



Laconia Links

February 3, 2017 - Edition #273



Laconia Police Department

[Link to Laconia PD here](#)



Ice Boat on Paugus Bay

Chief Adams spent several hours addressing students from two classes at Empire Beauty School in Laconia. More than three dozen students participated in the two meet and greet sessions. Conversation centered around topics of interest, including safety protocols, active shooters, the drug epidemic, addiction, and Laconia Police Department initiatives that are addressing these and other issues within the community. If you would like an officer to visit your place of employment, please contact Chief Adams at 524-5257, ext. 324, or email him at Cadams@laconiapd.org.

Welcome to *Laconia Links* a weekly email newsletter update devoted to keeping you informed of City of Laconia department news, City projects, useful links, activities and events!

Look for a new edition of the newsletter each Friday. If you have already signed up to be on our distribution list to receive your newsletter by e-mail, thank you for your interest! If you would like to be added to our e-mail list (or to unsubscribe), please click [here](#).

As always, we welcome your ideas and comments as to what you would like to see included in future issues. Just give us a call in the City Manager's office at 527-1270, or contact us by e-mail at info@city.laconia.nh.us

We look forward to keeping you up to date on our beautiful City!



Laconia Public Library Upcoming Events.....



Thursday, February 9 @ 6:30pm in Laconia Rotary Hall - While many places on Earth experience severe weather, few are inhabited by humans 24 hours a day, 365 days a year. Through the years, the hardy men and women of the Observatory have experienced white-out blizzards, stunning 110-mile vistas, and everything in between. Join us for tales from the home of the world's worst weather.

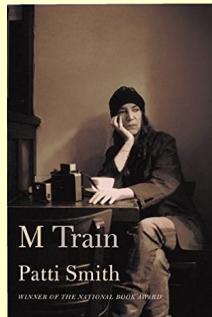
Mt. Washington Observatory: World's Worst Weather

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Children's Movie: Trolls

Friday, Feb. 10 at 3:45 pm in Laconia
Rotary Hall. All children under 10
years old must be accompanied by an
adult or caretaker age 14 or older,
and all adults must be with a child.
Snacks are provided.



Book Discussion Series

Winter is a great time to hunker down with a good book and then attend the winter into spring discussion series at the **Laconia Public Library**. We will be going back to 2015 to revisit some

of the great books you may have missed. The discussions will include two novels and two non-fiction books. This series is part of the Laconia Public Library's ongoing effort to bring quality programming to the community and promote literature based discussions.

The first discussion will be held at the Laconia Public Library on Tuesday, February 7 at 7:00 p.m. in Laconia Rotary Hall. **"M Train"** by Patti Smith. Discussion leader: Maren Tirabassi

Valentine's Party Storytime! Wednesday, Feb. 8: 10 am for ages birth to five years old;
9:30 am for ages birth to 3 years oldThursday, Feb. 9: 10:30 am for ages three to five.
In the Selig Storytime Room.

Upcoming Meetings...

Keeping the public updated and aware of what's going on in our community and receiving residents' feedback is an important goal of the City Council. Check each week's issue of *Laconia Links* for a schedule of the upcoming week's meetings. As agendas become available, they will be posted to the City's website.

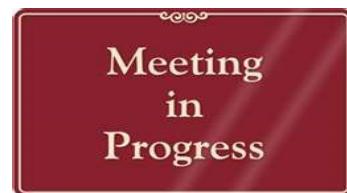
You can also contact any of the City's departments for more information on a meeting or to obtain a printed copy of the agenda. Meetings are open to the public. You are invited and encouraged to attend and provide input.

Follow this [link](#) to the “Calendar” page of the City of Laconia’s website. Click on a specific meeting for more information.

Please check the "Calendar" page often for updated info and changes.



*Become involved in your City
and make a difference!*



**Please see below for
meetings scheduled
for the week of
February 6 - 10, 2017:**

Planning Board

Planning Board
February 7, 2017, 6:30 pm
City Hall, Room 200A

Water Commission

February 9, 2017, 8:00 am
117 Stark Street
Water Treatment Facility
Conference Room

Laconia Pride

Laconia School District

Ensuring success with every student, every day, in every way

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 2017

Laconia High School



Congratulations LHS Freshman, Sonya Frost, for winning Miss Amazing Junior Teen Queen on January 14th. Miss Amazing NH is co-founded by Laconia High School's Sophia Joyal and participants range in age from five-years-old to over 35. Read more about the pageant, [here](#).

