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nilv Tree Planting Kent Allen family members, volunteers from the Ecco Shoe Company and Curt Laffin of the American Chestnut Foundation gathered last week at the edge of the Kent Allen Forest to plant a Dogwood and several Chestnut trees. Kent had arranged for the planting before he passed in March. Photo by Chris Paul

# **Planning Board Approves Plans Near Kelly Road For Second Time**

#### JOHN SEIDENBERG LONDONDERRY TIMES

heard a second time L the Londonderry Planning Board granted conditional approval May 5 for a plan to subdivide had previously reviewed one residential lot of and voted on this appliapproximately 12 acres cation but was required

Road and Hazelnut Lane, ing not all the public was 'n an application being (Tax Map 12, Lot 39) zoned agricultural residential 1, with Jan Gagnon as the owner and applicant.

The planning board into eight lots of single to conduct a new public

family houses at 40 Kelly hearing on it after learnproperly notified the first time.

The board further approved the application's requested five waivers: on center line radius reduction, on cul-de-sac length, pipes associated continued on page 5

### **A FREE Weekly Publication** Water Task Force Keeping Primary Focus on PFAS JOHN SEIDENBERG

LONDONDERRY TIMES

The PFAS Communi-

ty Task Force will concentrate its attention on PFAS for now rather than include other area contaminants affecting local water systems.

The reason for not expanding the scope is to avoid clouding the town's legal argument in relation to the Saint-Gob-Merrimack.

Town Councilor Tom Dolan discussed the subject during a task force meeting May 6. Previously before the Town Council he raised facility during water task force also looking at found wells in London-

other sources of drink- derry were affected. ing water contamination such as arsenic or sent decree with the radon.

The council, however, agreed not to pursue that course for the time being. The task force will maintain its focus on the most studied forms of PFAS: Perfluorooctanoic Acid (PFOA) and Perfluorooctane Sulfonate (PFOS).

Dolan noted its work ain plastics factory in is separate from legal issues now surrounding Saint-Gobain.

In February 2016 PFOA contamination was found in one of the faucets at the Merrimack the possibility of the tests. Further testing mitigation efforts are

As part of a 2018 constate, Saint-Gobain is paying for bottled water for residents and linking private well users to local public water. It is continuing to supply the bottled water to those selected for testing whose water is found to contain PFAS.

The legal issues with Saint-Gobain are a matter of public record, Dolan said, including whether it may have contributed to PFAS. But the company has no role in arsenic or other contaminants, he added.

If certain testing or continued on page 7

# **School Board Approves New** Jake Naar Scholarship Fund

#### ALEX MALM LONDONDERRY TIMES

uring the May 4 meeting of the School Board, memebrs approved the creation of the Jake Naar Scholarship Trust in honor of the student who died tragically in a car accident earlier this year.

Since his death members of the community have helped to raise money in his honor in order to award scholarships to Londonderry High School seniors in his honor.

honor is outstanding," said Londonderry High they will have a public School Assistant Principal Katie Sullivan who has helped with the family to organize the scholarship fund.

tor Peter Curro explain- would be deposited in ed during the meeting that the school district is allowed to accept private donations.

"I wanted to make it clear that there is a path that a school district can take to accept private donations," he said.

He explained that "The amount of mon- money can be donated

ev raised in Jakes's throughout the year to the trust fund. Each year meeting to determine how much money they will take out for the scholarships.

Curro said that dur-Business Administra- ing the meeting \$120,628 continued on page 2

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### Scholarshi **Continued from page 1**

the scholarship fund so far but could change as members of the community and surrounding communities continue to chip in.

Each scholarship winner will be awarded \$2,222. The selection of the awardees shall be made by a committee of administration, football a week they would be coach, lacrosse coach and a family member if available.

Also during the meeting the School Board discussed raising the pay for substitute teachers.

It was explained during the last meeting that due to their lower rates per day that they pay compared to other districts they have had a he was in support of hard time attracting substitute teachers.

intendent Scott Laliberte explained that he came with two different proposals.

was to increase the substitute pay per day. The two pay increases he proposed were \$20 or \$30.

In a memo to the School Board he explained that based on the average amount they pay for substitutes per year that if they raise the rate by \$20

they would pay an addiif they increased it by \$30 they'd pay an additional \$75,510.

The other proposal he made was to have seven designated substitutes in the district which would be hired and scheduled to work four days a week. He said by having them scheduled for four days considered part-time and they could pay them the per diem rate.

The designated substitutes would be for one at each elementary school, two at Londonderry Middle School and two at Londonderry High School.

School Board member Bob Slater said that both proposals.

"It's been 22 years Londonderry Super- that we've been at this rate and we need some good substitutes. I know we have some now but we need some that are One of the proposals there for us everyday. I really like the idea of having those seven," he said.

One of the questions that was asked by School Board Chair Michael Saucier was towards Curro.

"Are you comfortable with this increase and how much more could we do," Saucier asked.

tional \$50,340 a year and he thinks it's important to concentrate more on how they will be able to attract more substitute teachers.

> "I think it's more important that you focus and zero in on what rate you want for substitutes vour in order to entice people to come to Londonderry and not look somewhere tified substitute teach-

it's more important for you to be more competitive in the market to attract people to come here and let the budget flow accordingly."

The Board ultimately agreed to increase the pay for substitute teachers by \$20 per day starting next school year. This means that non cer-

### OBITUARY Mary A. Costigan

Mary A. Costigan, 80, of Londonderry, NH died Friday May 7, 2021 surrounded by her loving family at the Elliot Hospital in Manchester, NH following a period of declining health. Mary was born in Everett, MA on Sept.

2, 1940, a daughter of the late Michael and Margaret (LaVerde) Gianatasio. She had resided in Londonderry for the past 20 years formerly living in Tewksbury and Billerica, MA.

She was a graduate of Medford High School, Medford, MA Class of 1958. Mary was employed as an office manager for CVS in N. Billerica, MA. She was a member of the Red Hat Society. Mary was formerly an active member of St. Jude Parish Community in Londonderry, singing in the choir and was a volunteer for the adoration ministry.

She is survived by her daughter, Judy Costigan of Londonderry, her extended family, Marco and Julie Zizza of Boxford, MA, and their children, Christian, Dante, and Alexandra, her brother-inlaw, Edward Costigan and his wife Netta of Amesbury, MA, and two sister-in-laws, Gerry Costigan of Malden, MA, and Geri Costigan of Saugus, MA. She also leaves several nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her husband, George Costigan in 2017. She will be sadly missed by her beloved dog, Sweetie

The family wishes to thank the Londonderry Fire and Rescue, the Elliot Hospital healthcare providers, and Fresenius Kidney Care in Londonderry.

