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GREENFIELD RECREATION

Call 547-2985 for more info.

MUSIC ON THE COMMON

Two Concerts Left
This Summer!

**August 2nd
Tattoo**

6:30

**August 9th
Off the Cuff**

6:30 pm

Hotdogs & Ice Cream
Available

NEW DPW DIRECTOR HIRED

As you may have noticed, a new Department of Public Works Director has been hired. His name is Tim Murray and he's been on the job for the last four weeks. Tim hails from Merrimack and has a background in construction. His background includes being a supervisor overseeing large projects and experience in snowplowing. He is well versed in safety issues and regulations, and holds a Class A CDL license. We are very lucky to have hired Tim and we look forward to having him around for many years.

Tim and the Department have been scrambling to catch up on all the work that needs to be done this summer. The Slip Road culvert is done, some grading has been done, another culvert on Holden Road is done, and the playground equipment is being installed. Please be patient. If your road needs attention, just kindly let the Department know at 547-3504. They will get to it as soon as humanly possible. And as for Tim, he's the tall, slim, guy who is out with the crew. He's often in shorts so when you see him, give him a wave and a smile to make him welcome here in our town.

This Issue's Sponsor

Greenfield Harness and Drawbar Club

see backcover

THANK YOU

I wish to express a heartfelt thank you to the many residents, co-workers, friends, volunteers and numerous Board members for their support of my personal and professional growth for more than a decade.

While so many opportunities have allowed me to make a difference in the operation of the Town of Greenfield, it has also provided me with the skills to take on new tasks. I have chosen to resign my position with Greenfield and take a job elsewhere. Though I will miss working for the Town of Greenfield, I am looking forward to new challenges and to starting a new phase of my career.

Most Sincerely,
Debra Davidson



The Greenfield Spirit

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To submit articles to the Spirit:

E-mail text to: greenfieldnhbos@myfairpoint.net, or drop off typed articles to the Town Offices. Also, please send in photos, articles, announcements, news of the town, poems, drawings, historical info, letters to the editor, etc., with the name of the writer and/or photographer. Thanks!

Sponsor the Spirit

If you'd like to sponsor an issue of the Greenfield Spirit, please call 547-3442. The cost is low, and it's a great way to get the word out about your business or group, as well as an easy way to support your community. Interest has been so great that we now have a sign-up form to keep everyone's turn organized. Please call the Town Office for rates and to get on the list.

Ad rates and sizes are available from the
Town Office.

DEADLINES

September 1st for the Oct/Nov Issue

November 1st for the Dec/Jan Issue.

January 1st for Feb/Mar Issue.

March 1st for the Apr/May Issue.

May 1st for the Jun/Jul Issue.

July 1st for the Aug/Sep Issue.

SPIRIT DEADLINE

**September 1, 2011
for the Oct/Nov Issue
Will cover events between
October 1 to November 30, 2011**

If you wish to get your news into the Spirit, make sure you send or deliver your information to the Town Office by September 1st. This is a firm deadline.

If you choose to send your information via e-mail, please send it to:

greenfieldnhbos@myfairpoint.net

If your article is a long one and you don't have e-mail, please supply a typed copy. If you have any questions, please call the Town Office at 547-3442 or Karen Day at 547-2985.

TOWN DIRECTORY

EMERGENCY NUMBERS

DIAL 911

POLICE/FIRE/AMBULANCE
DIAL 911 or 352-1100

TOWN OFFICES

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Executive Select Board meetings are **every other Thursday at 6:30 pm unless otherwise posted**. Select Board: Aaron Kullgren, Chair, Karen Day and Rob Wimpory

Town Offices open to the public - Mon.-Thurs 9am - 5pm. Closed to the public on Friday.

Please call for an appointment during closed hours.

Catherine Shaw, Accounting
Tel: 547-3442 Fax: 547-3004
Email: greenfieldnhbos@myfairpoint.net

BUDGET COMMITTEE

Call 547-3442

BUILDING INSPECTOR

Insp's by Appt/as needed
Inspector - Peter Hopkins 547-3449
Cell: 582-9521
Email: pwhopkins4@netzero.com

CONSERVATION COMMISSION AND OPEN SPACE COMMITTEE

Meets 4th Wed. of the Month at 7:30 pm
Chair: Carol Irvin Tel: 547-2037
Email: Clrvin@mathematica-mpr.com

DEPT. OF PUBLIC WORKS

DPW Director: Tim Murray
Tel: 547-3504
Email: greenfield.nh.dpw@myfairpoint.net

GREENFIELD WEBMASTER:

Catherine Shaw Tel: 547-3442
Email: greenfieldnhacct@myfairpoint.net

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Business Mtg. 1st Tues of month at 7pm
Training 2nd & 3rd Tues of month at 7pm
Equipment check 4th Tues of month at 7pm
Chief: Loren White H: 547-6874
W: 673-2601 Cell: 562-5007
Office: 547-3501 Fax: 547-6396
Emergency Dispatch: 352-1100 or 911
Email: ldw13@myfairpoint.net

FOR BURN PERMITS CALL:

Cliff Russell, Warden - 547-2722
Deputies:
Lennie Weeks, 547-2206 or 325-2838
Vinnie Anuso, 547-5226
Al Burt, 547-3839

LIBRARY

Monday 12pm - 8:00 pm,
Wednesday 10:30 am to 8 pm,
Friday 10:30 to 5 pm
Librarian - Gail Smith Tel: 547-2790
Monthly meetings at the library
Library Trustees 1st Wed at 7:00 pm
Friends of the Library 3rd Wed 7pm
Email: stephensonlib@myfairpoint.net

