

## 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 is required.

For more information and to register, contact Don Clarke at 603-542-5277 or donclarke03@Comcast.net.

## Tellez Delivers Game-Winning Single In Eighth

PORTLAND, ME - Rowdy Tellez broke a 4-4 tie with a single in the top of the eighth inning and the Fisher Cats bullpen worked three perfect innings in a 5-4 win in Portland on Sunday.

New Hampshire (42-51) came into the eighth trailing 4-3. Christian Lopes singled and stole second, scoring on a base hit by Jason Leblebician. Leblebician took second when his single got past the Portland right fielder. He would score on the Tellez single. John Stilson (4-0), who had struck out the side in the seventh inning, earned the win. Chris Smith worked the final two innings for his fourth save as the Fisher Cats earned a split of the four-game series.

New Hampshire opened the scoring in the top of the first inning. Roemon Fields tripled and scored on a groundout by Jason Leblebician for a 1-0 lead.

The Sea Dogs (34-59) tied the game in the bottom of the first inning on doubles by Yoan Moncada and Andrew

Benintendi against Fisher Cats starter Shane Dawson.

The Fisher Cats took a 3-1 lead in the top of the second inning. Dwight Smith Jr. and Jorge Saez singled to start the inning and both advanced on a successful sacrifice by Derrick Loveless. Jorge Flores doubled into the left field corner to pick up two RBI.

Portland cut the lead to 3-2 in the bottom of the frame. Rainel Rosario doubled, advanced to third on a single by Danny Bethea, and scored on a sacrifice fly by Mauricio Dubon.

The Sea Dogs moved in front for the first time in the bottom of the fifth inning. Moncada and Benintendi drew walks with Moncada scoring on a single by Ryan Court. Benintendi put Portland up 4-3 when he scored on a groundout by Cody Decker.

Dawson left after working six innings, allowing four runs on six hits. He walked three and struck out four for the Fisher Cats. Portland's Austin Maddox (2-2) was tagged with the blown save and loss.

The Fisher Cats open a seven-game home stand on Monday night against the Reading Fightin Phils. Game time at Northeast Delta Dental Stadium is 7:05 p.m. and the first 1,000 fans will receive an Ugly Sweater T-Shirt courtesy of Northeast Delta Dental.

For information and tickets, visit [www.nhfishercats.com](http://www.nhfishercats.com).

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## New Hampshire Waterfowl Hunting Seasons Set

CONCORD, N.H. -- The New Hampshire Fish and Game Department set final season dates and bag limits for the 2016-2017 waterfowl hunting season, after considering comments from sportsmen at a public meeting last spring.

New Hampshire's fall waterfowl season will be similar to last year's for regular ducks and Canada goose. The regular duck season is 60 days, with a bag limit of six birds daily; and the Canada goose season is 70 days, with three birds daily. One significant change in this year's regulations is the reduction in sea duck days from 107 to 60 with a daily bag limit reduction from seven birds to five birds, of which no more than 4 shall be eiders, scoters, or long-tailed ducks. The possession limit will be fifteen birds, of which no more than 12 shall be eiders, scoters, or long-tailed ducks.

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**Waterfowl, from B1**

A map of the waterfowl zones may be viewed at [www.huntnh.com/hunting/waterfowl-season.html](http://www.huntnh.com/hunting/waterfowl-season.html)

Following are the waterfowl seasons for ducks, mergansers, brant and coots:

- The Northern Zone waterfowl season opens on October 4 and runs straight through December 2, 2016.
- The Inland and Connecticut River Zone waterfowl season opens on October 4 and runs through November 6; then re-opens November 22 through December 17, 2016.
- The Coastal Zone waterfowl season opens on October 5 and runs through October 16; then reopens November 22, 2016 through January 8, 2017.

The sea duck season opens on November 15, 2016, and runs through January 13, 2017.

To hunt for migratory birds, a resident must have a current regular New Hampshire Hunting, Combination or Archery License. A non-resident must have a regular NH Hunting, Combination, Archery or a Small Game License. No license is required for youth hunters (under age 16); youth must be accompanied by a properly licensed adult age 18 or older. In addition, duck and goose hunters age 16 and older must have:

- NH Migratory Waterfowl License;
- National Migratory Bird Harvest Information or "HIP" certification number to hunt ducks, geese, woodcock and snipe; and a
- Federal Duck Stamp with the hunter's named signed across the face.

The Federal Duck Stamp can be purchased at many U.S. Post Offices or at Fish and Game headquarters in Concord or Fish and Game

Region 2 Office in New Hampton.

