

## Laconia Links

February 8, 2019 - Edition #373



*Photo of Jewett Brook located at Tardif Park*



Look for our “Frequently Asked Questions” feature in Laconia Links every other week! This week’s question comes from our Public Works Department:

***“Can bulky items be left curbside for the trash hauler to pick up and dispose of?”***

***Answer: Yes! Both metal and non-metal bulky items require “Bulky Item” stickers. Stickers are available for \$6 each at the City Clerk’s Office (45 Beacon St. East, Mon-Fri, 8:30 - 4:30). Non-metal bulky items are collected on your normal trash day. Metal items are collected once a month. Please call DPW at 528-6379 to register for pickup of metal bulky items. Freon containing items (such as refrigerators, dehumidifiers, etc.) and electronics such as big screen televisions, etc. are NOT eligible for curbside pickup. Questions? Please call 528-6379.***

***Welcome to Laconia Links*** a weekly email newsletter update devoted to keeping you informed of City of Laconia department news, City projects, useful links, activities and events!

Look for a new edition of the newsletter each Friday. If you have already signed up to be on our distribution list to receive your newsletter by e-mail, thank you for your interest! If you would like to be added to our e-mail list (or to unsubscribe), please click [here](#).

As always, we welcome your ideas and comments as to what you would like to see included in future issues. Just give us a call in the City Manager’s office at 527-1270, or contact us by e-mail at [info@laconianh.gov](mailto:info@laconianh.gov)

***We look forward to keeping you up to date on our beautiful City!***



**Notify Me®**

Did you know that there is an easy way to find out about important notices and items affecting residents in our community?

Just log onto the City’s website at [www.laconianh.gov](http://www.laconianh.gov) and click “Notify Me” on the left hand side of the screen (or click on the Notify Me image above).

You can choose which items you wish to have e-mailed or texted to you...everything from weather related closings, City job opportunities, agendas as they are posted, and much more!

Questions? Please call the City Manager’s Office at 527-1270 or email [NBrown@laconianh.gov](mailto:NBrown@laconianh.gov)



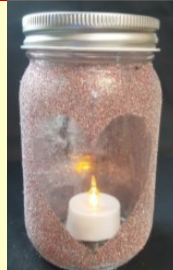
**LACONIA**  
PUBLIC LIBRARY

## Upcoming EVENTS



**Jars of Love**  
Monday, February 11  
3:30 to 4:30 pm  
Selig Storytime Room

Prepare a Valentine's Day gift to give to someone you love. All ingredients supplied. Sign-up in the Children's Room, or by phone at 524-4775, Ext. 13. Suggested for children ages 5 and up, with adult supervision.



**Teen & Tween Craft:  
Glitter Heart Votive**

Thursday,  
February 14th  
2:30 to 4:00 pm

Laconia Rotary Hall

**Celebrate Valentine's Day!**



**Celebrate Hygge**  
Tuesday, Feb. 12, 6 pm  
Laconia Rotary Hall

Hygge (pronounced hueguh) is a Danish word describing the quality of coziness and comfortable conviviality that engenders a feeling of contentment or well-being. The library is a place you curl up with a good book, so what better space to celebrate the art of comfort. Sample a winter warmer drink, create a cuddly felted critter, take home some comfort food recipes, and make a soothing lip butter to keep your kiss soft all winter long at this celebration of all things warm and cozy! Limited to 10 people. Sign-up required.



The Library will be closed **Monday, February 18** in observance of Presidents' Day.

## Upcoming Meetings...

Keeping the public updated and aware of what's going on in our community and receiving residents' feedback is an important goal of the City Council. Check each week's issue of *Laconia Links* for a schedule of the upcoming week's meetings. As agendas become available, they will be posted to the City's website.

You can also contact any of the City's departments for more information on a meeting or to obtain a printed copy of the agenda. Meetings are open to the public. You are invited and encouraged to attend and provide input.

Follow this [link](#) to the "Calendar" page of the City of Laconia's website. Please check the "Calendar" page often for updated information and changes.

