



## Laconia Links

December 11, 2020 - Edition #467



*Thank you to "View From Above" for this gorgeous sunset view of our City*

## Laconia City Hall



**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!*

While City Hall remains open to the public and we are always happy to see our customers, COVID numbers are on the rise and it is now even more vitally important that everyone continues to social distance and limit their activities. With that in mind and the safety of our visitors and staff our primary concern, we are asking that whenever possible you conduct your City business on-line or by phone. There are a number of transactions that can easily be done without making a trip to City Hall. Please see page 14 for more information.

Our staff is always available and happy to help you with any questions you may have, or assist if you have questions while using our on-line services.

Also, if you do find it necessary to come to City Hall in person, we want to remind you that our lobby can only hold a limited number of people at a time. Depending on how busy our departments are when you arrive, you may find that you have to wait outside for a short time, so please dress appropriately for the weather to stay warm until you can come inside.

If there is a line when you arrive and you wish to wait in your car rather than in the lobby or outside, you may find our new "Wait in Your Car Check In" service helpful! Please call 603-387-1252 when you get here and we will call you back when it is your turn to come in!

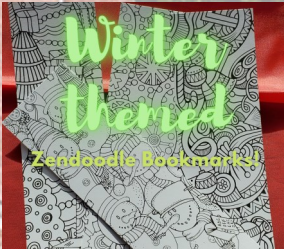
**Please note that per Governor Sununu's Emergency Order #74, facemasks are now required to be worn in all public buildings.**

For questions of a general nature, please call the City Manager's Office at 527-1270.



# EVENTS and Programs

The Library is open to the public! Check the Library's [home page](#) for updated information.



**Programs to Go!**  
**Zendoodle Bookmarks**  
Ongoing and for all ages. Relax at home with a Zendoodle Bookmark and a set of colored pencils!

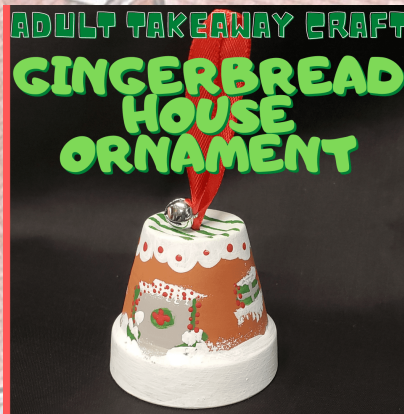


TEEN & TWEEN  
PROGRAMS-TO-GO

*Glitter  
Ornaments*

All December long!  
Make a glittery ornament keepsake.  
Kit includes 1 clear plastic bulb ornament,  
1 small pot of glitter, 1 vial of floor polish,  
and a paper funnel.

Limited quantity, signup suggested.



**Adult Takeaway Craft:**  
**Gingerbread House Ornament!**

Paint a cute ornament for your tree! The kit includes 1 small flower pot, paint-brushes, assorted paint, ribbon, bell, and a stick for drawing. Sign up for a bag of materials and instructions; a limited number of kits are available throughout the month of December.

## 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 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 additional information on a meeting or to obtain a printed copy of the agenda. You are invited and encouraged to participate in any public meeting 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

### **City Council Land & Buildings Subcommittee**

December 14, 2020, 6:00 pm

[Agenda](#)

### **City Council**

December 14, 2020, 7:00 pm

[Agenda](#)

### **Mayor's Homelessness Task Force**

December 15, 2020, 4:00 pm

[Agenda](#)

### **Police Commission**

December 16, 2020, 3:00 pm

### **Water Commission**

December 17, 2020, 8:00 am

[Agenda](#)

## Residential Excess Trash Sticker Program Now in Effect!



Laconia families living in single family, duplex and triplex homes that receive the City's curbside collection service are currently allowed to place two 30-gallon trash cans at the curb for collection.

In response to residents' concerns and acknowledging that there are times (such as the holidays) when more than two trash cans may be needed, the City Council has approved the Residential Excess Trash Sticker Program which will become effective December 7, 2020.

Families living in single family, duplex and triplex homes will now be able to place more trash cans out for collection for a small fee. Excess trash stickers can be purchased and are available at the City Clerk's Office in City Hall and at the Public Works Department, 27 Bisson Avenue. Stickers are not sold individually but can be purchased at a cost of \$15 for five stickers.

