

CENTER OF GRAVITY GAZETTE

NEW BOSTON'S SENIOR NEWSLETTER



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2023



What's going on?

◆ Our office will be closed for the following: Veterans Day, (Observed) Friday November 10, Thanksgiving, November 23 & 24, Christmas Break, December 25-27.

- ◆ Historical Society Event—Veterans Monument, Nov 9, 7pm at CCNB
- ◆ The Farmers Market Fair Nov. 25th 9am to 2:30 pm at the Whipple Free Library.
- ◆ Red Cross Blood Drive—Tuesday, November 28, 2023 at 12:30 PM at the Whipple Free Library
- ◆ S'mores with Santa—Saturday, December 2nd 4-6pm on the town common/gazebo.
- ◆ **Senior Trip on December 5, Lunch Gathering at the Common Man in Merrimack. Call our office to sign up!**
- ◆ Historical Society Open House—Dec 10, 2-4 pm.
- ◆ Paint your pet—Dec 14, 6-8pm

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Joyful sharing

Donations accepted November 1st—December 8th

Do you know of a family in need of help with Christmas presents or a Holiday food basket for Thanksgiving and Christmas? **See page 20 for more information on how to get assistance or help others in need.**

The Library and Recreation Office will be drop off locations for cash, checks and gift cards for children's presents.

If your family or a family that you know could benefit from a little help this year, or you want to help, please reach out to Woody at (603) 487-3643. Thank you!



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Assistant-Sheri Moloney

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"Our mission is to enrich and enhance the lives of the residents of New Boston. We accomplish this by providing safe, welcoming facilities and affordable, diverse recreation and cultural opportunities for people of all ages to play, learn, and build community."



"Kindness is like snow.
It beautifies everything it covers"
~Khalil Gibran



"Robert Morrison's memories of New Boston in the 1930s & 1940s"

Edited by Dan Rothman, New Boston Historical Society for the Center of Gravity Gazette

I haven't always lived in New Boston, so for anything that happened more than forty years ago I must rely on other people's memories. One of the most interesting documents I've read is a booklet written in 2005 by Robert Morrison. His parents, Howard and Mildred Morrison of Winchester MA, purchased a 150-acre farm on Old Coach Road in New Boston in 1935, when Robert was 12 years old. The house had no phone, no electricity, and no indoor plumbing. You know the house as the one where Jan Nixon lived; Jan and Dave Nixon bought the property from the Morrisons in 1963.



Handyman Vic Surette helps Howard Morrison move a tree with Howard's Ford Model A.

Robert Morrison's daughter Melissa helped him publish his booklet with many photographs of the house. My winter project will be to make those photos available on the Historical Society website along with Robert's stories of the farm. For now, I've selected some of his memories of New Boston village and the drive here from Massachusetts. I think you'll agree that Robert had a distinctive and delightful writing style!

I thank Melissa Morrison for permission to reproduce excerpts from her father's memories. Now I'll turn over the remainder of this column to Robert. – Dan R.

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Motoring to New Boston from Winchester, we hummed along Rt. 3 to Chelmsford, alongside a sweeping curve in the Merrimack River and adjacent railroad tracks in Tyngsboro; what fun to look up from the back seat of the family car and see a smoke-belching locomotive racing alongside, or better, charging right at us. Daily rail service to Montreal in those days, when trains ran all over the country, on time.

Then straight through Nashua's wide main street, left onto Rt. 111 and past the White Mountain Mfg. Co, where hand-cranked ice cream makers were made. Now we're headed west into dairy and chicken farm land. Alongside the road in Merrimack, a modest enterprise, gas station out front, restaurant behind, with a sign running along the ridge, "Eat Here and Get Gas." We chortled, but never stopped.

Into Milford, past two saw mills, a furniture factory and the deserted McLane Mfg. Co. that used to make the patron mail boxes found in post offices all over the country. Maybe you've



""Robert Morrison's memories" Continued from page 2

seen one, an ornate box with a glass window and combination lock. I'll bet some are still operating in small towns around the country. In Milford we picked up Rt. 13, headed north up a long hill to Mont Vernon. A few small hotels still stood, formerly popular with folks who found the country air beneficial...

New Boston next. Curving downhill to a bridge over the South Branch of the Piscataquog River, Sutherland's saw mill on the left, Paul Allen's cantaloupes on the right, a few more houses, then the village. Running time, two hours, all on two-lane roads. Traffic lights? A few in Nashua maybe. Wait a minute; two-lane roads? Part of Rt. 3 might have been three lanes, a depression era innovation. In those days, New Hampshire farmer drivers were known to drive slowly, down the middle of all roads. Drove Massachusetts drivers nuts.

