



Laconia Links

October 27, 2017- Edition #311



Autumn on Lake Winnisquam
(photo compliments of Liza Kelleher)



Meet and Greet Candidate Night
October 30, 2017 at 6:30 pm
Leavitt Park Clubhouse
334 Elm St., Lakeport, NH

Please join us on October 30th at 6:30 pm - the Moderator of the evening will be Patrick Wood, and at the present time the following candidates for Municipal and School Board positions are expected to be attending:

City Council:

Ward 1 - Bruce Cheney & Susan Hodgkins
Ward 2 - Richard Beaudoin
Ward 5 - Robert Hamel
Ward 6 - Armand Bolduc & Reuben Bassett

School Board:

Ward 4 - Dawn Johnson
Ward 5 - Rodney Roy & Stacie Sirois



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@laconianh.gov

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



Curbside Collection of Yard Waste

This year's curbside collection of leaves and yard waste is scheduled for the week of November 6th. Details and additional information are provided [here](#)!



Laconia Public Library Upcoming Events....

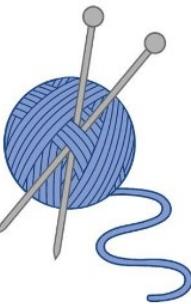


**Teen Craft:
Hand Dipped
Taper Candles
Tuesday,
October 31, 2017
3 pm - 5 pm
Laconia Rotary
Hall**

Celebrate Halloween with candle making!

Create your own hand-dipped candle tapers. This program is free and open to teens.

Registration recommended!



PURL JAM

Thursdays
2pm - 4pm
Volpe Room

Bring a project and knit or crochet while you socialize!

ADULT BOARD GAME NIGHT

Wednesdays
6pm
Selig Storytime Room



Gather together to play. We'll provide the games.

Upcoming Meetings....

Meeting
in
Progress

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

**Please see below for meetings
scheduled for the week of
Oct. 30 - Nov. 3, 2017:**

Trustees of the Trust Fund

October 30, 2017, 10:00 am
City Hall, Mayor's Office

Special Events Review Committee/Licensing Bd.

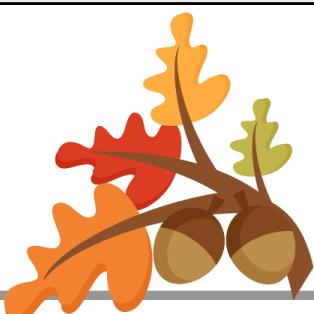
November 1, 2017, 12 noon
City Hall, Room 200A

Conservation Commission

November 1, 2017, 6:00 pm
City Hall, Room 200A

Master Plan Steering Committee

November 2, 2017, 5:30 pm
City Hall, Room 200A



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



CITY OF LACONIA SUPERVISORS OF THE CHECKLIST NOTICE OF SESSION

The Supervisors of the Checklist will meet on Wednesday, November 1, 2017 at 7:00 p.m. at Laconia City Hall, City Clerk's Office for the purpose of making corrections/changes to the checklist. Registrations and changes will be accepted at this session. No other changes will be accepted after this session until the Municipal Election being held on November 7, 2017.

Supervisors of the Checklist:

Marilyn Brown, Ward 1
Richard Lewis, Ward 2
Beth Vachon, Ward 3
David Hough, Ward 4 (Chair)
Barbara Cushing-Moore, Ward 5
Lynda Brock, Ward 6

Nutcracker Christmas Fair

St. André Bessette Parish
31 Gilford Avenue, Laconia

St. André Bessette Parish Hall (Gym)

Friday, November 3, 2017 5 - 8 p.m.
 Saturday, November 4, 2017 9 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Children's Sugar Plum Place
 with Games, Prizes,
 Face Painting,
 & Santa

Fritz's Food Baskets

Snow Queen
 Raffle Table

Mother Ginger's
 Cookie Walk

J & M's Cafe
 Opens at 11:00 a.m.



Land of Sweets
 Baked Goods

Herr Drosselmeyer's
 Magical Surprise
 Theme Baskets

Nutcracker
 Baby Items

Clara's
 Gifts-To-Go

Unique Crafters

Tchaikovsky
 Jewelry Room



"Merry Christmas" Decorations!

**LAKE REGION GENERAL HOSPITAL
NURSERY GUILD**

Looking for gently used children's clothing
 toys and furniture at an affordable price?

