

# FROM THE PASTOR

Dear Friends,

During early August, Karen and I spent a week visiting our family in Bozeman, Montana. Ben, our oldest, his wife, Kristen, and our two grandchildren, Zeke (9 y/o) and Elin (6 y/o) took us camping in the Deer Lodge National Forest, about two-three hours north of Bozeman. For three days we hiked in the wilderness, and a thunder storm swept over us every late afternoon. On the third day, as we relaxed in our campsite after a long hike, the pattering of rain signaled the beginning of the daily storm.

Expecting the usual storm, a thunderous ten minutes with some rain, we retreated under the flap of one of our tents to wait it out. Zeke and Elin zipped themselves in the tent to play a game. We sat sipping coffee. The rain and wind commenced in earnest. However, the storm increased with ferocity. Within minutes we couldn't hear anything but a roaring wind that rolled up the tent with us in it, pelting us with hail and rain all the while. The wind quickly knocked us down.

It was scary. Objects were being slammed about, and the kids were zipped into the tent. We got them out and into the vehicle. Two of us held on to the tent to prevent it from flying away. Eventually the wind subsided. Large pine trees were uprooted and strewn all over the campsites around us. There were no injuries among the campers and no vehicles were crushed.

I thought, well, it will be a few hours before the roads are cleared. However, the other campers were people who worked on ranches and farms. Within minutes the melodic sound of chainsaws filled the air. Roads were quickly cleared and we drove out of the mountains, our vehicle filled with our rain-soaked gear and ourselves back to Bozeman.

We expressed grateful, prayerful thoughts as the energy of the crisis ebbed. During the quiet ride home I thought, well, that was hard, but we responded pretty well. We cared for the children first, then we tried to salvage our bent pole tent, and filled our vehicle with all our gear in case the storm circled around and came back. Last, but not least, all the campers checked in with each other to see if there was any need.

One of the books I read on vacation was "TRIBE, On Homecoming and Belonging", by Sebastian Junger. Junger wrote "The Perfect Storm" and directed the award winning film "Restrepo", based on his experience with Army troops in Afghanistan. Junger asserts at the end of his introduction to Tribe, "Humans don't mind hardship, in fact they thrive on it; what they mind is not feeling necessary. Modern society has perfected the art of making people not feel necessary. It's time for that to end."

At the heart of congregational life is the claim that all persons are necessary. September for me is always a time to renew that agreement, that covenant among ourselves. Even without natural catastrophe or tragedy, we take that claim seriously and joyfully. We invite you to join us in this work of caring for each other, every day of the year.

With the joyful appreciation for my family and this community, I am,

Gratefully,

Bill

## September - Months at a Glance

Sept. 6 4H Registration Night

Sept. 11 Charlie Gilman Corn Roast

Sept. 13 State Primary VOTE!

Sept. 13 Humanities To Go! At Elkins

Sept. 15 CES Hot Dog Supper/Open House

Sept. 24 Hunger Sucks, Food Rocks Walk/Run

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# AROUND TOWN

## CHURCH NEWS



The annual **Charlie Gilman Corn Roast** will be held on Sunday, September 11 at 11:30 a.m. in the Parish Hall.

Come enjoy ears of fresh local corn roasted in their husks. Please bring a dish (salad, fruit salad, sandwiches, etc) to share.

Beverages will be provided.

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Sunday, September 11 also marks the beginning of our 2016-2017 church school year.

Registration and classes begin this day. Students join their families in the sanctuary for the beginning of the 10 a.m. service and then will go to their classrooms.

We offer classes for pre-K through grade 8 and youth group for grades 9-12.

All are welcome! Please contact Pastor Bill at 783-9365 or Kim Wieck at 783-4774 if you have any questions.

## CANTERBURY BENEVOLENT SOCIETY

Our next meeting of the Benevolent Society will be held on Wednesday, September 14th, at 1 PM in the Parish House. Karen and Stephen Buchanan-Parker are hosting.

We will be discussing ideas for fundraising and expanding our membership. Our meetings are open to anyone that wishes to attend. A person does not have to be a member of CUCC to be a part of the Benevolent Society. Attendance at meetings is not mandatory.

We welcome anyone who would like to help our organization grow and continue to serve our community and beyond. There are many ways to help out.

## THANK YOU!

The bake table had another great year and we couldn't do it without you! Thanks to the bakers and workers who helped out at the Canterbury Fair this year.

~ *Debbie Snow*

## Canterbury 4H Rascals



The first meeting, Registration Night, will be held on September 6th at 6:30 p.m. at the Parish House. All 4-H projects that were displayed at the Hopkinton Fair will be returned after the meeting. We will also go over registration for new members. All current members, new members, and parents should attend this meeting. Online re-enrollment will be available later in September, and members will receive more information from the county office when it becomes available.

The first Business meeting will be held on the 12th of September; snacks will be at 6:15 p.m. and the meeting will start at 6:30 p.m. All members should attend the first business meeting. Honors Evening, project sign-ups, and fundraising will also be discussed.

Our 4-H meetings are generally held on the first Monday of the month. We welcome anyone who will be 8 years old by January 1, 2017 to join. Our projects include: sewing, food show, public speaking, presentation skills, photography, jewelry making, baking, community service projects, kayaking, and much, much more!

Please contact Laura Crockford at 540-9877 or [canterburyrascals4H@gmail.com](mailto:canterburyrascals4H@gmail.com) with any questions.