HIP permit numbers can be obtained by calling 1-800-207-6183, or go to the "Buy Your License Online" section of the Fish and Game website [www.huntnh.com](http://www.huntnh.com) to receive a permit number (there is no charge). This number should be written on the hunting license. Harvest information from HIP helps Fish and Game and the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service make more reliable estimates of the number of all migratory birds harvested. Each year, a random selection of hunters is asked to complete a voluntary harvest survey.

Hunters are asked to report all banded birds at [www.reportband.gov](http://www.reportband.gov) or by calling toll-free to 1-800-327-BAND. The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service will send a certificate with information about the bird.

Hunters should exercise caution this fall when field dressing ducks due to the possibility of the birds being infected with Avian Influenza (AI).



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# Inspiration/Entertainment



## Review God's Not Dead 2: Part 1

By Bernadette O'Leary

My family eagerly awaited the day when *God's Not Dead 2* would arrive in theaters. We were finally able to see it after a week in theaters, and we were not disappointed.

In this movie, we see how our friends from the first film are currently doing, along with meeting some new friends. We also meet some new antagonists who seem to be out to ruin one particular new friend. The storyline follows a teacher, played by Melissa Joan Hart, who is asked a question by a student and takes time to answer that question. This is an everyday event in schools all over the country. However, the teacher finds herself facing the loss of her job and everything she has after she is hauled into court for answering the student's question. Why? Because the question involved a comparison that was "offensive" and "did not belong in school": Jesus and Gandhi.

In a world with so much angst, both the public and the media immediately jump on all such subjects within our society today. Everyone simply must have their say, and often their say is loud. One part of the movie that was of particular alarm to me was how the protestors behaved: the Christians sitting quietly in protest, while the other side of the issue screamed at and insulted them. Of course not all disbelievers are like that, but the reason this resonated so much with me is because I have known this to happen. A very good friend of mine and her companions once faced such a thing as this while praying silently in a protest rally for life. The fact is, people can become violent and abusive when faced with opposing points of view. Why? Instead of accepting that opinions differ, such people attempt to force others to see things as they do or to remain silent. This one-sided way of thinking can be quite dangerous. Instead, it's important to discuss and ask genuine questions for the sake of understanding.

Another part that resonated with me personally was the continued story of a reporter named Amy, played by Trisha LaFache. We watch her continued path after getting her final results regarding a serious form of cancer. As many of my readers know, I too have serious medical issues. Issues for which my own doctors admit they may be unable to help. I won't disclose her results, but watching her struggle was very personal for me. It moved me to tears, and I couldn't help but personalize the battle within that character. I have no doubt that anyone else facing health problems will do so as they watch as well.

A final aspect of the movie that many can relate to is how hard it can be to share one's faith with family, friends, and even strangers. What should be simple is shown in its stark reality; for many, it is far from simple. Whereas *God's Not Dead* focused on how to fight for your faith, *God's Not Dead 2* shows how to stand strong while doing so, in the face of seemingly impossible odds, facing the loss of all one knows, and standing against the world.

*God's Not Dead 2* is a touching movie and earned more Crosses than are even allowed on my scale. I give it 10 Crosses. If you're not a believer, you might learn some things you didn't know. Likewise, you might appreciate the need for the peaceful beliefs of Christians to be accepted within society and not silenced from the public square. After all, tolerance and the removal of all discrimination are important. If you are a believer, you will come away feeling stronger and full of hope. You will likely be in tears. You will likely be more aware of the very real battle for individual rights as a Christian. No matter who you are though, you will not walk away untouched.

How can I best describe just how extraordinary this movie was, with both its humor and heartfelt message of love? While in the theater, there were some teenagers in the front row. At first, they were laughing and carrying on. However, within the first 20 minutes of the movie, I realized they were completely silent. I'm glad I resisted the urge to have them removed, but I just felt inspired to leave it alone. I now have an idea of why. There was work needing done within them. They were obviously affected, and after the movie ended, they didn't utter a word as they walked out: single file with their heads down, deep in thought... or prayer. That says it all.

Please join me next week for more on this movie's personal touch. Buy it on DVD August 16th. Preorder it now on Amazon.com. Until then, my friends... Love others well.

