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Tuesday, November 3rd
Auburn Village School
7AM - 7PM

(Entrance at Rear of School)

(Social Distancing Observed - Masks Required)

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Auburn Town Hall News

Streetlight Conversion Project to Get Underway

After several years of discussion and the use of a formal request for proposal process, the Board of Selectmen has accepted the proposal of Affinity LED Lighting of Dover to convert the 83 streetlights throughout Auburn to LED units.

The conversation of the lights to these types of units is expected to reduce the Town's annual \$12,000 expense for electricity by more than 50 percent.

With more than 40 other municipal conversion projects in New Hampshire, as well as projects for the NH Department of Transpor-

tation and other New England states to their experience and their ability to manufacture the new light units in New Hampshire with a workforce of U.S. Veterans, Affinity anticipates completing Auburn's project before the end of this year.

The units to be installed in Auburn are a 3,000K correlated color temperature unit which offers a cooler light and not the harsh, bright light people may associate with LED lighting. The unit, which was physically demonstrated at one of the Board's meeting in September, is "Night Sky Friendly" that pre-

vents uplift. They also include integrated back shields and reduced-glare optical lenses to direct the light at the area immediately beneath it and not bathe a larger area with bright light.

Beyond the anticipated reduction in annual cost, the LED replacement lights will also reduce the energy consumption by the streetlight by 69%. Based on the total project cost of \$25,299, of which \$8,300 will be paid through a program rebate from Eversource, the project payback would occur in 2.61 years.

Ron Poltak Recognized for Career Dedicated to the Environment

Last month, Auburn resident Ron Poltak was announced as the recipient of the 2020 Ira Leighton "In Service to States" Annual Award from Region One of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

The recognition is based on Ron's lifetime of service and dedication to planning and environmental protection. Ron entered public service in New Hampshire as an intern in the state planning department in 1968 while still an undergraduate at the University of New Hampshire. He returned to the depart-

ment following active duty in the Air Force, eventually becoming Director of the Office of State Planning and advisor to New Hampshire governors on environmental issues.

In 1979, Governor Hugh Gallen appointed Ron to the New England Interstate Water Pollution Control Commission's (NEIWPCC) governing board. He was hired as the commission's executive director in 1983. Under his leadership, NEIWPCC expanded its scope to protect surface water; treat wastewater; address non-point source pollution, mercury, and un-

derground storage tanks; and expand training opportunities. He coordinated efforts between and among state administrations and agencies, federal agencies, Congress and other national organizations.

We know that we are fortunate in Auburn to have an individual with Ron's breadth of knowledge and understanding of these key issues and process leading our local Planning Board. Congratulations Ron. The impact of your professional career and efforts has clearly touched all corners of New England.

David Goldstein Named 2020 Officer of the Year

Also last month, Franklin Police Chief David Goldstein of Auburn was recognized as the Law Enforcement Officer of the Year by the American Legion Department of New Hampshire.

With a law enforcement career that began as a Special Police Officer in Belmont, MA in 1978, Chief Goldstein has continuously served in local and state law enforcement positions in New Hampshire and Massachusetts including 22 years with the New Hampshire State Police.

Often referred to by many as a

cop's cop, he has an extremely impressive resume and record of achievement in the field of law enforcement. He also, as an active member of the NH Association of Chiefs of Police Association, often is a spokesman before the NH Legislature or in public forums on issues of importance to law enforcement.

Chief Goldstein may be most widely recognized through his efforts as a member of two critical incident teams and is available 24/7 to any department that requests his help whether it is for-

mal or just over a cup of coffee to lend emotional support. With a rise in suicide deaths of public safety officers, he has become a leader in assisting his profession to recognize and work through post-traumatic stress disorder and acute stress disorder that can result from traumatic experiences or incidents today's officers are called upon to experience.

We offer Chief Goldstein our hearty congratulations and respect for his professional efforts and are pleased he calls Auburn home.

Salute Our Veterans and Happy Thanksgiving

As we head into November, please remember to honor our veterans and say "Thank you for your service" on Veterans Day on

November 11th. And we wish everyone a very Happy Thanksgiving holiday.



