

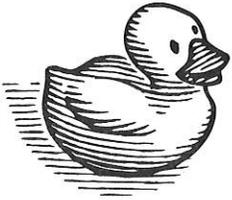


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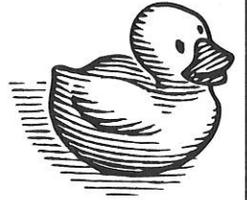
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SEPTEMBER 2015



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Saturday, September 12

10 AM - 6 PM

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Griffin Free Public Library Presentation:



**George Washington
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**Monday, September 28
7:00 PM**

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Senior Autumn Trip

Wednesday, October 7

Hobo Railroad

Lincoln, NH

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Town Clerk & Tax Collector

The Town Clerk and Tax Collector offices will be

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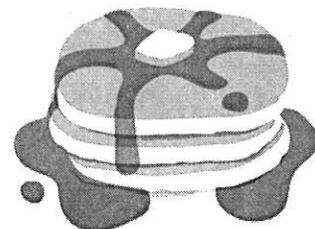
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News from the Auburn Town Hall

Raymond Road Culvert Project to Move Forward

In 2010, the Town through the Road Agent and the Board of Selectmen determined the under-sized culvert near the intersection of Raymond Road and Chester Turnpike was a problem area requiring a fix. The Town had its engineers apply for a wetlands permit required to replace the undersized culvert with larger twin culverts.

In the fall of 2011, the Town then applied for a Hazard Mitigation Program grant (HMPG) through the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) for the replacement and upgrading of the culvert.

This was followed in March 2012, with Town voters approving a warrant article which provided full funding for this project, as well as one near the intersection of Old Candia Road and Tower Hill Road. As approved, Article #5 clearly anticipated funding to come from the HMPG, which would represent 75% of the project costs. The total project costs were estimated by Stantec Consulting to be \$58,499.

FEMA is still reviewing this project application three years later. The Town was contacted last in late July to provide some additional information, including a copy of the Wetlands Permit that was secured for this work in 2010.

The concern for the Town at this point is that even if approved for FEMA funding, that approval would not come in time to perform the work before the approved Wetlands Permit expires on October 21, 2015.

As a result, the Town is in a Catch-22 position as any work done prior to grant approval by both FEMA and then the Governor and Executive Council would not be eligible for reimbursement by the grant. However, should the current Wetlands Permit lapse without having completed the project, the Town would likely not be able to secure a renewed permit for the same work. It would be required to move towards a bottomless box culvert style of system, which would be a far more costly project.

Weighing the options, the Board unanimously decided it was in the best interest of the Town to complete the project under its current plan and estimated cost versus the alternative of a more expensive project that would be completely at the Town's expense.

Records Storage Capacity Improved at Town Hall

During the past month, the cramped records storage room in the lower level of the Town Hall has undergone a transformation that has significantly increased the storage capacity of the room.

Many folks may not know that behind the back wall of the meeting room at Town Hall is a room designed to hold the Town's land use files - which are undoubtedly the most accessed and used records in the building.

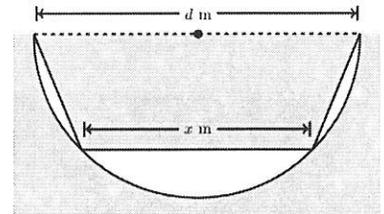
The land use files include all records concerning subdivisions, site plans and similar activities that go through the Planning Board and Zoning Board of Adjustment. And once the individual lots are established, there are records for each lot that could include septic plans and permits, building plans and permits, and other types of permits or records. These records are considered permanent records under the law and need to be retained.

Quite often, individual homeowners come to Town Hall to find their septic plans, verify their plot plans, determine if something done by a prior owner had been approved, look to see if there are any restrictions or covenants on their neighborhood or property, and the like.

The file room had contained 17 four and five-drawer file cabinets that were jammed packed with records. There was room perhaps for one more file cabinet, which could have easily been filled with the records for the approximately 150 new lots that are currently under various stages of application and approval before the Planning Board.

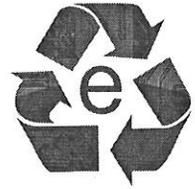
In late July, the Town had a new filing system installed into the room that provides the space of approximately 23 file cabinets where 18 would have fit. And should the Town need to in the future, an additional four or five more units could be installed to provide the capacity of seven to nine additional file cabinets.

The real work is now underway as the individual property files are transferred from the old file cabinets to the new file system. This work began in late June and will likely continue through August.



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Mark Your Calendars - E-Waste Collection Day is October 10th

Mark your calendars now.

Auburn's annual Electronic "E-Waste" Collection Day has been scheduled for Saturday, October 10th in the front parking lot of the Auburn Village School from 9 AM to 2 PM.

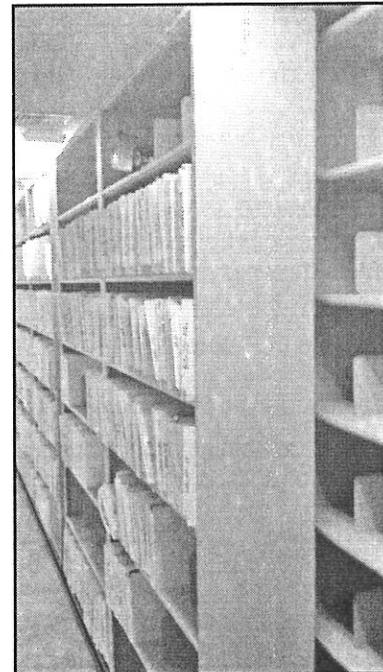
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File room before and after photos:



Denise Royce, Land Use Coordinator with BEFORE files

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Police Department

by Captain Gary F. Bartis

When the "Hands Free Law" was introduced and succeeded in passing into law, I wasn't very optimistic about the motor-ing public actually complying with it. There is such an addiction to electronic devices now that I believe one day an ex-pectant mother will give birth to a child with a cell phone instead of an ear. Okay, ridiculous! Everyone most likely under-stands what I'm saying.

