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Place: Industrial Drive (cul-de-sac)

Industrial Drive is off Old Manchester Road

Old Manchester Road is exit 4 off of

Raymond, NH











Auburn Historical **Association's**

26TH ANNUAL DUCK RACE

September 8th

10am-4pm

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State Primary

Election!!

9/11/2018

7am-7pm

Held @ AVS

Editor: Patricia Rousseau Co Editor: Susan Jenkins



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Auburn Town Hall News

Auburn Part of Three-Town Federal Grant for SCBA Equipment

The Auburn Fire Department is part of a successful federal grant application through the U.S. Department of Homeland Security's Assistance to Firefighters program to replace and update self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA).

More than \$600,000 was approved for the grant that was jointly applied for by the Towns of Auburn,

Chester and Sandown. In the works for nearly a year, the Town of Chester took the lead in organizing this multiple-town application. For Auburn, the grant will provide approximately 25 sets of SCBA gear and 48 air bottles, in addition to bottles and equipment as a cascade system that will be installed in the new rescue vehicle that is under development for delivery in 2019.

The grant totals approximately \$600,000 overall and Auburn's portion is approximately \$200,000. The grant will be administered through the Town of Chester, who engaged a grant writer for this application effort and will assist the three communities moving

forward to ensure compliance with the grant program rules in implementation.

Auburn will need to provide five percent of the cost of its equipment, which is approximately \$9,500. Most of the funding is currently in the Department's FY 2018 budget.

This grant is a very good thing for all three communities and should address
Auburn's SCBA needs for the next 15 or more years.
Congratulations to all Auburn, Chester and Sandown fire officials who participated in this effort.

Federal Disaster Declaration for March 13th Severe Winter Storm

As a result of the disaster declaration issued by President Trump for the March 13th severe winter storm that hit New Hampshire on Town Election Day, the Town of Auburn has worked with officials of the Federal

Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) to certify the costs incurred by the Town to manage the storm operations.

Preliminary accounting indicates the Town had incurred nearly \$40,000 in expenses

for the 48-hour period of March 13th and 14th due to the winter storm. Once finalized, the Town will be reimbursed 75% of its approved expenses which should total approximately \$30,000.

Parks & Recreation Commission Change

BK Bazan resigned his seat on the Parks and Recreation Commission last month, and the Board of Selectmen has appointed David Oliveira to serve for the remainder of Mr. Bazan's original term of office.



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Deputy Town Clerk and Deputy Tax Collector Named

Lauren Fanning of Auburn has been named as the Deputy Town Clerk and Deputy Tax Collector. Mrs. Fanning was selected from a total of 11 applicants for

the positions. She was nominated for the positions by Town Clerk Kathleen Sylvia and Tax Collector Susan Jenkins. The Board of Selectmen confirmed her appointment on August 6th.

Mrs. Fanning is filling the role Patricia Rousseau used to have before being named Finance Assistant in the Selectmen's Office.

Committee Appointed to Look at PD Space Needs

The Board of Selectmen has appointed a committee to develop a proposal to meet various space needs that have been identified for the Auburn Police Department. The committee has been asked to look at whether an addition to the current Safety Complex

building or a stand-alone building on the property would be the best approach for the Town.

The Committee will include Detective Sergeant Charles Chabot, representing the Police Department; Police Commissioner Michael Rolfe, Building Inspector Carrie Rouleau-Cote; Tom Lacroix representing the Planning Board; Mary Beth Lufkin representing the Budget Committee; a representative of the Fire Department and the three Selectmen.

Save the Dates for Household Hazardous Waste and E-Waste Days

The annual Household Hazardous Waste Day collection for the Towns of Auburn, Nottingham and Raymond will be held on Saturday, September 29th from 9 AM to 1 PM in the Town of Raymond.

Not accepted:

Motor Oil, Latex Paint, Medical Waste

Items to bring:

Oil base paint, Pesticides,
Fertilizer, Cleaning products,
Antifreeze, Pool chemicals

Auburn's annual Electronic

"E-Waste" Collection Day is scheduled for Saturday,

October 13th from 9 AM to
2 PM. Plans right now are to hold the event at the Auburn Village School as long as it does not interfere with the school construction.

