

# AUBURN VILLAGE CRIER





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7th Labor Day
7th Town Hall Closed!!

#### Ltursday

8th Election Day!! See pg 18-20 for Absentee Ballot Info. & Application

## esaturday

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9th Jumping Beans pg 7

Please check with event, project coordinators first for dates, times, and cancelations.

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# Save the Date - Shred Day September 12th & E-Waste Day September 26th

Save the dates of September  $12^{th}$  and September  $26^{th}$  for two annual events the Town of Auburn sponsors.

On Saturday, September 12<sup>th</sup> from 9 AM until Noon, the annual "Shred Day" event will be held at the Town Hall parking lot. Anyone with paper records they would like to dispose of through shredding and ultimately recycling may do so free of charge on that day.

And on Saturday, September 26<sup>th</sup> Auburn's annual E-Waste Collection event will be held. Plans are to again be in the front parking lot of the Auburn Village School from 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM.

#### Hazardous Waste Collection Day

And on Saturday, October 3<sup>rd</sup> from 8AM until Noon, the annual Household Hazardous Waste Collection Day event will again be held in the Town of Raymond. This event is held jointly for residents of Auburn, Nottingham and Raymond.

See Page 4 for Hazardous Waste Info.



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# Auburn Town Hall News



#### Auburn to Consider Conversion to LED Street Lights

A topic that has had a significant amount of discussion during the past several years will become a step closer to reality as the Town has issued a Request for Proposal for the conversion of the street lights throughout the community to LED units.

The Town currently has a total of 83 existing "Metal Halide and High-Pressure Sodium" fixtures throughout the community. The Town is looking at converting these existing fixtures to Light Emitting Diode

(LED) equivalents.

Early project estimates indicate the conversion project would cost nearly \$25,000. Working with Eversource, the Town would receive a \$100 rebate for each unit converted to LED, reducing the \$25,000 expense to approximately \$16,700.

However, the real savings would come in the energy cost savings for the Town to operate the less expensive LED units. The Town currently spends nearly \$14,000 per year for its current streetlights. The calcula-

tions Eversource has prepared shows the conversion would result in an approximate 40% reduction in the costs to the Town. With this type of savings, the Town would realize a payback on the initial investment within four years.

The Town has issued a Request for Proposal to six firms identified as specializing in this type of project. Once proposals are received and evaluated, the Board of Selectmen will be able to decide as to whether to move forward.

#### Library Building and Property Evaluation Project

Since the last edition of the Auburn Village Crier was published, the Town has selected The H.L. Turner Group of Concord from eight firms that submitted proposals for the review and evaluation of the Griffin Public Library building and property with an eye towards a future expansion.

Working together, the Library Trustees and Board of Selectmen reviewed the eight proposals and narrowed the list to three firms who

were then called in for a presentation and interview. From that process, there was a unanimous consensus to select The Turner Group for this effort.

With interest on expending the library facility, in addition to developing space for a community events and activities, one of the first steps needed to be taken is to evaluate the existing library building to determine whether it is reasonable to expand the existing building in some

fashion, or to look at adding a separate building of some sort all together. And, beyond the building, also evaluating the total new acreage of the library land to determine what it would reasonably support.

That is the purpose of this project, and it is just the first of many steps before a potential library expansion and community center space would be coming to fruition.



#### Comings and Goings from Town Boards

During the past few months, the Board has been able to name representatives to the Frost/Stagecoach Scenic Byways Council, which includes representatives from the Towns of Atkinson, Auburn, Chester Derry and Hampstead. Auburn's two representative are Elizabeth Robidoux and Deborah Mancini, with Paula Marzloff serving as an

alternate.

In another regional effort, the Planning Board recently nominated and the Selectmen re-appointed Paula Marzloff and William Herman as Auburn's representatives to the Southern New Hampshire Planning Commission. In addition, Conservation Commission Chair and Plan-

ning Board member Jeff Porter was appointed as an alternate member.

And, unfortunately, Brenda Beer has resigned her position as an alternate member of the Board of Library Trustees. The Library Trustees will be looking for interested residents who may be willing to serve as an alternate trustee.

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Keith Leclair



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# Auburn Board of Selectmen



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Hazardous Waste
Collection Day
October 3, 2020
8am-Noon

Quantity Limit!
5 gallons or 5
pounds

**HHW** 

# Items to bring...:

- · Oil base paint
- Pesticides
- Fertilizer
- Cleaning products
- Antifreeze
- · Pool chemicals

The Towns of Raymond,
Nottingham and
Nottingham and
Auburn are sponsoring this
event.



