Canterbury Community Newsletter

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From the Pastor

Greetings Canterburians,

As the school year winds down this month, it is the time for celebratory graduations and much deserved rest for all students as we anticipate summer breaks. This time of year offers a special opportunity as well to thank the teachers in our lives whose efforts have touched us deeply. I invite you (regardless of your age) to consider for a moment on this early June day the answer to the following question:



Who taught you to love learning? Or asked a different way -- Who sparked your curiosity and wonder in a way that significantly impacted your life path?

Perhaps your high school biology teacher taught you such love when he taught you to use a microscope and you saw a hidden world for the first time. Maybe a college professor adjusted the settings on her telescope to show you the heavens and a glimpse of "the Love that moves the sun and all the stars," as Dante wrote.

It could have been the music teacher who first placed your fingers on an instrument or the choral director who unlocked the power of singing with your whole body. Or the teaching assistant whose feedback on an essay encouraged you to keep writing.

Perhaps you became a lawyer because someone nurtured your love for order, logic, and due process, and that became your way to seek justice for others.

Perhaps your wonder and awe sparked at a nature's classroom camp led you to work to protect the natural lands around us for all to share.

As the school year ends may we remember such teachers (in school and elsewhere). If they've passed on, offer up a prayer of gratitude for how their life touched yours. If they're still in this life, write them a note, or find another way to reach out to thank them. I encourage you to pull out a pen and write their name(s) below as they come to mind. As you use this newsletter as a reference this month having their names on the page can serve as a reminder to take the steps to thank the teacher in your life who may not know the depth of their impact in their vocation. Tracking them down may take some effort, but the effort may be a gift to remind them of the far-reaching value of the love for teaching and learning that someone long ago sparked in them.

God's Peace, Pastor Sara

Thank you to ...

Lots of Ads Again for June! (More on Page 3)

"VISIT CANTERBURY'S VERY OWN BREWERY! Taste amazing beers in the coolest "pub" in town! Choose favorites in growlers to go! 305 Baptist Hill Rd. Saturdays/Sundays 1-5 canterburyaleworks.com

JOIN DAVE HAZEN with Samaha Family Realty for an Information Night at Alan's Restaurant in Boscawen on June 12 at 6 pm. We'll talk about mortgages for first time buyers, Veterans and retirees. We'll also cover mortgages for new construction and renovation. Call to register to be eligible for a door prize. 603-783-3300. Samaha Family Realty - 225-2121

CANTERBURY TIMBER COMPANY – Logging, Land Clearing & Excavation Contractor with 20 years of experience, fully insured. Logging, land clearing, house lots, septic systems, driveways, field construction, stumping. For Logging call Brett Barton 396-3804, brett@canterburytimber.com. For Excavation call Sean McDonald 234-5889, sean@canterburytimber.com.

CANTERBURY CENTER BED AND BREAKFAST: "Where history meets hospitality." 4 guest rooms available to guests. Delicious healthy breakfasts. See ccbnbnh.com or email scribnerlois@gmail.com or call Lois at 603-783-0206.

PETALS IN THE PINES — Our Nature Explore Outdoor Classroom is open on Thursdays starting June 6 from 9-2 for kid's "Spread Your Wings" days! Follow nature book page-signs on Tale Trails, daily 9-6. Now scheduling summer birthday parties! Self-service farm stand open daily 9-6. Flower bouquets available Friday-Sunday and by request. Call Donna (783-0220); visit www.petalsinthepines.com. 126 Baptist Rd.

MAQ DESIGN — Offering quality custom upholstery, slipcovers that fit, and artisan window treatments. Where Quality Counts and Details Make the Difference! By appointment. maryann@maqdesign.net, 783-9640, magdesign.net.

COLD GARDEN SPIRITS — Come taste our new bottling of two-year-aged BOURBON and BRANDY. Saturdays and Sundays, 1 to 4:30 Come visit, learn about our process, enjoy a tasting and take some home. 338 Shaker Road, just North of Shaker Village.

APRYLLE & REED, FLUTE AND GUITAR: Elegant and Peaceful Music for Weddings, Anniversaries, Corporate Functions, Wine Tastings, or any Special Occasion. Call 603-708-1483 for more info and/or bookings.

SPRING INSTRUMENT LESSONS: Flute and guitar lessons with Aprylle & Reed. 6 lessons for the price of 5. All ages and abilities. Call 603-708-1483 for more details.

CANTERBURY WOODS COUNTRY CLUB would like to invite you to the Canterbury Tavern for lunch or dinner 7 days a week! We have new menu items sourced from local farms, extended Tavern hours, and a staff committed to your satisfaction. You don't have to be a golfer to enjoy great food, atmosphere, and service! Visit canterburywoodscc.com for more!

New ad rates and an increase in advertisers

In the past couple months we've seen a significant increase in the number of newsletter advertisers. Thank you! We're grateful.

This creates a good opportunity to step back and think about how we're presenting ads. If you've got suggestions, please contact editors Mark and Brenda Travis at newslettercanterbury@gmail.com!

Our new rates, effective earlier this year:

- \$10 for a 30-word classified ad
- \$20 for a 60-word classified ad
- \$50 for a 150-word business ad plus logo

The deadline for ads is the 16th of each month for publication in the following issue. The ad should be mailed to newslettercanterbury@gmail.com. Mail payment to CUCC, PO Box 216, Canterbury NH, 03224.

CENTRAL ENERGY, LLC When was your furnace cleaned last? Central Energy, LLC, "celebrating 85 years in business." Offering ductless A/C systems, traditional A/C installations and service, as well as all your oil heat needs for service, installations & annual cleanings. Oil tanks & water heaters too. Call Barry at 603-724-9603 here in Canterbury and visit us at www.centralenergy1.com.