**LRGH Nursery Guild's
 Fall Baby/Children's Boutique
 Saturday, October 28**

9am - 2:30pm at the Laconia Community Center
 Donations/Consignments of gently used Fall & Winter children's clothing (NB-size 16) Halloween costumes, toys, books and children's furniture.

We are unable to accept
 car seats, cribs and stuffed animals.

Donations/Consignments accepted at the Laconia Community Center, Union Avenue
 Wednesday, October 25 • 6:00pm - 9:00pm
 Thursday, October 26 • 9:00am - 6:00pm

Proceeds from this event support women's and children's services and organizations in the Lakes Region communities. LRGH Nursery Guild is a 501c3 nonprofit organization

We do not accept Credit/Debit Cards

For more information contact us at: 524-3211 x3018 or nurseryguild@lrgh.org



30th Annual Debra Bieniarz Award

This award is presented annually by the Laconia City Council to a resident of the City based on his/her outstanding service to the youth of the community.

This award was established 30 years ago in memory of Police Officer Debra Bieniarz who served the City and its youth with devotion, dedication and distinction.

Written nominations will be accepted until 4:30 p.m., Friday, November 10, 2017.

Please send nominations to the City Manager's Office, City of Laconia, 45 Beacon St. East, Laconia, NH 03246. Nominations may also be e-mailed to

NBrown@laconianh.gov.

Questions? Call 527-1270.

Be sure to include details as to why you feel your nominee should receive the award.



Dept. of Public Works

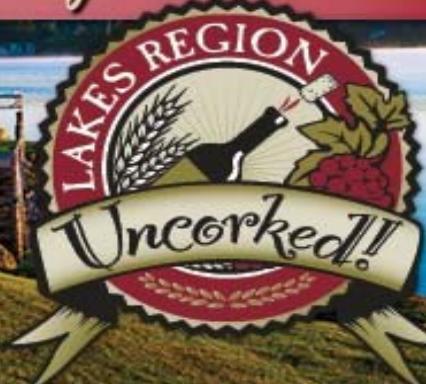
NOTICE

City of Laconia Hilliard Road Brush Dump will commence winter hours of operation by appointment only (Normally at 1 pm, weekdays) EFFECTIVE WEDNESDAY, NOV. 1, 2017
Please call Ann @ 528-6379, Ext. 300 to schedule an appointments
NO LEAVES PLEASE!!Dump sticker or day pass required.

Appreciate All NH Has to Offer

LAKES REGION UNCORKED 2017

Premier Charity Tasting Event



Sample the very best in locally crafted drinks & specialty foods, select silent auction, Wall of Wine raffles & Celebrity Chef sessions
A great time for a great cause!

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2017 from 5:00-8:00pm

Join us at Church Landing at Mill Falls in Meredith, NH

TICKETS ON SALE NOW!

\$100 for a Pair of Tickets \$60 for a Single Ticket

\$95 for a Premier Ticket which includes a Celebrity Chef Tasting

TASTING ROOM

WINES, MEAD, BEERS,

CIDERS & SPIRITS

Black Cove Beverages

Canterbury Aleworks

Coffin Cellars Winery

Cold Garden Spirits

Farnum Hill Ciders

Flag Hill Winery, & Distillery

Haunting Whisper Vineyard

Hermit Woods Winery

LaBelle Winery

Lone Wolfe Brewing Co.

Moat Mountain Brewing Co.

Moonlight Meadery

Sap House Meadery

Seven Birches Winery

Squam Brewing

Tamworth Distilling

Whippletree Winery

Winnipesaukee Winery

Woodstock Inn Brewery

SWEET AND SAVORY

Celebrity Chef Kevin Halligan,

Laconia Local Eatery

Curt's Caterers

Fox Country Smoke House

Hampshire Toffee

Huckins Farm

Moulton Farm

Ooo La La Creative Cakes

Sweet to Eat Cheesecakes

Winnipesaukee Chocolates

Winnipesaukee Woods Farm

Woodshed Roasting Company

Uncorked Proceeds Benefit

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Invest in the Future

Over 40 Years True to its Mission: Dedicated to Serving
the Community by Promoting Independence, Dignity
and Opportunity. *Serving the Lakes Region Since 1975*