Fast forward to July 1st and the law becomes reality, and we Police Officers can stop and ticket any offenders . As of the writing of this article there have been no stops for distracted driving; hence no tickets handed out. That's amazing, and I need to say thank you to all of the Auburn citizens, and anyone that has driven through our Town. Please keep up that record. To bring this message home I want to relate a personal story. On July 17th my sister was killed by a distracted driver who was allegedly on a cell phone. I can't get into details, but her death was a reminder of how quick something can happen in a vehicle.



With motor vehicle laws and safety in mind, let's remember school is opening, and there will be added traffic on the Town roads, and many children walking or riding their bikes to and from school. Watch out for them. Slow down, and be alert at all times. Pay attention to the school bus laws. Keep a safe distance behind them, and stop for school buses with their flashing red lights on. Thank you in advance for your safe driving habits, and watching for the children on the roads.

Some of the roads we are most concerned with are Rockingham Road, Wilson Crossing Road, Manchester Road, and Chester Turnpike. These roads seem to have many speeders on them. Oh, there are others, but these are really a problem. The Officers will be doing more radar to get people to slow down.

During the August Police Commission meeting I bragged about the lack of burglaries in Town this year. We only had six up until then. On August 7th I had to eat my words. We had a break in and some items stolen from that house. It isn't solved yet, but one resident experienced a strange occurrence just before the burglary. That person called us about it, and the information they provided will be instrumental in solving the burglary. Detective Sergeant Chabot is following up on the case and is close to developing an arrest warrant.

We ask all the people of Auburn to please call the Department any time you experience anything out of the ordinary. For example, if someone comes to your door and asks to use your telephone, or directions , it's a good bet that was a bur-glar. Try to get a description of the person and any vehicle they are in, and call us RIGHT AWAY!

As usual, please do not hesitate to call the Police Department with any issue, we will do our best to service you effec-tively and professionally. Thank you for your continued support.

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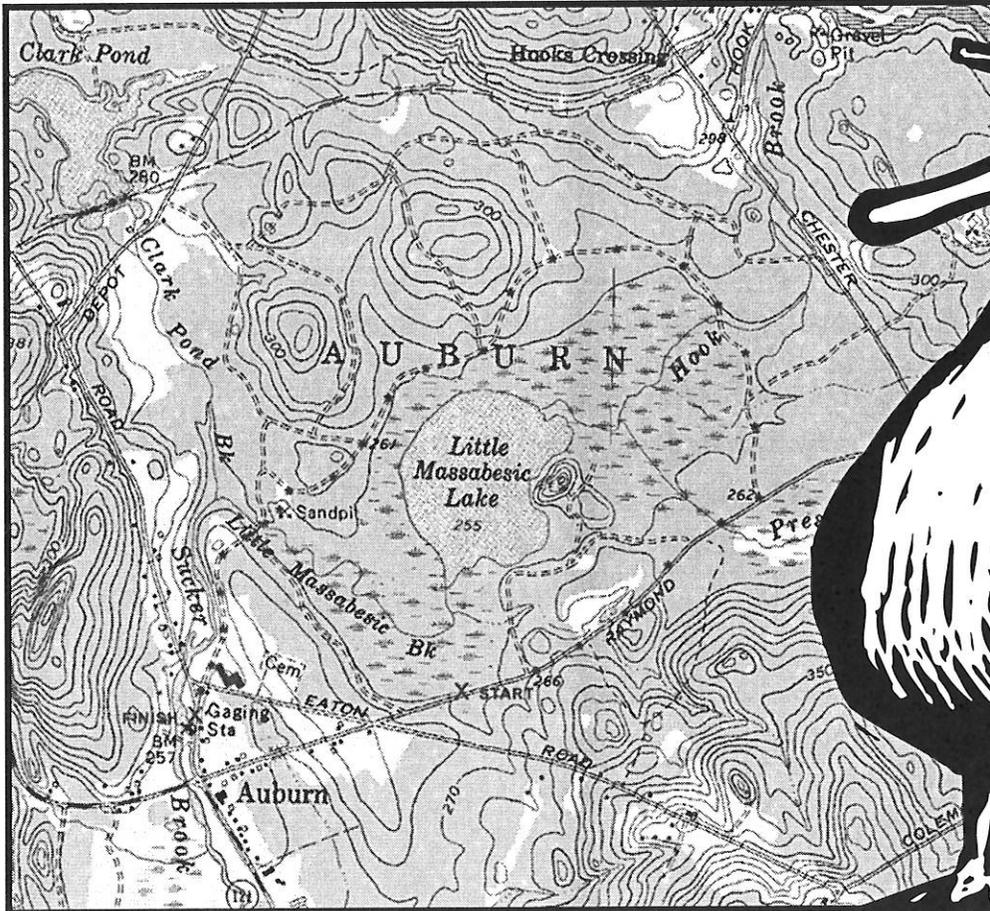
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5k Trail Run/Walk - September 12th

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Join us to kick off the 2nd Annual 5k Trail Run/Walk around Little Massabesic Lake. Pick up bibs at the Auburn Safety Complex at 55 Eaton Hill Road between 8:00 & 10:45 AM. This timed race starts on Raymond Road at 11:00 AM, follows the fire roads around the lake, and ends at the AUBURN DAY festivities! Runners and walkers can all win prizes from the drawing of your bib numbers. For more information, go to auburnhistorical.org or contact race organizer, Dee Cleary: dee.cleary@live.com

SAVE THE DATE!!

