



Welcome to Laconia Links!

October 3, 2025 - Edition #706

Sunset on a quiet Weirs Boulevard (photo compliments of Ann-Marie Shpeley Fine Art Photography)

Welcome to Laconia Links!

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



Curbside recycling will be picked up the week of October 6th!



Laconia Brush Dump Closes October 7th due to drought's impact

Brush and tree limbs brought to the Brush Dump are burned. The

fire danger from the drought is so great the Governor imposed a statewide burn ban. Laconia Public Works during the drought has not been burning brush to minimize the chance of fire escaping and endangering the neighboring houses.

The amount of brush brought to the Brush Dump during the drought period has nearly approached the point where burning the brush would be a danger to the neighborhood, even during non-drought conditions.

Winter is approaching and as part of the preparations, Public Works trims low hanging tree limbs and brush that may cause problems with plowing the streets. The little remaining space in the Brush Dump is just enough for the brush generated by Public Works during its snow preparations.

Public Works is closing the Brush Dump effective October 7th due to the volume of brush in the dump. City staff will be monitoring drought and rain predictions to determine when the Brush Dump can open to the public or if an alternate means of chipping the brush must be implemented to restart the service to Laconia's residents.

Residents with questions should call the Public Works office at [603-528-6379](tel:603-528-6379).

UPCOMING LIBRARY PROGRAMS

MON 10/6	Sensory Storytime @10am - Best for ages 0-6.	KID
MON 10/6	Game Night @5pm - Drop-in, use our games or yours!	ADULT
TUE 10/7	Death Cafe @10am - Refreshments and discussion.	ADULT
TUE 10/7	Teen Craft: Foam Gnomes! @3:30pm	TEEN
TUE 10/7	Kids Create: Comics! @5:30pm - Best for ages 6-11.	KID
WED 10/8	Toddler Time @10am - Best for ages 0-3.	KID
WED 10/8	Mystery Book Group @4pm - 'The Unwedding'	ADULT
THU 10/9	Preschool Pals @10am - Best for ages 3-6.	KID
FRI 10/10	Move & Groove @10am - Best for ages 6 and under.	KID
SAT 10/11	Family Fun: Owl Pellet Dissection @10am - Ages 6-11.	KID
MON 10/13	Library Closed for Columbus Day	MULTI

CHECK OUR WEBSITE FOR MORE DETAILS!

<http://laconialibrary.org>

follow us: @laconialibrary

call: (603) 524-4775

text: (603) 556-4666

email: info@laconialibrary.org



Library Hours

Monday - Thursday 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM

Friday 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Saturday 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Goss Reading Room Closed

Tuesday, October 7, 2025 - 10:00 am to Noon

REP. CHRIS PAPPAS OFFICE HOURS

Laconia City Hall
2nd Floor, Meeting Room 200B
45 Beacon St. E.
Laconia, New Hampshire

CONGRESSMAN
CHRIS PAPPAS
NEW HAMPSHIRE'S 14TH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT



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SUNDAY, OCT. 5TH
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\$25 A TEAM (UP TO 4 PEOPLE)

REGISTER NOW!

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EVERYONE IS INVITED! ENJOY PRIZES, MUSIC, FOOD TRUCKS, AND MUCH MORE!



It's All About the Conversation



October 16, 2025
10:30 - 11:15 a.m.
T.R.I.P. Center
Bessie Rowell Drive, Franklin

This session is meant to educate and empower individuals about the importance of advance care planning. Be a part of the conversation by coming to receive resources and discuss advanced care planning with Granite VNA. A notary will be available following the session.

No registration required. For more information, please call (603) 224-4093, ext. 85664



Offices in Concord, Laconia & Wolfeboro
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LACONIA PUTNAM FUND PRESENTS

The Bronx Wanderers® 12 Time "Best of Las Vegas" Winners

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The Bronx Wanderers have been wowing audiences around the globe for 20 straight years. The show revolves around Father Vinny's music career in the record business and features songs from many of the artists he's gotten to record and produce, including Dion, Tony Orlando, The Jersey Boys, and Billy Joel just to name a few. Their show is in the top ten out of 256 shows in Las Vegas, they've won the Best Of Las Vegas Award 12 times, and were inducted into the East Coast Music Hall Of Fame.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2025, AT 7:00PM
– Colonial Theatre, Downtown Laconia –

Tickets Available Wednesday, October 1, 2025 at 10:00am
Colonial Theater Box Office located at 609 Main Street Laconia, NH
Box Office Hours Tuesday - Friday 10am till 2pm
On line at www.coloniallaconia.com (OR)
Call 800-657-8774

Free Admission - 2 ticket maximum per person
General Seating, First Come First Seated

All General Admission Tickets Holders are to be seated prior to 6:45 pm.
Standby Tickets are available the day of the show at 6:45 pm

Laconia Senior Center Pumpkin Festival



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Bake Sale,
Games,
Raffles &
Crafts

11 A.M.
to
3 P.M.



Laconia Kiwanis 2025 Fuel Raffle

Sat, Sep 20th, 2025 through
Sat, Nov 1st, 2025
12:00 AM - 12:00 PM EDT

Laconia Kiwanis
Laconia, NH

Buy tickets
online

25
October

532 Main St. or
184 Beacon St West
Laconia, NH

ALL PROCEEDS GO TO LACONIA SENIOR
CENTER ACTIVITIES!

Event Details

The Laconia Kiwanis Club is holding a \$1,000 Home-Heating Fuel Raffle to raise funds to help serve our mission of serving the Greater Laconia Area's children

Fuel type is selected by the winner (Natural Gas, Propane, Oil, Pellets, etc.) and funds will be paid directly to the fuel company of their choice!

ONLY 300 TICKETS WILL BE SOLD!!

All tickets will be sold virtually for \$10
(plus a small processing fee - @\$11.50 total)
at <https://laconiakiwanis.ticketleap.com/2025-fuel>

The winner will be drawn on November 1st at 6 p.m. - or when all tickets are sold if earlier - via FaceBook Live on our Kiwanis Facebook Page.

The mission of the Laconia Kiwanis Club is to empower our community to improve the world by making lasting differences in the lives of children. Our vision is to have a positive influence in our community so that one day, all children will wake up in communities that believe in them, nurture them and provide the support they need to thrive. We do this through service and by also by providing financial support to many local programs in the Lakes Region such as Central NH VNA's Young Children Priority One program, Got Lunch! Laconia, The Boys & Girls Club of the Lakes Region, the Salvation Army, the Lakes Region Scholarship Foundation, and our local Elementary Schools through our Kiwanis KARES® program. These programs are just a handful of a myriad that the Laconia Kiwanis Club support. YOUR participation in this raffle will have a direct impact on these programs as well.

Thank you for your support!

4TH ANNUAL

**FALL IN WITH
603 UNITED**



CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 18TH
AT BEANS & GREENS FARM



245 INTERVALE RD, GILFORD, NH 03249

REGISTRATION STARTS AT 12:00 PM & BAGS FLY AT 1 PM

CASH PRIZES | RAFFLES | MUSIC | FOOD | CASH BAR

\$60 PER TEAM - \$70 PER TEAM DAY OF

4 GAMES GUARANTEED

2 DRINK TICKETS PER TEAM

CASH PRIZES:

COMPETITIVE - 1ST PLACE: \$603

BACKYARD - 1ST PLACE: \$300

REGISTER AT [603UNITED.ORG](https://603united.org) AND ON THE SCORHOLIO APP

ABOUT US

603 UNITED IS A NEW NONPROFIT THAT STANDS BY: "LIVE UNITED AND BE INCLUSIVE".
OUR GOAL IS TO PROVIDE SOCIAL INCLUSION ACTIVITIES FOR ADULTS 18+ WITH AND
WITHOUT AN INTELLECTUAL DISABILITY.

