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Selectmen's Office News

NOTICE TOWN MEETING

VOTE FOR TOWN OFFICERS on

March 14th 10am - 7pm

VOTE ON THE 2006 ANNUAL BUDGET AND WARRANT ARTICLES

on

March 17th -7 pm

Both will be held at the Meeting House on the Town Common

Remainder of the TIME LINE FOR ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

Meeting Date - Tuesday, March 14, 2006, continued on March 17, 2006

This time line is subject to change.

Thursday - February 17, 2006 - Last day to hold at least one Public Hearing-"Mini Town Meeting" to discuss the proposed 2006 budget. RSA 32:5, I & V (If additional hearings are needed we can do so with 7 days public notice, earlier hearings are also acceptable)

Monday, February 20, 2006 - Last day to publish notice of a public hearing on bond or note issues over \$100,000. Notice of time, place and subject of hearing must be published at least 7 days before the hearing. RSA 33:8-a, I.

Monday, February 27, 2006 - Last day to hold a public hearing on bond or note issues over \$100,000. Notice of time,

place and subject of hearing must be published at least 7 days before the hearing. RSA 33:8-a, I.

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Town of Greenfield, NH NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING

All residents of Greenfield are invited to an informal hearing for the purpose of reviewing the proposed 2006 Annual Budget. The meeting will be held at the Greenfield Town Office on:

Thursday, February 16, 2006 at 7:00 PM

Per order of the Greenfield Board of Selectmen

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Monday, February 27, 2006 - Warrant & Budget must be posted at all polling places & at the Town Clerk's office or town hall. Warrant shall state place, day and hour of election, hours polls are open & which items will be voted by ballot. RSA 39:5; 31:95; 669:2.

March 14, 2006 - Town Meeting for voting - adjourn meeting and reconvene on Friday, March 17, 2006 at 7:00 pm.

SIGN -UP FOR TOWN ELECTION

If anyone would like to sign up as a candidate for Town Election, the Filing Period is January 25th through February 3, 2006 at the Town Clerk's Office which will be open during regular hours <u>plus</u> Friday the 3rd - 3-5pm. Candidates must sign up to be on the ballot.

Positions are as follows:

Budget Committee - 3 Yr Term (2)

Budget Committee - 2 Yr Term (1)

Check List Supervisor - 6 Yr Term (1)

Check List Supervisor - 2 Yr Term (1)

Fire Chief - 1 Yr Term (1)

Library Trustee - 3 Yr Term (1)

Planning Board - 3 Yr Term (2)

Planning Board - 1 Yr Term (1)

Selectman - 3 Yr Term (1)

Schoolboard Member - 3 Yr Term (1)

Tax Collector - 2 Yr Term (1)

Town Clerk - 3 Yr Term (1)

Town Moderator - 2 Yr Term (1)

Town Treasurer - 1 Yr Term (1)

Trustee of Trust Funds-3 Yr Term (1)

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Supervisors of the Checklist will be in session at the Greenfield Town Office on Saturday, February 4, 2006 from 11-11:30am. For new registrants Birth Certificate & NH Drivers License required.

WAGE, BENEFIT & EVALUATION STUDY PUBLIC HEARING

In March 2005, the townspeople of Greenfield asked the selectmen to create a committee to review wages and benefits and report back in 2006.

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TOWN DIRECTORY

TOWN OFFICES

Executive Selectmen meetings are weekly Thurs. at 5:45 pm unless otherwise posted. Offices open to the public - Mon.-Thurs 9am - 12pm (closed for lunch) then open 1pm -5pm Closed to public on Friday.

Call for an appointment during closed hours. Selectmen: George Rainier, Ch.,

Conrad Dumas & William Brooks

Debra Davidson, A.A. Tel: 547-3442

Fax: 547-3004

Email: greenfieldnbos@verizon.net

TOWN CLERK (Registrations)

Mon. 6:00 to 7:30 pm

Thurs. 9am to noon and 6pm to 7:30pm 2nd & 4th Sat. from 9:00 to noon Town Clerk - Frances Kendall Tel: 547-2782 Fax: 547-2782

BUILDING INSPECTOR

Office open Wed. evening 7:00 to 9:00 pm Insp's by Appt/as needed Inspector - Peter Hopkins Tel: 547-3442 Home 547-3449 Cell: 582-9521 Email: pwhopkins4@netzero.com

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Meets 4th Wed. of the Month @ 7:00 pm Chair - Karen Day Tel: 547-2985 Email: riverqueen@pobox.com

HIGHWAY DEPT.

Supervisor Wyatt "Duffy" Fox Tel: 547-3504

LIBRARY

Monday 1pm - 8:00 pm,
Wednesday 10 am to 8 pm,
Friday 1pm to 8 pm, Saturday 10 am to 1 pm
Librarian - Gail Smith Tel: 547-2790
Trustees and Librarian meet first Wednesday of each month at the Library at 9:00 am
Email: stephensonlib@verizon.net

PARKS & RECREATION DIRECTOR

Molly Anfuso Tel: 547-3442 or 562-6380 Email: greenfieldnhrec@verizon.net

PLANNING BOARD

Meetings 2nd & 4th Mon. each month 7:00 pm At the Town Offices. Normally the 2nd Mon. meeting is for hearings and the 4th Mon. meeting is for other business.