AUBURN DAY's 23rd ANNUAL DUCK RACE – September 12th

You can buy duck race tickets at Griffin Library, Town Hall, Auburn Supermarket, Turnpike Pizza, or from any Auburn Historical member. Each \$5 ticket will give you the chance to win cash prizes from \$25 to \$1000!!

Senior Autumn Trip Wednesday, October 7



The October Senior Trip will be going to ride the Hobo Railroad in Lincoln, NH.

The trip will be on Wednesday October 7, 2015. This trip is for Auburn Seniors only please have ID available. The bus will depart St Peters Church at 8 AM and return at 5 PM. We will have a buffet lunch at the Indian Head Resort. The cost for the trip is \$10.00 per person.

If the bus fills up you may follow the bus up and your train ride and meal will be paid for.

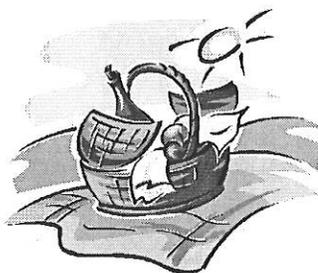
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Massabesic Seniors

by Pat Clement



August again turned out to be an enjoyable time for the Massabesic Seniors. In addition to our meetings at the Visiting Angels building we took one meeting to the banks of Lake Massabesic. Twelve of us brought our picnic lunches and enjoyed the cool breezes off the lake while watching the ducks swimming near us. It was a great day to enjoy with nature and our friends.

We celebrated two birthdays this month, Walter Manley and Louise Abbot. Louise shared the story of how her grandchildren "ironed" 85 one dollar bills to present to her for her 85th birthday.

Over 49 visits were made to members and friends who are unable to get out. We had visits from June, Elaine and Fabienne this month. It's good to see they are doing better. Do you know someone who would benefit from a visit?

We'd love to have you join us. After each brief meeting there are refreshments, bingo and cards. Stop in any Thursday at 1:00 pm at the Visiting Angels building on Hooksett Road.

The thought for the month from William Wordsworth: "Nature never did betray the heart that loved her"

Griffin Free Public Library

by Ricky Sirois, Library Director

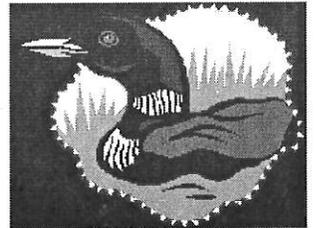
Thank you to everyone who supported the 2015 Griffin Free Public Library Book Sale, held at the end of July. We are very grateful for the volunteers who helped with setup and cleanup, everyone in the community who donated so generously, and those who came to shop and help make the 2015 sale the biggest in Griffin Free Public Library history! We raised more money this year than ever before, and some of it will be going to increase the number of parking spaces at the library to accommodate crowds at our storytimes and other popular events.

We are already accepting donations in advance of the 2016 sale, so if you are doing some summer cleaning please keep us in mind.

Now at Griffin Free - do your computing in comfort! Griffin Free Public Library now has a laptop available for checkout (in -library use only). This laptop connects through our wi-fi to give you all the computing options you need: Internet access, word processing, printing, and more! You can use the laptop anywhere in the building, so find your favorite seat at Griffin Free and do your work, emailing, or job hunting today!

Patrons must have a valid Griffin Free Public Library card in order to check out the laptop. Checkout is for periods of 1 hour, renewable if no one is waiting in line.

Library Programs for September:



Tuesday, Sept. 1st, 11:00 a.m. - Infant/Toddler Storytime
Movement games, music, and stories for little ones!

Saturday, Sept. 12th, 10-4 - Auburn Day festivities at Griffin Free, featuring Toddler Town
Miss Mary will be running toddler-friendly carnival games - with prizes! - in our patio area, and the library will be open for touring, business, wi-fi needs, and general relaxation just across the street from the band!

Tuesday, Sept. 15th, 11:00 a.m. - Infant/Toddler Storytime

Saturday, Sept. 19th, 11:00 a.m. - The Loon Lady
Learn all about loons and how you can help them in this presentation for children. This is a great opportunity for families to learn together!

Wednesday, Sept. 23rd, 6:30 p.m. - "A" is for Apple storytime and activity
Join us for stories about apples, and to make your very own homemade applesauce! A great way to kick off autumn!

Monday, Sept. 28th, 7:00 p.m. - George Washington Spied Here
Based on recently discovered historical materials and recent books, this program by Douglas Wheeler is an inquiry into the life and death of America's first spy, the patriot-martyr, Nathan Hale, of Coventry, Connecticut. Wheeler takes audiences on a journey through the spy world of the Culper Spy Ring of New York, Long Island and Connecticut, the most secret of the American spy rings and the most successful in getting useful intelligence to General George Washington beginning in 1778, two years after Hale's tragic execution by the British. The Father of our country was also our first Intelligence Chief. The program is illustrated with images of the main places and dramatis personae of this unusual network of patriot secret agents and couriers.