~ *Ethan Condi, Reporter*

**Cloverbuds** is a 4H program for children from ages 5-7 years old. The purpose is to provide meaningful educational experiences to help youth grow and learn through projects and physical activity.

The group meets once a month after school at Canterbury Elementary School. The first meeting will be Thursday October 13th.

Contact Amanda Neil at [862-221-0486](tel:862-221-0486) with questions.



The Town Halloween Event in October needs volunteers.

Want the Haunted House Contest Back? Volunteer!

If you have things you would like to see, share your ideas and join the fun! Please contact Laura Crockford at [603-540-9877](tel:603-540-9877) or [yogaforkids3@gmail.com](mailto:yogaforkids3@gmail.com). It takes a village!

# LIBRARY NEWS

The library will be closed on **Mon. Sept. 5th** in observance of Labor Day.

The Library Trustees meet Mon. Sept 12 at 7:00.

**Story Hour! Tues. Sept. 6 and 20 at 10:00.** This month we will explore LADYBUG Book Award nominees for 2016. Come participate in a 5 minute dance party, hear a story and make a craft to take home.

**Rock N' Read!** Babies and toddlers will have fun with music and movement activities. **Tues. Sept. 13 and 27 at 10:00.** Come visit with your baby friends and learn new songs and rhymes. An age appropriate craft follows the program.

**1000 Books Before Kindergarten!** We are excited about our participation in this national program. The single most important thing you can do to prepare your child to read independently is to read to them every day. Come to the library to learn more and we can help you track your progress! We have a few babies getting close to achieving the 1000 book mark!

**Lego Club!** We have lots of Legos to create and build with **Tues. Sept 6 and 20** and from 4:00 to 5:00. Kids of all ages welcome!

**MAKER SPACE!** This month we celebrate ONE YEAR of Maker Space at Elkins! It's a creative, DIY space where people can gather to create, invent, and learn. Stay tuned to this newsletter, Facebook and the town-wide email to hear what we feature each month.

**MAKER SPACE – BRAIN FLAKES:** Stop in after school on Monday and Tuesday nights in Sept. to play with this neat set that we have on loan for a limited time. Brain Flakes is a learning building toy for fine motor skills development. All ages are welcome!

**YOUNG READER'S CLUB:** **Mon. Sept. 19 at 3:15.** Grades 4-6 come join in an ice breaker activity and learn more about each other.

**TAG: Teen Advisory Group: Mon. Sept. 19 at 6:00.** You really have to check out this awesome group at the library. Each month features great discussion and food. At this meeting we will discuss our plans for the year – you decide!

**After School:** If your child, age 9 or older will be coming to the library after school, please stop in and sign up to receive pertinent information.

**OMBBC** (Old Man Boring Book Club) Not just for men! The club consists of several community members with varied backgrounds that will review the latest history and biography books available at Elkins Library. Please join us, offer suggestions and tell us about the titles you've enjoyed. **Thurs. Sept. 8 at 7pm.**

The books are in! The **Book Discussion Group** will meet on **Tues. Sept. 20 at 7:00.** The *Lightkeepers* by Abby Geni are available at the library for anyone that would like to join us.

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**Zen Coloring** every Thurs. from 1:30 to 3. Quiet music, coloring supplies and refreshments. We have new gel pens to give your picture varied color, texture & pizzazz!

**Elkins Library Knitters** will reconvene on **Wed. Sept. 14 at 6:30.** All levels of knitters are welcome.

**Quilters** meet Wed. mornings from 10 – 1. Bring your handwork, sewing machines and don't forget your lunch!

**Scrabble** every Monday night at 6:00. Come join in!

**RUG BRAIDING! Kate Goegel** will teach oval rug braiding on Thursdays, Sept. 8 through Oct. 13 from **10:00-12:00.** Sept. 8 is a meeting with Kate to find out what materials need to be purchased. There is no fee, but **sign-up is required** and the class is limited to 6. Some experience recommended. Please contact Sue at 783-4386.

**Humanities-To-GO! Tues. Sept. 13 at 7:00. George Washington Spied Here: Spies and Spying in the American Revolutionary War (1775 - 1783)** Based on recently discovered historical materials and recent books, this program by **Douglas Wheeler** is an inquiry into the life and death of America's first spy, the patriot-martyr, Nathan Hale, of Coventry, Connecticut. Wheeler takes audiences on a journey through the spy world of the Culper Spy Ring of New York, Long Island and Connecticut, the most secret of the American spy rings and the most successful in getting useful intelligence to General George Washington beginning in 1778, two years after Hale's tragic execution by the British.

**MEDITATE:** Join Fran Nash for an hour of gentle stretching and meditation **Friday, Sept. 9 at 6:00.** Please bring a mat or blanket to lie on. There is a \$5.00 fee.

**FRIENDS of Elkins Public Library membership, Drive Extravaganza** on **Tues. Sept. 27 at 6:30 PM** with renowned magician, Andrew Pinard. Silent Auction and refreshments. Don't miss it!