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Town of Auburn

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Skills and Experience: Knowledge of secretarial practices and procedures, basic accounting principles and computer skills, strong customer service orientation with good communication skills, detail- oriented and minimum of two years bookkeeping experience, preferable in a municipal setting. Hourly rate of pay dependent on experience, plus good benefit package. To apply: send letter of interest and resume to the Auburn Town Administrator, PO Box 309, Auburn, NH 03032 or townadmin@townofauburnnh.com

Closing Date: Resume review will commence on December 7th. Open until filled.



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NANCY'S PRIORITIES

- **Work to safely re-open the economy and halt the spread of COVID-19**
- **Strengthen public education**
- **Support economic growth and development**
- **Oppose sales and income taxes, reduce downshifting of costs to local taxpayers**
- **Oppose unfunded mandates**

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2nd Annual Auburn Tree Lighting

Kick off the holiday season with the 2nd Annual Auburn Tree Lighting on Sunday, November 29th. This year, we will be lighting the tree at AVS in the front parking lot. You can join in the celebration in person or virtually as we will be LIVE on Facebook (@AuburnNHparksandrec).

The event will begin at 6:00 pm with songs of the season with Stephanie Murphy. At 6:30 pm, we will all countdown to light the tree. New this year, everyone is invited to leave a painted rock under the tree with a wish for a brighter 2021. Rocks are available at Parks & Rec (while supplies last) or you can paint your own.

Those who plan to attend in person will need to wear a mask and spread out to social distance. Please also note that the building will be closed so there will be no restroom facilities at this event. The front parking lot will be closed for the event so please park in the back of the building.



The Auburn Elf

Parker, the Auburn Elf is not on the shelf, but instead will be hiding around town with a puzzle for you to solve.



Throughout the month of December, we will post clues on our Facebook page, Instagram page and website to help you find Parker. He will move 6 times throughout the month of December. To solve his puzzle, keep track of the letters that he will be holding at each location. Once you have all 6 letters, unscramble them to solve the puzzle and discover the holiday mystery word. Bring that word to Parks & Rec at the Town Hall and get a little treat from Parker.

As with all north pole elves, please do not touch Parker. We do not want him to lose his magical powers. He does love selfies though. If you take a picture with Parker and want to post it on social media, include #IFoundtheAuburnElf.



Follow us on Facebook and Instagram at **AuburnNHparksandrec**



Auburn Apparel

As we honor Auburn's 175th Anniversary, show your town pride with your own Auburn apparel. For a limited time, Parks and Rec will be selling t-shirts (long and short sleeves) and hoodies. All you need to do is visit the special link below to our store to place your order. The store will only be open until November 21st. All orders will be available for pick up at the Town Hall on Saturday December 5, 9:00-12:00 or Monday, December 7-Thursday, December 10, 8:00-2:00. These shirts will make great holiday gifts!

Order at.... https://stores.inksoft.com/auburn_nh/shop/home

Not comfortable ordering online? Visit Parks and Rec to place your order in person.

T-shirts \$10, Hoodies \$20, Long Sleeve T-shirt \$13

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Parks "Closing" for the Season

It is the time of year that we begin "closing" the parks for the cold months ahead. While the parks are still open for use, as of November 1st, the portapotties and trash cans will be removed. Please plan ahead before you visit the playground and carry out any trash that you may bring.



Thank you to Troop 127 (both scouts and dads) for all your hard work at the parks this fall.



It was a late summer addition but we now have a pickleball court on the small skating rink. The net will shortly be put away when we start preparing for ice but it will return in the spring.



Become a P&R Volunteer

Volunteering through Auburn Parks and Recreation is a rewarding way to make a positive impact in your community. Through our programs and special events, volunteers make new friends, share their existing skill sets, mentor others, learn new skills, stay physically and socially active and so much more, all while taking an active role in their community recreation programs.