Pleasant Street Elementary School

Pleasant Street School performed a halftime dance at the LHS Girls basketball game on Friday, January 27th. Thank you, Mrs. Gonzalez for organizing this fun-filled event.



Watch the latest student produced video highlighting programs at the Huot Career and Technical Center in Laconia, [here](#).

[Laconia High School Quarter 2 Honor Roll](#)
[Laconia Middle School Quarter 2 Honor Roll](#)

2016/2017 School Board Members

Ward at-large

Michael Persson
mpersson@laconiaschools.org
Ward #1
Mal Murray
(Vice-Chairperson)
mmurray@laconiaschools.org
Ward #2
Barbara Luther
bluther@laconiaschools.org

Ward #3

Aaron Hayward
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Ward #4
Chris Guilmett
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Ward #5
Stacie Sirois (Chairperson)
ssirois@laconiaschools.org
Ward #6
Heather Lounsbury
hlounsbury@laconiaschools.org

Woodland Heights Elementary School

January Super Students!

Back Row: Lily, Jazmin, Connor, Adrian, PJ, Mia and Caleb; Center Row: Dredan, Tessa, Caleb, Molly, Mikalah, Rebecca, Malaya and Miranda; Front Row: Kallie, Carter, Cayden, Miley, Colton and Katelynn



January Wildcat Awards!

Back Row: Malia, Jay, Jillian, Calvin, Hailey, Preston and Elli, (Ms. Ingemi); Center Row: Ben, Melody, Julian, Cassidy, Miranda; Front Row: Aaliyah, Nevelle, Jordan and Tristan.



Elm Street Elementary School



Congratulations to Elm Street School for winning the Laconia School District's 5th grade Math Meet! Elm Street School's 5th grade mathletes are: Jacklyn Murgatory, Anna Pepin, Alex Jenna, Emma Morel, Felicity Hounsel, Carrigan Williams, Diante Coates, and Brody Rollins.

Click [here](#) for our online calendar

Important Notice

From the City Clerk's Office

The NH Department of Safety, Division of Motor Vehicles is pleased to announce that a new computer system (VISION) will be implemented in the month of February. As a result, there will be an interruption of motor vehicle registration processing statewide. Town/City Clerk's offices, along with the DMV offices, will be unable to process new or renewal registrations over the President's Day holiday weekend, beginning Friday, February 17, 2017, and will be resuming transactions on Wednesday, February 22, 2017. Throughout this process, the City Clerk's office will be open for other transactions not related to vehicle registrations during our normal, scheduled hours of operation (Monday - Friday, 8:30 am to 4:30 pm)

If you have a new registration, a temporary plate or your registration renewal is due during the month of February, please make sure you are aware of the processing interruption.

Please feel free to visit the DMV website at www.nh.gov/dmv for updates concerning this implementation.



PLEASE NOTE!

Rescheduled to:
Feb. 17-19, 2017

Mark your calendar and cross your fingers for snow! Stay tuned for further details or visit the Sled Dog Club website at www.lrsdc.org.



CITY OF LACONIA BOARD & COMMISSION VACANCIES

The following Boards and Commissions have current vacancies:

Board of Assessors (2 alternate positions)

Planning Board (2 alternate positions)

Conservation Commission (1 regular position)

Zoning Bd of Adjustment (4 alternate positions)

Library Board of Trustees (1 alternate position)

Building Code Board of Appeals

(2 public member positions, 1 reg. architect and 1 reg. electrician position)

Personnel Advisory Board (1 regular position)

Heritage Commission (1 alternate position)

Highway Safety Commission

(1 public member position)

Lakeport TIF District Advisory Board

(4 regular positions) *

Weirs TIF District Advisory Board

(2 regular positions) *

* Members of the TIF District Advisory Boards above must own property, reside or own/manage/represent a business/organization within the Districts)

Some terms on the following Boards and Commissions will be expiring at the end of March, as shown below. Current Board and Commission members now holding those positions may request to be reappointed; however, members of the public are also encouraged to apply if they are interested:

Board of Assessors (1 regular position)

Building Code Board of Appeals

(2 at-large positions)

Heritage Commission (4 regular positions, 1 alternate position)

Library Board of Trustees (1 regular position, 2 alternate positions)

Licensing Board (1 regular position)

Parks and Rec Commission (1 regular position)

Putnam Fund (1 regular position)

Trustees of the Trust Fund (1 regular position)

If you are interested in applying for one of these positions, please contact the City Manager's office at 527-1270 (or by e-mail at brownn@city.laconia.nh.us) for further information or to request an application. Applicants must be residents of Laconia. Service on more than one Board or Commission is acceptable as long as it is a non-conflicting Board.