PLANNING BOARD

Meetings 2nd & 4th Mon. each month 7pm
At the Town Offices. Normally the 2nd Mon. meeting is for hearings and the 4th Mon. meeting is for other business.
Chair: Gil Morris Tel: 547-3737
Email: morrismailact@myfairpoint.net

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Brian Giammarino, Chief
Office: 547-2535 Dispatch: 547-2525
Email: greenfieldnhpolice@myfairpoint.net

RECYCLING CENTER

Hours: Tuesday 8:00 to 12:00 pm
Thursday 1:00 to 7:00 pm
Saturday 8:00 to 4:00 pm
Stickers for residents at the Town Office.
Supervisor: Carol Burgess Tel: 547-8617

SCHOOL BOARD REP: John Gryval
jgryval@conval.edu

TOWN CLERK (Registrations)

Mon. 6:00 to 7:30 pm
Thurs. 9am to noon and 6pm to 7:30pm
1st & 3rd Sat. from 9:00 to noon
Town Clerk - Dee Sleeper
Tel: 547-2782 Fax: 547-2782
greenfieldnhct@myfairpoint.net

TAX COLLECTOR

Mon. 1:00pm to 7:30pm
Thursday 6:00pm to 7:30pm
3rd Saturday 9:00am to Noon
Tax Collector - Kathleen Valliere
Tel: 547-2782 Fax: 547-2782
Email: greenfieldnhtaxes@myfairpoint.net

WELFARE DEPT.

Welfare Director: Pat LaPree
Walk-in Hours: Tues- 3-5 pm
Email: greenfieldnhwelfare@gmail.com
For Appts: 547-3442
Emergency assist: Call Police at 547-2525

ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

Chair: John Gryval Please call the Town Office for information Tel: 547-3442

MEMORIAL DAY THANK YOU!

Thank you to everyone who helped make our Memorial Day activities a huge success.

A special thank you to Jane Rossi, Peggy Robbins, and The Greenfield Harness and DrawBar Club for organizing the delicious luncheon and to the Givers for providing the usual delectable delights at the Ice Cream Social. Feedback received was positive and a few important improvements will certainly be addressed next year. And lastly, but never least, we will never forget our fallen heroes.

Thanks again.

Adele Hale

HISTORICAL SOCIETY NEWS

THE UTILITY SHED HAS A HOME!
Our shed raffle generated lots of interest this spring. It seemed as though everyone wanted this little building so generously donated to us by New England Forest Products. The shed was moved to the Museum front yard last fall by Board member Frank Shea and volunteer, Lee "Kugi" Clough, to give folks the opportunity to look it over up close. Neal Brown of Greenfield was the lucky winner in the drawing. He, in turn, has donated the structure to the GIVERS Community Gardens located behind the town office building. Chuck Setaro, owner of Chuck's Auto, offered to use his truck to transport the shed to its new site free of charge.

The Historical Society thanks all who donated and supported us through this fund raiser. There will be more events as we continue working toward our goal of raising a barn on our museum site. Donations are always welcomed toward the goal of \$60,000; to date, we are nearly halfway there.

THE LURE OF THE RAILS

Going through some photos taken around town a couple of years back, pictures involving Greenfield's railroad were noted. One depicts the square stone post with a "W" inscribed on it. This post is across from the Fire Station and the Greenfield Commons complex.

The initial "W" let the train's engineer know to sound the whistle as the train approached the road crossings in that area. The other photo shows the round crossbuck RR sign posted to warn motorists of the railroad crossing just ahead. School buses, propane, and other specialty trucks must stop at the tracks in order for their drivers to "look and listen" before proceeding. It is the law for such vehicles.

For town and state highway plow truck drivers, these tracks could wreak havoc on the plows and trucks. Plows and wings will often catch on the rails and this causes the truck to stall or the plow to bounce over. Sometimes the truck, all sixteen tons of it, even slides along the tracks. If the truck hits the tracks hard enough, bolts or rivets break or the large plow frame is twisted into a pretzel.

Our town history indicates how important the railroad was in the daily life of Greenfield in its earlier days. It transported milk and other farm products, soapstone, ice from the ice houses, summer vacationing passengers, winter skiing enthusiasts, and even high school students!

Knowing that folks are still fascinated by the railroad, the Greenfield Historical Society is excited about its next "big event".

ALL ABOARD !

THE GREENFIELD HISTORICAL SOCIETY is sponsoring the FIRST ANNUAL GREENFIELD RAILROAD SHOW

Please join us on August 20, 2011 at the Meeting House in the center of town from 10 AM until 4 PM

There is no charge to set up a display. There will be many railroad displays inside the Meeting House as well as displays of railroad equipment outside the Meeting House AND on the tracks across from the Historical Society Museum.

RAILROAD FLEA MARKET
inside the Meeting House.

For table rental, call Dale Russell (547-3377) or Frank Shea (547-2181).

A "KIDDIE RIDE" will appeal to young railroad fans.

Coffee and food will be for sale throughout the day.

Admission will be by donation at all locations.

All monies raised will be used for the "NEW" Historical Society Barn Building.

Another event, in the planning for October, puts a contemporary "spin" on an occasion popular over the years. Auctions have long been a chance to offer treasured items or needed services while having fun acquiring something "new" for yourself. As you are downsizing, ridding yourself of some fine "stuff", set aside something for this affair. Be creative about the type of service you might offer...a week-end at your camp, dinner for eight, a half-day of carpentry/ fix-it skills, a week of casseroles, transport to the airport, brochure design, a basket of your garden's harvest, a cord of wood, ETC. We are hoping that the team from Knotty Pine Auctions will be available to add a bit of professional flair to this evening. Look for future announcements about this autumn event.