Link to Amazon to preorder *God's Not Dead 2*, on DVD August 16th:

[https://www.amazon.com/Gods-Dead-Melissa-Joan-Hart/dp/B01DPW1BSE/ref=sr\\_1\\_1?ie=UTF8&qid=1468699257&sr=8-1&keywords=God%27s+Not+Dead+2+DVD](https://www.amazon.com/Gods-Dead-Melissa-Joan-Hart/dp/B01DPW1BSE/ref=sr_1_1?ie=UTF8&qid=1468699257&sr=8-1&keywords=God%27s+Not+Dead+2+DVD)

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# Inspiration/Entertainment

## Feeding Our Faith

*"Martha, Martha, you are worried and distracted by many things; there is need of only one thing. Mary has chosen the better part which will not be taken from her." Luke 210:42*

Have you ever wondered about the story about the two sisters who were entertaining Jesus and others for dinner? Martha spent the day scrubbing the floor, washing the windows, pressing the best linen table cloth! Then, with just a quick snack of peanut butter and crackers and a glass of milk for lunch, she started getting dinner. What a dinner it would be! A roasted lamb leg, with plenty of garlic and onions, little red roasted potatoes, and steamed veggies, corn, zucchini, broccoli. She made her special mint sauce. For dessert there would be lemon chiffon pie! This all takes time and she didn't have much to so are.

Meanwhile, her younger sister, Mary, spent the morning making sure she was caught up on the latest teachings of Jesus. As the time for dinner approached, Mary sat by the front door with a basin of water ready to welcome the weary traveler.

When Jesus got to their home, they both rushed out to welcome him. He came in and sat by the window. Mary washed his feet and made sure he was comfortable. Then she asked about his travels and his teachings. Martha brought him a cup of tea with milk. Then she broke down. Close to tears, she told him how hard she had worked all day to get ready for his visit. The smell of the lamb, garlicky and rich, wafted through the air. Clearly the feast would be delicious. She said, "I've worked all day while my doe-eyed sister has sat watching for you. Is it fair that she should get all of your attention?"

The man of love and patience spoke her name twice, "Martha, Martha, you have prepared a wonderful meal, but when the last bite of pie is gone, it will be over, but what Mary is doing will last forever!"

You see, Jesus knows that we need food and sustenance. He knows that without a great dinner now and then, we won't survive. What we need to remember is that, while food for the body is necessary, food for the soul is

essential. It doesn't matter what we eat, we will survive. What we believe is vital to our survival. If we don't feed our Faith, it will no longer be able to pull us through the hard times of life.

The young people who are here this week working around the city in our homes are a beautiful combination of Martha and Mary. They are working and they are bring worship to town. Every evening at 7:30 they present a time of worship where they remind us of that

man who brings love and patience to the world. They remind us how we too can make the world a little better place.

May God's Peace be with you! See you at Union Church this week!

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



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## Calendar Of Events

### First Annual Acworth Locavore Festival

ACWORTH, NH--The Acworth Community Project is proud to announce plans for an exciting event planned for August 28 from 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.: the First Annual Acworth Locavore Festival. It is a fundraiser for the Acworth Village Store, a community owned and operated general store located at 1068 Rt. 123A in South Acworth. The event will be held in the back field of the Village Store.

What is a Locavore Festival? It's a public event to showcase local food and beverage producers and local "farm to table" restaurants which will connect local food lovers and consumers to what is being locally grown and produced!

Because of the public's demand for locally produced food and beverage, the Acworth Community Project is giving the local food producing community an opportunity to show, sample and sell locally produced foods as part of a huge celebration of what our greater geographic area has to offer in the way of healthy, sustainable, locally cultivated and passionately produced food and beverage. Anyone attending this event will be able, and encouraged, to see, smell, taste and experience that passion.

The event promises to be filled with delicious food and beverage but will also be offering informational sessions and all the fun and excitement of an incredible country food fair.

The organizers of the event said, "We are interested in letting everyone know about this event, but we are also interested in having people participate as vendors and sponsors. We are planning on having a Festival Booklet which will contain short descriptions and a map of booth placements. We are also offering opportunities for individuals and businesses to advertise in our festival booklet with different sized ads. Finally, we are offering an opportunity for special sponsorship of this event which will afford each sponsor a booth, a speaking slot, a full page ad in the festival guide plus additional exposure of their logo on all of our

advertising materials, including links on our website, along with a mention of their business in any media articles about our event."

Anyone having questions about the event, or anyone having an interest in a sponsorship should please contact Linda Lacasse at 603-835-2486 or email

[linda@lacasseenterprise.com](mailto:linda@lacasseenterprise.com) and anyone interested in advertising in the Festival Booklet can contact Judy Aron at 603-835-2188.

The Acworth Village Store is open Monday-Saturday from 7:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m. and Sundays from 8:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m. The phone number there is 603-835-6547. They offer many services, including an ATM and a US Post Office.

The Organizing Committee for the Acworth Locavore Festival wants to offer their thanks for all that farmers and food producers do to provide healthy sustenance for the local community.

### Unity Old Home Day July 23

UNITY, NH--Unity Old Home Day will be held on Saturday, July 23, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., on the Common. Activities are scheduled to include music, including traditional New England fiddle music, Car Nutz showing their cars, antique tractors, craft projects for children, bounce house, craft and food vendors, raffles and prizes and a parade that will begin around 10:30 a.m.

