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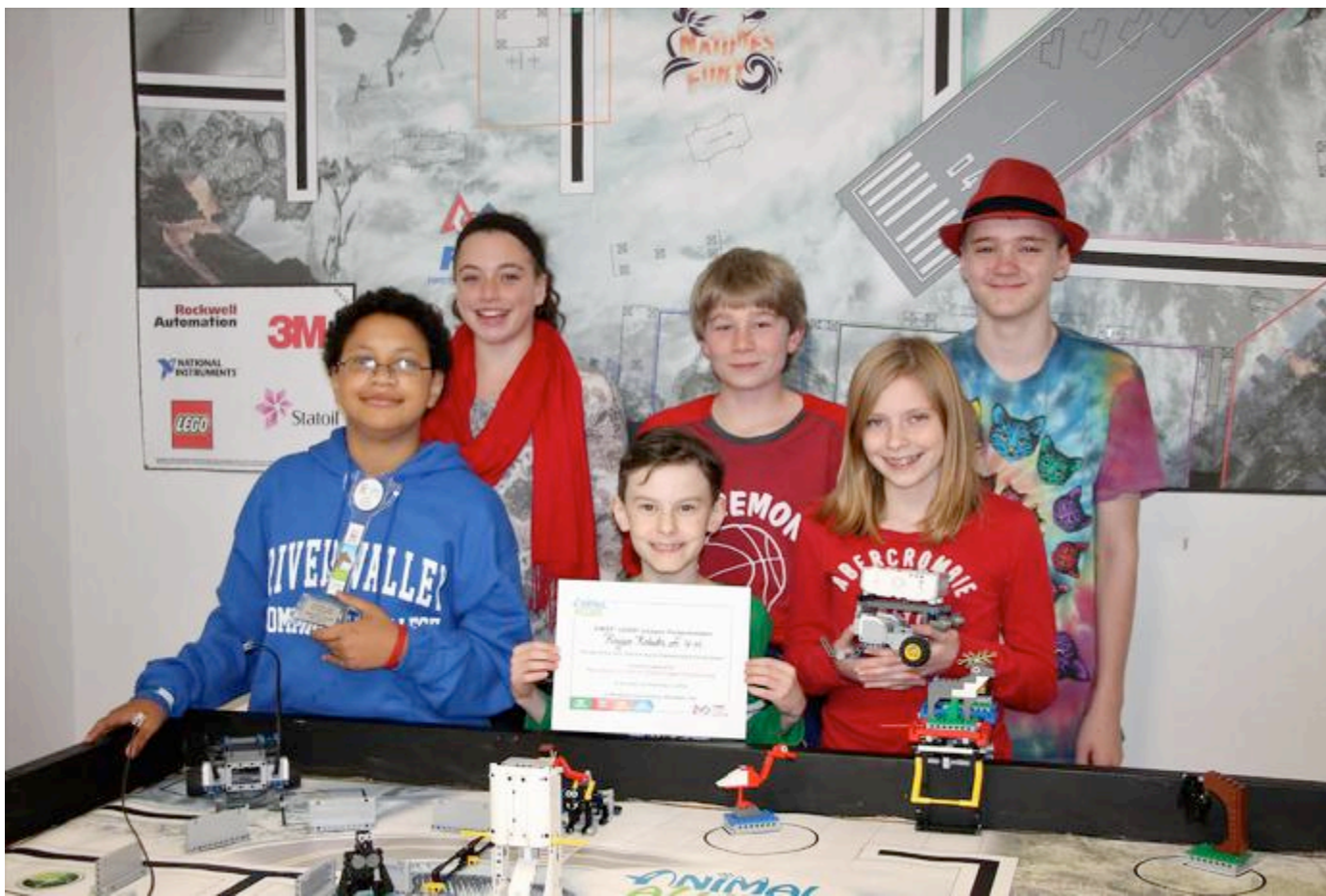
Ushering In The Holiday Season...

Despite the cold and damp weather Friday night, a large crowd turned out for the annual lighting of Broad St. Park in Claremont to kick off the Christmas holiday season. Santa made a special visit to the City to join the fun, as did carolers. Volunteers, led by Michele Outten-Pierce of Heart of Claremont, worked tirelessly to get the park decorated in time for the Friday night festivities. More photos, page A8 (Bill Binder photo).

Unattended Death In Lebanon Reported

LEBANON, NH--On Wednesday, Nov. 23, at approximately 8:00 a.m., Lebanon Police and Fire Units responded to Bridge Street on the river embankment on the Lebanon side, for a report of a male subject who was unresponsive and determined to be deceased. Lebanon Police Patrol and Detective Units spent several days investigating the circumstances surrounding this incident. Information gleaned during this investigation has shifted the focus of this investigation to an apparent suicide, as a result of jumping from the Route 4 Bridge, pending results of an autopsy completed on Nov. 25, said authorities on Saturday.

The male victim has been positively identified as Robert William Cook, age 47, of White River Junction, VT, and previously of Phoenix, AZ. Attempts to locate Cook's family have been unsuccessful. Anyone with information on immediate family is asked to contact the Lebanon Police Department at 603-448-1212.



LEGO Competitors...

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The Rogue Robots of 4-H First LEGO League Team placed 2nd overall in the regional LEGO League competitions in Concord recently. They will be attending the State competition on Dec.3. Front row—L-R—Josh Shuey, Joe Woods, Hannah Lembre; Back row—Anna Numme, Finn Allen, Rayce Gilbert (Bill Binder photo).

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11/26/2016

NH PowerBall
17 19 21 37 44 16 2

Mega Millions 11/25/2016
44 47 49 69 75 10 3

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Please Help

Claremont Soup Kitchen

Tuesday

December 13th

at 6:00pm

You're Invited!

2016 Christmas Stocking Event
Holiday Candy Party for Children
of the Claremont Soup Kitchen

There are lots of families who need our help. There are even more children who could use a smile on their faces! *Please help our goal of filling 150 stockings for Christmas.*

Volunteers will be at the Soup Kitchen
on December 13th at 6pm.

Please join us in putting these stockings together for the children.


What's Needed:

Hats and mittens, Individually wrapped Santas, Snowmen, Candy Canes, other Christmas Candy and Gift Cards from local grocery stores are welcomed if you wish to do more.



We Need

★ Individually wrapped candies 

★ Gift cards from local grocery stores 

★ Hats and mittens 

Please contact the Claremont Soup kitchen for more information.