Hot Dates:

Mark Your Calendar! <u>Hazardous Waste</u> 9/29/18 9am-1pm <u>E-Waste</u> 10/13/18 9am-2pm

James Headd

Richard Eaton

Keith Leclair

Auburn Board of Selectmen

Any questions please call Raymond Public Works 895-7036 or email: dogrady@raymondnh.gov



Auburn Historical Association

CARRIAGE SHED OPEN HOUSE



Over the past few months, we have been telling you about the new carriage shed that was constructed by local students and volunteers at the Auburn Historical Association property on Hooksett Road. The barn was built to house a 1888 sleigh that was donated by John Rolfe.

The structure is complete and we are eager to show off the new building to the Auburn community. Please join us at our monthly open house on Saturday, October 20 from 1-4 p.m. to view this beautiful structure.

Thanks again to everyone who helped make this project possible, including: Dan Carpenter, John Everett, Joe Spuria, Mickey Rolfe, John Rolfe, Ray Racicot, Matt Doerfler, Ed Fehrenbach, Zack Fehrenbach and the students from the Jesse Remington High School in Candia.

HISTORICAL MARKER DEDICATION

In addition to our Carriage Shed Open House, we invite you to join us for a special plaque dedication on Saturday, October 20.

For his Eagle Scout Project, 15-year-old Sam Rooney of Auburn chose to have a historical marker made for Dockham's Store. Dockham's Store, which is located on the Auburn Historical Association's grounds on Hooksett Road, is an important piece of Auburn's history as it once served as a meeting and polling place for the town. When he first saw the building, Sam didn't know much about it and spent time learning about its history through members of the Historical Association. Sam felt it was important that others also knew the history of this building from the 1850s, so he chose to have a historical marker made.

TOWN OF AUBURN, NEW HAMPSHIRE HISTORICAL SITE

Henry Dockham's store was built in the 1850's on Dearborn Road. A relic of an age long past, of ox carts and ice mining, it also served as a meeting and polling place.
The store was moved to this site in November of 2008.

Presented to The Auburn, New Hampshire Historical Association by Sam Rooney, Boy Scout Troop 127, for his Eagle Scout project in May of 2018.

Daffodil Project

As summer winds down and the leaves begin to turn shades of red and orange, it's time to start thinking about planting spring bulbs! The AHA is once again selling daffodil bulbs as a fundraiser. Bulbs are available for pre-order through September 8. The cost is \$20 for 20 beautiful bulbs and the order form can be found on our website or at Auburn Day and the Duck Race on September 8.

The bulbs will be available for pickup in October.

www.auburnhistorical.org

Auburn Historical Association's

Auburn Day and 26[™] Annual Duck Race Saturday, September 8 | 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. Auburn Village on Hooksett Road

Rain or shine

Duck race, local artisans, 5k road race, food, Salmon Falls Apple Pie Contest, kids' activities, live music, Pretty Chicken Contest, Agricultural Anomalies, Pinkerton Marching Band and more!

2nd Annual Pretty Chicken Contest

Do you have a Plymouth Rock beauty or a stunning Rhode Island Red that everyone *must* see? If you think that you have the most beautiful hens in town, then bring them to this year's Duck Race and show them off!

The public will vote for their favorite girls and the top three vote-getters will receive cash prizes.



Auburn's Agricultural Anomalies

Do you have a twisted tomato, crooked carrot or abnormal apple in your garden bounty? If so, then we want to see it!

We invite all farmers and garden enthusiasts to bring their unique produce picks and participate in this brand-new event!

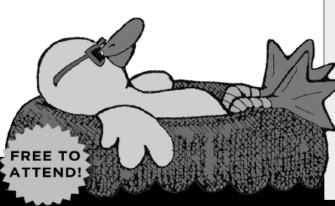
The public will vote for their favorite entries and the top three vote-getters will receive cash prizes.

4th Annual Salmon Falls Apple Pie Contest

The deliciously popular Apple Pie Contest is back for a fourth year. If you think your homemade apple pie is the best, then we want to taste what you've got!

Bakers will be blindly judged by a panel of local pie enthusiasts. The top three contestants will receive a beautifully made pie plate, courtesy of Salmon Falls Stoneware.

Find maps, entry forms and contest rules for all events at www.auburnday.com



DUCK RACE TICKETS

\$5 for one ticket or \$20 for five tickets.