For more information, visit <http://unityoldhomeday.weebly.com/>.

### LSRVNA To Help Sponsor Cornish Fair

Lake Sunapee Region VNA & Hospice has announced that it is a "proud sponsor of the 2016 Cornish Fair."

Join Lake Sunapee Region VNA & Hospice at the 2016 Cornish Fair on August 19, 20 and 21. Fair highlights include:

- Animals galore
- 4-H Events
- Dairy Show
- Flying High Frisbee Dogs
- Chain Saw Artists
- Bingo
- Art Show & Sale
- Food
- Midway Rides & Games
- Helicopter Rides

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... and so much more, including a free blood pressure/Ask-A-Nurse Clinic sponsored by LSRVNA & Hospice all three fair days from 12:30 to 4:30 p.m. Visit <http://www.cornishfair.org/> for complete details.

Lake Sunapee Region VNA & Hospice is a non-profit health care organization serving residents of the Connecticut Valley, Lake Sunapee and Upper Valley regions of New Hampshire with nursing and medical care, private personal care services and hospice, all in the home you love. Contact them at 603-526-4077 or [www.lakesunapeevna.org](http://www.lakesunapeevna.org) for more information.

### Cool Cats To Hold Huge Yard Sale

CLAREMONT, NH--A huge Yard Sale to benefit the Claremont Cool Cats Special Olympics team will be held July 30 and 31, Saturday 8:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. and Sunday 8:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m., 519 Jarvis Hill Road, Claremont--located directly at the corner of Ainsworth Road & Route 12A. All money raised goes directly to support the local Special Olympics New Hampshire team. Furniture, clothes, household items, building supplies, games, movies, rugs and more. Still accepting donations for items to sell on July 23: 12:00 – 2:00 p.m. (Saturday). (No mattresses, stained clothes or electronics please). Questions? Call Beth, 603-558-1712; or Ginny, 603-477-5550.

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### 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](http://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.

## **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 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.

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.

August 1st Program: Readings from soldiers' letters and veterans' memoirs.

## **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 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](http://www.claremontoperahouse.org).

## **Silsby Free Library News And Events**

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.

## **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](mailto: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.

## 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.

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## 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.

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## Concert Series Continues At Arrowhead

CLAREMONT, NH— Check out the Summerfest concert series at [www.claremontsummerfest.com](http://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.

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 Zeppelin 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](mailto: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 bi-

ble school event for families with children. The event is August 8-12, at the church in Plainfield.

For more information regarding this program, please visit: <https://www.facebook.com/events/1251639741513678/>.

## 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 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.

## Local Author's Book Now Available For Kindle

LEMPSTER, NH--William Murgatroy of Lempster, NH, has announced that his history/mystery novel that has been in print since January now is available on Amazon for Kindle E readers. It's titled *The Missing Mapmaker*, subtitled *A Journey Through Lempster*. The book is about the journey of British surveyor Samuel Holland in the pre-American Revolutionary War period who has been ordered to New Hampshire to settle a boundary dispute and disappears.

## Keyline Plowing Demonstration July 22

UNITY, NH--A Keyline plowing demonstration with Mark Krawczyk will be held on Friday, July 22, from 2:00 to 6:00 p.m. Keyline plowing is used to help improve water distribution, soil aeration and soil building. Krawczyk, from Keyline, VT, will introduce the fundamental principles and practices of Keyline plowing including an onsite land survey and layout. This will be followed by a plowing demonstration resulting in the establishment of a one-two acre demonstration study site.

Some time will also be spent looking at the existing soil to discuss how soil types and textures relate to Keyline plowing techniques. This event will take place at the Sullivan County Farm, 95 County Farm Road, Unity, NH. Cost: Suggested donation of \$10. No one will be turned away due to inability to pay. Space is limited; please register to secure your spot by e-mailing or calling Lionel Chute at [lchute@sullivancountynh.gov](mailto:lchute@sullivancountynh.gov) or (603) 542-4891.

## Online Auction To Support TLC Family Resource Center

CLAREMONT, NH--TLC Family Resource is holding an online auction to support their home visiting services through July 31st. There are items, services, and gifts for every taste and budget in the auction. A sampling of auction items includes an NFL football signed by Tom Brody of the New England Patriots, a two night stay in a Woodstock, Vermont, B & B, a massage, tickets to the Claremont Speedway, jewelry, furniture, original artwork, gift cards to local stores, a gift card to Simon Pearce, baseball card collections, construction services, DJ services and more! Bidders are invited to check in frequently to see what is new on the site.

