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## Sullivan County Sportsmen Takes Legal Action to Address Renewal of Wetlands Permit for Wild Goose Project

**By Phyllis A. Muzeroll  
e-Ticker News**

CLAREMONT, NH--The Sullivan County Sportsmen, Inc., has taken legal action against the NH Dept. of Environmental Services in an attempt to force it to address the renewal of the wetlands permit for the Wild Goose project that the governor unilaterally pulled from the Executive Council's agenda for August, announced the group. The permit expires today, August 28th; Thursday night the Sullivan County Sportsmen voted to pay a lawyer to file a Writ of Mandamus in an attempt to force the renewal of the wetlands permit. It was filed on Friday in Sullivan County Superior Court.

"Since Gov. Chris Sununu pulled the renewal of the permit from the Executive Council's agenda for August, two lawyers have informed the SCS that they feel the statutes do not require executive action for the renewal of permits," a spokesperson for the group told the *e-Ticker News* on Saturday. "Fish and Game inquired of the state Attorney General's office if this was true. The Attorney General's office agreed but stated that since it is customary that permit renewals be submitted to the Governor and Executive Council for renewal, they are not willing to pursue this issue. Since it is the custom, it is considered as the rule.

"The law clearly states that all fresh water bodies larger than 10 acres are property of the state and the people should have access to these waters," continued the Sullivan County Sportsmen. "There currently is no boat launch for Lake Sunapee that meets the definition of a public launch giving the public access to the lake. Since the wetlands permit is necessary to progress with the development of the Wild

Goose Landing at Lake Sunapee, it is legally necessary that the renewal be approved."

NHDES asked in a letter to the governor and Council dated July 13 that the request by the NH Department of Fish and Game for a five-year permit for the project be approved.

On July 28, Sununu announced that "Today, I pulled from the Governor and Executive

Council meeting agenda another permit extension for the Wild Goose Site on Lake Sunapee in Newbury. We have heard the concerns of the residents of Newbury, Sunapee, and the surrounding towns. Enough is enough. This project has been debated for the last 20 years

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**The Claremont Parks and Recreation Department held its annual Reach the Peak adventure challenge at the Arrowhead Recreation Area on Saturday, Aug. 26. More photos, results, in Section B (Bill Binder photo).**

**Wild Goose, from A1**

and it is time to put an end to this flawed plan. Public access to our state's waterways is important and essential, and we will work with the residents of the area to find a better solution to ensure greater public access."

In a letter dated August 17, the NH Fish and Game Commission responded to Sununu on the Sunapee Access, writing, "Dear Governor Sununu & the Honorable Council,

"At the August 9, 2017, Commission Meeting, The Fish and Game Commission voted unanimously to write to you to express our serious disagreement with your decision to pull the wetlands permit extension for the construction of the Wild Goose public access site on Lake Sunapee.

"This boat access proposal has been in the works for over 20 years, however, not due to the lack of effort by the Fish and Game Department. We feel the delay is due to a few wealthy individuals who have ownership on the shores of Sunapee and want to keep our 6th largest lake as their own private domain.

"Lake Sunapee's waters are 'Waters of the State,' and by statute since 1906 must allow

access to the public. Countless hours and over \$400,000 of the public's money has been spent on studies, engineering and permitting to date. To throw this away because of the selfish feelings of a few individuals should be a crime, as New Hampshire Statute states, 'No individual or corporation shall prohibit public access to public waters.'

"Exhaustive studies have been conducted, public hearings have been held and attended by hundreds of residents, and signed petitions have been submitted by thousands, all in support of the Wild Goose site. It not only is the best site, it is the ONLY site that will meet the criteria as supported by the environmental assessment.

"We, the Commission and our constituency, not only strongly urge you to re-consider your decision to pull the extension of our wetlands permit, we also ask for your support in building this important access site, which will be used by thousands of residents and tourists alike to enjoy one of the great gems of our State."

It was signed, "Theodore Tichy, Chairman, NH Fish & Game Commission".

According to a *Valley News* article on July 29, the Lake Sunapee Protective Association said it was "pleased" with the governor's announcement, adding that the group was not "opposed to increasing boat access on the lake but fought this plan by New Hampshire Fish and Game." According to the article, the LSPA believes "a better solution would be to improve parking and access at the state beach, which is about 1.5 miles north of the state-owned Wild Goose property."

Sullivan County Sportsmen, which has supported the Wild Goose project since the beginning, agrees with the NH Fish and Game's

contention that the project

has been stymied by "wealthier" individuals who own property around the lake, saying in a statement to the *e-Ticker News* that if the legal action works, "All the regular people win, and if it doesn't work, the much smaller group of big money people wins and it sets a horrible precedent for the moneyed to prevent the regular people of this state from being able to exercise their rights, in this case access to the lake." It disagrees with the LSPA that the state beach would be a better site, expressing concerns that it could "cause accidents to occur" in that area. Concern was also expressed, said the attorney for the group, that locating the boat access there would interfere with people who go there to "enjoy the beach."

According to information provided by the Sullivan County Sportsman group, a Mandamus ("We command") is a judicial remedy in the form of an order from a superior court, to any government subordinate court, corporation, or public authority, to do (or forbear from doing) some specific act which that body is obliged under law to do (or refrain from doing), and which is in the nature of public duty, and in certain cases one of a statutory duty. It cannot be issued to compel an authority to do something against statutory provision.

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## Letter to the Editor

### Thank You for Making Back to School Festival a Success

#### To The Editor:

The Claremont School District would like to thank everyone who helped make the Back to School Festival a success on Saturday, August 26. To our vendors, educators, and fall athletes, thank you for volunteering your time to build relationships with the students and families of the Claremont School District. To our sponsors, this event would not be possible without you! Thank you for generously giving to the Back to School Festival; your donations will help to ensure the students of our community start the school year off on the right foot. This year's donors include: NFR and their partnering businesses, Claremont Opera House, Allan's Vending, Home Depot, Hannaford, Kylie's Kreation Salon, Magee Office Product and LulaRoe Kristie Merrill, Walmart, the Sullivan County Attorney's Office, The Karl Collise Fund, Kiwanis of Claremont, First Congregational Church, Red River, Coca Cola of Northern New England, our local state office employees, Amcomm Wireless, Leo's Market, Liberal Beef, and an anonymous donor.

