

May 20, 2022 - Edition #541

A beautiful Paugus Bay sunset
(photo compliments of Rich Tilton Photography)



Laconia Multicultural Festival

A Celebration of Music, Arts, Crafts and Cuisine
in Downtown Laconia

Click [here](#) to visit
the Festival's
website!

Welcome Back to the Laconia Multicultural Festival in 2022!

The 20th Multicultural Festival will be
held September 10, 2022.

Vendor forms are now available. We
welcome commercial and non-
commercial vendors and social service
organizations. Click on the form (right) to
print, complete, sign and mail it to LMF,
PO Box 1052, Laconia, NH 03247, along
with your check.

Welcome to Laconia Links!

We hope you enjoy this
issue of our weekly e-mail
newsletter created to keep
you up to date on City of
Laconia news and activities.
If you would like the newslet-
ter sent to your email each
Friday, or if you have chang-
es to your email subscription,
please call the City Manager's
office at (603) 527-1270 or
email us at
info@laconianh.gov.



This year's National Police Week started Sunday, May 15 and ends tomorrow, Saturday, May 21.

In 1962, President Kennedy proclaimed the
week in which May 15 falls each year as
National Police Week. This week honors all
of our law enforcement officers, and pays
special recognition to those officers who
have lost their lives in the line of duty for the
safety and protection of others. As this
special week comes to a close, please join
us in saying thank you to all of our officers
at Laconia Police Department!

Preschool Storytime!



Wednesdays & Thursdays @ 10am

Preschool Storytimes!

May 25, 2022, 10 - 11 am.

May 26, 2022, 10 - 11 am.

Join Jamie for fun stories, songs, activities, and crafts each week. For kids birth - age 6, in the Selig Storytime Room.



Storytime Craft

We're not "kitten" around... this week's Wednesday and Thursday Storytimes are all about cats! Come hear some "purr"-fect stories and make this "paw"-some kitty craft!

Family Craft Coffee Filter Butterflies



Tuesday, May 24 | 3:30-5pm | Ages 3-12



Wednesdays at 2pm
**SHAYLA'S
TECH HELP**

Drop-In Tech Help with Shayla May 25, 2022, 2 - 3:30 PM

Come to the Volpe room to have your basic computer and electronic device questions answered by a librarian!

Teen Craft: Twinkle Light Lanterns



WEDNESDAY
MAY 25
3-4:30PM
AGES 9-18



New Exhibit at Laconia Public Library!

Located in our upper-level gallery, Nature Reflections is a collection of images capturing the time-

less beauty of the natural world. From wolves in Alaska to the rugged coastline of Maine, New England photographer Gregory Craig's work conveys the grandeur of the American landscape. This exhibit is free and open to the public.

**hello
summer**

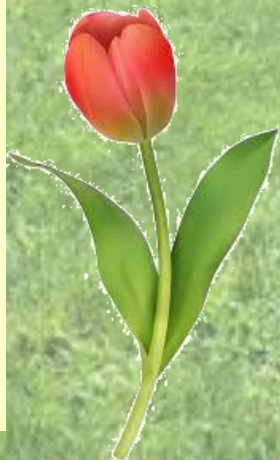
DVD sale

4 for \$1

Hello Summer DVD Sale!

Our Library's book sale table is overflowing. For a limited time, DVDs are 4 for \$1.

The Library accepts cash or a check. Come and check it out!



Seasonal Coloring

Friday, May 27

2:30-4:30pm



Laconia Community Center will be closed **MONDAY** **5/30 for MEMORIAL DAY**

We will then begin our **SUMMER SCHEDULE** on
TUESDAY 5/31



Line Dancing

Mon & Wed

10:15am-11:45pm (\$3)

Pick-Up Basketball

Mon - Fri

12:00pm-1:00pm (\$2)



Indoor Pickleball

Tue, Thu, & Fri

9:00am-11:00am (\$3)

Registration forms are required for participation.