Remember that the museum is open the last Saturday of the months of August and September from 11 AM to 1 PM or by appointment. (Just call me at 547-2198 to arrange a time.) To become a member, or to renew your membership, please call Jane at 547 - 2759.

Lenny Cornwell

SIXTH ANNUAL MONADNOCK WELLNESS FESTIVAL SEPTEMBER 24

The Monadnock Rotary Club announced today that the Sixth Annual Monadnock Wellness Festival will be held this year on Saturday, September 24, from 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM in downtown Peterborough. This year's free, fun-filled event's theme "Wellness ... Your best friend!" is intended as an

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open invitation for everyone to join us for a day of information and activities related to health maintenance and prevention for both humans and our pets. The annual Festival is offering free health screenings, a broad array of health-focused vendor exhibits, educational programming, entertainment, and activities for people of all ages. The popular screening for pain management will return as well as free massage demonstrations. New this year is a Dog Parade and Pet Fest, promising the most fun on four legs!

There will also be a series of food demonstrations, focused on helping busy families find creative ways to make healthy and tasty meals. Area chefs have been invited to participate and will offer ideas for affordable, quick, simple, and convenient meal planning. There will also be new programming that helps us understand the health connections between people and pets, especially dogs. The Pet Fest will focus on free sessions on agility, safety, therapy and pet health. Your best friends will receive free samples of food and other treats--and more. Pet owners will have access to a wide range of information and tips about dogs and other pets.

Building on the success of its Souper Soup fest, the Wellness Festival again will offer the opportunity for attendees to sample savory and healthy soups and breads in a fun and delicious soup competition. The Soupiest promises to be a great way for local restaurants, service organizations, and individuals to show off their best culinary and nutritional skills. Attendees can enjoy samples of the best soup the Monadnock Region has to offer and the chance to cast their votes for "Best Soup" and "Best Presentation." Prizes will be awarded at the close of the event. 100% of all donations for entry to the Soup Fest will go to the Monadnock Food Pantry this year.

Space is still available for exhibitors, as well as soup and bread makers, to participate. For more information and exhibitor registration forms, go to "<http://www.monadnockrotary.org/wellness>" www.monadnockrotary.org/wellness. Exhibitors find this an effective way to reach community members about their health-related product or service. The Festival is especially seeking exhibitors and participants from Greenfield to ensure representation from across the Monadnock region.

This festive, annual tradition is a fun way to get ideas and information for enjoying a healthy lifestyle all year long. Free screenings include a variety of tests provided by the Monadnock Community Hospital, Home Healthcare, Hospice and Community Services, and Jane, Edstrom & Ainslie. The upstairs of the Town House will be filled with health-oriented exhibitors featuring a wide range of interesting and interactive offerings and demonstrations-including holistic and natural options. The Red Cross Bloodmobile will be open to the public on Grove Street.

In addition to providing a fun and interesting day of celebrating good health, all net proceeds generated by the Monadnock Wellness Festival are used to benefit local and international health-related services. Thanks to community participation and the support of Festival sponsors and

exhibitors, the primary beneficiary of this year's event will be Monadnock Healthy Teeth to Toes program. The Monadnock Healthy Teeth to Toes (MHTTT) program exemplifies a holistic approach to wellness for children through an interactive educational program.

For the latest information, visit the Monadnock Wellness Festival website at <http://www.monadnockrotary.org/wellness>.

The Monadnock Rotary Club, a member club of Rotary International, serves the greater Monadnock Region. Its mission is to provide community service, with a special focus on youth development and health advocacy for people of all ages, locally and internationally. The Club meets Tuesdays at the Dublin Community Church, 7:30 AM. For more information, visit www.monadnockrotary.org/.

Rotary International is a worldwide organization of business and professional leaders that provides humanitarian service, encourages high ethical standards in all vocations, and helps build goodwill and peace in the world. Approximately 1.2 million Rotarians belong to more than 32,000 clubs in more than 200 countries and geographical areas.

Kevin McElhinney
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RECYCLING CENTER NEWS

Summer has arrived along with many picnics, day trips, vacations, cookouts, boating, and of course - going to the beach. There are many fun activities this time of year to enjoy with friends and family in the outdoors, but the end result of all these events is: Trash! It multiplies during this season requiring us to be more diligent about recycling. Here is an idea to make it easier and to help our little ones learn where to put items; use bright colored totes or tubs. For example green is glass, purple is plastic, apple (red) is aluminum and pink is paper.

Here are a few facts:

- ♦ New England tipping fees are among the highest in the country. This is the fee charged to dispose of our trash, whether it is at a landfill or incinerator.
- ♦ Trash and dumpsters cause 12.5% of all fires in the United States.

Do you know?

- ♦ Every month, we throw out enough glass bottles and jars to fill up a giant skyscraper. All of these jars are recyclable!
- ♦ A single quart of motor oil, if disposed of improperly, can contaminate up to 2,000,000 gallons of fresh water.

Wanted:

At the present we are in need of several tools to make our work easier: a workbench vice, large wire cutters and a hand grinder. If you have a usable item, your donation would be much appreciated.

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Recycling continued

Other Items:

REMINDER: Open hours are: Tuesday 8 AM to Noon, Thursday 1 PM to 7 PM, Saturday 8 AM to 4 PM.