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### Shaheen, Hassan, Kuster, Shea-Porter, Bipartisan Group of New England Members Urge USDA to Provide Relief to Dairy Farmers

WASHINGTON, DC-- As dairy farmers across New England continue to struggle with historically low milk prices, Senator Jeanne Shaheen, Senator Maggie Hassan, Congresswoman Annie Kuster, and Congresswoman Carol Shea-Porter joined a bipartisan, bicameral group of members of Congress on Wednesday in urging the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) to use its authority to provide dairy farmers with the relief and new insurance they desperately need. In a letter to Secretary of Agriculture Sonny Perdue, the members of Congress emphasized that safety net programs for dairy farmers, such as the Margin Protection Program (MPP), have failed to provide farmers with adequate support. Led in the House by Kuster, the letter urged the Agriculture Department to make milk an eligible commodity under the Federal Crop Insurance Program – which successfully insures farmers across the country for hundreds of different kinds of crops – and to work with USDA's Risk Management Agency (RMA) to develop new insurance products for dairy producers.

Farm milk prices have dropped almost 40% in the last few years.

### Senators Shaheen, Hassan Announce Professional Development Grants to Support Granite Staters Who Experience Disabilities

WASHINGTON, DC – Wednesday, Senators Jeanne Shaheen (D-NH) and Maggie Hassan (D-NH) announced that the New Hampshire Department of Education has been awarded a grant from the U.S. Department of Education to improve early interventions and education for students who experience disabilities. The New Hampshire Department of Education will receive \$770,000.00, and the grant is anticipated to be for a total of five years. This grant program is authorized under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) to assist states in providing professional development to improve results for students who experience disabilities.

"I'm pleased to see these important investments in New Hampshire, which will help strengthen our commitment to essential education priorities," said Shaheen. She continued, "This funding will assist Granite State families in a significant way by devoting fundamental resources to support school programs tailored for students with disabilities. I will continue to work to ensure New Hampshire schools and communities have the tools they need to provide our kids with the best education and opportunities available."

## Claremont Fire Dept. Called to Attic Fire

CLAREMONT, NH--On the night of August 20th, at 11:56 p.m., the Claremont Fire Department was dispatched to 97 Red Water Brook Rd., for a reported attic fire. The duty shift responded to the incident with three engines, as the property is located beyond the municipal hydrant system. Upon arrival, the duty officer found a story and a half wood-framed dwelling, with a smoldering fire in the roof of the rear ell of the home. The crew stretched a 1 ¾" attack line to the rear of the building and also assessed conditions in the attic. The home owner advised the duty officer that he had entered the attic before the fire department's arrival and hit the fire with a portable extinguisher. Fire crews laddered the rear addition of the building and had to peel back some metal roofing to extinguish all hot spots. At the same time, additional firefighters made their way through the small attic space and applied foam to charred rafters and the underside of the roof deck. The fire was reported under control at 0039 hours and firefighters remained on the scene for another half hour checking for extension and overhauling. All apparatus were back in quarters at 1:23 a.m.

"The cause of this fire has been placed on a motorized attic vent fan that was installed in the roof deck," said Claremont Fire Chief Rick Bergeron. "It appears that the thermostatic switch somehow failed and arced, causing the ignition of adjacent combustibles. This fire was discovered by the homeowner when he noticed unusual lighting conditions outside his home. Upon checking further, he found that the entire fan assembly was ablaze on the outside of the roof of the rear ell."

Damage caused by this fire was moderate and extended to the finished roofing, roof deck, rafters, insulation, as well as to the living room ceiling and associated wiring. The home is owned by Ronald Flood; he told fire official that his

home was protected by insurance. There were no reports of injuries at this fire, said Bergeron.

## Developing Skills to Address Maternal Depression

CLAREMONT, NH--TLC Family Resource Center is now accepting enrollment for a pilot research study that was announced earlier this year. The study is sponsored by Dartmouth's Synergy Community Engagement Pilot Program. Dr. Fallon Cluxton-Keller, assistant professor of psychiatry at Dartmouth's Geisel School of Medicine, and Dr. Craig Donnelly from the Department of Pediatrics and the Department of Psychiatry, will be managing the pilot study.

The study will a video-based, skill-building method for peripartum depression in home visited adolescent mothers. Peripartum is the last month of pregnancy and the first months after delivery. Peripartum women under the age of 21 are invited to take part in this free program that also provides financial incentives as part of the pilot. Each woman who participates will receive \$140 for completing 10 thirty-minute sessions.

"It is hard for families to access support for depression in a rural area," said Executive Director Maggie Monroe-Cassel. "This video-based program means that the support and skill-building knowledge can be delivered via computer or cell phone right in the home. The study is fully compliant with all confidentiality laws. This study will set the stage for developing more family-based support for peripartum depression."

The home visiting staff of TLC Family Resource Center, including parent educators, a registered nurse, and a licensed clinical mental health counselor will work with the staff of Geisel and the mothers, using the video format.

The TLC Family Resource Center has served families in Sullivan and Lower Grafton Counties for 25 years. Developing new and appropriate ways to support families wishing to provide the best opportunities for their children is key to the mission of the organization.

Pregnant women or newly delivered moms who are first time moms and under the age of 21 are encouraged to call TLC Family Resource Center and speak about the program to the clinical supervisor, Melony Williams, at 603-542-1848 x 303.

