

Laconia Links

November 15, 2019 - Edition #413



Winter is coming! Don't forget that the Winter Parking Ban is now in effect (see below for details).

Small Business Saturday

Shop Your Local Neighborhood Stores



Small Business Saturday is November 30th!
Shop our local businesses owned by your friends and neighbors and support the local economy. Discover the unique businesses in our community that make Laconia special!



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

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



Winter Parking Ban!

The City of Laconia's winter parking ban is now 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!

EVENTS and Programs

Look what's happening at the Laconia Public Library!



Seasonal Coloring



Monday, November 18
10-11:30am

LACONIA PUBLIC LIBRARY • LACONIALIBRARY.ORG

Teen & Tween Craft: Sharpie Art & Snacks - Tiles



Wednesday, November 20
3pm

LACONIA PUBLIC LIBRARY • LACONIALIBRARY.ORG



Teen & Tween Event!
Mad Hatter Tea Party
Nov. 22
3:00 pm

Join us in Laconia Rotary Hall to decorate a Mad Hatter Hat and watch the movie!



Family Craft: Thankful Wreath Thursday, Nov. 21, 4 pm, Selig Storytime Room

Create a wreath that shows what you are thankful for! For families with children. Sign up in advance required. Call 524-4775, Ext. 13 or come into the Children's Room to sign up.

MONTHLY ADULT CRAFT: GLITTER ORNAMENTS

Tuesday, November 19
2pm or 6pm
Laconia Rotary Hall

Create a sparkly ornament for your holiday tree, or to give away as a gift. You can create the example design, or come up with one on your own. This is a quick and easy craft for all artistic skill levels. All materials provided; one clear bulb per patron.



Limit 12 each session. Sign up required.

Call 524-4775x12 or
email aalwyn@laconialibrary.org
to sign up.

Please call to let us know if you are unable to make it after signing up, as we expect a waiting list and it will open up a spot for another patron.

Coffee & Community Conversation Series



Rebecca Robichaud, Community Case Mgr. at Health-First, will discuss the services provided to the community. Refreshments provided! Contact Jill at 524-4775, Ext. 16 for more info.

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 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.

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

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.

Water Commission:

November 21, 2019, 8:00 am
117 Stark St., Water Treatment
Facility Conference Room
[Agenda](#)

Laconia Airport Authority

November 21, 2019, 4:00 pm
Airport Conference Room

Board of Library Trustees:

November 21, 2019, 5:30 pm
Laconia Public Library
Volpe Room

MEETINGS

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

Zoning Bd. of Adjustment:

November 18, 2019, 6:30 pm
[Agenda](#)

Parks & Rec Commission:

November 18, 2019, 7:00 pm
[Agenda](#)

Human Relations Committee - Martin Luther King Planning Subcommittee:

Nov. 20, 2019, 1 pm, Rm. 200B
[Agenda](#)

Police Commission:

November 20, 2019, 3:00 pm

Conservation Commission:

November 20, 2019, 6:00 pm



**LAKES
REGION
SYMPHONY
ORCHESTRA**
Benjamin Greene
Conductor

Holiday POPS Concerts

Saturday December 14, 7:30pm
Sunday December 15, 3:00pm
Inter-Lakes Auditorium
Rt. 25, Meredith, NH



Featuring vocalist
Michael Gallagan

TICKETS
\$20 Adult / \$10 Student
www.LRSO.org
800-838-3006
Meredith: Innisfree Bookshop
Laconia: Greenlaw's Music

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Christmas Fair



November 23rd
9:00 AM – 2:00 PM



- * Holiday Décor
- * Baked Goods
- * New Vendors
- * Gift Baskets
- * Jewelry
- * Books
- * Lunch
- * Santa
- * Gifts

Hope Ministries
First United Methodist Church
Wesley Way, Gilford NH
(Route 11A after the Bypass)
603 528- 3289

PLEASE NOTE NEW PICKUP DATES!!



