



Laconia Links

October 19, 2018, Edition #360



Our thanks to everyone who contributed to the success of this year's Pumpkin Festival!



FALL LEAF PICKUP

During the Weeks of October 22nd & November 5th

CITY CONTRACTOR WILL PICK UP
AN ADDITIONAL 10 BAGS DURING THESE 2 WEEKS
(On your normal trash day)

All materials MUST be placed in PAPER COMPOST BAGS.

Please note that yard waste will be collected by a separate truck, NOT the normal trash collection truck. Questions? Call Ann at DPW, 528-6379, Ext. 300

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!





LACONIA
PUBLIC LIBRARY



Family Craft: Paper Jack O' Lantern
Friday, October 26,
4:00 pm

Selig Storytime Room

**Come make a
paper jack
o'lantern to hang
on display!**

Upcoming

EVENTS



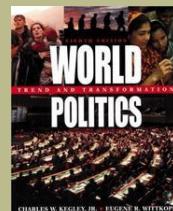
**TEEN MOVIE:
"Solo: A Star
Wars Story"**
Oct. 24, 3 pm
Laconia
Rotary Hall

During an adventure into the criminal underworld, Han Solo meets his future copilot, Chewbacca, and encounters Lando Cairissian years before joining the Rebellion. Rated PG-13, 2 hours 15 minutes

Drop-In Tech Help at the Library!

A volunteer is available to answer basic computer and device questions the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of each month at 2 pm, and the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of each month at 6 pm.

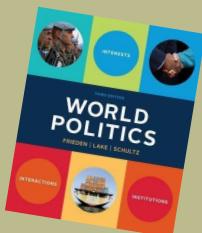
**UNDERSTANDING POLITICS FOR
NEW VOTERS: A NON-PARTISAN
TEEN & YOUNG ADULT EVENT**
Thursday, October 25, 6 pm
Laconia Rotary Hall



If you are confused by the news and unsure of basic principles of civics, come to the Library!

The seminar will cover the basics of terminology, institutions, and political philosophy. There will be a Q & A; no question too small!

This event is presented by the Laconia Public Library's Teen Librarian, Brianna Hemmah, who received a Masters of Science degree from the University of Edinburgh in International Politics.



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.

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

Please note there will be no Laconia Airport Authority meeting in October. The next scheduled meeting is Nov. 15th.

Meetings

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

Trustees of the Trust Fund

October 22, 2018, 2:00 pm

Mayor's Office

[Agenda](#)

City Council

October 22, 2018, 7:00 pm

[Agenda](#)

Capital Improvement Comm.

October 23, 2018, 6:30 pm

[Agenda](#)

Police Commission

October 24, 2018, 3:00 pm

Conservation Commission

October 24, 2018, 6:00 pm

Laconia Pride

Laconia School District

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

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2018

Apple Picking Adventures with Teacher Prep. & Preschool Students!



Find the Approved 2019/2020 School Year Calendar [Here](#)



Pictured: Michael Persson accepting an award for his years of service to the District from School Board Chairperson, Malcolm Murray.

On October 16th, a small reception was held for retiring School Board Member, Michael Persson. Michael was elected to serve on the Laconia School Board in 2012. We are truly grateful for his years of service to the Laconia School District.

2018-2019 FREE COLLEGE PLANNING PROGRAMMING

Laconia High School

Applying to College 101

Date: Tuesday, October 23, 2018

Time: 6:00 p.m.

Selecting colleges and applying for admission can be overwhelming. There are applications to be completed, deadlines to meet, essays to write and policies to understand. This session is intended to educate the student and family about the college admission process and is appropriate for high school juniors/seniors and parents, but all high school students are welcome to attend. Topics include: narrowing your list, questions to ask on a college tour, college essay pointers, the application timeline and the basics of financial aid. Attendees will receive The College Insider.

Questions? See your School Counselor.

Mark Your Calendars!

