



Laconia Links

March 15, 2019 - Edition #378

Photo by Rob Clifford Photography



Winter's view of the Belknap and Busiel Mills

Short-Term Rentals in the City of Laconia



City of Laconia officials, along with those in many other New Hampshire communities, have been discussing the issue of short-term rental properties. At a recent City Council meeting, the Mayor introduced a proposal for the Council's consideration to regulate the rental of these types of properties within Laconia. Please click [here](#) to read the proposal.

This issue has been referred to the City Council's Government Operations and Ordinances Committee for discussion at a meeting scheduled for March 25 beginning at 6 pm in Laconia City Hall, in the Armand A. Bolduc City Council Chamber. Everyone is welcome to attend this meeting and provide input and comments. Proposals for regulation of short-term rentals are a work in process, and there will be no vote taken at this meeting.

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!



If you are unable to attend the meeting on March 25th, there will be additional opportunities for you to provide input and join the discussion.

In the meantime, please feel free to submit your comments to the City Council by email at citycouncil@laconianh.gov.

Questions?
Please call the City Manager's Office at 527-1270, or email info@laconianh.gov

*Thank you
for your
help!*





LACONIA
PUBLIC LIBRARY



Adult Craft: Fluid Painting
March 19, 2 pm or 6 pm
Laconia Rotary Hall

Create an abstract piece of art using a fun painting technique. Be prepared to make a mess! Signup required. Call 524-4775, Ext. 12 or email aalwyn@laconialibrary.org

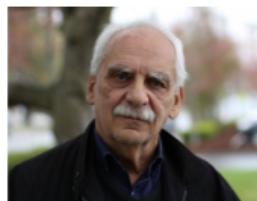
**ASK A MUSLIM ANYTHING:
A CONVERSATION WITH ROBERT AZZI**

**Thursday, March 21
6:30pm
Laconia Rotary Hall**

Robert Azzi is an Arab-American Muslim who grew up in Manchester, NH. After college, he embarked on a career as a photojournalist, traveling extensively throughout the Middle East and beyond photographing wars and conflicts wherever they occurred. Recent efforts to ban immigrants from Muslim countries from entering the United States compelled Azzi to begin a personal effort to share his faith with people interested in knowing more about Islam and the Muslim faith.

Azzi speaks about his life, what it's like to be Muslim in America, how he came to convert to Islam, about the religion of Islam and its history – especially in America – and about the Middle East, terrorism and associated political and social issues. He speaks not as a scholar or academic but as a neighbor, fellow citizen, and person of faith.

Azzi has been a Nieman Fellow in Journalism at Harvard University, a member of the Leadership Council of the Harvard Divinity School, an advisor to Tufts University's Fletcher School committee on Islam and South-West Asia, and is a board member of ACLU-NH. In November 2018 Azzi was honored as the recipient of the 2018 Nackey S. Loeb School of Communications' First Amendment Award.



Upcoming
EVENTS

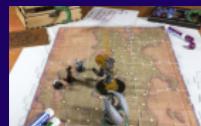


**COFFEE AND
COMMUNITY
CONVERSATION
SERIES**

**March 28, 10 am to
Noon
Mowbray Room**

Join us for our new monthly program! Our first guest, Eric S. Adams, is the Prevention, Enforcement & Treatment Coordinator with the Laconia Police Department. Refreshments provided.

**Adult Dungeons &
Dragons**
March 19, 6 pm
Volpe Room



Join the campaign! Group limited to 8 people, ages 18 and up only. Sign up required. Ask at front desk.

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.

Laconia Airport Authority

March 21, 2019, 4 pm
Airport Conference Room

Board of Assessors

March 21, 2019, 5:30 pm
Room 200B

Meetings

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

Zoning Board of Adjustment

March 18, 2019, 6:30 pm
[Agenda](#)

Parks & Rec Commission

March 18, 2019, 7:00 pm
[Agenda](#)

Human Relations Comm.

March 19, 2019, 3 pm, Rm. 200B

Police Commission

March 20, 2019, 3 pm

Conservation Commission

March 20, 2019, 6 pm

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



Laconia Pride

Laconia School District

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

FRIDAY, MARCH 15, 2019

Attention Laconia Parents, Guardians & Community Members

If you plan to partake in any school related end of year events and/or field trips, you must have a fingerprint/background check completed and on file with the Laconia School District by March 15, 2019.



