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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!

Please contact the office at 978-649-2300 extension 129 or email to [jshifres@tyngsboroughma.gov](mailto:jshifres@tyngsboroughma.gov) with any questions.

## TYNGSBOROUGH BOARD OF HEALTH

Tyngsborough Family Pharmacy will be doing the **flu clinic** at the Senior Center. Please watch for notices about this. Or contact the Senior Center for more info. 978-649-9211.

**Mosquito season is still in effect.** Eastern Equine Encephalitis virus activity has been detected in Barnstable, Bristol, Essex, Franklin, Hampden, Hampshire, Middlesex, Norfolk, Plymouth and Worcester counties. Four human cases of EEE have been confirmed so far this year. Residents are urged to take personal protective activities like using EPA approved repellents and avoiding mosquitoes at peak times. You may go to the CDC website for more information.

Here is the link for information about EEE Eastern Equine Encephalitis  
<https://www.cdc.gov/easternequineencephalitis/gen/pre.html>

If you have any further questions, please contact the Board of Health at 978-649-2300 x118.

## FROM THE RecycleSmart CHART

**Metal:** Food and Beverage Cans; empty and rinse  
**Plastic:** Bottles, Jars, Jugs and Tubs; empty and replace cap  
**Glass:** Bottles and Jars empty and rinse  
**Paper & Cardboard:** Mixed Paper, Newspaper, Magazines, boxes; empty and flatten  
**DO NOT** Bag Recyclables NO Garbage  
**NO Plastic Bags or Plastic Wrap;** (return to retail)  
**NO Food or Liquid** (empty all containers)  
**NO Clothing or Linens** (use donation program)  
**NO Tangles** (no hoses, wires, chains or electronics)

**RecycleSmartMA.org**

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You may also want to check out  
[www.tyngsboroughma.gov/recycling](http://www.tyngsboroughma.gov/recycling) for more details about trash pick up and recycling

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## FROM THE TYNGSBOROUGH VETERAN'S OFFICE

The Veterans office in Tyngsborough is proud to assist the Ed Laforge memorial charity with their quest to assist a Veteran in the community.

**The Ed Laforge memorial charity would like to sponsor a WWII or Korean war Veteran to go on an honor flight to Washington D.C. Honor flight information can be found here, <https://honorflightnewengland.org>.**

If you are a WWII or Korean war Veterans or a family member of one who may be interested in this great opportunity. Contact Chris at the Tyngsborough Town Hall at (978) 649-2300 ext 131 or [ansagent@tyngsboroughma.gov](mailto:ansagent@tyngsboroughma.gov)



## THE FRIENDS OF THE TYNGSBORO ELDERLY

The Friends is a non-profit group who help defray costs at the senior center. This year they sponsored the Christmas Dinner and distributed gift cards to Market Basket to participants as well as provided the St. Patrick's Day dinner.

**IF YOU MISSED THE FLEA MARKET**  
at the **Senior Center** located  
at 169 Westford Rd., in Tyngsborough  
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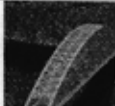
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## NEW! TYNGSBOROUGH SUSTAINABILITY COMMITTEE NEW!

The Board of Selectmen formally established a Sustainability Committee on June 10, 2019. The Sustainability Committee is tasked with (a) supporting efforts to reduce contamination in the current recycling program and reduce future costs through the consideration of new programs and public outreach, (b) working with town departments to support recycling initiatives at public events and buildings, (c) assisting the Conservation Commission with public engagement and awareness regarding storm water management, and (d) serving as a resource for both town residents and businesses in the areas of improving and implementing waste reduction and energy saving initiatives. The Sustainability Committee meets on the 3rd Tuesday of the month at 6:30 PM in Meeting Room 1 at Town Hall. Please come and share your ideas for how we can help Tyngsborough become greener and cleaner.

**BEYOND RECYCLING:** Did you know that Tyngsborough now must pay for every pound of recycling brought to the curb? This is due to increased contamination of recyclable materials in our co-mingled recycling bins, which has diminished markets and the value of recyclable materials. Reducing contamination in your recycling will help strengthen markets for recyclables in the long run, but the new, immediate challenge is to reduce your trash AND your recycling tonnage.

### Reduce Contamination in your recycling:

**No Plastic Bags in your recycling!** This includes ALL plastic bags, small to large. Plastic bags are the biggest problem because they jam the sorting machines. **Please put all recyclables into your toter loose, without putting them into a plastic bag first.** You can bring your plastic shopping bags back to most department and grocery stores, where they have recycling containers. Better yet, avoid having so many plastic bags by bringing reusable bags to the store.

**Are you sure that item can be recycled?** The shifting recycling market has changed the recycling landscape. Putting items that recycling processors can't handle increases contamination. If you're not sure whether something belongs in your bin, visit [RecycleSmartMA.org](http://RecycleSmartMA.org).