The information on Hazardous Waste Collection dates is posted on the bulletin board, as well as "take home" sheets on a clipboard next to the bulletin board.

Other Information of Interest:

Please remember no paint cans are to be disposed of unless checked first. The lids must be off and the cans must be empty. Please take notice of the signs at each recycling table that tell you what items go into that particular window. We have set up the aluminum a new way inside and it is important you take time to place the aluminum and steel in the correct windows. There is a container to collect Box Tops for Education by the glass window. The school collects them and uses the money to fund various projects. On the shelf underneath this container you can place clean paper egg cartons. People who have laying hens can take the cartons for their eggs.

Packing Peanuts: I am going to set up a large tote for collecting these for anyone who needs them for shipping. PLEASE have the peanuts in a plastic bag and tied shut before depositing them into the tote. This will also help keep the grounds free of litter. Please remember that the formed styrofoam used in packing must go into the trash.

A few quick reminders:

MINI MALL: Please remember to check with me before leaving any items. Please put glass items on the new deeper shelving. NO electronics, clothing, or furniture allowed. Your attention to neatness is appreciated. Please empty boxes and set items on the shelves.

USED OIL: I have a few empty 5-gallon containers to put used oil in, if interested just ask me for them. Please remember oil that is contaminated with antifreeze, gasoline or any other foreign substance is considered Hazardous Waste. Any contaminated oil left here will cost the town for its disposal. Please be careful, someone has already made this expensive mistake once.

METAL PILE: There are fees associated with certain items that go in this area. NO fire extinguishers, propane tanks of any size, oil filters, or wood, in the metal pile. If you have these items please talk with me and I will gladly let you know where to place them. A second 55-gallon drum has been placed at the metal pile for small nails, screws and small metal pieces to keep them off the ground. Please use it for such items. Please do not climb on the metal pile, it is not safe or practical to do this.

BICYCLES & LAWN MOWERS: These are being separated from the metal pile so they are more accessible if anyone is interested in them. I am working on having bicycle racks made. Lawn mowers MUST have the oil and gasoline drained before they can be left here.

BURN PILE: Please remember the 5" rule. No logs over 5" can be left on the premises. No plywood, treated lumber, painted or stained lumber, or laminates of any sort can be left

in the burn pile. This is part of the state law on burning at Transfer/Recycling Centers. Please when you bring brush pile it together like a teepee. This makes burning it much more efficient.

COMPACTOR: NO ashes, electronics, metal, wood, or recyclables should be put into the trash compactor. A TV was thrown into the trash last weekend but luckily we were able to retrieve it. Every pound that goes into the compactor costs the town money. Please recycle these things correctly.

MIXED PAPER: Please sort the corrugated cardboard out of the mixed paper. Remember if it tears it goes into mixed paper. The stiff inner rolls from carpets, paper rolls and such can go into mixed paper. All kitty litter boxes go into mixed paper.

ALUMINUM CANS: If you have large trash bags (15+ gal.) of aluminum cans, you can put the whole bag thru the window. Then we can empty them directly into the baler. PLEASE do your best to empty and rinse the cans.

PLASTICS: Please leave the lids on oil containers and I will finish draining them inside.

- I cannot recycle plastic bags of any sort or styrofoam food or meat trays.

- If you do not completely use and rinse all of the laundry soap out of the bottles, then please leave the cap on and we will drain it inside. This residue causes a very slippery worktable and floor.

- Remember to rinse all containers, and also dispose of any container with food still in it.

TIN/STEEL CANS: All aerosol cans (aluminum or steel) will go in this window. Here are some exceptions that do not go in this window: paint cans, insecticide spray cans, metal pans, hangers, pieces of steel, rusty old tools. Yes these items are made of steel but they are considered light iron, which is not the same make up as steel food cans. Please ask and I will help you.

ELECTRONICS: There is a new electronics trailer on site. Please remember there are fees associated with these items. There is also a new way of placing items in this trailer and I will explain that process when you are paying your fee.

FEES: I am still accepting the punch cards as payment, so if you have these please use them.

CARDBOARD: Please remember cardboard with a picture is just shiny and is recyclable. I AM taking waxed cardboard now too, so ANY type of cardboard can be put in the window. The only exceptions are mostly wet cardboard or pieces contaminated with paint, oil, or meat juices. If you are unsure, please ask me.

Thank you for your cooperation in recycling.

I will gladly answer any questions and I am always open for suggestions.

Carol Burgess

FREE
General
Admission



**Crafters,
Vendors &
Exhibitors!**

*Rain
or
Shine*

Greenfield's 5th Annual

BLUEBERRY JAMBOREE

Saturday, August 6th, 2011

8 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Oak Park, Greenfield, NH

Come and celebrate Greenfield, NH and it's unique contribution of the cultivated high bush blueberry to American agriculture!

BLUEBERRY PANCAKE BREAKFAST 8am-10:30 am

Lunch & Concessions - All day

***Equestrian Demonstration ***

FARM ANIMAL EXHIBIT AREA

Blueberry Spitting Contest *Pie Eating Contests

***CHILDREN'S GAME AREA *BOUNCY HOUSES* PONY RIDES**

\$5.00 PER CHILD ALL DAY UNLIMITED ACCESS \$12.00 Family Max. Children under 4 FREE

Raffles to Support OAK PARK & other Non-profits!

High -Bush Blueberry Bushes for Sale

Bring a camera and take your picture with Herbie!