Stickers must be placed across the area between the top of the trash can and the lid, or on the top bag if your trash can does not have a lid.

This program is only available for single family, duplex and triplex homes; it does not apply to apartment complexes, condominium associations with over three units, or businesses.

Please remember that the City's collection contractor will still not collect bagged trash that is on the ground or trash bags that are stacked above the rim of a trash container. Please call DPW at 528-6379 with questions or for more information.

### *Reminder from the Department of Public Works!*

Fall curbside leaf pickup is over!

The last week for property owners to have their bagged leaves collected at the curbside was the week of November 16<sup>th</sup>.

All residents must now bring their bagged leaves to the Transfer Station for disposal.

Residents do not need a dump or day pass to dispose of leaves, but you must have some form of identification that shows you are a resident of Laconia. A utility bill or tax bill are acceptable forms of identification.

## Reminder!

Curbside recycling will  
be picked up the week  
of December 21st

## Remember: "Glass is Trash"



WHEN IN DOUBT, THROW IT OUT  
(IN THE GARBAGE).





## CROWN THE COMMUNITY CHOICE AWARD WINNERS

Who will have bragging rights as the 2020 Community Choice winners? Vote for your favorite decorated home and business! Each participant has an official Light-Up Laconia sign posted to identify them as part of the competition. All members of the community can participate to vote for their favorite home and business.

Find an interactive map of participating locations here:

<https://bit.ly/LUL20Map>

Residential Voting Link: <https://bit.ly/LUL20Home>

Business Voting Link: <https://bit.ly/LUL20Biz>

Voting is open until Friday, December 18 (one vote per person).

More info: [celebratelaconia.org/light-up-laconia](https://celebratelaconia.org/light-up-laconia)







# NH Humane Society

Over a century of love for those without a voice.

## Meet This Week's Featured Pets!



### Tacoma

Meet Tacoma! He is a 2 yr. old mix lab/mastiff mix who is sweet as can be! Tacoma is very playful and goofy, food motivated and learns quickly. He already knows sit and paw and is doing well with the stay command. Tacoma would love to go on some nice long walks with his new family! He might be a bit much for another dog - it will depend on the dog and he would prefer a home without cats. Tacoma will also need an adult only home as he does seem to have some vision issues that can be discussed further with one of our adoption counselors.

Please fill out an [application](#) today if you are interested in adopting Tacoma and email it to [adoptions@nhhumane.org](mailto:adoptions@nhhumane.org).



### Marigold

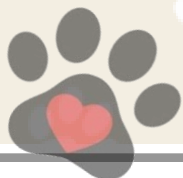
Meet miss Marigold! Marigold came to us as a stray with 5 kittens to take care of! Now that her kittens are weaned, it is time for this gorgeous girl to find a home of her own. Marigold came to us as a stray, and therefore can be a bit apprehensive of people - however, her foster mom boasts that she is sweet and affectionate when she warms up. Marigold would like a home with a family willing to go at her own pace as she adjusts to her new environment. Please fill out an [application](#) today if you are interested in adopting Marigold and email it to [adoptions@nhhumane.org](mailto:adoptions@nhhumane.org).

To ensure the safety of our staff, the public, and the animals in our care, visitation is by APPOINTMENT ONLY. In order to schedule an appointment, you must submit an application in advance and can do so via fax or by emailing it to [adoptions@nhhumane.org](mailto:adoptions@nhhumane.org). Our adoptions team will get back to you as soon as possible. Applications can be downloaded at [www.nhhumane.org/adopt/application](http://www.nhhumane.org/adopt/application).

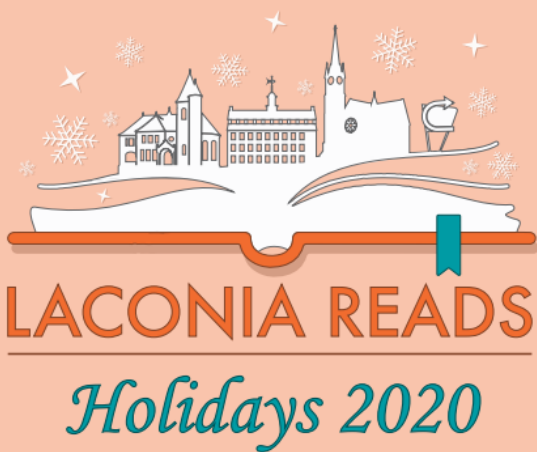


## DONATE

[Donate Now](#) to  
save a life.