The deadline for receipt of applications is February 17, 2017.

Colonial Theater Public Campaign

609 Main Street

The Colonial Theater "Walk of Fame!" Sidewalk Stars (Large Donors - \$25,000+)

"Walk of Fame" star on the sidewalk outside the front of the theater with your name/logo. **Stars vary in size based on donation amount.**



Recognizing All Donors

All gifts over \$500 will be listed on the appropriate plaque.



The Dearborn Family
Cantin Chevrolet
Penny Pitou

Lou Beverley
Jamison Jackie
London Reilly
Rodney Sheldon
Marlon Ray
Ryan Tilda
Dona Howie



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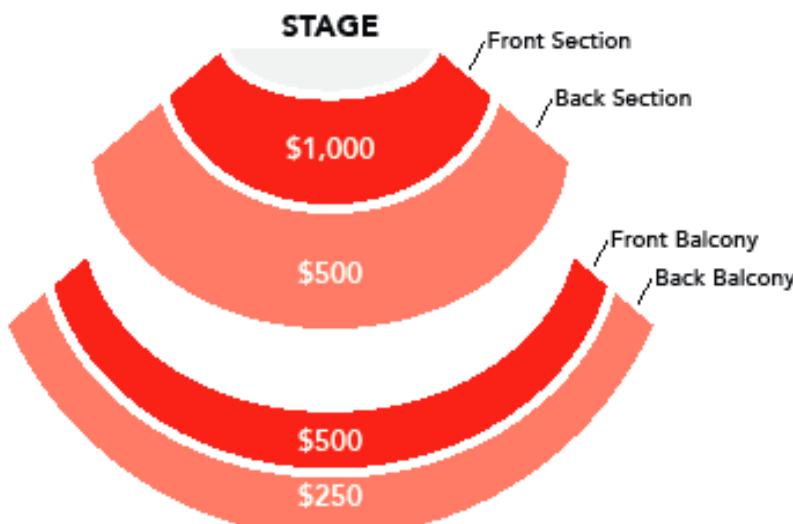
Donations greater than \$5,000 will be displayed together in the front entrance of the theater visible as soon as one enters the theater.

Right Entry Display Case

Donations between \$500–4,999 will be displayed together in the front entrance of the theater.

Final board design and layout will depend on donation amounts and number of donations. Sizing of fonts and logos will utilize the maximum amount of space on each board.

[Save Me A Seat! Theater Seat Campaign](#)



"Own" a piece of colonial theater history by purchasing a theater seat!

Donors can pick the location of their seat in the theater and their name will be displayed on the chair back.

A perfect gift for the person who has everything, for the holidays, or as an "In Memoriam" gift.

The additional option of a \$50, "Standing Room Only Level," donation would reward donors with a special commemorative Colonial gift.

Assessing

[Click for Assessing Department](#)



The abatement filing period is now open until March 1st. This is the process by which taxpayers can dispute their final 2016 value. Applications for abatement are available in our office or can be mailed upon request, by calling 527-1268.

We always recommend owners get a copy of their Property Record Card to verify its accuracy and confirm if any changes have been made.

Please call the Assessing Office at 527-1268 with questions.



Looking for Money for College or Vocational School in the Fall?

Scholarship Applications for the 2017-2018 school year are available NOW for students planning to attend /or continuing post-secondary school (college, vocational school, trade school, and/or some limited graduate school funding) in the fall.

Application deadline is April 1st.

Those interested should check out the Lakes Region Scholarship Foundation website at irscholarship.org to see if you qualify. When you go to the website, click on the icon or section that reads "For Applicants." If you would like more information you may call them at 527-3533 or email them at scholarship@metrocast.net.

WHY NOT CHECK US OUT!

Reminder!



The next recycling collection week begins Feb. 6, 2017!