RIVERLAND B&B Riverland, a cozy, family-friendly B&B on the Concord-Canterbury line, is accepting 2019 reservations. Send us your tired, your hungry, your out-of-town relatives. www.riverlandonthemerrimack.com. 603-562-6059.

PEABODY HOME, a not-for-profit private home offers many different care options for elders including day care, assisted living, nursing and "respite" care. A nurse is present in the building 24hrs a day/seven days a week Visit our home (24 Peabody Place, Franklin) and/or website to learn more about the "Peabody Home difference" https://www.peabodyhome.org

MAGOON TREE Residential tree service. Snow removal, 70' bucket truck, 12" chipping, skid steer service, stump grinding. Fully insured. Brian Magoon, 496-6835. magoontree.com.

ORGANIC MAPLE SYRUP Delicious maple syrup, a good local sweetener with some health benefits and a great tradition on those Sunday pancakes. Works well as a sweetener in any recipe. Go to our website for info and recipes, northfamilyfarm.com; call Jill or Tim, 783-4712, to pick up; or see us at the farmers market!

More Classifieds

TAMMY'S CLEANING SERVICES -- Cleaning, weekly or biweekly needs? Tammy's Cleaning can help. We get at all those hard-to-reach places! Reasonable rates, fully insured, and lots of long-term references available too. Privacy and security is foremost in our business. Call or text 545-7903 or email tammy@maidforyounh.com.

NEW WAY REALTY — Elle Bezanson, REALTOR (R). Canterbury Resident for over 50 Years, Real Estate Professional for 20 years. I can assist you with any and all of your Real Estate needs and offer a free Market Analysis. Email: bezansonelle@gmail.com. Phone: 783-4746

OLD TIME NH DANCING — Square, contra. Weddings, family reunions, birthdays & more! All ages and abilities. By Dudley Laufman, 2009 Nat'l Heritage Fellow. Live music on fiddle & melodeon. dudleylaufman@gmail.com, 783-4719

THE DEWEY SCHOOL at the Canterbury Shaker Village is pleased to welcome children ages 3-5 to nature-based, Reggio inspired early learning! Coming FALL 2019. www.deweyschool.net. Now enrolling.

THE EDWARDS CPA GROUP, P.C. – Are you a small business owner? We are a local full service firm and we don't just crunch numbers. We are progressive to help you and your family plan for the future. IRS Tax Relief specialists. Quickbooks Advisors. Give us a call! Like us on Facebook! info@edwardscpagroup.com, call Kim Edwards at 286-8000, or visit www.EdwardsCPAGroup.com

GULF BROOK RENOVATIONS "When Ordinary Just Won't Do." Bathrooms, Kitchens, Additions & more. Aging-in-place specialists. Certified Green Professional. Jim Higgins, 226-0212, www.gulfbrook.com.

GUITAR LESSONS AT YOUR HOME OR MINE — Canterbury area. All ages, all styles of music. Berklee/New England Conservatory alum. Tony. 603-475-3471 tonyz84@aol.com

"SHE'S HANDY" ... Tending to your small jobs. Painting, carpentry, odd jobs, extra hand, and your to-do list. 20+ years exp. Insured. Donna Bond. 724-5838. drbond1@comcast.net

Look for Canterbury business page on Facebook

I'm writing to let folks know about the friendly and supportive Canterbury NH Business Community Facebook page. It's a way for folks to connect and get to know what products, services and events are available around town. It's also a great resource for folks to post looking for a specific type of product or service. The focus of the business page is to support the sustainable economic development in town.

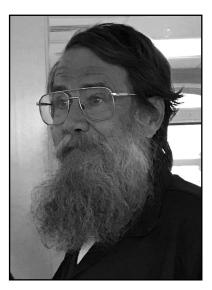
Just search Canterbury NH Business Community on Facebook and you'll find us!

~ Kathie Fife

In Memory of Scott Ruesswick

Scott Ruesswick, a lifetime resident of Canterbury, died April 29 at Hospice House in Concord.

He served the town of Canterbury for more than 30 years on the Canterbury Fire-Rescue, including several years as a deputy chief, and for many years he supervised the town fireworks on Independence Day.



Much of his working life was spent within the town of Canterbury, building and renovating houses, installing solar panels, and most recently turning bowls from local wood.

He is survived by his parents, Douglas and Caroline, his brothers and sisters-in-law Kent (Doneta), Glenn (Pam), Mark (Deborah), and Wayne (Becky) and his wife Barbara, as well as nieces and nephews.

There will be an informal gathering for friends and family to remember Scott at his shop at 180 Intervale Road the afternoon of July 20.

Adult Clothing Exchange

Wednesday, June 5

3 pm to 7 pm at the Parish House

If you have clothes that no longer fit or do not need, bring them to the clothes exchange and find something you like...at no cost. Anything not collected by end of the exchange goes to charity. Men's and women's clothes only (no night wear, swimwear, or underwear) . Slightly used shoes, handbags, and scarves are fine.

We will be accepting clothes on Monday, June 3, and Tuesday, June 4, from 4 to 7 pm at the Parish House and from 2.30 pm at the Parish House on Wednesday, June 5.

If you would like to help, or have clothes to exchange but can't make the evening collection dates, please call 860-9412, or email Stephen.bp@hotmail.com

Hosted by Transition Canterbury. Impulse shopping at no cost!

Fair Day: When the Whole Town Comes Together

Canterbury Fair is coming!

Our June planning meeting will be on the 12th at 7 pm in the Chapel Room of the Parish House. If you still don't know what you want to do, the Children's Activities, the Book Sale, the Chicken BBQ, the What-Not and the Food Tent can always use an hour or two of your time on Fair Day. If you want to help but can't be there the day of the Fair, contact Deb Snow about making yummy stuff for the bake sale!

