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Drumming Up Help

Lancers Marching Band Director, Serge Bealieu, prepares to descend from the roof of the 24-story Brady Sullivan tower in Manchester on Tuesday, June 28, to raise money through the United Way for the Winter Percussion program. *Photo by Chris Paul*

Town Manager Clarifies Policy on Political Signs

CHRIS PAUL
LONDONDERRY TIMES

During the June 20 Town Council meeting, Town Manager Mike Malaguti gave the board and the audience a brief run down on how the town

will be handling political signs on town-owned land, specifically, the land on Mammoth Road across from Matthew Thornton Elementary School.

This land was recently purchased from Moose Hill Orchards and the

town manager wanted to clear things up, as the September Primary gets closer.

Malaguti started by saying, he has seen things mentioned on social media and has also received inquiries **continued on page 7**

Town Council Discusses Elderly Tax Exemption

ALEX MAM
LONDONDERRY TIMES

During the Monday, June 20, Town Council meeting one of the subjects discussed revolved around possibly expanding the elderly tax exemption.

Town Council Chairman, John Farrell, explained that they budget well in advance, which can make it difficult to expand things like tax exemptions outside of the budget season.

"We budget a year and three months out in advance," said Farrell.

He added that they recently broke their own

rule when they extended the Veteran tax exemption without having the funds to cover it. He said that because of the amount it could cost by extending it they may need to put it on the ballot or incorporate it into the budget this fall.

Tax Assessor Steve Hamilton said that currently the income limits for those in town is \$40,800 for single people, and \$50,300 for married couples.

Hamilton said, "The asset limit for both single and married is \$137,000." Adding, the last time they adjusted the limits

was in April 2019.

"There have been no adjustments since then," said Hamilton.

Hamilton explained that other towns have higher limits. He said that he thinks it's important to look at, particularly because of inflation.

"All we have to do is go to the grocery store and we see inflation," said Hamilton.

Hamilton said that they looked at what the income limits would be with the CPI factored in and it would make the incomes a lot higher.

Town Manager Mike **continued on page 8**

Commercial Tax Incentive Program Gets Approved

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LONDONDERRY TIMES

After discussing the plan through multiple meetings and through two Town Managers the Town Council voted to approve a Commercial and Industrial Tax Incentive program in a 3-1 vote at their most recent meeting.

The goal of the program is to create tax incentives that would help to reallocate the tax burden so it lowers the burdens on residential homeowners and increases it for commercial properties.

Town Manager Mike Malaguti said previously

that by having the incentives their goal is to be able to bring in industrial and commercial users into town. He said that by doing so it would then decrease the amount that residential property owners would have to pay for taxes.

Malaguti said that the previous proposal would've limited the program to certain areas.

Under the new proposal he said that it would be for the entire town of Londonderry.

It was pointed out by Farrell that there are only a number of things towns are able to do to help raise revenue.

"We have very limited tools here in New Hampshire to drive tax revenue," said Chairman John Farrell.

Malaguti said that during the last meeting he was asked to provide examples of how other communities have benefited from similar programs.

One example that he **continued on page 2**

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School Board Discusses Wage Increases For Bus Drivers

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During the May 17 Londonderry School Board meeting, one of the agenda items was in regards to looking at how to retain and recruit employees in the District.

During the June 21 School Board meeting, it was explained by Assistant Superintendent, Dan Black, that the main reason for the May meeting was to discuss hourly employees.

"The main theme of that night was hourly workers," said Black.

Black said that Business Administrator,

Peter Curro, reached out to the bus company to see what their struggles are.

"We thought it was appropriate to include bus drivers in those discussions," said Lisa Muse, the Office Assistant for the Business Office.

Gregg Stinson, Vice President of Operations for Student Transportation of America, explained that there has been a challenge for the industry in recent years to recruit and retain drivers. He said that currently they are trying to find drivers for summer help.

Stinson said that

other neighboring communities are increasing wages, which has made it more difficult.

Since other neighboring communities are increasing their wages it means that Londonderry is paying less than others.

"We're seeing neighboring communities with increases that have created a \$4 an hour deficit," said Stinson.

With that said Stinson said that they have been doing their best.

"Our services are provided daily by members of this community, the drivers," said Stinson.

The proposal was to

split the cost between the bus company and the school district in order to increase the pay for the bus drivers.

Muse said that they would only be contributing to the daily costs of the school bus routes and it wouldn't be for anything like rising fuel costs.

She said that in year one they would be contributing about \$45,000 because they only have to contribute 25 percent the first year.

"After that it's a 50-50 split on wages only," said Muse.

Curro said that they are looking to solve the problem but said that

the school district has no requirement to do anything since they are under contract.

"We understand that there's no obligation," said Curro.

School Board member Bob Slater said he understood the concerns and the issue but said that he is also concerned with the rising costs for the school district and also about retaining employees.

School Board Chair, Amy Finamore, said that she thinks that it should at least be on the agenda for their July 6 meeting.

School Board Vice Chair, Sara Loughlin, said she wants to look at

what options they have and said that it is very important that the students are able to take the bus without interruptions.

School Board member, Kevin Gray, stated that right now they need to focus on their internal problems when it comes to recruiting and retaining employees.

Finamore said there aren't any easy options to deal with the issue.

"There's just not an easy solution to this," said Finamore.

The School Board is expected to discuss the proposal and potentially take action during their July 6 meeting.

Tax Incentive Program

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pointed to is Milford, which was able to build a \$50 million factory.

Town Councilor Deb Paul said that she had reservations about voting on it.

"I think this is just put in place for Woodmont," said Paul.

Malaguti said that it wasn't just for Woodmont.

Malaguti explained that if he wanted to confine it to just Woodmont he would have proposed the same proposal from the fall which would limit it to that portion of town. He did

recognize that some of the largest undeveloped parcels are in the Woodmont development however.

"There is no backroom deal here with Woodmont," said Malaguti.

Paul said that she didn't say that there was a backroom deal, but it may be geared towards

getting Woodmont to move forward with development.

"I think this is all for Woodmont so I struggle with this," said Paul.

During public comment resident John Wilson said that the real estate bubble may break and then the incentives may not even be needed.

"If the real estate market crashes is this really going to be helping us at all," said Wilson.

Farrell said that if that is the case then they wouldn't use the incentives.

Wilson proposed the

Town Council tabling it to see what happens with the economy.

Malaguti said that currently 19 municipalities have a form of the tax incentive and 18 different companies are receiving incentives. As of 2021 the total amount of incentives given out was 3.4 million across the state.

"We are seeking to do this because it's one of the precious few tools we have in our tool belt," said Malaguti.

It was explained by Assessor Steve Hamilton that for properties that

are already in use they would have to expand or renovate for a minimum of \$15 million.