**"On Your Mark, Get Set, Read and Relax!"** the nationwide **Summer Reading** theme was celebrated with 220 participants. The fun all began with Steve Blunt and ended with Lindsay and her Puppet Pals! We entertained the crowd throughout the months of June and July with 13 fun programs full of activities, crafts and goodies to eat. A special thanks to Mary Ellen Hutchinson and Ted LeClair, Halla Kirsh, Dana MacCoy-Bishop, Qvention MacCoy and Kaylan Bishop for their help throughout the summer program and the Friends of the Library Group that donated the funds for our finale entertainment. For pictures of the fun we had ALL summer, check out our FaceBook page or see our YouTube production by searching "On Your Mark, Get Set, Read and Relax".

**Download audio books!** Check out the website <http://nh.lib.overdrive.com>. Contact the **library** to **register** for this service.

**Family Passes- Call to reserve the pass you would like to borrow (783-4386)** SEE Science Center; Christa McAuliffe Planetarium; Shaker Village; Currier Museum of Art and the Squam Lakes Science Center.

# LIBRARY NEWS

## Friends of Elkins Public Library (FOEPL) Update

### Friends of Elkins Public Library's Second Annual Extravaganza!

Please join the Friends of Elkins Public Library (FOEPL) at our second Extravaganza and Silent Auction! This year's Extravaganza will take place at the library on September 27th. Join us at 6:30 for a silent auction and refreshments with the program beginning at 7:30. This year's program features Andrew Pinard. Walk back in time with the award-winning showman Andrew Pinard as he transforms into the Boston-born magician Jonathan Harrington. During the course of the performance, Pinard will present mysteries and wonders from the nineteenth century in character and period costume with the help of audience members.

Many thanks to the event's generous sponsors, the Grappone Companies, Mike Bertolone of Farm Family Insurance, Dwight Keeler & Co. Real Estate, and Ken Jordan Realty.

Thank you for seeing that the newsletter continues and try to make it to the performance – it will be a fun evening!

~ Mary Ellen MacCoy



Dear Canterbury Parents,

It is with mixed emotions that I submitted my letter of resignation to Mrs. Morrison last month. I decided to take a position closer to home. It allows me several more hours a week with my family, and that is something that has become important to me.

The staff at CES, the residents of Canterbury, the parents and students all welcomed me here with open arms. You were all supportive of me and my classroom. I appreciate all of you and will miss all of you very much. I know that I am leaving so much behind—a fantastic school, a principal I respect, teachers who inspire me, staff that went out of their way to help me, students I have come to love, parents who trusted me with their children, and friends I made in town. It is a lot to lose. I am grateful to all of you for your support these last three years, and am proud to have been a part of your community. Please tell your children I will miss them.

I am off on a new adventure. I am looking to the future, but remembering the past. I know Mrs. Morrison will hire another fabulous teacher—she always does.

Sincerely,  
Sue Mayo

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# CES NEWS

Kindergarten teacher, Sue Mayo, has taken a position much closer to her home and won't be returning this year. We are very fortunate to welcome, former CES student and community member, Hannah (Julian) McCauley as our new kindergarten teacher. Hannah is a Shaker graduate, has Masters in Childhood Education from Ithaca College and has experience teaching in the early primary grades. She will be a wonderful addition to the CES team.

The district has purchased new playground equipment that is currently being installed. School nurse, Mary Jo Reed and PTO Co-chair, Jodi Martinez, did a great job researching and selecting a multi-faceted climbing structure along with a four-unit swing set. School board member, Bob Reed, with the help of our maintenance staff, Randy Reed, David Marden, Chris Call and Mike Kulacz, have done an amazing job working to get the structure ready before the beginning of school. A big thank you goes to Dale Cochrane for volunteering his time and equipment to help complete the project.

The CES annual PTO Hot Dog Supper/Open House will be held on Thursday, September 15th. Food will be served from 5:00 to 6:00 P.M. and teachers will be in their classrooms to greet visitors from 6:00 to 7:00 P.M. We hope you are able to come to visit and see what's new at your school.

School District staff will be available on the 15th from 5:00 - 7:00 P.M. for volunteer fingerprinting. Parents or community members who wish to become school volunteers need to be fingerprinted for a background check. This is done only once and anyone who has already been fingerprinted by the district does not have to have it done again. However, all volunteers must fill out the annual affidavit so their names can go to the next school board meeting for final approval. Only after that approval can individuals participate in school activities.

The CES library is sponsoring a Scholastic Book Fair during the school day throughout the week of September 12th. The Fair will also be open on the evening of the 15th from 5:00 to 7:00 P.M. As always, there will be a wide variety of selections with something to appeal to all ages and interests.

### September Calendar:

Sept 2nd & Sept 5th	Labor Day Weekend – No School
September 13th	School Board Meeting BHS 6:00
September 12th - 16th	Scholastic Book Fair 9:00-3:00 Thursday, Sept 15th 5:00-7:00
September 15th	PTO Hot Dog Supper and Open House Fingerprinting Clinic 5:00-7:00
September 19th	PTO Meeting 6:30 CES Library

~ Mary Morrison

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## Canterbury Community Farmers Market

Here's the September schedule. For a full description of events, plus pictures, latest news, vendor updates, and a heap of other good stuff, check our our website at [www.ccfma.net](http://www.ccfma.net), or find us on Facebook!

Wed., Sept 7 – ART at the mARkeT. We are joined by NH Plein Air Painters who will be working throughout the Market creating fresh art before your very eyes! Music by Brad Myrick.

Wed., Sept. 14 – Grateful Grains. At this Market we will celebrate the foundation of many a delicious meal! Music by the ever popular Jordan Tirrell-Wysocki. This is also a collection day for Mary Ellen's basket, the charitable giving program of the Market.

