 Merrill Access Road, Thornton, NH 03285 no later than 3:00pm on Friday, December 9, 2022.
- Bids will be opened on Tuesday, December 13 at 1:30pm.
- The award process is scheduled to commence at the Board of Selectmen's meeting on Wednesday, December 14 at 7:00pm.

The Town of Thornton reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Questions may be directed to Road Agent John Kubik at 603/398-9444.

THE REAL REPORT

RECENT REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

Town	Address	Type	Price	Seller	Buyer
Bristol	Hall Road	N/A	\$99,933	Falcon Heights Properties LLC	Christopher and Tracey Nelson
Bristol	25 Red Fox Rd., Unit 11	Condominium	\$352,533	Stephanie P. Parrott	Whittemore Oliveira Fiscal Trust and Fernando Oliveira
Campton	7 Perch Pond Rd.	Single-Family Residence	\$250,000	Samuel Kraft	Ryan and Deshanthi Pollock
Hebron	134 Valley View Rd.	Single-Family Residence	\$1,050,000	Richard J. Kirby RET	James M. and Jennifer L. Schauer
Holderness	6 Merrill Wood Dr.	Single-Family Residence	\$438,000	Meryman & Mammarelli Fiscal Trust and James W. Meryman	Rebecca L. and Benjamin S. Martin
New Hampton	264 Old Bristol Rd.	Single-Family Residence	\$350,000	Charles V. Cady Trust	Richard J. and Susan M. O'Rourke
Plymouth	310 Reservoir Rd.	Single-Family Residence	\$399,000	Maple Leaf Fiscal Trust and Christopher Warn	Gabriel A. Fagan and Brayn Brotzman
Plymouth	1 Warren St.	General Office	\$369,800	Ellen G. Young LT	Growing Roots LLC
Rumney	897 Rumney Route 25	Commercial Building	\$313,000	Real Life Dining LLC	Nesteruk Food Group LLC
Thornton	6 Lyfords Crossing	Multi-Family Residence	\$575,000	Steve Macera and Angie M. Briggs	Joanna Warner and George Wittenzelline
Thornton	N/A (Lot 13)	N/A	\$50,000	Lorie Webster	Kimberly T. and Roy L. Dawson
Thornton	N/A (Lot 28)	N/A	\$50,000	Kevin Dorsey	John E. McHugh Fiscal Trust
Waterville Valley	9 Bear Brook Lane	Single-Family Residence	\$910,000	MG RT and Julie R. Bryan	Deborah E. and Paul G. Movizzo
Waterville Valley	76 Noon Peak Rd., Unit 5A	Condominium	\$340,000	Robert A. Donahue	Dierdre J. Lynch

ABOUT THE REAL REPORT

Here are recent real estate transactions in Alton and the surrounding areas. These sales summaries are informational only, not a legal record. Names shown are usually the first listed in the deed. Sales might involve additional parties or locations. Prices are usually based on tax stamps and might be inaccurate for public agency sales. Refer to actual public documents before forming opinions or relying on this information. Additional publicly recorded information on these sales, prior sales and data from Department of Revenue Administration forms is available at www.real-data.com or 669-3822. Copyright 2011. Real Data Corp. In the column "Type": land= land only; L/B= land and building; MH= mobile home; and COND=condominium. Transactions provided by The Warren Group, Boston Ma., publishers of The Registry Review and Bankers and Tradesman newspapers. Phone: 1-800-356-8805. Website: www.thewarrendata.com

Autumn Westerling makes Goodwin Dean's List for Summer 2022

EAST HARTFORD, Conn. — Autumn Westerling has earned a spot on the Goodwin University Dean's List for Summer 2022.

Autumn, a student from Plymouth, is one of 713 students to make the Dean's List, reserved for those who demonstrate great academic performance.

Dean's List inclusion requires a student to earn a minimum 3.5 GPA, the equivalent of an A- average, during a given academic session. The student must also be enrolled

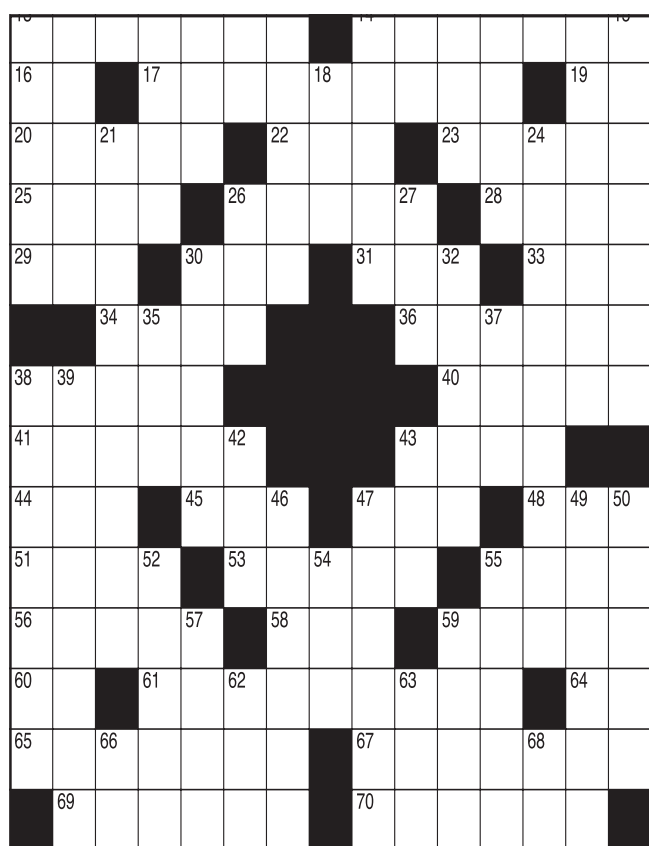
in a minimum of six academic credits to qualify.

