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## TYNGSBOROUGH TOWN CLERK NEWS

**2019 DOG LICENSES** are available at the Town Clerk's office or by mail. 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. Licenses are now overdue and will require an additional \$25.00 for the late fee!

**2019 CENSUS** forms were mailed. Please look around your home to make sure that you returned the form. Check the information for accuracy, make necessary corrections, and return promptly to the Town Clerk's office. If you do not receive a census form, please call the office and we will mail a form. Please note that the census does not register you to vote. You can register by going to mass.gov and completing an online voter registration form. Completing and returning the census keeps your voter status current and there will be no need to fill out a proof of residency form at the polls.

**ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION** will be held **May 14**th. Polls will open at 7:00 am and close at 8:00 pm. **Polling locations** are the Tyngsborough Middle School and the Tyngsborough Elementary School.

**ANNUAL AND SPECIAL TOWN MEETING** will be held on **May 21**st at 7:00 pm at the Tyngsborough Elementary School.

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



## MEMORIAL DAY PARADE MAY 27, 2019

The annual Memorial Day Parade will begin at exactly 11:00 A.M. from the Old Town Hall on Kendall Road, Monday, May 27, 2019. The Parade will follow the traditional route, ending at the American Legion Post No. 247 on Pawtucket BLVD. A memorial celebration will be held at that time and refreshments served. All Town Employees, Committees, Boards and Associations are encouraged to march. If you would like to participate in some way please contact the Tyngsborough Veterans' Services Department.

At 8:30 A.M. Memorial Day morning a motorcade will depart from the old Town hall visiting all of the Town's cemeteries to salute the fallen. This is a very solemn and moving tradition. All are welcome to take part in the motorcade.

Weather is always a factor in planning a parade. If the Memorial Day committee determines the weather is not suitable to march, the ceremonies will be held at the American Legion Post No. 247 on Pawtucket Blvd at 12:00 noon. Notification of any cancellation will be posted.

Christopher Dery Director of Veterans' Services (978) 649-2300 EX 131

#### IN MEMORY OF

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## NOTICE TO TYNGSBOROUGH WATER DISTRICT USERS

The Tyngsborough Water District will be flushing water mains beginning May 20, 2019.

The flushing program will be in effect for *approximately 6 weeks*. Flushing will be conducted between the hours of 8am and 3pm, Monday through Friday. During these times, water pressure may be low and the water discolored. Let the water run awhile and it should clear up guickly.

We regret any inconvenience this may cause you. Thank you for your assistance! Tyngsborough Water District

## TYNGSBOROUGH BOARD OF HEALTH YARDWASTE PICK-UP DATES

Curbside Pick-up

Republic Services will pick-up yard waste on the following dates: Friday – May 10, 2019

Friday - May 24, 2019

Place all yard waste in barrels or yardwaste bags. Twigs and sticks less than 4 inches in diameter may be tied and bundled.

YARD WASTE IN PLASTIC BAGS WILL NOT BE COLLECTED

## HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE DAY

This year it will be held on Saturday, June 1<sup>st</sup> from 9am to 1pm at the Tyngsborough Highway Department Garage, 87 Kendall Rd., Tyngsborough, MA (Rte 113) as usual. Please bring proof of residency, valid drivers license or utilityThe green page at the end of this issue has the detailed information. Please save the page to refer to until after the event. If you have any questions please call the number given on that page.

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## DWELLING IN THE LORD'S HOUSE

By Nathan Combs

Psalm 23, one of the most beloved chapters in Scripture, ends unusually. After David affirms the various ways the Lord protects, leads, and blesses him, he confidently predicts he will "dwell in the house of the Lord forever" (Psalm 23.6). Similarly, in Psalm 27.4 he writes about the "one thing" he's asked of God: to "dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life, to gaze upon the beauty of the Lord and to inquire in his temple." The only "house of the Lord" that David knew personally was the physical structure of the tabernacle (later, the temple). As every godly Israelite understood, no one could actually live within the walls of the holy structure, nor even in its courts (Nehemiah 13.7-9). Dire consequences befell unordained Israelites who waltzed into God's house (2 Chronicles 26.16-21). The priests from Levi's tribe could minister within it and camp around it, but no one dwelt inside it except God himself. Therefore, David's desire to live with the Lord expressed a future reality, ultimately realized in Jesus Christ.

In John 14, Jesus was only hours away from experiencing his brutal murder. In the remaining time he had with his closest disciples, he prepared them for their future work and reassured them of God's care. In vs. 2, he declared, "In my Father's house are many *rooms*. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you?" (ESV). Other English translations less accurately translate the verse, "In my Father's house are many *mansions*," (KJV, NKJV, ASV) giving the idea that every Christian will inherit a personal palace someday in heaven. Jesus' real point is that his people will dwell safely in the *house of the Lord* after their work is accomplished. Rather than the two room space of the tabernacle/ temple, God's eternal home will not lack space within it - there are "many rooms." Also, all Christ-followers are welcomed inside it, the true fulfillment of David's dreams of human and divine unity.

A few personal applications arise from these two connected passages. First, where do we desire to dwell? Are we primarily concerned with planning, stressing, and working on houses made of earthly materials, which are all destined to be destroyed when the Lord returns (2 Peter 3.8-10)? Or do we place a greater amount of struggle and attention on the house of the Lord? As the prophet Haggai said, "consider your ways" (Haggai 1.5, 7). Second, with whom do we desire to dwell? The typical king was intent on dwelling with beautiful women, attentive servants, and protective soldiers, yet David desired the Lord beyond any other. Are we primarily focused on improving our human relationships? Or do we crave worshipping the Lord and ache for his presence as David did? Only within our Father's house do we find the full scope of pleasure and contentment we seek.



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## FRIENDS OF THE **TYNGSBOROUGH PUBLIC LIBRARY**

Spring Used Book Sale - Donate, Volunteer, Come!

Are you preparing for summer with an interest in gardening, sports, travel, etc.? If so, come to the Spring Used Book Sale at the Tyngsborough Public Library. The sale will be open to the public on Saturday, May 18, 8:30am to 2:30pm at 25 Bryant Lane in Tyngsborough. A preview sale will be on Friday, May 17, 7-9pm for members for first pick of the best books. If you want the opportunity to see the books early, join the Friends anytime, even on Friday night at the sale. Find an application at http://www. tynglib.org/index.php/friends-of-library or in the Library.

