

Local Athlete Has Olympic Dreams In Snowboarding

CLAREMONT, NH--Alicja Nadolecka of Claremont is 15 years old and an aspiring professional snowboarder. For the last three years she has been competing all over New England and also in Colorado in United States Snowboard and Free Ski (USASA) events. This past season she attended and trained at Okemo Mountain School in Ludlow, VT, and had her most successful season to date.

After competing all winter long in Vermont, New Hampshire, Maine and even Pennsylvania, she was able to qualify for the USASA Nationals in Copper Mountain, CO, not only in one event but in all five events that the USASA offers. This in and of itself is a major accomplishment. However, when she got to Colorado, finishes of 3rd in slalom, 3rd in giant slalom, 6th in bordercross, 10th in halfpipe and 13th in slope style gave her enough points to be crowned overall national champion in the USASA Youth Women's division.

"She worked very hard training year round for this and we are all very proud of her," said her mother, Kasia. "Alicja is a very talented athlete and also excels in school, and we are very proud to say



Alicja Nadolecka, center, took 1st Place Overall at Copper Mountain in the 2016 USASA Youth Women's Division (Courtesy photo).

she is a very well rounded young lady."

This year Nadolecka has a chance to train at the Carrabassett Valley Academy in Maine which is one of the nation's leading winter sports schools. They have trained many young athletes and have helped them to World Cup and Olympic glory, said her family. "They have offered her a generous scholarship, but our family is of very modest means and are trying to raise the rest of

the money needed to help Ally seize this opportunity and take another step towards realizing her dream of one day representing the US in the Olympic Games," said her mother.

Anyone who would like to support Nadolecka is invited to visit

<https://www.gofundme.com/allynadolecka>.

Youth Firearms Safety Course To Be Offered

CLAREMONT, NH--A Youth Firearms Safety Course, sponsored by the Sullivan County Sportsmen, Old #4 Rod, Gun and Snowmobile Club and NRA Foundation will be held on Saturday August 6th, from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon at the Old #4 Shooting Range. This is an introduction to shooting sports, for ages 10-15. Refreshments will be provided. Preregistration
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Charlestown To Host Softball Tournament

CHARLESTOWN, NH--The Charlestown Recreation Committee and the Charlestown Babe Ruth Soft-ball League have announced that they will be hosting the 2016 New England Regional Tournament, July 13 – 17, 2016 for the 12U and 16U teams. This event is a wonderful opportunity for our community and the Connecticut River Valley, bringing over 15 softball teams and their families to our region. Our 16U team, which is comprised of girls from the Connecticut River Valley area, such towns as Charlestown, Walpole, Alstead, Springfield, Proctorsville, Cavendish and Bellows Falls, has been one of the top ranking teams in the New England region over the last few years and are gearing up for an exciting 2016 season.

In an effort to raise money for the event, the League is holding a raffle, a 2016 Arctic Cat Alterra 4X4 400 with trailer. Only 1,000 tickets will be sold; one ticket - \$20; six tickets - \$100. Tickets can be purchased by contacting Patty at the Selectmen's Office, 603-826-4400, or from a Recreation Committee member. Drawing: July 16, Patch Park.

Fisher Cats Foundation Presents Scholar-Athlete Awards

MANCHESTER, NH-- On Saturday night at Northeast Delta Dental Stadium, the New Hampshire Fisher Cats and the Fisher Cats Foundation presented their 2016 Scholar-Athlete Scholarship winners with their awards. Ten graduates from New Hampshire and two from Massachusetts high schools earned \$2,500 scholarships based on their athletic and academic achievements in high school, and were celebrated at the ballpark.



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Entertainment/Review

Review: Holy Clothing Loralee Embroidered Velvet Bodice Tunic Top

By Bernadette O'Leary

I rarely review something that is not entertainment related. However, when I had the chance to review something from Holy Clothing, it was an opportunity that I could not pass up. This brand of clothing is advertised widely on social media, and I (along with many people I know) have wanted to try something from them for quite some time now.

Holy Clothing sent me the Lorelee Embroidered Velvet Bodice Tunic Top to try out and to review. When I first received it, even the packaging was beautiful. I was surprised to see this vibrantly colored shirt with embroidering that varied only slightly in color from the main part of the shirt. I truly did not expect the color to be so dramatic. It was wrapped in clear plastic and had tags that described the shirt and the company. It was obvious that this company spared no opportunity to achieve the highest standards of elegance and beauty, right down to the packaging and shipping. The pictures I had previously seen, although lovely, did not do this item justice in any way.

In addition to the beauty and elegance of this shirt, I was amazed at how soft it felt. All too often, clothing is soft on the outside, but not so much on the inside. This was soft and comfortable against the skin both on the inside and outside. My son kept hugging me just to feel it, which was perfectly fine with me. My daughter is already begging me for one of her own... in every color available.

I have had this shirt now for over a month, and I have worn the heck out of it. The reason is that if I'm going to review something, I want my review to be accurate. I didn't want to rush my review, only to have something go wrong afterward. I insist that anything with my name on it is accurate.

After one month of constant wear and even repeated washings, this shirt is just as beautiful and comfortable. It is also just as soft against the skin. My only uncertainty about what to say about this shirt involves the sizing. While most people will find the sizing charts on Holy Clothing's page to be easy to use, I am an odd shape, and therefore a difficult fit. Picture an upside-down pear, and you roughly have me. Even so, its fit was remarkably good for me as well. I was concerned before receiving the shirt that this issue which keeps me from ordering anything online would give the result of an irregular fit. However, I'm pleased to say that I am extremely happy with this shirt.