The Fair benefits some good causes in town -- come get involved! As always, it's on the last Saturday in July -- the 27th this year -- from 9 am to 4 pm.

~ Rick Crockford

What's Up with What Not Item Collection

Item collection: June 15 to July 13, daily at the Byre, 112 Southwest Road, 1 to 6 pm

Volunteer and item drop schedule:

- Moving items from the Byre to CES, Tuesday July 16, 5-7 pm
- Sorting and pricing at CES, Saturday & Sunday July 20 & 21, noon to 5 pm; items accepted
- Monday through Thursday, July 22 to 25, 4 to 7 pm, items accepted
- Friday, July 26, 9 to 5 pm, NO ITEM DROPS
- FAIR DAY, July 27, volunteer shifts

7 to 10 am

10 am to 1 pm

1 to 4 pm

4 to 6 pm, clean up

~ Call or text Sally at 603-848-6408

Lend a Hand at the Children's Area

The Children's Area at the fair is looking for volunteers age 10 and up to help run the activities. This may include timing the obstacle course, hanging the spin art, helping little ones with the bean bag toss and anything in between. We are hoping to have 5 volunteers at any given time and looking for people to fill two-hour shifts beginning at 9 am. If you are interested, please contact Danielle Krautmann via email. We are also looking for donations of small, new or very gently used children's toys that we can use for prizes.

~ DLKrautmann@gmail.com, 603-903-8307

Calling All Canterbury Runners!!!

It is the **25th Anniversary** of the Canterbury Woodchuck Classic 5K!

Please join us on Saturday, July 27, at 9 am for the Canterbury Woodchuck Classic 5K Road Race and 2K Chipmunk Scramble Kids Race. Register online at https://www.runreg.com/canterburywoodchuck-classic-5k, or in person on race day



starting at 8 am. Registration for the race is \$20 for the 5K and \$1 for the kids' fun run. The race starts at the Canterbury Elementary School and ends just down the hill in downtown. But don't be in a hurry to leave after the race, stay and enjoy the fair. We hope to see lots of Canterbury runners celebrating this important milestone.

~ Brandyn and Michelle Lewis, race directors

Book and Multi-Media Sale

GOT BOOKS you'd like to find new homes for? The Canterbury Fair Book Sale will gratefully take them. In addition to "regular" books, we take DVDs or CDs with audiobooks, film, TV shows, and music as well – but we cannot take encyclopedias, textbooks, or dirty/damaged material. If you can do so, please bring books in boxes, rather than bags.

From June 1 to July 9, books and other media can be left in the Fifield barn on 112 Southwest Road. You can leave them in the red barn toward the back of the driveway – between 1 and 6 pm only. There'll be signs indicating where to deposit books.

From July 10 to 24, materials can be donated at the Meeting House in the Center on Wednesdays (4 to 7 pm) and Saturdays (9 to 12 am).

VOLUNTEERS wanted to help with any or all of the following:

- Organizing material at the Meeting House on Wednesday afternoons and Saturday mornings (July 10, 13, 17, 20, and 24)
- Setting up for the fair on Friday afternoon, July 26
- Helping with the sale at the fair on Saturday, July 27
- Closing down at the end of the fair on the afternoon of July 27

Any time you can give will be helpful and greatly appreciated. To volunteer or ask questions, contact Stephanie Jackson (783-0495 or sfjackson59@aol.com) or Paul Lepesqueur (783-4578 or karumi.karumi@gmail.com) or come to the Meeting House on one of the collecting-and-organizing days.

This Month at Elkins Public Library

The next Trustee Meeting is on Monday, June 10, at 7.

STORY HOUR: Tuesday, June 4 and 18, at 10. Come join in the fun! Meet other families in your community; bring your baby, toddler or preschooler. We gather together and read a book, do a dance, and enjoy an activity or craft.

ROCK N' READ: Tuesday, June 11 and 25, at 10. Themed music and movement program for babies, toddlers and preschoolers including a craft and activity.

LEGO CLUB: Tuesday, June 4 and 18, from 4 to 5. This is a "drop in" club that requires no sign up! We love this group because it's made up of babies through high school kids.

1000 BOOKS BEFORE KINDERGARTEN. Reading to your baby is so important! Pick up your charts and stickers, read 100 books, and receive a present! We have 47 children enrolled.

OMBBC (Old Man Boring Book Club) Not just for men! Please join us, offer suggestions and tell us about the titles you've enjoyed. Thursday, June 6, at 7 pm.

BOOK GROUP: Tuesday, June 18, at 6:30. Copies of 97 Orchard: An Edible History of Five Immigrant Families in One New York Tenement by Jane Ziegelman are available at the library. This is our annual pot-luck. Please bring a dish that represents your heritage.

ZEN COLORING every Thursday from 1:30 to 3. Gentle music, coloring supplies and refreshments.

NEW FAMILY PASS! Thanks to FOEPL, Elkins Library now offers family passes to the Seacoast Science Center at Odiorne Point State Park in Rye. The pass admits two adults and up to four children at 50% off the admission. Parking fees may apply, but we also off the New Hampshire State Parks pass which will allow access to this State Park for free!

Attention Middle School students! Elkins has copies of each title on your summer reading list.

A UNIVERSE OF STORIES! Children's programming, materials and activities are at the core of Elkins Public Library's mission year-round. Our Summer Reading Program is designed to encourage children to keep reading and engaging in their library during the SUMMER! This summer, we will be celebrating SPACE. The stars are fascinating and mysterious but by telling stories we feel like we can reach out and touch them! Join us as we compare star stories from around our planet and celebrate this glorious universe with crafts, music and special guests. Thursday programs are designed for children ages 6 months through 16 years.