Hamilton said that for about every \$27 million that they have in assessed value the town receives about \$500,000 in revenue. He said that it would be less money that the town has to get from other sources.

"It can't be targeted for just the residential properties," said Hamilton.

The board ultimately approved the tax incentive program with Paul voting against it.



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School Board Approves Next Year's Adult Ed Budget

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One of the agenda items discussed during the June 7 Londonderry School Board meeting was in regards to the Adult Education budget.

Crystal Rich, the director of Alternative Education, said that each year they receive funding from the state to help with the program.

"I'm very simple, I'm going to give you money," said Rich.

Rich explained that the budget process for the grant funds have changed and that they are expecting to see a

decrease this year of \$299 for a grant total of \$45,244.16.

Rich said that they are continuing to expand the Adult Education program.

"The Londonderry School District will continue the maintenance and expansion of programming for at-risk learners. The expansion of the Adult Education Program will include continued access to online courses for targeted skill development, as well as credit recovery," Rich said in her memo. "The continued inclusion of special education teachers and

teacher aides to assist with lessons will be helpful in supporting those who require modifications and accommodations. The upkeep of mobile laptops and iPads in the classroom as instructional tools will continue to enhance the educational process for all students. The employment of a counselor will continue to enhance the supports provided to all students who utilize Londonderry Alternative Educational Services and help these students develop concrete plans for college/career readiness."

As part of the grant

funds some of the items that they are looking to spend funds on includes \$3,550 for technology, \$37,362 for instruction, \$1,000 for books, notebooks, manuals and other items, \$1,000 for new furniture and replacement, \$1,000 for supplies, and \$1,330 for advertising/graphic arts.

Rich said that this year they were able to graduate 32 students during their spring graduation ceremony.

"It's not about the numbers, it's about their stories, it's about where they come from, it's about their want and

desire to earn a high school diploma and the fact that we have the ability to make that happen in the town of Londonderry is absolutely amazing," said Rich.

Rich explained to the Board that a number of students have graduated from the program. She said that some of the students include those who dropped out of high school after moving or for other reasons, and a student who wanted to become a firefighter by graduating early a year.

In addition to the grant funds, the school district also helps with

the cost of personnel and benefits.

It includes \$51,480 for personnel services, \$13,875 for employee benefits, \$1,000 for instructional materials, and \$1,000 for other expenses for a grand total of \$78,875.

School Board Chair Amy Finamore said that the School Board enjoys attending the graduation each year.

"We love coming to the graduation," said Finamore.

The School Board ultimately approved accepting the grant proposal of \$45,244.16.

Zoning Board Approves Variance For Shed Construction

ALEX MAM
LONDONDERRY TIMES

During the June 15 Londonderry Zoning Board of Adjustment meeting, one of the agenda items was in regards to a variance request to encroach five feet into the 15 foot side setback for the construction of a shed at 16 Partridge Lane which is owned by David and Faith Buckley.

It was explained by David Buckley that their plan was to replace the shed. He said that there was a structure in the same spot since they purchased the property in 2013. He said that he

wasn't sure if it was there for a longer period of time or not.

"The shed has been there at least a decade," said Buckley.

It was explained by Buckley that the reason they are looking to replace the shed is because their current one is full of little critters which has caused damage to their different items that they store in it.

Since they can't store it in the shed it means that things have to be stored in their garage which means they have less space in there for other things.

Buckley said he

thinks by cleaning up the area and replacing the structure that it would actually be an improvement to it.

One question that was asked by the Board was whether or not it's going to be the same size shed or not. Buckley said that they would be changing it.

"I'm switching from a 10x16 shed to a 12x20," said Buckley.

Buckley noted that the height is going to be about the same as it is now. He told the Board that he submitted all the plans for it to the building inspector.

One difference between the current

shed on the property and the one he is proposing is that there would be no ramp on the front of the shed unlike what is there now.

Buckley explained that moving it forward would essentially put it over the septic tank and leach field that is why they aren't proposing to do so.

It was explained by Buckley that the backyard has an engineered slope to accommodate

the septic tank and the leach field.

"Moving that out further would in my opinion make that a little bit too close," said Buckley.

Buckley said that they wouldn't be encroaching it anymore with the new shed.

"It's been there at least 10 years. It was there when I bought the house," said Buckley.

Buckley said that the shed would be used to store lawn and pool

equipment when it isn't in use. He said that he spoke to the only neighbor that sees it and they are in full support of it although they weren't at the meeting.

No one spoke in favor or against the application during the meeting.

The ZBA ultimately approved the variance request with the one condition being that it can't be any larger than 12x20.

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Editorial

Celebrating Independence

If you think celebrating the Fourth of July is just a matter of firing up the barbecue, getting out the sparklers, or heading to the seacoast or the mountains for a three-day weekend, we invite you to reconsider. The Fourth of July is also known as Independence Day, and that's the reason for this extra day away from work and for the life you live today.

The Declaration of Independence was finalized on July 4, 1776, and it set the colonies on the path toward their emergence as a nation. Political speeches, fireworks, and red, white and blue bunting are fine for the day, but the signing of the Declaration of Independence is a lot more than a reason for a party. We think the Declaration of Independence, which is signed by New Hampshire's own Matthew Thornton among others, is a document that should be read regularly. It is to remind us of who we are as a country, and to make sure we continue in the tradition of those who fought to establish a free nation, whose leaders were expected to listen to those they serve.

"We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are

endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness" are perhaps the document's most famous lines, but the list of injustices attributed to Great Britain makes for good reminders of what our government should never become. That's particularly timely reading during a time when political attacks rise or sink to unpleasant levels in the throes of an upcoming election, such as we are experiencing this year.

It's also a straightforward and simple document. Life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness. Sadly, not qualities every nation freely grants its citizens. How we pursue that happiness is left for us to decide, not dictated by a ruler. We take this for granted, but to many people across the planet, it's only something to dream about.

So figure out what makes you happy as you enjoy your holiday weekend. A hearty meal, a good place to swim, and a sky full of sparkling fireworks make for a pretty good celebration of freedom. Especially if you pause a moment to thank those who made it all possible in 1776. Have a safe and fun celebration!

Letters

Giving a Hoot

To the editor,
There is an old tree that sits very close to Stonehenge Road heading east just before you come to Perkins road. It is distinctive because it has a large recessed burl at about chest height. For 35 years I have driven by that tree and thought that recess would make a great frame for some sort of art installation.

I took up wood carving as a hobby when I retired from full-time work 7 years ago. My wife loved owls, and prior to her passing, I did my best to carve an owl at her urging. In February I was driving by the tree and the light bulb came on. I installed the owl in the recess, knowing full well that at some point someone would probably take it.

