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Spirited Walk Londonderry Middle School staff member Mary Soares headed out with sixth grade student Ruth Nielsen during a snow shoeing expedition recently. Students were invited for this after-school activity during the school's Spirit Week. Photo by Chris Paul

## **Resident Addresses Town Council About Generator Article Issues**

**MACK LEATHURBY** LONDONDERRY TIMES

n March 12, residents will be voting and Warrant Articles. One ident and a former Town for \$175,000 funding for of those Warrants may Treasurer from 2001 to the purpose of purchashave been presented at 2004. Bielinski was at the ing an emergency back-up the recent Deliberative Council meeting on March with inaccurate informa- 4 and took the opportunity tion, and that was brought to speak during the Public

Town Council by a resident at Monday's meeting. Richard Bielinski is a for Town officials long-time Londonderry res- rant Article 15 that asks

to the attention of the Comment portion of the meeting.

Specifically, the discussion was about Wargenerator for the Police Department, with the continued on page 2

## **A FREE Weekly Publication Town Deliberative Session Has** Questions Debated, Amended

MIKE BYERLY LONDONDERRY TIMES

t the Town Deliberative session 28 ballot articles were reviewed, debated and voted to be moved to the ballot for the election on March 12. Amendments were ofwith two passing and two failing.

Article 20, a proposal to add a fourth full-time School Resource Officer (SRO) to the Police Department, generated discussion and a proposed amendment. As originally, proposed the town would be asked to approve \$120,719 for the new officer.

At present, there are retired officers.

full-time officers at LHS and LMS and another fulltimer that floats between the elementary schools and kindergarten. The new officer would provide additional coverage at the elementary schools plus be more active tactically fered for four of the articles by conducting threat assessment; checking that doors are locked and used as expected; and updating safety plans at all schools. Former SRO, Dan Bouch-

ard, offered an amendment to change the article to be for \$150K for three part-time officers who would be fulltime certified. His goal was to get full coverage to all six schools by using

He noted that a retired officer could work 1,352 hours a year without running afoul of the state retirement regulations. He felt that would be enough hours to cover the school day hours and provide an immediate response time.

School Board member Jen Ganem asked Chief Hart about other duties of the SRO outside classroom hours. Hart said that SROs sometimes work beyond the classroom hours working with families on ongoing situations, mentoring, liaising with the juvenile officer and undergoing training.

> Town Attorney, Mike continued on page 3

## **Council Discusses Portable Container Ordina**

### RACHEL CISTO LONDONDERRY TIMES

the March 4 Town Council members have recomlook at Londonderry's ordinance regulating portable storage containers.

The town's current ordimust be moved from a propmany companies lease the units for 12 months at a time. According to the town,

enforcement actions step-

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For March 12 Election

ped up once a new code to move the containers. enforcement officer was fter a discussion at hired and able to cut down some of the commeeting, plaint backlog. They said a majority of complaints mended the Planning Board came in from residents calling about storage containers on their neigh-

bors' properties. Marc Fortin, an owner nance states that these units of the Fortin Company, said some of his clients erty after six months, but have had modular storage containers for 20 years, but due to the recent jump in enforcement actions, are being told that they need

He said people rent the modular storage trailers for a multitude of reasons.

"People have stuff," he said. "They store their stuff, and a lot of people prefer to have their units at their homes or businesses."

He said the ordinance, which does not provide separate guidelines for commercial or industrial users, is negatively impacting his customers.

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### Generator **Continued from page 1**

money to be taken from Unassigned Fund Balance towards the appropriation.

The Town Council by a vote of 5-0 recommended a YES vote and the Budget Committee by a vote of 6-0 also recommended a YES vote. If passed, the article will require the Town to raise \$0.00 in property taxes, resulting in a tax rate impact of \$0 in FY 20.

a keen eye over the years, with a look out for taxpayers to understand how a trade in for the new one capital expenditures are and that would have acted upon by the Town.

During the Deliberative Session, which Bielin- about this issue, he spoke ski was watching via Londonderry Access Commu- rick Cheetham; Bielinski nity Television, he observed interesting information in the presentation about Warrant Article 15. Unfortunately, the that and further insight. Town Deliberative sessions were not complete- reported to him that the ly recorded due to a technical glitch, so Bielinski not have a new back-up made several calls to generator really listed as understand additional a must have need, though

request for this generator another generator would expenditure from the Unassigned Fund Balance.

Bielinski was first concerned that when this Article was presented during the Deliberative about replacing a generator that was 15-years-old. He understood logically that the age of the currently used Cat generator was less of a reason for replacement than the actual working order, and the amount of time this generator had actually been used. Also, he had Bielinski has developed understood from discussions that the old generator would be part of the deal as impact in the transaction.

During his research with Police Captain Patsaid the Captain was very helpful to discuss the situation with him and provided him with details Bielinski said it was Police Department did

be nice to have.

Bielinski reported that he also spoke with Steve Administrative Cotton. Support Coordinator about the generator information. After this research about the generator, Bielinski was advised that the request for the new generator for backup was actually for a backup to the current back-up generator and that the current generator was not going to be traded in, but kept.

So, the expenditure in the Warrant was to be for a backup of the backup generator. It also turned out that the current Cat generator in use for the Police Department only had approximately 533 hours of usage over the 15 year period in Town and his research informed him that these types of generators have a minimum life expectancy of 15,000 hours and a maximum life of about 50,000 hours with a typical lifespan of 30,000 hours.

With this information. Bielinski was concerned how it is that the Town facts around the Warrant the department thought really needs another gen-

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tion at this time. Also, he was concerned that if the Police Station gets a new back up for their back up generator, then won't the Fire department also want a backup for their backup?...and maybe North Station and South Station might want them too.

The point is that he felt is that if there really is a need for a backup for the backup generator, perhaps the town might be better suited by requesting expenditure for a mobile usage generator for additional backup usage across the town. Also, Bielinski was amazed he could not find anyone

### Storage **Continued from page 1**

"It's difficult for those people to find out they can't have these units, he said to Council.

Chief Building Inspector Richard Canuel said the ordinance has been in place for nearly 10 years.

He said the six-month countdown begins once the department is made aware of a mobile storage container - either through a complaint or from an employee noticing it.

'We count the six months from when we first see them, since there," Canuel said.

Council John Farrell said any potential changes would have to come from the Planning Board and the town's Planning Department. There is no word on updated back in Decem-

sizes of the generators in General offices, who aduse at the various Town vised that a remedy or departments, though no other process actions doubt this information is somewhere to be found.

slight issue with the notion ing change on the ballot. that this capital expenditure has no tax rate impact; he agrees and understands that technically there will be a tax rate impact of \$0 in FY 20 for this Warrant, though he believes voters should know that the Unassigned Fund Balance are Town Council members funds that got there including Chairman, John through tax funding.

they agreed to follow-up interact with Bielinski. and Beilinski was contact-

erator for the Police Sta- who could tell him the ed by the State Attorney would be considered for this specific Warrant Arti-Beilinski also takes cle 15 with perhaps a word-

> Residents should be aware that Public Hearings at these meetings are formally allowed for a period of 5 minutes time for each speaker and Bielinski was appraised of this timing at the hearing. Farrell as well as Town As the Town Council Manager, Kevin Smith discussed this situation, were in attendance to

when the Planning Board may take up any changes to the ordinance.

Council also approved an expenditure of \$10,325 from the Expendable Maintenance Trust Fund to cover winter maintenance activities like plowing, salting and sanding on town property.

\$8,585 will cover plowing, salting and shoveling on January 29, 30 and 31, and again on February 6, 7, 12, 13, 14, 16, 18 and 19 at Town Hall, the Police Department, Leach Library, the Access Center, and the Central Fire Station.

The remaining \$1,740 there's no way for us to will cover maintenance at know how long it's been the Londonderry Senior Center on February 1, 6, 7, chairman 12, 14, 15, 16, 19, 21, 22, and 24.

> Council also waived a first reading of an amendment to the zoning ordinance. The ordinance was

ber, and according to the town, the updates now being proposed are "housekeeping" changes, designed to improve "clarity and correction of inadvertent oversights" of the new sections.

Changes include prohibiting solid waste and other waste facilities, banning commercial piggeries and mink farms, requiring land owners to either rebuild or remove a burned or collapsed building within six months of the incident, and requiring site plan review for "all commercial and industrial uses, all clustered residential developments and all multi-unit dwellings that consist of more than two dwelling units."

The next Town Council meeting will be on March 18, 2019 at 7 p.m. in the Moose Hill Council Chambers at Londonderry Town Hall.



## Ballots

Continued from page 1 Ramsdell, expressed the opinion that changing the article from one full time to three part-time officers could be judged an unlawful amendment if challenged in court because it could be seen as changing the intent that \$5K of the total go to of the article. Town Moderator felt it would be OK but cal Society to support their agreed that "one of us is going to be wrong."

The vote on the amendment failed with only eight over the funds so the Hispeople voting for it and more voting against.

Articles 17 and 18 relate to the former school district space attached to town hall. Article 17 rescinds the right of the school district to use the space in the future. A companion article on the among to \$30K passed. school district ballot this one to leave the town cle to allow businesses in in control of the space.

Assuming Article 17 passes, Article 18 would allocate \$379K from the town's Unassigned Fund Balance to demolish and replace the former school district space with a smaller, single story building. The space would be used for storage initially with an option later to add a second floor if needed to expand the town offices.

the public expressed concern that demolishing the space permanently removed the option for the Post by bringing more cusschool district to move tomers into them. He said back there in the future in a newly constructed attached building. An amendment was proposed to reduce the amount to not make a recommenda-\$75K to simply cover the tion of the article because demolition. School Board it is non-monetary in member Jenn Ganem nature; however, the Budcommented that the dis- get Committee voted 5-0 trict has other options for a future school district herself, Budget Committee office. The amendment member Christine Patton

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be on the ballot as original worded.

Article 22, designed to allocate \$25K from the town's Unassigned Fund Balance to pay for Londonderry's part of this year's Nutfield 300 celebration was amended to suggest the Londonderry Historipart in Nutfield 300. The article is written to give the Town Manager discretion torical Society could get more or less than \$5K.

Article 26, to use \$20K from the Unassigned Fund Balance to make repairs to the Town Grange building was briefly discussed and an amendment offered by Mary Wing Soares to increase the

Article 27 was a citiworks in conjunction with zen-initiated warrant artitown who have a bar to operate Keno gambling machines. The state passed a law allowing towns to decide if they want to allow Keno. The motivation was to help offset the cost of full-time kindergarten by sending \$1,800 per student back to the town.

However, since Londonderry does not offer full-time kindergarten, no money would come back Several members of to the town. Al Baldasaro made the case that it would help local business and the American Legion that businesses get 8% of the Keno revenue with the rest going to the state.

> The Town Council did against Keno. Speaking for

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failed and the article will asked if we really wanted gambling in Londonderry. She also questioned if Keno players really spend much money on food and beverage and thought that it sent a bad message to kids that education should be funded through gambling.

> Articles 2 and 3 related to the town budget and remained unchanged at the meeting. In past years, there was only one budget article, but a change to state law now requires two articles. The second one (article 3 for \$173K) covers anticipated increases in contracts not approved in the prior year's operating budget or in a separate prior vear warrant article since these can no longer be included in the default budget calculation.

> Article 2 sets the remainder of the budget with a proposal of \$33,858,810, a 2.6% increase over last year. If that amount is not approved by voters, then the default budget amount of \$33,865,222 would be used for FY2020.