*Become involved in your City and make a difference!*

### Licensing Board

February 13, 2019, 12 noon  
[Agenda](#)

### Technical Review Comm.

February 13, 2019, 10 am

### Water Commission

February 14, 2019, 8:00 am  
Water Treatment Facility  
117 Stark Street  
[Agenda](#)

### Laconia Airport Authority

February 14, 2019, 4:00 pm  
Airport Conference Room

## Meetings

All meetings are held in the Armand A. Bolduc City Council Chamber in City Hall (formerly Room 200A) unless otherwise noted

### Lakes Business Park

February 11, 2019, 5:30 pm  
[Agenda](#)

### City Council - Special Mtg.

February 11, 2019, 6:00 pm  
[Agenda](#)

### City Council - Regular Mtg.

February 11, 2019, 7:00 pm  
[Agenda](#)

### Building Code Bd. of Appeals

February 12, 2019, 5:00 pm  
[Agenda](#)

### Master Plan Steering Comm.

February 13, 2018, 6:30 pm

### Heritage Commission

February 13, 2019, 6:00 pm  
[Agenda](#)



# Laconia Pride

## Laconia School District

Ensuring success with every student, every day, in every way

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 2019



Wednesday, February 20th, Laconia High School will host a Lip Sync Battle during the Winter Carnival Dance! This special event is possible through Stand Up Sachems.

LHS Students please see your class officers for more details!



[Laconia Middle School Quarter II Honor Roll](#)

[Laconia High School Quarter II Honor Roll](#)

## Mark Your CALENDAR

**February 11:** VIPPS Meeting 6pm

**February 12:** Elementary Math Meet at ESS 3:30pm

**February 19:** WHS STEM Night 6pm

**February 19:** School Board Meeting 7pm

**February 20:** WHS PTO Meeting 6:30pm

**February 25-March 1:** Winter Break



Check out the 2019 promotional video created by Huot Career and Technical Center's Digital Media Arts II Students, [here](#).



Pictured: Laconia High School's Key Club members preparing chicken soup for the Belknap House.



## Laconia at our Finest / Thank You to ALL Who Helped Ballin4BigBob / Tournament of Hope

The words seem to fall short as we try to express our heartfelt appreciation to **ALL** who helped Big Bob and the Dassatti Family in his battle against cancer.

Mayor Engler said it best in his Biweekly Report at City Council. Paraphrasing our Mayor: [Saturday, January 19th at Laconia High School gave us a sense of pride in how Laconia came together at a level no one could ever have imagined.]

There are so many businesses, organizations and individuals to thank! We're working on that. Please know that the Family and Friends of Bob Dassatti are eternally grateful to our community's Herculean effort!

As for Big Bob, he's in Houston at the MD Anderson Cancer Clinic and has begun his treatment program. He likes to quote legendary Basketball Coach and Cancer Fighter, Jim Valvano;

***"Don't give up. Don't ever give up."***



# Reminder!

**Curbside recycling will be  
picked up the week of  
February 18, 2019**

**Remember: "Glass is Trash"**





## NH Humane Society

Over a century of love for those without a voice.

## Pet of the Week: Happy



Meet this absolutely purrrfect 6-year-old girl. Having been with us as a stray since the summer of 2018, Happy wonderfully has maintained her sweet personality in keeping with her name.

Mature and aloof like any good cat, Happy also enjoys a deep snuggle session and relishes rekindling her kitten days with a rousing game of laser point chase. She would do best in a family with no young children, as she is a bit shy and tiny hands tend to be too exuberant for her. She's also an independent sort and prefers to be the only cat in the household. With the biggest heart holiday of the year quickly approaching, Happy would love to celebrate and share the love with you, her humans. Say hello and find that she is a cat that truly deserves her forever home with you.

Visit us at NH Humane Society at 1305 Meredith Center Road, on the web at [www.nhhumane.org](http://www.nhhumane.org) or call 524-3252.



## CONFIDENCE GROWS HERE



### E-Textile Plushy

Mondays, March 4, 11, 18 & 25  
6 PM - 7:30 PM

The Belknap Mill  
Beacon St. Laconia NH

In this workshop, youth will learn how to incorporate buttons and switches into an e-textile project. Youth will learn how to construct a simple circuit, design, and sew a plushy and use the circuits to make the eyes light up!