For Additional Information:

Laconia Parks & Recreation at 603-524-5046 or Parks@LaconiaNH.gov

Prescott Farm

Environmental Education Center

Saturday, May 21

Music Magic

PreK with Adult
10-11 am

Naturalist-Led Hike Wildflowers of the Woods

Adults
10-12 pm

Wilderness Skills: Getting Your Bearings

(Compass Skills)
Adults
1-3 pm



Registration & FMI
prescottfarm.org

Prescott Farm

Environmental Education Center

Frogging By Ear

Take a nighttime forest hike to the
wetland areas of Prescott Farm
and learn about the springtime
habits of frogs!



Friday, May 20
8-10 pm

Register now
prescottfarm.org

NEW HAMPSHIRE Pumpkin Festival

LACONIA, NH
USA



Mark Your
Calendar!

October 29,
2022

Stay up to date as plans grow for
NH Pumpkin Festival,
October 29, 2022 at
<https://www.nhpumpkinfestival.com/>

Sponsorship opportunities are
available now. Vendor registration
will open in June.

Make room in your garden to grow
those pumpkins!

THE JERSEY TENORS



Experience an Explosion of Music

These 4 charming "Wise Guys" will raise the roof with their powerful voices
Performing tributes to rock n' roll greats along with iconic opera classics

SHOWTIME 7:30

SATURDAY, MAY 28, 2022

Inter-Lakes High School Auditorium

A benefit concert for



Interlakes
Community
Caregivers



Presented
by

LENDING A HAND TO
LAKES REGION NONPROFITS
SINCE 2013



PURCHASE TICKETS
ONLINE

www.tbinh.org

OR AT SELECT
RETAIL LOCATIONS:

Innisfree Bookshop - Meredith
Bayswater Books - Center Harbor
The Foothills Cafe - Sandwich



Thank you to our event sponsors



Confronting the Mental Health Crisis: The Power & Potential of Peer Support

Join us on May 25th from 1pm - 3pm at the
Colonial Theater in Laconia

For a panel discussion with local professionals
who utilize Peer Support to promote health and
wellness

Free of Charge

No Registration Required - Just Show Up!

Refreshments will be Available

A Community Educational Forum Presented By:



Lakes Region Mental Health Center

LACONIA KIWANIS FAMILY SAFETY DAY

Learn to ride safely!



**BICYCLE SAFETY
RODEO**

Saturday, May 14, 2022
9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
(rain or shine)

Laconia Middle School
Parking Lot
150 McGrath St., Laconia

All participants accompanied by a parent/guardian will receive a Certified Helmet (\$30 value), Certification of Achievement, refreshments, and a chance to win a new bike from MC Cycle & Sport

Sponsored by: the Kiwanis Club of Laconia
with helmets provided by the Laconia Police Department



Use your head
before you head down the road!

The Laconia Kiwanis Bike Rodeo and Family Safety Day was held on May 14th. This fun family event focused on teaching children bicycle safety skills. New helmets were provided to children free of charge, along with complimentary helmet fitting so each child had just the right size.



Our thanks to everyone who
helped to make this a fun and
successful day!



Photos compliments of
W. Stephen Loughlin

Theatre in the Park IMPACT Theatre	Karate in the Park Sachem Health	Stories in the Park Kiwanis K.A.R.E.S
Theatre in the Park IMPACT Theatre	Dance in the Park Dancing Feet Studios	Writers in the Park Give a Salute! Publishing
Theatre in the Park IMPACT Theatre	Yoga in the Park Downtown Gym	Nature in the Park Petals in the Pines
Theatre In the Park IMPACT Theatre	Quilting in the Park Belknap Mill Quilters Guild	History in the Park She's Lost in History
		PARTY in the Park TBD

Monday's, Wednesday's & Friday's in July!
Free and Open to the Public 10am-11am

the Belknap Mill presents
Kids in the Park

40th GREATER LAKES REGION
CHILDREN'S AUCTION
40 years of children's treasures

Kiwanis
CLUB OF LACONIA, NH

25 Beacon Street E. Laconia, NH | www.belknapmill.org/kidinthepark

News

From the City Clerk's Office

Stop in to Get Your 2022 Boat and Jet Ski Registration!



