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### **The Slyders Band**

**"Classic Rock & Roll"**

**Bill Greenwold**

**Jim Houck**

**Craig Webb**

**John Parisi**

*see backcover*

## **GREENFIELD CHARRETTE**

### **Public Input for Charrette Planning Sought**

Preliminary planning for the fall charrette is underway. At press time, we have not heard from our application to NH Charitable Foundation for a \$5000 grant but we remain hopeful. Discussion has taken place at Planning Board meetings and a progress report from the Planning Board and Town Administrator was presented to the Selectmen on May 14th. Additional outreach took place at a Givers meeting on May 21st.

The Charrette is scheduled to take place on September 26 and 27, 2014. A tentative working calendar is illustrated below. It is important to remember that this working schedule is subject to change as planning evolves.

#### **FRIDAY - SEPTEMBER 26**

- 9:45 - 10:00: Team gathers at location TBD
- 10:00 - 11:00: Team meeting to review: expectations, process, schedule, facilitation requirements, more
- 11:00 - 12:00: Walking tour of study area led by town leaders (bus tour)
- 12:00 - 1:30: Team meeting
- 1:30 - 3:00: Team meets with town department heads, etc.
- 3:30 - 5:00: First open Listening Session-location tbd
- 5:15 - 6:15: Dinner/Supper with townspeople-same location
- 6:30 - 8:00: Second open Listening Session-same location
- 8:00 - ??: Plan NH team debrief and begin brainstorming

#### **SATURDAY -SEPTEMBER 27**

- 8:00 - ??: Breakfast at charrette team work area
- 8:30 - 2:00: Meet for brainstorming of issues, recommendations, etc. - break into smaller functional work groups and develop one or more plans. (location same as day before?)
- 9:00 - 11:00: Robin's workshop (separate meeting room from charrette team work room). Robin will provide more details on this.
- Lunch: Usually the team works right thru, eating as they work. Sometimes not
- 2:30 - 3:00: Community Presentation of charrette team recommendations
- 4:00 - ??: Closing

Your opportunity for input into the planning phase of this activity will take place on Saturday, June 7, 2014 from 9 - 10:30 a.m. in the Wensburg room of the Stephenson Library. This discussion will center around the schedule above as well as other ideas gathered from this conversation. Department leaders will convene on June 19th to offer their planning input and identify issues they see. Please note that the public at large will have two opportunities to provide direct input into the actual Charrette on Friday, September 26 from 3:30 - 5:00 p.m. and from 6:30 - 8:00 p.m.

So come on by, have a cup of coffee or glass of juice and a snack, schmooze a bit with neighbors and provide your thoughts on how we should organize this venture into the future for the Town of Greenfield.

*Bob Marshall*



## The Greenfield Spirit

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### To submit articles to the Spirit:

E-mail text to: [greenfieldnhbos@myfairpoint.net](mailto: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!

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**Ad rates and sizes are available from the Town Office.**

## SPIRIT DEADLINE

**July 1, 2014**

**for the Aug/Sep Issue**

**Will cover events between**

**August 1 to September 30, 2014**

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

Please send your information via e-mail, if possible to:

**[greenfieldnhbos@myfairpoint.net](mailto:greenfieldnhbos@myfairpoint.net)**

If you have any questions, please call Aaron Patt at the Town Office at 547-3442.

# TOWN DIRECTORY

## EMERGENCY NUMBERS

### DIAL 911

**POLICE/FIRE/AMBULANCE**  
DIAL 911 or 352-1100

## TOWN OFFICES

### GREENFIELD SELECTBOARD

**Executive Selectboard meetings are first and third Wednesdays of the month at 4:30 pm unless otherwise posted.**

Selectboard: Debra Davidson Chair, Margo Bliss, Karen Day

Aaron Patt, Town Administrator

Email: [greenfieldnhbos@myfairpoint.net](mailto:greenfieldnhbos@myfairpoint.net)

Town Offices open: Mon.-Thurs 9:00am to 5:00pm. Closed to the public on Friday.

**Please call if you need an appointment during closed hours.**

Catherine Shaw, Office Manager

Tel: 547-3442 Fax: 547-3004

Email: [greenfieldnhacct@myfairpoint.net](mailto:greenfieldnhacct@myfairpoint.net)

### BUDGET COMMITTEE

Myron Steere - 547-3332

### BUILDING/HEALTH INSPECTOR

Insp's by Appt/as needed

Inspector - Mike Borden 547-0437

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

### CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Meets 4th Wed. of the Month at 7:30pm

Chair: Carol Irvin Tel: 547-2037

Email: [CIrvin@mathematica-mpr.com](mailto:CIrvin@mathematica-mpr.com)

### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

DPW Director: Tim Murray - 547-3504

Email: [greenfield.nh.dpw@myfairpoint.net](mailto:greenfield.nh.dpw@myfairpoint.net)

### FIRE DEPARTMENT

Business Mtg. 1st Tues of month at 7:00pm

Training 2nd & 3rd Tues of month at 7:00pm

Officer's Mtg 4th Tues of month at 7:00pm

Chief: Loren White H: 547-6874

Cell: 562-5007

Emergency Dispatch: 352-1100 or 911

Email: [ldw13@myfairpoint.net](mailto:ldw13@myfairpoint.net)

### FOR BURN PERMITS CALL:

Fire Warden: Charlie Stevenson, 582-6663

Deputy Fire W.: Al Burt, 547-3839

Dep. Fire W.: Steve Coombs 547-5760

Dep. Fire W.: Fred Ierlan 547-6823

Dep. Fire W.: James Murphy 547-6336

### POLICE DEPARTMENT

Brian Giammarino, Chief

Office: 547-2535 Dispatch: 547-2525

Email: [greenfieldnhpolice@myfairpoint.net](mailto:greenfieldnhpolice@myfairpoint.net)

### STEPHENSON MEMORIAL LIBRARY

Wednesday 10:30am to 8:00pm

Thursday 11:00 am to 6:00pm

Friday 10:30am to 4:00pm

Saturday 10:00am to 2:00pm

Librarian - Gail Smith Tel: 547-2790

Monthly meetings at the library

Library Trustees 1st Wed at 7:00pm

Friends of the Library 3rd Wed 7:00pm

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

### PLANNING BOARD

Meetings: 2nd & 4th Mon. at 7:00pm

At the Town Offices. Normally the 2nd

Mon. meeting is for hearings and the 4th

Mon. meeting is for other business.

Chair: Bob Marshall Tel: 547-3350

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

### RECYCLING CENTER

Hours: Tuesday 8:00am to 12:00pm

Thursday 1:00pm to 7:00pm

Saturday 8:00am to 4:00pm

Stickers for residents at the Town Office.