Robert Marshall, Chair Tel: 547-3350 Email: bmarshall29@juno.com

RECYCLING CENTER

Hours: Tuesday 8:00 to 12:00 pm
Thursday 1:00 to 5:00 pm
Saturday 8:00 to 4:00 pm
Recycling Supervisor - Frank Pelkey
Permits and punch cards for residents at the Town
Office. Tel: 547-8617

TAX COLLECTOR

Wed. 5:30 to 8:30 pm or by appt. To make an appt. call 547-8572

Tax Collector - Patricia McClusky

Tel: 547-2782 Fax: 547-2782 Email: greenfieldnhtax@verizon.net

TOWN WEBSITE WEBMASTER:

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

WELFARE DEPT..

Call for assistance Tel: 547-3442

ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

John Gryval, Vice Chair Tel: 547-2844

EMERGENCY NUMBERS

POLICE/FIRE/AMBULANCE

DIAL 911 or 352-1100

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Brian Giammarino, Chief Office: 547-2535 Dispatch: 547-2525 greenfieldpd@earthlink.net

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Business Mtg. 1st Mon. of month at 7 pm Training 2nd & 3rd Mon. of month at 7 pm Chief: Loren White H: 547-6874 W: 673-2601 Emergency Dispatch: 352-1100 Office: 547-3501 Fax: 547-6396 Email: greenfieldfd@earthlink.net

FOR BURN PERMITS CALL:

Charlie Stevenson - 547-6663 Cliff Russell - 547-2722 Mike Kelley - 547-2720

SPIRIT DEADLINE

March 1, 2006 for the Apr/May Issue Will cover events between April 1st and May 31st

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

If you would like to send your information via e-mail, please send it to: greenfieldnhbos@verizon.net. Or 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 Deb Davidson at 547-3442 or Karen Day at 547-2985.

Greenfield Fire Department Safety Tips

Brought to you by Firefighter, EMT, Ice Rescue Technician, Doug Boudreau

"IS THE ICE SAFE YET? "

Winter is here again, time for some ICE cold fun. As you know there are a lot of lakes, ponds and rivers in the area. Fortunately, there have been very few ice related incidents that the fire department has had to respond to. To help keep it that way, here are some guidelines to keep in mind while out on the ice during skating, fishing, snowmobiling or even out walking your pets.

KNOW WHAT TO WEAR

- -Dress in layers, use warm insulating clear ice. material (like wool or fleece and avoid
- warm socks.
- -A HAT and GLOVES.

THINGS TO BRING

- -Extra dry clothes in case something does happen.
- -Small first-aid kit with water proof matches.
- -Ice awls to help pull yourself onto
- -A boating seat cushion for sitting on the snow or ice can also serve as a

flotation device.

-Hand warmers

KNOW WHEN YOU CAN GO **ONTO THE ICE**

-Inspect the thickness for at least 3 inches of clear solid ice. Remember it help insulate your body from the cold can vary from one spot to another.

This can be done by asking others or cutting or drilling through the ice near the shore where it is shallow.

- -Snowmobiles and ATV's need at least 5 inches and cars and light trucks need at least 8 to 12 inches of good
- -Driving on ice over a body of water, especially early or late in the season, -Waterproof or rubber boots with is an accident waiting to happen. Did you know that your auto insurance will probably not cover the loss of a vehicle through the ice and you are responsible for its recovery?
 - -Avoid alcoholic beverages. Alcohol increases your chance for hypothermia and the likelihood you'll make a costly mistake.

WHAT TO DO IF YOU GO THROUGH THE ICE

-Don't panic, remain calm!

- -Use your ice awls to pull yourself up onto the ice.
- -Try swimming out by kicking your feet while pulling and sliding yourself up onto the ice.
- -Keep your wet clothes on, they will water and air until help arrives.
- -Once you are on the ice, lay flat and roll or crawl on your stomach toward land. This will distribute your weight more evenly across the ice.
- -If you become wet, immediately find warm dry shelter and change into dry clothes.
- -Watch for signs of hypothermia (uncontrollable shivering, loss of judgment) and frostbite (pale skin on exposed flesh).
- -If someone else falls through the ice, always remember to REACH (with a stick or a pole) or THROW (a rope or flotation device) ROW (row or push a boat) GO (call for help).
- Use these same techniques if a pet falls through as well.

Using these tips and thinking of safety first will help prevent the need to call us!!!

The Committee is ready to share its findings and recommendations with you at a public hearing before Town Meeting.

At the hearing, which will be held from 6 to 7pm on February 16th at the Town Offices, the committee will present its proposals for a standardized system of wages and benefits that is fair to everyone and designed to attract and retain quality employees.

Please come and share your thoughts on this very important subiect.

PROPOSED ZONING **AMENDMENTS FOR 2006**

As the annual Town Meeting approaches, the Planning Board wishes to call your attention to the proposed Zoning amendments you will be asked to consider in the voting booth on Tuesday, March 14. In the course of the year, many issues emerge during the regular work of the Planning Board. Changes that the Planning Board bring to you each Spring have a number of sources:

- The general public, either through proposals for Site Plan Review, Subdivision, Public Hearings or just by informing us of your concerns
- The goals of the Master Plan of 2003
- Recommendations of the Code Enforcement Officer based on how current ordinances are being interpreted, where problems may have arisen and where conflicts may have developed as a result of new or past amendments to the various ordinances
- Legislative initiatives and Court

decisions, Town Counsel

The Selectmen, DPW Supervisor and the Administrative Assistant and her office

This year you will find four amendments on the ballot. The first two relate to new definitions for Hotel and Bed and Breakfast. The changes in these two definitions come from new regulations related to fire safety from the state and subsequent clarifications that we felt we needed to make to include all businesses of this type.