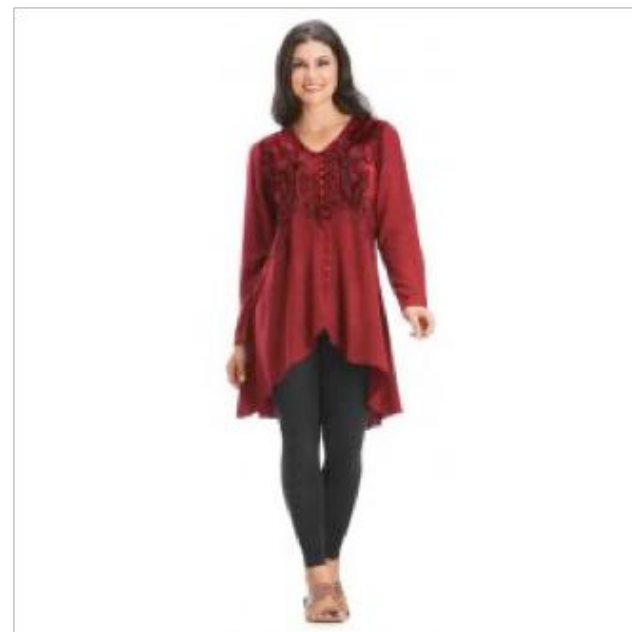
I highly recommend Holy Clothing's line of modest attire for everyone. I hate shopping for clothing for two reasons: 1. my irregular fit, and 2. the lack of modesty in today's clothing. However, neither was an issue here. In fact, I hope to order more from them soon. The products are made with both the highest quality and modesty in mind, two things that mean a great deal to this journalist. Please visit the links below to check them out today, and please feel free to let me know what you think! I will happily pass on your reviews to them.

Loralee Top - <http://holyclothing.com/index.php/loralee-embroidered-velvet-bodice-tunic-top.html>

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Inspiration/Entertainment

Lessons In Living

By Priscilla Hull

Justice must flow like torrents of water, righteous actions like a stream that never dries up.
Amos 5:24

The world looks with horror and pity upon the slaughter that has occurred in "The Land of the Free." It is impossible to believe that this is what those men 240 years ago signed their petition for freedom for. It was Benjamin Franklin who said, "We must, indeed, all hang together or, most assuredly, we shall all hang separately." We watch as hatred erupts almost once and sometimes more than twice a week.

This is not what Thomas Jefferson wrote about in his famous declaration. I grant you that it isn't perfect. It has been changed through the years, but the principle remains the same. It is a lesson in more than independence. It is also a lesson in living. It is a lesson in the rights which we all live for and why we love our country. We must make a difference. We must change the image of hatred and violence into one of love and peace.

How can we, a small town of 13,000 people, make a difference in a country with a population of more than 320 million and a world population of more than 7 billion? A puddle starts with one drop. A lake starts with a puddle and an ocean, well, you get the idea. Here's how we can help!

Next week the UMARMY is coming to Claremont again. I've been asked why the name UMARMY. ARMY denotes force. Simply stated, it fits the acronym. It also, according to the on-line dictionary, denotes a body of persons organized for any purpose. The UMARMY is a group of young people organized for the purpose of improving the life situation of inhabitants of a specific town. They come in the name of Jesus Christ to bring a little happiness and a great deal of assistance to people in Claremont. As we welcome them, we welcome the Hand of God in our midst, but there's more! There is always more. This drop of water that is coming to Claremont will give a bit of hope to a handful of people. That

hope, in turn, will be taken beyond our town to others because good news travels too. Small ARMYs working around the country will bring a ray of hope to others. For that we are free. For that we are thankful.

They will be here from July 17 - 25. If you would like to lend a hand to the UMARMY, bring snacks or fruit to the Parish Hall of Union Episcopal Church on Old Church Road or to

45 Chase Street. You will be contributing to a movement of youth who are changing the world, one house at a time.

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



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Calendar Of Events

Open Studio: Figure Drawing & Painting

CLAREMONT, NH – Come practice drawing and painting from life! This Thursday, the Claremont MakerSpace will be hosting their monthly Open Studio: Figure Drawing & Painting session. This is a self-directed session, not a formal class. Participants are responsible for bringing their own supplies. The cost is \$5 per person – for payment of the model. All ages and levels of experience are welcome. When: Thursday, July 14th, 5:30-8pm. Where: 2nd floor Community Room, 31 Pleasant St., Claremont.

More info about this event and others at: www.claremontmakerspace.org/events.

Summer Concert Series At Union Church

CLAREMONT, NH--Join the West Claremont Center for Music and the Arts this summer for a fantastic program of music traditions from around the world. All concerts are by donation, and held at the historical Union Church at 133 Old Church Rd, Claremont, NH. For more information, visit wcc-ma.org.

Yankee Brass Band

Friday, July 29th, 6:30pm

Grab a lawn chair and join us for Quicksteps, gallops, polkas, waltzes, popular overtures of the mid-19th century, and more on period brass instruments. Rain location will be inside Union Church. BBQ dinner and dessert sale begins at 5:30.

The Modernistics

Saturday, August 6th, 7pm

Join us for a toe-tapping show of Music and Dance from the Great American Songbook. Featuring acclaimed tap dancers and vocalists Ted and Pamela Powers, with Peter H. Bloom on flute and Mark Leighton on guitar. Melissa Richmond and Angela Biggs

**The Passion & Turmoil of German Classical
Saturday, August 20th, 7pm**

An exploration of rich German compositions for flute, voice, and chamber ensembles of the Classical and Romantic eras.

Creative Kids Summer Camp Offered

CLAREMONT, NH--Creative Kids Summer Camp will be held Tuesdays and Thursdays, 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m., July 12 - 28th, at Trinity Episcopal Church, Broad St, Claremont; \$30/day, \$55/week, \$150 for all six sessions

Join them during the month of July for the Creative Kids Summer Camp. With art projects at its core, kids will also explore science, music, and culinary arts, and enjoy different topics and activities every day. Snacks will be provided and created by the kids, and all supplies are included. Bring a bag lunch or enjoy free lunch as provided for ages 18 and under through SAU 6 at the Claremont Middle School.

For ages 10 and up, free or reduced tuition scholarships are available. Space is limited, registration is necessary to guarantee a space. Visit www.wcc-ma.org for the registration link or melissa@wcc-ma.org. Please contact us to arrange cash or check payment, or to request tuition aid.

Children's Programming At The Fiske Library For July

CLAREMONT, NH--Children's Summer Reading Programs through July 26 at 10:30 a.m., on Tuesdays each week there will held Toddler Time. This program is appropriate for ages birth – 36 months. Toddlers are invited to learn finger plays, short songs, nursery rhymes and hear a story or two. Come on in and have a good time! Walk-in's welcome, no registration.