2019-2020 KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION APRIL 1 - May 3, 2019

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Pleasant Street School	524-2168
Elm Street School	524-4113
Woodland Heights School	524-8733

Mark Your CALENDAR

March 19: District Chorus Concert at LMS 7 P.M.
March 19: School Board Meeting 7 P.M.
March 20: WHS PTO Meeting 6:30 P.M.
March 25: LHS SAT's
March 26: Elementary Math Meet at WHS 3:30 P.M.
March 27: Jump Rope for the Heart
April 1: 19/20 School Year Preschool and Kindergarten Registration Opens
April 2: Blood Drive at LHS
April 2: School Board Meeting 7 P.M.
April 4: LHS Drama Presents: You're a Good Man Charlie Brown 7 P.M.

PRESCHOOL 2019-2020 PRESCHOOL REGISTRATION APRIL 1 - May 3, 2019

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School Administrative Unit 30
39 Harvard Street
Laconia, NH 03246
(603) 524-5710



Larry Frates Creates CARTOON ALONGS

At the Belknap Mill

Thursday, March 21

\$10/ artist

5:30-7pm. Age 11yrs+

Create an original cartoon
Superhero character.


CREATES
Making Art Fun For Everyone



For more information:
524-8813 or operations@belknapmill.org

This is a Belknap Mill fundraising event. All proceeds benefit programming at the Belknap Mill.



CONFIDENCE GROWS HERE



E-Textile Plushy

Mondays, March 4, 11, 18 & 25
6 PM - 7:30 PM

The Belknap Mill
Beacon St. Laconia NH

In this workshop, youth will learn how to incorporate buttons and switches into an e-textile project. Youth will learn how to construct a simple circuit, design, and sew a plushy and use the circuits to make the eyes light up!

Cost: Free
Open to 4-H and non 4-H youth ages 8 and older.
Participants must attend all 4 sessions.

Space is limited.
Registration is required for planning purposes.



LEARN MORE OR SIGN UP:

Please contact Karen Delighan at
603-527-5475, email:
karen.delighan@unh.edu or Belknap Mill
at 603-524-8813.

Register at: <http://bit.ly/2WrMWNI>

AARP TAX HELP

Free Tax Help - Federal Income Tax Assistance Available - AARP Foundation Tax-Aide Program to be offered at Laconia Senior Center 17 Church Street

Thursdays, 8:30 am to 2:00 pm (thru April 11)

Call the Laconia Senior Center at 524-7689 to make an appointment. Taxpayers will need to bring: photo ID, copy of last year's income tax return, W-2 forms, 1099 forms, dependent care provider info, proof of itemizing deductions, health insurance documents and Social Security cards or documentation for yourself and all dependents.

News from the Public Works Dept.



Seasonal weight limits

The City of Laconia will be posting a 10 ton weight limit on select roads beginning March 18th. The weight limits will remain in effect until the roads are solid.

A map of those roads with a seasonal weight limit can be found on the [Public Works website](#).

Permits may be available for loads over 10 tons depending on conditions and time of day. Please contact Public Works at 528-6379 for any questions or for a permit.

Court Street Road Work, 2019

A Public Information Session is scheduled for Wednesday, April 3 at 6:00 pm at the Belknap Mill to review the upcoming construction schedule on Court Street. Construction is scheduled to resume at the end of March on Court Street starting with gas main work between Addison Street and Keasor Court. Drain and water work, and roadway and sidewalk reconstruction will begin as soon as weather allows in April. This year the utility, road and sidewalk work will continue along Court Street up to the Main Street intersection. Updates on the project can be found here: <https://www.laconianh.gov/846/Project-Updates>. Questions can be directed to Krista Larsen, 528-6379 ext. 306.

**ROADWORK
AHEAD**

Union Avenue – Elm Street to Stark Street

 Drain, sewer and road and sidewalk work will resume this April, 2019 as soon as weather allows on Union Avenue. Work will begin in the Union/Elm/Clinton Street intersection and head north toward Stark Street.

Traffic detours are expected, as well as one lane alternating traffic. Construction is expected to be complete in November, 2019. Updates on the project can be found here <https://www.laconianh.gov/846/Project-Updates>.

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BE A POSITIVE ROLE MODEL



Research shows that when it comes to alcohol and other drugs, children are likely to model their parents' behaviors – both healthy and unhealthy ones.

Your attitude about drugs and alcohol can also influence your child's attitude about drugs and alcohol – and have an effect on his/her future behavior. Here are 3 ways that you can be a good role model for your child.