SUMMER READING KICKOFF EVENT Wednesday, June 12 at 4 pm, with George Saterial and Magic by George! George has traveled five continents performing "Timeless Magic" along with the rest of his extensive repertoire of stage, close-up, and roving magic. All ages are welcome!



Monday, June 17: Young Readers and Teen Read End of Year Group Picnic Party. Young Readers come at 3 pm to enjoy a picnic snack and chips. Teens come at 6 pm to enjoy a special teen picnic party.

Tuesday, June 18: Story Hour. 10 am.

Tuesday, June 25: Rock and Read, 10 am.

Thursday, June 27: Take Me to Your Reader, 10 am. Fandoms are groups of people who come together through a shared love of a book or movie.

Tuesday, July 2: Story Hour, 10 am

Tuesday, July 9: Rock and Read, 10 am

Thursday, July 11, Shoot for the Moon, 10 am. Visible in the night sky around the globe, the moon has always been a source of wonder and an inspiration for many stories.

Tuesday, July 16, Story Hour: 10 am

Thursday, July 18, A Sky Full of Stories: 10 am. Stars are magical and mystical, come learn about the science of space exploration.

Tuesday, July 23, Rock and Read: 10 am

Thursday, **July 25** at 10 am. We have a special day planned this year for our FINALE! Our own **Linda Weiser** will be here to do FACE PAINTING! Linda is a wonderfully gifted artist and she uses only the highest quality face paint to create magical body art!

Town of Canterbury News

Tax bills, loam and seeding, a new deputy

The final loam and seeding have been completed at the Sam Lake House. Landscaping with plantings should be done soon.



Jamie Huard has been hired to fill the vacant Deputy Town Clerk/Tax Collector position. She will be starting the first week of June. Jamie most recently was employed at Southern NH University.

The Selectmen have signed the Tax Warrant. Tax bills are being mailed. The Selectmen have reviewed and approved the draft contract with Penacook

Rescue. The contract should be finalized in June.

The Highway Department will be preparing Carter Hill Road and Borough Road for "Chip Seal" the week of June 10th. Please check the town website for updated information. We will also be posting the paving schedule soon.

~ Ken Folsom, Town Administrator

Keep an Eye Out for Walkers, Bikers and Horses!

As the days get warmer and summer is fast approaching please use extra caution out on the roadways, with more and more people out and about walking, riding bicycles or horses please remember to be respectful as you approach them on the roadway.

Also remember to keep your dog(s) under your control when outside and make sure they have some kind of ID, i.e. a town dog license, in case they get away from you.

Along with the warmer weather we'd like to remind everyone of the **Town of Canterbury West Road Beach Access Regulations** (#16) There is parking available during the normal operating hours at the end of West Road. However, vehicles parked after operating hours will be towed at the owner's expense with possible fines for violation of the West Road Beach Regulations. Hours of operation are 7 am to 8 pm every day from May 30 to Oct. 15.

Also, please don't hesitate to contact the Police Department if you notice anything suspicious whether you're out enjoying the beach or out and about walking/riding the roadway.

If you have a police emergency, dial 911. If you would like to speak with an officer on duty, please call our 24-hour dispatch at 603-228-1010.

For normal business such as requesting reports, pistol permits, or if you would like to leave a message for an officer please call 783-0433.

~ Michael Labrecque, Police Chief



Congrats to the Fire Safety Contest Winner!

Again, this year, the third grade class from Canterbury Elementary School participated in a Fire and Life Safety calendar/poster contest sponsored by the Office of the State Fire Marshal. Students were challenged to design a poster representing a fire prevention and life safety message. Students researched the topic then drew and colored a poster to express the message.

While there were many great posters, **Jack Westendorf** was selected as the local winner. The department appreciates all the efforts put into the project from the students in Mrs. Briggs's class.

The topic of Jack's poster was Kitchen and Cooking Safety. A few safety reminders to prevent injury while cooking:

- Don't put knives or sharp objects in a full sink of water. Put aside until ready to be cleaned.
- Keep dishtowels, potholders and other flammables away from the stovetop.
- Keep a lid nearby to smother small grease fires. Place the lid on the pot turn off the burner and keep the lid on until completely cool.
- For food burning in the oven keep the door closed and turn off the heat.

~ Guy Newbery, Fire Chief

You bet there's more town news!

Our town committees are very active. Check out the reports from the Conservation Commission, the Solid Waste Committee and the Energy Committee on Page 7!

Your Town Committees, Checking In

Solar may make more \$ense than you think ...

Solarize Canterbury launched its campaign to encourage Canterbury residents to 'go solar' on May 29. Attendees at the fun event enjoyed grilled hot dogs, rhubarb drinks, and live music while they talked with their neighbors who had already



installed solar panels. During the program the SOLARIZE basics of solar, rebates and financial benefits were explained, as well as financing options.

Not only is the price of solar going down, but the federal tax credit of 30 percent of the total cost of system will decrease to only a 26 percent tax credit after December 2019. Thus, this summer's Solarize Canterbury campaign is an excellent good time to consider whether this is a good option for you.

To encourage you further, the **Energy Committee** has selected a partner company that will offer discounts to Canterbury residents who sign a contract with them before the end of the campaign on Aug. 31.

Eleven companies were invited to bid, and the design/install team of 603 Solar and Adams Energy was chosen. 603 Solar Co-founder Sean Carlson lived in Canterbury as a child; Roger Adams, owner of Adams Energy and the installer part of the team, lives in Canterbury now. You can find information about the discounts 603 Solar/Adams Energy are offering at: www. 603solar.com/solarizecanterbury

You can sign up for a free site visit there and also on the www.SolarizeCanterbury.org website. On this later website you will find contact info on other installers in the area and other useful information.

If you missed this event, visit our Solarize Canterbury table at the Farmers' Markets in June and July for our handouts on financing and the discounts and to sign up for a free site visit and meet our partner installer.