Fall Leaf Collection
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Fall Leaf Collection

The weeks of:
November 4th
And
November 18th

→ ←

Collection will be on your normal trash collection day.

City contractor will pick up 10 compostable paper bags of leaves during these two weeks.

Public Works Department


Knowing what can be recycled and what is trash can be a challenge!

On November 12, 2019, NHPR's *The Exchange* show was on Garbage and Landfills, and it reviewed the challenges with recycling.

If you have questions on what is happening with recycling in New Hampshire and the nation, this show will help you understand the challenges New Hampshire, Laconia and other municipalities are experiencing with disposing of trash and recycling.

You can find information on the show at the following website.

<https://www.nhpr.org/programs/>



*Sunday
December 01, 2019*

Light-Up 2019
LACONIA

**New
Route!**



*Participate in the Light-Up Laconia Holiday Parade
as we celebrate the spirit of the season.*

Parade Date: December 01, 2019

Start Time: 4:30pm

Parade Route: Opechee Park - Stewart Park

Applications at www.celebratelaconia.org

Submit by November 22!

All businesses, organizations, & non-profits
are welcome to participate and showcase your holiday spirit!

Questions: connect@celebratelaconia.org | Facebook: Celebrate Laconia

Thank you to our local Supporters: Service Credit Union | ClearChoiceMD |

Best Western Plus | Binnie Media | Laconia Daily Sun | Liberty Title | Lakes Region Public Access |

104.9 The Hawk

LAKEPORT

Community Association

items as well as railroad history. The Association also maintains and does all of the seasonal decorating and beautification of Torrey Park as well as awarding tens of thousands of dollars in scholarships to Lakeport students.

The Association is currently facing some challenges it has never faced before. Its founding members have reached a time in their lives where they are no longer able to actively contribute and participate in fundraisers. For this reason, your help is needed.

The Freight House heating system has reached the end of its life and air conditioning is non-existent. This, added to the scholarships and other activities the Association supports, has put us in need of assistance. Your support is crucial to allow the Association's efforts to continue providing the services it has in the past. Please consider making a donation in any amount to help us achieve our mission and goals.

The Association thanks you in advance for your contribution. Your donation will go toward continued maintenance of the Freight House and Museum as well as our Scholarship Fund. Here are the ways you can make a donation:

- Make checks payable to Lakeport Community Association and mail to 15 Railroad Ave., Lakeport, NH 03246, Attention – Kevin
- Call Kevin Eastwood, President, Lakeport Community Association at (603) 527-1046

The Lakeport Community Association is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization and your donation may be tax deductible. *P.S. The last big fundraiser of the year is a Christmas Raffle. We have over \$2,100 in prizes to be raffled off this year! To thank you for any donation you may give, we will send you a raffle ticket to be entered into the drawing as our thanks.*



Laconia Band Boosters presents

First Annual Silent Auction!

Proceeds to benefit the Music Department's enrichment trip to Disney, April 2020

Friday, Nov 15, 2019

5:30-9:00 pm

LHS Gymnasium

Featuring over 200 items up for bid!

Reminder!

'When in doubt,
THROW
it out'

Curbside recycling will be picked up the
week of November 25, 2019

Remember: "Glass is Trash"



*Santa returns to the
Belknap Mill
December 1st!*



Pictures with Santa & Mrs. Claus
Festive Crafts
Adventures with Socks,
the Belknap Mill Elf

- Festive Funny Faces by Leonardo Da Elf
- Holiday Treats

Admission: \$10 for a group of 4,
\$3 for each additional person
Purchase Tickets in Advance [HERE](#)

Family Holiday Movie begins at 5:30pm
3rd Floor, Rose Chertok Gallery
Sponsored by Franklin Savings Bank

