



## Laconia Links

June 1, 2018 - Edition #341



Sunset on Paugus Bay taken on May 30th  
(photo compliments of Paul Merritt)



### News from the Planning Department

### TINY HOUSES STILL REQUIRE PERMITS!

Maybe you've seen that cable TV show about Tiny Houses and how they seem to put them almost anywhere there's room. They never seem to mention on TV the need to get proper permits and approvals. The Planning Department would like to remind property owners that the key word in the phrase "Tiny House" is the word HOUSE, because that's what they are, and they are regulated just like any other housing unit in the City.



**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](#).

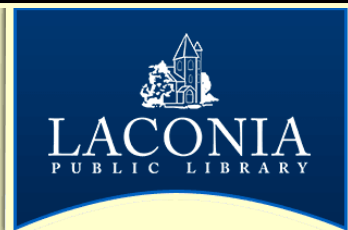
As always, we welcome your ideas and comments as to what you would like to see included in future issues. Just give us a call in the City Manager's office at 527-1270, or contact us by e-mail at [info@laconianh.gov](mailto:info@laconianh.gov)

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



Your backyard may not be able to have a Tiny House if you're in the Single Family zone or your lot may not be big enough for a second unit even if in an allowable zone, and all the usual setbacks from property lines would still apply. Plus there are also reviews and permits required for electrical, water and sewer connections for any type of housing unit, not to mention they need to be anchored to the ground properly in case of high winds. Inspections would be required to make sure anyone living in such a unit is safe.

If you start thinking about the idea of a Tiny House, your first discussion should be with the Planning Department to see if you can do it on your property and what the reviews and requirements would be. Please call the office at 527-1264 and we'll be happy to answer any questions and give proper guidance.



# Upcoming EVENTS

## TWEEN CRAFT: MELTED CRAYON ART

Wednesday, June 6  
3:30pm  
Laconia Rotary Hall

Create a melted masterpiece.

Ages 9 - 12.



## MOVIES & MORE FOR KIDS: "EARLY MAN"

Friday, June 8  
3:45pm  
Laconia Rotary Hall

Set at the dawn of time, when prehistoric creatures and woolly mammoths roamed the earth, Early Man tells the story of Dug, along with sidekick Hognob as they unite his tribe against a mighty enemy Lord Nooth and his Bronze Age City to save their home.

PG. 89 minutes.



Children under 10 years old must be accompanied by a responsible caregiver age 14 or older; all adults must be with a child.



**International Film:**  
**"Valentin"**  
June 4,  
6:15 pm  
Laconia  
Rotary Hall

An 8 year old boy, raised by his grandmother, is surrounded by problems in his family that he finds only himself capable of solving. Rated PG-13, 86 min. Light snacks provided. For information please contact Leonard Campbell at [lcampbell@nh-cc.org](mailto:lcampbell@nh-cc.org).

## WHERE YOU'LL FIND ME

Thursday, June 7  
6:30pm  
Laconia Rotary Hall

On February 15, 2015, Kate Matrosova, an avid mountaineer, set off before sunrise for a traverse of the Northern Presidential Range in New Hampshire's White Mountains. Late the following day, rescuers carried her frozen body out of the mountains amid some of the worst weather ever recorded on these deceptively rugged slopes.

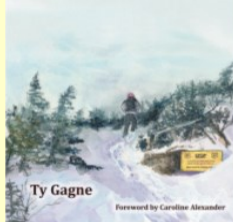
At 32, she was ultra-fit and healthy and had already summited much larger mountains on several continents. Her gear included a rescue beacon and a satellite phone. Yet, despite their best efforts, forty-two expert search and rescue personnel, a New Hampshire Army National Guard Blackhawk helicopter, and a Civil Air Patrol Cessna airplane could not reach her in time to save her.

What went wrong?

Ty Gagne, author of *Where You'll Find Me: Risk, Decisions, and the Last Climb* of Kate Matrosova, offers some answers to that question and discusses what we can learn about risk analysis and decision-making from this and other mountaineering accidents. Copies of the book will be available for purchase and signing after the talk.