Tickets can be purchased at the following locations:

- Griffin Free Public Library
- Send us a message on Facebook
- At the AHA tend at the Duck Race
- Contact an AHA officer: Pat Clement, Dan Carpenter, Dave Rogers, Susan Anderson, Pam Weeks, Nancy Mayland, Wendy Smith or Jim Thompson

This event benefits the Auburn Historical Association and other local non-profit organizations.

WWW.AUBURNDAY.COM





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Please Help Us Reach Our Goal
Of Raising
\$22,000.00

PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO:

Auburn Volunteer Firemen's Association

Mail To: Auburn Volunteer Firemen's Association

6 Pingree Hill Road Auburn NH 03032



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You Can Register to Vote on Election Day

Any Auburn resident, who is at least 18 years old, may register to vote on Election Day.

What to Bring:

- Photo ID Driver's license, Passport or School ID
- Proof of Residence Driver's license with Auburn address, Mail or Bill
- **Proof of Citizenship** Birth Certificate or Passport

Register with the Supervisors of the Checklist

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Boy Scout Troop 127 By Benjamin Wallin

Last month the scouts where busy having fun camping at White Lake, hiking up Mount Chocorua and exploring Fort Adams in Rhode Island. The boys have been actively working on both the Astronomy merit badge and the Physical Fitness merit badge for the past few months. Activities to earn the Physical Fitness merit badge includes; Doing a physical fitness

plan, Learning about healthy food choices and learning about careers associated with physical fitness. For the Astronomy merit badge we also; Talked about stars, How to prepare for stargazing And We have also participated in a lecture and sky watch by the New

Hampshire Astronomical Society at the Griffin Free Public Library. The troop now plans to visit the McAuliffe-Shepard Discovery Center to work even more on their astronomy merit badge.

By, Benjamin Wallin

Troop 127 meets
Monday nights 6:30 at
Longmeadow
Church. Please visit
our website if you are
interested in coming to
a meeting.
http://
auburn127.mytroop.us



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News from Auburn Dollars for Scholars

You are Invited!

Auburn Dollars for Scholars® is a non-profit 501c3 chapter of the national organization Scholarship America®.

This is a team of local volunteers committed to supporting Auburn students in their continuing education pursuits.

We are looking for volunteers to help support our Auburn students!

Please join us at our next monthly meeting

Monday September 24th at 6 PM in the Griffin Free Public Library.

for more information visit:

auburn.dollarsforscholars.org

We look forward to meeting you!

Mary Hrubiec, President





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Parks and Recreation News

Auburn Teen Council

Teens, let your voice be heard! The Parks and Recreation department is forming a new Auburn Teen Council for students ages 13 to 17. The ATC will plan events and programs for Auburn teens as well as volunteer at local events. This is a great opportunity for students to get involved in their community while developing leadership, budget and event planning skills.

There will be an informational meeting on Thursday, September 20th at 6:30 pm at the Safety Complex. If you are interested in attending, please contact the Parks and Rec at 483-5052 x101 or email recreation@townofauburnNH.com

Movement & Yoga

For children ages 3-5

Children ages 3-5 are invited to our Movement & Yoga program which blends yoga, play, dance, music and drama. Your child will enjoy simple poses, games, music and breathing exercises, in a fun family atmosphere. Yoga at an early age encourages self-esteem and body awareness with a physical activity that's noncompetitive.



Classes will be held on Thursdays starting at 9:15 am at the Safety Complex Meeting Room. This 6-week session begins on September 20th and runs through October 25th. The fee for this program is \$59.

Preregistration is required. Please return the form below to: Auburn Parks and Recreation, PO Box 309, Auburn, NH 03032 or you can drop it off at the Town Hall. Checks can be made payable to the Town of Auburn. Please call the Parks and Recreation office at 483-5052 x101 or email Recreation@townofauburnNH.com with any questions.

Movement & Yoga Registration Form September 2018

Participant's Name:	Date of Birth	
Darant's Name		
Parent's Name:		
Email:		
Phone Number:		



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2nd Annual TRUNK or TREAT

Wednesday, October 31, 2018 at 6:00 PM-8:00 PM **Auburn Safety Complex**

The Auburn Safety Complex and Parks & Recreation are again partnering to bring our residents the Trunk or Treat that will be held on Halloween night! It was such a fun event last year that we are happy to see it become an annual Auburn tradition. Trunk or Treat is not replacing traditional trick or treating but is a fun, night time option in safe environment.