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and click on “Who Is My Legislator”

Commentary

Senators Call For Action On International Violence Against Women Act

WASHINGTON, DC-- U.S. Senators Jeanne Shaheen (D-NH) and Barbara Boxer (D-CA), both senior members of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, Friday marked the International Day for the Elimination of Violence Against Women by urging action on the International Violence Against Women Act (IVAWA), legislation they introduced last year along with Senators Bob Menendez (D-NJ), Susan Collins (R-ME), and Mark Kirk (R-IL). The bill would make a reduction in violence against women and girls worldwide a top foreign policy priority of the United States.

Boxer has long been a champion in the fight for women’s rights, and helped to pass the original Violence Against Women Act in 1994. Shaheen has promised to continue to lead efforts to pass the International Violence Against Women Act (IVAWA) when Senator Boxer leaves office early next year.

“One in three women around the world will experience gender-based violence, a shocking statistic in our modern age, and as a global leader, the U.S. must continue to advocate for steps to combat violence against women,” said Shaheen. “This systemic violence affects more than just women – it impacts children, communities and the global economy. UN Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon said it best: ‘The world cannot afford to pay this price.’ Our world will be stronger and more prosperous when women live free from gender-based violence. I thank Senator Boxer for her leadership on the IVAWA and I am very proud to take the torch in the next Congress.”

“Across the world, far too many women and girls face horrific violence and discrimination,” Boxer said. “We must ensure that ending gender-based violence and discrimination worldwide remains a top priority of the United States, and make clear our commitment to a comprehensive strategy to promote the safety and rights of women and girls across the globe.”

Specifically, the International Violence Against Women Act would:

- Require the development and implementation of a 5-year U.S. global strategy to prevent and respond to violence against women and girls. The strategy will identify five to 20 eligible low and lower-middle income countries for which comprehensive individual country plans will be developed.
- Authorize U.S. assistance to prevent and respond to violence against women and girls internationally, with at least 10 percent of the assistance provided to nongovernmental organizations or faith-based organizations—with priority given to those led by women.
- Require interagency coordination, monitoring and evaluation of programs and regular briefings to Congress.

Kuster Calls On Leadership To Include Funding To Address The Opioid Crisis

WASHINGTON, DC-- Congresswoman Annie Kuster (NH-02), the co-chair of the Bipartisan Task Force to Combat the Heroin Epidemic, along with Congressman Joe Courtney (CT-02), has led a letter to Speaker of the House Paul Ryan and Senate Majority Leader Mitch McConnell, urging the inclusion of desperately needed funding in the 21st Century Cures legislation to support those on the frontlines of the opioid crisis. 21st Century Cures will provide funding for the National Institutes of Health and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, and offers a unique opportunity to provide resources to address the opioid epidemic.

“Today, 78 people will die of a heroin or opioid overdose,” wrote the members. “This epidemic rages on across the United States, and local law enforcement and public health agencies are overwhelmed by need. It is our responsibility to provide them with the resources they desperately require to save lives and repair their communities.”

The letter was signed by 23 members of Congress.

My Turn

A Guest Column



Antibiotics Are Not The Answer

By Peter J. Wright

The holiday season is upon us, and so are those winter illnesses. Consider this...it's Monday morning, and you wake up with a sore throat that feels like you're swallowing glass. By Tuesday, you're coughing, sneezing, and your whole body aches. Wednesday rolls around and you are absolutely miserable. Knowing that it's likely the flu, you visit your doctor hoping for some antibiotics so you can get back to your life. Sound familiar?

Let me explain why our providers might not prescribe antibiotics for those illnesses this winter. Antibiotics are useless against viruses. A prescription you paid for may not just be ineffective and expensive; it could also cost you your life.

You've probably heard the term "superbug" on the news, but you might not realize just how high your risk of being infected really is. Superbugs are infections that are resistant to medications. Antibiotic-resistant bacteria are the most common of these potentially fatal infections. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) estimates that each year, 23,000 people in the US lose their lives to infections caused by antibiotic-resistant bacteria, and over two million people a year are afflicted by related illnesses. Antibiotics themselves can also cause severe short and long term side effects, including *Clostridium difficile* (C. diff), a bacterium that causes diarrhea and life-threatening inflammation of the colon.

Your risk for contracting a bacterial infection that can't be treated increases every time you take antibiotics. So, what can you do if you have the flu or another virus, like the common cold? I've found that as a patient, I need to advocate for myself, and that starts by having an open conversation with my primary care provider. The more informed my primary care physician is about my overall health and my

miserable flu, strep or other symptoms, the better prepared my doctor will be to provide the care I need.

Your provider's ultimate goal is to determine what the best course of action is for your health and well-being. Consuming medications that don't effectively treat the illness is a waste of your time and money, and it can jeopardize your health. Treatments are only valuable if they work. If you have the flu, your doctor may suggest over-the-counter options to ease the discomfort. If during your appointment you find that you do have a bacterial infection, then the provider will likely prescribe antibiotics to treat your illness. In either case, it's extremely important that your provider is aware of any other health conditions you have and medications you're taking. Some over-the-counter medicine can interact with prescription medications causing serious side-effects or even death.

With a job and perhaps a family to take care of, who has time to be sick? That sense of urgency to get over your illness as soon as possible is understandable, but taking a prescription medication that could cause greater harm and won't treat the illness isn't worth the risk. Every year, more than 100,000 people die due to antibiotic-resistant bacteria. This statistic may even be under-reported, because it is problematic to track those fatalities. As devastating as these statistics are, however, they are within our ability to control. By proactively communicating with your primary care physician and only taking antibiotics when you need them, you can reduce your risk of being one of those 100,000 fatalities.

The doctor-patient relationship is symbiotic; we must have an open dialogue to provide care that is truly valuable to the patient's health and well-being. At Valley Regional Hospital, your health and your family's health are our number one priority. Working together we can keep our community healthy. Here's to working with you!

Peter J. Wright, FACHE is the President & CEO of Valley Regional Healthcare in Claremont, NH. He is board certified in healthcare management and a Fellow of the American College of Healthcare Executives. In addition to his Masters of Science in Administration, Wright is also a 2018 candidate of Dartmouth College's Master of Health Care Delivery Science, a degree established to help executives change the healthcare delivery system in the United States.

