



NEW HAMPSHIRE

## Laconia Links

April 26, 2019 - Edition #384



Recent photo of Lake Winnisquam at sunset  
(photo compliments of Maximus Lovisek)

FREQUENTLY  
QUESTIONS  
ASKED

F A Q

# congratulations

**Question:** "My fiancé and I are getting married this summer. How do we go about getting a marriage license?"

**Answer:** We are happy to process Marriage Licenses in the City Clerk's Office during the following times: Monday through Friday, 8:30 am through 3:30 pm. Due to the time involved in processing a marriage license, we may not be able to process it if you arrive after 3:30 pm. The cost for a Marriage License is \$50.00.

*The following information is required when you apply for a Marriage License:*

**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!*

*We require photo identification, birth certificate (if you have it, if you don't it won't stop the process), and if you have been married before then we need a certified copy of the Divorce Certificate, Divorce Decree, or Death Certificate.*

*Both parties will need to be present at the time of the application and the application cannot leave our office. The Marriage License is only valid for 90 days.*

*If you wish to have a Justice of the Peace in our office perform the ceremony, please call the Clerk's office at 527-1265 to schedule a time and to discuss fees.*





**LACONIA**  
PUBLIC LIBRARY



**Family Craft:  
Spring Painted Glass**  
**Thursday, May 2, 4 pm**  
**Selig Storytime Room**  
Paint spring pictures on glass frames.



**Preschool Storytime**  
**Wed., May 1 and Thurs., May 2**  
**10 am, Selig Storytime Room**  
Stories, songs and a craft. For children birth through age 6 and a parent or caregiver.

# Upcoming EVENTS



**Teen Craft: Soap!**  
**Friday, May 3rd, 3 pm**  
**Laconia Rotary Hall**  
Create color swirl soap using one of our many fun molds!

**Teen & Tween Craft:  
Ribbon Wands**  
**May 1**  
**3:00 pm**



**Laconia Rotary Hall**  
**Celebrate May Day!**

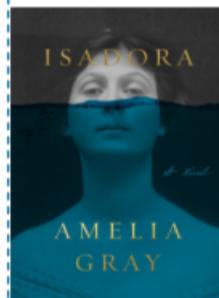
## Spring Adult Book Discussion Series: Art Therapy!

Aristotle said, "Art not only imitates nature, but also completes its deficiencies." Why do we use the arts to express passion, share our darkest secrets, or process traumatic events? Is it because a painting is more palatable to society than the circumstances inspiring it, or is it because a novel has the sense of structure and predictability reality lacks?

In this series, we will explore how the written word, the expression of movement, and the language of music can reveal private truths and act as confession.

**"Isadora" by Amelia Gray**  
**Tuesday, May 7**  
**7 pm**  
**Laconia Rotary Hall**

In 1913, the restless world sat on the brink of unimaginable suffering. But for one woman, the darkness of a new era had already made itself at home. Isadora Duncan would come to be known as the mother of modern dance, but in the spring of 1913 she was a grieving mother, after a freak accident in Paris resulted in the drowning death of her two young children.



Discussion led by Frumie Selchen.

Copies are available at the 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.

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



# 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 Funds

April 29, 2019, 2:00 pm  
Room 200B

[Agenda](#)

## Special Events Review Commission

May 1, 2019, 12 noon  
[Agenda](#)



## PLANNING MEETING



The Light-Up Laconia April Planning Meeting will be held on Monday, April 29th at Burrito Me beginning at 5:00 pm to discuss this year's Holiday Parade and Festival!

Volunteer opportunities are available. The meeting is open to the general public - no invitation necessary! We hope to see you there!

## VISION VAN IS COMING!



 The NH Healthy Families Vision Van will be rolling through New Hampshire on May 13, 14 and 15, 2019.

Services provided include: vision screenings, prescription glasses and readers for those who need them.

Plus fun activities and give-aways from NH Healthy Families. Stop by at one of our locations. Here's how to find us...

May 13, 2019	9am-12N, and 1-4pm	Coos County Family Health Services 54 Willow Street, Berlin, NH 03570
May 14, 2019	9am-12N and 1-4pm	Greater Tilton Area Family Resource Center 5 Prospect Street, Tilton, NH 03276
May 15, 2019	9am-12N and 1-4pm	Family Place & Resource Center 177 Lake Avenue, Manchester, NH 03101

All are welcome. First come, first served.

Contact us for more information at 1-866-769-3085

**Reminder!**



**Curbside recycling will be picked up the week of April 29th**

**Remember:  
"Glass is Trash"**

# Fishing with Families

\*Weather permitting

June 1, 2019  
11:00am-1:00pm

Opechee Park  
N Main Street / Route 106  
Laconia, NH



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

Come enjoy fishing and grilling!