Did you know you can process your boat and/or jet ski registration at the same time as you conduct other business at City Hall? It's easy and convenient! Just bring in your photo identification and prior year's registration (if you have it) and we can get the paperwork out of the way. No waiting for your registration to get mailed back to you!

Get the paperwork done quickly and conveniently at the City Clerk's Office so you can be ready to head to the lake!

We are open Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.



Questions? Please call the City Clerk's office at 527-1265.

Click [here](#)
for City Clerk's
website

CITY MANAGER'S OFFICE



The City Manager has posted new updates to the City's website to keep you up-to-date and informed on what's happening in your City!

Be sure to check out the [Project Updates](#) report which provides a concise update of projects in the community. In this report you will find everything from road projects to the latest information on the Master Plan update.

Next, check out the current version of the [Monthly Economic Development Report](#). This report contains information pertaining to Laconia's unemployment rate and wages, as well as business and economic development partnerships.



*For more information
please contact the
City Mgr's office at
527-1270, or email
info@laconianh.gov*

Budget Meeting Schedule

The City Manager presented an overview of the proposed 2022/2023 Fiscal Year budget to the City Council on April 11, 2022. Individual departments are in the process of presenting details of their budgets on the following dates:

- May 23, 6 pm: Water, Library
- June 6, 7 pm: Parks/Recreation/Facilities,
Public Works, Police
- June 20, 7 pm: Follow-up with depts/General
discussion
- June 27, 7 pm: Budget adoption during the
regular City Council meeting

All meetings are open to the public, and we encourage and appreciate your questions and comments! Meetings are held in City Hall in the Armand A. Bolduc Council Chamber (formerly Room 200A), 45 Beacon St. East, Laconia.

The [proposed budget](#) can be viewed on our website. Please call the City Manager's Office at 527-1270 for additional information.



The Laconia Planning Board is considering amending the Table of Dimensional Requirements which is part of the City's Zoning Ordinance. The table defines things like setbacks required in the different zoning districts, minimum lot sizes, and green space requirements. There are a series of proposed changes to the table that have been forwarded from the Master Plan Steering Committee. The changes involve adjustments to green space requirements in multiple zoning districts, changes in minimum lot sizes in two districts, and increases in housing density allowed in two districts.

The proposed changes are aimed at achieving three principal objectives: The first is to bring Laconia's regulations more in line with surrounding communities or other communities elsewhere in NH that are similar to Laconia. The second is to bring more existing lots into conformance with the Zoning Ordinance. The third is to allow existing homes in older neighborhoods to perhaps make some improvements without requiring a variance.

A Public Hearing on the amendments will be held during the Planning Board meeting of June 7, 2022. You can review the proposed table by clicking [here](#).

If you have any questions about the proposals, please call the Planning Department 603-527-1264.



May is
**NATIONAL
MILITARY
APPRECIATION
MONTH**

*To all U.S. Military who have served, and
those who continue to serve...Thank You!*

City of Laconia's Independence Day Celebration!

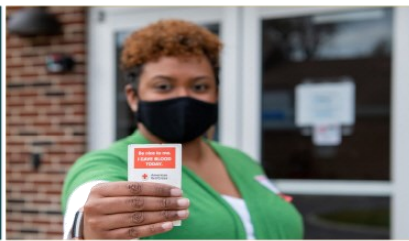
Laconia's Independence Day Celebration will be held on July 3rd

The Laconia 4th of July Committee and the Laconia Parks & Recreation Department would like to announce the Independence Day Celebration will be held this year on Sunday, July 3rd. The reason for the date change from the 4th is due to fireworks scheduling. Fireworks are in high demand this time of year and our City is fortunate to be having not just one show, but two!