Besides books, the sale has jewelry, DVDs, CDs, and puzzles. Bring the family to the sale for your summer reading at great prices. Also, the Tyngsboro Garden Club will be selling plants for your yard and garden.

\*\* We welcome any of the above items that you would like to donate to the sale. Drop them off at the Library during open hours. The money raised at these sales helps fund items and programs for the Library such as the new mobile display cart and telescope. We would love to see your donations of jewelry, so look for those earrings, bracelets, etc. you no longer wear which can be sold to benefit the Library.

Volunteers are needed for sorting donated books. Sorting is at the Library in the children's storytime room during Library open hours. Please consider spending some time there to help with this effort. Volunteers are also welcome during the sale set-up on May 17, Friday morning and afternoon, plus during the Friday and Saturday sales and clean-up from 2:30 – 4 on Saturday. Hours volunteered by high school students can be considered for future scholarship/service awards. Adults and students may volunteer by calling 978-649-7361, signing up at the Library or emailing tynglibfriends@gmail.com.

\*\* At the annual March membership meeting, elections were held for the offices of Treasurer and Vice-President. Results were Lucy Hamnett elected as Treasurer, and Laurie Cunningham was elected Vice-President. Each has a two year term. Congratulations to Lucy

\*\* The featured pass, funded by the Friends, is for **Davis Farmland** which is now open for the 2019 season. See the animals and enjoy the farm. The pass admits up to 4 guests at a savings of \$8 off admission to Davis Farmland OR Davis Mega Maze. You can make your reservation online at the Library's website or call the Library.

Our meeting on Monday, May 6, will be at 6:30 in the Library and will continue planning for the upcoming book sale. The last meeting before summer will be on Monday, June 3, at 6:30. We hope to see you there!

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## DATES TO REMEMBER

Sunday, May 12th Mother's Day Monday, May 14th Town Election

Tuesday, May 21st Annual/Special Town Meeting

Monday, May 27th Memorial Day



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## TYNGSBOROUGH RECREATION Call 978-649-2300 Ext. 150

The Recreation Committee **meets** at the Recreation Center, 120 Westford Rd the **first Wednesday of the month at 7pm.** Additional information may be found on our website at TyngsboroughRec.com Friend us on Facebook. **Currently two open seats. Join us!**THE TOWN BEACH - OPEN FOR SWIMMING- Memorial Day weekend, May 25 through Labor Day Weekend. Resident passes are needed and are available at the Town Hall. Volunteers welcome to assist in maintaining the beach. Please message your interest on FB or email TyngsboroughRec.com.

Basketball Summer Recreational League (Youth Entering Grades 2-8, Fall 2019) \$50.00 thru May 31, 2019 (Family cap: \$100\*) Our in-town basketball summer program is designed for all boys and girls wanting play basketball with their friends while developing valuable skills. Teams will play on the Bicentennial Field Complex (adjacent to TES) outside court including 1 game and 1 skills practice per week starting June 18 thru August 1, 2019 (excluding 4th of July week). GIRLS: Thursday evenings BOYS: Tuesday evenings. Bicentennial Field Complex Court Players will be assigned to a team during an evaluation session at Bicentennial Court as fol-

lows: Girls Grade 2-5- Tuesday, June 11 6-8 PM Girls Grade 6-8- Tuesday, June 11 6-8 PM Boys Grade 2-5- Wednesday, June 12 6-8 PM Boys Grade 6-8-Wednesday, June 12 6-8 PM

Pre-made teams will not be accepted.

Field Night X5 Please contact us if you would help on our planning committee for this session of Field Night X5. We meet a few times before the program begins the second week in July in order to plan publicity, assemble teams, plan games and activities and order equipment. The program is for ages 4-10. We are always looking for new faces to join us! We also need coaches to supervise the children, no experience is necessary. We welcome older teens that enjoy helping younger children with the games and activities.

Service Hours Available for Students
We have service opportunities, call the Recreation Office or PM on FB.

Free Memorial Day Parade Bike Decorating Memorial Day week end, free parade bike decorating morning of parade. Join the Memorial Day parade with us. Bring your bike, wagon, doll carriage to Old Town Hall beginning at 9:30 a.m., kid's are invited to decorate at the gazebo. Some materials will be provided. You may also pre-decorated your bike or wagon at home and arrive at 10:30 for judging. Judging categories by ages; 2-3 bike or wagon, 4-6 Bike or Wagon, 7-9 Bike, 10-13 Bike. Be as creative as possible! At 10:45 all contestants will proceed to the Old Town Hall to enter the parade line-up. All Contestants will proudly peddle/walk down the 1.3 mile parade route to the American Legion. Parents may walk along or sign in participants at the Gazebo and sign out at the American Legion with our coordinator. A first place winner in each of the four categories will be announced at the end of the parade route. All bicyclists must wear helmets in order to ride the route.

2019 Summer Tennis Tyngsborough Elementary School Run by High Level Experienced Players/Coaches info@www.planettennisusa.com 727-542-9636 Week 1: July 1-4 9am-12pm, 9am-12pm: Tennis: Learn, Drill, Review, Improve! \$199 per week! Week 2: July15-18 9am-12pm, 9am-12pm: Tennis: Learn, Drill, Review, Improve! \$199 per week! Week 3: July 22-25. Monday through Thursday, 1 to 4 p.m. \$199 for the week Week 4: July 29-Aug1 9am-12pm \$199 for the week

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## TYNGSBOROUGH HIGH SCHOOL

Tyngsborough High School is proud to announce Alanna Breen, Olivia Campbell, Amanda Pare, and John Redman as the April Students of the Month.

Alanna, daughter of Amy and Phil Breen, is a member of the National Honor Society. She is also a member of the International Thespian Society and is a recipient of the Technical Excellence in Sound Design at the Semi-final Level and the Experimental Theatre Award. Alanna is an eight-year-member of both the THS band and the theater program, and is a three-year-member of the New England Youth Wind Ensemble. She volunteers her time at St. Patrick's Church and at TES, and she enjoys playing the piano, reading, and writing music. Her favorite subjects are math and Spanish, and Alanna looks forward to learning more about sound recording. "I gained a group of amazing friends and experiences as well as learning what I need for college."