The third change that is being proposed relates to specifying which building codes we follow. These are the codes we currently use but they are not specified in the ordinance and we felt this information would be helpful. Additionally, they are worded in such a way to include future changes as

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Greenfield Parks and Recreation Department

Molly Anfuso, Director

Contacts: greenfieldnhrec@verizon.net

www.greenfield-nh.gov cell: 562-6380 office: 547-3442

FROM THE DESK OF: MOLLY ANFUSO

Dear Santa,

I want to thank you for taking time out of your busy schedule to come all the way here to Greenfield to spend time with the kids. We all had a very good time at the party, getting a chance to tell you all of our wishes! We hope that next year you will be able to come out and see us again. Say hello to Mrs. Claus and all of the elves for us!



SOCIALIZE! TEEN DANCE March 2006

A fun way for kids of this age that want to get out, and for the parents who want their child to be in a safe, controlled atmosphere. A teen dance for middle school age kids, grades 5 - 8 will be scheduled from 7 p.m.- 9 p.m. Cost: \$5 pp. Please remember, this is for middle school aged kids ONLY. Date: To be determined. Refreshments available for purchase. Chaperones are always needed. Come join us, it's fun!

Those who inquired about the playground committee will be contacted about the first meeting very soon. Want to be a part of the action? Call to be placed on the call list.

GREENFIELD TODDLER PLAYGROUP

Moms and Dads... need an outlet for all that toddler energy? Come join other parents for organized activity, socialization, and snack time! Thursdays 9:30 - 11:30 a.m. Greenfield Meeting House. Jen Davis, Coordinator 547-3623.

SENIOR COFFEE HOUR

Wednesday, Feb. 1st and March 1st 9 a.m. - 10 a.m.

Seniors, come join other seniors from Greenfield for some hot java/tea and refreshments. Get to know each other by socializing! Held at the Greenfield Commons Apartment Building Community Room on Forest Road.

ON THE SPORTS FRONT...

AMERICAN KENPO KARATE

Vinny Anfuso of the Universal Kenpo Federation in Wilton is holding class on Wednesdays and Fridays at the 2nd floor gym, Town Offices. Kids class 6:30 - 7:15 p.m. and adults 7:15 - 8:15 p.m. FMI, please contact Mr. Anfuso at 547-2500 days or 654-3888 evenings.

BALLET

Taught by Laura Horne, ballet classes for 3&4 y.o, 5&6 y.o and 7&8 y.o are being offered. Greenfield Meeting House. For more information on this program, please call Laura at 673-4672

YOGA

The complimentary yoga sessions that were held for the past 8 weeks were a big hit. We plan to continue classes on Saturday mornings at 9 a.m. in the 2nd floor gymnasium. Pending its popularity and need, we are open to adding classes on other days. FMI please call the Parks and Recreation Department.

BASEBALL IS COMING...THINK SPRING!

Last year, Greenfield was not able to get any teams together due to the lack of coaches, as well as kids participating from some of the age groups. The program's success desperately depends on parent volunteers to run the Cal Ripken Program. Registration for this organization begins in March. The dates are determined by Cal Ripken, which will be communicated to the residents via flyers and notices as the times are determined.



BASEBALL COACHES ARE NEEDED FOR ALL AGE GROUPS!

BABY it's COLD OUTSIDE!

Not at Crotched Mountain Pool! Greenfield residents can swim at the indoor pool facility at Crotched Mountain at no charge. Simply go to the Town Offices and ask for your pool passes today!

HELP WANTED

Lifeguards
Water Safety Instructor
Tennis Instructor

Volunteers
Baseball Coaches
Summer Craft Coordinator
Intramural Soccer Coaches

Greenfield Parks and Recreation Department

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SPECIAL EVENTS

SUGAR ON SNOW PARTY SUNDAY, MARCH 26 OAK PARK PAVILLION



This delicacy has been a traditional spring-time favorite at sugar houses and sugar camps for over 200 years. In some areas of the maple region, it is also known as "leather aprons" or "leather britches", due to its chewy, leathery consistency. Here in New England, we know it as sugar-onsnow.

What is Sugar on Snow? Maple syrup is warmed to the candy stage, then ladled over "fresh snow", served with a crisp dill pickle, donut and hot spiced cider or coffee.

INSTRUCTIONAL CLASSES AND CLUBS

ONE LAST SHOT AT THE BABYSITTING CLINIC

I am still gathering names of kids interested in taking this class. More kids are needed to make it happen. Time and date still pending, this 12hour course provides individuals, ages 11 to 15, with the information and skills necessary to provide safe and responsible care for children in the absence of parents or adult guardians. This training will help participants develop skills in leadership and professionalism; basic care; safe play and first aid.

INTRO TO COMPUTER IS FINALLY BACK!

The lists are growing by leaps and bounds, so I am in the process of adding another instructor to accommodate more than one class. A second class will be added once the availability of the other instructor is recognized.

This class is for those who do not know anything about a computer. You will learn the basics, like parts of the computer, turning it on, and maneuvering around files. How to write a letter in MS Word, and getting onto the internet, if there is time. The first class will be held Mondays from 1:00 - 2:00 p.m. at the Stephenson Memorial Library for 4 weeks. A \$5 material fee will be assessed.

GREENFIELD KNITTING CLUB

Held at the Greenfield Commons Community Room on Forest Road, come meet other people that share your passion for knitting. Co-sponsored by the Monadnock Senior Center of Peterborough and held every other Wednesday. FMI or questions, please call Linda McIntosh, coordinator, and 924-6223.