Cost: Free

Open to 4-H and non 4-H youth ages 8 and older.

Participants must attend all 4 sessions.

Space is limited.

Registration is required for planning purposes.



#### LEARN MORE OR SIGN UP:

Please contact Karen Delghan at  
603-527-5475, email:  
[karen.delghan@unh.edu](mailto:karen.delghan@unh.edu) or Belknap Mill  
at 603-524-8813.

Register at: <http://bit.ly/2WtMFWt>

The University of New Hampshire Cooperative Extension is an equal opportunity educator and employer. University of New Hampshire, U.S. Department of Agriculture and NH counties cooperating.



## It's time for the Belknap County Conservation District's annual Tree and Shrub Fundraiser!

Just click [here](#) to  
download  
information and  
order forms.



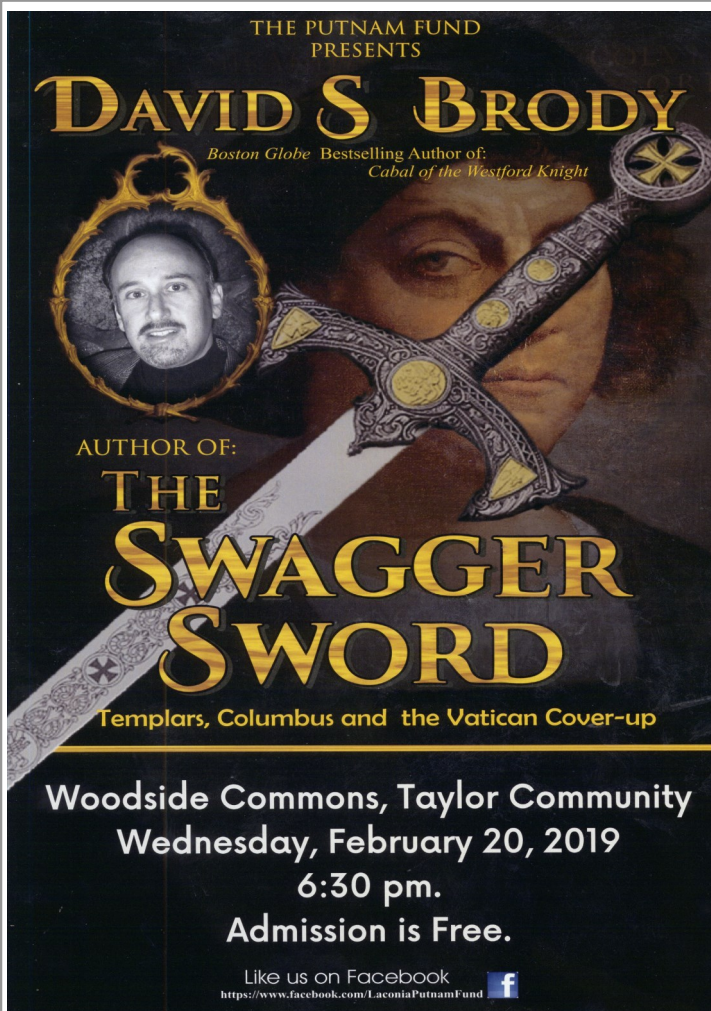
Ordering deadlines  
for plants is Feb.  
28th, but orders will  
continue to be filled  
after that date while  
supplies last.  
Customers can pick  
up their purchases  
April 26-28, 2019.



THE PUTNAM FUND  
PRESENTS

# DAVID S BRODY

*Boston Globe Bestselling Author of:  
Cabal of the Westford Knight*



AUTHOR OF:  
**THE SWAGGER SWORD**

*Templars, Columbus and the Vatican Cover-up*

Woodside Commons, Taylor Community  
Wednesday, February 20, 2019  
6:30 pm.  
Admission is Free.

Like us on Facebook  
<https://www.facebook.com/LaoniaPutnamFund>



## Make & Take Snowman

Authentic Belknap Mill made  
sock materials



**Create your own little piece  
of history!**

Come into the Belknap Mill anytime  
Monday thru Friday, 9 am to 5 pm,  
or Saturdays, 9 am to 4 pm  
in February and create a snowman  
made from authentic  
mill-made sock materials!