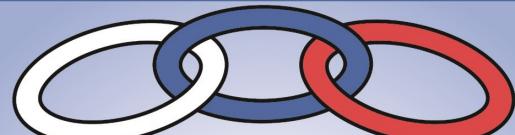
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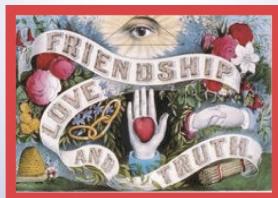
This Year's Laconia Motorcycle Week is June 10 - June 18!

Property owners planning to have vendors, parking, music, a campground, tents, etc. must have their applications submitted by May 19, 2017! Contact the Planning Dept. now at 527-1264 for applications, questions and other related information.

Laconia Historical and Museum Society Symposium Series



THE INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODDFELLOWS CHOCORUA LODGE #51



Please note re-scheduled date below!

MONDAY, February 13 7:00PM

Laconia Public Library
Rotary Hall

GAIN INSIGHT INTO THE ODDFELLOWS AND THEIR LONG HISTORY IN LACONIA

www.LaconiaHistory.org

Youth Mental Health First Aid

An 8-hour certification course for caring adults who want to help youth (ages 12-18) who may be in crisis or experiencing a mental health challenge.



The course is designed for adults who regularly interact with adolescents (teachers, school staff, coaches, youth group leaders, parents, bus drivers, etc.). In January 2013, President Obama recommended Youth Mental Health Training for all. The core Mental Health First Aid course has been successfully offered to more than 100,000 people across the USA, including hospital staff, employers and business leaders, faith communities, law enforcement, and the general public. **Below are the two trainings that are available.**

DATE	TIME	LOCATION	TARGET AUDIENCE
Monday, February 27	8:00 - 4:00pm	SAU Board Room 39 Harvard Street	Community Members Other School Districts Staff Laconia School District Staff
Tuesday, February 28	8:00 - 4:00pm	SAU Board Room 39 Harvard Street	Community Members Other School Districts Staff Laconia School District Staff

WHAT WILL PARTICIPANTS LEARN?

The course teaches participants the risk factors and warning signs of a variety of mental health challenges common among adolescents, including anxiety, depression, psychosis, eating disorders, AD/HD, disruptive behavior disorders, and substance use disorder. Participants do not learn to diagnose, nor how to provide any therapy or counseling – rather, participants learn to support a youth developing signs and symptoms of a mental illness or in an emotional crisis by applying a core five-step action plan:

- ~Assess for risk of suicide or harm*
- ~Listen nonjudgmentally*
- ~Give reassurance and information*
- ~Encourage appropriate professional help*
- ~Encourage self-help and other support strategies*

The Youth Mental Health First Aid USA curriculum is primarily focused on information participants can use to help adolescents and transition-age youth, ages 12-18.



Laconia School District
Office of
School
Wellness

To enroll please email Janet Brough @
jbrough@laconiaschools.org

Public Works Department

PLEASE HELP SAVE THE SEWER SYSTEM
Your assistance is greatly appreciated!

All Laconia households play a vital role in preventing neighborhood sewer system blockages. Please do your part to protect and maintain the City's significant investment in the sanitary sewer collection system. Click [here](#) to find out what is not allowed to be disposed of in the toilet or down the drain, and the proper way to dispose of such items. Questions? Please call Matt Mooney, DPW, at 528-6379, Extension 303.



Happy Valentine's Day

VALENTINE COOKIE SALE

Saturday February 11, 2017
10:00AM - 2:00PM

To Benefit Belknap House

St. Andre Bessette Parish Hall
Gilford Ave, Laconia
(behind Sacred Heart Church)



*Fill a Tray with Valentine Cookies!
Create a Gift for Friends, Family, or Yourself!*



6th ANNUAL SOUPATHON

TO BENEFIT HANDS ACROSS THE TABLE



FRIDAY, FEB 17, 2017 5:00-7:30PM

ST ANDRE BESSETTE PARISH HALL
(BEHIND SACRED HEART CHURCH on GILFORD AVE, LACONIA)
AYCE 10 INTERNATIONAL SOUPS!!!
SALAD HOMEMADE COOKIES BEVERAGES
ADULTS \$10.00 CHILDREN 3-12 \$3 Under 3 FREE
FAMILIES of 4+ \$25



SOFTBALL SIGN-UPS & WINTER CLINICS!