Downtown New Boston... Just where Rt. 13 curved right and over the river, stood Dr. Fraser's house... Across from Fraser's, an inn down to its last bed bug, beyond that towards Frankestown, Saltmarsh's cider mill, hard and soft, and his own concoction, a pleasant but mild tasting apple syrup.

Across the river, a cluster of wooden buildings associated with the town's past agricultural glory days, anchored by Dodge's General Store, hub of New Boston's universe. Ben Dodge ran the store and was the postmaster. The Post Office occupied a small front corner, the rest housed rural essentials, beer and food staples. Our perennial favorite was the wheel of Vermont cheddar that sat on a counter in front of the beer cabinet. Age improved it, so the strategy was not to buy a chunk off a new wheel, but to wait until it was down about a quarter or so. The establishment's privy cantilevered over the river.

Across from Dodge's and headed upstream, the Wason Library, Cecil Marshall's Market; decent vegetables and meat and if he knew you, whiskey from under the counter, poker out back on Saturday nights. Past Cecil's to the Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, hanging in there to supply aggie tools and chicken feed to the few working farms left. Next, a dam, pond and Henry Friedrich's ice house; what a pleasure to walk in your bare feet on a July scorcher, the damp, pine scented sawdust soothing your feet.

After WWII, noted financier Roger Babson (Babson College, Babson Investments) took over the ice house, and a lot more. Roger was a visionary. Figured atomic war inevitable. Boston prime target, but property 50 miles away safe... Roger bought up houses and raw land all over town, figured to develop and sell to corporations. Make a kazillion.

There's more. Roger thought about gravity. Bad. Planes fall out of sky, people fall down stairs, drop antique tea cups. Man who insulates against gravity will be hero, get really rich. Roger created annual prize for best paper on gravity, set up Gravity Center with library in nice old house near New Boston Center, installed local white-haired to keep records, open mail. Roger died shortly afterwards. His executors sold off all his New Boston acquisitions.



"Robert Morrison's memories" Continued from page 3

Catty-corner from Dodge's, the church, school and the firehouse, and across from them, town hall, playground and ball field, complete with grandstand. The ballfield's outfield sloped up and away from the infield, giving local outfielders an advantage over visiting outfielders. Turning the corner from Dodge's, now running downstream, the abandoned RR station, Henry Friedrich's blacksmith shop and Daniel's garage. Across the river, Pinball Hill, where, in better days, motorcycle races were held up and down the bubble shaped hill.

The town had been a prosperous cornucopia linked to a Boston hotel chain, including the Parker House. Garbage came up by train. Farm produce rode the train back. The swill was carted around to various farms, where pigs ate the garbage and left the accidentally discarded silverware for the farmers. Our place had at least one identifiable piece - a Parker House gravy boat. But the hotel chain collapsed, effectively punching New Boston's agrarian meal ticket. The trains stopped running. New Boston went to sleep. -- Robert Morrison 2005

The Historical Society News and Events:

Thursday, November 9, 2023 7:00 pm at the New Boston Community Church
"New Boston Veterans Monument"

Speaker: Dick Jardine

Local historian (and veteran) Dick Jardine tells stories of the Veterans Monument on the town green and of some of the men and women who served our nation in wartime from our town's earliest days to the present.

Sunday, December 10, 2023 2:00-4:00 pm at the Historical Society
"11th Annual Holiday Open House"

Come visit our museum and enjoy music, conversation, and refreshments by the fireplace!

"A Journey Along the Second New Hampshire Turnpike" To be rescheduled!

With Speaker: Bill McAuley

Mea Culpa—The planned program on the Second New Hampshire Turnpike scheduled for September 14 had to be cancelled due to illness but I would still like to apologize for the inconvenience. The Historical Society and I are working to reschedule the program for the coming year. Very little of the Second New Hampshire Turnpike (in fact less than 1 mile) passes through New Boston and that is miles from the center of town. You should not, however, discount New Boston's role in the turnpike development and demise. New Boston was behind two distinct and consequential issues. At the presentation you will learn about the New Boston "Jug Handle" and how the bowl demonstration sealed the deal for the New Bostonians.



Thursday Senior Lunch at NBCS

Seniors play Bingo at noon in the Recreation Office after.

No Lunch or Bingo on November 23 or December 28

- * We are ready to greet you at the Gym doors at **10:50 AM**
- * Purchase a hot lunch for \$3 or bring your own.
- * We will provide coffee, tea and water. Hot lunch includes milk
- * Third Thursday is Birthday Celebrating with cup cakes!
- * Join us for Nickel ante Bingo after at the Recreation Dept from Noon until 3pm.
- * We will provide the Bingo supplies, just bring your nickels!

Any questions or need directions?
Call us at 603-487-2880.



Bingo in the office after Senior Lunch



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HARDER SUDUKO

S'mores with Santa Saturday—December 2 4 - 6 PM On The Common

Meet Santa and make S' mores!