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Council To Meet Again Regarding City Manager Choice

CLAREMONT, NH-- The Claremont City Council will hold another non-public meeting on Tuesday, Nov. 29, at 6:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers of City Hall to continue deliberating over the choice of a new City manager. The Council held a non-public session on Nov. 18 to interview the three finalists put forth by the Search Screening Committee for the position of City manager. According to a brief statement released on the 20th by Mayor Charlene Lovett to the *e-Ticker News* on behalf of the Council, "The Council interviewed three wonderful candidates forwarded by the Screening Committee. The Council is under deliberations." Current City Manger Guy Sanagate is scheduled to retire on Dec. 31.

Zoning Board Votes Down Request For Campsite Rehearing

CLAREMONT, NH--On Monday, the Claremont Zoning Board voted down two requests for a rehearing on a planned seasonal campground at the Claremont Speedway; the variance allowing the campground was approved on Oct. 3. Abutters Chuck Egbert and Reverdy and Rebecca Ford, in letters to the board, requested the rehearsings. Both were voted down, 5-0.

Regarding Egbert's request, board members said they did not see that there was any new evidence, that the site plan "is planning board, it has nothing to do with us", that a lot of things were rehashed, that there was "no lack of neutrality" and that all "five criteria were reviewed and met." Board member Carolyn Towle added, "I think we did great due diligence."

Regarding the Fords' request, board member Abigail Carmen said that "We spent a lot of time looking into this, asked for more information and did a site visit." She added, "We followed legal rules as to how to proceed in our meetings."

The abutters have the option of taking the matter to Superior Court. The next step for the project is go before the Planning Board.

Area Choir To Present Christmas Programs In December

NEWPORT, NH--Welcome the 2016 holiday season with The Area Choir, as they present their 63rd Christmas Concerts. Three concerts, sponsored by the generous support of Claremont Savings Bank, LaValley Building Supply and Mascoma Savings Bank, will take place at the South Congregational Church, Newport, on Saturday, Dec. 3rd, at 7:30 p.m., and on Sunday, Dec. 4th, at 3:30 and 7:30 p.m. Rehearsals for the upcoming performances began in mid-October. David Chaves, Music Director, returns to lead the choir. Robert Hicks will accompany on the piano, and Helen Anderson will be the organist. The Earle Pollard Memorial Bell Choir will perform again at the concerts this year, providing music during the Offertory, and accompanying the Choir in several pieces. Robert Hicks is its director. Guest percussionist Vance Hall as well as his son Cameron Hall will be featured in several of the pieces.

The Area Choir is made up of approximately 70 members from area towns representing 21 churches. Director Chaves has chosen many old familiar selections, as well as some new pieces, sure to be favorites. There is no admission charged for Area Choir's concerts; however, there will be a free-will offering during each performance to help support the annual program. Join us in early December and help us celebrate the beginning of the beautiful Christmas Season!

The Area Choir may be contacted at theareachoir@gmail.com, and is on Facebook.

Sunapee Giving Tree Gift Tags Available Until Dec. 6

SUNAPEE, NH--The 2016 Toys for Joy/ Giving Tree is now at the Sunapee Town Office. All recipients are residents of Sunapee, which include children and senior citizens. Please stop by the Sunapee Town Office on 23 Edgemont Road to select your gift tag. Instructions will be found by the Giving Tree. Gift tags will only be available until Tuesday, December 6th.

New this year, all gifts are due by Monday, Dec. 12th, and can be dropped off at the Sunapee Police Station Monday-Friday from 9am-4pm. Thank you for all the support for the Toys for Joy/Giving tree program and the Sunapee Food Pantry.

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Santa is coming to Town!

**Photos
with
Santa**



**Pets
Kids
&
Families!**

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Claremont Rent-a-Center**

In the same plaza as Sears & Radio Shack

Photo Prices:

4X6	\$5.00
5X7	\$7.00
Digital emailed file	\$7.00



Join SCHS and Santa for a fun photo-op! There will also be some delicious homemade baked goodies! Rent-a-Center is going to sweeten the day by offering a special as a thank you for coming out and supporting a local non-profit!



From all of us at Sullivan County Humane Society, thank you for your support!

All photo and bake sale proceeds to benefit the Sullivan County Humane Society



Holiday Fun Kick-Off In Claremont...

A great crowd turned out for the Friday night festivities despite the weather. Santa and Mrs. Claus showed up with Nick Coombs, and Coombs turned the “Magic Candy Cane” over to the Championship SHS football team and coaching staff and with a cheer the lights came on to a chorus of Ooo’s and Ahhh’s!

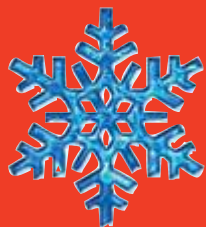
Top left: Dillon and Noah Love tell Santa what they want for Christmas; bottom right: SHS Football Head Coach Paul Silva and members of the team were chosen to flip the switch this year to light up Broad St. Park.



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CLAREMONT—This nice large 4 bedroom, 2 bath home is awaiting its new owner's finishing touches! Over 2200 square feet of living space on 1.75 acres allows you plenty of room for living and entertaining. Formal dining room, tons of built-ins for storage, a walkout basement, fireplace, and wood floors. \$69,900 (MLS#4607576)



CLAREMONT—Very spacious two family home consisting of two 2-bedroom units. Each unit has porches, storage, garages, and laundry hook-ups. Great back yard and close to park and downtown. Lots of natural woodwork and wood floors make these apartments very special. \$99,900 (MLS#4607810)



CLAREMONT—This 3+ bedroom Cape is tucked away on a hill on the outskirts of Claremont. Family room with gas fireplace, formal dining room, and a living room with a view of Mount Ascutney. Nice garden area, newer windows and a System 2000 boiler. \$109,900 (MLS#4608147)



NEWPORT— 3 bedroom, 2 bath single family home sitting on just over a half acre of land. Home has new siding, new windows, recent roof, 2 new decks, and an enclosed screen porch. Interior has new counter tops, kitchen sink, gorgeous hardwood flooring, new carpeting, and fresh paint. \$139,900 (MLS#4608897)



CHARLESTOWN— 1890 New Englander in the Village located at the end of the street. 4 bedrooms, large eat-in kitchen, living room, and an ideal setup for in-laws or guests. Enclosed porch overlooks the large, private back yard with spaces for gardens. \$129,000 (MLS#4602152)



CLAREMONT— This circa 1875 home would make a great winter project for the contractor! Some demolition has begun, and the house has a great floor plan. This is a wonderful lot in a very convenient location. \$50,000 (MLS#4602537)