Or attend one of our two Solar Open House events in mid June or July where you can visit homeowners who have a variety of solar systems. Exact dates are at www.SolarizeCanterbury.org.

Send questions to us at SolarizeCanterbury@gmail.com!

A plan for the Sawyer's Ferry Lot

At its June meeting, the Conservation Commission will present a draft land management plan for the town's Sawyer's Ferry lot, which sits at the end of the maintained portion of Battis Crossing Road.

The Commission's land management plans consider the many current and possible uses of town owned properties, such as wildlife habitat, recreational uses, water quality protection, contiguous open space and forest management.

The Commission invites all town residents who use or are interested in management of this property to hear about the draft land management plan and share any ideas or concerns about this property. This will be the first item on the agenda on June 10 at 7 pm in the Meeting House.

Roadside cleanup a success!

A big thanks from the **Solid Waste Committee** to everyone who helped make Canterbury's Roadside Cleanup event a huge success: the baggers, the sorters, those who separated, and those who didn't. And as always, the crew at the Transfer Station made it all run so smoothly, distributing bags, unloading vehicles, and even setting up an under-cover sorting station. Special thanks go to the Cloverbuds, who braved the worst weather on Saturday to pick up litter at our Town Beach.

And remember, this doesn't have to be a one-off event. Blue bags are available from the Transfer Station, and the same rules apply: blue bags go directly into the garbage truck at no charge, but if there's recycling material in there, it won't be recycled. So if recycling is important to you (and it should be, as the town makes money from aluminum cans), separating out at least aluminum helps both the town and the planet.

Loudon Food Pantry funds run low

In April we gave out enough food to create 4,929 meals to 401 individuals. 133 of those were age 60 and older, 150 were age 18 or under and 153 were in between those ages.

Also, 2,068 meals (42%) went to Loudon; 1,192 (24%) went to Belmont; 806 (16%) to Canterbury; 753 (15%) to Epsom; and 110 (2%) to Chichester. The people we feed from Epsom were grandfathered in when Epsom opened their own pantry. We have not accepted any new Epsom people since.



June Needs: Our funds are extremely low. We need money to purchase food that is needed but not donated and to pay bills. We can purchase food at places that offer food pantry discounts. No amount is too small to help! Thank you!

We are in Huckleberry Business Park, 30 Chichester Rd., Loudon (across the parking lot from Loudon Garage). We accept donations on Tuesdays 10 – 6; Wednesdays 10 – 1; Thursdays 10 – 4 and Fridays 10 – 1. Go to

LoudonFoodPantry.org for more info. Visit us on Facebook (LoudonFP). Call us at 724-9731.

The End Is Near! (Of the School Year, That Is.)

Turn Out, Tune In for CES Spring Concert

The CES Spring Concert will be held on June 6 at 6 pm. Music

director Carlos Martinez has put together a cheerful program that includes dancing, singing, the band, the chorus and much more. The library will also be holding a **Book Fair** that night (a chance to stock up on summer reading), and will be open from 5 to 6 and then from 7 to 7:30.

In addition, art teacher Katie Van Cura has arranged for an **Artome Art Show**. Artome is a company that professionally frames student work so it can be best displayed for families and friends to enjoy. If they choose, parents may purchase their children's beautifully framed work. A portion of the cost will go to our art program.

Parents wishing to register new students may come in any time during regular hours through June or call for an appointment during July and August. If a child has attended kindergarten at CES this year, it is not necessary to register him/her for grade 1.

The annual fifth grade Reception and Awards Ceremony will be held on Wednesday, June 19, at 6 pm. Parents, relatives and friends will join the children for a potluck supper followed by reflections of their elementary school years and recognition of their many accomplishments. Wishes of good luck and much success go to Josie Bernard, Peyton Better, Maple Cochrane, Brady Colby, Kyleigh Combs, Andrew Cryans, Adleigh Dickinson, Milo Dowling, Evelyn Ellis-Haines, Hadley Esty-Lennon, Brady Jewell, Samantha Johmson, Nicholas Makris, Anna McDonald, Abby Osmer, Sarah Perking, Isaiah Puckett, Lulu Sachetta, Sam Slayton, Meg Soucie, and Avery Taylor.

Friday, June 21, is the last day of school. Students will be dismissed at 1 pm. The first day of school for the 2019-2020

school-year will be Monday, Aug. 26. We wish everyone a very happy and safe summer.

Also on the CES June calendar ...

- June 13: Field Day
- June 14: Grade 3 to Build-a-Bear
- June 17: Grades 3-5 Hiking Kearsage
- June 18: **Schoolwide Field Trip** to Shaker Village
- June 20: Grade 3 Sleepover

~ Mary Morrison, Principal



It's hard to believe that June is here, and many events are taking place at Belmont Middle

School!!

- June 7: Career Fair for seventh and eighth grade
- June 7: **End of the year semi-formal dance**, grades 6, 7 and 8, 6 to 8 pm
- June 12: BES fourth grade and CES fifth grade **Parent Information Night**, with 5 pm pasta dinner followed an informational meeting at 6 pm
- June 19: **Please join Mr. Pope and Mr. Saunders** in the Library Media Center for coffee at 9 am to learn more about the exciting new things happening at Belmont Middle School. This will be an excellent opportunity to meet with Administration and ask questions. Please call the school at 267-9220 to RSVP.
- June 20: **Eighth grade promotion**, Bryant Field (weather permitting)
- June 21: **Last day of school**, half day. Have a safe, busy, and happy summer!!!!

A Canterbury newsletter correspondent is needed at BMS. I am retiring at the end of the school year and would love to have a parent volunteer step forward for this opportunity. Please call me at 783-4090 for details.