Have a cup of hot chocolate or cider while mingling with friends and neighbors.

Sing Christmas carols and light the town Christmas Tree.



Event Schedule

- * 4 pm ~ Firepits open for roasting marshmallows
- * 4 pm ~ CCNB Choir Sings
- * 4:15 pm ~ Santa arrives!
- * 4:30 pm ~ Tree lighting by Santa & a special guest
- * Directly after the tree lighting Santa will greet children on the gazebo and give kids a gift bag.

Santa's mailbox will be ready to receive children's letters.

All S'mores fixings, Cider and Hot Chocolate provided by the Recreation Department.

All are welcome at this family and community event!

November

Nov 4 ~ ALBA TUTTOBENE

Nov 6 ~ CHIP YOUNG

Nov 9 ~ SYLVIA CHANDLER

Nov 13 ~ DAVE JACKSON

Nov 19 ~ LAWRENCE DALEY SR.

Nov 23 ~ IRMA RANFOS



Betty Poltrack's fan club at senior lunch at NBCS



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!



Carl and Marla leaving senior lunch at NBCS



December

Dec 3 ~ WILLIAM MANNA

Dec 7 ~ AUGUST "Skip" GOMES Jr

Dec 12 ~ ARMAND "Red" HEBERT

Dec 22 ~ BETSY WHITMAN

Dec 25 ~ JACKIE LARIVIERE

Dec 29 ~ THERESA KENNEDY

Dec 31 ~ JEANNIE HARRIS



The Library will be closed for the following holidays:

- Friday, Nov 10th & Saturday, Nov 11th in observance of Veterans Day
- The library will close at 5pm on Wednesday, November 22nd and remain closed on Thursday, November 23rd and Friday, November 24th in observance of Thanksgiving.
- Monday, December 25th in observance of Christmas



Monday Morning Quilters- 10am Every Monday



3rd Tuesdays— Piscataquog Quilters - Tuesday, Nov 21st at 7pm and Tuesday, Dec 19th at 7pm



Wednesdays— Cribbage - 6:30pm Every Wednesday



Wednesdays— Cross Stich - Wednesday, Nov 29th at 6pm and Wednesday, Dec 27th at 6pm .



Thursday Knitting- 10am Every Thursday. All are welcome regardless of experience level!
All types of needle work welcome (crochet, needle point, sewing, etc.)



Friends of the Whipple Free Library – Thursday, Nov 9th at 7pm and Thursday, Dec 14th at 7pm



Mahjongg - 1-3pm Every Friday. All experienced players welcome!



2nd Fridays - Second Friday Foreign Film. All are welcome!

Friday, November 10th at 7pm: *The Holy Girl* (Argentina, 2004)

Friday, December 8th at 7pm: *Women on the Verge of a Nervous Breakdown* (Spain, 1998)



Saturdays— Chess Club - 10am every Saturday

Book Clubs:

Who Dunit? Book Club—NEW TIME!!

Wednesday, November 1st at **10am** – *The Man with a Load of Mischief* by Martha Grimes

Wednesday, December 6th at **10am** – *Dissolution* by C. J. Sansom

Wed. Night Book Club

Wednesday, November 8th at 7pm – *The Feather Thief* by Kirk Wallace Johnson

*We'll be starting to plan our 2024 reading, so don't forget to bring your book suggestions!

Wednesday, December 13th at 7pm – *The War Librarian* by Addison Armstrong

Bon Appetit Cookbook Club

Wednesday, Nov 15th at 6pm – *The Pioneer Woman Cooks: A Year of Holidays* by Ree Drummond

Saturday, December 16th at 1pm – Cookie Swap!



Whipple Free Library

There's Always Another Chapter

Library News whipplefreelibrary.org

Library news continued
SPECIAL EVENTS!!



American Red Cross

Blood Services



During the Farmers Market Craft Fair!

Red Cross Blood Drive
Tuesday, November 28th at 12:30pm

SPECIAL EVENTS

New England Quilts and the Stories They Tell
Monday, November 13th at 6pm

Quilts tell stories – stories of service and tradition, of myths and misinformation. Join us as Pam Weeks shares some of these stories with us, weaving together the quilts' creations with contemporaneous world, industrial, and women's history. Attendees are invited to bring one quilt for identification and story sharing.

