



Weare in the World

For Weare Residents, By Weare Residents

May 22, 2024



School News



Brody Jones, who rows for the Concord crew team two seasons each year, showed his passion for the sport by building a single rowing shell (courtesy photo).

Seniors Present Capstone Projects

John Stark Regional High School's Expo featuring senior Capstone Projects was held on May 9. The Capstone Project is defined as a student's pursuit of new learning and working with a mentor as they explore new interests. It demonstrates the student's ability to learn independently as well to demonstrate their college and career readiness. The project may be totally academic, totally hands-on, or a combination of the two. It is a graduation requirement for a diploma. Core diploma students have career-related work to complete rather than a Capstone.

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Mario Vanini volunteered his boat to put out protective lines at Chase Park on May 18. Grant Spooner and Eva Grolljahn are Chase Park staff pictured on the boat with Vanini. Nick Lundeen also volunteered his time putting the lines out (courtesy photo).

Chase Park Set to Open Memorial Day Weekend

By Tom Clow

Chase Park will be opening on Memorial Day weekend with the hours on Saturday, May 25 and Sunday, May 26 from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., and on Monday, May 27, from 10 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. All boats must be out of the water 30 minutes before the park closes.

Parks and Recreation Director Lisa Purington Grolljahn cautioned that there will be long lines waiting to use the boat ramp over the weekend, with people who live on Lake Horace wanting to get their boats into the water and to their own docks. All boats that are launched or taken out of the water at Chase Park must display current registration stickers, Grolljahn said. That is required by state law.

Most of the summer staff has been interviewed and approved for hire by the Board of Selectmen. A work day to get the park ready was held on Saturday, May 18. A complete schedule of Chase Park hours for 2024 will be posted soon on the town website and will be printed in the next issue of *Weare in the World*.



"Talk" To Us
Bicycles
Deadline – June 7
weareintheworldnews@gmail.com

Weare Historical Society
30th Annual
Townwide Yard Sale

SALE

SAT JUNE 1st 2024
8AM - 2PM

COME SHOP or SIGN UP TO SELL

Get On The Map!
www.WeareHistoricalSociety.org



School News continued

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EXPO has grown over the years, with the evening taking on an even more festive flare with food trucks, raffles to support student scholarships, student-provided entertainment, corn hole tournaments and a students versus staff basketball game, to name just a few of the additional activities.



Becca Mussey's project was to renovate the girls' and boys' locker rooms at JSRHS. Motivated by the desire to give back to the John Stark community and boost school spirit by giving athletes a more comfortable space, Becca and her volunteer crew (who earned community service hours) worked last summer to completely paint the locker rooms, refinish the benches, add fresh shower curtains and stencil new graphics with John Stark's RESPECT, REGARD, INTEGRITY slogan, "Dedication and Determination Make a Team," on the walls. While the paint was provided by the school, Becca also did some fundraising to help complete the project and leave some money for the maintenance of the locker rooms. Becca will attend Wentworth Institute of Technology to study construction management. She told us that the project gave her the opportunity to work on management, leadership, planning and business skills.

Natalie Jensen learned to tailor and alter clothes. Where did she get the idea for her project? "I don't want to limit my shopping by size; I'd rather focus on the quality and style of the item," she said in a school release. For example, she showed a pair of pants that were her dad's of which she took 10 centimeters off and now she can wear them. Natalie will attend Wentworth Institute of Technology to study architecture.



Noah Wegman's project, learning the ins and outs of day trading in the stock market, had its beginning back in eighth grade when he became interested in stock trading during mock stock trading in a math class. "This project deepened my knowledge of stock trading and I made a little profit," he said. "I find trading very enjoyable, but only as a hobby,



not a career." He plans to attend SNHU and study electrical engineering.

Caleb Hauptman restored a 1951 Bentley, a car he said had been sitting in a garage collecting dust. "Working with my dad as my mentor, I thought I'd see if I could get it running. It's not quite road



ready, I still need to take care of a little rust, but it runs well now," he said. He plans to attend Roger Williams University for construction management in the fall.

Abigail Duclos planned a walk to support suicide prevention in her project, which she created to honor her uncle. Abigail has raised \$12,400 for the American Foundation for Suicide Prevention. She will attend Lasell University in the fall.



The John Stark Regional High School **Valedictorian** for 2024 is Brody Jones, and the **Salutarian** is Izabel Korbet.

Jones is a member of the John Stark Chapter of the National Honor Society and Quiz Bowl. He was also a Granite State Challenge Team member who appeared on New Hampshire PBS during last year's competition. Early in his high school career, Brody served on the Student Council. He has been part of the Concord Crew Team for the past four years, rowing in the spring and fall seasons. His Capstone Project was building a single rowing shell. He is also an avid hiker and has climbed all 48 of the 4,000-foot mountain peaks in New Hampshire. Following graduation, Brody plans to attend the University of Vermont in the Patrick Leahy Honors College. He will major in civil engineering. He is the son of Erik and Amy Jones of Henniker and brother to Owen, a 2022 JSRHS graduate.