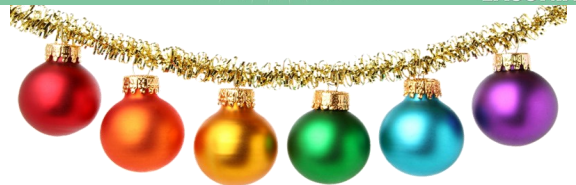
LIGHT-UP LACONIA HOLIDAY DECORATING COMPETITION

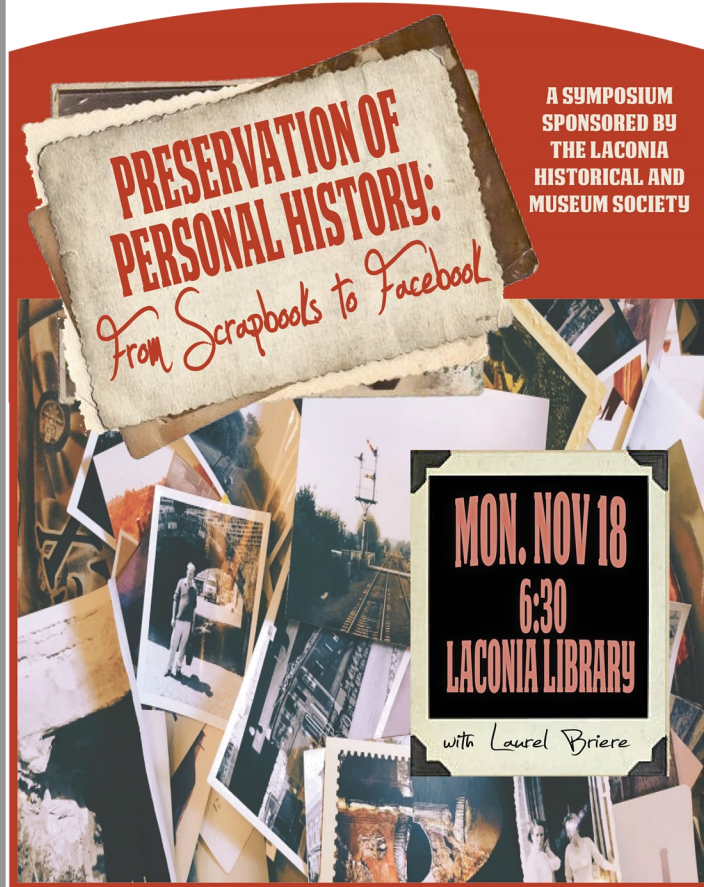
Applications now being accepted for the
Light-Up Laconia Holiday Decorating
Competition!



The deadline for receipt
of applications is
Friday, November 15th.

Applications can be found on the [Celebrate Laconia website](#).





**PRESERVATION OF
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From Scrapbooks to Facebook

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MON. NOV 18
6:30
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WWW.LACONIAHISTORY.ORG | 603.527.1278



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Holiday Craft Fair!
Bake sale ~ Raffle ~ Gift Wrapping

**ALL
ARE
WELCOME**

Friday
November 22, 2019
10 am—4 pm

719 North Main Street ~ Laconia NH ~ 03246

News From the Tax Dept...

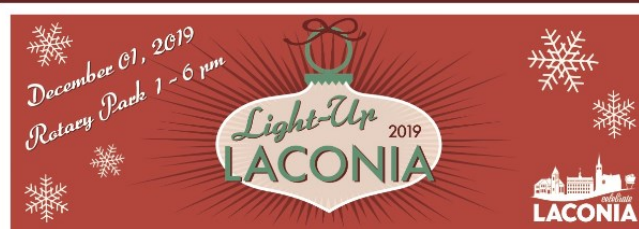
PROPERTY TAX BILLS WERE MAILED 11/14/19!

Property tax bills will were mailed on Thursday, November 14, 2019. They are due on December 16, 2019.

Payments are accepted by mail and at the counter in City Hall during normal business hours. Regular office hours are Monday – Friday 8:30-4:30; also, on the first and third Tuesdays of each month the Tax Office (and others) will be open until 6 pm. For your convenience outside of business hours there is a drop slot located on the side door of City Hall.