Applications are accepted year-round. If you would like to receive emails concerning volunteer opportunities with Auburn Parks and Recreation, please return this form to: Parks & Rec, PO Box 309, Auburn, NH 03032 or email the same info to recreation@townofauburnNH.com. Thank you!

Name _____

Address _____ Phone _____

Email Address _____



Employment Opportunity

Facilities Maintenance Worker Auburn Parks and Recreation

Auburn Parks and Recreation is looking to fill an immediate opening for the part time position of Facilities Maintenance Worker. The responsibilities will include but not limited to:

- Ensuring that all Parks and Rec properties are clean and safe at all times.
- Remove trash from all recreational facilities.
- Assemble and install new equipment.
- Monitor condition of existing equipment and repair as needed.
- Open and close recreational facilities each year.
- Set up and clean up at all recreational events as well as assist at events as needed.
- Maintain recreational fields and ice-skating rinks.
- Performs repairs and maintenance as requested to the Town Hall.
- Performs winter snow clearing at Town facilities.
- Attend Parks and Recreation meetings as needed.

Although the hours will vary depending on the season, the weather and the P&R events schedule, the typical work week will be Monday through Friday, 15-20 hours per week with occasional weekend hours as needed.

Note: Please submit application and cover letter to: Auburn Parks and Recreation, PO Box 309, Auburn NH 03032 or recreation@townofauburnnh.com The application is available on the town website at: www.auburnnh.us





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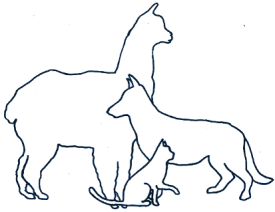


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AUBURN FIRE DEPARTMENT NEWS

ADOPT A CISTERN/DRY HYDRANT PROGRAM



The Auburn Fire Department relies mostly on "Rural" water supply within our town for our fire protection. This means that we have 28 Dry Hydrants and Cisterns to provide us with our water to aid us in our firefighting operations. If these water supply locations become hindered by obstruction such as snow, ice, or overgrown vegetation this may hamper our efforts in providing adequate water supply in a timely fashion.

During the winter months these cisterns and Dry Hydrants can become buried in snow and despite our best efforts we cannot always clear out these water supply locations in a timely manner. During the summer months these hydrants can become overgrown with grass and weeds blocking the fire departments connections. If a fire were to occur, time is a critical factor and if the hydrants were not cleared, firefighters would have to take the time to clear the hydrant before taking up firefighting operations. This is the reason why we are asking for your help.

The Auburn Fire Department would like to initiate an "Adopt A Cistern/Hydrant" program for our residents who may live close to one of the critical water supply locations. Although it is not our resident's responsibility to do so, you could aid in providing a valuable public service. If you could locate a Cistern/Hydrant near your home and take the time to clear snow, vegetation, and debris from these locations, you would be providing a valuable service by keeping these connections clear and open.

Should you decide to participate in our "Adopt A Cistern/Hydrant" program, please contact Captain James Saulnier at 603-483-8141 ext. 110. It is our intention to publicly recognize everyone who can help us in our effort by listing their name and the location of the Cistern/Hydrant.

If for any reason you choose not to participate in this program, we ask you to please be aware of these locations when clearing your driveways and walkways of snow and ice.



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Sun – 8:00 am & 10:00 am

Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri – 7:00 am

Live Streamed Mass: We continue to live stream Sunday Mass on our parish Facebook page on Sundays at 10 am for those who are homebound, experiencing symptoms of illness, or are concerned for their safety. You can watch the video by going to our parish Facebook page (<https://www.facebook.com/stpeteraub/>).



Women's Bible Study – Walking with Purpose: In-person sessions Thursdays from 6-7:30 pm (St. Peter Parish church hall); Thursdays from 9-10:30 am (St. Pius X church hall); Virtual sessions 7:30-8:30 pm; contact Michelle Paul at 603-623-5429, ext. 2 for more information.

Thanksgiving Day Mass: Thursday, November 26 at 9:00 am.