My daughters are on the Londonderry Mom's page and the Londonderry face book page and after the owl went up they informed me that the sites were blowing up with positive comments. My intent was always to get people to smile, so in that regard I guess it was successful.

Last week, after four months, the owl went missing and the word spread on social media. On their day off, Chief detective Jason Breen and Detective Narcisco "Junior" Garcia, acting on a tip from Junior's father-in-law Ed Guzowski, recovered the owl and returned it to me. While this is far from the most important case these guys will ever solve, and may seem trivial, it meant a lot to me. I plan to re-install it soon!

In closing, I love good people! Thank you Detectives Breen and Garcia for giving a "hoot".

Lee Moulton
Londonderry

Doug Thomas for State Representative

To the editor,
I am running for state representative again because we need to build on the successes made over the past two years. Excellent leadership, particularly from your Londonderry legislators, guided us through the pandemic to a highly productive session. We had many amazing accomplishments and I thank the voters for their support in the past. Our key accomplishments can be found at doughthomas-nhrep.com. You can also reach me at doug.thomasnh@gmail.com to address your issues.

Changes were needed this last term and changes were delivered. My record substantiates that. But there is more to do! Runaway inflation, school choice, and the high cost of fuel and energy are just a few of my concerns. I will address others in the future. With your support, I will provide the experience for changes needed to carry us through and to promote the NH Advantage that has made Londonderry and New Hampshire a great place to live. I ask for your continued support and vote in the primary on Sept. 13.

Doug Thomas
State Representative/Londonderry
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Moria Ryan Running for State Rep

To the residents

I am running for the office of State Representative in the state of NH. I support families. This means keeping taxes low so that families can keep more of their hard earned money for themselves. It also means getting children the education that they need so that their futures can be brighter than ours. To date, almost 20% of any graduating class is not employable. This is unsustainable for the future. We need to improve our public schools so that kids get an education to give them a viable future and we need to support kids who don't function well in the public school environment by supporting school choice. In addition, our state lacks specialty healthcare providers and we need to make our state more attractive to increase the number of providers to improve healthcare and increase small businesses. I want to go to Concord to represent the people of my town with what they want the most: to live their best life and have their kids' lives be even better. Right now, people are wondering about the future and they want it to be as secure as possible.

Who am I? My name is Moira Ryan. I am a co-founder of a Mom's Education Advocacy group. I have championed five education bills at the legislature with three being signed into law. I have two degrees in nursing and am a registered nurse. I also have a BA in English Literature and a Master's in Business Administration. I

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have worked for Fortune 500 companies, taught, and I am a proud Post 9/11 veteran. I have advocated for veterans both for federal benefits as well as asking for increases in veterans tax credit with the state and town. I am known for finding solutions to problems as I am a single parent with a child with a disability. I have had to find creative solutions to help our family survive and thrive. I will do the same for you and yours. I humbly ask for your vote on Sept. 13, in

the Republican primary.
Moirra Ryan
Londonderry

Never Ends

To the editor,
Once again, our resident Propaganda slinger Paul Minnillo is at it again. I do not believe anyone, at this point, would question your hatred of President Biden. I would guess this happens when you betray your Country, Twice! Speaking of Dolt's, do either of the Dolt's, Elon or Paul even know the difference between the Economy and Inflation?

I will educate you (as

it is a never-ending task). The Economy is largely measured on GDP and Employment. Unemployment has been staying at 3.6%. There is NO comparison between the Orange Traitor's GDP numbers and President Biden's, as Biden's are Stellar! Therefore, by these measures the Economy is Terrific! Inflation: The number one cause of Inflation is: More People are working; therefore, more Money is available. Secondly, when there is a Supply shortage, like the pandemic caused, this leads to inflation. I could go on, but probably best if you take a class in Economics. By the way, Inflation is up all over the world!

I find it laughable you worship the guy who just a few years ago was begging "the street" for money. Really, how smart can someone be who would attack President Biden, even knowing the infrastructure

deal (Major Achievement) has money in it for Super Charging station funding, something his company desperately needs to happen. I for one am glad his stock price has dropped 40% in recent months. I guess he was not smart enough to know just whom exactly was buying his cars (think Green). Nonetheless, I am sure the "big" auto manufacturers will soon put an end to Tesla (and Elon). No worries for you, I am sure there will be another malignant narcissist Billionaire coming along soon you can worship.

This brings me to the title of the worst President in History (past and future). Hopefully, you have watched the Jan. 6 hearings. No surprises for me though. I wrote in Dec. 2020: "Horrible what the Lying, Con Artist, Criminal, Tax Evading, Treasonous Traitor to America" and

his Cult following GOP traitors in Congress were planning. You may know them as the one's that asked for Pardons? I do hope a Statue is erected, with a Plaque stating: 'Here stands the Worst president in History, the only President to have served who was twice Impeached, and who was also convicted as a Traitor to America'.

What I also find amazing is; when I wrote about the Lying Derang-

ed Lunatic Orange Clown, who spoke like an ignorant 5-year-old, with the temperament of an unruly 2-year-old (made up words, slurred words, with wild waving of his hands aside), you said we must have TDS.

I told you before, Truth and Facts will always win! If you find any of this unsettling, I do have a remedy for you from the last person you worshiped: Please

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OBITUARY

Harold F. Case



Harold F. Case, 83 of Londonderry, NH passed away at his home on June 15, 2022 after a long battle with cancer. Harold was born in Manchester, NH to Raymond E. and Emma G. (Sheldon) Case. He had seven siblings, all are predeceased. He joined the Navy in 1956, serving as Petty Officer First Class and becoming an electrician. After discharge in 1959, he joined Honeywell, enjoying a successful 40+ year career. In the 70's Harold built a house in Auburn, where he served on the Auburn Vol. Fire Dept. In the 80's Harold and his wife Judy built a home in Londonderry. He was a lifelong avid snowmobiler and was active in many organizations, including the Hudson Sno-Men, (President, Board member), NHSA (President, Board member), ASCA (Co-Chair) and ISC (Chair). Harold was honored with the NHSA lifetime achievement award in 2018, the Iron Dog Brigade inductee 1992, Snowmobiler of the year 1994-1995, and in 2001 was Snowmobiler Magazine's "Most Valuable Snowmobiler". He was inducted into the Intl. Snowmobile Hall of Fame in 2005. Since 1975, he was active in the Easter Seal Ride-In which has helped raise over \$1M for Easter Seals and Camp Sno-Mo. In his spare time, Harold and Judy loved to go camping in their RV and deep-sea fishing with his friends and family.