Goodwin University congratulates Autumn on making the Dean's List and demonstrating such a high standard of excellence in the classroom and beyond!

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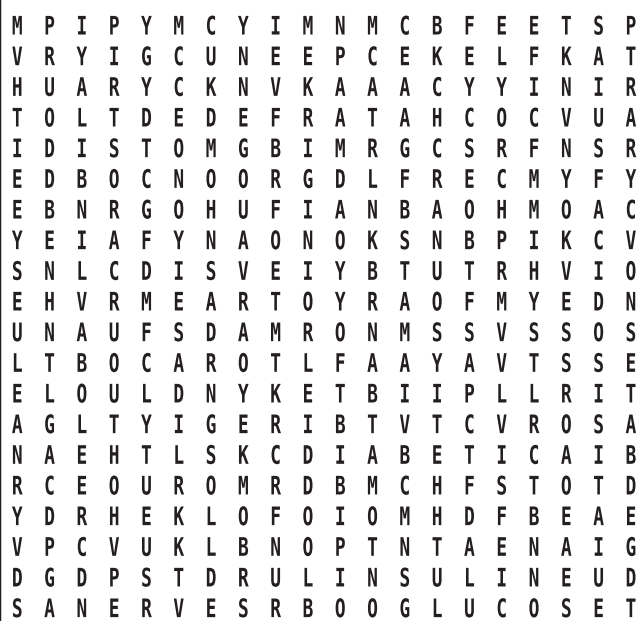


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- Large marine mammals
- Used to carry belongings when traveling
- Rechristened
- Equally
- Heavy plant-eating mammals
- Millinery
- Japanese immigrant to N. America
- Deep, red-brown sea bream
- Norse gods
- Peppermint and peko are two
- Auguste __, founder of positivism
- Self-immolation by fire ritual
- High-resolution microscope (abbr.)
- Wide metal vessel used in cooking
- V-shaped open trough

- Ornamental plants
- Grouped
- Kids love this street
- Beloved hound
- Equal to 100 grams
- S-shaped moldings
- Hawaiian cliff
- Everyone has one
- Subatomic particle
- Ghost
- Adult female bird
- Greek temple pillars
- Emits coherent radiation
- Measures the width of printed matter
- Musical interval
- Tantalizes
- Places of worship
- An unskilled actor who overacts
- One who volunteers to help
- Precaution
- Beverage holder
- Very long period of time
- Bullfighting maneuvers
- More critical
- Sends packing in a boxing match
- Taxi
- Decorative Russian tea urn
- North American Great Plains natives
- Seize
- A passage with access only at one end
- Cut a rug
- Devil rays
- Bubble up
- Veranda
- Outcast
- Car mechanics group
- Realm
- A place to get off your feet
- Popular music awards show
- Consumed
- A way to make cooler
- Thus
- Indicates it's been registered

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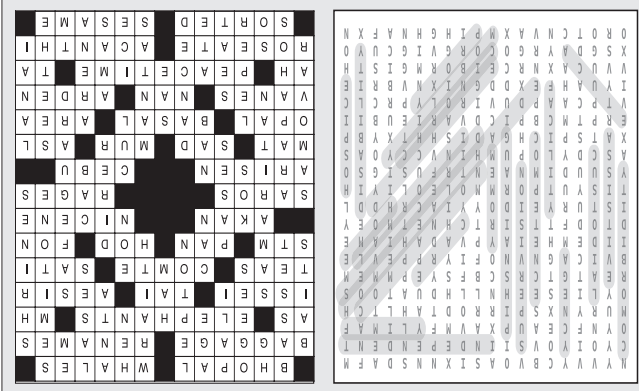


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Newfound wraps up fall with annual sports awards

BY JOSHUA SPAULDING
Sports Editor

BRISTOL — The Newfound community wrapped up the fall sports season with a sports awards ceremony last week.