- October 22: Middle/High Safety Family Forum at 6pm at Laconia Middle School
- October 22: Woodland Heights Ski Program Meeting at 6pm
- October 23-31: Red Ribbon Week *Red Ribbon Week is an ideal way for people and communities to unite and take a visible stance against drugs and bullying.*
- October 25: Lakes Region Spelling Bee at 6:30pm at Laconia High School.
- October 26: Elm Street School VISTESS BINGO Night at 5:45pm
- October 26: Laconia Middle School Dance from 6-8pm
- October 30: Laconia High School Chorus Concert Starting at 7pm at Laconia High School
- October 31: Pleasant Street School's Halloween Parade featuring the Laconia Middle School Band Starting at 1:30pm
- October 31—November 9: Woodland Heights Book Fair
- November 1: Family Writing Night at Elm Street School at 6pm



280 South Main Street
PO Box 7454
Laconia, NH 03246



WINTER OUTERWEAR DISTRIBUTION

Tuesday, October 23 and Thursday, October 25 - 4 to 7pm
Tuesday, November 13 and Wednesday, November 14 - 4 to 6pm

Applications available at santafund.weebly.com

Santa Fund of the Greater Lakes Region
280 South Main Street

PosterMyWall.com



NH Humane Society

Over a century of love for those without a voice.



Meet Bosley. This golden brown, white chested terrier mix little man is about 8 years old and still exudes a gigantic personality that overflows with love. He's the type of guy who bonds quickly and deeply, so much so that his drive to protect his people and keep them safe might be a bit over zealous. So we are recommending that his new angel continue his training so that he might learn to give his people enough space to make their own mistakes.

Bosley loves being that big man on campus, so busy households with children or other dogs are not quite suitable for him. Instead, he would prefer a quiet home with soft beds to curl up in, yummy treats to fill his belly and someone to call his one and only love.

His love and adoration is contagious and you will be smiling each and every day as you arrive home from your adventures and are greeted by this white toed, fleet footed furball's smiling face as he scurries across the floor to your door.

For more information visit nighthumanesociety.org or call 524-3252.



INDOOR YARD SALE

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 3RD 9-1

TARDIF PARK CLUBHOUSE

51 CRESCENT ST. LACONIA

**8 FAMILIES – TABLE RENTAL PROCEEDS WILL
BENEFIT UPCOMING UPDATES OF THE
PARKHOUSE!!!**

Pet of the Week: Bosley



Free Financial Planning Workshops at Lakes Region Community College

Social Security, Retirement, and Investment Planning

Lakes Region Community College (LRCC) and Gregory Caulfield will be offering three financial planning workshops in November. The workshops will run Saturday, November 3, Saturday, November 10, and Saturday, November 17. All three workshops are free, and will be in Lakes Region Community College's Center for Arts and Technology (CAT) Building, Room 215 from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Individuals interested in attending can pre-register for these popular workshops using Eventbrite.

The first workshop is titled ***Social Security and Medicare Planning*** and will be offered November 3. This workshop is for anyone, but specifically baby boomers who wish to have a better understanding of the Social Security System.

Retirement Planning will be offered November 10. The workshop will address such issues as why to develop a retirement plan, retirement strategies and planning topics, such as retirement income replacement strategies.

The third workshop, ***Investment Planning***, will be held November 17. The goal of this investing basics workshop will be to remove the intimidation factor that often comes with investing. Topics covered will include investing strategies, risk types, risk tolerance, and more.

To pre-register and obtain more information about these workshops, go to www.lrcc.edu/workshops.

Gregory Caulfield entered the financial industry in 1989 after serving in the United States Air Force. He has been with Morgan Stanley (formerly Smith Barney) in Gilford, NH since 1991. Caulfield consults with clients to develop financial plans and strategies that guide them from working years through retirement and legacy planning. "I am committed to expanding my knowledge and mastery of the ever-changing financial industry and firm resources to better serve all clients", said Caulfield. In 2016, he obtained the "Chartered Retirement Planning Counselor" designation, and in 2018 earned the internal designation of Portfolio Manager.

Lakes Region Community College offers degrees in 26 program areas, certificates in 34 program areas, and workforce development training for business and industry. LRCC provides housing options for students, and has transfer agreements with many four-year colleges throughout the region, allowing students to begin their education at an affordable community college, with many transfer options to four-year schools. Lakes Region Community College is part of the Community College System of New Hampshire. For more information contact Andy Duncan at (603) 366-5329.





