

Fisher Cats to Host Nickelodeon Blue's Clues & You! Day

Fans can meet Blue on Sunday, June 7 and enjoy a pregame brunch

MANCHESTER, NH—The New Hampshire Fisher Cats (Toronto Blue Jays Double-A affiliate) will host Nickelodeon Blue's Clues & You! Day on Sunday, June 7, at Delta Dental Stadium.

The latest edition to the Fisher Cats' ever-evolving promotional schedule will give fans an opportunity to meet Blue, Nickelodeon's playful puppy, as part of a pregame brunch. For \$24, fans can enjoy brunch in the Samuel Adams Brewhouse and take photos with Blue on the Eastern Propane & Oil Stage.

Brunch tickets and standard game tickets -- starting at \$8 -- are available at NHFisherCats.com/tickets.

"From 90s kids to today's kids, it's no mystery that everyone loves Blue's Clues," said Fisher Cats President Mike Ramshaw. "And this is a major breakthrough for feline-canine relations. For a team of 'Cats to open its doors to one of the most iconic dogs in television history, I think it says a lot about what we think of Blue."

The Fisher Cats will take on the Richmond Flying Squirrels (San Francisco Giants) with first pitch scheduled for 1:35 p.m. Continuing New Hampshire's Sunday tradition, Kids Run the Bases after the game.

Fisher Cats single game tickets are now on sale at NHFisherCats.com/tickets, over the phone at 603-641-2005 or at the Fisher Cats Ticket Office at One Line Drive in Manchester.

The Fisher Cats offer new single game ticket pricing this season, featuring \$8 box tickets in sections 100 and 101. Premium tickets (sections 102-116) are still available for \$12.

New Hampshire's promotional schedule of Ferocious Fun will be offering theme nights, giveaways, fireworks, and other special events.

The Fisher Cats begin the 2020 season on a six-game road trip, with New Hampshire's home opener scheduled for Thursday, April 16,



at 6:35 p.m. at Delta Dental Stadium against the Hartford Yard Goats (Colorado Rockies).

Full and Half-Season Tickets and Mini-Ticket Plans are currently on sale, and each features a variety of benefits, gifts, and experiences. To learn more, stop by the box office at Delta Dental Stadium, call (603) 641-2005, or visit www.nhfishecats.com.

SHS Boys Basketball Sees Busy Week

The Stevens basketball program had a busy week with the JV boys hosting the Cougars of Kearsarge and the Laconia Sachems. They finished up the week at the Fall Mountain JV Tournament on Saturday. The varsity played a makeup game at Newport on Monday, and took on Kearsarge and Laconia at home on Tuesday and Friday.

On Monday night at Newport, Stevens jumped out to an early lead and rolled to their 3rd win of the season, defeating the Tigers 57-24. Clayton Wadsworth led the Cardinals with 13 points. Owen Taylor scored 12 points and grabbed 8 rebounds. Cooper Moote tossed in 10 points, and Alex Taylor chipped in with 6 points and 6 rebounds.

On Tuesday, Kearsarge invaded Frederick Carr Gymnasium and returned home with a convincing 70-34 win. Alex Taylor had a team high 11 points and pulled down 11 rebounds. Clay Wadsworth had 9 points, Cooper Moote had 6 points, and Owen Taylor grabbed 9 rebounds.

Stevens honored their 5 seniors on Senior Night this past Friday prior to their game with Laconia. Tyler Bonneau, Matt Jones, Alex Taylor, Brennan Huntoon, and Tucker Derosier

were recognized for their contributions to the Stevens Basketball program. The Sachems captured an exciting 47-42 win. After falling behind 10-0, Stevens was able to cut the lead to just 3 points late in the fourth quarter but couldn't pull off the upset. Owen Taylor had a season-high 15 points, while pulling down 11 rebounds. Brother Alex scored 11 points.

The junior Cardinals grabbed their 4th win of the season on Monday defeating Kearsarge 50-45. Hunter Larocque had a season-high 17 points in the win. Brennan Huntoon scored 11 points, Tucker Derosier scored 9 points, and Kayden LaClair chipped in with 9 points. On Friday night, Laconia defeated Stevens 54-47. Trystan Lane was the leading scorer with 15 points. Hunter Larocque scored 14 points, with Brennan Huntoon chipping in with 6 points. Ty Theriault had a team high 8 rebounds.

On Saturday the JV boys competed in the JV Tournament at Fall Mountain. Teams played two 16 minute halves with running time. In their first game the Cardinals defeated Hinsdale 39-18. Trystan Lane scored 14 points and Hunter Larocque added 10 points. The win put Stevens into the semi-finals.

Stevens defeated Newport 36-24 to advance to the Tournament final game. Kayden LaClair had a team 10 points, while JJ Tursky added 8 points and Hunter Larocque chipped in with 6 points.

In the Finals, Hanover had a 3 point halftime lead but a big second half led them to the Championship, as they beat Stevens 37-22. Hunter Larocque paced the Cardinals with 11 points. Trystan lane had 4 points and JJ Tursky added 3 points.

The teams will conclude their season with a pair of games next week. They will travel to Souhegan on Tuesday, and conclude their season at Kearsarge on Friday night.

St. Joseph's Sports Night

CLAREMONT, NH—The 64th Annual St. Joseph's Sports Night will take place on March 18 at 6:00 p.m. The event will be held at the Claremont Senior Center; tickets are available at Marro Home Center and Stevens High School.