He leaves behind his wife of 42 years, Judy (Jordan) Case; his only child, Catherine (Case) Dionne; two grandsons, Joshua and Benjamin; and his great-granddaughter Alexandria Dionne; as well as many nieces and nephews.

Following cremation, calling hours was held on Friday, June 24 in the Peabody Funeral Homes and Crematorium. A graveside service followed in the Pillsbury Cemetery, Hovey Rd., Londonderry. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Easter Seals Camp Sno-Mo at: www.easterseals.com/nh/our-programs/camping-recreation/camp-sno-mo.html. To send a condolence, please visit, www.peabodyfuneralhome.com.

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Steve Homsey
Londonderry

Pelosi's Kangaroo Court

To the editor,
Webster's definition of a Kangaroo Court: A Mock court set up in violation of established legal procedures. A Court characterized by dishonesty or incompetence. The era of slavery in the South experienced many Kangaroo Court trials. A Black person accused of a crime was brought before such Court. His fate was predetermined (Guilty) before the trial began. The trial was a shame. A showpiece to show justice was served. The predetermined verdict was then announced and a penalty carried out. The House determined that an investigation of the Jan. 6 Capitol riot was in order. I agree, as do most Americans Pelosi immediately came to the fore and appointed a committee to take investigative action. Thus begins the Pelosi Kangaroo Court. Her predetermined goal was to con-

tinue persecuting Donald Trump at all costs. How so? Appoint a committee consisting entirely of Anti-Trumpers. To appear fair, (always a problem for Pelosi,) include two Republicans. Those chosen were not recommended by the Republican leader. She chose two Republicans who were known as anti-Trumpers. A packed committee. A loaded committee. A Kangaroo Court. An interesting member of the committee is Adam Schiff. The Adam Schiff who chaired the impeachment committee. The Adam Schiff who had irrefutable evidence that Trump colluded with Russia. The Adam Schiff who could not produce such evidence and was proven a liar. This tarnished man sits on the committee. Unlike hearings held in Congress whereby witnesses are examined by both Parties, this hearing will allow only one party. Democrats will hand pick witnesses; only ask questions whose answers further their cause. They have eliminated any cross-examination of a witness. This my friends is the Kangaroo Court of Pelosi. The thud you just heard was the scales of justice hitting the floor. Due to

Democrat action the scales became so out of balance Lady Justice could no longer hold them

Dr. Paul J. Minnillo
Londonderry.

The Federal Reserve Fell Asleep

To the editor,
As a Babson MBA graduate I am highly disappointed with the Federal Reserve's very late recognition of the runaway inflation impacting our country. Inflation is running at 8.5% compared to a year ago, and the Federal Reserve (Fed) only started to increase interest rates in March 2022 to try to reach its target of 2.0%. How did we reach this debacle?

The Covid pandemic during the period 2020 to 2021 necessitated the

implementation of relief plans, which had the Treasury Department pump almost \$4 trillion in programs and tax credits into the U.S. economy. The availability of these funds and the savings accumulated by consumers in 2020 and 2021 provided a springboard of demand unleashed in the last half of 2021 and into 2022. This created the primary impetus for escalating inflation. A secondary cause has been the supply chain constraints, and a tertiary cause is the Ukrainian War.

But where was the Fed in its role to implement monetary policy and control inflation? During 2020-2021 the Fed kept its federal funds rate at a bottom floor level of 0.00%-0.25%, and

with Quantitative Easing (QE) increased its balance sheet assets from \$4 trillion to \$9 trillion. This monetary policy was designed to combat the economic impact of the pandemic, but inflationary pressures were ramping up around the middle of 2021 when I stated to family members the Fed should be increasing interest rates and ending its QE program. The Fed continued its near zero interest rate and large monthly purchases of tens of billions of dollars in Treasury securities into 2022, which increased the money supply and the availability of bank loans. This was

expansionist and continued the upward inflationary pressures.

As inflation kept surging the Fed erroneously believed the increased inflation was transitory and would subside. The Fed finally woke up and determined inflation was pervasive and started belatedly raising interest rates and ending its purchases of Treasury securities in March 2022.

Note: The Fed is a non-partisan entity responsible for the implementation of monetary policy. The US administrations are responsible for fiscal policy (e.g. spending, taxes).

Donald Moskowitz
Londonderry

OBITUARY

Paul R. Van Scoten, Jr.



Paul R. Van Scoten, Jr., 89, of Londonderry, NH completed his faithful journey Sunday June 19, 2022 at the All American Assisted Living facility. Paul was born in Manchester NH, on June 6, 1933 and grew up in Derry, NH. He was a son of the late Paul R., Sr. and Pauline (Carpenter) Van Scoten. Paul married Joanne Knight in 1955 and were married 62 years. In 1970 they built their dream home on Goonan Road in Hooksett, NH and resided there for 46 years.

Paul worked at the New England Telephone Company from 1956-1991. After retiring Paul drove a school bus in Manchester for two seasons. Paul's Christian faith was a central part of his life and known to many. He brought many people to know the Lord. Paul was one of the first to greet visitors to the church and always made them feel welcomed. Paul served much of his life as an Elder at several churches which include North End Church of Christ, later known as Manchester Christian Church as well as Riverside Christian Church in Merrimack, NH. For many years Paul enjoyed volunteering for the church food pantries at both Manchester Christian Church and Riverside Christian Church. He also loved singing in church choirs and was a member of the Dove Singers for many years.

Paul joined the United States Army in 1952 and served in the Korean War as a machine operator where he reached the rank of Sergeant. He was honorably discharged in 1956, and then joined the US Air Force and served in the reserves.

He is survived by three children, Paul R. Van Scoten III, of Manchester, NH, Pamela Martel of Merrimack, NH, and Kerry L. Devore of Decatur, IL, six grandchildren, and ten great-grandchildren. He was predeceased by his wife, Joanne K. (Knight) Van Scoten, in 2017, and by his sister in 2012, Arlene Johnson, formerly of Coventry, RI.

Following cremation, visitation will be held at Londonderry Christian Church, 372 Mammoth Rd, Londonderry, NH on Friday July 1 from 4 - 5 p.m. with a memorial service following.

Burial with honors will be held at the NH State Veteran's Cemetery in Boscawen, NH at a later date. The Peabody Funeral Homes and Crematorium of Derry and Londonderry is assisting the family with arrangements.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the NH Food Bank, 700 East Industrial Park Drive, Manchester NH.

OBITUARY

Paul J. Marion



Paul J. Marion, 73, of Derry, NH, died Monday, June 20, 2022, in High Point Hospice, Haverhill, MA. He was born in Methuen, MA on Nov. 6, 1948, a son of Thomas and Jeannette (Therault) Marion. Paul was a Cub Scout Leader for many years and volunteered for REACT, a non-profit highway rescue organization. He was also a proud business owner, working out of Methuen and Lawrence, MA for many years. He retired from Loomis Armored US after over 20 years of service as a money courier. He will be lovingly remembered as Daddy-o, Papa, Buddy and Grumpy.