## Where You'll Find Me

Risk, Decisions, and the Last Climb  
of Kate Matrosova



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

## Lakeshore Redevelopment Commission

June 6, 2018, 6:00 pm  
[\(See page 9\)](#)

## Conservation Commission

June 6, 2018, 6:00 pm  
City Hall, Room 200B

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



## Meeting in Progress

All meetings are held in  
The Armand A. Bolduc  
Council Chamber in City Hall  
(formerly Room 200A) unless  
otherwise noted

## City Council Budget Review

June 4, 2018, 7:00 pm  
[Agenda](#)

## Planning Board

June 5, 2018, 6:30 pm  
[Agenda](#)

## Special Events Review Committee/Licensing Bd.

June 6, 2018, 12 noon  
[Agenda](#)

## Heritage Commission

June 6, 2018, 5:00 pm



CELEBRATE

OUR  
LACONIA

COMMUNITY

1893-2018

LAST CALL!

LAST CALL!

## Celebrate Laconia 2018 Souvenir Booklet

### Become Part of Laconia's Legacy!

The 2018 Souvenir Booklet will have exclusive content, not available anywhere else, commemorating the City's 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. Businesses are encouraged to place ads or promotional discounts in the booklet, and individuals have the opportunity to get listed in the **"Celebrating Community"** section.

Submit by:  
June 31,  
2018

- \* Individual, Line Listing: \$50.00 and up
- \* Quarter Page: \$75.00 [ 2 1/8" x 4 1/2" or 4 1/2" x 2 1/8" ]
- \* Half Page: \$125.00 [ 4 1/2" x 3 5/8" ]
- \* Full Page: \$200.00 [ 4 1/2" x 7 1/2" ]
- \* Centerfold Page \$500.00 (x2 opportunities) [ 4 1/2" x 7 1/2" ]

A copy of the Booklet will be preserved within the **Centennial Time Capsule** when it is reburied at the end of the summer, to be opened at the 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary.

Contact Name/Business \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor Level/Amount Enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_

Send information & payment to: **Celebrate Laconia P.O. Box 6502, Laconia NH 03247**

### 2018 Sponsorship Opportunities:

**Celebrate Laconia** is thrilled to commemorate the 125<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the City of Laconia. Your contribution will assist with all of our community-focused events throughout 2018. Visit [www.celebratelaconia.org/engage](http://www.celebratelaconia.org/engage) to see all of our sponsorship opportunities and to get involved in the celebrations!



Thank you to our sponsors:

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Laconia Putnam Fund | Lakes Region Community Services | Normandin, Cheney & O'Neil, pllc

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 @celebratelaconianh 
 [www.celebratelaconia.org](http://www.celebratelaconia.org)
[connect@celebratelaconia.org](mailto:connect@celebratelaconia.org)



*Photo compliments of Raymond Photography*

City officials, along with members of the Lezama Family Happy Tails Dog Park group, attended a groundbreaking ceremony recently at the site of the much-anticipated dog park to be located at 55 Growth Road (off Hounsell Avenue). Work on the site will begin soon and is anticipated to be completed this summer. Keep up to date with current information on the opening of the park by checking the Lezama Family Happy Tails Dog Park [Facebook page](#)!

# GOT LUNCH! *LACONIA*



## **GOT LUNCH! Laconia, Year 8! Register or Volunteer NOW!**

GOT LUNCH! Laconia, a summer healthy lunch program that delivers healthy groceries directly to the child's home every Monday morning, will begin deliveries June 18<sup>th</sup>. **June 11<sup>th</sup> is the deadline** to receive the first delivery on June 18<sup>th</sup>. You may begin participating at any time throughout the summer, but new registrations close one week before each delivery date. The program runs each Monday through August 27<sup>th</sup>.

All Laconia school age children are eligible. Although our target population is those families who qualify for 'free and reduced' lunches at the school, it is NOT a requirement for participation. If you need help feeding your children/child this summer, this program is designed for you. GOT LUNCH! Laconia does not want any child to go hungry this summer.

Each year we require a new registration form for you to participate, even if you participated last year. Registrations are available at each of the Laconia Schools, The Congregational Church of Laconia church office (18 Veterans Sq.) and on-line at: [www.gotlunchlaconia.org](http://www.gotlunchlaconia.org). Forms should be returned to the school or the Congregational Church of Laconia.

**Drivers** for the program are needed each week – if you can drive one Monday or all 11 please save the date and attend the "Driver Training" on June 8<sup>th</sup> at the Congregational Church of Laconia, 18 Veteran's Square at 5pm. For more information contact John Walker (528-2152).