> Articles 5, 6 and 7 relate to investments in sewer improvements. Town Manager Kevin Smith said that "article 5 authorizes the dissolution of the current Sewer Special Revenue Fund. This action is required to affect a change in the accounting treatment of sewer operations by subsequently creating an Enterprise Fund to manage such operations. This change has been suggested by both the State Department of Revenue Administration and the Town's independent auditing firm."

> Unlike most articles that require a simple majority to pass, Article 5 requires a 2/3rd majority to pass. If Article 5 fails, then Articles 6 and 7 fund sewer trust funds as has

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been done in the past. If Articles 6 and 7 become null and void.

Other articles were formally moved to the ballot with little discussion including improving the drainage on the town common; empowering the Town Council to petition the state to lower the speed limit on Route 102; spending money to upgrade the town's assessing software; the town contributing money to extend the Rail Trail to take advantage of a state matching grant; funding of trust funds for capital leases and trust funds for cemetery, roadway maintenance, GIS and fire department projects; and creation of a Conservation Land Ranger.

Article 5 passes, then Smith kicked off the meeting with an annual state of the town address during the session. He noted that sell the bonds for both since 2013 when he started the Central Fire Renovain the role, "we've made a tion the Exit 4A projects.? lot of progress in that time: in 2013, our Town tax rate stood at \$5.19, today it is \$4.99; in six years' time our town-wide property valuation has grown by nearly \$436,000,000."

> side, Londonderry continues to be a desirable community to own a home, as is evidenced by the fact that for the second year the ongoing development in a row, we were the fastest growing town in the state according to US Census figures."

Town Manager Kevin town's bond rating in 2018 to AA+, which will help the town get a better financial deal when they

Also in FY2018, the town had a surplus totaling \$2.2 million due to higher than projected revenues and unspent appropriations. Further, after using \$2.3 million dollars "On the residential of undesignated fund balance in 2018, the town had \$6.3M fund balance going into fiscal year 2019.

Smith also highlighted of Woodmont, the recent purchase and redevelopment plan for the Appletree Mall and the exten-He added Standard sion of the Rail Trail as and Poor's upgraded the positives for the town.



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# Editorial Let the Sun Shine In

Open and transparent government - it's what the public should expect from officials at the local, state and national level. And providing information about the operation of government at the local level is a job this newspaper takes seriously.

March 10 through 16 is Sunshine Week, a reminder that government business conducted in the open is at the heart of a democracy. If we don't know what elected officials are doing, we have no way to hold them accountable. And the more information we all have, the better.

Knowledge, as the saying goes, is power. And that power is not something to be held close to the chest by politicians; it belongs to each of us in our role in voting politicians into office and depending on them for providing services, fair budgeting and just plain listening to the will of the people.

Sunshine Week is a national effort spearheaded by the American Society of News Editors. Though the week was created by journalists, it's not about newspapers, it's about the public's right emphasize that word to know what its government is doing, it encourages every citizen to take a active role in government, and strives to provide access to information to help them govern.

James Madison, the father of the U.S. Constitution, wrote that "consent of the governed" requires that people be able to "arm themselves with the power which knowledge gives." That means in our participatory democracy, every citizen has a right to access government meetings and public records.

And that's the key. Keeping government transparent means newspapers must act as watchdogs, asking the uncomfortable questions, getting the information, and providing it in unbiased fashion to their readers. If documents are not readily made available, the state's Right to Know process is ready for everyone to use.

The motto of Sunshine Week is "Your Right to Know." That's the heart of what government is all about. As a citizen in a democracy, you have the right to know how your government operates, and your elected officials have the obligation, except in carefully delineated situations, to conduct their business in the open, even when that's uncomfortable.

We know it's easier for officials to discuss public business in private, where strategies can be aired without anyone listening. But that's not the way it's supposed to work. Discussions are to be public, in a quorum and on the record.

Making it hard for the public to find out what's going on is playing loose with open government. That's why we report what we do.

Without information, we're left in the dark. The better choice is to let the sun shine in.



#### **Rail Trail**

To the editor

So much has been accomplished by Londonderry Trailways. The end of this glorious project is in sight. We must keep it going. Support Article 24. Think of a place where nature abounds - where all can walk and bike, and skate in great safety and beauty. Wow! YES on 24. Help make Londonderry an even better place to live.

Sincerely, Andy Mack Sr. Londonderry

**Conservation Land Ranger – Please support** Warrant Article 19

To the editor,

Londonderry is blessed with more than 4,000 acres of protected open space. The Musquash area alone holds over 1000 acres of land and nearly 20 miles of trails. There are 3+ miles of Rail Trail and soon to be more. Many of the conservation lands are used by hikers, bikers, skiers and hunters. They are refuges for plants and animals, including endangered species. We must protect this resource to keep it healthy.

The great majority of people using our conservation lands are responsible, but there are a few knuckle heads. In recent weeks, there was minor vandalism where New Hampshire Fish & Game is working. Illegal ATVs are an ongoing problem, damaging trails and wildlife nesting sites. Trash and material dumping happens every year. Substance abuse issues are not unheard of.

There are also natural challenges. Trails get blocked by fallen trees or floods. Bridges wear out. The sooner problems are found, the sooner they are fixed.

A part-time Conservation Land Ranger with between single family and

Letters

help us maintain our conservation lands as the outstanding town resources they are.

Please vote YES on Warrant Article 19. **Bob Maxwell** 

Londonderry

#### Again, Londonderry Land Use Board Chooses **Developers Over Residents**

To the editor,

At the February ZBA meeting, a corporate developer in town submitted plans to build a duplex on the non-conforming 15acre woodlot at the end of our narrow, one-lane deadend road, even though he only had 85' of the 200' of frontage required and had the alternative of improving the road to get the frontage legally. It was a

very big ask.

After an hour and a half of debate, including opposition from every single neighbor on the street, veiled threats by the project's engineer to build even more on the lot, and even an insinuation by the developer that bringing the neighborhood together in opposition to the project was somehow nefarious, the ZBA decided in a 3-2 vote to override the neighborhood's safety, welfare, and character concerns. Though only one of the five Board members even bothered to drive down the road in question, they voted to allow the applicant to build on the lot, despite it not meeting the town-wide zoning criteria. Now the developer can build today without making our road safe for our met very few people who children. At one point, one of the pro-development board members commented, "Who cares about 50 feet?" in reference to the Zoning Ordinance's differentiation in the frontage requirements

enforcement authority will duplex homes. If this is the respect our ZBA members show towards the Zoning Ordinance, why bother even having one?

> What is the point of having a zoning code, if big developers can all easily receive legal permission to violate it? This is especially galling when the very same ZBA regularly denies applications for existing property owners to start a small business out of their garage, or put a sign on their store large enough for people to see it... How much longer are we going to allow developers to build on every bit of open space, criss-cross all of our wetlands, and decimate our wildlife habitats, all to make a quick buck at the expense of the character of our neighborhoods and safety of our residents? It won't be long before Londonderry is just as over-crowded and undesirable as the Massachusetts towns many of us tried to escape.

> > **Graham Nadig** Londonderry

#### **For Chad Franz**

To the editor:

I am writing this letter in support of Chad Franz, who is running for a position on the Londonderry Budget Committee. A family man, Chad and his wife, Alexis, are raising their two children here in Londonderry. A recently retired Marine, Chad has lived a life of service, and is looking to continue to serve others, now by seeking this position in our town.

In all my years I have are as open and fair-minded as I have found Chad to be. I see that he seeks all available opinions on a subject. He listens earnestly and honestly, not dismissive of any view. Chad then applies a high continued on page 5

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on any matter. I believe these attributes make level of due diligence to Chad highly qualified for get as much factual infor- this position, and I truly mation, in order to make believe his decisions on

### OBITUARY Brian P. Haddad



Brian P. Haddad, 33, of Manchester, NH, died unexpectedly Tuesday Feb. 26, 2019, in the Elliot Hospital, Manchester. He was born in Derry, NH on May 15, 1985, a son of Thomas and Donna (Neault) Haddad. Brian attend-

ed Hood Middle School and Pinkerton Academy in Derry and graduated Class of 2004. Starting in high school, Brian learned he had a knack for electronics and television production that translated into becoming adept at stage lighting and computer repair. He was involved with the theater department of Pinkerton before graduating and many years after. For 15 years he volunteered for the Miss NH scholarship program designing sets and lighting for each contestant. He designed and set up the lighting for the new Tupelo Music Hall in Derry. After graduation he worked a number of years for the Manchester Monarchs, running cameras and mostly replays. He joined Rainbow Production traveling the world designing and setting up theatrical lighting for well-known names, like Major Lazer, to not so well known names, like presidential candidates campaigning in NH and everything in between. Some examples of things he did was set up for 2 New England Patriots Super Bowl After parties, Boston Calling and Comics Come Home.

Brian was an extremely knowledgeable and intelligent person. People respected him with ease and his employers were pleasantly surprised with his knowledge and leadership abilities. This intelligence opened many possibilities for Brian.

In addition to his parents, he is also survived by his brother, Christopher Haddad and wife Ericka; paternal grandfather, Richard Haddad; three uncles, Richard Haddad and wife Carol, Daniel Haddad and wife Rose, and Peter Haddad; Aunt, Virginia Solman and husband Paul; Aunt, Cindi and husband Steve; his cousins Alicia and Shawn Haddad. Anna Tasch and husband Kyle. John Haddad and wife Kate, Michael Haddad and wife Norma, Robert, Catherine, David and Danielle Haddad, Kimberly Hadson and husband Max and Kevin Haddad; second cousins, Ellie, John, Isabelle, Theodore and Michael Haddad. He is survived by numerous extended family and beloved friends, including his best friend, Christina Tomkinson and her husband Matthew and their children, Drake and Gabriel.

Brian is predeceased by his uncle, John Haddad and his aunt Mary Haddad as well as his paternal grandmother, Catherine Haddad and maternal grandparents, Robert and Ruth Neault.

Calling hours will be held on Saturday, March 2, from 2-5 p.m. in the Peabody Funeral Homes & Crematorium, 290 Mammoth Rd., Londonderry, NH. Funeral services will follow at 5 p.m. in the funeral home.



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the best possible decision the Budget Committee will be in the best interests of the people, and for our Town of Londonderry.

Chad is the type of person whose opinion I would seek out, and trust in him, to guide me in making a decision where I may need some assistance. I ask that on March 12th, you place your trust in Chad Franz to do the same for the people and Town of Londonderry.

Thank you, Glenn Gray Londonderry

#### **Vote for Tom Dolan**

To the editor,

I write this letter to humbly ask for your continued support for Town Council

I began serving my country as a teenager like most veterans. I entered West Point and served in the Army for several years. I married a school teacher (Kate Dolan), moved to Londonderry in 1986, and raised a family. Our two children attended Londonderry schools and thrived in the band (thank-you Mr. Soucy) and school sports.

I was active in town baseball and soccer and became involved with the government during the "Best Schools Initiative" in 2000. Concerned with the rapidly changing nature of our community, I was elected to the Town Council in 2001. I wanted to make sure we preserved open spaces, work on strategies to hold down our tax rate, and create a strategic financial planning model to manage our future. I led the "Best Towns Initiative" to assure the Town Council heard and cap- thy are unfunded mantured citizens' concerns.

several apple orchards taxes. You can count on is. I spoke with both the and other buildable areas me to throw that red flag. to slow development to preserve our rural quality of life. In 2007, I left the Council and was elected to the Budget Committee to serve the community but with a "lighter touch". However, I was quickly disappointed to learn of the Woodmont Orchard sale after I left the Council. I then decided it was time to get back on the Town Council and dive into this new development process to steer it to something the town could accept and afford. The Council has man-

aged to reduce our town tax rate by attracting industries especially in and around the airport. But, there is more to still do.