We are now accepting credit cards over the counter and online. Visa, MasterCard, American Express and Discover are accepted.

Convenience fees apply to all credit card transactions. Please call the Tax Office at 527-1269 if you have any questions.



December 01, 2019
Rotary Park 7-6 pm

**Light-Up
LACONIA** 2019

LACONIA

Carolers Wanted

Light-Up Laconia Holiday Festival
December 1, 2019

Groups of 5-50+ needed to perform for 30-minutes during the festival.

1:00-1:30 | 1:30-2:00 | 2:00-2:30 | 2:30-3:00
3:00-3:30 | 3:30-4:00 | 4:00-4:30

Sign up Today!



call Lori Harding (603) 677-7420
laharding@gmail.com

Gather your friends, have some fun sharing your favorite holiday carols and help us Light-Up Laconia with holiday cheer!


CELEBRATE LACONIA

P.O. Box 6502 Laconia, NH 03247-6502

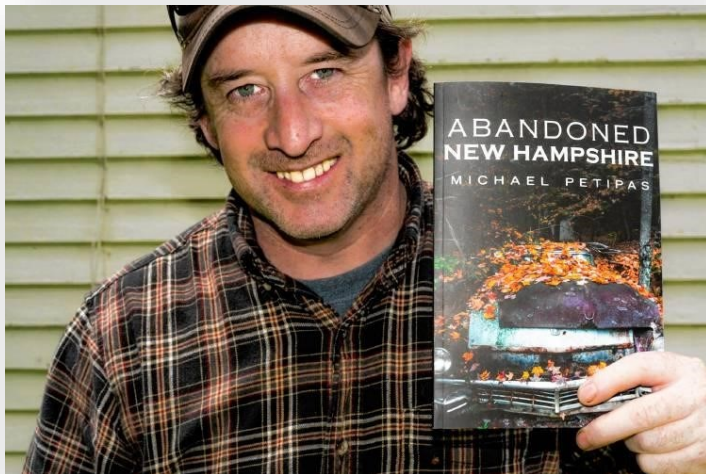
 Celebrate Laconia

 connect@celebrate-laconia.org

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 www.celebrate-laconia.org

Author Lecture: Abandoned New Hampshire, November 25



In "Abandoned New Hampshire," Author Mike Petipas captures his home state's past in the present through a collection of photographs. Let him take you through this visual journey in a presentation Monday, Nov. 25 at 6:30 p.m. in Taylor Community's Woodside Building.

All abandoned locations have a story to tell. Some are simply abandoned homes; others were once giants of industries that employed the majority of the people who lived around them. Local favorites such as the Colonial Theater hold a sense of nostalgia for local residents. Discover the beauty left in the wreckage and rubble of these old buildings before they disappear.

TED Talk: Innovating to Zero, November 26



Access to light and electricity is hugely empowering. How can we rapidly drive down carbon emissions, but also help meet rising global electricity demand? Leading philanthropists Bill and Melinda Gates are looking for an energy miracle to meet global electricity demands for 9 billion people in a zero carbon world by 2050.

Join us Tuesday, Nov. 26 at 1 p.m. in Taylor Community's Woodside Theater for this video presentation. 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 City Hall Extended Hours!

City Hall is now open for extended hours on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of each month!

The offices of the City Clerk, Tax Collector/ Licensing and Planning, Zoning & Code will be open until 6 pm for these two days. We hope you find these extended hours convenient. For questions or more information, please call the City Manager's Office at 527-1270.



Customer Service Survey Now Available!

Help us to better serve you! A Customer Service Survey is available on our website at www.laconianh.gov. Printed copies are available in most City departments. Please take a moment to provide your feedback! Questions? Please call the City Manager's Office at 527-1270. Thank you!



Engage. Empower. Inspire.

Active Parenting of Teens

For parents of teens and 'tweens

Purpose: To provide training and support for families experiencing the dynamic changes of teenage development and to help parents and other caregivers prepare teens and preteens to survive and thrive in a democratic society.