At the family's request, a walk-through wake with face masks required and social distancing was held on Wednesday May 12, in the Peabody Funeral Homes and Crematorium. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated on Thursday at St. Raphael Parish, Manchester. Burial will follow in Holy Cross Cemetery, Londonderry. Memorial donations may be made to the American Diabetes Association.



Curro explained that else," Curro said. "I think ers will make \$80 per Hill Special Education day and \$85 for certified ones.

> They also approved to have seven designated substitutes and they will receive an additional \$20 a day.

In personnel news the board accepted the resignations of Moose

Assistant Meredith Barry, South School Special Education Assistant, and Jennifer Bernard, a teacher at South School.

They also accepted the retirement of Antonette Hand, a special education assistant at the South School.

### OBITUARY **Bruce Gaudet**



Bruce Gaudet, 63 of Londonderry, NH passed away May 5, 2021 at Portsmouth Regional Hospital after a brief illness. Bruce was born Nov. 3, 1957 in Waltham, MA and was a son of the late James L. and Jeanne (Lerette)

Gaudet. He was raised and educated in Waltham where he met his wife Cheryl.

Bruce was a great boss and was loved by his employees. Bruce was employed as a Manufacturing Manager at MKS Instruments Co. He was previously employed for over 20 years as an Operations Manager with Wire Belt Corp. and with Tark Inc. He loved the outdoors and enjoyed fishing, canoeing, biking, and camping. Bruce also loved tinkering and building inventions for his kids in his workshop. He enjoyed playing cards, darts, horseshoes, and cornhole. He loved grilling and sitting by the fire. He was very involved with all his kid's activities and was always their biggest fan. Above all he loved spending time with his beloved family and sharing his passion for the outdoors with his daughters.

Members of the family include his wife of 36 years, Cheryl (Fenton) Gaudet, his four daughters, Kelsey, Darlene, Tiffany and Sara Gaudet, his sister Sharon Truesdale, brothers Mark and his wife Lynn, Christopher and wife Diane, Richard Gaudet (dec) and wife Kathy, and Lincoln Gaudet and his wife Deanne. He was also very close with his cousins Mike and Nancy Highland and uncles and aunts Betty Highland, Jane and Jack Moore, Norma and Tom (dec), and Grace and Buddy (dec).

On his wife's side, he is loved by his mother-inlaw, Princess Fenton and her husband David Fenton (dec), sister-in-law and her husband, Lori and Donald Nelson, his brother-in-law David (dec) and his wife Lynda, and his wife's aunt, Joyce and her husband Norman Hansen. He is also loved by many nieces, nephews, cousins, friends and coworkers.

Bruce was the best father, husband, and friend. He made the best of everyday and loved to make everyone laugh. He has touched so many people throughout his life and he will be dearly missed.

Calling hours were held Sunday May 9, at the Peabody Funeral Homes, funeral services were held Monday in the funeral home with burial at Holy Cross Cemetery in Londonderry. To send a condolence, please visit www.peabodyfuneralhome.com.





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# **Resources Committee Dicusses Best Way to Commu**

John J. Goglia LONDONDERRY TIMES

The most recent meeting of the Londonderry Senior Resources Committee (SRC) was held last month and Richard Flores stepped down as Chairman as Rob Palmer stepped in as the new chair. Town Clerk, Sherry Farrell, agreed to assume the duties of Secretary in coordination with Chairman Palmer.

Member Jim Green talked about providing some type of a window sticker to local businesses who offer special services or discounts to seniors. The details will need to be worked out in subsequent meetings but the SRC is wholly supportive of recognizing and encouraging

seniors, particularly the Although the Londonmost needy of that elder derry Senior Center population. The SRC would like to have a database of these types of businesses but compiling such a list requires more thought and planning.

Palmer had researched information about hopefully the committee how other cities and towns communicate and provide notifications to seniors. He discovered that some cities and towns email or direct mail newsletters to seniors on a periodic basis. Since it was noted that many seniors probably do not have access to or available and that is knowledge of current technology there was a discussion about how best to communicate with seniors. That dis- discussion about how

mails periodic newsletters the SRC believes they only go to members of the Senior Center. Once again the need for an email address specifically for the SRC was mentioned and can get the Town to approve an email address specifically for the SRC. Although the Town website has some relevant referral information for seniors the SRC has not formally communicated to seniors what resources are what this current committee would like to address.

There was a lengthy cussion will continue at the local newspapers,

book and businesses in general can assist in getting and helping the SRC implement a system of communicating relevant information to all seniors. It was noted by a committee member that the Town has outsourced various citizen issues to a paid organization in Derry which provides free assistance to citizens. The individual who handles those issues is a resident of Londonderry. Further information will be obtained and provided at the next meeting.

The SRC encourages anyone to attend a meeting on the third Tuesday of every month at 6pm at the Town Complex if they have ideas or suggestions that would benefit seniors. Chairman

businesses that cater to subsequent meetings. the Town website, Face- Palmer will re-evaluate relay the interest the status of the various liaisons such as fire, police and town council attending the SRC meeting over the next few months. Palmer noted that other towns' senior groups have periodic guest speakers talk about topics of interest to seniors and he would encourage members to bring those types of things to the attention of the committee.

Jen Ganem, School Board Liaison to the SRC stated that there is a school blog for parents to advise them of events and other relevant student information and she will find out if seniors and other citizens can sign up. The school board is considering other possible uses of the blog and she will

including seniors Ganem noted that there is the same information available on the school district website.

Member Barbara Mee is thinking about bus trips for seniors who may not be able to get out of town. She would like to share her passion for travel with others and will be trying to determine when, where and what trips might be of interest to seniors such as to Boston or Portsmouth.

In closing, the SRC was going to prepare an email outline of what the local newspapers might consider doing to help implement a program to identify and support local businesses who offer special recognition to seniors.



## Editorial **Invaders in Our Midst**

Are your neighbors' plants mak- on clothes, shoes or tires during the ing a home in your shrubbery? Is greenery you never bought strangling your trees? Are leaves from unknown aquatic greens traveling on your boat to find a home in your favorite lake?

Conservation officials remind us that invasive plants are a local problem. And they're a problem in our waterways as well.

According to the state's invasive species coordinator, invasive plants impact endangered or threatened species, reduce diversity and wildlife habitat, affect water quality, damage property and lead to starvation of birds.

Japanese knotweed, bittersweet, purple loosestrife, multiflora rose, and burning bush thrive locally, and literally have a stranglehold on portions of our woodlands and roadsides.