He is survived by two sons, Thomas E. Marion and his wife Tracy of Weare, NH and Dennis R. Marion and wife Jylle of Derry; two daughters, Jaqueline M. Marion of Canton, MI and Christine D. Marion of Manchester, NH; five grandchildren, Dennis John, Kevin, Hannah, Stephanie, and Trevor; two great-grandchildren; two brothers, Leonard Marion of Baltimore, MD and Edward Marion of Methuen, MA, as well as many nieces and nephews. Paul is predeceased by his wife of 50 years, Denise (Devoe) Marion and two brothers, Roger, and Andrew Marion.

Calling hours was held on Sunday, June 26, in the Peabody Funeral Homes & Crematorium. Memorial contributions may be made to Alzheimer's Association, MA/NH Chapter 309 Waverley Oaks Rd., Waltham, MA 02452. To send a condolence or for more information, please visit, www.peabodyfuneralhome.com.

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Signs

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about the recently acquired parcel.

In past years, candidates have always been allowed to erect signs on the property and according to Malaguti, that policy won't be changing.

He added that the policy is that the town generally tolerates the signs on its property, provided they do not pose a safety or traffic hazard.

Malaguti also mentioned, "I think that area is a benefit, because it draws those signs away from areas where they might be more of a line-of-sight issue."

He emphasized that the town does not get involved in who can put up signs there and who cannot, "That would be a big problem."

Councilor Deb Paul asked Malaguti if there

was a time frame in which candidates could post political signs and how long can they stay up. Adding that they shouldn't be out all year.

Malaguti wasn't sure about the time frame, but Council Chair John Farrell chimed in to say it's always been up to the Town Moderator.

Farrell also added that the town does not have a hard and fast rule about the Town Common, but for many years, "It has been frowned on."

According to the NH Department of Transportation:

State law prohibits placement of political signs on the interstate highways, including the entrance and exit ramps.

They are prohibited from placement on or affixed to utility poles or highway signs.

Signs that create a traffic hazard or obstruct the safe flow of

traffic will be removed. They should not be posted on delineator posts or bridges, as the removal is costly.

This is prime mowing season, so it is best not to place signs in an area with long grass that is likely to be mowed in the near future.

Placement of signs on private property requires permission from the landowner.

Signs on private property that obstruct traffic signs or signals, or restrict a motorist's field of view at an intersection, will be removed as a traffic hazard.

Candidates are required to remove all political signs by the second Friday following the election, unless the

election is a primary and the advertising concerns a winning candidate.

When Paul contacted the Town Moderator after the meeting, Jonathan Kipp referred to

the aforementioned state law and also added that there is no specific time-frame on when signs can be placed, "State law is silent on how soon signs can go up, so there is currently no "too early."

Kipp also said, "I had a discussion with Mike Malaguti regarding signs on town property, and I suspect any policy we have will be reviewed by Mike and/or the Town Council."

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Lancer Band Director Descends to Help Raise Funds



Londonderry High School Band Director, Serge Bealieu, took part in the United Way “Over the Edge,” fundraiser on Tuesday by repelling down the 24-story Brady Sullivan tower to raise money for the Winter Percussion program. He was joined by United Way Senior Director Holly Maki who is also a band member parent. Bealieu was able to raise about \$1,800 for his efforts so far. With this fundraising effort, the program is hoping to help defray some of the student costs while allowing the group to remain competitive. The band is still collecting donations and those wishing to give can go to lancermusic.org for more information. *Photos by Chris Paul*

Elderly Tax

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Malaguti warned the Council that one of the

potential issues with expanding the eligibility requirements is that they don’t know how many people in town

will then qualify.

He explained that the only people they know the income and assets levels for are people

who are receiving the exemptions currently or they applied and didn’t qualify.

“We don’t know how many people out there who may qualify for an expanded benefit,” said Malaguti.

Town Councilor Deb Paul asked if their qualifications line up with the state requirements for things like heating assistance and other bene-

fits. She also asked if there is a way to prevent any type of fraud from happening.

Hamilton said that they verify everything after someone applies for the exemption.

It was pointed out by Farrell that right now they give about \$800,000 in relief through exemptions now. He said that if they want to expand it then they have to bud-

et for it.

“If we are going to give any relief we have to budget for it, we can’t just give it,” said Farrell.

Farrell said that ultimately they have to raise about \$120 million a year to run the town and the schools.

“It’s a balancing act,” said Farrell.

No decision was made by the Town Council during the meeting.

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LONDONDERRY SPORTS

Aspiring Young Ninja Warriors Head for National Challenge

CHRIS PAUL
LONDONDERRY TIMES

After just two years of training, two young Londonderry athletes are one step closer to their dream of becoming American Ninja Warrior champions.

Eli Parece-Grogan, 11, and Livia Ficara, 12, have taken the first step to achieving this goal by participating in a number of local Ultimate Ninja Athlete Association (UNAA) competitions and qualifying for placing in the top three of a regional competition to move on to the UNAA World Ninja competition taking place at The Orleans in Las Vegas, Nevada, on July 21-23.

Eli and Livia are south Londonderry neighbors and during the COVID-19 Pandemic became interested in the parkour-type sport, along with Eli's twin sister Pacey.

The three friends
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Livia Ficara and Eli Parece-Grogan stand in front of the Ninja Warrior obstacle built in Eli's backyard as they prepare for a national competition.



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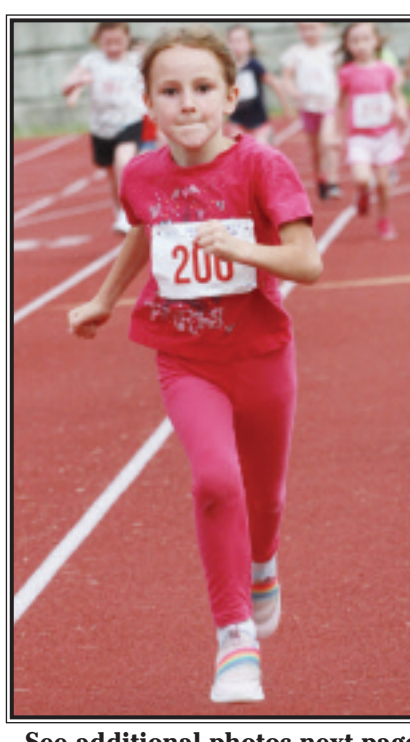
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Kids Fun Runs Get Off to Another Season of Racing



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CHRIS PAUL
LONDONDERRY TIMES

The Greater Derry Track Club's Kid's Summer Fun Runs raced off to its 47th year of competition on Monday night, June 27.