There will be a Drop-in Coloring Craft on Thursdays from 11 a.m. – 3 p.m. each week through July 28. On July 14th, there will be a "Color your own Sports Medal"; July 21 there will be a Map of the USA for everyone who drops by to help with coloring; on July 28th will be a "Color you own Sports Pennant" craft. The Sports Medal and the Sports Pennant are crafts to take home; all markers, crayons are provided.

The Maps will be displayed in September on our bulletin board. If we don't finish coloring

the maps in July, they will be put out in the Gilmore Room to finish up in August. Don't forget that the Summer Olympics in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, begin on August 21st.

The very talented, Simon Brooks, Storyteller, will be regaling everyone who comes to the library with all sorts of tales from around the world! This program will be on Friday, July 15th at 2:00 p.m. for ages 4 and up.

Don't miss this program! Papa Joe's Traveling Storytelling Show will share his wonderful stories with anyone who comes to the library on Friday, July 22 at 2:00 p.m.

Papa Joe spreads his "magic" with all who listen. This program is appropriate for all ages. Last, but not least, on Friday, July 29th. "Take a Tromp Through the Swamp" with Tom Sieling. His Children's Music Program will get the kids on their feet and participate in the dancing and other audience participation! The program is at 2:00 p.m. Appropriate for all ages.

There is no registration and walk-ins are welcome to all of the Children's programs at Fiske Free Library, unless it is otherwise stated. All programs are open to the public and free. All Children's programs in 2016 are sponsored by the Friends of Fiske Free Library.

Overeaters Anonymous Meetings

CLAREMONT, NH--Overeaters Anonymous meets from 3:00-4:00 p.m. on Saturday afternoons at the Grace River Church in Claremont. They will be using the big book of Alcoholics Anonymous.

NEWPORT, NH--OA 12 & 12 meetings held on Sundays from 12:30-1:30 p.m. at Millie's Place, 45 John Stark Hwy., in Newport.

Cornish Historical Center

CORNISH, NH--The Cornish Historical Center, on School Street is open Saturdays during the warm months, from 9:00 a.m. to noon.

Sugar River Civil War Round Table

CLAREMONT, NH--The Sugar River Civil War Round Table meets 1st Monday of each month, 7:00 p.m., at the Earl M. Bourdon Center.



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CLiF Program At Fiske Free Library Featuring Simon Brooks, Storyteller

CLAREMONT, NH--Fiske Free Library will host a CLiF Grant Program once again and will feature Simon Brooks, storyteller, as the CLiF presenter! This program will be held on Monday, July 18th, at 1:00 p.m. It is appropriate for ages, birth – 14. Simon will tell or read a story; he will talk and ask questions of the children about the importance of reading and the wonderful feeling to have a book of your very own. Having a library card and borrowing a book is great, but owning your own book is fabulous! Registration is necessary for this program. This is to ensure that the appropriate number of books and reading levels can be sent from CLiF before the program. All between birth and age 14 will be allowed to choose two brand new books for their very own! These books are free from CLiF and their sponsors! Don't miss out! This program provides a great opportunity to choose books to keep for your own and to hear a great storyteller!

Call 542-7017 or drop by the Children's Desk to register or for additional information.

"The Picture Of Dorian Gray" To Be Presented At COH

CLAREMONT, NH--A collaboration has formed between the Claremont Opera House and World Under Wonder, a small theatre organization run by Sean Roberts. World Under Wonder will be performing "The Picture of Dorian Gray" July 16th at 7:00 p.m. The doors to seating will be opening at 6:30 p.m.

This play is a dark drama about a man who loses his soul to a painting that was made of himself. You watch the depths he is willing to travel in order to keep his portrait a secret as it begins to change before his eyes. This play draws together a group of very talented and dedicated adult actors to bring you all a very exciting and dramatic tale of mortality and loss of inner beauty.

World Under Wonder plans to bring forth a production every season, with two being performed at the Claremont Opera House, and two performed at Newport Middle High School. Most of these productions will be youth based, with parents and past World Under Wonder

members taking part at times. There will also be a fifth show each year that will be more adult focused to allow everyone in the community opportunities to try their hand at acting.

Also bring your family out to audition for "Alice in Wonderland" this summer, July 19th and 21st, from 3:00-5:00 p.m. Come with either a monologue or poem from Alice in Wonderland to audition with; also openings for backstage

as well. Cost for participation is \$20 for actors, and \$5 for backstage.

Senior Center Dinner, Breakfast Events

CLAREMONT, NH-- Senior Men's Breakfast on Monday, July 18. Center opens 8:00

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a.m., breakfast served 8:15 a.m.; guest speaker 8:45 a.m., socialize till 10:00 a.m. Menu: Pancakes, sausage or bacon, juice, coffee. Members \$2.00, non-member guests \$3.00.

Visit or call Claremont Senior Center to sign-up, (603) 543-5998.

10 AM Monday Morning Musicals for Children

CLAREMONT, NH--Jean's Playhouse IM-PACT productions from Lincoln, NH, returns to the air conditioned Claremont Opera House this summer, 10:00 a.m. Monday mornings, with musicals for children. General admission is \$6 at the door. Groups are advised to call ahead to reserve sections.

Remaining shows are: The Velveteen Rabbit: July 18, A little boy and his favorite toy, a stuffed rabbit sewn from velveteen, are best friends through good times and bad, but the rabbit never gives up on his dream of becoming real. The Snow Queen: July 25, When the Snow Queen's evil forces take control of Kai, his best friend Gerda must use love to break the spell and bring him back to his normal happy self. Aladdin: August 1, With the help of a magic genie trapped inside an ancient lamp, a ne'er-do-well named Aladdin tries to rid his city of evil and become Sultan.

For more information call the business office at 603-542-0064. You may also visit www.claremontoperahouse.org.

Silsby Free Library News And Events

Tuesday, July 12 @ 10:30 a.m.- Storytime: Recess Queen

Join us as we read the story of Recess Queen and make crowns for our own Kings and Queens of the playground!