Supervisor: Carol Burgess Tel: 547-8617

Email: [greenfieldnhrecycling@myfairpoint.net](mailto:greenfieldnhrecycling@myfairpoint.net)

**SCHOOL BOARD REP:** Myron Steere  
547-3332

### TOWN CLERK (Registrations)

Mon. 6:00pm to 7:30pm

Thurs. 9:00am to 12:00pm

Thurs. 6:00pm to 7:30pm

1st & 3rd Sat. from 9:00am to 12:00pm

Town Clerk - Dee Sleeper

Tel: 547-2782

Email: [greenfieldnhct@myfairpoint.net](mailto:greenfieldnhct@myfairpoint.net)

### TOWN FORESTER

NH Licensed Forester

Karla Allen

Tel: 662-5646

Email: [karla@garlandlumber.net](mailto:karla@garlandlumber.net)

### TAX COLLECTOR

Mon. 1:00pm to 7:30pm

Thursday 6:00pm to 7:30pm

3rd Saturday 9:00am to 12:00pm

Tax Collector - Kathleen Valliere

Tel: 547-2782 Fax: 547-2242

Email: [greenfieldnhctaxes@myfairpoint.net](mailto:greenfieldnhctaxes@myfairpoint.net)

### WELFARE DEPARTMENT

Welfare Director: Leah Fiasconaro-Conway

Walk-in Hours: Weds- 5:00pm to 7:00pm

Email: [greenfieldnhwelfare@gmail.com](mailto: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

## THANKS TO THE ROADSIDE ROUND-UP VOLUNTEERS

Greenfield held its 9th successful Roadside Roundup on April 26. Without volunteers, this event would not exist. The Greenfield Conservation Commission would like to thank everyone who participated this year. Despite the rain and chilly temperatures, town residents collected more than 100 bags of trash.

The Greenfield Woman's Club put on another wonderful ham and bean dinner that was topped off with ice cream and all the toppings. We raffled off 21 fabulous prizes donated by local merchants. When you have some money to spend, please consider supporting our local businesses.

The day ended with a presentation by the Planning Board about its upcoming charette. To help us prepare for the Roundup, the GIVers once again provided the labor hours needed to prepare our advance mailing. Town employees Catherine Shaw and Aaron Patt also assisted us.

A shout out to Carol Burgess who made arrangements for a free dumpster and provided shelter during the rain.

Thanks to all the volunteers who made the 2014 Roadside Roundup a big success!!

*Carol Irvin  
Conservation Commission, Chair*

## NEW SIGN FOR OAK PARK

First the GIVers (Greenfield Independent Volunteers) built a maple podium for Town meeting. Now they have struck again. With red oak planks purchased from New England Forest Products, the GIVers' Signage crew has built and installed this new entrance sign for Oak Park:



*The crew (L-R) included Neal Brown (procurement chief), David Bridgewater, Dan Wolaver, and Gary (Cookie) Smith. The letters and oak leaves were hand-scribed in pencil by Dan, routed out by David, and Cookie did the painting.*

## HISTORICAL SOCIETY NEWS

### MAIL ON THE MOVE

The Town History continues with more information about mail delivery in Greenfield noting that after the completion of improvements to Forest Road in 1831, mail arrived from Boston on a stage coach every other day. Following the construction of the rail bed in 1874, mail was transported every day by the Boston and Maine Railroad.

Two trains per day went "down" to Boston and two trains went "up" to Keene, NH. In 1936, after extensive flood damage, passenger trains did not run. However, buses operated by B & M (Boston and Maine), kept the same schedule. In 1956, this bus system was discontinued, and mail contracts for mail delivery were put out to bid, similar to that of the privately-owned mail trucks that pull into the post office today. Mail is received from and sent twice a day to Manchester, NH.

Not only did the mail move, but the post office location in Greenfield changed often. For some time, it was within a store on the site of the present library. Then, it was located in the house across the street from the library. At times, the post office was in the Hopkins Store - now known as Greenfield Meeting Place. In 1945, the post office moved into what is now the Harvester Market.

From 1964 to 1967, the Greenfield Post Office was situated in a building that originally was built and used as the Greenfield Industries Woodworking Shop. This was behind the Harvester Market - where the town septic/leach bed is currently sited. The building is now gone. The present Post Office building was built and ready for occupation in 1967.

Rural mail delivery in town was limited. Some people in the southern part of town got their mail from Lyndeborough while those in the western part received their mail from Peterborough. This was due to the fact that Greenfield had no RFD carrier service. Finally, mail carriers were incorporated into the Greenfield delivery system, and folks in all parts of town could set out a mail box for home delivery.

Please join us on Thursday evening of May 22, 2014, at 6:45 PM for a brief business meeting in the Wensberg Room of the Stephenson Memorial Library. We will vote on the proposed budget as well as elect officers/directors for the coming year. Then, at 7 PM, in conjunction with the NH Humanities Council, David Stewart-Smith will speak on "Mapping the Merrimack: An Adventure Into Uncharted Territory". There is no admission charge for the program, and light refreshments will be offered.

Our ANNUAL JUNE FAIR is scheduled for Saturday, June 7, 2014, at the Museum on Forest Road. Again, there is no admission charge, light refreshments will be offered, and there will be lots to explore. In addition to the Flea Market portion (Contact Adele Hale at 547- 3403 if interested in participating.), there will be demonstrations, exhibits, and other local vendors. We

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## RECYCLING CENTER NEWS

Summertime - here we are! Busy times are upon us with inside and outside chores. Projects waiting for the long winter to leave are now the focus of our energy. ALL items, other than regular household "kitchen garbage" and items for the recycling windows, must be checked before drop off. Remember Greenfield has Mandatory Recycling and fees apply to certain items. It will only take us a few moments to figure out your load.

**TAKE NOTICE!** Only those items in the Mini Mall and Library can be taken by the residents of Greenfield. Please note that any other items around the facility are town property.

**CHANGE COMING SOON:** In the near future, we will be changing the plastic window of #1 and #3-7's. When we do, we will only be taking #1's through this window but there are several factors that must be sorted out before we start the program. We appreciate your cooperation and patience.

**THANK YOU's:** To Neil Brown for digging a flowerbed around the sign at the gate and to Candi Fowler for providing and planting the flowers in the flowerbeds at both of the recycling center signs. Our litter clean up was provided by Greenfield's Boy Scout troupe who master a huge project within a few hours. This has resulted in our recycling center with a fresh look for the coming season. Also to Lisa Moran for her constant attention to tidying up the Mini Mall and Library.

### SUMMER HOURS:

Hours: Tuesday 8am - Noon, Thursday 1pm - 7 pm, and Saturday 8am - 4pm.

**HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE:** Collections have started. Information sheets are available. Questions? Just ask.

Do you know? The average US citizen creates 82 pounds of textiles per year. Of that, 95% are worn or torn and can be recycled. Only 15% of that gets donated or recycled and 85% goes to the landfill. That equals 10 million tons or 260,000 tractor-trailer truckloads. Textiles are reused within a 3-grade system. Grade 1: Usable clothing is 45% - of that 5% is unusable - this recycling uses human labor which is good for the economy. Grade 2: Fiber conversion is 20% and uses the most energy of the 3 grades. Grade 3: Wiping cloth is 30% and uses human labor also and this process uses less water, energy and leaves less of a carbon footprint than the other alternative (landfill).