New Boston Farmers Market Craft Fair
Saturday, November 25th at 9am

“That Reminds Me of a Story” with Rebecca Rule
Thursday, November 30th at 6pm

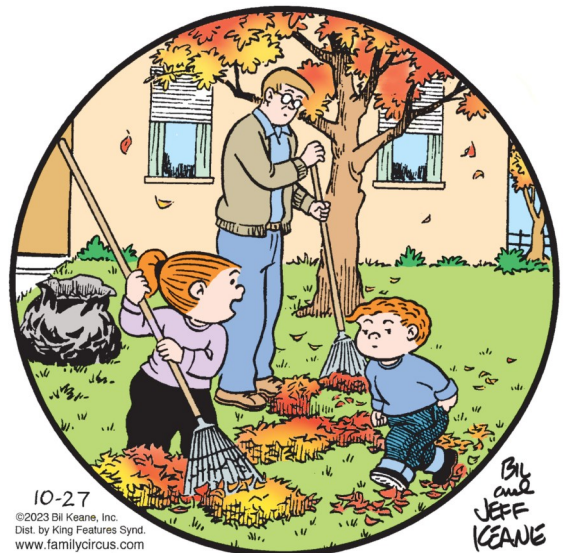
Rebecca Rule has made it her mission over the past 20 years to collect stories of New Hampshire, stories that reflect what's special about this rocky place we call home. Tonight, she'll share some of these stories with us – and invite audience members to contribute a few of their own.

Craft Night: Ornament / Gift Topper Class
Friday, December 1st at 6pm

All necessary supplies will be provided. Please **register in advance**, either in-person at the library or by emailing Sue at adultserviceswfl@gmail.com.

Cookie Swap & Cocoa Party
Saturday, December 16th at 1pm

Get into the festive spirit with cookies and cocoa! There'll be cookies for sharing, cookies for nibbling, and a cocoa bar with all the fixins. Bring a tin and some homemade cookies (we suggest 2+ dozen), and leave with an assortment of delicious baked goods. Sign up in the library with the cookie varieties you'll be bringing or just show up. All ages welcome!



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Bill
and
JEFF
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“We have to rake up the leaves to make room for the snow.”

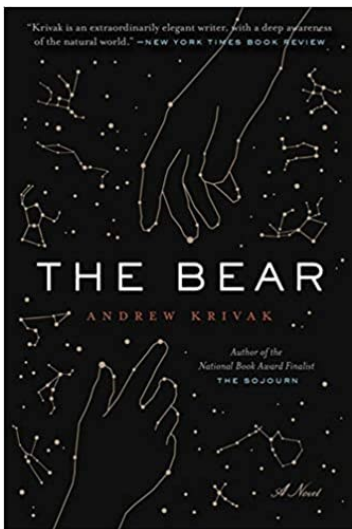


A New Joint Venture
The Whipple Free Library & NB Recreation
Present
THE BIG READ

“The Social Behavior of Black Bears” with Ben Kilham

Thursday, November 2nd at 6:30pm

Independent wildlife biologist and renowned black bear expert Ben Kilham joins us to discuss his experiences and observations from a lifetime spent studying black bears. Ben's work has been featured on the BBC, Discovery Channel, and National Geographic (to name a few), as well as in his book *Among the Bears: Raising Orphan Cubs in the Wild*.



Wrap-Up Discussion

Thursday, November 16th at 5pm

Didn't get a chance to read *The Bear* before our September discussion? Still want to talk about it with other readers? Then join us as we wrap up the Big Read. We'll be discussing the book, as well as how the autumn's talks and events influenced our understanding of it.

A Walk in the Woods—Resumes in November on Thursdays, 9-11am
Discovery beautiful conservation trails in New Boston.

Louise Robie will be our guide as we discover new places to hike and enjoy our beautiful woods. Pace will be according to the fitness of the group as a whole. Expect easy to moderate terrain to traverse and please dress accordingly to the weather. This is an all-ages walk but children must be accompanied by an adult. Well-behaved, leashed dogs may attend.

Please meet at 8:55 in the Town Hall Parking lot. We will discuss where we will hike and then carpool/convoy to that location. Dress for weather

No walks on Nov 9 or 23



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ACROSS

- 1) Problems for directors
- 5) At a quick rate, poetically
- 10) Some precipitation
- 14) Eye layer
- 15) '70s White House name
- 16) Shoppers' bag
- 17) Easily achieved goals
- 20) Dark
- 21) Aspen features
- 22) Whacks
- 25) Insult but good
- 26) After-hours school gp.
- 29) Common welcomers
- 31) Last name for an unbalanced egghead?
- 35) ___ Gabriel
- 36) Very angry
- 38) Buffalo's canal
- 39) It may be needed to be an NFL player
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- 44) Begin an Internet session
- 45) 3-D hospital procedure
- 46) Pungent condiment
- 49) Duck's domain
- 50) Stereotypically stubborn animal
- 51) Minnow variety
- 53) Bygone despot
- 55) Some kind of nut
- 58) Pigeon's perch
- 62) Weaponry that's neither large nor small
- 65) Black cat, to some
- 66) Chose not to dine out
- 67) ___ vera
- 68) British title
- 69) Year-end tunes
- 70) Some evergreens

