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Birthday Ball

Caleigh Cawthron celebrated her eighth birthday with Harlem Wizards player “A-Train” during a fundraising basketball game held on Monday night at the Londonderry High School. The event was a combined effort by the three elementary school’s PTA groups. See more photos on page 10.

Photo by Chris Paul

Town Looking To Invest In Solar Energy on Auburn Road

LORI COSTA
LONDONDERRY TIMES

In the end of 2017, the town was approached about the possibility of Londonderry having interest partnering in a large scale solar project. After a lot of research done by the town, it was

found that the area that used to be home to the town dump off of Auburn Road would be feasible for this project. This area could be used for a very large solar array and would be the largest one in the state of New Hampshire to date according to

Town Manager Kevin Smith.

The land in discussion is approximately 200 acres, but they would not be using all of the land according to Steve Cotton, the Administrative Support Coordinator for

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Public Hearing Held For Kendall Pond Parking Lot

LORI COSTA
LONDONDERRY TIMES

Town Manager Kevin Smith introduced the public hearing for an ordinance change to the parking lot area to Kendall Pond. In the past, this area has been a problem with nefarious and unwanted activities taking place. In response, it was closed off for the winter with some wooden logs in the parking lot. There was a meeting that took place with neighbors of that area and members of the Conservation Commission to determine the best action moving forward.

At the previous meeting for the Conservation Commission, the decision was made that they would

not pursue the idea of having a gate at the parking lot, but instead they would pursue amending the ordinance. This would add two new paragraphs to the Title and Chapter governing the Kendall Pond parking area. This includes: “No vehicle shall enter or remain in the Kendall Pond parking lot outside of the following hours of operations: during Daylight Savings time: 5am-8pm and during Standard time: 5am-6pm.” Smith said this is the answer the Conservation Commission has come up with for policing the parking lot area.

Neighbors of the Kendall Pond area with the group “Friends of Kendall Pond” spoke up

about their opinions about the various issues that have been ongoing for years. One spokesman for the group asked the council to view this area as primarily a conservation area not necessarily as a recreational area. The FOKP are willing to work together with the Conservation Commission and the Town Council. They will monitor from their homes the behaviors they see and find the best course of action for everyone. They were also in favor of curbing the hours of operation and following through with the idea of prominent signage to deter unwanted behavior. Another member of the

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Council Responds to School Board Decision on \$600,000 Shortfall

LORI COSTA
LONDONDERRY TIMES

At Monday night’s Town Council meeting, the subject of the \$600,000 shortfall was once again brought to the attention of the public.

Last week, members of the School Board voted 4-1 to pay \$0 towards the tax shortfall, because this was a “town made error” and the school should not have to pay because of the town’s mistake.

This came as a shock to Councilor Tom Dolan who felt this was a misrepresentation of the facts of what happened and what’s going to hap-

pen going forward.

Dolan addressed the article written in last week’s issue of the Londonderry Times of how “the town was responsible for the shortfall” according to the School Board.

“I want to correct the record,” Dolan said “With the most important element being: What is right for the taxpayer.” Dolan also said the council (and he himself) always use that question as a threshold for action. He continued on to review what happened after the shortfall was discovered and what exactly happened in

the first place. “First of all, the town never asked the school for help with the shortfall,” Dolan said. “We (the town) simply identified that the town government had a \$160,000 problem and the School District had a \$440,000 problem.”

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Elementary School Reading Teams Face Off in Book Battle



Fifth grade students from Londonderry's three Elementary School's faced off on the stage at the Londonderry Middle School last week for a "Battle of the Books" event. Reading classes from each school read a series of books, about 15 in total, and each class picked teams to represent the class in recalling items from the various books. The teams were narrowed down by contests held at each school until just one team remained to represent that school. Those three teams competed

against each other with one team being named the best in answering the questions raised by the announcer. The winning team was from North School's Nicole Mazze class. Students were Mikaela Perez, Kaelyn Zabala, Caleb Hayden and Cameron Ayotte. South School team was made up of Julia Pizza, Adrian Mercado, Jn-Vincent Inglese and Daniela Fereira. The Matthew Thornton team was Dillon Tufts, Parker Lewis Carson Palma David Pento and Joshua Conty. *Photos by Chris Paul*



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Shortfall

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Once explained, the school's finance leader understood and wanted to pay for a portion of the school's shortfall and suggested the town help the school district to make up the rest of the school shortfall." The reason for this was due to the fact that the school's "rainy day" fund was still in its early stages. Dolan continued to say "The Town Council was very sympa-

thetic, but wanted the School Board themselves to determine the amount they would contribute and how much help they wanted from the town".

Dolan then took a moment to explain to the public exactly what had happened to cause this shortfall in the first place. "Each year the State's financial authority (The Department of Revenue Administration) determines the local tax rates. They traditionally have the town submit all the

property values to the state. They process that information along with the taxpayer approved budgets and determine the tax rates (both town and school) to collect enough taxes to cover the money needed for the budgets.

This past year, a new system was introduced. The state went digital and had the town submit electronic inputs to a software algorithm to achieve the same end result. However; it was determined

after the fact that those towns with TIF (Tax Increment Financing) properties were not properly accounted for in the algorithm. Hence, the wrong tax rate was determined by the state. By state statute, it is the state's responsibility to get that right. Once the error was determined, it was up to the town government to come up with an additional \$160,000 and the School District to come up with an additional \$440,000. To not do so would mean the

two governments would be spending money they don't have. Dolan said the town was prepared to pay their shortfall and willing to help the school district with theirs.

There were other alternatives that could have been chosen, but were not. The town could sue the School District to pay their bill, but that would cause legal expenses for both the school and the town. This would also result in taxpayer dollars spent for legal cost with no net gain. The district also had the option to reduce their expenditures by the \$440,000 shortfall. This would result in layoffs and/or a reduction in services to the children. The final alternative could be to collect additional school taxes from the taxpayers, which would cause financial disruption to the taxpayers.

Dolan made the recommendation to Chairman John Farrell to help the School Board this year. He then added the recommendation to modify the town's policy so that this will be the last time the town helps and

make it clear to the School District that they will be responsible to pay their own obligations going forward. Dolan finished his statement with a personal note to the School Board. "I am disappointed that the School Board has not stepped up to pay for their obligations and budget, but I am thankful that the town, through sound financial management has the rainy-day funds available to protect our taxpayers from any additional unnecessary/unscheduled costs-should we vote to do so."

Chairman Farrell stepped in to say that some policy changes would have to be made. He explained what this meant to the taxpayer overall. "We gave \$500,000 back to the taxpayer earlier this year and now we'll be giving \$600,000 back so it'll be a \$1.1 million return of revenue to the taxpayers from the town." Farrell also said that they will be able to figure this all out this year, but going forward will have to be figured out at a later time.

First Parish Church Rehabilitation Efforts Slows Down

The Londonderry Lions Club got a very detailed talk about the historical reconstruction project that has been underway, for over a year, at the First Parish Church in East Derry. The project organizer, and church member, Paul Lindemann showed those in attendance a slide show on the progress being made by the contractors brought in for the project. It has been largely funded, to this point, by parishioners, local groups, and grants from the New Hampshire Land and Community Heritage Investment Program (LCHIP). The Lions Club was told that only half of the \$2 million cost is able to be funded at this point, and the church has now started efforts to reach out through other avenues.

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Editorial

Earth Day Every Day

April 22 is Earth Day, the annual event when we're reminded to think about where we live. Not our town or even our country, but the Planet Earth.

Outdoor celebrations and political speeches all have their place, but the message we should have taken to heart by now, 48 years after Earth Day started, is that caring for the only home we have is not something we can do just one day a year.

By now, we should have incorporated earth-saving measures into our daily lives. Preserving our environment has taken on more emphasis lately as global change continues to make headlines, but like most things, change really does begin at home. Much of that change involves simple things. Here are a few.

When you shop, bring along cloth or paper bags, rather than using plastic to cart home your groceries, [if you do use plastic reuse them]. When your meals are done, recycle and compost to minimize the trash going into landfills. Instead of buying water in plastic bottles, use your tap water filtered if you choose and take it with you in a non-plastic container. You'll keep the chemicals in plastic from building up in our landfills and in our bodies, you'll save money, and you won't have to worry about the latest horror stories over what we might be ingesting along with the

water.

Plant a garden, and consider raising it organically. Not only will you have fresh food, but you're more likely to eat in a more healthy way. If a garden is not possible because of time or living arrangements, shop at farmers' markets. Food sold close to where it's grown, in season, usually means fewer chemicals are used in processing, and less fuel is used to get it to you.

Our towns have clean-up days scheduled, whether it's Beautify Londonderry effort or the roadside cleanups in most communities. Spend a little time picking up litter and keeping our roadsides tidy, and our towns really will be prettier places.

We can all do our part, whether it's by using energy saving light bulbs, reducing air conditioner use in summer, getting all your errands done in one trip to save gas, and driving the speed limit for fuel efficiency.

Making these small changes will do far more than attending a rally on Earth Day can accomplish.

After all that's really what all the Earth Day celebrations are about making such reminders unnecessary because they've already become part of our daily lives. We cannot depend on the government or others to do it for us. "Lead by example".

Letters

Harlem Wizards Thank You

To the editor;

The Parent Teacher Association's of Matthew Thornton, North, and South Schools would like to pass along our sincerest thanks for our Harlem Wizards Event that took place Monday, April 16th.

We had a bunch of sponsors that helped support our event. These businesses so generously gave back to their local community and for that they need to be recognized.