## YOUR LOVE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN THEIR LIVES



**December 10<sup>th</sup> - January 1<sup>st</sup>**

Join us this holiday season for twelve short stories celebrating the spirit of the season; sponsored by Meredith Village Savings Bank. Make sure to follow the Laconia Reads Facebook Group to share in the stories.

*Celebrate Laconia, the Belknap Mill and Meredith Village Savings Bank would like to wish you and your family a very happy and healthy holiday season!*



**C**elebrate Laconia and the Belknap Mill are pleased to welcome back our community-wide virtual reading program, Laconia Reads, for this holiday season. The program will run from December 10<sup>th</sup> to January 1<sup>st</sup> and will consist of twelve short stories that celebrate the many different traditions of the holiday season. We will be welcoming twelve community members to do a virtual reading of their short story that all in the family can participate in; these readings will be posted on the *Laconia Reads Facebook Group* every other day at noon. The postings will also be available on the *Belknap Mill's Facebook Page*.

**Upcoming Story Schedule:**

**12/10 | *The Polar Express* ~ by: Chris Van Allsburg**

*Read by: Beth San Soucie; Celebrate Laconia*

**12/12 | *Too Hot for Santa* ~ by: Bryan Halperin**

*Read by: Bryan Halperin; Local Author, Belknap Mill Theatrical Artist-in-Residence*

**12/14 | *The Baker's Dozen: A Saint Nicholas Tale* ~ by: Aaron Shepard**

*Read by: Rose-Marie Robichaud; Local Author, retired Holy Trinity Faculty*

**12/16 | *Mooseltoe* ~ by: Margie Palatini**

*Read by: Emily Giambastini; Pleasant Street School Librarian*

**Share a picture reading your favorite holiday story!**

**#LaconiaReads #CelebrateLaconia #BelknapMill**

*Celebrate Laconia | [www.celebratelaconia.org](http://www.celebratelaconia.org)*

*Belknap Mill | [www.belknapmill.org](http://www.belknapmill.org)*

**Follow us on Facebook and Instagram!**







# ***Laconia Fire Department***

Link to Fire  
Dept.'s  
Website [here](#)

With the winter holidays upon us, it is important we all remember to keep fire safety in mind. The holiday season is busy and can be very chaotic. Unfortunately, this hectic time can lead to forgetting some simple fire safety tips....

## ***Christmas Tree Safety:***

- Choose a fresh tree whose needles are not easily falling off
- Before putting the tree up, cut at least 2 inches off the trunk
- Keep tree at least 3 feet away from all sources of heat
- Add water daily
- Do not allow tree to block exits
- Do not use lights that are old, worn, or broken
- Do not decorate tree with lit candles
- Turn off Christmas tree lights before going to bed
- Remove your Christmas tree right after Christmas or when it becomes dry

## ***Holiday Decorating:***

- Choose decorations that are flame resistant or flame retardant
- Keep candles away from anything that can burn
- Do not use nails to hang strands of lights
- Blow out lit candles before leaving the room or going to bed

## ***Holiday Entertaining:***

- Keep children and pets away from lit candles
- Stay in the kitchen when cooking on the stovetop
- Tell guests about your fire evacuation plan
- Test smoke detectors
- Discard smoking material and fireplace ashes properly
- Do not use candles if oxygen is used in the home

Please take the time to practice these fire safety tips, so everyone has a safe and enjoyable time this season.

***On behalf of the Laconia Fire Department, I want to wish everyone a healthy and happy holiday season.***

*Chief Kirk Beattie*  
Laconia Fire Department

A Solstice Celebration Event for Members

# Prescott Farm

Environmental Education Center

CAMP FIRE,  
GAMES, &  
FUN!

BUNDLE UP  
AND JOIN US!

Saturday, December 12  
1—3 pm

*Drop by for a short visit or spend the  
afternoon!*

Not yet a member? You can join TODAY at  
[prescottfarm.org](http://prescottfarm.org)!