DOWN

- 1) Streaming service
- 2) Shakespeare's river
- 3) Cry like a baby
- 4) Colonial title in India
- 5) ___ Arbor
- 6) "Animal Farm" critter
- 7) Line on a graph
- 8) Hits on the head
- 9) Decorate with gold leaf
- 10) Played a banjo, in a way
- 11) It may be proper in a sentence
- 12) Mayberry's self-jailer
- 13) Moist
- 18) Type of energy
- 19) German wife
- 23) "Legal" prefix
- 24) Drag one's feet
- 26) "Don't give me that!" old-style
- 27) Evergreen-forested landscape
- 28) Black ___ (cattle breed)
- 30) Posture problem
- 32) Donna's intro?
- 33) Stadium features
- 34) Abominable creatures
- 37) Cereal grain killer
- 40) It's designed to get your attention
- 41) Charged particles
- 42) Ultimate object
- 47) Hindu Mr.
- 48) "The ___ Cometh"
- 52) A Muse
- 54) Pass on in a race, as a baton
- 55) Disaster relief grp.
- 56) Footnote word
- 57) Leaves home?
- 59) Take-out order?
- 60) Shoot up
- 61) Storm centers
- 62) Like hip Brits in the '60s
- 63) "Shop ___ you drop"
- 64) ___ and outs

FAN SETTINGS

By Timothy E. Parker

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- Priority rides for age 62+ or disabled passengers
- Priority rides for medical appointments
- Rides available to all New Boston Residents
- All buses accessible for disabled passengers
- Riders may go anywhere within New Boston, Goffstown and Bedford and medical appointments to Manchester.
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Reservations call: 603.623.8801

You will hear: A greeting for Manchester Trans Authority

Dial - Opt. #2 This will bring you to the **Cart and Step Saver** receptionist. **If no one answers, please leave the following information listed below. Someone will return your call.**

- Full Name
- Address of pick up
- Address of place you are travelling to
- Phone Number
- Age
- Purpose of Travel

VINYASA FLOW YOGA

This session meets at the Whipple Free Library on **Wednesdays**, 6-7 pm.



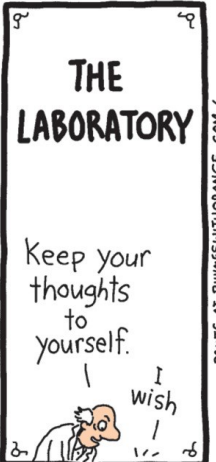
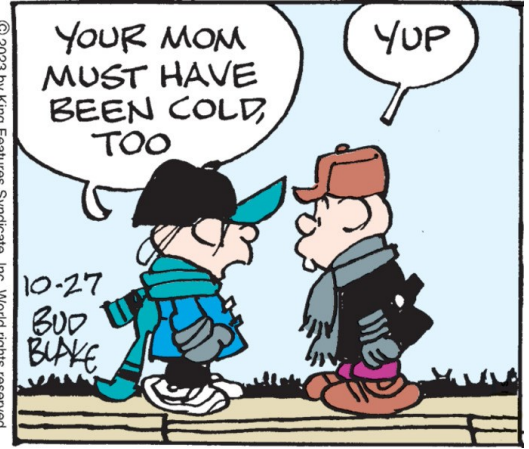
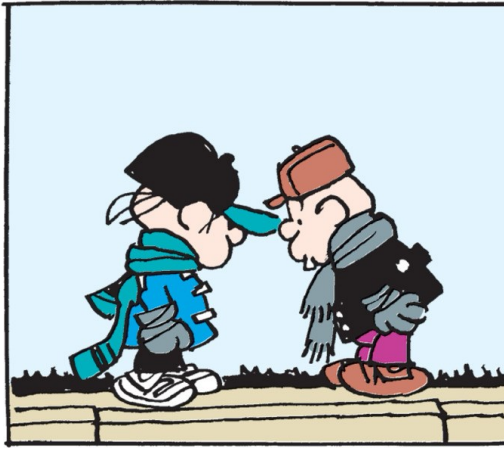
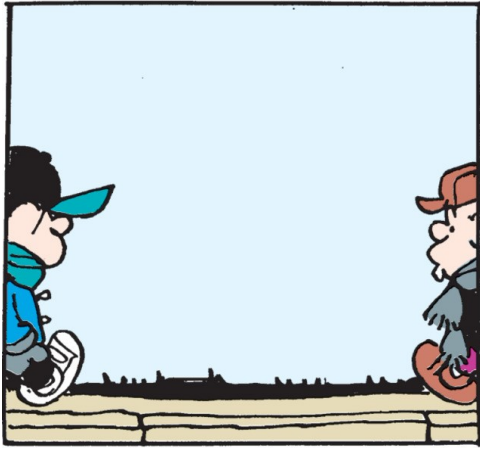
7-week session is \$84 for November 29-January 31 or drop-in for \$15. There is no class on December 20, December 27 and January 17.

