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TYNGSBOROUGH TOWN CLERK NEWS

STATE ELECTION is November 6th. The polls will be open at 7:00 am and close at 8:00 pm. **Voter registration deadline is October 17th and the office will be open until 8:00 pm.**

2019 DOG LICENSES will be available at the Town Clerk's office or by mail by early in November. Male/female licenses are \$11.00 and spayed/neutered licenses are \$7.00. Current rabies vaccination is required. If renewing by mail, please enclose a stamped envelope for the license.

Please contact the office at 978-649-2300 extension 129 or email to jshifres@tyngsboroughma.gov with any questions.

NOTICE

TYNGSBOROUGH WATER DISTRICT

A Special Meeting of the District will be held on **Tuesday, October 23, 2018 at 7:00 PM** at the District Office, 87 Progress Avenue, Unit 2. Warrant and additional information will be available at the Water District Office.

Signed: Board of Water Commissioners

Tyngsborough Water District, 87 Progress Ave, Unit 2,
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TYNGSBORO GARDEN CLUB

The Club opened its first meeting of the 2018-19 season with a wrap up of the town gardens that members maintained over the summer and our fun field trips. We then made very fragrant herb wreaths to hang.

Our October meeting has been **changed from Tuesday Oct 2nd to Wednesday Oct 17th**, in co-ordination with the library for a presentation on ***Charlatans, Thieves, and James Bond- The Murky History of our top 10 plants*** by Dr. Benfield. The meeting will take place at the library meeting room at 5:30, followed by the presentation at 6:00.

On **October 20, 2018** we will have our raffle and indoor plant sale at the library book fair.

At our **November 5th** meeting we will make a fall arrangement with the guidance of one of our members, Maureen Baril.

We will have another meeting in **November on the 27** to assemble holiday greens for town buildings.

If you love gardening, want to learn about gardening or just want to join a group of great people, new members are always welcome!

For more information about our November meeting visit our website at: tyngsboroughgarden-club.tripod.com or find us on Facebook at Tyngsborough Garden Club or contact Debbie Schneider at 978-649-6362.

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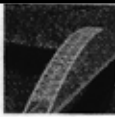
What are you doing on Columbus Day Weekend? Come on over to the Tyngsborough Elementary School on Sunday, October 7, and join us in our 11th annual Tyngsborough Trot 5K Walk/Run. Runners and walkers will enjoy the crisp weather and peak fall foliage. The first 200 runners will also receive a free Sport TEK t-shirt! As always, we give cash prizes (\$100, \$75, \$50) to the top three male and female runners, and medal awards to the top three male and female runners in 7 different age categories. **The FREE mile Kids Fun Run (for children 12 and under) begins at 10 am and the 5K begins at 10:30 am.** It's okay if you haven't registered yet. Register on site by 9:45am. Cash, check and charge cards accepted (\$30/runner or walker). ***New this year:*** The senior class of Tyngsborough High School will be running a **Tyngsborough Community Yard Sale before and during the Tyngsborough Trot on October 7 (8am-12:30pm).** Yard sale ends at 12:30 p.m. as the road race festivities wind down. Rain-or-shine event; with good weather, it will be held in the TES parking lot; if it rains, we will set up inside TES. Do some shopping before or after the walk/run!

EFT is excited to be welcoming some new members. Even some of our favorite teachers have joined! What a great way to get involved in your town. You can start small or go all in with us. There are little jobs and big jobs to be done. ***You can start attending our board meetings to see if EFT is the right group for you. Please contact our President, Theresa Manning, at eftyng@gmail.com.*** An easy way to support our efforts is to start your Amazon shopping at smile.amazon.com and designate the Education Foundation for Tyngsborough as your cause. *Together we are bridging the gap.* Like us on **Facebook!**



**Trick or Treat will be held
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from 6-8pm.**

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AUTUMN WILDLIFE FESTIVAL!

Saturday, October 20th, 2018 at 9:00 AM

46 Coburn Rd Tyngsboro, Ma (Sherburne Nature Center & Trails)

The Nature Walks Conservation Society is absolutely delighted to invite you and your entire family to our annual Autumn Wildlife Festival! Join us and meet live birds of prey! If the conditions are favorable you might be treated with seeing them in flight! We will also meet some of our local native reptile species! **There will be a family friendly guided Nature Walk hosted by Mark Fraser through the forest during absolutely stunning Fall foliage!** Bring your cameras because this will be an amazing photography opportunity! Connect with us on Facebook @ <https://www.facebook.com/naturewalksCS>. We look forward to seeing you there!

Sherburne Nature Center trails are open daily, dawn to dusk, for the residents of Tyngsboro and neighboring towns. Traverse several woodland streams, go bird-watching, try to catch a glimpse of a beaver, and observe meadow wildflowers and butterflies. It's a great place for outdoor exercise and to enjoy nature close to home. Sherburne Nature Center and Trails activities are open to all who are interested. Activities go rain or shine. In extreme weather conditions, activities are cancelled. *No reservations or fees required. Children under 16 must be accompanied by an adult.*

Please note: The tennis court behind the Sherburne Nature Center is PRIVATE property. It is not part of the PUBLIC Nature Center property.

TYNGSBOROUGH PTO

Welcome back Students, Parents & Teachers! Did you know that the PTO provides arts & enrichment programs at both TES & TMS? It's never too early or too late to get involved. **PTO meetings are generally the 4th Wednesday of the month, at Tyngsborough Elementary School 7pm.** New members are always welcome.

We have a few open positions to help with this school year, including Secretary, and Arts & Enrichment coordinator for 7th & 8th Grade.

Trunk or Treat is scheduled for Saturday, October 27th in the TES Parking Lot. We will be looking for volunteers to decorate & dress up their Trunks, for kids to Trick or Treat at. Best Trunk prizes will be awarded. Once again the PTO has teamed up with the Recreation Department to continue the fun into the evening with the Great Pumpkin Walk, Night of Lights at the Bicentennial Field at TES. This is a fun family afternoon & evening!

Make sure to 'Like' us on Facebook to keep up-to-date! Or contact us through our website at www.TyngsboroughPTO.org

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FALL 2018 TYNGSBORO HIGH SCHOOL & MIDDLE SCHOOL SPORTS INFORMATION

HOMEcoming Saturday, October 13th

V-Girls Soccer vs. Lowell Catholic HS 12:00pm High School Turf-Pierce Field

JV Girls Soccer vs. Lowell Catholic HS 12:00pm High School Baseball Field

V-Boys Soccer vs. Dracut HS 2:00pm High School Turf-Pierce Field

JV-Boys Soccer vs. Dracut HS 2:00pm High School Baseball Field

V-Field Hockey vs. Lunenburg HS 4:00pm High School Turf-Pierce Field

JV Field Hockey vs. Lunenburg HS 4:00pm High School Baseball Field

Varsity Football vs. Quabbin HS 7:00pm Turf-Pierce Field

• **FALL AWARDS NIGHT** (*high school level only*) will be take place on: **Thursday, November 29th at 7:00pm in the High School Auditorium**

• WINTER SPORTS INFORMATION

Sign-ups for Winter Sports for High School Athletes will take place the week of: October 29th thru November 2nd during lunch periods
Sign-ups for Winter Sports for Middle School Athletes will take place the week of: November 5th thru November 9th during lunch periods
Winter Sports Parent Meeting will take place on: **Wednesday, November 14th at 7:00pm in the High School Gymnasium**

ALL SPORTS SCHEDULE PLEASE GO TO: WWW.MWLMA.ORG

PARENTS/GUARDIANS: If you would like to receive scheduling text alerts during your son/daughters sports season, please go to: <http://www.tyngsboroughps.org/pages/tyngsborough/departments/athletics> and CLICK on Schedule Alerts for Parents.