As always, there was a huge turnout of children of all ages taking part in the races held on the track at Londonderry High School.

The free races are held every Monday night through August 1, with the exception of July 4, starting at 6:30 p.m.

The club asks that families participating donate nonperishable food items before each race.

Races are run in several age groups, from two-on-up, but only ages 9-13 are recorded for end-of-season prizes.

In the younger age groups, every participant receives a ribbon for competing.

The top three finishers in the final races of the evening are as follows.

For boys' 9-year-old group: Andrew Solovyeva of Hudson took first, Dominic Ambrose of Londonderry was second, and Cooper

Cimeno of Londonderry was third.

In the girls' 9-year-old group: Kendell Cimeno of Londonderry took first, Brooke Reiff of Windham was second, and Calina MacGillivray of Londonderry was third.

In the boys' 10-year-old group: Ben Barry of Londonderry took first, Tyler Barry of Londonderry was second, and Ryan Janco of Windham was third.

In the girls' 10-year-old group: Dannicia Leblanc of Fremont took first, Brook Tilton was second, and Addisyn Thomas of Londonderry was third.

In the boys' 11-year-

old race: Mason Blundell of Windham took first; Beckett O'Brien of Londonderry was second and Cameron Cimeno of Londonderry was third.

In the girls' 11-year-old group: Addison Ntengeri of Wilton took first, Stella Dutton of Londonderry was second, and Elizabeth Gustavson of Chester was third.

In the boys' 12-year-old group: Patrick Ramsey of Londonderry took first and Logan Reiff of Windham was second place, and there was no third place finisher.

In the girls' 12-year-old group: Madison Doherty of Chester took first, Jocelyn McGarry of

Windham was second and Sophia Haskell was third.

In the boys' 13-year-old group: Joseph Gustavson of Chester took first, Nathan Smith of Derry was second, and Skyler Donovan of Concord was third.

There were no girls running in the 13-year-old group.

The free children's running series begins each week at 6 p.m. at the Londonderry High School track. The program continues July 19, 26, and Aug. 2.

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Ninjas

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train at the USA Ninja Challenge gym in Hudson, which is owned by Brian O'Connor, and they train with Coach Claire O'Connor.

After becoming enamored with the sport,

Eli wanted to be able to train outside the two-days of practice at the Hudson gym, so with the help of his parents and grandfather, they built a number of Ninja obstacles in their backyard.

Eli has also been paying off his parent's investment, and with the price of building materi-

als these days, that's another big challenge.

The largest obstacle in many of the Ninja courses is the Warped Wall, a 10- to 14-foot curved wall that challenges runners to ascend and climb over it. The Parece-Grogan family built a 12-foot version of the wall as part

of the training apparatus in the backyard.

There are also a number of other challenges set up in the yard, including a Spider Wall, a Salmon Ladder, Quad Steps, Spinning Logs, Jump Hangers, Rings and Cliffhanger Rails to name a few.

All this training paid

off at the regional qualifier competition in Southington, Connecticut, where Eli placed first in his division and allowed him to move on to the worlds in Las Vegas this month.

At the regional competition, in Manchester earlier this year, Livia placed third and also earned a trip to Las

Vegas.

Eli's twin sister Pacey missed out on competing in the world competition by just one point.

Both young athletes are extremely excited about the upcoming trip and have been busy training at the gym and their backyard to start the summer.



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Concerts On The Common Series Features Veronica Lewis

CHRIS PAUL
LONDONDERRY TIMES

Next week, the Londonderry Arts Council's Concerts on the Common series will feature a young New Hampshire

native displaying her Blues and Roots talents on the piano.

Veronica Lewis is still a teenager, but performing the blues like a seasoned veteran. On Wednesday July 6, the

Londonderry Town Common will be the venue to hear this extraordinary talent from 7 to 8:30 p.m.

According to organizer, Larry Casey, "We don't always succeed, but if we are lucky enough to find one, we like to have a "surprise" musician each season. Someone that is going to astonish and delight us! And this year we definitely "ain't unlucky", because we truly found a rising star with Veronica Lewis.

Casey added, "We first saw Veronica on WMUR's N.H. Chronicle show. She blew us away with her voice, playing and energy! She has been nominated for two 2022 Blues Music Awards - "You Ain't Unlucky" is nominated for 'Best Emerging Artist Album' and Veronica has been nominated for "Piano Player of the Year". Talk about exciting!"

According to American Songwriter Magazine, "Veronica Lewis is one of the most promising torchbearers of American Rock n Roll."

Veronica, a prolific songwriter with Blues progressions as a launching point, writes

original songs with stories that are both thought provoking and humorous. Her inspiration comes from a mix of musical genres and eras, ranging from Katie Webster, Otis Spann, and Dr. John all the way to Freddie Mercury and Avril Lavigne. Veronica fuses these elements together with the sound of the Blues, and the energy of the early rock and rollers, like Little Richard and Jerry Lee Lewis to create a truly individual style that is completely Veronica Lewis.

Lewis was born in New Hampshire, and grew up in the Keene area, and emerging from a world steeped in Blues and Boogie Woogie, Veronica is a musical force beyond her years. Her piano playing is described as "having the power of a summer thunderstorm in the Delta". Veronica has traveled across the country from Nashville to L.A. playing her music at venues and festivals and already garnered a collection of prestigious awards. Among her awards, Sean Costello Rising Star - 2021 Blues Blast Music Awards, Best New Artist Debut -



Blues musicalian Veronica Lewis will be performing on the Town Common Wednesday, July 6, starting at 7 p.m. Courtesy photo

2021 Blues Blast Music Awards, Blues Artist of the Year 2020 - Boston Music Awards, 2020's Boston Blues Challenge Winner, and 2020's Best Young Artist-New England Music Hall of Fame.

"There aren't enough superlatives to describe such a "monster talent" as Veronica Lewis," says Living Blues.

The Wednesday night concerts are always free, and open to the public. In the event of bad weather, the venue is scheduled to be the Londonderry High School cafeteria, but check facebook@concertsonthecommon in case there is a change.

For a full list of 2022 the sponsors for the series and the upcoming concerts, visit www.londonderryartscouncil.org About Concerts on the Common

This summer is the twenty-second season of the Concerts on the Common series and the free weekly performances will run every Wednesday until August 17. They feature quality music in a family friendly environment.

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Library Closure

The Leach library will be closed on Saturday, July 2, but a drop-in activity will be available on Friday, July 1.