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The Harlem Wizards Planning Committee

PTAs from Matthew Thornton, North School, and South School

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To the editor,

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edisys Hospice in Londonderry is actively seeking volunteers to visit patients in the areas of Manchester, Derry, Londonderry and surrounding towns.

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Please contact Patty Cooper at patricia.cooper@amedisys.com or call 603-421-0414.

Thank you!

Patty Cooper
Hospice Volunteer
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Kendall

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Friends of Kendall Pond said the group was not in the loop when the Conservation Commission made their decision to go with policing the area with cameras. He was also in favor of keeping the set-up with the wooden logs, because people use the parking lot properly and no one hangs around. If the logs are removed, the nefarious behavior will most likely continue.

Councilor Jim Butler gave his opinion that he didn't understand why the gate couldn't go in after the town had helped save the Conservation Commission roughly \$20,000 with the negotiations on Griffin Road.

After speaking with the town attorney, Chairman John Farrell brought forth several options that the council has. The first option would be closing down the area altogether, if law enforcement finds the behavior continuing. Option two would be not to remove the logs and not open the park back up. The third option was to grant or deny the amendment to the ordinance. Councilor Tom Dolan was not in favor of closing the conservation land. "The reason we buy conservation land is for the general use of the public," Dolan said. Farrell also noted that the Town Council has the option of purchasing a gate themselves and installing it. Vice-Chairman Joe Green also agreed with Councilor

Dolan that groups need to get together to fix this problem and the council needs to get more information going forward.

Kevin Smith also suggested keeping the logs where they are and keeping the park open or having a non-electric gate and having the FOKP group voluntarily open and close the gate each day. Chairman Farrell made note that they would have check on the liability issues that may come from having residents open and close the gate. The council agreed that they would need more time to discuss the various options further and to meet with the groups involved to find the best path forward. The issue was tabled until the council's next meeting scheduled for Monday, May 7.

Earth Day Can Be Celebrated Every Month of the Year

MELISSA BETH RUIZ
LONDONDERRY TIMES

Earth – third planet from the sun, the water planet, humankind's only home. With nowhere else to go for the time being this world's inhabitants need to listen to the warnings its weather and environment are sending, and act quickly.

Some not-so-fun environmental facts: There are currently over 5 trillion pieces of plastic littering the oceans, and ocean currents concentrate this and other bits of litter and garbage into 5 "Ocean Garbage Patches" off of the coasts of Asia, North America, Africa, Australia, and South America. Approximately 40% of the lakes in America are too polluted for fishing, swimming, or aquatic life. Pollution is now being regarded as a major factor in disease, damaged immunity, and impaired neurological development. Needless to say, the list goes on.

The Earth is filled with

resources that human beings have come to rely on for survival, and innovations to industry, transportation, etc... have all contributed to the waning of valuable resources, such as trees, and clean water. How can humankind achieve balance in using natural resources and keep from depleting the limited supply, and from irreversibly damaging the Earth? The answer might lie in the past.

1970 was perhaps the peak of harmful emissions and pollution in the United States. It was a time when people would fill their hulking V8 sedans with leaded gas and toss empty cans, bags, on the side of the road with reckless abandon. Though this was a year of environmental carelessness, it was also the year that Americans would begin the decades-long process of environmental awakening.

One year earlier, a Wisconsin United States Senator would be so shocked by the ravages of a mas-

sive oil spill in Santa Barbara, California, and so inspired by the anti-war movement of students around the country that he would begin working on the idea for a "national teach-in on the environment." This Senator was Gaylord Nelson, founder of Earth Day, a day that achieved a political rarity of uniting the left and right, rich and poor, urbanites and rural folk, in seeing eye to eye on the one thing they all had in common—the air they breathed, the water they drank, and the Earth they all spun on, together.

"The purpose of Earth Day was to get a nationwide demonstration of concern for the environment so large that it would shake the political establishment out of its lethargy, and finally, force this issue permanently into the political arena." Gaylord had recalled of the fateful day in a statement to the Wisconsin Wilderness Society in 1990, "It was a gamble,

but it worked."

Though Nelson had passed away in 2005, his Earth Day legacy lives on.

Nearly 50 years later, Earth Day 2018's End Plastic Pollution campaign works to raise awareness of the exponential growth of plastics threatening the survival of the planet. Though the amount of plastic that sits in our landfills and oceans is a monumental problem in and of itself, it is just one issue of many that pose a threat to the health of our home.

No one person can tackle every single issue. It takes effort from each and every one of us. That is why the folks behind the Earth Day movement have also launched their Act of Green campaign, hoping for 3 billion individual acts of green before Earth Day's 50th anniversary in 2020, just two years away.

An Act of Green could be as big as getting recycling bins for the entire town, or as small as getting a recycling bin for the office, and anything and everything in between. Though it may seem easier said than done, if every person at least in the United States chose their own Act of Green to incorporate into everyday life, it could make a world of difference for our one and only Earth. It could be as simple as flipping a switch.

According to a Global Emissions study conducted in 2010, Electricity and Heat Production accounted for 25% of all greenhouse gas emissions. This means that a quarter of the gases that accumulate in the air and have been contributing to climate change are produced by the burning of coal, natural gas, and oil to power

homes and businesses. All it would take is a simple act of green to limit this figure. By simply turning off lights when not in use, unplugging devices after they are powered down, and by limiting heat use to only when absolutely necessary, the amount of energy waste could be significantly reduced.

Transportation accounts for 28% of all greenhouse gas emissions, says a study conducted by the EPA in 2016. Nearly one third of all greenhouse emissions could be cut down by limiting travel, carpooling, and walking or biking short distances rather than driving.

For more information and resources on Going Green, visit www.earth-day.org, and for more data on emissions, visit www.epa.org.

Solar

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the town. The focus would be about 85 acres to avoid disturbing wetlands. The hope with this project is to use the land space available and bring in some new revenue to the town. Cotton proposed to the council a 10 megawatt solar farm on the 200 acre property. Even though they cannot feasibly use all 200 acres, the goal is to eventually possibly add another 10 megawatt solar farm on the property with the

remaining 115 acres sometime in the future. In the meantime, the idea was brought forth about possibly using that additional land to install a dog park for Londonderry. That will not likely happen, due to the area of the land itself.

According to Cotton the cost for 85 acres would be \$1,000/acre and \$200 for the remaining 115 acres currently not in use. The town will also be looking into a pilot program that will add \$10,000 per megawatt or \$100,000 per year. In the first year, the town is looking at

\$208,000 of revenue to bring into the town from this project. This would be the largest solar facility in NH, being about five times larger than the one currently in operation. With this energy created, the power will be injected back into the grid and sold at wholesale. The solar field itself would provide about enough power for roughly 5,000 homes. Since this was just a review, only the consensus was needed of the council. The Town Council gave their nod of approval for the project to move forward.



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The Londonderry Town Forest and Nutfield's 300th Anniversary

ERIC SMITH
LONDONDERRY TIMES

Kent and Meredith Allen of Londonderry have been organizing a community project for the Town Forest. When first settled, Sixteen Scots-Irish families came to "Nutfield" in response to the trees in the area. There were American chestnut, black walnut, and butternut trees. Those trees were used for building houses for families, warmth and food. However, a blight eventually came through and wiped the trees out.

In May of this year, there will be a planting of new trees and small shrubs in the middle of

the forest to honor the town's 300th anniversary in 2019. The Allen's are currently looking for volunteers and are hoping to get this project going in May of this year. They want the woods to become more pleasing to the eye, bringing more citizens into the forest. There is a lot of work to do, but with the help from the community, the project will go forward.

Not only will the project benefit the forest itself, it will also lead to a stronger community and a chance for individuals to come and work together. However; the project needs to be worked on as soon as possible. When

asked about the importance of the timeframe, Meredith Allen responded saying, "It can only happen this year in preparation for next year. By the time we get to fall, and the ground begins to freeze, we are hoping that it's going to be in great shape for the 300th anniversary".

The forest needs a lot of work done to get it ready for the 300th anniversary celebration next year. Not only will the plantings occur, but the forest itself needs a good clean up. "Throughout Kent's project, he has been cutting up trees and making piles. Right now, the forest is full of small

piles of wood. It looks a little bit like a tragedy, but as soon as we are able to get this underway with good weather, it will all come about to be wonderful", said Meredith Allen.

Kent Allen is currently working on cleaning up the forest and the trees that fell down after the wind storm back in October of 2017. An entire straight line of trees came

down like a domino effect and Kent has been down there every day working on it. It's a heavy project and will still take plenty of time bring it back to its state of perfect. There have been numerous volunteer groups who have committed time over the years to help clean up the forest and pick up debris. However, now, more than ever, the forest is in dire

need of help.

The Allens are hoping to have a Blessing of the Forest towards the end of the year along with picnic at the Town Common in order to celebrate the project's success. The "Let's Beautify our Forest" project will be underway soon and with the help of volunteers, the forest will be ready and looking beautiful for 2019.

Salvation Army Spring Cleans For You (For a Good Cause)

MELISSA BETH RUIZ
LONDONDERRY TIMES

This time of year, families all over go through clothes and household items to filter through what is clutter and what is necessity. Many families hold yard and garage sales to re-home excess clothes and goods, and to make a few extra dollars for summer getaways, home repairs, etc. But what if there was a way to clear out the rubble and make some money for families in need?

That's where the Salvation Army comes in. Located at 18 Folsom Rd in Derry, New Hampshire, The Derry Salvation Army has been helping families in need for decades. One of the ways they are able to do this is through the generous donations from members of the community.

Aside from year-round monetary, clothing and household items donations, the Salvation Army holds a yard sale each year, selling donated goods and redistributing all proceeds back into the

community to help struggling families get the things they need and get back on their feet.