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 stpeteraub@comcast.net



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Longmeadow Ladies Circle Fundraiser

This year due to Covid 19 there will be no Snowflake fair at the Longmeadow Congregational Church. Instead our fundraiser will be taking orders for and making delicious homemade pork pies ready for the oven or the freezer @ \$12.00 each, packages of 2 dz. Assorted homemade cookies @ \$6.00 each and chocolate fudge @ 1 lb for \$8.00. Orders must be in by November 28th. Pickup will be on Sat. Dec. 5th from 9-12 at the church at 4 Wilsons Crossing Rd In Auburn. Please complete the order form on this page and mail with your check made out to Longmeadow Ladies Circle, to Geri Silva, 177 Chester Turnpike, Auburn, NH 03032 or Lynne Howard, 127 Chester Turnpike, Auburn, NH 03032. For any questions please call Geri @ 603-483-2426 or Lynne @603-483-8626. Thank you for your support.

Place your order for Homemade Pork Pie ready for the oven or the freezer, cookies or fudge with the Longmeadow Ladies Circle. Orders need to be received by Saturday November 28th and will be ready for pick up on Saturday December 5th between 9am and 12 noon at Longmeadow Congregational Church on Wilson's Crossing Rd, Auburn.

NAME: _____ PHONE #: _____

Qty _____ Pork Pie \$12/each

Qty _____ 2 dozen cookies (six each of at four different type of cookies) \$6/package

QTY _____ Chocolate Fudge \$8/pound

(Due to allergy concerns no nuts will be used in the cookies or the fudge)

Checks should be made payable to Longmeadow Ladies Circle and mailed to:

Geri Silva 177 Chester Turnpike, Auburn, NH 03032 ph # 483-2426 or

Lynne Howard 127 Chester Turnpike, Auburn NH 03032 ph #483-8626

Remember...we need to receive your order by November 28th.

Thank you for your support and enjoy the holidays!



Longmeadow Serves!

Greetings from your friends at the Longmeadow Congregational Church, United Church of Christ at 4 Wilson's Crossing Road in Auburn. Our building has not been in use, but the Church is not "closed". The Holy Spirit continues to call us to **BE THE CHURCH** in the world as we learn to navigate the challenges of these times with the power of prayer, through the building of community and predominantly by the grace of God.



Our Auburn neighbors and friends continue to be in our prayers in these challenging days. Although our circumstances have led us to close our building for safety purposes, our church remains alive, vibrant and eager to serve God and our neighbors in new ways. In this autumn season we are continuing with our traditional seasonal outreach project but in new ways and we welcome the participation of our Auburn friends and neighbors:



Scarves in the Park: The current pandemic has necessitated that we make some changes to ensure the safety of both our volunteers and those

who receive the scarves. For this year we will forgo hanging the scarves in an actual park out of concern about accidental transmission of contagion by too many people handling them. However, we have reached out to five different shelters and programs serving homeless individuals and will be providing the scarves directly to them. We are also not able to have our regular "tagging party" and so, if you have scarves



completed, we can pick the scarves up from you and get them tagged. Please contact Pastor Ruth at the church to arrange a pick up and thank you to all of our Auburn friends and neighbors who have worked on scarves throughout the year.

Thanksgiving Baskets: For decades our church has served our Auburn neighbors in need with our annual Thanksgiving Baskets in-gathering of food to help make the festivities of the season brighter. Current physical distancing recommendations in NH would prohibit the activities of sorting and distribution as we have usually done them and so, for this year, we will be providing Grocery Store Gift Cards only, which we can mail to the families. Donations of Gift Cards in any amounts are greatly appreciated, however, in order to make the distributions easier for different sized families, we ask that you send gift cards in denominations of no more than \$25 each. Please contact Pastor Ruth at the church to arrange a pick up or simply mail any gift cards from any of the local grocery stores to the church office (P.O. Box 356 Auburn, NH 03032).