We were just listed as the second safest community in NH! This is a result of our hard work to assure our police and firemen are among the most highly trained in the business. When I fell off my roof, they arrived in minutes and carefully transported me to a trauma center with a broken back. The neurologist said that because of the excellent job by Londonderry's first responders, I would not suffer paralysis that might have happened without expert care. I am a blessed man.

Last year you elected me to represent Londonderry as a state representative enabling me to bring my presence/experience on the Town Council to Concord. This assures that my colleagues at the state fully understand the impacts of their legislative efforts and resulting impacts to our town. Especially notewordates that could force a



We then preserved rise in local property what the situation really I have your back.

Here in Londonderry, we have more development with its impacts. I urge you to maintain the expertise I bring to the Council. You this type before needing a have come to know me and my leadership style. You don't have to wonder about my competency. I hope you'll return me to the Town Council to finish the job. I ask for your vote on March 12th.

Thank you, Tom Dolan Londonderry

#### **Police Department Generator** Article 15 Not what you were Told

To the editor,

Article 15 is asking to spend 175,000 dollars to purchase a generator. A presentation was done at ing to LED's. LED's use 80 the deliberative session to 90 percent less power explaining the need. It was explained that the current unit is 17 years old and beyond its serviceable life. Questions building of this size. The were asked and answered. I would like to go back and watch the meeting of the building need to be again to review the questions and answers, but I cannot. While it was recorded it cannot be been done, I was not given played back by the cable an answer. Next, I asked if studio due to equipment we were getting a trade in failure. This led me to allowance for the old unit make my own calls to see

Town Offices and the Police Department. First, generator lifespan is measured in hours of use not years in service. The median hours for a generator of major service is approximately 30,000 hours. The current generator at the Police Department has 533 hours of use showing on the meter. Beyond its serviceable life, obviously not. I was also told that it is not large enough to power the whole building. I found that hard to believe. The generator was put in when the building was built years ago. If it had been sized properly for the building it would have had approximately 20 percent reserve capacity. One of the power saving upgrades done recently was changing the lightthan incandescent bulbs, thus lowering the load on the generator. This should be a major savings in a output of the generator and power consumption analyzed to see if it currently meets requirements. When asked if this had continued on page 7



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# **Cable Access Television Makes Leap in Bandwidth Connection**

MACK LEATHURBY LONDONDERRY TIMES

Community Television (LACT) is making a jump to support the audio and video production from nearly any key location. With the updated mobile production kits, LACT will be able to broadcast, stream, and record events, meetings and TV shows from almost anywhere in town. The new production infrastructure will enable higher quality production that could provide more visual and sound detail with easier broadcast setups and quick production access from even remote locations.

The new set up will help the LACT team to provide more reliable recordings including better on demand internet access media for important Town events. This capability should help minimize potential problems like recently occurred during the recording of the Town's Deliberative Sessions.

Deliberative Sessions were also include supporting not available for commu- the Town's LACT with

nity viewing due to a glitch capital payments for cer- with a Middle School club connections to LACT bution. Comcast finished that occurred during the ondonderry Access recording from the high school. New technology capabilities that are now being set up to enable Town with high definition redundant recordings providing backups to overcome such glitches from impeding on demand community access to important event broadcasts.

In addition, venues including the high school and other district schools are being connected up to the outside world with much more reliable internet and broadcast cabling that will provide infrastructure to connect to internal systems. While the schools still need an upgrade to their in-school facility internet and broadcast cabling, new connections the should help optimize the internet and communications systems as they are upgraded internally.

The cost of these upgrades do not create a tax burden to residents as the upgrades are being done by Comcast as part of their new franchise contract with Londonderry. Most of the Town The franchise contracts

equipment upgrades. In addition, the Town is in the process of applying for a High Definition TV station upgrade that Comcast is beginning to support across key town franchises in NH. While a High Definition Community TV Channel is down the road, there is a strong likelihood that Londonderry will receive such support in the near future.

Drew Caron has managed and lead the LACT production efforts for 16 years. Caron, himself is a Londonderry High School graduate who trained in film and broadcast production while in the Air Force, nity will soon see optibefore working for five years at a Nashua media production company.

Erin Brodman who works with Caron, has been with LACT for the Continued from page 5 past 12 years. Erin is involved in many community productions and supports the LACT Summer Camp; Brodman has trained lots of community members about TV and Media production and one of her current projects involves working

with production projects.

Caron is happy to let the community know that the first phase of a major upgrade to the access TV was completed. Caron says, "We will be able to audio and video from virtually any key area around Londonderry. We appreciate the Town's support and want to let the community know that media production and viewing is taking a big leap forward and we will be able to accommodate the community in ways we could not in the past."

Caron says the commumized, sharper pictures from their internet and TV

## etters

and was told yes. I was later informed that the old unit was staying. Why would it be staying if it is beyond its serviceable life? It's staying because the Police Department is going to have two generators. Not to increase capacity, but to have a current backup generator. respect the taxpayers and

tain types of production once a week helping them internet and live broad- the first phase of this casts. It will take about upgrade in February as five to eight weeks for sys- they installed their ILoop tems to be connected to Fiber technology to conthe new cross-town con- nect to LACT. This new nections of high band- installation means that width fiber cable that the bandwidth for inter-Comcast has now installed net streaming and media transmit high definition at key venues around town including the Town by older, imperfect band-Commons, Town Hall rooms including Moose Hill and other meeting cal fiber light pipes that rooms, Leach Library, Londonderry High School conduits for better signal Gymnasium, the Middle flows, thus enabling faster School and other schools in the district.

> Last year the Town extended its franchise connect the fiber cables agreement with Comcast for the next 12 years with appropriate in-house and the Town receiving fran- remote venue production chise fees allocations for components over the internet and media distri-

This will require maintaining and fueling two units. The Town Council did not even know this was the plan. Yet the Town Council by a 5-0 vote recommended a yes vote. Watch the beginning of the March 4 Town Council meeting. I have many more questions to get answers to before we have the whole picture. backup generator for the The Town Council should

access that was limited width coax wire has now been replaced with optiwill act as much bigger data speeds and high quality media.

LACT will now begin to Comcast installed with coming weeks.

not expend the funds should this article pass until we have all the correct answers. The taxpayers are also due an explanation as to why the article was so misrepresented. Vote NO on article 15. We need and deserve more answers.

Richard D. Bielinski, Jr Londonderry **Town Treasurer** 2001-2004

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# Sea Cadet Program Holds Inspection and Awards Ceremony

CHRIS PAUL LONDONDERRY TIMES

ast month, the U.S. Sea Cadet Corps Program held its annual Inspection and Awards Ceremony on Feb. 14 where a number of young program is to prepare cadets were recognized for their efforts. The event was held where the group trains at the Army Reserve Center on Harvey Road in Londonderry.

The group is comprised of two programs. The Navy League Cadet Corps, which is the junior program for young people ages 10 to 13, and The Naval Sea Cadet Corps, a senior program for ages 13 to 17.

This junior cadet program introduces its members to naval life through the instruction of basic seamanship and leader- ry, customs and traditions. Members particiship.

pate in monthly drill sessions and during school breaks and in a one-week orientation class as well as in specially-designed annual training sessions. The purpose of the junior cadets for success if the wish to move onto the senior program.

The senior cadet program exposes cadets to the rigors of a military training. Cadets are required to attend a twoweek recruit training camp. After this, cadets are eligible to participate in a variety of advanced training sessions. These sessions serve to expose cadets to seamanship and seagoing subjects. They also focus on developing an appreciation for our country's rich naval histo-The ceremony began

### OBITUARY **Brenda J. Hughes**

Brenda J. Hughes, 67, of Londonderry, NH, died Wednesday Feb. 20, 2019 following a long battle from heart complications in Catholic Medical Center in Manchester, NH. She was born in Methuen, MA on July 9, 1951, a daughter of Robert and Marilyn Timmons. Brenda had been a resident of Londonderry for the past 40 years, formerly living in Exeter, NH. She and her husband owned and operated P.I. Design Glass & Mirror in Londonderry.

She is survived by her husband Robert Hughes of Londonderry.

Following cremation, calling hours were held on Sunday, Feb. 24 from 1 - 3 p.m. in the Peabody Funeral Homes and Crematorium, 15 Birch St., Derry. A memorial service followed at 3 p.m. in the funeral home.



with the Presentation of Colors, and was quickly followed by an inspection of the young cadets. This was performed by five officers Andrew Nash, John Murphy, Loseph Hagan, Peter McCann and Elise Jewett.

During the annual ceremony, a number of awards were given out.

Mitchell Nault received the Navy League of the United States (NLUS) Sea Cadet Youth Medal & Ribbon.

Logan Jolly received the NLUS League Cadet Youth Medal & Ribbon.

The Daughters of the American Revolution Outstanding Cadet honor went to Nathan Gadzik.

The VFW Naval Sea Cadet Award went to Robert Cariello.





The distinction of being named the Sea Cadet of the Year was given to Mitch Nault by







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## LHS Band Plans 2020 Trip, School Board Applauds Student Projects

MIKE BYERLY LONDONDERRY TIMES

∎erge Beaulieu, district Music Director, spoke to the board about a planned LHS band trip in March 2020 to Washington, D.C. and New York 17, at the cost of \$1,000 per City. He said, "the Lancer Marching Band has a great opportunity to participate in the St. Patrick's Day Parade in Washington, D.C. and New York City all in the same trip. This is a tremendous opportunity since both of these parades are seniors Maddie Sanborn regarded as top parades in the nation for bands to participate in."

"In addition, the Symphonic Band has officially been accepted to perform at the world-famous Carnegie Hall in New York City as part of the New York Paws for a Cause, aims to Invitational Music Festival. We are very fortunate that the dates line up so that all of these performances could happen in one trip. We are seeking school the class in 9th grade if board approval to move they have did met the

ble because the cost of a 5day trip is higher than normal and we want to give families as much time as possible to fundraise."

The trip from March 13 student was approved by the School Board. While the students will miss two days of school, the bus trip down and back to would allow them time to work on schoolwork.

On another topic, LHS and Natalie Brooks returned to the School Board to address concerns raised in the Dec. 2018 meeting about their proposal to introduce therapy dogs at the high school.

Their senior project, start a reading therapy pilot program this Spring in the Literacy for College and Careers class. Students are required to take

the PSAT 8 test. The therapy dog and its handler would be provided free by Therapy Dogs International (TDI).

At the Dec. meeting, board members expressed concerns about liability, students with allergies, and students with a fear of dogs. Regarding allergies, Sanborn said that for the pilot, they would use the outdoor classroom and that students could opt out and choose to do independent reading in the library instead. If they pilot is successful, the spaces used in future years would be considered at that point.

Similarly, students who were afraid of dogs could opt and do independent reading. In addition, parental notifications would be sent home. In the Dec. meeting they shared that

program. 37 people replied that they were interested and two replied that they were not interested.

On the topic of liability, Sanborn said that school's insurance company agreed that the theras long as list of conditions are met.