Auburn Lion's Club

by Dave Rogers

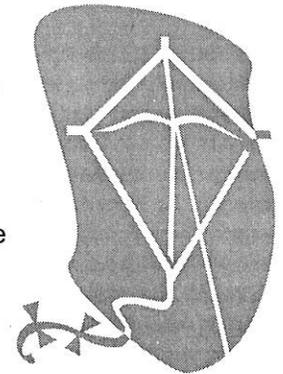
The Lions have returned from our short vacation and will be ready again to help anyone that needs it. The first meeting is Tuesday, September 8 at 7 PM in the Safety Complex. We are always looking for new members to help out with our projects. As a reminder we have handicap equipment for anyone that has a need. We also collect cell phones, eye glasses and hearing aids for re-use elsewhere. Please call Dave at 627-1036 for your needs and concerns.



Parks and Recreation News

by Helen Hiltz

We hope that you have enjoyed your summer and are ready for the little ones to go back to school. The summer concert series wrapped up in August and we were finally able to work with the fire and police departments to pull off a fun filled movie night. Thanks to the P&R members who sweltered cooking the hamburgers and hot dogs for all of the events and a big "thank-you" goes out to the members of the Longmeadow church for filling the air with the smell of popcorn and being so supportive. Face painter, Diane Coyle, transformed the little ones into butterflies and lions. What fun! The first annual senior BBQ was held at the Safety Complex. Thanks to the fire department and the "Red Hat" ladies for making this event a success. DJ, Mike Ferrarini, "Studdah" did an awesome job getting our seniors to do some chair dancing to the oldies! A BIG "thank-you" goes out to the Auburn Moms Club for supporting this event. It was wonderful to see the various town organizations working together and the events so well attended.



We are hoping that all of the seniors enjoyed the senior trips this year. The August trip took a scenic boat ride around Boston Harbor followed by a great lunch. Armand Miclette did a great job planning the outings. Thank-you Armand.

What's ahead? Plan on having some fun at the "Hippy Dippy Coffee House" that will be held at the Auburn Village School on November 7th. There will be great music, coffee, snacks, popcorn, and a contest for the best Hippy costume. Come join the fun! We are also planning the winter carnival and burning of the tree event for January. We are looking for some experienced snow shoers or cross country skiers who can put on some demonstrations at the event. Are there members of a snowmobile club that may want to spur some interest in snow mobiling by giving short rides at the event? We will also be investigating the possibility of having someone do an ice sculpture so if there is any local interest, please contact Helen Hiltz at 603-682-9181 or auburnnhrecdept@aol.com. Suggestions for any event are always welcome!

Starting this month, I will be briefly highlighting either a person or an organization that deserves special recognition for behind the scenes efforts to help out our community. Unfortunately, these efforts often go unnoticed and unrecognized. My hope is that the next time you see these people or members of these organizations you say "thank-you". These are truly the unsung heroes of Auburn. The person of the month for September is Margie McEvoy. Margie is a member of the Lions Club, Historical Society, Auburn Moms Club, Red Hat Ladies, Parks and Recreation Committee, Longmeadow Church and is supportive of almost every other organization in town. She is a true advocate for the children, seniors and veterans of Auburn. She is there to lend support at any P&R function and she is one of the organizers of the senior dinners and the senior barbecue. Her tireless efforts keep Bi-Centennial Park looking beautiful all year long. Next time you see Margie...say "thanks".

Cub Scouts Pack 127

by Jocelyn Malenchini

6 Reasons to join Scouts, Tom Baker

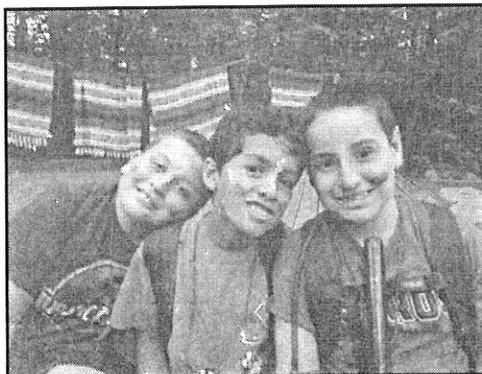
1. To give your son a year-round, active alternative to video games.
2. So he can learn to build a survival hut, to build a fire safely, to swim, to save a swimmer, to tie knots, to cook, to lead.
3. To sleep overnight on the sea in a battleship or in space at the Museum of Science.
4. To get him in a peer group that is goal-oriented and actively works on being resourceful, respectful and responsible.
5. To give him the courage and skill to help his neighbors in time of need.
6. To build up your son's personal skills so he eventually moves into his own house.



Reminder: Please join us for **Pack 127 Joining Night**, Friday, September 11th, 6:00 PM, at the Auburn Safety Complex. All returning Scouts and any interested boys entering grades 1-5, and their parents or guardians, are welcome to come and learn about all that we have to offer. Hope to see you there!



From left: Katelyn, Zack, Luke, Will and Matthew



Webelos II Scouts at overnight camp

Auburn's Cub Scouts have had an active summer full of fun activities. Four Wolf Scouts, four Webelos Scouts, two adult leaders and 1 volunteer Girl Scout attended Cub Scout day camp at Camp Carpenter in Manchester. This year's theme was *Cubs of the Round Table*. Everyone got plenty of exercise, walking an average of five miles per day to get to each of their scheduled stations. Favorite activities included Capture the Flag, shooting BB guns and building with Knex. The boys made new friends with Scouts from other towns, and finished the week by performing skits and songs together for their parents.

Overnight camp was another great adventure. This year, thirteen Scouts attended overnight camp at Camp Carpenter. They had loads of fun and got plenty of exercise swimming, hiking, playing games and using their imaginations. Three of our Webelos II Scouts were able to spend an extra night at camp to attend the Webelos II Bridge Program. They had an exhausting and wonderful week making new friends, bonding with old friends, and learning more about themselves.