Weekend Sweep on the Road as Big Green Tame Lions, 76-57

By Rick Bender
Courtesy Dartmouth Sports

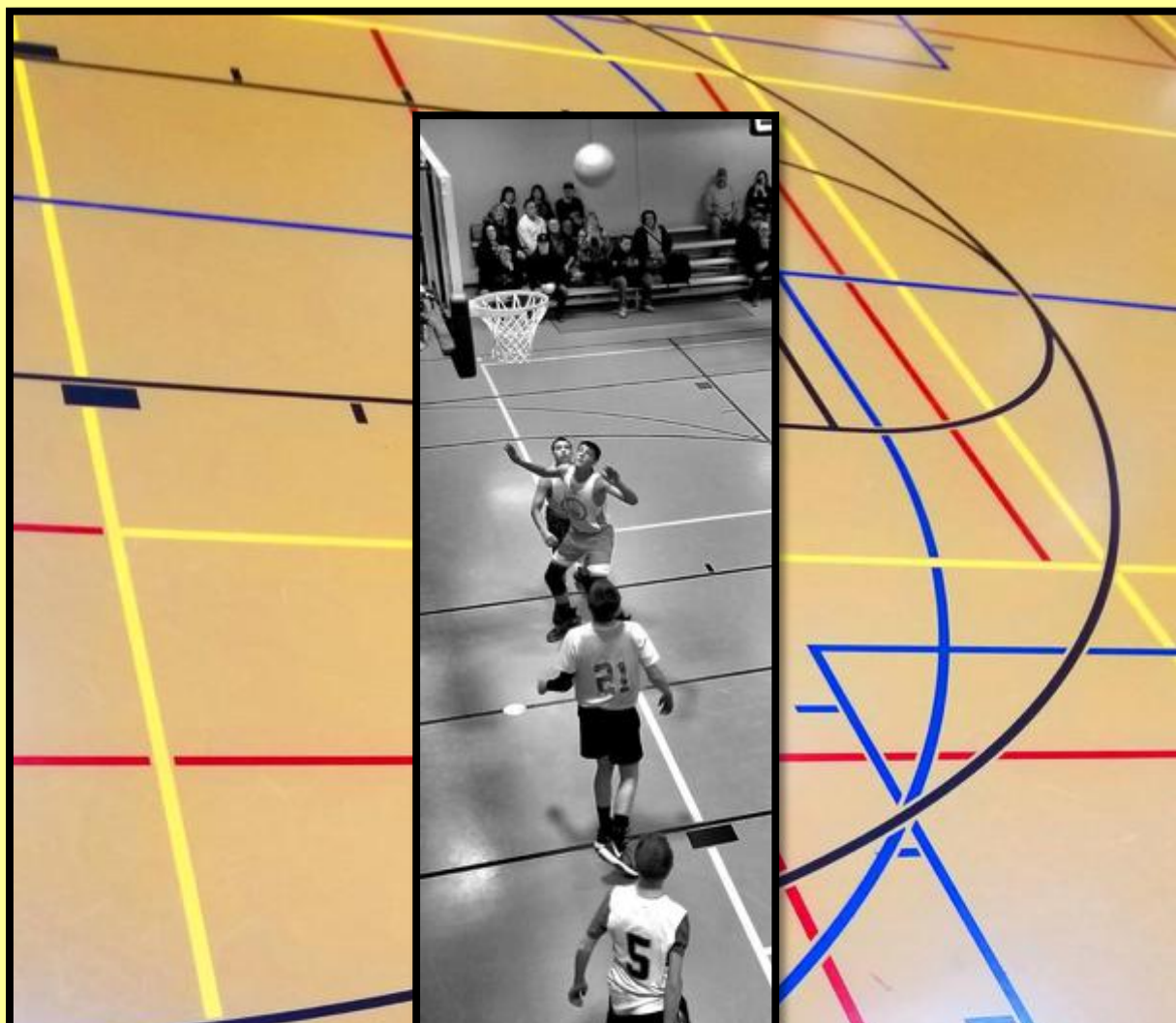
NEW YORK, NY— Dartmouth rode a barrage of 3-pointers in the first half and junior Chris Knight in the post in the second stanza to defeat host Columbia on Saturday night at Levien Gymnasium, 76-57. Knight finished the game with 19 points and 10 rebounds — his fourth double-double in the last five contests — as the Big Green (12-15, 5-7 Ivy) earned their first weekend league sweep on the road in five years and won for the fifth time in the last six outings. The Lions (6-22, 1-11 Ivy) suffered their 11th straight defeat despite getting 25 points from Mike Smith, the league's leading scorer.

Knight was a perfect 7-of-7 from the floor, six of those field goals coming in the second half, and 5-of-6 at the line for his 19 points. Not only did he stuff his stat sheet with the 10 rebounds, but also six assists, a block and a steal, the last of which led to a wide-open, two-hand slam.

Joining Knight in double figures was senior James Foye with 15 points, all coming from behind the arc as he drilled 5-of-9 from long range. Dartmouth rained down 12 3-pointers as a team with seven players hitting one apiece, including walk-on New York native Jayden Reaves in the final seconds, sending his local friends and family into a frenzy in the stands.

The game was tight for the first 10 minutes with neither side gaining an advantage of more than four points. A three-point play by Smith with 11:24 left in the half

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Claremont's Own March Madness Is Back in 2020!

Annual Twin State Valley Basketball Tournament
March 2-14 at the Claremont Savings Bank Community Center
and Stevens High School

44 Teams — 8 from Claremont
Boys and Girls in 6 Divisions — 3/4, 5/6, 7/8
76 Games — March 2-6, 9 and 11-13, 5-7pm
March 7 and 8, 8am to 7pm
March 14 *Championships*, 9am to 2pm

\$1 All-Day Admission — Under 5 Free

Follow the brackets — updated daily —
on Claremont Parks + Recreation's Facebook Page

Info — 603.542.7019 / cccprograms@claremontnh.com

Dartmouth, from B2

gave Columbia a 17-16 lead, but Foye answered with consecutive 3-pointers to quickly give the Big Green a 22-17 lead that it would not relinquish.

Later in the half, Foye hit back-to-back treys again, and sophomore Trevon Ary-Turner followed with one of his own to open up a 35-25 lead with four minutes still to go until the intermission. Smith scored the next five points to cut that Columbia deficit in half, but Knight laid one in with just under a minute to go — his first shot of the game — allowing Dartmouth to hold a 37-30 edge at the break.

Three times in the first seven-plus minutes of the second stanza Columbia managed to climb back within a point, the last on a Jake Killingsworth layup with 12:53 to play, making it a 44-43 game. But Knight provided the answer, knocking down a 12-footer before stealing the ball and coasting for his big dunk.

Ike Nweke, who also had a double-double for Columbia with 14 points and 12 boards, scored on a layup before Knight answered with a pair of free throws and added another layup after junior Aaryn Rai (nine points and rebounds) hit 1-of-2 at the line.

The 6-7 forward pushed the lead into double digits 64-53, with consecutive buckets in the paint, and Rai kept it there with a three-point play after a Smith jumper in the lane. Dartmouth then sank 6-of-8 at the foul line in the final 2:07, and Reaves put the exclamation point on the win with his trifecta shortly before the buzzer sounded.

It took Smith 27 field goal attempts to score his 25 points, hitting nine of those shots, while going 1-of-9 from the perimeter and a perfect 6-of-6 at the charity stripe. He added eight rebounds and seven assists to his evening as well.

Columbia finished the night shooting 33.3 percent from the floor (22-of-66) and a woeful 9.5 percent (2-of-21) behind the arc. The Big Green, on the other hand, was 25-of-58 (.431) overall and 12-of-36 (.333) on their 3-pointers, plus won the battle of the boards, 45-38, matching a season-high on the glass.