~ Jan Cote

4-H Plant Fundraiser earns \$366

Our last meeting was held on Monday, May 6, at 6:30 pm at the Parish House. Thank you for all those who helped support our club during our Plant Fundraiser. We earned \$366!

We have been busy with our activities. Two of our members, Dahlia Beaudette and Samantha Marcoux, participated in fashion review. States Activities day participants included Anna McDonald, Lucas Condi, Emma Galonski, Cecilia Condi, Macy Welsch, Ellanah Huizenga, Carina Huizenga, and Dahlia Beaudette. Congrats to Claire Crockford, Helen Gendron, and Elisabeth Runyon for winning the Golden Spatula for best tasting grilled cheese at the Makers Expo Grilled Cheese Challenge representing

Merrimack County 4H! We also had fun at the llama workshop. Welcome to our new 4H Leader **Kim Scammon**! Thank you to those members who were able to help set up for the clothing exchange.

Upcoming events include a Sailing Workshop through the Lake Winnipesaukee Sailing Association and the Canterbury Memorial Day parade on Monday, May 27. Congrats to our new club officers: President Cate McDonald, Vice President Chloe Jackson, Secretary Lulu Sachetta, Treasurer Ethan Condi, Historian Cecilia Condi, Reporter Olivia Ramirez, Recreation Chair Finn LaDue, Refreshment Chair Madeline Mazzaglia and Healthy Living Officer Lucas Condi. Our last meeting of the year will be on Monday, June 3, starting at 6 pm for dinner and our theme is Pajama Party in the Parish House. If you want to know more contact Laura Crockford at canterburyrascals4h@gmail.

~Josie Bernard, Reporter

Were We Speaking of History? Yes, We Were!

A full month at the Shaker Village

Learn to Tape a Shaker Chair (June 1, 9 am to 5 pm)

If you've ever thought it would be fun to tape or re-tape your own Shaker chair, this is the workshop for you! You'll learn to prepare the chair frame, calculate the tape required, plan a weaving pattern and tape the seat. You'll even get a tool kit!

Shaker Saturday (June 1, 10 am to 4 pm)

This season through October, the first Saturday of each month will have special tours at 10:45 am and 1:45 pm for younger visitors and their families, along with a scavenger hunt, activities and crafts. In June, we'll focus on the Shakers' love of nature and the sisters' tradition of picnicking by the mill ponds. Bring a picnic lunch to enjoy on Boys' Island at Turning Mill Pond, learn the Shakers' recipe for hand pies and try out some of the activities enjoyed by children who grew up at the village.

Introduction to Spiritual Energies (June 13, 5:30 to 7:30 pm)

In this class, you will learn what Spiritual Energies are and how they can positively or negatively impact your life. This class will also help to strengthen your connection to the Divine, learn how to change your thought processes, and to achieve the joyful life you were meant to live.

Herb & Garden Day (June 15, 9 am to 5 pm)

Join us for the 10th Annual Herb & Garden Day presented in partnership with the New Hampshire Herbal Network. Attendees will enjoy a full day of workshops for all levels of skill and interest, plant identification walks, demonstrations. The Herbal Market and Plant Sale with 30+ vendors – a collection of local herbalists, farmers, crafters, gardeners, artists and environmental and agricultural organizations – will be onsite, along with local food vendors serving breakfast and lunch.

50th Anniversary Gala & Auction (June 19, 5 pm)

Join in a festive celebration of the village's 50 years as an incorporated museum with a themed party complete with cake and balloons! A special evening of hors d'oeuvres, dinner, entertainment and silent and live auctions. Tickets are limited!

Traditional Craft Days (June 29-30, 10 am to 4 pm)

Visit the village for Traditional Craft Days to learn about and participate in traditional arts and crafts! There will be vendors and demonstrators in wood working, weaving, rug hooking, broom making, oval box making, letterpress printing, and more! Visit with an artisan, participate in activities, enjoy music and food, and find out where you can learn to make the crafts! We'll also be unveiling our 50th anniversary publication *In Union: The People, Places, and Stories of Canterbury Shaker Village* and will have a book signing and discussion with the author, Mark Travis, from 2 to 4 pm on Saturday.



Stone walls and the Civil War!

The subject of the Canterbury Historical Society **One Room Schoolhouse program** this year is the Civil War. In late May the kick-off was held at the elementary school with all grades



participating. The morning began with a student assembly in the gym where a trumpet salute, played by **Steven Lundahl**, welcomed President Abraham Lincoln, **Jim Miller**, who delivered his Gettysburg Address. Subsequently the children were divided by grades and visited classrooms on a rotating basis. Students experienced: woodworking using tools commonly in use in the 1860s taught by teachers **David**

Gingrich and Joe Wernig; stone-wall building taught by Kevin Gardner where students actually got to build (miniature) stone walls; music and dance of the period presented by Jordan Tyrell-Wysocki and happily danced to by all students; games and toys used in that era by Karen Gingrich; and various Authentic Civil War band instuments played by Steven Lundahl, who explained the important role marching bands and music played in the war.

In the afternoon, grades 3, 4, and 5 went to the Center Cemetery and were met at the Civil War Monument by Cemetery Trustees Hugh Fifield, John Goegel and Sam Papps along with Sexton Kent Ruesswick and Cemetery Historian Mark Stevens. They told the students about Canterbury Civil War soldiers who are buried, or have gravestones of remembrance in the cemetery. Students were divided into groups, learned about cemetery etiquette as well as the history of Canterbury's Civil War soldiers, their families and how the war affected them.

Around Our Active Community

Opening Day for Farmers Market!

Opening Day is Wednesday, June 5, from 4 to 6:30 pm in the parking area and field next to the Elkins Library.