What is Trunk or Treat? Trunk or Treat is a different spin on Trick-or-Treating where community members bring a car, decorate its trunk (or entire car) and pass out candy as kids "trunk or treat" from car to car.

To Register your car for Trunk or Treat....

- 1. Participation is open to Auburn Residents, non-profits and businesses located in Auburn only.
- 2. Must complete and submit the attached application by the deadline of October 17th 2018.
- 3. Registration and participation are FREE.

When arriving at the event (for participating vehicles)

- 1. All vehicles must arrive, be decorated and staffed by 5:30 PM on Wednesday, October 31.
- 2. Participants must provide photo ID when arriving at the event.
- 3. Vehicles will be provided an authorized trunk number upon check-in.4. All vehicle engines must be off during the event.
- 5. Vehicles must remain at the event until the event ends at 8:00 PM. For safety purposes, vehicles will not be allowed to leave the parking lot until the event is over.
- 6. All vehicles must be stocked with sufficient number of treats to distribute at the sole expense of the applicant. All candy should be individually wrapped treats of first quality and safe for children to
- 7. No alcoholic beverages or tobacco products will be allowed at this event.

If you would like to come to the event just to trick or treat without a decorated vehicle, you do not need to preregister. All are welcome!

Trunk or Treat 2018 Application		
Name/Business Name:		
Address:		
Phone:	Email:	
MAIL APPLICATION TO:	Auburn Parks & Recreation PO Box 309 Auburn, NH 03032	

FOR QUESTIONS OR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT: mgates@townofauburnnh.com or recreation@townofauburnnh.com













It's In The Books!

Our 2018 book sale is over and, thanks to the Auburn community, we made over \$4,000. It really does take a village to help make the Book Sale a success. Thank you so much to the volunteers for helping to load/unload and organize books, the staff at AVS, the staff at the Griffin Library, Boy Scout troop 127 and of course the book-lovers that purchased so many items! This year our sale was a little more challenging due to over 17,000 items being donated. As you can imagine table space was at a premium but we made the best of it. The Friends of the Library would like to thank the many great cooks for their delicious contributions for their bake sale. They were able to add just under \$200 which will go towards Museum passes and extra items for the library. This year Book Sale funds will go towards "hoopla", a digital media service that allows patrons to borrow movies, music, audio-books, e books, comic and TV shows to enjoy on their computer, tablet, TV and phone! Watch for more about that later. And, for the comfort and convenience of patrons, additional seating was also purchased with the funds.

Once again from all of us at The Griffin Free; thank you so much! Fay





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The Friends of the Griffin Free Public Library

WANTED

We're hoping our friends and neighbors will be able to help us with our "MADE IN AUBURN" table at Auburn Day on September 8th. If you create any item(s) and would be willing to donate them to us it would be appreciated. All proceeds of the sales go to sponsoring programs at the library.

We'd also like to thank the following sponsors of our "PICK-DUCK" raffle. These, and more, can be won at our table. Please support the businesses who have made these generous donations.

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DAIRY QUEEN	LEGENDS GOLF
EXTRA CARE AUTO	FLUTTER MY SHUTTER
FUNSPOT WEIRS BEACH	GOLDENROD
LA CARRETA	LAKESIDE LANES
LONGMEADOW BREAKFAST	NEADEAU'S SUBS
OSBORNE'S AGWAY	POOR BOYS
PURITAN BACK ROOM	SEE
SKY ZONE	SPACE CENTER
TARGET	TUCKAWAY TAVERN
WALMART	ZOEY'S
AND MANY MORE!!!!	

We'd also love to have you stop by to become a friend of the library and we make great popcorn!