Please bring a pole if you have one.

Extra poles and bait will be available at the event... even pink ones!

**June 1, 2019 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)

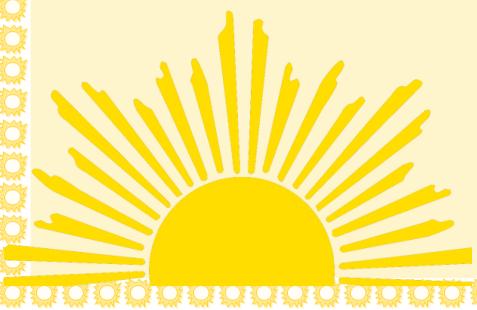
Feel free to contact Alyssa at 581-1577 for more information, or just stop by Opechee on June 1st!

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

## Winter Parking Ban It's a sure sign of spring!

As of Wednesday, May 1st the Winter Parking Ban prohibiting parking on a public street between 12 midnight and 6 am is no longer in effect!

**Thank you for your cooperation over the winter months!**



Your help has allowed our City vehicles to safely and effectively keep our streets passable during the many winter storms this year.

# City Clerk's Office

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



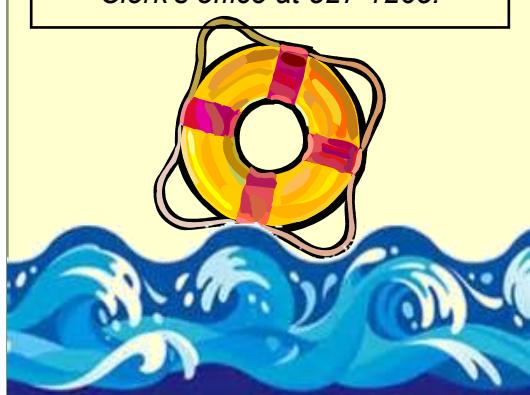
## Now is a Good Time to Get Your Boat & Jet Ski Registration!

Did you know you can process your boat 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 so you will be ready to put your boat in the water now that "ice out" has been declared on the lake!

No waiting for your registration to be mailed back to you! Get it done early and conveniently at the City Clerk's Office. We are open Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

\*\*Please make checks payable to City of Laconia\*\*. In accordance with RSA 270-E:5, II (c) an additional \$5 will be collected for each registration processed as an authorized agent, and an additional \$1 Clerk fee will also apply, for a total of \$6. Please do not make out your check before coming in if you are unsure of the amount .

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

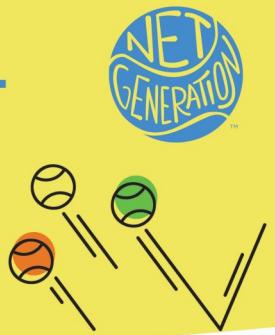


YOU'RE INVITED

## TEAM TOURNAMENT

**Team Tournament** is an innovative way for children to enjoy tennis competition in a low-pressure team environment. This experience will encourage players of all ages to gain match experience, develop their skills through level-based play, and demonstrate good sportsmanship.

It is designed to be delivered as a single event or a series of up to six events, with the objective of providing a fun and social environment that highlights character and skill development. Team Tournament can be played with **orange, green, or yellow tennis balls**.



### Lakes Region Middle School Team Tournament League

When: Tuesdays 3:30-5:30 pm

May 7, 14, 21, 28 & June 4, rain makeup June 11

Where: Laconia Memorial Field Tennis Courts

Who: 5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade students

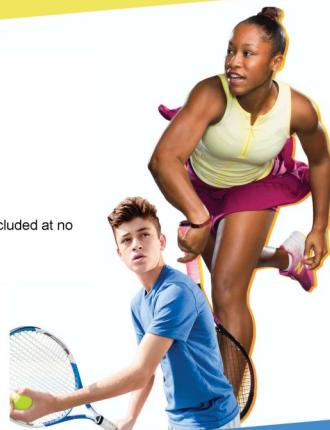
Transportation to the courts from middle school is included at no charge

FREE PROGRAM - racquet and balls are provided

Participants will learn and play in this program, which is being run by certified teaching professional Kent Hemingway.

Pre-registration is required due to limited space  
Register through [Laconia Recreation](http://Laconia Recreation)  
603-524-3877 - [parks@laconianh.gov](mailto:parks@laconianh.gov)

Sponsored by Advantage Kids



LEARN MORE ABOUT YOUTH TENNIS AT [NETGENERATION.COM](http://NETGENERATION.COM)

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## MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

**Wed, May 8<sup>th</sup>**  
**9:00am - 5:00pm**  
Irwin Ford | Lincoln  
59 Bisson Ave  
Laconia, NH 03246

**\$20** to your community  
for every test drive taken  
on **5/8/2019**  
**YOU can help**  
Your Community earn **\$6,000!**



**Kiwanis**  
CLUB OF LACONIA, NH  
**IRWIN**

**TAKE A FREE  
TEST-DRIVE  
AND EARN UP TO**

**\$6,000**

**FOR YOUR COMMUNITY**

**The more people who drive, the more you'll earn for your community.**



## YOU ASKED FOR IT, YOU GOT IT! THE LYFCA & LLC MONTHLY CORNHOLE TOURNAMENTS

Come Join Us!