But we don't have to leave our yards to encounter invasive. All it takes is ignoring an invectives' presence in one location, and soon it has taken over the neighborhood.

What invasive do is simple - they take over, crowding out native plants. It's a battle we may be losing, and we can't wait for someone else to take care of it – if the plants have arrived, they'll be in your yard soon.

Homeowners can help control these invaders by learning to identify them, joining in volunteer efforts to control them, and following professionals' instructions about disposing of any soil and plant matter that gets

eradication.

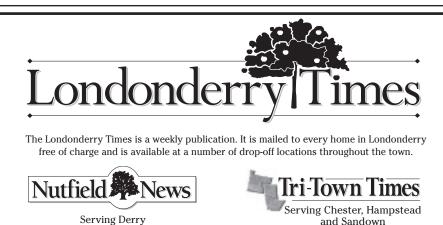
Meanwhile, if you think the water is safe from unwelcome visitors, think again.

State officials regularly issue warnings to boaters to pay attention to what they might be putting in the water. Summers in New Hampshire now demand a new way to look at hitchhiking and littering - boats, trailers, motors, fishing equipment, bait buckets, and diving gear can carry aquatic weeds, leaving an infested lake in their wake.

With no natural predators, the plants quickly dominate native plants, fish, and aquatic life. That translates into impaired water quality and reduced shorefront property values.

If you enjoy a kayak or canoe ride, pay attention to the plants in the water as well as to the scenery and birdlife you are paddling out to enjoy. If you've had your boat in another body of water, examine it carefully before returning to your home lake. Encourage fellow boaters to do the same.

Prevention is the name of the game, and it's the job of each one of us to preserve the quality of the lakes we love. And back on land? Contact your local conservation commission, Extension Service or the state for advice on getting rid of invasive plants. This battle won't be won unless each of us does our share.



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# Letters

### Mack's Apples

To the editor,

I recently red your article of May 6th concerning the sales of Mack's Apple property. As I recall Londonderry had paid Mack's Apples for an option to purchase the property. I am left with two questions. First, "Why didn't Londonderry make an offer?" Second, "Did the sale include a buy back of the option?" We did vote on a warrant article, which passed, for somewhere between 2 and 4 million dollars for the option.

Regards,

Robert Macfarlane Londonderry

Remembering The USS

**Thresher Submarine** 

To the editor,

The sinking of the Indonesian submarine 502 on April 21, 2021 and the breakup of the vessel and death of 53 crew members highlights the hazards of operating in the oceans.

The 502 sinking brings back memories of the sinking and destruc- reached out over the tion of the USS Thresher on April 10, 1963 off the New England coast with the School Board bethe loss of 129 men. A cause we have common Navy inquiry deter- goals of supporting our

engine room possibly from faulty piping causing coolant pumps to slow or stop and trigger a reactor shutdown with a loss of power. Subsequently the Navy implemented the SUBSAFE program for quality assurance and certification for submarines.

Additionally, the Navy implemented a safe testing program which ensured all submarine testing would be conducted in accordance with stringent tions or discuss contesting parameters.

Donald Moskowitz Londonderry

### Thank You from **School Board**

To the editor, This past year has been unlike any other,

and like everyone, our schools have consistently done their best work to continue serving and educating our students. From the School Board, we would like to say "thank you" to the parents and community members who have past year.

Each of us serve on mined most likely there schools, our children

was flooding in the and our staff. Any member of the communitywhether you have children in school or not- is welcome to reach out to us! Hearing your thoughts and ideas is incredibly helpful and helps inform our work as a board and a district.

> Our school principals, guidance counselors, and curriculum coordinators are also excellent resources. Each of these individuals are expertly positioned to answer quescerns about specifics within their school. Please consider reaching out to them, particularly your school principal. Their contact information can be found on each school's website by scrolling to the bottom of the page and selecting "staff directory".

Always feel free to reach out to us at schoolboard@londonderry.org or to any of us individually- our emails and phone numbers are on the Londonderry School District website under "School Board". Additionally, please feel free to reach out to our Superintendent. Scott LaLiberte at slaliberte-@londonderry.org.

Thank you, Amy Finamore Londonderry School Board

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### **Planning Board Continued from page 1**

with catch basins. hav- 15, Lot 62-1), zoned coming less than three feet of cover on a pipe top, and allowing the specified fill and cut slopes within the right of way.

One of the abutters, Michael Cuddyer of Londonderry who lives in the School House Square development, stated at the hearing the development would affect his home and the neighborhood. Knowing there was available land he did not anticipate 8 homes going in on the adjacent site.

The developer has met all the requirements, Chairman Arthur Rugg responded. "Once they do that it's established that the planning board has to pass it. If it's going to deny it, it's got to have a real good reason."

Londonderry faces a high demand for housing, Rugg said, even on parcels that hadn't been previously developed.

On two additional site plan amendments, the board also took action.

In one, the plan called for construction of a 3,900-square-foot garage/ storage unit, impound lot, and associated site improvements at Four Enterprise Drive (Tax Map

mercial II, with Enterprise Drive Recovery, LLC the owner and Bauchman's Towing, Inc., the applicant.

The board continued this application to June 9 pending an engineering review on site design in conformance with town standards, and state, driveway, and DOT permits.

This project is considered to be two separate sites that can function separately. Its use is as an impound lot and for storage. The unit is to store 12 cars at a time.

There is no need for public access as the location is only accessed by staff of Bauchman's Towing in storing and retrieving cars on the impound lot.

The objectives are an the owner and occupant.

outdoor storage area, three parking spaces, driveway access and pavement limit, and achieving a landscape buffer within a riprap slope.

Some board members raised concern about fluids from crash vehicles that might drain on the property. The applicant is addressing this by absorbing fluids with a pad underneath and otherwise containing the fluids by placement in a HazMat barrel.

As to another issue cited, the woods and vegetation by the nearby Rail Trail can obscure the view of cars on the property from the walking area.

The planners also conditionally accepted site plan changes to an approved stormwater management system at 11 Industrial Drive (Tax Map 28, Lot 21-1) zoned industrial II with UNICAST, INC.,



The nature of this request was an unknown site condition related to the project, said Nick Golon, a principal with TFMoran civil engineers. During excavation of an infiltration basin, ground water was found higher than evaluated, he told the board.

The bottom of the stormwater basin was resulting in some loss of storage volume within the basin. An expansion by some 5,000 square feet of the basin was sought to replace that storage.