CLAREMONT— 3BR, 1.5 bath Condo available for sale in McKenzie Lane Condo Association. Just steps from the Claremont Country Club, an easy commute to I-91 and downtown Claremont. The basement is partially finished, and the \$200/month Condo fees include water, sewer, snow removal, trash removal, and additional insurance and lawn care. \$75,000 (MLS#4603963)



CLAREMONT— Great views from this comfortable 2 story, 3 bedroom home. Hardwood floors invite you to a great floor plan with all bedrooms upstairs. Everyone enjoys the privacy of the rear common room and oversized yard overlooking the nearby walking trail and fields. Detached garage and plenty of room for the other toys. \$59,900 (MLS#4604154)



CLAREMONT— Nice and tidy 3 bedroom, 2 bath home on a great corner lot! Newer roof and boiler, fireplaced living room, and nice deck off the dining area to watch the birds. Hardwood floors make this home easy to maintain, and the master bedroom has its own private bath. \$109,900 (MLS#4605618)



ASCUTNEY, VT— New to the market is this 3 bedroom Ranch located on a dead-end road. Property is nearly 3/4 of an acre with a circular drive. Home has a metal roof, hardwood flooring, 3-season porch, nice sized deck, and a bath and a half. This home has extra wide hallways and offers the potential for 1-floor living. \$234,900 (MLS#4606444)



CLAREMONT—This lovingly renovated Cape is a beauty. Walls have been removed, and the kitchen has been totally redone and awaits matching stainless steel appliances. All new windows, roof, and siding. Electrical has been updated, and the baths have also been redone. Great neighborhood and easy access to I-91. \$144,900 (MLS#4606579)



CHARLESTOWN—Very well kept home! Ramped entrance built over the stairs. Recent kitchen update includes oak cabinets, counters, stainless steel sink, & a movable island. The wall-mounted TV in the master bedroom stays! Bedrooms are on each end, central AC, 2007 furnace and a metal roof. One of the two sheds is an ideal workshop with power, shelving, and windows. \$25,000 (MLS#4607150)

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118 Bonmark Dr., Claremont



A newer home in a convenient location. 3 bedrooms, 2 full baths, and a 28x18 finished family room. Over 6 acres. 3 Heating Zones, also has wood stove with wood. Close to I-91. For more photos, see MLS# 4493927 \$169,900.

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Ann's Property Of The Week

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Sold over 5 million dollars in properties in 2013

Move-In Ready!!!

Sweet 3 bedroom 2 bath single family home sitting on just over an half acre of land. Home has new siding, new windows, recent roof, 2 new decks, one in the front and one in the back of the home and a enclosed screen porch. Interior has new counter tops, kitchen sink, gorgeous just-refinished hardwood flooring, new carpeting in stairway and downstairs bedroom, interior just freshly painted. A move-in ready home! **MLS 4608897 \$139,900**

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Agent



CLAREMONT: Turn key! This fresh, bright home is open and airy and convenient to town. 3 bedroom, enclosed porch to patio, vaulted kitchen ceiling, all appliances are staying and pellet stove.

A must see! \$105,000

Ascutney Outdoors Hosting 2nd Annual Winter Dance

BROWNSVILLE, VT--Ascutney Outdoors is hosting its 2nd annual Winter Dance on Saturday, Dec. 10. Come 'STOMP' with organizers to benefit 2016/2017 winter season projects.

Last year they twisted to the 60's, this year they'll do the Electric Slide and Moonwalk to the 80's. Dress in your best 80's themed outfit and come dance with your community to kick off the winter season.

Where: Brownsville VT, Town Hall

Time: 7:00 - 10:00 p.m.

Dress: 80's attire with 'Best Themed Dressed' Contest

Cost: \$15 pp, Kids 15 & under are free. Includes dessert bar and light non-alcoholic refreshments.

Buy tickets at the door or in advance online at <http://ascutneyoutdoors.org/new-events/>.

Music DJ'd by Rick Davis. Silent/Live Auction with some great prizes, Best Themed Dress Contest, 'Electric Slide', 'Moon Walk' and other fun events.

Coffee With The Chief In Sunapee

SUNAPEE, NH--The next Coffee with the Chief in Sunapee is scheduled for Wednesday, Nov. 30th, from 7:30 to 8:30 a.m. at the Safety Services Building.

Coffee With A Cop In Lebanon Event

LEBANON, NH--On Nov. 29th, officers from the Lebanon Police Department and community members will come together in an informal, neutral space to discuss community issues, build relationships, and drink coffee. All community members are invited to attend. The event runs from 8:00 to 10:00 a.m. at McDonald's, 249 North Plainfield Road, West Lebanon. Please contact Captain Tim Cohen with questions: (603) 448-8800 or tim.cohen@lebcity.com

Coffee with a Cop provides a unique opportunity for community members to ask questions and learn more about the department's work in Lebanon's neighborhoods, said the department.

Coffee with a Cop is a national initiative supported by The United States Department of Justice.

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Proposal Instructions: Two copies of the proposal should be submitted in a sealed envelope to the City Manager's Office, 58 Opera House Square, Claremont NH 03743. Proposals must be received at the above address no later than 3:00 pm on Wednesday, December 21, 2016. Proposals will be opened at that time and will be taken under advisement until further review by the City of Claremont.

NH Wildlife Officials Warn Of Fishing And Hunting License Scam

CONCORD, NH--The N.H. Fish and Game Department is warning consumers of a scam that fools people into paying for a fishing license without actually providing one.

The scam includes at least two unofficial websites that give consumers the impression they can purchase fishing or hunting licenses for any of the 50 states. After paying a fee, consumers are simply given more information about how to apply. The fine print on the websites states that they have no government agency affiliation.

Possible warning signals to watch for on these fraudulent websites include:

- A drop-down list of states to select from. The official N.H. Fish and Game website would never ask you to choose your state.
- A request for the consumer to take a "pre-hunter safety test" or download concierge service guides to obtain a license. The official N.H. Fish and Game website would never ask you to take a "pre-test" or charge you to download a guide.

"People should only use the official online license sales website, www.nhfishandgame.com, for the online purchase of New Hampshire hunting and fishing licenses," advised Susan Perry, the N.H. Fish and Game Licensing Supervisor. "Consumers may also visit us in person at headquarters in Concord to buy a license, or go to any of our licensing agents throughout the state," said Perry. A list of agents may be found at www.wildnh.com/licensing/agents.html.