ANNUAL HARVEST SUPPER

FEATURING BEAN HOLE BEANS

ALSO ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT

CORNED BEEF, CABBAGE, POTATOES,
CARROTS, ROLLS, PUMPKIN OR APPLE PIE

Saturday Oct. 20th

Seatings at 5:00 and 6:30

First United Methodist Church

Rt. 11A Gilford (18 Wesley Way)

Adults \$15.

Children 12 and under \$7.

For reservations call 524-3289



form of festive floats and dancing elves - inviting family and friends to join the festivities in the downtown. Jolly ol' Santa will countdown to the grand illumination of the City with the annual lighting of the tree ... which will prompt Laconia businesses and residents to turn on their lights and "Light-Up Laconia" (more details about this initiative coming soon).

In keeping with community tradition, the 0.7 mile parade route will leave from Wyatt Park and end at Veteran's Square. If your family, business or an organization you are affiliated with would like to participate, please find the parade application [here](#). Completed applications can be emailed to connect@celebratelaconia.org or delivered/mailed to: Belknap Mill, 25 Beacon Street East, Laconia, NH 03246

THE 1ST ANNUAL LACONIA YOUTH FOOTBALL & CHEER CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT

Come Join Us!

To Kickoff LYFCA's Helmet Drive

With KBK sports holding an autographed sports memorabilia silent auction!!!!

When: Oct. 21st

Concessions on-site!

Where: Bank of NH Stadium

Try your luck
at the Long Toss!

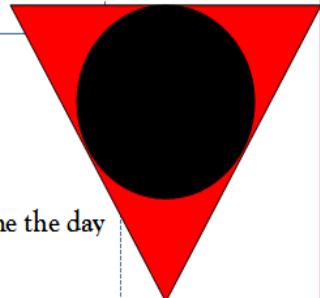
Registration: 12:00 pm-12:45 pm

Starts: 1:00 pm

\$50 per team Pre-Register

AT: www.laconiachiefs.com

Bring your partner or draw one the day
of event!



The 2018 Light-Up Laconia Holiday Parade is Sunday, November 25th at 3:30 pm!

In partnership with the Belknap Mill, the Light-Up Laconia Holiday Parade will kick-off the holiday season for the City bringing holiday cheer in the

18th Annual Community Spelling Bee

Thursday
October 25, 2018
6:30 PM
Laconia High School

Proceeds benefit the



Friends of the
Foundation Operating
Fund

**Free Admission
Door Prizes
after each
round
50/50 Raffle**

Why not "Bee" involved!
•Come and cheer for the
teams or
•Put a team together or
•Sponsor a spelling team
•Become a corporate
sponsor or
•Purchase a Program Ad
or make a donation

Help us
spell success
for our local students!

For more information, please contact the Lakes Region
Scholarship Foundation
527-3533 or Email: scholarship@metrocast.net

R.E.A.C.T.
RECOGNIZE EXPRESS ACT NOW CARE TEXT 'SIGNS'
1-800-735-2954

Take care of yourself. Take care of others. It matters.

A discussion on:

Changing the Culture of Mental Health - It's Way Past Time
with Dartmouth-Hitchcock Senior Director, Public Affairs and
former N.H. Supreme Court Chief Justice John Broderick.

We hope you will join us for this important discussion.

Date

Thursday, November 1, 2018

Time

6:00 pm

Location

Laconia High School Auditorium
Laconia, NH

Hosted by

Belknap County Restorative Justice Program

Dartmouth-Hitchcock's R.E.A.C.T. campaign provides communities throughout New Hampshire and Vermont tips in dealing with signs of emotional suffering, and resources for support. This effort is in response to the five signs of emotional suffering identified by Change Direction, a national organization dedicated to changing the culture and communication surrounding mental illness.



dartmouth-hitchcock.org

INVITATION

- NOTICE OF HEARING -

LACONIA, 16144, X-A001-(150)

The Commission of Three Persons, in accordance with RSA 230:14 and the Surface Transportation and Uniform Relocation Assistance Act of 1987 (as amended), has set a public hearing to discuss proposed improvements to rehabilitate the substructure and replace the concrete slab superstructure of the bridge carrying US Rte. 3 over NH Railroad (Br. No. 131/154).

There are intersections on each side of the bridge, one with Lakeside Ave. and US Rte. 3, and the other with Channel Lane and US Rte. 3. There will also be associated approach roadway work. Total project length including both bridge and roadwork is 125 feet.