To Benefit Youth Football, Cheer  
and Lacrosse

When: 2nd Sat. of each Month

Bar & Concessions on-site!

Where: Laconia Elks Lodge

Registration: 12:00 pm-12:45 pm

Try your luck  
at the Long Toss!

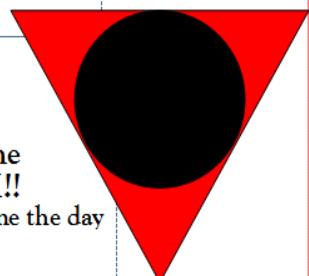
Starts: 1:00 pm

**\$50 per team Registration**

Day of, or \$200 registration for season!!

**\$250 cash prize to the  
WINNING TEAM!!**

Bring your partner or draw one the day  
of event!



## Lake Opechee Boat Ramp Closed Monday–Thursday through May 1

Eversource is improving the reliability of the electric system in the Laconia area. Work to modernize our Messer Street Substation, next to the Lake Opechee boat ramp, is on schedule and nearly complete.

To keep workers and the general public safe during the remainder of construction, the boat ramp will remain closed Monday through Thursday, 7 a.m.–5 p.m., until May 1, 2019. These temporary hours have been in place since November 2018 to maintain safe operations. The boat ramp will be open to the public during hours outside the posted closure times, as well as all day Friday through Sunday.

We'll communicate any updates to the Laconia Department of Public Works, and notices will be posted at the boat launch 24 hours in advance.

Thank you for your patience as we work to serve you even better.

**EVERSOURCE**



## CITY OF LACONIA SUPERVISORS OF THE CHECKLIST NOTICE OF SESSION

The Supervisors of the Checklist will meet on Tuesday, May 7, 2019, at 5:00 pm at Laconia City Hall, City Clerk's Office, for the purpose of making corrections/changes to the checklist. Registrations and changes will be accepted at this session.

### Supervisors of the Checklist:

**Marilyn Brown**, Ward 1  
**Richard Lewis**, Ward 2  
**Beth Vachon**, Ward 3  
**David Hough**, Ward 4  
**Christine Callahan**, Ward 5  
**Lynda Brock**, Ward 6 (Chair)



### CITY OF LACONIA BOARD & COMMISSION VACANCIES

The following Boards and Commissions have current vacancies:

**Board of Assessors (3 alternate positions)**  
**Zoning Board of Adjustment (4 alternate positions)**  
**Library Board of Trustees (2 alternate positions)**  
**Building Code Board of Appeals (2 positions)\***  
**Personnel Advisory Board (1 regular position)**

**Heritage Commission (1 regular position, 1 alternate position)**  
**Lakeport TIF District Advisory Board (2 regular positions) \*\***

\*These two available positions may be filled by a general member of the public, or individuals with either firematic system or mechanical/plumbing experience and licenses

\*\*Members of TIF District Advisory Boards must own property, reside or own/manage/represent a business/organization within the Districts)

Some terms on the following Boards and Commissions will be expiring at the end of June, as shown below. Current Board and Commission members now holding these positions may request to be reappointed; however, members of the public are also encouraged to apply if they are interested:

**Lakeport TIF District Advisory Board (1 regular position) \*\***  
**Planning Board (2 regular positions)**  
**Water Commission (1 regular position)**

If you are interested in applying for one of these positions, please contact the City Manager's office at 527-1270 (or by e-mail at [Nbrown@laconianh.gov](mailto:Nbrown@laconianh.gov)) for further information. Applications are available on-line on our website at [www.laconianh.gov](http://www.laconianh.gov), and can be found at the "How Do I" tab. Applicants must be residents of Laconia. Service on more than one Board or Commission is acceptable as long as it is a non-conflicting Board. The deadline for receipt of applications is May 6, 2019.



## 5th Annual Lakes Region National Day of Prayer

### "Many Voices, United in Prayer"

#### "Prayer and Faith in the Military"



Speaker: Chaplain Steve Veinotte

Location:  
St. Andre Bessette  
Parish Hall  
Gilford Ave.

Buffet Breakfast Served from 7:30 a.m.  
Program Begins ..... 8:15 a.m.  
Program Concludes ..... 9:30 a.m.