Wednesday, July 13 @ 1 p.m.- Movie Day! Join us to watch The Sandlot! Rated PG. Synopsis: A new kid in town is taken under the wing of a young baseball prodigy and his team in this coming of age movie set in the summer of 1962. Together, they get themselves into many adventures involving rival teams, lifeguards, and a vicious dog.

Friday, July 15 @ 10:30 a.m.- Old Fashioned Game Day

Join us for some Hopscotch, Outdoor Bowling, Hula Hoops, and Donuts on a String!3

Monday, July 18 @ 4 p.m.- Storyteller Simon Brooks and CLiF

Thanks in part to CLiF, the Silsby Free Public Library will be having a Storyteller and Book Giveaway! Join CLiF for a fun and interactive storytelling for both children and adults! Every child in attendance will get to choose two new books to take home and keep! There will be hundreds of books to choose from with many popular titles.

Tuesday, July 19 @ 10:30 a.m.- Storytime: Egg-cellent stories and fun

Join us as we read some egg-cellent stories and make a craft to take home!

Wednesday, July 20 @ 4 p.m.- Oreo Stacking challenge!

This program is geared for ages 6 and up. Children will be paired up in teams to see who can stack the most Oreos within a time frame.

Friday, July 22 @ 10:30 a.m.- Food Art Come play with your food and make art!

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, VT.

Cornish Fair Woodsmen's Competition

CORNISH, NH--The Sullivan County Chapter of the New Hampshire Timberland Owners Association (NHTOA) and the Cornish Fair Association will sponsor the 53rd annual Woodsmen's Competition starting at 8:00 a.m., Saturday, Aug. 20, at the Cornish Fair Fairgrounds, Townhouse Road, Cornish. Registration starts at 8:00 a.m. The competition starts at 9:00 a.m. in the horse ring.

Entry is \$5 for each event. Paid registrations received by Thursday, Aug. 18, cost \$4.

Events include: chainsaw steeplechase, world vs. New Hampshire chainsaw steeplechase relay, chainsaw speed sawing free-for-all, two-person crosscut sawing, Jack and Jill crosscut sawing, two-person log roll, wood chopping, double-bit ax throwing, bucksaw sawing and tree felling.

Contestants must provide their own safety gear, including safety chaps, hardhats and safety glasses. Chainsaws will be provided for the steeplechase event.

Prize money will be awarded. Unique trophies will be given to the contestants who accrue the most points.

More information is available from Jim Zullo at (603) 863-2422.

Lady Boss Club

CLAREMONT, NH--The Lady Boss Club, a group of women-owned businesses in the Greater Claremont and Upper Valley areas, is welcoming new members. They meet at the Java Cup every second Tuesday, from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. In the Hanover area, members meet every Wednesday 5.30-7.30 p.m. at the Howe library, Hanover.

Meetings are free and open to the public.

The Lady Boss Women Entrepreneurial Club is a community to help local women- entrepreneurs with their ideas/businesses development and networking. For more information, contact LadyBossClub@gmail.com.

Bingo In Charlestown

CHARLESTOWN, NH--Bingo is held Wednesdays at the Charlestown Memorial VFW Post 8497 Post Hall, 365 Lovers Lane Road in Charlestown, NH. The regular games start at 6:30 p.m. with Early Birds games commencing at 5:00 p.m. Twelve regular games, six special games, including a winner take all with a \$1,000 kicker if won in 50 numbers or less, and a progressive game from \$800 - \$1,800, plus the final game with a guaranteed prize of \$225 make up the Wednesday evening benefits. It is the VFW Post 8497's primary fundraiser for its various scholarships and sponsorships. Food and drinks are available.

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Croydon Ladies Auxiliary Sponsoring Bingo

CLAREMONT, NH--The Croydon Ladies Auxiliary is sponsoring bingo every Thursday. Held at the Claremont Senior Center, 5 Acer Heights off Maple Avenue in Claremont. Doors open at 4:30 p.m. and games start at 6:30 p.m. Food and drinks available. Open to those 18 and older. Call Sandy at 543-7118 for more information. All paper games.

Claremont Farmers Market

CLAREMONT, NH--The Claremont Farmers and Artisans Market will be held every Thursday through October 6th, from 4:00-7:00 p.m. (rain or shine); they only call the market for lighting. A strong selection of vendors with more added weekly; music featured as well.

Concert Series Continues At Arrowhead

CLAREMONT, NH-- Check out the Summerfest concert series at www.claremontsummerfest.com. You can buy tickets online, at the gate or in advance at Arrowhead and the Claremont Chamber of Commerce office. You can also get student and senior (65 and older) discounted tickets at Arrowhead and the Chamber office; kids under 12 are free. There will also be food and other vendors at each concert. Concerts are from mid- afternoon into the night.

Sunday July 17th – Josh Logan, Rock/Blues/Soul/Pop appeared on the voice Opener: Dan Walker, blends blue-eyed soul with southern roots music to create a sound all his own

Saturday August 13th – Draw The Line, Aerosmith Tribute Band, the only tribute band endorsed by Aerosmith Opener: RoadHouse, a rock band that will make you smile.

August 27th – Kashmir, At the Claremont Visitor Center park The nation's #1 Led Zeppelin tribute show, it is the most authentic representation of Led Zepelin on the modern national touring scene.

Opener: Blabpipe Major influences are vast, ranging from early rock into the 80's and 90's.

2016 Summer In The Paddock

CHARLESTOWN, NH--Join us for the 4th Annual Season of Summer In The Paddock on North Main Street in Charlestown. The Farmers & Artisans Market will run for 15 weeks on Saturdays, 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., starting June 25, and again offer affordable vendor fee "packages" to encourage strong weekly commitments from current and new vendors. Potential vendors are encouraged to stop by the

Charlestown Congregational Church for a brochure of policies and fee schedules. Brochures may also be found in the newspaper rack at Ralph's Supermarket. Email congchrch@myfairpoint.net (yes, leave out the "u") or call (603) 826-3335 with questions and to receive the brochure by email or USPS. Register for all or part of the season.

Vacation Bible School

PLAINFIELD, NH--Christ Community Church in Plainfield, NH, is hosting a free vacation bible school event for families with children. The

Interview Rules

Tomorrow's the big interview, huh? Have you done your homework and researched the company? Have you looked over what they have asked for in their advertisement? Are you planning to go to bed early tonight so you feel well rested?