The meeting will be held at Laconia City Hall, 45 Beacon Street East, Laconia, NH on November 5, 2018 at 7:00 p.m.

THE BUILDING WILL BE OPEN AT 6:30 P.M. FOR THE
INSPECTION OF PLANS BY ANY INTERESTED PERSONS.

On October 3, 2018, the Governor and Executive Council authorized the petition of the Bureau of Right-of-Way for a Public Hearing on this project, including the appointment of a Commission of Three Persons. The Commission shall determine whether there is occasion for the rehabilitation of the bridge as presented at the hearing.

Notice is hereby given to said Petitioners and the owners of land over which said highway may pass, and to all others interested by posting a like copy in at least two (2) public places in the City of Laconia and leaving a like copy with the City Clerk at least fourteen (14) days before the said day of hearing.

Relocation assistance will be furnished to each owner or tenant whose improvements or property will be acquired for this project based on their eligibility.

Interested landowners, local officials and highway users are welcome and will be given the opportunity to express their comments relative to the project. The testimony will be recorded.

This project may impact historic properties. This project is tentatively scheduled for advertising for bids on March 19, 2019.

Maps, plans, the environmental studies and other pertinent information developed by the Department, along with written views received as a result of the coordination with other agencies, are available at the Department of Transportation at the John O. Morton Building, 7 Hazen Drive, Concord, New Hampshire for inspection and copying. It is suggested you call Bob Landry, Administrator, Bridge Design, at (603) 271-3921 in advance for an appointment.

Immediately after the Hearing, the Commission may reconvene for a meeting to discuss the proposed project. This meeting is a public proceeding under RSA Chapter 91-A. The intent of this meeting is not to continue taking testimony as was done at the Public Hearing, but instead the meeting serves as a decision-making forum for the Commission. The public may observe the proceedings.

If the Commission requires additional time to consider the presented testimony, a Finding of Necessity meeting has been scheduled for Tuesday, December 4, 2018 at 9:00 AM in Room 112/113, John O. Morton Building, 7 Hazen Drive, Concord, NH.

Any individual needing assistance or auxiliary communication equipment due to sensory impairment or other disability, should contact Charles R. Schmidt, P.E., Administrator of the Bureau of Right-of-Way, NHDOT, PO Box 483, Concord, NH 03302-0483 - TDD access: Relay NH 1-800-735-2954. Notification of the need for assistance must be made at the earliest convenience. This project will be administered according to the requirements of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and related statutes to ensure nondiscrimination.

/s/ Charles R. Schmidt
Charles R. Schmidt, P.E., Administrator
Bureau of Right-of-Way
N.H. Department of Transportation

Dated at Concord, NH
October 5, 2018

PUBLIC NOTICE

LRGH Nursery Guild's Annual Fall Children's Boutique



Saturday, October 20, 9 am to 2 pm
Laconia Community Center
306 Union Ave., Laconia

**Consign your used children's clothing, toys
or furniture, then buy whatever else you
may need!**



The LRGH Auxiliary's 17TH Annual Fall Craft Fair

Sat., October 20, 9am-3pm

Laconia High School 345 Union Avenue

**Bake Sale & Raffles & Over
65 Crafters & Door Prize**

Refreshments by Annie's Cafe and Catering



Free Admission. Donations gladly accepted.

*Proceeds benefit the LRGHealthcare Breast Health
program and auxiliary projects.*



TOGETHER WE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE

Laconia Putnam Fund Presents

MC LARS



MC Lars is a unique, world-class, inter-generational talent. He makes Shakespeare and Edgar Allan Poe relevant to the young. He helps older folks understand rap, hip-hop and all that post-modern stuff. Spend some time with MC Lars - The Stanford Kid. He brings the old and the young together.

All Ages Welcome - Family Friendly Show!

Friday, October 26 | 7:00 pm
Laconia High School Auditorium
Free Admission | First Come, First Seated

City Manager Updates

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.