In other news, the pack recently handed out water to runners at the Boot Scootin' Boogie road race for Millenium Running in Londonderry. Our next water stops will be at the NH XC Festival in Manchester and the New Hampshire 10 Miler, which takes place right here in Auburn. Maybe we'll be handing you water as you race around Lake Massabesic! Or maybe you'll join us in cheering them on. Good Luck Runners!

A huge thank you goes out to all of our fantastic leaders and volunteers. Thanks so much for providing such great camping experiences to the boys. We wouldn't have Scouting without you.

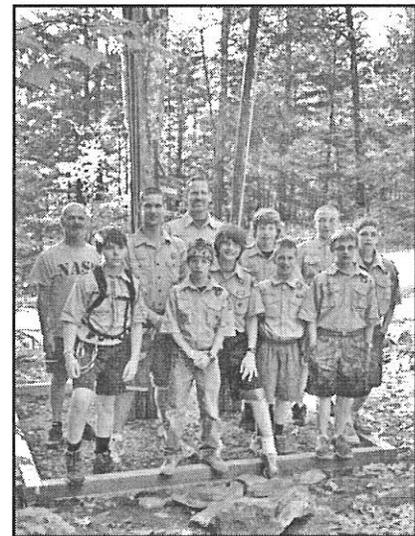
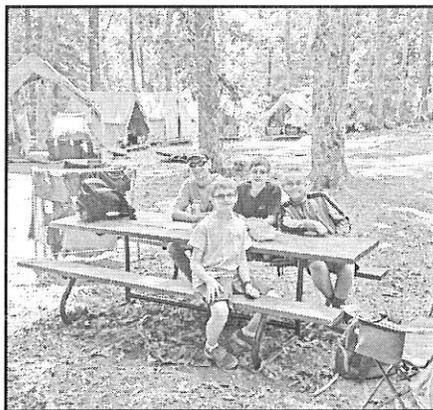
Boy Scouts Troop 127



By Anne Gagnon

Several Boy Scouts in Troop 127 attended overnight camp for six nights at Camp Wah-Tut-Ca in Northwood, NH in August. They made it through some storms and a heat wave but had a great time. The Troop is now gearing up for fall activities. We are having our Joining Night on Thursday, September 24th from 6-8 pm at Longmeadow Church. Boys between the ages of 11-17 are welcome to come see what our Troop is about. You can also check out our website at <http://auburn127.mytroop.us>. Boys in the Troop are always looking for community service volunteer hours so please contact us if you could use help on an event, activity or project. We also welcome adult volunteer leaders. You do not need to have a boy in Scouts if you want to work with out Troop. There are dozens of Merit Badges the boys can work on, so if you have a unique skill and would like to work with the Scouts please contact us.

Some of our upcoming activities include a weekend of camping at Camp Sanborn in Auburn (Troop 127 would like to thank Mr. Sanborn for letting the Troop camp on his property!). We are helping out with the Blood Drive at Longmeadow Church on August 26th. Look for us at the Duck Race - this year we will be demonstrating some First Aid skills and selling First Aid kits. We are also excited to be joining hundreds of other Scouts at the NH Jamboree in October at the NH Motor Speedway. Finally, Troop 127 would like to send out a huge THANK YOU to Grant Glosner for everything he has done for our Troop over the years. We don't think there has been a more dedicated Scout in NH or beyond and we wish him all the best as he starts his new journey in college.