## Lake Sunapee VNA Hosts "Small Plates For A Big Cause"

NEW LONDON, NH--The Lake Sunapee Region VNA & Hospice annual summer party will be held on Tuesday, Sept. 12th, at 5:30 p.m. at the New London Historical Society featuring Tapas (yummy small-plate selections from area chefs), sangria bar, music and more. Bring friends, family or colleagues to a festive, relaxed evening while helping to sustain vital home health care and hospice for our community. Tickets are \$75; Sponsorships (which include tickets) are available at several levels and are so important to the event's success. For tickets and information please contact Cathy Raymond at 603-526-4077 or [craymond@lakesunapeevna.org](mailto:craymond@lakesunapeevna.org).

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## Mayoral Notes

By  
Charlene Lovett



### Week in Review

My week began with an event at the library to celebrate the solar eclipse and ended with a visit by Executive Councilor Kenney to our municipal airport. It was one of those weeks that reminded me of how many people are invested in making Claremont a great community. While there is not enough room in this article to touch upon everything that happened over the last five days, here are the highlights.

The front lawn of the Fiske Free library was the site of much activity on August 21st when people of all ages came together to watch the solar eclipse. Thanks to the initiative of the library staff, grant money was obtained to provide music, storytelling and solar eclipse glasses for those who attended. Friends of the Fiske Free Library provided beverages and homemade baked goods, further enhancing the festivity of the occasion. There was so much public interest, that even though 500 solar eclipse glasses were distributed, there wasn't enough for everyone. Perhaps the success of this turnout will be the catalyst for greater plans in 2024 when we will be in the direct path of the next solar eclipse.

On August 22nd Congresswoman Kuster visited Claremont to discuss her efforts at the federal level to end sexual violence. As the leader of a bipartisan task force on this issue, she wanted to hear from various stakeholders who work directly with those affected by sexual violence. The following day, August 23rd, Senator Shaheen also visited Claremont for a roundtable discussion on improving the Affordable Healthcare Act utilizing a bipartisan approach. Personnel from the medical, business and nonprofit communities, along with local officials, relayed the importance of Valley Regional Hospital in the community and the need for accessible health care for all residents. It was encouraging to see how many people are coming together, both locally and federally, to create outcomes that will improve people's lives.

On Thursday, August 24th, Claremont hosted a public information session on housing loan/repair programs for single family homeowners of limited income. Representatives of the USDA Rural Development Office, Habitat for Humanity and Southwestern Community Services were present to provide an overview of their programs and answer questions. Also in attendance was Department of Public Works Assistant Director St. Pierre who provided an update on the City's progress of getting lead out of the water distribution system. The event was well attended by homeowners interested in accessing these programs to improve and remove health/safety hazards from their homes.

Friday, August 25th, Executive Councilor Joe Kenney visited our municipal airport as part of his tour of airports in his district. It was an opportunity for him to see the latest improvements and hear of future plans to better leverage the airport as an economic development tool for our region. It appears from the discussion that establishing a café at the airport will be a future objective.

*Charlene Lovett is the Mayor of Claremont and welcomes your feedback. Please email*

*questions, comments or concerns to her at [clovett.ccc@gmail.com](mailto:clovett.ccc@gmail.com).*

### MakerSpaceWorkshop: PC Anatomy

When: Saturday, September 9th, 2pm-4pm  
Where: 31 Pleasant Street, Claremont, NH 03743 RSVP:

[www.claremontmakerspace.org/events](http://www.claremontmakerspace.org/events)

Contact: [info@twinstatemakerspaces.org](mailto:info@twinstatemakerspaces.org)

While personal computers have become common place, how they work is a curiosity for many. How does memory work? What exactly is a GPU? Join us for PC Anatomy for a chance to pop the hood of a PC and get to know what's inside!

In part one of this workshop, we'll be dissecting a full computer system down to the individual components and investigating the role of graphics cards, memory, the processor and more. In part two, we'll be building Ethernet crossover cables – essential components for networking PCs. Each participant will get a chance to build their own cable to bring home. This workshop is for all ages.

## City Council Vacancy

The Claremont City Council is seeking applicants to fill a vacant At-Large Council seat. This is to fill the remainder of a term which will expire on December 31, 2017. All applicants must be registered voters as of the date of application. Applicants can be a resident of any Ward in the City. Letters of interest, resume, and City Boards and Commissions Application must be received at the City Manager's Office, 58 Opera House Square, Claremont, NH 03743, by Friday, September 8, 2017, no later than 5 p.m.

Boards and Commissions Application can be found at [www.claremontnh.com/government/boards-and-committees](http://www.claremontnh.com/government/boards-and-committees)

Applicants will be interviewed by the City Council on Monday, September 18, 2017 at 6:30 p.m. in Council Chambers.

Pursuant to state law, no person may serve as City Councilor while holding the position of treasurer, moderator, trustee of a trust funds, tax collector, auditor, supervisor of a checklist, or who is a City employee. Additionally, no person may be a candidate for or hold public office who has been convicted of bribery or corruption in obtaining an election (NH Constitution, Article 96), or who has been sentenced for a felony until the sentence is discharged (RSA 607-A:2).

## Sullivan County Grand Jury Indictments Released

By Phyllis A. Muzeroll  
e-Ticker News

NEWPORT, NH--The Sullivan County Grand Jury released the following indictments on Friday. They include:

Brian Pillsbury, 47, Concord, NH, indicted for Possession of Crack Cocaine (Subsequent Offense), July 4, 2017.

Alex Menard, 61, Newport, NH, indicted for Operating After Being Declared an Habitual Offender, July 22, 2017; Driving or Operating Under the Influence of Drugs or Liquor-4th Offense, July 22, 2017; Driving or Operating Under the Influence of Drugs or Liquor-4th Offense, July 22, 2017.

Sara Witham-LaPointe, 22, 103 County Farm Road, Unity, NH, indicted for Escape, from official custody by failing to return to the Sullivan County House of Corrections, upon completion of work release obligations, August 2, 2017.