The EPA reports that 5-6% of landfills are used by discarded textiles but that each person who recycles their textiles EACH year saves 11 cubic yards of landfill space per year.

A quick reminder: All Containers that are recycled must be empty, rinsed and clean. Please remember this as we second handle these containers and it is a safety and health issue. Dirty containers draw insects and unclean soap containers present slippery floors that are a safety hazard to us.

**CORRUGATED CARDBOARD:** Please do not stomp on to flatten. Please ask us about wet cardboard.

**USED OIL:** Thank you for your contributions.

**METAL CONTAINER:** There are certain types of metals we recycle separately for the town.

**BICYCLES & LAWN MOWERS:** Please see attendant. All oil and gasoline must be drained. Let us know the history of the machine so we can pass it along to another resident interested in reusing the machine.

**ELECTRONICS:** Please see attendant. Fees are associated with the disposal of these items.

**MINI MALL and LIBRARY:** These are provided for your pleasure so please make sure your items are checked and help to keep these buildings tidy and safe.

I am always open for suggestions.

*Carol Burgess and the Recycling Center staff.*

## The GREENFIELD FOOD PANTRY & The GREENFIELD CLOTHES CLOSET

12 Depot Drive • Off Slip Road • Behind Harvester Market

**HOURS:** Food Pantry: Saturdays, 9 – 12

Clothes Closet: Fridays & Saturdays, 10 – 12

These are services of the Greenfield Community Church. Food is available to anyone in need. Great clothes at great prices. (You can donate food at the post office or at Depot Drive, good clean clothes at Depot Drive. We have a drop box.) ☛ To our friends who contribute \$\$ to the Food Pantry: **THANK YOU!** You are helping your neighbors more than you may realize!

*Serving the Community since 1791*

**GREENFIELD  
COVENANT  
CHURCH**

547-3626 • [greenfieldchurch.org](http://greenfieldchurch.org)

Worship Sundays @ 10am  
Carter Hall, Crotched Mt.  
Rehab Center, Greenfield



## 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! (always double-check the meeting calendar on the town website, in case it has been moved).

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."

### Local Conservation News & Notes

Remember, June is the month when female turtles are crossing the road to lay their eggs. Please watch out for these turtle moms! You will see them almost anywhere, but especially near ANY body of water - river, stream, pond, wetland - you get the picture - PLEASE SLOW DOWN FOR TURTLES!!!

The GCC is in the process of developing management plans for the George Proctor and Koch-Brown properties. For parcels that have been given to the town for use as recreation areas or otherwise conserved, it is good stewardship to have a structured plan for its use.

We're also updating the town's Natural Resources Inventory (NRI) and are making progress with that.

### SELECTED UPCOMING REGIONAL EVENTS:

**Monadnock Conservancy Events** - check <http://monadnockconservancy.org/news-events/calendar.html>

#### Trail steward training

Saturday, June 7, and Sunday, June 8, 2014, from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. each day

Chris Ingui from the Jolly Rovers will be leading this training workshop to get us all up to speed on trail maintenance, construction and tool use. Chris builds trails professionally, but also works extensively with volunteers, and he's excited to help us kick off our season with the help of two other leaders from the Jolly Rovers crew. Lunch and tools will be provided; you just need to come prepared to spend a day outside learning and working on our Porcupine Falls Trail. Please register in advance for one or both days.

Location: John and Rosemarie Calhoun Family Forest, White Brook Road, Gilsum, NH

Contact: Email Emily Hague or call 603-357-0600, ext. 104.

#### Trail skills workshop

Saturday, July 13, and Sunday, July 14, from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. each day

This two-day training, a repeat of the one offered in May, is intended to help community and land trust volunteers gain the skills needed to create and maintain trails, enabling them to facilitate trail projects back home. You'll learn about tools

and safety procedures, trail design and construction and maintenance of timber bridges, stone steps, puncheons, turnpikes and switchbacks. A fee covers instruction and food. Local lodging options are available.

Location: John and Rosemarie Calhoun Family Forest, White Brook Road, Gilsum, NH

Contact: Email Emily Hague or call 603-357-0600, ext. 104.

#### Hewes Hill hike

Sunday, June 22, 2014, from 9 a.m. to noon

Join Ryan Owens and Denny Wheeler for a moderately strenuous hike up Hewes Hill, following the Tippin Rock Trail for part of the way, with discussion of the notable geological features. Expect some bushwhacking, with opportunity for rock climbing if you are inclined. Meet 9 a.m. at the Golden Rod Grange in Swanzey Center (Route 32).

Location: Tippin Rock Farm, Swanzey, NH

Contact: Email Ryan Owens or call him at 603-357-0600, ext. 103, or call Denny at 603-313-0350.

**Forest Society Events** - check <http://www.forestsociety.org/thingstodo/>

The Society for the Protection of New Hampshire Forests, the largest land trust based entirely in New Hampshire, is sometimes referred to as SPNHF, but is affectionately known as the "Forest Society".

#### Monadnock Trails Week

July 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 (Friday through Tuesday), 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Mount Monadnock, Jaffrey

Join conservation professionals and other volunteers from the Forest Society and NH State Parks in restoring hiking trails on New Hampshire's Mount Monadnock! Come for one day or several, alone or with friends! Prior trail maintenance experience is very welcome but not necessary. Tasks for the week will include restoring trails, building water bars, improving trail tread, and constructing footbridges and stone staircases.

Where: Mount Monadnock (meet at Park HQ at the end of Poole Rd in Jaffrey, NH at 9 a.m.)

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### **Conservation Tracks continued from page 5**

What to bring: old clothes, work gloves (if you have them), a bag lunch, and plenty of water. Trail tools will be provided!

How to sign up: email Carrie Deegan at [cdeegan@forestso-society.org](mailto:cdeegan@forestso-society.org) or call 224-9945.

**Harris Center Events** - <http://www.harriscenter.org/calendar> 83 King's Highway, Hancock, NH 03449  
Phone (603) 525-3394

Tuesday, June 3

\*10:00am Environmental Studies Institute: The Art and Science of Nature Journals

\*7:00pm "Project Nighthawk" Volunteer Training

Thursday, June 5

\*1:30pm Environmental Studies Institute: Native Americans in the Monadnock Region: An Archaeological History

\* 7:30pm Counting Bats for Conservation

Friday, June 6

10:00am Easygoing Hike to Royalston Falls

Sunday, June 8

9:00am Willard Pond Bird Walk

Tuesday, June 10

10:00am Environmental Studies Institute: The Art and Science of Nature Journals

Tuesday, June 17

10:00am Environmental Studies Institute: The Art and Science of Nature Journals

Tuesday, June 24

10:00am Environmental Studies Institute: The Art and Science of Nature Journals

Note: July events were not posted at the time of this writing, but check the website above for more.