For the boys' cross country team, Ben LaPlume received the Respect Award, Evan Foster was presented the Growth Award and Reuben Carruth earned the Perseverance Award. The Bears Booster Club Student Athlete Award went to Jeffrey Huckins and Caleb Anair received the NHIAA Sportsmanship Award.

Jordan Edwards received the Perseverance Award for the girls' cross country team, while Leah Deuso won the Bears Booster Club Student Athlete Award and Josie Halle was presented with the NHIAA Sportsmanship Award.

For the field hockey team, Electra Heath was presented the Bears Booster Club Student Athlete Award and Casey Bush received the NHIAA Sportsmanship Award. Brady MacLean

was named Offensive MVP for the football Bears, while Quinn Van Lingen was named Defensive MVP, Isaac Robert was named Most Improved and Dalton Dion received the Bears Booster Club Student Athlete Award. Tom Talamini was presented with the NHIAA Sportsmanship Award.

For the boys' soccer team, Conner Sullivan was presented the Character Award, Hayden Dolloff was awarded the Toughness Award, Josh Blouin received the Leadership Award and Landon Sargent earned the Teamwork Award. Calvin Colby was presented the Bears Booster Club Student Athlete Award and Charles Alan received the NHIAA Sportsmanship Award.

Rylee Barney received the Leading Scorer Award for the girls' soccer team, Taylor Mooney was presented with the Captain's Award and Isadora Robert received the Stand-out Season Award. The Bears Booster Club Student Athlete

Award went to Lillian Karkheck and Serenity Dinger received the NHIAA Sportsmanship Award.

For the unified soccer team, Christian Duda received the Offensive Player Award, Zeke Richardson received the Defensive Player Award, the Bears Booster Club Student Athlete Award went to Sarah Buchanan and Samantha Dahl was presented the NHIAA Sportsmanship Award.

Malina Bohlmann, Mikayla Ulwick and Danielle Walker all received the Coaches Award for the volleyball team, while Ulwick also received the Bears Booster Club Student Athlete Award. Bohlmann and Mia DiFilippe were presented with the NHIAA Sportsmanship Award.

Duane Stanton was honored with the Cathy Lever Athletic Director's Award.

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



JOSHUA SPAULDING

Turkey Trot

Kevin Dubia of Ashland finished in third in the Wolfeboro Turkey Trot on Saturday morning with a time of 20:43.



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Campton Congregational

Saturday, Nov. 26
10 a.m. “Deck the Halls (volunteers gather to decorate the Church for Christmas)

Sunday, Nov. 27
9:30 a.m. Rev. Jeff Robie will lead us in Worship.
10 a.m. Children’s Sermon/Sunday School.
Following Worship we gather for fellowship.

Tuesday, Nov. 29
10:30 a.m. Bible Study – all are welcome – Fellowship Hall.

Noon Fellowship lunch (byol) in Fellowship Hall.
1 p.m. Ladies Guild time for crafts and laughs.

6:30 p.m. Adult Bible Study meets on Zoom and the Facebook Group Page.

Saturday, Dec. 3
9 a.m. CHRISTMAS FAIR, BAKE SALE & CHOWDAH LUNCH!

We at Campton Congregational Church are very happy to welcome Rev. Jeff Robie as our Interim Minister. Pastor Jeff and his wife Julie, hail from Kingston. Pastor Jeff spent many years working in the High Tech Industry before transitioning into the ministry. He graduated with a Masters of Divinity degree from

Gordon Conwell Theological Seminary in 2012 and he was ordained in 2017. Pastor Jeff led a variety of worship services at several different churches, including North Deering Congregational Church in Portland, ME and the First Congregational Church in Kingston, NH. He retired from Bow Lake Baptist Church in 2021. We are very blessed to have Pastor Jeff leading us in this time of transition. Pastor Jeff and Julie both graduated from Plymouth State University and have family ties to this area.

Saturday, Nov. 26 at 10 a.m., we gather to decorate the church for the Christmas season. Of course, we begin with coffee and donuts, so bring your Christmas spirit and join us for a time of fellowship and shared effort to make the Church glow in the warmth of this Advent Season. At Noon all interested will travel to Campton Baptist Church to enjoy their Craft Fair and Lunch.

Please mark your calendar for the Campton Congregational Church annual Christmas Fair, Bake Sale, and ‘Chowdah’ Lunch on Saturday, Dec. 3. The Ladies Guild have out done themselves this year with an array of all manner of beautiful craft items including bird houses, pet toys, knitted dog jackets, doll clothes, ornaments, and much

more. The bake sale is always a big hit with homemade fudge, cookies, donuts, pies, breads – don’t miss it, stock up for Christmas. And, of course, we offer a delicious chowdah lunch which includes a choice of chowdah, a choice of sandwich, and dessert for \$8.

Chapel of St. John of the Mountains

Pastor always in
Contact Pastor Cindy by Phone home (603) 539-7064, or text (603) 515-6684; private Zoom meetings are possible as well. Please call at your convenience, serving you is a privilege.