# Public Works Department

Public Works is removing two trees on Court Street at the intersection with Fair Street the week of June 11, weather permitting.

The tree removal is part of the Court Street Roadway Improvement project and is necessary to bring the adjacent sidewalks to ADA accessibility standards. Call Krista Larsen at the DPW, 528-6379, for questions about the Court Street project.



## WinnAero Presents Wings, Water, Wheels: A Touch-A-Vehicle Family Event

Photos below are from June, 2017's  
Touch-A-Plane, Touch-A-Truck, Event.



Join us at Laconia Airport, June 2, 2018  
To display your aircraft, contact Dan Caron - [dan.caron@winnaero.org](mailto:dan.caron@winnaero.org)



## Lakes Region Chordsmen in Concert June 11th



The Lakes Region Chordsmen, the local chapter of the Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barbershop Singing in America, are a Taylor Community favorite. Join us for the group's patriotic concert, Monday, June 11 at 6:30 p.m. in Taylor's Woodside Building. This free event is open to the public.



May 16, 2018

**To: Laconia Residents and Businesses**

**RE: Why is the City Closing Three Remote Recycling Locations on June 25, 2018?**

Over the last eight months the value of recyclable materials has drastically dropped. Previous to this change the City did not pay to have the recyclable materials sorted and sold to businesses needing these materials. Beginning in the summer of 2017 the City began paying to have these materials sorted and sold. Over the last few months the cost of recycling has increased such that it now costs over \$30 more per ton to have the material recycled versus burned at the waste to energy incinerator in the Concord area.

The projected recycling program costs for the fiscal year that begins in July has grown to the point that if recycling program continued as is, the City would have had to cut funding to other services to balance the budget. The Council had to make the hard decision on continuing this program. The Council chose to keep the curbside recycling collection program and close the three remote recycling locations. This action will save approximately \$70,000 which should be enough to savings to retain the curbside collection program. The three locations that will be closed are:

Weirs Community Center  
Lindsay Court  
Public Works Garage at 257 Messer Street

Corrugated cardboard, the material in shipping boxes, has sufficient value that a limited cardboard recycling program should be able to break even. A corrugated cardboard recycling center will replace the existing recycling center at the Public Works Garage at 257 Messer Street. Due to the limited space at the Messer Street site, the present recycling containers will have to be removed first to prepare the site for the cardboard recycling equipment. Construction and installing the equipment will take two to three weeks. The City expects the cardboard recycling center to be operable on July 16<sup>th</sup>. Public Works will provide updates as its plan progress.

Residents or businesses with questions can call Public Works at 528-6379.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Wesley B. Anderson", is written over the typed name and title.

Wesley B. Anderson  
Director of Public Works





## Historic Laconia Scavenger Hunt



 <p><b>JUNE 2nd</b> Registration: 12:30p Hunt: 1:00-3:30p</p> <hr/> <p>Details on Facebook ph: 603-524-8813 <a href="http://www.belknapmill.org">www.belknapmill.org</a></p>	 <p>Gather a team, grab your phone (with camera/video storage available), and get ready for a fun afternoon of finding Historic locations throughout Laconia.</p> <p>All proceeds benefit programming for all ages!</p>	 <p>Advanced payment required \$30/Team (up to 6 ppl) \$35/Team after May 25th</p> <hr/> <p>Rain or Shine event</p>
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**This Year's  
Laconia  
Motorcycle  
Week is  
June 9 -  
June 17!**

*Don't miss the fun!*



## Opechee Day Camp

**Camp opens June 25th and runs through August 24th**

**Openings Available!**

Stop by the Parks & Rec office at the Community Ctr. or call 524-5046 for details!



## Parking at Weirs Beach!

Please note that parking is now being enforced in Weirs Beach at the two public parking locations: Lakeside Avenue and Endicott Rock Park.

Both locations are metered. The kiosks accept only coins or credit/debit cards. The City uses kiosks and a "pay by space" system in both locations. Visitors must pay to park between the hours of 9:00 am and 10:00 pm at either location.

There are five, three and two hour parking spaces available on Lakeside Avenue. Parking at these spaces costs \$1.00 per hour. Endicott Rock Park parking lot has no time limits; it costs \$2.00 per hour to park there. If you have a Laconia Resident Beach sticker on your vehicle, you will not have to pay to park at the Endicott Rock Park parking lot, but you will have to pay for parking at the kiosks on Lakeside Avenue. Questions? Please call our Department of Public Works at 528-6379.