### **UNH-Cooperative Extension Forest/Wildlife events**

See the link below for events and workshops, most free and open to the public. Many are in Durham, but there are some nearby.

[http://extension.unh.edu/events/index.cfm?e=app.home&calendar\\_id=976](http://extension.unh.edu/events/index.cfm?e=app.home&calendar_id=976) There are GIS/GPS workshops, Chain Saw Safety, and much more.

**Fish & Game Non-Game Dept** has some great ideas for kids this summer - see:

<http://www.nhchildreninnature.org/>

and click on What to do + Where to go

### **Spotlight: NEW HAMPSHIRE DECLARES WAR...on terrestrial invasives!**

In the last issue of the Spirit, we provided an overview of all

invasives. Now, spurred on by a terrific lecture in January by Doug Cygan of NH Dept. of Agriculture, this is the year we are really attacking terrestrial plant invasives in the Monadnock region and all over the state!

Here is this great resource that provides a map for each town, with the "Most Wanted" species. See the link below, <http://www.wildlife.state.nh.us/invasives/index.html> and click on Greenfield.

Restoration is a Full Circle ...  
... Pull, then Plant!

Invasive plant species are early colonizers of disturbed soils. Once you have cleared an area and exposed bare ground, remember to plant with native species as soon as possible.

The three "most wanted" (in other words, most NOT wanted, so get out there and pull 'em) in Greenfield, are Black Swallow-wort, Garlic mustard and Norway maple. Naturally, there are others that you hear about a lot - purple loosestrife, Japanese knotweed, honeysuckle, etc., - but the control of those will, many times, fall under the jurisdiction of DOT or DES.

Two really good, comprehensive documents regarding control of invasives in New Hampshire are:

<http://agriculture.nh.gov/publications-forms/documents/control-invasive-species-numbers.pdf>

<http://agriculture.nh.gov/publications-forms/documents/integrated-pest-management-woody-plants.pdf>

### **Black Swallow-wort**

*Cynanchum louiseae* Kartesz & Gandhi  
Milkweed family (Asclepiadaceae)

### **NATIVE RANGE**

Europe (Italy, France, Portugal, and Spain)

### **DESCRIPTION**

Black or Louis' swallow-wort (previously *Vincetoxicum nigrum* and *Cynanchum nigrum*) is a perennial, twining herbaceous vine. The leaves are oval shaped with pointed tips, 3-4 in. long by 2-3 in. wide, and occur in pairs along the stem. The small five-petaled star shaped flowers are dark purple to almost black with white hairs, about ¼ in. across, and are borne in clusters. The fruits are slender tapered pods, 2 to 3 in. long by about ¼ in. wide, turning from green to light brown as they mature. Plants have rhizomes (underground stems) that sprout new plants and grow in clumps of several to many stems, forming extensive patches.

### **ECOLOGICAL THREAT**

Black swallow-wort can form extensive patches that crowd

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# STEPHENSON MEMORIAL LIBRARY

Greenfield, NH, 603 547 2790, stephensonlib@gmail.com, Facebook

Family Storytime Last Thursday Monthly 11 am

W 10:30 -8, Th 11-6, F 10:30-4, Sat 10-2

Closed Sunday-Tuesday



This year's Community Summer Library Program (CSLP) theme is Fizz, Boom, Read. Stephenson Memorial Library and libraries across NH and the nation will be offering all things STEAM-Y (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) this summer. Outdoor story times (BYO Lunch), pajama parties w/Bedtime Math, photo ops, fizzing experience stations, Friends of the Library will co-sponsor one of this summer's concerts. Register on Saturday, June 21st, 11-1 pm. Stay tuned to Facebook for details.

The program is open to Greenfield Residents of all ages. If you'd like to share a special story, your favorite science experiment or help with setting the scene, Call or email Kristin at 603 547 2790, stephensonlib@gmail.com. Donations towards programs, prizes, snacks & supplies are always appreciated.

<http://www.pinterest.com/stephensonlib/cslp-fizz-boom-read-2014/> Check out the Library's Pinterest Board for rainy day ideas, recipes and more.

## LIBRARY CALENDAR

### JUNE

Sat,	June 7,	First Saturday in June,	<a href="http://www.wildnh.com/Events/free_fishing_day.html">http://www.wildnh.com/Events/free_fishing_day.html</a>
Come check out the library's pole & tackle and try your luck. Plenty of great stories about the one that got away if you are more observer than enthusiast.			
Wed,	June 18th,	4:30 pm	TOVEN, Certified Therapy Dog, Visit & Read
Sat,	June 21st,	11-1 pm	Register for Summer Reading Fun, FIZZ, BOOM, READ SUMMER LIBRARY PROGRAM
Wed,	June 25th,	7pm,	Teen Advisory, Pizza Pig Out, Fandom T's, Sharpie/Bleach Pen What's Up for Your Summer? What do you want from your library?
Thurs,	June 26th	6 pm	Pajama Math, Elementary School Age, Family Event
Sat,	June 28th,	10 am,	Stories at Oak Park Gazebo, Weather Permitting

### JULY

#### CLOSED 4TH OF JULY - STOCK UP FOR LONG WEEKEND

Wed,	July 16th	4:30 pm	TOVEN, Snuggle, Read and Visit
Thurs,	July 24th	6:00 pm	Pajama Math Program, Elementary School Age, Family Event
Sat,	July 26th,	10 am	Stories Oak Park Gazebo, Weather Permitting
Wed,	July 30th,	7 pm	Teen Advisory, Pizza Pig Out & Altered Books

Don't forget to try out the Library's Starblast Telescope to look a little closer at the summer night sky.

Courtesy of Friends of Stephenson Memorial Library and NH Astronomers.



## SUNSET LAKE BEACH

**Sunset Lake Beach will be open for supervised swimming on June 21, 2014**

**General Hours of operation:  
Everyday 12:00 Noon - 5:00 p.m.**

### SWIMMING LESSONS AT THE BEACH

#### 2014 "LEARN-TO-SWIM" American Red Cross Youth Swim Lessons

**WHO:** Youth, ages 4 and up

**WHERE:** Sunset Lake Beach. Resident lessons are free. Non-Resident fee is \$30 per child, per session, Non-refundable.

**WHEN:** One six week session will be offered this summer.

**TIMES:** 10:00 a.m.- 12:00 p.m. (adjustments may be made at the discretion of the lifeguard)

**Dates are yet to be determined -  
check with the Town Office**

American Red Cross (ARC) Swimming Lessons are offered by age and ability level. American Red Cross certified Water Safety Instructors (WSI) teach lessons. Each swimming lesson session consists of 10 classes, including safety program, rules, and ability assessment day. The WSI reserves the right to transfer students to the proper class level, which will be determined once your child is observed in the water. Our goal is to make every effort to conduct lessons at the lake. Lessons will be cancelled if it is raining heavily or any thunder and/or lightening present. This is at the discretion of the guard staff. An adult **MUST** accompany children during lessons for safety reasons. Please have your child(ren) on time so lessons can run smoothly. Children will need a towel and sunscreen for lessons.