Active Parenting of Teens will give you the guidance and support you need to turn the challenges of raising a teenager into opportunities for growth.

You will learn:

- Methods of respectful discipline
- Skills for clear, honest communication
- Concrete strategies to prevent risky behavior
- How to be an encouraging parent
- Insight on issues such as teens online, bullying and depression



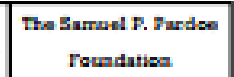
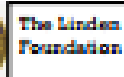
When: Tuesday evenings from 6:00-8:00 pm, Dinner served at 5:30pm.

6 week series begins November 26, 2019 (no classes 12/24 & 12/31)

Where: The Family Resource Center, 719 No. Main Street, Laconia, NH

To register: Contact Tricia T. at 528-0391 or e-mail tricia.tousignant@lrscs.org

Limited on-site childcare and assistance with transportation available upon request.





For Fire or Medical Emergencies Please Call 911!

The Laconia Fire Department has seen an increase recently of emergency calls coming directly into our fire stations, and not going through 911. It is important to remember that the fire station does not house the fire dispatch center, and if all of our personnel are out of the building there will not be anyone there to answer the phone. This could delay getting you help. The best way to receive fire and ambulance services in the case of an emergency is to dial 911. They will answer your call, assist you as needed, and rapidly transfer you to a dispatch center so appropriate personnel and apparatus can be sent.

Thank you for your attention to this important matter!

Chief Kirk Beattie
Laconia Fire Department

**IN CASE OF
EMERGENCY
CALL 911**



Opechee Garden Club Prepares for Annual Greens Sale

The Opechee Garden Club has begun planning their annual Greens Sale which will take place on Saturday December 7th, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Leavitt Park Clubhouse, 334 Elm St, Laconia.

Orders have been placed for Balsam wreaths, handmade in New Hampshire, and various holiday greens which will be transformed into unique decorations by Club members.

Wreaths will be available for sale in various sizes, both decorated and undecorated. In addition, Club members will design and make original holiday centerpieces to complete your Christmas decor.

Providing additional inspiration at the November Opechee Garden Club meeting was Susan Brown, owner of Lakes Region Floral Studio in Laconia. Sue demonstrated various techniques for using native plants, along with store bought items to create one of a kind holiday decorations.

Pictured above (left to right) are Club President Helen Murphy, Susan Brown, Owner Lakes Region Floral Studio and Hollis Thompson, Event Chair.

Funds raised are used to support charitable efforts in the local area. These efforts include Lakes Region Scholarship Fund and Civic Gardens. If you are interested in joining the Opechee Garden Club, please send an email to Opecheegardenclub2012@gmail.com.





GROWING DOWNTOWN LACONIA NOVEMBER 18 – 5PM

Small Business Owner Perspectives

Entrepreneurship is the backbone of our community, and Laconia is home to numerous small businesses. Come listen to and interact with five business owners and leaders as they share their stories of why they chose Laconia, what their vision is for Downtown Laconia, and what goals and obstacles they have for their future.

Moderated by Dr. Larissa Baia, President of Lakes Region Community College

Lakes Region Community College – Academic Commons

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Wayfarer Coffee
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Reuben Bassett
Owner Burrito Me and
Local Eatery

Melissa McCarthy
Owner The Studio

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Owner Polished & Proper

Karmen Gifford
President Lakes Region
Chamber of Commerce

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November 18 – 5pm
Academic Commons

11th Annual.
**Holiday
Bazaar**

**SATURDAY,
DECEMBER 14th**
9AM - 3PM
25 Beacon Street E. Laconia, NH

Belknap Mill
ARTS • HISTORY • EDUCATION

Competition at:
The Laconia Middle School

What: A Free Throw Competition
for boys and girls ages 8 to 13.
The age cutoff date is as of
April 1, 2020. This program is
FREE to all contestants.