This condition could not be handled in the field due to the impact to the conservation overlay

**Derby Day** 

Since the Senior Center can't hold any parties, Director Cathy Blash recently had seniors pick horses in the Kentucky Derby for a chance to win a wine/snack gift basket. There were 52 participants and seven of tose chose Medina Spirit for the win. The seven names were put in a basket and Albert Lamson was the winner. Blash him with the gift basket and will be doing the same thing for the Preakness as well as the Belmont Stakes. Courtesy photo

brought up one foot district, Assistant Public Works Director John Trottier noted. The applicant also was asked to obtain all project permits and provide the permit approval numbers.

The required conditions are to be fulfilled within 120 days of the approval.



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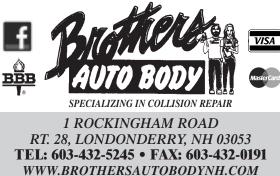
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### lalk-A-Thon To Honor LHS Guidance Counselor and Support Youth In Need

MELISSA BTH RUIZ LONDONDERRY TIMES

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ccording to the Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD), the COVID-19 pandemic has increased students' adversities, isolating them from friends, teachers, coaches, and other supportive adults.

The effects from any of these can be devastating and long-lasting for students, potentially holding them back from getting as much out of their education as their peers, while also making them susceptible to conditions such as depression, and increasing their risk for substance abuse and self harm.

Now more than ever, these young people need an advocate. The Kate Sherwood Foundation strives to be that advocate.

Londonderry High School Guidance Counselor Kate Sherwood was a "lifelong learner," with two Master's degrees and well on her way to a Doctorate. With the help of her education and nearly two decades of experience in the educa- going to do everything it

field. Sherwood channeled her skills and devotion into a mission of building trauma-informed schools and advocating for students facing adversity.

Tragically, the tireless efforts of this educator, mentor, family member and friend were cut in February of this year, when Sherwood unexpectedly pass away.

Sherwood's passing devastated those whose lives she touched. But her determination was catching, and her vision will live on through the collaborative efforts of family, friends, colleagues, and her beloved students.

The Kate Sherwood Foundation was formed by loved ones of Sherwood to further her endeavors. Through the help of community members, the Foundation seeks to identify and support students who have faced adversity that has prevented them from reaching their fullest potential.

"Kate was determined to help these kids, and this organization is can to carry on Kate's work in a way that reflects her values and her kindness." Said Sherwood's husband, Dougan Sherwood.

The Foundation obtained some seed funding through its Kind Hearts For Kate campaign, which Dougan Sherwood said served as a wonderful reminder of his late wife's spirit, and "the love she had for life and the people in her life." From here, the Foundation hopes to grow in order to continue supporting youth in the community.

On Sunday, May 16, from 10 a.m - 3 p.m., LHA will be holding the first annual Kate Sherwood Foundation Walk-A-Thon to raise funds needed to continue Sherwood's calling.

LHS Senior and Student Council President, Amara Cote, said that the council took inspiration for the fundraiser from their time raising money for the Jimmy Fund, stating that it was a walk-a-thon that had helped them raise a significant amount towards the cause, and was hopeful that this event would draw in the support they needed for this one.

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rubbed off on all who had the privilege of knowing her, and to those called her friend, her presence in their lives leaves a lasting impression.

Melissa Romein, Director of Program Services at LHS and good friend of Sherwood's, gave a heartfelt testimony to Sherwood's character.

Romein spoke of Sherwood's dedication, stating that Sherwood carried her passion over to benefit multiple schools in the district, of her mission to create a trauma-informed learning community, and all the ways she showed selfless dedication.

"There are things I'm still learning now that she did for people that she never mentioned." said Romein. "She just quietly did things for people...it's what she dedicated her whole life to."

LHS Math teacher and co-Advisor on the Student Council Hannnah Daly also weighed in on the impact Sherwood had on Lancer Nation, and the Londonderry community.

"She was the biggest cheerleader in peoples' most difficult time," said Daly. "She was really a ray of sunshine."

Romein expressed admiration for Sherwood's unceasing dedication to

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met reach their fullest potential, stating there was "no limit to her capacity to help kids." Though Sherwood went

above and beyond her call of duty as an educator, working well into the evenings and nights and weekends, Sherwood was still very much a dedicated mother, wife, sister, friend, and more, Romein remarked.

Dougan Sherwood echoed Romein's sentiments, adding that he hopes as his children grow that they will be comforted by the positive impact their mother had on the Londonderry community and beyond.

Mr. Sherwood also commented on the foundation's members, expressing how important they are to his family during this time and going forward.

"I'm so honored and looking forward to this Sunday's walk to be with them," said Mr. Sherwood. "To raise money, but more importantly, just to be together."

Community members are encouraged to sign up at no cost for either a one-mile or two-mile walk, through the trails behind the high school.

The event will also have live music and raffles, with prizes includhelping any and all she ing multiple gift baskets,

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Londonderry, NH 03053

upwards of 40 to choose from. Participants could go home with a Red Sox Basket, a Hair Care Basket, and a Coffee Basket, just to name a few. Gift cards will also be raffled off at the event, including a \$50 gift card to Mr. Steer, and a \$100 gift card to Revive Salon & Spa.

One hundred percent of proceeds from the Walk-A-Thon and raffles will directly benefit the Kate Sherwood Foundation.

For those who knew her personally, there will be a memory box made by LHS wood shop teacher, Thomas Ciccarello, to collect messages and memories for Sherwood's family to cherish, said Cote.

Daly added that although it will be a bittersweet occasion, she hoped to see people come and enjoy themselves at the walk-a-thon.

Though the event is a "Walk-A-Thon," walking is not required to participate, and the community is encouraged to visit for any amount of time they may be able.

"The Student Council hopes that people show up, even if it's five to ten minutes," said Cote, adding that Sherwood's family would be in attendance.

The Kate Sherwood Foundation Walk-A-Thon will take place at the LHS track from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sunday, May 16. Participants can complete a registration form at kindheartsforkate.org/events.

For more information on the Kate Sherwood Foundation, or to find out how to donate directly, visit kindheartsforkate.org.





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# Londonderry High vs Pinkerton Academy on Granite State Challenge

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the Londonderry Patrick Garcia, Hedaya Lancers took on Badr, Kenza Elyamani, the Pinkerton Academy and Jude Farley. The Astros in the New Hamp- team is coached by Deb-

The Londonderry for the team was the eventual Lancers were Captain winner as they beat PA Chris Ferrick, Adhvika 540-400 in three rounds Arunkumar, Austin Kilgo- that involved a variety of questions.

The Lancers will now ani. The team is coached be moving on to the quarterfinals, The Astros were rep- they will face the Clip-



pers Portsmouth High on June 5, at 6 p.m., on NHPBS.