Dartmouth will enter the final weekend of the season with an outside shot at qualifying for the Ivy League Tournament, sitting in sixth place, a game behind Penn and Brown. The Big Green must win both games on their home court to keep those hopes alive, first hosting league-leading Yale (22-6, 10-2 Ivy) on Friday

at 7 p.m. The game will be streamed live on ESPN+ with Bob Lipman and Dave Faucher calling the action, while Brett Franklin will pro-

vide play-by-play on a free audio broadcast through the official website of Big Green athletics, DartmouthSports.com.

SHS Boys Basketball

12/20/19	at Laconia	L 26 - 69
01/03/20	Oyster River	L 26 - 56
01/07/20	at Fall Mountain	L 39 - 54
01/10/20	at Merrimack Valley	L 34 - 55
01/17/20	at Bow	L 38 - 71
01/21/20	Newport	L 38 - 48
01/28/20	Lebanon	L 37 - 79
01/31/20	Coe-Brown Northwood	L 23 - 49
02/04/20	Fall Mountain	W 50 - 38
02/10/20	at Plymouth	W 41 - 38
02/12/20	at Hanover	L 20 - 63
02/14/20	ConVal	L 24 - 67
02/21/20	John Stark	L 22 - 66
02/24/20	at Newport	W 57 - 24
02/25/20	Kearsarge	L 34 - 70
02/28/20	Laconia	L 42 - 47
03/03/20	at Souhegan	06:30 PM
03/05/20	at Kearsarge	06:30 PM

SHS Girls Basketball

12/13/19	Souhegan	W 64 - 26
12/18/19	at Kearsarge	L 41 - 44
12/20/19	Laconia	L 38 - 45
01/03/20	at Oyster River	W 69 - 36
01/07/20	at Fall Mountain	L 38 - 58
01/10/20	Merrimack Valley	W 54 - 46
01/17/20	Bow	L 40 - 50
01/21/20	at Newport	W 58 - 46
01/24/20	at Hollis-Brookline	L 49 - 58
01/28/20	at Lebanon	L 38 - 62
01/31/20	at Coe-Brown Northwood	L 42 - 61
02/04/20	Fall Mountain	W 46 - 45
02/10/20	Plymouth	W 70 - 35
02/12/20	Hanover	L 40 - 79
02/14/20	at ConVal	L 38 - 43
02/20/20	Newport	W 52 - 47
02/21/20	at Timberlane	L 28 - 51
02/25/20	Kearsarge	W 57 - 45

Lebanon-Stevens-Kearsarge Girls Ice Hockey

12/14/19	ConVal-Conant	W 10 - 0
12/18/19	Bedford	W 12 - 0
12/20/19	at Oyster River-Portsmouth	L 0 - 1
01/02/20	at St. Thomas-WNC-DOV	L 1 - 4
01/04/20	at Berlin-Gorham	T 3 - 3
01/11/20	Exeter	W 5 - 2
01/14/20	Bishop Brady-Trinity-West	T 3 - 3
01/16/20	Pinkerton	W 3 - 2
01/24/20	at Keene-Mon-Fall Mountain	W 3 - 0
02/01/20	Berlin-Gorham	L 3 - 5
02/04/20	Keene-Mon-Fall Mountain	W 9 - 3
02/08/20	at Hanover	L 1 - 3
02/11/20	at Man. Central-Memorial	W 8 - 1
02/15/20	Souhegan	L 3 - 4
02/17/20	at Bishop Guertin	L 0 - 6
02/19/20	at Concord	W 2 - 1
02/25/20	at Kingswood	W 9 - 2

Lebanon-Stevens-Mount Royal Boys Ice Hockey

12/18/19	at Alvirne-Milford	W 5 - 0
12/21/19	Somersworth-Coe-Brown	L 2 - 3
12/23/19	at Goffstown	L 3 - 7
01/11/20	at Merrimack	L 1 - 6
01/13/20	at John Stark-Hopkinton	W 3 - 1
01/25/20	at St. Thomas Aquinas	L 0 - 1
01/29/20	Berlin-Gorham	L 1 - 5
01/31/20	Oyster River	L 1 - 2
02/05/20	at Winnacunnet	W 9 - 0
02/08/20	Dover	L 2 - 4
02/10/20	Kingswood	W 5 - 1
02/12/20	at Spaulding	W 4 - 2
02/15/20	Portsmouth-Newmarket	W 3 - 0
02/16/20	at Kingswood	L 1 - 3
02/19/20	at Berlin-Gorham	T 2 - 2
02/22/20	Merrimack	L 2 - 3
02/26/20	Keene	W 5 - 0

Inspiration

Frost Heaves, Posted, Mud

By Priscilla Hull

In these northern climates where sometimes winter seems eternal, we welcome two things at this time of the year. The first thing is the frost heave signs. When you've lived with them for many years, you know what they mean, but to a southerner a sign that says "FROST HEAVES" is a mystery - until you experience a series of frost heaves that rattle your teeth and shake up your brain! Then you never forget what a frost heave is. A few years ago, there was a sign up a little further north that a homeowner put out, "NO FROST HEAVES NEXT 25 FEET!" Some sense of humor but it was true!

The next thing we see are signs that roads are posted! Whatever that means! Simple, it means that the underlying surface will not withstand vehicles more than 6000 pounds! So what do you do if you're driving a heavy vehicle? You find another route.

These are the early warnings that winter is drawing to a close. As the cold intensifies in January and February, the frost digs deeper into the ground and then begins to recede so that the undersurface of the roads begin to break down, causing the surface to break down and become damaged. However, as we become more technically savvy about building roads, using more resilient materials, we find these problems resolving. The old roads will always be sensitive to frost heaves and weight limits.

These two series of signs lead us directly into the next season; Mud Season. We joke about mud season, but to the housewife or househusband who is responsible for shiny, clean floors, it is no joke! Not only do we track the mud into the house, but it is accompanied with a fine, elusive sand which invades the floors, corners, carpets in any entrance and beyond. With an active family and all their friends, years ago, with a couple of dogs, too, I wanted to seal the doors and block everyone out until mud season was over, but that was pretty impractical, so we swept, and swept and vacuumed eternally!

The good thing about frost heaves, posted roads and mud is that by the end of March, middle of April, they have pretty much disappeared and we are ready for the Rites of Spring! The crocuses and daffodils bloom. The lilacs spread their fragrance across the yard. Cherry trees turn the ground white again as they shed their blossoms and the warm breezes bring pollen to the world so that the bees can once again complete the old and start a new life cycle. This is the true mystery that we face each spring; how life resurges from dry, cold sticks, from hives that have been dormant for months. Where is this life from? How does it return to beautify the earth and warmly touch our senses each year?

It all works together for good! We learn to love frost heaves and mud because they are signs of the eternity of life!