Tickets: \$12 each

Contact your faith community or Chris Ray at 603-528-2920  
by email: [crajj@gmail.com](mailto:crajj@gmail.com) or stop by  
Congregational Church of Laconia at 18 Veterans Square

*Proceeds from the breakfast will be shared between  
"Camp Resilience" and the "Field of Flags"*

#### Philosophy

The National Day of Prayer enables us to recall and to teach the way in which our founding fathers sought the wisdom of God when faced with critical decisions. It stands as a call to us to humbly come before God, seeking God's guidance for our leaders and God's grace upon us as a people.

Lakes Region Inter-Faith Prayer Breakfast was started as a means of bringing together people of different backgrounds and affiliations to celebrate the blessings of the year and join in inclusive fellowship of the spiritual renewal of community, state and nation.

## use your head

BEFORE YOU HEAD DOWN THE ROAD,

LEARN TO  
RIDE SAFELY!



**BICYCLE SAFETY**  
**RODEO**

Saturday, May 19, 2018  
10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.  
(rain or shine)  
Elm Street School  
Parking Lot

### PEMIGEWASSET CHORAL SOCIETY • SEASON 46



### A WALK IN THE WOODS

FEATURING "FROSTIANA: SEVEN COUNTRY SONGS" BY RANDALL THOMPSON, BASED ON POEMS BY ROBERT FROST

WILL GUNN, MUSIC DIRECTOR • LAURIE BELANGER, PIANIST  
WITH THE PEMIGEWASSET CHORAL SOCIETY CHAMBER ORCHESTRA

THURSDAY, MAY 2, 7:30 P.M.  
GILFORD COMMUNITY CHURCH, GILFORD, NH

FRIDAY, MAY 3, 7:30 P.M.  
ST. GABRIEL'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH, FRANKLIN, NH

SUNDAY, MAY 5, 3 P.M.  
SILVER CENTER, PLYMOUTH STATE UNIVERSITY, PLYMOUTH, NH

ADMISSION TO ALL CONCERTS IS BY DONATION AT THE DOOR.

THE PEMIGEWASSET CHORAL SOCIETY • P.O. BOX 115, PLYMOUTH, NH 03264 • PEMICHALORG

# LA CONIA



LITTLE LEAGUE



## Opening Day and Parade!

Laconia Little League's Opening Day and annual parade is Saturday, April 27, 2019! The parade will begin at 8:30 am at the Belknap County Courthouse and participants will march through downtown Laconia to Colby Field for the Opening Day Ceremony, followed by opening games.

We hope to see you there!

### 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.



### PROCEEDS TO BENEFIT THE BELKNAP HOUSE!

#### 2nd Annual Pizza Brew Fest

Thursday, May 2, 2019

Beane Conference Center 5-8PM

35 Blueberry Lane, Laconia NH

Generously sponsored by:



603 524 - 2027

DELICIOUS PIZZA

PIZZA & SEAFOOD

LA CONIA, NH

OPEN DAILY

11:00 AM - 9:00 PM

DELIVERY

7:00 AM - 10:00 PM

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# Laconia Parks and Recreation

## Swimming Lessons



### SWIM LESSONS

July 1 through July 26, 2019

Resident Fee: \$30.00 per child or \$50.00 per family

Non-Resident Fee: \$35.00 per child or \$55.00 per family

Monday thru Friday for 4 weeks.

Preschool Level is M, W and F only.

Levels 5 & 6	9:00am
Level 4	9:30am
Level 3	10:00am
Level 2	10:30am
Level 1	11:00am
Preschool	11:30am

Registration is on-going at the office or online. This program is on a first come, first served basis. Send registration form and payment to the office or pay online to be accepted in the program. Please be sure to note which level you are requesting.



### **FREE BEGINNER TENNIS LESSONS**

Sponsored by Advantage Kids (formerly known as Lakes Region Tennis Association (LRTA))

Tuesdays and Thursdays ~ June 24 - August 1

5:30 - 6:30pm Grades 1 - 4 (minimum age of 6)

6:30 - 7:30pm Grades 5 to adults

Racquets are provided if needed. Instruction provided by tennis pro Kamal Gosine.

Anyone interested must register by filling out our registration form. Space is limited. First come, first served.

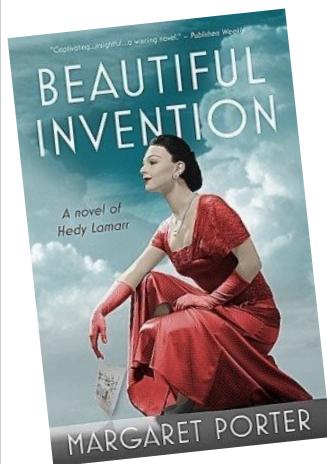
Laconia residents must register before May 31st, non-residents may sign up after the 31st.