Salvation Armies across the country help 25 million Americans every year, and serve 128 countries around the world. The Salvation Army's message is based on the bible, and its ministry is motivated by the love of God. While its primary mission is to preach the gospel of Jesus, the Salvation Army works hard to meet human needs without discrimination.

At large, the Salvation Army works to help survivors of disaster, resolve hunger in underdeveloped countries, overcome poverty, serve the LGBTQ community, provide shelter to the homeless, fight human trafficking, stop domestic abuse, provide families with resources to bond and strengthen each other, teach children, empower the arts, assist the unemployed, combat addiction, provide compassion to the elderly, and serve veterans across the country. Needless to say, these

profound undertakings require significant funds to accomplish, and the Salvation Army relies on donations and hardworking volunteers to see to it that these missions are carried out.

Though it is a smaller branch, the Derry Salvation Army works just as hard to meet the needs of the Derry community. On Saturday, April 28, the Derry Salvation Army will be holding its "Huge Yard Sale" from 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. Donations will be accepted up until the day of the yard sale, and can be dropped off at the Folsom St location, where the yard sale will be taking place. Items can be dropped off Monday through Thursday, from 9 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. Donations are tax deductible, but more importantly, beneficial to the community.

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LMS Students Get First Place in Video Production Contest Again

MELISSA BETH RUIZ
LONDONDERRY TIMES

For three years, Creative Technology and Media teacher, Carolyn Roy has coached her students through the “What’s So Cool About Manufacturing?” video contest coordinated by the New Hampshire Division of Economic Development and the New Hampshire Manufacturing Extension Partnership. For the second year in a row, the LMS team took home first place, along with a \$1,000 prize.

Roy’s team is made up

of eighth-graders Ahna Gainey, Hannah Muller, Rory McGuirk, Paige Witherbee, and Jade Leblanc, and seventh-grader Ryan Fortin. This year’s group of students worked with BirdsEyeView Aerobotics of Andover, NH, making a video discussing the company’s multipurpose Aerobots, more commonly known as drones.

In their video, the students demonstrate the capabilities of BirdsEyeView owners and husband-and-wife team, Adam and Christine

Sloan’s vertical takeoff aerobots. The video explains how this unique design allows the aerobots to fly in tight spaces, as opposed to their traditional counterparts which require much more open space. The video goes on to detail the assembly of the aerobots, showing the Sloans explaining how the aerobots navigate, followed by the Sloans and the students explain what they think is “so cool” about manufacturing. Reasons ranging from the many uses of the product, how they can help those in need, and the process of seeing a person’s dream become a reality.

Roy’s team had been working diligently from September through February to get their video done, sacrificing ASD and lunch periods and coming into school early to put in time condensing 40 minutes of footage from three cameras and hundreds of photos into the three minute and twelve second video that was aired at the contest.

The students were tasked with coming up with a script which would be used to interview Adam and Christine Sloan, capturing quality audio through holding a boom poll with boom mic, scouting proper locations with the best audio for interviews, drafting a storyboard from existing footage, condensing footage and photographs, editing sound and transitions and polishing the

final product for submission.

“It’s crazy to think about how long it took to make a three minute video,” remarked Witherbee. “Imagine a movie...”

Half of the students in the class said they had plans to take the video production courses in the high school, and all of them had varied career interests outside of video production. Regardless of post secondary application, each student had something to gain from the class.

“I’ve grown a lot, and I can work better with a team,” said Gainey, adding that the confidence she had built from the class has helped her perform in front of an audience in the LMS drama club with greater ease. Roy commented that all of her students had become more confident since the beginning of the class.

She stated that from start to finish, the students complete the majority if not all of the work on the video themselves.

“It’s all the students,” Roy smiled, adding that aside from coordination, scheduling, and goal-setting, her role was mainly that of a coach, stepping in only to help the students meet their deadline and helping with more complicated editing tasks.

Roy mentioned that prior to finding out who had taken first place in

the competition, she and the students had the opportunity to review and critique their competitors’ submissions, admiring the different approaches other schools had taken, and learning from the obstacles they had to overcome with their respective locations.

“I felt bad for the ones who had the warehouse (location),” Muller commented, explaining that the machinery must have made the background noise-cancelling in post production incredibly difficult.

The students of LMS were met with challenges of their own, having to contend with winds of 20+ mph, making it a challenge for the team to get clear audio and for Fortin, the team’s main photographer, to get clear pictures to use for the project.

Aside from the annual contest, Roy’s video class also completes “field assignments” such as filming the LHS football and basketball games, LMS guest speakers, and veteran ceremonies, piecing together audio and footage to complete final videos to post and archive on the schools’ youtube channels.

To get footage and photos for their project, the team had the opportu-

nity to go on a “field trip” to Andover, NH. Although a bit out of the way, the students agreed that aside from being able to put their skills to the test at BirdsEyeView, the trip was worth it in more ways than one.

“If you’re in Andover, check out Pizza Chef!” recommended McGuirk, which the rest of the team unanimously seconded.

Advanced Manufacturing has been greatly contributing to New Hampshire’s booming economy, said Department of Business and Economic Affairs, Taylor Caswell, adding that it is vital that students be made aware of the rewarding career path manufacturing offers as the industry grows. Through the hard work of LMS’s Creative Technology and Media class, Caswell’s sentiments are brought to life in a captivating, short and sweet presentation.

The LMS team’s video, as well as a statement from NH Governor Chris Sununu are available to view from a link at blog.nheconomy.com. For more of the Media class’s work, visit www.youtube.com and search: Londonderry, NH School District.

OBITUARY

Linda M. Tishler



Linda M. (Thompson) Tishler, 61, of Londonderry, became an angel on Easter Sunday, April 1, 2018 at her home after a courageous battle with cancer.

Linda was born Sept. 26, 1956 in Dorchester, MA, the daughter of the late Rita (Langlois) Guilmette. She was raised and educated in Salem, NH before moving to Londonderry in 1978.

Linda was self-employed along with her husband Don, as the partners of Professional Tax Consultants, but she always proclaimed to be the boss.

She was a very talented crafter, making many things from junk, and turning them into treasures by using many methods, including clay sculpting and created many different Christmas decorations.

The times she enjoyed most in her life were all the times she coached youth sports with Don, for the hundreds of kids over the years in baseball, softball, and soccer, making special yearbooks for all the kids and having special team parties to make their experiences memorable. She was very involved in politics, spending much time on Facebook expanding on how lunatic Republicans, and especially Trump are.

Members of her family were her husband of over 40 years, Donald A. Tishler; and her two children which her life was dedicated to as an unrelenting mother, Lindsey and her husband Dan McLeod, and Derek Tishler and his wife Chelsea Begin; they were her true purpose in life. Three grandchildren, Cameron McLeod, Kacey McLeod, and Samantha Begin-Tishler; a sister and her husband Sharon and Russ DeSantis; a sister in law, Joyce Thompson; brother and sister in law, Gary and Susan Tishler; several nieces, Brenda Murray, Marcia Grieco, Tammy Westerlund, Melissa Tishler-Whitman, and Melissa Desantis; and nephews, David Rice, Chris Flessas, James Thompson, Jr., Aaron Tishler, Brian Tishler, and Chris Desantis. She was predeceased by her sister and brother in law, Carol and James Flessas, and her brother, James Thompson.

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LHS Teachers and Students Make Contribution to National Geographic

LORI COSTA
LONDONDERRY TIMES

Londonderry High School Principal Jason Parent was proud to announce that two high school teachers: Patricia Lawson and Richard Levergood were contributing authors to the curriculum for National Geographic's program "One Strange Rock". The lesson plan is entitled "Mighty Microbes" and is a mix of Earth Science, Biology, and Chemistry. The series is narrated by Will Smith and began its run on March 26. "It was pretty neat to see that. They did a lot of work," Parent said.

This lesson plan is

accessible to science teachers across the country for reference. The series "One Strange Rock" airs on Thursday nights at 10/9 CT. High school science teacher, Patty Lawson was very proud of her students and explained what went into making the curriculum for "Mighty Microbes" with the help of her colleague Rich Levergood.

"We are both very excited and honored to have been contributing authors to the 210 page curriculum guide that accompanies the ten episode National Geographic program "One Strange Rock" (OSR)," Lawson said. "We are thankful to three of our

students, Mike Carco, Jill Fitzgibbons and Ellen Kester for the help they gave us. In particular, they developed the slide show that accompanies a key lab activity that we submitted. It was a great experience for the students." "Also, being recognized at the end of the OSR Lesson 4 slide show is something that they can list on their resume. I am sure that there are not many high school students that can say that they were recognized within a National Geographic curriculum," mentioned Lawson.

Lawson continued and described how she and Levergood worked together to make the les-

son plan and even learned things from each other they did not know before. "The lesson provided an opportunity for the two of us to work together and merge physics, chemistry, biology and earth science topics. We bounced ideas off of each other and learned quite a bit from each other as we are experts in different disciplines of science," she said. "Our first step in developing the OSR lesson was to watch preliminary "takes" from the parts of the OSR episodes that we were to develop the Mighty Microbe lesson from. As we watched these scenes, ideas began to form as to how to develop our lesson.

Using our background knowledge and years of experience, we developed four activities to show the progression of how microbes may have evolved on Earth. We spent countless hours discussing ideas and re-writing our activities before the lesson was submitted to Dr. Barry Rock and then to Journeys in Film, the company that develops curricula for various films. We then worked extensively with the editor of the OSR curriculum, Eileen Mattingly, to fine-tune our lesson before it was accepted by National Geographic and NASA."

Once the process was complete, both Lawson

and Levergood were happy with their experience and thanked the people that made it possible.