*We hope you find these reports
helpful and informative!*

Contact the City Mgr's office at 527-1270, or
info@laconianh.gov



Jobs for Seniors

The Senior Community Service Employment Program (SCSEP) is funded by the U.S. Department of Labor. The NH State SCSEP Program is administered by N.H. Department of Resources & Economic Development – Office of Workforce Opportunity and Operated by: Community Action Program Belknap- Merrimack Counties, Inc., 2 Industrial Park Drive, P.O. Box 1016 Concord, New Hampshire 03302-1016

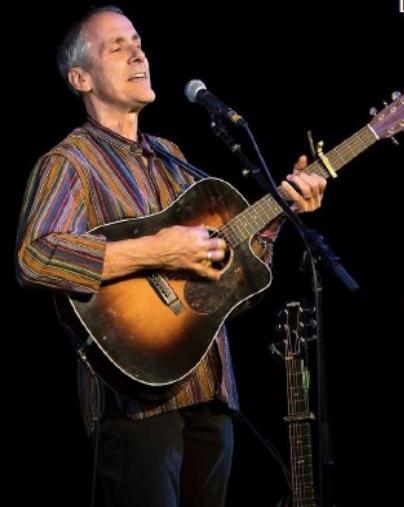
Please call us for more information
603-225-3295 or in NH
1-800-856-5525

- Are you age 55 or over?
- Are you presently unemployed?
- Are you living on a limited budget?
- Are you a year round resident of NH?
- Develop new skills and talents toward alternate career opportunities
- Enhance work experience through exposure to various jobs during enrollment
- Gain real job experience
- 20 hours of wages per week
- Annual physical exam
- Supportive Services
- Community Action Program (CAP)

SCSEP serves Belknap, Merrimack, and Rockingham Counties

Gilford Community Church presents a fundraiser for Lakes Region Mental Health Center www.lrmhc.org

David Roth
Saturday
November 3rd
7 PM
doors open at 6:30
19 Potter Hill Road
\$15 advance/\$20 @ the door
\$10 seniors and children
no one turned away
603-524-6057
gilfordcommunitychurch.org
www.davidrothmusic.com



David's songs have found their way to Carnegie Hall, the United Nations, several Chicken Soup for the Soul books, the Kennedy Center, NASA's Space Shuttle "Atlantis", Peter, Paul, & Mary and Kingston Trio CDs (plus 14 of his own), the "Rise Up Singing" and "Rise Again" songbooks, as well as countless venues in this and other countries (and now other WORLDS) for three decades. Join us for a great cause and an evening to remember...

FABRICATE

THE LAKES REGION
**MANUFACTURING
BREAKFAST
SYMPOSIUM**

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 23, 2018
FROM: 8:30AM - 10:00AM
BELKNAP MILL | 25 BEACON ST. EAST

KEYNOTE SPEAKER: TAYLOR CASWELL
Commissioner - Department of Business & Economic Affairs

GUEST SPEAKERS:
NATHAN SOUCY
Engineering Manager - Titeflex Aerospace

GARY GROLEAU
Senior Divisional Manager, Labor Relations - NH Ball Bearing

SPONSORED BY:
TITEFLEX
AEROSPACE

HOSTED BY:
BelknapEDC
Belknap economic development council

CONTACT:
(603)-524-8813 | 25 Beacon St. East, Laconia
operationsbelknapmill.org



BOYS & GIRLS CLUB
OF THE LAKES REGION

Join us for a night of

OPPORTUNITY & ENTERTAINMENT

Monday, November 5, 2018
4:00 pm - 6:30 pm

Taylor Community
Woodside Building
227 Ledges Drive, Laconia

Enjoy complimentary refreshments, hors d'oeuvres and entertainment by world-renowned crooner Tony Martelli while learning how the Boys & Girls Club has impacted the lives of local children.

This event is free and open to the public, but reservations are requested.

Please RSVP by October 26 to Brenda Kean at 603-366-1226 or bkean@taylorcommunity.org.