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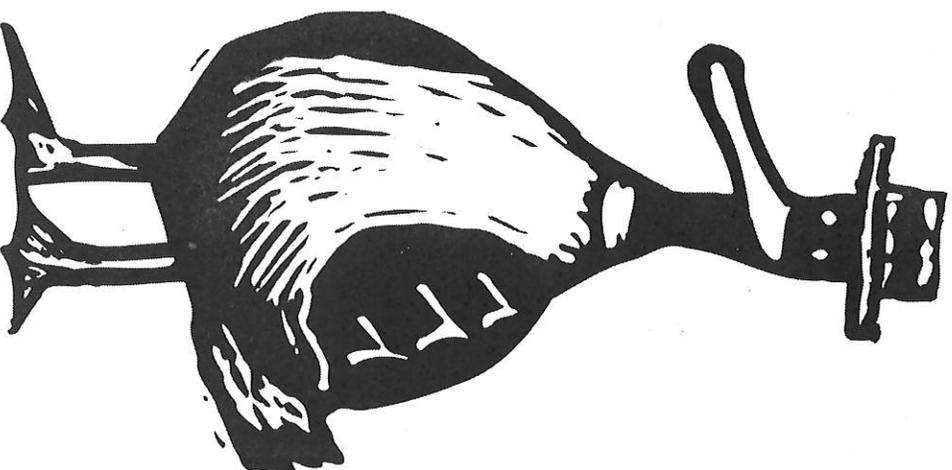
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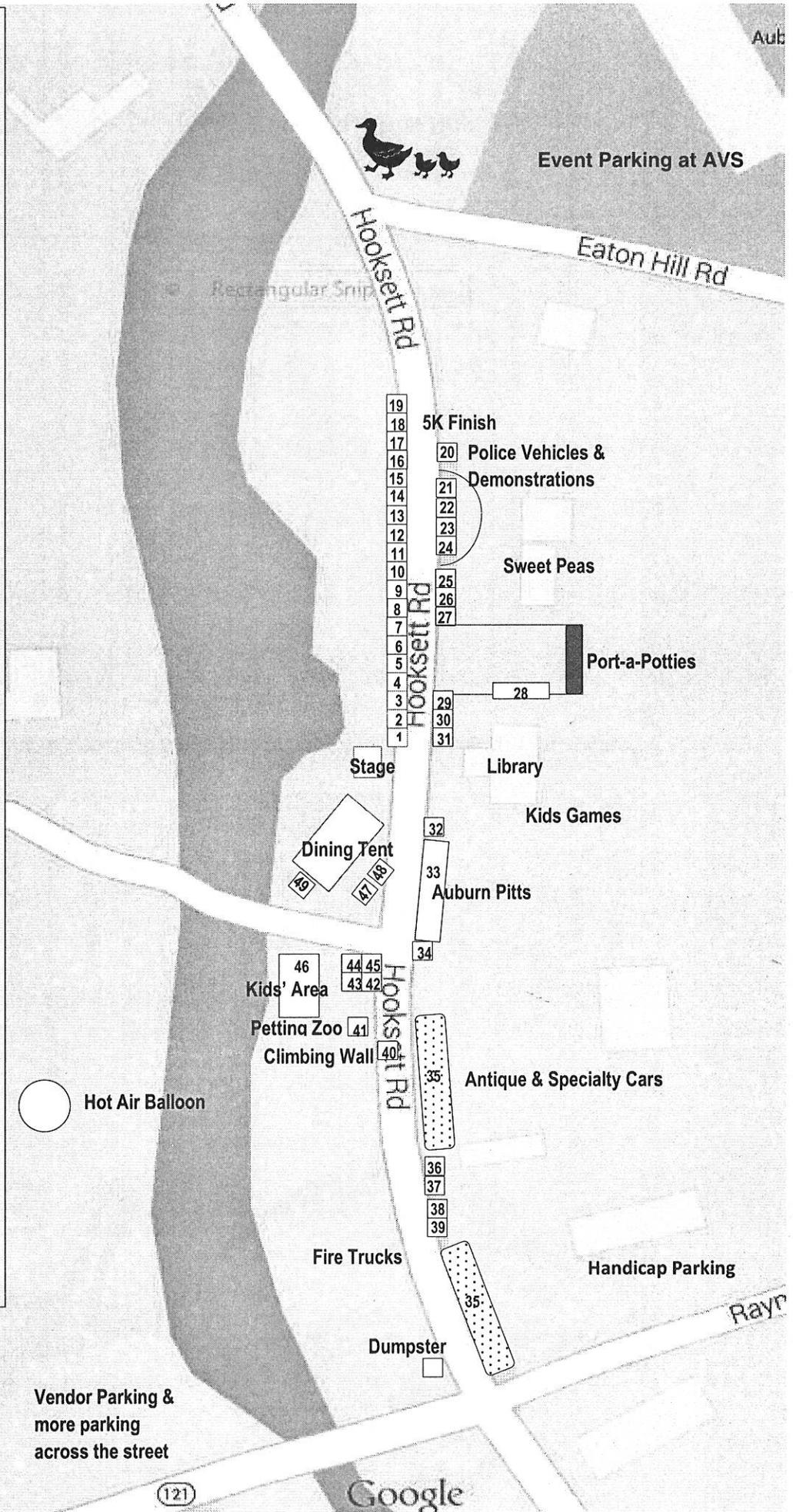
- 9-10:45 5k Registration at Safety Complex (Pre-register at lightboxrg)
- 10-6 NH Vendors Craft Fair
 - 10-6 Antique Cars
 - 10-5 Wildlife Encounters
 - 10-6 Letter Press Book Binding Demo
 - 10-4 DJ Paul Lepine
 - 10-2 Vertical Dreams Climbing Wall
 - 10:30 Police Dog Demonstration
 - 11:00 Massabesic Mallard Madness 5k Start
 - 11:00 Apple Pie Contest Judging
 - 11-2 Patches the Balloon Clown
 - 11:30 Winners of Apple Pie & Library Photo Contest Announced
 - 12:00 Variety Show & Ameri-kids
 - 1:00 Children's Games behind Library
 - 1:30 Pinkerton Marching Band
 - 2-6 Quilting & Rug Hooking Demos
 - 2:00 Kids Blowup Duck Race
 - 2:30 23rd Annual Duck Race
 - 3:00 Auburn Pitts Beer Garden Opens
 - 3-6 Roxanne & the Voodoo Rockers Band
 - 4-6 Re-Max Tethered Hot Air Balloon Rides (weather permitting)