If you or someone you know has fallen victim to a scam website, contact the Office of the Attorney General's Consumer Protection Bureau at (888) 468-4454, or visit their website at doj.nh.gov/consumer to report the incident.

Lebanon Police Collecting Toy Donations

LEBANON, NH--On Saturday, Dec. 10, the Lebanon Police Department will be in front of Walmart at 285 Plainfield Road in West Lebanon hosting a "Stuff A Truck" event from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. All new, unwrapped toys donated will be given to the local Marine Toys for



Tots campaign located at 27 Farmview Drive in White River Junction, VT. There is also a donation box located in the police station lobby.

Visit Toys for Tots online at: <https://goo.gl/7eeQKy>.

Craft Fair & Christmas Giftables, Bake Sale

Saturday, Dec. 3
9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Earl M. Bourdon Centre
67 Maple Ave., Claremont



How to Improve Your Résumé With Words

During an interview, Ernest Hemingway revealed that he rewrote the last page to *A Farewell to Arms* 39 times before he was satisfied. When the journalist asked what had stumped the famous author, Hemingway replied, "Getting the words right."

If your résumé isn't getting the response you desire, it may be time to take a fresh look with the goal of "perfecting your language" (as seen here with the help of Thesaurus.com).

You want to optimize your résumé for both humans and the computer software that may scan them first. Tailor your wording to speak their language. While your title may have been Sales Manager, another company may call this Business Development. When applying for a posted job, be sure to use some of the exact words in the ad – particularly the nouns and position title. This will ensure the applicant tracking system (ATS) will pass you through the gateway so a real live hiring manager will actually have the opportunity to read your résumé. And that's when those sexy verbs come into play. *The Daily Muse* offers 185 Powerful Verbs that you can swap out with your templated jargon to make your résumé more dynamic.

Forgo the boring listing of duties following the trite, "Responsible for..." The recruiter is far more interested in what you accomplished while performing your job functions. Here's where you pair your lively verbs with winning nouns and throw in a quantifier for good measure to create power phrases. Boring- "Responsible for client management", "Duties included sales", "Provide administrative help". Compelling- "Increased new clients by 172%", "Acquired a \$2.2 million service contract", "Documented 200-275 customer notifications weekly".

And while we're on the subject of literary style, let's discuss that lackluster cover letter yawner, "Please accept my résumé in response to your ad for..." Before you even walk in the door for an interview, your cover letter is your first impression. This is your opportunity to stand out from the crowd with a carefully crafted opening sentence. I wonder how many rewrites it took the *Jerry Maguire* scriptwriter to polish Renee Zellweger's classic line, "You had me at 'hello.' "



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TLC Named First NH Family Resource Center Of Quality

CLAREMONT, NH--TLC Family Resource Center in Claremont was recently designated the first Family Resource Center of Quality in New Hampshire. The local agency serves families in Sullivan and Grafton County and has recently undergone a rigorous process to obtain this new designation. The agency is the first in the state to receive the designation. The designation of Family Resource Center of Quality is a process that has been developed by Family Support New Hampshire. There is oversight from the Wellness and Primary Prevention Council of the New Hampshire State Legislature as well. Family Support New Hampshire acts to bring together the diverse leadership from existing and newly forming family resource centers and family support programs within New Hampshire under the common vision of establishing a statewide network of family support practice within New Hampshire.

"Thanks to our trained and passionate staff, we are able to provide support and parenting education at a high level. We are inclusive of all families who seek support and this is what qualified us for this honor," said Executive Director Maggie Monroe-Cassel. "I am proud of our staff who are trained to the highest level of the Family Resource Center of Quality standards. It takes time and commitment to qualify as a Family Resource Center of Quality and our staff and our board have put in both."

Staff and board attended the annual meeting of Family Support New Hampshire where they were presented with their designation certificate by NH Representative Barbara French.

Chapter 126-M is the legislation that established the Wellness and Primary Prevention Council. It was amended in 2015 to expand the Council's role to include designation of Family Resource Centers of Quality with SB161, which was enacted into law in August 2015.

Supporters of family resource centers and family support and strengthening programs wished to establish a way that families, funders, policy makers, and other

community members could easily identify FRC-Qs and know what to expect from programs that carry this designation. Designating family resource centers of quality will create confidence in families, funders, and staff of these programs and raise professionalism in the programs and the field. It is an important strategic step forward in defining and promoting quality practice. Family Resource Centers of Quality are distinguishable

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L-r: Brenda Foley, TLC Quality Assurance Coordinator; Maggie Monroe-Cassel, TLC Executive Director; Barbara French, Member of the NH House of Representatives Merrimack District #6; and Jane VanBremen, TLC Board Member (Courtesy photo).

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because of the scope and depth of the services they provide, their commitment to the Principles of Family Support and the Strengthening Families Framework.

TLC Family Resource Center serves families in the region through home visiting programs to strengthen families and to prevent child abuse. Board President Beth Hoyt-Flewelling said she was pleased that the designation as the first Family Resource Center of Quality has come on the brink of the agency's 25th anniversary. "We are pleased to have been chosen to pilot this new designation process. We feel that it is a great way to start the next 25 years of service to families." Part of the designation process includes needing to provide services to a broad spectrum of families. We are seeking input for families in the communities we

serve about what they would find helpful in being strong families," Hoyt-Flewelling said. In addition to our parenting education and home visiting programs, TLC also provides a comprehensive sexual health education for teens to prevent unplanned pregnancies and sexually transmitted disease.

All services at TLC Family Resource Center are free to anyone looking for support. As part of their growth and expansion in the next years, they have changed the layout of the rooms in their office at 109 Pleasant St, Claremont, and are adding a handicap accessible rest room so that all

are truly welcome and able to use the facility.

TLC invites the public to learn more about their services on the website at www.tlcfamilyrc.org. Monroe-Cassel added, "We hope the community will be a large part of our 25th anniversary celebrations. I encourage the public to talk to us and learn more about us and consider financially supporting us as we enter the next 25 years."

Donations can be sent to the office or made online any day. TLC Family Resource Center is participating in Giving Tuesday on November 29th and encourages those who want to support families to go to the website and make a donation that day, or any day.

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Jozach Jewelers held its 2nd annual Ladies Night recently. On Tuesday, owner Lori Roy presented Valley Regional CEO Peter Wright with a check for \$1,575 dollars to benefit Valley's Palliative Care Unit. In addition, Jozach Jewelers donated over \$200 worth of food donations to the St. Vincent De Paul food bank at St. Mary's Church (Bill Binder photos).