BLUEBERRY JAMBOREE T-Shirts for Sale -\$8.00 each



CONSERVATION TRACKS

News of Conservation Doings

About the Greenfield Conservation Commission (GCC)

GENERAL INFO

Generally, the GCC meets on the fourth Wednesday of each month at 7:30 in the Town Office building. Want to make a difference? Come and join us!

What is a Conservation Commission? According to the 2004 Handbook for NH's Municipal Conservation Commissions, it "...is the only local body specifically charged with protecting natural resources; it provides a focal point within the municipal government for environmental concerns. Without a conservation commission, other boards may or may not be aware of and consider natural resources in carrying out their responsibilities."

HAPPENINGS

Hurry on down to the Blueberry Jamboree Saturday, August 6th at Oak Park from 8am-3pm Rain or Shine!

The ConCom is selling blueberry bushes at the Jamboree. We'll be selling single bushes for \$20 and 2 bushes for \$36 (10% off the full price).

...and we're going to hold a raffle. We're raffling off a set of stoneware dishes (for 4 people) that have a blueberry motif. They are a \$59 value and people will be able to buy a single raffle ticket for \$1 and 6 for \$5, such a deal!

Spotlight on...Selecting a Professional Logger (adapted from UNH Cooperative Extension article)

Your forestland is a considerable financial investment as well as a source of personal enjoyment. Making the decision to harvest your timber warrants the same careful attention as any other business transaction. If you choose to hire a logger directly, or through a forester, consider the following points.

Check References

- Talk with landowners who have recently had a timber harvest.
- Request the logger provide a list of satisfied landowners.
- Consider visiting a site that the logger has previously harvested.

Insurance/Liability

Request copies of certificates of insurance. These may include:

- General Liability and Completed Operations
- Auto Liability for log truckers
- Workers' Compensation: only required if the logger has employees.

Negotiating Prices

- Check stumpage prices offered for your timber with published sources, i.e. NHTOA Timber Crier Quarterly Market Report (603) 224-9699 or The Sawlog Bulletin (603) 444-2549.
- Call the local mills directly for the most up-to-date market prices.

- Delivered prices offered by the mill are significantly higher than stumpage prices, which reflect the value of your timber "sitting on the stump".

Actual stumpage prices for a given lot of timber are influenced by many factors including, but not limited to: accessibility, timber quality, road distances, market demand, sale volume, species, etc.. Keep this in mind when seeking a reasonable price for your timber. When in doubt, contact your local county UNH Cooperative Extension Forest Resource Educator.

Written Contract

- Insist on a written contract or a Timber Sale Agreement to protect the interests of all parties involved.
- Be cautious of high pressure sales tactics. (Trees are dying; markets are collapsing; my equipment is leaving and I'll never be back!)
- Never grant permission to harvest your timber over the phone.

Most established loggers want to build a file of satisfied customers and follow customary business practices. With a little homework, a landowner can find a reputable logger who can satisfy their needs.

Workers' Compensation Insurance Coverage

Under NH Law, independent contractors, who only employ themselves, are not required to carry workers' compensation insurance. Many competent and safe independent loggers do not carry this coverage because of its high cost. As with any business relationship, consider the liabilities, have a good contract, and consult with your insurance agent or a lawyer who is well-versed in these matters.





Greenfield Trails Association

45 Longwood Drive

Greenfield, NH 03047

Contacts: Jim Chase (603) 801-4633 / Steve Constine (603) 361-0407 / Arline Guinn (603) 547-5581

greenfieldtrailsassociation@yahoo.com

"RESPECT the trail..."

In the last few years, I have spent an enormous amount of time on the trails of Greenfield, either hiking, trail running them with my dog, snowshoeing, or swooping around on my mountain bike. I love them. I look forward to being on them constantly, alone or with friends... it does not matter. They have become an integral part of my life. No two days are ever alike out there. They are a gift to me.

They are a gift to you! Make it a point to get out there and explore. If you feel intimidated and need a guide, don't hesitate to call one of us. Come see what I am talking about. What others are talking about. The word is getting around.

On Sunday, August 21st, GTA will be assisting (once again!), the 5th annual EFTA Hampshire 100 Mountain Bike Race. The 100 kilometer (63 mile) course will wind through the beautiful and varied terrain of southern New Hampshire. As always, it begins and ends at our beautiful Greenfield Oak Park, and uses some of our lush single-track. This event has become a huge success, and has started to attract Olympic riders like David "Tinker" Juarez. So yes, the word is getting around.

~Arline Guinn, GTA Secretary

Greenfield Clothes Closet

12 Depot Drive

Open Saturdays, 10:00 am - Noon

A variety of gently used clothing is available
at low prices.

All proceeds go to the Food Pantry.

Greenfield Community Food Pantry

12 Depot Drive

Open Saturdays, 10:00 am - Noon

Food is available to anyone in need.

To Donate Food:

Non-perishable foods may be left in the drop-off boxes
available at the Greenfield Post Office or at
the Ministry Office

The Food Pantry and Clothes Closet are sponsored by
the Greenfield Congregational Covenant Church

Ministry Office: 12 Depot Drive, PO Box 341

Office hours: M, T, and F from 9:00 am to noon

Phone: (603)547-3626

Email: gcccc@greenfieldchurch.org

website:greenfieldchurch.org

Sunday Worship Services 10:00 am at

Crotched Mountain Rehab. Center

ALL ARE WELCOME!

SPIRIT SUBSCRIPTION

Many people, who have moved away from Greenfield, have expressed an interest in receiving the Spirit to keep up with what is going on in town and to learn about their friends. Of course, printing and mailing the Spirit is an expense for the town, so we have decided to make it possible for non-residents to buy a subscription to the Spirit.