Korbet is a member of the National Honor Society, the Student-Athlete Leadership Team (S.A.L.T.) and the Leo Club. She is also a member of the Best Buddies Chapter and has served as their Chapter President for the past two school years. She has competed in varsity cross country,



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varsity basketball and varsity track and field all four years at JSRHS. In addition to her activities at JSRHS, she is on the NHIAA Student-Athlete Leadership Committee and a member of the International Best Buddies Young Leaders Council. She will attend Saint Anselm College and major in elementary education, where she plans to continue and earn her Master's in Special Education and become a special education teacher. Additionally, she will compete at the collegiate level with the Saint Anselm Women's Track and Field Team. She is the daughter of Jonathan and Elise Korbet of Henniker. Izabel has two sisters, Alexis, at John Stark, and Emille, a Henniker Community School student.

JSRHS graduation will be held outside on the football field on Saturday, June 15 at 10 a.m. Graduation ceremonies are rain or shine. Only moderate to severe weather will move the time to later that day or Sunday. Ticketed guests only.



Congratulations to the following senior student athletes that participated in our **JSRHS signing day** celebration on May 7. Student athletes signed their intent to participate in college athletics after graduating.

- Izabel Korbet (Saint Anselm - track & field)
- Donnie White (New England College - football)
- Anthony Paolicelli (Franklin Pierce - baseball)
- Hunter Keim (Suffolk University - baseball)
- Caleb Hauptman (Roger Williams - wrestling)
- Logan Montgomery (Saint Anselm - track & field)
- Olivia Worthen (New England College - field hockey)
- Rebecca Mussey (Wentworth Institute of Technology - track & field)

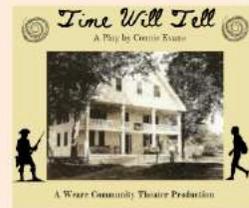


WMS eighth grade science students in Mr. Bumford's class show off their **hands-on learning projects** about the solar eclipse, lunar eclipse and the moon phases. Such

talented students!

WWW.WEARECOMMUNITYTHEATER.COM

AUDITIONS FOR THE 2024 PLAY!



WHEN: SUNDAY, MAY 19, 2024
FROM 2:00 P.M. - 4:00 P.M.
AND SUNDAY, JUNE 2, 2024
FROM 2:00 P.M. - 4:00 P.M.

WHERE: 733 SOUTH STARK HWY., WEARE, NH 03281
TEXT 603-345-9466 TO GET ON THE SCHEDULE FOR YOUR AUDITION. 30+ PARTS!
ALL AGES, ALL GENDERS!

TIME WILL TELL PLAY PERFORMANCES OCT. 18, & 19, 2024



SCAN HERE TO SEE THE PLAY **EBENEZER MUDGETT** AND THE **PINE TREE RIOT** PERFORMANCE FROM 2022

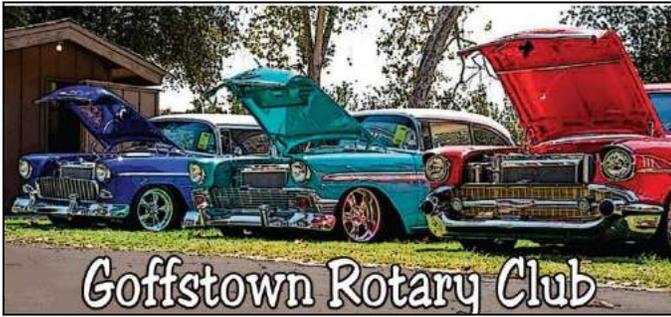


SCAN HERE TO SEE THE PLAY **THE LOST VILLAGE** PERFORMANCE FROM 2023

Kenny Cahall, Director 2DOGS1BONE@GMAIL.COM
347-325-2000
Connie Evans, Playwright CKE1@COMCAST.NET
603-748-7680
Lisa Wilber, Producer LWILBER@AOL.COM
603-345-9466



Marc Morette, right, was reappointed as a full member of the Weare Zoning Board at the May 13 meeting of the Weare Board of Selectmen. Selectman David Pratte is shown administering the oath of office (Tom Clow photo).



Car Show

The Goffstown Rotary Club will host its 11th Annual Car Show on Saturday, June 1 from 9 a.m. – 2 p.m. at Parson's Drive in Goffstown. Trophies will be handed out in 16 classes, including separate classes for trucks, Jeeps, Mustangs, Corvettes and more. Additionally, there will be awards for Best in Show, selected by lead sponsor TMS Diesel, plus Sponsors, Kids, and People's Choice Awards.

"Our small club works hard each year to produce the car show, and we couldn't do it without our sponsors," said Robbie Grady, one of the event organizers, in a release. "We are especially grateful to our lead sponsor, TMS Diesel. This is their second year with us, and we're glad to have them on board."

The club expects over 130 show vehicles to vie for the awards.

"We have a lot of repeat attendees, which speaks to the popularity of our show," she said. "Between sponsor booths, food booths, and raffle prizes, there is a lot to keep guests entertained. Goffstown will be hopping that day with the Goffstown Public Library's book sale, St. Matthew's Episcopal Church's yard sale and our car show, so we hope people will visit Goffstown Village and enjoy the day among friends who are all working to support the community."

Proceeds from the event go back to the local community, as well as to international relief efforts. Last year, the club donated over \$12,000 in cash and goods back to the local area through grants to local non-profits, beautification projects, maintenance of Rotary Park, scholarships to both Goffstown and JSRHS seniors and continuing education students, and support for families in need.