JOIN TYNGSBOROUGH CITIZENS

If you are new to Tyngsborough, welcome! If you are not new but want to know more or want to know how you can get involved, you are invited to join over 450 fellow residents in our on-line community forum. Tyngsborough Citizens is a Yahoo Group and membership in our group is open to all residents of Tyngsborough. We share information about town and school happenings and ideas for how to make our town even better. We are not an anonymous group; residents share their name and address when posting. We strive to keep the conversations civil and constructive. Please visit tyngsboroughcitizens-subscribe@yahoogroups.com to join.

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Greetings from our Pastor, Fr. Richard Clancy

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Weekday Mass: Monday, Thursday & Friday at 9AM. **No Mass** on Tuesday and Wednesday

• **Reconciliation** every Saturday from 3 to 3:40PM or by appointment.

• Join us on **Facebook!** Search "Saint Mary Magdalen Parish Tyngsboro" and like our page to see daily meditations and events.

• **FIRST FRIDAY ADORATIONS** are held on the first Fridays of the month after the 9AM Mass from **9:30AM – 12pm**.

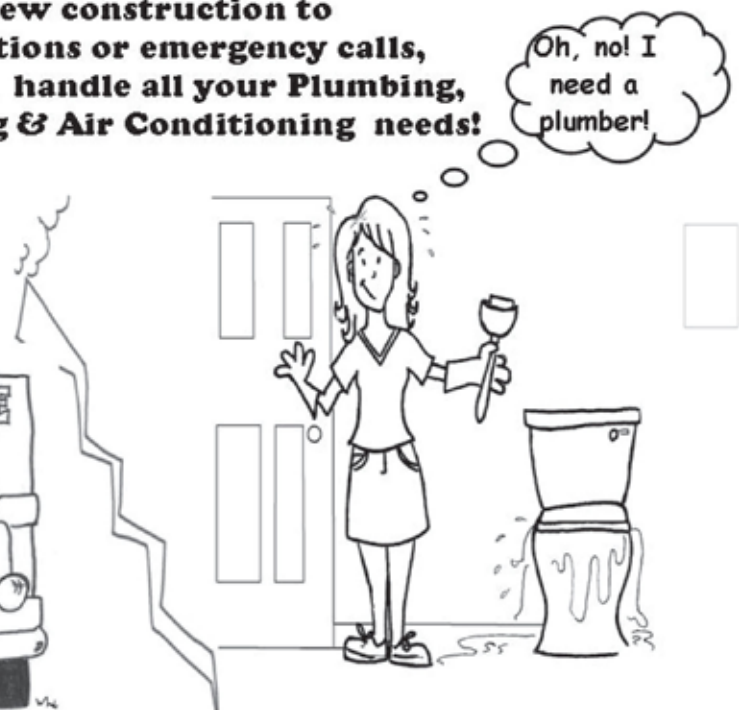
• **The St. Vincent De Paul Society** operates a monthly food pantry out of the rectory in addition to providing holiday meals to those in need. We can be reached at 978-844-2365.

• **Prayer Line** – *Do you know of someone needing prayers?* Call Helen (978) 649-7927 or Carol (978) 649-6717. (Submit only first name of one to be prayed for)

• **MEN OF ST. JOSEPH** Ste. Marguerite, St. Mary Magdalen, & St. Rita Parishes are pleased to announce we have a "Men of St. Joseph" chapter. The "Men of St. Joseph" is an established and successful ministry, whose principle mission is to call men to become the strong and faith-filled husbands, fathers, and leaders, whom God has created us to be. **We meet on the Second Saturday of every month.**

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CLOSED on Monday, October 8, in observance of Columbus Day.
Painting of the interior of the Library is scheduled for early November. Please watch for details and schedule changes.

- **Thieves, Charlatans, and James Bond: The Murky History of Our Top Ten Plants** **Wednesday, Oct. 17, 6-7 p.m.** Social gathering at 5:30 p.m. Dr. Richard Benfield, author of *Garden Tourism* & professor of geography at Central Connecticut State University returns to educate and entertain! *Co-sponsored by the Tyngsboro Garden Club.*
- **Admissions 101: Secrets to College Admissions – Wed., Oct. 24, 6:30-7:30 p.m. FREE College workshop** for parents and teens! Learn to separate college admissions fact from fiction, what college admissions committees really look for and how they decide who gets in. Registration preferred.
- **Panning Photography, Saturday, Oct. 27, 9 a.m.-12 p.m.** Learn the technique of panning to add a sense of movement to your action photos. Instructor: Nick DePasquale. Registration required.
- **Chinese Acrobat Li Liu, Saturday, Nov. 3, 12:30 – 1:30 p.m.** Don't miss this world renowned acrobat performing traditional Chinese acrobatics, such as hand balancing, plate spinning, ribbon dancing and more! Ages 5 and up. **Location: Old Town Hall**
This program is supported in part by the Tyngsborough Cultural Council, a local agency supported by the Massachusetts Cultural Council.

- **Open Minds Literacy Yoga: Tuesdays, Oct. 2 – Nov. 6, 10-10:45 a.m. Ages 3-5.** Registration required. Taught by yoga instructor and children's book author Ellen Olson-Brown. Classes will incorporate movement/yoga and breathing using simple literacy activities.
- **Halloween Storytime & Parade, Thurs., Oct. 25, 1:00. Ages 3-5.** Younger siblings welcome! Drop in. After storytime, join our parade & go trick-or-treating in the Library and the town hall. Wear your costume!
- **Tech Advice by Appointment** PCs, android tablets & phones, Excel, MS Word, e-books, etc. **Tuesday, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m., Wednesday, 7-8 p.m.** Registration required.
- DROP IN SESSIONS** • **Adult Coloring Club, 1st Wed. each month, 6:30-8 p.m.** • **Pokemon Club, Wed., Oct. 17, 4-5:00 p.m. Ages 8-15.** Drop in. Bring your cards or handheld device.
- **Tiny Tots Storytime: Wed., Oct. 3 & 17, 11-11:30 a.m.** Infants-3 yrs. • **Lego Club: Sat., Oct. 13, 10-11:30 a.m.** Grades K-6. • **Dads & Donuts Playgroup, Sat., Oct. 6, 10-11 a.m.** Infants-3 yrs. • **Storytimes for 3-5 year olds. Thursdays at 1 p.m.** • **Family Music Time, Thurs. Oct. 4, 10-11 a.m.** Infants-5 yrs. **Formally Books & Babies.* • **Sound Play Family Music program: Sat., Oct. 6, 1-1:40 p.m.** Infants-5 yrs.
- **Writer's Group, Mondays, 6:30 p.m.** Feedback, publishing tips, all genres. Karen Johnson 978-649-7132
- **Rep. Colleen Garry (or her representative) Office Hour – Sept-May, 3rd Saturday 9-10 a.m.**
- **Board of Library Trustees Monthly 3rd Thurs.** Check TPL website for schedule changes.
Artists & collectors, contact the Library to discuss scheduling an exhibit in the gallery or display case.
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NEW HAMPSHIRE JUNIOR ROLLER DERBY PRACTICES IN TYNGSBORO

New Hampshire Junior Roller Derby is pleased to announce that it began holding league practices in Tyngsboro this fall. Weekly practices have started at the Tyngsboro Sports Center (500 Potash Hill Rd, Tyngsboro, MA) from 10-11 am.