It's time to register for Lakes Region Girls Softball's 2017 season! To play for LRGS – girls must be Belmont, Canterbury or Laconia residents between the ages of 4 and 18 as of December 31st of 2016. Proof of residency is required for all players. For new players, a copy of the child's birth certificate is also required.

DIVISION/AGE REQUIREMENTS/REGISTRATION FEE				
6U League age 4-6 \$35 per player	8U League age 6*-8 \$45 per player	10U League age 8**-10 \$55 per player	12U League age 10**-12 \$65 per player	Seniors League age 13-18 \$75 per player
Family discount available!				

*League age 6 year olds must have at least one year of t-ball/instructional experience before playing 8U.

**League age 8 & 10 year olds interested in playing in an older division must try-out for the older division.

If player is not chosen for an older division team, they will play in their age-appropriate division.

Visit our website to register online or to download the registration form (www.lakesregiongirlssoftball.com). You can also visit us at Belmont Elementary School on Saturday January 28 & February 4 from 8am to 1pm to register in person. ☺ (More in person registration dates will be added. Be sure to check out the LRGS Facebook page for the most up to date info!)

Itching to play softball? Not sure if softball is the sport for you? Come to our free clinics!

LRGS is hosting free winter warm-up clinics on the following Sundays: 1/29, 2/5, 2/12, 2/19, 3/5. Clinics are held at Laconia Middle School and will focus on fundamental softball skills (hitting, fielding, throwing, etc.)

4pm – 5pm: 4 year olds – 8 year olds

5pm – 6pm: 8 year olds – 12 year olds



Dr. Eric Hoffman, Storm Chaser



Dr. Eric G. Hoffman, a professor of meteorology in Plymouth State University's Department of Atmospheric Science and Chemistry will present an exciting lecture about his experiences as a Storm Chaser. The lecture is Monday, Feb. 13 at 6:30 p.m. in Taylor Community's Woodside Building. The event is free and open to the public.

Doctor Hoffman received his B.S. in meteorology from Cornell University, and his M.S. and Ph.D. in atmospheric science from the University at Albany (SUNY). His areas of expertise include synoptic and mesoscale meteorology.

Prior to joining the PSU faculty in 2000, Doctor Hoffman worked for the National Weather Service as a meteorologist in the Monitoring and Aviation Branch of the former National Meteorological Center (currently the National Centers for Environmental Prediction) in Camp Springs, Maryland.

While in graduate school, he worked as a part-time broadcast meteorologist for WGY-AM Radio in Schenectady, N.Y., and as a graduate research and teaching assistant for the Department of Earth and Atmospheric Sciences at the University at Albany.



'CELEBRATE LACONIA' GROUP TO INTRODUCE INITIAL PLANS ON FEBRUARY 7 FOR THE CITY'S 125TH ANNIVERSARY — AND BEYOND

"Celebrate Laconia," a group of local citizen volunteers, will announce initial plans Feb. 7 to mark the 125th anniversary of Laconia in 2018 and discuss an ongoing mission to tout the City's appeal.

The news will come Tuesday, Feb. 7 at a general meeting, from 6:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m., at the Laconia Fire Station, 848 North Main Street. The public is invited to meet the group's board, led by President Pamela Clark, who also will unveil the "Celebrate Laconia" logo and branding and discuss ways residents can support the effort. "We're excited about our goals for this more than year-long celebration of our community," Clark said. "We're eager to involve the community in planning this prolonged party for the ages."

The celebration, which will actually begin in August and go throughout 2018, will honor the industries, people, places and happenings that have made – and continue to make – Laconia a special place.

Clark also will discuss plans to kick off the celebration early with an event in August marking this year's Laconia Passenger Train Station's 125th anniversary.

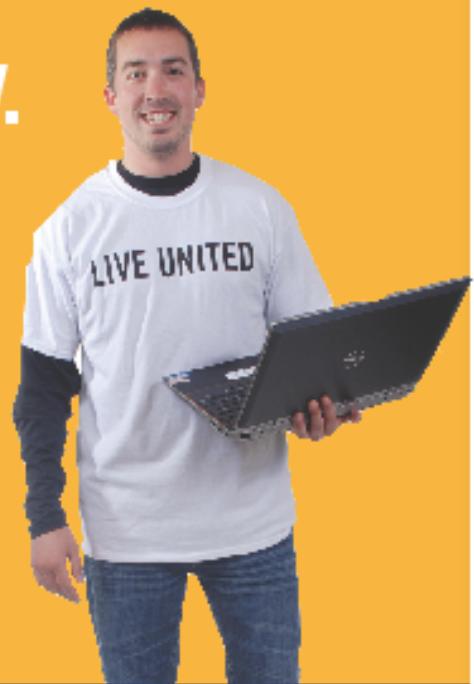
If you're interested in volunteering, please attend the meeting or contact Clark about membership opportunities at p2pclark@yahoo.com.