"Overall, developing the Mighty Microbes lesson was a great experience. We are very grateful to the project coordinator Dr. Barry Rock, Professor Emeritus at the Department of Natural Resources and EOS (Institute for the Study of Earth, Ocean, and Space, University of New Hampshire). Dr. Rock invited us to assist him with this project, and coordinated the efforts of seven other New Hampshire teachers and professors to develop the eight lesson curriculum guide for OSR." Lawson said.

Historical Walk Through Musquash Conservation Area

ERIC SMITH
LONDONDERRY TIMES

On Saturday, April 21 at 1 p.m. the Londonderry Historical Society will be taking a walk at the Musquash conservation area. The Musquash was originally owned by Massachusetts and was later granted to

Nashua, which was originally named "Dunstable" at the time. It went through multiple owners until it was finally owned by Londonderry. It went through multiple owners until it was finally established as a conservation area by Londonderry in 1979. The conservation

area was established to help preserve wildlife habitats and create recreational opportunities. The space offers pleasant multiple recreational activities, including historical walks.

The Historical Society will be accompanied by David J. Ellis, a Musquash historian. They will be visiting certain spots where families once lived and will be learning the history behind it all. Ellis will

be giving detailed background information on the families that lived there and their historical importance to the town. The area they will be visiting are known as cellar holes, or areas in which a house once was. Other individuals are welcome to join the group on their historical venture.

David J. Ellis is the author of Cellar Holes, Roads and Features in the Musquash, which dis-

cusses the historical and social significance of the Musquash area. He has been continuing his research in the Musquash area and is now coming together with the Londonderry Historical Society for a fun, education experience.

The group will meet at the Musquash Hickory Hill Trail Head at 14 Hickory Hill Drive for the family friendly, historical and educational walk. The

event is completely free and there is accessible parking at the location. The walk will take about two hours, and anyone is welcome to join, including children. Strollers however, are not recommended as the trails can be a bit rough for them. It is a fairly easy walk with breaks at "The Landing". Hiking boots are recommended. Snacks will also be provided. The rain date is Sunday April 22.

Man Accused of Assaulting Child in Sisters Care

A Londonderry man was arrested last week on charges that he sexually assaulted a child that his sister was babysitting.

Lee Martin, 50, was arrested on Wednesday, April 11, at the Whispering Pines Trailer Park on Conifer

Place in Londonderry.

He was being held on \$500,000 cash bail on several charges, including three counts of aggravated felonious sexual assault-fondling, fondling and forcible fondling along with indecent exposure and lewdness and failure

to register as a sex offender, police officials said.

Londonderry police officials said Elliot Hospital contacted them Tuesday to report the crime of a possible juvenile sexual assault.

According to police it was reported that a five

year old child had been assaulted by babysitter's brother, Lee Martin.

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Tax Day Brings Ivanka Trump to Derry Opera House

CHRIS PAUL
LONDONDERRY TIMES

Former Gov. John Sununu hosted a Tax Day event at the historic Derry Opera House

on Tuesday, April 17. President Donald Trump's tax plan Treasury Secretary Steven Mnuchin and Advisor to the President Ivanka Trump were guests.

The two were brought to the Granite State to highlight the benefits of newly created tax plan in a Town Hall setting.

The building was near capacity with residents from around the state, state officials and a large press contingent.

Sununu opened up the forum by telling those in attendance how questions were to be presented. He had a number of pre-written questions from residents whom he called to the floor when their question was brought up.

Trump opened her talk by saying "We'll never celebrate Tax Day, but with the president's new reforms, we'll come close."

Trump continued, "we now have very competitive rates for small business, and we're already seeing an impact on the economy."

A Hair Dresser from Dover was the first to address Trump and

Mnuchin. She praised the president's efforts, saying that her business went from eight salons in the early 80s to just one by the end of the decade and that she is now seeing a turnaround and that the tax cut is "A breath of fresh air."

When asked if the new tax laws would get folks taxes down to an "index

card" Trump replied, "Simplification is the key to the new tax laws. The new plan streamlines things."

Cheryl Lavallee of Derry asked the two about sales tax and the benefits to small business.

Mnuchin responded, that new reform would even the playing field between giants like Amazon which is hurt-

ing small business.

Another Derry resident, introduced as Gill, asked how the bill will help long-term.

Trump responded, "The administration is using a number of avenues to create optimism in the economy and right now consumer confidence is through the roof."



Treasury Secretary Steven Mnuchin and Advisor to the President Ivanka Trump fielded questions from Derry residents on Tuesday in Derry.



From left, Former Gov. John Sununu, Treasury Secretary Steven Mnuchin and Advisor to the President Ivanka Trump held a Tax Day Town Hall meeting on Tuesday, April 17. Photo by Chris Paul

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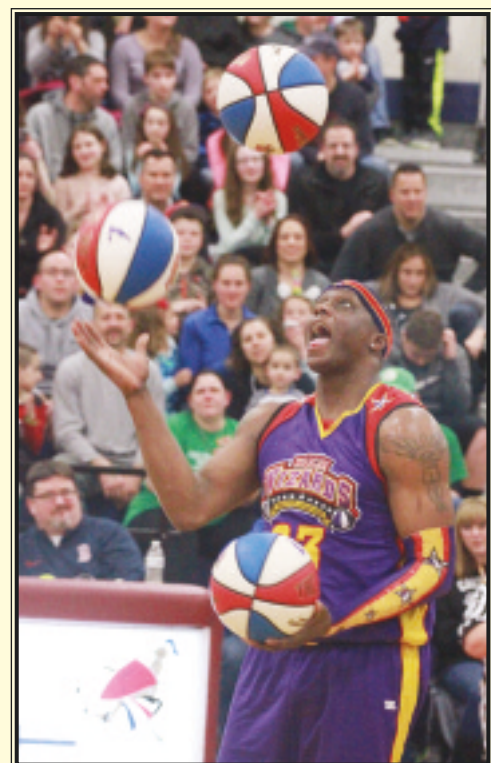
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LONDONDERRY SPORTS

First Week's Games Leave LHS Softball Squad With a 2-1 Mark

CHRIS PANTAZIS
LONDONDERRY TIMES

Two out of three games wasn't bad for the Londonderry High School varsity softball squad in its first trio of 2018 games last week, as the new crew book-ended wins over Spaulding and Pinkerton around a loss to Winnacunnet.

The Lady Lancers got their new season started in productive if not highly-artistic fashion with a 14-7 road win in Rochester on Wednesday, April 11.

An huge second inning performance, in which the locals plated nine runs on 11 hits, was the centerpiece of the Londonderry squad's success against the host Spaulding High Red Raiders.

The Lancer girls bashed out some 20 hits and

got their pitching work from Ila Brown, who helped her own cause by smacking two hits including a three-run homer. Lauren Misiaszek, Alivia Proulx, Sarah Fawcett, Gia Komst, and Alyssa Vaillancourt connected for three hits apiece.

Spaulding worked hard to rebound from its early 9-0 deficit, cutting the LHS lead down to four runs twice at 10-6 and 11-7. But Londonderry put the matter to rest by plating three more markers in the top of the seventh to reach the final, 14-7 tally.

"Ila walked nine and struck out four, but had to throw 160 pitches. So it was a rough outing," said coach Wayne MacDougall.

In its epic, nine-run second frame, Londonderry hammered out 10 consecutive hits and hit for the cycle as a group

with singles, doubles, triples, and a home run.

"One of the ugliest wins ever, but a win none the less," said MacDougall. "The game took 2 1/2 hours to complete."

After taking a 6-2 loss on the chin to the visiting Winnacunnet High Lady Warriors at LHS on Friday, April 13, in slipping to 1-1 on the young campaign, the Lancers made the short trip to Derry the next afternoon to take on the rival Pinkerton Lady Astros and won 10-7 in extra innings to move to 2-1.

The teams played some hot potato with the lead, with the host Lady Astros grabbing a 2-0 lead in the bottom of the first before seeing Londonderry trim that lead in half to 2-1 in the top of the third.

The hosts padded their lead a tad at 3-1 with

a single run in the bottom of the fourth, but the Lady Lancers surged into a 4-3 lead with a three-run top of the fifth.

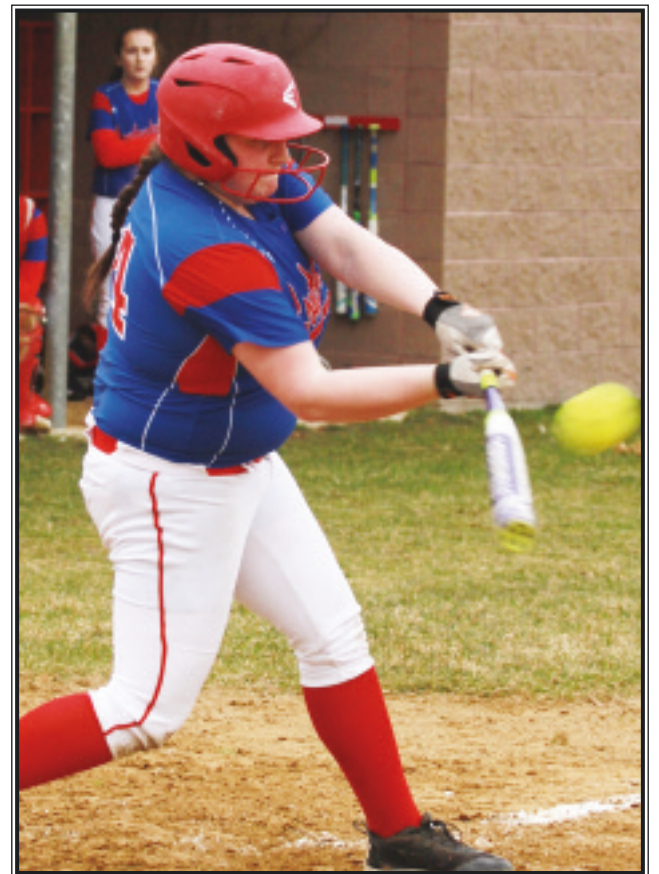
Pinkerton reclaimed the lead at 6-4 with a three-run fifth frame of its own, but Londonderry responded by scoring three more times in the top of the sixth to bag a 7-6 advantage.