New Hampshire Junior Roller Derby is open to skaters from ages 7 to 17. The league is based out of the JFK Coliseum in Manchester, NH, but uses other venues for off-season practice space. The team is part of the Junior Roller Derby Association, and is finishing up an exciting season that included games with teams from around New England, New York, and Canada.

For more information, visit www.nhjuniorrollerderby.com.

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Fall Used Book and Bake Sale at the town Hall, 25 Bryant Lane

- Friday, October 19, 7 – 9pm for Friends members.
- You may join at the sale.
- Saturday, October 20, 8:30am – 2:30pm for the public

What are you interested in? Mystery? Sports? History? Biographies? Love stories? Cookbooks, gardening or other hobbies? Our book sale has it all. These book sales are our big fund raiser in support of the Library so enjoy the fun when you come and buy. We love to see the same faces with each sale, and welcome the newcomers. Make your visit to the book sale a family tradition. Young and old, there is something for everyone, including Halloween costumes and freshly baked goodies.

If you have books, DVDs, CDs Halloween costumes or jewelry, there is still time to donate for the book sale. Bring by your donations to the Library during open hours. We also welcome volunteers to help sort books prior to the sale and assist on the sale days. Contact the Library for details.

What Library pass are you going to use this month? One of the passes funded by the Friends is for the New England Aquarium. The pass admits 4 people for \$10 per person. Plan an autumn day in Boston with family or friends to see the marine animal exhibits.

Mark your calendars to attend "Thieves, Charlatans, and James Bond: The Murky History of Our Top Ten Plants" on Wednesday, Oct 17, 6-7 pm, social gathering at 5:30. This is one of the Library's programs which the Friends helped fund.

Did you attend the town's fabulous block party in August? We were glad to see many Tyngsborough residents there. Thank you to those who signed up for membership with the Friends.

The next regular Friends meeting at the Library will be held on Monday, February 4, 2019, at 7pm. Members and non-members are invited. There will be no meeting in December while we enjoy the Library's holiday party. Please join us for the February meeting and the party in December for which the Friends are a sponsor.

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TYNGSBOROUGH HIGH SCHOOL

... is proud to announce Sara Anselmo, Sophia Campbell, Christian Lapointe, and Jennifer Murphy as the September Students of the Month.

Sara, daughter of Dinis and Nicole Anselmo, is a member of the National Honor Society, a member of the Spanish National Honor Society, and is a recipient of the Academic Excellence Award. Sara has played club basketball since 7th grade, and has played varsity basketball for THS since her freshman year and is a captain this upcoming season, earning the Most Improved Player Award twice and a Midland-Wachusett League All-Star Award. She volunteers her time with the Tiger Town Girls Basketball Camp and with the Tyngsborough Special Education Summer School Program. Sara enjoys painting and creating art, working at Parlee Farms, playing basketball, and spending time with her friends and family. Her favorite subject is math. Sara looks forward to going to college to study accounting, to traveling to Portugal, and to living life with a positive outlook. "THS has taught me to accept opportunities with open arms, and that there will always be people that I can count on. I'll always remember the bonds I have built with my friends and teachers."

Sophia, daughter of Kelly and Craig Campbell, is a member of the National Honor Society and is a recipient of the Outstanding Achievement in Mathematics Award, the Outstanding Achievement in Social Studies Award, the Massachusetts Association of School Superintendents' Award, and the Harvard Book Award. She is the student representative to the school committee, is a member and officer of the Student Council, a member of the Winter Track Club, and a class officer (both President and Co-President). Sophia is a member of the Cross Country (also a captain) and Track & Field teams, earning accolades that include: League All-Star Awards (5), Lowell Sun All-Star Awards (2), and the Most Valuable Runner Award. She also played basketball for THS during her freshman year. Sophia volunteers her time by tutoring and working various local races. She enjoys cooking, skiing, and reading. Her favorite subjects are science, especially biology, Spanish, and English. Sophia looks forward to attending college, to running a marathon, and to traveling. "THS has given me opportunities to succeed and at the same time have fun. I will always remember Homecoming week, the cross-country team, and traveling with my friends." Sophia would also like to thank all of her teachers in all three Tyngsborough schools.

Christian, son of Daniel and Suzanne Lapointe, is a member of the National Honor Society, a member of the Spanish National Honor Society, and is a recipient of the Outstanding Achievement in Science Award, the Academic Excellence Award, the University of Rochester Bausch and Lomb Science Award, and the Commitment to Learning Award. He is a member and officer of the Student Council, is a member of the Winter Track Club and the Robotics Club, and is a class officer (currently serving as Vice-President and has also served as Secretary). Christian is a Varsity Athletic Award and Letter winner in both soccer and Track & Field (also a captain), and he was named a Midland-Wachusett League All-Star for the 4x800m relay. He volunteers his time at the Endoscopy and Quick Response units at St. Joseph's Hospital, at the Cor Unum Meal Center, at the Tyngsborough Health and Safety Fair, with various mission trips with the Catholic Heart Workcamp, with the TES Little Einstein's Program, and with the Wish Project. Christian enjoys spending time with his friends, participating in sports, volunteering, and reading. His favorite subjects are biology, chemistry, English, and math. Christian looks forward to attending college, to studying biology or neuroscience, to applying to medical school, and to becoming a physician. Christian recently represented THS at the Hugh O'Brien Youth Leadership Seminar, and he has also attended Harvard Summer School where he took a class on DNA Sequencing and Genomics. "As I reflect on my time spent at THS, I will never forget the lasting impact the relationships I have forged has had on the person I am today. The fondest memory I will take with me is being on the soccer field with some of my closest friends and teammates."

Jennifer, daughter of Laurie and Bill Murphy, is a member of the National Honor Society and is a recipient of the George Eastman Young Leaders Award, the Academic Excellence Award, the

Outstanding Achievement in Science Award, and the Outstanding Achievement in Social Studies Award. She is also a member and officer of the Student Council. Jennifer has been doing club gymnastics since 2004 and has won many state titles. She was both a member of the Chelmsford High Gymnastics Team (where she was named an MVC All-Star) and of the THS Cheerleading Squad. Jennifer volunteers her time with the Tyngsborough Special Education Summer School Program, with the Wish Project, at the Tyngsborough Farmer's Market, and at various TES events such as Trunk or Treat and Little Einsteins. She enjoys hanging out with her friends, playing with her dog Dallas, working out, running, coaching gymnastics, and scooping ice cream. Her favorite subjects are math and science, especially biology, chemistry, and anatomy. Jennifer looks forward to going to college, to becoming a nurse, to getting her Master's Degree, and to becoming a nurse practitioner or physician's assistant. "THS has helped me manage my time (especially while in AP Biology), become a well-rounded student and helped me develop great relationships with some of my favorite teachers. My fondest memories are Homecoming, AP Biology class, and volleyball with Mr. Tansey."