## **Department of Public Works**

### **CHRISTMAS DAY Solid Waste Collection Delay NOTICE TO RESIDENTS ON CURBSIDE COLLECTION ROUTES**

**Christmas Day is Friday, December 25<sup>th</sup>**

**All trash and recycling collection during  
Christmas week will be on the normal  
schedule with the exception of Christmas  
Day, Friday, December 25<sup>th</sup>. There will be  
no trash or recycling collected on  
Christmas Day; Friday's trash and  
recycling will be picked up on Saturday.**

**Any questions, please call 528-6379.**



On Saturday December 12th from noon to 3pm the Universalist Unitarian's Social Justice Committee is partnering with Laconia-Gilford Lions Club to collect food for the Community Action Program of Laconia's (CAP) food pantry. Items requested are peanut butter, jelly, pasta, rice, soups, cereals, tuna fish, and canned foods of all varieties. The Lions will be out in front of our Church at 172 Pleasant Street, curbside, for drop off of any donations.

**Please note that the church remains closed at this time due to Covid-19. If you plan to drop off items for this Food Drive, please wear a mask, maintain physical distancing, and if you have traveled out of state, have been around someone who is Covid-19 positive or suspected Covid-19 infected, then please stay home. Thank you!**



# *Winter has arrived and Laconia has seen its first snow storm of the year!*

With the arrival of winter, we need the community's help. The City asks....



That all residents be good neighbors and not park or block sidewalks with their cars and trucks. This prevents the City from plowing and sanding the sidewalk which makes it necessary for pedestrians to walk in the streets.



That snow plow contractors and/or residents do not plow or blow their snow across the street. This is a hazard to drivers that could result in a driver losing control and crashing.



That motorists please give the City's plow trucks space as they are plowing the roads. Following too close behind the City's trucks may cause salt crystals to spray against your vehicle.

And here's a simple trick to reduce the amount of snow the City's plow and sidewalk tractors drop into your driveway! Snow blow, plow or dig out a pocket "upstream" of your driveway so the snow has a place to fall off the plow before it can drop into your driveway.

FYI, it takes the Public Works Department two or three days after a storm to finish treating the sidewalks. If you (or your contractor) plow or blow snow onto sidewalks during the storm or just after the storm ends, you will likely find the snow back in your driveway as we continue to plow and treat the sidewalks. Plowing or blowing the snow into another area will reduce your chances of having to remove snow again from your driveway.

And like the delivery companies, Public Works always makes right turns! Because of this, properties located on corner lots may see more snow on the downstream side of their corner.

As always, Public Works is happy to answer any questions you may have. Just give us a call at 528-6379. Have a safe winter, and thank you for your help!

## **Sand is available!**



Laconia residents needing sand for their driveways or walkways during this icy weather can get sand from our Department of Public Works. There is a sand pile for residential use located at our DPW garage at 257 Messer

Street. Residents can get a maximum of two five gallon pails (or the equivalent). Please do not take sand from our facility on Bisson Avenue; it is for City use only to maintain our streets and sidewalks. Questions? Please call 528-6379.

***Thanks and have a safe winter!***

## **DID YOU KNOW?**

...that you cannot park or block City sidewalks any time during the year? The City must keep all City sidewalks open and available for pedestrian use. We ask that you pay attention when you park your vehicle to ensure that it does not interfere with the use of any portion of the sidewalk. Public Works notifies the Police Department whenever it sees a vehicle parked on the sidewalk. If it is late at night during a snow storm, you could be woken up by a police dispatcher or officer asking you to move your car, find a parking ticket on your vehicle in the morning or find that your vehicle has been towed.

Please help the City and yourself by ensuring that you do not park on or block a sidewalk. Thank you!



## IMPORTANT NOTICE

As a result of the increase in the COVID-19 cases in New Hampshire and the positivity rate, Laconia Public Works as of December 14, 2020 is restricting customer visits into its office at 27 Bisson Avenue.

The change is to protect visitors from possible exposure and to minimize the work force's exposure. This is to help ensure that Public Works can minimize the impact of the virus on its ability to keep the streets open during snow and other winter storms.

Any visitors who need to come to the office will need an appointment. Once you arrive at the office please call Public Works and someone will meet you at the door.

To assist the City's residents and businesses all of its permits are available on the City's web site and can be submitted on line.

Public Works' drop box located on the Strafford Street side of the building is available Monday through Friday from 7:30 am to 4 PM.