But the Lady Astros knotted the score at 7-7 by scoring once in the bottom of the sixth, and there would be no more scoring until the top half of the ninth when the visiting squad ended the scoring by putting up a three-spot to make it a 10-7 game.

The two teams combined for some 23 hits, with Londonderry lacing 14 of them and Pinkerton smacking nine.

The victorious LHS side received three hits from Misiaszek and two each from Vaillancourt and Komst.

The team was then set to stride into this week looking to get a winning streak rolling in a Monday, April 16 home game against the Concord High



Lady Lancer Ila Brown was right on this pitch and hammered it for a double during her team's extra-inning defeat of Pinkerton in Derry late last week.

Photo by Chris Paul

Crimson Tide girls. But when the lousy weather cancelled that game, the

locals were left with two contests of the new campaign, and Concord split a pair of battles.

Guertin's Lady Cardinals went 0-2 in their first

two contests of the new campaign, and Concord split a pair of battles.

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LHS Baseball Sandwiches Victory Between a Pair of Defeats

CHRIS PANTAZIS
LONDONDERRY TIMES

The Londonderry High baseball squad had many reasons to be pleased with its performance in a big shutout win in Hampton last Friday April 13. But the locals book-ended defeats at the hands of two other opponents around that seacoast success in starting their 2018 campaign at 1-2.

Longtime LHS coach Brent Demas saw his charges drop decisions to Spaulding on April 11 and then rival Pinkerton on April 14, with a stellar 7-0 blanking of Winnacunnet sandwiched between those two losses.

The Lancers began their 2018 campaign with a tough, 5-2 home loss to the Spaulding High Red Raiders of Rochester on Wednesday, April 11.

The locals received a fine starting pitching performance from Anthony Pirolli. But the hurler's defense showed a few holes which made a huge difference to the final outcome.

"The boys lost on three, fundamentally-unacceptable plays of simply not catching the baseball," lamented Demas. "The three errors led directly to four unearned runs on the day. To give an idea on how odd of a defensive day it was, we made no other errors today."

Pirolli only allowed a single unearned run in four innings of mound work, and he struck out six batters.

"While his stuff was not where it normally is, he pitched decently," said Demas. "Anthony Ferraro came in and held Spaulding scoreless for the last three innings in a very strong bullpen performance."

Offensively, the hosts had the top of their order produce, with Ricky Perry smacking one hit, scoring a run, and stealing two bases. Freshman Brandon Fish began his high school career by lacing a solid single and coming around to score the other LHS run. But the Lancers left more runners strand-



Pitcher Travis Peabody battled his way through a rough start to give his LHS Lancer baseball team a decent outing vs. PA. Photo by Chris Pantazis

ed on base than they could afford to on this day.

"It's early, and this is the type of game that can serve as a rude wake-up call that Division I is going to be tough this year," added the Lancers' coach.

And Demas' Lancers heeded that wake-up call by putting forward their 7-0 blasting of host Winnacunnet in Hampton on Friday the 13th, with starting hurler Dakota Johnson pacing the charge with a six-inning, four-strikeout, three-hit effort.

"He had all his pitches working and was in the groove most of the game," said coach Demas. "It was exactly what the team needed after a rough opening game."

Reliever Reece Manor pitched the seventh frame and kept the shutout intact.

At the plate, the locals

had Dylan Walsh smack out three hits and drive in three hits.

"He sprayed the ball all over the field with authority," said Demas.

Additionally, leadoff hitter Perry notched one hit, two stolen bases, and two walks, and Andy Ross contributed two hits.

"Overall, it was a great bounce-back performance on all levels," said coach Demas.

But when Londonderry faced off against those arch-rivals from Pinkerton in Derry the next afternoon, the Lancers were teeing it up with an opponent which was intent on a rebound performance of its own following the Astros' 5-3 loss to Nashua South. And Londonderry High graduate and present PA head coach Steve Campo saw his charges succeed in bagging their rebound.

Londonderry left some five runners stranded on bases without scoring once during the first two innings against Pinkerton pitching stalwart Rich Marique. And the talented righty hurler was supported by three runs from his offense in the latter half of the second as the hosts snagged a lead which they wouldn't relinquish.

Astros' sophomore standout Asa Runge ripped a triple to left-center field to score one of those three runs, and the other two sprinted home

as a result of a stolen base and later a fielder's choice.

The hosts pushed their record up to 4-0 in the latter half of the third, and the Astros had their lead bulge up to 7-0 in the bottom of the fifth thanks to three more runs.

Londonderry ended Pinkerton's shutout hopes when it scored an unearned run against PA reliever George Welch in the top of the sixth, but the visitors wound up stranding two more runners in that frame for a total of eight on the chilly day.

"To me, runners left on base was the issue today," said Demas. "We played good defense, the pitching was good, and we hit the ball. But you can't strand that many runners and hope to win games."

Lancers' starting pitcher Travis Peabody overcame some early shakiness to pitch pretty well before leaving the hill in favor of reliever Nate Sullivan.

Londonderry was set to take aim at jumping back on the winning path this past Monday the 16th when they were to play host to the Trinity High Pioneers of Manchester. But the wintry weather cancelled that game, leaving coach Demas and his crew looking at a Wednesday home game against Bishop Guertin followed by a Friday road game in Concord.

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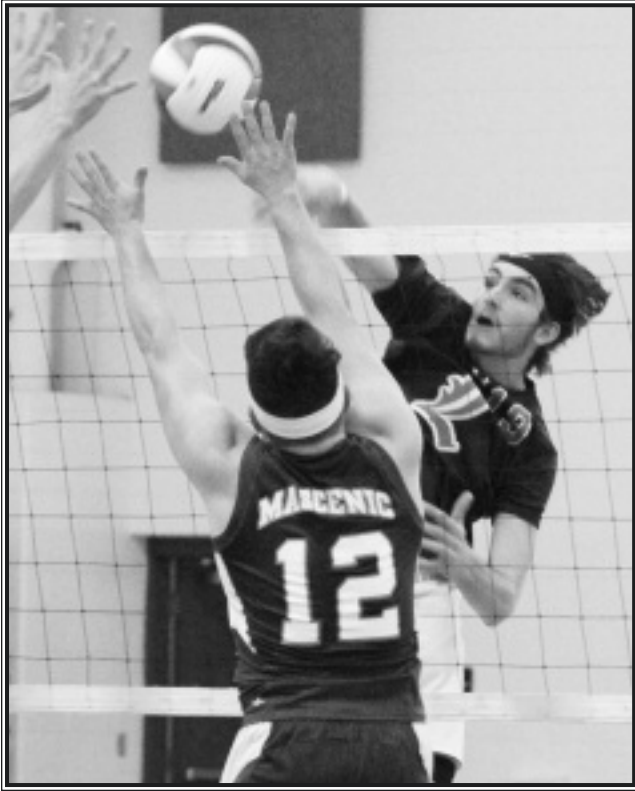
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Lancer Volleyball Squad Suffers Shutout Losses in Falling to 0-4



CHRIS PANTAZIS
LONDONDERRY TIMES

After completing its first three matches of the 2018 season, the Londonderry High boys' volleyball squad had put in considerable effort but was still seeking its first game win.

New coach Jon Buatti's LHS bunch - which began its campaign with a 3-0 loss to Buatti's old high school squad Salem - was then blanked by both Mascenic Regional of New Ipswich and the rival Pinkerton Academy Astros last week in slipping to 0-3 on the campaign.

The Lancers saw their record slip to 0-2 with the shutout loss to the visiting Mascenic contingent at LHS last Wednesday, April 11.

Mascenic tallied game victories of 25-17, 25-20, and 25-20 in taking the match. The Lancers' top individual contributions came from Logan Agrella (12 assists, two digs), James Buttafuoco (seven kills, five digs, two blocks), Patrick Cohen (three kills, three digs), and Matt Nickerson and Josh Ryan (five digs apiece).

Two afternoons later the Londonderry crew made the short ride over to Derry to take on undefeated Pinkerton. And the result was another 3-0 blanking for the LHS crew.

Pinkerton bagged individual game wins of 25-20, 25-8, and 25-19 in taking the match handily.

In the first game of the match the Lancer squad made it a lot closer than Pinkerton would have like

as they got the game as close as four points by the games ending.

Londonderry's top individual efforts came from Agrella (six assists), Ryan (five digs), Buttafuoco (three kills, one block, one dig), and Abhy Patel (five digs).

The Lancers then had the weekend off before heading to Nashua on Monday April 16 to take on Bishop Guertin.

Both squads headed into that match winless, with host Guertin sitting

at 0-2 and Londonderry at 0-3. But the home-standing Cardinals notched their first win in a 3-0 shutout.

Guertin took game victories of 25-21, 25-7, and 25-18 despite good individual Londonderry performances from Agrella (10 assists) and Buttafuoco (five kills).

In the wake of that match, the Lancers were scheduled to play Keene High on Wednesday and Winnacunnet High Warriors.