There is a LOT going on this season (our 13th!), and we invite you to join us for good and local food, crafts, music, and community. Shop our great local vendors for fruit and veggies, dairy, pasture-raised meats, eggs, relishes and preserves, fresh baked goods, maple and sweet stuff, plus selected crafts.

- Look for our **newly designed website** at www.canterburyfarmersmarket.com! Thanks to Board member Emily Sullivan for pulling it together. You can subscribe to the weekly Market News, get Market updates, find out about our vendors, see the vendor schedule, and so much more!
- Remember to check out the **Elkins Library Book Sale**, inside the library during Market hours, and whenever the library is open. Great deals on hardcover books, perfect for gift giving or a summer read!
- **Dogs are always welcome** at the Market, on leash, and please be mindful of the heat! A big bowl of water is always available in the shade at the Market Info Tent.
- Please consider **becoming a new or renewing Market Member**. While everyone is invited to shop and enjoy the Market, we rely on the support of our members, music sponsors, and vendor stall fees to keep the Market up and running. Thanks for your help!

Here's a look at our June and early July schedule. For a complete listing, go to our website, or find us on Facebook.

Wednesday, June 5 - Opening Day and "Happy Hats!"

Celebrate the start of the 2019 outdoor season by wearing your fanciest decorated hat to the opening day of the Market! Garden themes encouraged, and the best hat in both adult and child category will win a prize! Hat-making activity for children. Live music by our pal Kyle Masterson. We will have a special memorial to our friend and long-time vendor, Doug Breed of Red Fox Farm, who passed away this past winter. Doug's gentle spirit, his classical music, his fine relishes, and his love for his dog Beau will always be part of our Market community.

Wednesday, June 12 -- "What's The Buzz?"

Come to the Market and celebrate all the foods and flowers that rely on pollinators! LIVE music today by Don Bartenstein.

Wednesday, June 19 - "Let's Go Green!"

Bring a neighbor to the Market and celebrate all great green things that can be grown or made -- green veggies, relishes, herbs, and more! LIVE music today by Audrey Buddington.



Wednesday, June 26 - "Strawberry Fields Forever!"

Come to the Market and cenjoy boxes of fresh strawberries, baked goods, fruit preserves, and fresh shortcake with berries and cream. LIVE music today by Speed The Plow.

Wednesday, July 3 - "Beautiful Blooms!"

Bring a friend or two to the Market and celebrate National Flower Week. It is also the perfect time to take advantage of our monthly "Sandwich Slam." Create your own sandwich from a buffet of fresh-from-our-Market meats, cheeses, veggies, and spreads. \$5 suggested donation, proceeds to go to Mary Ellen's Basket, the Market's charitable giving program. LIVE music today by Canterbury's own treasure, Dudley Laufman.

Exercise class adds a morning walk

Beginning Monday, June 3, the Weights and Walkers class will be meeting behind the Parish Hall at 8 am to walk for approximately 1/2 hour. At 8:30, whether you have walked or not, the Weights Strengthening Class will meet inside the Parish Hall. The class runs from 8:30 to 9:30 on Mondays and Fridays. A mat and a small pillow are needed plus whatever size weights you feel comfortable with. There are some weights available for beginners. The class is FREE and individuals move at their own pace. For additional information, please contact Judy Nelson at (603)-493-4207 (Cell) or at 783-9658 (Home).

Immigration forum at Friends Meeting House

Behind Chain Links: Children in Custody will be presented on Saturday, June 8, at 1:30 at the Concord Friends Meeting House, 11 Oxbow Pond Road. The program includes firsthand accounts by a local group who were part of a 5 day "witnessing" project at the Homestead, Florida, Child Detention Center and a presentation on the policy and finances underlying immigrant detention centers. Sponsored by the Human Rights Group of Kent Street Coalition and Canterbury Citizens for Democracy.

Canterbury legislative listening session

There wil be a Legislative Listening Session at 10 am on Saturday, June 8, at the Meeting House next to the library. Hosts: Reps. Howard Moffett, George Saunderson, and Howard Pearl. Attendees set the agenda. Coffee and donuts available.

Canterbury United Community Church

Office hours: Tues., Wed., Thurs. mornings. Call first. 783-9365. mycanterburychurch@gmail.com

Parish House: Call Judy Patterson to reserve, 783-4419

Online: canterburychurch.org facebook.com/ MyCanterburyChurch

Newsletter: Deadline is 16th of month before publication. Editors: Mark and Brenda Travis, 783-0420, or email newslettercanterbury@gmail.com

Canterbury Fair:

twitter.com/CanterburyFair facebook.com/CanterburyFair

Town Crier

Lois Scribner posts Canterbury happenings Sundays in the Concord Monitor. Deadline is noon every Wednesday. Email Lois at scribnerlois@gmail.com

Town Email List

Laura Crockford manages the Canterbury Town Email List. Join or submit by emailing canterburytownemail@gmail.com

Post Office

Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10 am to 5 pm (closed 12:30 to 1:30 pm); Sat., 8:30 am to noon; 783-4158

Stores

Canterbury Country Store: Mon.-Sat., 6:30 am to 6 pm; Sun., 8 am to 5 pm; 783-9933

Brookford Farm Store: 7 am to 7 pm daily; 783-4084

106 Beanstalk: 5 am until midnight daily; 783-4305

Services

Loudon Food Pantry: 30 Chichester Road, Unit D, Loudon. Intake by appointment only on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Office hours and donations accepted Tuesdays 10-6; Wednesdays 10-1; Thursdays 10-4; Fridays 10-1. For more information, go to loudonfoodpantry.org, email info@loudonfoodpantry.org or call Sue at 724-9731.

Town offices and organizations

EMERGENCY? Dial 911

Police Department: Call 783-0433 for non-emergencies. Concord police dispatch: 228-1010 for non-emergencies.