The celebration will be like years past with a parade, bands, vendors and fireworks. The parade will begin at 4:30 pm from the Laconia High School and end at Opechee Park. The bands will begin at 5:30 pm at Opechee Park and will play until 10:00 pm. At 10:00 pm is when the fireworks will begin. Please note that there will be another round of fireworks that night at Weirs Beach at 11:59 pm!!

Anyone interested in participating in the parade or being a vendor may contact us at parks@laconianh.gov for a form to be sent to you.

We hope to see you all at the celebration!!



BE PART OF SOMETHING BIG. **GIVE BLOOD.**

Blood Drive **Laconia Community** **Leavitt Park House**

Hall
334 Elm St.
Laconia, NH 03246

Thursday, May 26, 2022
1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Maximize your blood donation. Help more patients.
If you are an eligible type O, B - or A - donor, consider making a Power Red donation.
Red blood cells are the most commonly transfused blood component.

Please call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or visit RedCrossBlood.org and enter: laconianh to schedule an appointment.



Stick to it! Come to give May 20-31 for an exclusive 20-oz. Red Cross aluminum water bottle and sticker set, while supplies last. You can customize your bottle to show your donor pride and stay hydrated for your next donation.

1-800-RED CROSS | RedCrossBlood.org | Download the Blood Donor App
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CORN HOLE TOURNAMENT

RAISING MONEY FOR THE CHAD
EAST WEST FOOTBALL GAME

\$50 PER
TEAM

CHaD

Dartmouth-Hitchcock
CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL
AT DARTMOUTH




REGISTRATION 12 P.M MAY 21
LACONIA HIGH SCHOOL TURF
TOURNAMENT STARTS AT 1 P.M

\$10 FROM EACH TEAM GOES TOWARDS WINNERS
PRIZE POOL \$40 GOES TO CHAD GAME



Laconia Senior Center #524-7689

MAY 2022 ACTIVITIES

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
2 Foot Clinic (9-1) *By Appt. Manicures by Brenda (11-1:30) *By Appt.	3 Activities Meeting (10-11) Mother's Day Craft (11-12)	4 Bingo (10-12)	5 Mother's Day Chicken Dinner (11:30-12:30) *RSVP*	6 Bingo (10-12)
9 Adult Coloring Group (10-12)	10 Pizza Party (11:30-12:30) *MUST SIGN UP*	11 Bingo (10-12) Walking Group (11-12)	12 Knitting & Crocheting (10-12) Senior Comp. Meeting (1-3)	13 Bingo (10-12)
16 Puzzle Exchange (10-12)	17 BP Clinic @ 10:30 Jewelry Making (10-12)	18 Maddy's Foot Care (9-1) Bingo (10-12) Friendship Group Meeting (1:30-3:00)	19 Hearing Clinic @ 10:15 Knitting & Crocheting (10-12)	20 Bingo (10-12)
23 Popcorn & Movie (12-2)	24 Memorial Day Decorate (10-11:30) Special Music: Piano by Bob K @ 11:30	25 Bingo (10-12) Walking Group (11-12)	26 Memorial Day BBQ (11:30-12:30) *RSVP*	27 Bingo (10-12)
30 Center Closed 	31 Purse Exchange (10-11) Creamy Chicken Stew (11:30-12:30) *RSVP*			



WinnAero's Touch a Plane/ Touch a Truck Event Laconia Airport May 21 2022, from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm

WinnAero is hosting a Touch a Plane/Touch a Truck event at the Laconia Airport on Saturday, May 21 at the Airport. Bring the whole family and join us from 10 am to 2 pm when everyone can enjoy seeing airplanes, large construction trucks, police cars, snowplows, ambulances, fire trucks, boats and many more vehicles!

Admission to the event is a suggested \$5 donation per person (or a maximum donation of \$20/family).

Donations collected will go to WinnAero and represent their major fundraiser of the year.

Also, pilots from the Experimental Aircraft Association will be available to offer orientation flights for kids free of charge! Participants must be between the ages of 8 and 17 years, and parents/guardians must sign a registration and release form that will be available at the event.