LHS volleyball player James Buttafuoco hammers down a spike during his team's recent match with Mascenic of New Ipswich. Photo by Chris Paul

Lancer Laxmen Move to 2-0 With a Thumping of Purple Panthers

CHRIS PANTAZIS
LONDONDERRY TIMES

The Londonderry High boys' lacrosse squad made new mentor Roger Sampson's varsity coaching record a perfect 2-0 with a 10-4 trouncing of the visiting Nashua South Purple Panthers at LHS last Thursday, April 12.

The Lancers potted all four goals which were netted in the first quarter,

and at the halftime break they held a commanding 7-1 advantage.

"Penalties slowed down our offense in the third, but our man-down defense played very well, allowing only two goals on eight attempts," said proud LHS coach Sampson.

Londonderry had Patrick Murphy in goal, and he contributed some 14 saves to the lopsided

victory.

"We won 14 face-offs, and that duty was shared by Jake McEachern and Nate Andrews," stated Sampson.

Offensively, the victorious locals got three goals from Mike McAlister, two tallies and an assist from Aidan Dennis, two scores from James Cranmer, a goal and a helper from Andrews, single goals from Anthony

Federico and freshman Isaac McCune, and one assist from Cole Keegan.

Coach Sampson's squad then stepped into this week staring at a slate of two matches, with the first being a Tuesday the 17th battle at Pinkerton in Derry - after Nutfield News press time - followed by a home meeting with Concord's Crimson Tide on Thursday.

Athletes of the Week

Week of April 9



**Lauren Misiaszek,
Senior, Softball**

This returning all-stater was leading her team in batting and runs batted in after three games, and she had also played great defense both in center field and at shortstop for the 2-1 Lady Lancers.



**Patrick Murphy, Junior,
Boys' Lacrosse**

When his team lost both goalies to injuries recently, this multi-sport standout volunteered to step in. He hadn't played goalie in years, but that didn't stop him from making 14 saves in a 10-4 win over Nashua South.

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Following Cancellations, Londonderry Girls' Tennis Struggles

CHRIS PANTAZIS
LONDONDERRY TIMES

After having its first several matches cancelled by lousy spring weather, nobody could have blamed the Londonderry High girls' tennis team for champing at the bit to get its 2018 season rolling last week.

Coach Betty Mak's

Lancers had their third scheduled match cancelled on Tuesday, April 10, but they finally got to play the next afternoon in Londonderry against a tough Bishop Brady bunch from Concord. And the results weren't good for the locals.

The LHS squad were handed a 9-0 loss on its

own courts that day, with its closest matches coming at fourth singles thanks to the work of Amanda Wells (4-8 loss) and in doubles battles featuring the tandems of Melanie Methot and Emily Hatem (6-8) and Rachel Court and Wells (4-8).

Mother Nature was heard from yet again on

Thursday, April 12 when the Lancers traveled to Exeter to battle the host Blue Hawks. The two teams didn't get all of their contests in because the weather got nasty, but Exeter snagged a 6-1 victory none the less.

Londonderry received its lone win on the day - in a 9-8, 7-3 tiebreaker - from

the doubles duo of Amelia Brenner and Wells. The Hawks swept the five singles contests handily.

The Lancer girls then had some time off from competitive play before they were to make another seacoast drive - this time to Winnacunnet High in Hampton - on Monday the April 16. The awful

weather cancelled that event, leaving the LHS crew to play host to the Salem High Lady Blue Devils on Tuesday, after Londonderry Times press time. Later in the week the team's slate had it at home against Manchester Memorial on Wednesday and then at Bishop Guertin on Thursday.

LHS Boys' Tennis Team Experiences Some Mixed Fortunes

CHRIS PANTAZIS
LONDONDERRY TIMES

A shutout win followed by a shutout loss last week left the Londonderry High boys' tennis team contemplating its .500 record of 2-2 heading into this

week.

The Lancers put a big fat exclamation point on their second victory of the season, trouncing the host Merrimack High Tomahawks by a 9-0 tally on the road last Wednesday, April 11.

Singles wins were bagged by Cam Ness (8-5 score), Jay Hayes (8-0), Tanner Fortier (8-2), Ryan Leo (8-1), Tyler Cullen (8-0), and Ben Doris (8-1).

And the locals capped off the huge match success with doubles victo-

ries from the tandems of Ness and Hayes (9-7), Leo and Cullen (8-0), and Fortier and Matt Tobey (8-1).

"It was a very successful day. I couldn't be more proud of my boys," said LHS coach Janice Norwesh. "Freshman Tanner Fortier received the game ball for his first varsity singles win."

But success wasn't too easy to find for the locals when they played host to the tough Exeter High Blue Hawks on Friday the 13th.

The seacoast squad

notched a 9-0 victory in handing their hosts a humbling on their own courts.

"Friday the 13th was not a lucky day for Londonderry," said coach Norwesh. "I knew (Exeter) would still be tough even though they lost five of their top six. They still have 25 players. I thought my boys could have had a little better showing in singles, but with our number one Cam Ness out of the lineup it made a big difference."

The closest match

came at number one singles, with substitute Jay Hayes falling by a 3-8 tally.

The Lancers were then set to jump into this week with another home match against the Winnacunnet High Warriors of Hampton on Monday, but the awful winter negated that event. The team then took aim at a Tuesday home match against Salem - after Londonderry Times press time - followed by a home battle with Manchester Memorial the next day and a road match at Bishop Guertin on Thursday.



Merrimack Bound

- Londonderry High School field hockey standout Chase Vanini signed her letter of intent to attend and play that sport at Merrimack College in Massachusetts at LHS last Thursday, April 12.

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NEGTC's Level 3 and Level 5 Gymnasts Star in Manchester

CHRIS PANTAZIS
LONDONDERRY TIMES

The New England Gymnastics Training Center's Level 3 and Level 5 gymnasts - including several talented girls from Londonderry - overpowered the competition at the recent Most Eggcellent Gymnastics Meet in Manchester.

The local school's Level 3 gymnasts won the gold, silver, and bronze medals at that event, and

the Level 5 athletes collected the gold and silver medallions.

Among the center's Level 3 contributors was Londonderry youngster Hayley Doyle, who collected second places on the uneven bars and on vault, third place on the balance beam, and fourths in the floor exercise and the all-around.

In Level 5 competition, Londonderry girls Shana Hatfield and Katherine

Rowan excelled in helping their team to its impressive success.

Hatfield was an powerhouse, taking firsts in the all-around (score of 37.350), on vault (9.700), on bars (8.700), and on floor (9.500), and a second on beam.

Rowan proved absolutely unbeatable on the beam (9.500) and bagged seconds on vault, bars, floor, and in the all-around.

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Lady Lancer Lacrosse Crew Goes 1-2 in its First Two Matches

CHRIS PANTAZIS
LONDONDERRY TIMES

The Londonderry High girls' lacrosse team didn't enjoy the most auspicious start to its 2018 campaign last week, dropping two decisions and winning one to enter this week with a slightly sub-.500 mark.

The Lady Lancers would certainly be interested in a re-do of their first game of the 2018

campaign, which was a 12-2 hammering at the hands of the Bishop Guertin Lady Cardinals of Nashua in Londonderry last Tuesday, April 10.

Jenna Stowell and Allie Marsh potted the two Londonderry goals, but those didn't come until the visiting Lady Cardinals already had the score to a lopsided level. LHS goalie Morgan Brutus made six stops on the 18

shots she saw.

Second-year coach Scott Walden's LHS crew then found huge success on a long road trip to Keene on Friday the 13th, hammering the host Lady Blackbirds by a 16-3 margin.

However, the locals' huge test against the defending Division I champions from Souhegan High in Amherst on Saturday didn't quite go the way the Lady Lancers would have

liked in a 12-8 defeat.

The host Lady Sabers kept their season record perfect at 4-0 with the success, during which Londonderry only trailed by two goals at 7-5 at the halftime break.

Sarah Duarte and Catie Derhak each netted two goals for the Londonderry contingent, but Souhegan received four tallies apiece from its stalwarts Abby Cranney and

Abby Hawkes. Cranney notched a six-point day by adding two assists.

This week's slate had the busy Lady Lancers playing three home games this week, with a

visit from the Dover High Green Wave on Tuesday - after Londonderry Times press time - followed by home battles with Manchester Central on Friday and Exeter on Saturday.



Lady Lancer lacrosse player Shannon Fraser looks for a route to the net during her team's loss to Bishop Guertin last week. Photo by Chris Pantazis

Smokey Bear and Woodsy Owl Poster Contest Winners Recognized

New Hampshire Governor Christopher T. Sununu and the Executive Council recognized the five state winners of the national Smokey Bear and Woodsy Owl Poster Contest during a ceremony in the executive chambers recently.

This year's state winners are from all regions of the granite state. The grade one winner is Danica Frasca from South Range Elementary School in Derry, and the Greater Derry Boys & Girls Club sponsored by the Derry Garden Club. The grade two winner is Ethan Howard from St. Thomas Aquinas School in Derry, was also sponsored by the Derry Garden Club. Mason Sykes from the Bethlehem Elementary

School in Littleton is the grade three winner sponsored by the Littleton Garden Club. The grade four winner is Autumn Miller from Ernest P. Barka Elementary School with Barka Go Green sponsored by the Derry Garden Club. The grade 5 winner is Haylee Burke from the John Fuller School in Conway sponsored by the Mountain Garden Club.

The state program is administered by the N.H. Federation of Garden Clubs in coordination with the N.H. Division of Forests and Lands and the U.S. Forest Service. "This is an excellent program which merges art with the protection of our natural resources while highlighting the amazing talent of our students"

remarked Fern Doucette, New Hampshire Poster Contest Chairperson.