### Reduce your trash AND your recycling tonnage:

**Simple Recycling (the pink bags):** Put clothing, shoes, jackets, jewelry, purses, hats, toys, blankets, drapes, curtains, pillows, sleeping bags, tools, silverware, dishes, pots, pans, and backpacks into the pink bags and leave them out a few feet away from your recycling toter. Your unwanted items will either be reused or recycled and you will save the town money. Visit [SimpleRecycling.com](http://SimpleRecycling.com) or call 866-835-5068 to get your free bags or if your bags are missed when you do put them out.

## TYNGSBORO HIGH SCHOOL AND MIDDLE SCHOOL ATHLETIC OFFICE INFORMATION

**ALL SPORTS SCHEDULES** [WWW.MWLMA.ORG](http://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.

For more information, you can call the Athletic Office at Tyngsboro High School at 978-649-4210 or email [Sherry.corcoran@tyngsboroughps.org](mailto:Sherry.corcoran@tyngsboroughps.org)

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**•WELLNESS CLINIC at ELDERLY HOUSING** Nancy Harding, RN, from the **Circle Home, Inc.** Red Pines Elderly Housing, the third Tuesday of each month from **8:30 - 9:30. Brinley Terrace Elderly Housing**, the fourth Tuesday of each month **8:30-10:00.**

**FLU SHOTS:** I have heard that Tyngsborough Family Pharmacy is supposed to be doing the flu clinic at the Senior Center. Please watch for notices about this. You may ask when you visit the Center or contact the Senior Center by phone for more info. As of this writing I did not know the date.

**WE NEED** Meals on Wheels Volunteer Drivers Needed. You will receive a stipend for gas Looking for a back up BINGO caller. We could use someone to help with our Garden. Pulling Weeds. Also could use a 84" Round Table Cloth.

**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)**, Applications are also available at the Senior Center call or stop by 978-649-9211

**SENATOR'S - BBQ Wednesday, September, 11th At 12:00PM** Senator Kennedy will be here serving Hotdogs and Hamburgers. Come mingle with our State Senator and get caught up on the latest news at The State House. **You must have signed up by Sept 4th**  
**CARD MAKING with Rep. Colleen Garry** Thursday, Sept 12th, 1:00 Come join the fun making crazy cards for friends, love ones, or family. Lots of fun. All supplies provided at no cost to you.

**ELDER SERVICES NUTRITION LESSON Friday, September 13th** at 11:00 AM Leigh Hartwell from Elder Services will be here to do a presentation on nutrition.

**ISSUES AND CONCERNS 10:00-11:30** Mary Gail Martin, Legislative Aide from the office of Representative Colleen Garry is available here every 1st Monday of the month.

**COA Board Meeting Tuesday, September 17th 3:30**

**LUNCH BUNCH T-Bones Wednesday, September 18th, 11:30-1:45** If you need transportation for this trip we will be happy to pick you up using the Tyngsborough Bus. Call 3 days in advance. **"MOVIE" DAY at the CENTER, Wednesday, September 18th, at 12:30** If you have any preference of a movie please feel free to let us know.

**SENIOR BREAKFAST Thursday, September 19th, 8:30-9:00** Start your day off with a **FREE** healthy breakfast with friends here at the Center. Food sponsored Rotary. Call the Center 3 days in advance if you will be here for breakfast. **CONFUSED ABOUT MEDICARE?** Patty Sasso Guest Speaker will be here, **MEDICARE INFORMATIONAL SESSION** for a full explanation of the Medicare structure, enrollment guidelines, and options for New Medicare Beneficiaries.

**BOOK CLUB Thursday, September 19th, 12:00** The 3rd Thursday of each month. Next book that we'll be reading and discussing in September "That old cape magic" by Richard Russo.

**FIRE DEPARTMENT SAFETY PRESENTATION Friday, September 20th, 11:00.** If you'd like a meal please order through the kitchen one week in advance. \$3.00pp

**KNITTING/CROCHETING/QUILTING Every Monday 1:00PM-3:00PM** **PROJECT LINUS** provides blankets to children who have experienced a recent trauma. We have plenty of free yarn and needles. Please stop by the center and pick out what you want. We have plenty to go around.

**AUTUMN TEA GATHERING Wednesday, October 9th, 1:00 - 3:00PM** . There will be 6 different delicious teas to sample.



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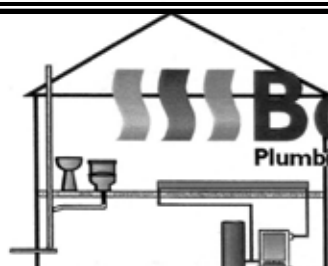
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Summer months are gone, and now we look forward to the Fall **Used Book and Bake Sale** on the third weekend in October! We are already looking for **Halloween costumes**, so if you have any clean costumes to donate (child and adult sizes), please bring them by the Library. If you are a baker and interested in donating some freshly **baked goods** for the sale, please contact the library or email the Friends at [tynglibfriends@gmail.com](mailto:tynglibfriends@gmail.com). We are accepting donations of **books, DVDs, CDs, jigsaw puzzles, jewelry and scarves** for the sale. Your donations will help us raise funds in support of our Library. Friday, Oct 18, will be the preview sale exclusively for Friends members (7-9pm). The sale is open to everyone on Saturday, Oct 19, (8:30-2:30).