**REGISTRATION:** You **MUST** register by contacting the Town of Greenfield, Town Administrator, Aaron Patt at 547-3442. See next page for swimming levels.

## BEACH STICKERS

As of midnight July 31, 2010 at all town beaches (Sunset Lake & Zephyr Lake) all vehicles without a Greenfield Facility Sticker will be ticketed and fined.

Stickers can be obtained at the Greenfield Town Office, Monday through Thursday (9am to 5pm).

Stickers are to be displayed on the lower left windshield of the driver's side.

All questions should be referred to the Greenfield Police Dept. at 547-2525 or to the Town Office at 547-3442.

## Sunset Lake Beach Rules

1. The beach is for Greenfield Taxpayers, Residents and their guests and non-residents who have paid \$75.00 for a seasonal beach pass **ONLY**.
2. A Greenfield facilities permit sticker is required on your vehicle. Non-residents may obtain temporary permit for \$75.00.
3. The beach is under the supervision of the certified lifeguard from 12:00 Noon - 5:00 p.m. Monday thru Friday, June 21st thru August 30th. The beach is open to the residents between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 10:00 p.m. Presence outside of these hours is considered trespassing.
4. The lifeguard will **NOT** assume responsibility for unattended or unsupervised children at anytime.
5. Supervised swimming permitted in designated area inside the roped area.
6. Alcoholic beverages are prohibited.
7. Listen to the lifeguards at all times.
8. Flotation devices are **NOT** allowed while lifeguards are on duty.
9. Pick up your trash and take it home with you. This is a carry in/carry out facility.
10. **NO** dogs, horses, or other animals are allowed on the beach.
11. Fishing allowed on the outside of roped beach area **ONLY!**
12. "No lifeguard on duty" sign will be posted when no lifeguard present. Swim at your own risk.
13. Beach closes at 10 p.m.
14. Do not feed the ducks or other wildlife present near beach area.
15. Parents must watch children near parking lot area. It's the lifeguard's job to watch the water.
16. No Horseplay
17. Lifeguards have the discretion to ask parties to leave the beach premises.
18. Sunset Lake Beach is a **NO SMOKING AREA**.

### FLOATING RAFT RULES

1. No rough play.
2. No tipping of the floating raft.
3. No other flotation devices will be allowed on the floating raft while lifeguards are on duty.
4. Lifeguards have the discretion of deciding if a person swims well enough to go in deep water out to the rafts.
5. No swimming under raft.

**COMPLAINTS AND COMMENTS** should be directed to either the Head Lifeguard **OR** Aaron Patt at the Town Office at 547-3442

**EMERGENCIES AND VANDALISM** should be reported to the Greenfield Police Department immediately by dialing 911.



## SWIMMING LESSONS ARE STRUCTURED AS FOLLOWS:

LEVEL	PURPOSE	COURSE CONTENT INCLUDES
<b>Aquaduck</b> Water Familiarization	* Develops swimming readiness by teaching children how to have fun in the water * Follows Red Cross Infant & Preschool Aquatic Program	* Floating and gliding * Basic movements and kicks * Safety * Floating on back and underwater exploration
<b>Level 1</b> Water Exploration	* Orientation to aquatic environment * Create a sound foundation for aquatic and safety skills	* Supported floating and kicking on front and back * Alternating arm action * Water safety rules * How to get help in an emergency * Reaching assists without equipment * Fundamentals of using a life jacket
<b>Level 2</b> Primary Skills	* Expand on fundamental aquatic locomotion and safety skills	* Floating and kicking on front and back * Rhythmic breathing * Combined stroke on front and back * Turning over front to back, back to front * Reaching and extension assists.
<b>Level 3</b> Stroke Introduction	* Increase swimming skill competency * Practice safety and rescue skills	* Fundamentals of elementary backstroke * Jumping into deep water with life jacket * Diving from floating raft * Treading water * Self-rescue skills * Rescue breathing
<b>Level 4</b> Stroke Development	* Develop confidence and competency in strokes and safety skills beyond preceding levels * Introduction of breast stroke and side stroke	* Deep-water bobbing * Dive from side of floating raft from stride and standing position * Breast stroke and side stroke
<b>Level 5</b> Stroke Refinement	* Continue refinement of front crawl, back crawl, crawl, elementary back stroke, breast stroke, and side stroke * Introduce butterfly, surface dives	* Alternate breathing * Swimming underwater * Butterfly * Open turns of front and back * Diving safety
<b>Level 6</b> Skill Proficiency	* Develop maximum efficiency and endurance for strokes * Introduce surface dives	* Alternative kicks for treading water * Throwing rescues * Turning spinal injury victim face up * Approach stroke

### THE GREENFIELD GET TOGETHERS

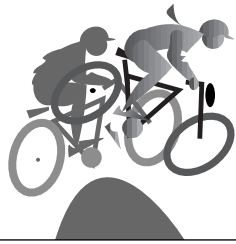
2nd Thursday of each month  
10:30 to 12:30  
Coffee, tea, and homemade goodies  
Come meet your neighbors!

#### EVERYONE WELCOME

Held at the Greenfield Congregational Covenant  
Church Ministry Center  
12 Depot Drive  
Greenfield  
For info, call Evelyn 547-3556

## Have a Great Independence Day!





## BICYCLE SAFETY

### Check Your Bicycle

Have your bicycle checked thoroughly at least once a year at a bicycle shop. Check it yourself before each use: Do the tires have enough air? Do the brakes work properly? - Not rubbing on the tire, making good contact with the rim. Is the chain adequately tight? Are the gears working properly? Are the quick release levers closed tightly?

### Obey the Rules of the Road

Bicyclists fare best when they operate as other vehicles do. Using proper hand signals and obeying all traffic control devices (signs, pavement markings and signals) can significantly reduce the chance of a crash. It will also show that you respect the rules of the road. Following the rules of the road will ensure that your actions are predictable by motorists. Ride in the direction of traffic as far to the right of the travel lane as practical on the shoulder or in the bike lane in order to allow for a normal flow of traffic.

### Light Your Way at Night

One third of all bicycle accidents occur at night while less than one third of bicycle trips occur at night. This clearly indicates that night riding is more hazardous.

Use a white light visible from a distance of at least 500 feet to the front and either a red light or 20 square inches of reflective material on you or the bike that is visible at least 300 feet to the rear. Flashing or steady red tail lights enhance your visibility and are recommended. Wearing bright, reflective clothing will also help you to be seen at night

### Share the Road

Common courtesy dictates that you ride single file in most cases. Communicate with motorists and other users of the road by making eye contact and using proper hand signals. Most motorists are courteous and share the road with bicyclists. However, be aware that some may not. If you are harassed, keep your cool and remember your safety comes first.