Olivia, daughter of Kelly and Craig Campbell, is a member of the National Honor Society and is a recipient of the Principal's Award. She is a member of the Student Council, the Winter Track Club, PALS, and Senior Sidekicks. Olivia is also a student-athlete, participating on the basketball, track & field, and soccer teams. She earned the Most Dedicated Award in track & field during her sophomore year, and she was named the captain of her soccer team this year. Olivia volunteers her time with the Wish Project, Toys For Tots, Sullivan Farms 4th of July Road Race, THS Graduation, the Tyngsborough Farmers' Market, the Lighthouse School, and the Tiger Pride 5K. She enjoys working out, hanging out with friends, cooking, and working at Sullivan Farms. Her favorite subjects are math and business. Olivia looks forward to attending Bryant University, majoring in accounting, traveling around the world, and getting a dog one day. "I have gained so many great friendships that will last forever. THS have given me the ability to learn and communicate with others that will help me a lot in the future. THS has also given me so many opportunities to be successful that lead me to be more confident. One memory I will never forget is Homecoming. Homecoming week has so much that goes into it, it's so fun, crazy, and competitive that I will definitely miss it. I will also always remember the soccer team and having fun with all my friends."

Amanda, daughter of Holly and Roger Pare, is a recipient of the Principal's Award. She is a member of the PALS program and the Yearbook Club, and she is a four-year-member of the softball team earning both the Coaches' Award and a League All-Star Award. Amanda volunteers her time with Give Kids the World and Tyngsborough Youth Softball. She enjoys playing Northeast Xtreme Softball and training for a half-marathon. Her favorite subjects are English and business; she looks forward to attending the University of Tampa for marketing and to spreading positivity. "Through THS I have gained a group of real friends who I am very thankful for. THS has taught me valuable skills to help me succeed in the future."

John, son of Kevin and Rose Maria Redman, is a recipient of the Saint Michael's College Book Award, the Outstanding Achievement in Wellness Award, the Eagle Scout Award, and the Silver Palm Award. He is a member, lead programmer and former president of the Robotics Club. He is also a member of the Ski Club. John is a four-year-member of the soccer and track & field teams, and he earned a League All-Star Award, the Most Dedicated Award, and the Best Performance Award in soccer. He volunteers his time with the Boy Scouts, as an altar server, at the Feast of Three Saints, and at the Festival of Trees in Methuen. John enjoys running, hiking, skiing, and traveling; his favorite subjects are gym, math, engineering, and physics. He looks forward to working for NASA, Space X, or Boeing as an aerospace engineer. "THS has taught me a lot throughout my four years, academically and socially. I will never forget my first day of school, not knowing anyone, making new friends that I will have forever."

Congratulations to these four students.



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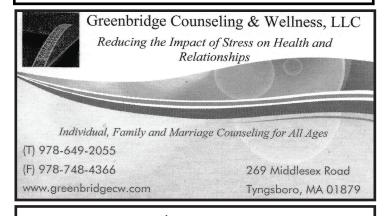
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## **HOSPITAL OBSERVATION STATUS**

By Edward H. Adamsky

Many elders have had the bad experience of going to a hospital then being transferred to a nursing home, and later finding out that Medicare would not cover the cost because they were not "admitted" to the hospital. Medicare rules require a three-day admission to a hospital prior to covering medically necessary nursing care. Hospitals often classify patients as "under observation" rather than "admitted" and this causes severe financial problems for many elders.

Because of this Congress passed a new law (the NOTICE Act) that requires a hospital to notify patients if they have not been officially admitted to the hospital. The notice must be given orally and in writing for patients who are under observation for more than 24 hours and within 36 hours of being placed on that status. This new law may help, but it may not fix every problem associated with this issue.

This problem has been occurring for years and reflects the tension over payment status and hospital choices. Patients can be classified as an "outpatient" or an "inpatient" and the reimbursement process and consequences differ. There seems to be financial incentives to classify as outpatient due to audits of inpatient reimbursements. The problem is that what benefits the hospital may be detrimental to the patient's financial situation. Early court cases turned on whether patients had any rights with respect to the hospital decisions and how those were made but found generally against the patients, however there is one class-action suit still proceeding.

Although the new law requires notification of observation status and its consequences, it still does not stop hospitals from using that status. The payment rules still apply so if the patient is under observation then a subsequent nursing home stay will not be covered. The financial incentives have not changed in any way so the processes may remain the same except to hopefully inform patients of the consequences of the current process. At least the rules require a written explanation of the decision which may give the patient some room to argue about whether or not it was the right decision.

Additional consequences of observation status include higher co-pays and costs to those patients. The NOTICE Act may let them know this is coming, but they still have to pay the higher costs of non-covered items during their stay at the hospital as an outpatient. This may result in some patients choosing to return home sooner than is medically advisable to avoid costs they cannot afford. We hope that this situation will be addressed with future changes to the law, but until then, patients and their families should ask the status at the hospital and inquire as to future costs and options for the patient. It is annoying to have to consider expenses when you or a loved-one is in the hospital, but under our current system it is necessary to ask and be informed.

# TYNGSBORO SPORTSMAN CLUB IS OFFERING FREE ARCHERY CLASSES TO THE YOUTH IN OUR COMMUNITIES

If you have a boy or girl between the ages of 7-18 that would like to learn more about fundamentals of Archery, including bow parts, safety, dominate eye and shooting mechanics and techniques, please join us.

Classes will resume in September at the Tyngsboro Sportsman Club at 90 Westford Road, Tyngsboro, MA. You can sign up for one class or take a few. Equipment will be provided, or boys and girls can bring their own.

Liability release form will need to be signed by an adult before the class begins.

RSVP via email to Tracey DeBruin at tld143@comcast. net with name and age of the child and I will respond with available dates. Groups of friends welcome.

If you are an experienced archer and would like to volunteer and share your knowledge with the youth in our community, we could use you. Please contact me at the email above.

Thank you, Tracey DeBruin TSC Youth Archery Coordinator

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## **SECOND SARDEN CLUB**

At our April meeting, the Tyngsborough Garden Club very much enjoyed a presentation by Linda and Ellen from Mahoney's Garden Center in Chelmsford on air plants. We were amazed at the variety of air plants and how to care for them.

From April 8-11 we partnered with the Tyngsborough Public Library for Birds in Bloom. Garden club members created floral arrangements that depicts their interpretation of the artwork. Please drop by the library to see all the beautiful arrangements and the birds that provided the inspirations for these very creative pieces.