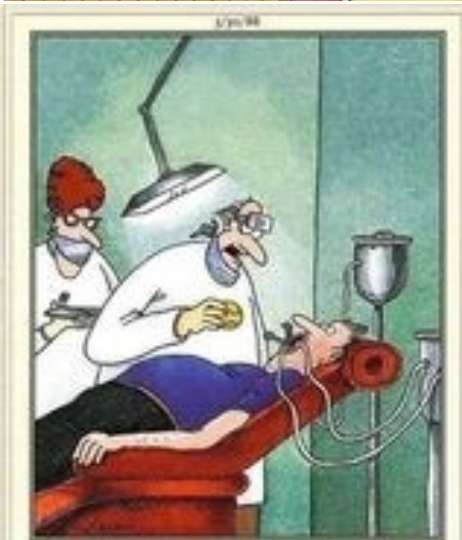
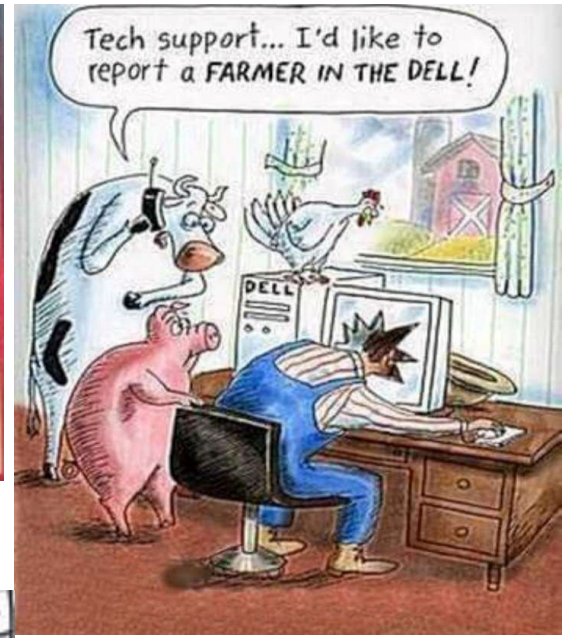
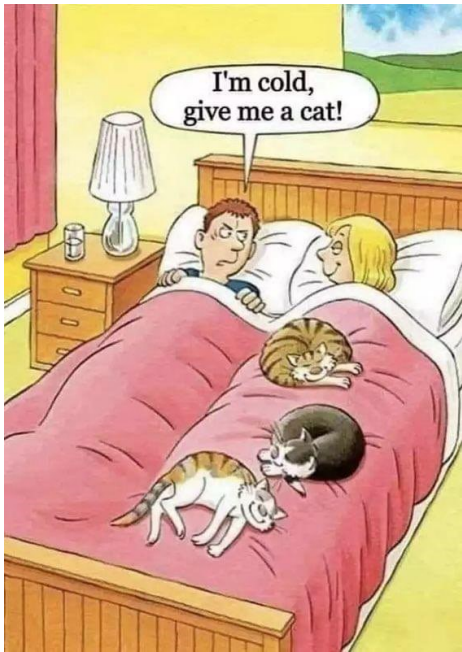
Please wear comfortable, loose, warm clothing. Bring a mat and blanket. Try not to eat for a few hours before the class.



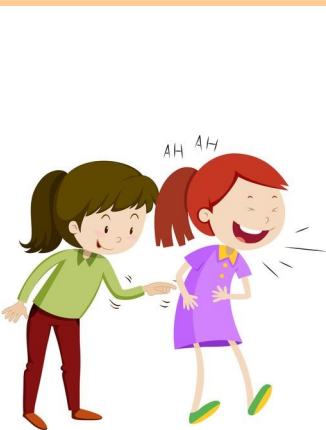
Tuesdays 7-845pm, NBCS Gym.
Sign up online or drop in for \$3

All levels welcome
We have extra equipment available to use.





"Now open even wider, Mr. Stevens— Just out of curiosity, we're going to see if we can also cram in this tennis ball."



"Someone butt-dialed me and I'm trying to smell who it is."





FAIR!

The NBFM Holiday Craft Market will be held on Nov. 25th, the Saturday after Thanksgiving, from 9am to 2:30 pm at the Whipple Free Library.

There will be 20 vendors, "packed" into both the large Meeting Room at WFL and also in the smaller Conference Room, oh and our Honey Man, John Blake, in the hallway!

For the first time, we have a vendor at the Holiday Craft Market who participated in NBFM's Children's Market in July. Paige Phelps of NB has quite a following of adults who spoke on her behalf. Paige will have her unique crocheted flower bouquets, plants, handbags and more. She also will have her handmade clay and beaded jewelry. Paige has been busy this summer on the craft fair circuit and will be the market's youngest vendor.