603 UNITED IS DEDICATED TO CREATING A COMMUNITY THAT FOSTERS HEALTHY
RELATIONSHIPS, HEALTHY LIFESTYLES, AND INCLUSION WITHIN THE LAKES REGION

ALL OF THE PROCEEDS ARE TO BENEFIT
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FOR ANY INQUIRIES OR QUESTIONS PLEASE REACH OUT TO CASSIE AT (603)800-3225 OR CASSIE@603UNITED.ORG

City Hall Will Be Closed

On Monday,
October 13th for
Columbus Day





On September 26, Laconia High School students had the opportunity to attend NH Construction Career Day in New Boston, NH.

Students were able to learn about various career paths and had the opportunity for many hands-on experiences.



Lake Winnipesaukee Alliance spoke to Laconia High School students about the health of the lake and its tributaries. They discussed how water testing is performed which is tied closely to the students' ecology class.





FINANCIAL FOUNDATIONS: BUILDING BLOCKS FOR SUCCESS!



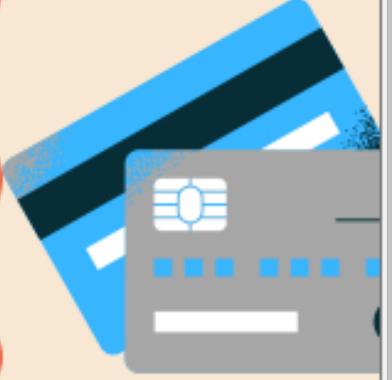
Four-part series; Join us for any or all.
Thursdays 6:30-8:00pm

October 30, 2025:



**Needs, Emotions, Money & How
They are Connected**

November 6, 2025:

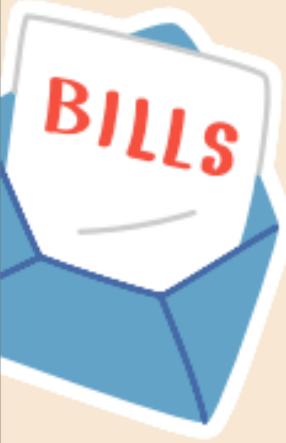


**Identifying & Changing our
Financial Behaviors**

November 13, 2025:

Turning Dreams into Goals & Plans

November 20, 2025:



Budgeting Basics

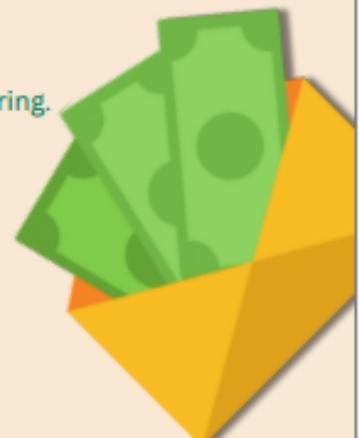
Participants can choose to attend in person at
719 N. Main St., Laconia, NH
OR virtually via Zoom.

For those attending in person, dinner will be served at 6pm
and on-site childcare may be available if reserved when registering.

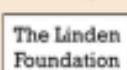
Register at:

www.lrcs.org/parentedregistration

or use the QR Code:



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CRAFTS, FOOD TRUCKS, AND FUN

LACONIA HIGH SCHOOL SATURDAY - OCTOBER 4, 2025 9-3PM

FREE ADMISSION

OVER 75 ARTISAN CRAFTERS
FOOD TRUCKS
RAFFLE TABLE
BAKE SALE
8TH ANNUAL WREATH FESTIVAL

ALL PROCEEDS BENEFIT



Household Sharps & Needles Disposal

The Fire Department has seen an increase in calls from residents asking about disposing of household sharps and needles.

The New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services has provided a guide that should be helpful regarding disposal tips for household generated sharps. Just click [here](#) for more information.



The State of NH is under a statewide open burning ban, which became effective Sept. 22, 2025 and will continue until further notice, due to severe drought conditions and high wildfire risk.

These drought conditions are expected to continue well into the Fall, resulting in the potential for large fire activity.

The ban prohibits all open fires, including campfires and brush fires, and also restricts smoking in or near woodlands.

The daily fire danger may be obtained by calling the Division of Forests & Lands' wildfire information line: [1-866-NH-FIRES \(866-643-4737\)](tel:1-866-NH-FIRES) or by visiting [NH Forest & Lands Daily Fire Danger webpage](#) to sign up for daily emails.

For more information, please call the Laconia Fire Dept. at [603-524-6881](tel:603-524-6881).

OCTOBER Breast Cancer Awareness Month

Click [here](#) for information about breast cancer provided by the National Cancer Institute.



Hey everyone... **Family Fun Night Is Coming!**

That's right! We're gearing up for our annual
"Family Fun Night"!

For most of the children, the highlight of the evening is choosing gifts for siblings (young & old) as well as mom, dad, and other family members or special people in their lives.

How Can I Help???

We need donations! If you have new or very gently used items around your house (we tend to struggle in particular with gifts for men and teens), please drop them off at our office as soon as possible. PLEASE be thoughtful of the quality of the items you are donating. And please note that we tend to shy away from stuffed animals (unless they are brand new) and clothing (unless it is a one-size-fits-all accessory like socks, gloves, hats, etc. which should also be brand new). There is a list of donation suggestions on the back of this flyer, but we welcome your creativity! Gift cards for small amounts (\$5, etc.) are also always a hit! For employees, donations can be brought to Room 119 (the Parent Ed Room), for all others, you can leave donations with the receptionist and just let her know that they are for Family Fun Night. She will make sure that they get to us!

****DONATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY
November 28, 2025****

Donations can also be shipped directly to our main office:
719 North Main St.
Laconia, NH 03246
Attn: Carol Stone, FFN



*Merry
Christmas
and
Happy New Year*

Want to volunteer for Family Fun Night on December 8th from 2:30-8:30pm?

Email: carol.stone@lrcs.org

Donation Suggestions

Women:

Candles Lotions
Holiday décor Scarfs
Picture frames Mugs
Jewelry Figurines
Spa Items Make Up
Socks Puzzles
Craft Supplies Stationery
Kitchen items Purses
Gardening Items
Body Spray

Men:

Mugs Sports Items
Tools Calendars
Card Games Gloves/Hats
Cologne Puzzles
Flashlights Keychains
Water Bottles Socks
Wallets Gadgets
BBQ Items Sunglasses
Crossword Puzzles
Camping/Hiking Items

Teens:

Art Supplies Spa Items
Lotions Hair Accessories
Board Games Jewelry
Card Games Gadgets
School Supplies Nail Polish
Diaries/Journals Nerf
Headphones Fidgets
Sports Items Make Up
Bedroom Décor Bags
Brain Teasers Craft Kits

Kids:

Toys Art Supplies
Sidewalk Chalk Legos
Play-Doh Board Games
Coloring Books Balls
Infant Toys Card Games
Craft Kits Books
Blocks Action Figures
Dolls Dress Up Items
Science Kits Dinosaurs
Outer Space Watches



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Get Ready to Carve! Join Us for the Laconia Pumpkin Festival

Get ready for a whirlwind of creativity and community spirit at the much-anticipated Laconia Pumpkin Festival! This family-friendly extravaganza is just around the corner, and we invite everyone to unleash their imagination and help craft a stunning showcase of pumpkins. Mark your calendars for Saturday, October 25, in Downtown Laconia. Let's come together to celebrate the magic of autumn... pumpkins, laughter, and unforgettable memories await!