#### Place:

The end of Industrial Drive which is off Old Manchester Road (exit 4 - Rte 101) across from the Safety Complex Raymond, NH)

Any questions please call Raymond Public Works 895-4735 ext. 108 or email: dogrady@raymondnh.gov





# **AVS News**

Hope you're enjoying your summer and using the great weather to have safe, outdoor fun. As you might imagine, Auburn's educational team has been busy this summer developing plans for the new school year, a year that will continue to bob and weave around the challenges of COVID-19. Like other education leaders across the country, they've become quick studies on the behavior of infectious disease and the myriad actions needed to mitigate its spread – as well as master planners in order to educate Auburn's young residents while at the same time keeping our students, teachers, and community safe.

For the next school year, Auburn Village School (AVS) will provide both in-person instruction and remote instruction. How much for each grade depends on two things – (1) the number of teachers in the grade medically able to work in the building; and (2) how many parents chose to have their child receive in-person instruction versus remote instruction. Children receiving in-person instruction will be in the building Monday through Friday in a classroom that has been configured to allow for physical separation according to federal and state guidelines. They will follow a host of safety protocols before they get on the bus/arrive at school and while in the building. Children receiving remote instruction at home Monday through Friday will have pre-recorded videos, live instruction, and online teacher support.

At the high school level, Pinkerton Academy students will receive both in-person and remote instruction and how much of each will vary over the course of a month. Students will have three in-person days/two remote days for two weeks and then two in-person days/three remote days for the next two weeks. Like many hybrid plans, the goal is to give students in-person contact with all teachers at some level while keeping students in the same cohort to contain the number of people they interact with.

There are MANY more details that go into Auburn's and Pinkerton's plans and launching the school year under COVID-19 has been a Herculean task with no easy solutions. While these are our plans today, they will flex and adapt throughout the year as federal and state guidance changes and we respond to the health needs of our students, teachers, and community.

Before we wrap up, we want to give you an update on a handful of upgrades made to AVS over the summer:

- Fire Safety we were able to put the finishing touches on our new fire alarm system and reconfigure some spaces to meet state and local fire codes
- Exterior Lighting we installed exterior lighting in the rear of the building and added a bit to the front
- Parking Lot asphalt removed, area regraded, utilities installed, ADA access corrected and new paving and striping completed
- Gym through savings elsewhere in the construction project, we were able to paint the gym and install a new wood floor. And through the generosity of the Auburn Recreational Basketball League (ARBL), AVS will have two new scoreboards to provide visibility from any angle in the gym. Also, through the creative and generous work of resident Ami D'Amelio and her company Just Flow Events & Marketing, our gym will have a shiny new seal at center court. Many thanks to the ARBL and Ami for helping with these final important touches!
- Fields with our sprinkler system helping the grass to grow and new nets, flags, and striping, our sports field is ready for fall soccer.

Work will continue on the baseball field and we are in the process of finalizing the landscaping plan to plant some bushes as well as the maple trees donated by the 2019 eighth grade class.

Hope you find this update helpful and hope you're all well and staying safe. If you come across our teachers, our principal and her team, our superintendent and his team, our facilities crew, our technology director, our cafeteria staff, our students and anyone else involved in education this year, be sure to thank them for their adaptability and flexibility and give them a word of encouragement. They'll appreciate your support.

Auburn School Board





# Rec News

Auburn Parks and Recreation

Recreation@TownofAuburnNH.com

 $603-483-5052 \times 101$ 

#### Tai Chi

Tai Chi is a mind-body exercise from China. It has its roots in martial arts, philosophy and Traditional Chinese Medicine. The Tai Chi forms are slow, gentle choreographed movements that gracefully flow from one to the next like a dance. More and more seniors are doing Tai Chi to improve their health and reduce their risk of falling.

The next 6-week session will start on Friday, September 11 at 11:00 am **OUTSIDE** at the **Safety Complex Field** and run through October 16th. There will be plenty of room for everyone to spread out and safely social distance. In the event of rain, the class will be rescheduled. The cost for the program is \$36. To register for the 6-week program, please use the form below and return to Parks and Recreation.

#### **Archery**

This course designed for all levels with focus on archery safety, skills, and drills. Participants will learn about archery form, range rules and etiquette. Students will also learn bow functions, bow and arrow safety and aspects of arrow flight. Students will be introduced to Indoor Tournament shooting, while at the same time tracking their own progress.