Fire Department: Call 783-4798 for non-emergencies. Email chief at canterburyfire @canterbury-nh.org

Elkins Public Library: Mon., 1 to 7 pm; Tues., 9 am to 6 pm; Wed. and Thurs., 9 am to 8 pm; Sat., 9 am to noon. 783-4386. elkinspubliclibrary.org

Town website: canterbury-nh.org

Transfer Station: Wed., 4 to 6:45 pm; Sat., 8 am to 5:45 pm. Call 783-9980 or email transferstation @canterbury-nh.org

Town Clerk/Tax Collector:

Mon. 9 am to 3 pm; Tue., 3 to 7 pm; Thur., noon to 7 pm. 783-0153. Emails: taxcollector@canterbury-nh.org townclerk@canterbury-nh.org

Selectmen's Office and Assessor's Office: Mon. and Wed., 9 am to 1 pm; Thur., 10 am to 2 pm; 783-9955. Emails: selectmen@canterbury-nh.org assessing@canterbury-nh.org

Town Administrator: 783-9955 kfolsom@canterbury-nh.org

Building Inspector: 783-9033 buildinginspector@ canterbury-nh.org

Highway Dept: 783-4123 canterburyhighway@ canterbury-nh.org

Monthly Meetings: All held at Meetinghouse.

- Planning Board: 2nd Tue., 7 pm; 4th Tue. as needed
- Conservation Commission: 2nd Mon., 7 pm
- Selectmen: 1st and 3rd Mon., 6 pm
- Solid Waste Committee: Next meeting Sept. 23.
- Zoning Board: As needed.
- Energy Committee: 1st Tues., 6 pm

See you at the Fourth of July!

Fourth of July in Canterbury kicks off with a parade from the

elementary school at 10 am and we hope to see you there with your decorated bicycle, unicycle or tricycle. If you have an old car that might like all the attention, show up at the school. All our veterans are more than welcome to march, in uniform or not.



After the parade, stick around for some old-fashioned Independence Day fun: water balloon toss, potato sack race, tug-of-war and lots more fun. Prizes and Ice Pops for everyone!

That night, at dusk, kick back and watch the fireworks up at CES.

Questions? rcrockford@laconiaschools.org



Sunday school raises \$836 for Zimbabwe

Students in the Canterbury United Community Church held a calendar fundraiser in March that raised \$836 for the Light for Zimbabwe program created by Sue Heppenstall. The days of the month had dollar amounts for conveniences we have that those in Zimbabwe don't — a washer and dryer, the number of shoes we own, the number of electric outlets in the house, the number of sinks and so on. Families tallied what they had in their home and donated the total amount.

Pictured from left to right are **Henry Osmer**, **Kim Wieck**, **Amelia Krautmann** and **Sue Heppenstall**.

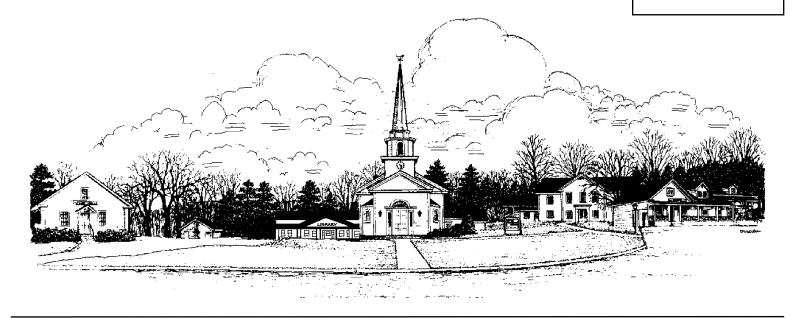
To learn more about the program, visit www.alightforzimbabwe.org.

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Trail Notes: Several hikes along Shaker Ridge await you

We've been focusing on fun and interesting trail work on Shaker Ridge and the Peverly Brook valley. Our brook loop at Old

Ways, 418 Shaker Road, is now well flagged and should have a plank bridge over the small seasonal flowage any day now. Views across the valley fields and from an unusual rock ridge as well as a section following the longest length of lively busy brook north of Baptist Road make this trail special.

pump house Fine views of Village at the To the north new section guided walks

At Shaker Village the dike beyond the dam of Turning Mill Pond has now been cleared. (The dam is the one scheduled to be restored.) Thanks to the help of **Ruth Heath**, **Joe Egan** and **Steve Fifield**, who made sure we saved the blueberry bushes, it's now an open and more enjoyable walk. The trail that includes the dike circles the Mill Pond and is very popular. Most people start at the first gated opening (red steel gate, parking) on the left going east on Asby, right off Shaker Road at the foot of Shaker Hill Road. The massive sawmill foundation is on the right just as you start. Cross the Saw Mill Pond dam, first pond on the right beyond the sawmill foundation, and proceed northeast across the field to the stonewall opening where the trail commences, through big pines, over the dike and through

more large pine forest along the east side of Turning Mill Pond, then around by the old pump mill and back down by the new

pump house and back to Asby Road. Fine views of the east side of the Village at the height of land.

To the north we are working on a new section of trail on which I'll lead guided walks. This will connect with perhaps the prettiest section of trail at the village, along the dikes and dams on the east side of Fountain Pond. Thanks to Loudon Trails Sub

Committee members **Sandy Blanchard** and **Deb** and **Dennis Proulx** for help with trail work.

Carding Mill Trail Walk

Saturday, June 15, at 9 am, I'll be leading a hike out the Carding Mill Trail, about an hour and a quarter of easy walking. Open woods with large trees, pond views and impressive foundations. Park where Asby Road leaves Shaker Road. By the way, **that's a carding machine at Sturbridge Village in the photo.** For hike info, contact me.

~ Dave Emerson, 783-4403, efurnitr@comcast.net