On **May 7th** we will meet at a members house for a potuck dinner to wrap up another fun year learning about gardening tips, various lectures, and connecting with friends

**May 18th**- Please stop by for our **spring plant sale**, held in conjunction with the Tyngsborough library book fair. We will have many plants for sale from members own gardens and beautiful raffle items.

Our **last meeting on June 4th** will begin at 6:00. We will meet at Mahoney's Garden Center in Chelmsford for container ideas as we get ready for our summer plantings.

The Garden Club meets the first Tuesday of the month September-November and February- April at the Evangelical Congregational Church at 6:45. New members are always welcome. Please come join us for one of our meetings, enjoy the presentation, and meet some new friends.

For more information visit our website at tyngsboroughclub. tripod.com or find us on Facebook at Tyngsborough Garden Club or call Debbie at 978-649-6362.

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## TYNGSBOROUGH MIDDLE SCHOOL AND HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETICS

TIGER\_PRIDE\_5TH ANNUAL 5K\_TRAIL\_RUN/WALK

Tiger Pride will again be hosting the 5th Annual 5k Trail Run/ Walk to support Tyngsboro High School. The event will take place on **Saturday**, **June 15th (rain or shine)** on the Tyngsboro High School's Cross Country Trail. **Registration begins at 8:00 am** at the Turf Field. Open Race starts at 9:00 am. There will also be a kid's fun run, ½ mile for children 10 and under at 8:45 am. *The cost for an individual is \$25.00 and free for children 10 and under participating in the Kids Fun Run*. A Tiger Pride Race T-Shirt is guaranteed for the first 150 participants. Awards for the first, second and third place winners will be handed out after the adult race. "Not a Runner?" You can also be a sponsor and have a banner displayed on the day of the event and throughout the 2019-20 sports seasons. **Deadline to order a Banner is Friday**, **June 7**th.

**To register and pay online**, please go to www.tyngsborotigerpride.wordpress.com.

## TYNGSBORO HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME

The Tyngsborough High School Athletic Hall of Fame Committee is now accepting nominations for the 2019 Hall of Fame inductees. To be considered for nomination, former athletes must have graduated from Tyngsborough High School a minimum of ten years ago. Former coaches, administrators and outstanding contributors must have discontinued service for a minimum of five years. For more information and to obtain forms, please go to <a href="https://athletics.tyngsboroughps.org/">https://athletics.tyngsboroughps.org/</a>Please check us out on Facebook at "Tyngsboough High SchoolAthletic Hall of Fame". You may also contact the Athletic Office at 978-649-4210 or email Sherry Corcoran at <a href="mailto:Sherry.corcoran@tyngsboroughps.org">Sherry.corcoran@tyngsboroughps.org</a>. Applications Deadline is Monday, June 3<sup>rd</sup>

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

<u>SPRING AWARD NIGHT</u>: For all athletes that play a <u>high school sport ONLY</u>, will take place on <u>Thursday</u>, <u>June 13</u><sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm in the High School Lawrence R. Kelleher Gymnasium



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- BRAIN HEALTH ASSESSMENT by Cogniciti Wednesday, May 8th at 12:00 Curious About Your Brain? Take the Healthy Brain Test and learn about risk factors for Alzheimer's & dementia, and how diet choices, sleep quality, concussion history, and physical exercise can affect your brain health. (National Empanada Day) Free lunch at 11:30 must have signed up by May 1st
- VETERANS' COFFEE HOUR! Thursday May 9th, 9:30 10:30AM (run by Chris Dery Town Veteran's Agent) This is an informal group that meets on the second Thursdaythe 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!
- MOTHER'S DAY TEA CELEBRATION Wednesday, May 15th, 1:00 Come celebrate motherhood at our annual Mother's Day Tea Party. There will be several different teas to taste. Bring a homemade goody to share if you'd like. Sign up by May 10th.
- BOOK CLUB (Monthly) Thursday, May 16th, 12:00 The 3rd Thursday of each month. Next book that we'll be reading and discussing. "Leaving time" by Jodi Picoult
- SENIOR/VETERAN BREAKFAST Thursday, May 16th, 8:30 Start your day off with a FREE healthy breakfast with friends here at the Center. Food sponsored by the Lions Club. Speaker Mass Bar Association.
- FIRE DEPARMENT SAFTY PRESENTATION Friday, May 17th, 11:00
  - COA Board Meetings are the third Tuesday of each month.
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- SENIOR PROM Wednesday, May, 22nd @ 12:00 Let's get dressed up in our best clothes for a special Prom day at the TCOA! There will be corsages for the ladies and boutonnieres for the men. Appetizers will be served at 11:30 followed by a free sit-down dinner at 12:30. Kids from the Innovation Academy will join us for dinner and entertain us with a fashion show wearing their prom dresses come and join the festivities! Sign up by May 15th
- May 28th, 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.
- LUNCH BUNCH Wednesday, May 29th, 11:30-1:00 I Hop Restaurant. If you need transportation for this trip we will be happy to pick you up using the Tyngsborough Bus, just call 3 days in advance. 978-649-9211. We welcome suggestions.
- MOVIE DAY at the CENTER, Wednesday, May 29th, at 12:30 If you have any preference of a movie please feel free to let us know.
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- Wii BOWLING Instructor Beverly Rudeen Every Friday 10:00-11:30 We have a ball, come join the fun! Prizes for the top players.
- TEXAS HOLD' EM Thursdays 12:00 –3:00 If you like poker, come join us every Thursday. It's lots of fun! We have a table for beginners.
- FOOD PROGRAM— offers a FREE bag of groceries on the 4th Tuesday of each month. Each bag contains a variety of basic healthy foods: soup to cereal, meat to veggies, there may be a treat or two. To see if you qualify call Laura Marsan (978-946-1303), Application available at the Senior Center.

MEALS ON WHEELS Tyngsborough residents 60+ can call the Elder Services of the Merrimack Valley 1-800-892-0890 to see if you qualify. The Tyngsborough Council on Aging distributes meals from our facility on behalf of ESMV. We deliver to homebound and clients who are on homecare short term. If you have any questions call the above number.

#### **UPCOMING in JUNE**

These dates and times are subject to change. Some things come up from time to time that can't be avoided. Thank you for your consideration.

**ENIGMA (WW II)** Thursday June 6th 11:30 The Enigma machines are a series of electro-mechanical rotor cipher machines, mainly developed and used in the early- to mid-20th century to protect commercial, diplomatic and military communication. Enigma was invented by the German engineer Arthur Scherbius at the end of World War I.