For a slam-dunk interview, let's get back to basics on general rules of etiquette:

Rule #1: Do not bring your phone in!! At best, turn it off. It is rude and at minimum, disruptive to the purpose of discussing the potential opportunity that is available to you.

Rule#2: Make eye contact. You may be nervous, but looking at the floor is impolite while speaking to someone... anyone. Employers want to know that you're confident in yourself.

Rule #3: DO NOT chew gum. This is disgusting (and unpleasant to look at in most public situations).

Rule #4: Dress appropriately. Many people dress too casually for interviews. You should wear something professional that gives a good first impression no matter what the position is that you are interviewing for.

Rule #5: LISTEN to the interviewer. We have two ears and only one mouth for a reason! You should do double the listening and keep your mouth shut when appropriate. Employers want good listeners.

Rule #6: Don't talk too little... or too much. Prepare answers in advance as best as possible based on what the ad for the job, if there was one, stated is required.. If you say too little, it will be difficult for the interviewer to get to know you. On the other hand, you don't want to ramble.

Rule #7: Ask questions. Typically at the end of every interview, you will be asked, "Do you have any questions?" "No" is the WRONG answer. Asking questions shows that you're interested in the company and have done your homework. That said, do not let the first question out of your mouth be, "How much money will you pay me?" The time for talking about compensation should come later.

Rule #8: No swearing. Really? Do you need to be reminded of that one?

And for heaven's sake...

Rule #9: No begging. You really want the job, but let your skills and qualifications shine through... not your desperation.



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event is August 8-12, at the church in Plainfield.

For more information regarding this program, please visit:

<https://www.facebook.com/events/1251639741513678/>.

July Programs At The Fiske

CLAREMONT, NH--The Fiske Free Library is hosting two more programs in July at the library in addition to the Summer Reading Program offerings available.

On Tuesday, July 12th, a timely program on preventing scams and fraud threatening your finances. Learn to protect yourself from fraud, identity theft and other dangers. Program begins at 3:00 p.m. Peter Begin, VP, Security & Fraud Prevention Office from Mascoma Savings Bank, Lebanon branch, will be the speaker.

On Thursday, July 21, our own Colin Sanborn will conduct an "Armchair Walking and Driving Tour" through the homes and lives of Claremont authors. Program will begin at 7:00 p.m. in the Gilmore Room. Sanborn will lead the audience on a virtual tour around Claremont as you learn about the lives and works of some of Claremont's notable authors. Sponsored by Friends of the Fiske Free Library.

Come in and see us this month and you can also check out the art exhibit based on the poetry of Robert Frost which will be at the library through the end of July.

Programs are free and open to the public.

Plans Being Readied For Back To School Festival

CLAREMONT, NH--The planning process is in full swing as organizers prepare for the 2016 Back to School Festival.

This year's event will be held on Saturday, August 27, from 10:00 am-12:00pm at Monadnock Park. Set up will be begin at 8:00 a.m.

Please remember, this is a family-friendly event and all items are provided to students and families at no-cost. Please avoid having items for sale at your table.

More info will be forthcoming soon.

Remembering Loved Ones...

Life Tributes

Obituaries May Be Found On Our Website

We post obituaries on our website to make them available in "real time," as they are released by funeral homes.

We will continue to publish them here weekly, as well, for your convenience if you wish to print out any of them.

www.etickernewssofclaremont.com

JoAnn Chase

JoAnn Usko (Tinker) Chase passed to a

more serene existence on July 6, 2016, after a long illness.

She was born in Windsor, VT, on July 24, 1942 the daughter of John and Jennie (Usko) Tinker.

She graduated from Stevens High School in 1960 and Concord School of Nursing in 1963. She entered the US Army Nurse Corps and served a year in Vietnam from 1965-1966.

JoAnn married Harold M. Chase Jr in Columbus, GA, in 1967. She followed her husband in his military career, working in Army and VA hospitals. After he retired, they returned to her childhood home and she was employed at VRH, Mary Hitchcock Hospital and MT Ascutney Hospital.

JoAnn was a member of Woodman Aurora Kimball Summit, #16, OES, serving as Worthy Matron for several years.

She enjoyed camping, fishing and spending summers in Moody Beach, ME.

She is survived by her husband of 49 years, Harold; four daughters, Jennifer Dyer of Claremont, Debra Eliassen and her husband, Robert of Westminster, CO, ReBecca Hackett and her husband, Jon of Cornish and Stacey Gatto

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and her significant other, Joseph Dubuque of Lebanon; 14 grandchildren; one great grandson; one niece and nephew and several cousins.

She was preceded in death by her parents and her sister, Cynthia Rozela.

Funeral services were held at the Stringer Funeral Home on Monday, July 11th, burial to follow in Mountain View Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in her memory to Woodman Aurora Kimball Summit, #26, OES, 40 Maple Avenue, Claremont, NH 03743.

Carl Chase, 77

Carl Chase, 77 of Newport NH, passed away Saturday, July 2, 2016, following a short battle with cancer.

He was born September 17, 1938 in Stewartstown NH, son of the late Carl & Lena Chase.

He worked most of his life farming and then Sclafani's in Claremont before retiring.

He loved spending time with his family and being outdoors- fishing, hunting and riding his 4-wheeler.

His surviving family includes his son, Dennis Chase and grandson Dennis Chase of Newport; his granddaughter, Shauna Martzolf and her husband Josh Martzolf and great grandson, Tanner Martzolf, of Claremont; his son, Iver Chase, and his wife, Toni Chase, and granddaughter, Mariah Chase, of Unity and grandson, Matthew Chase, of Arizona; his daughter, Jennifer Chase, and her fiancé, Eric Stetson, and grandson, Tyler Wright, of Vermont; his daughter-in-law, Cathy Chase, and granddaughter, Jessica Weigel, and her husband, Hayden Weigel, of Newport; grandson, Warren Chase and his wife Jackie Chase and great-grandkids, Mackenzie and Hailey Chase of Newport. His sons, Bruce and Eddie Chase and family of Rochester; his brother, Ruel Chase, of Claremont; his sisters, Lillian Mahan and Callie Chase and many in-laws, nieces and nephews and extended family.