The national contest winner to be selected later this month wins a free trip to Washington, D.C. including round trip airfare and accommodations for their family to attend the recognition ceremony. The student's artwork will be used in future national education campaigns. The National Garden Clubs, Inc. also awards a \$50.00 check to the first place national winners from grades 1-5.

The program began in 1961 and is a cooperative effort between the U.S. Forest Service, state forestry agencies and the National Garden Clubs, Inc. The contest is open to elementary school children in grades one

through five. Students may submit artwork depicting Smokey Bear and Woodsy Owl in accordance with contest rules in an effort to support environmental conservation programs. "This is an excellent program that encourages our youth to take an active role in wildfire prevention and natural resource conservation" said Captain Douglas Miner, Forest Ranger and Wildfire Prevention Program Coordinator with the NH Division of Forests and Lands.

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Senior Yoga Class

The Londonderry Senior Center offers yoga classes to the senior community. Lisa Kress and Barbara Scott offer an eight-week series of affordably priced yoga classes which are designed specifically for seniors to help increase balance, flexibility and strength, as well as maintaining well-being. Sign up for either the Tuesday or Thursday class, or both. The new session begins the week of April 30. Classes are held at the Londonderry Senior Center, 535 Mammoth Road, Londonderry from 9 - 10 a.m. Classes fill up quickly. Registration is currently taking place and there are still spots open for both days. Payment is due at the time of registration in order to hold your spot in the class. For more details call the Senior Center at 432-8554.

Art in Action

Art in Action returns for the 14th year. Demonstrating 2-Dimensional Fine Art at Mack's Apple Farm and Market on 230 Mammoth Road in Londonderry. Artists/Artisans will be in a "working studio" environment throughout the week-end on Saturday, May 5, and Sunday, May 6. This free event is open to the public. For more information contact events@londonderryartscouncil.org. In the title line put Art in Action

Music & More of Israeli

On Thursday, April 26, at 7 p.m., at Etz Hayim Synagogue in Derry, Noam Wolf, the Jewish Federation of NH Shlichah (emissary) from Tel Aviv, Israel, is living in NH for the year, traveling across the state, educating us and enriching our lives on Israeli life. She will discuss Israeli culture and will also sing some songs by Israeli artists. Please join us for what will be a fun and educational event. The event is open to the public and free

(although donations are gratefully accepted to help enable the synagogue to continue to host educational programs for the public).

Musquash Cellar Hole Walk

Join the Londonderry Historical Society and take a Musquash Cellar Hole Walk with tour guide/Musquash historian David J. Ellis on Saturday, April 21, 1 p.m. We'll be visiting two former farm and home sites and learning about the families who once lived there. We'll meet at the Musquash's Hickory Hill Trail Head on Hickory Hill Drive in Londonderry; expect it to take 2 hours for walking, discussions and exploring the sites. Good walking shoes are recommended, but remember to dress for the weather and surroundings, and to bring a water bottle. A snack will be provided. There are seats at "The Landing" if anyone wishes to take a short break half way round the walk. Rain date Sunday, April 22, 1 p.m. Please check the Londonderry Historical Society's Facebook page at www.facebook.com/TownOfLondonderryNHHistoricalSociety for weather updates and for more information.

Spaghetti Dinner and Auction

Londonderry Christian Church is hosting their annual Spaghetti Dinner and Auction Saturday April 21, at 5 p.m. All proceeds go to support the high school and middle school students trip to Hopkinton, NH to provide home repairs to elderly, disabled, or under resourced residents at no cost to the homeowner through work-campNE. Tickets are \$8 per person or \$25 per family.

Spring Luncheon

The Londonderry Democratic Committee will be hosting their annual Spring Luncheon at LaCaret-

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Londonderry Grange Hall # 44, located at 260 Mammoth Road, is hosting its Annual Electronics Recycling Fundraiser on Saturday, April 21, from 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. Boy Scouts from Troop 521 will be on hand to unload your items. It will be safe to exit the driveway North (taking a right turn onto Mammoth Road). The fees have remained the same with a few exceptions due to the cost of recycling glass. CRT monitors \$10 and small \$18, medium \$32, and large \$45 size TV's. On the plus side fees for air conditioners and microwaves have gone down \$2!! (\$16) Grangers will guide you to a stop point to tally your fees. Checks should be made payable to: Londonderry Grange #44. Cash is also acceptable. We will not be able to process credit cards. As you prepare to celebrate Earth Day please help us out by bringing your unused or useless electronics to drop off. This will keep electronics safely out of our landfills. The small fees we re-coup from our friends at Recycle, USA will go directly toward a fund to replace our roof on the north side of the Hall. The entire fee schedule is available on our Face Book page as well in print form at Town Hall. Thank you for your continued support.

Trail Clean-Up

Londonderry Trailways will be holding its annual spring trail clean-up Saturday, April 21, from 9 - 11 a.m. Volunteers are asked to meet at the North Elementary School parking lot. Garage bags will be provided. Pick-

up trucks are needed, and work boots and work gloves are recommended.

Book Drive

The LHS Community Service Club has been sponsoring a book drive for the past two weeks. So far, over 700 books have been collected. The books are being donated to the Upper Room, family resource center, in Derry. We are collecting used books which would be of interest to young families, both children and parents. In the first two weeks of the drive, the LHS community (Lancer Nation) has donated over 700 books; we would like to get to 1000 books donated, so we are extending the drive into April. Collection areas are in the High School House Offices, Main Office, and Library. Our contact at the Upper Room is Janis Lilly (JLilly@urteachers.org).

Senior Trip

Seniors are going to Deerfield Mass. to visit the Yankee Candle Village Store and the Magic Wings Butterfly Conservatory on Wednesday, May 9. Lunch will be on your own at Cracker Barrel. The trip will depart from St. Anne's Church at 8:30 a.m. The sign up will be on Wednesday, April 25 at the Meeting House at 20 Emerson Ave. Doors will open at 8:30 a.m. Signups end at 9:30 a.m. The trip is cash only payable at the sign up and the cost per person is \$15 for residents and \$20 for nonresidents. Hampstead Seniors are given first choice and all others are placed on a waiting list. Proof of residency is required and age restriction is 62 years or older. For more information please call 489-1664.

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The Derry Garden Club has announced a \$1,000 scholarship to a current student or recently graduated New Hampshire student who is planning to major in some field of Environmental Studies. Student must be planning to attend an accredited educational institution. Deadline is May 1, 2018 and information is available on the Derry Garden Club webpage, www.derrygardenclub.org.

Toy Swap

Save the Date! Saturday May 19, at Matthew Thornton Elementary. It's time to start collecting all those used

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Karaoke Night

Karaoke with DJ Sharon will take place on April 20, with Music starts at 7 p.m. located at 6 Sargent Rd in Londonderry (behind the fire station on Mammoth Road). Non-members interested in joining Post 27 are welcome to attend.

VA Bingo

On April 23, Post 27 will be playing bingo with patients at the VA Hospital in Manchester from 7 - 8:30 p.m. We'll be serving pizza and diet soda as well as providing \$150 in prize money.

Lions Club Meeting

General Lions Club Meetings are on the 2nd and 4th Monday of the month at 7 p.m., at Lions Hall, Mammoth Road. We are always welcoming new members to help support our community, so stop in to learn more.

Spaghetti Dinner

On Fri., April 20, the Londonderry Lions Club will hold its 1st Spaghetti Dinner from 5 - 7 p.m. at the Lions Hall and will be serving Spaghetti, sauce, meatballs, Garden Salad, soda, water and plenty of dessert to choose from. This is event free and open to the public, donations will be accepted. All proceeds are to help with high school scholarships.

Spring Yard Sale

A Yard Sale will be held on Sat., May 12, Gates open at 7 a.m., donations will be accepted starting Sat., April 28, and can be left behind the Lions Hall under the pavilion.

Kids Fishing Derby

The Derry Lions are once again sponsoring the annual Derry Lions Kids Fishing Derby on Rollins Street at Hood Pond in Derry on May 5. Registration begins at 7:30 a.m., with fishing commencing at 8 a.m. until noon. For newcomers to the area the pond is just past the town hall at

the end of Manning Street. Kids up to and including age 15 can fish free. Donations are welcome to defray the cost to stock the pond with over 400 trout. Trophies are given for several categories of fish including largest and smallest. Each child receives a participant ribbon.

Library Hours

The Leach Library Hours for the month of April are as follows: Mon. - Thur., 9 a.m. - 8 p.m., Fri. & Sat., 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Native American Stories

Join us at the Leach Library on Thur., April 19 at 7 p.m., as Anne Jennison shares stories and cultural traditions of the Northeastern Woodlands. She will interweave song, drumming, audience participation, drama, and humor throughout her storytelling performance. This is free and open to the public with seating limited to the first 90 individuals. It will be held in the library's lower-level meeting room. Light refreshments will be served.

Tickborne Diseases

On Thur., April 26 at 1 p.m., the Leach Library will hold a presentation by Carolyn Fredette, a Vectorborne Disease Epidemiologist at the New Hampshire Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Public Health Services (DPHS). She will review the signs and symptoms of tickborne diseases as well as the ways to prevent illness. The audience will learn about the health hazards ticks pose in our area and have the opportunity to ask questions. Free and open to the public with seating limited to the first 90 individuals. It will be held in the library's lower-level meeting room. Light refreshments will be served.

April Vacation Scavenger Hunt Bingo

The Leach Library Children's Room will be offering a fun new twist on two classic games during April vacation. Starting Mon., April 23 through Sat., April 28, participants can pick up a bingo card in the Children's Room, then explore the library to collect items that will make bingo: five in a row vertically, horizontally or diagonally. Return the items to the Children's Room for a special treat and a raffle ticket for a chance to win a prize bag.