Granite State Chalwhere lenge games were prerecorded in March.

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ing, and smarts to beat the clock and buzz in first on this iconic NH game show. The game emphasizes quick recall of math, science, social

studies, language arts, and fine arts facts - along with questions about current events, entertainment, sports, and New Hampshire.

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PFAS Task Force

**Continued from page 1** conflated with PFAS or of Environmental Serother contaminants, in vices has indicated it's help the town's position the boundaries of its in seeking possible resti- ongoing lawsuit. Earlier tution regarding PFAS. this year the agency Londonderry is not a sued Saint-Gobain for party in the case as not installing an air filaction was brought by tration device it had the state.

The NH Department his view, that may not not inclined to expand mandated.

DES at present has water testing only for PFAS. Individuals have to pay for any other tests sought.

"If I want to clean up my water coming out of my well, I'm not sure I want to do it piecemeal, one chemical at a time," Dolan told the task force

As the town's concern is over drinking

water contamination for consumers of public and well water, when the current legal process draws to a close, the council could take up a broader initiative, he said.

At the same time DES has financial help for residents already have their own filtration systems.

DES is conducting an

interactive virtual Town Hall on PFAS May 20 at 6:30 pm for Londonderry. It will have general information and review actions taken to date. One of the speakers will be a toxicologist.

Members of the local PFAS treatment. Some congressional delegation and state representatives are being invited. Those participating by phone, as a function of held June 17.

the program, won't be able to speak during the hearing. A registration link will be available on the

PFAS task force page. The forum will also be publicized on the MOMS Club of Londonderry Facebook page.

In addition, a workshop on water testing and mitigation will be



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# LONDONDERRY SPORTS **Lancer Hardball Continues to Roll Trough Opposition**

**CHRIS PAUL** LONDONDERRY TIMES

The Londonderry High School Varsity Baseball team pasted the halfway point in the spring season last week and had three very strong wins against two Division I opponents.

The Lancer hardball squad has only dropped one game this season, and that was just by a slim one-run margin in mid-April.

The LHS boys started the week with a 9-3 drubbing of the Purple Panthers in Nashua on Monday, April 3, behind five strong innings by pitcher Zach Smith and some tough offense at the plate.

The Lancers got on the board early in this game, taking advantage of some throwing mistakes by Nashua with timely base hits by Zach Rheault and Owen MacDonnell who both had runners a third.

The Lancers never trailed in this game and

the winning pitcher, heads coach Brent De- senior, Owen MacDonters, giving up just three hits and three runs and didn't walk a single batter. Londonderry got two

more runs in the third and fourth, then added three more in the fifth. Nashua South's only

runs came in the fifth. The Lancers needed just eight hits for the nine runs they strung together for the win.

went two for two with two runs in the game.

The final outcome in the two team's second meeting, the next day, had a similar outcome.

On Tuesday, April 4, Nashua South came to Lancer Park, and even though they started with a quick advantage in the first, they wound up dropping their sixth game of the season 8-2.

Sophomore Connor Fennell got the start in this game and proved to be a good choice for

Smith, struck out 11 bat- mas as the young pitcher gave up just three hits with six strikeouts and three walks.

The only blemish for the pitcher was a hit-bypitch in the first inning which allowed the early NHS lead.

Senior slugger Brandon Fish had a double and a triple in the game with two RBIs.

The Lancers got all Centerfielder Rheault the runs they ended up needing in the bottom of the first with three runs starting with Fish's triple to right. Rheault followed with single to drive in Fish and Zach Smith drove in the third run.

LHS finished with 11 hits and zero strikeouts in the victory.

Three days later, the Lancers upped their season record to 9-1 with a very strong 12-run shutout at home against the Goffstown High School contingent.

The sure-handed lefty

nell took the mound for the win, giving up just four hits in four innings. He had eight strikeouts and one walk in the very convincing win.

The offense started early in this game, delivering 11 runs in the first two innings and taking advantage of several mistakes by the Grizzles.

Fielding and throwing errors by Goffstown along with singles by Mac-Donnell, Adam Wholley, Aden Parsons and Rheault led to four runs.

More miscues by GHS and solid hitting by LHS led to seven more runs in the bottom of the second. A single and two

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Lancer senior Zach Rheault slides in safely to third against the Grizzlies. Photo by Chris Paul



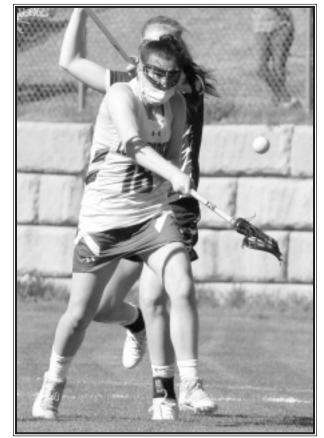
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# Lady Lancers Lax Squad Takes Two Against Nashua South

CHRIS PAUL LONDONDERRY TIMES

> he Londonderry High School girls Lacrosse team main-

tained its winning record (7-4) after a week of playing three games against two Division I rivals. The Lady Lancers



Senior Lancer Jenna Stowell had eight goals in the two games against Nashua South. Photo by Chris Paul

week began on Tuesday, May 4, in Nashua, against the Lady Purple Panthers, where they came away with a 19-16 victory.

In that game, the LHS squad hold Nashua South to eight goals in the first half while scoring 10 of their own.

Londonderry scored nine more times in the second half and once again held the Titans to eight for the three-goal win.

Senior attacker, Grace Holland came away with four goals to lead the team in scoring.

Kiara Edmunds and Jenna Stowell each had three goals and an assist, while Lauren Allen, Caroline Leone and Abby Whitey each had two goals. Emilt Cowette, Lilah Melia and Tara Wright each added one.

Draw wins went to Londonderry by a count of 22-8 in the win.

In the second game between the two teams, on Thursday, May 6, the Lady Lancers once again came away with a three-goal victory, this time at home.

The 13-10 win was the seventh victory of the season for the Londonderry girls and they out-shot Nashua 38-14. The draws in the game were also controlled by the Lady Lancers, 12-5.

In the win, Cowette, Edmunds and Stowell each had three goals to lead the team, while Izzy Augusta, Leone, Whitley and Wright

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**Continued from page 9** errors led to another run to start the second. Mac-Donnell hit a double for an RBI followed by Smith with a single to right for

each had a goal. In the third, and final

game of the week, at Exeter High School against the Lady Blue Hawks, the Lady Lancers dropped a tight 13-11 decision to put their sea- Augusta with two; and son record to 7-4.