Adult Book Bingo

On Thursday, July 14, at 11 a.m. or 7 p.m., a Book Bingo will be held in the Leach library meeting room. Bingo winners can choose a free book or a voucher for a free book from the Leach Library book sale. Registration is required and opens on Thursday, July 7 at 9 a.m.

Howie Newman's Musical Baseball Show

On Monday, July 25 at 7 p.m., join musician and former Red Sox sportswriter Howie Newman for an evening of baseball songs, stories, and trivia at the Leach Library. Registration is required and opens on Monday, July 18 at 9 a.m.

Craft Day

On Monday, July 18, paint your own puppy coin bank at the Leach Library. Sessions are available for ages 0-5 at 10 a.m., ages 6-

11 at 1 p.m., and ages 12-18 at 4 p.m. Registration is required and opens on Monday, July 11 at 9 a.m.

"Library After Dark" Movie Night

On Friday, July 29 from 6-8:30 p.m., a special after-hours movie night will be held by the Leach Library in the main reading room. Join the library staff for a showing of the 2021 animated film Encanto (rated PG) along with refreshments and raffle prizes. PJs and costumes are welcome. Registration is

required and opens on Friday, July 22 at 9 a.m.

Young Adult Movie Night

On Thursday, July 21 at 5 p.m., young adults entering grades 6-12 can come by the Leach Library to watch the 2020 film Dolittle (rated PG). Popcorn and beverages will be provided. Registration is required and opens on Thursday, July 14 at 9 a.m.

Lindsay & Puppet Pals

On Monday, July 11 at 4 p.m., come meet Lindsay and some of her favorite puppet pals at the Leach Library. They will keep audience members entertained and laughing with their stories. Registration is required and opens on Tuesday, July 5 at 9 a.m.

Guppy Gang Story Time

Join Miss Jennifer at the Leach Library for stories, songs, and games during a special summer story time on Tuesday, July 12 at

11 a.m., learn about sea shells. On Tuesday, July 26 at 11 a.m., celebrate Shark Week. Registration is required and opens one week before each session. To register, please visit the children's room desk or call the library.

Wildlife Encounters

On Wednesday, July 27 at 4 p.m., Wildlife Encounters will be at the Leach Library. They will educate the audience about a few of their animal friends (live animals). Registration is required and opens on Wednesday, July 20 at 9 a.m.

Saturday Drop-In Activities

Stop in the Leach Library Children's Room for something fun going on each Saturday through Aug. 6. Every week there will be a different activity to complete at your own pace while the library is open from 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. In July, look forward to scavenger hunts, movies, craft

projects, and a special Shark Week celebration. Registration is not required for drop-in activities.

Republicans Meeting

The Londonderry Republican Committee will meet at 78 Litchfield Rd., on Thursday, July 21, at 7 p.m. Members, friends, and affiliates are welcome to come and share their perspectives on today's topics of concern. For more information contact LRC Chairwoman Janet Huttula at Huttula7@comcast.net and go to www.facebook.com/LondonderryGOP.

Comedy on the Common

The Londonderry Rotary Club will be hosting its first "Comedy on the Common" event, at the Londonderry Town Common, on Friday evening, July 8. The event is Free to all patrons (donations to Rotary are accepted by not required). There will be

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Londonderry Police Log

Selections from the Londonderry Police Logs

Monday - June 20

4:41 a.m. Welfare Check at the RMZ Truck Stop on Rockingham Road leads to subject taken to Family/Guardian.

5:58 a.m. Unlawful Activities investigated at Continental Paving on Continental Drive.

7:21 a.m. Services rendered for a report of a Missing Person on Rockingham Road.

10:37 a.m. Services rendered for a Medical Emergency at the Manchester Boston Regional Airport.

2:28 p.m. Services rendered for Trespassing on Wilshire Drive.

4:25 p.m. Warrant served and arrest made on Front Street. Keagan Lacasse, 33, of Derry, charged with: Forgery of a Government Instrument, Check,

Etc.; and Theft By Deception of \$0-\$1,000.

5:26 p.m. Services rendered for a Disturbance at the Manchester Boston Regional Airport.

8:27 p.m. Services rendered for Drug Offenses on Independence Drive.

Tuesday - June 21

12:12 a.m. Motor Vehicle Check leads to an arrest made by four officers at the RMZ Truck Stop on Rockingham Road. Michael Angelo Rivera Borrero, 48, of Manchester charged with: Falsifying Physical Evidence (Alter, Destroy, Hide); and Possession of Controlled Drug (Schedule 1-4).

10:17 a.m. Suspicious Activity leads to an arrest made at the Manchester Boston Regional

Airport.

10:49 a.m. Welfare Check conducted at the Manchester Boston Regional Airport.

1 p.m. Motor Vehicle Stop leads to an arrest made by three officers on Nashua Road at Gilcreast Road. Wayne Miller, 31, of Londonderry charged with: Alcohol Interlock Motor Vehicle Not Equipped with Interlock; and Drive After Revoked/Suspension.

1:45 p.m. Pedestrian Check investigated on Tokanel Drive.

5:28 p.m. Involuntary Emergency Admission conducted on Carmel Drive. Four officers assist with charging Kristy Lee Canello, 41, of Londonderry with Involuntary Emer-

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three comedians, and the show will run from 7-8:30 p.m. A food truck from will be on site and ready to serve starting at 6 p.m. Patrons should remember to bring their own lawn chairs, as no seating will be provided. Note: This event is targeted for those 18+ years of age.

Concerts on the Common

Londonderry Concerts on the Common presents Veronica Lewis on Wednesday, July 6, from 7-8:30 p.m., at the Town Common. In case of bad weather the location will move to the Londonderry High School cafeteria.

Women's Scholarship

The Londonderry Women's Club offers an annual scholarship to any woman seeking to improve her education. The scholarship is open to all women in Londonderry and surrounding towns. The scholarship value is \$1,000. To be eligible, the female applicant must meet the following require-

ments: Be at least 23 years of age or older, Be a current resident of Londonderry or an adjacent community, Be currently enrolled at an accredited post-secondary institution, Have completed a minimum of half the time or credits required for your degree, certification or licensing program, To apply the applicant will need to submit: A college or institute transcript, Cover letter with statement about your reasons for returning to school, One personal recommendation, Activities, work experience and essay mentioned on application form. Applications must be received by Sept. 30. No late applications will be considered. All finalists might be notified for a personal interview. Recipient will be announced before Dec. 1. The recipient must notify the Londonderry Women's Club of her acceptance before Dec. 15. The award will be made payable to the recipient. Applications are available at the Leach Library, the Derry Public Library and can be found and downloaded from our website at londonderry-womensclub.org.