Also in October, the Friends will be sponsoring "Discovering New England Stone Walls" on Wednesday, October 2, from 6-8pm as part of the first *Tyngsborough Reads* program. Join us for this presentation by Kevin Gardner.

**\*\*Apply for membership** at: <http://www.tynglib.org/index.php/friends-of-library>. Membership will give you the advantage of attending the sale on Friday's preview night.

**\*\*September's Featured Passes:** The Friends buy passes for museums and other fun places to go. For a warm weather day this month, visit *Roger Williams Park Zoo* in Providence, RI. Each pass entitles the bearer to a \$3 discount off admission for up to 4 people. Cool weather? Reserve a pass for the *Salem Witch Museum* for discounted admission for up to 6 visitors. Beat the rush before October when passes are not valid on weekends. Reserve your pass online or visit/call the Library.

**\*\*Meetings** through the end of 2019 are on Mondays at 6:30pm: September 9, October 7, and November 4. December 2 is the Library holiday reception – no meeting. Join us for all meetings at the Library.

**\*\*Like us on Facebook** at <https://www.facebook.com/FOTPL> or visit <http://www.tynglib.org/> - Click on the "Friends of Library".

## EDUCATION FOUNDATION FOR TYNGSBOROUGH



Another school year has begun! Teachers who were awarded grants last spring are excited to share their enhanced education program with their new students. The Education Foundation wishes all of our teachers a successful year. Your role is vital to the health and well-being of our "village."

EFT has decided to take a year off from our annual Tyngsborough Trot 5K. We are exploring moving the race course and seeing if we can make it part of a bigger town-wide event. In place of the Trot, we will run a direct request campaign fundraiser. Watch for our fundraiser campaign, which we hope to issue in the fall. Every dollar of support will go toward educational grants to teachers who want to make their students' educational experience even more impactful. Your donations are tax-deductible and might even be doubled, if matched by your employer.

EFT needs more members and volunteers! We are especially looking for parents of elementary and middle school students. 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 that need to be done. Or you can start attending our board meetings to see if EFT is the right group for you to join.

Please contact our President, Theresa Manning, at [eftyng@gmail.com](mailto:eftyng@gmail.com). An easy way to support our efforts is to start your Amazon shopping at [smile.amazon.com](http://smile.amazon.com) and designate the Education Foundation for Tyngsborough as your cause. *Together we are bridging the gap.* Like us on **Facebook!**

## STITCHERS

The Stitchers, is a group who meet at the Tyngsboro Senior Center on Mondays through June. We knit and crochet for the needs of agencies in Lowell. **Materials:** yarn, patterns, needles, and mission, may be picked up at the center from 12:15 - 12:45 PM on Wednesdays. **For information, please contact Jean Jacoppi, coordinator at 978-649-9076.**



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TPL will be getting a new look this fall! PAINTING and CARPETING are tentatively planned for mid-late November. Watch the website for dates of a very temporary closing!

### Life before Photoshop with Joe Baraban...*One Exposure, One Frame, One Click*, Wednesday, September 25, 6:30 p.m.

Professional photographer and teacher Joe Baraban will teach students to become better photographers, not better photo-technicians. Learn to "get it right in the camera" as it was in the film days of photography. Registration required.

**Open Minds Literacy Yoga: Tuesdays, Oct. 1-29, 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. 24, 1:00. Ages** Infants to Age 5. Come dressed in your costume! After a story, go trick-or-treating in the Library and Town Hall! Bring your own trick-or-treat bag. Drop in.

**Knitting Class for Kids! Wednesdays, October 9, 16, 23 & 30, 4-5 p.m.** Ages 8-12. Learn the basics of knitting & how to make a scarf! All supplies will be provided. Registration required.

**Get ready for the first Tyngsborough Reads!** All residents are invited to read the same book, then enjoy special events throughout October that are related to the characters, themes or setting of the story. The featured book is *The Clockmaker's Daughter* by Kate Morton, a story of murder, mystery and thievery, of art, love and loss. Programs will include:

- **Kevin Gardner: Discovering New England Stone Walls, Wednesday, October 2, 6 p.m.**
- Delvena Theatre Company presents *Isabella!*, Wednesday, **October 23, 6:30 p.m.** Funded by Tyngsborough Cultural Council
- Mass Ghost Hunters Paranormal Society's **Paranormal Evening of Education and Entertainment, Wednesday, October 16, 6:30 p.m.** Funded by the Friends of the Library
- **Book Discussions: Wednesday, October 9, 7 p.m. & Wednesday, October 23, 12 p.m.**
- **Antique Clock Exhibit** throughout October

Earn a ticket for each event you attend and enter to win a prize at the end of October! Refreshments will be provided at all events. *Pick up the book or audiobook at the TPL or download using OverDrive.*