Midweek Zoom Meeting Possibilities
If you would like to gather on Zoom once each week to visit together, please let Pastor Cindy know. She will be pleased to set up a meeting for the group. These meetings have been well attended and uplifting and it would be a privilege to reinstate them.

Bible Study
Available on Zoom. Please let Pastor Cindy know if you are interested. We have a long and wonderful winter ahead of us and gathering in this way will be wonderful for our Church Family.

Plymouth

Sunday, Dec. 4
Christmas Sunday
3 p.m. We gather for prayer and fellowship.
4 p.m. Please join us for this Candlelight service. Jim Tyrrell will lead us in music as we share in Holy Scripture and Carols which herald our Savior’s birth. Please consider pondering all that took place before Jesus’ Birth as you travel through Advent together. God bless you.

In the days ahead, please keep our Chapel Family in your prayers. We are an Ecumenical Christian Church gathering on Sunday afternoons during the Summer and through the first Sundays of September, October, November, and December. We also gather at other times for fellowship as well. You are always welcome here.

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

Christian Science Society,

Bible lesson, which is read in Christian Science churches around the world each Sunday, starts this week with the passage from Psalms: “My whole being praises the Lord.”
We have a Sunday school which takes place during the church service where children and young people learn Bible-based lessons which they can use in their everyday lives.

We have a 6 p.m. Wednesday evening meeting where there are short readings from the Bible and from the Christian Science textbook, and also time for sharing with one another gratitude for healing experiences in our lives, as well as thoughts and insights from Bible study and prayer. We love to have visitors.

Both the Sunday and the Wednesday services are available to attend on Zoom. You can visit our church website www.cs-plymouth-nh.org to learn about joining online services.

Our reading room in the church building is open on Mondays from noon to 2 p.m. There is also a “small library” box with a colorful “Free” sign that is outside and open 24/7. It has magazines and books for you. The reading room has many Bible reference books as well as all publications of the Christian Science publishing Society, and you can borrow these.



<p>ALEXANDRIA Alexandria United Methodist 12 Washburn Rd. Alexandria Village, Alexandria 9 a.m. Sunday Worship Service Pastor Deb Hoffman • 603-744-8104 Lenten Weekly Services April 13th Maundy Thursday Service @ 7p.m. April 14th Good Friday Service @ 7p.m. April 16th Sunrise Service @ 6a.m. Held at the Lake at Wellington Boat Ramp then Breakfast will be Served at Alexandria Methodist Church April 16th Easter Worship @ 9a.m.</p> <p>ASHLAND Ashland United Methodist 18 Washington St., Ashland All are welcome. 9:30 Sunday morning Worship Service. Church School for 3-7 year olds during worship service. Communion on 1st Sunday. Sunday Evenings 6:30-7:30 Praise and Prayer gathering. Wednesday Bible Study 2:30-4:00 p.m. Pastor Roger Kleinpeter</p> <p>Ashland Community Church 55 Main Street - Ashland (across from Shurline Market) 10:00 a.m. Worship August 18 – September 15 Teaching Series: "I Love My Church!" Toddler Zone (infants – five years old) led by Kara Hamill and Kid Zone (for K-6th grade) led by Debbie Madden. Small groups: We offer adult small groups that meet on Sunday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday evenings. New Women's Ministry: A women's group will be starting this fall the 1st and 3rd Thursday of each month beginning October 2019. Pastor Ernie Madden (603) 968-9464 accernie@hotmail.com</p> <p>Emmanuel Episcopal Church 18 Highland Street, Ashland (603) 968-7640 9:30 am Sunday School and Worship Rev. Stephen Rugg</p>	<p>Bristol United Church of Christ 15 Church St., Bristol 9 a.m. Bible Study • 10 a.m. Sunday School 10 a.m. Worship Service • Child Care Available • 744-8132</p> <p>Holy Trinity Parish Bristol (Roman Catholic) Our Lady of Grace Chapel 2 West Shore Rd Bristol, NH Marian Center 17 West Shore Rd Bristol Bristol Office by appointment only Call (603) 724-1825 Mass Schedule: Sundays at 9:30 AM Thursdays at 8 AM Eucharistic Adoration every Thursday from 8:30 to Noon At North American Martyrs Oratory in the Marian Center Website: holytrinityparishnh.org FB: Holy Trinity News and Info</p> <p>CAMPTON Campton Baptist Church 1345 Main Street, Campton (603) 726-4662 Sunday 10 a.m. Worship Service followed by Time of Fellowship Monday 4 p.m. Bible Study Wednesday 7 p.m. Prayer Friday 5:30 p.m. Dinner & Movie (free) Women's Gathering 2nd Tuesdays 10 a.m. Men's Breakfast 2nd Saturdays 7 a.m. "Digging Deeper" Service 3rd Sundays 7 p.m. Food Pantry by Appointment All are Welcome • Handicapped Accessible Pastor Chuck Green</p> <p>Campton Congregational #495 Rt. 175, Campton 9:30 a.m. Sunday Worship Service Nursery and Child Care Available 11 a.m. Tue. Bible Study for Youth & Adults Rev. 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Mary Jane Barber</p> <p>HILL Picturesque "1800" Hill Center Church Non-denominational. All Welcome Murray Hill Rd. 5 p.m. Sunday Services June-October Rev. Carol Snow-Asher • 744-7864</p> <p>Hill Village Bible Church 9 a.m. - Sunday School 10 a.m. - Morning Worship 11 a.m. - Coffee Fellowship 11:30 a.m. - Bible Hour 6:30p.m. - Wed. Prayer & Bible Hour Teen/Children's Ministries Nursery provided at all services Pastor: Rev. Daniel Boyce Youth Pastor: Nathan Pelletier www.hillvillagebiblechurch.com Look for us on Facebook</p> <p>HOLDERNESS Holderness Community Church 919 US Route 3 – P.O. Box 613 Holderness, NH 03245 Worship Service – Sunday 10 a.m. Rev. Chris Drew – 968-3219 www.holdernesscommunitychurch.org</p> <p>NEW HAMPTON New Hampton Community Church • 744-8252 A Christian Church w/ a Family friendly atmosphere • Main St. New Hampton 10 a.m. Sunday Worship Nursery care, Children & Youth ed. 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Visit www.gbchnh.org for sermons and more information.</p> <p>Holy Trinity Parish (Roman Catholic) St. Matthew Church 11 School St. Plymouth Parish Office Hours Monday through Friday 9:00AM- 3:00 PM Phone: (603) 536-4700 Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturdays at 3 PM Mass Schedule Saturday 4 PM and Sunday 8 and 11 AM Daily Mass check bulletin for schedule. Website: holytrinityparishnh.org FB: Holy Trinity News and Info</p> <p>Plymouth Congregational United Church of Christ Sunday Worship 9:30 AM on Facebook Live Virtual Sunday School 9:30 AM Open and Affirming, Just Peace Global and Local Missions. Fully Accessible Pastor, Rev. Sara M. 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Parade