"We want our supporters to be proud of the way their contributions to us make the world a better place for all. This is our biggest fundraiser of the year, and we hope to see a great crowd come to visit with us," Grady said.

The cost to enter a vehicle in the car show is \$20, and it is free for spectators. For further information, or to pre-register, visit www.goffstownrotary.org or email the club at goffstownrotary@gmail.com or follow the club on Facebook.



News from the Weare Police Department

April is Autism Awareness Month, perfect timing for us to add "sensory bags" to all of our cruisers! They were donated from our friends at Heroes Helping Those With Special Needs. Thank you so much for the donation!

Not only did they provide the sensory bags, but they also provided training for officers when interacting and/or helping those with autism and other disabilities.

Each sensory bag includes:

- three social stories (a short story to explain what is happening with short sentences and pictures.)
- one dry erase board with marker and eraser
- one pair of sunglasses
- one pair of headphones
- five different fidget toys

Thank you again Heroes Helping Those with Special Needs!

For more from the police department, you can call their business line at 603-529-7755, or go to www.weare.nh.gov/weare-police-department.

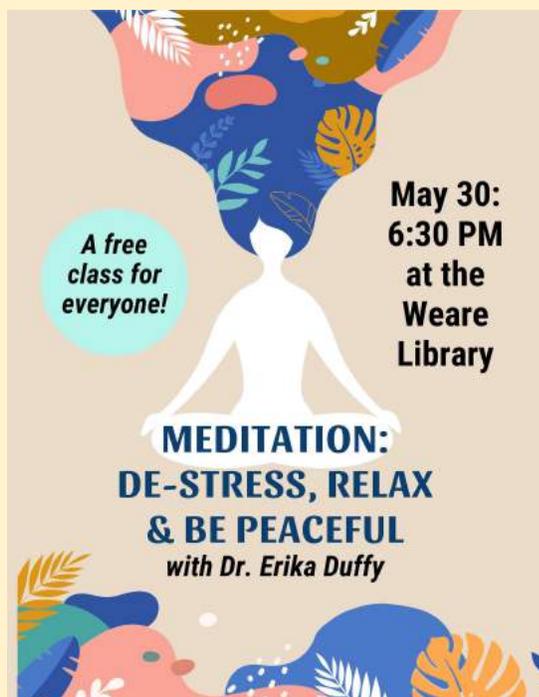
Don't forget the "Officer Feedback" tab to let the police know your thoughts on community interactions.

Also, find more information on their Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/wearepolicedepartment>



Check out past issues of *Weare in the World*, our Business Issue (listing more than 75 local vendors!) and more at www.weareintheworldnews.com

Weare Public Library Upcoming Events



For Adults:

Meditation: De-stress, Relax and Be Peaceful. May 30 at 6:30 p.m. In this free class, Dr. Erika Duffy will guide you in eliminating negative patterns. You'll learn how meditation can help you to relax and feel instantly refreshed - enabling you to slow down, create peace and face life's challenges.

Cards! Tuesdays and Thursdays at 2 p.m. Meet and play pinocle and cribbage with other game enthusiasts in the Paige Room.

Craft Group. Thursdays at 1 p.m. Learn a new craft. Space is limited. Call us at 603-529-2044 to register.

Book Group. June 26 at 7 p.m. We're reading and discussing "The Heaven and Earth Grocery Store," by James McBride. Call us at 603-529-2044 to reserve your copy.

For Kids and Teens:

Storytime. May 22 at 10:30 a.m. Join us for stories, songs, and movement followed by a craft or activity. Recommended for ages 3-5, but all are welcome.

PokeMondays. Mondays, 2-4:30 p.m. Meet, trade, and play with other Pokemon card game enthusiasts and win prizes.

Baby & Toddler Playgroup. Tuesdays and Fridays, 10:30 a.m.-12 p.m. An informal gathering. Books, puzzles, early literacy toys and music. Get out of the house; meet new friends!

Afterschool Gaming. Wednesdays, 2-4:30 p.m. Challenge your friends on the Nintendo Switch and other game systems. (Recommended for ages 6+).

Read with the Ruff Readers. Wednesdays at 5 p.m. Read with friendly dogs! Call us at 603-529-2044 to register.

Kids Herbal Garden Club. First meeting: June 3 at 3:30 p.m. Learn how to plan, grow, and care for an herb garden! Help us create this learning garden at the library and find out about all the kinds of things we can do and make with our plants. For grades 1-5. Sign up at 603-529-2044.

Coming up...Adventure Begins at Your Library, the summer 2024 reading program! Outdoor Kickoff Party on June 20 at 6:30 p.m. Sign-ups start on June 6.

Friends of the Weare Public Library

By Dianne Hathaway



Spring Bake Sale Success! Thank you, thank you, for supporting our spring bake sale! We raised \$1,071. Many thanks to bakers, buyers, and donors.

Annual Silent Auction. Our biggest fundraising event of the year is our silent auction, to be held during the Weare Patriotic Celebration on **Saturday, June 22**. We are looking for donations of new items, purchased or handmade, gift certificates, plants, anything! Do you belong to an organization who can donate a basket of goodies? We will take it! Are you a crafter with an item to donate? We will take it! If you are interested in donating, please email us at friendsofwearepl@gmail.com.