Everyone is invited to carve pumpkins—families, schools, civic organizations, businesses and you! Our community-hosted event needs your help collectively carving pumpkins to be displayed. This year in Downtown Laconia we are bringing back the huge pumpkin tower holding 900 pumpkins which will be located in Veterans Square.

Important Pumpkin Details:

- Your carved jack-o'-lanterns can be dropped off on Friday, October 24th on Beacon St. East near the City Hall parking lot from 10 am to 6 pm
- If you have pumpkins that need to be placed in a certain order (spelling out a message or name, etc.), please number them on the back using a Sharpie.
- Pumpkins on the tower will be lit electronically—no candles required!

Join the Celebration!

Don't miss out on the fun! Join in on Saturday, October 25 from 11 am to 8 pm as Downtown Laconia is transformed into a Fall wonderland filled with pumpkins, lots of music, delicious food, craft vendors, an amazing laser show to end the evening, and fun for all ages!

For more information about Laconia Pumpkin Festival, go to [Laconia Pumpkin Festival](#) or follow along on [Facebook](#).





Federal American Disability Act regulations and City Ordinances prohibit parking on or blocking sidewalks. The Police Department can fine violators!

The first offense is a \$25 fine.
The second offense is \$75
The third offense is \$150.

Please call Public Works at [603-528-6379](tel:603-528-6379) if you have a question on whether there is an existing sidewalk on your street.



Sep 24, 2025 2:11:23 PM



Sep 24, 2025 2:09:36 PM

🎃 Table Treat 🎃 at Leavitt Park

334 Elm Street, Lakeport

Sunday, October 26th
6pm – 7pm

Hosted by  

Leavitt Park Community Club

Come in costume and have a great time!



If interested in having a table to decorate and give out candy

Or interested in becoming a member

Call Leavitt Park (603)524-1886

LAKES REGION COMMUNITY SERVICES
Engage. Empower. Inspire.

Open HOUSE

Meet our Interim CEO,
Erin Pettengill



 *Thank you Becky!*

Join us as we wish Becky well on her next chapter and thank her for 18 years of service at LRCS!

WHEN: 11 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
Thursday, October 9th

WHERE: LRCS
719 N. Main Street
Laconia, NH



Come join Spectacle Live and The Colonial Theatre at the Laconia Pumpkin Festival, for some **free** family fun! Located in the heart of the festival, our doors will be open with fun activities for all ages.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 25

11AM - 8PM

MOVIE SHOWINGS

ARTS & CRAFTS

CONCESSIONS OPEN

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THE HISTORIC THEATRE**



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THE JERSEY TENORS

BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND

in an all new show!

Saturday, October 25, 2025



Inter-Lakes High School Community Auditorium
Showtime 7:30 pm

The Ultimate Tribute to the 70's!

FEATURING ICONIC HITS FROM

The Bee Gees ~ Queen ~ Elton John ~ Billy Joel
Earth Wind and Fire ~ The Eagles ~ Jackson 5

Creedence Clearwater Revival

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- Lakes Region Business Directory

**Friday,
October 10
1 - 6 p.m.**

Granite VNA - Laconia

780 North Main Street
Opechee Room

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

PLEASE HELP & DONATE!

Are you registering to vote in a local election?



If your name has legally changed, for example through marriage, divorce, adoption, or a court-approved name change, remember to bring additional documentation that shows how your name has changed from what appears on the voter checklist.



New Hampshire Secretary of State

David M. Scanlan

For more info, visit: <http://www.sos.nh.gov/.../registering-to-vote-in-new...>

The last day to register to vote or make changes in the Laconia City Clerk's Office is Tuesday October 28, 2025.

New registrations and changes after October 28th will have to be made at the polls on Election Day.

Election Day is November 4, 2025; the polls are open 8:00 AM – 6:00 PM.

Questions? Please contact the Laconia City Clerk's Office at [603-527-1265](tel:603-527-1265).



CITY OF LACONIA
Department of Planning
and Community Development
45 Beach Street East • Laconia, NH 03246
Phone: (603) 527-1264 • Fax: (603) 524-2167
Email: Planning@Laconianh.gov

October 1, 2025

City of Laconia Residents,

The City of Laconia's Master Plan Steering Committee will meet at the **Belknap Mill on October 6, 2025 from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM** to kick off City's master plan update. The purpose of the master plan is to set down as clearly and practically as possible the best and most appropriate future development of the area under the jurisdiction of the Planning Board, to aid the Board in designing ordinances that result in preserving and enhancing the unique quality of life and culture of New Hampshire, and to guide the Board in the performance of its other duties in a manner that achieves the principles of smart growth, sound planning, and wise resource protection (RSA 674:2). State law recommends municipalities review and revise their master plans every five to 10 years (RSA 674:3). Our current master plan was adopted in 2018 and should be revised to address the current challenges and needs of our residents.

This kick-off meeting will review the scope of rewriting the master plan as well as the project milestones and timeline over the next year. We will also go over how members of the public can participate and track the status of our new master plan. Furthermore, we will also review our proposed public outreach plan to gather as much public input as possible. This is our time to come together and develop the best plan for the City of Laconia and its residents.

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At this first meeting, the City Council, Planning Board, Zoning Board of Adjustment, Conservation Commission, and Heritage Commission will engage in a Vision exercise to gather their input on what the City of Laconia will look like over the next 15 years. This will be the first step to crafting an updated Vision Statement. We will then review the chapters of the Master Plan to be updated during this process including Land Use, Economic Development, Transportation, Housing, and Community Facilities chapters.

Finally, this first meeting will conclude with a public comment period for residents to ask questions about the process, next steps, and how to participate in the process. We very much look forward to working with you in the coming months as we plan to move the City forward together.

Robert Mora, Director
Planning and Community Development
City of Laconia

Empowered Families Advocacy Program

Your Voice. Your Power. Your Impact.

Join a supportive community of New Hampshire families learning to create real policy change through effective advocacy skills.

What You'll Learn

Become a confident advocate:

- **Tell Your Story** - Learn to share your family's experiences in ways that influence policymakers
- **Master Advocacy Skills** - Practice testifying, writing letters to editors, and communicating with legislators
- **Navigate the State House** - Understand how NH government works and how to engage effectively
- **Build Lasting Connections** - Join a network of families committed to positive change
- **Practice Self-Care** - Learn strategies for sustainable advocacy

Who Should Join?

This program is perfect for you if you:

- Have experienced challenges with systems affecting your family (child care, health care, mental health supports, etc.)
- Want to build more confidence or skills to make a difference in New Hampshire
- Are already involved in your community and ready for the next level
- Believe your family's experience could help other families

Ready to empower your family's voice?

Apply Today: go.new-futures.org/empowered

REGISTER NOW!