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Silver Center hosts a fun family Holiday Concert from 2-4 p.m. Buy adult tickets online at <https://plymouthstatetickets.universitytickets.com> or call 603-536-2787. Kids are free! Afterwards, gather among the Festival of Trees for delicious holiday cookies and hot cocoa. The Festival of Trees will be open all day Saturday, closing at 8PM.

Saturday, Dec 3, is a very busy Celebration day. Plymouth Recreation starts the day with their annual Jingle Bell 5k Fun Run and Walk at 8 a.m. Then from 11 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., the Bridge House holds its annual Kids Cookie Walk at the Senior Center. Tables will be laden with cookies for sale and, for the kids, there's cookie creation, holiday face painting, and a visit with Mrs. Claus.

From 4-5 p.m., many Main Street businesses will be offering their hospitality for warming and treats. At 4:30 p.m., Master of Ceremonies Tim Keefe leads us in Holiday Sing-along and fun on the Common. And at 5 p.m., it's the Parade!!!! Prior year's parades have bustled with brightly lit floats, bands, a "wrecker train", decorated walking groups, a Chinese dragon, decked out animals, dance troupes, and, of course, Santa. What will this year bring? Will you be in the parade? We can't wait to see. Registration is free, and there's still plenty of time. Visit <https://plymouthrotaryfoundation.org/holiday-celebration> to register.

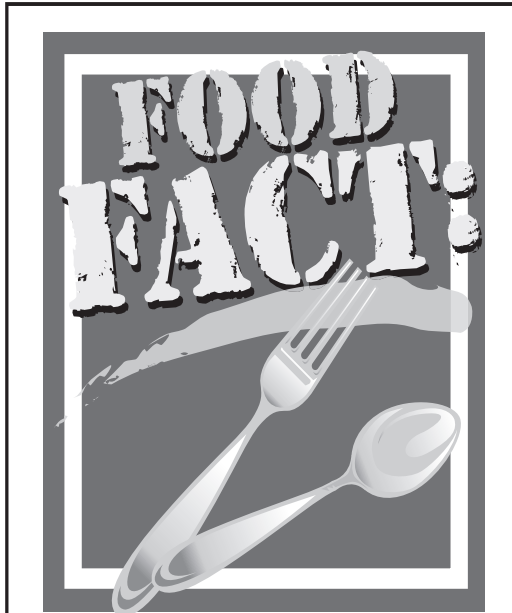
After the parade, Santa will visit with the kids at the Senior Center. For the twelfth year, Alex Ray and the Rotarians will be hosting their "Chill-buster" barbeque next to a huge Bonfire across from the Senior center on Green Street. Come and enjoy this great Christmas Season sendoff!