FATHERS' DAY CELEBRATION Monday, June 18th, 11:30 FATHERS will be honored on this special day with a FREE BBQ lunch for ALL fathers. If anyone who is not a father and wants to attend it will be \$3.00 for their BBQ lunch. Sign up by June 13th.

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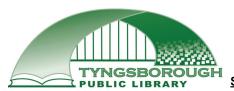
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Tyngsborough Public Schools Student Art Exhibit, May 22-June 4, Opening Reception: Wednesday, May 22, 6-8 p.m. Students from the elementary, middle and high schools have loads of talent! Stop in to see their paintings and 3D pieces.

Dedication Meditation, Mondays, 2:30-3:00 p.m. Jan Price, LICSW, will host a 30-minute silent meditation group. Beginners and experienced meditators welcome. Bring a meditation cushion or use a chair. Drop in.



Friends of the Library Spring Book & Jewelry Sale, Saturday, May 18, 8:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m. Includes Tyngsboro Garden Club plant sale. Book Sale preview for Friends members: 7-9 p.m. on Friday,

May 17. (Help is ALWAYS appreciated...call the Library for details. Donations are now being accepted.) Join the Friends or renew

- Tech Advice by Appointment, PCs, android tablets & phones, Excel, MS Word, e-books, etc. Tuesdays, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m., Wednesdays, 7-8 p.m. Registration required.
- Adult Coloring Club, 1st Wed. each month, 6:30-8 p.m. Drop in.
- Tiny Tots Storytime, Wed., May 1 & 15, 11-11:30 a.m. Infants-3 yrs. Drop in.
- Dads & Donuts Playgroup, Sat., May 11, 10-11 a.m. Infants-3 yrs. Drop in.
- Lego Club, Sat., May 11, 10 -11:30 a.m. Grades K-6. Drop in. \* No April date.
- Pokemon Club, Wed., May 15, 4-5:00 p.m. Ages 8-15. Drop in. Bring your cards or handheld device.
- Open Minds Literacy Yoga: Tuesdays, May 7 & 14, 10-10:45 a.m. Ages 3-5. Registration required.
- Storytimes for 3-5 year olds. Thursdays at 1 p.m. Drop in. Last storytime on May 9 until summer.
- 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.

Register for TPL programs by calling the Library or using the contact form on the website.

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All TST applicants participated in the interview portion of the application process on April 22<sup>nd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup>. This provides TST members with the opportunity to hear about the plans and aspirations of the students following high school, as well as hear feedback from them about their high school experience. Scholarships will be awarded on May 30<sup>th</sup> at the Tyngsborough High School Senior Awards Night. If your son or daughter does not go to the THS, the TST will contact you to deliver his or her scholarship award.

The TST has proudly awarded scholarships to our graduating seniors for 56 years! If you have been thinking of getting involved and volunteering, please consider joining our organization. The TST meets on the second Wednesday of the month at the Tyngsborough Town Hall at 7 p.m. We welcome and need your help to continue this town tradition. Please join us at our monthly meetings the second Wednesday of the month at the Tyngsborough Town Hall. Please contact info@TyngsboroughScholarshipTrust.org with any questions.

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An **outdoor movie** is being planned for the evening of **Saturday**, **May 4**. This will be a family friendly event and the community Is invited! All ages are welcome – from grandparents to grandchildren! It will be held on our back lawn (weather cooperates) or indoors (weather does not cooperate). **There will be a potluck dinner at 6:30 PM and the movie will start at 7:30 PM.** Refreshments will be available during the movie. This is a free event and all are welcome! Bring your blankets and chairs.

For chocolate lovers. we are having a chocolate festival on Saturday, May 18 from 6:30 – 8:30 PM. Come and sample handmade treats and help support an important mission project. Gluten free treats will be available.

We hope to welcome you soon! We are on 242 Main Street in North Chelmsford, right on the Westford/Chelmsford line. From Route 3, take the Route 40 exit to Chelmsford, take a sharp right onto Main Street Chelmsford right after the variety store and follow Main Street until you see the church on the left.



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- Auxiliary Unit 247, Sunday, May 5th, " Meat Shoot" 3pm
- Legion 247, Meat Shoot, Sunday, May 19, 3pm
- Music Bingo Thursday, May 9th, & 23rd, 7:30-9pm. Get BINGO, Win Prizes, Come on Down.
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- Saturday, May 11th, 12:noon until Gone. Turkey Dinner \$10. Proceeds to Benefit W.I.N "Warrior in Need"
- All gave some... Some gave all. Remember them this Memorial Day. Join us at the American Legion Post 247, Monday, May 27, 2019 at 11am, for the parade. Ending with a ceremony to be held for those to be remembered. Hot dogs with soda/water and chips for all. Public invited to come and enjoy! For more info call 978-649-7540

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We will observe and identify dozens of incredible avian species ranging from Hawks and Eagles to Orioles and Cedar Waxwings! Always a treat for the entire family. All are welcome and invited, from novice nature lovers to experienced birders. There is no admission charge and each walk is always a true gem witnessing the wonders of the natural world.

For more information on this and future events, please visit the website <a href="http://www.naturewalkscs.org/events-schedule">http://www.naturewalkscs.org/events-schedule</a>

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.

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This year's raffle winners are Ilyssa Hunt, Rene Martineau, Beverly Bruce, Brenda Baxter, and Hilary Ives.

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<u>CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL</u> is regularly held at 10:00 am. Children will sit with their family for the first part of the service, then move on to class for the remainder of the service. Classes are for children age 6 and up. Children 5 and under are welcomed in the Nursery. For more information, please contact <u>Shellyannross@gmail.com</u>. The <u>Adult Bible Study</u> has concluded its study of Galatians. We will post when a new class begins.

**DECC YOUTH:** 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. On Sunday, April 7th, the group participated in the 26th Annual Nashua Soup Kitchen & Shelter Race/Walk for food and shelter. Donations raised totaled more than \$300.00 for the Kitchen and Shelter.

Come visit your community's church. We will be happy to greet you. For more information about any of these events, contact the Church office 978-649-6251, email <a href="mailto:info@dunstablechurch.org">info@dunstablechurch.org</a> or visit our website at www.dunstablechurch.org.



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May fly dermatitis is actually caused by gnats, those tiny black swarming bugs hat annoy us and our pets in early spring and summer; hence the common name "May fly".