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Columbus Day



10K & 5K RUN / WALK



OCTOBER 25TH

OPECHEE PARK, LACONIA

Cash Prizes for Winners/Course Records & Delicious Age-Category Prizes

Register by October 10th to Receive a Long-Sleeve Event Shirt!

Best Costume & Largest Team Challenge!

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Information & Registration at
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Columbus Day is Monday, October 13.

NOTICE TO CURBSIDE RESIDENTS

There will be NO DELAY in curbside collection of trash on Monday, October 13, Columbus Day.

Collections all week will be on their normal schedules.

Questions? Please call DPW at (603) 528-6379.

PLEASE NOTE THAT THE TRANSFER STATION WILL BE OPEN ON COLUMBUS DAY, OCTOBER 13th.



In 1992 the U.S. Congress proclaimed Customer Service Week a nationally recognized event, celebrated annually during the first full week in October.

This is an opportunity for organizations, such as the City of Laconia, to recognize the importance of providing excellent customer service to each and every resident or visitor we serve.

The goal of all departments in the City is to provide friendly, efficient, courteous and knowledgeable assistance to the public. To that end, we have developed a [Customer Service Survey](#).

We would appreciate your help in filling out the survey if you have had contact with one of our City departments or employees to let us know what we are doing right, or what may need improvement.

The survey is provided on our website [here](#). Your feedback is appreciated to help us better serve you!

If you have questions, please contact the City Manager's Office at [\(603\) 527-1270](#), or email NBrown@laconianh.gov.



Mile for Mentoring is a 1-mile charity race and fun run benefiting Big Brothers Big Sisters of NH. With a fast and scenic course running through the ski resort, runners, joggers, & walkers will be able to try and put up a fast time, or enjoy the fall foliage of Gunstock Mountain. All while supporting youth mentoring!

Sunday October 5th

Gunstock Mountain Resort

17 Cherry Valley Road, Gilford, NH 03249

Race Start at 9:30am

Race timing by 

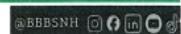
SCAN TO REGISTER



Want to see your business at our race? Sponsorship opportunities available!



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@BBBSNH 

Proceeds support Big Brothers Big Sisters of NH and the youth mentoring programs they provide free of charge to all youth in need!



LACONIA SENIOR CENTER
(603) 524-7689



2025 ACTIVITIES

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
Activities are subject to change* *Suggested Donation \$3 per meal			1 9:45 Strength & Balance w/Jena 10-12 Prize Bingo	2 10—Adult Coloring 11:30—Meatball Stroganoff
6 10—Foot & BP Clinic by Granite VNA *By Appointment 10:30—Games/Cribbage 11—Walking Group	7 10 - Activities Meeting 11:30 – Beef Soft Taco	8 9:45 Strength & Balance w/Jena 10-12 Prize Bingo	9 10:30 - Franklin VNA BP Clinic & Presentation 11:30—Tuscan Chickpea & Sausage Soup	10 9:45 Strength & Balance w/Jena 10:30 —Coffee Social
13 Closed for Holiday Columbus Day	14 10:30—Sports Team Day!! 11:30 –Breaded Fish w/Tartar	15 9:45 Strength & Balance w/Jena 10-12 Prize Bingo	16 9:30—Crafts w/Mona 11:30 –Breaded Chicken Nuggets	17 9:45 Strength & Balance w/Jena 10—Adult Coloring
20 10:30—Games/ Cribbage 11—Walking Group	21 10:30 —Pumpkin Decorating 11:30— Chicken Parmesan	22 9:45 Strength & Balance w/Jena 10-12 Prize Bingo	23 11:30—Shepherds Pie 12:30—Ping Pong & Corn Hole	24 9:45 Strength & Balance w/Jena 10—Set up for Pumpkin Festival *(Sat: 11-3)*
27 10—Movie & Snack 	28 10:30— 10 Ways to Love Your Brain (Granite VNA) 11:30— Chicken Broccoli & Rice	29 9:45 Strength & Balance w/Jena 10-12 Prize Bingo	30 10:30 —Sugar N' Spice by Senior Companions 11:30—Fingers & Toe Nuggets	31 9:45 Strength & Balance w/Jena 11:30—Halloween Pizza Party

Fall Leaf Collection

Mark your calendars! This year's Fall Leaf Collection is scheduled for the weeks of October 27 - October 31, 2025 and November 10 - November 14, 2025. During each of the above weeks, the City's contractor will pick up an additional 10 bags of leaves on your normal trash day. All leaves must be in paper compost bags.

Questions? Please call the Department of Public Works at [\(603\) 528-6379](tel:(603)528-6379).

Thank you for your assistance!

In-Person

Caregiver Connection



A Caregiver Support Group



**Tilly Market Cafe
at the Belknap Marketplace**

96 Daniel Webster Highway, Belmont

October 15, 2025

9:30 - 11 a.m.

Join us and connect with other family caregivers, while enjoying an opportunity to unwind and have discussions rich in empathy and resources.

No registration required. For more information, please call (603) 224-4093, ext. 85664



Offices in Concord, Laconia & Wolfeboro
(603) 224-4093 | (800) 924-8620 • www.granitevna.org

**HELP MAKE
HALLOWEEN MAGICAL
FOR EVERY CHILD**



We are collecting new and gently used Halloween costumes at Belknap House in support of fellow nonprofit, S.C.A.R.E. New Hampshire.



St. André Bessette Parish

 *Fall
CONTRA
Dance*

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 17

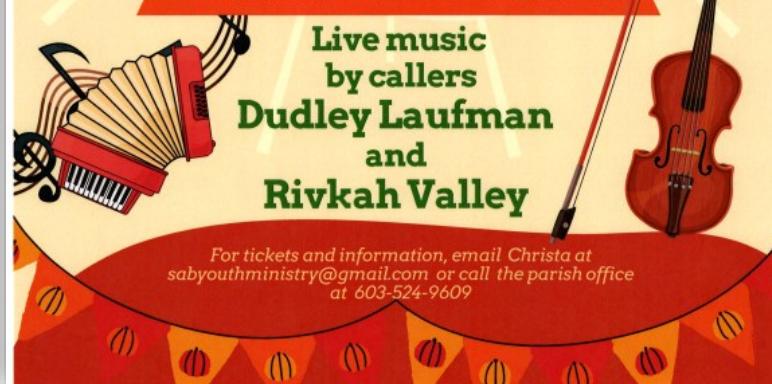
Traditional Contra,
no experience required, all ages are welcome!