This 5-week course will be held at the Safety Complex field starting on Wednesday, September 9, 5:30-6:30 pm. This class is open to students (ages 10 and up) and adults. Preregistration is required as space is limited. The fee for session is \$75. All equipment is provided.

#### **Trunk or Treat**



Plans are underway for the 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Trunk or Treat! The Auburn Police Department along with Parks and Rec are again partnering to bring this fun and safe trick or treating event. Due to covid-19, this event may look different than it has in the past but it will still be a night filled with fun, friends and candy! Please watch the October Crier, the Town website and Facebook for more updates as the event details come together.



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#### **Jumping Beans for ages 2-5**

Jumping Beans is a class for children ages 2-5 to get out and get moving with the wonderful Miss Joelle! This class offers moms (or dads, aunts, uncles, grandmas, etc) and kids an opportunity to make new friends and dance to some of the kiddos favorite songs. We will do simple dance moves to go along with the music. Jumping Beans is a fun upbeat class that offers kids the opportunity to be themselves whether that is dancing with their friends or running around and enjoying the music.



The fall session will run from September 9- October 14. Classes will be held on Wednesdays from 9:30 am until 10:30 am OUTSIDE at the Safety Complex Field. In the event of rain, the class will be rescheduled. Participants will need to bring their own mat or blanket to each class. The fee for the 6-week session is \$37. Please use the form below to register for this program.

# Parks and Recreation Program Registration Form Fall 2020

Participant's Name:		
Email:		
Phone Number:		
Address:		
For youth Programs		
Parent's Name:		
Participant's Age:		
I would like to register for (please circle)	<b></b>	
Jumping Beans	Archery	Tai Chi

Please return this form 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  $483-5052 \times 101$  or email Recreation@townofauburnNH.com with any questions.



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# **Summer Concert at Wayne Eddows**

Parks & Rec summer events "modified" in 2020











**Annual Senior BBQ "Drive-In"** 

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#### MASSABESIC SENIORS



The Massabesic Seniors had no meetings and were confined to their homes for nine weeks. They closed our meeting room at Long Meadow Church and it was still winter. When the weather got a little warm, Paul Therrien had a great idea, to meet in his yard. We met outside, in a circle, seven to eight feet apart. At first five members came. In following weeks we got up to nine members. When Massabesic Park opened we went up to ten. We even have a new member, Dick Miville.

Most of our seniors attended the Senior Lunch of 08 August put on by town. It was like driving to a car hop from the 1950s. We watched them cook our lunch and then bring it to our cars. One girl delivering on roller skates. The was a DJ and music from the 50s. Needless to say, I'm sure every one enjoyed and had a good time.

They asked for suggestions for improvements. The most was to add outside tables, spread out, so there could be more socializing, instead of individual cars.

Hopefully our future holds on better times!

Currently, we aren't holding real meetings, just gathering members for social health. It is a blessing to socialize that one day a week, especially in a safe manner. We're all wish-

ing for s speedy end to the Coronavirus so we can get back to normalcy. Stay safe!

by Dick Vee





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# News from the Auburn Historical Association

Battery Point, Lake Massabesic

By Dan Carpenter





Above: Post cards of Battery Point showing Henry McAllister's cottage with a wrap-around porch and the Nautilus Boat House on the left.

For health reasons, Charles Bunton, a Manchester blacksmith, gave up his shop and purchased a farm in Auburn that encompassed all of Battery Point. In 1886, he subdivided six 100 by 100 foot building lots on the west side of Battery Point. Henry McAllister, a Manchester police officer, purchased two lots and built on the Point. The cottage was only one room wide but the great wrap-around porch made the building appear much larger. A third floor observation cupola gave fine views in all directions. A stone wall was built to protect the property from ice damage and still stands today.

McAllister also built a boat house. It was a long narrow building with an oversized door leading to a ramp into the lake. With a couple of friends, McAllister started the Nautilus Boat Club. There is a picture of them sitting in the entryway, dressed in 'sailor' uniforms with "N" on the tunic, and the 'Nautilus ' sign in the peak of the building.

In 1895, Sargent McAllister disciplined a patrol man who then threatened to kill his commanding officer. When the patrolman returned to the police station to 'clean out his locker', he shot McAllister, killing him. (First Manchester policeman to die in the line of duty.)