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- Bank routing and account numbers for checking or savings account (if you qualify for refund via secure direct deposit).
- Last year's tax return, if you have it.
- A valid email address.

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Here's how to file for free:

1. Online at MyFreeTaxes.com, powered by H&R Block.® Questions? Call our free helpline at 1-855-My-Tx-Help (1-855-698-9435).

Visit MyFreeTaxes.com and
file your taxes for free today!

2. In-person, with an IRS-certified volunteer income tax preparer. Call 2-1-1 or visit NHTaxHelp.org to schedule an appointment.



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CAROLYN PLUMMER
 "Mohegan Sun"



KYLE CRAWFORD
 "Foxwoods Casino"



25 Beacon St East
 Laconia, NH



The Belknap Mill and Fusion Present Comedy Night

Saturday, March 11, 2017
 7pm: Doors Open – Cash Bar
 8pm: Showtime

TICKETS ON SALE
 \$15 for Members
 \$20 for Non-Members

Call (603) 524-8813
 Visit BelknapMill.org or FusionNH.org



NH Humane Society

Over a century of love for those without a voice.

Pet of the Week: Storm



Storm is a cheery, outgoing Labrador type who has not yet reached her first birthday and already finds herself without a permanent home. Humans have been working tirelessly to get her to the place where she will find a loving forever home – your local shelter; New Hampshire Humane Society.

In conversation, it's been mentioned that we are Shangri La for dogs – a warm, compassionate place for dogs to heal – and a place where people will fall in love with them.

Storm has a rowdy name, but she is a sweet, affectionate, busy dog, smart as a whip and ready to be the constant companion anyone would joyously share hearth and home with such a beautiful creature.

Cats have proven to be irresistible for this young, spirited canine. We've told her they aren't toys, but she persists in testing that theory!

This latest Mississippi transplant has acclimated well to our spicy New England air, revels in outdoor fun and frolic and is game for exercise and hiking. Come and visit Storm, we are quite sure you will be bowled over by her sparkling personality.

Check www.nhhumane.org for more details.

524-3252

facebook.com/nhhumane



Where: Pleasant Street School

When: February 16, 2017

Time: 5:30-7:30*

*First time attendees need to arrive by 5:30p.m. to receive a READY! Notebook, bag, and orientation. All returning parents need to arrive by 6:00 p.m.

Register by calling Kaitlyn at the Laconia School District at 524-5710 or online at www.readyforkindergarten.org/laconia

Register early as enrollment is on a "first come, first served" basis!

Returning parents-please re-register each season.

READY!
 for Kindergarten

Ready for K! is a joint initiative of the
 Laconia School District & LRCS Family
 Resource Center of Central NH,



WildQuest Winter Camp

At Prescott Farm

Monday - Friday, February 27-March 3, 2017; 9:00-3:00

\$235/week or \$47/day (\$185/week or \$37/day Members)*

For children ages 6-12. Extended care is available.

It's a special time of year—chilly and sparkly white outside, and there are so many fun things to do! Winter camp is one of our favorite programs—it has a "personality" that is so different from Spring and Summer camps because we see Prescott Farm from such a different perspective!

Depending on the weather, the week will be a mix of:

- Animal tracking & Snowshoeing adventures
- Sledding
- Winter games such as "Weasels & Voles"
- Snowcrafts such as building "quinzhees" or igloos
- Going on a Winter Quest
- Exploring the frozen pond
- Winter-themed arts & crafts projects
- Maple Sugaring
- Stories around the campfire



Please Note: Please dress campers for being outside in the cold, including warm coats, snowpants, hats, mittens/gloves, warm socks and insulated boots. We highly recommend dressing in layers and prefer wool and fleece fabrics (rather than cotton) as they stay warmer if they get wet. Please send an extra change of clothes, socks and mittens. Campers should also bring along an indoor pair of shoes.