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The **34th TST Community Calendar** will be available for purchase for \$5 by contacting Daniela diMari at 978-649-2527. The community calendar features dates of Town and School meetings, early release days, MCAS dates and school vacation dates.

The popular **TST Gift Card Fundraiser** will also begin in October. Order forms will be available on the TST web site beginning at that time. Gift cards will look just like those purchased in stores and will have the same terms and conditions. You receive dollar for dollar value on the cards you buy and TST receives a percentage of every dollar you spend.

THE 15TH ANNUAL **HOLIDAY MARKETPLACE** will take place on November 5th at the Tyngsborough Elementary School from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., and will feature exhibitors of handcrafted items, gifts, and decorative items, as well as business services and representatives of the home based business work force. Exhibitors wishing to reserve a table for this event may contact Karen O'Donnell, Holiday Marketplace Chair, at tyngsboroughmarketplace@gmail.com. The TST will be sponsoring our **1st annual Corn Hole Tournament in conjunction with the Holiday Marketplace in the TES gymnasium**. While family members are doing their holiday shopping, other family members can compete with their friends and neighbors playing Corn Hole while raising funds for scholarships for the Class of 2019! To register for the Corn hold tournament contact mittchell6260@msn.com or call Rose Mitchell at 978-649-3341.

TST information is available in the Community News portion of our public schools' weekly email blast. The TST is actively recruiting new members and invites you to join our meetings on the second Wednesday of the month at the Tyngsborough Town Hall at 7:00 pm. Please check out our website <http://www.tyngsboroughscholarship.org/> or send email to info@TyngsboroughScholarshipTrust.org with any questions.

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• **COA Meetings are the third Tuesday of each month.** Next meeting is **October 16th.** Public Welcome

AUTUMN TEA GATHERING Wednesday, October 10th, 1:00 Help us welcome the comforting aromas and colors of fall at our semi-annual afternoon tea. There will be 6 different delicious teas to sample. . And if you have your own teacup, please bring it, otherwise we have extras. **"It's not the tea that makes teatime special, it's the spirit of the tea gathering."**

• **VETERANS' COFFEE HOUR! Thursday, October 11th, 9:30AM - 10:30AM** (run by Chris Dery - Town Veterans' Agent) Chris has returned from active duty. This is an informal group that meets on the second Thursday the month to reminisce about time served and discuss benefits that are available to veterans. Come on down and have a cup of coffee and a donut amongst friends!

CINEMA AT THE CENTER, MOVIE DAY!!! Wednesday, October 17th at 12:30 "Casablanca" Rick Blaine (Humphrey Bogart), who owns a nightclub in Casablanca, discovers his old flame Ilsa (Ingrid Bergman) is in town with her husband, Victor Laszlo (Paul Henreid). Laszlo is a famed rebel, and with Germans on his tail, Ilsa knows Rick can help them get out of the country!**SENIOR/VETERAN BREAKFAST, Thursday, October 18th, 8:30** Sponsored by Lion's Club. Come start your day with a healthy **FREE** breakfast. Greater Lowell Vocational School will be here doing Under Hood Inspections "fluid checks" **FREE.** It's always good to prepare for the winter months.

• **BOOK CLUB Thursday, October, 18th, 12:00** The 3rd Thursday of each month the group gets together to discuss the book of the month. We have openings to join the group. The Volunteer of this group is Carol Sides. Book of the month: **"The Whole Enchilada" by Diane Mott Davidson; Goldy Schulz knows her food is to die for, but she never expects one of her best friends to actually keel over.**

• **TEXAS HOLD' EM Thursdays 12:00 -3:00** If you like poker, come join us every Thursday. **BEGINNER'S TEXAS HOLD'EM Thursday, October 11th & 25th, 12:00** Need to ease into learning Texas Hold 'Em Poker? Come join others learning the game at a table especially for you. If you don't know how to play someone will teach you.

• **Friday, October 19th, 12:00-2:00 Saturday, October 20th, 9:00-2:00** This will be our **FIRST ANNUAL BAKE SALE.** All proceeds go to our Senior Gift & Donation Account.

LUNCH BUNCH Feng Shui Wednesday, October 24th 11:30-1:30 Need transportation for this trip? We will be happy to pick you up using the Tyngsborough Bus. Call 2 days in advance for the bus. 978-649-9211. Last day to sign up bring a friend along and enjoy the day. Last Lunch Bunch until February 2019

• **SHINE Tuesday, October 30th, 8:30-12:00 Serving Health Insurance Needs of Everyone.** Our Counselor Lillian Colby will be holding office hours at the Center. Call 978-649-9211 to schedule an appointment. **Please bring insurance cards and a list of prescriptions you take with you.**

• **HALLOWEEN BASH Wednesday, October 31st, 11:00-1:00** Come Celebrate Halloween with us if you dare! Costumes are optional, there will be a prize for the "Best Costume". This will be a Halloween Pot Luck so you can bring your favorite Halloween dish or dessert to share.

• **KNITTING/CROCHETING/QUILTING Every Monday 1:00PM-3:00PM PROJECT LINUS** Middlesex District Attorney Marian Ryan and Project Linus have teamed up to provide blankets to children who have experienced a recent trauma. You can help by making a homemade blanket that could make a difference in a child's life. You can join us on Mondays to work together or make one at home. Just drop it off at the Center. Please see Barbara or Tracy.

• **NEED HELP PAYING YOUR HEATING BILLS? Help is available!** Community Team Work Fuel Assistance Program helps income-eligible households pay part of their winter heating bills. If your gross household income falls within the limits, you may qualify for fuel assistance benefits, discounts on your National Grid Gas, Oil or Propane and Electric bill. We'd like to make sure our seniors benefit from this program. **Call the Tyngsborough Council on Aging 978-649-9211 Rose McGarry will be here Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 9:00 to 1:00 doing applications.** Don't suffer from the cold. Put your pride aside and stay warm.

• **VETERAN'S DAY CELEBRATION Wednesday, November 7th, 11:30-1:00**

• **CENTER CLOSED for Veterans Day -Friday, November 12th**

• **THANKSGIVING DINNER, Wednesday, November 15th, 11:30** Come and enjoy a Thanksgiving Dinner with all the fixings at the Senior Center. **Tickets go on Sale Monday, October 15th,** Must sign up for dinner.

• **TIME FOR A HAIR CUT? 10:30-2:30** The Senior Bus will be running 5 days a week to take our Seniors to have their hair done. We will bring you to a Barbershop, or Beauty Salon whatever you like.

• **MERRIMACK REPERTORY THEATER, Lowell Auditorium** Call or come in to sign up 978-649-9211 Group of 6 or more \$16.00 **Murder for Two, One murder. Two actors. Six suspects. And one piano!... Wednesday, November 7th, 1:30; Christmas at Pemberly, A holiday treat for Jane Austen fans and the entire family. Wednesday, December 5th, 1:30**

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THE TOWN BEACH We had a busy summer at the beach. Thanks to all who pitched in to keep it clean! Volunteers welcome to assist in fall leaf clean up. Please message your interest on FB or email TyngsboroughRec.com.