Parents must stay with the kids during the lessons.

Anyone disturbing lessons will be asked to leave.



## Author Lecture: Margaret Porter, "Beautiful Invention"



Hollywood beauty. Brilliant inventor. The incredible story of a remarkable and misunderstood woman. Hedy Kiesler, Austrian actress of Jewish heritage, scandalizes Europe with her nudity in the art film "Ecstasy." Her hasty marriage to a wealthy munitions merchant disintegrates, as he grows increasingly controlling and possessive. Even worse, he supplies deadly weapons to Hitler's regime.

She flees her husband and homeland for Hollywood, where Louis B. Mayer transforms her into Hedy Lamarr, an icon of exotic glamour. Professional success clashes with her personal life as marriage and motherhood compete with the demands of studio and stardom.

Motivated by the atrocities of WWII, Hedy secretly invents a new technology intended for her adopted country's defense – and unexpectedly changes the world. Join us, as Author Margaret Porter shares "Beautiful Invention," Monday, May 6 at 6:30 pm in Taylor Community's Woodside Building. This free event is open to the public.

### Professor Michael Cross: The Chocolate Doctor



Do you have a sweet tooth for chocolate, but worry about the side effects? Despite the possibility of over-indulging, chocolate has a wide range of physical and mental health benefits, according to Professor Michael Cross, a self-proclaimed chocolate lover and chemistry professor at Northern Essex Community College, Haverhill, MA.

He will explain this and more during a lecture entitled "Chocolate: The Secret Indulgence." Monday, May 1 at 6:30 pm in Taylor Community's Woodside Building. This free event is open to the public and comes courtesy of the Northern Essex Community College Speakers' Bureau. The audience will learn what a perfect treat chocolate is and the various ways it affects the human brain. Chocolate samples will be included!

### Grief, Neighbors and Walking Each Other Home

In the later decades of our lives, we all walk a path that includes the loss of loved ones and neighbors. Yet, we don't have to walk this path alone. To borrow the title of a wonderful book by long-time friends Ram Dass and Mirabai Bush, we're all "Walking Each Other Home." We bear witness to the joys, sorrows and stories of our lives, helping each other hold a spiraling mix of grief, love and hope. How do we nourish our neighbors and ourselves during these times? How do we taste and share joy and wonder along this path? What does it mean to walk each other home?



Join us Monday, May 1 at 2 pm in Taylor Community's Woodside Building as Dan Kusch helps answer these questions. Kusch is the Spiritual and Bereavement Care Coordinator at Central NH VNA and Hospice, facilitating bereavement support groups at Taylor Community and through the region. This free event is open to the public.

## Laconia Chiefs Football & Cheer Sign-ups

Register NOW at [NHYFSC.ORG](http://NHYFSC.ORG)  
OR

Come to the Laconia Community Center 6p-7p  
March 4, April 1, May 6, June 3, July 1

Must have athletes Birth Certificate at registration!

Open to Laconia, Belmont, Tilton, Meredith, Alton & Surrounding areas!  
Gilford (Cheer all ages & Football grades 162 only)

**\$25 Registration fee**



### FOOTBALL

Ages 5+  
Flag option for ages 5&6  
Tackle 6+

8 In Season games played  
in NH!

Chance to tryout for NH  
AYF All-Star team!

Jersey, Pants, Pads &  
Helmet provided by  
league!

All 2019 Athletes who commit 3 weeks  
will receive a FREE gift!!!

LYFCA is a non-profit, volunteer run organization. All athletes must complete a calendar fundraiser  
prior to first game to participate.

To have continued success with our program ALL parents must complete a minimum of 2 volunteer  
slots throughout the season!



### CHEER

Ages 5+  
4 In-State competitions!

Chance to advance to  
Regional & National  
competitions!

Skill Clinics available!

Additional low cost  
uniform fee!

## Mom's Night Out

All "Mother-Figures" are welcome at  
The Family Resource Center  
(719 N. Main St, Laconia)  
on May 10<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at 6:30pm



2 Movies will be shown  
("Mother's Day" and "Lego Movie")

While mom enjoys some tea, baked goods, and an  
un-interrupted movie; the kids can enjoy  
cookie decorating, and card making, along with a movie.