These pests usually attack the ears, around the eyes, and the bellies of dogs and, sometimes, cats. Most commonly we see bright red circular lesions on the belly. They tart as red rings and then the redness fills in forming a circle. Usually the pets are not itchy and the lesion(s) will go away on their own with no treatment. Many owners think these red circles are either ringworm or a bulls-eye rash associated with Lyme disease. Ringworm in animals is rarely a ring -more often it occurs as patches of scaly hair loss, and animals do not develop the classic bulls-eye rash that does develop in humans bitten by Deer ticks carrying the Lyme organism. So, if you are seeing one or more bright red rings on your pet's belly and it's springtime, you're probably dealing with May fly bites.

They will go away on their own. There are other, sometimes more serious, conditions hat can cause red rings on the skin, or your pet may even be allergic to gnat bites. Therefore if you notice that the lesion(s) become itchy, larger, scaly, have a discharge, or don't go away, bring your pet to your veterinarian for an exam.

Two other locations commonly attacked by gnats are the ears and around the eyes. These areas will have tiny bumps, hair loss and sometimes swelling. Animals that develop these lesions will sometimes be itchy. Also, these areas can become infected and require treatment with oral antibiotics that your veterinarian will prescribe after an exam.

You can help your pet avoid these annoying pests by keeping them inside as much as possible. Alternatively, you can use most fly repellents that you use for yourself -just be careful to avoid their mouth and eyes when applying. We do have a gel at the Dunstable Animal Clinic made specifically for animals called Pet Guard Gel. It works fairly well and because it's made for animals it is tolerated very well by them. It repels gnats, mosquitoes and other flies, and even contains sunscreen.

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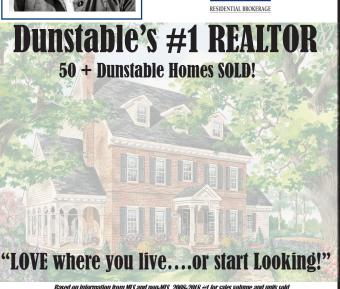


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## Congratulations to Sara and Josh Lorman who welcomed their beautiful baby girl, Kenzie Kennedy Lorman.

- BIBLE CAMP Over the weekend of March 23 & 24th our youth attended Mt. Manadnock Bible Conference Teen Retreat. Garrick and Lillian Brewer chaperoned 9 children and all had a wonderful, fulfilling, and spiritual time. Our youth always enjoys this annual weekend camp of inspiration.
- VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION LUNCHEON The Church held a special luncheon on April 14th at the Princeton Station Restaurant to thank the many volunteers who put in countless hours to keep our Thrift Shop up and running. There were 28 volunteers who attended. Their dedication and commitment allows us to give back to our community in many ways and their efforts help support these local services as well as Children's Ministries, U.S. Missions and World Missions. Thank you to all who serve at the Thrift Shop!
- EASTER SERVICES Thank you to everyone who attended the Maunday-Thursday service the evening of April 18th. Our Easter Sunday services were well attended. The breakfast that is provided is always appreciated. Thank you to those who either bought plants in memory of loved ones, donated money to purchase Bibles or donated money to help the needy.
- CLEAN-UP DAY On May 18th many of our church members will arrive to jointly clean and spruce up the outside areas around the Church and Thrift Shop. The grounds always look fresh and clean when this is done! Jim Politi has a very green thumb and plants flowers in several areas which always look beautiful! Thank you Jim
- MEMORIAL DAY PARADE MONDAY MAY 27 Please plan to join us to march in the annual Memorial Day Parade. We will congregate in the church parking lot at 10:00 a.m. This is always a wonderful way to honor our service members who died in combat and remember their sacrifices.
- CHILDREN'S SUNDAY/CHURCH PICNIC On June 2nd during our morning service we will be honoring local Tyngsboro high school graduates who have qualified to receive our Scholarships. These scholarships are given for those moving on to study a profession that is community oriented, such as teaching, nursing, etc. We invite their family members to join us! Congratulations to all of you!! After the church service, everybody is invited to join us as we go to the Sportsman's Club on Westford Road, Tyngsboro to round-out our year-end activities. Please plan to join us!!! Hamburgers/hotdogs/water/soda will be provided. We ask everyone to bring a dish to share (salads, chips, desserts). Event will be held rain or shine! You may want to bring a lawn chair if the weather is nice. Sunday School and Executive Boards will not meet in July or August. Activities will resume in September.

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CLOSED Memorial Day Weekend (Saturday, May 25th)

## NASHUA GARDEN CLUB PLANT SALE AT THE NASHUA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

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## Saturday, May 18, 2019 from 8 a.m. to noon

Nashua Garden Club members have worked diligently to divide their favorite perennials and to grow vegetable plants from seed. There will also be annuals, bulbs, herbs and indoor plants. Savvy gardeners know to come early for the best selection! Garden club members will be on hand to answer your questions.

## **DUNSTABLE TYNGSBOUGH** LIONS CLUB



"We Serve" The Lions Club is a non-profit organization of men and women dedicated to helping the community through donations raised by volunteers.

#### Officers for the 2018-2019 Lions Year

President: Mark Alexander, 2<sup>nd</sup> 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 participated in the Tyngsborough Health Fair on April 6th. Stations were available for eye screening. Also, a table had information on organ donating.

The Lions Club will hold a Senior Breakfast on May 16th at the Tyngsboro Senior Center.

### YOU CAN HELP BY DONATING THE FOLLOWING

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

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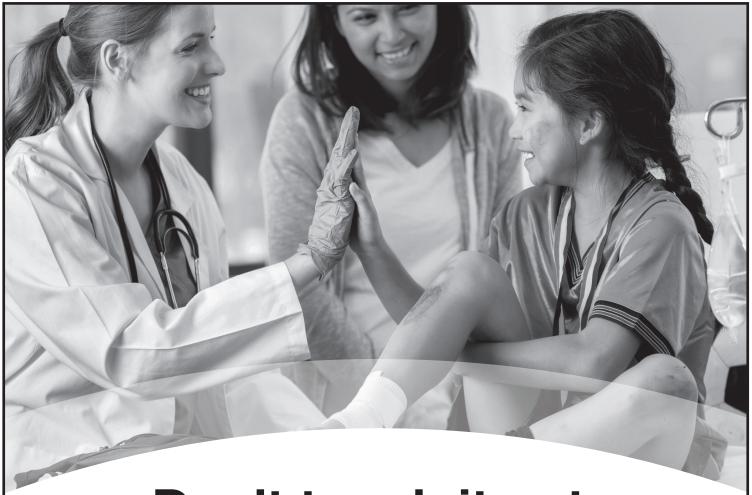
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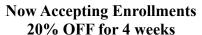
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For information on the Auxiliary Unit meetings, or functions contact Unit President Diane Dileo at 978-204-9329