*Takes approximately 20 minutes to  
complete. Questions?  
Call the Belknap Mill at 524-8813.*

The  
Downtown Gym  
&  
Wellness Center,  
LLC

**American  
Red Cross**  
**CPR/AED**  
**CERTIFICATION  
TRAINING**

FOR MORE INFORMATION:  
CALL: (603) 536-2232  
EMAIL: [aswanson@pbhha.org](mailto:aswanson@pbhha.org)

Let's  
Learn How  
to Save a Life

We Help You to get  
the right First Aid,  
CPR/AED Knowledge

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 9  
COST - \$65  
FROM 10AM - 11:45AM  
THE DOWNTOWN GYM  
171 FAIR STREET

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

**Fratello's is donating 25% to support  
Lakes Region Scholarship  
Foundation Operating Fund  
of orders placed when you mention  
us!**

eat in or order take out- mention lakes region  
scholarship foundation

**MONDAY, MARCH 4TH  
4PM - CLOSE  
FRATELLO'S LACONIA**

Fratello's Laconia - 603-528-2022  
Lakes Region Scholarship Foundation - 603-527-3533

LAKE REGION  
SCHOLARSHIP  
FOUNDATION



*City Hall will be closed  
all day on Monday,  
February 18th  
in observance of  
Presidents' Day.  
We apologize for any  
inconvenience.*



Did you know there's a quick and easy way to search for information included in the City's Charter and Ordinances? Just click [here](#) to access this section of our website.

The City's Code is updated periodically; however, as new legislation is enacted by the City Council it will be posted in the "New Laws" section of this page on our website. Topics are also searchable by using key words.

We hope you find this service helpful!

As always, if you have any questions we are happy to help. Just call the City Manager's Office at 527-1270.

## Photos Wanted!

*Do you have a favorite photo showing what makes Laconia special? Send it our way (email to [NBrown@laconianh.gov](mailto:NBrown@laconianh.gov)) and you just might see it in a future issue of Laconia Links!*



### City's Corrugated Cardboard Compactor Now in Operation!

257 Messer St. (site of former remote recycling location)  
Open 24 hrs./day 7 days/week!

Clean corrugated cardboard boxes accepted. We cannot accept pizza boxes and paperboard boxes such as cereal boxes, shoe boxes, soda & beer boxes. Please remove all bubble wrap and/or air pillows.

Corrugated cardboard must be broken down and put into the enclosure by the compactor. Please do not stack boxes outside of the fence.

Questions? Call DPW, 528-6379



National Random Acts  
of Kindness Day  
[www.NationalDayCalendar.com](http://www.NationalDayCalendar.com)

February 17

## Sand is available!



Laconia residents needing sand for their driveways or walkways during this icy weather can get sand from our Department of Public Works. There is a sand pile for residential use located at our DPW

garage at 257 Messer Street. Residents can get a maximum of two five gallon pails (or the equivalent). Please do not take sand from our facility on Bisson Avenue; it is for City use only to maintain our streets and sidewalks. Questions? Please call 528-6379.

*Thanks and have a safe winter!*





NEW HAMPSHIRE  
humanities

### Harnessing History:

#### On the Trail of New Hampshire's State Dog, the Chinook

Please join us as we welcome Bob Cottrell and explore the history of New Hampshire's State Dog, the Chinook and their role in developing dog sledging in New Hampshire. Bob explains how man and his relationship with dogs bested machines during several polar expeditions. He will also cover the history of Arthur Walden and his Chinooks.

Mr. Cottrell is the founding director of the Remick Country Doctor Museum in Tamworth and is now the Curator of the Henney History Room at the Conway Public Library. He is a Board member at the Conway Historical Society and President ex-officio of the Tamworth Historical Society.

Bob is an independent history and museum consultant.

**Wednesday, February 13th 6:30pm**

## ENERGY EFFICIENCY FOR COMMERCIAL BUILDING MANAGERS

Reduce building operating expenses and solve energy problems with this 1-day intensive training, in four locations around New Hampshire:

### Register Now for One of These Dates:

Friday, Feb. 1	Keene State College, Keene
Wed, Feb. 13	Roundabout Diner, Portsmouth
Friday, Mar. 1	Puritan Backroom, Manchester
Thu, Mar. 14	The Common Man, Plymouth

Suitable for facility managers, COOs, sustainability officers and energy budget managers.