The Annual Elks Hoop Shoot

Date: November 17, 2019

Registration: 8:30 - 9:00 am
Competition: 9:00 - 12:00 pm

Laconia Elks Lodge

There is an awards ceremony and
luncheon immediately following the
competition. The Ceremony and luncheon
will take place at the Laconia Elks Lodge.



At
Congregational Church
of Laconia
Veterans Square & Pleasant St.

Saturday Nov. 23

9:00 am to 2:00 pm

Lunch served 11:30 to 1:00 pm

Christmas Market . . .

Silent Auction
Ornaments
Cookie Walk



Light Up the Belknap Mill for the Holidays



Celebrate a memory, a special event or a special person by giving a gift of light. Purchase your light beginning 11/1 and help light up the Belknap Mill.

All proceeds will support the Belknap Mill's Programming in 2020.

GLOWING SPONSOR

\$25.00

**Candle Light*

SHIMMERING SPONSOR

\$75.00

**Candle Light*

**1 year, \$50.00 membership*

"Friend of the Mill"

SPARKLING SPONSOR

\$150.00

**Candle Light*

**1 year, \$100 membership*

"Legacy Advocate"

**Entry into drawing for 1st public VIP "Hard Hat" Tour of renovated Rose Chertok Gallery Spring 2020*

Limit 12

ILLUMINATING SPONSOR

\$500.00

**Candle Light in perpetuity*

**Restoration of 1 historic clerestory window on the 4th floor of the Belknap Mill*

Limit 36 windows

**All sponsorships include acknowledgement in the Laconia Daily Sun, on the Belknap Mill's Facebook page, and a personalized recognition card to the recipient of your choice.*





This year's Christmas Village is coming soon to the Community Center!

Dec. 5th, 6-8 pm

Dec. 6, 6-8 pm

Dec. 7th, 2-5 pm

Dec. 8th, 2-5 pm

Free with donations accepted and appreciated. Pictures available for \$3.



Holiday Decorating Begins At the Belknap Mill!

With a little help from our friends from Laconia Rotary Club and our new volunteer, Nathan Cheney, the Belknap Mill begins its holiday transformation!

Candle lights in the windows, decorated Christmas trees throughout the building, and festive decorations set the stage for our holiday programming that runs through December. We invite you to visit us this holiday season and enjoy our Mill during this most special time of the year!



Thankful for a Home Open House

Black Friday - November 29, 2019

Noon - 5:00 PM

NH Humane Society



This Black Friday, you are invited to visit us at the NH Humane Society Shelter at 1305 Meredith Center Road to meet our adoptable animals, shop for NHHS gear and a few local, pet-friendly vendors, and enjoy a bake sale and hot cider! If you are looking to adopt, we will have all of our adoption counselors on hand to help you through the process. If you are just looking for a few snuggles and some shopping and snacking to kick-off the holiday season, we'd love to see you! We'll also have a giant stocking hanging in the lobby if you'd like to bring in a donation for the animals. Our wish list can be found here: <https://nhhumane.org/donate/wish-list>

Our yesterdays

Our thanks to Warren D. Huse, the Laconia Historical and Museum Society, and the Laconia Daily Sun for providing a glimpse into our community's past....



THEN . . .

Billboards lined the east side of Union Avenue, near a hill of sand and gravel (inset) between the avenue and the south end of Mechanic Street, in 1925. Tracks of the Laconia Street Railway are visible in front of the billboards. (Laconia Historical and Museum Society)



. . . AND NOW

The sand and gravel was removed from the site in 1944 in preparation for construction of a new Cantin Chevrolet on Union Avenue after World War II. The sand and gravel was used to fill in land on Bisson Avenue and elsewhere. In both photos, the entrance to Mechanic Street is off-photo at right. (Adam Drapcho/The Laconia Daily Sun)

Lakes Region Community College Open House Scheduled for Nov. 16

Lakes Region Community College will host an open house Sat., Nov. 16, featuring campus and housing tours, financial aid guidance, program information, and much more. The program will start at 9 am and ends at noon. Admission is free, and faculty and staff representing each program and department will be on hand to answer questions and help prospective students through the process, from start to finish.