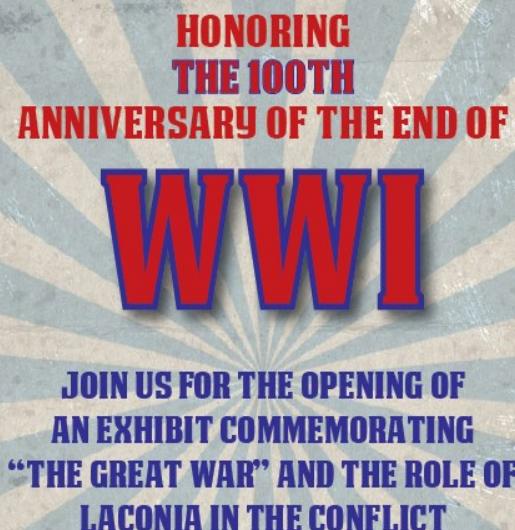


TED Talks: Cancer Survival, Followed by Open Discussion

Join us for three TED Talks, Tuesday, Oct. 30 at 1 p.m. in Taylor Community's Woodside Building Theater. Deborah Rhodes will speak regarding a test that finds three times more breast tumors and why it's not available to you; Jorge Soto: "The Future of Early Cancer Detection;" and David Agus, "A New Strategy in the War on Cancer."

There will be open discussions and personal stories shared during these presentations. The event is free and open to the public.

TED – Technology, Entertainment, Design – is a media organization which posts talks online for free distribution, under the slogan "ideas worth spreading."



OCT 23. 2018 6PM
SPONSORED BY THE LACONIA HISTORICAL AND MUSEUM SOCIETY

LRSO LAKES REGION SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA
Benjamin Greene, Conductor

NOVEMBER 3, 2018 7:30PM
INTER-LAKES AUDITORIUM, RT. 25, MEREDITH, NH

GRIEG - PIANO CONCERTO NO. 1, 1ST MVT
FEATURING CONCERTO COMPETITION WINNER PENNY BRANT

SIBELIUS - FINLANDIA

GRIEG - PEER GYNT SUITE NO. 1

BIZET - L'ARLESIENNE SUITE NO. 1

BRAHMS - VARIATIONS ON A THEME BY HAYDN



TICKETS
\$20 ADULT / \$10 STUDENT
ONLINE - WWW.LRSO.ORG
PHONE - 800-838-3006
LACONIA - GREENLAW'S MUSIC
MEREDITH - INNISFREE BOOKSHOP

Nutcracker Christmas Fair

St. André Bessette Parish

31 Gilford Avenue, Laconia

St. André Bessette Parish Hall (Gym)

Friday, November 9, 2018 5 - 8 p.m.

Saturday, November 10, 2018 9 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

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



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

Clara's
Gifts-To-Go

Unique Crafters

Tchaikovsky
Jewelry Room



"Merry Christmas" Decorations!



Department 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 MONDAY, NOV. 5, 2018

(We will be open Nov. 2 and 3)
Please call Ann @ 528-6379, Ext. 300 to
schedule appointments.

**NO LEAVES PLEASE!!
MUST HAVE A DUMP STICKER OR
DAY PASS**



COME JOIN US FOR
THE "HOE DOWN"
OUR FALL FAMILY FELLOWSHIP
GATHERING



@
THE SALVATION ARMY
ON SATURDAY EVENING
OCTOBER 20TH FROM 6PM-8PM
FOOD, FUN, GAMES AND MORE!



**ALL ARE WELCOME,
HOPE TO SEE YOU
THERE!!**

**QUESTIONS?
CALL (603) 524-1834**



Lakes Region Mental Health Center

The Board of Directors Has Announced
Our 2018 Annual Meeting and Online Auction

Save The Date!
October 23, 2018
5:30 pm

Embracing the Growing Years

Hosted by:

The Common Man Inn & Spa
231 Main Street
Plymouth, NH

Our Online Auction Runs
October 3, 2018—October 24, 2018
WWW.BIDDINGFORGOOD/GENESISBH

Thank you to our Sponsors!



Temple B'nai Israel presents:

WE CARE TO

For the benefit of
Central NH VNA & Hospice
www.centralvna.org

GATHERING TIME

Start with the 1960s folk tradition of Peter, Paul & Mary; add the vocal complexity and electric energy of Crosby, Stills and Nash, a dash of the Byrds and a jot of Joni Mitchell, and you have GATHERING TIME, a folk-rock/Americana harmony trio that has been turning heads for nearly a decade on the northeastern folk circuit and beyond. www.gathering-time.com

Saturday, October 27

Open at 7:00 P.M. for complimentary refreshments
Music at 7:45 P.M.