As of the submission deadline for this article, our church is continuing with our weekly on line interactive worship gatherings and the church leadership will be making a decision shortly about the viability of in-person gatherings with restrictions. We have begun the concrete step necessary to prepare our building to reopen with as much safety as we can provide. Regardless of the date of reopening the building, we will be continuing to offer both interactive Zoom gatherings as well as pre-recorded YouTube Sunday Worship and Wednesday Children's Messages for those not yet ready for in-person gatherings. Notices will be posted on our church's website, Facebook page as well as on the Auburn Community Facebook page. We ask for your prayers as we discern which is the wisest and safest way forward. None of it has been easy and we have all made mistakes, but we are continuing to come together in new ways that reflect who God has called us to be.

No matter who you are or where you are on your spiritual journey, there is always a place for you with us, whether in the building or on-line. At Longmeadow Congregational Church, we seek not just to go to church but to **BE THE CHURCH!** If you have any questions, please contact our Pastor, Rev. Ruth Gallot at 483-2907. Friend us on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/groups/Longmeadow/>

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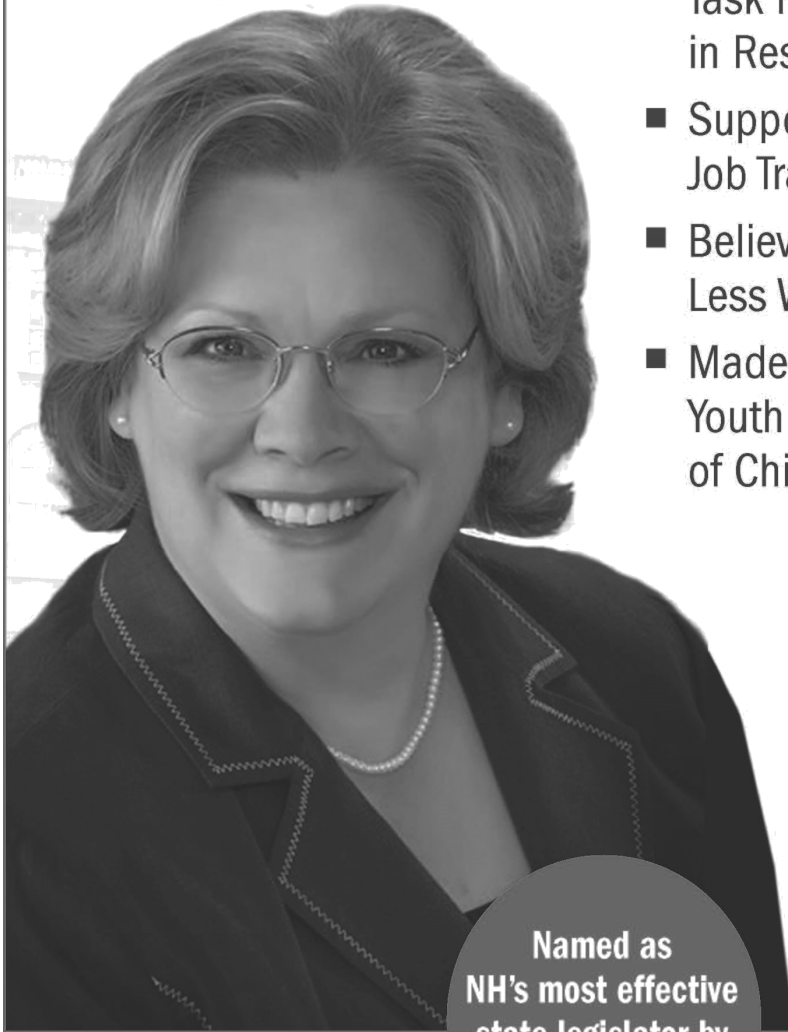
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News from the Auburn Historical Association



Antique photo of two
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1795—Violence and Justice in the Longmeadow (Auburn)

By Dan Carpenter



Thomas Shirley who lived in what is now Auburn Village stopped at Moses (Hatter) Underhill's tavern (near present day Auburn Tavern) on Christmas Day, 1795. There he encountered John Patten on his way to have a blacksmith fix an old scythe. There was an altercation. Patten struck Shirley in the head with the tang. (A metal piece that attached the blade to the wooden handle of the scythe). The wound did not appear too serious but Shirley died 5 weeks later. Patten was indicted, tried, and convicted of manslaughter. The sentence: "To be branded in the hand." Shirley was about 60 years old and the father of 6 grown children. Patten was about 40 and the father of 7. (Chase, History Of Chester", P 590,91)

There was another fight in November, 1795, and three weeks later, George Bell filed a complaint against Nathaniel Dearborn. The complaint states that Dearborn is a minor who "with force and arms an assault... did beat and wound and willfully hurt... contrary to law, and against the peace and dignity of said state."