Wed., Sept. 21 – Say "Hey!" to Herb Day. Find out more about the savory and sweet plants that add spice to life! Music by Paul Luff.

Wed., Sept 28 – Fiber and Fall Frolic. Embrace the warm fuzzies that will keep you cozy in the cooler months to come. Stock up on pumpkins and squash, too! Music by Paul Warnick.

Keep in mind...

- Wed., Oct. 5 is the last outdoor Market of the season! (What? Already??)
- You can use SNAP/EBT/credit/debit cards at the Market. We have \$20 matching funds for the first \$20 of SNAP benefit used.
- Have you renewed your 2016 Market Membership yet? Come see Sylvia at the Market info tent and she'll help you out. We also ALWAYS are happy to sign up new Members!
- Please consider sponsoring one of the great musicians that plays at the Market each week! It's easy to do...stop at the Market Info tent to learn how.

## Town-Wide Email List

The Town of Canterbury has a Town-Wide email list to distribute information. If anyone is not on the list and would like to be, contact me at : [canterburytownemail@gmail.com](mailto:canterburytownemail@gmail.com) This is a great way to get information out. Thank you!

~Laura Crockford

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## \*\*\*CCFMA "Farm to Table Celebration," Sat., October 1\*\*\*

In honor of the Canterbury Community Farmers Market 10th anniversary we are holding a celebratory harvest dinner on Saturday, October 1. We would like to invite YOU to join us for this special dining experience!

CCFMA is pleased to be working in partnership with The Farmers Dinner and Chefs Keith Sarasin and David Crinieri to provide a unique dining experience in Canterbury Center and the Parish Hall. Chef Sarasin embodies our mission of building community through the farmer's market experience. His goal is to bring people, farmers and chefs together to educate, inspire and enjoy really good food. Our harvest dinner will do just that.

Here is what you can expect at Canterbury's own Farmers Dinner Celebration:

- A four course, professionally prepared dinner, with many of the ingredients as possible, sourced from our weekly Market vendors
- Recipes for several of the chef's special dishes will be provided
- Between courses, there will be short presentations by a few of our vendors, who will share their unique story about why they started farming
- In addition to an excellent dinner, there will be a Silent Auction, with proceeds to benefit the Loudon Food Pantry

If you would like to join us, please go to [www.thefarmersdinner.com](http://www.thefarmersdinner.com) to purchase your tickets. Space is limited to 100 seats. The ticket price is \$49, including tax and gratuity.

Please note that this event is supported in part by a grant from the NH Dept. of Agriculture, Markets and Food.

**WALK & WEIGHTS CLASSES** will continue in September (NOT Labor Day) beginning on September 9th (Friday).

Meet behind the Parish Hall @ 8:30 AM to walk for approximately 1/2 hour and then continue at the Parish Hall for strengthening exercises using weights.

Classes are FREE & meet Monday and Friday every week except holidays. Bring your own ankle and free weights and a mat (if you so desire one).

If there is interest, an evening class could be added for those who work. For additional information, please contact Judy Nelson: 783-9658.

# AROUND TOWN



## Shaker Village

## Happenings

The Canterbury Artisan Festival will take place on Saturday September 17 from 10-5pm. Tickets are \$12 for adults, \$6 for children 5-17. The Canterbury Artisan Festival celebrates traditional arts with an Artisan Craft Fair & Farmers' Market, music, artisan food, family craft activities, farm animals and demonstrations.

The Juried Craft Fair includes artisans in fabric, handknits and wovens, jewelry, pottery, woodworking, painting, toys, and more. The Farmer's Market will feature produce, prepared foods, handcrafted soaps, oils and other locally produced products. Traditional Arts demonstrations such as cooping, basketry, pottery, wood carving, historic building restoration, and herbal presentations will be held throughout the day in addition to agricultural demonstrations including farm animals, permaculture, heirloom breeds, and seed saving. Cold River Ranters will play from 12-2pm and The Jordan Tirrell-Wysocki Trio will perform from 2:30-4pm.

The 2016 installation of *Shaker Traditions: Contemporary Translations* was unveiled on August 6 during Village Rising and will be on display through December. The special exhibit features contemporary works from artists in a variety of mediums and reflects the myriad ways in which the Shaker legacy continues to resonate with us today. The exhibit is housed in the Carriage House and the Dwelling House and is included in the price of admission.

Space is still available in several of the Village's Shaker-inspired workshops in September:

Shaker Broom Making on September 10. Join Village demonstrator Everett Bailey as he guides you through the broom making process in the historic Carpenter's Shop. \$75 Village members, \$90 non-members.

Rugs in the Shaker Spirit on September 24 with textile artist Rose Ann Hunter. Spend the day at Canterbury Shaker Village learning some of the needlework techniques and stitches practiced by Shaker sisters and the 18th and 19th centuries. \$75 Village members, \$90 non-members.

Letterpress Printing on September 24. Learn the basics of letterpress printing from Village demonstrator Jim MacNab in the Canterbury Shaker Village Print Shop. \$75 Village members, \$90 non-members.

For more information or to register, please visit [www.shakers.org](http://www.shakers.org).

Photo attached: "Knitted Beehive with Feathers" by Sharon Cheeseman is on display as part of the 2016 installation of the special exhibit, *Shaker Traditions: Contemporary Translations*, which opened August 6.