Little Free Library. The Friends have a Little Free Library in front of the WPL on East Road that is regularly stocked. This is a "leave one, take one" library for used books, so look the next time you are in the center of town.

We're on Facebook. The Friends have been working hard to increase our activity and information on Facebook and would love to engage with you there. Please "like" and share our posts and follow us here: www.facebook.com/FriendsofWearePublicLibrary

Join us. It's not too late to join! Membership is only \$10 per year. We meet on the fourth Tuesday of January, March, May, July, September and November at 6:30 p.m.. **Our next business meeting will be Tuesday, May 21.** For more information, email friendsofwearepl@gmail.com.

**HAND IN
HAND**



**SENIOR CENTER
& THRIFT SHOP**

The Hand in Hand Senior Center is a gathering place for seniors to socialize and get involved in group activities.

33 North Stark Highway, Weare, NH 03281

Wed - Sat, 11 a.m. - 4 p.m.

603-529-4263 / www.facebook.com/hihsc.org

When I was a child, I met Helen Keller. One of her quotes, "Keep your face to the sunshine, and you will never see the shadows," is a positive way to look at life, especially in the summer when the days are longer and there is so much more sunshine to enjoy. **Hand in Hand Senior Center** brings a lot of sunshine into the lives of those that take advantage of its offerings. We regularly serve more than 50 lunches on Wednesdays. People stay after to enjoy each other's company, laughing and joking – in short, bringing sunshine to each other.

On Wednesday, May 22 at 12:30 p.m., Susan from Visiting Angels will tell us what that organization does to help people age in place.

If you would like to participate in making a container garden with Jade on Saturday, May 25 at 1 p.m., there are two spots left. Call the center (603-529-4263) and leave your name and contact information.

Tai Chi will begin June 4, and Hand in Hand has received a grant to cover the cost of the instructor! Each attendee is expected to see some improvement in their balance and hopefully overall health. We are lucky to have Sandy Turcotte, a talented and experienced instructor, to teach this course.

Unfortunately, the Granite VNA program on sleep has been canceled. Vivacious Shauna, who has provided their other programs, has moved on to a new job. We will reach out to Granite VNA to see what they can offer later this summer.

Please don't forget to visit our table at the **town-wide yard** sale on Saturday, June 1, on the Stone Memorial Building's lawn in the center of town. We might have a treasure you won't want to miss!

**WHAT'S FOR
LUNCH?**



Wednesdays 11 a.m. – 1 p.m. Dine in, take out or free delivery.

May 22: Cheeseburger soup, yeast rolls, garden salad.

May 29: Pulled pork sandwich, baked beans, pasta salad.

June 5: Italian meatball kabobs, bok choy salad, garlic bread.

Coffee, tea, and various desserts are also available.

One of our dear cooks, **Tiffany Bowers**, will be leaving Weare to move further south. We've been thankful and appreciative of her cooking. She will be missed, but we wish her success and happiness in her new venture.

**WHAT'S IN
THE SHOP?**



Still on sale: long pants (\$2.50) and t-shirts (\$2)!
Look at the great variety of items we have on our floor.



We are looking for volunteers. See our separate ad.

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Thrift Shop Volunteers Wanted

Experience in retail, such as using a cash register, is a plus. We love our customers, so good people skills are a must! Duties include sorting and pricing donations, answering customer questions, and cashing them out. The store handles clothing and housewares, jewelry, craft items, books, movies and much more. Do you have a special interest? Put it to work with us! To apply, see contact information above. (Please note: this is not a paid position.)



Tips for Caregivers

Upcoming Granite VNA Programs

Thursday, May 23, 10 - 11 a.m.

Caregiver Connection is an opportunity for family caregivers to support one another and connect with our professional staff. We look forward to providing a safe space to connect with other caregivers facing similar challenges. Registration is required. Click [here](#) to register.

Lookin' for Love

By Cathy Bailey

If you'd like to adopt the pets pictured here, please complete an adoption application at <https://www.heartsandtails.org/adoption-application>



Meet ZOEY! She is a Schnauzer and Carin Terrier mix and is friendly, affectionate, gentle, smart, quiet, athletic and playful. She is house-trained and her vaccinations are up to date. She has been spayed.

She would be good in a home with other dogs, cats and children. She is two years old, weighs 33 pounds and is microchipped.

Her foster mom says, "She loves every person and dog she has ever met. She very much enjoys being loved on. Her dream home would be an active family with another young dog that she could romp with. She has had a lot of transitions in life and deserves a forever home that will stick with her. She promises to be the best girl you'll ever know."



Looking for Something to Do?

Compiled by Sharon Czarnecki



AG Paintball 603-529-3524

www.agpaintball.com

- May 27 *** Memorial Day Walk-ons
June 1 & 2 * 10 a.m. Man Tournament (limited availability)
June 8 * Learn to Play XBall
 Registration required for all events. See website.