- **Pokemon Club, Wed., Sept. 18, 4-5 p.m.** Ages 8-15. Drop in. Bring your cards or handheld device.
- **Sound Play Family Music program: Sat., Sept. 7, 1- 1:40 p.m.** Infants-5 yrs. Drop in.
- **Tiny Tots Storytime: Wed., Sept. 18, 11-11:30 a.m.** Infants-3 yrs. Drop in.
- **Dads & Donuts Playgroup, Sat., Sept. 14, 10-11 a.m.** Infants-3 yrs. Drop in.
- **Lego Club: Sat., Sept. 21, 10-11:30 a.m.** Grades K-6. Drop in.
- **Storytimes for 3-5 year olds. Thursdays at 1 p.m.** Drop in. \*Starts on Sept. 19.
- **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.
- **Writers' Group, Mondays, 6:30 p.m.** Feedback, publishing tips, all genres. Karen Johnson 978-649-7132
- **Rep. Colleen Garry Office Hour** – Saturday, September 21, 9-10 a.m. Beginning in October, Rep. Garry's Office Hours will be held in her district office in Dracut.

### Board of Library Trustees Monthly 3<sup>rd</sup> 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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**Congratulations to the Class of 2019!** The TST wishes all the best to our graduating seniors as they pursue their future academic goals and achievements. Thank you to all of our community members who supported our seniors through our various fundraisers. In June we were able to award over \$35,000 in scholarships to 43 deserving graduates who are furthering their education.

**The TST has been awarding scholarships for 56 years!** The work is rewarding and our fundraising events are just as fun to work on as they are to attend. We would like to thank our outgoing president and treasurer, Sue Bowden and Ellen O'Neill, for their many years of service on the TST board. If you have been thinking of getting involved, please consider joining the TST. We are looking for new members!

We meet the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of each month, from September through June, at the Tyngsborough Town Hall. For more information check out our website [www.tyngsboroughscholarshiptrust.org](http://www.tyngsboroughscholarshiptrust.org) or contact us at [info@tyngsboroughscholarshiptrust.org](mailto:info@tyngsboroughscholarshiptrust.org).



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## SIN NOT LEADING TO DEATH

*By Nathan Combs*

John's first letter contains a fascinating section on praying for others in 5.16-17. "If anyone sees his brother committing a sin not leading to death, he shall ask, and God will give him life - to those who commit sins that do not lead to death. There is sin that leads to death; I do not say that one should pray for that. All wrongdoing is sin, but there is sin that does not lead to death."

What is the difference between sins that "lead to death" and those that don't? John does not have a list of really bad transgressions in mind, like the man-made distinction of "seven deadly sins." John clearly states that "all wrongdoing is sin" in vs. 17. Also, no one is unforgivable because they've committed a certain kind of evil. For example, Jesus told the condemned criminal on the cross that he would be with him in paradise that day (Luke 23.43). Indeed, the gospel was first preached in Acts to the original murderers of Jesus himself - "You crucified and killed by the hands of lawless men" (Acts 2.23, 36).

Sins that "lead to death" are sins that are not cleansed by Jesus. If a Christian intentionally "keeps on sinning" (1.18) and knowingly "walks in darkness" (1.6), their sins remain. Therefore, it is pointless for Christians to ask Jesus to forgive other brothers who are not interested in forgiveness. This is similar to God's blunt instruction to Jeremiah the prophet to not pray for the Israelite people to which he prophesied because of their stubborn pursuit of idolatrous sin (Jeremiah 7.16, 11.14, 14.11).

On the contrary, sins that "do not lead to death," are sins in the life of one who is committed to "walking in the light" with Jesus (1.5-10). For one who is openly confessing sin, acknowledging to God and others that they are in need of Jesus' blood, forgiveness is continually given to that brother. John's words fall right into line with James 5.16: "Therefore, confess your sins to one another and pray for one another that you may be healed." It is entirely appropriate to offer intercessory prayers on the behalf of sincere Christians. In doing so, we imitate the actions of our Lord. For example, he prayed on behalf of Peter when he knew Satan would attack him the night Jesus was arrested in the garden of Gethsemane (Luke 22.32). Jesus calls for this kind of love in the lives of his disciples. Instead of passively watching the weaknesses of others in pride and cynicism, the Lord desires us to watch our brothers for the purpose of actively helping them take their transgressions to him.

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### TRUSTEE'S DUTIES

*By Edward H. Adamsky*

When you create a Trust for Estate Planning purposes, you appoint a Trustee to conduct the business of the Trust. You may be the Trustee during your life, but you must appoint a successor for when you no longer can do that job. When choosing a Trustee, choose someone who can properly handle the task. Here are some of the things that a Trustee must do.

The Trustee should thoroughly and carefully read the Trust document itself. The Trust document contains the rules. The Trustee should consult with a lawyer if help is needed to understand the terms of the Trust.

The Trustee has a "fiduciary" duty to the beneficiaries of the Trust. That means the Trustee must act in the beneficiaries' best interests at all times. This is a high standard that must be faithfully followed. A Trustee can get in trouble if this rule is disregarded.