SLED BUILDING GUIDELINES FOR THE WINTER CARNIVAL



Use the following guidelines in order to compete in the Annual Sledding Race and the Winter Carnival.

The race will be by age groups. Prizes will be given to the fastest and most creative for that age group. Please note that if you do not want to make a sled to compete, no worries! You can always bring a regular sled and go sliding anyway!

MATERIALS NEEDED:

- -- Piece of Cardboard, any size, but must fit the rider.
- -- Duct tape or packing tape
- -- Scissors
- -- Paint, crayons, markers, other decorating materials
- 1. Sled must be made of cardboard. No wood, weights, or other materials.
- 2. Sled must be for one-person only.

- 3. Take the cardboard, cut it to make it the shape you want. Could be something you sit on, or sit inside
- 4. Duct tape the sides if you will sit inside of it. You may also make handles out of the tape too, since it's easier to hang onto something.
- 5. Next, tape the bottom of the sled with either duct tape or packing tape. This makes the sled more snow proof and will also make you go down the hill faster.
- 6. Take your decorating material and decorate away!

Town of Greenfield Annual Winter Carnival 2006

Saturday, February 4, 2006

Come explore the fun you can have by bringing your family out to the Greenfield Winter Carnival on Saturday, February 4, 2006. Win the "Great Chili Award" for the best chili by entering in the 3rd annual chili cook-off and supper at the Greenfield Meeting House. The schedule of events is as follows:



7:30 - 10:00 a.m.

All you can eat Pancake Breakfast Come out and tantalize your taste buds while

getting acquainted with the local fire and rescue department personnel.

All you can eat pancakes, sausage and beverages \$3.00 kids and \$4.00 adults. Greenfield Meeting House.

> 10:30 - 12:30 a.m. Stories and crafts at the library.

Come in and let someone read you a story, be crafty, or just check out the books!



10:30 - 4:30 p.m. Ice Fishing Contest, Instruction, Ice Skating at Sunset Lake

Get bundled up, bring those skates and poles and spend the afternoon. New Hampshire Fish and Game will teach you about fish ecology and how to ice fish. Prize for the biggest fish! Held at the Crotched Mountain Lakeside Community Center at Sunset Lake.

NEW * Cross-cut Saw Log Cutting Contest

Come-on Mr. & Mrs. Muscles, show us what you can do! Two person log cutting competition. Happening ALL DAY at the lake.







11:30 -1:00 p.m. Lunch at the Lake

Take a break from the outdoors and come on in for a bite to eat! Hot dogs, pizza, and all the fixin's. The G.I. vers will be providing an affordable lunch menu, so come dine in front of the cozy fireplace at the Crotched Mountain Lakeside Community Center at Sunset Lake. Hot chocolate and coffee will be hot for you all day long!

* VALENTINE'S DAY PROJECT *

DURING LUNCHTIME, THE PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT WILL BE HOSTING A VALENTINE CRAFT PROJECT INSIDE THE LODGE TO ENTERTAIN YOU WHILE YOU WARM YOURSELF FROM ALL THE ACTION OUTSIDE!



3:00 p.m. HOMEMADE CARDBOARD SLED RACE

We could not forget the CARDBOARD SLED RACE! Let your creative juices flow by building your cardboard sled at home and bringing it to the race. Building your sled guidelines on page 5. Prizes will

be given for the fastest and most creative sled by age groups. Race will be held on the hill behind the Greenfield Inn. Hot chocolate for all!



3RD ANNUAL CHILI COOKOFF CONTEST AND DINNER GREENFIELD MEETING HOUSE



5:30 p.m. - Chili Contestant Chili Drop-off 6:00 p.m. - Chili Cook-off Dinner Begins!

Yep Folks, it was SO PACKED last year, we are moving the 3rd Annual Chili Cook off to the Greenfield Meeting House, just to accommodate everyone!

Please join us for a little taste of the west. Come taste the chili cuisine of our local "talented" residents. Don't cook? Forget about it..... cast your vote for the best chili around. Bring yourself, the kids, and even granny! For those who aren't so great with the spice, it's ok; there will be other things for you to eat. Donations to benefit the Winter Carnival would be appreciated!

TO ENTER YOUR TASTY CHILI IN THIS "HOT" COMPETITION, PLEASE CONTACT NEAL BROWN. THE "OFFICIAL CHILI GUY" BY CALLING 547-2023. HE WILL GIVE YOU ALL OF THE DETAILS.

NEW BOOKS AT THE LIBRARY

STEPHENSON MEMORIAL LIBRARY NEWS

CHRIST THE LORD Anne Rice

TEAM OF RIVALS Doris Kearns Goodwin

A MAN WITHOUT A COUNTRY

A MAGICAL YEAR

LIGHT FROM HEAVEN

TOXIC BATCHELORS

Kurt Vonnegut

Joan Didion

Jan Karon

Danielle Steel

AUDIO BOOKS

Our ever generous patrons are so special. We now have many more audio books which we are getting ready for the shelf. Some of the latest additions are:

1776 WALKING THE BIBLE
GOLDEN BUDDHA THE SCREWTAPE LETTERS
THE PATHS BETWEEN THE
SEAS THE DIARY OF ANNE FRANK D-DAY JUNE 6, 1944

CONSERVATION SHELF

Our library now has a special Conservation Shelf thanks to the Greenfield Conservation Commission. They have donated a great selection of books. Some of the subjects covered are: forests, swamps and bogs, amphibians, wildflowers, butterflies, bluebirds, animal tracking and more. This generous donation is very much appreciated. Please come in and view the whole collection.