**31 GILFORD AVE
LACONIA, NH
6PM-8:30PM**

**Tickets
\$10 Per Person,
\$25 for Family of 4**

**TO BENEFIT THE
ST ANDRE BESETTE YOUTH MINISTRY**

**Live music
by callers
Dudley Laufman
and
Rivkah Valley**



*For tickets and information, email Christa at
sabyouthministry@gmail.com or call the parish office
at 603-524-9609*



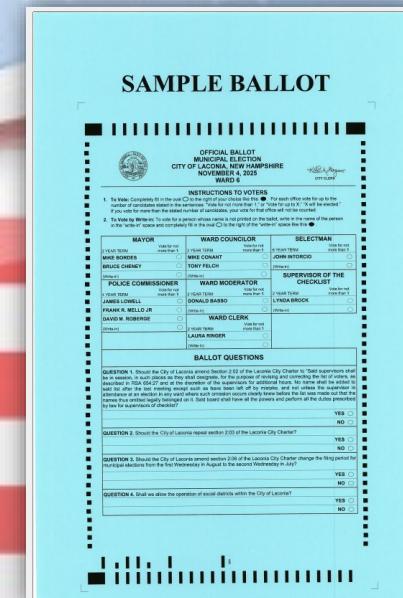
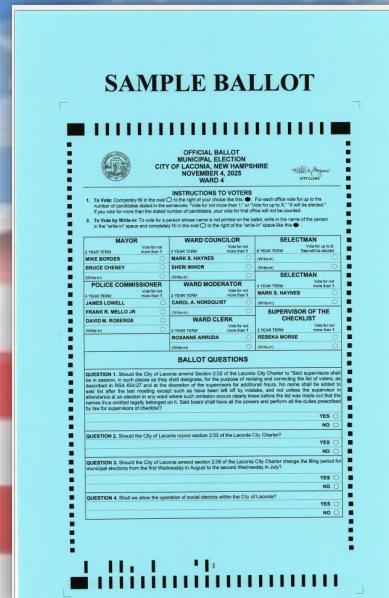
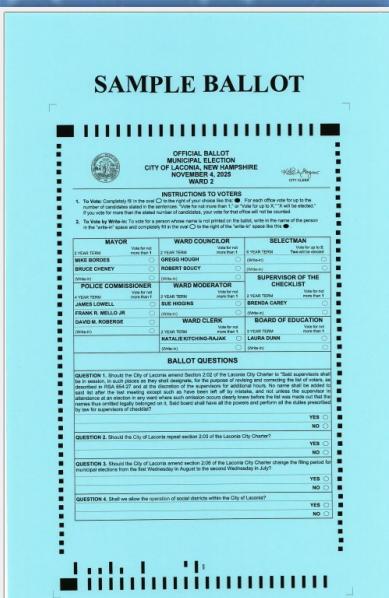
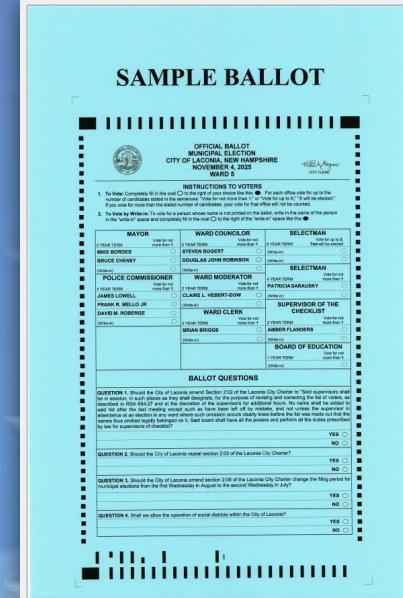
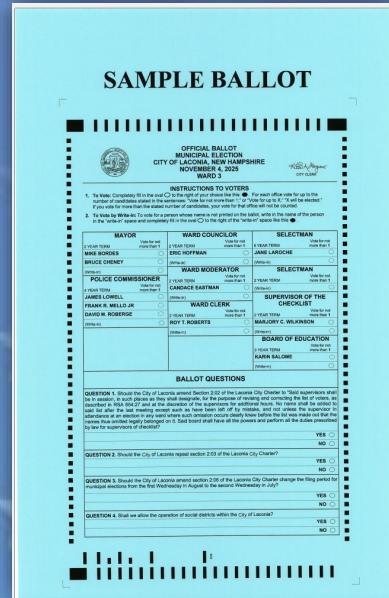
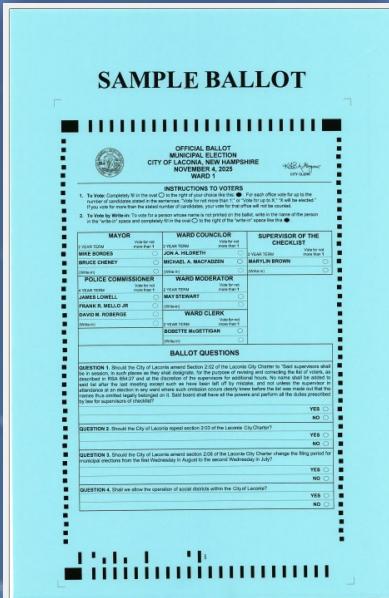
The Municipal Election is November 4, 2025! Please click on the images on this page to view important election information and sample ballots for each ward.

LACONIA
MUNICIPAL
ELECTION

November 4, 2025

Voter Guide for Ballot Questions

Questions? Please call the City Clerk's Office at **603-527-1265**.



Laconia City Clerk, Secretary of State Provide Laconia Voters with Important Information on Election Law Changes

Effective September 30, there are additional requirements related to absentee voting and absentee registration.

CONCORD, NH (September 30, 2025): New Hampshire Secretary of State David M. Scanlan and Laconia City Clerk Katie Gargano remind Laconia voters and individuals who qualify to register by absentee or to vote absentee of important election law changes that take effect on September 30, 2025.

Absentee registration changes

Effective September 30, any individual registering to vote by absentee for a qualified reason must provide proof of their U.S. citizenship and age in addition to domicile and identity with their registration application.

Individuals in New Hampshire can register to vote by absentee due to temporary absence or physical disability. More information on the process is available on the [Secretary of State's website](#).

Absentee voting change

Effective September 30, registered voters who request an absentee ballot must show proof of their identity to receive their absentee ballot. If sending their absentee ballot request by mail, the voter must include a copy of their photo identification or a notarized signature on their absentee ballot application form. If the voter is obtaining their absentee ballot in person, they must show their city or town clerk photo identification (digital proof is also accepted) or a notarized signature on their absentee ballot application form.

The deadlines to request absentee ballots remain the same. Voters must request their absentee ballots by 5 p.m. in person the day before an election or by 12 p.m. the day before the election by mail or email.



Blasting and Drilling Permit Notice

A blasting permit has been issued as follows:

- Capital Rock Drilling and Blasting. This permit is valid until October 11, 2025 for drilling and blasting at 492 Endicott Street North, Laconia, NH. Questions? Contact 603-487-2840.

Blasting can occur anytime Monday through Friday during normal business hours.

3 long horns - 5 minutes until the blast;

2 long horns - 2 minutes until the blast;

1 long horn - All clear to proceed



The Leavitt Park Community Club meets the 1st Monday of every month (except December). Please consider attending one of our monthly meetings, or volunteer to become a member and support this beautiful City park.

Our next meeting is scheduled for October 6th at 7 pm at the Clubhouse (334 Elm St., Laconia, NH).

For more information, please call 603-524-1886.



Our delivery of Laconia Pumpkin Festival T-Shirts has arrived!

If you would like to purchase one (or more!) before the event they will be available in the City Manager's Office in Laconia City Hall.

We have youth shirts with the graphic on the front in sizes youth small, medium, large and extra-large.

The adult t-shirts have the logo on the front and the graphic on the back. We have adult sizes small to XXX-large.



The cost per shirt is \$15, payable either in cash or check made out to "City of Laconia".

The t-shirts will also be available for sale at Laconia Pumpkin Festival on October 25th in downtown Laconia. Look for our Information Booth at the head of Main Street!



All proceeds will benefit the Laconia Pumpkin Festival. Questions? Please call the City Manager's Office at 603-527-1270.





ANNUAL FALL HARVEST RAFFLE

3 tickets for \$10!