If you choose to drink alcohol, consume small amounts with a meal or for a celebratory occasion.

Don't become intoxicated in front of your child.

Drinking alcohol in excess around your child or using illicit drugs increases the likelihood they will develop alcohol or drug problems.

When it comes to prescription drugs, be sure to follow the instructions properly. Do not use leftover prescription drugs in your house for casual, non-medical use. It's also important not to share your prescription medications with other family members or friends.

Be sure to dispose of unused prescription drugs properly.

Don't save prescribed medications for when they may come in handy, use it later without a doctor's consent, or share the medications with others.

Children learn behavior by observing their parents' behavior. That means your child picks up on the way you cope with stressful situations and how you manage your emotions. When you are overwhelmed, try exercising or using other stress management techniques in order to teach your children that they do not need to drink or use drugs to cope with life's problems.

Source: 2014 Treatment Research Institute and Partnership for Drug-Free Kids



From the Planning/Zoning Department...

Think Twice Before Buying Easter Chicks

With Easter coming soon, you'll be seeing ads for Easter chicks. Aww...aren't they cute? However, the City considers chickens, even the cute little chicks, to be livestock and NOT pets. In most areas of the City, livestock including chickens, are not allowed to be kept on the property.

Chickens, ducks, guinea hens, pigs, goats, and other agricultural animals are not permitted in most districts in the urban/suburban districts in Laconia. Agriculture and agricultural animals are permitted in the RR1 (Residential Rural), RR2 (Residential Rural Corridor) and AI (Airport Industrial) districts. In the CR (Commercial Resort) district, agriculture and the animals typically associated with agriculture are only allowed by Special Exception granted by the Zoning Board of Adjustment. If you're not sure what zoning district you live in, check your tax card on the City website or call the Planning office at 524-1264 to find out.

A good idea is to keep your chick purchases to the pink marshmallow kind!

Sober Parenting Journey

Presented By:



Addiction is complicated and difficult to overcome.

Parents and caregivers in recovery face the additional challenge of building strong, positive relationships with their children while maintaining sobriety, which can be both rewarding and daunting.

Sober Parenting Journey provides a valuable source of fellowship and support and enhances awareness of triggers that may bring about relapse.

Personal recovery, accountability, positive actions, and hard work are only some of the topics discussed by group members.

Participants in this class should have at least 90 days sobriety prior to the start of the class.

Tuesday evenings from 5:30-8:00 pm

Dinner served in class

*14-Week Series begins
March 19, 2019*

*The Family Resource Center
719 No. Main Street, Laconia, NH*

*To register: Contact Tricia T. at
528-0391 or
e-mail tricia.tousignant@lrcs.org*

Limited on-site childcare and assistance with transportation may be available upon request.



WELCOME SPRING!



**The First Day of Spring
is March 20th!!**

Reminder!



**Curbside recycling
will be picked up the
week of March 18th**

**Remember:
"Glass is Trash"**

Give blood.

Every 2 seconds someone
in the U.S. needs blood.
American Red Cross



Blood Drive Laconia Community

Laconia Community Center Hall
306 Union Ave, Laconia

Friday, March 22, 2019
12:30 PM to 6:00 PM

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

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



1-800-RED CROSS | 1-800-733-2767 | redcrossblood.org | Download the Blood Donor App

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BEETHOVEN SYMPHONY NO. 9

ODE TO JOY

LAKES REGION SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA & SUNCOOK VALLEY CHORALE
BENJAMIN GREENE, CONDUCTOR

SCOTT LOUNSBURY, DIRECTOR

SATURDAY MARCH 23, 2019

7:30PM
MOULTONBORO ACADEMY
MOULTONBORO, NH

TICKETS

\$20 ADULTS - \$10 STUDENTS

800-838-3006

www.lrso.org/tickets

**LACONIA - GREENLAW'S MUSIC
MEREDITH - INNISFREE BOOKSHOP**

Sponsored by The Robert T. Smith Family Trust



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"Ensuring success for every student, every day, in every way"



Learn to Play. Play to Learn.

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AN AFTERNOON TO CELEBRATE THE
children and youth in the Lakes Region

The Spirit of Hope & Kindness Awards

SUNDAY APRIL 7, 2019
4 - 6 PM

CHURCH LANDING
Meredith NH

\$25 per person

Semi-Formal Attire

ONLY 150 TICKETS
AVAILABLE

For more information contact
SPIRITHOPEKINDNESS@YAHOO.COM

The Spirit of Hope and Kindness Committee is pleased to announce the finalists for their April 7th event!