He was predeceased by his beloved late wife, Barbara Chase, on July 11, 2009, and his son, Warren Chase, on June 28, 2016. Also five brothers, Burton and Alwin Mahan, Donald, Gene and Carlton Chase and two sisters, Barbara Mahan and Betty Chase.

At Carl's request, there will be no calling hours or service. If you wish to make a donation in his memory to help with his final ex-

penses, please send it to c/o Iver Chase- 54 Old Cheshire County Rd, Newport NH 03773.

The Stringer Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Marion L. Stone, 100

Marion L. Stone, 100, of Gap Road in Cornish, NH, died on Monday, July 4, 2016, at her home.

She was born in Cornish on July 19, 1915, the daughter of James and Lizzie Rollins. She was a graduate of Stevens High School and Keene Normal School.

Marion had a long and very enjoyable teaching career.

She was a very active woman, enjoying walking, cooking and gardening.

Marion was a member of the Park Grange of Cornish, the Retired Teachers Association and the Cornish Fair Association.

She married Jesse Leon Stone on March 9, 1940; he died on August 21, 1995.

The family includes her sons, Ray Stone of Cornish, Roy Stone and his wife, Deborah of Cornish and George Abbott of Claremont; a son-in-law, James Sullivan of Florida; a daughter-in-law, Priscilla Abbott of Cornish; many grandchildren and great grandchildren. She was predeceased by her daughter, May Sullivan; a son, Charles Abbott; her sister, Myrtie Starkey and her brother, Paul Rollins.

A graveside service will be held privately.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Marion's memory to the Cornish Rescue Squad, Cornish Senior Luncheon Program, Cornish Fire Assoc., Cornish Police Cruiser Fund or the Cornish Fair Association.

The Stringer Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Bernard J. Stoodley, 57

Bernard James Stoodley, 57, of Springfield, VT, died on July 4, 2016, at Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center in Lebanon, NH.

He was born in Bellows Falls, VT, on September 22, 1958 the son of George W and Celia E. (Fedelski) Stoodley.

Bernie enjoyed watching the Boston Red Sox and the New England Patriots. He collected baseball and football cards. He

loved to travel with his parents and spending time with his family and friends.

In recent months he had volunteered at the Springfield Hospital and the SEVCA Thrift Store.

The family includes his brothers, Thomas Stoodley of Texas and Robert Stoodley of Bellows Falls, VT; his sisters, Jane Pixley of Cavendish, VT, and Judith King of Unity; many nieces, nephews, great nieces and great nephews; also his dedicated caregiver, Barbara Goodell who lovingly and patiently attended to all of his needs.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

A Mass of Christian burial was held at St. Catherine's Church, Main Street in Charlestown on Friday morning, with Father Steven Lepine officiating. Burial followed in St. Catherine's Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in his memory to the Springfield Humane Society, 401 Skitchewaug Trail, Springfield, VT 05156 or the Springfield Hospital Volunteer Services, 25 Ridgewood Road, Springfield, VT 05156.

The Stringer Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Osher Summer Lecture Series

Osher@Dartmouth's highly acclaimed Summer Lecture Series begins Wednesday, July 13th, with lectures every Wednesday through August 17th, at the Spaulding Auditorium in Hanover, NH. This year's subject is The New Medical Frontier. All six (6) lectures are from 9:00 - 11:30 AM with a 15 minute break during which refreshments are served. Series tickets: \$95.00 (Members) and \$120.00 (Non-members). Tickets for individual lectures may be purchased individually for \$25.00 each.

For more information call (603) 646-0154.



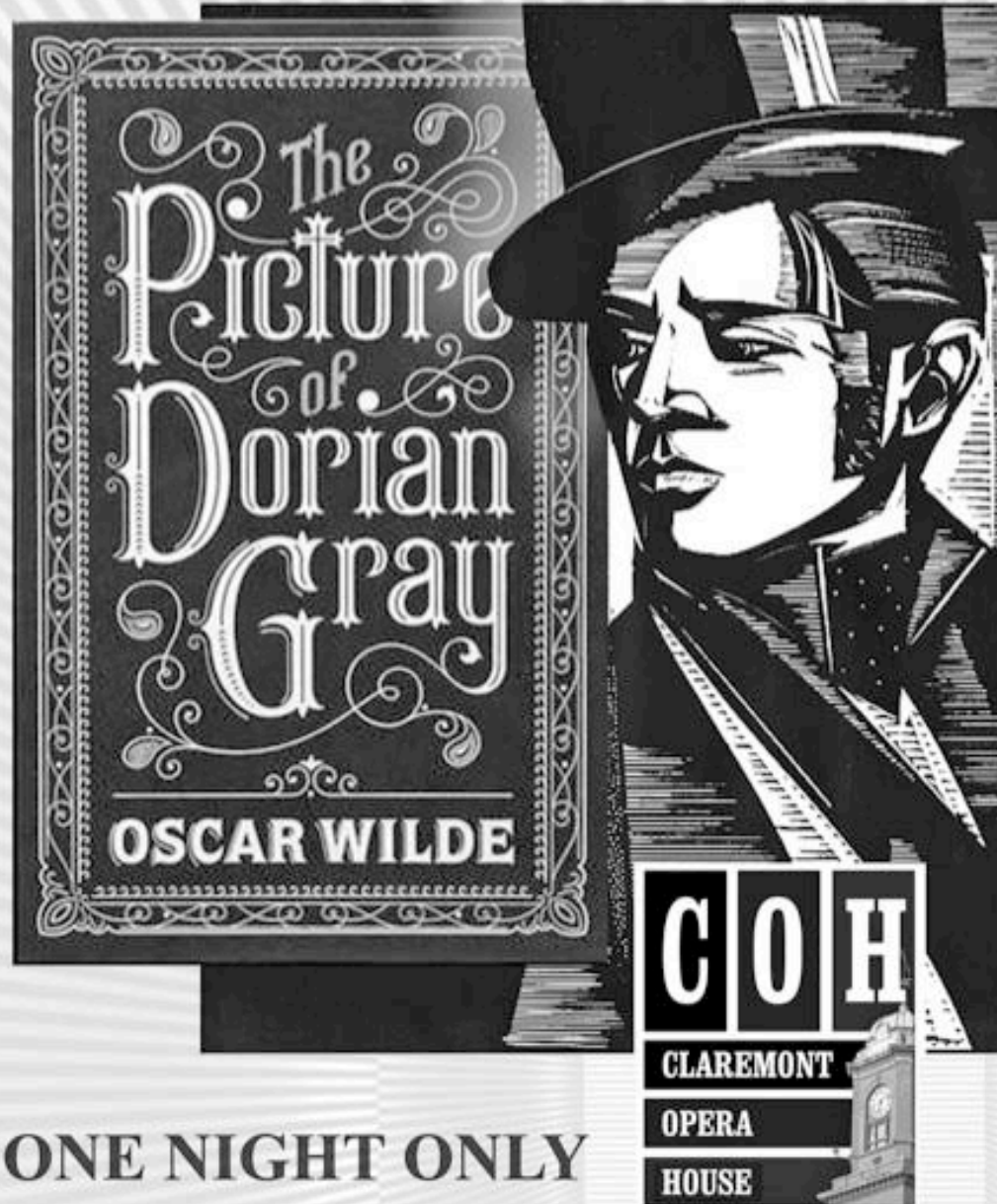
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Sunday, July 3