So we fix our eyes not on what is seen, but on what is unseen, since what is seen is temporary, but what is unseen is eternal.
2 Corinthians 4:18

Priscilla Hull is the Lay Leader of the First United Methodist Church in Claremont, NH.



Calendar Of Events

Woods Tea Company to Play at COH

CLAREMONT, NH—The Woods Tea Company will perform at the Claremont Opera House on Saturday, March 14, 8pm. Woods Tea Company, music that's good for you, is an American folk music group based in Vermont. They perform a wide variety of songs, including sea shanties, folk songs, Irish drinking songs, and Celtic music. The group is known for its energy, musical talent and dry sense of humor between songs. The Woods Tea Company has been entertaining audiences throughout the US since 1981 with a blend of traditional, original, and vintage musical styles that pleases the ear and inspires a smile.

Tickets are \$25 and can be purchased online at www.claremontoperahouse.org, by phone at 603-542-4433 or in person at the Opera House Box office in City Hall Complex at 58 Opera House Square, Claremont.

Program on 'River Bugs' to Include Lab Stations, Other Fun

SPRINGFIELD, VT—The Black River Action Team invites everyone to stop in at the Springfield, VT, High School on Saturday, March 21st, between 9 AM and 1 PM for an informal introduction to the wonderful, wet, and wild world of "river bugs."

Free and open to the public, this event will feature not only a fun open house for everyone, introducing you to the little critters that inhabit our stream beds, but also several lab stations set up for folks who would like to do a little citizen science and sort samples of preserved river bugs from some of the BRAT's water quality monitoring sites around the Black River watershed.

For details on the bug hunt and open house, contact BRAT Director Kelly Stettner at blackrivercleanup@gmail.com or leave a message at (802) 591-0101 and she'll get back to you.

NAMI-NH Offers Free Class in Newport Area

When someone in a family has mental illness, the entire family is affected.

The more we learn about mental illness -- depression, bipolar disorder, anxiety, schizophrenia, OCD and PTSD as well as other mood and anxiety disorders, the better we can cope with the difficulties that arise when a family member's reality is very different than



CYBSA Baseball/Softball Evaluations

Youth Baseball League 2020

Open to Boys & Girls
Age cutoff date is April 30th, 2020

T-Ball: Ages 5-6
Rookies: Ages 7-8
Minors: Ages 9-10
Majors: Ages 11-12



Youth Softball League 2020

Open to Girls
Age cutoff date is December 31st, 2019

8U Softball: Ages 7-8
10U Softball: Ages 9-10
12U Softball: Ages 11-12

Youth Baseball League Evaluations

T-Ball (Ages 5-6): No Evaluation
Rookies (Ages 7-8): Mon. Mar. 16 5:30 PM
Minors (Ages 9-10): Wed. Mar. 18 5:30 PM
Majors (Ages 11-12): Thurs. Mar. 19 5:30 PM

Youth Softball League Evaluations

8U Softball (Ages 7-8): Sat. Mar. 21 8:30 AM
10U Softball (Ages 9-10): Tues. Mar. 17 5:30 PM
12U Softball (Ages 11-12): Sat. Mar. 21 9:45 AM



Register for Baseball/Softball until March 21

(A late registration fee of \$10 will be applied to payments made after March 21)
Cost: \$45.00 Residents; \$55.00 Non-Residents

Register Now Online @ www.claremontparks.com

everyone else's.

NAMI (National Alliance on Mental Illness) NH Chapter is presenting Family-to-Family in Newport, Wednesday evenings 6:00 to 8:30 PM beginning March 4. This free, 8-week course is designed for the families and friends of adults who have mental illness and addresses diagnoses, symptoms and behaviors, medication and treatment, communication, boundary-setting, advocacy and most important of all – care for the caregivers.

Through weekly presentations, discussions and role-playing, Family-to-Family helps family members (and friends) of the individual with mental illness to understand the illness, cope better, worry less and be more productive in their interactions. Participants receive new handouts at each class which they are able to keep for future reference.

For more information or to register for this free, 8-week class, led by NAMI-trained family members, call Pat Whitney at 603-763-5054 or Kelly Burch at 603-454-8449.

Croydon Ladies Auxiliary Bingo

CLAREMONT, NH—Croydon Ladies Auxiliary Inc. Bingo, every Thursday night. Doors open at 4:30 p.m. and games start at 6:30 p.m.

Kitchen open for supper and snacks.

Pink Diamond and 6 Spot Bingo tickets for chances to win lots of jackpot money. Three raffles each week to win scratch tickets, free plays and gifts.

The winner take all pays out between \$600 and \$900 each week.

Held at the Claremont Senior Center at 5 Acer Heights Road in Claremont.

Questions? Call Sandy at 603-543-7118.

Kinship Raising Support Group

NEWPORT, NH—A support group in Newport for kinship raising family member's kids is meeting 10:00 a.m. to noon every other Friday. Meetings held at the old Towle School, 86 North Main Street. Learn more at New Hampshire Grandparents raising Grandchildren on Facebook; check the page for updates or call Stacey Hammerlind at 802-478-0844.

Overeaters Anonymous Big Book Meetings

CLAREMONT, NH—Overeaters Anonymous

Big Book Meetings are held at Valley Regional Healthcare in Claremont on Wednesdays from 3:30-4:30 p.m. in the library. Please use Main Entrance on Elm Street.

Claremont La Leche League

CLAREMONT, NH—Breastfeeding questions? Get answers and meet other breastfeeding mothers. Claremont La Leche League Claremont La Leche League will be meeting on the 3rd Thursday of the month at the TLC Family Resource Center, 109 Pleasant Street: Mornings, from 9:30—11:00 a.m., evenings, 5:30—7:00 p.m. LLL Leaders are trained and accredited through LLLI to offer help to parents, families, and communities to breastfeed, chestfeed, and human milk feed their babies through parent-to-parent support. A leader will be available to answer your questions.

Assistance, information, and support are also available via telephone, email, and the LLLI website. ClaremontLLL@gmail.com, Jess (603) 630-0184, Zadiah (603) 306-9892; they may also be found on Facebook.

Caregiver Support Group

SPRINGFIELD, VT—A Caregiver Support Group (formerly Alzheimer's Support Group) is available to help enhance the lives of individuals with Alzheimer's disease and other dementias. Presented by Alzheimer's Association, Vermont Chapter, the Caregivers Support Group meets the third Wednesday of every month, 5:00 - 6:30 p.m. at Springfield Hospital Library, Level D, Springfield.