The Manchester Water Works purchased 4 of the lots that Bunton subdivided around 1900. McAllister's sister sold her two lots to Frank J Connor. Connor allowed his daughter to use the second lot. (Did Connor build the pillars that still stand along the shore wall?) In 1925, Connor sold both lots to the MWW for \$4000. The Water Works allowed him to remove anything he wanted from the property. Probably within the year, the Manchester Water Works returned the area to the way it looks today.

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## News from the Auburn Historical Association

#### 2020 Annual Auburn Day and Duck Race—Cancelled

The Auburn Historical Association's Duck Race committee had to cancel the 2020 Auburn Day and Duck Race event due to continuing Covid-19 concerns.

It was a difficult decision to arrive at but we felt that it was important to cancel for the safety of our community, entertainers and vendors. We wish everyone good health and look forward to seeing you at the 2021 Auburn Day and Duck Race!



#### Available for sale at the Auburn Historical Association's



175th Auburn, NH anniversary ornaments \$18 each.

Salmon Falls pottery mugs. The backs are marked Auburn, NH) \$32 each



It's scarecrow season! Available for \$25.00 each

Thank you to Brenda Beer and Dot Carpenter for making the scarecrows—they came out great!





The AHA is selling daffodils and other spring bulbs as a fall fundraiser! Order your bulbs and plant this fall to enjoy beautiful spring color! Just follow the link below to place your order and they will be mailed directly to you!

Link: https://groups.dutchmillbulbs.com/shop/?affiliates=auburnhistoricalassociation
Our group name is: Auburn Historical Association

We are especially encouraging those who live along Rte. 121 and the Londonderry Turnpike to plant daffodils as these roads are part of the 'corridor' of the Robert Frost/Old Stage Coach scenic byway. Look for byway signs that will be put up soon!





#### Auburn Historical Association

P.O. Box 6 102 Hooksett Road Auburn, NH 03032

#### 2020 - 2021 Membership Application

We hope everyone is staying healthy and enjoying this beautiful weather!

The Auburn Historical Association is looking for new members for 2021 and for current members to extent their membership through next year. By supporting the Auburn Historical Association, you are enabling us to continue to preserve Auburn's heritage, obtain local artifacts, educate the public and local students, offer interesting and informative programs and maintain the building and grounds.

Thank you in advance for helping to preserve the history of our great little town.

Name:	Date:
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	Cell Phone:
Membership amount enclosed (\$1	0/person - \$20/family): \$
Donation amount (any amount will	be greatly appreciated) \$
Please make checks payable to: Au	burn Historical Association. Check #:
Send checks to:	
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P.O. Box 6	
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	Suggestions/Comments



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# Weekly curbside trash removal BULK PICK UPS / CLEANOUTS







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Sat - 4:00 pm

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/).

**Faith Formation**: Registration for faith formation of ALL AGES in 2020-2021 is available! Visit our website and click the "Faith Formation" tab for more information and to register.

**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,





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Longmeadow Serves! Even in these **Extraordinary Times** 

Greetings from your friends at the Longmeadow Congregational Church, United Church of Christ at 4 Wilson's Crossing Road in Auburn. Our build-\* ing has not been in use, but Longmeadow the Church is not "closed". The Holy Spirit continues to



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.

call us to BE THE CHURCH

You are all in our prayers as we continue through these days of pandemic protocols together. For all of the children, educators and families as they prepare to return to school, for those who have returned to working in the community and especially those who have been working all along in essential occupations in our communities – those in the medical field caring for those who are sick and all in the scientific community seeking treatments and a cure as well as those who work in the food and service industries providing us all with the supplies we need, we give thanks to God and ask for God's blessing on you as we continue this road together.

As of the submission of 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. 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 created us to be.

> We wish to thank members of our community who joined us FOOD in our recent Food Drive to assist two local agen-

cies, The Sonshine Soup Kitchen and the Chester

Food Pantry (which serves Auburn residents).

Thanks to the generosity of so many, we were able to provide many bags of food and supplies to both agencies.

lere at Longmeadow Congregational Church, UCC we, too, have been shifting how we do things and have found joy in the new and exciting ways that God is teaching us to BE THE CHURCH. The sad reality of hackers has meant that we can not post links on public social media

platforms. However, if you would like to join in any of our worship services, please



call the church at 483-2907 for more information. Pre-recorded weekly Sunday Worship and Wednesday Children's Messages are also available on YouTube and you can contact Pastor Ruth at the church for more information.