## Prescott Farm

### Environmental Education Center

Laconia Fire Captain Jason Bean and Firefighter Steve Hanser arrived in Fire Engine #5 out of the Weirs Station to talk to Fledglings Nature-Based Preschool at Prescott Farm about fire safety, fire prevention and family safety planning. The preschoolers also demonstrated their fire drill skills, and toured the engine.



## 2018 Budget Meeting Schedule

The City manager presented an overview of the proposed 2018/2019 Fiscal Year budget to the City Council on April 23, 2018. Individual departments will now present details of their budgets on the following dates:

- June 4, 7 pm: DPW, Finance, Welfare, Admin.
- June 11, 6 pm: Parks, Recreation, Facilities
- June 18, 7 pm: Followup with depts/General discussion
- June 25, 7 pm: Budget adoption during the regular City Council meeting

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

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

## JOIN THE CELEBRATION!

Participate in the 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Parade as we celebrate community & industry together.

**Parade Date: July 7, 2018**

**Start Time: 2:00pm**

**1-Mile Parade Route: Laconia High School - Opechee Park**

Submit by:  
June 15,  
2018



Parade applications available at  
[www.celebratelaconia.org](http://www.celebratelaconia.org)

or at our **Colonial Theatre** window display.  
All businesses, organizations, & non-profits  
are welcome to participate and showcase  
our Laconia!

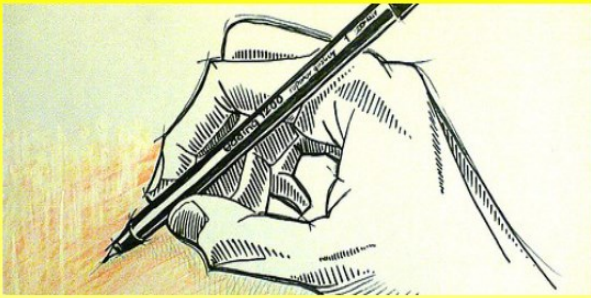
Questions: [connect@celebratelaconia.org](mailto:connect@celebratelaconia.org)  
Facebook: Celebrate Laconia

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The Lakes Region Creative Aging Center  
17 Church Street, Laconia, NH  
..the place to be for adults 55 and older

### *Pen and Ink Sketching Class*

Friday, June 1st, 2018: 10:00 — 12:00

 Friday, June 8th, 2018: 10:00 — 12:00

Instructor: Larry Frates

Learn how to sketch with basic pencil techniques and create a finished pen and ink drawing. Step by step instructions will make it easy for everyone.

All supplies are included. Class fee: \$15.00 per class.

Sign up ahead for both classes and 2<sup>nd</sup> one will be offered at \$10.00.



For more information and to reserve your spot

Call Linda Howard at (603) 273-0125

or e-mail [lhoward@bm-cap.org](mailto:lhoward@bm-cap.org)

## **Lakeshore Redevelopment Planning Commission**

The Lakeshore Redevelopment Planning Commission was created to begin the process of redeveloping the former Laconia State School site. Camoin Associates was chosen by the Commission to draft a strategic plan for the property.

The next meeting of the Lakeshore Redevelopment Planning Commission will be held on Wednesday, June 6 at 7 pm in City Hall, The Armand A. Bolduc Council Chamber (formerly Room 200A), 45 Beacon St. East, Laconia, NH. The meeting will begin with a summary of work to date and information on the draft Strategic Plan by Camoin Associates. This will be followed by an open session to all public comment and suggestion.

Public participation will be followed by a brief meeting of the Commission. The meeting will be televised on LRPA's Channel 26.

## **City Manager Update**

The following updates have now been posted to the City's website to keep you up-to-date and informed on what's happening in your City!

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

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



Contact the City Mgr's office at 527-1270, or [info@laconianh.gov](mailto:info@laconianh.gov)

## **Assessing**

## **Property Tax Credit Forms**

DP-8 forms are now available in the Assessing Office, or on-line at [www.revenue.nh.gov](http://www.revenue.nh.gov). **The deadline for filing is June 30.** This form applies to the Low/Moderate income homeowner's property tax credit.

This program is offered by the State and refunds the State education tax portion of the tax rate to qualifying owners.



Call the Assessing Office at 527-1268 with questions or for additional information.