Residents may also subscribe so that they may have the Spirit mailed directly to their homes.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

The cost for a one year subscription to the Spirit is \$6.00 for non-residents and \$4.50 for residents. Please send this form and a check made payable to the Town of Greenfield to:

**The Spirit
Town of Greenfield
PO Box 256
Greenfield, NH 03047**

The Spirit may also be found on the Town website at
<http://www.greenfield-nh.gov/> in PDF form.



Janet's Planet

Info & Tips on Pets, Wildlife and Eco Issues
by Janet Renaud

Pets

◆ "GoodSearch" for Monadnock Kitty Rescue and Adoption! GoodSearch.com is a Yahoo-powered search engine that pays the charity of your choice every time you use it. Shopping, too!; a portion of your purchase goes to the charity! Plug in Monadnock Kitty Rescue (or the charity of your choice) where it says WHO DO YOU GOODSEARCH FOR? and hit the verify button. Then, search or shop! It's a win-win!!!

◆ Owning a pet is great fun, and a great responsibility! It's not a decision to be taken lightly - a pet is for life. Remember - think shelter pet first. However, if you have your heart set on a purebred, there are rescue organizations for almost every breed of dog. Local shelters:

◆ Monadnock Kitty Rescue & Adoption in Jaffrey - 532-9444 (<http://www.kittyrescueandadoption.org>)

◆ Monadnock Humane Society (Swanzy, 352-9011) also has a facility in Peterborough (784-5680) on Rt. 202 in the same plaza with Brady's.

◆ Animal Rescue League in Bedford (472-3647). If you can't adopt, donate or volunteer. Also see:

<http://www.directorynh.com/NHAssociations-Organizations/NHAnimalOrganizations.html>

◆ **All dogs in Greenfield must have a license!** If yours doesn't, contact the Town offices. We also have a leash law! A couple of weeks ago, I had to rescue a dog that was running back and forth across Forest Road - you don't want your dog to get hit, do you???

◆ You may qualify for financial help for spaying or neutering your cat or dog! Call Toll Free 1-800-990-SPAY. Remember - every litter hurts! Also see <http://www.nhspca.org/community-services/spay-neuter-programs.html> for all your options.

Flea Care -

◆ Talk to your vet about choosing the right, species specific flea treatment for your pet and never use products made for dogs on cats, or vice versa.

◆ Never use insecticides on very young, pregnant, debilitated or elderly animals without consulting your veterinarian.

◆ Avoid applying flea powders and sprays in addition to a spot-on treatment - the combination of chemicals in different products can cause an adverse reaction in your pet.

Wildlife -

◆ Keep on the lookout for wildlife crossing the road! Obey the speed limit, and you may avoid hitting an animal.

◆ This summer, Fish & Game is sponsoring a Turkey Brood Survey. It is going on through August. Go to the this link... <http://www.wildlife.state.nh.us/Wildlife/wildlife.htm>

...and click on SUMMER 2011: Take the Turkey Brood

Survey. Turkeys have had an extremely successful reintroduction in New Hampshire.

◆ For numerous wildlife outings, check the Harris Center's website and click on Programs and Outings: <http://www.harriscenter.org/index.htm>, or call 525-3394

Invasive Species

Needed: pool owners to help protect forests! UNH Cooperative Extension is looking for volunteers.

The Asian longhorned beetle (ALB) is a serious threat to our forests and trees. ALB was found in trees in Worcester MA in 2008. Some Worcester homeowners subsequently reported they collected ALB in their swimming pools for years prior to the 2008 identification.

Last summer, this approach was tested with 34 public pools. Help out by looking at the debris from your swimming pools.

In addition to a swimming pool, you need:

◆ A digital camera

◆ An email address that you actively use

◆ Enough computer skills to follow instructions to upload pictures to this website:

<http://extension.unh.edu/FWT/ALBpool.htm>

Questions about the project?

foresthealth@dred.state.nh.us or call Kyle Lombard at the Forest Health Office 464-3016

Questions about the project and the website?

karen.bennett@unh.edu or call Karen Bennett at UNH Cooperative Extension at 862-4861

Eco Tips from globalstewards.org

First: Reduce

◆ Simplify: Simplify your life as much as possible. Only keep belongings that you use/enjoy on a regular basis.

◆ Reduce Purchases: In general, think before you buy any product - do you really need it? Try the 30-Day Rule -- wait 30 days after the first time you decide you want a product to really make your decision. This will eliminate impulse buying.

◆ The Compact: Join or form a Compact in your area - groups all across the globe committing for 12 months to not buy any new products.

◆ Replace Disposables: Wherever possible, replace disposable products with reusable ones (i.e., razor, food storage, batteries, ink cartridges (buy refill ink), coffee filters, furnace or air conditioner filters, etc.).

Second: Reuse

◆ Garage Sales: Shop at and hold garage sales - this is a great way to reuse products.

◆ Reusables: Switch from disposable to reusable products: food and beverage containers, cups, plates, writing pens, razors, diapers, towels, shopping bags, etc.