JOIN THE FESTIVAL OF TREES PLANNING COMMITTEE!! We are looking for new members to join our sub-committee to plan the Festival of Trees Event. You do not need to be on the Recreation Committee. Contact the Rec. Office, send a message on FB or call Theresa 978-828-6589 if you plan to join or have questions.

TYNGSBOROUGH YOUTH BASKETBALL Little All Stars (Pre-K and K); Instructional BBall (Gr 1-2); and Recreational League (Gr 3-8) registration is OPEN for boys and girls. Deadlines to avoid late fees are November 1st. Details at TyngsboroughRec.com

THE GREAT PUMPKIN WALK, NIGHT OF LIGHTS

BICENTENNIAL Field Complex, T.E.S Saturday, **October 27th** 5:45pm-8:00pm (**immediately following PTO Trunk or Treat**)

*Display your carved jack-o-lantern. RAFFLE PRIZE 1 ticket given for each carved jack-o-lantern, the more you bring the more chances to Win (prize TBD-check our FB page) Be included in the costume parade at 5:45 Follow the glowing path of pumpkins. Complimentary treats served. Costumed spectators encouraged. Movie shown outside "It's the Great Pumpkin Charlie Brown"

***Carve your jack-o-lanterns at home and drop them off at the field 1:00- 4:00pm to be included in the display.** Pumpkins can be retrieved from the field at 8:00 PM or by Sunday, Oct. 28 (please leave them until 8pm 10/27 for all to enjoy). Scout Troops, Organizations, Clubs and Businesses encouraged to participate.

Note:(TPRC is not Responsible for Pumpkins left @ the field)

Community Service Hours Available for Students Do you need community service hours? Contact us, we have many opportunities. Great Pumpkin Walk, Festival of Trees, Shamrock Ball and more.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR THE 10TH ANNUAL FESTIVAL OF TREES THURSDAY NOVEMBER 29TH - SUNDAY DECEMBER 2ND

Volunteers needed during the Festival of Trees! Every good event has many enthusiastic people who chip in to help make everything happen. We need you to help make this 10th Anniversary Festival of Trees the best ever! Please consider helping with set-up, general running during the Festival hours, outside activities and breakdown. Call 978-828-6589, email at HolidayFestivalofTrees@gmail.com or message us on Face Book. Join us and get into the holiday spirit. **Time to start thinking about that entry!!** Yes, time to start brainstorming! What kind of tree will you bring to the Festival this year? Judges award ribbons for the winning entries. People's choice award ribbons awarded each day. Located at Old Town Hall 10 Kendall Road Tyngsborough MA

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MAJOR CHANGES IN VETERAN'S BENEFITS

By Edward H. Adamsky

The Department of Veterans Affairs (commonly called the VA) has just released new rules for its Pension program. This is a needs-based benefit for older veterans who need care at home or in a facility. There are no changes to the entitlement programs for those with a service-connected disability nor for regular military retirement benefits. The new rules are borrowing from some of the Medicaid rules, such as the limit of assets for eligibility and a "look-back" period for transfers of assets. These new rules take effect October 30, 2018.

The Pension program is known by various nick-names such as Aid and Attendance and Enhanced or Improved Pension Benefits. The VA now just calls it Pension Benefits, which can be confusing because some might think of it as an earned benefit. This program is actually a needs-based program that can provide additional monthly income to veterans of wartime service who need certain assistance that exceeds their ability to pay with their income.

The new rules will now use the Community Spouse Resource Allowance (CSRA) amount from the Medicaid rules for a bright-line limit of assets for eligibility. The VA claims this will eliminate inconsistent rulings and probably allow more veterans to qualify for benefits. The CSRA is currently \$123,600. The CSRA under the Medicaid rules is adjusted annually due to inflation, it is not clear if the VA rules will do the same in the future as they only reference the CSRA when the rules are promulgated which would mean only this year's amount.

The new rules also institute a three-year look-back for transfers that is similar to that used by Medicaid. If the applicant for VA benefits had given away assets within three years of applying for benefits, those assets would be added back in to the amount of current assets to determine the total assets for eligibility purposes.

The VA rules also will consider the use of certain tools such as balloon annuities and disqualify applicants based on whether or not the applicant will get full value for using the annuity. If the applicant has engaged in a transaction that is more like a transfer of assets that will be disqualifying.

Another minor tweak is that the home of an applicant is not considered as an asset for eligibility purposes but that only applies to a regular size home and lot. Bigger parcels such as farmland or those bigger than other parcels in the area may have some of that value counted as an asset.

If you are about to apply for VA benefits you might want to get your application in prior to the change if the older rules are more beneficial to you. These new rules may go through some adjustments and litigation so there is always the chance of more changes. Also, those who assist Veterans in applying for benefits will need some time to learn the new rules. You should check with your advisors before you make any changes that might not work for VA benefits under the new rules.



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ANNUAL RUMMAGE SALE will be held on Thurs., Oct. 18 to Sat., Oct. 20 - New this year; we will have an **Early Bird Sale on Thurs., Oct. 18**, from 7-9 pm. Admission will be \$5/person, plus cost of items purchased. Additional hours are Fri., 10/19/18, 10 am-2 pm & 7-9 pm; & Sat., 10/20/18, 10 am-2 pm, \$2/bag, bags provided. We sell good, clean, usable clothes, linens, housewares and toys. We do not sell textbooks, large furniture, TVs, computers, paint, microwaves or exercise equipment. If you have questions, you can get in touch with Andi Hoff at ahoff@hoffcpa.com or at 978-455-3005.

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Synopsis: *Songs for a New World* is, according to composer Jason Robert Brown, "about one moment. It's about hitting the wall and having to make a choice, take a stand, or turn around and go back." With a rousing score that blends elements of pop, gospel and jazz, featuring tight harmonies and darling vocals, *Songs for a New World* transports its audience from the deck of a Spanish sailing ship bound for a new land, to the ledge of a New York penthouse. Characters range from a young man in the Bronx who dreams of becoming a famous basketball player, to a forlorn and neglected Mrs. Claus lamenting as Christmas approaches. A small but powerful cast and a supercharged, well-crafted score appeal to old and new generations alike as each character, in their own way, takes hold of that one moment and enters a new world.

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• **October 10, 2018, 7:00-9:00pm**, Tyngsborough Middle School, Main Office Conference Rm **Basic Rights in Special Education**
Speaker: Federation for Children with Special Needs (www.fcsn.org) This informative workshop will provide an overview of rights and responsibilities of Parents/Guardians in the Special Education process. It is designed to help parents learn how to be effective partners with the school; to decide his/her child's eligibility criteria for special education; to plan, make decisions and to monitor the education progress of his/her child. Parents/Guardians are strongly encouraged to attend this workshop at least once if he/she has a child with special needs.