Please click [here](#) for the list of finalists and a brief description of all they do for their communities!



Laconia School's City-Wide Chess Tournament

Saturday April 6, 2019 starting at 9am
MVSB Culinary Arts Dining Room
at the Huot Career and Technical Center

Three Divisions of Play

Grades 3-5 Grades 6-8 Grades 9-12

In Search of the Future

Grandmaster!

Thank you to our sponsors for making this event possible:



Unitarian Universalist Society of Laconia
presents

St. Patrick's Day Concert

Sunday, March 17th, 2019
4:00pm

Fiddle, Flute, and Piano music
in the Celtic Tradition



Join World-renown violinist - **Aniko Geldaze**, pianist - **Noelle Beaudin**, and flutist - **Cathy Kaplan** for a foot stomping evening of lively Fiddle, Flute, and Piano music in the Celtic Tradition - Ireland, Cape Breton, Prince Edward Island, Scotland, and the breathtaking music of Sir James Galway. Enjoy good old Irish favorites that will bring back memories and kindle your spirits! At intermission enjoy good cheer with light refreshments of sweet and savory treats. Take a chance on themed raffle baskets to celebrate the "luck of the Irish".

What better way to spend St. Patrick's Day?

Tickets are \$15
March 17, 2019 at 4:00pm at UUSL, 172 Pleasant Street, Laconia

Buy online: www.nhisom.org
Call to reserve or direct purchase: 603-848-2469
Tickets are also available for purchase at Greenlaw's Music in downtown Laconia

Tap into Maple

Family Program at Prescott Farm

Saturdays, March 2 - 30, 2019

90 minute programs — 10:00, 11:00, 12:00, 1:00 or 2:00



**Experience an old-fashioned New England tradition—
making maple syrup!**

\$10/person with pre-registration

(\$8 Members; FREE for Upgraded Members!)

\$12/person at the door

(reservations are STRONGLY recommended)

**Register online today at www.prescottfarm.org
or call 603-366-5695 to save your spot!**

Prescott Farm
Environmental Education Center

Prescott Farm — exploring and preserving the natural world, one adventure at a time.

928 White Oaks Road, Laconia, NH 03246 · (603) 366-5695 · Fax: (603) 366-5720 ·
info@prescottfarm.org · www.prescottfarm.org

Local Eagle Scout Project Fundraiser

Organized by Ryan Poliquin

March 30th, 2019 12pm-2pm

Beane Conference Center: 35 Blueberry Lane, Laconia NH





Live and silent auction

Luncheon with soups donated by Hart's Turkey Farm and Patrick's, Breadsticks donated by Fratello's, salad, desserts & refreshments

Tickets- \$10 each, available by calling (603)923-5189, emailing rpoliquin01@gmail.com, or visit [Eventbrite.com](https://www.eventbrite.com) and search Eagle Scout Project luncheon fundraiser



NH Humane Society

Over a century of love for those without a voice.



Check out a video of this sweet girl [here](#).



APPLY FOR SCHOLARSHIPS

Apply now. Applications are available on line at irscholarship.org.

SCHOLARSHIP ELIGIBILITY:

- Graduates of Laconia High School, Gilford High School, or Belmont High School in NH
- Legal residents of Laconia, Gilford, or Belmont, NH

**Application deadline
April 1, 2019**

Lakes Region Scholarship Foundation

Pet of the Week: Minky

Since October this utterly precious 7-year-old beauty has been staying with us, waiting ever so patiently for you to come and take her to her forever home. Minky came to us when her previous caretakers could no longer care for her and her two sisters due to a move. This girl has been through a lot of ups and downs in her relatively short life and deserves a stable home to get her groove on and show just how cool it is to be a cat. She is sweet, timid and shy, or like any good cat, discerning. Once Minky warms to that right human you will find that she's got the perfect cat class and cat style with her sassy proud walkin' jingle in the midnight sun attitude. Minky's deep soulful green eyes are the kind you'd like to melt into for a thousand years and still want to share more life with this sweet feline.