Capitol Center for the Arts

603-225-1111

www.ccanh.com

- Chubb Theatre** 44 S. Main St., Concord
June 1 * 12p.m. Concord Dance Academy Recital "Footloose & Fancy Free"
June 3 * 10 a.m. Ada Twist, Scientist & Friends Musical spotlighting STEM curriculum
June 8 * 7:30 p.m. Symphony NH: Music of John Williams
June 9 * 2 p.m. Martin School of Dance Super Mario Adventures

- Bank of NH Stage** 16 S. Main St., Concord
May 24 & 25 * 7:30 p.m. Powerhouse Theatre
Also May 26 * 2 p.m. Collaborative Presents

- Sondheim on Sondheim (Biographical with music)
May 30 * 8 p.m. The Free-Range Revue Celebration of Diversity
May 31 * 8 p.m. Bella's Bartok with Bitter Pill Band (rhythm and bluegrass)
June 1 * 7 p.m. Swing Dance Night (Dance to the tunes of the NH Jazz Orchestra)
June 2 * 6 p.m. NHMC Sunday Sessions Taylor Hughes (country)
June 5 * 6 p.m. Highway to the Ranger Zone Open Mic for musicians
June 7 & 8 * 7:30 p.m. Theatre KAPOW - Paradise Now!
Also June 9 * 2 p.m. (play)
June 11 * 7:30 p.m. Kathy Mattea (country, bluegrass, & folk)



150 Ash St. Manchester

603-669-6144

www.Currier.org

NOTE: Our library has discount passes!

- Until Dec. 31 *** Frank Lloyd Wright Homes Tours
 Wed-Sun. at 9:30 a.m., noon & 2:30 p.m.
Jun 5 * 1 to 2 p.m. Memory Café (for patients & caregivers)
June 8 * 10:30 a.m.- 3:30 p.m. Knitting in 3D Class
June 8 * 10:30 a.m.- 3:30 p.m. Portraits in Cloth Class
June 13 * 4 to 6 p.m. Expressions Through Art for those affected by cancer
June 3 & 10 * 6 to 8 p.m. Art of Hope (For loved ones whose family members suffer from substance use disorder)

EXHIBITS

- Until May 27** "Harper's Pictorial History of the Civil War" Artists Kara Walker & Winslow Homer
Until June 23 Artist Raphael Barontini
Until Aug. 25 "Cymodocea" Artist: Elizabeth Key
Until Sept. 2 Filippo de Pisis and Robert Mapplethorpe: A Distant Conversation
Until Oct. 18 "Stories of the Sea" Van Gogh & Wyeth

Classes and Workshops: For children and adults. Reg. req.. See website. Cost range is \$150 to \$375 for non-members.



Town of Deering

762 Deering Center Rd. 603.464.3248

www.deering.nh.us/

- June 1 *** 6 -7 p.m. Jazz Sanctuary House Band (outdoor concert)



Fuller Public Library
29 School Street, Hillsborough
603-464-3595 www.fullerlibrary.info

- May 23 & 30 June 6 & 13** * 1 p.m. Board games
May 23, 28 & 30 * 10 a.m. Story Time (up to age 5)
May 24 * 3:15 p.m. Teen Book Group
May 25 & Jun 8 * 10 a.m. Seedy Saturdays
May 28 * 6 to 7 p.m. NH Covered Bridges
(Lecture) with Bill Caswell
June 3 & 10 * 1 p.m. Knitting Purls
June 4 * 1 p.m. How to Day - Zentangle
(Doodle Creatively)
June 3 & 10 * 2 p.m. Tech Help
June 6 * 6:30 p.m. Fuller Book Group
June 7 * 1 p.m. Chat N Chew (snacks & conversation)
June 10 * 2 p.m. Military History Book Club
June 11 * 6 to 7 p.m. Alzheimer's Talk
w/acclaimed author Marge Burke

**Washington Town Hall, 7 Halfmoon Pond Rd.,
Washington, NH (45 min or less)**

- May 25** * 1 to 2:30 p.m. Murder at the Banquet (play)
Also May 26 & June 1 * 6 p.m. / **June 2** * 1 p.m.

7 School St, Hillsboro

- June 1** * 8 a.m. Barre with Jen
Joint strength & flexibility

Stonewall Farm, 235 Windsor Road, Hillsboro

- June 1** * 6 to 9 p.m. Eddie Sands (Gospel music)

Grimes Field, 28 Preston St, Hillsboro

- June 5** * 10 to 10:30 a.m. Toddlers Outdoors
(trails, build fairy houses and forts, complete nature
crafts, ages 2 to 5)

- June 5 & 12** * 3 to 4 p.m. Hillsboro Fitness Club
(Walk, run, exercise – your call)

- June 11** * 9 to 10 a.m. Toddler Basketball
(Ages 2-3 & 4-5. See website)

Kemp Park 11 River St., Hillsboro

- June 8** * 9 a.m. History Alive Walking Tour
Railroad History



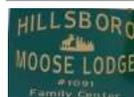
Hampshire Hills Athletic Club
50 Emerson Rd., Milford
603-673-7123 www.hampshirehills.com

- Now thru June 5** * 10 a.m. Creative Movement
Toddlers to age 3. Music, dancing,
movement. Parent/caregiver participation req.
June 13 * 8 p.m. Comedy night with Lenny Clark
Tickets \$35 online



Henniker Brewing Co.
129 Centerville Road, Henniker
(603) 428-3579
www.hennikerbrewing.com