The students provided a letter of support from Reading teacher Amy Dowling whose class would take on the pilot. In it she said, "Because reading is a silent activity, requiring a great deal of focus that my students often struggle to maintain, I am constantly trying to think of new ways to keep them engaged in the class and the act of reading. A therapy dog will help some of my most struggling readers to stay

forward as soon as possi- benchmark for reading on they had surveyed parents more focused, control dents set a goal to do about their interest in the their anxiety and provide 1000 acts of kindness by class."

> addressed the Board of kindnesses that stuagreed to let the pilot pro- dents could perform. Stugram run this spring and dents also raised money to review results.

apy dog would be allowed from students and advi- return for \$1 from their sors about a variety of parents. programs running at the elementary and middle schools to promote kindness in the schools among the students and staff.

> Students at LMS described their Kindness Ambassador program. The program encourages students and staff to recognize people in the school with compliments written on sticky notes and kindness rocks.

At recognition events, students who received compliments had them ing others, and being a read aloud by adults from voice for people who around the school, town need one. At South School government and town if a teacher sees a student service departments. For showing kindness, they teachers, "compliments get a kindness coin. Stuand coffee" sessions were dents who accumulate hosted, with compliments coins get a certificate and read to teachers while enjoying donated coffee.

a sense of calm in a the end of November. Each classroom was stock-With their concerns ed with many suggestions for charity by performing The Board also heard good deeds at home in

> At Matthew Thornton, the student council put up encouraging quotes and posters throughout the school and also created a kindness board where people could be recognized for kind acts. In addition, scented pencils were distributed to all students on Valentine's Day.

> At South School, they instituted a local version of an I Got Your Back campaign which focuses on kindness, respect, includan I've Got Your Back tshirt

At North School, stu-

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# How The Planning Board Oversees Development in Londonderry

MIKE BYERLY LONDONDERRY TIMES

ith all the development going on in Londonderry, you may wonder what role the Planning Board plays in managing the development? It plays a short-term, tactical role by reviewing and approving or denying commercial, industrial and residential site plans.

However, the reality is that if a proposed development meets the town zoning requirements, it is difficult for the Board to reject a development plan. Importantly, though, the Planning Board plays a very important role in ings, preliminary concepestablishing and amending the zoning regulations, so they can have a lot of influence over how Londonderry develops.

Before getting into details, here are some basics about the Board. The Town Charter dictates that the Board have nine members, of whom six are voting members appointed by the Town Council and three are ex officio voting members.

The ex officio members include the Town Manager, or his designee. an administrative officer of the town chosen by the Town Manager, and a councilor designated by the Town Council.

There are also three

alternate members appointed by the Town Council. In the absence of a regular voting member, the Board chair appoints an alternate to act as a voting member for a specific planning board meeting.

The Board meets twice a month. At the first meeting, held on the first Wednesday of each month, the Board holds public hearings on new subdivision and site plans. At the second meeting on the second Wednesday of the month, they hold public hearings on ordinance/regulation amendments or re-zon-

workshops and continued public hearings for site plan applications.

In reviewing development proposals, the Board is guided by applicable zoning ordinances and special zoning districts. Both provide sets of rules that developments must follow. Generally, this means that they consider whether the development's impact on public services such as water supply, transportation, fire protection or schools can be absorbed by the town.

They also consider how harmonious the development is with the town roads are adequate to handle existing and prospective traffic. They also factor in the environmental impact of the development with a primary focus on wetland impacts.

Zoning ordinance amendments can be initiated by the Planning Board but must be approved by the Town Council to become law. The flurry of 55+ developments in town is partially a result of a zoning change made in the past to allow much greater housing density than is allowed for a single-family house. The elderly housing regulation allows between eight and twelve housing units per acre compared to one house per acre for a standard single-family house.

As part of their review process, the Board can

non-voting tual discussions on plans, rest of the town and they requested by the develop- impact. If the Planning assess whether current er if it finds, by majority Board agrees that a projvote, that strict conformity with the regulation then notifications to would pose an unnecessary hardship to the applicant and would not New Hampshire Planning be contrary to the spirit Commission must be and intent of the regula- made fourteen days in tions. Alternately, a waiver may be approved if specific circumstances of the development or conditions of the land indicate that the waiver will properly carry out the potential regional impact spirit and intent of the regulations.

Developers also have the option of going to the Zoning Board of Adjustment to seek waivers. In of a commercial or resipractice, many developers go this route before bringing their full site plans to the Planning boundary; the impact Board.

All potential development projects are also sions, such as light, noise, evaluated by town plan- smoke, and odors; and grant or deny zoning ning staff to determine if proximity to regional waivers that have been they have a regional aquifers or surface waters.

ect has a regional impact, neighboring municipalities and the Southern advance of the public hearing, so that their representatives can provide input at the Planning Board meeting.

When considering the of a project, the Board considers the relative size and number of dwelling units involved over a period of time or the phasing dential development; the proximity of the development to a municipal upon transportation networks; anticipated emis-

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# Kids Coop Theatre Presents Classic "Singin' in the Rain" Jr.

**MACK LEATHURBY** LONDONDERRY TIMES

singing - singing in the new challenges for the rain.

(KCT) is delighted to need to make a sudden present "Singin' in the transition from what was Rain" Jr., the second production of KCT's 2018- move to appear in one of 2019 season. The 32member cast features pictures with singing that children ages 8 to 15 from Londonderry, Derry, Hampstead, Sandown, production aimed for members take the helm audiences of all ages.

will be performed Friday, March 8th at 7pm and Sat- This is an opportunity for urday, March 9th at 1pm talented young people to and 6pm, at the historic Derry Opera House, 29 West Broadway, Derry, NH. All tickets are \$13.00 each and are available at www.kids-coop-theatre.org

This time honored musical is a classic of fun

and charming romantic comedy; the show takes That a glorious place at the end of the feeling, I am silent movie era, where happy again! Just speaking roles present actors and actresses. The Kids Coop Theatre characters in this story supposed to be a silent the first musical movie was ever made.

This production is also the eighth Annual ham, in a professional case, where KCT teen and fill the three directing "Singin' in the Rain" Jr. roles — Director, Music Director, Choreographer. gain valuable experience on a different side of a production, as the teen team is responsible for developing the vision of the show and managing rehearsals.

Please Re-Elect

**JOHN FARRELL** 

For Town Council

Manchester, and Wind- Young Directors Show- from "hiring" to opening sional mentors, Maureen voice with the fantastic night, is overseen by two professional mentors who guide the teens through what it takes to Sandown's Logan Young of Derry. The musical bring a show to life. The as Don Lockwood, a silent evolves into a hysterical "Singin' in the Rain" Jr. film star with humble production is being roots as a musician, directed by Tim Gore (16, Londonderry), with music direction by Allison Newey (17, Pelham), and choreography by Jillian Pooler (16, Derry). The young directing team The entire process, is overseen by profes-

Mansfield and Marilyn Olbricht.

Cast and Crew of the Kids Coop Theatre Production "Singin' in the Rain" Jr.

dancer and stunt man. Megan Luteri from Derry is Lina Lamont, his uninspiring leading lady, who has a comically grating speaking and singing voice that becomes a nightmare in her "talkie" movie role. The movie they are making was originally going to be a silent film, but things had to change and Lina's disastrous squeaky singing attempts are about to become catastrophic for the movie.

However, Don's best

voice of a talented singer named Kathy Sieden, The lead roles include played by Bryn Steinmetz comedy, when the movie becomes a premiere night smash and the opening night audience clamors for Lina to sing live. Don and Cosmo quickly improvise to meet the audience demands by getting Lina tors hired, every job from to lip-synch while Kathy set construction to cossings into a second microphone while hidden behind the theatre cur- agement of the organizatain. The comedy story tion is performed by dedithat evolves from this point is hilarious and indeed one reason this musical has won so much great show and it is so fun praise and is such a timeless classic!

friend, Cosmo Brown ets are available for gin' in the Rain" Jr. Don't played by Ryan Carrigan groups of 10 or more for miss it or you will miss of Derry, comes up with the Saturday matinee only out on a fun time and an the idea to overdub Lina's and includes a meet and entertaining performance!

greet with the cast and crew

Kids Coop Theatre is a 501(c)3 educational charity founded in 1997 with a mission to provide children ages 8-18 a fun, safe, non-competitive environment to develop talent, self- esteem, learn teamwork and leadership skills, and make life-long friends through acting, music and dance.

KCT programs are open to area children, so children from Derry, Londonderry, Litchfield, Hudson, Salem, Hampstead, Danville, Manchester, Bedford, Windham, Pelham, and Chester, and beyond have participated in their shows.

KCT is a cooperative organization that recognizes the importance of family involvement. With the exception of the professional artistic directume design to tickets sales as well as the mancated parent volunteers working with the kids.

KCT always puts out a to see how the kids put their heart and souls into Discounted group tick- KCT Productions like "Sin-



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# LONDONDERRY SP LHS Girls Start Strong, But Exit DI Tourney in Quarters

IDAN VINITSKY LONDONDERRY TIMES

ondonderry High School's Girls' Varsity Basketball team had its 2018-19 season come to an end on Saturday, Mar. 2, with a quarterfinals loss in the Division I tournament, but not before getting this year's biggest playoffs surprise.

On Wednesday, Feb. 27, the 12-seed Lady Lancers traveled to Salem and shocked the fifth seed with a 49-44 win. The two teams faced each other for the second time in five days and after the Blue Devils closed the regular season with a 17point win over LHS, this time Nick Theos and his players found an answer and became the only lower seed to get a first round win this year.

Seven quick points by Michelle Marino led Londonderry to a 12-7 lead after one quarter. Ashley Rourke opened the next one with five points and the lead jumped to 17-7, before Salem answered. At the half, the visitors were still ahead, 19-16. The third quarter belonged to the Lady Blue Devils and a 12-0 run, coupled with three straight free throw misses by Madison Haggett was enough for Salem to enter the final eight minutes in a good position, leading



Courtney Shay

30-26.

The game went down the wire and Londonderry, smartly, kept pushing the ball into Salem's paint, with the Blue Devils unable to stop the Lancers' intensity and committing fouls after fouls. Londonderry went to the line 18 times in the last quarter, scoring 15 of those free throw attempts.

With 42 seconds on the clock, Marino scored a huge bucket and after a Salem miss, Theos saved his team with a well-timed timeout instead of losing possession on a jump ball. Marino was sent to the line, scored once and senior Paige Velie made the biggest play of the game, getting the offensive rebound from that

from the line.

Marino led the LHS scorers with 18 points, Rourke finished with 12, Courtney Shay had ten, Colleen Furlong scored four points, Velie three and Katie Sullivan two. "We thought we might match up well against this team and it proved to be said true". Theos postgame, "We made foul shots in the fourth quarter and that is how you close out game. And defensively, the kids worked so hard and we held a good team to 44 points. We grow up a lot. That is our signature Marino added: win." "Before the game we kept repeating that this is not our last game. The free throws and intensity were the biggest change from our previous meet with them".

Londonderry's journey was stopped on Saturday, Mar. 2, in Manchester, with a lopsided 58-39 loss to the fourth seed Memorial who finished the season 16-3. The Lady Lancers could not find their offense in the opening quarter and quickly trailed by double digits, 14-3 after the first eight minutes.

They put up a fight and kept the game relatively close, with a 26-19 Memorial lead at the half, but the home team



miss and icing the game proved to be too strong and escaped to a 39-27 lead after three quarters, before closing the game with a 19-point win and securing a semifinals match against Bishop Guertin on Thursday, at SNHU. Pinkerton and Portsmouth will battle for the second ticket to the finals.