On Tuesday, Nov. 22, Taverne On The Square owners Mike and Christine Charest hosted a burger night for the Division III Champions Stevens High football team. Players and coaches were treated to burgers, fries and fixings. Sue Walker, a chef at the Taverne, made a cake featuring a photo of the team and cupcakes for dessert (Bill Binder photos).

Silsby Free Public Library News

CHARLESTOWN, NH--Holiday story hours are in session at the Silsby Free Public Library. Join the fun on Tuesday mornings at 10:30 for holiday themed stories and a simple craft. Lap sitters, toddlers, pre-schoolers and their caregivers are welcome.

Friday, Dec. 2, at noon is adult coloring. Bring your lunch, chat, and get creative. Coloring materials will be available or you can bring your own.

On Saturday, Dec. 10th, Family Story Hour will find children and parents assembling candy bar houses. Please call the library or stop by to sign up for this special activity so we know we have enough supplies on hand. Get out your cookie pans and your gingerbread recipe and start designing! We are hosting our first annual gingerbread house contest. It is open to children and adults and anyone in between. Get creative with cookies and christmas candy and amaze your friends and family with your use of frosting. If you need a little help, stop by the library; we'd be happy to help with

templates and recipes. Drop your house off between Dec. 5

and 10 for display. Patrons will vote for their favorites. Winners will be announced on Dec. 22.

On Dec. 22, at 3:30 p.m., in the Community Room, master magician Dylan Tenney will amaze all with his feats of prestidigitiation. This is family friendly fun for folks from 2 to 92. This gift to the young-

sters of Charlestown is generously donated by Dagmar's Place Daycare.

We are looking for LEGOs to use in after-school programs. If your kids are grown and gone and you are still tripping over old and dusty bins of legos, please consider donating them to the library. We will put them to good use.

Find all of our new book titles on LibraryThing! The log-in is Silsbyfpl, and the password is 03603. Our complete catalog can be viewed at <https://silsby.follettdestiny.com>. Also be sure to like us on Facebook for the latest news and events.

Coming in 2017 snowshoeing, family yoga, writer's workshop, and new afterschool programs including zentangle, cooking, and maker space projects like "franken-toys". Be sure to check out our facebook page and our website for what is new at the library in January.

Contact the library at 603-826-7793 or email at silsby@charlestown-nh.gov.

Santa To Visit Windsor

WINDSOR, VT--Santa will be visiting Windsor by Fire Engine, Saturday, Dec. 3, from 3:00 to 4:00 p.m. at the Windsor House, 54 Main Street. Bring your list and tell Santa whether you have naughty or nice! Enjoy hot chocolate, cookies, and canes. All are welcome to attend.



Claremont Area AARP To Hold Christmas Party

CLAREMONT, NH--The Claremont Area AARP Chapter met Nov. 10 at The Bourdon Centre with 34 members and guests to hear a presentation by Cornish residents Ginny and Lou Gage on "The Civilians of Gettysburg". According to records the population was 2400 in 1860. The battle took place over three days, July 1 to 3, 1863, although the first rebels were seen on June 26. From diaries and an account written later about the experiences of a 10-year-old boy, they brought to life what it must have been like for the residents of Gettysburg to become part of a war.

Pete Toner gave a short presentation on Social Security benefits. Door prizes were won by Alphonse Belanger, Terry St. Pierre, Eileen Eroszonak, and Bev McGuire.

It was announced that the next meeting is the Christmas party on December 8 at noon at St. Joseph's Church Hall on Elm St. In Claremont. The catered meal is a pot roast dinner. Reservations must be made by December 5 to President Brenda Saunders at 603-542-5335. There will be a Yankee Swap of gifts valued at \$10. Entertainment will be provided by singer and comedian Marie Allen.

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After you've identified a charity, or charities, you can decide how much you want to give and how you want to give it. If the charity has 501(c)(3) status (named after the section of the Internal Revenue Code that governs such groups), your gift can offer you a tax deduction. So, for example, if you are in the 25% tax bracket, and you give \$1,000 to a qualified charity, you can subtract the \$1,000 from your adjusted gross income, which will result in tax savings of \$250. Upon making your gift, make sure you get a receipt that lists the name of the organization and the date and amount of your contribution. (Your maximum deduction will be limited to a percentage of your adjusted gross income.)

You can do more than simply write a check, however. If you have stocks that have grown significantly in value, you may want to donate them to a charitable group. You will be allowed a charitable deduction for the full fair market value of the gift on the date of the transfer, even if your original cost was only a fraction of today's value. Furthermore, you will avoid the capital gains taxes you'd have to pay if you sold the stock, provided you've held the stock for at least a year.

If you do contribute appreciated stocks, you will want to be cognizant of the effect of your donation on your portfolio. If you were to give a sizable amount of growth-oriented stocks, would it affect your overall growth potential? Conversely, if you are primarily giving away relatively conservative, income-producing stocks, would it end up moving your portfolio in a riskier direction? When donating stocks, if at all possible try to do so in a way that does not harm your portfolio's balance.

In any case, whether you give cash or appreciated assets, you'll need to make your gift by Dec. 31 if you're going to deduct it on your 2016 taxes. So be as generous as can afford, think about the effect of your gift on your own financial situation – and be prepared to act soon.

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Mayoral Notes

By
Charlene Lovett



Working Together To Create Solutions

At our last joint meeting of the Claremont City Council and School Board on November 15th, we discussed a number of topics to include childhood lead poisoning, budgetary concerns and committee updates regarding work force development and marketing initiatives. Since last week's article was dedicated to the childhood lead poisoning topic, I thought I'd focus this week's article on one of the budgetary concerns that we are facing as a community. That concern is the projected reduction of state aid for school funding, and the negative impact it will have to our city and schools if we do not act.

At the joint meeting, I distributed a letter that I had received from the Mayor of Franklin, Ken Merrifield, and the Chair of the Northfield Board of Selectmen, Wayne Crowley. The letter outlined the school funding problem that many communities are now facing in NH due to a reduction in state stabilization grants, and invited Claremont to join forces with their communities and others to address this issue at the legislative level. It is a critical issue given that any reduction of state school funding would result in an increase in local taxes, budgetary cuts or a combination of both. Because the city and schools rely on the same local taxpayers and property taxes are already high, reduction in state aid has the potential of inhibiting both governing entities from delivering services at the current level.