ORIGAMI WORKSHOP

Jennifer Fraser offered a free origami workshop in December. We learned some origami techniques and made elf boots, beads, penguins and stars. The class was lots of fun and Jennifer has offered to hold another workshop in the spring. Come in and check with us for a date and time. You must bring your own paper for the class.

NOTES FROM THE CHILDREN'S LIBRARIAN

Winter Carnival is on February 4th! Drop by the library to make a craft, do a puzzle or listen to a story. The craft supplies & puzzles will be available for your use from 10:30 AM to 12:30 PM. Want a story read to you? Just ask one of our volunteers wearing a "Ask Me To Read To You" button to read to you.

Jammy Day is on Saturday, March 18th. Children, parents, grandparents, aunts & uncles, wear your favorite jammies to the library. Join in the fun, come listen to a story & then do a craft. Starting time is at 10:30 AM.

NEW BOOKS:

JUNIE B. JONES, FIRST GRADER - BARBARA PARK

Shipwrecked One-Man Band Cheater Pants Toothless Wonder

TALES FROM THE ODYSSEY - MARY POPE OSBORNE

The One Eyed Giant The Land Of The Dead Sirens And Sea Monsters The Gray-Eyed Goddess

EDGAR & ELLEN - CHARLES OGDEN

Rare Beasts Tourist Trap

The gas log in the fireplace is up and running. Come sit by the fire with a good book to read.

For any questions about our programs or if you would like to volunteer contact the library, 547-2790.

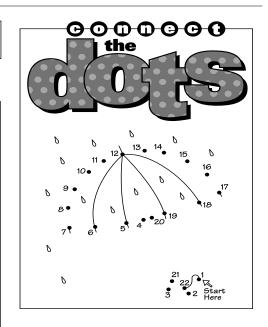
Gail Smith (Librarian)
Elizabeth Landry (Children's Librarian)

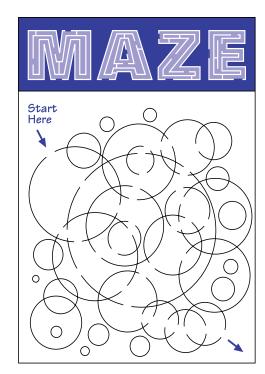
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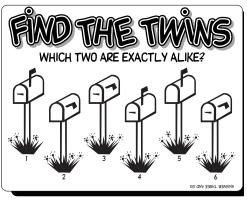
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BAROMETER	FOG	SLEET
BLIZZARD	FORECAST	SNOW
CELSIUS	FREEZE	STORM
CHILL	FROST	STRATUS
CIRRUS	HAIL	SUNNY
CLOUD	HEAT	TEMPERATURE
COLD	HOT	THERMOMETER
CUMULUS	HUMIDITY	THUNDER
CYCLONE	HURRICANE	TORNADO
DEGREE	LIGHTNING	WARM
DEW	METEOROLOGY	WEATHER
DEWPOINT	NOREASTER	WHITEOUT
DRIZZLE	PRECIPITATION	WIND
DRY	PRESSURE	WINDCHILL
FAHRENHEIT	RADAR	WINDY
FLOOD	RAIN	WINTRY







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updated versions occur so that we won't have to keep asking you to update our language.

The final change has its origin as a goal from our Master plan. The amendment to the Professional Uses Customary Home Based Occupations is designed to bring uses to the Planning Board through the Site Plan Review process rather than requiring a special action by the Zoning Board of Approval. Our purpose is to encourage home based business by eliminating restrictive and outdated language that currently exists.

The Planning Board hopes this information helps you understand the origin and intent of these proposed changes and helps you decide how you'll vote. We would like to extend our thanks to members of the public who turned out on a snowy evening on January 23rd to help us with this important work. Your contribution is appreciated. Should you need further clarification, information is available at the Town office for your use and as always, don't hesitate to contact a Board member.

MUNICIPAL BONDS CAN LOWER YOUR TAXES

Municipalities issue bonds to raise capital for their day-to-day activities and for specific projects that they might be undertaking (usually pertaining to development of local infrastructure such as roads, sewerage, hospitals, etc).

Generally, these bonds have maturities of at least 10 years and are paid off with funds from taxes or other fees. Revenue bonds are used to fund projects that will eventually create revenue directly, such as a toll road or lease payments for a new building. The revenues from the projects are used to pay off the bonds. In some cases the issuer is not obligated to pay interest unless a certain amount of revenue is generated. Municipal bonds usually come in \$5,000 par values and usually require a minimum investment of \$25,000 in order to get the best price.

EXAMPLE: Based on \$20/1000 tax rate on a home valued at \$300,000 (Annual Tax = \$6,000)

If all the property in the municipality were valued at \$100,000,000 (Every \$100,000 = \$1 on the tax rate) 1> Project Cost (In an Annual Municipal Operating Budget) = \$100,000 TAX RATE = \$1 per thousand (Cost = \$300/Property)

2> Project Cost (If Municipal Bonds are used & paid over 10 years) = \$10,000 TAX RATE= \$0.10 per thousand (Cost=\$ 30/Property)

Greenfield's tax rate is \$16.50/1000 and every \$168,000 equals \$1 on the tax rate.

This article is submitted by the Budget Committee for informational purposes.

OPEN LETTER TO GREENFIELD RESIDENTS

Congratulations for being such active recyclers! The recyclable materials listed below were sent to market to be remanufactured into new products through the non-profit recycling cooperative, Northeast Resource Recovery Association in 2005.