There will also be a Flight Simulator at the event for everyone to try out their flying skills without ever leaving the ground.

Visit www.winnaero.org for more information about WinnAero.



CITY OF LACONIA SUPERVISORS OF THE CHECKLIST NOTICE OF SESSION

The Supervisors of the Checklist will meet on Tuesday, May 31, 2022, from 7:00 pm to 7:30 pm at Laconia City Hall, City Clerk's Office for the purpose of finalizing all corrections/changes to the checklist prior to the State Filing Period that runs from June 1, 2022 - June 10, 2022. Registrations and changes will be accepted at this session.

This will be the final day to change your party affiliation prior to the State Primary Election on September 13, 2022.

Voters may check party affiliation on-line:
<https://app.sos.nh.gov/voterinformation>

Supervisors of the Checklist:

Marilyn Brown, Ward 1
Elizabeth Cooper, Ward 2
David Stamps, Ward 3
Amber Flanders, Ward 4
Christine Callaghan, Ward 5
Lynda Brock, Ward 6



MEMORIAL DAY Solid Waste Collection Delay

NOTICE TO RESIDENTS ON CURBSIDE COLLECTION ROUTES

Memorial Day is celebrated Monday, May 30th. There will be a **ONE-DAY DELAY** in curbside collection of trash and recycling during the week of Memorial Day.

Monday's collections will be on Tuesday; all other days' collections will be moved ahead by one day.

Questions? Please call the Department of Public Works at 528-6379.

Resident beach parking stickers for your vehicle are now available! The beach parking stickers may be purchased at the City Clerk's Office in City Hall. Residents may purchase two stickers per household, \$15 each (or \$25 for two if purchased at the same time). Please bring your vehicle registration with you at the time of purchase. There is no cost for residents 65+ and/or handicapped.



A beach parking sticker on your vehicle will allow you to access Bond Beach. It will also allow you to park at Endicott Rock Park parking lot at Weirs Beach for free, provided there is space available. (There is no free parking at this location during Motorcycle Week) Questions? Please contact the City Clerk's Office at 603-527-1265.



**Laconia City Hall Will Be
Closed On Monday,
May 30, 2022 in
observance
of Memorial Day.**

*We apologize for any
inconvenience this may cause.*

SOFT PLASTICS



On Saturday, June 4th the Laconia Gilford Lions Club joins the Green Sanctuary Committee of the Unitarian Universalist Society of Laconia, to collect CLEAN SOFT plastics.

Our greater Laconia community is doing an AWESOME job bringing over what is being saved, keeping these plastics out of our landfills. Thank you!

We ARE collecting plastic grocery bags, vegetable bags, Bubble wrap, newspaper sleeves, bread bags, air packing bags, dry cleaning bags, wood pellet bags, ice bags, cereal box liners, and plastic films labeled with a #2 or #4 recycling symbol.

****We no longer accept pet food bags.****

<https://recycle.trex.com/view/educate#materials1> - This TREX website includes the specific accepted plastics we can take. What we collect is sent to TREX in Maine via the way stop at Hannaford's in Gilford to be repurposed for composite decking and outdoor furniture.

Think about setting up a neighborhood collection box. Laconia High School's Interact Club and Prescott Farm have collection boxes, as does the Taylor and Wesley Woods Communities.

Our volunteers (masked) will be in front of the little white church at 127 Pleasant Street in Laconia from 11 am until 1 pm on June 4th.



PARKING ENFORCEMENT IN WEIRS BEACH

Beginning Saturday, May 28, 2022 vehicles parking in the public park-

ing spaces on Lakeside Avenue and in the Endicott Rock Park parking Lot must pay to use the parking spaces. Parking in this area is "pay by space". Please ensure that you know your parking space number when you leave your car as the parking kiosks will ask for that information.

The parking fee on Lakeside Avenue is \$2/ hour and \$2.50/hour in the Endicott Rock Park parking lot. (Parking stickers are available for purchase by Laconia residents for Endicott Rock Park beach parking lot and Bond Beach - see information on [page 10](#) for details regarding the resident beach parking stickers.