To view the items up for auction, bidders may register at [www.biddingowl.com](http://www.biddingowl.com) and search for TLC Family Resource Center. There will be items added to the list throughout the two weeks that the auction will be online.

If there are questions, bidders may call 603-542-1848 x 322. TLC Family Resource Center is committed to promoting the optimal health and development of all children and families in Sullivan and Lower Grafton Counties. The programs include home visiting services for pregnant women and new moms, lactation support, sexual health information programming, supports and services for all families, referral services, and a children's thrift store.

For more information on TLC Family Resource Center go to [www.tlcfamilyrc.org](http://www.tlcfamilyrc.org). TLC Family Resource Center is located at 109 Pleasant St in Claremont, NH.

Send news, photos to [etickernews@gmail.com](mailto:etickernews@gmail.com)

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JULY 9

Qais Essar, rabab with Amit Kavthekar, tabla

Fusion classical Afghan and western music performed by innovative performers.

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JULY 29

Yankee Brass Band

Quicksteps, gallops, polkas, waltzes, popular overtures of the mid-19th century, and more on period brass instruments. BBQ dinner and dessert begins at 5:30.

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.

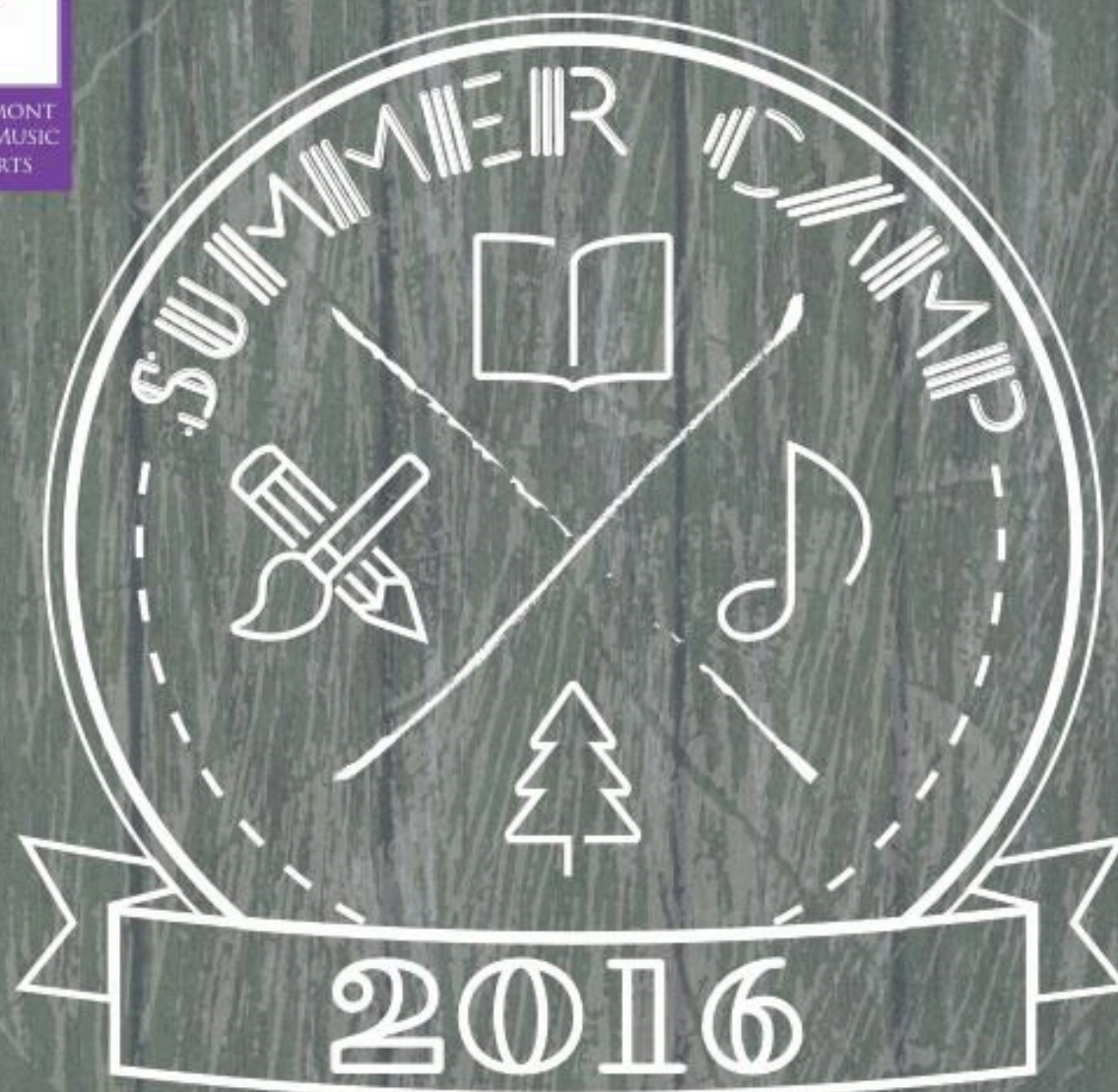
SAT  
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An exploration of rich German compositions for flute, voice, and chamber ensembles of the Classical and Romantic eras. Performed by Melissa Richmond and Angela Biggs.