## Wondering where to get your Christmas Tree this year?



Maggy D's Garden Center will donate  
**10% of the proceeds** from every tree  
purchased to the NH Humane Society!

**MAGGY D'S  
GARDEN CENTER**



330 Court St., Laconia  
**Trees On Sale Now!**



**NHHumane.org**

The advertisement features a photograph of two people standing in a snowy field. On the left, a man in a green jacket and blue pants holds a pair of skis. On the right, a woman in a blue jacket and black pants also holds a pair of skis. In the background, there is a large map of Bolduc Park. The advertisement is framed by a blue border with white snowflakes.

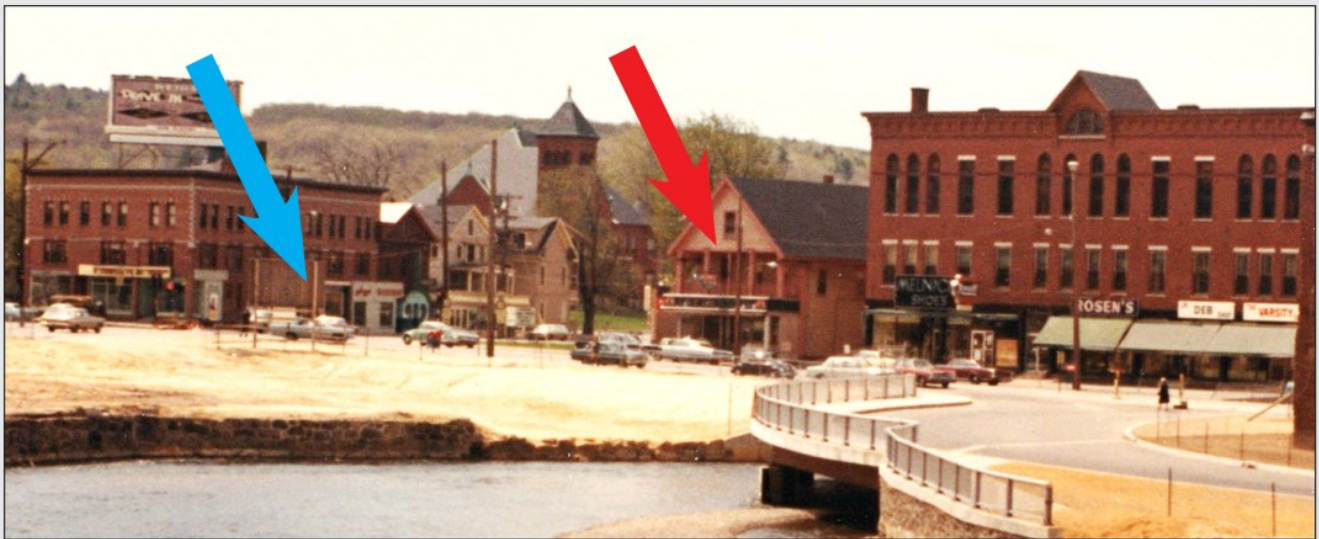
**Cross Country Ski Lessons At Bolduc Park**  
Sat Jan 2 | Sat Jan 9 | Sat Jan 16 | Sat Jan 23  
10:00am (rentals can be picked up as early as 9:00am)  
\$80 per person w/ rentals included | \$40.00 per person if you have your own equipment

For more info contact:  
Piche's Ski & Sport Shop - 318 Gilford Ave, Gilford, NH (524-2068)  
Bolduc Park - 282 Gilford Avenue, Gilford, NH (524-1370)  
Laconia Parks & Rec - 306 Union Avenue Laconia, NH (524-5046)  
Gilford Parks & Rec - 47 Cherry Valley Road, Gilford, NH (527-4722)



# Our yesterdays

*Our thanks to Warren D. Huse, the Laconia Historical and Museum Society, and the Laconia Daily Sun for providing a glimpse into our community's past....*



## THEN . . .

**Laflamme's Bakery opened for business, 75 years ago, Dec. 10, 1945, in its new Main Street store (red arrow), having moved from its original location in the Harriman Block on Court Street (blue arrow) — the earlier bakery entrance here obscured by a sign in what would later become Stewart Park. This photo was taken during Urban Renewal, when several Main Street stores were temporarily located in the Smith (Tilton) Block at right, from late January 1969-early fall 1970. The new U-shaped bridge and Beacon Street East (right corner) had opened to traffic, Dec. 10, 1969. (Laconia Public Library)**