### Taking the Lane

If you are making a left hand turn or staying in a through lane when there is a right turn lane, it is legal, and safer, for you to "take the lane." Sometimes, you may wish to take the lane if the road shoulder is too narrow or is filled with debris, especially on downhills where you can maintain a speed close to that of other traffic.

### Proper Helmet Fit

Helmets come in different sizes. Use one that is not too small or too large, but fits snugly and comfortably. Use the changeable pads to fine tune the fit. The helmet should be level on your head, not tipped forward or back. Straps should meet right under your ears to form a Y. Buckle it tight enough to feel the strap when you open your mouth, but loose enough so you can breathe. Make sure your helmet is certified to meet the Consumer Product Safety Commission standard for bicycle helmets.

### *Historical continued from page 3*

hope to once again offer the antique/collectible appraisals by the team of Knotty Pine Antiques.

Are you a mystery aficionado? And enjoy an old-fashioned New England supper? Mark your calendar for Saturday, June 28, 2014, for a rollicking fun event - our Ham & Bean Supper/Murder Mystery evening. This original script, peculiar to our village, is sure to bring out the amateur sleuth in you.

Please note that as of June 1, 2014, the membership dues for the Greenfield Historical Society will increase to \$25/ individual and \$30/ family. To join or renew your membership, please call Jane at 547-2759.

The Museum is open the fourth Saturday of every month, excepting December, from 11 AM until 1 PM. Prior to the open hours, a Work Bee is held from 9 - 11 AM. If you're interested in helping out, come on down to the Museum then. To do research or tour the Museum at other times, please call Lenny at 547-2198.

TOWN TRIVIA: From the 1946 year's warrant, the townspeople voted on whether or not to eradicate poison ivy on town land and along the town roads and in 1948, on whether or not to continue plowing driveways.

*Lenny Cornwell*

## THANK YOU FOR YOUR PATIENCE

Thank you to all Old Bennington Road residences for your patience while road repair has been taking place. The Department of Public Works will complete this project in a timely manner but warns that it may take a few more weeks to get all the necessary work done. Culverts will need to be replaced, gravel added, and grading done before the pavement can be done.

*The Greenfield Selectboard*

### ***Conservation Tracks continued from page 6***

out the native vegetation. Old field habitats of goldenrod and grasses can be replaced almost exclusively by swallow-wort, completely changing their physical structure. Impacts of the change in physical structure and insect communities on grassland and old-field nesting birds is not yet known. A preliminary study of impacts on grassland birds in New York suggests that as coverage by a sister species of swallowwort (pale swallow-wort, *Cynanchum rossicum*) increases, grassland bird presence declines. The globally rare alvar ecosystems (limestone pavement barrens supporting unique plant communities), are threatened by many rapidly expanding swallow-wort populations in Jefferson County, New York. Black swallow-wort threatens to displace Jessop's milk vetch, a federally listed plant, on the banks of the Connecticut River valley in central Vermont. Investigations into impacts on the monarch butterfly, which requires milkweeds for reproduction, indicate that the butterfly will cue into black swallow-wort and lay eggs, but the larvae do not survive.

### **Garlic Mustard**

Capparales > Brassicaceae > *Alliaria petiolata* (Bieb.) Cavara & Grande

Synonym(s): garlic-mustard, hedge garlic, sauce-alone, jack-by-the hedge, poor man's mustard, jack-n-the-bush, garlic root, garlicwort, mustard root

Garlic mustard is an herbaceous, biennial forb that is an aggressive invader of wooded areas throughout the eastern and middle United States. First-year plants are basal rosettes with green, heart-shaped, 1-6 in. (2.5-15.2 cm) long leaves. Second-year plants produce a 1-4 ft. (0.3-1.2 m) tall flowering stalk with small, white flowers in the early spring. Plants can be easily recognized by a garlic odor that is present when any part of the plant is crushed and by the strongly toothed, triangular leaves. A high shade tolerance allows this plant to invade high-quality, mature woodlands, where it can form dense stands. These stands not only shade out native understory flora but also produce allelopathic compounds that inhibit seed germination of other species. Garlic mustard is native to Europe and was first introduced into New England during the 1800s for medicinal and culinary purposes.

### **Norway maple**

*Acer platanoides*

Description: Large deciduous tree 60' high by 40' wide. Bark: Grayish and somewhat furrowed. Twigs: Smooth, olive-brown. Buds: Terminal, imbricate, rounded, smooth, greenish-red. Leaves: Opposite, 4-7" wide, 5-lobed, dark green to dark red above, lustrous below. Flowers: Greenish-yellow, April. Fruit: Horizontal samara. Zone: 3-7. Habitat: Moist, well drained soils, full sun to partial shade. Spread: Seeds spread by wind and water. Comments: Leaf stalks exude milky white sap. Fast growing, buds break earlier than most native species. Naturalizes in woodlands where it can outcompete native species. Controls: Pull or dig seedlings/saplings. Cut large trees and prune suckers when

they sprout. Herbicide: foliar spray, cut-stem, bark banding, or slash bark with ax and apply to wounds.

### **Wrap-up:**

In our area, the war on invasives was kicked off on May 13th with a garlic mustard pull at The Well School in Peterborough, where it spread from road fill. Look for occasional postings on the Greenfield blog for activities

## **SAVE YOURSELF A TRIP!**

In many instances, what you are looking for is on the Town Website at:

**[www.greenfield-nh.gov/](http://www.greenfield-nh.gov/)**

See: community events, meeting times and dates, zoning regulations, meeting minutes, public notices, important links to various state offices, and even the Spirit!

Sign up to get notices automatically of hearings, closings, or special happenings in town.

**[www.greenfield-nh.gov/](http://www.greenfield-nh.gov/)**

## **G•R•E•E•N•F•I•E•L•D HAPPENINGS**

Find out what is going on in town – concerts, yard sales, items for sale or wanted, lost animals, political discussions, etc.

Browse at your leisure or sign up for automatic email updates at

<http://GreenfieldHappenings.Blog.spot.com>

*A service for the Greenfield  
community sponsored by  
The GIVers.*

## **SPIRIT DEADLINES**

**July 1st for the Aug/Sep Issue**

**September 1st for the Oct/Nov Issue**

**November 1st for the Dec/Jan Issue**

**January 1st for the Feb/Mar**

**March 1st for the Apr/May Issue**

**May 1st for the Jun/Jul Issue**

## GREENFIELD RECREATION

Call 547-3442 for more information.

### MONADNOCK MUSIC FESTIVAL COMES TO GREENFIELD

Sunday, July 20th, there will be a free chamber music concert at 3:00 p.m. in the sanctuary (upstairs) at the Town House on the Common.

Each summer, Monadnock Music presents its renowned Village Concerts, bringing distinguished artists to historic meeting houses throughout the region free of charge, making some of the greatest classical music accessible to all.