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About Us The Mission of The Wish Project is to help families in need in Merrimack Valley. www.TheWishProject.org or call us at (866) 947-4360. Mailing address is: The Wish Project, PO Box 8693, Lowell, MA 01853

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Tyngsboro Youth Football and Cheerleading is proud to launch our 15th season providing local area youth with the opportunity to learn football and cheerleading in a safe, fun environment while promoting the values and importance of academic achievement, teamwork, and sportsmanship. We offer all co-ed programs including FLAG FOOTBALL (Grades K-1), \*NEW\* for 2019 – FLEX FOOTBALL (Grades 2-3), TACKLE FOOTBALL (Grades 4-7) and CHEERLEADING (Ages 5-18), and We are proudly affiliated with the American Youth Football and Cheerleading (AYF/AYC) program. We provide all of our coaches with comprehensive training to ensure the safest, positive, and fun experience for your child. ONLINE REGISTRATION FOR OUR 2019 FALL SEASON IS NOW **OPEN!** We welcome fall football and cheerleading registrations from participants residing in Tyngsboro, Dunstable, Groton, Lowell and surrounding communities. BE SURE TO REGISTER EARLY TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE LOWEST REGISTRATION RATES AND SPECIAL PAYMENT PLAN OPTIONS! WANT TO LEARN MORE ABOUT OUR NEW FLEX FOOTBALL **PROGRAM?** Visit <u>www.flexfootball.com</u> to learn more about the next step up from flag football.

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TO REGISTER FOR OUR FALL SEASON: Visit our website at www.TyngsboroYouthFootball.com or www.TyngsboroYouthCheer.com and click on "Registration Info" tab in the top center of the

screen.

**QUESTIONS?** Email us at: <u>TyngsboroYouthFootballCheer@gmail.com</u>, Follow us on Facebook under "Tyngsboro Youth Football and Cheerleading", or go to our website and click on "About Us" and select "Frequently Asked Questions".



MON 8AM - 5PM TUES 9AM -6PM WEDS 9AM - 6PM THURS 8AM - 5PM FRI 8AM - 12PM Dr. W. Michael Hill, D.D.S. Dr. Hanna Q. Cao, D.D.S.

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## NASHUA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Saturday, June 8, 2019 at 2:00 p.m.
OUR TOWN, OUR SCHOOLS, THEIR WORDS

Using annual reports from Nashua during the 1840's-1850's, examine how town fathers addressed public education in their one-room schools. These chroniclers were prolific writers who made VERY candid observations on the state of their eleven schools and never minced words! They both praise and critique teachers, scholars and parents! They discuss in detail, the progress and deficiencies in teaching methods, materials and discipline. They write about the conditions in the schools and chastise the public for their lack of support on countless issues. Come to find out how, "the more things change, the more they stay the same." This is an entertaining and visual presentation with fascinating handouts!

All programs are presented at The Nashua Historical Society, 5 Abbott Street, Nashua, New Hampshire. The programs are free and open to the public. For more information please email: nashuahistorical@comcast.net, call 603-883-0015 or visit our website: nashuahistoricalsociety.org

Please visit The Nashua Historical Society's changing exhibit case at Nashua's City Hall. The current exhibit is a history of the Pheasant Lane Mall.

## BEAVER BROOK NATURE CENTER

Spear Room Maple Hill Farm, 117 Ridge Road Hollis NH Wild Edibles: Spring Greens-Thurs, May 30 6:30-8:15pm

What wild edibles can you pick and enjoy eating on a spring day? Which weeds in your lawn and garden are tasty and have more vitamins, minerals and health benefits than the leafy greens you buy in the store? What are the best methods and times to harvest herbs and how do we dry and preserve them? Rivka will answer these questions and more along with a wild harvest hike followe d by prepareing and eating foods we harvested. Take home knowledge and recipes. \$20/\$18 Members of BBA.

Preregistration required <u>www.beaverbrook.org</u> or 603-465-7787



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Let Neighbor to Neighbor help spread the word!

I look forward to hearing from you,

Anne

## FREE ACTIVITIES FOR YOUNG CHILDREN WITH THEIR PARENT OR CAREGIVER

Calling all children, ages birth – 5, with their parents or caregivers, to FREE Playgroup/Literacy/Story and Craft Times. This grant-funded program is open to anyone, regardless of where you live. These programs follow the school year calendar.

Groton and Dunstable

**Family & Community Programs** 

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

Join us on any all <u>Mondays</u> during the school year -9:30 a.m. at: Peter Twomey Center (behind G-D Middle School North), 348 Main Street, Groton

Townsend and Pepperell Family & Community Programs

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

Join us on any <u>Wednesdays</u> during the school year -10:30 AM at: Townsend Library, 12 Dudley Road, Townsend

Please contact Jana Harrison, at <a href="mailto:jharrison@awrsd.org">jharrison@awrsd.org</a>, or 978.874.0163 for further information.

## COMING UP AT INDIAN HILL

**SONG SHARE:** Indian Hill Music School invites adult musicians to bring their acoustic instrument and a song to play together in a casual atmosphere:**Thursday, May 9** at 7:00pm, Billiards Cafe, 39 Main Street #201, Ayer, MA. Led by faculty guitarists Jamie Dunphy and Greg Passler. ADMISSION: \$10 general admission at the door; for ages 21+ (Free for Indian Hill Music School students.) Learn more: (978) 486-9524 or <a href="https://www.indianhillmusic.org">www.indianhillmusic.org</a>.

JAZZ ÀT INDIAN HILL: The Luna Collective -- featuring Chris Brown, guitar; Mike Caudill, sax; Jerry Sabatini, trumpet; Sven Larson, bass; and Mike Tucker, drums – plays the music of Art Blakey's Jazz Messengers: Friday, May 10 at 7:30pm, 36 King Street, Littleton, MA. TICKETS: \$15 (Free for Indian Hill Music students) Learn more: (978) 486-9524 or <a href="www.indianhillmusic.org">www.indianhillmusic.org</a>. Sponsored by Nashoba Real Estate.