Since 2012, when the program was created to replace the Fiscal

Capacity Disparity Aid program, state stabilization grants have been allocated to communities with the lowest capacity to raise property taxes. Stabilization grants are part of the state's obligation, under the Claremont decision, to protect children's right to an adequate education regardless of where they live in NH. Since each community's ability to raise property tax revenue is tied to its tax base, those communities with a smaller tax base have more difficulty in raising the tax revenue necessary for an adequate education.

In 2015, the NH Legislature enacted House Bill (HB) 1 and 2, which included a phase out of stabilization grants at a rate of 4% per year starting in FY2017. In FY 2016, the Claremont School District received a \$6,282,807.00 stabilization grant. In FY2017, that amount was reduced by \$251,312.28. If nothing changes and we continue to lose 4% per year, by FY2020 we will have lost over one million dollars in state aid. Given our current tax base and tax rate, this reduction in state aid is not sustainable.

Consequently, the Claremont City and School District, along with the Cornish and Unity School Districts, will be working with the many other affected communities and local legislators to address this issue.

Since the 4% reduction has already taken place for FY2017, the recommended plan of action is to freeze the stabilization grants at the current level. However, this is only the first step. The real issue that needs to be resolved is the execution of the state's responsibility to protect a child's right to an adequate education. It is a complex issue that has existed for decades, and one that requires collaboration and cooperation at both the local and state level to find an effective solution.

On a completely different topic, I would like to thank the Heart of Claremont and

all who participated in making the lighting of Broad Street Park a huge success. The community event, attended by hundreds of local residents, could not have occurred without the dedication of the few who spent hours decorating the park for all of our benefit.

Charlene Lovett is the Mayor of Claremont, and welcomes your feedback. Please email questions, comments or concerns to her at clovett.ccc@gmail.com or char_lovett@hotmail.com.

Strauss Family Music Program

HANOVER, NH--On Friday evening, December 2, OSHER@Dartmouth will kick off the holiday season when raconteur Dr. David Bisno and Daniel Weiser, musical director of the Classicopia chamber orchestra, recreate the Golden Age of Vienna and bring the Strauss family's music and history to life at the Spaulding Auditorium in Hanover. Bisno will present an oral and visual depiction of the Strauss family interspersed with their most famous works. Professional dancers in period costume will perform waltzes of the era and the audience will be invited to join in for some waltzing on the Spaulding stage at the end of the evening.

The evening isn't just limited to the events in the concert hall. Area restaurants, the Canoe Club, Molly's, and The Pines, in Hanover and Carpenter & Main, in Norwich, will offer special Viennese menus for pre-concert dining and the Market Table restaurant will be baking Viennese pastries to be served at intermission.

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CLAREMONT, NH--The Catholic Daughters of the Americas, Court Virgil H. Barber #892 Education Contest is now in progress. The contest is open to all students in grades 4-12, in public, private and home schools. The categories are Essay, Poetry, Art, Computer Art, Music, and Photography. There are three divisions according to grade level. The themes are: "Whatever you do for the least of my brethren, you do for me." Matthew 25:40 or Helping the needy where I live. All Entries must be of contestant's own imagination. Contestants may enter a category only once but may submit entries in multiple categories.

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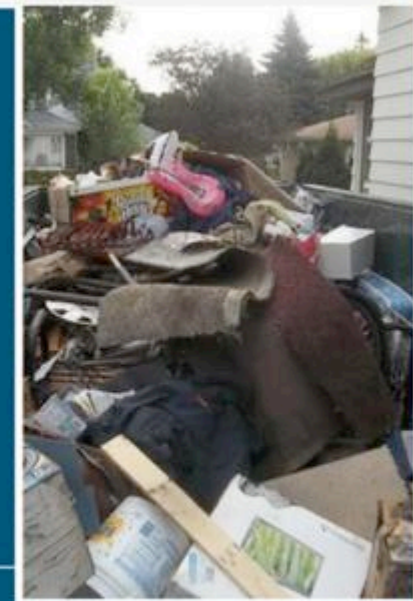
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It’s About Food

By Johnny Navillus



Confession

My turkey had been in the oven for for hours. I took it out and basted it and put it back. In the process of closing the oven door I looked up and saw that my bottle of Maple Syrup was still on the counter. To my horror I realized that I forgot to add the Maple Syrup to the stuffing as I mixed it up. Everything else was in: onions, apple bits, cranberries, apple cider, sage, etc. But not the Maple Syrup.

I put the syrup bottle back in the fridge and decided not to mention my error. As it turned out I still got rave reviews on the stuffing. I was the only one who noticed the lack. I was a bit disappointed that there was no taste of maple, but no one else noticed.

You cook to your own taste, but your guests have no idea what you are striving for. They take it as it is. The dried cranberries steal the show every time anyway. I kept the error to myself and no one was any the wiser.

Oh, the recipe calls for three cups of water. I use one cup of water and two cups of apple cider. Try it next time. And I stopped using raisins years ago. Dried cranberries are much better.

Every year I get someone asking for this dish. It is fairly simple and with the right presentation is very elegant.

If you don’t stock Irish Mist routinely, get two or three “nips” from the State store. The stuff is expensive. Better yet, see if you can “borrow” some from a friend or neighbor. It will have to be a very good friend to give up some with no hope of return.

Scallops With Irish Mist

10 scallops
 Flour
 2 oz. Butter
 Chopped parsley
 1 minced shallot
 ¼ pint fresh cream
 1 tbsp. Irish Mist Liqueur (more or less, usually more)
 2 beaten egg yolks
 Salt
 Pepper

Roll the scallops in flour. Saute the scallops in half the butter for 3 minutes. Add cream, shallot, parsley and the liqueur. Season with salt and pepper. Cook for 3 more minutes. Remove the scallops from the pan, placing them on a baking sheet with an edge.

Reduce the sauce to half by boiling. Add the rest of the butter and egg yolks. Whisk together over a low heat until thick but not boiling. Place the sauce over the scallops. Place under a very hot broiler to glaze.

Serve quickly.

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Local History Buff's Passion For Civil War Becomes Personal Journey

By Phyllis A. Muzeroll
e-Ticker News

CLAREMONT, NH--A passion for history has led one Claremonter on a journey that has come to combine a family link with one of the most notable historical periods experienced by this country.