Tenant 101: A 4-Week Workshop Series

Meets Tuesdays
from 6:00-8:00pm
Free dinner served from
5:30-6:00pm

4-Week Series Begins
April 2, 2019

Interested participants
should contact Tricia T. at
the Family Resource Center
528-0391
tricia.tousignant@lrcs.org

*This workshop series is free.
Limited on-site childcare and
assistance with transportation
may be available upon request.*

Tenant 101 is held at The
Family Resource Center
719 No. Main Street
Laconia, NH



Do you have poor or negative
landlord references?

Do you want to work on changing
them?

Come learn how to be the best
tenant you can be!

Topics Include:

- What do I look for in an apartment?
- What do I expect in an interview?
- Is this apartment affordable?
- What are my tenant rights?
- What is the eviction process?
- How can I be a good neighbor?



The Linden
Foundation

The Samuel P. Pardoe
Foundation



Opechee Garden Club

Elaine Hinchey of Heaven Scent Design will present "Spring Awakening," a program about spring flowers in unique designs, to the Opechee Garden Club on Monday, April 1 at 1:00 pm at the Gilford Community Church, Potter Hill Road, Gilford.

Elaine, owner and head designer at Heaven Scent Design in Laconia, has over 30 years of experience in the floral industry. She has won numerous awards for her work and the flower shop has been voted #1 Florist in the Lakes Region seven times.

Throughout her life, she has been a creative person and has enjoyed the beauty that flowers bring to her life and to others.



TED Talk: How Dogs Love us, March 26



Emory University neuroscientist Gregory Berns had spent decades using MRI imaging technology to study how the human brain works, but a different question still nagged at him: What is my dog thinking? Join us Tuesday, March 26 at 1 p.m. in Taylor Community's Woodside Theater for: "How Dogs Love Us," a TED Talk video.

TED is a nonprofit organization devoted to spreading ideas, usually in the form of short, powerful talks (18 minutes or less). TED began in 1984 as a conference where Technology, Entertainment and Design converged, and today covers almost all topics — from science to business to global issues — in more than 100 languages.

YOUNG ADULTS SUICIDE PREVENTION TRAINING

for anyone between the ages of 18 to 25 years old

Be a leader & an ambassador for the prevention of suicide by attending this vital (and COMPLETELY FREE) training!

Substance misuse, mental wellbeing, and risk for suicide are issues that are challenging and impacting your generation.

This 1 1/2 day training will help you to examine these public health concerns in a clear and straightforward approach.

It will also address these issues in a way that will promote prevention, harm-reduction, recovery and well-being.

Please join us, because your voice matters!

Light refreshments will be offered on both days, with lunch provided on the full day of training.

A gift card will be given to anyone who completes the entire training (attending both days).

**suicide is preventable,
learn how you can help...**

Limited seating, please RSVP today.
You can RSVP by phone or email to:

Kimbly Wade
Community Health Educator
Partnership for Public Health
603-707-5867
kwade@pphn.org

PRESENTED BY

NAMI NH



Training Professionals & Communities In
Suicide Prevention & Response

HELD ON

**Thursday
03/28
1:00 PM - 4:30 PM
AND
Friday
03/29
8:00 AM - 4:00 PM**

LOCATED AT

**Lakes Region
Community
College**

**379 Belmont Road
Laconia, NH
INSIDE
CAT Building, Room 216**

FACILITATED BY



XI DEPT. OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

NHBDAS
BUREAU OF DRUG AND ALCOHOL SERVICES

A green wavy line graphic at the bottom of the NHBDAS logo.

Promoting Prevention and Recovery



The Timmons Team
7th Annual

5k Run/Walk for Alzheimer's Research

LOCATION: Northfield, NH
(Winnipesaukee Trail, Surette Park)



SATURDAY, May 18th, 2019
Registration starts at 8:00 a.m.

Money raised goes directly to research at Boston University Alzheimer's Disease Center. To register, donate or for more information, please visit www.thetimmonsteam.com. This event is open to the public and registrations are accepted on the day of the event.

Donations may also be submitted by check. Please make checks payable and mail to:

Timmons Team Alz. Run
BU Alzheimer's Disease Center (on memo line)
PO Box 284
Tilton, NH 03276

Altrusa International of Laconia

presents

The 29th Annual Taste of The Lakes Region



Sunday March 31, 2019
4:00 pm to 6:30 pm

Church Landing
Meredith, NH

\$30.00 Per Person
Cash Bar

No one under 21 admitted

Spend the afternoon sampling specialties from these great area restaurants all to benefit Altrusa's community projects

405 Pub & Grill + Annie's Cafés & Catering + Black Cove Beverages + Canoe
Ellacoya Barn & Grille + Faro Express + Fratello's Italian Grille
Giuseppe's Pizzeria & Restorante + Hart's Turkey Farm + Hector's Fine Food & Spirits
Hermit Woods Winery + Hilltop Restaurant at Steele Hill Resort
Hobbs Tavern & Brewing Company + Homestead + Lago + O Steaks & Seafood
Patrick's Pub & Eatery + Pleasant View Bed & Breakfast + Tamworth Distilling
Woodshed Roasting Company

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Coldwell Banker Residential Brokerage Laconia & Northway Bank

Easter Egg Hunt!