Lauryl Ayotte-Hastings, 28, 103 County Farm Road, Unity, NH, indicted for Escape, from official custody by failing to return to the Sullivan County House of Corrections, upon completion of work release obligations, August 2, 2017.

Jeremy Maher, 35, Claremont, NH, indicted for Operating After Being Declared an Habitual Offender, July 17, 2017.

Pauline Chase, 83, 103 County Farm Road, Unity, NH, indicted for Principle/Accomplice to Attempted Murder, on or between June 20, 2017, and July 27, 2017; Conspiracy to Commit Murder, on or between June 20, 2017, and July 27, 2017; Principle/Accomplice-Criminal Solicitation to Commit Murder, between June 20, 2017, and

July 27, 2017.

Maurice Temple, 63, 103 County Farm Road, Unity, NH, indicted for Principle/Accomplice to Attempt to Commit Murder, on or between June 20, 2017, and July 27, 2017; Principle/Accomplice-Criminal Solicitation to Commit Murder, on or between June 20, 2017, and July 27, 2017; Conspiracy to Commit Murder, on or between June 20, 2017, and July 27, 2017.

Howard Stevens, 37, Claremont, NH, indicted for Change of Registration Information; Duty to Inform (Sexual Offender Registry) - Class B Felony, on or between July 1, 2017, and July 31, 2017.

Tommy Edwards, 53, 103 County Farm Road, Unity, NH, indicted for Tampering With Witnesses and Informants-Class B Felony, on or between May 1, 2017, and August 10, 2017; Tampering With Witnesses and Informants-Class B Felony, on or between May 1, 2017, and August 21, 2017; Criminal Solicitation-Class B Felony, on or about May 1, 2017, and August 21, 2017; Criminal Solicitation-Class B Felony, on or between May 1, 2017, and August 10, 2017.

Don H. Allard, 29, Norwich, VT, indicted for Reckless Conduct with a deadly weapon (motor vehicle), July 28, 2017.

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## Items Being Accepted for St. Mary's Gigantic Indoor Yard Sale

CLAREMONT, NH--The annual Gigantic Indoor Yard Sale – St. Mary's Gym – will be held on Saturday, September 9, from 8:00 AM to 2:00 PM. Proceeds will benefit St. Mary's Parish.

Donations for the yard sale will be accepted in the gym during the following dates/times:  
Monday, August 28, 2017 (3 pm – 7 pm)  
Wednesday, August 30, 2017 (3 pm – 7 pm)  
Saturday, September 2, 2017 (9 am – 1 pm)

The following items will be accepted: Tools, small furniture, small appliances, glassware, china, dishes, pots/pans, Christmas items, crafts, toys, jewelry, pictures/frames, tapes/movies/CD's, puzzles, linens to include drapes & bedding, home decorative items, etc.

The following items will not be accepted: books, large appliances, large furniture, televisions (except flat screen), mattresses, luggage, car seats, broken items, rugs/carpeting, clothes, shoes, exercise equipment, ski's/poles, ski boots, typewriters and computers.

Please contact Norma Limoges at 542-2916 for additional information.

## Upper Valley Electric Vehicle Expo

The latest electric cars (Chevy Bolt, Tesla Model S, Nissan Leaf, BMW i3, and more) will be featured at the Upper Valley Electric Vehicle Expo. There will be electric bicycles, motorcycles, and lawn equipment, too. Take a test ride, chat with local EV owners, & learn what it's really like to go electric. Saturday, Sept. 9th, from 12 noon - 4:00 p.m., Dothan Brook School, 2300 Christian Street (US Route 5) in Hartford, VT. For more information, please go to [www.UVEVExpo.org](http://www.UVEVExpo.org). Pre-register on line for a chance to win prizes. Admission is free.

## Dog Spay/Neuter Clinic

CLAREMONT, NH--Need to get your dog spayed/neutered? Sullivan County Humane Society is pleased to announce it will be offering another low-cost dog spay/neuter clinic on

Friday, September 8, at the Claremont Senior Center. Males are \$90, females are \$110. Any dog over 80 pounds will be an additional \$20. For dogs being spayed/neutered, they will also offer \$5 rabies shots, \$5 distemper shots, \$10 Advantage flea treatment, and \$5 ear mite treatment. In an effort to prevent "no shows", appointments must be made in person and a non-refundable deposit of \$90/males and \$110/females must be paid in cash or check.

Appointments can be made at the shelter located at 14 Tremont St Claremont on Tuesday 5-7, Wednesdays 4-7, Thursdays 10-2, Fridays 10-2 and Saturday 3-5. Space is limited. If you have questions, please call 542-3277.

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# Solar Eclipse Fever Hits Fiske Free Library

CLAREMONT, NH--The Fiske Free library in Claremont was insanely busy on Monday, August 21st, as eclipse fever took over. "From the time we opened at 9:00 a.m., people flooded in looking for eclipse glasses which they heard we were handing out," said Children's Librarian Marta Smith. "At that point we were worried about having enough for the people coming to our eclipse program at 1:00

p.m., so we kept 100 pairs for the program and handed out the rest until they ran out at about 11:00 a.m. After that we told people to show up for the program and we would have more glasses to hand out. We had a great program featuring Odds Bodkin presenting "Tales of the Eclipse"; he is a wonderful storyteller and many people who remembered seeing him here when they were children brought their own youngsters to see him. We began to panic a bit when we saw the number of people lining up outside for the program and to see the eclipse."



Smith said it "was amazing how good natured everyone was about the glasses shortage, however. We started handing them out and limiting it to one pair per family and still we ran out, everyone was willing to share so it all turned out fine."

Smith said that they had approximately 300 people attending the program and viewing. "Many children came from two of the local summer camps and many families were there as well. All in all, it was a very successful day, a perfect finale to a very successful Summer Reading Program!"

While it may have been only a partial eclipse in New Hampshire, clearly the program at the Fiske was a "total" success as science, fun and community combined for a memorable day.