On Sunday, it's the free Skate with Santa at the PSU ice arena from noon to 2 p.m. (note the new time). Santa will be on the ice for visiting and for photo opportunities. Free skates are available thanks to PSU.

Visit the Plymouth Rotary Foundation Web site at <https://plymouthrotaryfoundation.org/> for event details. Or, contact Marcie Gowen at 236-9121 (mgowen@thegarantybank.com) or Steve Rand at 236-6587 for paper parade registration forms. Registration period ends Friday Dec. 2.

We thank the many local businesses and individuals who have made this great community Celebration possible by becoming sponsors of the Plymouth Rotary Foundation, which proudly sponsors, coordinates, and funds the Holiday Celebration. Additional contributions are welcome and possible at the Plymouth Rotary Foundation website or by Checks to "Plymouth Rotary Foundation- Parade". Mail contributions to: Marcie Gowen, Woodsville Guaranty Savings Bank, 7 Town West Rd., Plymouth NH 03264. Thank you for your support.

We'll see you at the Parade!



THIS FOOD IS NOT REALLY A NUT, DESPITE ITS NAME. IT IS A LEGUME CROP GROWN FOR ITS EDIBLE SEEDS.

ANSWER: PEANUT

What's the Difference?

There are four differences between Picture A and Picture B. Can you find them all?

A



B



Answers: 1. Knife is shorter 2. Sandwich has a bite taken out of it 3. Stain on table 4. Missing bread slice

THIS DAY IN...



HISTORY

- 164 BCE: JUDAS MACCABEUS RESTORES THE TEMPLE IN JERUSALEM. THIS IS THE BASIS OF CHANUKAH CELEBRATIONS.
- 1789: NORTH CAROLINA BECOMES THE 12TH U.S. STATE.
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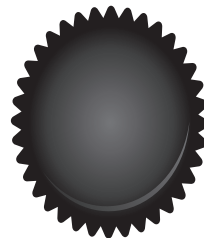
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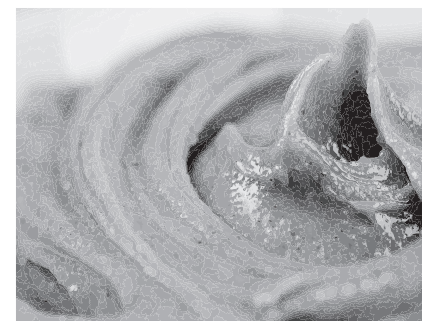
- ENGLISH:** Grind
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Can you guess what the bigger picture is?

ANSWER: PEANUT BUTTER

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Determine the code to reveal the answer!

Solve the code to discover words related to diabetes. Each number corresponds to a letter. (Hint: 4 = E)

A. 21 16 1 9 5 19 4

Clue: Sugar

B. 15 10 19 1 16 15 10

Clue: Regulates sugar

C. 16 4 8 4 16 19

Clue: Measurements

D. 11 15 4 6

Clue: Foods you eat

Answers: A. glucose B. insulin C. levels D. diet

SUDOKU

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Level: Intermediate

Here's How It Works:

Sudoku puzzles are formatted as a 9x9 grid, broken down into nine 3x3 boxes. To solve a sudoku, the numbers 1 through 9 must fill each row, column and box. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and box. You can figure out the order in which the numbers will appear by using the numeric clues already provided in the boxes. The more numbers you name, the easier it gets to solve the puzzle!

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

ANSWER:

Notebook

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ic squabble ensued, and as I remember, it came down to who was going to rule. And in that case there was no doubt, because the occupant of the house rules the roost. The Harrigans won that one. Whatever the case, the turkey was just fine.

Later, of course, time did its inevitable work and responsibilities changed, and the Thanksgiving turkey became my job. I've always loved getting up early Thanksgiving morning to fix the bird. It's just one of those things, like cutting and dragging a Christmas tree. In the case of the turkey, the hours are wee and the house is quiet. There is all the time in the world. We often have company, but they're not due until noon or so, and we

don't plan to serve up until mid-afternoon. So I get up early, and have the kitchen to myself, just me and the turkey.

I rinse and oil the bird, and season it, and prepare the pan, and get the stuffing ready, and pre-heat the oven, in between taking care of animals and feeding fires. It's a ritual.

During the past two decades, I've become fond of draping a piece of old (and of course clean) sheet, drenched in butter, atop the turkey breast before I slide it into the oven. It helps to keep things moist. In my book there is nothing worse than dry turkey. I'd rather eat a shoe.

One year, my sister Mary and her husband Pat were up, and I'd purchased a large foil roasting pan because

we had so much company, and it had a pinhole in its bottom that I'd failed to notice, and while we were all sitting around the kitchen counter, cracking nuts and playing pitch, the oven erupted in flames. Now here was a situation. We are more than three miles from town, and even with one of the best volunteer fire departments anywhere (and believe me, it's the best), we'd have wound up with a cellar-hole.