Kathy Growney, Library Director

(603) 483-5374

www.griffinfree.org



Join us on Tuesday, September 25 at 6:30 PM for the musical performance, *Songs of Emigration:*Storytelling through Traditional Irish Music. Performer Jordan Tirrell-Wysocki will relay some of the adventures, misadventures, and emotions experienced by Irish emigrants through traditional Irish music. The focus will be on songs about leaving Ireland, sometimes focusing on the reasons for leaving (a man who is driven from his land by English persecution), sometimes revealing what happened upon arrival (an immigrant drafted into the Union army during the Civil War), and sometimes exploring the universal feeling of homesickness of a stranger in a strange land (a factory worker in London missing his home in County Clare). The presenter will discuss the historical context of these songs, interspersing their stories with tunes from Ireland that made their way into New England's musical repertoire, played on his fiddle or guitar. This event will be held at the Auburn Safety Complex at 55 Eaton Hill Road and is made possible through a NH Humanities grant and the Friends of Griffin Free.

Upcoming Programming for Children:

EVERY Tuesday, 11:00 AM and Friday, 1:00 PM

- Infant/Toddler Storytime with Miss Mary

Saturday, September 1, 1:00 PM – STEM on Saturday – LEGO Brain Puzzles September 8, 10 AM – 4 PM – Games for

Children with Miss Mary behind the Library Saturday, September 15, 11:00 AM –

Storytime: What can you make with Duck

Tape?

Wednesday, September 19, 6:30 PM – Storytime: Make Your Own Button!

Upcoming Programming for Adults:

EVERY Friday, 10:30 AM – Knitting / Crochet @ the Library

Tuesday, September 4, 6:30 PM – Friends of the Library

Wednesday, September 5, 6:30 PM – Adult Evening Book Club

Saturday, September 8, Duck Race Day – 3D Printing Demo at the Library 10 AM – 2 PM Monday, September 10, 6:30 PM – Trustee Meeting

Monday, September 17, 6:30 PM – Trustee Meeting

Saturday, September 22, Noon – 1:30 PM – Cookbook Club: Reader's Choice Saturday, September 25, 6:30 PM – Irish

Musical Performance to be held at the Safety Complex

Griffin Free Public Library Hours

 Tuesday:
 10 AM - 6 PM

 Wednesday:
 1 PM - 8 PM

 Thursday:
 10 AM - 6 PM

 Friday:
 10 AM - 5 PM

 Saturday:
 10 AM - 2 PM

Sunday & Monday: Closed





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Songs of Emigration:

Storytelling Through Traditional Irish Music

Presenter: Jordan Tirrell-Wysocki



A New Hampshire Humanities event hosted by:

Griffin Free Public Library

Tuesday, September 25 at 6:30 PM

At the Auburn Safety Complex, 55 Eaton Hill RD, Auburn, NH griffinfree.org, director@griffinfree.org, 603.483.5374

Free and open to the public!







Auburn Village Crier



St. Peter Roman Catholic Church

Fr. Michael Gendron, Pastor 567 Manchester Rd. 603-623-5429 www.stpeteraub.org

Mass Schedule:
Sat – 4:00 pm
Sun – 8:00 am & 10:30 am
Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri – 7:00 am

Religious Education 2018-2019: For more information, see the parish website or contact Rachael Rhodes, Director of Faith Formation/Youth Minister at 603-623-5429, ext. 3.

A Family of Faith (Grades K-5) – Starts September 4
EDGE Youth Ministry (Grades 6-8) – Starts October 4
Life Teen Youth Ministry (Grades 9-12) – Starts October 11

Baptism or Marriage: For information on scheduling a Baptism or Marriage, please contact Fr. Michael Gendron at 603-623-5429, ext. 1.

Interested in learning more about the Catholic Church? The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a ministry to adults who are interested in learning more about the Catholic faith, and growing in their relationship with God. If you have never been baptized, have been baptized in another Christian tradition, or were baptized Catholic but have not received the sacraments of First Eucharist and/or Confirmation, and are interested in learning more about the Catholic faith, please contact Jake Linxweiler, Director of RCIA at 483-5571, or the parish office at style="color: blue;">style="colo









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Longmeadow Serves!

Where did the summer go?! In a whirlwind of activity at Longmeadow! And now that autumn is upon us it is time to start a new program year of worshipping, learning, serving, and just being together as children of God. We would love to have you join us at the Longmeadow Congregational Church, United Church of Christ, 4 Wilson's Crossing Road in Auburn. We invite you to join us as together we worship on Sunday mornings at 9:30.