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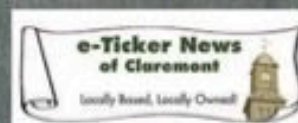
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With Art projects at its core, kids will also explore science, music, and culinary arts, and enjoy different topics and activities every day. Snacks will be provided and created by the kids, and all supplies are included. Bring a bag lunch or enjoy 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.

Please contact us to arrange cash or check payment, or to request tuition aid.



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.etickernewsclaremont.com](http://www.etickernewsclaremont.com)

#### Ann T. Currier, 86

Ann T. Currier, 86, of McCusker Place in Claremont, NH, died on July 14, 2016, at Elm Wood in Claremont.

She was born in Keene, NH, on December 17, 1929, the daughter of Gale and Nina Tuttle. Ann was a 1950 graduate of Keene Teachers College.

Ann departed this life in order to rejoin the love of her life, Roger, who passed away on June 24, 2016. They spent 64 years together and enjoyed every minute of it. From bowling to square dancing to golf, they were together making beautiful memories for their three grateful daughters.

Piper Reason of Keene, Sherry Currier of Keene and Kim Compo of Claremont always knew they were loved and safe. She knew how to comfort, teach and at her knee, they learned to sing, cook, sew and to stand up for themselves. From her they learned the meaning of generosity, compassion and honesty.

Her granddaughters, Lyndsey Currier of N. Adams, MA and Kerri Reason of Keene; her great grandson, Mikey treasured their Nana's gentle hands and loving spirit.

There will be no services at this time.

A graveside service will be held in the West Claremont Burying Ground on September 23, 2016 where Roger and Ann will be laid in their final resting place together.

In lieu of flowers, please make a donation in her memory to a favorite charity of one's choice. Always remember to tell your mom how much you love her.

#### Raymond J. Burbee, 89

Raymond J. Burbee, 89, of Angela Place in Claremont, NH, died Monday (July 11, 2016) at the VA in White River Jct., VT, following a brief illness.

He was born in Claremont, NH, on October 22, 1926, the son of Walter H. and Katherine (O'Hearne) Burbee and had been a lifetime area resident. He attended St. Mary's Grammar School, Stevens High School and Norwich Military College and University. He was a veteran of the US Army, serving during World War II. He served as past director of Stevens High School Alumni Association and past member of the Norwich "100" Club and its secretary for many years. Raymond was active for many years in the automobile business and served for many years as an officer and director of the Sullivan County and Claremont Auto Dealers Association. He was a licensed public accountant and a licensed real estate broker for many years in both NH and Florida. He was a member and officer of many professional and civic organizations over his career. He was a direct descendant of Peter Burbee, Sr., who along with his son, fought and died in the Revolutionary War at the Battle of Philadelphia. He was a distant cousin of Daniel and Mary Burbee, who created the Burbee Fund for the benefit of Claremont School Children. Members of his family include two sons, Jason Scott Burbee, Claremont, NH; Jon Trottier and his wife, Caryn, Rochester, NY; a sister Madelin Narkewicz, Largo, FL, and several nieces and nephews including cousins in Killkenny, Ireland.

He was predeceased by his first wife, G. Elizabeth (Lawlor) Burbee, his second wife, Marilyn (Day) Burbee, a daughter, Galaxie Anne Burbee, three brothers, Walter S. Burbee, Frank J. Burbee, John J. Burbee, Sr., three sisters, Katherine Burbee Neale, June Burbee Boivin and Eleanor Burbee.

Graveside Services were held in Pine Hill Cemetery in Sharon, VT, on Monday.

You are invited to share a

memory of Raymond with the family or leave a message of condolence in the family guest book at [www.royfuneralhome.com](http://www.royfuneralhome.com).

#### Barbara E. Forrest, 75

Barbara E. Forrest, 75, of Claremont, NH, died Wednesday (July 13, 2016) at her home. She was born in Watford, England, on July 25, 1940, the daughter of Sidney and Kathleen (Charwood) Latham. She married Donald Forrest on May 24th, 1958, while he was stationed at the Royal Air Force Station as a member of the United States Air Force. Donald predeceased her on January 31, 2012. Barbara very much enjoyed food and cooking, her garden, knitting and reading.