Saturday, April 13th



**Mark your calendar to join us at Tardif Park.
The Easter Egg Hunt begins at 3:00 pm.
Ages 2 - 11 ~ Free admission ~
Bring your own Basket!**

Questions?
Call Parks &
Rec at
524-5046

Pianist Paul Dykstra in Concert, March 24



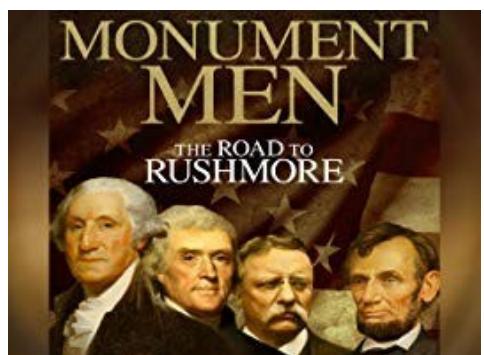
Taylor Community's 2019 Concert Series, sponsored by Bank of New Hampshire, continues Sunday, March 24 at 3 p.m. with Pianist Paul Dykstra.

This event will be held in Taylor's Woodside Building and is free and open to the public.

Dykstra will present music by Beethoven, Chopin and Strauss. This is the seventh season for the concert series, which provides free first-class musical programs in various genres for both Taylor residents and the local community.

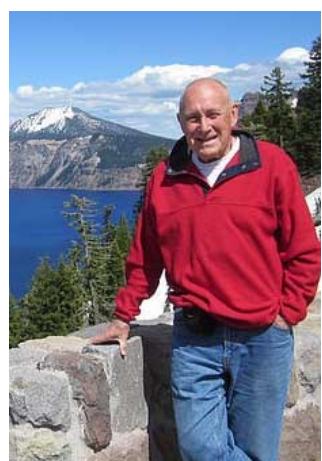
Monument Men Part III, March 27

Witness the rich and tumultuous history behind our nation's Shrine of Democracy in this stunning new documentary series. Chip into the history of the men whose faces are sculptured and the men who sculpted them in this seven-part chronicle containing detailed biographies and virtual tours of Rushmore and the Crazy Horse Memorial.



Wednesday, March 27 at 2 p.m. in Taylor Community's Woodside Theater, we highlight Abraham Lincoln. This free event is open to the public, but reservations are required by calling Brenda at 366-1226.

A champion of the American Union in its darkest hour, Lincoln's unbreakable faith in the U.S. and his role in ending slavery earn him a place on Mount Rushmore.



Lecture with Author John Tuohey, March 25

"...but few are chosen," is the story of three boys coming of age in the mid-1950s. Growing up in working class Irish Catholic neighborhoods in the northeast U.S., they are desperate to escape lives of loneliness, petty crime and violence. At 13, ready to enter high school, they each come to the same decision to enter a seminary. The book chronicles Mike, John and Ollie's fears and frustrations, hopes and dreams while they proceed on their unique path to adulthood.

Join us Monday, March 25 at 6:30 p.m. in Taylor Community's Woodside Building as John Tuohey, one of the three authors of this book, presents a lecture about this story.

Tuohey retired as a Lieutenant Colonel from the US Army Reserve. He was a Registered Nurse for 47 years, 34 as a nurse practitioner, working mostly in emergency departments and urology. Since retirement, he has traveled throughout the United States, camping in national parks and riding his bicycle in all the contiguous states and Hawaii. He is married with five grown children.



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528-6945)....it's the first
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Seniors! Don't forget that AARP provides free tax services at the Laconia Senior Center! Help is available. See page 4 of this newsletter for details and dates. Take advantage of this free help! Call to schedule your appointment at 524-7689.

*Laconia Senior Center is located at
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Questions? Call 524-7689*

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*We welcome your input, comments
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Have a great weekend!



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