We had a great time teaming up with the Auburn Parks and Rec Commission when we served free popcorn at their Free Summer Concerts. It was great to work with you all!

THANK YOU to all of our friends and neighbors in the Auburn community for your support of our summer outreach projects including our ingathering of school supplies for Auburn Village School and Church World Service. A special Shout-Out to our good friends of the Auburn Police Department and the Auburn Firefighters Association along with several individuals in our community for their extremely generous donations. Thanks to you we were able to donate 40 backpacks full of school supplies to children in need here in Auburn and on the first day of Sunday School will be assembling 50 school kits for Church World Service



And speaking of **Sunday School**, we will begin a new year together on September 9. Our Sunday School program is scripture based and interactive and our young people participate in outreach projects throughout the year that apply the lessons of service they have learned. There is always room for more. please contact Pastor Ruth at the church office if you have any questions. Adult Bible Study will be held on Wednesday evenings at 7:00 p.m., beginning on September 19. This year we will be exploring the Hebrew Scriptures using a curriculum entitled, "Exploring the Bible: The Old Testament." Our classes are open to anyone in the community. Just call the church office for more information.

We look forward to welcoming the community back for our first **Community Breakfast** of the year after the summer off. We've missed you all, please join us as we start a new year on Saturday, September 2 and 16.

Scarves in the Park:
Throughout the summer we have been delighted to hear about so many people in the Auburn community joining

us in creating scarves for us to give to individuals living on the street as a symbol that they are not forgotten. We will have labeled plastic bins at the Breakfasts where you can drop them off or call the church for pick up.

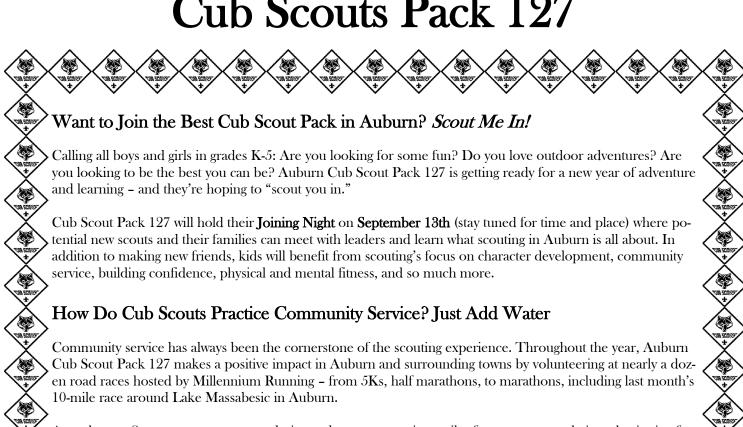
Community Office
Hours: Pastor Ruth holds office hours out in the community on Wednesdays from 11-1:00. No appointments are necessary, just come out and join her for lunch and a chat. For the month of September, she will be at Dunkin Donuts at Exit 2 off of Route 101. The location may change throughout the year, please see our Facebook page for location or call the church office.

And speaking of our Facebook page, we would love to have you "Friend" us for words of inspiration and encouragement as well as keeping up to date on the exciting things that are going on here at Longmeadow. https://www.facebook.com/groups/Longmeadow/

We of the Longmeadow Congregational Church, UCC seek to provide a spiritual home where all faith questions are honored and respected. No matter where you are on your spiritual journey, you are welcome here. If you are seeking a place to worship, we invite you to join us as we listen to the God who is Still Speaking and seek to follow.

If you have any questions, please contact our Pastor, Rev. Ruth Gallot at 483-2907

Cub Scouts Pack 127



At each race, Scouts pass out water at designated stops prompting smiles from runners at their enthusiastic offering of water cups and their willingness to get splashed when runners dump water on their heads.

The kids set up the water stop, fill cups an hand them out, cheer, and clean up. If they're lucky, there is almost always a "celebrity" sighting - like their favorite AVS teacher, neighbor, or parent.

The water stops are about more than just a few hours of standing in the street handing out cups of water. It's about serving their community and helping make the race friendly and memorable for the runners. Way to go Pack 127! Keep up the great work!