◆ Donations: Donate (and buy used): household items - clothes, furniture, dishes, books, sports equipment, magazines, appliances, electronics, business attire, wedding attire,

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etc. (to charity)

- ◆ Women's business attire (to Dress for Success)
- ◆ Computer equipment, cell phones, cameras, iPod/MP3 Players, laptops, PDAs (to Recycling for Charities)

Third: Recycle

- ◆ Recycle Bins: Create designated holding "bins" for each type of recycled product and place in convenient locations in your home/garage
- ◆ Recycling - GREENFIELD RECYCLES!!!
- ◆ Recycled Content: Ask your local retailers to stock more products made from recycled materials and buy products made from the highest recycled content whenever possible.
- ◆ Green Paper: In general, try to buy products/containers made from recycled material as often as possible to support the recycled product market. When purchasing paper products (toilet paper, etc.), look for paper that has been recycled using a minimum of 50% post-consumer waste. Also, purchase from companies that do not use chlorine to bleach their paper products (which creates dioxin waste). ■

TOWN BAND

Have you recently found your old band instrument hiding up on a dusty shelf in the garage? You open it to discover the velveteen lining has kept your clarinet, trumpet, or flute in pretty good condition. Do you dare attempt to play a few notes? C - D - E - F - G... you do remember!

If you are interested in forming a Greenfield Town Band, call or e-mail Chris Ordzie at 547-3367 or ceo1972@myfairpoint.net. All ages welcomed. Don't worry; we will begin with Band Book #1.

Chris Ordzie
Old Bennington Road
Greenfield

FIRE DEPARTMENT OPEN HOUSE - SAT OCT 1, 1-4PM

Would you like to serve the town but don't know how?

Consider joining the Greenfield Fire and Rescue Department. Please drop by for an open house at the fire station on Sat Oct 1 from 1-4pm

Have you ever considered becoming a firefighter or emergency medical technician but didn't make it your career? It's not too late.

In the revolutionary era towns like Greenfield, residents relied on volunteers for protection and emergency assistance. In those days it is said that volunteers would keep a musket or a bucket near the door. These 'minutemen' were ready to respond for any need that arose.

The fire service grew out of this early sense of community. This spirit lives today in the fire service throughout the country. Did you know that there are 1 million firefighters in the United States and 750,000 of these are volunteer firefighters?

Are you interested? If so, here are few answers to commonly asked questions.

Q: What are the criteria for service?

A: If you are over 18 years old and live in Greenfield you qualify to serve.

Q: What if I don't have any experience?

A: None of the current members had experience before starting. Formal EMT and Firefighter classes must be taken to achieve certifications; however there are several duties in an emergency which do not require certifications. You will pick up skills and informal training through drills and emergencies.

Q: I work out of town, am I still eligible?

A: Yes, many of the members work out of town. In-town, daytime members are certainly desired but this is not a requirement.

Q: What is the time commitment?

A: It is around 2-4 hours per month; one monthly department meeting and either a medical or fire drill. In addition there are several annual activities which the department members participate.

You are welcome to contact us for an application any time: info@greenfieldnhfire.org or 547-2222

19th Annual

Greenfield Blue-B-Cue

August 27th 2011 from 4:00-11pm, Rain or Shine

At Oak Park, 791 Forest Road, Greenfield, N.H. (Across from the Greenfield State Park)

Dedicated in memory of Harvey Baldwin



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4-6pm

Sara Thompson

6:30-8:30 pm

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For more info call 603-547-3442 or Greenfield-nh.gov

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FIFTH WITNESS	Michael Connelly
CARTE BLANCHE	Jeffrey Deaver
NIGHT ROAD	Kristin Hannah
LOST IN SHANGRI-LA (Lge Print)	Michael Zuckoff

NONFICTION

NATURALLY CURIOUS: a Photographic Field Guide and month-by month journey through the fields, woods, and marshes of New England.	Mary Holland
HAPPIEST BABY ON THE BLOCK	Harvey Karp, MD
GREATER JOURNEY: AMERICANS IN PARIS	David McCullough

NOTES FROM THE CHILDREN'S LIBRARIAN

BACK TO SCHOOL

What's the MOST important school supply? Your library card of course! Not only does it give your family access to shelves of wonderful books, but there are also many online resources, readers, downloadable audio and so much more. Please visit BEFORE that first report is due. Come ask your librarians about NHU-PAC the state library catalog, NHOVERDRIVE for downloadable audio, TUMBLEBOOKS for online reading fun for all ages, EBSCO databases for read a likes and search engines. There's always something new to discover at your local library.

One World, Many Stories Summer Reading: As of this writing 50+ readers were registered and filling their passports with 100s of minutes read. We decorated, we brought our dads, grandparents, siblings & friends, we dressed up, we volunteered, and we wrote book reviews. We read Mr. Popper's Penguins in the shade on the front lawn. We Read LOTS of books too. Lots of lucky winners enjoyed t-shirts, Alligator Ice, prize bags and gift cards thanks to the generosity of our local Harvester Market, Dunkin Donuts/Big Apple, Peterborough and other generous supporters.

The ladybugs are coming ... This fall will bring a voting opportunity for our young readers. There is a new list of Ladybug nominees being discussed at the NH State Library. You'll have a chance to hear them at story times and in class visits. Voting will occur in November.

LIBRARY INFORMATION AND GROUP MEETINGS

Your community library is humming with parents and children participating in the awesome programs provided by Miss Kristin, others are searching for treasure in the stacks to enjoy during quiet summertime moments.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

LIBRARY CLOSINGS:

Closed for inventory the week of August 29th through September 5th, Return to regular hours Wednesday, September 7th. Be sure to stock up!

Monday, September 5th for Labor Day - Enjoy a rest from your labors.

Sunday, September 25th, 2 pm - EYES ON OWLS is back and will be at the Meeting House. Join us for Owls of the World, - 6 Magnificent Owls.