## HISTORICAL SOCIETY



### BOB DUDLEY RECEIVES THE BOSTON POST CANE

At a recent informal ceremony, Bob Dudley was presented with the Boston Post Cane by selectmen Arthur Hudson and Cheryl Gordon. Among the onlookers were Bob's wife "Gina" and daughter, Melissa. A more formal reception is in the planning stage when family and friends will be invited to celebrate this milestone event. Watch for details. The Historical Society sends its warmest wishes to you, Bob!

### TOWN HISTORY PROGRESS REPORT

The Society is pleased to announce that the first draft of the book's manuscript has been received by the Town History Book Committee and is currently being reviewed. Comments are scheduled to be returned to our writer, Kathryn Grover, by September 12th. The final draft is scheduled to be returned to us by early December and upon review, will be conveyed to Peter Randall Publishers in Portsmouth who will prepare the History for publication in June of next year.

We are pleased to announce, that to date, we have received \$76,032.00 in contributions to pay for the writing and publication of the new history. We will continue to welcome contributions to the project, so if you had meant to help, but just didn't "get to it", you may do so by sending your check to Canterbury Historical Society, P.O. Box 81, Canterbury, N.H. 03224. The Society is a non-profit organization recognized by the I.R.S. so that all contributions are tax deductible.

### FURNITURE MASTERS DAVID LAMB AND TOM McLAUGHLIN TO PRESENT

Mark your calendar for October 2nd at 2 P.M. and come to the Town Hall! The Society is pleased and proud to present a program in which these two accomplished and well known Furniture Masters will discuss their work and ideas about their creative process. Both David and Tom have not only achieved "Master Status" but also a standard of excellence that makes their work instantly desired as heirloom quality. All are welcome. There is no charge, however, the Society would welcome donations to allow us to continue to present these types of programs. Refreshments will be served. (Better come early!).

~ Robert Scarponi

# AROUND TOWN

## Canterbury Police Department

As the New Chief of Police, I want to thank everyone in town for accepting me into the community. I would also like to thank the board of Selectman and the town administrator for choosing me to lead the police department. I look forward to meeting as many people as possible in the upcoming months. In the month of September, I will be working on Saturdays during the day time in hopes that you will stop by the police department and say hello.

I would also ask for your patience as we restructure the police department so we can give the community the best police services that we can provide. Feel free if you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to call me at the police department at 603-783-0433 or e-mail me at [mlabrecque@canterburypolice-nh.org](mailto:mlabrecque@canterburypolice-nh.org)

~ Chief Michael Labrecque

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The Canterbury Police Department would like to remind residents of the start of school in September. Please take your time traveling our roads and watch for school buses and children at bus stops. Also a reminder of the "School Zone" in front of the Elementary School is 20 MPH when the flashing lights are operating.

As we head into September, I would like to let you know that from June 17th, which was the last newsletter deadline, through August 16th which is the deadline for this article, your Canterbury Police Department has been busy, we have responded to 2 Motor Vehicle Accidents. We have answered 386 Calls For Service, issued 172 citations (which includes warnings), conducted 20 investigations and arrested 18 people.

I just wanted to remind the town that Canterbury is an active member of the Concord Regional Crimeline. This means that if you wish to leave a tip that could solve a crime or report a crime it is strictly **Anonymous**, and it could be worth up to \$1000 in rewards. Please call 603-226-3100 if you have a tip.

As a reminder: 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 a particular officer please call 783-0433 or e-mail [canterburypolice@canterbury-nh.org](mailto:canterburypolice@canterbury-nh.org)

~ Sgt. Ernest L. Beaulieu Jr.

### NOTICE

The Supervisors of the Checklist will be in session at the Canterbury Town Office, Sam Lake House, in Canterbury Center from 7:00PM to 7:30PM on Tuesday, September 6, 2016 to make additions and corrections to the checklist. No changes of party will be accepted at this time.

Denise Sojka  
Mary Ann Winograd  
Brenda Murray

## FROM THE OFFICE OF THE TOWN CLERK

1. We have noticed over the last few months that Thursday hours are getting busier and Tuesdays are getting quieter. If you have a choice, we recommend you come visit us on Tuesdays when you will be less likely to have to wait.
2. Our **STATE PRIMARY** is Tuesday, September 13 from 7 to 7 at the old Town Hall.

Please remember the Office of the Town Clerk/Tax Collector is closed for regular business on election days.

### **ABSENTEE VOTING AT THE STATE PRIMARY:**

If you are physically unable to get to the election polls for the State Primary September 13, 2016 and you would like to vote absentee a written request must include:

1. Your name.
2. The date of the request.
3. If you are an undeclared voter the ballot you would like to receive.
4. Your written signature.
5. An address where we can mail your absentee ballot.

All absentee ballots must be completed and returned to the Office of the Town Clerk by 5 PM on September 13, 2016. If you have any questions about the voting process, please do not hesitate to call us during regular Town Clerk hours at 783-9955.

~ Ben Bynum

## FIRE DEPARTMENT NEWS

The month of July was extremely busy. We answered 44 Emergency calls. Twenty-two of these calls were in a 48 hour period. These Emergency calls ranged from rollovers on the interstate to wires down, alarm activations, medical aid, brush fires and smoke in a building.