Join the Boy Scouts

CLAREMONT, NH—If you have a young man going into 6th grade and is 11 years old that you think needs an advantage in life, then have them consider becoming a Boy Scout. Boy Scouts learn valuable skills in leadership, team building and self-reliance. Boy Scouts that earn the rank of Eagle have a high likelihood of becoming successful in life and stay active in their communities. When the school starts, Troop 38 of Claremont, NH, meets every Thursday 6:30-8:00 p.m. at St. Mary's church gymnasium. Join us for a good time and new adventures.

Contact Alex Herzog, Scoutmaster of Troop 38, at claremontscout@gmail.com.

Arrowhead Seeks Volunteers

CLAREMONT, NH—Arrowhead is all-volunteer and has a critical need for winter time volunteers this season; please consider volunteering. "Just give us whatever time you can, it really will make a big difference," said Chuck Allen of the Arrowhead Recreation Club.

The best contact is email; you can also leave a Facebook or phone message. email: arrowhead@arrowheadnh.com - best contact method. Phone: (603) 542-7016 - Leave a message.

WEDNESDAY, TUESDAY, MARCH 24 Welcome to Medicare!

Do you have questions about Medicare? We can help!

Medicare can be confusing. Becky Rostron, the SHIP (State Health Insurance Assistance Program) Counselor at Sullivan County ServiceLink Aging and Disability Resource Center (ADRC), can help you understand your Medicare options.

"Welcome to Medicare" workshops are designed to help new Medicare enrollees make more informed choices about their Medicare benefits. The remaining current workshop date Tuesday, March 24th. The workshop is scheduled from 1:30 PM to 4:30 PM.

All workshops are held at 224 Elm Street, Claremont, NH.

Rostron will cover: Part A Hospital insurance, Part B Medical insurance, prescription drug coverage, Medicare Supplement plans, and strategies on how to protect yourself from Medicare fraud, errors, and abuse.

There is no charge, but registration is required. Please contact Sullivan County ServiceLink Aging and Disability Resource Center at 603-542-5177 or 1-866-634-9412.

SATURDAY, APRIL 4 EASTER BUNNY COMES TO CLAREMONT

The Easter Bunny is hopping into Claremont! He will be at Big Lots on Saturday April 4 from 10-2. Kids, pets, and families welcome to get your picture with the Easter Bunny! 4x6 for \$5, 5x7 for \$7, and e-mailed image for \$7. Pictures printed while you wait. Questions? Please call 542-3277.

Got news and photos?

Newport Historical Society Museum Hours

NEWPORT, NH--Interested in local history? Come visit the Newport Historical Society Museum, 20 Central St., Newport, NH. Located in the 1837 Nettleton House, the museum has two floors of annually changing displays to wander through. Open Sundays (except holiday weekends), from 10AM to 2PM, and by appointment by calling 603-863-1294. The museum is free, heated, air-conditioned, and handicapped accessible.

SATURDAY, MARCH 28

ALL YOU CAN EAT SPAGHETTI DINNER

Let someone else do the cooking on Saturday March 28 from 4pm-7pm at the Claremont Country Club. Join Sullivan County Humane Society for our All-You-Can-Eat Spay-ghetti Dinner with your choice of neutered (vegetarian) or unneutered (meatball) sauce. Dinner will also include salad, bread, and dessert! \$10/person, children under 6 are free with the purchase of an adult meal. Tickets can be purchased ahead of time at the humane society, Kit N Kaboodle, or that evening at the door.

For more information, please call 603-542-3277 or visit our website:

<http://www.sullivancountyhumanesociety.org/>.

SATURDAY, APRIL 11

COMMUNITY LOW COST RABIES CLINIC & MICROCHIPPING, 9-11 a.m.

Meriden Fire Station. Cost is just \$15.00 for each procedure.

Sponsored by the Upper Valley Humane Society.



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MONTHLY FOOT & BLOOD PRESSURE CLINIC SCHEDULE

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
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Arthur W. Bailey, 85

Long-time Cornish, NH, resident Arthur William Bailey passed away on Wednesday February 26, 2020, of complications of a respiratory infection at Genesis Westwood Center, Keene, NH; he was 85 years old.

He was born on October 7, 1934, to lifelong Cornish residents the late Clyde Johnson Bailey and Vera May (Whitcomb) Bailey and predeceased by his wife, Beatrice Elizabeth (Creighton) Bailey, and grandson, Lt. C. Christopher Palmer of the Newbury Fire Department.

Arthur attended Stevens High School in Claremont, NH, and was a trumpet and coronet player in the band during that time as well as playing taps at the Cornish, NH, Memorial Day services for many years. He graduated from Stevens High School in 1952 and immediately went into the United States Army serving Active-Duty during the Korean War stationed in Germany. While in the Army he studied to become a mechanic and continued this trade through his life at the Carriage House Garage in Windsor, VT, from 1963 when it was known as Davis Brothers Garage until its closure in the mid 1990's. On January 19, 1958; he married Beatrice; they had six children.

He is survived by his brother Alton Bailey and his wife Lucy of Florida, and his sister Rosalind Bailey of Claremont, as well as his six children: five daughters, Melony (Bailey) Burch and her husband Stephen of Cornish,

NH; Dawn (Bailey) Couture and her husband Ray of Hartland, VT; Kelley (Bailey) Nishikawa of Wilmot, NH; Tracey (Bailey) Palmer of Lebanon, NH; Robin (Bailey) Maynard of Newport, NH; and one son, John Bailey, Cornish, NH. He also had 21 grandchildren, 22 great grandchildren, and many nieces and nephews.

A graveside committal will be held later in the spring at Edminster Cemetery in Cornish, NH, with family attending.

Bruce L. Wilson, 81

Bruce Lee Wilson, 81, of Claremont, NH, passed away on February 21, 2020 at his home.

He was born in Claremont on February 6, 1939, the son of Donald and Marion (Clark) Wilson.

He was a graduate of Stevens High School in the class of 1957. He joined the US Coast Guard, serving from 1957- 1961. He was on one of four ice breakers, the Eastwind. They were the first ice breaker to go around the world.

After his discharge, He worked for Gilbert Bear Alignment Service, then Joy Manufacturing Co. doing field services. He then worked for D&L Thomas Field Service, retiring in 2003 after 15 years. For the next 10 years, he was an EMT working part-time for Golden Cross Company, working the auto races and transporting patients to Mary Hitchcock Memorial Hospital. He was a Claremont call firefighter. Bruce also worked for Dartmouth Motors and part-time for Todd Rivard. In retirement, he remained active with the Claremont Moose Club, and his picture was featured on the front page of the Eagle Times when he was dressed as Santa Claus (with his real beard) delivering meals to the needy.