In that game, Exeter had the lead after the first half ended by a score of 9-4. In the second, LHS outscored the Londonderry 16-8.

game. Parsons and Smith added singles and three more runs and a fly ball error in right field led to the seventh run in the inning to cement the mercy rule ending.

Parsons went three the seventh run of the for three in the game with

Lady Blue Hawks 6-4 but came out two goals shy.

Stowell was a major force for the Lancer offense, scoring five times in 10 shots on net.

Other goals came from Tess Brown. Cowette. Edmunds and Holland each contributed one.

The draws in the game were controlled by

an RBI. MacDonnell and Rheault each had two to add to the 11 total hits.

The Lancers will try to continue their six game winning streak when they face Nashua North and Exeter High Schools this week.





# Lancer Boys Edge Out South in Home Track & Field Meet

LONDONDERRY TIMES

The Londonderry Boys and Girls Track and Field teams hosted teams from Nashua at meet held on Saturday, May 8, and while the Boys had quite a bit of success against Nashua South, the Girls fell to Nashua North and Nashua South in that event. BOYS

The Lancer boys were winners in a number of events at the meet and edged out their Titans opponents by a score of

In the 100-Meter Dash, LHS took the top three spots. Andrew Kullman was first (11.86); Anthony Amaro took second (12.13); and Sam Street was third (12.17).

In the 200-Meter Dash, Kullman was second (24.36) and Colby Ramshaw placed third (24.56).

In the 400-Meter Dash, Matt Griffin took first with a time of 50.15 and Sean Clegg was second at 51.82.

In the 800-Meter Run,

# **Athletes of the Week**

Week of May 3



Matt Doyle. Freshman, Volleyball Matt had a great game in our first win this season against Coe Brown last week.

He's really embraced his starting role on this team as the libero and has been a great addition to the team as a freshmen!



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LHS took the top four spots. Matt Griffin was first (1:57.17); Sean Clegg was second (2:04.46); Will Plante was third (2:08.21); and Cole Borovicka took fourth (2:10.35).

In the 1,600-Meter Run, Ryan Young won with a time of (4:31.85)and Matt Palmer finished in fourth (5:15.24)

In the 3,200-Meter Run, Ryan Young was first at 10:04.89 and Ryan Fortin grabbed second with a time of 10:11.95.

In the 110-Meter Hurdles, Colby Ramshaw came in second (17.47)and Jaydon Navarro was third (19.57).

In the 300-Meter Hurdles, Colby Lynch was the highest LHS runner at fourth (48.90).

In the 4x100 Relay Race, the Lancer team of Amaro, Street, Ramshaw and Kullman came in first at 45.48 seconds.

In the 4x400 Relay Race, LHS was second at 3:56.97 seconds by the team of Plante, Clegg, Matt Palmer and Borovicka.

In the field events. Patrick O'Connor came in first place in the Pole Vault with a vault of 8feet. Donovan Gannon was second at 7-feet.

In the Long Jump, Ramshaw placed second with a distance of 19'8" and Donovan Gannon came in third at 18.5".

Gannon placed first in the Triple Jump with a distance of 38'6"

In the Shot Put, Jaydon Navarro had a throw of 39'9" and placed third.

LHS took first and third in the Discus event, with Gannon getting first (98'6") and Zach Lindholm getting third (82'8").

### GIRLS

Although the Girls team didn't have quite the same amount of success, they had a number of standout in a several events

In the 800-Meter Run, junior Grace McDonough finished first with a time of 2:24.47.

In the 1,600-Meter Run, Katiana Chylinski finished in fifth place at 6:27.31.

### dles, Nikki Longua fin- Page and Chylinski were ished in first place with fourth (5:09.81). a time of 17.97. Sarah Dygd placed fourth with bella Landry had a jump of a time of 22.99.

In the 4x100-Meter Relay Race, two teams finished in the top four. The team of Erica Waters, Nikki Longua, Marline Fitzgerald and Amanda Fawcett came in third (53.68) and the team of Ashley Griffin, Sopia Hagymas, Virginia Brito and Amanda Robinson placed fourth (54.50).

In the 4x400 Relay Race, the team of Fawcett, Fitzgerald, McDonough and Robinson were third (4:31.92) and the team of

In the 100-Meter Hur- O'Shaughnessy, Gabby

In the high Jump, Isa-4'7" to finish in fourth.

In the Pole Vault, Ashley Griffin reached 9-feet for first and Sophia Hagymas took second at 8'6". Amanda Robinson vaulted 6'6" for third place.

In the Long Jump, Fawcett had a distance of 14'5.5" for fourth.

In the Shot Put, Phoebe Bartlett place fourth with a throw of 27'9".

In Discus, Lauren Ponto had a throw of 81'9" for third palce.

In the Javelin event, Sage Matzker placed fourth Rebecca Buckley, Maura with her throw of 73'2'

### Lancer Girls Tennis Team **Collects Another Victory** CHRIS PAUL

LONDONDERRY TIMES

Londonderry he High School Girls Tennis team is having a tough time this season mustering up wins, but they were able to grab one more victory this week against a team that they had previously lost to.

Lady Lancer the win came after suffering two losses to the Lady Purple Panthers from Nashua South High School.

The two South losses rimack where they were came on Monday and Thursday of last week after the girls had more than a week off during spring break.

Monday's game went 9-0 in favor of the Lady Panthers and the Thursday match had the Lady Lancers seeing just one win.

The victory came Unfortunately, for the from Catie Brown, who won in a tiebreaker 7-4 after an 8-8 set.

The next day, on Friday, May 7, the Lady also added a win in dou-Lancers traveled to Mer- ble (6-8).

able to come away with a much-needed win. The slim 5-4 victory against the Lady Tomahawks was a bit of a surprise considering the LHS team had dropped their first meeting 3-6.

Wins came from Lauren Kim (8-5), Susan Kim (8-1), Catie Brown (8-2) and Jillian Mazzola (8-5) in singles.

Susan Kin and Brown



### Lady Lancers Softball Gets Two Wins From Nashua South CHRIS PAUL



Lancer sophomore Mia Gaspie tallied two wins pitching against Nashua South last week. Photo by Chris Paul

LONDONDERRY TIMES

fter finishing last week with a massive 18-3 victory the Windham over Jaguars, the Londonderry High School Varsity Softball squad continued the winning by blanking the Nashua South Purple Panthers in two games last week.

The combined score of the two contests was an impressive 19-0 with sophomore pitcher, Mia Gaspie, getting the two wins, pitching a combined seven innings with eight hits and nine strikeouts.

In the first game, on Monday, May 3, the Lady Lancers hosted the contest and came away with a 6-0 shutout.