**'BACH'S LUNCH' CONCERT:** Indian Hill Music presents the music of Bing Crosby performed by Billy Novick, saxophone/clarinet; Justin Meyer, bass; and Ted Powers, guitar/vocals: TWO SHOWS

- Thursday, May 16 at 11 am and 1:30 pm, 36 King Street, Littleton, MA. Complimentary coffee, tea, cookies; bring your lunch. FREE admission. Reservations for groups at (978) 486-9524. Learn more at www.indianhillmusic.org.

INDIAN HILL MUSIC YOUTH WIND ENSEMBLE CONCERT: Indian Hill Music School presents its Youth Wind Ensemble in concert with Jason Bielik conducting: Thursday, May 16 at 7pm, 36 King Street, Littleton, MA. FREE. Learn more: (978) 486-9524 or <a href="www.indianhillmusic.org">www.indianhillmusic.org</a>. Supported by Claudia Castro and the Faulkner family.

N.E. FLUTE ORCHESTRA OF INDIAN HILL: Our 20-member adult flute ensemble led by Dr. Eileen Yarrison plays music of our time (2000 to today) arranged for flutes: Sunday, May 19, 3:00pm at 36 King Street, Littleton, MA. TICKETS: \$10 (Free for Indian Hill Music School students.) Learn more: (978) 486-9524x116 or <a href="https://www.indianhillmusic.org">www.indianhillmusic.org</a>.

HONORS PIANO RECITAL: A select group of Indian Hill Music School piano students will perform on Sunday, May 19 at 7:00pm, Indian Hill Music School, 36 King Street, Littleton, MA. FREE admission. Learn more at (978) 486-9524 or <a href="https://www.indianhillmusic.">www.indianhillmusic.</a> org.

INDIAN HILL MUSIC YOUTH ORCHESTRAS CONCERT: Indian Hill Music School presents its three Youth Orchestras in concert: Monday, May 20 at 7pm, Littleton High School, 56 King Street, Littleton, MA. TICKETS: Adults/\$10 (free for ages 18 and under). Learn more: (978) 486-9524 orwww.indianhillmusic.org. Sponsored by Middlesex Savings Bank.

INDIAN HILL MUSIC YOUTH CHORUS CONCERT: Indian Hill Music School presents its two Youth Choruses in concert with Kathleen McMinn conducting: Tuesday, May 28 at 6pm, 36 King Street, Littleton, MA. FREE. Learn more: (978) 486-9524 or <a href="https://www.indianhillmusic.org">www.indianhillmusic.org</a>.

FRIDAY NIGHT JAZZ JAM: Listen to a swinging set by the Pamela Hines Trio followed by an open jam session. Stay and listen, or sit in to play standards with the group. Friday, May 31 at 7:30pm, 36 King Street, Littleton, MA. TICKETS: \$10 (Free for Indian Hill Music students) Learn more: (978) 486-9524 or <a href="www.indianhillmusic.org">www.indianhillmusic.org</a>. SUMMER MUSIC LESSONS: Ongoing registration for private lessons, group classes, and full-day/half-day/evening summer programs for all ages and levels at Indian Hill Music School, 36 King Street (Rte. 495/Exit 30), Littleton, MA. Piano, strings, flute, guitar, recorder, harp, voice, and more in classical, jazz, folk, rock, musical theater, and pop styles. Call (978) 486-9524 or view offerings at <a href="www.indianhillmusic.org">www.indianhillmusic.org</a>.

**ART EXHIBIT:** The Gallery at Indian Hill presents "Kaddish" -- watercolors by Linda Hoffman. **On view thru May** at 36 King Street, Littleton, MA. (Check gallery hours online.) FREE and open to the public. Learn more: (978) 486-9524 or <a href="https://www.indianhillmusic.org">www.indianhillmusic.org</a>.

## TYNGSBOROUGH & DUNSTABLE HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION DAY

## Saturday, June 1, 2019 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM

## Tyngsborough Highway Department, 87 Kendall Road (Rte. 113)

Board of Health 978-649-2300 Ext. 118 or <a href="health@tyngsboroughma.gov">health@tyngsboroughma.gov</a> http://www.tyngsboroughma.gov/recycling/hazardous-waste

Proof of Tyngsborough or Dunstable residency is required: Driver's license or current utility bill

## WHAT TO BRING:

From the Workbench From the Garage **From the House** Oil Based Paints Fuels/Gasoline/Kerosene **Rubber Cement** Stains & Varnishes **Engine Degreaser** Airplane Glue Brake Fluid/Carburetor Cleaner **Wood Preservatives** Fiberglass Resins Paint Strippers/Thinners Transmission Fluid Aerosol Cans **Photo Chemicals** Solvent Adhesives Car Wax, Polishes **Driveway Sealer** Lighter Fluid **Furniture Polish** Antifreeze Oven Cleaner From the Yard **Roofing Tar Toilet Cleaner** Weed Killers **Swimming Pool Chemicals Spot Remover** Chemical Fertilizers Motor Oil

Chemical Fertilizers Motor Oil Rug & Upholstery Cleaner
Flea Control Products Car Batteries Hobby & Art Supplies
Poisons, Insecticides Fluorescent Lights/Tubes Floor & Metal Polish
Fungicides Rechargeable and Button

Moth Balls Batteries

## **CHARGED ITEMS (CASH ONLY)**

**Tires**: \$2.00 per tire (no oversize tires)

 Propane Tanks:
 20 lbs,,,,,,,no charge
 1 lb.....\$1.00
 5 & 10 lbs....\$2.00

 30 lbs.....\$8.00
 40 lbs....\$12.00
 100 lbs.....\$15.00

## WHAT NOT TO BRING:

Electronics Metal items and Appliances Latex Paint\*

Ammunition Fireworks Alkaline Batteries\*

Asbestos material Empty Containers/Trash Commercial or Industrial Waste Radioactive Waste Smoke Detectors Infectious & Biological Waste

Syringes Prescription Medicines Explosives

## **HOW CAN I SAFELY TRANSPORT HAZARDOUS WASTE**

## Leave materials in original containers

Tighten caps and lids

Sort and pack separately: oil paint, pesticides and household cleaners Pack containers in sturdy upright boxes and pad with newspapers

**NEVER MIX CHEMICALS** 

**NEVER SMOKE** while handling hazardous material

<sup>\*</sup>non-hazardous – can be discarded in trash (latex paint needs to be dried out before discarding)