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/







#### New from Auburn Dollars for Scholars® **CONGRATULATIONS**

To our 2020 Scholarship recipients!

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Margaret Vaillancourt - Lew S. Locke Memorial Scholarship and the Ray Bourque memorial Scholarship

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Sydney Devine – Marion Heald Memorial Scholarship

<u>Ashley Ginnetty</u> – Tech's for Tomorrow Scholarship

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<u>Victoria Pinardi</u> - Marion Heald Memorial Scholarship

<u>John Gavin Divelbiss</u> – Tech's for Tomorrow Scholarship

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#### Voter Registration and Voting In-Person or Absentee

**In-Person** - If you are a new voter and you want to register you may do so with the Town Clerk or Tax Collector during regular business hours. The public is allowed into the Town Hall - Limit 5 people at a time — social distancing and masks are encouraged.

**Absentee Registration** – You may request an absentee ballot and if you are not on the checklist, the Town Clerk will mail you a voter registration packet.

We would encourage people to register at the Town Hall or by mail rather than waiting until Election Day as the fewer in-person Election Day registrants the better because we anticipate long wait times at the polls due to social distancing requirements.

You may register with the Town Clerk's office up to 10 days before an election or at the polls on Election Day. Feel free to call the Town Hall at 483-2281 ext 1 for more information.

#### New Absentee Ballot Information

It's important to note that the Secretary of State's Office has issued revised absentee ballot qualifications for the September Primary and November elections. In order to enable people to safely vote in NH during the pandemic, those who wish to vote by mail due to concerns over COVID19 exposure, can qualify by checking the disability box to receive an absentee ballot.

For more detailed information and forms go to www.sos.nh.gov

Click on: Voting During Covid-19 State of Emergency

See Page: 19-20 for a blank Absentee Ballot request form Note: fill out front and Back to its entirety and mail to Town Clerk PO Box 146 Auburn, NH 03032



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	STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE Application for State Election Absentee Ballot-RSA 657:4 Absence (Excluding Absence Due to Residence Outside the United States), Religious Observance, Concern for the Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19), and Disability 2020 COVID-19 Application
For Official Use Only Voter Not registered	I. I hereby declare that (check one):  I am a duly qualified voter who is currently registered to vote in this town/ward.  I am absent from the town/city where I am domiciled and will be until after the next election, or I am unable to register in person due to a disability or concern for the novel coronavirus (COVID-19), and request that the forms necessary for absentee voter registration be sent to me with the absentee ballot.
d: Date Returned: Voter ID #	II. I will be entitled to vote by absentee ballot because (check one):  ☐ I plan to be absent on the day of the election from the city, town, or unincorporated place where I am domiciled.  ☐ I cannot appear in public on election day because of observance of a religious commitment.  ☐ I am unable to vote in person due to a disability.  ☐ I am unable to vote in person due to concern for the novel coronavirus (COVID-19).  ☐ I cannot appear at any time during polling hours at my polling place because of an employment obligation. For the purposes of this application, the term "employment" shall include the care of children and infirm adults, with or without compensation.  Any person who votes or attempts to vote using an absentee ballot who is not entitled to vote by absentee ballot shall be guilty of a misdemeanor. RSA 657:24
Date Mailed:	III. I am requesting an official absentee ballot for the following election(s):               *State Primary Election to be held on September 8, 2020.
Date Requested: //	<ul> <li>□ State General Election to be held on November 3, 2020</li> <li>*For primary elections, I am a member of or I am now declaring my affiliation with the (check one):</li> <li>□ Republican Party</li> <li>□ Democratic Party</li> </ul>
Last Name:First Name:	and am requesting a ballot for that party's primary.  Turn Over – You Must Complete Page 2  Page 1 of 2

Last Name	First Na	Middle Name (Jr., Sr.			Sr., II,III)	
Applicant's Votir	ng Domicile (home a	ddress):				
Street Number	Street Name	Apt/Unit	City/Town	War	'd	Zip Code
Mail the ballot to	me at this address (i	f different t	han the home ad	dress)		
Street or PO Box	# Street name	Apt/Unit	City/Town		State	Zip Code
Applicant's Phon (Cell phone or nu	e Number: () _ mber where you can	be contacted	d prior to and on e	lection d	lay is p	oreferred)
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We have missed you! In order to increase flexibility for our patrons, we are excited to announce that we are moving to our next phase of reopening by adding browsing by appointment.