## . . . AND NOW

**Melcher & Prescott Insurance now occupies the site of the Harriman Block and the Landmark Inn has replaced the old Laflamme's Bakery and the Tilton Block. Fast forward exactly 25 years from 1945 to Dec. 10, 1970, when a new Laflamme's opened at the corner of Fair and Water streets — See this week's 50 Years Ago in 'Our Yesterdays.' (Adam Drapcho/The Laconia Daily Sun)**



# Virtual Christmas Fair



The Congregational Church of Laconia is holding a virtual Christmas Fair! Please visit our Church website [here](#) to see the over 60 wonderful items we have available for sale. More items are added daily! This virtual sale will benefit the many outreach programs of our Church. All are welcome to participate!

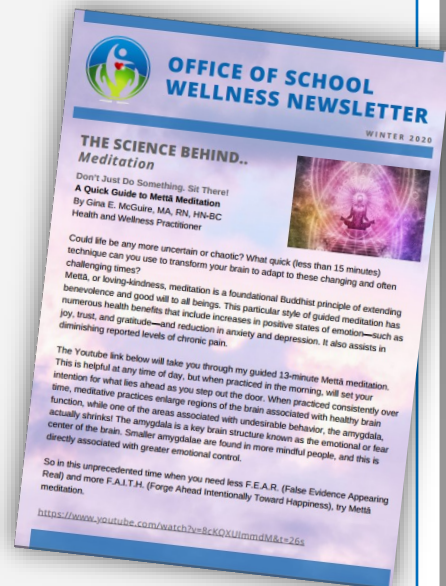


## OFFICE OF SCHOOL WELLNESS NEWSLETTER

WINTER 2020

Please click the image (right) to read the winter edition of the "Office of School Wellness Newsletter"!

It's full of interesting articles and information to get you through the winter months ahead.



Tuesday December 15th  
6:00-8:00pm  
Call 524-5046 to RSVP

Santa won't be at Laconia Parks & Rec this winter, but he still wants to make sure he can call the good children of Laconia!  
Please RSVP before Dec 14th!





**Are you looking for ways to help your community during the pandemic?**

We are looking to assemble community and clinical volunteers to assist with any staffing shortages that may arise in the future within healthcare facilities, and this would include: APRNs, RNs, LPNs, LNAs, etc.

We are proactively building a back-up team to have on standby in case it becomes necessary to assist our healthcare community as well as provide assistance when a vaccine for COVID-19 becomes available for dispersion.

In addition to clinical volunteers, we have a need for community volunteers who would be willing to assist at clinics with logistical tasks such as setting up/taking down at clinic locations, registration, supply management etc.

Temporary Health Partners (THP) are desired for the length of the COVID-19 crisis, with an 8-hour online training program and the scope of work including activities to meet the needs of residents in long term care centers. You can learn more about the work and training to become a THP at <https://bit.ly/THP4LTC>.

Anyone who has a desire to help should register at [www.nhresponds.org](http://www.nhresponds.org) and choose to join Lakes Region COVID-19 Team. You can also contact John Beland from the Partnership for Public Health with an inquiries at [jbeland@ppnh.org](mailto:jbeland@ppnh.org).

# Reminders from Laconia City Hall Staff...

## Did you know?

...that you can renew your vehicle registration online? Visit our website [here](#) to start your on-line vehicle registration.

**Skip the lines and have your registration mailed to you!**

Do you want an email reminder? Call the City Clerk's Office at (603) 527-1265 or email us at [cityclerk@laconianh.gov](mailto:cityclerk@laconianh.gov)



## Do you need a birth, marriage, death, or divorce certificate?

Apply for it through the City of Laconia website [here](#).



Follow the instructions and we will mail your document to you at the address you provide. If you have questions, please call the City Clerk's Office at (603) 527-1265.



## PROPERTY TAX BILLS WERE MAILED 11/25/20!

Property tax bills were mailed on Wednesday, November 25, 2020. They are due on December 28, 2020. Please note that there are many options for payment of your property taxes! It is not necessary to drop your property tax payment off in person. As shown on your tax bill, you can mail in your tax payment (or drop it off in the drop box slot on the Belknap Mill side of City Hall) and we will send you a stamped receipt. Please include a portion of your bill with your payment to ensure proper credit when paying by mail or dropping it off in the drop box. The drop box is checked every morning and you will be given credit on the morning your payment is retrieved.