**Hundreds of people gathered at the Fiske Free Library last Monday for the eclipse and a program by Odds Bodkin (Courtesy photos).**



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# e-Ticker Business News

## Mt. Ascutney Hospital Names Stephanie Soles as August Employee of the Month

WINDSOR, VT – Mt. Ascutney Hospital and Health Center (MAHHC) has named Stephanie Soles as Employee of the Month for August, 2017. Soles is the Development Assistant at the Hospital.



**Stephanie Soles**

As Development Assistant, Soles is responsible for gift processing and acknowledgment for the Annual Fund, memorial and special campaigns and fundraising events.

Additionally, she assists with Hospital Marketing, Auxiliary, and other projects as requested. Soles has taken on additional duties with the recent transition in Development department leadership from Anthony Tremblay to new Director of Development Charles Clement.

According to Clement, “Stephanie approaches her tasks calmly and with a smile. She recently embraced the challenge of coordinating the Mt. Ascutney Hospital Golf Classic, producing a successful, well-organized event. She worked many hours leading up to the event, including the weekend prior to the tournament, making sure nothing was overlooked. I’m delighted that she’s been recognized as Employee of the Month.”

Soles joined the MAHHC staff in 2012. She resides in Windsor, VT.

## Red Cross Mounting Massive Relief Effort for Hurricane Harvey in Texas and Louisiana

**Locally, Red Cross volunteer and paid staff are prepping to depart for the affected areas**

CONCORD, NH/ BURLINGTON, VT--As Hurricane Harvey neared land, the American Red Cross was mounting a massive relief effort ahead of the most deadly and devastating hurricane forecast to strike the United States in over a decade. The Red Cross mobilized hundreds of trained Red Cross disaster relief workers--including two from New Hampshire-- truckloads of kitchen supplies, and tens of thousands of ready-to-eat meals to support this response effort. Trailers full of shelter supplies including cots and blankets—enough to support more than 20,000 people—arrived in Texas on Friday. For more information, visit [www.redcross.org](http://www.redcross.org).

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# e-Ticker Business News

## VNH to Hold 8th Annual Wings of Hope Butterfly Release Sept. 9

LEBANON, NH--On Saturday, Sept. 9th, hundreds of majestic Monarch butterflies will take flight simultaneously during the Wings of Hope memorial butterfly release event to be held in Colburn Park in Lebanon from 1-3 p.m. The annual fundraiser, now in its eighth year, is presented by Visiting Nurse and Hospice for Vermont and New Hampshire (VNH) and is the biggest fundraiser of the year for the non-profit organization. Purchase of a butterfly for release is \$20 and proceeds help support hospice care programs, patients and their families.

Taking part in the butterfly release ceremony is a unique way to remember those who have passed. "Butterflies symbolize the cycle of life - birth, transition, healing and renewal," says Jeanne McLaughlin, President and Chief Executive Officer for VNH. "This is a fun, visually stunning ceremony and it raises money for a great cause - to support VNH Hospice programs."


In addition to the butterfly release ceremony, the day will also feature inspirational reflections from VNH employees and performances from the Kurn Hattin Select Choir, vocalist Katie Russ, and Scottish Highland Bagpipe performance by Matt Phelps. For more information or to purchase a butterfly, please visit [vnhcare.org/wingsofhope](http://vnhcare.org/wingsofhope) or call (888) 300-8853.

ABOUT VNH -Visiting Nurse and Hospice for Vermont and New Hampshire (VNH) is a non-profit organization that has provided home health and hospice care services in

Vermont and New Hampshire since 1907. The agency is dedicated to delivering outstanding home- and community-based health and hospice services that enrich the lives of the people they serve. VNH makes home visits to people of all ages and all stages of life - regardless of ability to pay - and also provides communities with education and wellness programs.

Currently, VNH serves more than 150 towns in Vermont and New Hampshire and covers 4,000 square miles. VNH caregivers provide services for more than 5,000 people each year and makes more than 150,000 home visits to people of all ages and at all stages of life. Visit [www.vnhcare.org](http://www.vnhcare.org) for more information.





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## Kuster Hosts Roundtable Discussion in Claremont on Preventing Sexual Violence

CLAREMONT, NH--Tuesday, Congresswoman Annie Kuster (NH-02), the founder and co-chair of the Bipartisan Task Force to End Sexual Violence, joined healthcare providers, survivors, law enforcement and others in Claremont to discuss efforts to prevent sexual violence. The discussion focused on local efforts, services, and challenges surrounding sexual violence in New Hampshire's rural communities.

"Sexual violence is not only a moral issue to me; it's a personal issue," said Kuster. "This is a pervasive problem in our society, and I want to thank the incredible advocates who joined me today to share their ideas, experiences and perspectives. I will share what I heard today with my colleagues on the Task Force as we continue to discuss, hold hearings, and draft legislation on this issue to end sexual violence in our rural communities."

"We are grateful for the Congresswoman's leadership and support on this issue and hope what was shared in this listening session will prove helpful as she continues to serve as a champion for survivors in Washington," said Deb Mozden, Executive Director of Turning Points Network. "There are unique challenges that we face working in a rural community, but thanks to the collaborative efforts of those represented at today's panel, and many more throughout our greater community, we are often able to work together to provide survivors with the support and services they need."

Kuster was joined at Tuesday's discussion by Amanda Mace, Direct Services Coordinator at Turning Points Network; Dr. Cindy Gallagher, Superintendent of the SAU 43 School District; Liza Draper, Rural Outright & SHINE Program Coordinator at the TLC Family Resource Center; Denis O'Sullivan, Lieutenant & Investigator at Sullivan County Sheriff's Office; Willow Moryan, Nurse Practitioner at Planned Parenthood; Janet Carroll, Clinical Coordinator of Adolescent/Adult SANE Program and Emergency Department Staff Nurse at Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center; Cathy Brittis, Program Manager at Child Advocacy Center of Grafton and Sullivan Counties; Erin E. Fitzgerald, Assistant Sullivan County Attorney at the Office of the Sullivan County Attorney; and a local survivor of sexual assault.