Recently, one of our members, Collin Evans, graduated Emergency Medical Technician school and is now a registered EMT for the State of New Hampshire. We are very proud of Collin for his achievements. Good job, Collin.

I am currently working on recruitment. We would like to find five firefighters or EMT's. If you are interested in becoming a volunteer firefighter or EMT, and are over the age of eighteen, please stop in and fill out an application.

We meet every Monday night from 6:30 to 9:00 pm. You are welcome to stop by and chat with us, meet some of the dedicated people and find out why they do this job.

As Uncle Sam would say, We Need You!!

~ Chief Peter Angwin



# AROUND TOWN



## Town Administrator

We have had a busy summer at the Sam Lake House. Several items have been completed.

The annual audit was completed by Melanson and Heath. Cross Country Appraisal Company completed the revaluation on all properties. Intervale Road paving was completed. The town will be assuming ownership and maintenance responsibilities for the new section after approval from the Board of Selectmen.

A new phone system is being installed at the Municipal Building, Sam Lake House and Library. The new system will allow these buildings to be interconnected to improve customer service.

The Selectmen would like to welcome Canterbury's new Police Chief, Michael Labrecque. Chief Labrecque's work history includes State of NH Dept. of Corrections, Town of Bow Police Dept. and for the last twelve years, he worked for the Town of Hooksett Police Dept. retiring with the rank of Lieutenant.

A Solid Waste Committee was convened by the Board of Selectmen. The committee will study Canterbury's solid waste needs that include recycling, needed capital improvements and a long term plan for Canterbury based on the expiration of the rate contract with Wheelabrator Technologies waste to energy facility in 2018. Members of the committee are: Art Hudson-Selectmen's Representative, Chuck Beckley-Transfer Station Manager, Emily Burr, Ollie Fifield, Steven Rasche and Jeff Leidinger. The first meeting will be held on Sept. 6th at 6 PM at the Meeting House.

~ Ken Folsom  
Town Administrator

## First Class Newsletter Mailings

At the present time, we mail out 65 stamped newsletters each month using the first class mail system. All other newsletters are sent out as bulk mail (at a reduced cost) or electronically, via email. Anyone who has a mailbox in town, receives a copy in their box. The postal carriers have no way of knowing which boxes to skip, That is how bulk mailing works.

If you no longer wish to receive your **first class** mail copy, please contact [newslettercanterbury@gmail.com](mailto:newslettercanterbury@gmail.com) and we can take your name off the list. If you are out of town and want to receive it via email instead, send your request to [newslettercanterbury@gmail.com](mailto:newslettercanterbury@gmail.com) and you will be added to the e-mail list.

We appreciate your help and hope that you enjoy reading our newsletter. As always, any suggestions are appreciated.

## Canterbury Recycling Center

As of September 1st, 2016  
Recycling center operations hours:

WEDNESDAY 4PM---- 6:45pm GATE WILL CLOSE  
SATURDAY 8AM—5:45PM GATE WILL CLOSE  
This will allow 15 minutes for those inside gate to unload and allow employees to get out on time without the potential of having to be paid overtime.

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE DAY  
OCTOBER 22nd, 2016 10AM---2PM OR when budget amount has been met for this program, which could shut down earlier if met.

All of us here at the Recycling Center strive to make your visit quick, easy and assist you if needed. Please feel free to submit comments, good and bad.

Thank you for doing your part in recycling.

~ Charles H. Beckley  
Manager

## Sing Your Heart Out

Friday, Sept 2 at 7pm Quaker Meetinghouse, 11 Oxbow Pond Rd

Here's your chance to 'sing your heart out' with your friends and neighbors at the Quaker Meetinghouse at 11 Oxbow Pond Rd.

Bring an instrument (if you wish to accompany), a snack or beverage to share, and your Rise Up Singing songbooks (we have some to lend if you don't have one). Everyone gets to request a song - or lead one, if you wish. Lift your spirits as we lift our voices together. Hope to see you there!

In joyful song,  
Ruth Heath (Call or text 724-4343 for more information)



Basic Level SQUARE DANCE CLASSES will begin on Wednesday, September 14th at West Congregational Church in Concord (off from North State Street) at 7:00 PM.

The first two classes are FREE!!! If you've felt awkward and confused at the last two BARN DANCES when the caller shouted "Allemande Left" your corner and "Do-Si-Do" your partner, then these lessons are for you. ALL ARE WELCOME!!! For more information, contact Ron Turcotte (620-3717) or Judy Nelson (493-4207).

# AROUND TOWN



## Monarch Butterfly Watch

Early September is peak migration time for Monarchs when they fly from our region all the way to Mexico to their over-wintering site.

For the past several years I've been tagging Monarch butterflies as a citizen scientist for Monarch Watch at KSU. The Monarch population has decreased over the last several years, and much research is being done on this miraculous butterfly.

Monarch caterpillars eat milkweed as their sole source of food. If you have milkweed growing in your yard and notice any caterpillars living on them I would be happy to raise them to the butterfly stage so they can be tagged for their trip south. Monarch caterpillars are yellow, black, and white but are not fuzzy. (There is another milkweed caterpillar with the same colors that is very fuzzy--the Tussock Moth.)

If you have any Monarch caterpillars you can either drop them off in a container with air holes and some milkweed leaves at *Petals in the Pines*, 126 Baptist Rd., or I will come get them. You can track our Monarch activity on our *Petals in the Pines* Facebook page.