Thanks to NHSaves sponsorship, this \$160 program is only \$20\* for qualified participants. Includes continental breakfast, lunch and course materials.

\*\$40 co-pay within 5 days of the training

### Register for any of the four dates at:

[lrcwfd.eventbrite.com](http://lrcwfd.eventbrite.com)



More information at:

[www.lrcwfd.edu/energy/energy-training-schedule](http://www.lrcwfd.edu/energy/energy-training-schedule)

### 8:00 am – 4:00 pm program:

- Benchmarking, demand reduction and retrocommissioning
- LED lighting
- Air sealing, insulation and IAQ
- NHSaves commercial, industrial and municipal incentives
- Cold climate heat pumps
- Efficient motors and compressed air

By Andy Duncan, PhD, who has over 15 years teaching and implementing energy efficiency in NH, including BOC, CEM and BPI programs.



## Adaptive Lacrosse



US Lacrosse provides an adaptive lacrosse program as an opportunity for people with physical and/or intellectual disabilities to become involved with the game. New Hampshire's goal is to become a state "where diversity and inclusion are a fundamental part of the values and culture" of lacrosse in New Hampshire.

One of the three unified teams across the state will have Laconia as its home base. This is the first program of its kind in New Hampshire!

Please click [here](#) for additional information and details regarding the program, how to register, etc.

## WILDQUEST WINTER CAMP FEBRUARY 25 - MARCH 1

Make their winter vacation  
week unforgettable!

# Register Now!

Go to [prescottfarm.org](http://prescottfarm.org) and click  
the link on the Camp Page!





**Rescheduled!**  
**Annual Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Celebration**  
**"We are All One Humanity!"**



**Sunday, February 10**

**Time: 3:00 - 5:00 pm**

**Laconia  
Congregational  
Church**

♦ **All are Welcome**

♦ **Refreshments!**

**Sponsored by the Laconia  
Human Relations Committee**

**A Committee of the Mayor of Laconia**



**Dr. Dottie Morris**, Assoc. V-P  
Diversity & Inclusion, Keen State Univ.



**Seifu Ragassa**, Chief  
Probation & Parole Officer



**TEMPLE B'NAI ISRAEL OF LACONIA ANNOUNCES NON-PROFIT PART-  
NERS FOR 2019 "WE CARE" FUNDRAISING EVENTS**

Temple B'nai Israel (TBI) proudly announces the sixth continuous year of community fundraising in which the net profits are donated to local and deserving Lakes Region non-profit agencies. This year, TBI welcomes Lakes Region Visiting Nurse Association and Interlakes Community Caregivers as the beneficiaries of two concerts to be held on May 25<sup>th</sup> and October 26<sup>th</sup>. Committee Chair, Stu Needleman said, "We are thrilled to be partnering with these two agencies and help them to continue to provide valuable and important services to our community as the need for these types of services continues to grow."

The We Care entertainment events will be held in the Community Auditorium at the Inter-Lakes High School, centrally located right on Route 25 in Meredith. The members of Temple B'nai Israel are excited about the opportunity to help both of these worthwhile organizations in one of the best community venues in the Lakes Region.

**Interlakes Community Caregivers**



Interlakes Community Caregivers, a volunteer organization, provides supportive services to our neighbors to assist them in their daily lives.



## *Eric Masterson Lecture: The World Famous Hawk Migration*



Eric Masterson has been fascinated with bird migration since he began birding at age 11. In October 2015, he flew to Kekoldi, Costa Rica to witness the world famous hawk migration that passes south through the Central American isthmus. He quickly realized the story was in the journey, not the destination.

Join us Tuesday, Feb. 19 at 2 p.m. in Taylor Community's Woodside as Masterson tells the tale of his own journey, following several GPS-tagged birds on their flight south, leaving New Hampshire by bicycle beginning in September 2016 – final destination unknown. **This free event is open to the public; however, reservations are required by calling 366-1226, as space is limited.**

By day, Masterson works as a Land Specialist for the Harris Center for Conservation Education in Hancock, New Hampshire, where he runs the stewardship program for the organization's approximately 10,000 acres of conservation easements, assists with new conservation projects, and coordinates their field trip program. He is currently working on a book about bird migration as told through the hawks and his journey.