Purchasing raffle tickets is a great way to support LRSF! Ticket sales end October 19th.

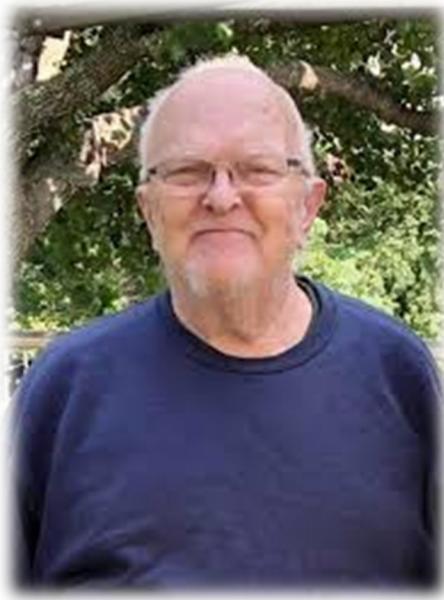
Prizes to include:

- 79" x 92" Fall Quilt – handmade by Ellen Peters and donated in her memory by her family
- \$200 Stafford Oil & Propane Gift Certificate - donated by Stafford Oil & Propane. Good towards Heating Fuels, a CITGO Cash Card, or other Stafford Oil & Propane Heating and Air Conditioning Products & Services
- Fall themed basket with handmade quilted placemats - donated by Friend of the Foundation
- 2 one-day Midweek Lift Tickets for the 2025/2026 Winter Season at Gunstock Mountain Resort - donated by Gunstock Mountain Resort
- Snowman themed Winter Treats Basket – includes snowman wall hanging and Annalee dolls – donated by Martha Bissonnette
- 20" x 16" fully matted 15 1/2" x 11 1/2" framed Loran Percy Fall print - donated by Susan Percy MacDonald
- 20" x 16" fully matted 15 1/2" x 11 1/2" framed Loran Percy Covered Bridge print - donated by Susan Percy MacDonald
- 23" square quilted "Talking Turkey" table topper – handmade and donated by Marcia Dionne
- 12" x 14 1/2" fully matted 8" x 12" Fine Art Chipmunk print by Tristan MacDonald – donated by Susan Percy MacDonald
- "Cactus" hummingbird feeder – donated by a Friend of the Foundation
- Various Gift Cards/Certificates



Check out our website for up to date prize listings!
www.lrscholarship.org

Scan the QR Code to visit our website for more information, or to purchase your raffle tickets.



Laconia Historical & Museum Society Presentation: The History of the Taylor Community

A presentation by Warren Huse on The History of the Taylor Community will be presented on Wednesday, October 8th, at 6:30 p.m. at Woodside at Taylor Community.

Drawing on selected information from David Bonshurst Hart's 226 page study titled "Historic Roots of the Taylor Community: A Continuing Care Retirement Community Founded in 1907," Huse will lead attendees through important aspects of Hart's work, including the founding of the Laconia Home for the Aged, Edward Taylor's contributions to the Home, and key events related to the governance and growth of the Taylor Community. He will include insights from officials, residents, historical societies, libraries, and other sources.

Warren Huse is a native of Laconia and a graduate of Dartmouth College. He served 21 years on active duty in the Army, primarily as an Infantry officer. Since 1990, Warren has been writing the weekly "Our Yesterdays" column for The Laconia Citizen and, later, The Laconia Daily Sun. He is also the author of four books on Laconia's history and has contributed as an editor or co-editor on three additional works. For over 40 years, Warren has been actively involved as a board member of the Laconia Historical & Museum Society, holding many positions during this time. His extensive historical knowledge has made him a valuable resource for the Laconia community and beyond, earning him the well-deserved title of "Town Historian."

This free program is open to the community and is part of the Laconia Historical & Museum Society's 'Our Yesterdays 2025 Presentation Series.'

For additional information about this program or to learn more about LHMS and upcoming events, please visit laconiahistory.com or LHMS on Facebook and Instagram.



The month of October is Pedestrian Safety Month, so it's important to take a moment to rethink how you drive.

Behind the wheel are you:

Alert and focused?

Looking out for people walking?

Obeying all posted signs and speed limits?

Thank you for watching out for pedestrians and keeping our community safe!



PUBLIC HEARING NOTICES

Please see the Public Hearing Notices on this page which have been published in the Laconia Daily Sun. In future issues of the newsletter 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 Public Hearing 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

The City Council will hold a Public Hearing on **October 14, 2025** during the regular City Council meeting which will begin at 7:00 pm in the Armand A. Bolduc City Council Chamber in Laconia City Hall, relative to:

ORDINANCE 2025-221-36.1 – AMENDING PARAGRAPH 221-36.1 TO ARTICLE III PARKING, STANDING AND STOPPING TO CHAPTER 221, VEHICLES – PROPOSAL FOR A RESIDENT-ONLY PARKING PERMIT SYSTEM

Katie Gargano, City Clerk



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PUBLIC HEARING TO GATHER ANY INPUT ON THE QUESTION “IF THE CITY COUNCIL SHOULD CREATE SOCIAL DISTRICTS” AS DEFINED IN HOUSE BILL 467 THAT WILL APPEAR ON THE NOVEMBER BALLOT

HB 467

(b) The selectmen, aldermen, or city council shall hold a public hearing on the question at least 15 days but not more than 30 days before the question is to be voted on. Notice of the hearing shall be posted in at least 2 public places in the municipality and published in a newspaper of general circulation at least 7 days before the hearing.

Katie Gargano, City Clerk



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RESOLUTION 2025-32 – REQUEST TO EXPEND FUNDS FROM DOWNTOWN TIF FOR PEDESTRIAN SAFETY AND CIRCULATION FOR LACONIA PUMPKIN FESTIVAL

Katie Gargano, City Clerk



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ORDINANCE 2025-201-7, 201-13, AMENDING PARAGRAPH 201-7 – DEPOSITING SNOW OR ICE AND PARAGRAPH 201-13 – VIOLATIONS AND PENALTIES TO CHAPTER 201, STREETS AND SIDEWALKS

Katie Gargano, City Clerk



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RESOLUTION 2025-31 – A RESOLUTION RELATIVE TO AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF A NEW HAMPSHIRE DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY 2025 HOMELAND SECURITY COMPETITIVE GRANT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$51,000 TO FUND THE LACONIA POLICE DEPARTMENT’S UTILITY SIDE-BY-SIDE VEHICLE PROJECT

Katie Gargano, City Clerk



CITY OF LACONIA Notice of Public Hearing

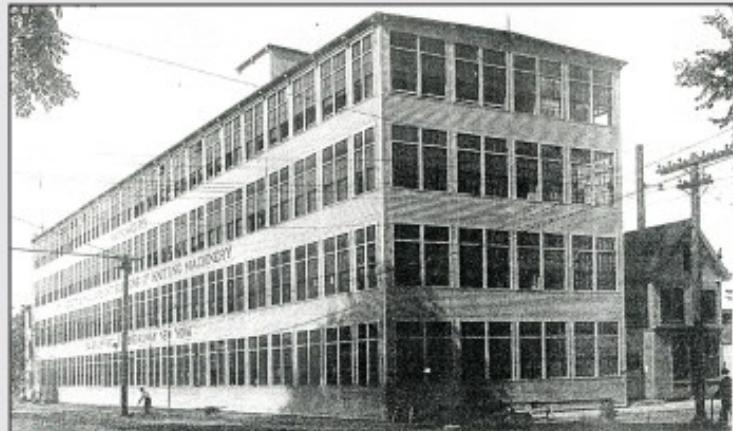
The City Council will hold a Public Hearing on **October 14, 2025** during the regular City Council meeting which will begin at 7:00 pm in the Armand A. Bolduc City Council Chamber in Laconia City Hall, relative to:

RESOLUTION 2025-30 – A RESOLUTION RELATIVE TO AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF A NEW HAMPSHIRE DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY 2025 HOMELAND SECURITY COMPETITIVE GRANT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$133,542 TO FUND THE LACONIA POLICE DEPARTMENT’S TETHERED DRONES PROJECT

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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...