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Selections from the Londonderry Police Logs

The Stumble Inn on Rockingham Road.

7:29 p.m. Services rendered missing Person on Bridle Path at Wallace Farm Apartments.

8:40 p.m. Investigated suspicious activity on Page Road.

8:49 p.m. Investigated suspicious activity on Scobie Pond Road.

9:31 p.m. Assisted Londonderry Fire Dept. on Rockingham Road at Page Road.

9:47 p.m. Missing person investigated on High Range Road.

Wednesday - April 11
12:54 a.m. Sex Offenses

investigated on Conifer
Place.

8:11 a.m. Services rendered Motor Vehicle Accident on Harvey Road at G.A. Laflamme Inc.

9:33 a.m. Juvenile Offenses investigated at Londonderry Middle School
1:06 p.m. Criminal mis-

chief investigated on
Brewster Road.
2:19 p.m. Motor vehicle

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April Vacation Craft

Starting Mon., April 23 through Sat., April 28, participants will have a chance to create their own colorful swimming fish. Stop by the Leach Library Children's Room desk to pick up the supplies and create your perfect spring accessory in the library, or in the comfort of your own home.

Relay for Life

American Cancer Society Participation in Relay For Life of Greater Derry-Londonderry to Help Attack Cancer From Every Angle is calling on all community members to participate in the annual Relay For Life of Greater Derry-Londonderry on June 23, 2018 from noon - 10 p.m., at the Pinkerton Academy Track. Be part of the fight, and together we can beat our biggest rival. American Cancer Society is seeking volunteers to form teams and stand shoulder to shoulder with us and cancer patients and those supporting them. To learn more about Relay For Life, and register a team, visit RelayForLife.org/derryandlon-

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Free Meals

Community Meals Network; Please join us for free, family-friendly meals, served in a relaxed atmosphere. Dinner on April 21, at Etz Hayim Synagogue, 1-1/2 Hood Road, Derry, from 5 - 6:15 p.m., for information call 432-0004; Breakfast on April 22, at Episcopal Church of the Transfiguration 1 Hood Road, Derry, from 9 - 10 a.m. for information 432-2130; Dinner on April 27, at First Parish, 47 East Derry Road, East Derry, from 5 - 6:30 p.m., for information call 434-0628. Lunch on April 29, at St. Jude's, 435 Mammoth Road, Londonderry, from 1:30 - 2:30 p.m., for information call 432-3333. For more information on any of the meals or our services please visit: freemealsinderry.blogspot.com

Model Railroading

Seacoast Division of the National Model Railroad Association is running their Derry Fun Night program. The program is held the second Friday night of each month, 7 - 9 p.m., at the Marion Gerrish Community Center, 39 West Broadway, Derry. Dave Kotsonis will

show his technique for carving rocks out of Plaster, small rocks outcropping or a full mountain range lean the steps of carving the rocks as well as how to prepare your base before you start to carve rocks, tips on painting rocks and how to add scenery and trees to your finished scene. If you are interested in model trains and would like to join other like-minded hobbyists from beginner to expert for a fun evening program come to Derry Fun Night the second Friday of each month. For additional information go to the Division's website at seacoastnmra.org/calendar.

Greater Manchester Lyme Disease Support Group

Hosted by David Hunter this group meets on the third Wednesday of every month at 6:30 p.m. at the: Bedford Presbyterian Church 4 Church Road Bedford. For more information call 660-3425 or email dhunter31@gmail.com

Looking Good for Lou Gehrig!

2nd Annual Run for Healing for ALS, to raise funds for ALS and to highlight Israeli advances in research and treatment of this heart

breaking disease. On Sunday, April 22 from noon - 3 p.m. is the Run/Walk for Healing for the whole family, even people who cannot walk or run can come and celebrate. The event will begin with an interfaith 'Prayer for the Peace of Jerusalem' for Israel's 70th birthday. Our unity can multiply the power of our prayers. NH4Israel, a 12 year old, organization, is a committed group of Christians and Jews passionate about Israel. The event will take place at Etz Hayim Synagogue on Derry NH's Interfaith Campus 1/2 Hood Road, Derry. Please consider participating, donating, sponsoring and/or volunteering. For more information please visit NH4Israel.org

Lamplighters

A womans group with the goal of helping less fortunate woman and people in NH meets every 4th Thursday of the month 7 p.m. at Londonderry Presbyterian Church at 128 Pillsbury Road, Londonderry. If you have any questions please call 781-866-9976.

Walk with Me

Are you losing or have lost someone? A child, a parent, a sibling or a friend?

It can be a painful journey but you don't have to walk it alone anymore. Just come "Walk With Me". Meetings are the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of the month at 7 p.m., at the Londonderry Presbyterian Church, 128 Pillsbury Road, Londonderry. If you have any questions please call 781-866-9976.

Walking Together

A support group for widows and widowers meets every 1st and 3rd Tuesday of the month at 7 p.m., at the Manse at Londonderry Presbyterian Church, 128 Pillsbury Road, Londonderry. When we meet, we walk together our journey of grief. No need to do it alone. If you have any questions, please call 781-866-9976.

Continuing Education Program

Programs are open to the public at no charge, except as otherwise indicated. Donations to the Etz Hayim Synagogue will allow us to continue to offer these and other programs, and are gratefully accepted. Thurs. Nights, at 7 p.m. Etz Hayim Synagogue, 1 1/2 Hood Road, Derry. For more information, please contact: Stephen Soreff, MD, at soreffs15@aol.com

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accident investigated on Perkins Road at Bartley Hill Road.

4:10 p.m. Eight officers assist in serving warrant and making arrest on Conifer Place. Lee Martin, 50, of Londonderry arrested on a Bench Warrant and charged with Failure to Comply with Registration of Sex Offenders; Three counts of Aggravated Felonious Sexual Assault Fondling; Aggravated Felonious Sexual Assault Sodomy; Felonious Sexual Assault - Forcible Fondling; Prohibit Persons From Childcare Service and Indecent Exposure and Lewdness.

4:52 p.m. Motor vehicle accident investigated on Stonehenge Road.

5:31 p.m. Services rendered for suspicious activity on Industrial Drive.

5:57 p.m. Warning issued for criminal mischief on Winding Pond Road.

6:34 p.m. Attempted suicide investigated on Tokanel Drive.

7:08 p.m. Motor vehicle accident investigated on Auburn Road near Londonderry Self Storage.

10:05 p.m. Three officers respond to report of trespassing on Shenandoah Avenue and make arrest. Megan Patterson, 25, of Londonderry charged with Criminal Trespass.

Thursday - April 12

1 a.m. Motor vehicle stop results in arrest on Nashua Road at Burger King. Jioribel Randal Alcantara, 33, of Manchester charged with Stalking.

4:05 a.m. Four officers investigate assault at The Stumble Inn on Rockingham Road.

7:14 a.m. Services rendered for suspicious activity on Kendall Pond Road.

11:53 a.m. Warrant served and arrest made on June Street, Worcester, Mass. Ulysses Stewart, 42

of Worcester charged with Theft By Deception and five counts of Forgery.

7:44 p.m. Criminal Mischief investigated Mammoth Road.

9:34 p.m. Report of Missing Person investigated on Morway Drive.

Friday - April 13

1:47 a.m. Assisted Hudson Police Department on Rolling Ridge Road.

2:03 a.m. Pedestrian check results in arrest on Nashua Road near Charles George Trucking.

8:17 a.m. Animal Control investigated on Mayflower Drive.

8:36 a.m. Services rendered at motor vehicle accident on Ela Avenue.

10:41 a.m. Suspicious activity results in arrests at Shell Food Mart on Nashua Road. Penny Sue Chisholm, 27, of Manchester charged with Possession of Controlled/Narcotic Drugs. Matthew Brissette, 33, of Merrimack

charged with Possession of Controlled/Narcotic Drugs and Possession of Drugs (in A Motor Vehicle)

11:20 a.m. Motor vehicle accident investigated on Nashua Road at Ford of Londonderry.

1:11 p.m. Services rendered for Medical Emergency at Manchester Boston Regional Airport.

2:28 p.m. Services rendered for motor vehicle accident on Shasta Drive at Nutfield Country Store.

3:22 p.m. Suspicious activity investigated at Kendall Pond Conservation Area on South Road

3:36 p.m. Services rendered for juvenile offenses at Londonderry Middle School.

5:19 p.m. Services rendered in keeping the peace on Constitution Drive.

5:53 p.m. Warrant served and arrest made in Bristol N.H. Jonathan Theodore, 34, of Bristol charged with Conduct after an Accident; Criminal Mischief (vandalism) and Disorder-

ly Conduct.

5:56 p.m. Services Rendered for report of trespassing on Hovey Road.

9:18 p.m. Report of overdose results in transport to hospital on Granite Street.

10:42 p.m. Peace restored after Juvenile Offenses on Kitt Lane.

Saturday - April 14

10:35 a.m. Neighborhood disputes investigated on Whittemore Road.

10:59 a.m. Motor vehicle accident investigated on Mammoth Road at Sparhawk Drive.

11:05 a.m. Motor vehicle

accident investigated on Crestview Circle.

6:18 p.m. Juvenile offenses investigated on Victoria Drive.

6:38 p.m. Suspicious activity investigated on Constitution Drive.

Sunday - April 15

7:44 a.m. Assisted Londonderry Fire Dept. on Shenandoah Avenue.

3:20 p.m. Investigated Motor Vehicle Accident on High Range Road.

9:27 p.m. Assisted New Hampshire State Police on Nashua Road at Action Blvd.

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