**Congresswoman Annie Kuster joined healthcare providers, survivors, law enforcement and others in Claremont to discuss efforts to prevent sexual violence (Courtesy photo).**

### Concert at St. Gaudens

CORNISH, NH--A concert at St. Gaudens on Sunday, Sept. 3, from 2:00 - 4:00 p.m. will feature the Newmont Band. Saint-Gaudens National Historic Site, 139 Saint Gaudens Road, Cornish. Included with park entrance fee, \$10. for ages 16 and over, children 15 and are free. Federal America the Beautiful passes accepted. For more information, call 603 675-2175.



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On Wednesday, Aug. 23, at the Claremont Police Commissioners meeting, four new Police officers were sworn in and received their badges at a pinning ceremony. Captain Alex Lee gets his badge pinned on by his wife as his children and Chief Chase look on.



Officer Joshua Peavey is pinned by his wife.



Officer James Morine is pinned by Captain Brent Wilmot.

## Police Pinnings

Officer Trevor Dickerman is pinned by Captain Brent Wilmot (Photos by Bill Binder).



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# Residents to Vote on Allowing Keno in City

By Phyllis A. Muzeroll  
e-Ticker News

CLAREMONT, NH--Claremont residents will be voting on whether Keno will be allowed to be offered in the City when they go to the polls this November. The City Council voted Wednesday night to move the issue to the ballot following a presentation by Maura McCann, director of marketing for the New Hampshire lottery. If the measure passes, the lottery commission will reach out to the businesses in the City, 21 of them, which serve alcohol (referred to as "pouring establishments") to sell the new lottery game, which the lottery is calling Keno 603. Keno 603 is a rapid draw numbers game; 20 winning numbers are drawn by a Random Number Generator (RNG), every 5 minutes from 11:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m., said McCann.

This is a NH only game, unlike any other draw game offered by the NH Lottery, she added. The minimum play is \$1. Players select up to 12 spots (numbers) from a field of 80 on a play slip, or use Easy Pick to have the Lottery terminal select the numbers. Twenty winning numbers are randomly chosen for each drawing; winning numbers are displayed on the monitor.

Players win based on how many of the winning numbers they match to the ones randomly chosen.

After a lengthy debate in both the House and the Senate this past legislative session, the full legislature passed a bill that funds full-day kindergarten by legalizing Keno. Under the measure, schools would receive the additional funding starting in 2019.

McCann said benefits for establishments that offer Keno include Increased foot traffic, Increased sales and check averages from additional winnings spent on food, beverages, and tips for staff; they earn selling and cashing commission and earn selling bonuses. Establishments that sell Keno in other states report an increase in food and beverage sales from customers staying longer to play Keno, said McCann. Establishments earn an 8% commission on every dollar sold for the KENO 603 game; estimated revenue projections from the



## *Kenney Flies into Claremont on Special Tour...*

**District 1 Executive Councilor Joe Kenney and Patrick Herlihy, Director of Aeronautics, Rail and Transit, for the State of New Hampshire Department of Transportation, flew into the Claremont Municipal Airport on an Airport Tour on Friday, Aug. 25. Their tour started at the Laconia Municipal airport and they then visited Parlin Field in Newport. After visiting and touring the Claremont facility they headed North to the Lebanon Municipal Airport and finished their tour at the Berlin Regional Airport. Claremont Airport Director, Fire Chief Rick Bergeron showed Kenney and Herlihy the new hanger at the at the airport and gave a short talk on the future plans for the airport. Also joining them were City Manager Ryan McNutt and Mayor Charlene Lovett (Bill Binder photo).**



lottery are \$43,750,000 in total sales, with a Net Revenue to the Education Trust Fund of \$8,472,500. DoE will calculate and distribute grants of \$1,100 per pupil (enrolled in approved program) to each school district. Communities would still receive the funding even if they vote down the ballot measure for their town.

Councilor Nick Koloski, who owns a restaurant in Claremont, stepped down from the council while the issue was being discussed and took a seat in the audience. He did not vote on the resolution to place the matter on the ballot.

A public hearing on the Keno measure will be held in October at the CSB Community Center.

Also at Wednesday's meeting, departing Asst. Mayor Vic Bergeron was presented with a plaque of appreciation and a fun gift basket of Florida-related items, such as sunscreen lotion and flip flops (see photo at the left). He and his wife, Linda, are moving to the Sunshine State; his last meeting as a councilor was Wednesday. Councilor Carolyn Towle also announced that she will not be seeking re-election in November for several reasons, including health matters.

**Departing Councilor Vic Bergeron receives a plaque of appreciation on behalf of the City from Mayor Charlene Lovett (Bill Binder photo).**

## Are You a “Hardworking” Investor?

Next week, we observe Labor Day, a celebration of the American worker. You work hard your whole life with the hope that your efforts will ultimately allow you to achieve your financial goals, such as a comfortable retirement. But for that to happen, you may need to apply some of the lessons of the workplace to your efforts as an investor.