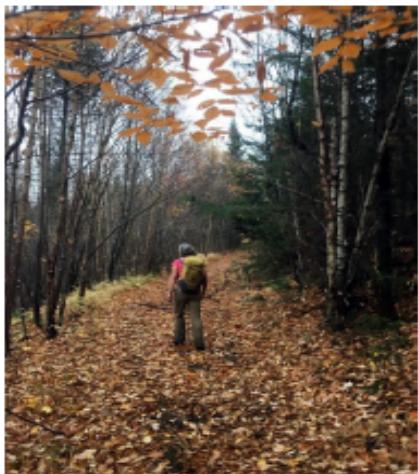
uncorkednh17.eventbrite.com www.lrcs.org 603-524-8811



University of
New Hampshire
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BELKNAP COUNTY

4-H Walking/Hiking Adventures



Open to all youth
and their families.



GET OUT AND BREATHE SOME FRESH AIR THIS FALL!

Looking for some fun & healthy family time? Lace up your hiking boots and come explore some of the many trails in Belknap County. All walks/hikes will meet at the trailhead and leave promptly as scheduled. Each walk/hike will be led by 4-H volunteers. Please sign up in advance so we will know how many people to expect. Hikes will be held drizzle or shine but if weather is a concern contact the 4-H Volunteer leader to make sure.

Questions or to sign up please contact the Belknap County 4-H Office:
amy.jennings@unh.edu or 603-527-5475

Date	Time	Hike	Distance	Contact
10/14 (Sat)	10AM	Whitten Woods, Ashland	2.5 (easy)	Becka Morrill (937-0984)
10/22(Sun)	1 PM	Locke's Hill, Gilford	1.8 (moderate)	Becka Morrill (937-0984)
10/28 (Sat)	10 AM	Prescott Farm, Laconia	Varies (easy)	Michelle Clarke (393-8583)
11/5 (Sun)	1 PM	W.O.W. Trail, Belmont (park at Belmont Beach)	3 miles (easy)	TBD
11/11 (Sat)	10 AM	Rattlesnake Mtn., Holderness	1.8 (moderate)	Michelle Clarke (393-8583)
11/19 (Sun)	1 PM	Ramblin' Vewe Farm, Gilford	Varies (easy)	TBD

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Remember to put out
your recycling the week
of October 30th!

Thank you
for
recycling!



Trick or Treat

At Laconia
City Hall
October 31st
3 to 4:30 pm

Bring your little goblins,
Critters & characters to City Hall
for a special "Trick or Treat" all
around the building! (We will also
have non-candy treats available).
We can't wait to see you!!



City of Laconia

Trick or
Treat Hours
in Laconia:

Tuesday,
October
31st
5:00 pm
to
8:00 pm



HAVE A SAFE
AND

HAPPY HALLOWEEN!



Click [here](#) to read the National Safety Council's
Halloween Safety Tips!



The Laconia Conservation Commission now has a Facebook page! Like the page for updates on environmental information, community events put on by the Commission, and many other related things!

You can find us at:

**<https://www.facebook.com/laconia-Conservation-Commission-184395202109230/> or by typing
“Laconia Conservation Commission Facebook”
in your Google browser!**



Laconia Library Information Services Session



Laconia's Library isn't your typical small town library. Stop by Taylor Community's Woodside Building, Monday, Nov. 6 at 2 p.m. for a talk on the various services provided. This free event is open to the public.

Library staff will be on hand to provide information on eBooks, books on tape, Ancestry.com, Hoopla, Free Museum Passes, Microfilm Research and computer access. They will also assist attendees with obtaining a library card.

**International Film Series
sponsored by Laconia Human
Relations Committee
& Laconia Public Library**

RABBIT-PROOF FENCE
Monday, November 6
Time: 6:15 P.M.
Laconia Public Library



■ **Three young girls
fleeing in a walk
across Australia**

- ◆ **Free and open to
the public**
- ◆ **Brief discussion
after film**
- ◆ **Light snack provided**
- ◆ **Feel free to bring
chair cushion**

For more information contact:
Leonard Campbell lcampbell@nh-cc.org



Extension
Nutrition Connections



COOKING
MATTERS™ for

Families

A 6-week Cooking and Nutrition Series
for Families with Children Ages 5 and up

- Learn basic cooking skills necessary to prepare healthy, low-cost meals.
- Develop healthy eating habits at home, at school, and when eating out.
- Prepare and share meals together!
- Families will receive a bag of groceries to re-create the meal at home.

WHEN

Thursdays from 4.00-6.00pm.
October 26, November 2, 9, 16, 30, December 7.