**Announcing The New Farmers Market Manager!
Joshua Stachowski**

Joshua Stachowski recently moved to NB and a newlywed. He has worked as the market manager at a MA farmers market for the past two years. Several folks are volunteering to help him, and Allison and Jacki will be helping with the transition.

What is happening at the Farmers Market Fair you ask?

Music...

Karen Files, of "Karen's Touch Jewelry" always provides us with the classic holiday music from Andy Williams to Burl Ives on her vintage CD player!

Food...

Cheese from Swallow Ridge Farm in New Boston, Decorated Iced Sugar Cookies from "Baked by Blondie", breads, including Amy's infamous Cinnamon Swirl Bread, and Maple products all from "Beyond the Horizon Farm." Honey, Comb Honey and Hot Pepper infused honey will be available from "DJ's Pure & Natural Honey."

Artisans...

Soy candles, homemade wreaths, quilts, wall-hangings, hand-made ornaments, handmade clothing, aprons, mittens, fairy garden accessories, scarves, fleece blankets, watercolor note-cards, chicken cards, wooden home decor, American Girl doll clothes and caricature carvers will be carving and selling.

For your pets...

Pet Accessories, Dog bandanas,
Homemade all natural dog treats



**New Boston
Farmers Market**

Holiday Craft Market

**Saturday
Nov 25
9 - 2:30pm**



**New Boston
Whipple Free Library**

Baked by Blondie - Laureen Passerini
Iced Sugar and Holiday Themed Cookies,
Advent Cookie Calendars

Beyond the Horizon Farm - Amy Hardwick
Cookies, Maple Products: Syrup, Sugar, Cream, Candy,
Sugar Blends; Breads: Sourdough Boules, Baguettes,
Savory Italian, Cinnamon Swirl

Blueberry Cove Creations - Cathy Provoda
Wildlife Note Cards, Prints of various sizes, Canvas Bags:
Hummingbird print & Chicken Design, Chicken Greeting
Cards, Gift Tags, Wrapping Paper

Central MA Caricature Carver Club
Caricature Wood Carvings

Cooper & Sophie's Kitchen LLC - Courtney D'Aoust
All Natural Homemade Dog Treats

DJ's Pure & Natural Honey - John Blake
Honey, Honey Sticks, Comb Honey, Creamed Hon-
ey, Hot Pepper Infused Honey

Karen's Touch - Karen Files
Unique Handcrafted Beaded Jewelry

KC's Enchanted Cottage—Karen Craven
Fairy Garden Accessories, Home & Garden Decor

Lilac Creative Designs—Deborah Rossi
Upcycled & repurposed vintage & thrifted finds,
Handprinted Canvas Art and Home Decor

Lilac Threads - Meghan Jones
Handmade Clothing, Aprons, Mittens, Hair and Pet
Accessories, Small Handmade Gifts

Mary Kearns
Handmade- Ornaments, Scarves, Fleece Blankets

Middle Branch Farm - Lori Noonan
Mixed Media Art, Cards, Ornaments
Doll Clothes

New Boston Quilter - Deborah Keiner
Quilts, Wall-hangings, Dresses, Dog Bandanas, Eye
Glass Cases, Gift Bags

Night Owl Rustics - Ryan Morin
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Hand painted Signs, Fish, Birds, Flower Holders

Paige Phelps
Crochet Goods: Flower Bouquets, Plants, Hand-
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Themed Items; Handmade Clay & Beaded Jewelry

Red Barn Wreaths in New Boston - Joan Sanossian
Handmade One of A Kind Wreaths

Sylvia Jennings
American Girl 18" Doll Clothes; Colonial & Today
designs; Made of cotton; most w/hat & petticoat

"Smokey Finds His Spark" - Ann Melim Children's
Book along with Author Signature

Swallow Ridge Farm- Peter B. Kress
Various Cheeses, Wheels of Cheese, Cheese Imple-
ments: Planes, Cutting Utensils; Cutting Boards for
Cheese Platters, Gift Boxes w/combinations of these

Yakum Hill Farm - Mary Ann Malouin
Soy Candles in tins, Fragrance Oil Room Misters, Es-
sential oil Aroma Sprays, Candles, Foot, Sleep &
Beard Balms



Monthly Foot Care Clinic

New Boston Community Church

Wellness Services for Adults 65 and Older



Third Monday of Each Month

9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

**New Boston Community Church
2 Meetinghouse Hill Rd., New Boston**

Services offered include:

- Foot Care
- Blood Pressure Screening
- Medication Education
- Nutritional Education

A suggested donation of \$10 is requested for services.