You can also pay your bill [online](#), or by calling (855) 906-0411. Convenience fees are added to all credit card and telephone payments.

Payments will continue to be accepted at the counter in City Hall during normal business hours which are Monday – Friday 8:30-4:30.

Questions? Call the Tax Office at 527-1269



**Do you need to change your mailing address for tax bills and other general correspondence?**

Just fill out and submit our ["Change of Address Form"](#) on-line and we will be happy to correct our records.

## Do you want to register your dog online?

Visit our website's Dog Licensing page [here](#)!

Do you need to update your dog's rabies vaccination information?

Simply e-mail us a copy at [cityclerk@laconianh.gov](mailto:cityclerk@laconianh.gov)

**Remember that dog licenses are due by April 30<sup>th</sup> of every year.** If you would like an e-mail reminder please call or email us with your email address. (603) 527-1265





## Colonial Theatre Updates...



*Our thanks to City Councilor Robert Hamel  
for providing these photos!*



## Scott Kalicki Named Executive Director of Gilda's Club New Hampshire

*Former Lakes Region Community College President  
Leading the Effort to Open the First Gilda's Club  
in New England*



Gilda's Club New Hampshire has named Scott Kalicki as its Executive Director. Scott will head the development and overall operations of Gilda's Club New Hampshire. The club, the first in the New England area, is getting close to opening its doors in the Lakes Region of New Hampshire.

Kalicki, a Laconia resident, recently retired as the President of Lakes Region Community College. Throughout his life he has been involved in many volunteer opportunities, such as being on boards including Special Olympics New Hampshire, Belknap County Economic Development Council, Lakes Region Child Care Service, Lakes Region Chamber of Commerce, and much more. After retiring, Kalicki realized that he is someone who would never be content to just sit at home. He wanted to spend this phase of his life giving back to the community. His mother was going through cancer and he is a hospice volunteer for the Visiting Nurses Association and Hospice, so when he saw the ad for the position at Gilda's Club, it felt like a perfect fit.

"I felt like this was the perfect opportunity for me to utilize my professional skills in a way that hugely impacts my community," said Kalicki. "I have been a fan of Gilda's Club for many years and when I saw that they were looking for someone to lead the club in New Hampshire, I answered the call." "We are excited that Scott has joined our leadership team," said Pat Anderson, President of Gilda's Club New Hampshire. "His leadership experience and knowledge of our community is just what we need as we work through the last stage needed to get the club open in the Laconia area." "It's even more important under the current circumstances," Anderson continued. "People who are going through cancer often feel very much alone and the additional isolation imposed on them by COVID 19 makes it even worse. For new cancer cases, our state ranks among the worst 25% of states for all cancers, so we know there is a great need for Gilda's Club."

Gilda's Clubs provide a community of social and emotional support, education for adults, children, families, and friends on any kind of cancer journey—free of charge. Gilda's Clubs are affiliates of the Cancer Support Community (CSC), a global nonprofit network of 175 locations that have delivered over \$50 million in free support services to patients and families. As the largest professionally led nonprofit network of cancer support worldwide, the CSC is dedicated to ensuring that all people impacted by cancer are empowered by knowledge, strengthened by action, and sustained by community. For more information about the effort to open a club in New Hampshire or to donate, please go to [GildasClubNH.org](https://GildasClubNH.org), email [Info@GildasClubNH.org](mailto:Info@GildasClubNH.org), or call (603) 387-6775.





ServiceLink  
Resource Center  
(1-866-634-9412 or  
528-6945) is the first  
number to call for  
senior services.

## 12 Ways to Have a Healthy Holiday Season!



Brighten the holidays by making your health and safety a priority. Take steps to keep you and your loved ones safe and healthy, and ready to enjoy the holidays.

Click on the image (above, right) for helpful information provided by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

*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
Assistant Assessor - Tara Baker	
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 - Ashley Ruprecht	
Finance .....	524-3877
Finance Director - Glenn Smith	
Licensing .....	528-6331
Licensing - Lindsey Allen	
Planning & Comm. Dev. ....	527-1264
Planning & Zoning Dir. - Dean Trefethen	
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