The program was not known at the time of publication. However, the program for the entire festival will ultimately be posted on their website:

<http://monadnockmusic.org/index.html>

All Are Welcome!

### 2014 NH FAIR DATES

Stratham Fair	July 17 - 20
North Haverhill Fair	July 23 - 27
Cheshire Fair	July 30 - Aug 3
Belknap County 4-H Fair	August 9 - 10
Cornish Fair	August 15 - 17
Lancaster Fair	August 27 - September 1
Hopkinton State Fair	August 29 - September 1
Hillsborough County Fair	September 5 - 7
Rochester Fair	September 12 - 21
Deerfield Fair	September 25 - 28
Sandwich Fair	October 11 - 13

### *Miss Laura's School of Dance*

Pre-Ballet Classes for ages 3-5 yrs old  
12:30 - 1:10 Mondays  
at the Greenfield Meeting House

September to June 2014

\$54 per month

Sign up anytime during the year

Call Laura Horne at 320-6786



### *Country* LINE DANCE LESSONS



### Greenfield Meeting House

**WHEN: Monday Evenings**

**TIME: 7:30 pm to 8:30 pm.**

\$40.00 For a Six Week Session

HOSTS: Linda Gray and Cowboy Jim

These lessons are for Extreme Beginner/Couples & Singles so don't worry if you never danced before or whether you have a partner or not.

It does not matter!

Come, listen to some great country music and learn the dances you can take anywhere.

You will learn how to kick up your heels and get dancing; the Fun Way to Get in Shape!

Sign up at the Town Office, grab some soft soled shoes and come on down and join us for dancing & shaping...

Have a Question? Contact Linda Gray

Cell: 603-801-8002 or

Email: [lindagray09@gmail.com](mailto:lindagray09@gmail.com)

*No Alcohol and Unsupervised Children  
are permitted at Lessons*



### SCOUTS

If your child is interested in scouts, please contact these people.

Boy Scouts: Mike Borden -  
[cmrconstservice@gmail.com](mailto:cmrconstservice@gmail.com)

Girl Scouts: Ruth Bergmann -  
[rbergmann@nhbb.com](mailto:rbergmann@nhbb.com)





## GREENFIELD RECREATION

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### MUSIC ON THE COMMON

#### SUMMER FUN FROM THE RECREATION DEPARTMENT!

#### MUSIC LINE-UP FOR THIS YEAR'S

##### Music on the Common

**Starting July 8th**

**Hot Mustard**

*Bluegrass*

**July 15th**

**Mary Maguire Band**

*Swing, Bluegrass, & Country*

**July 22nd**

**Gutzy Right**

*Mix*

**July 29th**

**Tattoo**

*Oldies*

**August 5th**

**Mottau, Drew, & Clark**

*Blues-Folk Mix*

**August 12th**

**Wendy Keith Band**

*Mix*

**August 19th**

**Acoustic Bahgoostyx**

*Folk*

**August 26th**

**Otis and the Elevators**

*Blues*



All concerts will be on Tuesday evenings at 6:30 pm.

Bring a blanket or a chair to sit on.

Jimbo's Jumbo's will be here again for  
hotdogs and drinks.

The Boy Scouts will be on hand selling ice cream  
and cold water.

**Free and Open to the Public**

**Come on Down, Bring the Kids, and Enjoy  
Music on the Common!**

## VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

**225th Anniversary Celebration Committee:** This committee has been formed to plan the 225th anniversary of the town's existence. For more info, call Dorene Adams at 547-2706.

**Budget Committee:** The budget committee is involved in assisting the Selectboard with budgetary planning. For more info, call Myron Steere at 547-3332.

**Conservation Commission:** This committee is involved with the protection of Greenfield's natural resources. If you have an interest in conservation and protecting the natural environment, you may call, Carol Irvin at 547-2037.

**Fire Department:** Greenfield has an all volunteer fire and rescue department. We are very fortunate to have this department in town because if we didn't, these services would have to come from another town resulting in a longer time before they were actually on the scene. For more info, call Loren White at 547-6874.

**Givers:** The Greenfield Independent Volunteers are a group of interested residents who partner with the town to assist the community to meet its needs such as the wood bank, the community garden, decorating the light poles, keeping flowers watered, raising funds for needed items, and much more. For more info, call Neal Brown at 547-2023.

**Historical Society:** The Historical Society is involved in finding and preserving Greenfield's historical artifacts and in educating the public on Greenfield's history. For more info, call Lenny Cornwell at 547-2198.

**Oak Park Committee:** This committee plans events that produce income to support the development of the park. For more info, call John Hopkins at 562-6690.

**Planning Board:** The planning board upholds and implements the community's development policies through the review and approval of subdivision plats, site plans and special permit applications. Planning boards utilize tools, including master plans, zoning laws, and subdivision regulations to ensure that changes made are for the better. For more info, call Bob Marshall at 547-3350.

**Trustee of the Trust Funds:** This committee is involved in the administration of capital reserve funds, scholarship funds, and any other monies set aside for future use. For more info, call Margo Bliss at 547-3606.



# Greenfield Tradespeople: To include your FREE Business listing, call 547-3442

## AIR CONDITIONING SERVICES

See "Heating"

## APPLIANCE REPAIRS

**Lachance Appliance Service**  
Servicing ALL Major Household Appliances  
547-2229

## AUTOMOTIVE NEEDS

**Alan Easton**  
MARS & CarsLookLikeNew.com  
Mobile Appearance Reconditioning Service  
We Come To You - 831-0246

**Chuck's Auto Repair of Antrim**  
Rte 202 - 464-5045

**Doherty's Detailing**  
Complete Auto Detailing  
In & Out  
Bill Doherty 801-0564

**Greenfield Auto Service**  
General Car Repair, Front end Alignment,  
Foreign or Domestic  
Tom Wozniak - 547-6308

**Kemp's Used Auto Parts & Trucking**  
Russell Station Road  
547-2768

**LS & NM Repair Services**  
Auto repair, welding, small engines,  
tractors, and trailers.  
547-3766

**Shepard's Automotive  
& Towing LLC**  
81 Russell Station Road - 547-3821

**S.M Atherton Autocare**  
Diagnostics, Welding, A/C, Mechanical Repairs,  
Exhaust, Rust, Drivetrains, State Inspections.  
217 Forest Road Unit E - 547-6800 or 831-8360

## BED & BREAKFASTS

**The Greenfield B & B Inn**  
Vic and Barbara Mangini  
Forest Road - 547-6327

## BEAUTY SERVICES

**Rejuvenate with Massage Therapy**  
Lydia Kennedy, LMT, RN  
547-3486

## BUTCHER

**Eric the Butcher**  
Quality cutting deer, sheep, moose, etc.  
On or Off Site - Rabbits available  
Leonardi's - Forest Road - 547-3369