The offense started rather slowly in this contest, with Londonderry getting their first run due to an error at third

the second, which the effort. allowed Sarah Frazier to score after stealing third and continuing home.

The offense continued in the fourth inning when junior Samantha Minton hit a double into center field and drove in two runners that had been given walks.

Two more miscues by the Lady Purple Panthers allowed two more runs in that inning, giving the LHS squad a comfortable 5-0 lead.

Minton singled in another run in the sixth inning to solidify the victory.

Left-fielder Minton went 3-2 at the plate and had three RBIs, while second-baser, Olivia Chau, had two runs with two hits.

Gaspie and freshman Olivia Cutuli combined for eight strikeouts with just one walk. Gaspie

base in the bottom of gave up just two hits in the fourth.

the week against the same team, on Friday, May 7, in Nashua, the Lady Lancers capitalized on more errors by their opponent and took advantage of solid hitting and pitching for a 13-0 win.

The scoring began in the top of the third in this game, with Gaspie and Noelle Dobe walking to start the inning and Chau got onboard thanks to an error at Chau both had doubles shortstop.

Minton drove in the first run with a fly to left and Makenna True drew a walk to force the second run in.

A single by Sarah Frajunior zier drove in the third run and an error at third brought in the fourth run and more walks and errors brought in four more runs to bring the score to 8-0 going into

In the fifth, Frazier In the second game of tripled to drive in a run and Aliceyn Lacey singled to bring her home for another.

Londonderry got its 11th run on a fielder's choice for the final run of that inning.

Lacey got another single in the sixth inning for the 12th run of the game and Frazier added the final run on a pass ball at the plate.

Emily Rivera and in the game.

Gaspie got the win, pitching three innings, with three hits and striking out three. Sophomore Lauren Laudani had three innings in relief, allowing just two hits and striking out five.

The Lady Lancers finished the week at 6-3 and will be facing Nashua North, Bishop Guertin and Exeter this week.

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### **PFAS Meetings**

The New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services (NHDES) series of public meetings

have been scheduled in will include a background Litchfield, Londonderry on PFAS in southern NH as and Merrimack to provide it relates to each specific updates on the status of town, PFAS health effects, PFAS in these communities the current status of PFAS announced today that a and address the communi- in each specific town, what ty's questions. The agenda this means to a resident,

exposure, the future of PFAS in each specific town, and a question and answer session. The meeting will be held on Thursday, May 20, at 6:30 p.m., GoToWebinar: https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/regi.../302920 3327767773199. Registering for the event at the link before the day of the event is recommended.

### **New Library Hours**

Starting the week of May 17, Leach Library will transition to walk-in service during browsing hours. Occupancy and seating will continue to be limited.

actions to help mitigate In-person reference assistance and computer use will also resume on May 17. Patrons can utilize these services during their halfhour visit. Socially distanced computers will be available on a first come, first serve basis. Browsing hours will be expanded on Thursday to 10 a.m. - 6 p.m. and will continue to be available on Friday from 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. and Saturday

from 10 a.m. - 6 p.m. One hour each browsing day from 10 - 11 a.m. will be designated for seniors and other at-risk patrons. The Drive-Thru Service is still available by appointment

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### **Tennis Camp**

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3:05 p.m. Services rendered during Juvenile 5:18 a.m. Services ren-Offenses at Londonderry High School.

### Thursday - May 6

1:53 a.m. Three officers assisted the Londonderry Fire Department with transportation of a subject to a Hospital from Scots Place.

6:44 a.m. Suspicious Activity investigated on Weymouth Road.

11:38 a.m. Peace restored during incidents at Macgregor the Cut Apartments on Stonehenge Road.

Londonderry charged Activity investigated on

12:49 p.m. Sexual Offender registration investigated on North Went-

2:41 p.m. Services rendered for Suspicious Activity on Severance Drive. 6:55 p.m. Three officers assist the Londonderry Fire Department with transportation to a hospital from Lucas Road.

7:08 p.m. Suspicious Activity tnyestigated on Fieldstone Drive.

### Friday - May 7

dered for a Medical at the Manchester Boston Regional Airport. 8:17 a.m. Criminal Mischief investigated at Cracker Barrel Old Country Store on Nashua Road. 12:59 p.m. Assisted the Londonderry Fire Department with transportation to a hospital from Matthew Thornton School.

3:29 p.m. Suspicious Activity investigated bt three officers on Bancroft Road.

7:10 p.m. Medical Emergency investigated by four officers on Field-**Continued on page 15** 

## **Londonderry Police Log** Selections from the Londonderry Police Logs

9:36 a.m. Larceny/Forgery/Fraud investigated at ReMax on Gilcreast Road. 3:49 p.m. Larceny/Forgery/Fraud investigated on Sugarplum Lane. 5:08 p.m. Criminal Mischief investigated on Jack's Bridge Road at Harvey Industries. 8:42 p.m. Services rendered to keep the peace

Tuesday - May 4

on Merlin Place.

8:09 a.m. Auto Theft investigated at Jeff's Lex-Toy on Commercial Lane. 5:25 p.m. Peace restored at a Disturbance at the Macgregor Cut Apartments on Stonehenge Road.

7:24 p.m. Suspicious Activity investigated on Hardy Road.

7:54 p.m. Juvenile Offenses investigated by three officers on Lantern Lane.

8:45 p.m. Services rendered to keep the peace on Mammoth Road.

9:44 p.m. Arrest made by four officers during a Domestic Disturbance on Old Derry Road. Justin Brouillette, 31, of 12:39 p.m. Suspicious

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Summer Tennis Camp. The two-week camp starts on July 12 and runs through July 23 and offers three pricing options. One week Tennis Basics: \$150; One Week Tennis Play and Strategy: \$150; Both Weeks: \$300. If payment is received by June 4, the prices are reduced to \$135 and \$270. The tennis camp is being run by Betty Mak and Roberta Davis. For more information contact: the makgang@yahoo.com or davssr@comcast.net.

### **Do Your Perennials Need Help?**

Now that spring is finally here, you may have notice that many perennials in the garden are in need of help If you would like to give your perennials a fresh start this year, please contact The Green team of Londonderry on Facebook or call 537-2760. Will schedule a time, at your convenience, to divide those perennials that need a little help this spring. We will then take the surplus plants to be potted and prepared for our first annual Plant Sale on Saturday, June 5. Please call early to schedule a dig in your garden before the Team's plant quota is reached. Some plants may be restricted. Proceeds from these donated plants support the Team's many projects and its conservation, beautification and education endeav- more information about ors. The Green team of Londonderry is a civic organization. For more information, please visit us on our Facebook page.