Meredith Community Auditorium
Inter-Lakes High School
Route 25, Meredith, NH

For more info & to purchase tickets visit
WWW.TBINH.ORG

A Special Thanks to our Event Sponsors:

MEREDITH VILLAGE SAVINGS BANK
GOLDEN VIEW A non-profit community
MIRACLE FARMS PROPERTY MANAGEMENT, LLC

Gathering Time, a top New York based folk rock trio, will perform on Saturday, October 27th at the Inter-Lakes High School community auditorium in Meredith. The concert will include the best songs from the era when popular music took up the mantle of civil rights, peace, and social concern....iconic songs by Bob Dylan, Peter, Paul & Mary, Pete Seeger, Joan Baez, Joni Mitchell and Jefferson Airplane, in addition to Crosby, Stills, Nash & Young. Gathering Time's stage chemistry and amazing harmonies makes it clear that they take the music (if not themselves) very seriously. Yet their infectious energy wins over even fans who never considered themselves folkies. Listen to their sound online - <https://youtu.be/3BGMx4Wx7xo>

In a unique charitable twist, concert organizer "We Care" of Temple B'nai Israel of Laconia will donate net proceeds to the Central NH VNA & Hospice. Event sponsors include Meredith Village Savings Bank, Miracle Farms Landscaping and Golden View Health Care. Refreshments, music, camaraderie and good deeds, all in one great evening for just \$27.50 per person. Doors open at 7:00 pm and the concert begins at 7:45 pm.

For more information and tickets visit
<https://tbinh.org/>

The Clothesline Project

The New Hampshire Clothesline Project is a visual display that uses t-shirts to bear witness to domestic and sexual violence in our communities. All t-shirts are made by victims and friends and family of victims in Belknap County, from 1994 to present day.

Belknap Mill Display

Oct 16th - Nov 1st

Regular Business Hours

Belknap Mill Reception

Oct 23rd 4:30pm - 6pm

Learn more about the experiences of victims & survivors in our community. Refreshments provided All are welcome at this free event.



Contact New Beginnings
24/7 support: 1-866-841-6247
Office: 603-528-6511
director@newbeginningsnh.org

new beginnings
without violence and abuse

OCTOBER IS

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AWARENESS MONTH

Toll-Free. 24-hour.
Confidential. Multilingual.
1-800-799-SAFE

Domestic Violence effects the entire family.

If you or someone you know are victims of domestic violence, you are encouraged to seek assistance; reach out and call the National Domestic Violence Hotline at 800-799-7233.



It's Time to Celebrate

the NH Lakes Region

Thursday NOVEMBER 8, 2018

5:00 – 8:00 PM

Church Landing

MILL FALLS AT THE LAKE

Meredith, NH

TICKETS ON SALE NOW!



Taste the best in local craft beverages and fine foods presented by 33 unique NH vendors.

Meet the entrepreneurs and enjoy products that are second to none!

Sample appetizers galore, smoked delicacies, farm fresh cheeses and vegetables, wood fire pizza, hand-made chocolates, specialty desserts, locally roasted coffees and more.

Attend a Celebrity Chef presentation with Laconia Eatery Executive Chef Kevin Halligan. Shop for unique gifts at the fabulous Silent Auction and food vendor tables. Pull a cork at the Wall of Wine Charity Raffle where everyone is a winner! Or take a chance at the 'Blue Ribbon' Raffle to win your own wine collection and custom-made wine rack!

A fabulous evening for a wonderful cause!

Proceeds support LRCS' important work of providing critical social services to residents throughout the Lakes Region.

**For full event details and ticket sales:
Visit www.lakesregionuncorked.com**

We hope to see you there!



TRICK or TREAT

Trick or Treat Hours in Laconia are: Wednesday, October 31st From 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm

City of Laconia



A beautiful new granite sign has been installed at the entrance to the Lezama Family Happy Tails Dog Park!

The Park is located at 55 Growth Road in Laconia.

Be sure to visit soon with your furry friend!

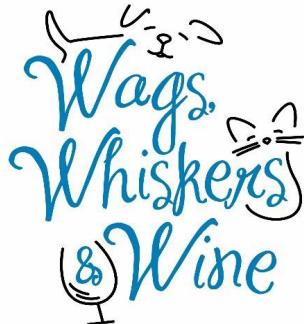
Check out the Park's website here.

(Photo compliments of Paul Merritt)



NH Humane Society

Over a century of love for those without a voice.