• **November 14, 2018, 6:00-7:30pm**, Tyngsborough Middle School, 2nd Floor Library **Co-Teaching Presentation**
Speakers: Brian Reilly, TES Special Education Facilitator (brian.reilly@tyngsboroughps.org)

Josh Evans, TMS/THS Special Education Facilitator (joshua.evans@tyngsboroughps.org)

Over the past few years, Tyngsborough Public Schools has increased learning opportunities for students within a co-taught classroom. The co-taught classroom affords learners the opportunity to participate in various instructional models that allow students access to a diverse learning experience to meet their instructional needs. In the co-taught classroom, students with and without disabilities access rigorous instruction that is differentiated to specific learner need and benefit from the constant collaboration and expertise that both general education and special education teachers bring to the learning environment. This workshop seeks to help answer questions about our co-teaching practices and answer any questions families may have about the increase in this practice.

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Join us on any 1st **Tuesdays** during the school year -1:30 p.m. at: Dunstable Congregational Church, 518 Main Street, Dunstable

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Join us on any 1st and 3rd **Tuesdays** during the school year -10:30 a.m. at: Pepperell Library (Lawrence Library), 15 Main Street, Pepperell

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By Nathan Combs

The beginning of Genesis 11 unfolds an unusual situation. After God told Adam and Eve (Genesis 1.28) and then Noah to "fill the earth" with people (Genesis 9.1), we see their descendants rebelliously banding together in one place to build a city and tower in the land of Shinar. Their goal was self-glory: "let us make a name for ourselves." Ironically, as they built up towards the sky, the text says that "the Lord came down" to view this new construction project with displeasure. He saw that the people were one, used only one language, and possessed an arrogant spirit that would not stop with the completion of the city. He therefore confused their languages, causing them to scatter from each other. The unfinished city was called Babel, which means confused. Even today in English, someone who speaks nonsense is known as a "babbler."

Did God orchestrate that division because He dislikes unity? On the contrary, God's entire plan for the world revolves around His desire to "unite all things in him [Jesus Christ], things in heaven and things on earth" (Ephesians 1.10). Through the sacrifice of Jesus, God is reversing the breakdown of unity at Babel and bringing all things together again - in the right way and for the right purpose. Instead of aimlessness and confusion and discord which comes from exalting self, there is purpose and understanding and harmony in a collective focus on Jesus. Through Jesus, human beings can all speak the same language again.

These are not mere lofty words that have no real effect on our personal lives. Instead, understanding Jesus' reversal of Babel changes everything for us. In the church, God's family, how are people of vast differences going to effectively work together? It is only possible when Christians speak the same language of Jesus. As Christians grasp how Jesus has reconciled every kind of person to God through the cross, hostility between people is put to death (Ephesians 2.16). Despite the many differences that exist between people, every one of us is guilty of rebelling against God (Romans 3.23) and can only be rescued by the saving work of God, not ourselves (Ephesians 2.8-9). Therefore, all cause for arrogance, bitterness, resentment, jealousy, selfish anger, or any other source of division, completely melts away in the face of Jesus' sacrifice.

Likewise, in a marriage, how are two people of different genders, family cultures, expectations, etc., going to effectively function as a unified team? It will only happen through speaking the same language of Jesus. Husbands and wives are told to think of their relationship as a living, breathing picture of Jesus' relationship to His saved group of people. As in God's family, a home of love, respect, submission, and leadership is only possible when people are communicating the words and thoughts of Jesus to each other. All other unity is built on a cracked foundation that cannot endure.

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Officers for the 2018-2019 Lions Year

President: Mark Alexander, 2nd Vice President: J.J. Ward, Secretary/Treasurer: Bob Reich, Director: Richard Lowe

Anyone who would like to join the Lions is asked to call Bob Reich at 978-649-5874 or Mark Alexander at 978-649-9124. Our Regular Meetings are held on the first Tuesday of the month starting at 6:30 pm. Call one of the members, at the telephone numbers given above, to find the location.

Events

- The Club will host a **Senior Breakfast** on **October 18th at the Tyngsborough Senior Center** (Tyngsborough Council on Aging) Westford Rd., Tyngsborough, MA
- Students in the 6th grade at the Academy of Notre Dame** will participate in the Lion's peace Poster contest. The theme for the poster is "Kindness Matters". The winner at the Club level will go on to the 33N District Contest.

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Used eyeglasses are collected for refurbishment and distribution to less advantaged people around the world.

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BUILDERS BLUEPRINT BBQ

Habitat for Humanity of Greater Lowell will host our 2nd Annual **Builders Blueprint Signature Event** on **Thursday, November 15th, 2018 at 3:30 pm** at the **Tewksbury Country Club, 1880 Main Street, Tewksbury 01876.**

Join influential building industry professionals, community leaders and other key industry support businesses from the local area who believe in building and strengthening communities through affordable home ownership. Keynote speakers will highlight new & innovative products relating to the building industry. The event will also feature plenty of time for networking and a delicious BBQ buffet. All sponsors & exhibitors will receive a complete attendee/contact listing after the event.

For more information about the **Builders Blueprint BBQ** and sponsorship opportunities, please visit <http://bit.ly/hfhglbbq2018> or contact Heidi Tierney, Events Coordinator, at 978-692-0927 htierney@lowellhabitat.org **Deadline for completed sponsor forms and payment to our office is Nov 7th.**

Habitat Lowell's sponsorship opportunities are designed to help you meet your marketing objectives. When you partner with us, you not only connect with new customers, you also help ensure local families have access to safe, affordable and decent housing through Habitat for Humanity of Greater Lowell.

* All sponsors (Legacy Builder \$1500 - Silver Saw \$500) receive **1-2 tickets** to the BBQ, depending on level.

* All vendor table exhibitors receive **one** reserved seat at the BBQ.

All funds raised during the event will go towards building more homes for local hardworking families in need and directly support home builds in Lowell and Billerica. This promises to be an educational, networking event celebrating Habitat for Humanity of Greater Lowell's legacy of building impact and hope in the communities we support! We hope you'll join us as a sponsor or exhibitor at this event.



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'BACH'S LUNCH' CONCERT: Indian Hill Music presents songs of the 1920s with Eric Baldwin, guitar & banjo; Ginny Briggs, vocals; Justin Meyer, bass; and Jurek Glod, drums. **TWO SHOWS - Thursday, October 18 at 11 am and 1:30 pm**, 36 King Street, Littleton, MA. Complimentary coffee, tea, cookies; bring your lunch. FREE admission. Reservations required for groups at (978) 486-9524
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PIANO PERFORMANCE WORKSHOP: On-stage practice in a casual masterclass format with expert coaching from the Indian Hill Music School faculty: **Wednesday, October 24 at 6:30pm**, 36 King Street, Littleton, MA. PARTICIPATION FEE: \$20 per session. (Free for Indian Hill Music students) Pre-registration required.

VOICE SOIREE: Indian Hill Music School Voice students will perform Disney-themed songs: **Friday, October 26 at 7:30 pm**, 36 King Street, Littleton, MA. Light refreshments served. ADMISSION: \$5 donation at the door

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DECC YOUTH The new season kicked off on Sunday, September 9th, with our Annual Youth Group Cookout at Sunshine Overlook Orchard. We had great food and fun with horseshoes, tetherball, zipline, etc. We welcome any area youth in grades 6-12.