He is survived by his wife, Carol (Underwood) Wilson of Claremont; sister, Martha Williams; grandson, Adryn Hayes; sister-in-law, Marilyn Page and her husband Lloyd; brother-in-law; Berley Underwood and his wife Eleanor; a special cousin, Ellen Walker and many more cousins.

A graveside service will be held in Mountain View Cemetery in Claremont with military honors on May 9th at 11 AM.

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Donations can be made in his memory to the Claremont Firefighter's Association, 100 Broad Street, Claremont, NH 03743 or The Claremont Senior Center, 5 Acer Heights, Claremont, NH 03743.

Arrangements are with Stringer Funeral Homes and Crematorium, 146 Broad Street, Claremont, NH 03743.

To view an online memorial or send a private message of condolence, visit www.stringerfh.com.

Cindy Lou St. Aubin, 64

Cindy Lou St. Aubin, 64, of East Green Mountain Road in Claremont, NH, died February 22, 2020, at Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center. She was born in Claremont on March 31, 1955, the daughter of Richard and Lois (Lemieux) Barton.

If you asked Cindy, she'd tell you she was a seamstress. The truth is she was a tailor. She could sew anything with or without a pattern. She loved to make things grow. Whether it was her two sons Benjamin and Andrew, a garden full of vegetables, or her beloved rose bushes. She loved the sun and working outdoors on a beautiful day. Of all the places in the world, Cindy-Lou was happiest on the beach next to the ocean. She'd lay there all day if you let her.

Above all else, Cindy Lou was a homemaker. A loving wife to her husband Ronald, and a devoted mother to her two sons. She was an animal lover, welcoming many pets into the family over the years. Her heart was bigger than the sun she so adored.

She is survived by her husband Ronald; her sons Andrew and Benjamin; sisters Nancy Ueda and Sandy Dansereau; brother David Barton; father-in-law Norman St. Aubin; brother-in-law Robert St. Aubin; and sister-in-law Karen St. Aubin.

Predeceased by mother, Lois (Lemieux) Barton; father, Richard W. Barton; brother Richard M. Barton; and mother-in-law Christine (Pratt) St. Aubin.

A funeral service was held Saturday morning, February 29th, at the Stringer Funeral Home with Rev. Father Shawn Therrien officiating. Burial followed in St. Mary Cemetery.

To view an online memorial or send a private message of condolence, visit www.stringerfh.com.

Ruth H. Hubbell Price, 80

Ruth H. Hubbell Price, 80, of Claremont, NH, passed on February 24, 2020, in Dartmouth-Hitchcock medical center, after a sudden illness.

Born in Wisconsin on September 25, 1939, she was a long-time resident of Claremont from about 1940. She moved with her employment to Keene (1976) and Laconia (1987) and retired to Lakeland, FL (1991) before moving back to Claremont in 2008.

Ruth graduated from Stevens High School with the class of 1958 and was retired from New England Telephone Company (NYNEX) (Verizon).

Ruth loved cats, taking scenic drives around New Hampshire and working on jigsaw puzzles. Ruth always kept busy with smaller jobs like selling Amway and Fuller Brush. During her retirement, she worked in the store at the Earl Bourdon Center in Claremont. Ruth was a devout Christian and listened to the services of The Church at the Mall (Lakeland, FL), every Sunday morning, you could find her sitting in front of her computer streaming the live services from Lakeland, FL.

She is survived by her ex-husband Robert M. Hubbell of Florida, a daughter, Brenda Hubbell Kenyon and her husband Heath of New Hampshire, a son, Mark R. Hubbell and his wife Jennifer of New Hampshire, two grandsons Zach R. Hubbell and his wife Cara and Mark M. Hubbell, also of New Hampshire, along with 2 great granddaughters. She was predeceased by her parents, Alfred & Hester Price of Claremont and her brother Ray Price of Oregon.

Calling hours will be held at the Stringer Funeral Home, 146 Broad Street on Monday, March 2nd, from 5pm – 7pm. Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, March 3rd, at 2:00pm at the Stringer Funeral Home with burial to follow at Mountain View Cemetery.

To view an online memorial or send a private message of condolence, visit www.stringerfh.com.

Wendy E. Downing, 56

Wendy E. Downing, 56, of Claremont, NH, lost a courageous 14-year battle with cancer Wednesday and passed peacefully into Heaven with her family at her bedside. She had

been a patient at the Jack Byrne Hospice Center – Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center, since February 17.

The daughter of Wayne Carter and Carol (Hewes) Carter of Claremont, Wendy was a 1982 graduate of Stevens High School. Before the disease progressed, she was employed at West Central Behavioral Health Services.

Wendy loved her family and friends; hosting everything from holiday meals to celebration of life gatherings for the grieving. She was an excellent cook and provided her own version of "meals on wheels" for loved ones recovering from illness or surgery. Her quick wit and delight for life brought smiles to our face.

Spending time with her young grandsons Paxton Miller and Mason Miller, was a highlight of her life.

Wendy is survived by her children, Daniel Miller Jr., Matthew Miller and Danielle Miller, all of Claremont; grandsons Paxton and Mason; her mother Carol Carter; sisters, Kelly Carter-Currier and husband, Jack; Cathy Carter, Unity, and Toni Carter FitzMorris and husband, Dr. Christopher FitzMorris, Gorham; an aunt, Shirley King of Florida; nephew, Timothy Quinney; niece, Courtney Quinney, and several cousins.

Her former husband and father of her children, Daniel Miller Sr., also survives.

Steadfast friends during this painful journey were Donna McNeil and husband Mike; Vicki Landry and husband, Brian; Marcie St. Pierre, and husband Larry. The family is grateful for their kindness.

Wendy was predeceased by her father, Wayne Carter in 2005; maternal grandparents, Eleazer "Skip" Hewes and Blanche (Chamberlain) Hewes and paternal grandparents Leo and Ursula Martel.

A celebration of Wendy's life will be held at the McNeil home next summer. Burial will be held privately at the West Claremont Burying Grounds.

Wendy received outstanding care at the Jack Byrne Center for Palliative & Hospice Care in Lebanon and suggest donations be made in her name in lieu of flowers.

Arrangements are with Stringer Funeral Homes and Crematorium, 146 Broad Street, Claremont, NH 03743.

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Dr. Mazzini Bueno, 82

Dr. Mazzini Bueno, known as “Nini” in Brazil and “Max” in the United States, was born in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, on August 23, 1937. He died on February 20, 2020, at the age of 82. Max was the son of the late Marcio Muller and Marilia (Telles) Bueno, stepson to the late Paulo Antonio Telles Bardy, and brother to the late Laura Nagel.

Max was raised and educated in Rio de Janeiro. In 1956, Max immigrated to the United States to continue his education at the University of Vermont in Burlington, VT, from where he received his undergraduate degree in 1960 and his medical degree in 1965. After medical school, Max was an intern at the Rhode Island Hospital in Providence, RI, until 1966.