The Trustee should set up a bank account for the Trust and handle all trust business through that account. The Trust may have other assets such as Real Estate or stock investments which should also be in separate accounts in the name of the Trust. The Trustee must not mingle any other assets with Trust assets. A Trust is a separate "business" that must be kept apart from personal business of the Trustee and others.

The Trustee also has a duty to keep the beneficiaries informed of the status of the Trust and its assets. Usually a Trustee provides an annual "accounting" to the beneficiaries that details the financial affairs of the Trust. This is like an annual report issued by a corporation, but not quite as detailed.

If the Trust is for the benefit of a person who is receiving government benefits, the Trustee must understand the rules of that program and avoid taking any actions that will jeopardize the benefits of the trust beneficiary.

Some Trusts are not considered a separate taxpayer and don't have to file any returns. This usually takes place during the life of the person who created the Trust. Many Trusts are separate taxpayers and should have an ID number issued by the IRS (called an EIN) and file annual tax returns just like any other taxpayer. The Trustee must make sure that all tax returns are properly filed and any taxes due are paid. Reporting requirements must be met. The Trustee may have to send tax forms to the beneficiaries in a timely fashion so they can report income on their own returns.

If you follow the terms of the Trust and comply with tax laws, you should not get in trouble when fulfilling your duties as a Trustee. But, if you don't do what you are supposed to do, any of the beneficiaries can sue you for your failures and you might have to pay them damages. Act carefully and it is easy to be a Trustee. But if you act recklessly, it can cost you. Consult an Attorney if you need help with your duties as a Trustee.

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The Garden Club was busy this summer planting and tending the following gardens around town: the Senior Center, Brinley Terrace, the Sherburne House, the Sherburne Triangle, and the Police Station. We hope as you drove around town this summer you enjoyed the beautiful flowers. We also enjoyed various field trips throughout the summer.

**The Garden Clubs meets the first Tuesday of the month September-November and February-April.** We resumed our regularly scheduled meetings on Sept. 3, 2019 at New England Bee Keeping supplies on Locust Ave in Tyngsborough for a tour and more info on bees and how they live in our environment.

Our October meeting is in conjunction with and **at the Tyngsborough Library on Wednesday, October 2 at 6PM.** The presentation will be by Kevin Gardener on Stonewalls.

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 visit our website at: [tyngsboroughgarden-club.tripod.com](http://tyngsboroughgarden-club.tripod.com) or find us on Facebook at Tyngsborough Garden Club.**

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**September 10<sup>th</sup> deadline for the October issue.**

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**TYNGSBOROUGH RECREATION NEWS** The Recreation Committee meets at the Recreation Center 120 Westford Road the **first Wednesday of the month at 7pm**. Additional information may be found on our website at TyngsboroughRec.com Friend us on Facebook. Seeking new members. **Currently two open seats.** Join us! **THE TOWN BEACH** - swimming ends when the buoys come out. We have had a busy summer at the beach. Thanks to the Highway Department and all who pitched in to keep it clean! Resident passes are available at the Town Hall. **Volunteers welcome to assist in fall leaf clean up. Please message your interest on FB or email TyngsboroughRec.com.**

**ADULT TENNIS LEAGUE FALL 2019**

The Adult Tennis league will begin its seventh spring season the weekend of **SEPTEMBER 14th**. The league runs for (at least) 8 weeks and all matches are played at the TES / Bicentennial courts on the weekends, weather permitting. We have Men's singles, Women's singles and a Mixed Doubles division. In other seasons I was also to do a women's doubles too. There is play at every level of ability and matches are coordinated by experience in order to facilitate enjoyable, competitive play. The league is open to anyone over the age of 18 and you do not need to be a resident of Tyngsboro to join. In previous seasons we've had over 80 players!!!!

The Adult Tennis league offers participants league play and presents a great opportunity to socialize and compete at the courts on a regular basis. You play on one weekend day with match times starting at 9:30, 11:00, 12:30 or 2:00. A new schedule is made each week and takes in to consideration any weekend conflicts *you may have*. If you can't make a weekend day or need to play at a specific time, just let me know. The registration fee is \$25.00 per player for the season! For more information and to register online visit us at [https://tyngsboroughma.myrec.com/info/activities/program\\_details.aspx?ProgramID=29837](https://tyngsboroughma.myrec.com/info/activities/program_details.aspx?ProgramID=29837) or email Scott Ellis at [sellis7511@comcast.net](mailto:sellis7511@comcast.net) for additional options.

**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 Clawson 978-828-6589 or if you plan to join or have questions.

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**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED DURING THE FESTIVAL OF TREES!**

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**- What is it and how can you contribute? -**  
*by the Citizens Taxation Aid Committee*

If you have ever looked at the bottom-third section of your quarterly real estate bill, you would have seen a chance to donate to the Elderly and Disabled Taxation Aid Fund. This fund was established at a Special Town Meeting back in October 2003 when the voters of Tyngsborough adopted Massachusetts General Law Ch. 60, Sec. 3D which authorizes voluntary contributions to defray a portion of the real estate taxes of the town's elderly and/or disabled persons of low income. No tax dollars support this fund. All monies are obtained through the generosity of caring and concerned town residents.