"This event is the perfect opportunity for anyone interested in LRCC to come and see what the College has to offer, ask questions, and meet our faculty and staff," said Joyce Larson, Director of Enrollment and Onboarding. "The Open House is a great way for prospective students to explore options for enrolling for our upcoming Spring semester, or to start next fall. We offer the lowest tuition in the state, as well as a high-quality education that is also transferrable to many four-year schools." Special workshops on financial aid and career exploration will be available. Classrooms and labs on the campus will be open for viewing. Registration begins at 8:30 am. To preregister, go to www.lrcc.edu/openhouse.

Lakes Region Community College offers many associate degree and certificate programs, including Business, Accounting, Culinary Arts, Hotel and Restaurant Operations, Electrical, Automotive, Nursing, Graphic Design, Advanced Manufacturing, and Fire Science, just to name a few. In addition, LRCC provides a strong background in Liberal Arts for students who choose to do their first two years at a community college and then transfer to a four-year college or university for a baccalaureate degree. Business and industry training programs are also available. Lakes Region Community College is a fully-accredited, comprehensive community college located in the Lakes Region of New Hampshire and serves over 1,200 students annually. LRCC is part of the Community College System of New Hampshire. For more information, contact the Admissions Office at 366-5210.

We hope to see you there!



Join us for our
Hazel Duke
Thanksgiving Dinner



It's Free!




To make reservations call
603.524.0668 by November 25

Thanksgiving Day ~ Nov. 28
Starting at 11:00 a.m.

**At Congregational Church of Laconia
corner of Pleasant & Veterans Square**

Toy Box Donation Drive

 **December 01, 1pm-6pm** at Rotary Park
during the Light-Up Laconia Holiday Festival 

 **Brighten the holidays for
Laconia children.**  

Winter Clothing | Toys | Games |
Electronics | Gift Cards |

Ages: Infant - 16

No food or perishables

Used items will not be accepted

Donations will be going to Laconia
agencies, serving children in need.


Light-Up 2019
LACONIA

Holiday Festival

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Look What's Happening at the Belknap Mill!

National Sock Day

Wednesday, December 4th



The Belknap Mill Celebrates National Sock Day!!

In honor of National Sock Day, we celebrate the history of our Mill. The Belknap Mill kept feet in every part of the world warm at one time or another. During World War I & II our soldiers needed warm dry socks and the Mill provided them. In the spirit of community, the Belknap Mill will be collecting quality socks of all sizes, for men, women and children, through the month of November. All socks collected by National Sock Day, December 4th, will be donated to New Beginnings, the Carey House and Belknap House.

Socks may be dropped off Monday-Friday 9:00 am-5:00 pm and Saturdays 9:00 am-4:00 pm.

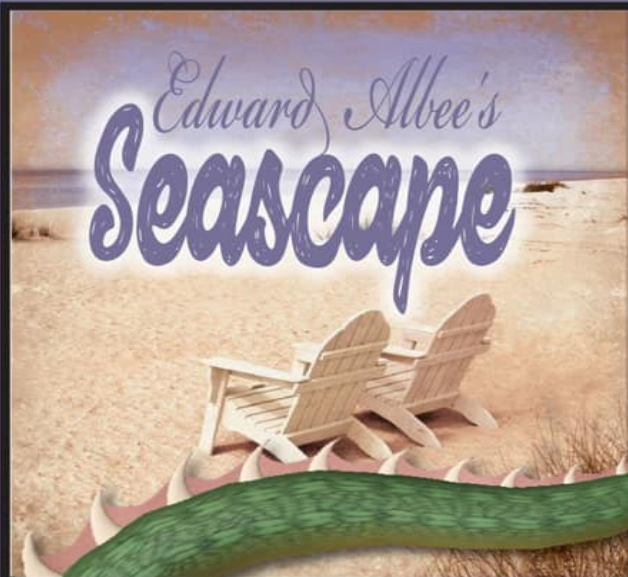


Grammy Award Winning Guitarist Ed Gerhard December 7, 2019

Ed will perform a pre-holiday concert with a mix of non-holiday and Christmas favorites. A great family event, all ages are welcome!