Pat is from a farm family and is a practical guy, and he didn't hesitate for a second. "Baking soda," he shouted, and I knew just where it was, and handed it to him, and he threw a handful into the oven, and quelled the flames.

The turkey was just fine, and we were able to laugh at it all around the table.

**Town of Thornton Planning Board
Proposed Zoning Amendments for 2023
Public Hearing to be Held on
December 15, 2022 at 6 pm
at the Thornton Town Offices located at
16 Merrill Access Road, Thornton, NH**

Zoning Amendment #1

Are you in favor of the adoption of amendments to the existing Town of Thornton Zoning Ordinance Telecommunications Facilities Ordinance, as proposed by the Town of Thornton Planning Board, as follows:

Add a new *Section 1. Authority* which alters the sequential numbering of subsequent Articles and adds the following language:

This ordinance is adopted pursuant to RSA 674:21. The Town of Thornton Planning Board is vested with the authority to administer this ordinance, and may grant conditional use permits, or waiver provisions of this ordinance to allow the site of wireless telecommunications facilities.

Amend newly numbered *Section 4. Applicability, Paragraph A* to read:

In addition to compliance with this Ordinance, all applications are subject to Site Plan Review by the Thornton Planning Board in accordance with the Thornton Site Plan Review Regulations and are subject to approval by the Thornton Board of Selectmen.

Amend newly numbered *Section 4. Applicability*, to delete Paragraph B.

B. All requests for a variance must be before the Zoning Board of Adjustment.

Amend the first sentence of the newly numbered *Section 6. Use Regulations*, introductory paragraph to read:

All wireless telecommunications facilities shall, in all cases, require a zoning compliance certificate issued by the Board of Selectmen and may be permitted as follows:

Amend the newly numbered *Section 6. Use Regulations, Paragraph A. Existing Tower Structures*: as follows:

Change reference from building permit to zoning compliance certificate.

Change reference from Section 6 to Section 8.

Amend newly numbered *Section 6. Use Regulations, Paragraph C*, to change the reference from Section 6.C. to Section 8.C.

Amend newly numbered *Section 6. Use Regulations, Paragraph D*, to read as follows:

D. Ground-Mounted Facility: A wireless telecommunications facility involving construction of a ground mount shall require Site Plan Review and require a conditional use permit pursuant to the provisions of this Ordinance.

Amend newly numbered Section 9. Monitoring and Maintenance, Paragraph B. to change reference from building permit to zoning compliance certificate.

Amend newly numbered *Section 11. Application Procedure, Paragraph A*, to read:

A. An applicant for a telecommunications tower must apply for a conditional use permit pursuant to the terms of this ordinance and for site plan review. If approved, the Planning Board will make recommendations to the Board of Selectmen to issue a zoning compliance certificate.

Amend the first sentence of the newly numbered *Section 11. Application Procedure, Paragraph C*, to read:

C. If the applicant is proposing to build a tower or other ground-mounted structure, the applicant shall submit written evidence demonstrating why no existing structure can accommodate the applicant's proposed facility.

Amend newly numbered *Section 12. Waivers, Paragraph A*, to read:

A. Where the Planning Board finds that extraordinary hardships, practical difficulties, or unnecessary and unreasonable expense would result from strict compliance with the terms of this Ordinance, or the purpose of these regulations may be served to a greater

extent by an alternative proposal, it may approve waivers to the regulations. The Planning Board shall not approve any waiver(s) unless a majority of those present and voting shall find that all of the following apply:

Amend newly numbered *Section 12. Waivers*, Paragraphs B. and C.:

Replace all references to *Zoning Board of Adjustment* with *Planning Board*.

Amend newly numbered *Section 15. Savings Clause* to read:

If any provision of this Ordinance is found to be unenforceable or unlawful by a Court of competent jurisdiction, such finding shall not be construed to invalidate the remainder of the Ordinance.

Zoning Amendment #2

Are you in favor of the adoption of amendments to the existing Town of Thornton Zoning Ordinance Floodplain Development Ordinance, as proposed by the Town of Thornton Planning Board, as follows:

Amend *Section II: Establishment*, second paragraph to read:

The following regulations in this ordinance shall apply to all lands designated as special flood hazard areas by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) in its "Flood Insurance Study for Grafton County, NH" dated February 20, 2008 as amended, together with associated flood insurance rate maps dated February 20, 2008, or as amended, which are declared to be a part of this ordinance and are hereby incorporated by reference.

Amend Section VI: Certification, Paragraph 1. to read:

1. The as-built elevation (in relation to Mean Sea Level) of the lowest floor (including basement) and include whether or not such structures contain a basement.

Amend Section VI: Certification, Paragraph 1.a. to read:

a. If the structure has been flood-proofed, the as-built elevation (in relation to Mean Sea Level) to which the structure was flood-proofed.

Amend *Section IX. Special Flood Hazard Areas* to delete all references to 100-year flood elevation and replace it with Base Flood Elevation.