You recycled:

3,128 aluminum cans - this conserved enough energy to run a television for 318.305 hours!

56 tons of paper - this saved 952 trees! 3 tons of plastic - this conserved 4,500 gallons of gasoline!

54 tons of scrap metal - this conserved 54,000 pounds of coal!

Thank you! Frank Pelkey, Supervisor Greenfield Recycling Center

Deadline

for the Apr/May Issue of the Spirit is March 1st.

EARTH DAY ROADSIDE ROUND-UP

In observance of Earth Day, the Greenfield Conservation Commission will hold its 2nd Annual Roadside Round-up on April 22rd. Mark your calendars and watch for details in the April/May issue of the Spirit.

For all those who are new to the Roadside Round-up, the idea is to police your own road for bottles, cans, paper, or other litter and put it into the supplied blue garbage bags. The bags will be left on the roadside for pick up. Any oversize trash can be left next to the bags. Bags will be mailed to each household and extra bags will be available at the Recycling Center.

We ask that residents voluntarily begin bringing all blue bags and other debris to the Recycling Center at 1pm.

After the day's work, there will be a free ham & bean supper and a door prize drawing for all participants at the Meeting House.

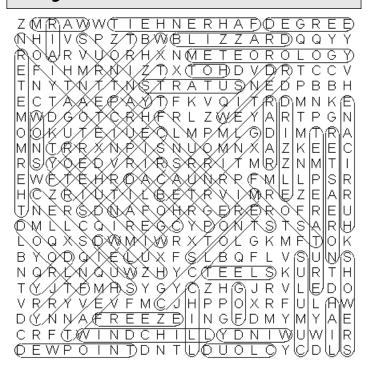
We hope everyone will participate again. Last year we picked up 2.7 tons of trash. Let's see if we can do it again! We have a beautiful town and this will help to keep it that way. If you need additional information, please contact Karen Day at 547-2985.

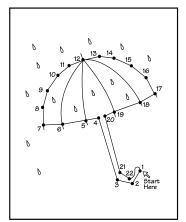
TOM TYNING AMPHIBIAN SLIDE SHOW AND WETLANDS SEARCH

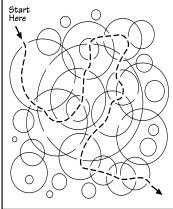
To further celebrate Earth Day, the Conservation Commission will sponsor a program by the one and only Tom Tyning on Sunday, April 23rd at 6:30 pm. Tom is famous for his wonderful show on amphibians. He makes the wetlands world come alive with an in-depth talk on frogs and salamanders that is serious but hilarious. After the show, he takes everyone out to a nearby marsh to find and see some of the amphibians he talked about in the show. Tom Tyning is a professional field naturalist and writer. He is currently Assistant Professor of Environmental Sciences at Berkshire Community College. For 24 years he

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JUST FOR FUN ANSWERS







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.

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Address		
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The cost for a one year subscr this form and the appropriate a		s \$6.00. Please send

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Sunday Worship Services 10am

2006 Copy Deadline Schedule for The Spirit

DEADLINE: MARCH 1ST FOR THE APR/MAY ISSUE.

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Deadline: September 1st for the Oct/Nov Issue.

Deadline: November 1st for the Dec/Jan Issue.

Deadline: January 1st for Feb/Mar Issue.



Don't Forget!
Saturday
February 4th!

See Rec. Pages for details.

served as Herpetologist and Master Naturalist for the Massachusetts Audubon Society. Don't miss this wonderful program. Wear warm waterproof clothes for the outing, and don't leave the kids at home!

PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST REMINDER

The Winter Photography Contest will end on March 19th. If you haven't gotten your entry/s in, please mark your calendar to do so by the 19th. If you've forgotten about the contest and want more details, please read the description in the last issue of the Spirit or go to the town website at www.greenfield-nh.gov/. There you will find a description and the application for the Winter Contest. March 20th will begin the Spring Contest and will require a different application.

We have already received some beautiful entries for the winter season. Don't let this season pass without getting yours in too.

The Conservation Commission

FRIENDS OF THE STEPHENSON MEMORIAL LIBRARY

A group of Greenfield residents have been meeting to form a "Friends of the Library" group. One of our main goals is to build a partnership between the library and the community by promoting the use and enjoyment of the library. This group is just forming and defining its mission and purpose, so it is not too late to join. We are looking for any interested residents. Our next meeting is Wednesday February 15 at 7 p.m. at the library. If you can not attend this meeting, but would like to join, or have some great ideas to share please, leave your name and number with Gail at the library. One of the "Friends" will get in touch with you with more information.

THANK YOU ALL!

The students and their families would like to thank all of you for saving the boxtops for education for our school. Thanks to you all, we raised

over \$250 last year! Our goal this year is to try to double that amount. This money will be used to fund student enrichment programs at our school.

For those of you that might not be aware, there are several easy ways for you to help our local schools raise money for much needed supplies and necessities throughout the year.

Greenfield Elementary is collecting Box Tops for Education. For those of you that are not familiar with this program, it involves saving the Box Tops For Education coupons from participating General Mills products. GES receives 10 cents for each one they send in, and can earn up to \$20,000 each school year! It is surprising how many products now offer these beneficial coupons; products like cereal, fruit snacks, Old El Paso tacos, Yoplait yogurt, Betty Crocker dessert mixes, Gold Medal flour, frozen pizza, Green Giant vegetables, Pillsbury items, Bisquick, Hamburger Helper,



These coupons can be saved throughout the year and dropped off at the Greenfield Elementary School, Post Office, Town Hall, Recycling Center, Delay's, Library and other drop-off locations.