## Notice to Laconia Businesses **Motorcycle Week Recycling Collections**



Please be advised that recycling glass is no longer cost effective.

**Please place all glass bottles in the trash.**

We ask for your cooperation, especially during the busy Motorcycle Week event festivities. Please remind all of your employees handling recyclables and trash that **“glass is now trash”**.

Thank you for your help!

Questions? Please call DPW at 528-6379.

*Give blood.*

Every 2 seconds someone in the U.S. needs blood.

American Red Cross



### **Blood Drive Historic Belknap Mill**

American Red Cross Bus  
25 Beacon Street East  
Laconia, NH 03247

**Saturday, June 2, 2018  
9:00 AM to 2:00 PM**

Streamline your donation experience and save up to 15 minutes by visiting [RedCrossBlood.org/RapidPass](http://RedCrossBlood.org/RapidPass) to complete your pre-donation reading and health history questions on the day of your appointment.



1-800-RED CROSS | 1-800-733-2787 | [redcrossblood.org](http://redcrossblood.org) | Download the Blood Donor App

### **The Office of Extended Learning Presents:**

PROJECT EXTRA

### **NATURALLY CURIOUS SUMMER PROGRAM 2018**

At: Elm Street School, July 9-August 10, 2018  
8:10 am-3:00 pm, M-F

Return registration with first week's payment and annual fee to your Site Director by: Friday, April 20th

*\*No Registrations will be accepted without registration fee.*

*Space is limited. First come, first served. Register early!*

*Bus is available for 8:10-3:00pm participants; 3:00 pm bus only*

#### **Cost:**

› Annual Project EXTRA registration fee: \$35.00

› Weekly fee: \$125.00\*

*\*(scholarships available for qualifying families)*

#### **Contact your school Site Coordinator for information:**

ESS: Aja Montague  
455-1694 [amontague@laconiaschools.org](mailto:amontague@laconiaschools.org)

PSS: Kathy Westerholm  
455-0125 [kwesterholm@laconiaschools.org](mailto:kwesterholm@laconiaschools.org)

WHS: Meredyth Rolland  
455-9199 [mrolland@laconiaschools.org](mailto:mrolland@laconiaschools.org)

### **FOR STUDENTS ENTERING GRADES 1-5 AT ALL LACONIA SCHOOLS**

**Naturally Curious Summer 2018** is a STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, Mathematics)-based, hands-on exploration of local nature, science, resources and fun activities!

- Academic Enrichment
- Daily trips to Bond Beach
- Outdoor Activities
- Field Trips
- And Much More!

#### **'Engineering' Themes:**

- Grade 1: *Thinking Inside the Box: Designing Plant Packages*
- Grade 2: *A Slick Solution: Cleaning an Oil Spill*
- Grade 3: *The Best of Bugs: Designing Hand Pollinators*
- Grade 4: *Water, Water Everywhere: Designing Water Filters*
- Grade 5: *Sounds Like Fun: Seeing Animal Sounds*

### **DAILY SCHEDULE :**

**8:10- Breakfast provided- no cost**

**8:30 AM to 3:00 PM**

- › Hands-on Learning
- › Lunch provided- no cost
- › Enrichment & Recreation Activities
- › Beach

**Curbside recycling will be picked up the week of June 11th!**



Please note that at this time it is not economically viable to recycle glass. From now on, please place glass items in with your solid waste.

***Remember... "Glass is Trash"***



**BREAKING NEWS!** Due to the forecast for rain, this evening's movie performance has been moved inside the Mill to the 3rd floor. See you there for a fun night!

# ARTS IN THE PARK

## AT THE BELKNAP MILL

A SUMMER FUN SERIES OF STAGE AND CINEMA SPONSORED BY  
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MOVIE  
IN THE  
PARK

06.01  
8:30 PM

Sponsored by  
the Belknap  
Mill and the  
Putnam Fund

EVENT WILL BE HELD IN RIVERSIDE ROTARY PARK. IF INCLEMENT WEATHER PREVAILS, EVENT WILL BE HELD ON THE 3RD FLOOR OF THE BELKNAP MILL.

EVENTS ARE FREE TO THE PUBLIC AND APPROPRIATE FOR ALL AGES.

LAWN CHAIRS, BLANKETS AND PICNIC BASKETS ARE ENCOURAGED AND WELCOMED!