- May 25** * 6 p.m. Trivia / Food: Tommy's Pizza
May 24 & Jun 9 * Food: Wicked Groovy Grill
May 25 * 3 - 5 p.m. Gemstones Band / Food: Full Proof BBQ
May 26 * Food: Waffle Donut Wagon
May 27 * 12 - 5 p.m. Food: Smokin' Trolley
May 29 & Jun 5 & 12 * 6 p.m. Run Club
May 30 * 6 p.m. Trivia / Food: TOLA-Rose Italian Eats
May 31 * Food: Teenie Weinies
June 1 * 5 - 7 p.m. Luggnuts / Food: Iberian Empanadas
June 6 * Trivia / Food-Iberian Empanadas
June 7 * 7 p.m. Comedy Show/ Food: Smokin' Trolley
For details & ticket info, call (603) 428-3579
Jun 8 * 3 - 5 p.m. Spare Souls Band
Jun 13 * 6 p.m. Trivia / Food: Smokin' Trolley



Hillsboro Moose Lodge
15 School St., Hillsboro
603-464-6024

<https://www.facebook.com/hillsboro.mooselodge/>

- May 23 & 30, June 6 & 13** * 5:30 - 6:15 p.m.
Zumba w/Lisa
May 24 & 31 & June 7 * 7 p.m. Queen of Hearts
Drawing
May 25 * 2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. Hip Hop Lessons 8-17
May 26 & June 2 & 9 * 12:30 p.m. Cribbage
May 29 & June 7 * 7 p.m. Moose on the Loose
Drawing
June 1 * 6 - 8 p.m. Mommy & Me Time
Dance/Crafts/Games \$5
June 2 * 8 - 11 a.m. Breakfast
June 3, 10 & 17 * 7 to 8 p.m. Line Dancing
June 8 * 2:30 - 3:30 p.m. Hip Hop Lessons 18+



Majestic Theatre
880 Page Street, Manchester
(603) 669-7469

www.majestictheatre.net

Studio Theatre location 880 Page Street

- June 9** * 3 p.m. Jazz Showcase - Ted Herbert
Derry Opera House 29 W Broadway, Derry
June 8 * 11a.m. Auditions for Nunsense Jamboree
Also June 11 * 7 p.m.
June & July Summer Camp: (Scholarships Available)



2 Institute Drive,
Concord
(603) 271-7827x113
www.starhop.com

June 7 * 6:30 - 9:30 p.m. Super Stellar Friday: State of the Loon with Harry Vogel of Loon Preservation Committee / Reserve tickets online

June 15 * 6 p.m. "Out of this World" - PSO Principal Winds Quintet - pays homage to space travel and other worldly themes

June & July - Stem Summer Camp – Registration Now Open / Limited Spaces available. Ages 5 to 14. See website for details



1 Central Wharf
Boston, MA 02110
617-973-5206 www.neaq.org

NOTE: Our library has discount passes!

June 1 * 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. World Ocean Day Activities for all ages.

June 13 * 6:30 p.m. 100 Yards of Hope Documentary film showcasing work to restore Florida's coral reefs

Featured Exhibits: Amazon rainforest / Atlantic harbor seals / Giant ocean tank / Indo-Pacific coral reef / Marine mammal center/ Olympic Coast sanctuary / Penguin colony / Sea jellies / Science of the sharks / Shark and ray touch tank. Four penguin chicks just hatched!

Now showing: "Arctic: Our Frozen Planet," "Blue Whales: Return of the Giants," "Ocean Paradise (3D)" and "Secrets of the Sea." (Tickets required. See website.)



NH Audubon
84 Silk Farm Rd. Concord
602-224-9909 NHaudubon.org

New Website "Birds A-Z"

www.stateofthebirds.nhaidubon.org

Devoted just to NH birds / Easy to navigate

84 Silk Farm Rd. Concord

May 23 * 6:30 p.m. Webinar ([Zoom](https://zoom.us))

Introduction to Sea wildlife with a focus on birds
Presenter John Woolf (avid birder) Tickets \$5-\$6
Register at sroosa@nhaidubon.org

Until June 13 * 11 a.m. - 5 p.m. Jane Kolas Exhibit METALSUM – Art inspired by nature

June 2 * 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. Plant & Craft Sale
Fassett Farms Native Plants & Bagley Pond Perennials

Tours of our Pollinator Gardens

June 11 * 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. Butterfly Field Training
20 spots. Register ddeluca@nhaidubon.org

Massabesic Center 26 Audubon Way, Auburn

May 30 * 5:30 - 7 p.m. Wild Medicinal Plant Walk w/Herbalist Maria Noel Groves
Register at sroosa@nhaidubon.org

May 31 * 5 to 7 p.m. Nature Day Camp Open House
Meet ambassador animals.
Register online.

Until May 31 * 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Earth Day Exhibition Featuring original work from League of NH Craftsmen (photography, prints, etc.)

June 5 * 5-6:30 p.m. Wildlife Photography Workshop Hike at Massabesic Lake w/ photographer Tracy Brunner. Registration: NHaidubon.org

June 6 * 9 to 11 a.m. Ask a Master Gardener. Free. Bring gardening questions.

June 12 * 6 to 8 p.m. Growing Squash, Cucumbers & Melons / Presenter: Will Lowenthal



80 Hanover St.,
Manchester
603-668-5588

Main Stage – 80 Hanover St. Manchester

May 25 * 10 a.m. & 3 p.m. Beauty and the Beast (Dance)

May 31, June 1, 7, & 8 * 7:30 p.m. 42nd Street (Musical)

Also on June 1, 2, & 8 * 2 p.m.