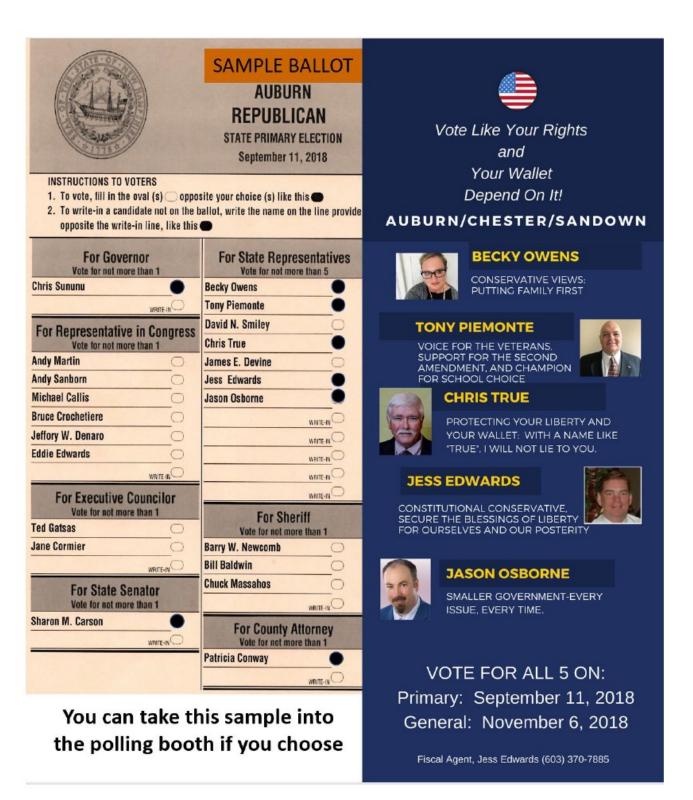
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PRIMARY ELECTION TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 11th POLLING PLACE: AUBURN VILLAGE SCHOOL



<u>Paid Political Ad</u>

News From The Auburn PD

Hello Auburn Residents,

Hard to believe summer is almost over. We had a lot of fun with residents this year at events, and visitors to the station! We have some great things coming in the fall and winter for our residents too!!!

First up.... in the month of September be sure to stop by and say hi to us at the Auburn Police Benevolent Association booth on September 8th at Auburn Day!!!



With the start of September, we wanted to remind everyone to keep in mind school is in session which means kids walking to school and waiting for buses.

Also, there is no turning onto Eaton Hill Rd from Hooksett RD during school drop off and pick up times.



AUBURN NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH

Join the almost 500 Auburn Residents, that help keep watch over the neighborhoods of Auburn. It's free and easy to become involved!

For more information contact:

mgates@townofauburnnh.com or call 603-483-2134





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Audubon Massabesic Center

SEPTEMBER EVENTS AT NH AUDUBON MASSABESIC CENTER

Pre-registration is required.

Register online at www.nhaudubon.org or call (603)668- 2045

SEPTEMBER

Intro to Pelagic Wildlife

Saturday, September 1, 3 - 4 pm
Cost: \$5 (free to those attending Pelagic Trip on September 4)
Leader: Jon Woolf
Come see a brief slideshow about some of the wildlife you might see just off NH's coast. We'll teach you how to identify some of our common pelagic birds as well as a few of our commonly sighted whale species.

Pelagic Trip

Location: Rye Harbor, NH Tuesday, September 4, 8 am - 5 pm Cost: \$70 M/\$90 NM Join NH Audubon aboard the MV Granite State as we explore Jeffrey's Ledge, 20 miles off the New Hampshire coast. Steve Mirick will lead us as we spend all day at sea, searching the length of Jeffrey's Ledge for pelagic seabirds, whales, dolphins, and anything else that happens to cross our course. Once you register, you will receive confirmation and further information. Meet dockside at Rye Harbor at 7:30am for an 8am departure. Max. 50.

A Fall Equinox Walk

Friday, September 21, 9:30 to 11:30

Cost: \$10M/\$15NM

Leader: Denise Turcotte

Join naturalist Denise Turcotte for a reflective walk through the fields, to the pond, into the woods and out to Blueberry Point overlooking Massabesic Lake. Take time to be with falling leaves in their beauty, look for other signs of Fall, trees and shrubs in this time of transition and letting go, and other gifts of nature. Adults only, please.