WHERE

Gilford Methodist Church

TO REGISTER CONTACT

Brenda Carey, 603-527-5475
brenda.carey@unh.edu

Income Guidelines Apply



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is locally sponsored by:



This is a **FREE** program!

For persons with disabilities requiring special accommodations, please contact Brenda Carey at 603-527-5475 within 7 days so proper consideration may be given to the request. Language assistance is available at no cost.



NH Humane Society

Over a century of love for those without a voice.

Pet of the Week: Lucy



Lucy does not know she is a muted calico cat and should, by definition, present an attitude of haughtiness and entitlement. Rather, she is so glad to be cuddled by any human, her purring demeanor wins over absolutely everyone!

We know Lucy is older, perhaps ten, but of course, a lady never divulges her age.

We know she was abandoned. We know she was desperately trying to survive away from the creature comforts she should never have been separated from. Lucy is so incredibly affectionate and likes to wrap herself around your shoulders, impersonating a warm, fluffy scarf.

She seems indifferent to life at the shelter, other pets do not register disgruntlement or ire. She truly could assimilate into any home, with one proviso, lots of laps, and cuddling, and cozy, comfy spaces with a family that will not let her wander off.

Check www.nhhumane.org for more details.

5th Annual Moulton Farm 5K and Fun Run to Benefit NH Humane Society
Saturday, November 4, 2017

Registration and details at nhhumane.org or moultonfarm.com. For more information or assistance, contact Jeff Mills at Moulton Farms at (603) 279-3915 or Lissa at the NH Humane Society, (603)-524-3252



Antiques Appraisal Day
3 pm—5 pm
Saturday, November 4th
Hosted by Laconia Antique Center
601 Main Street
Laconia, NH

All proceeds to benefit the Laconia Historical and Museum Society. Expert appraisers including Greg Peverley will offer verbal estimations of item values including stone-ware, clocks, coins, toys, silver, rugs, collectibles, and general antiques. Limit three items per person. \$5 per item.

This event is held annually every May and November. Come join the fun! Questions? Contact LHMS at 527-1278 or lhmspl@metrocast.net.

Information can also be found at www.laconiahistory.org.





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



Are you thinking ahead to
Thanksgiving and making
plans?

Consider joining the folks
at the Laconia Senior
Center for an early
Thanksgiving Celebration
on November 16th!

Check upcoming newsletters for additional
details.

*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
City Manager's office, 527-1270,
or by e-mail at info@laconianh.gov

Have a great weekend!



Scott Myers,
City Manager
City's Website:
www.laconianh.gov



CITY OF LACONIA PHONE DIRECTORY

Airport	524-5003
Airport Manager: Marv Everson	
Assessing	527-1268
Assessor - Deb Derrick	
City Clerk.....	527-1265
City Clerk - Cheryl Hebert	
City Manager.....	527-1270
City Manager - Scott Myers	
Code Enforcement.....	527-1293
Planning & Zoning Dir. - Dean Trefethen	
Conservation	527-1264
Conservation Technician - Evan Rathburn	
Finance	524-3877
Finance Director - Donna Woodaman	
Licensing	528-6331
Licensing Clerk	
Planning & Comm. Dev.	527-1264
Planning & Zoning Dir. - Dean Trefethen	
Tax	527-1269
Tax Collector - Lindsey Allen	
Fire Dept. (Central Station)	524-6881
Fire Dept. (Weirs Station)	366-2229
Fire Chief - Ken Erickson	
Library	524-4775
Library Director - Randy Brough	
Parks & Recreation.....	524-5046
Parks & Rec. Director - Kevin Dunleavy	
Personnel	524-3877
Personnel Administrator - Paula Baumel	
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	
Water.....	524-0901
Superintendent - Seth Nuttelman	
Welfare.....	527-1267
Welfare Specialist - Gail Denio	
Welfare Director - Donna Woodaman	
<u>City Council Contact Info:</u>	
Mayor Edward Engler	630-4484
Ava Doyle (Ward 1)	393-6533
David Bownes (Ward 2)	524-4330
Henry Lipman (Ward 3)	528-0191
Brenda Baer (Ward 4)	524-6349
Robert Hamel (Ward 5)	524-6360
Armand Bolduc (Ward 6)	524-2514
E-mail: citycouncil@laconianh.gov	

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www.laconianh.gov