Members of her family include two sons, Alan Forrest and his wife, Anita, Naples, FL; David Forrest, Vancouver, WA; two daughters, Penny Newton and her husband, Gary, Claremont, NH; Lesley Berry and her husband, Brian, Claremont, NH; seven grandchildren, Brock, Allison, Jemma, Ashley, Alexis, Timothy and Pilar, a great grandson, Elias Gibbs, a sister, Margaret Pratt and her husband, Michael, Midhurst, England; a brother, Alan Latham, St. Albans, England.

There will be no visiting hours.

A Celebration of Barbara's Life will be held at the family homestead on Sunday, July 31, from 5 – 7 PM.

The family suggests that memorial contributions be made to the Lake Sunapee Visiting Nurse/Hospice, 958 John Stark Highway, Newport, NH 03773 or the Fiske Free Library, 108 Broad Street, Claremont, NH 03743.

You are invited to share a memory of Barbara with the family or leave a message of condolence in the family guest book at [www.royfuneralhome.com](http://www.royfuneralhome.com).



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### Heidi C. Foster, 48

Heidi Christina Foster, age 48, of Charlestown NH, passed away peacefully at home on Monday, July 11, 2016, surrounded by the love of her entire family. Heidi was born on April 21, 1968, to Russell and Linda Peterson in Brockton, MA.

Heidi attended grammar school and High School in northern Maine and attended Franklin Pierce University after relocating to New Hampshire where she met and married her husband, John Foster, in 1996. Heidi worked as a senior product engineer for TomTom North America in Lebanon, NH.

Heidi enjoyed spending time with her loving family, especially on summer vacations in Maine and over the holidays.

Heidi is survived by her husband, John Foster, three children, Cameron Moser, Andrew Foster, and Christina Foster, father Russell Peterson, step-mother Susan Peterson, Mother Linda McCormack, stepfather John McCormack, sister Holly Peterson Yakovakis, brother-in-law Stephen Yakovakis, sister Heather Peterson, sister-in-law Lara Ismail, brother Leif Peterson, sister-in-law Stacey Peterson, and many nieces and nephews.

Heidi's final wishes were that she be cremated and that her ashes scattered off the shores of Matinicus Island, ME. A memorial service will also be planned with a date to follow.

### Lillian T. Whittemore, 75

Lillian T. Whittemore, 75, of Claremont, NH, died on Tuesday, July 12, 2016 at Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center. She was born in Manchester, NH, on March 16, 1941 the daughter Emile and Lorraine (LeClair) Therriault.

Lillian was a graduate of St. Mary's High School in the class of 1959. She was also a graduate of NH Hospital School of Nursing in Concord.

She had worked as an RN in NY State, Alice Peck Day and she had retired from Valley Regional Hospital in 1997 after 29 years of Nursing.

Lillian was a member of Catholic Daughter and Claremont Bridge Club. She en-

joyed playing classical piano and card games. She was very caring and giving person and loved spending time with her family and friends.

The family includes her husband, Ronald C. Whittemore whom she married on November 24, 1962; her daughter, Deborah L. Whittemore and her fiancé, Richard Vondreden of Claremont; her brothers-in-law, Roger Whittemore of Claremont and Larry Whittemore of Broomfield, CO, and many cousins.

A Mass of Christian Burial was held at St. Joseph Church on Saturday morning, July 16th, with Father George Majka officiating. Burial followed in St. Mary's Cemetery.

Donations may be made in her memory to St. Joseph Church or to the Shriners Hospital.

### Margaret E. Young

Margaret E. Young of Claremont, NH, died July 10, 2016, at the Catholic Medical Center in Manchester.

There will be no calling hours or funeral services.

### Marie Jerard, 95

Marie Jerard, 95, passed away in Daytona Beach, FL, on June 24, 2016.

Born in New London, NH, on January 24, 1921. She was a resident of Claremont, NH from 1937-2006. At that time she moved to Ormond Beach, FL and lived with her daughter.

Marie was predeceased by her husband, Otis and daughters, Barbara and Pauline, her parents, John and Ina Green of New London, 3 sisters and 4 brothers.

Marie is survived by two sons, William Jerard of Milton, FL, and David Jerard of Peach Tree, GA; two daughters, Patricia Thibodeau of Pace, FL, and Margaret Rozwadowski of Ormond Beach, FL; one sister, Ruth Rollins of Cornish, NH. Marie is also survived by 10 grandchildren, 14 great grandchildren, 8 great great grandchildren, and many nieces and nephews.