Raffle tickets for Mother's Day Basket-\$ .50

Limited to the first 75 people.  
Please RSVP with Alyssa Mahoney  
603-531-1577 or [alyssa.mahoney@lrcs.org](mailto:alyssa.mahoney@lrcs.org)  
before Friday, May 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2019



## Parks and Recreation

**Our entire Parks & Rec staff is working hard  
to get our fields and facilities ready for  
spring and summer. There are lots of oppor-  
tunities for you and your family to get  
outside and have some fun!**

**Please refer to our [website](#) for an updated  
list as locations become available for use.  
More are added daily! Questions?  
Call the Parks & Recreation office  
at 524-5046.**



## LACONIA ROTARY CLUB

**Win this 2019 Harley Davidson  
FLHX Street Glide**



To purchase a raffle ticket online, click [here](#). Only 3,000  
tickets to be sold! Winning ticket will be drawn on  
Father's Day 2019, the final day of Laconia Motorcycle  
Week, on Lakeside Avenue in Weirs Beach. Winner need  
not be present to win. Net proceeds support local  
charities.

This 2019 Harley Davidson FLHX Street Glide motorcycle is Wicked Red, and has ABS braking, security cruise  
control, GTS Boom Audio with GPS, MSRP: \$24,482.

Sponsored in part by Heritage Harley Davidson.  
Click [Read More](#) for more details.



**LACONIA'S SPRING  
CLEAN-UP DAYS  
MAY 4 and 11, 2019  
8 AM to NOON**

**FREE - BRING YOUR DISCARDS TO THE TRANSFER STATION  
ON MEREDITH CENTER ROAD.**

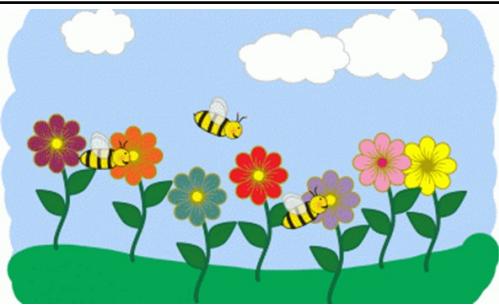
**LACONIA RESIDENTIAL HOUSEHOLDS ONLY  
NO COMMERCIAL ENTERPRISES OR HAULERS.**

**Proof of Residency Will Be Required.**

**ACCEPTABLE:** APPLIANCES, WATER HEATERS, FURNITURE, BEDS, PLUMBING FIXTURES, BAGGED LEAVES, DEMOLITION LUMBER, AUTO TIRES (limit 6 tires per customer).

**NOT ACCEPTABLE:** AUTO TAIL PIPES, MUFFLERS, RADIATORS, ENGINES, BATTERIES OR HAZARDOUS WASTES, PAINTS OR SOLVENTS.

Electronic Waste WILL NOT be accepted free of charge at this event. If you bring e-waste normal fees for disposal will apply.



**2019 CURBSIDE  
SPRING LEAF PICKUP**

**During the Weeks of  
May 6th and May 20th**

**CITY CONTRACTOR WILL PICKUP 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.

**FREE!**

**DEEP BRAIN  
STIMULATION**

**FOR PARKINSON'S DISEASE**

**May 10, 2019**

**JOIN US AT THE DOWNTOWN GYM  
171 FAIR ST. LACONIA NH AT 11:30AM**

**Josh Aronson, MD, a neurosurgeon at Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center will be speaking about Deep Brain Stimulation for Parkinson's Disease.**

**RSVP WITH COMFORT KEEPERS 603-536-6060**

**Comfort Keepers**

**Seasonal help needed!**

**At Laconia Parks & Rec**

Laconia Parks & Rec needs you to help fill a number of seasonal positions! Please click [here](#) to take a look at the jobs that are available. We look forward to having you join our team!

**Rotary**   
**VOLUNTEER**  
**OPPORTUNITY**

Spring Clean & Repair at  
 Belknap County  
 Conservation District's  
 Wetlands Walk at  
 Gunstock



**Saturday, May 4<sup>th</sup>, 9am – 1pm**  
*(rain date Sunday, May 5<sup>th</sup>, 1pm-5pm)*  
 Contact: [laconiarotary@gmail.com](mailto:laconiarotary@gmail.com)

Laconia Rotary invites you to join them and Belknap County Conservation District in the great outdoors for a morning of service to our community.

The wheelchair-accessible Wetlands Walk boardwalk at Belknap County's public recreation area, Gunstock, is an informational boardwalk through the beautiful wetlands at Gunstock, enjoyed by thousands each year. The winter takes its toll on this valuable local resource, and we will be making it ready to be enjoyed by the public for another season.

Project Tasks Include:

- Tree branch trimming
- Trail blaze painting
- Build & install birdhouses
- Build and install duck box
- Planting pollinator gardens

Please spread the word, bring your club, bring your family, bring a team, or come alone and join a team.