2017 E3 responded to Foisy Hill Rd for an alarm sounding.

Monday, July 4

1307 E3, E1, L2 responded to Hanover St for a box alarm.

1631 E3 responded to Main St for a brush fire.

1744 E3 responded to Main St for a motor vehicle accident.

1837 E3 responded to Drapers for a motor vehicle accident.

Tuesday, July 5

1351 E3 responded to Middle St for an alarm sounding.

1642 E3, L2, E1 responded to Hanover St for a smoke investigation.

1733 E3 responded to middle St for an alarm sounding,

Wednesday, July 6

1451 E3 responded to Washington St for a transformer fire.

1605 E3 responded to Twistback Rd. for a medical call.

2040 E3 responded to Washington St for a medical call.

Thursday, July 7

1102 E3, E1, L2 responded to Bowen St for a box alarm.

1247 E3 responded to a medical call on Maple Ave.

1511 E3 responded to Industrial Blvd for an alarm.

1529 E3 responded to an alarm on Industrial Blvd.

1539 E3, L2 responded to a box alarm on Maple Ave.

1913 E3 responded to Ashton Ave for a smoke investigation.

2043 E3 responded to Chestnut St for a motor vehicle accident.

Friday, July 8

0843 E3 responded to Main St for a well-being check.

0938 E3, L2 responded to Tremont S for an alarm sounding.

1024 E3, E1, L2 responded to Grandview St for an alarm sounding.

2317 E3 responded to North St for a car fire.

Saturday July 9

1230 E3 responded to Washington St for a motor vehicle accident.

Social News

Claremont Senior Center, Inc. News

By Claire Lessard, Executive Director

Café Claremont Menu: Tuesday - July 12... Salad, meat loaf, mashed potatoes with gravy, vegetables, dessert. Thursday - July 14 ... Birthday Celebration...Soup, roast pork, oven roasted potatoes, vegetables, birthday cake. Menu subject to change!

Marilyn Gilbert and Debbie Bedard are seeking those interested in 3 possible clubs: a Walking Club, an Adult Coloring Club (evenings), and a Book Club. Clip boards of interest are at the center's front desk or call Marilyn 542-5798 for more info. Members free, non-members \$1.00.

Our "Vendors Corner" welcomes Julie's ICare on Thursday - July 14. Any type of business on Tuesday or Thursday (10:00 AM - 1:00 PM) is welcome to rent an 8 ft. table for \$15 in our entrance lounge. Only one vendor per date!

Our next Senior Men's Breakfast will be Monday - July 18. Center opens 8:00 AM, breakfast served 8:15 AM, guest speaker 8:45 AM, socialize till 10:00 AM. Menu: Pancakes, sausage or bacon, juice, coffee. Members \$2.00, non-member guests \$3.00. Come to or call center to sign-up!

Free Blood Pressure Clinic - Thursday - July 21 (11:00 AM - 12 Noon). Free drawing. Followed by "Healthier You Series" (12:30 - 1:30 PM). Topic: "A Shocking Side Effect of Everyday Drugs & 14 Little Kitchen Miracles." Both programs sponsored by the Connecticut Valley Home Care. Questions, call (603) 543-6800.

Upcoming trips...Michael Minor (singer, comedian, ventriloquist, celebrity impressionist) - August 11 with Traditional Maine Lobster bake at Foster's Clambake Restaurant in York, ME. \$101.00 per person. New England goes Country with one of today's hottest upcoming stars Jimmy Lehoux Band - October 18 at the Common Man Inn in Plymouth, NH. \$91.00 per person. Norman Rockwell's "Home for the Holidays" ... a visit to the picture perfect New England village of Stockbridge, MA - December 1 at the Red Lion Inn. \$101.00 per person. Come to the center and check out the details!

Chair Yoga class guided by Charleigh Robbalard of the Ahimsa Yoga Center in Claremont brings you through an hour of gentle, relaxing yoga. Class uses chairs to accomplish the poses doing just what you can. Join us every Monday at 10:00 AM. Fee of \$5.00 for a very relaxing hour.

Seniors Bingo for center members 55 years of age and older every Wednesday at 1:00 PM. Come have lunch! Sale of cards stops at 12:50 PM. No cards sold after that time!

Senior Game Night every Tuesday (6:00 - 9:00 PM) for members. Non-members welcome but must sign in. Three visits allowed before membership is required. Mahjongg, Hand & Foot card game and Pool are popular but other games are available. Attendees should bring a snack to share!

Pool 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM Monday to Friday. Hand & Foot Card Game on Monday - 1:00 PM. Exercise sessions - Tuesday & Thursday - 10:00 AM. Ping Pong - Wednesday & Friday - 10:00 AM. Bridge on Thursday - 1:00 PM. Mahjongg & Knitters - Friday - 1:00 PM. Non-members are welcome but must sign in. Three visits are allowed before membership is required.

Membership dues - \$20 per year. Persons 50 years of age or older invited and welcome to become new members or renew your membership!