To schedule an appointment, call **(603) 224-4093, ext. 85815.**

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What amazing weather we had for our trip to Lake Sunapee.

This trip was attended by 21 Seniors plus the Rec Staff. The lake cruise was smooth and the sun was shining brilliantly.



Do you need a homemade Pie, Quick Bread or Apple crisp the Holiday?



For our Annual Scholarship Fundraiser the New Boston Fire Auxiliary is selling Homemade Pies, Breads and Apple Crisp as a fundraiser to support our high school scholarship program.



- ◇ Order a Pie for \$20– choose from; Apple, Carmel Apple, Blueberry, or Pumpkin.
- ◇ Bread \$15 each (2 for \$25) - choose from Cinnamon Swirl/ Coffee Cake, Lemon Poppy Seed or Pumpkin
- ◇ Apple Crisp for \$15

Place your order by November 12, 2023 and pick up at the New Boston Gazebo on Sunday, November 19, from 11 AM – 12 PM

Email your order to: nbauxiliary@gmail.com
Please include: Your Name, What you are ordering and a phone number incase they have questions.

Delivery for special circumstances upon request Pay at pick up cash or check with checks made out to:
 “New Boston Fire Department Auxiliary”



Serving Christ by Serving the Community

Joyful Sharing

Donations accepted November 1st—December 8th

Thanksgiving and Christmas Food Baskets, and Christmas Gifts for Children

The CCNB is once again providing both Thanksgiving and Christmas Baskets to anyone in need this holiday season. Drop off locations for cash, checks, and gift cards that will be used to purchase gifts for New Boston children's families are the Whipple Free Library and the Recreation Office.

If you know families in need, including your own, the Community Church will be putting together Thanksgiving and Christmas food baskets and Christmas gifts for kids. Christmas gift lists for children and teenagers can also be left off with Barbara Ballou at the Whipple Free Library.

If your family or a family that you know could benefit from a little help this year, or you want to help, please reach out to Woody at (603) 487-3643. Thank you!

All are welcome at our Christmas Eve services

7 and 11 pm on Christmas Eve. We will again be passing out the Light that is brought over to our country from the Church of the Nativity in Bethlehem.

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ART CLASS—PAINT YOUR PET!

Class is Thursday, December 14, 6:00-8:00 pm

Ages 18 and older

Sign up online or call the office at 603-487-2880

Have you always wanted some original artwork of your furry or feathered friend, slinky snake, swimming sushi, warty or cute hip hoppity, or other pet, but don't know of an artist to commission it? Well, that artist is YOU!

Pet portrait artist Katie Hawkes will help you paint your very own masterpiece! All you need is a good photo of your awesome pet to submit when you sign up, and Katie will draw your pet onto a canvas before class starts. When you arrive, she'll have it set up and ready for you to paint!

We encourage you to bring along that image as a reference as well, to look at in class. This can be a printed image, or simply just on your phone or tablet - whatever works best for you! You do NOT have to be an artist to attend! All levels are welcome!

Sign up today, with a picture of your favorite dog, cat, horse, fish, dinosaur - or whatever you want to paint!



The 12 DAYS SAFETY

Never use lighted candles near trees or boughs **1**



Keep poisonous plants out of reach of children and pets **2**



Keep trees away from fireplaces, radiators and other heat sources **3**



Make sure your tree has a stable platform **4**



Choose an artificial tree that is labeled fire resistant **5**



If using a natural tree, make sure it is well watered **6**



Check holiday lights for fraying, bare spots, gaps in the insulation or excessive kinking in the wire **7**



Turn off all tree lights and decorations when not in use **8**



When putting up decorations, use a step stool or ladder to reach high places **9**



Designate a sober driver **10**



When preparing a meal, wash hands, utensils, sink and anything else that touches raw meat **11**



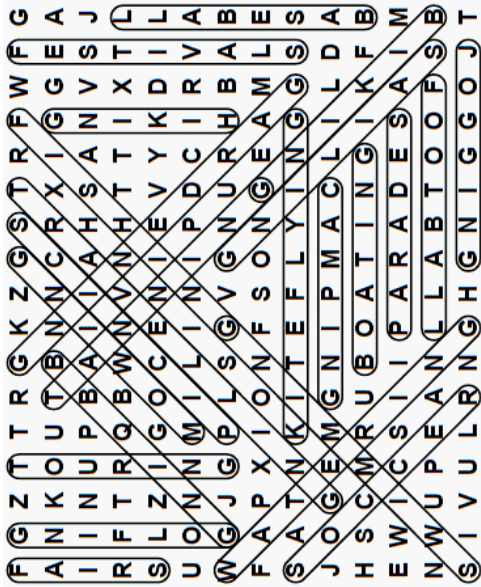
Reheat leftovers to at least 165°F **12**



Happy Holidays



Proud Member



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