Greenfield Elementary is also collecting used printer and toner cartridges. Instead of throwing out these used items, please save them for the school. It can provide students with many beneficial services as a result of the money raised. Our school raises over \$100 a year with this program.

South Meadow Middle School is saving Campbell's Labels For Education. This involves saving the entire label from cans off Campbell's products; such as their line of soups, Goldfish snack crackers, Spaghetti/Gravy's and many other items. It is as simple as removing the label from the can and saving it for the school.

Remember, most of these products are ones you use everyday, so no extra expense is involved. Instead of throwing these items away, please donate them to the schools. Be sure to ask family and friends to save them for the

school too. Not only do these programs help to reduce waste in our local landfills, they provide much-needed funds for our schools. It is vital that we all re-use instead of dispose of any materials that we can...and we might as well get paid for doing so! It is amazing how simple, yet beneficial, this form of raising money for the schools can be!!!!

Thank you all for your continuing support!

Ruth Bergmann

LOCAL RUNNER

Competes in the U.S. National Junior Olympic Cross Country Championship

On December 10, 2005, 9 year old Greenfield resident Shannon Glidden (number 3448) competed in the 2005 USATF National Junior Olympic Cross Country Championships in Smithfield, Rhode Island. Shannon, who had only been running since late October, qualified for the Nationals on November 19, 2005.

Shannon and her brother. Edward. are members of the Granite State Flash, a Manchester based youth cross country running program. The Granite State Flash had seven teams qualify for the U.S. Junior Olympics this year. Each team consisted of eight runners that qualified during preliminary meets: Bantam Girl/Boy Teams (ages 9-10), Midget Girl/Boy Teams (ages 11-12), and Youth Girl/Boy Teams (ages 13-14). These runners joined approximately 3000 other athletes in the largest youth cross country event of its kind in the United States. The USATF is the same sanctioning body that oversees the United States Olympic Track and Field Team as well as the U.S. Olympic Trials. The Junior Olympic Cross Country program is made up of qualifying meets in 57 local associations throughout the country that lead to 16 Regional Championships.

The 2005 Junior Olympics were held on the Bryant University campus despite the deep snow from the previous night's storm. The Bantam Girl teams were the first group to run.

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FRIDAY & SATURDAY NIGHT MOVIES

CROTCHED MT. MEDIA CENTER

Movies are each Friday at 6:15 PM and 1PM on some Saturdays. Everyone is welcome (children need to be supervised by an adult) and the cost is free!

FEBRUARY 3: PRINCESS OF THIEVES - Story of Robin Hood's daughter, Gwyn, who takes up his role after he is captured by Prince John.

FEBRUARY 10: THE SHAGGY D.A. - Wilby Daniels is subject to a furry transformation every time the inscription on an ancient scarab ring is read aloud...not a comforting prospect when you've bounded into the public eye as a candidate for District Attorney!

FEBRUARY 17: THE WIZARD OF OZ - The dazzling Land of Oz, a dream-come-true world of enchanted forests, dancing scarecrows and singing lions, wraps us in its magic with one great song-filled adventure after another.

FEBRUARY 24: TAKING CARE OF TERRIFIC - Fourteen year old Enid Crowley hates everything about her life but all this changes when she becomes a full-time babysitter to a sheltered little boy.

FEBRUARY 25, 1PM: LITTLE WOMEN - Exquisite rendering of Louisa May Alcott's Civil War era classic about four devoted sisters who eventually have to leave their New England nest.

MARCH 3: THE APPLE DUMPLING GANG - Disney classic which stars Don Knotts and Tim Conway. The ditsy duo is accused of bank robbery as they try to deposit a check. They join the U.S. Cavalry and wind up in the stockade for blowing up the fort.

MARCH 10: A KID IN KING ARTHUR'S COURT - To one 14-year-old little leaguer, Calvin Fuller, life is like one big strikeout when he lets his team down. Then an earthquake sends him through a magical time rift and he finds himself in King Arthur's court.

MARCH 17: TOY STORY - As six year old Andy's favorite toy, Woody is confident in his role as room leader. But When Buzz Lightyear crash lands into Woody's world as Andy's most important birthday present, a rivalry is created that lands the duo inside the home of Sid - the toy tortuing boy next door.

MARCH 24: TOY STORY 2 - While Andy is away at summer camp, Woody is toy-napped by Al, a greedy collector. Buzz, Mr. Potato Head and Slinky Dog srping into action to get him back.

MARCH 25, 1PM: WILLY WONKA & THE CHOCO-LATE FACTORY - When they find prized Golden Tickets inside their candy bars, five lucky children win a behind-thescenes glimpse of the legendary candy factory run by the mysterious Willy Wonka.

MARCH 31: THE PRINCESS DIARIES - High school oddball/ugly duckling learns she's a princess from her royal grandmother and blossoms under extensive tutelage.