## *Lakes of New Hampshire Lecture Rescheduled for February 25*



Amy Smagula, the Limnologist/Exotic Species Program Coordinator for the NH Department of Environmental Services (NHDES), will present a lecture on "The Lakes of New Hampshire: The Good, the Bad and the Really Neat," Monday,

Feb. 25 at 6:30 p.m. in Taylor Community's Woodside Building. This free event is open to the public.

*Please note this event was originally scheduled for Jan. 28, but was postponed due to illness.*

The NHDES Exotic Species Program coordinates activities associated with the control and management of exotic aquatic plants, as well as activities associated with the implementation of education and volunteer plant monitoring programs.

How exactly does gender work? It's not just about our chromosomes, says Karissa Sanbonmatsu. Learn about the latest research as this visionary biologist and speaker shares her insights on the current study of DNA.

## *TED Talk: The Biology of Gender*

Join us Monday, Feb. 18 at 2 p.m. in Taylor Community's Woodside Theater for: "The Biology of Gender, from DNA to the Brain," a TED Talk video.

TED is a nonprofit organization devoted to spreading ideas, usually in the form of short, powerful talks (18 minutes or less). TED began in 1984 as a conference where Technology, Entertainment and Design converged, and today covers almost all topics — from science to business to global issues — in more than 100 languages.





Laconia School District

**Office of  
School  
Wellness**

# COMMON WARNING SIGNS OF SUBSTANCE MISUSE

## CHANGES AT HOME

- \* Avoiding eye contact
- \* Spending a lot of time in their rooms
- \* Sneaking out at night or staying out late
- \* Stealing valuables or money from parents or siblings
- \* Missing medications
- \* Loss of interest in family activities
- \* Lying or making excuses for behavior

## SIGNS AT SCHOOL

- \* Sudden drop in grades
- \* Lack of motivation to do their work
- \* Skipping classes or not going to school
- \* Defiant/uncooperative with authority figures
- \* Change in friends or isolating themselves from friends/family
- \* Dropping out of sports or other extracurricular activities

## PERSONAL APPEARANCE

- \* Poor hygiene
- \* Bloodshot eyes
- \* Burns on fingers or lips
- \* Poor coordination
- \* Wearing long sleeves even in the summer

## PSYCHOLOGICAL PROBLEMS

- \* Frequent mood swings
- \* Memory problems
- \* Tired or low energy
- \* Poor concentration
- \* Slurred or rapid speech
- \* Laughing for no apparent reason
- \* Being unusually loud
- \* Paranoia

## HEALTH PROBLEMS

- \* Appetite changes
- \* Sweating
- \* Sudden weight loss or gain
- \* Runny nose or nosebleeds
- \* Changes in sleep



**Free Tax Help -  
Federal Income Tax Assistance Available  
AARP Foundation Tax-Aide Program to be  
offered at Laconia Senior Center  
17 Church Street**

Again this year the AARP Tax-Aide program, which provides Free Tax assistance in preparing and electronically filing your Federal Income Tax return, will be offered at the Laconia Senior Center at 17 Church Street. While the program gives special attention to all those 60 years of age and up, taxpayers with low and moderate income will also be accommodated by AARP personnel. Assistance will be provided as follows:

**Wednesdays 8:30 am to 2:00 pm (February 6 thru February 27) and  
Thursdays, 8:30 am to 2:00 pm (February 7 thru April 11)**

The service will be offered on an appointment basis. **Call the Laconia Senior Center at 524-7689 to make an appointment.** Taxpayers are asked to bring the following: photo ID, copy of last year's income tax return, W-2 forms, any 1099 forms, dependent care provider info, proof of itemizing deductions, health insurance documents and Social Security cards or documentation for yourself and all dependents.

Have you heard the news?  
We were chosen to  
receive a \$1 donation for every  
Community Bag sold!