June 5 & 6 * 7 p.m. Sound of Music (Youth Theatre)

Granite State Cabinetry – 384 Rte 101, Bedford

June 2 * 9:30 a.m. Kitchen Tour 2024 Lunch included. Reg. req. Self-guided.

The Spotlight Room – 90 Hanover St., Manchester

June 2 * 3 p.m. Granite State Ringers (Handbells)

03 Rex Theatre - 23 Amherst St., Manchester

May 24 * 8 p.m. Silver Stories

Also May 25 * 2 p.m. (Cabaret-style show)

May 29 * 6 p.m. Schmooze & Booze Event with Temple Israel (Dance Party)

May 30 * 6 p.m. Charity Roast of BJ Perry

May 31 * 7:30 p.m. Brian Glowacki and Friends (Comedy)

June 1 * 7:30 p.m. BEATLEJuice Concert

All Beatles All Night
June 7 * 7:30 p.m. Lenny Clarke & special guest (Comedy)

June 8 * 7:30 p.m. Jukebox Saturday Night with Scott Spradling Band



Poetry Readings

First Unitarian Universalist Society of Exeter 12 Elm St
www.exeteruu.org 603- 772-4002

June 7 * (First Friday of every month) in the Community Room, the Coffeehouse is an informal gathering that begins with a featured performer, followed by an open mic for poets and musicians.

Frost Farm Poetry 122 Rockingham Rd, Derry
www.frostfarmpoetry.org 603-432-3091

May 23 & 30 & Jun 6 & 13 (Thursdays) at 6:30 p.m.
 A reading by a Hyla Brook poet, a featured reader, followed by open mic.

Bookery Manchester, 844 Elm Street
www.bookerymht.com/open-mic-night 603 836-6600

May 18 (3rd Sat per month) Join us for an hour of open mic performances - Comedy, short stories, poetry, music, magic, dancing and more.

Stark Brewing Co. 500 N Commercial St, Manchester
www.starkbrewingcompany.com 603-625-4444

May 23 & 30 & Jun 6 & 13 Slam Free or Die is a poetry open mic and slam series that happens every Thursday night at Stark Brewing



200 Bedford, St. Manchester
 (603) 669-0400

www.see-sciencecenter.org

NOTE: Our library has discount passes!

Stark Brewing Co. 500 Commercial St. Manchester

June 11 * 5 p.m. **Science on Tap (21 & Older)**

Manchester City Library, 405 Pine St. Manchester

June 12 10 a.m. – 11 a.m. **Storytime Science**
 (must register to participate)

2024 Summer Camp Registration is NOW OPEN
 (Visit website for more information)



23 Science Center Road
 Holderness, NH
 603-968-7194

www.nhnature.org

NOTE: Our library has discount passes!

Mon & Fri * 3 p.m. Loon Cruise

Daily * 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Live Animal Exhibit Trail
 and Hiking Trails / Last tour 3:30 p.m.

Until July 1 * 1 p.m. Squam Lake Cruise

Tue & Thu * 3 p.m. Cruise with a Naturalist

June 5 * 5:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. Annual Breeding Bird Census – Free but Reservations required / 18 and older

Daily June-Aug. Adventure Camp

Ages 4 to 12 taught by experienced naturalist educators / Times & Programs vary / see website / scholarships available

Blue Star Museums initiative- FREE admission to currently serving U.S. military personnel and their families this summer.



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May 23 & 30 & Jun 6 & 13 * 6:30 & 7:30 p.m. Trivia

May 24 * 6:30 p.m. Jerry Paquette Music

June 8 * 7:30 p.m. Glitter & Camo (Country Band)

June 11 * 5 p.m. Science on Tap



White Birch Community Center

51 Hall Ave, Henniker

(603) 428-7860 www.whitebirchcc.org

(Programs are FREE unless otherwise noted)

*Respectfully, we request that participants contact us well before the posted event to ensure that there is space available for us to properly receive you. Items listed in **blue** request a donation. All others are free.*

Volunteer **Dial-A-Ride Drivers Needed** - Consider being a Dial-A-Ride volunteer driver. Just a couple of hours per month can make a difference in a local senior's life.

Find out more by contacting Rusty: 603-428-3077
rustyg@whitebirchcc.org.

May 31 * 3 p.m. Deadline for [Clue](#) tickets

May 31 * 3 p.m. Deadline for [Sunflower Festival](#) tickets

Jun 5 * 1 to 2 p.m. Team Trivia

OUTINGS

May 23 * 9 a.m. Cathedral of the Pines trip. \$22.29.

May 28 * 11 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. Dominoes

May 29 * 8:45 a.m. Breakfast [Intervale Pancake House](#)

May 30 * 9:30 a.m.-4:05 p.m. [Squam Lake Cruise](#)

June 4 - 1 to 3 p.m. Movie: [The Boys in the Boat](#)

June 6 * 9:20 a.m. - 2:10 p.m. Bowling [Boutwell's](#)

June 7 * Noon Lunch Bunch at [Lakehouse Tavern](#)

June 13 * 10:25 a.m. to 4:20 p.m. Miniature Golf
www.chuckster'sMiniatureGolf.com (Bus Trip)



Asked and Answered: Rescue Dogs

A Rescue Named Teddy

By Cathy Bailey

My name is TEDDY and I was dropped off at a scary place by my family. They said that I seem sick, and I'm always trying to get attention. You see, we have a new baby in our family, and mom and dad are exhausted. They said they don't want to have to deal with me because I'm always hungry, and always in the way. And in any case, they can't afford to feed me.