Spartans Summer League

Spartans Basketball, NH's largest AAU Basketball program, will be hosting their Annual Summer League Session at the Derry Sports Center. Games will be played Tuesday through Thursday evenings from Mid-June to Mid-August. All practices are held on Friday nights. For more information visit www.nhs-partans.com website, contact Chris Coates at CoatesNew@Hotmail.com, or call 603-926-2276.

Blood Drive

The Londonderry Rotary Club, in partnership with the American Red Cross, will be holding its annual blood drive on Thursday, June 30, at the Londonderry High School Cafeteria, at 295 Mammoth Rd. The blood drive will run from 2-7 p.m. There is a drastic need for blood, so please consider donating. If you are an eligible blood type: "O", "B-", or "A-", please consider making a Power Red donation. Please call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or visit "RedCrossBlood.org"

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Summer Tennis Camp

Londonderry Tennis Camp is running a USTA Learn to Play Tennis program during the weeks of July 11 and July 18 from 9-11 a.m., at the Skip Burbine Memorial Tennis Courts. Participants, ages 7 and up, will be grouped by age and/or experience to fit their individual skill levels. Additional classes may be added as needed. The cost per week is \$150. To register or get more information, contact Roberta at londonderrytenniscamp@gmail.com.

Derry Homegrown

The Derry Homegrown Farm & Artisan Market is now open every Wednesday, Rain or Shine at 1 West Broadway, Derry. Close of Season is Sept. 28. For more

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Voter Information

The Supervisors of the Voter Checklist will meet at the Town Clerk's Office to correct the checklist and register voters on; July 20, from 6-7 p.m. To register to vote, one must provide: Proof of Londonderry residency; Proof of citizenship (passport, birth certificate, naturalization papers); Proof of age Photo ID. Applicants for registration who possess proof of identity, age, citizenship, and domicile should bring that proof when they come to register. Qualified applicants who do not possess proof or who do not bring proof with them may register if they sign an affidavit attesting to their qualifications for identity, age, domicile and citizenship. Any questions contact Kristin Grages, Supervisors of the Checklist at 603-432-1100, ext 198.

Police Log

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gency Admission.

8:25 p.m. Peace restored by three officers after a Disturbance on Welch Road.

9:14 p.m. Pedestrian Check investigated at Dunkin Donuts on Nashua Road.

9:27 p.m. Suicide Attempt/Threat transported to a hospital from Welch Road.

Wednesday - June 22

1:01 a.m. Peace restored after a disturbance on Midridge Circle.

8:48 a.m. Services rendered for Neighborhood Disputes on Pillsbury Road.

9:05 a.m. Services rendered by Animal Control for a dog bite on Peabody Row.

9:13 a.m. Auto Theft investigated at Avis Car Rental on Airport Road.

10:41 a.m. Suspicious Activity investigated at an abandoned house on Bancroft Road.

1:29 p.m. Warrant serv-

ed and arrest made at the Londonderry Police Department. Ryan Scott, 32, of Derry charged with: Aggravated Felonious Sexual Assault (Domestic Violence - Force/Violence); Second Degree Assault (Domestic Violence - Strangle); Criminal Threatening - Conduct; and Aggravated Felonious Sexual Assault - Threaten Retaliation.

7:47 p.m. Six officers respond to a Motor Vehicle Accident and make an arrest on Harvey Road at Grenier Field Road. Olivia Elaine Francis, 20, of Manchester, charged with Driving Under the Influence - Impairment; Unlawful Possess/Intoxication; Transport of Alcohol by a Minor; and having an Open Container.

Thursday - June 23

1:18 a.m. Domestic Disturbance investigated by six officers leads to an arrest made at the Park & Ride on Symmes Drive. Matthew Franklin, 35, of Manchester charg-

ed with the Violation of a Protective Order; and Domestic Violence (Simple Assault - Bodily Injury). **9:17 a.m.** Services rendered for Larceny/Forgery/Fraud at Shaw's on Orchard View Drive.

10:55 a.m. Services rendered for Trespassing on Nevins Drive.

4:10 p.m. Criminal Mischief investigated on Preserve Drive.

4:49 p.m. Suspicious Activity investigated on King Henry Drive.

9:05 p.m. Domestic Disturbance reported on Bridle Path at Wallace Farm Apartments. Four officers respond, but could not locate.

9:24 p.m. Follow-up investigation by four officers on Bridle Path at Wallace Farm Apartments.

10:04 p.m. Domestic Disturbance on Bridle Path at Wallace Farm Apartments leads to an arrest. Anthony Hamel, 27, of Londonderry charge with Disorderly Conduct.

Friday - June 24

10:29 a.m. Services rendered for Criminal Mischief on Preserve Drive.

10:57 a.m. Services rendered for a Welfare Check at the Sleep Inn on Perkins Road.

12:09 p.m. Domestic Disturbance investigated by three officers on Bridle Path at Wallace Farm Apartments.

5:56 p.m. Four officers assist with recovering stolen motor vehicle Vehicle on Planeview Drive.

10:18 p.m. Suspicious Activity investigated at Manchester Boston Regional Airport.

Saturday - June 25

12 a.m. Services rendered for Suspicious Activity on Wentworth Avenue.

3:40 a.m. Services Rendered for Drug Offenses on Aviation Park Drive.

11:57 a.m. Motor Vehicle Stop leads to an arrest at TD Banknorth on Nashua Road. Robert Dones, 46, of Derry charged with Drive

After Revoked/Suspended License - Driving Under the Influence.

8:31 p.m. Peace restored by five officers after a Domestic Disturbance on Sherwood Road.

9:25 p.m. Services rendered for a fireworks complaint on Old Derry Road at Clover Lane.

10:37 p.m. Domestic Disturbance leads to an arrest made on Charlestown Avenue. Anna Fitzpatrick, 27, of Londonderry charged with Domestic Violence; (Simple Assault - Physical Contact).

Sunday - June 26
10:15 a.m. Warrant serv-

ed and arrest made on at the Manchester Police Department. Erica June, 35, of Weare charged with: Indecent Exposure/Gross Lewdness; and two counts of Theft By Unauthorized Taking of \$0-\$1,000. **12:31 p.m.** Violation of Protective Order investigated by four officers at Market Basket on Michels Way.

4:45 p.m. Warrant served and arrest made on Rolling Ridge Road. Jeffrey Michaud, 29, Londonderry charged with Criminal Mischief.

6:57 p.m. Shooting Complaint investigated on Wiley Hill Road.



TOWN OF LONDONDERRY LEGAL NOTICE

The Londonderry Town Council will hold the following PUBLIC HEARINGS:

Ordinance #2022-06 - An Amendment to Title IV, Public Health, Safety and Welfare, Chapter VIII, Animal Control

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