# News

## From the City Clerk's Office



### Stop in to Get Your 2018 Boat and Jet Ski Registration!



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

Get the paperwork done quickly and conveniently at the City Clerk's Office so you can be ready to head to the lake! We are open Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Even non-residents can register their watercraft here in Laconia City Hall!



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

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



### Notice to Laconia Residents & Businesses

### Three Remote Recycling Drop-Off Centers to Close Monday June 25, 2018

Due to the severe decline in the commodity value of recyclables, it is costing more to recycle items as opposed to disposing of them as trash. To stay within the budget, the City's three (3) remote recycling drop-off centers will close effective Monday, June 25, 2018.

Curbside collection of recyclables will continue. Recycling of glass is no longer cost effective. Please put glass in the trash.

**Questions – please call DPW at 528-6379.**

### Resident Beach Stickers Now Available!



Resident beach stickers for Bond Beach or Weirs Beach are now available in the City Clerk and Tax Collector Offices!

Two stickers per household, \$15 each (or \$25 for two if purchased at the same time) 65+ and handicapped - no cost  
Beaches open from June 23-Sept. 3.  
Contact Parks & Rec. at 524-5046 for beach rules.



### Laconia Farmers' Market Live Free and Eat Local Coming Soon!

Join us Every Saturday  
June 23 - September 29, 2018

8:30 am to noon

Beacon Street East  
Laconia City Hall Parking Lot  
Laconia, NH







# WIN THIS HARLEY!

## 2018 Harley Davidson FLHX® Street Glide

Purchase tickets on-line at [www.laconiarotary.org](http://www.laconiarotary.org)

**Laconia Rotary Club's  
26<sup>th</sup> Annual  
Charity Raffle**





- Milwaukee-Eight 107 Engine
- Fully adjustable rear suspension and responsive front suspension
- Reflex linked Brembo ABS brakes
- Security
- Cruise Control
- 6.5 Boom Audio with touch screen GPS
- Wicked Red, Harley's newest color

MSRP: \$24,639

Only 3,000 tickets to be sold! \$20 each.

Need not be present to win.



Sponsored in part by  
Heritage Harley-Davidson  
Concord, NH

All net proceeds raised will go towards Laconia Rotary Club's Charities  
Drawing: Sunday, June 17, 2018 - 4:00pm  
Laconia Rotary Club booth, Lakeside Avenue, Weirs Beach, NH  
For more information and results visit us at [www.laconiarotary.org](http://www.laconiarotary.org)



## POP-UP MEET & GREET AT IRWIN MOTORS

Come on down to Irwin Motors in Laconia for an informal "Pop-Up" Meet, Greet, & Adoption event on **Saturday June 2<sup>nd</sup>, 10:00am to 12:00 noon!** Staff and volunteers from the Humane Society will be on hand to offer learning about the mission and needs of the Society. You'll also be able to meet some adoptable animals who are hoping for a new home! Irwin Motors is located at 59 Bisson Avenue in Laconia.

## Our Staff

### Kim Duncan

Kim played lacrosse for Cornell University and was an assistant coach at Princeton when they won two national titles in 2002 and 2003. Kim will be working with our most experienced players.



### Rose Marie Marinace

Level 3 USL Certification  
HS Coach  
\*Saint Bani 2013 & 14  
\*Bishop Brady JV 2018  
Laconia Lacrosse Club Coach  
2013-Present  
All levels, girls



### Paul Marinace

Level 2 USL Certification  
Laconia Lacrosse Club Coach  
2017-Present 8U, 10U girls



### Meya Minor

Level 1 USL Certification  
Laconia Lacrosse Club Coach  
2018 12U girls



## Up your game with skills work.

- Cradling
- Passing
- Shooting
- Ground balls
- Conditioning
- Game Strategy



Registration is limited, so sign up today.

## Camper Information

Player Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
For Emergency Contact include two numbers:  
Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail \_\_\_\_\_  
Program Liability Waiver Signature (see P&R policies) \_\_\_\_\_

Allergies or medical conditions we should know about: \_\_\_\_\_

How many years have you played lacrosse:  
(Check one) ☐ 0-1 ☐ 2-3 ☐ 4+

Grade \_\_\_\_\_ Age (open to ages 6-18) \_\_\_\_\_  
in September 2018

\$50 covers player fees and Laconia P&R insurance for the event.