Please call Donna at 783-0220 for more information.

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## NEWS FROM THE CANTERBURY COMMUNITY MARKET, LLC

We are pleased to announce the United States Postal Service has just renewed its lease for five years. We have started a conversation with them about a review of the post office hours promised when Ted Leclair retired and the hours were changed. We are looking for feedback from community members and businesses who may or may not think the post office hours are serving our community.

We would like to thank Kay Cushman and Sandy Morris for priming and painting the pillars and storefront railings just prior to the Canterbury Fair. Oh it made such a difference....so THANKS from us all Kay and Sandy! We greatly appreciate your community spirits!

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## HOW TO PLACE A NEWSLETTER AD

The deadline is the 15th of each month. \$7 for 30 words or less or \$14 for up to 60 words. Please email ad to newsletter (see address below) and mail payment to CUCC, PO Box 216, Canterbury, NH 03224.

Must be received by the 15th!

## 4th Annual Monarch Festival at Petals in the Pines Saturday, September 10 from 9-4

Come to *Petals in the Pines* for a day focused on learning about, and celebrating, the amazing Monarch butterfly. Tour our 26 theme gardens, including the Butterfly Garden & Milkweed Specimen Bed where you can learn how to attract these colorful creatures to your yard. We'll have information and fun activities for young and old alike, crafts for kids, and enjoy our many unique Nature Explore play places.

New this year we will have "PARADE of WINGS" at 11 AM. Kids, and those young at heart, should come wearing your favorite butterfly, fairy, bird or bat wings. We'll parade through the gardens to celebrate the wonderful world of flying creatures that make their home in our landscape.

The Monarch population is at its lowest in many years, and we plan to educate our visitors on what can be done to help save them. Visit our "Monarch Maternity Ward" and Pollinator Garden to search for Monarch eggs, chrysalises, caterpillars and butterflies. We'll do butterfly wing tag and release demonstrations (if we have any Monarchs emerging.) Kids will have fun exploring the grounds and playing in our Nature Explore Outdoor Classroom. There's something here for all ages! A \$5 per adult donation is suggested and kids are free. Donations will help us continue our work in advocating for the Monarch butterfly.

Stop by the farm stand for whimsical garden crafts or for plants that attract butterflies to add to your landscape. Swamp Milkweed will be available for sale, while supplies last. Call Donna at 783-0220 for more information or visit our web site at [petalsinthepines.com](http://petalsinthepines.com). Look for the "Monarch" signs to direct you to 126 Baptist Rd. Please leave pets at home. Carpooling is encouraged.

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## Classified Ads continued

**JANE BALSHAW ESTHETIC AND COLOUR STUDIOS.**  
Paramedical skin care with holistic methods specializing in difficult skin conditions. *Fragrance-free environment.* 12 Cogswell Hill Road, Canterbury. [JaneBalshaw.com](http://JaneBalshaw.com) 603-491-7305

**HACKLEBORO POTTERY ,QUILTS AND BRAIDED RUGS**  
FALL SALE!  
25% off all braided rugs and quilts in Stock from Sept. 1 until closing November 6. Kate Goegel

GRAND VIEW FARM; Halloween Pumpkins, 35 Fife Road, Canterbury, 783-9886

**CANTERBURY HOME CARE**, care by the hour in your home or here. Cook, clean, personal care, med reminders, walk the dog... Whatever it takes for you to stay home!  
Call Canterbury Hall 783-9822 and leave a message for Cate



## Loudon Old Home Day Results

We were at Loudon Old Home Day Saturday. The weather cooperated until about 4:00 pm. But during the dry time we got to see old friends and met new friends and received some food donations. Some of our products were sold and between that and donations we received the total for the day came to \$59.54. I would like to thank the people from the horseshoe tournament for their donations. Thank you everyone for your smiles, laughs, and generosity.

## Up Coming Events

**Saturday, September 24, 2016 at 10:00 am - Canterbury's Hunger Sucks, Food Rocks Walk/Ride.** The CUCC's Outreach Committee will be sponsoring a local walk/bike ride to benefit the Loudon Food Pantry.

Please contact LeAnne Fifield 934-2075 or Sonette van der Merwe 540-9325 for forms to walk/ride, find a walker/rider to sponsor, or make donations. We will also have a direct link on our website ([LoudonFoodPantry.org](http://LoudonFoodPantry.org)).

Go to <http://tinyurl.com/zwuy7xj> and this will take you to information regarding Canterbury's walk/ride and options to donate.

**Saturday, October 1, 2016 – Canterbury is having a Farm to Table Celebration Community Supper.** This event will also have a Silent Auction to benefit Loudon Food Pantry.

## Canterbury's Hunger Sucks, Food Rocks Walk/Ride September 24, 2016

On Saturday, September 24 at 10:00 am the CUCC's Outreach Committee will be sponsoring a local walk/bike ride to benefit the Loudon Food Pantry. This will be in place of the annual CROP Walk and will ensure that **the Food Pantry receives 100% of the donations.** The 5K walk/ride will start in front of the Canterbury Church and end at the Parish House where there will be refreshments served by the Canterbury Benevolent Society. Children under the age of 10 need to be accompanied by an adult.

Please contact LeAnne Fifield 934-2075 or Sonette van der Merwe 540-9325 for forms to walk/ride, find a walker/rider to sponsor, or to make donations.