Wednesday, September 28th, 6:30 pm BOOKS & BROADS #2, Bring a title or two to swap and your favorite finger food to share. Talk about new authors & titles. Great Company. Great Books.

BOOK DONATIONS: Gently used books, DVDs, etc. are welcomed at the library. Please do not include any text books, VHS or magazines. Any materials we cannot use in the library will be gratefully added to the book sale collection. Thank you to all who have donated in the past.

DISPLAY CASES: If you have a collection to share, please let us know! Thanks to the many generous world travelers who shared their collections from Sunset Lake, Korea, Africa, India and more.

ART IN THE LIBRARY: Your art work is welcomed as a display in the library. Please come in and talk to Gail or Kristin if you have something to display.

MEETING ROOM: Please call or stop by to reserve a date for your meeting or gathering in the Wensberg Meeting Room. There are chairs and tables available. This space accommodates groups of approximately 50 and is recently wi-fi accessible.

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ONGOING BOOK SALE: Looking for used books at great prices? Our ongoing book sale will be held each week at the library on Wednesday from 6PM to 8PM and Friday from 3PM to 5PM. Volunteers are needed to cover the times the book sale is open.....even once a month would be very helpful. Please call the library if you can help at 547-2790. The sale is managed by the Friends of the Library.

NEW BOOKS - Your input is important to us. Please DO let us know if you have a great review to share or would like to donate your latest favorite in print, audio CD or DVD. Feel free to call and reserve a favorite.

ADULT READING GROUP - meets the last Wednesday of each month at 7pm.

LIBRARY SERVICES - Inter-library Loan Van Delivery service has been and will continue to be impacted by state budget cuts. Please expect l-o-n-g-e-r delivery times for requests.

News Papers - Ledger/Transcript - Magazines - Videos & DVDs - Books on Tape - Large Print books - Internet Access - 3 computers available for public use - Wireless Internet Access 24/7 - Town Reports from 1891 to present

Our Mission is to provide the residents of Greenfield with free access to a diversity of ideas and information through books and other resources, services and programs. We encourage reading for education, research and recreation.

Technology at your library - Our trustees are working very hard in conjunction with the Town of Greenfield to plan for the future of your community library. If technology is an interest of yours and you have an opinion about how/what

the library provides in the future, please speak with a librarian, trustee or a member of the Town's Technology Committee or complete a quick survey at the public access computers.

WISHLIST - We are still wishing for wall-to-wall shelving options for office makeovers. Keep us posted if you hear of a great source for free or high value resource and thanks again to our generous, resourceful and supportive community.

STORY TIME - Most Wednesdays at 10:30am. We'll take a story time break in August and start back on Wednesday, September 21st.

Find us on Facebook - Stephenson Memorial Library

LEGO CLUB just needs a Parent partner and a schedule. Lego collection is available in the meeting room.

FAMILY MOVIE NIGHTS are on hold until further notice. Our current movie license (\$295 annually) is about to expire and we are investigating less expensive options. Please do let us know about programs that are important to you so we can continue to make prudent decisions that give our patrons and taxpayers the highest return on their library investment.

The Library provides many services, materials and programs. How much would you need to pay out-of-pocket if you purchased books, movies and other library services in stores? Use this calculator to find out! You will be surprised and hopefully more aware of what a value we provide. <http://www.nhlibrarians.org/calculator.html>

Gail & Kristin

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347 Monadnock Highway
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E-Mail: canton4@ne.rr.net

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392 Kearsarge Avenue
Contoocook, NH
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603-487-1168
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Rochester, NH
603-332-6585
Email: rochesterfair@metrocast.net

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34 Stage Road
Deerfield, NH
603-463-7421
Email: deerfieldfair@deerfieldfair.com

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The Greenfield Harness and Drawbar Club

Oak Park Fairgrounds - September 24-25, 2011



The Greenfield Harness and Drawbar Club is celebrating its 25th anniversary this year. The annual tractor and antique farm implement show will be held on Saturday, September 24th and Sunday, September 25th from 8am to 4pm at Oak Park Fairgrounds. The public is welcome and encouraged to attend. There will be something of interest for everyone. It is a real family event. There will be many displays, antique tractors, old engines, a shingle mill, corn husker, etc. There will also be a tractor parade, tractor games, children's games, face painting, food and ice cream.

The name "Harness and Drawbar" stems from the way in which gardens were plowed and logging was done before machinery was introduced to the world. In the olden days, horses or oxen were used for these jobs. The horses or oxen wore harnesses that were connected to a drawbar which was connected to harrows for plowing, or a scoot which was used for pulling logs out of the woods. Old engines were used to irrigate gardens and to run hay balers etc.

When "Iron Horses" (tractors) and electricity came along, the horses and oxen became less necessary in the farming industry. The Harness and Drawbar Club chose their name to keep the meaning of old fashioned farming alive.

There is no admission fee to the show and, exhibits are welcome if it is anything old and related to life in the old days. There will also be "Chariot" rides for young and old alike.

This year's show is dedicated to Jerry Adams, III, one of the original founders of the Greenfield Harness and Drawbar Club. For questions or more info, call Mel Rossi at 547-3351.

SPONSOR THE SPIRIT

If you'd like to sponsor an issue of the Greenfield Spirit, please call the Town Office at 547-3442. The cost is low, and it's a great way to get the word out about your business or group, as well as an easy way to support your community. Interest has been so great that we now have a sign-up form to keep everyone's turn organized. Please call the Town Office to get on the list.

Oct/Nov issue deadline: September 1, 2011

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