Please help by purchasing a bag in  
February  
Lakes Region Scholarship Foundation will  
receive \$1 for every Community Cause bag  
sold at the Gilford Hannaford in February  
2019

**LAKES REGION  
SCHOLARSHIP  
FOUNDATION**

**Hannaford**

**\$1 helps**  
**BECAUSE YOU CARE**



Laconia, NH

# LACONIA LACROSSE CLUB

## Why is Lacrosse fun?

Anyone can play lacrosse. Lacrosse is fast-paced and full of action. It is a combination of basketball, soccer and hockey. The game is played with a stick, the Crosse, which is used to throw, catch, scoop and shoot the ball.

**No experience is necessary!** Laconia Lacrosse emphasizes skills and fun.



Players from the surrounding towns of Sanbornton, Northfield, Franklin, Belmont, Tilton, Meredith, or Canterbury are welcome to join our league.

## Email us for more information:

Email: [LaconiaLacrosseClub@gmail.com](mailto:LaconiaLacrosseClub@gmail.com)

Web: <http://laclax.uslaxteams.com/>

## First register for US Lacrosse membership

<http://www.uslacrosse.org/membership>

**\$30**

## Then register with Laconia Lacrosse

<http://laclax.uslaxteams.com/>

And you will be placed on a team.

## REGISTRATION TO PLAY WITH LACONIA LACROSSE IS FREE

if you register by  
February 28th

*\*Late fee \$100 on March 1st*

## Girls and Boys teams

### 1st-8th grades

- On-time registration closes February 28th
- Late registrations accepted through the first week of practices.
- Practices begin the week of March 18th
- Games begin on Sundays, April 7th
- Annual festival in June 8-9

There is one mandatory calendar fundraiser in March to support club and officials fees.

**Are you in need of  
lacrosse  
equipment?  
Email the club.**



**1st & 2nd Grade  
girls who love to  
run & compete -  
join your  
classmates and  
play lacrosse!!**



The Patriots won this year's Super Bowl, and so did some local families by having some extra food to put on their shelves! In conjunction with bringing in extra items for our "Pay Day Food Drive", City Hall employees were given the opportunity to dress in Patriots gear the Friday before the game to show our New England spirit!



Apply now. Applications are available on line at [lrscholarship.org](http://lrscholarship.org).

#### SCHOLARSHIP ELIGIBILITY

- Graduates of Laconia High School, Gilford High School, or Belmont High School in New Hampshire
- Legal residents of Laconia, Gilford, or Belmont, New Hampshire
- Those qualified for a specific donor preference or requirement; [some local clubs and civic organizations offer awards to members regardless of high school or residency requirements](#)

Only one application is necessary to apply for all the scholarship funds administered by the  
**Lakes Region Scholarship Foundation.**

**Application deadline April 1, 2019**





## NOTICE TO RESIDENTS ON CURBSIDE COLLECTION ROUTES

There will be **NO DELAY** in curbside collection of trash on Monday February 18<sup>th</sup> Presidents' Day