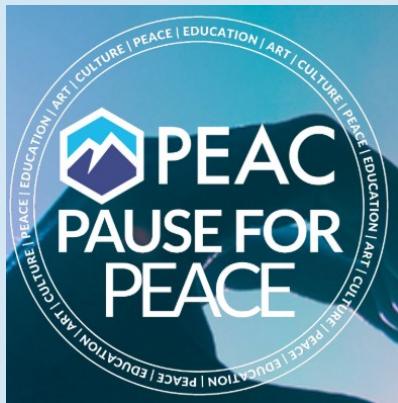
THEN...

Four-story wooden building, on Union Avenue at Casino (later Normandin) Square, Laconia — seen at left — was erected by Scott & Williams in 1916. By the time of its demolition in 2005, the structure appeared as seen at right — with the 1929-1931 steel and cement replacement for an earlier wooden factory, glimpsed in distance at right. (Laconia Historical and Museum Society, left, and Daryl Carlson, Citizen file photo, right.)



...AND NOW

This stretch of Union Avenue is seen today, with Strafford Street at right. Following removal of the four-story wooden building, the remaining Scott & Williams space was converted to the Normandin Square Apartments in 2006. See article, 'Former S&W factory sold at auction for \$1.2M' (Michael Shine/The Laconia Daily Sun)



SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2025! LIVE PEACE DAY! ALL ARE INVITED! POWER CHORDS AND LOCAL ARTIST TO PARTICIPATE IN LIVE PEACE DAY!

This is a day devoted to expressing peace through the sharing of music, visual arts, culture, and communication. It is part of a global initiative inspired by the United Nations and PEAC Institute (<https://www.peacinstiute.org/pauseforpeace>).

This global Pause for Peace Festival concert has been planned hoping to bring billions from around the world together through cultural music and to

feel the transformative power of human connection. Please join us on Saturday, October 4th, 9am to 4pm at the UCC Congregational Church of Laconia, 18 Veterans Square, Laconia.

Thank you to the following local musicians, who will perform the Live Peace Concert through the day! K. Robert Bengtson; Jazz Sanctuary house Band with Rev. Emilia Halstead; Suzuki Children's String Orchestra, Director, Sue Ann Erb; Bristol UCC Joyful Noise Ukulele Band, Director, Debbie Doe, and the Power Chords, Director, Lorraine Barrows! In addition, we'll hear from Dr. Jaylene Bengtson, local artist, of how the visual arts can bring awareness and inner peace.

Come for all or part of the day! Lunch will be available for a donation and very much appreciated.

Donations received will help defray the cost of the day, with a portion going to support the PEAC Institute (<https://www.peacinstiute.org>)



You're Invited!

FREE HALLOWEEN COSTUMES FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY

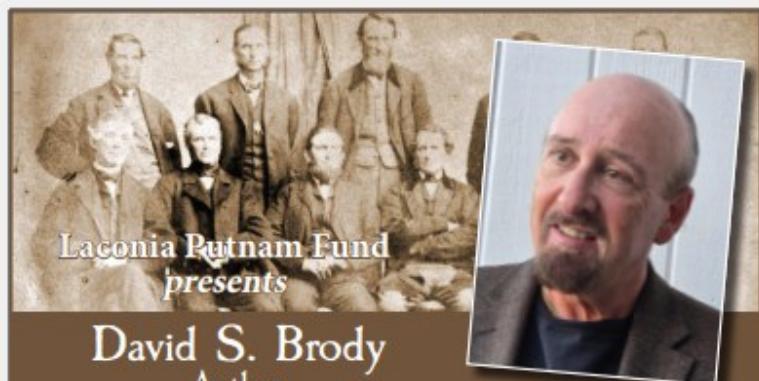
Lakes Region Community Services in Laconia

Tuesday, Oct 7th 4 - 7 PM

Open To The Public

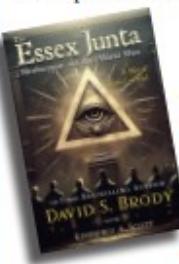
COSTUME DROP OFF SITE

www.scarenh.org | 603-247-0995 | scarenh@gmail.com



Laconia Putnam Fund presents
David S. Brody
Author

Wednesday, October 15, 2025
6:30 pm at The Taylor Community Woodside Building, 227 Ledges Drive
Free Admission, First Come, First Seated
No tickets required



"The Essex Junta" - Recently discovered letters written by Masonic figurehead Albert Pike shed new light on a centuries-long plot by leading New England shipping families to splinter the Union. With close ties to both Freemasonry and Yale's Skull and Bones Society, these so-called Essex Junta families made their money selling opium to China and used their power to foment discord between the North and South, sparking the Civil War. Astoundingly, that was not enough: The Pike letters reveal that the families orchestrated World Wars I and II to solidify their power, and even have laid out plans for a third World War—to be sparked in the Middle East—in order to bring about a New World Order.

"David S. Brody is a 12-time Amazon #1 Bestselling fiction writer with over half a million books sold. His children call him a "rock nerd" because of the time he spends studying ancient stone structures which he believes evidence exploration of America prior to Columbus. The author of 20 books and a graduate of Tufts University and Georgetown Law School, he has served as a Director of the New England Antiquities Research Association (NEARA) and is an avid researcher in the subject of pre-Columbus exploration of America. He has frequently appeared as a guest expert on documentaries airing on History Channel, Travel Channel, PBS and Discovery Channel. A native of Laconia, NH, he currently resides in Newburyport, MA with his wife, sculptor Kimberly Scott."

 Facebook

 Instagram



Carter Mountain Band Concert on Oct. 5th

We invite you to join us on Sunday October 5th at 3 PM at First United Methodist Church Gilford, as the Carter Mountain Band presents a program of music honoring our armed forces, capturing the humble beginnings of our people, and celebrating the influence our great nation has had on music across the world.

In looking forward to what will surely be a 2026 full of celebrations marking the 250th anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence, it's easy to overlook the key moments that took place one year earlier in 1775 that put our country on the path to that fateful day. Carter Mountain looks back at the battles of Lexington and Concord that were waged in Massachusetts on April 19th, marking the beginning of the American Revolution.

They will also recognize the founding of the United States Army by an act of the Continental Congress on June 14th, 1775 as well as the founding of the US Navy and United States Marines later that year. In addition, the band will be performing marches, delightful arrangements of traditional folk melodies, and popular cinematic tunes that are sure to stir feelings of nostalgia, pride, and patriotism.