Max became a United States citizen in 1962 and was a Vietnam Veteran. He was a Captain in the United States Air Force and served at the Sewart Air Force Base in Smyrna, TN, from 1966 to 1968. During that time Max earned a medal for his sharp shooting skills.

Upon completing his military service, Max became a Radiology resident at Dartmouth Medical School, and attended a fellowship program at the Armed Forces Institute of Pathology at the Walter Reed Army Medical Center. Max completed his residency in 1971 and became Board Certified in Radiology in 1972. He specialized in Diagnostic Radiology.

Max married Raella Bueno in Barre, VT, on October 2, 1965. They settled in Claremont, NH, where they raised two children, Lauro and Andrea. During his years in Claremont, Max was a member of the Kiwanis Club, the Lake Mitchell Fly Fishing Club, as well as an assistant soccer coach at the Claremont Pee-Wee soccer program and the Claremont Junior High School.

In 1971, Max joined a private practice in Charlestown, NH, Valley Radiologist Professional Association, started by his partner, the late Dr. Edward “Tom” Kane. From 1971 until 1992, Max worked as a Radiologist at several hospitals in New Hampshire and Vermont, including Valley Regional Hospital, Mt. Ascutney Hospital, Alice Peek Day Hospital and New London Hospital. For many years, Max served as a member of the board of Mt. Ascutney Hospital and Valley Regional Hospital. In April 1974, Drs. Kane and Bueno began one of the first Mammography programs in Northern New England at Valley Regional Hospital.

After Max and Raella divorced in 1992, he relocated to Pittsfield, MA. He married the late Judy Culver of Pittsfield in August 1996. Max continued to practice as a Radiologist at Hillcrest Hospital in Pittsfield from 1993 to 1997, then at Harrington Memorial Hospital in Southbridge, MA, until December 2007, when he retired. Judy died in January 2008.

In 2009, Max returned to Rio de Janeiro where he resided until 2014, when he returned to New Hampshire. Since 2019 and until his death, Max resided at the Historic Homes of Runnemede in Windsor, VT.

Throughout his life, Max was an accomplished photographer and an avid naturalist, who loved hiking the woods of Vermont and New Hampshire carrying his many cameras. Max greatly enjoyed soccer, especially his beloved Brazilian team, Fluminense FC. Max loved all animals, especially cats and dogs.

Max is survived by his children, Lauro and his wife Tomoko Kataoka of New York, NY, and Andrea and her husband Rangji Keen and his grandchildren, Piper and Sebastian of Meriden, New Hampshire; his stepchildren, Jennifer and her husband Brian Berkel of Pittsfield, Jeffrey Culver of Pittsfield, and Richard and his wife Mary Culver of Springfield, MA; and his nieces and nephews: Jennifer Nagel-Vazquez, Dr. Michael Nagel, Nicholas Nagel, Amy Buzzell Mullins, Jared Buzzell, and Dr. Maria Buzzell Steed; as well as several cousins and extended family members in Brazil and Ohio.

A celebration of Max’s life will be held at the Stringer Funeral Home at 146 Broad Street, Claremont, New Hampshire on Saturday, March 21, from 3:00 pm to 5:00 pm. Family, friends and anyone who wish to express their condolences are invited.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Max’s memory to the Appalachian Mountain Club, <https://www.outdoors.org/get-involved/donate/tribute-gift> and the Susan G. Komen for Metastatic Breast Cancer Research, <https://givetoaproject.komen.org/#explore>.

Anthony C. Maiola, 96

Anthony (Tony) C. Maiola, 96, died Tuesday evening surrounded by family at their Newport, NH, home.

Anthony was born August 8, 1923, in Claremont, NH, the son of Michael and Anna Maiola. He was a lifelong resident of Newport dedicated to serving his community, state and na-

tion. Tony served proudly as a US Marine and saw combat duty in WWII in the Pacific theater, including Guadalcanal, Guam and Okinawa. His admiration for those who served, especially his beloved Marines, was a source of pride throughout his life. Returning stateside after his service, Tony met and married the love of his life, Elizabeth Woodhull and for 68 years they resided in Newport. Working along side his in-laws, Remington and Gladys Woodhull, Tony was a butcher at Woodhull’s Market and served the town in a number of capacities including Selectman (17 years), Planning Board (10 years), Town Assessor, Newport fireman (29 years) a State Legislator and as a Sullivan County Commissioner (6 years). Anthony was named, along with his wife Betty, Newport’s Citizens of the Year. He served as a Corporator of the Lake Sunapee Bank for 10 years and was a National Basketball Official for 25 years at both the college and high school level. After leaving Woodhull’s Market, Tony had a long career working for Donahue Beverage and Silver Brothers Distributing Company before being appointed by three different Governors to the New Hampshire State Liquor Commission where he served for 18 years, 6 as Chairman.

Among his many gifts were his great sense of humor, his abundant love and affection for family and his story telling. Tony’s pride and joy came from spending time surrounded by family and friends whether it was poolside, at McDonald’s or wherever the daily adventures led him. He truly loved life and never wasted a minute of his 96 years.

Anthony was predeceased by his father and mother along with his six sisters and a brother.

He is survived by his wife Elizabeth; daughter Dawn Ranney and her husband Gordon; and son Joel Maiola and wife Alyssa Shooshan; five grandchildren, Kyle, Anna, Ryan, Lauren and Kate; and four great grandchildren, Brooklyn, Joshua, Camden, and Claire. He is also survived by his brother Joseph Maiola of Barre, VT, and several nieces and nephews.

Services: A private graveside service was planned for Monday, March 2nd, followed by a community celebration at the Sugar River Bank Community Room, 10 North Main Street, Newport, NH.

Memorial donations may be made in Tony’s name to Kurn Hattin Homes for Children, PO Box 127, 708 Kurn Hattin Road, Westminster, Vt. 05158.

Claremont Fire Dept. Log

Sunday, February 23rd

0918 E1 responded to a medical call on Royce St.

1247 E1 responded to a lift assist on North St.

Monday, February 24th

1004 E1 responded to West Terrace St for an odor investigation.

1723 E1 responded to Glidden St for a propane problem.

Tuesday, February 25th

0708 E1 responded to a medical call on Whitcomb Ln.

1026 E1 responded to River Rd for a hazardous condition.

Wednesday, February 26th

1638 E1 responded to McCusker Pl for an extinguished fire.

Thursday, February 27th

1024 E1 responded to Acer Heights for an odor investigation.

1813 E1 responded to Briggs St for water damage/problems.

1816 E3 responded to a lift assist on Cardinal Ln.

Friday, February 28th

1744 E1 responded for the ambulance on Main St.

2013 E1, E3 responded to River Rd for a basement fire.

Saturday, February 29th

0204 E1 responded to a box alarm on Sullivan St for a gas alarm.

1218 E1 responded to a medical call on Pillsbury St.

THURSDAY, MARCH 26

Sip and Paint Class

of the Windsor Covered Bridge at the Brownsville Butcher & Pantry
Painting with Becki Dole, artist, at 5:30 pm.
Please call the store for reservation at 802-516-2900 ask for Lauren.