To volunteer, sign up on-line at [www.LaconiaRotary.org](http://www.LaconiaRotary.org)

**WAKE THE LAKE**

**OUTDOOR BLOCK PARTY**

FRIDAY MAY 10th

MICHAEL VINCENT BAND • DELANEY  
 SLEEPSPIRIT • THE BLACKOUT SUMMERS  
 DJ KADENCE

SATURDAY MAY 11th

RILEY PARKHURST PROJECT  
 PAPER MONSTERS • THE SUN GOES NOVA  
 COOL YA JETS • SINN • TESTER  
 RED SKY MARY

REGGAE SUNDAY MAY 12th

HIGHER EDUCATION • SUPERNOTHING

GREAT FOOD • COLD BEER • MIXED DRINKS

**THE BIG HOUSE** **Weirs Beach** **TOWER HILL TAVERN**  
 2019 Concert Series

Lakeside Ave Laconia, NH 03247

# Laconia July 4th Celebration, 2019



Sponsored by:  
 The City of Laconia  
 Fourth of July Committee  
 Laconia Parks and Recreation

You are invited to participate as a vendor at this year's July 4th celebration at Opechee Park!

Last year's attendance was approximately 12,000 people and was a fun, family friendly event lasting throughout the day and into the evening, with a gigantic fireworks display.

All vendor fees collected will be used only for the 4th of July celebration. If you are interested in participating, please fill out and return the appropriate Vendor Application below:

[For Profit Vendor Application](#)  
[Not For Profit Vendor Application](#)

Questions? Please call Parks & Rec at 524-5046.

**Weirs Beach**

**BLOCK**  
**PARITY**  
**Weekend**

**May 10-12**

Fri 5-1  
 Sat 11-1  
 Sun 11-5  
 Rain  
 or  
 Shine

No Cover

Witness

ID's Required

New England's best

Live Bands and DJ's  
 on 3 Stages

**DON'T MISS IT!**

Check out our [Facebook](#) page for updates. See you there!

# STOMP THE STIGMA

Awareness Walk 2019



Saturday, May 4<sup>th</sup>  
From 10am - 12pm  
Opechee Smith Track & Field  
915 N Main Street, Laconia

Please join us for an Awareness Walk to help reduce the **STIGMA** that can be associated with suicide and survivors of suicide loss.

**There is NO COST** to participate & we will walk rain or shine!  
FREE bagels have been generously provided by Gilford's

For more information, contact **Kimbly Wade** at 603-707-5867 or [kwade@pphn.org](mailto:kwade@pphn.org)



**#STOP SUICIDE**

Time is running out! Laconia dogs are due to be licensed by April 30, 2019!



Failure to register by April 30th is a violation of RSA 466:13 and subject to a Civil Forfeiture of no less than \$25 in fines and court fees plus any late fees. Please come into the City Clerk's Office, or use our convenient on-line service ([click here](#)).

Questions? Call the Clerk's office at 527-1265.

## KIDS' Fishing Derby

June 22, 2019

Hosted by Laconia Rod & Gun Club

**WHO:** Free event for Children 15 years and under

**WHERE:** Gunstock Ski Area Pond

**HOW:** Pre-register Sun., April 28 from 1-4pm  
Laconia Rod & Gun function hall  
South Main Street, Laconia  
(located next to Vista)



Any questions contact Lisa Judd at 455-6563



## SHREK The MUSICAL

Apr 26  
7pm

Apr 27  
2pm &  
7pm

Apr 28  
2pm

Interlakes  
Community  
Auditorium  
Meredith, NH

Tickets - Adults \$15  
Seniors 62+ & Children 12 and under \$12  
Available at Greenlaw's music in Laconia, online at [StreetcarCompany.com](http://StreetcarCompany.com) and at the door before the show.



SHREK THE MUSICAL  
Is presented through special arrangement with Music Theatre International (MTI). All authorized performance materials are also supplied by MTI. [www.MTIShows.com](http://www.MTIShows.com)



## Pest Management in the Garden

Rachel Maccini, the Pesticide Education Coordinator at UNH Cooperative Extension, will present a program "Pest Management in the Garden" on Monday, May 6 at 1:00 pm at the Gilford Community Church, Potter Hill Road, Gilford. The public is invited to attend.

Ms. Maccini will discuss the major groups of garden pests and give tips to identify the most common ones found in and around gardens in New Hampshire. She will help you learn how to incorporate important IPM (Integrated Pest Management) strategies to control garden pests. IPM is an ecological approach to pest control that protects pollinators and is safer for the environment. IPM is knowing the proper method to use at the proper time. Good cultural practices and proper selection of plant varieties, coupled with mechanical and biological controls, will help control pest populations.

PRESENTED BY

**DEC DANIELS ELECTRIC CORPORATION**

# WOW SAT MAY 18

## SWEEEPSTAKES Ball

### \$10,000 GRAND PRIZE

**\$13,000 in Cash Prizes**

Only 300 Tickets Sold  
Music Dancing  
Casual Attire is Cool!