Pay Via Parks & Rec or Mail  
1) Through Laconia Parks & Rec  
306 Union Ave.  
Laconia, NH 03246

2) Via Mail:  
Rose Marie Marinace  
155 Jamestown Rd  
Belmont, NH 03220

\$50 Check # \_\_\_\_\_  
Cash: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Date Paid: \_\_\_\_\_



## Bring water and a snack.

### Required Equipment:

- Goggles
- Mouth guard
- Girls' lacrosse stick
- Cleats, optional, but recommended

## Be the best player you can be.

The Laconia Lacrosse Club Camp has been designed to fill the need for a local girls' lacrosse camp in the Lakes Region that focuses on skills.

At the request of local families, we are offering a week-long lacrosse summer camp for girls ages 6-18, from beginners to experienced players.

Groups will be divided based on years of playing experience. Beginners will focus more on building skills while having fun, and the advanced group will emphasize the technical aspects of game strategy and play.

See Parks & Rec Policies  
for refund and other program  
information.

## Girls Lacrosse Camp

### Laconia Lacrosse Club

Laconia Parks and Recreation

Beginner  
Intermediate  
Advanced  
Ages 6-18

June 25-28, 2018  
10am-12:00pm  
LHS Turf Field

Rain Date Friday June 29



### Contact

For questions and other  
registration information

laconialacrosseclub@gmail.com





# Parks & Recreation

## EXPLORE LACONIA'S PARKS MONTH



During the month of June the Laconia Parks & Recreation Department is challenging everyone to visit all of our parks that have a playground. Once you have visited all 8 parks (9 playgrounds) bring your completed checklist into the Parks & Rec office (at the Community Center, 306 Union Avenue) to claim your prize of a certificate for a free ice cream cone! (Prizes kindly donated by Happy Cow Ice Cream)

## Explore Laconia Parks!

Laconia Parks & Recreation Facilities

During the month of June, explore all parks on the checklist below and receive a prize! More info below.

	Park Facility	Address	Acres	Ball Fields	Basketball Courts	Playground	Picnic Area	Swimming	Tennis Courts	Trails	Park House	Sledding	Playground Checklist
1	Bartlett Beach	150 Winnisquam Ave.	3.7		*	•	•						
2	Bond Beach	182 Bond Beach Rd.	30			•	•		•				
3	Bobotas Park	Behind high school	6.2	•									
4	Endicott Rock Park (Weirs Beach)	Rt. 3 on corner of Lakeside Ave.	2.5		*	•	•						
5	Leavitt Park	334 Elm Street	6.6	•	•	*	•	•	•	•	•		
6	Memorial Park	Memorial Park Road	18	•				•		•	•		
7	Opechee Park	915 N. Main Street	20	•	2	•	•						
8	Riverwalk	City Hall parking lot							•				
9	Robbie Mills Sports Complex	Eastman Road	2	•									
10	Sanborn Park	Mechanic Street	4	•	•	*	•						
11	Skate Park	Fair Street	0.25			•							
12	Spruce Street Park	Spruce Street	26						•				
13	Stewart/Rotary Park	Downtown	3			•							
14	Tardif Park	51 Crescent Street	2		•	*	•	•		•			
15	Weirs Comm. Park	49 Lucerne Avenue	27			*	•			•	•		
16	WOW Trail	Lakeport to Belmont	4.4 mi			•			•				
17	Wyatt Park	22 Champlin Street	1.2	•	*	•			•				

Use this guide to tour the parks in Laconia and be sure to visit all 9 playgrounds. When you have visited all 9 playgrounds (at 8 parks), have a parent sign each line under the playground checklist and bring this guide in to the Laconia Parks & Recreation office at 306 Union Avenue. The prize is a kiddie cone from HAPPY COW and will be given to all kids up to age 16 who return this guide. This program runs during the month of June only. While supplies last.

## News From the Tax Department...

Follow this [link](#)  
to our Tax Dept.  
for more info...

### PROPERTY TAX BILLS HAVE BEEN MAILED!

Tax bills were mailed on May 29th. They are due on July 2nd. Payments are accepted by mail and at the counter in City Hall during normal business hours. Office hours are Monday through Friday 8:30 am - 4:30 pm. For your convenience there is a drop slot located on the side door of City Hall. We are now accepting credit cards over the counter and online....Visa, MasterCard and Discover are accepted.