The Claremont Senior Center...It's "The Place Where You Want To Be!"...Monday - Friday (9:00 AM - 3:00 PM) and for any of our public events! Call (603) 543-5998.

To keep up to date, visit our Web Site. Punch in cnhcs.org.

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SAT
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The Modernistics

Join us for a toe-tapping show of Music and Dance from the Great American Songbook with tap dancing, singing, flute, and guitar.

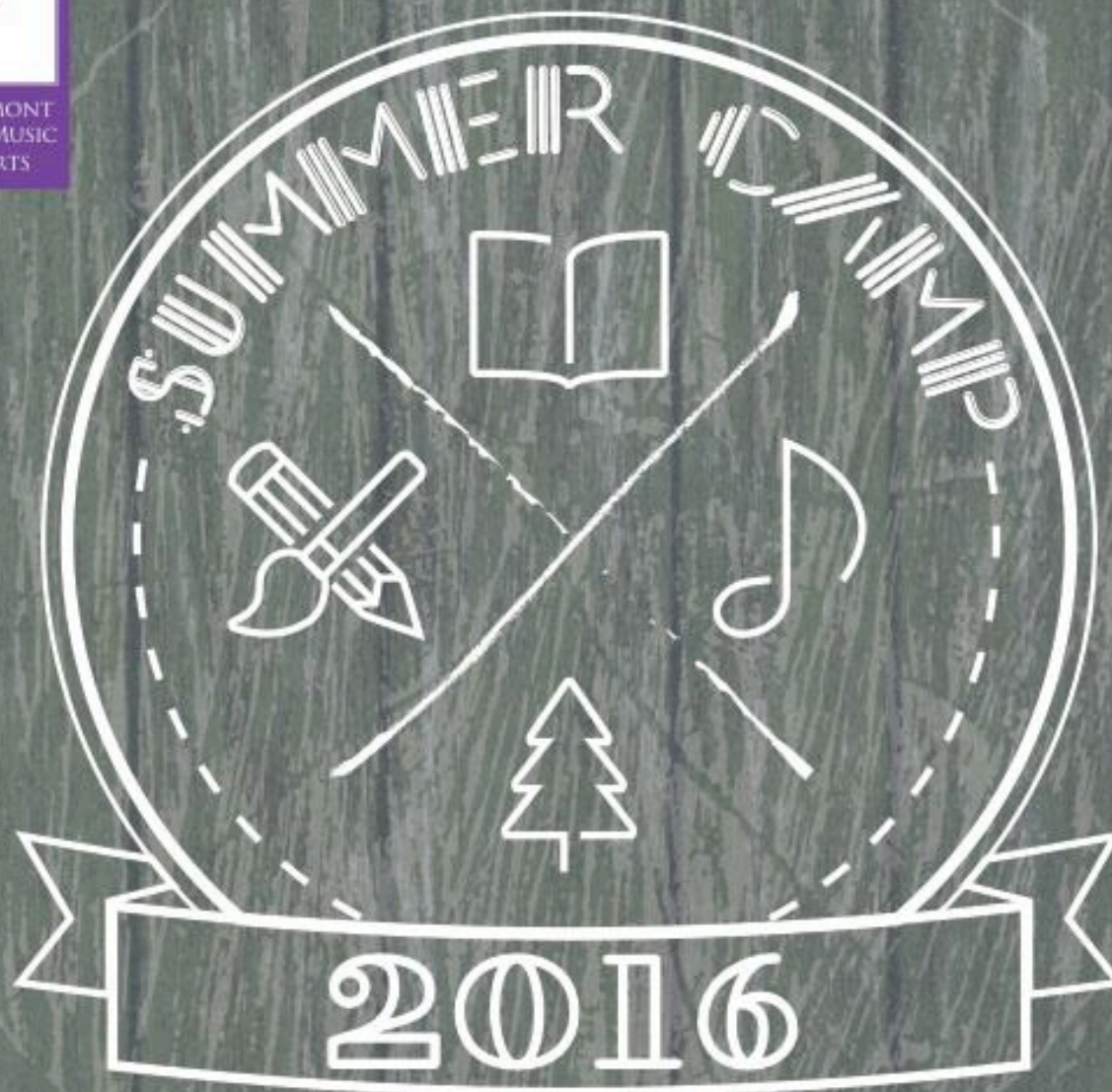
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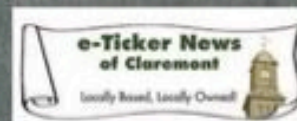
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The Claremont City Council will hold a public meeting on Wednesday, July 13, 2016, at 6:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers of City Hall.

AGENDA (Revised)

- 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 June 2, 8, 16, 22, 2016, 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 22))
9. OLD BUSINESS
- 7:20 PM A. Assessing Survey Results
- 7:30 PM B. RFQ Update/Selection Committee
- 7:40 PM C. 25 Chestnut Street Update
10. NEW BUSINESS
- 7:50 PM A. Police Facebook Progress Report
- 8:00 PM B. Motion to Accept OHRV Enforcement Grant
- 8:10 PM C. Ordinance 548 Franklin St. Parking Lot – First Reading
- BREAK
- 8:25 PM D. *New Legislation Related to Veterans Tax Credits*
- 8:35 PM E. Motion to Accept Bench at Library
- 8:45 PM F. *Resolution 2017-6 to Accept and Expend Grant from NH Department of Transportation Bureau of Aeronautics to Construct Hangar – Public Hearing*
- 9:00 PM G. Motion to Authorize Sale of Properties Acquired by Tax Deed
- 9:10 PM H. Motion to Refuse Tax Deeds
- 9:20 PM I. Charlestown Road TIF Discussion
- 9:35 PM J. Public Hearing for Charter Changes
- 9:50 PM K. Motion to Pay Amtrak Display Train Expenses
- 10:00 PM 11. COMMITTEE REPORTS
- 10:15 PM 12. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS AND DIRECTIVES
- 10:30 PM 13. CONSULTATION WITH LEGAL COUNSEL
- 10:45 PM 14. ADJOURNMENT

PLEASE NOTE: Claremont City Council's next scheduled meeting will be on Wednesday, July 27, 2016, at 6:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers at City Hall.