The Aid Fund is controlled by a five-member committee consisting of the Chair of the Board of Assessors, the Town Treasurer, and three citizens at large appointed by the Board of Selectmen. The committee meets twice a year to consider confidential applications submitted by residents of Tyngsborough who are elderly or disabled. Elderly applicants must be at least 60 years old. Disabled applicants are those who have suffered an income loss due to illness or accident. All applicants must be the titled property owner and must file a form along with their birth certificate, a copy of their last income tax return, and a physician's letter if appropriate. The applicant's gross income must be less than \$40,000. The committee considers all applications that meet these criteria and selects those with the greatest financial need. Those taxpayers receive a partial tax credit on their real estate bill and money from the Taxation Aid Fund is used to offset the difference to the Town.

The ability of the committee to approve applications for aid is subject to the availability of funds. Unfortunately, contributions to this fund have dropped off in the last 7 years to only about one-third of previous levels, drastically limiting the number of families receiving help.

How can you contribute? In previous years voluntary donations could only easily be made by townspeople who paid their real estate tax bill by check. This past January the Town Treasurer added the voluntary donation message to the excise bills as well. More recently, tax payers who prefer online payments were allowed to contribute when paying their bills through the town's web site. Now, when you click on "Pay your Town Fees Online" a new contribution option appears; donations of any amount are allowed. A receipt for your contribution will be emailed to you.

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• **Sunday School and All Executive Boards**  
**will resume in September.**

- **SEPTEMBER 8th -RALLY DAY** Please join us as we invite all children to "ROAR" into our new Sunday School year on this date. "ROAR" is the program that will be taught this year. This is a very exciting and fun program and the kids will love it! Please arrive at 9:30 a.m. for registration. Coffee, juice and bagels will be served. Be advised that all adults working with children have passed their CORI applications to ensure a safe environment for all children. Children will begin the Sunday Services with their parents and will be dismissed to their age-appropriate classes at 10:15 a.m.
- **LADIES BIBLE STUDY - TUESDAYS** 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. **Begins September 17th** and will be in session for 10-12 weeks. This year the study is entitled "Bible Survey...A Big Screen Perspective". Please plan to join our Bible Study group. You may call our Church Office and leave your name and phone number and our Secretary will return your call.
- **CONGRATULATIONS** to Fred Lorman, Lisa Lorman, Joshua Lorman and Todd Rivard who were recently baptized and became new Members of our Church! We welcome them with open arms!

### MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

- **SUNDAY - OCTOBER 13, 2019** - The world renowned gospel group, **the Needham's**, will return to Tyngsboro for an amazing FREE concert on October 13th! Event will be held at our church following our church service and potluck lunch. **At 1:00 p.m.** we will join together in the sanctuary for this concert. **There is no charge to attend this event.** Please mark your calendars! If you've never heard this group you will want to attend. You'll be glad you did!
- **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** - 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 items as we do not have the means to dispose of these.
- **CUSTOMER APPRECIATION DAYS** - On June 20th and 22nd we held a special "Thank You" event for our loyal customers who continually support our Thrift Shop. We served Sullivan's Ice Cream and served hot fudge sundaes with toppings. It was a fun event and our customers really enjoyed this special treat.



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## CELTIC ANGELS TO PERFORM

at Nashua High School North

September 16 at 7:30 p.m.

The Nashua Community Concert Association opens their 89<sup>th</sup> season with *Ireland's own Celtic Angels, along with the dynamic Celtic Knight Dancers and the Trinity Band Ensemble of Dublin*. The Celtic Angels Ireland group brings a joyous celebration of everything Irish with their energetic, exciting performance. Presenting their cherished heritage through Irish dance, music, and song is something this 14 person Celtic Angels group takes very seriously. The sweet and stirring songs of Ireland, rigorously precise dances, and traditional musicianship carry you to Ireland on wings of music.

Six of the sweetest voices under heaven make up the Celtic Angels, who are Irish to the core and seasoned entertainers all. The Celtic Knight Dancers, featuring Patrick O'Mahoney of *Riverdance*, perform with athletic precision in routines that leave audiences breathless. Their rhythm and artistry are astonishing. The Trinity Band Ensemble of Dublin rounds out the show with flawless interpretations of authentic *Irish Trad* instrumentals, as well as backing of both singers and dancers.

**Neave Trio to Perform at Nashua High School North, October 4 at 7:30 p.m.**

The Nashua Community Concerts Association welcomes the Neave Trio on Friday, October 4. *Since forming in 2010, Neave Trio – violinist Anna Williams, cellist Mikhail Veselov, and pianist Eri Nakamura - has earned enormous praise for its engaging, cutting-edge performances.*

WQXR explains, "Neave is actually a Gaelic name meaning 'bright' and 'radiant', both of which certainly apply to this trio's music making." The Boston Musical Intelligencer included Neave in its "Best of 2014" and "Best of 2016" roundups, writing, "it is inconceivable that they will not soon be among the busiest chamber ensembles going," and "their unanimity, communication, variety of touch, and expressive sensibility rate first tier."