Regular meetings are held on Sundays from 4:00-6:00 PM but special events may be held at other times. **Please contact Jon Hughes at 978-393-7708 if interested and to confirm location and time of meeting.**

Parent Connection (formerly POPs) will meet in the DECC Fellowship Hall once a month on Fridays, 9:30-11:00 am during the school year, beginning October 5th with "Speed Friending". Child care is available. Other events are scheduled throughout the month. Contact Shellyannross@gmail.com with questions.

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For more information check out the website

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COMMING UP AT POST #247

- On **Friday, October 12th**, the Legion Post 247 Kitchen will begin their **Friday Lunch Specials** from **12- 3:pm**. There will be Club Sandwiches for \$5.00, Fish & Chips for \$10.00, ask about the "Weekly Special".
- On **Saturday, October 27th**, the Amvets will be having a Meat Shoot at 7pm.
- On **October 6** and **November 3**, **PSYCHIC FAIR**, 10-4. See back page for more information on this.
- On **Veterans Day, November 11th**, the Post will be having a Ceremony and Collation (Spaghetti Dinner) at noon in celebration of our Veterans.



AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY UNIT 247

90 Pawtucket Blvd. Tyngsborough, MA 01879

Meetings are held the first Thursday of each month at 7pm.

Auxiliary Unit 247 Current Elected Officers:

President: Bernadette Harper; Sr. Vice: Josephine Beauregard; Secretary: Patricia Modrich; Treasurer: Diane Dileo; Chaplain: Rebecca Modrich; Executive Committee: Mary Dupras, Annette Coles and Kathleen Oilje.

For information on the Auxiliary Unit meetings, or functions contact Unit President Diane Dileo at 978-204-9329

We also would Welcome New Auxiliary Members 18 and older. Contact Unit President or Treasurer.

••• **The Unit Jr. Auxiliary is accepting new Jr. members.**
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Active duty military and veterans always welcome to join. For further information call **978-649-7540**. Remember to attend the committee meetings on the first Thursday with your input and ideas.

The public is invited to get involved in all events of the post. The veterans monthly dinners will continue on the first Wednesday of the month. We are always looking for help to serve the veterans. **Keno and Scratch Tickets are available at the Post.** There is an ATM in the Post for your convenience.

Elected Post 247 Officers serving for 2018-2019

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Visit our website, www.LegionPost247.org

This website contains a wealth of information about the Post.

Please remember to be safe & keep our troops in your prayers.

EVERY WEDNESDAY NIGHT-TRIVIA NIGHT! Are you a know-it-all? Do you think you're smarter than Alex Trebek? You can prove it every Wednesday night at 7PM when the American Legion hosts its weekly trivia night! **There is no fee to enter, first and second place of every week get scratch tickets, and whoever has the most points at the end of the month wins a \$25 Visa Gift Card.** Come out and prove that you actually are smarter than a 5th grader!

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Giardia is a one celled parasite that can infect any animal's intestines. It can cause diarrhea, especially in young and immune compromised animals. Dogs and cats get Giardia by ingesting cysts in other animal's feces, or the cysts can be ingested from the environment or infected water. Many animals get exposed, but not all of them will develop clinical signs.

Giardia can be diagnosed by finding microscopic cysts in a fecal sample, but the cysts can be hard to find, especially if you are not used to looking for them. This is one of the reasons the Dunstable Animal Clinic has been sending our fecal samples out to the laboratory for a few years now. There is also an antigen ELISA test that is much more sensitive. It is also run on feces, but it looks for cell proteins, rather than the entire organism. These proteins can be found even when the cysts are not actively shedding.

There are two medications commonly used to treat Giardia. The first is a dewormer (anti-parasitic) called fenbendazole, and the second is an antibiotic called metronidazole. Sometimes a combination of the two is used.

After treatment if the pet is clinically normal I run the routine microscopic fecal test rather than repeat the ELISA. Because it is so sensitive, the ELISA can stay positive for months. If the animal has no clinical signs and there are no cysts in the microscopic fecal exam they have cleared the infection.

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You won't want to miss this popular fall fundraiser. *BUT if you can't stay to eat, let us know ahead of time and you can get it boxed to take home!* All paid tickets will be entered into a door prize drawing. Tickets will be sold starting Oct 6th in advance during the week at the rectory on 15 Middlesex Street, and in the church foyer after all weekend Masses. You can also purchase your tickets online after Oct 6, by credit card at www.saintjohnchelmsford.org

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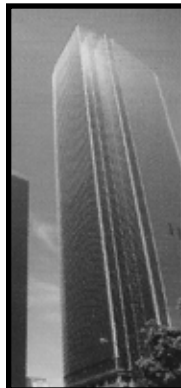


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DATES TO REMEMBER

Monday, **October 8th, Columbus Day**

Wednesday, **October 31st, Halloween**

Sunday **November 4th, Daylight Savings Time Ends**

*Turn your clocks BACK 1 hour at bedtime,
on Saturday, November 3rd*

Tuesday, **November 6th, ELECTION DAY**

Sunday, **November 11th, Veterans' Day**

Thursday, **November 22nd, Thanksgiving**

COMING HOME TO CATHOLICISM

is a program offered by St Kathryn Parish, 4 Dracut Rd Hudson, NH as a **two Day Retreat on consecutive Saturdays, October 27th and November 3rd from 10 AM to 2 PM**. The program is for those who have left the Catholic Church, for any reason, and might be feeling the calling to return. All of the Team members have left the Church at one time and have returned, providing a comfortable and understanding atmosphere for others looking to return. The program is designed to answer most of the questions returning Catholics might have and some discussion to address any individual concerns (don't worry, participants can share as little or as much as they'd like). **Anyone interested can contact the parish office at 603-882-7793 or simply attend on October 27th at 10:00 AM. Feel free to bring a friend.**

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Help Fund the Move and help us continue to serve our neighbors in need. If you or your organization would like to help fund the move or provide other support or have any questions please contact us at jill@thewishproject.org.

We have resumed accepting furniture donations.

We are gearing up to open to clients on October 9th. Starting on 10/3 at 9am we will accept furniture donations until we run out of space. Along with our smaller space we will have to restrict the types and quantity of items we can accept from now on. We will continue to accept donations of used mattresses without rips or stains in Size Twin/Full/Queen. We will only accept metal bed frames, no headboards or footboard. We will accept dressers and kitchen tables in good condition and kitchen chairs, no singles. We will accept sofas/love seats and sleeper sofas with no rips or stains in good condition. We have the right to refuse an item if it doesn't meet our criteria or if we don't have the space.

OPEN HOUSE MONDAY, OCTOBER 15TH Check our website for more details. www.TheWishProject.org

There are many ways you can help us to support our neighbors. At this time they are in need of gift cards to Walmart and Target, drug stores, size 5 & 6 diapers and laundry detergent.

- You can also order from our Amazon [Emergency Assistance wish list](#) to help purchase specific items we don't have at the warehouse.
- You can purchase an item and ship directly to us. We will continue to add items to this list as the clients come forward looking for help.
- You can also help by following the link to make a donation, [Donate for Emergency Assistance](#), this will allow us to purchase items as they are needed.
- It is during tragic times like these that our community rallies to support their neighbors. Thank you for doing your part to help Project Questions, contact Lori at lori@thewishproject.org

About Us The Mission of The Wish Project is to help families in need in Merrimack Valley. Find out more on our website www.TheWishProject.org or call us at (866) 947-4360.