There is also a direct link on the Loudon Food Pantry's website to donate. Go to <http://tinyurl.com/zwuy7xj> this will take you to information regarding our walk/ride and options to donate.

**Please get involved by walking, riding, or donating to someone who is.**

## HUNGER SUCKS, FOOD ROCKS!!!!



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I will be returning to Zimbabwe for 2 months in mid-September. Our children call me back to be a part of their lives and to make a small difference. They are in my heart and I can't leave them,

Your support over the past years has allowed us to educate over 100 children from primary through secondary school. We currently have 6 students in college and 4 graduates, a lawyer, a banker and 2 teachers. Our annual education budget is approximately \$18,000 per year. We also send \$500 per month for food and discretionary items such as solar lamps, shoes and uniforms. We have 6 successful poultry and other small farm animal projects and have just started another one to empower an HIV + young man living with his grandmother.

September 10 we will participate in an annual shipping container filled with clothes, bikes, soccer balls, books, raincoats, backpacks. and medical supplies.

We have formed and registered a sister organization in Zimbabwe named Lighthouse Mission Trust. When I am not there, some of our former students and local leaders oversee our projects.

We are literally a light in the dark and hope in a challenging economy. The love that is returned with smiles and hugs is a blessing worth more than I can ever explain.

~ Sue Heppenstall.



A LIGHT FOR  
ZIMBABWE

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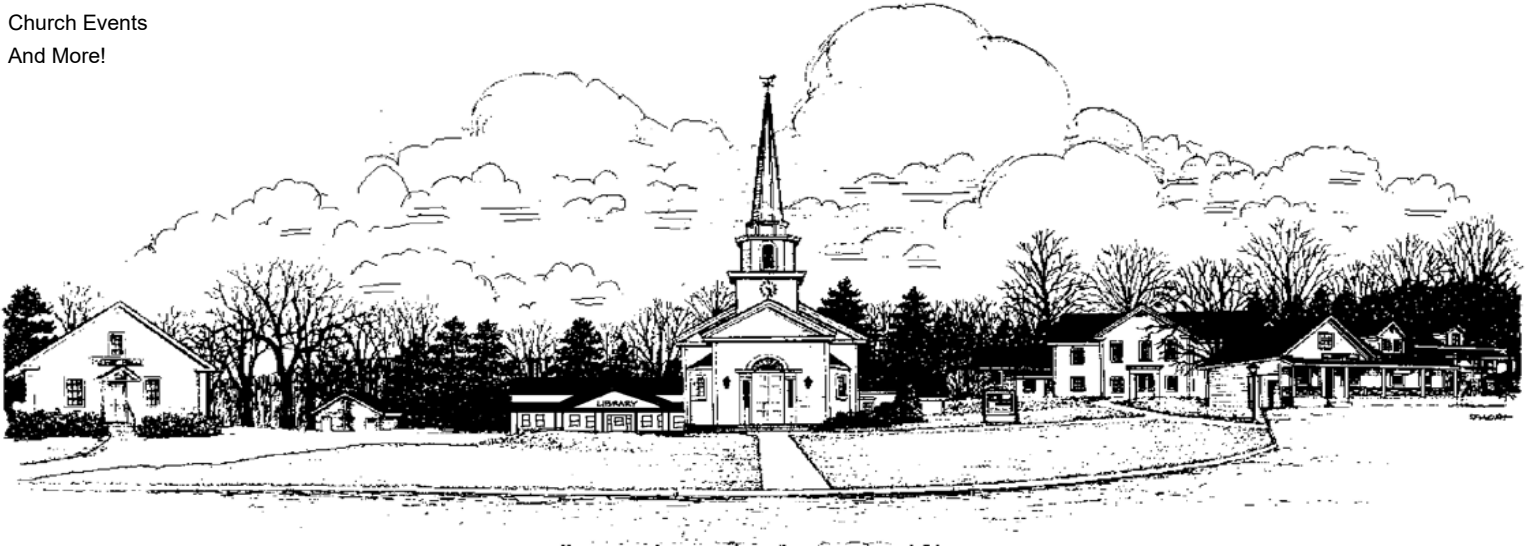
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## Hike Canterbury September 2016

Quite possibly the best hiking in Canterbury is at Shaker Village. The grounds are always open as the village sold an easement some years ago, and, as most easements do, it stipulates availability for non-motorized public recreational use at all times.



My favorite short walk is down Shell Church road, by the West Family mill site then along the east shore of Meadow Pond, by the largest pine I know of in town. The trail's well made – by the Student Conservation Corps. You can pull off Shaker Road and park at the beginning of Shell Church Road which goes West just South of Greg and Hillary's brick Shaker house. Just before the bridge over Peverly Brook the trail starts left at an old log landing. After passing the old mill site it soon follows along the east bank of the brook. Be sure and look back to the stone arch of the bridge, which is often so well reflected in the outflow pool that it's very difficult to tell the difference between the actual bridge and the reflection. The trail soon follows mostly pretty close to the edge of the pond, through nice woods with large trees. You'll reach the pine, tight alongside the trail and next to the pond, in about 20 minutes. Return or continue on to a bar gate with old stone posts near the pond edge. Go left up the wood road which comes out at the brick Shaker Trustee building right at the top of Shaker Hill, and double the length of your walk. (To be continued in a future Newsletter)

~ Dave Emerson