## CHILDCARE

**Wonderworks Learning Center**  
Preschool & Pre-K Program  
Childcare 6 wks-12 yrs  
547-3311 ext. 1370

## CLOTHES

**Greenfield CC Church Clothes Closet**  
Open Sat.10-1pm Donated clothing at low  
prices. website: greenfieldchurch.org. 12 Depot  
Drive. Call the Church Office 547-3626

## COMPUTER SERVICES

**David Lloyd**  
Website design and hosting,  
tutoring and troubleshooting.  
547-8618 www.davidlloyd.ws

**SciArt Media Publishing and Web Design**  
James Maynard, owner - 603-361-2662  
info@sciartmedia.com  
www.sciartmedia.com

## CONSTRUCTION, PAINTING, CARPENTRY, ROOFING

**Aaron Chacos Carpentry**  
Decks, Roofs, Framing  
688 Forest Road  
547-3020 or 801-7485

**A-Quality Services-Stonemasons**  
Fireplaces, Stonewalls, Waterfalls,  
Ponds & Cultured Stone  
620-5660

**Brad Thomson Flooring**  
Wood Floors Installed  
Sanded & Finished - 547-2117

**Bruce Dennis**  
Fine Interior Painter and Scribe  
Artistic attention to detail. Surface specialist,  
tonal & glaze effects. 547-2564

**Bruce Gagnon and Sons**  
Carpentry, Painting, Roofing, Remodeling,  
Plowing, Sanding  
547-6666

**CMR Construction Service**  
Septic System Repair/Replacement  
General Contracting, Excavation, Grading,  
Building Construction, Mike Borden 547-0437

**D&D Plastering**  
Ceilings, Additions, Houses  
Quality work since 1979  
Many local references - Call Bill 547-2163

**E.T. Carpentry LLC**  
"Quality Work at Fair Prices"  
Remodeling and New Construction  
Snow Plowing and Fully Insured - 365-5063

**Fran McMahon**  
Excavating - Building Wrecking  
Land Clearing + Chipping  
547-6425 or 620-1302

**Joseph Ferry**  
General Contracting & Carpentry  
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**Touchette's Remodeling**  
Specializing in small jobs & home repairs  
Serving N.H. for over 30 years  
No job too small Call Ray @ 547-2589

**Warren A. Aldrich Installations, LLC**  
Drapes, etc. installed, Wallpaper & Painting.  
Other creative home projects.  
562-7731 and 547-2085

**Interior Painting by Wendy**  
Residential - New Construction - Exterior Jobs  
Over 20 yrs Experience - Great Eye for Color  
Wendy Ierlan - Owner 603-315-4234

## CORDWOOD See "Logging"

## ELECTRICIAN

**North Pack Electrical Services, LLC**  
Kyle Fontaine, Master Electrician  
603-547-6683  
northpackelectric@gmail.com

## FARM & GARDEN

**Belmore Farm**  
Route 136 Near Oak Park  
Fresh Produce in Season

**Greenfield Gardens  
Rainier's Sugar House**  
Seasonal Produce, Eggs, Starter Plants  
& Maple Syrup George Rainier 547-2108

**HorseTenders**  
Experienced Farm Hands, Farriers,  
Trainers, Tenders. Kokal Farm  
www.HorseTenders.com - 547-5293

**Kilkenny Horse Center**  
Lessons, boarding, camps  
Kathleen Kelly  
547-7821

**Stonegate Farm and Flowers**  
Perennials, Exotic Conifers, Garden Coaching.  
Piglets, lambs, chicken for sale. 547-3395  
sfmaggie@worldpath.net

## FURNITURE REPAIR

**David Bridgewater**  
Antique Restorer - Furniture Repairs  
547 7556

## GIFTS, COLLECTABLES, ANTIQUES,

## KNITTING

**Ben Hale - Coin Appraiser**  
large or small collections. U.S. and foreign  
547-3403 or bennybunny43@yahoo.com

**Forget Me Not**  
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22 Slip Road  
By chance or appointment

**Nightingale Fibers, LLC**  
Knitting and Spinning supplies, including  
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**PersonalizeIt!**  
Personalized items for your home or business,  
including photo cakes, tshirts, mugs, etc.  
547-3222 or rhonda@personalizeitforyou.com

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## Spring Pond Farm Alpacas

Alpaca yarns, socks & other products for sale.  
81 Muzzey Hill Road 547-2964

## Ten Talents

Natural Colored Sheep: Livestock  
Yarn, Roving, Lambskins, Meat  
Conrad & Ellen Dumas 547-2621

## GROCERIES

### Coffee Roaster

Mason Parker - Parker House Coffee  
Fresh roasted coffee, custom blends available  
767-6000 www.parkerhousecoffee.com

### Harvester Market

Groceries, subs - 547-3414

## JUSTICE OF THE PEACE

### Petr Lord, Justice of the Peace

Personal & Distinctive Weddings  
petrlord@titledoofarm.com  
547-2526

### Debra Davidson, Justice of the Peace

Weddings, Personal  
debdaavidson524@hotmail.com  
547-5588

## LANDSCAPE SERVICES

### Gagnon Landscapes, LLC

Professional Landscape Services  
Snowplowing & Sanding  
562-0485

### Greenfields Landscape & Irrigation, LLC

Specializing in all landscape services.  
Mowing, Hydro-seeding, irrigation, etc.  
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### Justin Gray

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JGray152@Gmail.com  
603-562-9333

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Chemical Free - We Remove Plants & Roots  
Get Your Yard Back! Effective and Meticulous  
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www.neforestproducts.com

## MUSIC (BANDS, DJ'S, INSTRUCTORS)

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Music for weddings, fairs, events  
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## Jarvis Adams

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Music for all events.  
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## MORTGAGE LOANS

### Patrick Foy/Loan Officer

Cousins Home Lending, Inc.  
Prompt, courteous service tailored to your  
specific mortgage goals. 547-5576

## PETSITTING

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www.allgodscreaturespetsitting.com  
603-831-9640

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603-566-3825  
ashley@ashleyway.com/www.ashleyway.com

## PLOWING AND SANDING

See "Construction/Landscape"

## PLUMBING, HEATING, COOLING

### SERVICES

### Jarvis Adams Plumbing & Heating LLC

Service Calls-New Homes-Renovations-Pumps  
Water Systems/tests-Bio Clean for Septic Care  
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# The Slyders Band

"Classic Rock and Roll"

*By John Parisi*

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Rehearsing regularly here in Greenfield and performing at events - parties and fund raisers throughout the area, the band has grown and has been well received.

Our repertoire includes hits by the Beatles - Creedence Clearwater - Chuck Berry - Everly Bros. - Del Shannon - George Strait - Doobie Bros. and other great music from the 50s - 60s and 70s. We blend in some country and original material as well.

We strive to keep all of our material recognizable and danceable.

Make your next event or party a "Classic Hit" with the Slyders Band.

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## The Slyders



*L to R: Bill Greenwold - Jim Houck - John Parisi - Craig Webb*

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Jim Houck - Guitar - Vocals

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