Nature's Bounty: Fuel for

Seasonal Survival

Saturday, September 22^{nd} , 9:30-11:30

Cost: \$10 M/\$15 NM Individuals, \$20M/\$30 NM Families

Autumn's harvest brings us an abundant array of delicious foods as we begin preparations for the winter months. NH's wildlife is also benefiting from nature's bounty as seasonal changes trigger survival strategies for winter's pending challenges. Join us as we explore the forests and fields of the New Hampshire Audubon's Massabesic Center, delving into the mysteries of migration and the amazing adaptations birds and animals utilize in this busy season. Enjoy a treat of savory hot chocolate and hearty trail mix along our "migration" route through the beautiful Massabesic sanctuary trails!

Moderate walking on good footing trails

Full Moon Hikes

Monday, Sep 24; Wed, Oct 24; Fri, Nov 23 from 7-9pm



Cost: \$10 M/\$15 NM Individuals, \$25 M/\$30 NM Families

Come celebrate the full moon with a nighttime hike to Battery Point. Join Jake King with Thrive Outdoors for the hike, a campfire, hot cocoa, marshmallows and a telescope for some moon and star-gazing before the hike.

<u>Dragons and Damsels of New</u> <u>Hampshire</u>

Thursday, Sep 27, 7-8:30pm

Leader: Pam Hunt, NHA Biologist

Cost: \$10M/\$12NM

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sects across the state.

Welcome to the fascinating world of the insect order Odonata! You may be familiar with the dragonflies buzzing over your yard in the summer, or the damselflies that land on your kayak, but what do you REAL-LY know about these ancient insects? This program provides an overview of the biology and ecology of dragonflies and damselflies, from their amazing life cycle (content alert: some pretty crazy reproductive behavior is involved!) to their incredible diversity. It also highlights a few of NH's notable species and their stories, and closes with some results from the "NH Dragonfly Survey," a five year volunteerbased project that

Auburn Village School Updates

It's been a busy summer at Auburn Village School. We've made great progress on the projects we set out to do this summer and as of this writing, are busily tying up loose ends to get ready for the school year. Here's what's changed:

- The portables have been moved closer to the school to create the space needed for the new classroom wing. In addition to moving the portables themselves, the various systems in and around them like water, sewer, electric, internet, security, walkways, and walkway covers were disconnected or removed and have been reestablished.
- A section of our new outdoor basketball court has been created since the previous one was in the location where the new classroom wing will be constructed.
- The locker rooms have been renovated. Each locker room has a handicap-accessible bathroom and we're in the process of getting lockers and other materials for the rooms.
- The roofs on the front part of the building are being replaced.
- We've abated most of the asbestos in many sections of the building and expect this will speed up our progress next summer.



With students and staff back in the building, we will put the finishing touches on the detailed architectural design for the new classroom wing and begin the renovation designs and construction drawings for the existing parts of the building. We've had several meetings focused on the technologies and infrastructure needed to power a 21st century school as well as choosing color palettes and materials. There have been several meetings with local regulatory groups, (building inspector, fire department, planning board) – as well as state officials to ensure the building design meets local and state codes and safety requirements.

In terms of construction, we'll be focusing on the new wing over the next year. Work will begin in late summer/early fall and continue throughout next summer. The construction fence in the rear of the building will remain through the school year to contain the equipment and materials needed for that effort. We're also continuing to work on establishing a road in the rear of the building so that we can keep construction vehicles out of the rear parking lot.



Starting in mid-September after the election, the back doors leading into the gym and cafeteria will be blocked off and students coming off buses will enter the building through the cafeteria doors near the dumpsters. We'll have extra signage and staff to guide bus drivers and students to help everyone understand the new routine and minimize disruptions. The location of parent drop-off and pick-up on Eaton Hill Road is expected to remain unchanged. More information will be forthcoming to student families and staff on these changes.

The Building Committee is comprised of administrators from SAU 15 and AVS, the architecture and construction companies, and two members of the Auburn School Board and continues to meet weekly. We've established plans for school operations and activities that are going to be affected by the project over the next year, including car and traffic flow, parking, and fire drills. While undertaking this type of project while the building is operational will introduce challenges here and there, we've done a lot of work this summer to minimize the impact on everyone who uses the school – students, staff, and Auburn residents alike.

Stay tuned to the Crier for continued updates.

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