There was a graveside service at Mountain View Cemetery in Claremont on Saturday, July 16, with Pastor Scott Kearns, officiating.

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## Barbara L. Anderson, 74

Barbara L. Anderson, 74, passed away on Friday July 8, 2016. She resided at Sullivan County Healthcare where she had received excellent care. Prior to that she had resided with her daughter, Lynne Simpson and her husband, John Sr. for 9 years.

She was predeceased by her parents, Gerald F. and Emma V. (Roa) Walker, her husband, Dean Anderson and grandson, Wally Jr.

Ms Anderson had five children, Elizabeth Shaw and her partner, Al Causey of Baxley GA, Raymond Dashnaw Jr and his wife, Annette of Farmington NH, Lynne Simpson and her husband, John Sr. of Claremont NH, Paula Deforge and her husband, Mike of Belmont NH, Theresa Gray and her husband, Richard of Rochester NH; 11 grandchildren; 7 great grandchildren; sisters, Beverly Bryan and her husband, George of Lycoming NY, Lorilie Backus and her husband, Roy of Cape Canaveral FL; her brother, Lowell Walker and his wife, Rita of Westminster CA. Several nieces and nephews, great nieces and nephews.

She was a devoted and loving mother, grandmother, great grandmother, sister, aunt, and great aunt.

She enjoyed playing Yahtzee and her family called her the Yahtzee queen. She enjoyed being with her family and friends whom she called family. Her smile and laughter was contagious. Her unconditional love was felt by all whom knew her. She will be dearly missed. Momma you are at peace.

There will be no services.

Ms. Anderson will be laid to rest beside her parents in Cardiff, NY, with her children and family at a later date.

## Claremont Fire Dept. Log

### Sunday, July 10th

1558-Engine 3, Car 1 responded to 599 Main St. for a MVA.

2148- Engine 3 responded to Strand Rd. for an illegal burn.

### Monday, July 11th

1928- Engine 3 responded to Elmwood for a medical call.

2005- Engine 3, Utility 3 responded to Hanover St. for a possible brush fire.

### Tuesday, July 12th

## Social News

### Claremont Senior Center, Inc. News

By Claire Lessard, Executive Director

Our 5th Annual Car Show will be held on Sunday - August 28 (9:00 AM - 2:00 PM). Show cars \$10 (driver and 1 passenger), Visitors \$5 / Kids 12 and under are free! Registration 9:00 AM - 12 Noon. Trophies awarded at 2:0 PM. DJ, door prizes, food, 50/50 Raffle. Come join the fun!

Café Claremont Menu: Tuesday - July 19... Salad, Italian buffet, garlic bread, dessert. Thursday - July 21 ... Appetizers, turkey dinner (mashed potatoes & gravy, stuffing, vegetables, cranberry sauce) dessert. Menu subject to change!

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.

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.

Upcoming trips...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. Mahjonn, 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. Mahjonn & 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](http://cnhcs.org).



1539- Engine 3, Ladder 2, Engine 1 responded to Royce St. for a box alarm.

**Wednesday, July 13th**

0815- Engine 3, Ladder 2, Engine 1 responded to River Rd. for a box alarm.

1005- Engine 3 responded to Chestnut St. for a medical call.

1404- Engine 3, Ladder 2, Engine 1, Car 1, Car 2 responded to Sugar River Dr. for a structure fire.

**Thursday, July 14th**

1500- Engine 3 responded to Chestnut St. for a medical call.

**Friday, July 15th**

1250- Engine 3 responded to Home Depot for a vehicle fire.

2208- Utility 1 responded to Gambier St. for a public assist.

**Saturday, July 16th**

1012- Engine 3, Ladder 2, Engine 1 responded to Winter St. for a box alarm.

1050- Engine 3 responded to Broad St. for a fuel spill.

2020- Engine 3 responded to Second St. for a smoke investigation.

## The Arts And More...

**Bottom left:** Flute students Bethany Perry (right) and Hayley Valdivia (left) performed flute duets in front of St. Luke's Episcopal Church on Main Street in Charlestown during the recent town wide yard sale. The students were helping raise funds for the West Claremont Center for Music and the Arts, who were also set up with sausage grinders, Norwegian meatballs, and lots of donated treasures. **Top and bottom right:** Students at the Creative Kids Summer Camp hosted by the West Claremont Center for Music and the Arts created a variety of masterpieces this past week, including notebooks, drums, and a group Zentangle, as well as exploring different musical instruments, and making tasty snacks. The camp continues at Trinity Church on Broad St, Claremont, for the next two Tuesdays and Thursdays; info at [www.wcc-ma.org](http://www.wcc-ma.org) (Courtesy photos).