> Shay led Londonderry in the quarterfinals with ten points, while Rourke scored eight. "Unfortunately, we dug a big hole for ourselves in the first quarter", commented Theos, "We had chances to close the deficit, but it wasn't our night. Memorial was the better team in this one, but it doesn't take away from the season we had. We reached the same point last year and hopefully next season we can find a way to get past the quarterfinals".



Michelle Marino the LHS scorers with 18 points during the teams win against Salem High School. Photos by Chris Paul



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### **Boys Hoops Team Enters DI Tourney as Fourth Seed** LHS

IDAN VINITSKY LONDONDERRY TIMES

fter dropping backto-back games, for 2018-19 season, against in the opening quarter the top two teams in Divi- and LHS was trailing for be enough to jump from sion I, the Londonderry the majority of the first High School Boys' Varsity half, as the home team Basketball team used the took a 23-19 lead into halffinal week of the regular time. season to quickly recover and regain momentum.

on the road, the Lancers the final quarter May took with a bad first quarter on finished their season with over the game, scoring 15 a 14-4 record and entered the tournament as the number four seed (after winning the tie-breaker squad. Jackson Cox finover Winnacunnet).

victory on the road over Goffstown who were 6-12. Ethan May scored seven the first time in the of the nine Lancer points

started clicking much bet-With a couple of wins ter after the break, and in points out of his game high 30 in getting the slim "W" for the visiting LHS ished with ten points, On Tuesday, Feb. 26, James Buttafuoco had the Lancers had another seven and Will Reyes and

very close win, a 55-52 Dean Haggett scored four points each.

On Friday, Mar. 1, Nate Stanton's team knew that an away victory over Nashua North (10-8) will fifth place to fourth in the final standings. It was not easy, but the Lancers eventually came out on Londonderry's offense top, with a much wider 50-41 win.

Londonderry opened offense, trailing 15-9 after one, but turned the game over and led 20-19 at the half. The Lancers were up by six points with eight minutes to go (36-30), before closing the game in the final quarter.

May led in baskets again with 17, Cole Keegan had 13 points, Cox scored 11, Haggett finished with four, Buttafuoco with three and Luke Marsh had two points.

On Tuesday, Mar. 5, the Lancers were scheduled to host a first round game against Nashua South, after the Londonderry Times went to print. If the LHS squad advances, they will play another home game on Friday night starting at 7 p.m., which will be their quarterfinals match-up, against the winner of the Winnacunnet and Dover game.



Ethan May scored a total of 47 points between the final regular season games. Photo by Chris Paul

BALLOT 1 OF 4 ABSENTEE OFFICIAL BALLOT ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION LONDONDERRY, NEW HAMPSHIRE Fanell MARCH 12, 2019 IN CLERK INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS A. TO VOTE, completely fill in the OVAL to the RIGHT of your choice(s) like this: B. Follow directions as to the number of candidates to be marked for each office. C. To vote for a person whose name is not printed on the ballot, write the candidate's name on the line provided and completely fill in the OVAL. TOWN COUNCIL BUDGET COMMITTEE LEACH LIBRARY TRUSTEES more than Two ere than One STEVE R. BREAULT DEB PAUL PAUL T. SKUDLAREK SANDY J. GEISLER JONATHAN D. KIPP TOM DOLAN MACK G. LEATHURBY (Write-in) JOHN FARRELL VICKI L. STACHOWSKE TOWN TREASURER ROBERT J. COLLINS (Write-itt) JOHN A. CURRAN ra than One (Write-In) KATHY WAGNER BUDGET COMMITTEE Other (10/06-0) (00/00-00) more than Two (Wda-it) CHAD C. FRANZ TRUSTEE OF JOEL OLSON TRUST FUNDS CHRISTINE A. PATTON (00/20-00) JOHN F. McLAUGHLIN (Write-itt) Write-in) ARTICLES (FISCAL YEAR 2020 TOWN OPERATING BUDGET) ARTICLE NO. 2: Shall the Town raise and appropriate as an operating budget, not including appropriations by special warrant Shall be fown rate and appropriate as an operating budget, not including appropriations by special warrant articles and other appropriations yould asparately, the amounts as throth on the budget posted with the warrant or as amended by vote of the first session, for the purposes set forth therein, totaling \$33,858,810? Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be \$33,855,222, which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by privilous action of the Town or by law, or the governing body may hold one special meeting, in accordance with RSA 40:13, X and XVI, to take up the issue of a revised operating budget only. YES (If passed, this article will require the Town to raise \$19,337,689 in property taxes, resulting in a tax rate impact of \$4.810 in FY 20 based upon projected assessed values.) NO The Town Council by a vote of 5-0 recommends a <u>YES</u> vote; the Budget Committee by a vote of 6-0 recommends a <u>YES</u> vote. TURN BALLOT OVER AND CONTINUE VOTING

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connection fees, and se sewer intrastructure? T	ewer access fees to he balance of said fi	expenditures for the purpose of unds to be transferred to the Tow	servicing and maintaining the town's an's General Fund on June 30, 2019	YES C	
		available to the Sewer Enterpris		NO C	
If passed, this article of \$0.00 in FY 20 base			axes, resulting in a tax rate impact		
The Town Council by recommends a <u>YES</u> v		ommends a <u>YES</u> vole; the Bu	adget Committee by a vote of 6-0		
ARTICLE NO. 6:	[SEWER FUND]				
THREE HUNDRED FIF ntereat on any debt in Such fund shall be allo and shall not be deeme	TY-FOUR DOLLAR curred, management wed to accumulate id part of the municip	IS (\$2,016,354) for defraying the t, maintenance, operation and n from year to year, shall not be operation.	HUNDRED SIXTEEN THOUSAND cost of construction, payment of the spair of constructed server systems commingled with town tax revenues d surplus, all in accordance with RS2	YES C	
These services are fi	unded through use	r fees and require no property	( tax support.)		
The Town Council by recommends a <u>YES</u> v		ommends a <u>YES</u> vote; the Bu	adget Committee by a vote of 6-0		
ARTICLE NO. 7:	SEWER FUND A	DMINISTRATIVE COSTSJ			
HUNDRED FORTY-SE	VEN DOLLARS (\$2 department in acco	28,147) for defraying the cost of a	WENTY-EIGHT THOUSAND ONE dobt service and administrative costs de 5 is approved this article shall		
These services are fi	unded through use	r fees and require no property	tax support.)	YES	
The Town Council by recommends a <u>YES</u> v		ommends a <u>YES</u> vote; the Bu	adget Committee by a vote of 6-0		
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**IDAN VINITSKY** LONDONDERRY TIMES

four-way tie-breakseason helped the Londonderry High School ed shot. Boys' Varsity Ice Hockey round game, but things Lancers on Wednesday, utes. With 6:03 minutes Feb. 27, and their season left to play, Salem was was over with a tough 4-0 able to double their lead seed Salem Blue Devils.

with two straight losses. ebrate with their fans. The Lancers had hopes to

regain their momentum game, "For two periods, it and qualify, but Salem was an up and down had its own ideas and game, but we didn't exeer after the last scored a quick goal, just cute enough, we didn't game of the regular 4:41 minutes into the bury the puck, we didn't game, thanks to a deflect- finish. There were two

team (8-10-1) enter the able to get good chances young hockey players and playoffs as the number in front of the goal for the that is a great experience eight seed and host a first majority of the match, but was still just one goal did not go well for the behind until the final minhome loss to the ninth and LHS collapsed and ment's quarterfinals, but conceded a third goal, Peter Bedford's team just 38 seconds later. The that game, they were able arrived at the Tri Town final Salem goal was an to upset the number one Arena in Hooksett after empty-net one and the seeded Astros 3-1 thanks closing the regular season Blue Devils went on to cel- to some very good goal-Bedford said post-

minutes there that we lost Londonderry was not our way. I have a group of for them. Unfortunately, this is the end for our seniors here."

> With that loss, LHS missed a chance to face Pinkerton in the tournawith Salem moving on to tending.



Zach Rheault, left, and Anthony Federico have been major contributors this season for this Lancers, unfortunately LHS was unable to score against the tough Salem goalie last week. Photos by Chris Paul

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OFFICIAL BALLOT	
ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION	
LONDONDERRY, NEW HAMPSHIRE	1
MARCH 12, 2019 TOWNCL	
ARTICLES CONTINUED	
TICLE NO. 8: [ROADWAY MAINTENANCE EXPENDABLE TRUST FUND]	
see if the Town will vote to mise and appropriate the sum of SIX HUNDRED FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS \$50,000 to be placed in the Roadway Maintenance Expendable Trust Fund and further to authorize the use ONE HUNDRED SIXTY-TWO THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$162,500) from the June 30 assigned Fund Balance towards this appropriation.	YES O
passed, this article will require the Town to raise \$487,500 in property taxes, resulting in a tax rate pact of \$0.121 in FY 20 based upon projected assessed values.)	
e Town Council by a vote of 5-0 recommends a <u>YES</u> vote; the Budget Committee by a vote of 6-0 commends a <u>YES</u> vote.	
TICLE NO. 9: [GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS CAPITAL RESERVE FUND]	
area if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate TWENTY-EIGHT THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$26,000) to be ced in the geographic information systems capital reserve fund and further to authorize the use of SEVEN OUSAND DOLLARS (\$7,000) from the June 30 Unassigned Fund Balance towards this appropriation.	
passed, this article will require the Town to raise \$21,000 in property taxes, resulting in a tax rate pact of \$0.005 in FY 20 based upon projected assessed values.)	
e Town Council by a vote of 5-0 recommends a <u>YES</u> vote; the Budget Committee by a vote of 6-0 rec- imends a <u>YES</u> vote.	
TICLE NO. 10: [DPW HEAVY EQUIPMENT LEASES]	
see if the Town will vote to authorize the town manager to enter into a 10 year lesse agreement in the amount FOUR HUNDRED EIGHTY-ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$461,060) for the purpose of leasing 2 emailonal 6 Wheelers and a Norbark Chipper, and to raise and appropriate the sum of FORTY-EIGHT . OUSAND NINE HUNDRED FORTY-TWO (\$48,342) for the first year's payment for that purpose. This lease reement contains an escape clause. (Majority vote required)	YES O
passed, this article will require the Town to raise \$43,942 in property taxes, resulting in a tax rate pact of \$0.012 in FY 20 based upon projected assessed values.)	
e Town Council by a vote of 5-0 recommends a <u>YES</u> vote; the Budget Committee by a vote of 6-0 commends a <u>YES</u> vote.	
TICLE NO. 11: JEXPENDABLE MAINTENANCE TRUST FUNDJ	
see if the Town will vole to raise and appropriate the sum of ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY THOUSAND DOLLARS 88,000) to be placed in the Town's Expendable Maintenance Trust Fund and further to authorize the use of RTY-FVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$45,000) from the June 30 Unassigned Fund Balance towards this propriation.	YES O
passed, this article will require the Town to raise \$135,000 in property taxes, resulting in a tax rate pact of \$0.034 in FY 20 based upon projected assessed values.)	
e Town Council by a vote of 5-0 recommends a <u>YES</u> vote; the Budget Committee by a vote of 6-0 commends a <u>YES</u> vote.	
TICLE NO. 12: [PILLSBURY CEMETERY EXPANSION CAPITAL RESERVE FUND]	
see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$100,000) to be cod in the Plisbury Cometery Expansion capital reserve fund and further to authorize the use of IENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$25,000) from the June 30 Unassigned Fund Balance towards this propriation.	YES O
passed, this article will require the Town to raise \$75,000 in property taxes, resulting in a tax rate pact of \$0.019 in FY 20 based upon projected assessed values.)	NO O
e Town Council by a vote of 5-0 recommends a <u>YES</u> vote; the Budget Committee by a vote of 6-0 commends a <u>YES</u> vote.	
TURN BALLOT OVER AND CONTINUE VOTING	