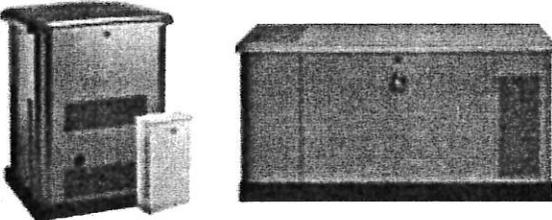
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- 1 - Lilly Bea Quilts
- 2 - La Carreta Mexican Food
- 3 - Osborne's Agway
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- 5 - Quilts by Wanda
- 6 - Painted Pansy Glassware
- 7 - Donna Gowitzek Crochet
- 8 - Sweet Pea Designs Jewelry
- 9 - P & S Woodwork
- 10 - Jess's Delectables
- 11 - Marianne's Floral Arrangement
- 12 - Marianne's Greek Pastry
- 13 - Mitchell's Salsa
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- 15 - Forever Boards
- 16 - Back In Time Soap
- 17 - Killarney Trainer Author
- 18 - Silly Puffs
- 19 - Cathy's Delights Chocolates
- 20 - Auburn Police Dept.
- 21 - Highway Safety Specialist
- 22 - First Assembly
- 23 - Dick Hatin - Autho
- 24 - Sweet Peas Chili or Chowder
- 25 - Skateboard Park 50/50 Raffle
- 26 - Inner Light Designs - jewelry
- 27 - Letter Press Demonstration
- 28 - Boy Scouts
- 29 - Apple Pie Contest, Quilt & Rug Hooking Demo
- 30 - Longmeadow Church
- 31 - Friends of Library Pick a Duck
- 32 - Heidi Gorman Balloon Clown
- 33 - Auburn Pitts & Beer tent
- 34 - Lions Club
- 35 - Antique & Specialty Cars
- 36 - Rodan & Fields Skin Care
- 37 - Girl Scouts Cotton Candy
- 38 - Pampered Chef
- 39 - Jamberries
- 40 - Vertical Dreams Climbing Wall
- 41 - Wildlife Encounters
- 42 - Chippy and Dippy
- 43 - Millcreek Dairy
- 44 - Jeff Dodge Maple Syrup
- 45 - Auburn Fire Dept. Sausages
- 46 - AVS Kids' Area - Blow Up Ducks, Face Painting, Duck Fishing, Chuck-a-Duck, & Sand Bottle Art
- 47 - Auburn Historical Association Duck Sales
- 48 - Catholic Medical Center
- 49 - Auburn Historical Association Museum & Membership



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Fr. Michael E. Gendron, Pastor, can be reached at 623-5429, Ext. 1, or e-mail: frmichaelgendron@comcast.net

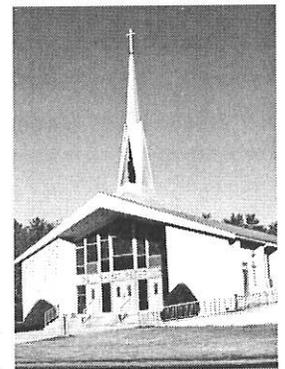
The parish office e-mail is stpeteraub@comcast.net. Michelle Paul can be reached at 623-5429, Ext. 2.

Religious Education begins September 20. Register online at www.stpeteraub.org.

Kayla Hawkins, Director of Religious Education/Youth Minister can be reached at 623-5429, Ext. 3 or dre.st.peter@gmail.com.

Mary Stevens, Religious Education Secretary, can be reached at 623-5429, Ext. 4.

Visit our parish website at www.stpeteraub.org to keep current on what's happening at the parish!



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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 stpeteraub@comcast.net.

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Assisting with Elections and Town Meeting.

Candidates should be detail oriented with basic computer and strong customer service/communication skills.

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To apply: send letter of interest and resume to Auburn Town Clerk, PO Box 309, Auburn, NH 03032 or

townclerk@townofauburnnh.com

Reminder - Our offices will be closed on Thursday, September 10 and Friday, September 11 this month

Longmeadow Congregational Church

by Rev. Ruth Gallot

4 Wilson's Crossing Rd, Auburn, NH



LONGMEADOW SERVES!

What a great summer we had at Longmeadow! And now that autumn is upon us it is time to start a new program year of learning, serving, worshipping 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

THANK YOU to all of our friends and neighbors in the Auburn community for your support of our summer out-reach projects including our in-gathering of school supplies and our Blood Drive. Both were a wonderful success thanks to your support and generosity. With the turning of the calendar, we will be starting up several programs and we hope to see you there:

Sunday School Starts September 13! We will begin the new year together by reaching out to others in need as we fill School Kits for Church World Service. This year we will be using a curriculum that will cover all of the material for the Scout Emblem of Faith Award. 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. at the church. This year we will be studying the book of Exodus.

Garden Party: Would like to invite our Auburn neighbors to join us for a Garden Party on **Sunday, September 20, 2015 at 10:30 a.m.**, right after worship, to officially dedicate our new Serenity Garden. We will have an official Ribbon Cutting and light refreshments will be served.

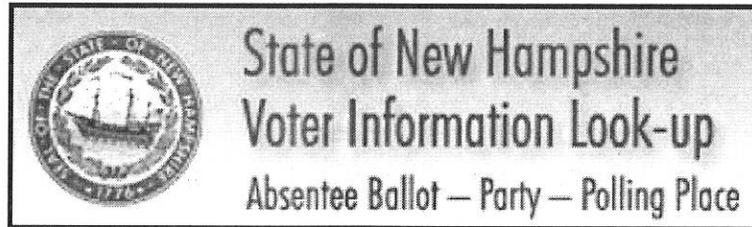
Café Church returns! We enjoyed such a wonderful success with our Café Church services that we will continue offering them throughout the year. On the 3rd Monday of each month, we will gather in our Fellowship Hall of the church at 6:00 for a light meal and time of interactive worship. A simple meal of hearty soups and breads will be offered, no reservations are required but please feel free to contact Pastor Ruth if you have any questions.

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 labelled plastic bins at the Breakfasts where you can drop them off or call the church for pick up.

Community Office Hours: beginning in September, Pastor Ruth will be holding 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. On September 16, she will be at Turnpike Pizza. 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.



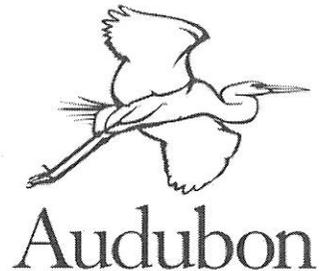
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Massabesic Audubon Center

26 Audubon Way, Auburn, NH 03032

Phone: (603) 668-2045



NATURE CAFÉ

Hawkwatch - Fall Migration

September 11, 7-9 pm

Cost: \$5 per person, free to MAC Volunteers

Preregistration requested at 668-2045 Refreshments served

Phil Brown, NH Audubon Raptor Observatory Coordinator, will share tips on the increasingly-popular pastime of hawk watching that can be enjoyed at Pack Monadnock Mountain and Carter Hill Orchard - and your own backyard - from September through November. He will discuss the fall migration spectacle, raptor identification techniques, and the natural histories of these migrants, and will share anecdotes from the field and insider tips focused on best enjoying this annual event.