Amend *Section IX. Special Flood Hazard Areas, Paragraph 6.c.*, third sentence, to read:

A minimum of two flood openings having a total net area of not less than one square inch for every square foot of enclosed area subject to flooding shall be provided.

Amend *Section X: Variances and Appeals, Paragraph 2* to change the reference from RSA 674:33, I(b) to **RSA 674:33, I**.

Amend *Section XI: Definitions* to add the following definitions:

"Base Flood Elevation" (BFE) means the elevation of surface water resulting from the base flood.

"Flood Opening" means an opening in a foundation of enclosure walls that allows automatic entry and exit of floodwaters. See FEMA "Technical Bulletin 1, Openings in Foundation Walls and Walls of Enclosures."

Amend *Section XI. Definitions* to delete the definition of "Functionally Dependent Use".

Amend *Section XI. Definitions* to delete the existing definition of "Substantial Improvement" and insert the following:

"Substantial Improvement" means any reconstruction rehabilitation, addition, or other improvement of a structure, the cost of which equals or exceeds 50 percent of the market value of the structure before the "start of construction" of the improvement. This term includes structures which have incurred "substantial damage," regardless of the actual repair work performed. The term does not, however, include either:

a. Any project for improvement of a structure to correct existing violations of state or local health, sanitary, or safety code specifications which have been identified by the local code enforcement official and which are the minimum necessary to assure safe living conditions; or

b. Any alteration of a "historic structure," provided that the alteration will not preclude the structure's continued designation as a "historic structure."

Amend *Section XI. Definitions* to delete the incomplete sentence "Additional Sections Required", which follows the definition of "Water Surface Elevation"

Additional information regarding the proposed amendments is available at Town Hall during regular business hours or on the Town's website at: www.townofthornton.org

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MEETING AND HEARING AGENDA

NOVEMBER 29, 2022

6:00 PM

You are hereby notified that the Hebron Zoning Board of Adjustment (ZBA) will meet at 6:00 pm on Tuesday, November 29 at the Hebron Town Office, second floor meeting room, 7 School Street, Hebron, NH to address the following:

1. Review and approve minutes of previous meetings and other administrative matters.
2. Under the terms of NH RSA 677.2, hear the motion for a rehearing to the ZBA's October 25, 2022 DENIAL of the APPEAL by Diane M. Michalski of 67 Groton Road, Hebron, NH to the Town of Hebron NOTICE OF VIOLATION dated July 21, 2022. (Case No. 295)
3. Any other business that may come before the Board.

Hebron Zoning Board of Adjustment

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Deutsch, Irene I, late of Wentworth, NH. Maria Young, PO Box 216, Wentworth, NH 03282. #315-2022-ET-00609

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Shuffleboard

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at the ball field. She and her husband then met with TTCC Director Leslie Dion and picked out elements for the playground. The first phase of construction got underway just a few weeks ago and it will be completed in the spring.

Brew company owner John Shackett said he has come to know the family over the last year or more and his heart broke when he learned of their loss.

"I became aware of their story and want-

ed to do something to help," he said.

In the past, he has held fundraisers for Bristol's Downtown Decorating Committee, which keeps Central Square beautiful and festive throughout the year. His business also held another event to raise money for Tap-ply-Thompson Community Center's many programs and services to the area. That meant that holding another fundraiser for Hazel's Light Foundation was an easy decision for him to make.

"They're taking an awful tragedy and pushing forward with it in a positive way. I just want to do something for them, so we decided to have a shuffleboard tournament," Shackett said.

Saturday's event is destined to be a fun-filled time with many prizes available throughout the afternoon. Beginning at 3 p.m. teams will face off against each other in the classic game of shuffleboard. The entry fee to compete is \$10/contestant and there is still room for

a few more entries, but those who hadn't signed up in advance are encouraged to arrive early to register. First place winners will receive a one-year Mug Club membership at Shackett's Brewery, while second place will get a \$50 gift card and the third place prize is a \$25 gift card. Besides the winners' prizes, there will be a number of great door prizes from local businesses given away throughout the day as well.

In addition to the tournament, 50-per-cent of all sales pro-

ceeds that day, whether it be beer, soft drinks or food, will go towards maintenance of the new playground being built in Hazel's honor.

"So, if someone's thinking about coming in to get a growler of beer, this Saturday would be a great day to do it because they will also be donating to a great cause at the same time," said Shackett.

Shackett's Brewing Company is located at 26B Central Square, Bristol, and will be open that day from noon to 8 p.m. For more information on this

local brewery, contact them at 603-217-7730, visit their Facebook page or go to their Web site, www.shacketts-brewing.com.

The Roys have announced that Hazel's Light Foundation will also have their new Web site up and running in the next week or two where information on their mission and ways to donate to their nonprofit group will be available. People can also follow them on Facebook at "Hazel's Light."



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