ARTICLE ND. 12:       (CEMETERY CAPITAL RESERVE FUND)         To see if the Torum will vote to rates and appropriate TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$10.080) to be placed in the Cemetry capital mesters in tradholtze the use of TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$10.080) here the June 3D Unassigned Fund Balance towards this appropriation.       YES            (if passed, this article will require the Town to raise \$0.00 in property taxes, resulting in a tax rate impact of \$0.00 in PT2 D based upon projected messeed values.)       NO            The Town Council by a vote of 5-0 recommends a YES vote; the Budget Committee by a vote of 6-0         recommends a YES vote.        NO            To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate SEVENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$75,950) to be placed in the weight property to the set of the Town Section of the message values.)        YES            To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate SEVENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$75,950) to be placed in the message values of and property taxes and the tax and the time to achieve the section of \$25,000.        YES            WE appropriation. This appropriation includes funding for the purchase of, and associated taxing for, 20        NO            (if passed, this article will require the Town to raise \$37,500 in property taxes, resulting in a tax rate impact of \$0.001 in FY 20 based upon projected assessed values.)        YES            The Town Council by a vote of 5-0 recommends a YES vote; the Budget Committee by a vote of 6-0 recommends a YES vote.        YES            MITCLE MD. 15:         (POLCE DEPARTMENT EQ
Centerby capital reserve fund and further to authorize the use of TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$10,080) from       YES         (if passed, this article will require the Town to raise \$0.00 in property taxes, resulting in a tax rate impact       NO <i>if passed, this article will require the Town to raise \$0.00 in property taxes, resulting in a tax rate impact</i> NO <i>if passed, this article will require the Town to raise \$0.00 in property taxes, resulting in a tax rate impact</i> NO <i>ARTICLE ND, 14:</i> (FIRE DEPARTMENT EQUIPMENT CANTAL RESERVE FUND)       For see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate SEVENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$75,080) to be placed in the fire equipment capital means for an ultime to authorize the use of THIRTY-SEVEN THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$77,080) to the placed in the fire equipment capital means for the public body at the 30 Unassigned Fund Balance towards the appropriate in the tax rate impact of 50.095 in FT 20 based upon projected assessed values.)       YES       NO         The Town Council by a vote of 5-0 recommends a YES vote; the Budget Committee by a vote of 6-0 recommends a YES vote; the Budget Committee by a vote of 6-0 recommends a YES vote.       YES       NO         Off passed, this article will require the Town to raise \$27,580 in property taxes, resulting in a tax rate impact of \$0.095 in FT 20 based upon projected assessed values.)       YES       NO         If passed, this article will require the Town to raise \$20.00 in property taxes, resulting in a tax rate impact of \$0.00 in FT 20 based upon projected assessed values.)       YES       NO         If passed, this article will requir
The Town Council by a vote of 5-0 recommends a YES vote; the Budget Committee by a vote of 6-0 recommends a YES vote.         AETICLE NO. 14:       (PIRE DEPARTMENT EQUIPMENT CAPITAL RESERVE FUND)         Dissel (Ithe Town will vote to raise and appropriate SIVENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$73,000) to be placed in the five equipment capital neares burding in the tare and appropriate range of the tare of the tarty-serven that and there to authorize the use of the TM-SEVEN THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$73,000) to the placed in the five equipment capital neares funding for the purchase of and second tarting for .20 of the five equipment capital neares the tare the tare of a part of \$200 in FY 20 based upon projected assessed values.)         The Town Council by a vote of 5-0 recommends a YES vote; the Budget Committee by a vote of 6-0 recommends a YES vote.       NO         AETICLE NO. 15:       (POLACE DEPARTMENT GENERATOR)       YES         The Town Council by a vote of 5-0 recommends a YES vote; the Budget Committee by a vote of 6-0 recommends a YES vote.       NO         AETICLE NO. 15:       (POLACE DEPARTMENT GENERATOR)       YES         To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$173,000) from the June 30 Unavsigned fund Belance towards the agency target of 5-0 recommends a YES vote; the Budget Committee by a vote of 6-0 recommends a YES vote.       YES         Mither to authorize the use of 0-0 recommends a YES vote; the Budget Committee by a vote of 6-0 recommends a YES vote.       NO         Mither to authorize the use of 0-0 recommends a YES vote; the Budget Committee by a vote of 6-0 recommends a YES vote.
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To see if the Town will vote to rates and appropriate SEVENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$75,060) to be placed in the first equipment capital meanor fund and further to authorize that use of THERTY-SEVEN NO       YES         HOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$137,00) to the June 30 Unassigned Fund Balance towards this appropriation. This appropriation includes funding for the purchase of, and essociated training for, 20 will impact of 50.00 in Free Public Works and Police Departments at an estimated cost of \$25,000.       YES       NO            (if passed, this article will require the Town to raise \$37,550 in property taxes, resulting in a tax rate impact of \$0.00% in FY 20 hased upon projected assessed values.)       YES       NO            ARTICLE NO.15: (POLACE DEPARTMENT GENERATOR)        YES       NO       NO            Di see if the Town will vote to take and appropriate ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS         (\$175,000) for the purpose of parthesing an emergency, toxi-up generation for the Police Department and thriber to authorize the use of ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS         (\$177,000) for the purpose of ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS         (\$177,000 projected assessed values.)       YES       NO       NO            If passed, this article will require the Town to raise \$0.00 in property taxes, resulting in a tax rate impact 6 \$0.00 in FY 20 based upon projected assessed values.)       YES       NO       NO       NO            M passing of fund Belance towards this appropriation.       If passed, this article will require the Town to raise \$0.00 in property taxes, resulting in a tax rate impact 6 \$0.00 in FY 20
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impact of \$0.099 in FY 20 based upon projected assessed values.)         The Town Council by a vote of 5-0 recommends a YES vote; the Budget Committee by a vote of 6-0 recommends a YES vote.         ARTICLE NO. 15:       (POLICE DEPARTMENT GENERATOR)         To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$175,000) for the purpose of purchasing an emergency back-up generator for the Police Department and thrift to autonote the use of ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$175,000) from the June 30 Unassigned Fund Balance towards this appropriation.       YES NO         If passed, this article will require the Town to raise \$0.00 in property taxes, resulting in a tax rate impact of \$0 on in FY 20 based upon projected assessed values.)       NO         The Town Council by a vote of 5-0 recommends a YES vote; the Budget Committee by a vote of 6-0 recommends a YES vote.       YES NO         ARTICLE NO. 16:       (TOWN COMMON DRAINAGE MPROVEMENTS)       NO         To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate TWO HUNDRED THIRTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$235,000) from the June 30 Unassigned Fund Balance towards this appropriation.       YES NO         (If passed, this article will require the Town to raise \$0.00 in property taxes, resulting in a tax rate impact of \$0 or ecommends a YES vote; the Budget Committee by a vote of \$-0 recommends a YES vote.       NO         MITCLE NO. 15:       (If passed, this appropriation.       NO       NO         (If passed, this article will require the Town to raise \$0.00 in property taxes, resulting in a tax rate impact of \$00 in Property 1
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of \$0.00 in FY 20 based upon projected assessed values.)         The Town Council by a vote of 5-0 recommends a <u>YES</u> vote; the Budget Committee by a vote of 6-0 recommends a <u>YES</u> vote.         ARTICLE NO. 16:       (TOWN COMMON DRAINAGE MPROVEMENTS)         To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate TWO HUNDRED THIRTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$235,000) for the purpose of making drainage improvements to the Town Common and further to authorize the use of TWO HUNDRED THIRTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$235,000) from the June 30 Unassigned Fund Balance towards this appropriation.       YES NO         (if passed, this article will require the Town to raise \$0.00 in property taxes, resulting in a tax rate impact of \$0.00 in FY 20 based upon projected assessed values.)       NO         The Town Council by a vote of 5-0 recommends a <u>YES</u> vote; the Budget Committee by a vote of 6-0 recommends a <u>YES</u> vote.       YES         ARTICLE NO. 17:       (RESCIND 1964 WARRANT ARTICLE REGARDING SCHOOL DISTRICT ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE]         To see if the Town will vote to reached the authority granted at the 1984 Town and School District meetings for the school district administrative office to be located on Lot 9-45, which is owned by the Town of Londondery and upon which the Town offices are located and further to authorize the Town Council to take any other action necessary to carry out this vota.         (if passed, this article will require the Town to raise \$0.00 in property taxes, resulting in a tax rate impact
ARTICLE ND. 15:       [TOWN COMMON DRAINAGE MPROVEMENTS]         To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate TWO HUNDRED THIRTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$235,600) for the purpose of making dialage improvements to the Town Common and further to authorize the use of TWO HUNDRED THIRTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$235,000) from the June 30 Unassigned Fund Balance towards this appropriation.       YES       NO         (If passed, this article will require the Town to raise \$0.00 in property taxes, resulting in a tax rate impact of \$0.00 in FY 20 based upon projected assessed values.)       NO       NO         The Town Council by a vote of 5-0 recommends a <u>YES</u> vote; the Budget Committee by a vote of 6-0 recommends a <u>YES</u> vote;       YES content of \$0.00 in FY 20 based of 5-0 recommends a <u>YES</u> vote; the Budget Committee by a vote of 6-0 recommends a <u>YES</u> vote.         ARTICLE ND. 17:       [RESCIND 1964 WARRANT ARTICLE REGARDING SCHOOL DISTRICT ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE]       YES         To see if the Town will vote to rescind the authority granted at the 1964 Town and School District meetings for the school district administrative office to be located on Lot 9-45, which is owned by the Town of Londondary and upon which the Town offices are located; and further to authorize the Town Council to take any other action necessary to carry out this vote.       YES         (If passed, this article will require the Town to raise \$0.00 in property taxes, resulting in a tax rate impact       NO
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(\$235,600) for the purpose of making drainage improvements to the Town Common and further to authorize the VES \       VES \         Balance towards this appropriation.       NO         (If passed, this article will require the Town to raise \$0.00 in property taxes, resulting in a tax rate impact of \$0.00 in FY 20 based upon projected assessed values.)       NO         The Town Council by a vote of 5-0 recommends a <u>YES</u> vote; the Budget Committee by a vote of 6-0 recommends a <u>YES</u> vote; the Budget Committee by a vote of 6-0 recommends a <u>YES</u> vote.       YES \         ARTICLE NO. 17:       (RESCIND 1964 WARRANT ARTICLE REGARDING SCHOOL DISTRICT ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE)       YES \         To see if the Town will vote to reached the authority granted at the 1964 Town and School District meetings for the school district administrative office to be located on Lot 9-45, which is owned by the Town of Londondary and upon which the Town offices are located and further to authorize the Town Council to take any other action necessary to carry out this vote.       YES \         (If passed, this article will require the Town to raise \$0.00 in property taxes, resulting in a tax rate impact       YES \
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# LHS Hockey Team Suffers a First Round Loss in Tourney