I heard the people here at the scary place say that I'm way too skinny, and that I stink to high heaven. They said that my eyes are blank and hard, and that it's unlikely that anyone will ever want to adopt me. I wish I could tell them that I'm just afraid, and that my eyes are usually bright and happy when I'm with my family. I hope they come back for me soon.

Someone here tried to touch me, but I had to move away quickly because my skin is raw and my back feels like it's on fire. I have crusty sores and ragged scars. I don't know how to talk so I had to growl a little to let them know that it was painful. I think they understood because they haven't tried to touch me again.

Now they are sticking needles into me and they said that I have heartworm. Maybe this is why I don't feel so great. Anyway, they just shoved me into a kennel and said that I'll be on "the list" for tomorrow. I don't know what this means, but I hope my family comes back to get me before then – I miss them, and I know they must be worried about me.

It's morning now, and they're lining us all up... for what, I'm not sure. Maybe this is the line for breakfast. Or maybe we'll all get to go outside for some fresh air and playtime. Or maybe, just maybe, our families are waiting for us at the end of the line! I'm so excited to get there so I can see them!!!

I like the other dogs that I'm meeting here in this line – they all seem happy and friendly, and I think we'll be great pals. Maybe they can come to my house for a play date when my family picks me up!

But wait... this seems to be a bad line to be in – I can hear dogs ahead of me crying, and then they suddenly go silent. What is happening? I heard someone say we



are being put to sleep. What does that mean? PLEASE, I just want my family! I promise to be a good boy!

Suddenly, one of the people here at the scary place is pulling me out of the line. I'm so terrified that every muscle in my body seems frozen, and I can't move. They said that I am being rescued and they're taking me back to the kennel. Has my family come back for me?

This was Teddy's story when he was brought into one of the high kill shelters in South Carolina. Teddy was fortunate that he had gained the attention of a kind-hearted person, who saw his plight, and posted a desperate plea on social media to try to save his life. Fortunately for Teddy, the folks at Hearts and Tails Animal Alliance saw his photo, and knew they had to help this sweet boy who had been so severely neglected and wanted nothing more than some love and affection from his former family.

With just minutes to spare, the call was made to the animal control facility, and everyone held their breath while the staff went to see if Teddy was still alive, or if he had already reached the end of the line.

We're thrilled to announce that Teddy is now here at our shelter in Weare and is feeling much better these days. He has gained weight, has been treated to cure his heartworm, and is a very healthy, happy boy. The only thing missing for Teddy is his forever family, and he is hoping to find them soon.

This gentle boy is longing for affection, and will sit quietly, hoping for just a little bit of your time. He is two years old and weighs just 35 pounds. If you'd like to welcome this lovely little fellow into your heart and home, please complete an adoption application on our website: www.heartsandtails.org/adoption-application/



Tell Us About: Bicycles !

June 3rd is World Bicycle Day. Do you remember your first bicycle? Who taught you how to ride? Where did you go? Who did you ride with? Did it offer you newfound freedoms? Did you use it to get to a job? What is the longest trip you have been on? Did you earn the scout merit badge for cycling? Do you have a picture of you with the bike you can share?



POETRY CORNER

Flowering Quince

Glorious blossoms
pink-orange color,
enchanted beauty
burst forth on the
flowering quince shrub
at the walkway's edge,
graceful branches bend,
spreading enchantment
into expanding space.

-Marge Burke

Rain

What else but rain again,
as if it was really
needed, after the
weather pattern of
the past month or so,
earth saturated
water absorption
difficult, leaving
expanding puddles
I tried to step around
them, without success,
went right into one
like a child stomping
in beckoning puddles

-Marge Burke

Weare Business Corner



From the Weare Police Department to our local businesses: we are currently updating our records and are looking for your help! If you are running a new (or

current) business, we ask you to complete a "Business Information Form." The information allows us to best serve you! The form is accessible on our website under the "forms section" as Business Registration Form. Simply, click the following link:

<https://www.weare.nh.gov/.../1 blank- business...>

Thank you and remember... One Town, One Team!

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Mark Your Calendar

Tuesday, May 21

6 p.m. – Weare School Board meeting
7 p.m. – Cable Committee meeting

Saturday, May 25

9 a.m. – Weare Republicans meeting

Saturday, June 1

8 a.m. – 2 p.m. Town-Wide Yard Sale

Monday, June 3

6:30 p.m. – Board of Selectmen meeting

Tuesday, June 4

7 p.m. – Garden Club meeting
7:30 p.m. – Zoning Board meeting

Wednesday, June 5

6 p.m. – Mildred Hall Advisory Committee

Thursday, June 6

7 p.m. – Public Library Trustees meeting

Friday, June 7

11 a.m. – Weare Area Writers Guild meeting

Monday, June 10

6:30 p.m. – Board of Selectmen meeting

Tuesday, June 11

7 p.m. – Parks and Recreation Commission meeting