Justice James McGregor ordered the Sheriff to "apprehend the body of the said Nathaniel Dearborn... and bring him before me... that he may be examined... and dealt with". On 1/5/1796, Sheriff Morrison reported, "have taken the body of Nat Dearborn before a justice...". He was accompanied by his father, John Sanborn Dearborn, who plead "not guilty" and the case was referred for trial. The elder Dearborn signed the document as did George Bell. Both George Bell and the defendant Nat Dearborn were 14 years old. (The outcome of the trial is unknown at this time.)

Perhaps Nat Dearborn learned something from this experience, he became an attorney and worked for many years in Northwood, NH. Before his death, Thomas Shirley had manufactured potash near where the Auburn store is today. George Bell would open a store and "made potash near the pond". (Chase, P471) on Shirley's old location. Bell never married and he died at the age of 23 in 1803.



News from the Auburn Historical Association

visit our website: Auburnhistorical.org

Looking for a gift for someone special (or for yourself!)? These can be purchased at the Auburn Historical Association's monthly open house, November 21 1-4, or contact us at info@auburnhistorical.org

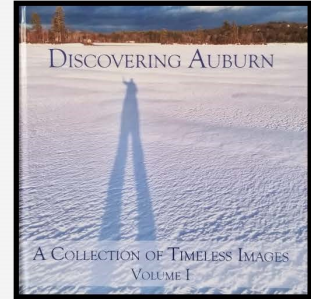


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Auburn Homes, Yesterday and Today: A photo book of Auburn's antique homes. Included are many vintage and antique photos. \$38



Coming soon! ABC: A is for Auburn. A book that discusses the history of Auburn from A to Z



The Auburn Historical Association

would like to extend a heartfelt thank you to those who participated in our Dutch Mill Bulbs and Scarecrow Fundraiser! You are helping in our mission to preserve Auburn's history and enable us to continue to offer events and programs that help built community. We really enjoyed seeing all of your wonderful and creative scarecrows this year! Please join our new Facebook group Auburn NH Scarecrows and feel free to upload any of your family's scarecrow photos!





Kathy Growney, Library Director

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We are working with our vendors to bring streamlined searching of our physical books and ebook collections in one location and I'm happy to report that step one is complete! When you search our library catalog at <https://catalog.griffin.bywatersolutions.com/> you will now see a link to results in Overdrive/NH Downloadable books. Give it a try!

The vendor that owns **Ancestry Library Edition** has extended access to our library subscription yet again! It will now be available through the end of December! You will need an active Griffin Free Public Library card to login. Don't have one or need help? Email director@griffinfree.org or give us a call.

New Service

We are pleased to announce that we have installed **Princh, a wireless printing solution**. We will be testing it out between now and the end of the year. During this trial period, you can use your own mobile device to print your documents! All you have to do is download the free Princh app from Google play or the App Store, and you are ready to print. You can also print from your laptop by visiting print.princh.com.

Princh allows you to pay via your credit card or different mobile payment options. The printing price remains the same: 10 cents for black and white.

Programming Highlights

For their November meeting, the Book Club will be reading *Between the World and Me* by Ta-Nehisi Coates. Print copies are available at Griffin Free. This meeting will be held via Zoom on Wednesday, November 4 at 6:30 PM. Registration in advance is necessary and details are available on our website.