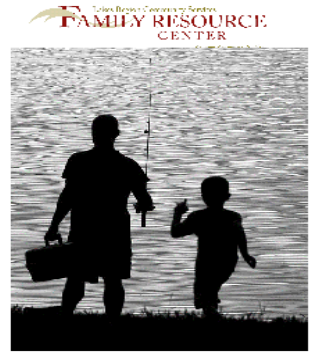
Convenience fees apply to all credit card transactions. Please call the Tax Office at 527-1269 if you have any questions.

## Fishing with Father Figures

\*Weather permitting

June 2, 2018  
10:00am-2:00pm

Opechee Park  
N Main Street / Route 106  
Laconia, NH



You are invited to spend an  
afternoon enjoying quality time with  
your family, meeting other fathers, and  
learning about various supports of-  
fered by the Family Resource Center

Come enjoy fishing, grilling, and other various games!

Please bring a pole if you have one.  
Extra poles and bait will be available at the event... even pink ones!

**June 2, 2018 is Free Fishing Day—No License Required!**

For more information visit

[http://www.wildlife.state.nh.us/Events/free\\_fishing\\_day.html](http://www.wildlife.state.nh.us/Events/free_fishing_day.html)

Feel free to contact Alyssa at 581-1577 for more information,  
or just stop by Opechee on June 2nd.

Hosted by the *Family Leadership Council*  
of the LRCS Family Resource Center of Central New Hampshire



*Celebrating Laconia*

*Children, Families and Community*

*Wednesday, June 20, 2018*

*4:00pm-5:30pm*

*Belknap Mill, Laconia*

Laconia has a long history of collaborative efforts to promote the well-being of children, family and community.

It is time to recommit our community to our youngest citizens and tomorrow's leaders.

Join us in the kick-off of the new **Children, Families, and Community Coalition**, with the purpose to ensure healthy children, families and community through a shared vision and coordinated strategies.

Cathy McDowell from the Coos County Coalition for Children and Families will join us to share her community's experience and success in improving positive outcomes for children.

Please RSVP through Thrive Facebook page or email [Erin.Pettengill@lrccs.org](mailto:Erin.Pettengill@lrccs.org)  
Resource tables will be available for your organization's information

Light refreshments will be served. Certificates of Attendance will be available.

*Thrive Laconia is a grassroots effort to increase the awareness of the importance of the first five years and engage businesses in early childhood and family support services.*

Want to do something that's **FUN & FREE???**  
Something you can do with **family & friends?**

## Quest For the Net 2018 BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

- Teams can have 5 to 10 players each & coed
- Shirts will be given to all participating players
- Prize for the team that wins 1<sup>st</sup> place
- Prizes for teams with best spirit, attitude, & hustle
- 8 teams max, it's 1<sup>st</sup> to sign up is 1<sup>st</sup> to play
- Teams must register by Friday June 8<sup>th</sup>

For team registration and/or for more information,  
contact Kim Wade at 603-707-5867 or [kwade@ppnh.org](mailto:kwade@ppnh.org)



**Saturday, June 23<sup>rd</sup>**  
**Starting at 9:00 am**  
**Laconia High School Gymnasium**  
**345 Union Avenue, Laconia**

There will be a 3 point shooting contest  
prior to the finale game that anyone  
can participate in to win a prize.

Spectators are welcome to attend  
& cheer for their favorite team.  
Lunch will be provided afterwards.

NEW HAMPSHIRE  
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Promoting Prevention and Recovery



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



Lunch is served at Café  
Bienvenue at the Senior  
Center on Tuesdays at  
11:30 am. Our regular  
menu fare is served,  
along with a delicious  
soup and salad bar.

Please call ahead with your reservation,  
524-7689. A \$2 donation is suggested.  
We hope to see you there!

*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](mailto:info@laconianh.gov)

*Have a great weekend!*

Scott Myers,  
City Manager  
City's Website:  
[www.laconianh.gov](http://www.laconianh.gov)



## CITY OF LACONIA PHONE DIRECTORY

Airport .....	524-5003
Airport Manager: Marv Everson	
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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
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Finance Director - Donna Woodaman	
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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
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Welfare Director - Donna Woodaman	
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Henry Lipman (Ward 3).....	528-0191
Mark Haynes (Ward 4) .....	524-3605
Robert Hamel (Ward 5) .....	524-6360
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[www.laconianh.gov](http://www.laconianh.gov)