ADMIT 2

A \$100 ticket entitles you and a guest to:

Admission, dinner, dancing, entertainment and a chance to win a cash prize!

You do not need to be present to win!

\$100

GUNSTOCK MOUNTAIN RESORT  
6:30PM - 11PM | Open Seating  
Doors Open at 6PM

Tickets available online at [banknhpavilion.com](http://banknhpavilion.com) or at Patrick's Pub & Eatery.  
For more information contact [info@wowtrail.org](mailto:info@wowtrail.org) or 603.630.4468



### CITY OF LACONIA 2019 MUNICIPAL ELECTION OPEN POSITIONS

The filing period for the following positions begins Aug. 7th and ends Aug. 16th:

**Mayor**  
**Councilors (All 6 wards)**  
**Police Commission**  
**Supervisors of Checklist**  
**Ward Clerks**  
**Moderators**  
**Selectmen**  
**School Board**

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

## Opechee Day Camp Registration Now Open!

Contact Parks & Recreation at  
524-5046 for details and  
registration.

A sincere THANK YOU to everyone who turned out for the first ever Downtown Cleanup for Earth Day on April 22nd! Way to show pride in our community and make our home a little more beautiful.  
Your hard work is greatly appreciated!





## SENIOR/SENIOR PROM

Tuesday, May 7, 2019 4:30-7pm  
At the Laconia Community Center  
FREE, but first come, first served  
Call 524-5046 to register

Senior citizens and senior high school class members have dinner and dance together during a spectacular evening of fun and food!

## Belknap-Merrimack Counties Head Start, Early Head Start & Child Care



### ENROLL YOUR CHILD NOW!

We are accepting applications for children birth to 5 years old and pregnant women

#### We offer

- ✓ Quality preschool for children ages 3 to 5 at no cost to families (Head Start)
- ✓ Home based program for pregnant women and families with children ages birth to 3 years at no cost to families (Early Head Start)
- ✓ Socialization play group for families participating in the home based program
- ✓ Low cost full day child care for children 6 weeks to 5 years old

#### We provide

- ✓ Early Education
- ✓ Health Screenings
- ✓ Nutritious meals and snacks (center based programs)
- ✓ Individualized services for children of all abilities
- ✓ Tools to help children and families succeed
- ✓ Opportunities for family involvement
- ✓ Help accessing community & transportation resources



10/20/2017

*Partnering with families to prepare young children for success in school and life*

For all programs, call:  
603-225-3295 or 1-800-856-5525

#### Center Locations

##### *Also serving surrounding towns*

Concord 603-224-6492  
67 Old Loudon Road  
(Head Start, Early Head Start & Child Care)

Franklin 603-934-2161  
12 Rowell Drive  
(Head Start, Early Head Start)

Laconia 603-528-5334  
121 Belmont Road  
(Head Start, Early Head Start & Child Care)

Pittsfield 603-435-6618  
8 Catamount Road  
(Head Start)  
7 Fayette Street 603-435-6611  
(Early Head Start)

Warner 603-456-2208  
49 Main Street  
(Head Start)

LIKE US ON FACEBOOK



Belknap-Merrimack Head Start



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



Another fun way to support Meals on Wheels! 31 chances in the month of May to WIN great prizes for only \$5! Stop by the Laconia Senior Center (17 Church Street) to purchase a calendar or call us at 524-7689 for more information.

Click the image (above) to view a full-sized version of the prize calendar. Good luck!!

*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	
Assessing .....	527-1268
City Clerk.....	527-1265
City Clerk - Cheryl Hebert	
City Manager.....	527-1270
City Manager - Scott Myers	
Code Enforcement.....	527-1293
Planning & Zoning Dir. - Dean Trefethen	
Conservation .....	527-1264
Conservation Technician - Evan Rathburn	
Finance .....	524-3877
Finance Director - Glenn Smith	
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
Fire Chief - Kirk Beattie	
Library .....	524-4775
Library Director - Randy Brough	
Parks & Recreation.....	524-5046
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	
Tax .....	527-1269
Tax Collector - Lindsey Allen	
Water.....	524-0901
Superintendent - Seth Nuttelman	
Welfare.....	527-1267
Welfare Specialist - Gail Denio	

### City Council Contact Info:

Mayor Edward Engler .....	630-4484
Bruce Cheney (Ward 1).....	491-8946
David Bownes (Ward 2) .....	524-4330
Henry Lipman (Ward 3) .....	528-0191
Mark Haynes (Ward 4) .....	524-3605
Robert Hamel (Ward 5) .....	524-6360
Andrew Hosmer (Ward 6).....	496-2078
E-mail: <a href="mailto:citycouncil@laconianh.gov">citycouncil@laconianh.gov</a>	

Visit the City's website at:  
[www.laconianh.gov](http://www.laconianh.gov)