Sponsored in part by the Meredith Village Savings Bank, this year's event will once again feature some of the tastiest treats from the Lakes Region's restaurants, incredible wines to sample, live music, a silent auction that will feature priceless works of art, sports, film and music memorabilia, great packages for dogs and cats, gift certificates for all kinds of experiences, an overnight stay at the gorgeous Sheraton Portsmouth hotel, a 3 night trip to Sonoma wine country and even a 7 night trip to Tuscany. And then there's the newly minted "Bag o' Wine" raffle featuring a chance to take home a surprise bottle of wine.

You can now order tickets online by clicking this link: [Wags, Whiskers & Wine Tickets](#)

The event is from 5pm till 8pm. See you there!

EVERSOURCE

American Red Cross



Free! Adult & Pediatric CPR/AED Class offered by American Red Cross & EVERSOURCE for residents of Laconia, NH.

The Adult and Pediatric CPR/AED course incorporates the latest science and teaches students how to respond to breathing and cardiac emergencies for victims about 12 years and older. Students who successfully complete this course will receive a certificate for Adult & Pediatric CPR/AED valid for two years.

Class Date: Thursday, December 6, 2018

Class Time: 9:00am-3:00pm

Place: Laconia Fire Department
848 North Main Street, Laconia, NH

To register online [click here](#) or contact the Training Support Center at support@redcrosstraining.org or call 1-800-REDCROSS.

Please provide this coupon code to register for the course at no cost.
Coupon codes are case sensitive. ARClNTERNAL1217.

Class is available to the first 10 registrants who register.



A gorgeous lakeside tent on the shores of Lake Winnipesaukee at the Margate Resort will be the place to be on the evening of October 21 from 5 to 8 pm as we unveil the second annual Wags, Whiskers and Wine event.



31st 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 31 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, October 19, 2018. 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.

Please call 527-1270 if you have any questions.



HALLOWEEN COLORING CONTEST

Open to Laconia resident children ages 10 and under. There are 2 age categories. Find your age appropriate picture on our webpage along with the rules. You can also pick them up at the Laconia Community Center during office hours. Please follow the rules!!

Due by October 31st at 3:30 pm!

A prize will be awarded to the top winner of each coloring contest!

You will also find a word search just for fun!

[Click here for Parks & Rec. website!](#)



The City of Laconia recognizes 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](#) or printed versions will be available soon in all of our departments. Your feedback is appreciated to help us better serve you! If you have questions, please contact the City Manager's Office at 527-1270, or email NBrown@laconianh.gov.

Thank you for your assistance!



Fix and Prevent Knee Pain without Surgery with Dr. Kristie Ennis

Knee pain very often stems from issues in the hip and ankle. The knee is in the middle and tends to take the force. Come learn specific exercises and soft tissue techniques to fix imbalances and reduce strain to the knee.

When: Monday October 22nd @ 6:15pm

Where: The Downtown Gym, 171 Fair St.

This is a free event.

**The
Downtown Gym**



& Wellness Center, LLC



just might! Rides are available weekdays from 5:00 am to 6:00 pm. Call the Volunteer Driver Coordinator at 225-1989 for a ride or to become a driver!

*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

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

VOLUNTEER DRIVER PROGRAM!

If the Laconia or Meredith Senior Center bus can't accommodate your needs, this program



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
Licensing	528-6331
Licensing - Lindsey Allen	
Planning & Comm. Dev.	527-1264
Planning & Zoning Dir. - Dean Trefethen	
Fire Dept. (Central Station)	524-6881
Fire Dept. (Weirs Station)	366-2229
Assistant Fire Chief - Kirk Beattie	
Library	524-4775
Library Director - Randy Brough	
Parks & Recreation.....	524-5046
Parks & Rec. Director - Kevin Dunleavy	
Personnel	524-3877
Personnel Administrator - Paula Baumoe	
Police (Administration)	524-5257
Police (Crime Line)	524-1717
Police Chief - Matthew Canfield	
Public Works (Main Office)	528-6379
Public Works (Transfer Station)	528-5822
Public Works Director - Wes Anderson	
Tax	527-1269
Tax Collector - Lindsey Allen	
Water.....	524-0901
Superintendent - Seth Nuttelman	
Welfare.....	527-1267
Welfare Specialist - Gail Denio	

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Henry Lipman (Ward 3)	528-0191
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