"About 13 years ago, I discovered that my great grandfather had been an artilleryman in the Civil War," said Nancy Miville during a recent interview. "He was in Co. A 1st NH Heavy Artillery and the unit had been assigned to the defenses of Washington. First NH was divided up among five of the 68 forts and batteries surrounding the city. I have procured copies of all of his military records but have not been able to figure out exactly which of the forts or batteries he was actually at.

"A few years before this discovery, my husband and I visited Gettysburg. About the same

time, I met a couple who re-enact Gettysburg civilians, and after attending a few of their program presentations, I was 'hooked'. I wanted to know lots more about the Civil War, and this began my now 16-year study to learn more."

Since that first visit to Gettysburg, Miville and her husband, Ed, have made several more trips to that important battlefield. "On Remembrance Day, there is an evening program called Illumination," said Miville. "During the day, volunteers place, on each one of the more than 3,200 graves in Soldiers' National Cemetery, a luminary and a flag. Later in the evening, after the luminaries are lighted, names of the soldiers are read and



taps is sounded every 15 minutes during the three-hour event. I am a member and a volunteer at Gettysburg Foundation (organizer of the event). For a number of years, I have been reading names at Illumination of NH, VT, and ME civil war soldiers who fought and died during the Battle of Gettysburg and are buried in Soldiers National Cemetery there.

"Earlier this summer, I decided that I would like to know more about the men from NH whose names I have been reading. Using Ayling's Registry of NH Soldiers and Sailors in the War of the Rebellion and Otis Waite's Claremont war history, I looked up each NH name. Some were only initials, but first names were available. Some names were incorrectly identified by company and/or regiment. Some names were misspelled. I made a list of each 'error', carefully documenting where I found the 'correct' information. then I submitted my list of 13 'errors' to the person who oversees the roll call. She in turn submitted it to the National Park Service. The paperwork came back accepting 11 of my suggestions. The other two were listed as 'yes, we know it is an error, but it cannot be changed.' I was not satisfied with that response because one of the men was documented as being from a NY regiment but buried with NH soldiers. So I resubmitted a request indicating that I realize we will not exhume and reinter remains, but, his name should be removed from the NH reader's list and added to the NY list with his fellow New Yorkers. The response was, 'permission to move the name to NY list.'"

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Top: Nancy Miville reads from the list of soldiers' names at the evening program called Illumination in Gettysburg; bottom: A parade is one of the highlights of Remembrance Day (Courtesy photos).



during which an invited guest recites the Gettysburg Address, and there is a naturalization ceremony, of usually a dozen or so immigrants. There are also other speaker presentations at various venues throughout the town. During the afternoon, there is a parade, lasting about 1 1/2 - 2 hours, made up of numerous units or reenactors representing various Union and Confederate States, regiments and bands that had fought at Gettysburg, as well as Gettysburg civilians. In the evening the illumination ceremony takes place. There are also numerous balls usually attended by reenactors in period dress.

“In 2013, for the Sesquicentennial of the Battle of Gettysburg, and honoring the Claremont soldiers who participated in the battle, Eric Hector, a reenactor friend of mine from Claremont, and I designed and put together a three-day Civil War living history weekend,” said Miville. “At that time we talked about starting up a new Civil War round table for folks in this area who might be interested in studying the Civil War and preserving the memory of those who participated. We worked on creating the group for a year or so. Sometime around September 2015, we started meeting as a group. It was decided that we would call our group Sugar River Civil War Round Table. Our purpose is sort of a three-legged stool:

- Preservation of Civil War history,
- Public awareness/education through public program presentations,
- Camaraderie, support, education & fun for RT members.

“Our membership is open to anyone who is interested in learning about, promoting, and helping to preserve Civil War history.” Miville said that the group has

been working to locate grave sites of as many as possible of Civil War soldiers who are buried in Claremont's various cemeteries. “We plan to list and map these grave sites. We also are planting flags at the graves for Memorial Day through late fall. Earlier this year, I was invited to speak to two U.S. history classes at Stevens High School about Claremont's Civil War soldiers and what folks in the area were doing to support the war effort.”

The Sugar River Civil War Round Table meets the 1st Monday of each month, 7:00 p.m., at the Earl M. Bourdon Centre. Interested parties are invited to attend.

Top left: Nancy Miville tending to the Bradford brothers' monument in the West Pleasant St. Cemetery in Claremont; scenes from the Remembrance Day parade in Gettysburg (Courtesy photos).



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Miville said that Remembrance Day is celebrated every year in Gettysburg in honor of the day, Nov. 19, 1863, President Lincoln gave his Gettysburg Address, dedicating Soldiers's National Cemetery in Gettysburg. There are numerous festivities taking place during the day, including a speaker program in the morning





**Broad St. Park in Claremont
(City Web Cam)**

Two Arrested In Springfield Regarding Stolen Property Investigation

SPRINGFIELD, VT--On Nov. 26 at approximately 6:09 a.m., Springfield police officers were dispatched to the area of Gurney Road for a 911 hang up call. Upon searching the area officers were flagged down by a passerby who advised that they had witnessed a yellow ATV that looked like the one that was allegedly stolen out of Cavendish on Friday. Officers searched the area with negative results.

A second 911 call came in that the ATV was driving up and down Whitcomb Street. Officers responded to the area and upon arrival, observed one male wearing black clothing run behind the residence towards Park Street. The other male was detained. This male was identified as Aaron Montgomery.

The ATV was located in the backyard of the residence. A VIN check of the vehicle was done and officers were advised that this was the same ATV that was allegedly stolen from Cavendish the day before. After a short investigation Montgomery was arrested for Possession of Stolen Property and transported to the Springfield Police Department for processing.

Officers continued to investigate the other male who took leg bail from the Whitcomb Street area who had been allegedly identified as Matthew Horton and was known to have an outstanding extraditable warrant from NH.

At approximately 8:20 a.m. officers received information that Horton was hiding at a residence located on River Street. Officers re-

sponded to the location and allegedly located Horton hiding in a closet. Horton was taken into custody and transported to the Springfield Police Department for processing. Horton was issued a citation to appear at a later date for the alleged Possession of Stolen Property and was lodged at Southern State Correctional Facility on the alleged charge of Fugitive From Justice on \$25,000 bail; he was to be arraigned on November 28th on the Fugitive charge.

Horton and Montgomery will appear in Windsor County Superior Court Criminal Division on January 17 to answer to the alleged Possession of Stolen Property charge.