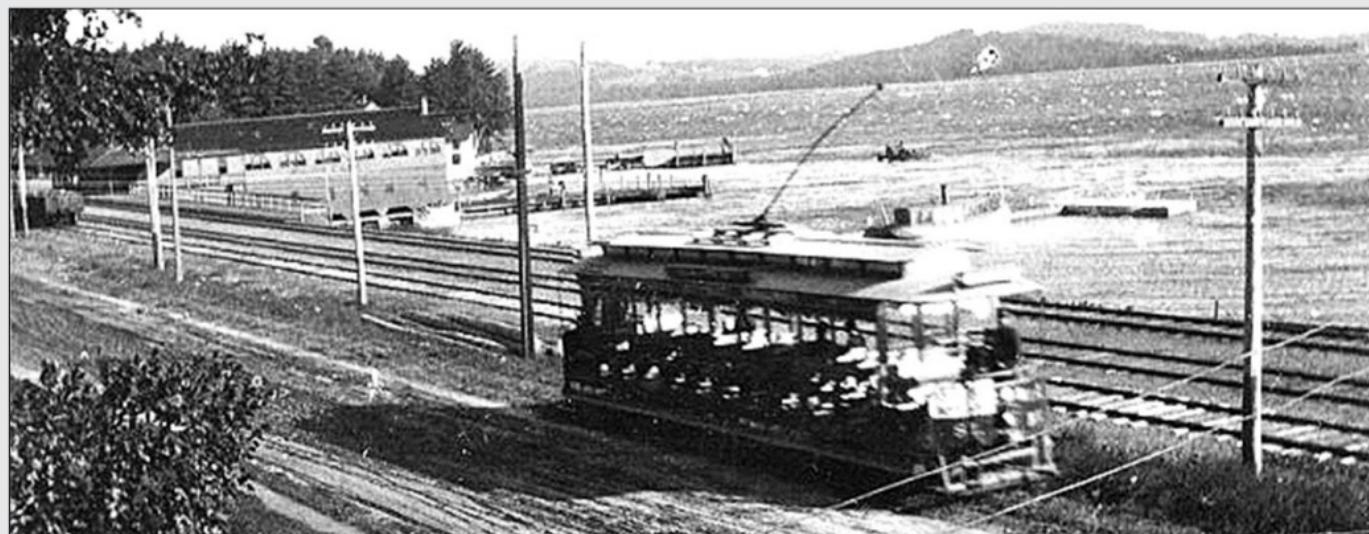


The New Hampshire Heritage Museum Trail Passport Program allows visitors to experience 21 different museums. Passports (\$150 value) are available for purchase at the Belknap Mill (as well as each participating museum) for only \$25. The Trail Passport provides buyers with one free admission ticket to 21 of the museums that are part of the museum trail.

Learn more [here](#).

Our yesterdays

Our sincere thanks to Warren D. Huse, the Laconia Historical and Museum Society, and the Laconia Daily Sun for providing a glimpse into our community's past.....



THEN . . .

Open car of the Laconia Street Railway heads down Lakeside Avenue, early in the 20th century. The trolleys started serving The Weirs in 1899, when the resort's main thoroughfare was still unpaved. Long building in distance was the Weirs Cafe, built in 1885. The 1893 railroad station is just barely visible in upper left corner. (Laconia Historical and Museum Society)



. . . AND NOW

Lakeside Avenue began to be greatly improved in the years following the First World War and received a major facelift, in early 2017, including repaving, underground utilities and other improvements, not the least of which were period lamp posts. The 1893 railroad station and the Weirs Cafe burned, Dec. 23, 1939, along with the Steamer Mount Washington. A successor art deco railroad station was replaced in 1987 by the Winnepesaukee Flagship Corp. 'station,' just off-photo at left. The trolleys ceased operation in 1925. The old Weirs Cafe would have been located near the bow of the M/S Mount Washington, seen here at her Weirs dock, with the former Irwin's Winnepesaukee Gardens in distance at left. (Jon Decker/ The Laconia Daily Sun)



PUBLIC HEARING NOTICES

Please see the Public Hearing Notice on this page which has been published in the Laconia Daily Sun. We will continue to provide citizens with notices of upcoming Public Hearings that may be of interest to

our community. If you have questions regarding any of the Public Hearings shown, please call City Hall at 603-527-1270 and we will be happy to direct you to the appropriate department. Thank you for staying informed about what is happening in City government!