### **Legion Karaoke**

American Legion Post 27 will host a Karaoke night with DJ Sharon on May 14, from 7:30 - 11 p.m., at 6 Sargent Rd., Londonderry. Non-members interested in joining Post 27 welcome to attend. are Please wear a mask when entering and moving around within the Post. The bartender will take your temperature and ask for your phone number as part of our contact tracing.

### **Republicans Meeting**

On May 20, Thursday, 7-8:30 p.m., at American Legion, 6 Sargent Rd, join the Londonderry Republicans to learn the latest happenings on issues important to you and your quality of life. Hear from State Legislators and officials on legislation, Londonderry's water quality, CRT, NH Advantage Coalition, and the forensic analysis of Windham's 2020 voting discrepancies. Learn about some exciting upcoming Londonderry Republican Committee (LRC) events. Get your questions answered and join in the lively discussions. Please note the change in location for the May meeting. For

out meetings and events contact LRC Chairwoman Liz Thomas (603)437-6090, eathomas@comcast.net.

### **Giant Spring Yard Sale**

Londonderry Lions Club Giant Yard Sale Sat., May 8, from 8 a.m. - 2 p.m., Lions Hall Mammoth Rd. No Early Birds. COVID 19 protocols will be obeyed per LFD. You may donate goods starting May 1 up to day before the sale at the Lion Club Pavilion.To rent a space please contact Beth at 603-820-1085.

### **Voter Information**

New Hampshire law requires that the Supervisors of the Checklist verify the voter checklist every ten years. Any person on the checklist who has not voted in the past four years must re-register to remain on the checklist. The Supervisors are sending notice letters to these voters at the address the voter provided when registering. The Supervisors of the Checklist for the Town of Londonderry will hold sessions for re-registering voters who have not voted since April 1, 2017, as well as accepting applications for new voter registration, requests for the correction of the checklist, and changes of political party affiliation on the following dates:

Monday, May 17, from 6 -8 p.m., Saturday, June 19, from 11 a.m. - 1 p.m., Tuesday, July 13, from 6 -8 p.m. To register to vote, one must provide: Proof of Londonderry residency, Proof of citizenship (passport, birth certificate, naturalization papers), Proof of age, Photo ID. Applicants for registration who possess proof of identity, age, citizenship, and domicile should bring that proof when they come to register. Qualified applicants who do not possess proof or who do not bring proof with them may register if they sign an affidavit attesting to their qualifications for identity, age,

### Free Meals

Please join us for free, family-friendly meals. Meals are generally held as posted below, but may be rescheduled for holidays. Please call the facility to check on holiday times. Breakfast on May 15 from 10 - 10:30 a.m., at St. Thomas Parish; Lunch on May 15 from noon - 12:30 p.m., at St. Luke's Church, drive around to back door;

domicile and citizenship.

Dinner on May 28 from 5 - 6 p.m., at First Parish Church, drive up to side door; Lunch on May 30 from 1:30 - 2:30 p.m., at St. Jude's Parish; Sonshine Soup Kitchen - Will Be Serving Drive By To Go Meals On Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, And Thursdays from 4:30 - 5 p.m.

### Free Parenting Workshops

View these free parenting workshops at your own pace hosted by the Upper Room at www.urteachers.org/workshopson-demand. Dealing with Challenging Behaviors in Children - The Importance of Routines and Consistency for your Child.

#### Teen Talk

Free LIVE on Zoom on Tuesdays from 3 - 4 p.m., for teens 13-18 to talk, support each other, and be heard. No preregistration necessary. Zoom link to join: bit.ly/tipstopics

### **Raising another's child?**

Are you parenting a second time around? Attend the Grandparent and Relative Caregiver Sup-

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port Group. Join this free weekly meeting for resources, discussions and support for those raising another person's child. No preregistration needed. Tuesdays 6 - 7:30 p.m. Meeting in person at the YMCA - Londonderry. Contact: Seren Elizabeth at selizabeth@urteachers.or Grandparent PASTA g. Groups are brought to you by NH Children's Trust, the YMCA of Greater Londonderry, the Southern Rockingham Coalition for Healthy Youth (SoRock) and The Upper Room.

### Free Stress Management Workshop

An on demand workshop by the Upper Room. View at www.urteachers.org/workshops-on-demand. To learn more contact Beth O'Connell at eoconnell@URteachers.org.

### **St. Jude Food Pantry**

St. Jude's Food Pantry Is open to all Londonderry resident who maybe in need. Call Kay at 434-1827 to make an appointment to pickup your food from the panty. "We are there for the people and want to help them."

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### stone Drive.

7:13 p.m. Shoplifting investigated at Market Basket on Michels Way.

### Saturday - May 8

1:10 a.m. Motor Vehicle Stop leads to an Arrest on Rockingham Road at Stonehenge Road. Four officers assist with charging Patrick McGarry, 34, of Salem, with Driving After Revoked/Suspended License (Reckless Driving); Negligent Driving; and Arrested on a Warrant.

3:26 p.m. Shooting Complaint investigated on Norwich Place.

3:29 p.m. Criminal Mischief investigated at Londonderry Flea Mar- 11:54 a.m. Identity Theft on Constitution Drive.

4:29 p.m. Domestic Disturbance investigated on Copperfield Lane. 5:01 p.m. Services rendered for Shoplifting at the State Liquor Store on Michels Way. 5:21 p.m. Trespassing investigated on Hovey Road.

ket on Avery Road.

6:25 p.m. Assault investigated by three officers the State Liquor Store on Rockingham Road.

6:40 p.m. Suspicious at Wallace Farm Apart-Activity investigated on Independence Drive. 7:34 p.m. Suspicious Activity investigated on Activity investigated on Shasta Drive.

Memorial Drive.

Sunday - May 9

investigated on Woodland Drive.

3:49 p.m. Assisted the Londonderry Fire Department with services on Mercury Drive.

6:06 p.m. Assisted the Londonderry Fire Department with transportation to a hospital from 7-Eleven on Rockingham Road.

8:13 p.m. Services rendered for Neighborhood Disputes on Bridle Path ments on Perkins Road. 8:43 p.m. Suspicious Rockingham Road.

10:18 p.m. Suicide At-11:17 p.m. Juvenile Off- tempt/Threat investigatenses investigated on ed by four officers on Otterson Road.

> 11:24 p.m. Services rendered to keep the peace



Include your name, your town, and a phone number. Deadline is May 30th. We will call for payment information.

# IF YOU GOT LEFT IN THE COLD THIS WINTER SWITCH TO