Each year, the band performs its Fall Concert at First United Methodist Church at 18 Wesley Way in Gilford, as a 'Thank You' to the church for use of rehearsal space, and all proceeds are donated to the church. The band members also supply delicious refreshments for a reception, following the concert.

A donation of \$8. is requested at the door. Students are free. The church is located near the 3/11 bypass off Rt 11A (18 Wesley Way) in Gilford. Church phone is [\(603\) 524-3289](tel:(603)524-3289). Above photo of the Carter Mountain Brass Band is compliments of aaronwwithamphotography.



PEAC

PAUSE FOR PEACE 2025

A Global Music & Arts Festival for Peace
September 21 - October 4, 2025

Join the Movement. Create Global Harmony!

Be part of a worldwide cultural activation that unites voices, music, and hearts across every continent.

What's Happening?

- ✓ Kick-off with Live Peace Concert on Sept 21
- ✓ Global Pause for Peace Festival runs through Oct 4
- ✓ Performances, art shows, peace circles in 96+ countries

How Can You Join?

- Musicians & Artists: Share your voice, song, or art!
- Organizers: Host a concert, art event, or peace circle.
- Ambassadors: Help spread the word and connect communities.

Sign Up Today! PEACInstitute.org/PauseForPeace

LIVE PEACE. SHARE PEACE.
BECOME THE MOVEMENT.



LACONIA PARKS AND RECREATION

CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT

LACONIA PUMPKIN FESTIVAL
OCTOBER 25TH, 2025

IN THE HECTORS PARKING LOT
BAGS FLY AT 11:30AM

\$60 PER TEAM CASH OR CHECK

PRIZES FOR TOP TEAMS

Think you've got the best toss in Laconia? Prove it!



REGISTER NOW!
CONTACT LACONIA PARKS AND REC AT 524-5046
PARKS@LACONIANH.GOV

PUMPKINFEST DOUBLE ELIMINATION TOURNAMENT



The Lakes Region Scholarship Foundation ANNUAL LAKES REGION PUMPKIN FIGURE CONTEST

OCTOBER 16, 17 & 18

Registration deadline: Oct. 9th

Pumpkin Figures must include
at least one pumpkin. You must live in the
Lakes Region area to participate.

PRIZES AWARDED IN SEVERAL CATEGORIES



For more information and
to register, scan the
QR Code or visit
our website.



Proceeds to support the LRSF Friends of the Foundation Operating Fund (FOFOF). www.lrscholarship.org

Registration is now open for the Lakes Region Scholarship Foundation's Annual Lakes Region Pumpkin Figure Contest!

With the rapid approach of Fall, registration for the Lakes Region Scholarship Foundation's Annual Lakes Region Pumpkin Figure Contest fundraiser is now open. Executive Director Chris Guilmett said, "The Scholarship Foundation is looking forward to building on the success of our annual Pumpkin Figure Contest! The time invested by the participants, as well as the creativity and the willingness to share their creations with the entire community is great to see! This has become a seasonal fundraiser for us in which the whole community gets involved. The pumpkin figures are judged in several categories with prizes awarded."

"We have seen many amazing entries over the years from not only families, but a variety of businesses, schools, individuals, and non-profit agencies. We are excited to see this year's entries! Registration for the Lakes Region Pumpkin Figure Contest can be done by following the link under the Pumpkin Figure Contest tab on our website. You will also be able to purchase tickets to our two additional Fall fundraisers, our popular Fall Harvest Raffle and our Cake n' Sweets Calendar Raffle! You do not need to be participating in the Lakes Region Pumpkin Figure Contest to purchase raffle tickets."

The contest is open to individuals, families, schools, businesses, and non-profits. Pumpkin figures must include at least one pumpkin. In order to qualify for the contest, entrants must live in the Lakes Region and the entry forms must be received by Lakes Region Scholarship by October 9th. Judging takes place on October 16, 17 & 18. For those looking for a fun, fall day excursion, an interactive map with the locations of the Pumpkin Figures will be available to download on our website.

To register for the Annual Lakes Region Pumpkin Figure Contest or to view the items for the Fall Harvest Raffle and purchase Fall Harvest or Cakes 'n Sweets Calendar Raffle tickets, please visit our website at: www.lrscholarship.org

City of Laconia

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Laconia, NH 03246
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CITY HALL HOURS:
8:30 am to 4:30 pm
Monday through Friday
[\(603\) 527-1270](tel:(603)527-1270)

SENIOR RESOURCES

ServiceLink Resource Center
[\(603\) 528-6945](tel:(603)528-6945) is the first number
to call for senior services!



If you're 65 and still working,
you may be able to delay
signing up for Medicare Part B
(Medical Insurance) until you
stop working or your employer
coverage ends.

Find out when you should sign
up for Medicare: <https://go.medicare.gov/3V9aclw>

Upcoming Meetings

Week of October 6 - 10

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:**

Master Plan Steering Committee

October 6, 2025, 6:00 pm

[Agenda](#)

Water Commission

October 6, 2025, 5:30 pm

[Agenda](#)

Planning Board

October 7, 2025, 6:30 pm

[Agenda](#)

Heritage Commission

October 8, 2025, 4:00 pm

[Agenda](#)

Licensing Board

October 8, 2025, 12:00 noon

[Agenda](#)

Special Events Review Committee

October 8, 2025, 12:00 noon

[Agenda](#)

CITY OF LACONIA PHONE DIRECTORY

(All phone numbers below
must be preceded by 603)



Airport	603-524-5003
Airport Manager - Marv Everson	
Assessing	603-527-1268
Assistant Assessor - Tara Baker	
City Clerk	603-527-1265
City Clerk - Katie Gargano	
City Manager	603-527-1270
City Manager - Kirk Beattie	
Code Enforcement	603-527-1293
Codes Director - Joe Gray	
Conservation	603-527-1264
Conservation Technician - Grey Draper	
Economic Development &	603-527-1270
Housing - Director - Joia Hughes	
Finance	603-524-3877
Finance Director - Glenn Smith	
Licensing	603-528-6331
Licensing - Hilary Young	
Fire Dept. (Central Station)	603-524-6881
Fire Chief - Tim Joubert	
Fire Dept. (Weirs Station)	603-366-2229
Library	603-524-4775
Library Director - Deann Hunter	
Parks & Recreation	603-524-5046
Parks & Rec. Director - Amy Lovisek	
Personnel	603-524-3877
Personnel Administrator - Lindsey Allen	
Planning & Zoning	603-527-1264
Planning & Zoning Director - Rob Mora	
Police (Administration)	603-524-5257
Police (Crime Line)	603-524-1717
Police Chief - Matthew Canfield	
Public Works (Main Office)	603-528-6379
Public Work-Transfer Station	603-528-5822
Public Works Director - Wes Anderson	
Tax	603-527-1269
Tax Collector - Katie Gargano	
Water	603-524-0901
Superintendent - Ben Crawford	
Welfare	603-527-1267
Welfare Technician - Cathy Raymond	

City Council Contact Info:

Mayor Charlie St. Clair	603-387-5944
Bruce Cheney (Ward 1)	603-491-8946
Mayor Pro-Tem Mark Haynes (Ward 4)	603-524-3605
Robert Soucy (Ward 2)	603-524-7054
Eric Hoffman (Ward 3)	603-803-3425
Steven Bogert (Ward 5)	603-528-0613
Tony Felch (Ward 6)	603-998-1418

General Council E-mail:
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