Holiday Hours

Veteran's Day:	Wednesday, November 11: CLOSED
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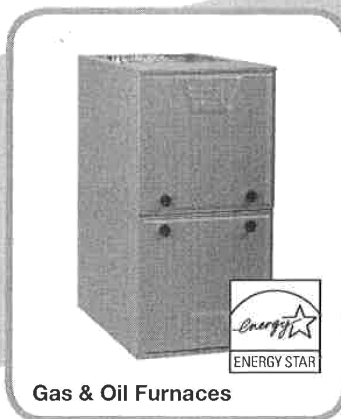
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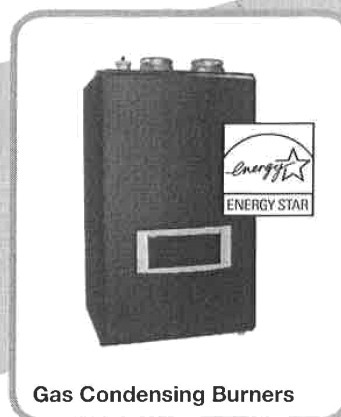
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AUBURN POLICE DEPARTMENT NEWS

Hello Auburn Residents,

As of November 1st, our Auburn Citizen Police Academy Cadets are more than half way through this years program. These residents have had time to learn more about the workings of the Auburn Police Department and law enforcement as a whole. So far, our "cadets" have been able to interact with many of our APD officers and staff. They have learned about the various aspects of law enforcement and had a chance to use our tasers, learned defensive tactics techniques, visited our shooting range for firearms training, and tried their hands at evidence collection at a crime scene.



VETERAN'S DAY NOVEMBER 11th

We have many officers here at APD who are also military veterans. In honor of Veteran's Day, we would like to acknowledge the many women and men who have served our country that live in Auburn. If you or a resident you know is a Veteran please email a photo with their name, branch of service and dates of service to us here at the police department. We will be making a display of each Auburn Veteran to be displayed around the Veteran's memorial across from the Auburn town Hall.

Please email Melissa with your photo and information or any questions you may have at

mgates@townofauburnnh.com



AUBURN GIVING TREE IS UP!!

As of November 1st, the Auburn Giving Tree will be up in our lobby. For those of you not familiar or new to town. Each year The Safety Complex accepts information from residents who might need some assistance with Santa's holiday magic. We then put out a tree with ornaments on it. Each ornament has a gift or gift suggestion for someone on our list. Take the tag, purchase the item, and return both to the safety complex by December 15th. Santa's helpers here at the Safety Complex will ensure the items are delivered in time for Christmas morning.

Parents we have a special mailbox for letters to go directly to Santa!!

Here's how:

1. Have the child write a letter to Santa and place it in an envelope addressed to: Santa Claus, North Pole.
2. Write a personalized response to your child's letter and sign it "From Santa." To save paper you can write the response on the back of your child's letter. If you keep them together, your child will also be able to recall what he or she wrote.
3. Insert both letters into an envelope, and address it to the child.
4. Add the return address: SANTA, NORTH POLE, to the envelope.
5. Ensure a First-Class Mail stamp is affixed to the envelope.

Place the complete envelope into a larger envelope, with appropriate postage, and address it to: NORTH POLE POSTMARK, POSTMASTER, 4141 POSTMARK DR, ANCHORAGE AK 99530-9998



Over the summer Jim and Carol Cloutier, two of Auburn's long-time Watch Leaders moved out of town. Both Jim and Carol were very active with Neighborhood Watch and keeping their group up to date with information. We will miss them but wish them the best in their new home.

We reached out to the community to find someone who would be willing to take over their area as a Leader and had multiple community members step up! We now have 6 Neighborhood Watch Leaders!

Currently updating the Neighborhood Watch Program with these new changes, we wanted to take the time to also make sure our member information is up to date.

Whether you are currently a member or would like to become one please contact us with your name, address, email address, and phone number to police@townofauburnnh.com

We will forward your information to the Neighborhood Watch Leader that covers your area.

There are a number of benefits to being part of the Auburn Neighborhood Watch Groups:

- Monthly newsletter with crime statistics and locations in Auburn
- A members only dedicated social media page
- Receiving up to date information on crimes in your area
- Help law enforcement with request for information on on-going crime issues



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