# ncer Cheer Team Finish Ninth in Winter Spirit Prelims

IDAN VINITSKY LONDONDERRY TIMES

ondonderry High School's Cheerleadlast Sunday, Mar. 3, at the Guertin finished one spot in the finals this New Hampshire Inter- place above the Lancers time. A dismount we had scholastic Athletic Association 2019 Winter Spirit to qualify, Londonderry without Preliminary round, held at Pinkerton Academy's Hackler Gym. The Lady Lancers finished their day in the ninth place out of the 16 teams competing. The top five teams qualified for this Sunday's finals, which will also take place at the Hackler Gym, (third place - 93.7 points) worked really hard all seaat 11 a.m.), where they will face the top five fin- place - 93.7 points). ishers from the Division II

eighth out of the 16 Divi- covered the rubric as best sion I competing high we could, but we were not schools with a team score able to prove to the ing team competed of 81.7 points. Bishop judges that we deserved a with 82.9 points. In order performed all season, needed to beat Concord's deemed illegal and moved 93.5 points was enough us from seventh place to for the fifth overall place. ninth place. Not the final

erton, won the event with for, but we wish the best 105.8 points and the rest of luck to the teams choof the qualifying teams sen to move on to finals." were Dover (second place Assistant coach Nicole

and Nashua North (fourth son and the girls went out

Londonderry finished team's performance, "We issue, was The home team, Pink- outcome we had hoped - 94.3 points), Salem Otis added: "We have there, with a bunch of Head Coach Chelsea new changes we put in and III preliminary round. Dennis reflected on her and we have tried to mas-



The Lancer Cheerleading squad competed at Pinkerton Academy on Sunday in the preliminary round of the DI competition. Photo by Chris Paul

ter them to perfection. I Campbell, Sophia Carroz- Hugh, Brianna Meskell, think they had a really za, Caitlyn Czekanski, Alana Mobbs, Madison good time."

Kylee Dodge, Ashley Oulette, Alyssa Pitarys, The varsity cheerlead- Greenwood, Erin Leonard, Evienne Revelus, Arianna ing team consisted of: Nikki Longua, Samantha Squeglia, Jeyden Stack Reyanna Broadhurst, Ava McCarthy, Megan Mc- and Lillian Tharrington.

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# **Hagearty Finishes 14th in New England Championship**

**IDAN VINITSKY** LONDONDERRY TIMES

atrick Hagearty was the only athlete representing Londondoor Track & Field Championship, held on Saturday, March 2, at the Reggie Lewis Center in Boston.

competition in 14th place among New England's best shot putters, after throwing for 49 feet and derry High School during 1.5 inches. This capped the 32nd Annual New Eng- off his successful Indoor land Interscholastic In- season, that included a and 10.25 inches, break- final try, not continuing state title in that event, last month.

where he faced some fan- new Meet Record (63tastic rivals, one of them, 02.50), but it was not Aiden Felty of Innovation enough for the title. Academy in Massachusetts, won with a new first two attempts and set Meet Record of 66 feet his score in the third and ing the previous record by over four feet. Second result from the NH State The lone Lancer was place went to Jason Mon-Meet (51-04.50) would part of the third and final tano from Thornton, have given him the 12th

Hagearty fouled in his for the final round. His

Hagearty finished the group of competitors, Maine, after he too set a place in the New England My first two throws were competition.

for a big throw early," need one to make the final. for the spring season".

big, but unfortunately, I "I was really gunning wasn't able to save them. I was a little disappointed, Hagearty said during the but will just keep working event, "I knew I would and come back stronger

### **Athletes of the Week** Week of Feb. 25

**Lilly Tharrington Cheer, Sophomore** Lilly is a passionate, positive and reliable hard worker, who leads by example. She is consistently a top performer and executes her skills with high precision at every competition.

#### **Brianna Meskell Cheer, Junior**



Student Athletes supplied by Athletic Department

# **Evarts Represent LHS in the Skiing**

**IDAN VINITSKY** LONDONDERRY TIMES

ARTICLE NO. 27:

he season, Breyton Evarts, tain where the top ten fin- receiving two runs in each represented the team last ishers from each divi- race. In the Giant Slalom,

New Hampshire Meet of ed against each other. Londonderry Champions, held at Mit-High School ski tersill Alpine Training team's top skier this Center on Cannon Moun- Slalom, with each skier

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OFFICIAL BALLOT

ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION

LONDONDERRY, NEW HAMPSHIRE

MARCH 12, 2019

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(If passed, this article will require the Town to raise \$0.00 in property taxes, resulting in a tax rate impact YES of \$0.00 in FY 20 based upon projected assessed values.)

etary item. The Town Council makes no recommendation.; the Budget Committee by a vote of one abstention recommends a <u>NO</u> vote.

YOU HAVE NOW COMPLETED VOTING THIS BALLOT

Shall the voters of the Town of Londonderry vote to allow the operation of keno games within the Town? (B\* CITIZENS PETITION)

To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting. No business enacted under this article shall have any binding effect upon the Town.

[APPROVE KENO GAMES]

ARTICLE NO. 28: [TRANSACTION OF OTHER BUSINESS]

Evarts had two races. the Giant Slalom and a

BALLOT 4 OF 4

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YES

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Thursday, Feb. 28, in the sion's State Meet compet- she finished 15th with a total time of 1:23.80 minutes, only 5.58 seconds away from winner Isabella Cronin from White Mountain. Evarts had a time of 40.85 in her first attempt and finished the second one after 42.95 seconds.

She ranked 19th in the Slalom. Her first run took only 38.11 seconds and the second one 40.28 seconds, for a total time of 1:18.39. Evarts finished 10.51 seconds away from the Slalom winner, Sierra Prica from Profile (1:07.88).



reen night at the y CA of Greater Londo 1970 ients, team building, video/board ga ids a fun night of hanging out in a sa irnaments, tea es, and m ut in a safe and su . Our staff are ors that make icated role m

#### UPCOMING 2019 Teen Night Dates | 6:00 - 9:00 PM

March 8 "Minute 2 Win It" March 22 "Floor Hockey" April 5 "Jewelry Making" April 19 'Gaga Showdown' May 3 "Nerf Blasters" May 17 "Karaoke Night"

Grades 5 and up are welcome at each event!

For questions or more information: Gabby Brickley, Camp & Youth Development Director gbrickley@graniteymca.org | 603.437.9622

FREE FOR YMCA FACILITY MEMBERS | \$5 FOR NON MEMBERS Please check in at our Welcome Center. All teens must be accompanied by a parent for their rst teen night to complete a participation waive





Around Town Policy: This section is meant to be used to announce free events to the communities. If your group or non-profit is receiving money for what they are publicizing, there will be a charge of \$40.00/week per paper. All Around Town/Calendar Items will be held to 100 words maximum; anything over will incur a charge of \$40.00/week for up to another 50 words. All free announcements in the Around Town/Calendar section can run a maximum of 3 weeks. Deadline for submissions is Monday at 5 p.m.

: We will run the full versions of any calendar items online free of charge at www.nutpub.net. Please send items to londonderrytimes@nutpub.net.

#### So You Think You Can **Cook**, Londonderry?

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St Peter's Episcopal Church, at the corner of Mammoth Rd., and Peabody Row, will be hosting its very popular Annual Chili and Chowder Cookoff on Saturday, March 30, at the spacious church. Cooks should sign in and set up by 4:15 p.m., and Taster's Choice will be from 4:30 - 6 p.m. There will be Celebrity Judges, Pinatas, a Gift Raffle and More. St Peter's is asking \$10 for General Admission/Tasting, and \$5 for ages 10 and under. This year, half of the proceeds from the Cookoff will benefit St Peter's Community Outreach. The other half of the event's proceeds will go to Hero Pups, a NH non profit which specially trains shelter and rescue pups to serve as Companion and Service Animals to Veterans and First Responders who have been traumatized as a result of their extraordinary service. Please join us at St Peter's on March 30, at 4:30 p.m. for this outstanding event. To register, please visit stpeterslondonderry.org or call Lee at 781-801-8161.

### **Republican Meeting**

Londonderry The Republican Committee will meet on Thursday, March 21, at the Victory Baptist Church, 78 Litchfield Rd., Londonderry, from 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. We will be conducting our biannual election for chair.

### Legion Meeting

The American Legion's Monthly General Meeting will be held on march 11. All members are welcome to attend. We will discuss the Post's financial performance, upcoming events and other business. For more information about the happenings at Post 27 go to our website www.alpost27.com, call us at 437-6613, visit our Greeley Parmenter Harrington Facebook page or follow us on Twitter @ALPost27.

#### Karaoke Night

**PUBLIC NOTICE** 

**MUSQUASH SWAMP WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT** 

**AREA PROJECT FILE # P1-639** 

New Hampshire Fish and Game Department

in cooperation with Department of Natural

and Cultural Resources Division of Forests

and Lands LONDONDERRY, NH

By authority granted under RSA 227-G:3, 212:10 and

227-H:2 the New Hampshire Fish and Game Department

in cooperation with the New Hampshire Division of

Forests and Lands is planning a wildlife habitat improve-

ment project that includes the commercial harvest of tim-

ber on 24.5 acres of the Musquash Swamp Wildlife Man-

agement Area in the town of Londonderry, New Hamp-

shire. This is a public notice to solicit comments or ques-

tions as part of the planning process. THIS IS NOT A

REQUEST FOR BIDS. The Division carries out timber har-

vests as part of a multiple use forest and wildlife manage-

ment program on State owned woodlands. Please

address written comments or request for information by

March 21, 2019 to Director, Division of Forests and

Lands, 172 Pembroke Road, Concord, New Hampshire

03301, ATTN: Forest Management Bureau P1-639.

On March 15, Karaoke with DJ Sharon will start at 7 p.m. at 6 Sargent Rd., Lon-Non-members donderry. interested in joining Post 27 are welcome to attend. For more information about the happenings at Post 27 go to our website www.alpos-

t27.com, call us at 437-6613, visit our Greeley Parmenter Harrington Facebook page or follow us on Twitter @ALPost27.

#### St. Paddy's Day Party

A St. Paddy's Day Party with classic rock provided by Bazooka Joe will be held on March 16 at 6 Sargent Londonderry. Non-Rd.. members interested in joining Post 27 are welcome to attend. For more information about the happenings at Post 27 go to our website www.alpost27.com, call us at 437-6613, visit our Greeley Parmenter Harrington Facebook page or follow us on Twitter @ALPost27.

#### VA Bingo

Post 27 will be playing bingo with patients at the VA Hospital in Manchester on March 25, from 7 - 8:30 p.m. We'll be serving pizza and diet soda as well as providing \$150 in prize money. For more information about the happenings at Post 27 website go to our www.alpost27.com, call us at 437-6613, visit our Greeley Parmenter Harrington Facebook page or follow us on Twitter @ALPost27.



On Thursday, March 21 at 7 p.m., the Leach library will have Mr. Tom O'Carroll present "Dublin in Song and Story". Dublin-born folklorist, folk-singer, and instrumentalist Tom O'Carroll brings a wealth of stories, humor, wit, and history to his performances. This program 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.

### **Young Adult Movie**

On Thursday, March 14 from 3:15 - 5:30 p.m. the Leach Library's young adult movie, Aliens Ate My Homework. Participants in grades 6 through 12 will enjoy the

and beverages. In addition, at this special event, there will be a raffle for fun door prizes. No registration is required.