CROTCHED MOUNTAIN LAKESIDE COMMUNITY CENTER



Crotched Mountain Rehabilitation Center is pleased to announce that we will be opening our lakefront property to the public again this year. The old boathouse on Sunset Lake has begun to open up to serve as a warming hut for Crotched Mountain and public ice skating and sliding with recorded skating music accompaniment. The large indoor fireplace and the dual sided outdoor fireplace offer skaters and sliders toasty spots to hang out while sipping free hot drinks. Our four person, universally accessible ice fishing shanty, built by Crotched Mountain staff, also appeared at the lake recently. An ice fishing workshop will be conducted at the lake for Greenfield Winter Carnival on Saturday, February 4th by N.H. Fish & Game's Mark Beauchesne (above) for Crotched Mountain and public school students. No experience is necessary, but reservations are required. The workshop will cover information about basic equipment, fish ecology, responsible outdoor behavior, knot tying, fish identification, care of the catch, and safety. All participants will be given the opportunity to practice ice fishing. Crotched Mountain intends to keep the skating area clear of snow all winter (ice permitting) and all Greenfield residents are welcome to use it any time. Access to the building and the 'bob house' is by permission only.

For information call Jim Orr at 547-3311



SPONSOR THE SPIRIT

If you'd like to sponsor an issue of the Greenfield Spirit, please call Deb at 547-3442 to sign up. 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.

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Shannon ran an impressive race and helped her team place 6th overall out of 19 teams competing.

Shannon has also competed in several other running events, including the Millennium Mile in Londonderry on December 31st where she finished the 4th fastest 9 year old girl, and the 5K Peanut Butter Chip Chase in Temple on January 1st, where she finished in first place for girls ages 14 and under.

BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

MT MONADNOCK DISTRICT • PACK 8

Scouting for Food Program

Cub Scout Pack 8 and Boy Scout Troop 8 collected more than 2,500 non-perishable items donated by local residents during the Scouting for Food drive held last week. According to program coordinator Marie Primeau, this year's Scouting for Food drive collected approximately 500 more items than last year – an increase of 25%.

"We wish to thank local residents for their overwhelming support of Scouting for Food," remarked Cubmaster Lauren Martin. "The program not only helps people in need, it teaches our youth the importance of giving, community spirit, and team work." Many people were involved in collecting, sorting, and distributing the food, including Scouts, food bank volunteers, and armory personnel. The Peterborough House of Pizza and the Peterborough Pizza Barn both generously contributed lunch for the volunteers

All food collected was distributed to three local food banks: the Human Services Fund at the Peterborough Town House; the Monadnock Area Food Bank at All Saint's parish house in Peterborough; and the Greenfield Food Pantry on Depot Drive in Greenfield.

Scouting for Food is an annual nationwide event sponsored by the Boy Scouts of America. To learn more about Scouting, please contact Cubmaster Lauren Martin (603-924-9664) or Scoutmaster Rich Frechette (603-924-4146).

FLYING IRISH TO PERFORM ON FEBRUARY 4TH

The Flying Irish Dance Troupe will be at CMRC in Carter Hall for a performance and workshop on February 4th at 2pm. There will be staccato stepping, dynamic dancing, and toe tickling terpsichore. Everyone is invited!

GIVers' CORNER

WOODBANK UPDATE

As noted in the previous issue of the Spirit, the GIVers, in cooperation with the Town of Greenfield, has established a woodbank to benefit Greenfield residents with unusual need for winter wood.

We now have in hand nearly 8 cords of variously seasoned firewood because of the kindness and generosity of the following donors:

- -Wendell Smith and Carl Ingelstrom of Greenfield.
- -David Buxton and Karla Allen of New England Forest Products.
- -Kerry Smith of Hancock.
- -Jim Orr of The Crotched Mountain Rehabilitation Center (Special thanks to Jim and CMRC for both wood and a place to work and store it).

Thanks to all of you for your help!

Update: As of Jan. 3, 2006, we have only ~ 3.5 cords of wood suitable for burning, and, accordingly, for this winter, we can distribute it only in "tide-you-over" lots of 1/3 cord or less. If you are a Greenfielder and you need some wood, please call either Deb Davidson at 547-3442 in the Town Office or Jim Orr at CRMC at 547-3311/extension 409.

If you would like to donate wood to our bank, please call Jim Orr at 547-3311/extension 409. Donations will be very welcome.

DON'T MISS WINTER CARNIVAL Saturday, Feb. 4, 2006

(See page 6)

We really hope to see you there! We've been working on the planning of the carnival with Greenfield Rec. Director, Molly Anfuso, and, if the weather holds up, it should be a humdinger! There will be two new events at Sunset Lake - an old-fashioned cross-cut sawing contest, and, if we can swing it, rides around the lake in an old-fashioned horse-drawn sleigh. So, keep your fingers crossed for good ice for skating, fishing, and sleigh riding, plenty of snow for the kids' sled race at the Greenfield Inn, and fair weather for all! And, don't forget to enter your crockpot of chili in the Carnival's Chili Cook-Off/Supper and to stay and enjoy it along with all the others! This year, the Cook-Off/Supper has been moved to the Meeting House to make more room for even more of you chili-lovin' Greenfielders.

DO YOU KNOW OF ANY MORE NEWCOMERS TO GREENFIELD?

As always, we're on the lookout for first-timers to Greenfield, so, if you know of any, please give MaryAnn Grant a call at 547-8856. MaryAnn is the point person for the GIVers' "Welcome Basket" program, and she would be pleased to receive any info about new residents.

DO YOU HAVE ANY SUGGESTIONS FOR GIVers' PROJECTS? DO YOU WANT TO JOIN THE GIVers? If so, please call Neal Brown at 547-2023.

SEE YOU AT WINTER CARNIVAL!

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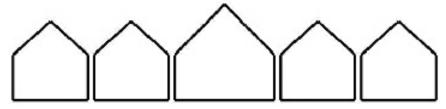
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Send in serious or funny photos, articles, news of the town, poems, drawings, historical info, etc., with name of writer and photographer. Thanks!

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