**Monday's collections (and collections the remainder of the week) will be on their normal schedules.**

**Any questions, please call DPW  
@ 528-6379**

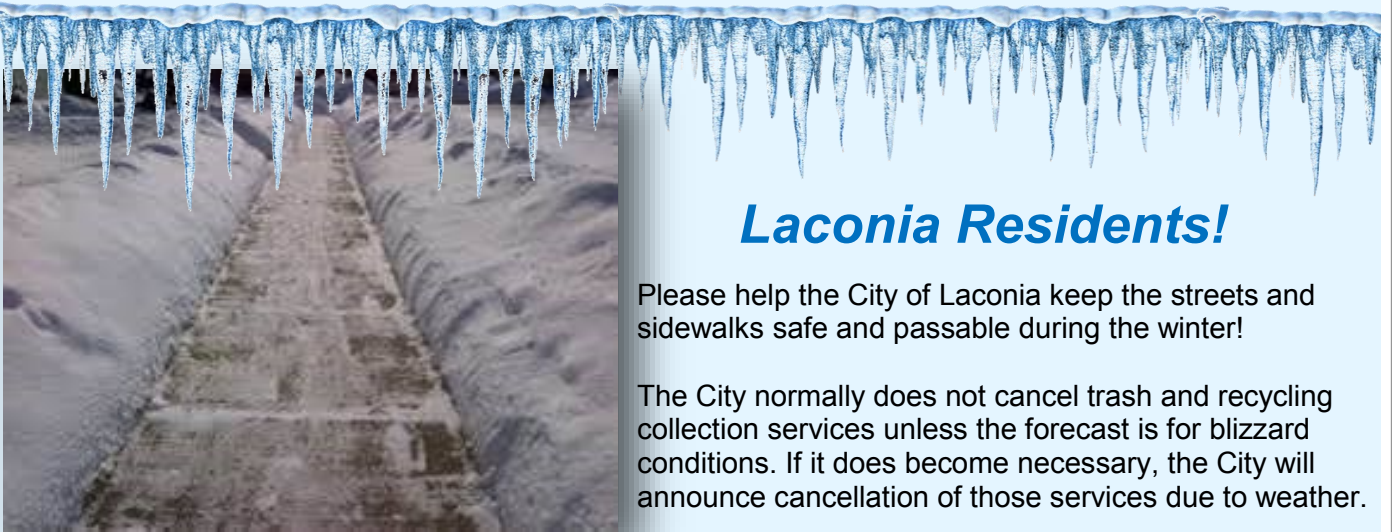


## Winter Parking Ban!

The City of Laconia's winter parking ban is in effect! From November 1st to May 1st no vehicle is allowed to be parked on a public street between the hours of 12:00 midnight and 6:30 a.m.

This parking ban allows our City vehicles to safely and effectively keep our streets passable during and after a winter storm. Failure to comply with the winter parking ban may result in your vehicle being towed at your expense.

*Thank you for your cooperation!*



## Laconia Residents!

Please help the City of Laconia keep the streets and sidewalks safe and passable during the winter!

The City normally does not cancel trash and recycling collection services unless the forecast is for blizzard conditions. If it does become necessary, the City will announce cancellation of those services due to weather.

During other winter storms when collections are not cancelled due to a storm, please do not place your trash or recycling containers on the sidewalk or at the curb. Your containers may be inadvertently damaged or knocked over by the plows or the snow coming off from the plows.

During storms Casella, the City's collection contractor, will empty containers that are left in areas behind sidewalks. Please consider putting them in your driveway. Thank you!

Questions? Please call the Department of Public Works at 528-6379.

*We appreciate your cooperation!*

# 90TH ANNUAL WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP SLED DOG DERBY FEBRUARY 15, 16, 17, 2019 LACONIA, NEW HAMPSHIRE



Unfortunately, the Sled Dog Races have been cancelled for this year due to the recent warm temperatures resulting in loss of snow, and unsafe trail conditions. We hope to see you next year!

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

**START/FINISH LINE** at the field at corner of Parade Rd and Old North Main St – across from  
Lakes Region Correction Facility

### THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 2019

7:00 PM – Starting Order Draw- Laconia Country Club  
Spectator Venue

### FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 2019

10:00 AM – Six-Dog Classic  
1:00 PM – Unlimited Class – World Championship Day 1

Public Welcome!

### SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 2019

10:00 AM – Six-Dog Classic  
12:00 noon – Three-Dog Junior  
1:30 PM – Unlimited Class – World Championship Day 2

### SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 2019

10:00 AM – Six-Dog Classic  
12:00 noon – Three-Dog Junior  
To be announced – One-Dog Junior  
1:30 PM – Unlimited Class – World Championship Day 3  
4:00 PM – Raffle & Awards Ceremony – Laconia  
Country Club Spectator Venue



ONLINE LIVE STREAMING !!!  
TUNE IN TO A LIVE BROADCAST  
OF THE EVENT:



Country Club Open to  
Public – Food, fire pit &  
trail views



RACE & EVENTS MANAGED BY THE LAKES REGION SLED DOG CLUB, INC.  
AND SUPPORTED BY LACONIA / LAKES REGION CITIZENS AND BUSINESS COMMUNITY  
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DAYS – (603) 524-4314 EVENINGS – (603) 524-8580

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*Have a great weekend!*



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