Admission \$25.00. All tickets will be held at the door. Tickets are available at the League of NH Craftsmen in Meredith & Greenlaw's Music in Laconia. Purchase tickets online [here](#) or call the box office at 664-7200.

The annual food drive for the Laconia Area Food Pantry will be held again this year. Please consider bringing a non-perishable food item to donate.



A STAGED READING AT THE BELKNAP MILL | LACONIA

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THE LAW OFFICE OF DAVID H. BOWNES, P.C.

DEC 6 - 7PM
DEC 8 - 2PM

**AN IMAGINATIVE
PULITZER PRIZE WINNING
COMEDIC DRAMA**

Edward Albee's Seascape is presented by special arrangement with Dramatists Play Service, Inc., New York.





**Don't forget !
ServiceLink
Resource Center
(1-866-634-9412 or
528-6945)....it's the first
number to call for
senior services.**

Help with your Heating and Electric Costs!

You may be eligible for help with your energy bills. The Fuel Assistance Program will help pay your winter heating bills and the Electric Assistance Program can provide a discount on your electric bill if eligible. Please call the Area Center nearest you for more information or to make an appointment to apply. Home visits and mail-in applications are available for those unable to come in to a center.

**Concord Area Center – 225-6880
Laconia Area Center – 524-5512
Meredith Area Center – 279-4096
Franklin Area Center – 934-3444
Warner Area Center – 456-2207
Suncook Area Center – 485-7824**



***Laconia Senior Center is located at
17 Church Street in Laconia.
Questions? Call 524-7689***

***We hope you have enjoyed this
Edition of Laconia Links***

***We welcome your input, comments
and suggestions!***

Feel free to contact us at the
City Manager's office, 527-1270,
or by e-mail at info@laconianh.gov

Have a great weekend!



**Scott Myers,
City Manager
City's Website:
www.laconianh.gov**



CITY OF LACONIA PHONE DIRECTORY

Airport	524-5003
<i>Airport Manager: Marv Everson</i>	
Assessing	527-1268
City Clerk.....	527-1265
<i>City Clerk - Cheryl Hebert</i>	
City Manager	527-1270
<i>City Manager - Scott Myers</i>	
Code Enforcement.....	527-1293
<i>Planning & Zoning Dir. - Dean Trefethen</i>	
Conservation	527-1264
Finance	524-3877
<i>Finance Director - Glenn Smith</i>	
Licensing	528-6331
<i>Licensing - Lindsey Allen</i>	
Planning & Comm. Dev.	527-1264
<i>Planning & Zoning Dir. - Dean Trefethen</i>	
Fire Dept. (Central Station)	524-6881
Fire Dept. (Weirs Station)	366-2229
<i>Fire Chief - Kirk Beattie</i>	
Library	524-4775
<i>Library Director - Randy Brough</i>	
Parks & Recreation.....	524-5046
<i>Parks & Rec. Director - Amy Lovisek</i>	
Personnel	524-3877
<i>Personnel Administrator - Paula Baumel</i>	
Police (Administration)	524-5257
Police (Crime Line)	524-1717
<i>Police Chief - Matthew Canfield</i>	
Public Works (Main Office)	528-6379
Public Works (Transfer Station)	528-5822
<i>Public Works Director - Wes Anderson</i>	
Tax.....	527-1269
<i>Tax Collector - Lindsey Allen</i>	
Water.....	524-0901
<i>Superintendent - Seth Nuttelman</i>	
Welfare.....	527-1267
<i>Welfare Specialist - Gail Denio</i>	

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