All materials are included, no experience is necessary. Great food and libations.

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Claremont Senior Center, Inc.

We lay awake some mornings thinking about the day and what there is to do at the Center. You may be thinking that is an odd thing to think about, but it gets us out of the house and away from the chores we don't want to do....like dusting. So we are there musing and suddenly we hear a Spring bird. Woohoo! Or it may be the bird clock in the kitchen. Mmmm. Sounded good anyway. Ok. Off to the Center.

The Claremont Country Quilters will meet on Wed. Mar. 4th-10AM-2PM. This meeting will be about Scrappy Jelly Rolls or bring your own project. We have heard several members say this group is just too much fun. Penny said there is always room for more. Give it a go!

SPECIAL NOTICE: There will be NO Sunday at the Center on March 22nd due to rentals.

Our great kitchen volunteers are at it again!! It is a pleasure that they present you with an Authentic Irish Dinner complete with Irish Desserts on Tues. Mar. 17th-11:45AM. We will give you the details in the next newsletter. The cost will be \$10. We can't wait for that menu to come out.

In the meantime, take advantage of our Tuesday and Thursday meals. Tuesday, Mar. 3rd - Soup, Mongolian Chicken, Rice, Blended Vegetables, Freshly Made Pineapple Upside Down Cake. Thurs. Mar. 5th.-Soup, Homemade Baked Beans, Fried Bologna, Coleslaw, Raspberry filled Cookie. Meals are served at 11:45. Members-\$4, non members-\$5.

Have you signed up for the Cookie class yet? We attended the first one and it was a riot! Mindy is so funny and patient. Any cookie you do is beautiful because it is your cookie. Just think about teaching your learned skills to your grandchildren or great grandchildren. Or giving a batch for their class cookie sale. Come in or call the Center to sign up. The cost is \$5 and believe us, worth every penny.

We were going over the list of what we offer you the other day and realized we have not asked members and non members in a long time what they might like. So, what would you like to see us offer? Here is what we have to offer now-ping pong, pool, chess, bingo, cribbage, Hand and Foot, knitting(and needlework), Mahjonn, meals, exercise, Corn Hole (will move to the outside weather permitting). There is talk about Bocci and bringing coloring back. Let us know.

The membership meeting is Tuesday, March 3rd-12:45PM. Come for lunch and stay for your chance to speak up. After all, It's your Center.

Quick Takes: Foot Clinics-March 5th, 11th, and 18th. Blood Pressure-March 5th and 19th.

Thought of the Week: Sometimes I shock myself with the stuff I say and do. Other times, I try to leave the car with the seat belt on.

Have a good week everyone. Stay warm. We have said that too many times. Can't wait to say don't forget your sunglasses.

Laughter and lively conversation always welcome here.

Claremont Senior Center, 5Acer Heights Rd, Claremont, NH. (603)543-998. Smoke Free.



The Claremont City Council will hold a special public meeting on Thursday, March 5, 2020, at 6:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers of City Hall.
NOTE: Different day.

AGENDA

- 6:30 PM 1. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- 6:32 PM 2. ROLL CALL
- 6:35 PM 3. CITIZEN'S FORUM (Comments on Non-agenda Items Limited to 5 Minutes per Speaker (Council Rule 23))
- 4. NEW BUSINESS
- 6:40 PM A. Compensation Study Presentation (City Manager)
- 7:40 PM 5. CONSULTATION WITH LEGAL COUNSEL
- 7:45 PM 6. ADJOURNMENT

PLEASE NOTE: Claremont City Council's next scheduled meeting will be on Wednesday, March 11, 2020, at 6:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers at City Hall.



The Claremont City Council will hold a public meeting on Wednesday, March 11, 2020, at 6:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers of City Hall.

AGENDA

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| 6:30 PM | 1. | PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE |
| 6:32 PM | 2. | ROLL CALL |
| 6:34 PM | 3. | AGENDA CHANGES |
| 6:35 PM | 4. | REPORT OF THE SECRETARY
Minutes of January 22, February 12 and 26, 2020, City Council Meetings |
| 6:40 PM | 5. | MAYOR'S NOTES |
| 6:45 PM | 6. | CITY MANAGER'S REPORT |
| 7:00 PM | 7. | APPOINTMENT TO BOARDS AND COMMITTEES |
| 7:05 PM | 8. | CITIZEN'S FORUM (Comments on Non-agenda Items Limited to 5 Minutes per Speaker (Council Rule 23)) |
| | 9. | OLD BUSINESS |
| 7:15 PM | A. | Legislative Updates |
| | 10. | NEW BUSINESS |
| 7:20 PM | A. | City Fee Schedule – Public Hearing (City Manager) |
| 7:35 PM | B. | Ordinance 573 Planning Board Creation – First Reading (City Manager) |
| 7:50 PM | C. | Comcast Cable Franchise Renewal Agreement (City Manager) |
| BREAK | | |
| 8:15 PM | D. | Water and Wastewater Rates Update (Council/City Manager) |
| 8:30 PM | E. | Policy Committee Alternate Member (Councilor Koloski) |
| 8:45 PM | F. | Council Expenditures Eligible for Reimbursement (Council) |
| 8:55 PM | G. | Discussion re: Municipal Ordinances Pertaining to Drug Related Activity (Councilor Koloski/Mayor Lovett/City Manager Morris) |
| 9:10 PM | 11. | COMMITTEE REPORTS |
| 9:15 PM | 12. | FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS AND DIRECTIVES |
| 9:30 PM | 13. | CONSULTATION WITH LEGAL COUNSEL |
| 9:35 PM | 14. | ADJOURNMENT |

PLEASE NOTE: Claremont City Council's next scheduled meeting will be on Wednesday, March 25, 2020, at 6:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers at City Hall.

A Visit from the Cat in the Hat!

The Cat in the Hat was in the House—or should we say—the library! The stealthy cat and his bag of tricks turned up in celebration of the birthday of Dr. Seuss on Monday, March 2nd. He read stories to the many children and parents who came to celebrate the event. This after a stop at Maple Avenue School where he also read a story to the Kindergarten students (Courtesy photos).