#### Penguin Tales with Tacky the Penguin

Join us at the Leach Library on Monday, March 11 from 4 - 5 p.m. to hear stories of penguins big and small. During this energetic program, participants will waddle through some of Tacky's favorite penguin tales. Audience members will march with penguins and even race with them. Each participant will receive a cute penguin figure to remember the day. There will be plenty of time for a hug and pictures with Tacky. This fun-filled program is open to 90 participants of all ages and advance registration is required. To register, stop by the Children's Room or call 432-1127 beginning at 9 a.m. on Monday, March 4.

#### **Yoga Session for Seniors**

The Londonderry Senior Center offers yoga classes to the senior community. Barbara Scott and Lisa Kress conduct an eight-week series of affordably priced yoga classes. These classes are designed especially for seniors to help increase balance, flexibility and strength, as well as maintaining wellbeing. Classes take place at the Londonderry Senior Center, 535 Mammoth Rd., Londonderry on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9 - 10 a.m. You may sign up for either the Tuesday or Thursday class - or both. Next session beginning the week of April 1. Registration for new students begins March 19. Payment is required at time of registration. For more details call the Senior Center at 432-8554.

#### 'W.A.S.P' Movie Night

Help celebrate Women's Aviation Month with this spirited and sassy documentary about Women Airforce Service Pilots of World War II on Thursday, March 21 at 7 p.m., at the Aviation Museum, 27 Navigator Rd., Londonderry. Free to all! For more information call (603) 669-4820, email avmuseum@nhahs.org, or visit the museum's website, www.aviationmuseumofnh.org.

#### **Easter Celebration**

Join us at the at the Aviation Museum, 27 Navigator Rd., Londonderry, on the Saturday, April 13 at 11 a.m.,

movie, along with popcorn prior to Easter weekend for Tacky's favorite penguin a fun-filled family event. Crafts, stories, treats, outdoor activities (weather permitting) and surprises. For more information call (603) 669-4820, email avmuseum@nhahs.org, or visit the museum's website. www.aviationmuseumofnh.org.

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#### Activities

Young adults in grades 6 12 are invited to complete any of the activities located on the drum table in the Leach Library young adult area, starting now and ending at 8 p.m. on Saturday, March 30. For each activity completed and handed in at the circulation desk, participants will be entered into a random drawing for a chance to win a Barnes & Noble gift certificate!

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#### **Antiques Appraisal**

The 2nd Annual Londonderry Antiques Appraisal Day will be held on Sunday, May 19, start gathering your finds! It was a giant success last year so we're doing it again! Bring your antiques, collectibles & family treasures to our second annual event featuring Daniel F. Reidy, appraiser/antiques dealer/auctioneer. Reidv has over 30 years of experience and is the owner of Discerning Eye, an estate appraisal and disposition planning business. Stay tuned for updates!

#### Evolve!

A group for young woman ages 13 to 18 to talk about today's challenges meets every Wednesday from 5:30 - 6:30 p.m. at the Upper Room, 36 Tsienneto, Rd. Derry. This is a free weekly group. To register, Call 437-8477 to register ext. 16.

#### Artist Submission

Are you an artist? Are you interested in crafting a part of Londonderry's history? If so, please submit a design for Londonderry's version of the Nutfield 300th Anniversary commemorative coin! All submissions should meet the following guidelines and be emailed to khildonen@londonderrynh.org by Friday, March 15. The design should represent apple orchards or another part of Londonderry's agricultural heritage, It should be circular in shape and with detail appropriate to be engraved on a pewter coin approximately 1.5-2 inches in diameter, the drawing submitted should be 6-8 inches in diameter. It should be entirely of the artist's original design, but it can be either hand or computer drawn, The artist should ideally be a resident of Londonderry or someone with strong ties to the town. All

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# SERVICE DIRECTORY



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# Londonderry Police Log

Selections from the Londonderry Police Logs

Monday - Feb. 25 7:41 a.m. Sudden Death on Capitol Hill Drive in-

vestigated by four officers. 8:02 a.m. Services ren-10:37 a.m. Services rendered for Wires Down on dered for Criminal Mis-High Range Road at Harchief on Mammoth Road. 1:25 p.m. Services renvey Road. dered Neighborhood Dis-

10:39 a.m. Suspicious activity reported on Stonehenge Road.

11:26 a.m. Auto Theft investigated at Penske Truck Rental on Jack's Bridge Road.

6:01 p.m. Disorderly Con-4:11 p.m. Recovered duct investigated at Manstolen motor vehicle at chester Boston Regional Comfort Inn on Queen City Avenue.

#### Tuesday - Feb. 26

2:21 a.m. Services ren- 10:17 a.m. Domestic Disdered for suspicious activity at Londonderry Fire Central Station. 6:49 p.m. Motor vehicle stop and arrest on Nashua Road at Mammoth Road. Three officers with Driving After Revocation or Suspension and Use of Mobile Electronic

Devices While Driving. 7:38 p.m. Motor vehicle dered for Wires Down on complaint results in arrest on Hovey Road. Four officers assist with chief investigated on Norwich Place. charging Erich Demetry, Mammoth Road.

32, of Derry with Resisting Arrest.

Wednesday - Feb. 27

putes on Granite Street.

Pillsbury Road.

Airport.

4:09 p.m. Assisted Lon-

donderry Fire Dept. on

5:52 p.m. Shoplifting in-

vestigated at Home Depot.

Thursday - Feb. 28

turbance report results in

Arrest Made on Capitol

Hill Drive. Three officers

Brouillard, 43, of London-

4:42 p.m. Larceny/for-

Friday - March 1

11:20 a.m. Services ren-

derry on a Warrant.

ments on Bridle Path.

Litchfield Road.

#### Saturday - March 2 1:51 p.m. Motor vehicle

accident results in arrest made on Old Derry Road. Four officers assist in charging Linda Deboer, 59, of Derry with Driving Under the Influence of Drugs or Liquor and Conduct after an Accident. 6:02 p.m. Assault investigated by five officers on Oakridge Drive. 9:36 p.m. Peace restored after Domestic Disturbance on South Road. 11:49 p.m. Assisted Londonderry Fire Dept. at The Stumble Inn on Rockingham Road.

#### Sunday - March 3

3:34 a.m. Disturbance reported on Royal Lane. assist arresting Kevin 11:53 a.m. Services rendered for Medical Emergency at Manchester Boston Regional Airport. assist in charging Caitlyn gery/Fraud investigated 12:06 p.m. Services ren-Pacheco, 29, of Litchfield at Wallace Farm apart- dered for Drug Offenses on Grove Street. 5:48 p.m. Services rendered by three officers for

Disturbance on Grove Street. 5:50 p.m. Weapons 2:31 p.m. Criminal Mis- Offenses investigated on

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ages are welcome to submit a design, Please include in your submission the artist's name, phone number, email address, and if under 18, the contact information for a parent or legal guardian. Questions? Please email Kirsten Hildonen at khildonen@londonderrynh.org.

### **Strategies**

A new group where young adults can talk about things that are challenging in grades 6 through 12 are meets every Thursday from 6 - 7 p.m. at the Upper Room, 36 Tsienneto, Rd. Derry. This is a free weekly group. Drop ins welcome. Call 437-8477 to register ext. 24 for more information/options for dates and times.

#### **Vaping Deterrent** Workshop

Do you know someone who is looking to give up vaping? This workshop will show teens how to break the habit and replace it with healthier options. On Thursday, April 4, from 2:30 - 4 p.m. at the Upper Room, 36 Tsienneto, Rd. Derry. Participants will gain strength by being with other people also trying to quit. This event costs \$25. Call 437-8477 to register, ext. 15. Will also be held May 2, and June 6.

#### **Co-Parenting Workshop**

A workshop series for co-parenting after divorce or separation will be held on March 11, 18, 25 and April 1, from 5:30 - 7 p.m., at the Upper Room, 36 Tsienneto, Rd. Derry. Learn how to protect your child's wellbeing by keeping the children out of the middle, allowing children to love both parents, and working on communication and recovery. This workshop costs \$50 (book included) scholarships available. Call 437-8477 to register, ext. 22.

#### Renew

Renew will be open Saturday, March 9, from 8 -10:30 a.m. at Calvary Bible Church, 145 Hampstead Rd., Derry. Arrive by 10 a.m. Renew will also be open every Thursday 9 - 11:30 a.m., please arrive by 11am. NH residents only. Renew offers free, gently-used apparel. Each household is limited to 15 of the newest items, plus a reasonable number of older items. Enter

at the church marquee sign. Donations of good condition, modern clothing may be placed in the donations bin by the door at any time. No donations of money are asked or accepted. For details, search for "Renew Derry" on Facebook, email renewcalvary@gmail.com or call the church secretary at 434-1516.

#### **Guess It Jar**

Guess how many lan-Transitions Young Adult yards are in the jar, running now and ending at 8 p.m. on Thursday, Feb. 28 at the Leach Library. Participants invited to stop by the main desk to see the jar and make a guess. The closest guess, over or under, will win a Barnes & Noble gift certificate. In the event of a tie, a winner will be selected by a random drawing.

#### Flume and Isinglass Voting

Young adults in grades 6 Library to vote for their annual Lenten Fish Fry favorite Flume or Isinglass nominated title, starting now and ending at 8 p.m. on Saturday, March 30. Flume be serving dinner from 5 - 7

Award titles are books nominated by New Hampshire high school readers. Isinglass Award titles are books nominated by New Hampshire middle school readers. Voting slips are located on the drum table in the young adult area. You may vote for more than one book. For each voting slip handed in, you will be entered into a random drawing for a chance to win a Barnes & Noble gift certificate!

#### **Teen Information for Parenting Success**

A weekly support program for young parents ages 13 to 23 will meet every Wednesday, from 5 - 7 p.m. at the Upper Room, 36 Tsienneto, Rd. Derry. This is a free weekly group. Childcare available. Call 437-8477 to register, ext. 12.

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A weekly Resource group for parents, grandparents and caregivers raising teens meets every Thursday, from 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. at the Upper Room, 36 Tsienneto, Rd. Derry. This is a free weekly group. Drop ins welcome.

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ering preschool for your program and \$200 a month for a 4 day per week program. Applications are available online on the Moose Hill School website. We also have our LEEP Handbook available online on the Moose Hill School website if you'd like additional information on the program. For more information, contact Kathy Kelley at 437-5855 ext. 7223 Please email Kathy Kelley at kkelley@londonderry.org or Kim Speers at kspeers@londonderry.org.

#### Bingo

The Londonderry Senior Center, 535 Mammoth Rd., Londonderry, has Bingo every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 12 p.m. - 2 p.m. all seniors over 55 are welcome, come and enjoy the fun. Cash prizes, small fee per Prekindergarten: \$180 per information call Senior month for a 3 day per week Center at 432-8554.

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**UR Parents** 

#### **Londonderry Early Edu**cation Program

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- **Cost:** Little Cohas Section, Phase 5 Airport Perimeter, Phase 6 Total Construction Cost
- **Funding:** NHDOT Grant for Phase 6 Trailways Phase 5 Fundraising Article 24, Town Undesignated Fund

**New Tax Impact** 

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- \$800,000 - \$225,000 - <u>\$600,000</u>

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Please vote "Yes" on March 12th to approve funding for the next two phases of the Rail Trail.

### Town Council supports 5 - 0 Budget Committee supports 6 - 0

### For more information visit www.londonderrytrails.org

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