Please note that the library will offer these services for Griffin Free Public Library cardholders only; the library building will remain closed to the public except by appointment. Due to our very small size and in line with CDC recommendations, properly worn masks will be a condition of entering the library. Availability of this service is dependent on many factors including availability of staffing, availability of PPE and levels of community virus spread. If at any point these conditions change, the library is prepared to rollback services on short notice. To schedule an appointment, call or email the library. Details available on or website.

We are continually looking at ways to improve safety within the building. In addition to doubling the frequency of janitorial services, library staff are following safety and frequent cleaning and sanitizing protocols. In addition, the Library has recently installed a UV light in our HVAC system. As air passes through the enclosed ductwork it passes under the UV light which has been shown to help purify air.

#### Collection Highlights

The vendor that owns Ancestry Library Edition has extended access to our library subscription to Ancestry from home! You will need an active Griffin Free Public Library card to login. Don't have one or need help? Email <a href="mailto:director@griffinfree.org">director@griffinfree.org</a> or give us a call.

#### **Programming Highlights**

The next Book Club Meeting will be held via Zoom on Saturday, September 12 at 10 AM and we will be reading "The Book Woman of Troublesome Creek" by Kim Michele Richardson. There are many e-book copies available through NH Downloadable Books/Libby. Place a hold on a copy and then register for the book club or email <a href="mailto:director@griffinfree.org">director@griffinfree.org</a> and I'll have you moved up to first on the hold list.

Save the date: We will be having a guest speaker at out October 17, 11:00 AM Genealogy Club Meeting sharing best practices for organizing your research. Details forthcoming!



# AUBURN POLICE DEPARTMENT NEWS

Hello Auburn Community,

We hope that as restrictions were lifted, you were able to enjoy some of the warm summer we have been having.

Just a reminder that school will be starting in September, and to keep an eye out of children walking, school busses, and increased traffic around the Auburn Village School.

Congratulations to
Officer Matthew
Webber who recently
graduated the 182<sup>nd</sup>
New Hampshire Police
Academy. You will be
seeing Officer Webber
around town, feel free
to wave and say hello.





As Officer Webber begins working in town, Officer Chance Spinney is heading off to the 183rd Police Academy. We wish him the best of luck and look forward to seeing him back on patrol in December.



If you are interested in what the officer's experience at the Police Academy, we invite you to join our 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Citizen Academy.

The Auburn Citizen Academy will start on October 1<sup>st</sup>, with most classes running on Thursdays from 6PM to 8PM.

During the Academy, you will get to experience first-hand what your Auburn Officer's encounter on a day to day basis. Topics include Accident reconstruction, Defensive Tactics, Taser Training, K9 Handling, Firearms, Evidence collection, Investigations, Arrests, and more. You will use the same equipment the officers use, including tactical gear, tasers, firearms, and the Intoxilyzer 9000.

If you think you'd like to join our Auburn Citizen Academy please contact us at <a href="mailto:police@townofauburnnh.com">police@townofauburnnh.com</a> or 603-483-2134 for more information.

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## AUBURN FIRE DEPARTMENT NEWS



Downed utility lines, power company blackouts, heavy snow falls or summer storms can all lead to power outages. Many people turn to a portable generator for a temporary solution without knowing the risks.

- Generators should be used in well ventilated locations outside at least 5 feet (1.5 metres) away from all doors, windows, and vent openings. Measure the 5-foot (1.5 metres) distance from the generator exhaust system to the building.
- Never use a generator in an attached garage, even with the door open.
- Place generators so that exhaust fumes can't enter the home through windows, doors or other openings in the building. The exhaust must be directed away from the building.
- Make sure to install carbon monoxide (CO) alarms in your home. Follow manufacturer's instructions for correct placement and mounting height.
- Turn off generators and let them cool down before refueling. Never refuel a generator while it is hot.



Store fuel for the generator in a container that is intended for the purpose and is correctly labeled as such. Store the containers outside of living areas.

# **Just Remember...**

When plugging in appliances, make sure they are plugged directly into the generator or a heavy duty outdoor-rated extension cord. The cords should be checked for cuts, tears and that the plug has all three prongs, especially a grounding pin.

If you must connect the generator to the house wiring to power appliances, have a qualified electrician install a properly rated transfer switch in accordance with the National Electrical Code® (NEC) and all applicable state and local electrical codes.

#### FACT

 A person can be poisoned by a small amount of CO over a longer period of time or by a large amount of CO over a shorter amount of time.





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