So, what are these lessons? Here are a few to consider:

- **Be consistent.** The most successful workers are the ones who show up, day after day, and strive to overcome the inevitable obstacles that crop up. As an investor, you, too, need to be consistent in your habits – which means you should keep investing in all types of markets. If you take a “time out” every time the market drops, you might end up missing opportunities when the next rally begins.
- **Be flexible.** When good workers see that something is not going well, they change what they’re doing. And when you invest, you also may need to make adjustments. If an investment has consistently underperformed, or if you have too many others very similar to it, or if it just doesn’t meet your needs anymore, you may be better off by selling it and using the proceeds to invest elsewhere. This doesn’t mean you should constantly be buying and selling — in fact, you’ll likely be better off by purchasing quality investments and holding them for the long term. But you need to be flexible enough to make the appropriate moves at the appropriate times.
- **Be informed.** The best workers are those who regularly update their skills and acquire knowledge that helps them do their jobs better. As an investor, you should also keep learning – about the investment world in general and about new opportunities for you to explore. And you should always understand what you are investing in – and why. Even if you work with a financial professional, you need to inform yourself about every aspect of your investment portfolio – after all, it’s your money and your future.
- **Be farsighted.** Good workers not only know what they’re doing – they also can visualize the desired outcome of each task. And, of course, people who are in charge of a particular endeavor, or who are responsible for the fortunes of a business, have a clear view of what they want to accomplish, even if the achievement of that goal is many years in the future. When you invest, you also need to see where you want to go. If you can constantly keep in mind your long-term goals – such as the type of retirement lifestyle you desire – you will likely find it easier to stick with an investment strategy that’s appropriate for your needs and risk tolerance. Conversely, if you lose sight of your destination, you might be more prone to taking short-term detours, which could work against you.

Labor Day reminds us to appreciate the skills and dedication of all workers – and as an investor, you can put these same attributes to good use.

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## It's About Food

By Johnny Navillus



### Nantucket Cod

I'm passing along this story for several reasons. First, this is an outstanding seafood stuffing. Second, it shows that anyone with just modest cooking skills can create something remarkable. Third, it shows that measurements aren't all that important in cooking. Fourth, I need to fill this space.

We had house guests for about a week. My wife's sister and her husband. Rabid Steelers fans. So my wife decides that I'm going to make his favorite restaurant meal. He orders this whenever they go out. Nantucket Cod. Never heard of it. Besides, this is a guy with season tickets to the Steelers. He gets special treatment? To keep the peace I agree.

My wife doesn't know what's in it or where he gets it. She walks away. Thanks. So I went to Google and finally found the restaurant. No recipe as such but a description and list of ingredients on the menu. To work.

#### Johnny's Seafood Stuffing

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Cracker crumbs  
Dill (my addition which makes it Johnny's)

I chopped up some Imitation Crabmeat. I forgot I had a can of real crabmeat on the shelf. Chopped up some cooked shrimp I had in the freezer. Chopped up some onion. Spinach and crumbled up some Ritz crackers. Chopped up some dill I had from last week.

I added it all together a little at a time so that I could control where I was going with this. Once I got it together, I melted some butter to bind it up.

Now when you get a piece of cod, there is a round piece at the top; I butterflied and stuffed that. Had a lot of stuffing left so I took the rest of the fish and made roll-ups, stuck in a toothpick, put it all in a baking dish at 400° and baked it about 10 minutes.

He and his wife got the stuffed parts and my wife and I had the roll-ups. Mr. Steelers thought it was just like the restaurant but a much larger serving. And something was a bit different but had a better taste. (Dill) Scored big points.

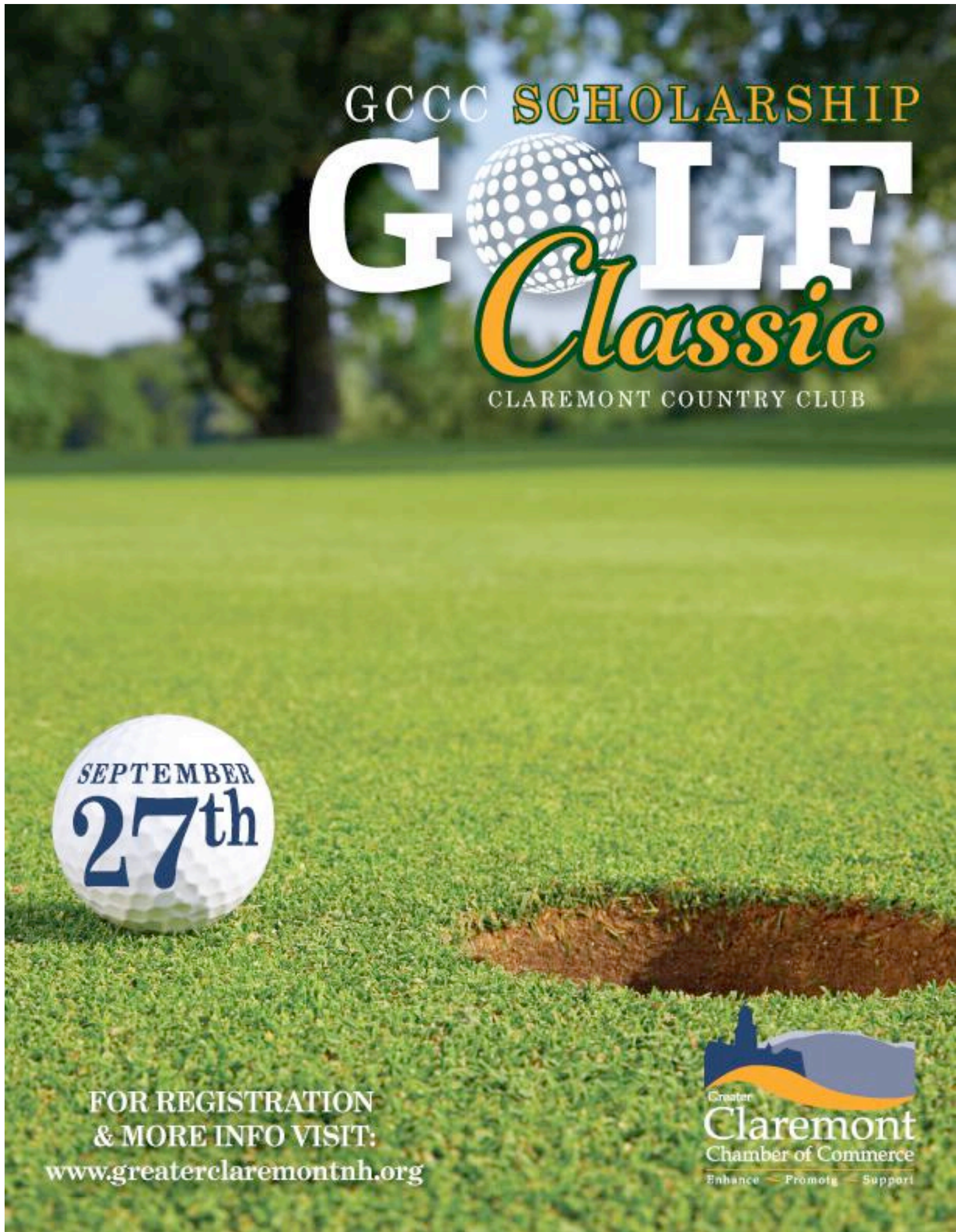
My wife liked it so much she wants me to make it more often. I will because it is easy (don't tell) and very tasty.