CITY OF LACONIA Notice of Public Hearing

A site visit and Public Hearing on a Petition to Layout a Highway over the Cottonwood Avenue cul de sac will be held on **June 13, 2022**. The site visit will occur at 6:00 pm, and the hearing will be held during the regular Laconia City Council meeting which begins at 7:00 pm in the Armand A. Bolduc City Council Chamber in Laconia City Hall relative to:

A PETITION TO LAYOUT A HIGHWAY OVER THE COTTONWOOD AVENUE CUL DE SAC; THE PURPOSE OF THE HEARING WILL BE TO DETERMINE IF AN OCCASION EXISTS FOR THE LAYOUT. A COPY OF THE PETITION IS AVAILABLE FOR REVIEW AT LACONIA CITY HALL.

Katie Gargano, City Clerk



Recycling Collection

Curbside recycling will be picked up the week of May 23!

Please note that glass may now be put in with your recycling.



ART WALK

AT THE BELKNAP MILL

Saturday, May 21st

10am-4pm

FREE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

NEW ENGLAND COFFEE FESTIVAL

Belknep Mill
ARTS • HISTORY • EDUCATION

The Belknep Mill will host its first Art Walk outside along the cobblestone walkway during the New England Coffee Festival on Saturday, May 21 from 10 am - 4 pm. This event will be free and open to the public.

There will be woodworking artisans John White and Beliveau Woodworks, Digital Artist, Jill Baron Illustrations, Quilts by the Belknep Mill Quilters Guild, pen and ink art by Betsy Heron, as well as beautiful works by local artisans Jasmyn Gray, Paul Moreau, Brittany Vallar, Katie Van Cura, and Jaylene Bengtson.

Inside the Mill the New England Coffee Festival will host a Vendor Expo in the Rose Chertok Gallery and tasting opportunities on the first floor in the Riverside Gallery. There you can also visit our May exhibit, Douglas Huntley's Burlap Coffee Bag Exhibition. Huntley uses a variety of mediums including, but not limited to, texture, stencils, sewn on items, stick on items and acrylic gels and colors. The New England Coffee Festival events inside the Mill require paid admission that can be purchased by visiting <https://www.newenglandcoffeefestival.com/>.

Step outside the Belknep Mill to enjoy Live Music Presented by NHMusicCollective and sponsored by Eastern Propane & Oil along with a variety of local food trucks!

If you are interested in becoming an artisan in the Art Walk, please contact us at 603-524-8813 or visit our website at www.belknepmill.org for more information about programs and events.

NEW
ENGLAND
COFFEE
FESTIVAL

MAY 20-21 2022

MAKING SPECIALTY
COFFEE ACCESSIBLE
TO EVERYONE.

2022 Summer Concert Series

Founding Sponsor: Laconia Putnam Fund



Tall Granite Big Band | Friday, May 20th



Club Soda Band | Friday, June 3th



Steve Dennis | Friday, June 17th



James Montgomery Trio | Friday, July 1st



Michael Vincent Band | Friday, July 15th



Martin and Kelly | Friday, July 29th



Grayson Ty | Friday, August 12th



Hickory Horned Devils | Friday, August 26th



**Sock Hop w/ Rockin Daddios
Friday, September 9th**



All Concerts are Free & Open to the Public

All concerts are scheduled to begin at **6pm**

Connect with us.

www.belknapmill.org | (603)524-8813 | Cathy@belknapmill.org

the Belknap Mill presents

**Arts
in the
Park**



**TICKETS ON
SALE NOW**

The Colonial Theatre
is proudly managed by

**SPECTACLE
Live**

Visit the Colonial Theatre's website at www.coloniallaconia.com for more information on these and upcoming performances.