Neave has performed at many esteemed concert series and at festivals worldwide, including Carnegie Hall's Weill Recital Hall, 92nd Street Y, Chamber Music Society of Lincoln Center/ La Jolla Music Society, Rockport Chamber Music Festival, Norfolk and Norwich Chamber Music Series (United Kingdom), and the Samoylov and Rimsky Korsakow Museums' Chamber Music Series in St. Petersburg (Russia).

The trio has also appeared frequently as soloists for Beethoven's Triple Concerto with orchestras across the country and held residency positions at Brown University, ArtsAhimsa Chamber Music Festival, San Diego State University as the first ever Fisch/Axelrod Trio-in-Residence, and the Banff Centre (Canada), among many other institutions. In the fall of 2017, the Trio joined the faculty of the Longy School of Music of Bard College as Alumni Artists, Faculty Ensemble-in-Residence.

Tickets online at [www.nashuacommunityconcerts.org](http://www.nashuacommunityconcerts.org) or at the door \$25. **Season membership 6 Concerts: \$70 adults, \$15 students.** For additional information or to take advantage of the Season Membership please call 603-579-0603.

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Joe Ward, Treasurer: Bob Reich, Secretary/Club Service Chair:  
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**Anyone interested in joining the lions** is asked to contact Joe Ward at 978-930-1153 or Mark Alexander at 978-649-9124. **Our Regular Meetings are held on the first Tuesday of the month starting at 6:30 pm** at Princeton Station 147 Princeton St., in N. Chelmsford, MA.

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The Middlesex Conservation District will be holding its **annual FALL BULB and PERENNIAL SALE on Sept. 21 from 3-6PM and Sept. 22, 8am to 12 noon at the Great Brook Farm State Park Ski Touring Center, 1018 Lowell St. in Carlisle, MA.**

All items that were ordered through 8/31 have to be picked up on the sale days. You will receive a card in the mail as a reminder. If you did not receive the catalog and would like to come to the sale, please come as early as possible for the best selection. Items offered include daffodils, tulips, narcissus, specialty bulbs, perennials and fertilizer.

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 Cozy slippers or kinky boots: If the shoe fits, wear it. This month, the Loading Dock Gallery explores the closeted meanings of contemporary woman's footwear. Whether you think that high heels are modern foot-binding or a feminine weapons, **These Shoes are Made for Walking: Fashion as Female Empowerment** challenges assumptions with new ways of looking at fashion.  
 Curator artist Renee Mallet worked in fashion journalism for many years. "I've always loved how fashion has been used by women to influence and reflect the world around them." Modern women face a range of possibilities. Clothing reflects personal choice as well as cultural and historical assumptions. At **These Shoes are Made for Walking** you will ask, what does fashion say about contemporary women's lives?  
**These Shoes are Made for Walking** includes encaustics by Regina McGearty, jewelry by Liz Stewart, paintings by Peggie Bouvier, and full-sized fashion pieces by Emily Rapley.  
 If you've ever wondered why powerful women are pictured in heels, stride over this September to the Loading Dock Gallery, 122 Western Avenue, Lowell, for **These Shoes are Made for Walking: Fashion as Female Empowerment**.  
 The Loading Dock Gallery is a program of Loading Dock Arts, Inc., a 501C3 nonprofit. The gallery is open Wednesday-Saturday from noon to 5:30 PM, and Sunday until 4 PM. For more information, call 978-985-0695. On-line, visit the gallery at [theloadingdock-gallery.com](http://theloadingdock-gallery.com) or shop [store.theloadingdockgallery.com](http://store.theloadingdockgallery.com)



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### KITTENS: PROS

- They are cute.
- Can be easier to train to use a scratching post or have their nails trimmed or even have their teeth brushed.
- They are super entertaining. You really don't need a television for a few months after getting a kitten, or even better - get two.
- Generally an adult cat is more likely to accept a kitten rather than another adult cat.

### CONS

- They can be quite destructive, they love to climb and therefore scratch curtains and furniture, not to mention your pant leg.
- They need to play and if they are left alone all day they tend to sleep all day and are up all night.
- Their inquisitive nature can lead to trouble, like eating things they shouldn't or getting stuck in the couch.
- It's hard to predict their adult personality, so if you need a super friendly or super lazy or super tolerant cat you won't really know if that's what you've got until they grow up.

### CATS: PROS

- Their temperament is set, you can tell what you're getting.
- They are less energetic and therefore demand less of your time and don't mind being alone for longer periods of time.
- They are cute too, and what you see is what you get, not all cute kittens end up being cute cats.

### CONS

- If they have an undesirable behavior trait, it can be hard to change it.
- If you already have a cat it can be harder for him/her to accept another adult cat.