Remember, change one thing and it becomes your own.

Something to bear in mind: I was making a fruit salad based on instant vanilla pudding. I usually don't read the fine print unless it is a new to me product. This time I noticed that there is a "Note" in small print at the bottom of the label. It says that the pudding will not set if soy milk is used. Good to know if you use soy milk. I checked some other pudding boxes I had on the shelf and it seems that this is a new thing they are advising. The older boxes did not have the note.

Play with your food. Restaurants do it all the time.

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## United Way of Sullivan County sponsors Coats for the Community

United Way of Sullivan County is pleased to be collecting warm clothing again this year for area residents. Beginning Sept 1st, there will be drop-off locations throughout Newport, Claremont and Sunapee. They include: Claremont Savings Bank, Broad St. and Washington St. locations; Lake Sunapee Bank and Sugar River Bank, Newport and Sunapee locations; Valley Regional Hospital; Sullivan County Homecare; and Sturm Ruger. Hubert's Department Store will be participating by donating new clothing again this year. Steve Smith, WCNL, will be doing a live broadcast at each location of Free Coat Friday. Those wishing to donate can also call the SCUW office at 543-0121 and arrange drop off at our office on 169 Main St. in Claremont. Any gently used warm articles of clothing are accepted and appreciated. "We find the greatest need is for children's clothing, from newborn through grade school age and larger adult coats and sweaters," said Dawn Ranney, Executive Director.

"This is a community service that SCUW has been pleased to offer those in need of coats, boots, hats, mittens and blankets during the cold winter months. Free Coat Friday will be held in Claremont in the parking lot of Claremont Savings Bank on Broad St., October 13th, and in Newport on the Town Common on October 20th, from 8:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Donations will also be accepted at Free Coat Fridays. On behalf of United Way of Sullivan County, I want to extend my thanks to all of those who make this community endeavor possible with their outpouring of support and caring," Ranney added.

## Crime Alert from Cornish

CORNISH, NH--Cornish Police Department would like to remind everyone to lock their cars and remove valuables from it. Cornish Police have had reports of the theft of money from vehicles in both the Mill Village Rd / Root Hill Rd area, as well as the Cornish Flat area.

If you notice any suspicious activity, please report it to Cornish PD.

If you have recently lost items from your car, please make sure you report it to Cornish PD at (603) 543-0535.

## Sobriety Checkpoint Announced

WALPOLE, CHESTERFIELD, NH--As a result of the increasing incidents of drinking and/or drugged driving, the New Hampshire State Police petitioned for, and was granted, Superior Court authorization to conduct a Sobriety Checkpoint. The "Sobriety Checkpoint" is an effective method of deterring, detecting and apprehending the impaired operator.

The program, approved by the NH Highway Safety Agency and the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, provides federal highway safety funds to support these check-

points, which will be conducted in Walpole and Chesterfield.

A review of records has shown that the use of alcohol by individuals who operate motor vehicles has resulted in an alarming number of deaths and personal injury accidents. Therefore, in an effort to maintain safe roads in Cheshire County, the New Hampshire State Police, in conjunction with the Walpole and Chesterfield Police Departments, will be conducting Sobriety Checkpoints in the Walpole and Chesterfield areas over the course of the next few weekends.

The purpose of the Sobriety Checkpoint is to deter, detect and apprehend the impaired driver, said law enforcement in a press release.

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On Wednesday, Aug. 23, Senator Jeanne Shaheen visited Valley Regional Hospital for a roundtable discussion on possible changes to improve the Affordable Care Act. Local officials along with members of the business, medical and non-profit communities discussed how the ACA is affecting them and talked with Shaheen about potential changes to the program. She told the group that she has introduced some legislation--the Marketplace Certainty Act, which would permanently appropriate cost-sharing reduction payments and expand healthcare eligibility to more Americans who need help affording their premiums--now in committee, to bring about some changes to the ACA, but said it will take work by both parties to come together to bring affordable and accessible healthcare to all who need it. Shaheen is pictured here with VRH President and CEO Peter Wright (Bill Binder photo).

## ***Back To School Festival Fun!***



The Claremont School District's Back to School festival was held at Barnes Park on Saturday, Aug. 26. Over 500 free backpacks were given out to students who needed them. (If your student is in need of a backpack, please contact the child's school and ask to be put on the backpack list). In addition to the free backpacks, students and their parents could visit the many vendors set up in the park. Each school had a tent set up and manned by teachers to answer any questions. There was also face painting by the Stevens Girls soccer team, Speedway cars, Fire, Police and EMS vehicles to sit in, a dunk tank and magic by Dylan Tenney. Valley Regional Hospital provided free lead testing for all students, which needs to be done before your student can start school. All in all, a fun day for the district and the community as they welcome in a new school year.

**Photos by Bill Binder**

## **SHS Looking for Musical Instruments**

CLAREMONT, NH--The music department at SHS is growing and they need your help. They are looking for all playable band and orchestra instruments, in working order or with minor repair issues. Please drop your donated musical instrument off at Stevens High School.

Note: They cannot accept pianos and/or other instruments that cannot be carried by one person.