Tickets can be purchased on the Colonial's [website](http://www.coloniallaconia.com), or by calling 1-800-657-8774.



The memorial service for Edward J. Engler, newspaper founder and former Mayor, will be held on Sunday, June 5, at the Colonial Theatre.

Doors will open at 9:00 am; the service will begin promptly at 10:00 am.

The family has extended a welcome to all who wish to remember Ed.

City of Laconia

Laconia City Hall
45 Beacon St. East
Laconia, NH 03246
www.laconianh.gov
info@laconianh.gov



CITY HALL HOURS:
8:30 am to 4:30 pm
Monday through Friday
(603) 527-1270

SENIOR RESOURCES

ServiceLink Resource Center
(603) 528-6945 is the first number
to call for senior services.



May is "Older Americans Month". The theme for 2022 is "Age My Way". Click [here](#) to access the US Department of Health and Human Services' Administration for Community Living website.

Learn how to celebrate the strength of older Americans and the experiences that helped them to build the resilience they now share with others.



City Meetings

Week of:
May 23 - May 27

Public participation and citizen input is a vital part of City government. Below is a list of meetings scheduled for the upcoming week. As agendas become available they will be posted on the City's [website](#). Also, printed copies of any agenda are available in the City department in charge of a particular Board or Commission. You are invited and encouraged to participate in any of our public meetings. **All meetings are open to the public and are held at Laconia City Hall, unless otherwise noted:**

City Council Budget Meeting

May 23, 2022, 6:00 pm

[Agenda](#)

City Council Regular Meeting

May 23, 2022, 7:00 pm

[Agenda](#)

Downtown TIF Advisory Group

May 24, 2022, 8:30 am

[Agenda](#)

Library Board of Trustees

May 26, 2022, 5:30 pm

Laconia Public Library



CITY OF LACONIA PHONE DIRECTORY

(All phone numbers below
must be preceded by 603)

Airport	524-5003
Airport Manager - Marv Everson	
Assessing	527-1268
Assistant Assessor - Tara Baker	
City Clerk	527-1265
City Clerk - Katie Gargano	
City Manager	527-1270
City Manager - Scott Myers	
Code Enforcement	527-1293
Planning & Zoning Dir. - Dean Trefethen	
Conservation	527-1264
Conservation Technician Taylor Daigle	
Finance	524-3877
Finance Director - Glenn Smith	
Licensing	528-6331
Licensing - Hilary Young	
Planning & Comm. Dev.	527-1264
Planning & Zoning Dir. - Dean Trefethen	
Fire Dept. (Central Station) ...	524-6881
Fire Dept. (Weirs Station)	366-2229
Fire Chief - Kirk Beattie	
Library	524-4775
Library Director - Randy Brough	
Parks & Recreation	524-5046
Parks & Rec. Director - Amy Lovisek	
Personnel	524-3877
Personnel Administrator - Lindsey Allen	
Police (Administration)	524-5257
Police (Crime Line)	524-1717
Police Chief - Matthew Canfield	
Public Works (Main Office)	528-6379
Public Works (Transfer Station) ..	528-5822
Public Works Director - Wes Anderson	
Tax	527-1269
Tax Collector - Katie Gargano	
Water	524-0901
Superintendent - Ben Crawford	
Welfare	527-1267
Welfare Technician - Cathy Raymond	

City Council Contact Info:

Mayor Andrew Hosmer	496-2078
Bruce Cheney (Ward 1)	491-8946
Robert Soucy (Ward 2)	524-7054
Henry Lipman (Ward 3)	528-0191
Mark Haynes (Ward 4)	524-3605
Robert Hamel (Ward 5)	524-6360
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