EXHIBITS through September

John Rockwood, Nature Photographer

John Rockwood has had numerous photos published in Birds & Blooms Magazine, Appalachia Magazine, NH Magazine and Natural New England Magazine. The March 2008 issue of Birds & Blooms Extra contains his photos in the article "Nesting in Harmony" about great horned owls nesting in great blue heron rookeries. The November 2008 issue of Birds & Blooms Extra contains his photos in the article "A Date with An Egret". The September 2008 issue of Birds & Blooms Extra contains an excerpt of his book "Adventures with Grapenut" about a Loon Chick, John chronicled during the 2007 season. His "Loon Pair" photo was published in The Best of Birds and Bloom 2007 book. John also won the 2004 Auburn, NH Photo contest with his favorite picture, "Nesting Loon".

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Buckle Up In Your Truck

The Injury prevention Center at Dartmouth is conducting a *Buckle Up In Your Truck* educational campaign in Auburn to encourage pick-up occupants to buckle up. According to Howard Hedegard, Highway Safety Specialist at Dartmouth, a secondary goal is that occupants of all vehicle types will see or hear the message and will consider buckling up as well. The focus is on pick-up truck occupants because data shows that they have the lowest belt usage rate of occupants of any vehicle type. The first survey showed that only 33 percent of the drivers and 38 per cent of the occupants were belted. This is consistent with first surveys results in other communities.



The effects of the campaign will be measured by comparing the outcomes of 3 different seat belt observational surveys. The first survey was completed during the middle of August before the start of the educational messaging. The educational campaign will continue through the third week of September and then a follow up survey will be conducted. A final survey will be conducted about a month later.

The Injury Prevention is working with the Auburn Police Department and will have a seat belt educational display at the Auburn Day Event on September 12. The focus at the Auburn Day Event will include seat belt use, distracted driving and related highway safety messaging. Other educational activities will include signage throughout town, newspaper articles and ads.

New Hampshire is the only state in the country that does not have an adult seat belt law. Therefore, we typically have the lowest belt usage rate. According to the NH Highway Safety Agency, our overall belt usage rate in their last state-wide survey was 70.4%. On average, the national rate is somewhere around 87% and some states have belt usage in the mid 90% range. Unfortunately, because of our overall low belt usage rate, our unbelted fatality rate is also unusually high. According to the Department of Safety, the unbelted fatality rate in recent years has averaged 69%. It is believed that many of these people would have survived their crashes had they been wearing seat belts.

Information about this campaign and the on-going results can be found on the Auburn Police Department's Facebook and web pages. Howard Hedegard can be reached at Howard.Hedegard@Dartmouth.edu.



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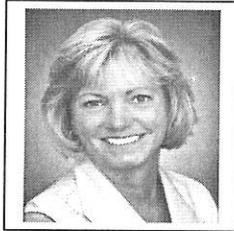
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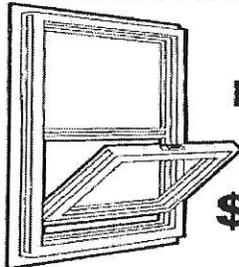
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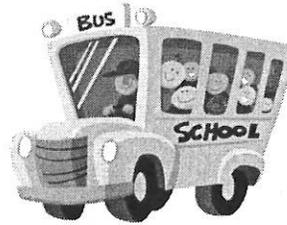
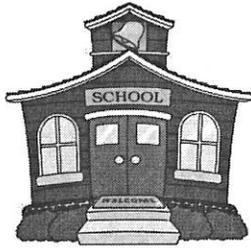
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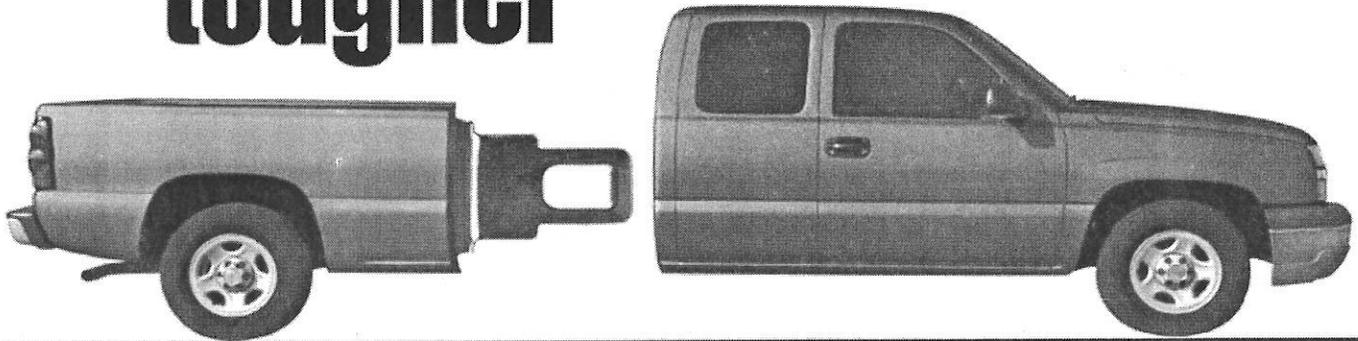
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