So consider what will be best for your family at this moment in time (and up to 20 years from now). We, of course, would recommend you get your new pet from a shelter. With a little time and looking around you can generally get whatever you are looking for. Plus the shelters generally really know their cats' personalities and can help match you up with the perfect feline friend.



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**WORSHIP:** Pastor Bobby leads our worship services which feature a variety of music, scripture readings, corporate prayer, and spoken messages, with Communion (the Lord's Supper) served on the first Sunday of the month.

**EDUCATION:** Join us this fall as we take a look at God's complete redemptive story that starts in Genesis and ends in Revelation. Following the CASKET EMPTY program created by Dr. Carol Kaminski and Dr. David Palmer of Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary, we'll cover the Old and New Testaments in a historical progression, showing how they work together to create the biggest, best story that has ever been told. Classes start September 8<sup>th</sup> at 9am Sundays in the church fellowship hall, and 7pm Tuesday evenings at the parsonage. Adults, young adults, and children K-6 are invited.

**CHILDCARE:** Childcare for infants through kindergarten is available both during Sunday School hour and the worship service.

**FELLOWSHIP:** Everyone is welcome to an informal time of fellowship with coffee, tea, and refreshments after the service.

**DECC YOUTH GROUP:** Kickoff Date for the Youth Group meetings is Sunday, Sep 8<sup>th</sup>, 6-8 pm, in Fellowship Hall with meetings continuing weekly. Area youth in grades 6-12 are welcome. All will have input in this planning session for the coming year. **On Sep 15<sup>th</sup>, the group will gather for a cookout at Sunshine Overlook Orchard** and enjoy apple picking, cider press, outdoor 'trust' games and a bonfire. **Regular meetings will be held on Sundays 4-6 pm at the Dunstable Evangelical Congregational Church**, unless otherwise noted. Some events planned are concerts (Amy Grant, Michael W Smith), fundraisers, games, snacks, study and other surprises. **Contact Leader Jon Hughes with any questions at 978-303-7708 or [Jon.hughes480@gmail.com](mailto:Jon.hughes480@gmail.com).**

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## COMING UP AT INDIAN HILL

**AUDITIONS: INDIAN HILL MUSIC YOUTH ORCHESTRAS:** Au-

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Well we are starting another season with *Neighbor to Neighbor*. I hope you all had time to visit with family and friends and relax a bit.

**September 10th is the deadline for the October issue. However, because this issue was delayed, please contact me if you need more time to submit your article or to prepare your ad.** Articles are placed on a first come, first served basis. News can be sent in a word file or in the body of an email. If you have a business, or your organization would like to have a display ad, not just a paragraph, email me and I will forward the detailed rate sheet to you. If you call, **please leave a message as it goes to voicemail** and I will get back to you as soon as possible.

To residents reading this, I do hope you find something of interest each month and maybe if you are looking for help with your home or business, you can find it in these pages. There is so much going on, that there is never enough space for all I want to print. **However, I have been taking updates and posting them on the website in between issues.**

Total printed circulation each month including Dunstable and Tyngsborough is 6,306 issues. Current & past issues are available by clicking on "*Neighbor to Neighbor* Newsletter issues" in the heading on the website. Please visit [www.neighbortoneighbornewsletter.com](http://www.neighbortoneighbornewsletter.com). (Thanks PJ)

I look forward to hearing from you soon.

Sincerely, Anne Paquin

## COMING UP AT THE POST

**Friday, September 20<sup>th</sup>**, we will be having a **3 piece band called "Dayz"** they will be playing at 8:pm.

**No Cover charge. All welcome.**

at the **AMERICAN LEGION POST 247**

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**Saturday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>, MARK YOUR CALENDAR**

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**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 2019-2020**

Commander: Raymond Hamelin; Sr. Vice Commander: Pete St. Peters; Jr. Vice Commander: Larry Monaco; Finance Officer: John Burke; Adjutant: Don Pierce; Judge Advocate: Roland Miliard; Executive Board: Joe Colin and Robin Dion

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This website contains a wealth of information about the Post.

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



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**90 Pawtucket Blvd. Tyngsborough, MA 01879**

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

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President: Josephine Beauregard; Sr. Vice: Bernadette Harper; Jr. Vice: Sarah O'Callaghan; Secretary: Patricia Modrich; Treasurer: Diane Dileo; Chaplain: Debbie Dion; Unit Sgt-At-Arms: Debra St. Peters. Executive Committee: Kathleen Oljey.

**For information on the Auxiliary Unit meetings**, or functions contact Unit President Josephine Beauregard at 978-458-7015.

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

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At the warehouse we are working on our Backpack Attack Project. Our goal is to provide 5,000 homeless and low income children with a new backpack filled with new school supplies so that they will have a successful start to their year.

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

If you would like more information please contact Lori at [Lori@thewishproject.org](mailto:Lori@thewishproject.org) and let her know how you would like to help. You may also make a donation on our website.

EDITORS NOTE: If you are reading this in the printed version, and do not have access to a computer, please call the Wish Project at (866) 947-4360 for more information.