You can register by the day or for the full week.

***PLEASE NOTE THAT REGISTRATIONS, PAYMENT AND PAPERWORK MUST BE RECEIVED BY FEBRUARY 21. FEES FOR REGISTRATIONS RECEIVED AFTER 2/21/17 WILL BE \$260/WEEK OR \$52/DAY (\$210/WEEK OR \$42/DAY MEMBERS).**

****Offer valid if you register your child for a full week of camp (not individual days) and refer a friend that also registers for the full week. The \$10 will be returned as a rebate check on the first day of camp.**



NEW!

Keep your camper warm with a Prescott Farm Kids' Gnome Hat. Recycled fleece repels water and dries quickly!

Prescott  *Farm*
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Every dog deserves the comfort of a Kuranda bed. We would LOVE a comfortable new Kuranda bed in every kennel in the shelter.

Help us reach our goal of 40 new beds before February 14th!



Thank you from all of the dogs awaiting their forever homes here at the NH Humane Society!



Help the NH Humane Society get a new bed for every dog in time for Valentine's Day!



FATTELLO'S ITALIAN GRILLE

BELKNAP HOUSE BENEFIT

Sunday, February 12th 4:00 pm - Closing

*Reservations Required: Fratello's 603-528-2022 or
facebook/belknaphouse*

~ 50% generously donated when you mention Belknap House ~

DINE-TO-DONATE



2017 Winter Workout Dates for Laconia Little League

Come warm-up with Laconia Little League before our 66th Season!

When: Saturday, January 21 4 – 6 PM Laconia Middle School
Saturday, February 18 3 – 5 PM Laconia Middle School
Saturday, March 11 4 – 6 PM Laconia Middle School

Who: Boys and Girls who live or go to school in Laconia, Gilford, Belmont, Gilmanton, Bristol, New Hampton, and Meredith

Ages: League age 5-12 – This includes boys and girls born on or before August 31, 2012.

Cost: FREE – no commitments!

What to bring? Please bring indoor shoes (no cleats, no boots or wet shoes), a glove, water to drink, and lots of energy!!

Can parents help? Laconia Little League welcomes potential coaches to lend a hand during the Winter Workouts, as well during the season

Mark your calendars with these dates and times!

Current Players – Online registrations are now open!! Visit our website: www.LaconiaLL.org to register online!

If you have any questions, please email Laconia Little League at LaconiaNHLL@gmail.com



BELKNAP MILL

Welcome to your rustic, riverside celebration!

The magnificent brick structure offers a wonderful setting for truly unforgettable weddings.

25 Beacon Street East, Laconia NH 03246
(603) 524-8813 | belknapmill.org |



Saving Soles for Malaria Relief

The First United Methodist Church of Gilford-Laconia has collected 165 lbs of used shoes in good condition to send to ReRun Shoes.

Rerun Shoes was created to help people here in the US and in other parts of the world in many different ways: by helping collect used, and unwanted shoes through our collection and fundraising events in schools and houses of worship and providing shoes (in good condition) to children and families in the neediest nations. The shoes also provide opportunities to micro-businesses throughout the African continent.

The Methodist Church is still collecting shoes. So gather up those shoes hibernating in the back of your closet (no boots or high heels please!) and bring them to the Methodist Church, located at 18 Wesley Way (off Rt. 11A, near the 3/11 bypass), in Gilford. They can be dropped off at the church during office hours Mon-Fri. 8:30 – 12 noon.

For more information please contact us at 603-524-3289 or office@NHLakesUMChurch.org.





Healthy Eating

Tips for a Healthy Diet

Fruits & vegetables

Grains

Milk & milk alternatives

Don't forget !
ServiceLink
Resource Center
(1-866-634-9412 or
528-6945)....it's the first
number to call for
senior services.

Now is the time to adopt
healthy eating habits to
increase your overall energy &
boost your immune system!

Be sure to choose foods from
the food groups below at least
3 times a day:

Meat & meat alternatives

And be sure to drink
plenty of water!

Have a healthy and fun winter!

*Laconia Senior Center is located at
17 Church Street in Laconia.
Questions? Call 524-7689*

*We hope you have enjoyed this
Edition of Laconia Links*

*We welcome your input, comments
and suggestions!*

Feel free to contact us at the
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or by e-mail at info@city.laconia.nh.us

Have a great weekend!



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