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NASHUA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

June Caron Photograph Identification Day

The Nashua Historical Society is happy to be participating in Art Walk 2018 as Nashua celebrates local arts. This year we will be holding a **June Caron Photo Identification Day** for photographs she collected between 1967 and 1999 when she worked at Nashua Parks and Recreation Department a division of Public Works. We will be seeking the assistance of the Nashua public to identify people in the photos as well as the events such as planting ceremonies, playgrounds, playground equipment, etc.

In addition to the photographs, June Caron's scrapbooks from that time will also be on display. **In addition to the photo identification, the Abbot-Spalding House Museum and Speare Memorial Museum will be open for tours from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturday, October 13 and 12 to 4 p.m. on Sunday, October 14.**

Researching Your French-Canadian Ancestors

beginning with the basics of French-Canadian genealogy research will be explored by Muriel Normand and Gerry Savard from the American-Canadian Genealogical Society at The Nashua Historical Society on **Tuesday, October 16 at 7:30 p.m.** They will provide a brief overview of the research tools and techniques peculiar to French-Canadian research. As well as introduce you to the wealth of resources at the American-Canadian Genealogical Society that can help you trace your ancestry.

The Nashua Historical Society is located at 5 Abbott Street, Nashua. For more information, please check our website www.nashuahistoricalociety.org or call 603-883-0015.



MIDDLESEX SHERIFF'S OFFICE HOSTS NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF CORRECTIONS

CRISIS INTERVENTION TEAM (CIT) TRAINING

26 correctional professionals from 12 agencies
complete week-long program

CHELMSFORD, Mass. – 26 Correctional professionals from a dozen agencies recently completed a week-long crisis intervention team (CIT) training course, Middlesex Sheriff Peter J. Koutoujian announced today.

The training – offered by the U.S. Department of Justice's National Institute of Corrections (NIC) – is designed to provide officers and other correctional staff with the skills necessary to successfully interact and respond to individuals in custody with mental illness.

Nationwide, the prevalence of individuals with mental illness in local county jails is one of the most significant challenges facing correctional agencies. In Middlesex County in 2017, 48 percent of all new individuals entering the Middlesex Jail & House of Correction reported a history of mental illness.

"I want to thank the National Institute of Corrections for bringing this vital training program to Massachusetts," said Sheriff Koutoujian. "The expertise and resources NIC brings to the table in this area are second-to-none and we continue to be appreciative of the valuable assistance they have provided with this and other critical efforts we have undertaken to not only train our staff, but assist those we are charged with caring for by the courts."

The training was presented by NIC through a technical assistance grant secured by the Middlesex Sheriff's Office and was opened to offices from across New England. It included classroom presentations on items ranging from understanding mental illness to de-escalation skills. Participants also took part in a lived experience panel moderated by NAMI Massachusetts, as well as scenario-based exercises.

As a result of this course, participants have been provided with the skill and knowledge to help develop and implement CIT training at each of their respective agencies.

In total, personnel from 11 sheriffs offices from Massachusetts and Maine, as well as one department of correction completed the training held at the Middlesex Sheriff's Office Training Academy in Chelmsford.



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• Our **Youth Group** began on September 7th at 5:30PM. We welcome all young adults to join us at our meetings.

• **Sunday School program** for all ages. Children will begin the Sunday Services with their parents and will be dismissed to their age-appropriate classes at 10:15am. It is important to note that all adults working with children have passed their CORY applications to ensure a safe environment for our children

• **All Executive Boards and Committee Meetings will begin in September**

• **LADIES BIBLE STUDY** - Tuesday morning, from 9:30 am to 11:30 am. Study will be based on "That the World May Know" video series. Please consider joining this amazing and uplifting study group.

• **SAVE THE DATE** - On **October 7th** we will have a SPECIAL SUNDAY SERVICE to include a pot luck. No Sunday School on this day. At 1:00 p.m. we will go to the Old Town Hall to enjoy an amazing concert with the well known Gospel Group, "The Needham's". This concert will round out our "150th Anniversary" that we have been celebrating during the past year.

• **ADULT BIBLE STUDY** - Will begin on Sunday, October 14th from 6:30 pm to 8:00 p.m. and run through November 25th. Series will introduce you to an organic, natural and empowering approach to guiding people to Jesus Christ called "Just Walk Across the Room". Please consider joining us.

You may contact our Office at 978-649-2262 for further information.

• **SERMONS ON-LINE:** Weekly sermons by Pastor Frediani: 1. Log onto the church website <http://www.tyngsborocongregational.org> 2. On home page you will see a photo of the church. Hover the cursor over the word "SERVING" 3. Click once on the word "SERMONS" 4. Scroll down to see "Listen to our sermons for free on SoundCloud.com" 5. Click once on the link/word "SoundCloud.com" 6. Below the Church logo sermons listed by date, passage, sermon title 7. Click orange circle to listen to the sermon you desire

• **THE THRIFT SHOP:** Please make note that the Thrift Store will be CLOSED: October 6th, Nov 22nd and Nov 24 and Dec 27th and 29th. Located next to the church is open to the public on **Thursdays and Saturdays from 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.** We offer an assortment of clothing, shoes, handbags, baby items, books, small appliances, dishes, glassware, jewelry, etc. **Please do not drop off** large furniture items such as TV's, computers or printers we do not have the means to store or dispose of these.

Please make note of these important dates

NOVEMBER 25th - Please join our church service for our Children's Christmas Program and "Hanging of the Greens". We welcome all. This begins our Christmas season activities.

DECEMBER 1st - CHRISTMAS FAIR - Don't forget to attend the Festival of Lights and other activities in our Town Center. As always, our Thrift Shop is open for some amazing shopping, our Cookie Walk is always a great success and we serve hot foods during the day. This has been a longstanding tradition so please come enjoy all that is offered! You'll be glad you did! All activities are within a short walk to each location. Hope to see you there!



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Saturday, October 6, 2018

Saturday, November 3, 2018

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Shared Vision will be on display from October 3-28, 2018. The Loading Dock Gallery, a part of Loading Dock Arts, Inc., a 501c3, is open Wednesday through Saturday from Noon to 5:30 PM, and Sunday from Noon to 4 PM. For more information, call 978-596-1576 or visit www.theloadingdockgallery.com.



ALTRUSA CLUB OF MERRIMACK VALLEY AWARDS SCHOLARSHIPS

On Wednesday, September 5, 2018, at its Annual Scholarship Dinner, the Altrusa Club of Merrimack Valley awarded scholarships to two students enrolled in the Bachelor of Arts in Education with a certification in Elementary Education and Moderate Disabilities at UMASS LOWELL. These students have completed their first year in the program with a minimum GPA of 3.0.

Sarah K. McCarty of Tyngsboro was the recipient of a \$500 scholarship offered in memory of Eleanor A. Durant, 38 year member of Altrusa, who earned her degree from Lowell State Teachers College and taught sixth grade for many years in the Chelmsford Public School System. Melanie Carignan of Tyngsboro received the Altrusa Award of \$200.

The Scholarship Committee was very impressed with these students, who exhibited enthusiasm for their academic studies and leadership qualities that will enhance their teaching experiences and provide meaningful careers.

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