



REPORTER

YOUR COMMUNITY NEWSPAPER



www.waterbororeporter.com

LOCALLY OWNED & OPERATED

Waterboro woman seeks Mrs. Maine America title

By **SHELLEY BURBANK**
sburbank@waterbororeporter.com

Chara Gannett of Waterboro hopes to be crowned the next Mrs. Maine America in a pageant to be held in March at the Seasons Event and Conference Center in Portland.

"I was approached by the pageant director last year about running," said Gannett during an email interview. "I had never thought about doing a pageant before and was unsure what it was all about. I have always been very involved in my community, and I'm always looking for new ways to expand my involvement to make a difference."

After researching the Mrs. Maine America Pageant, Gannett decided it would be a good platform for educating others about homeless and troubled youth our communities--an issue she has been passionate about since her own experience as a homeless

teen attending Massabesic High School.

"I was able to beat the odds by working hard in school which led to a full scholarship to college. I then went on to help start a local business, A New Leaf Salon & Spa in Hollis. I continue to pursue my passion for acting and work hard to be a loving mother and wife. Each time I speak with a group of young adults dealing with similar struggles, I can always see at least one who is truly grasping what I'm saying. If by the end of the visit even one decides to push forward to a brighter future, I feel I have done my job."

As part of her campaign, Gannett has been participating in community events and making appearances at charity events throughout the state. She and some other candidates dressed up as princesses and visited the children at the Barbara Bush Children's Hospital at Maine Medical

(Continued on page 2)



Frank and Chara Gannett of Waterboro. COURTESY PHOTO

Woodsome to Chair Energy, Utilities and Technology Committee

AUGUSTA - Senate President Michael Thibodeau (R-Waldo) has appointed Senator David Woodsome (R-York) as the Chair of the Joint Standing Committee on Energy, Utilities, and Technology (EUT).

"It is a privilege to be named Chair of this important committee," said Senator Woodsome. "Energy costs are going to be a key priority in the coming legislative session, and I look forward to working with my colleagues to address that and other policies that affect essential services such as telecommunications and broadband access."

The jurisdiction of the Energy, Utilities, and Technology Committee includes energy resources, the electric industry, the natural gas industry, the telecommunications industry, E-9-1-1, water and sewer utilities, the Public Utilities Commission, the Office of the Public Advocate, and the Efficiency Maine Trust.

"At this important time for Maine's energy policy, I am confident that Senator Woodsome is the right person to lead this committee," said Senator Thibodeau. "His integrity and sense of fair play will be essential to the policy

(Continued on page 2)



Lindsay Decker, right, of Shapleigh attended a blacksmithing class at Willowbrook Museum on Jan. 10. For more information see page 6.

COURTESY PHOTO

DOT plans to replace bridge

By **BRIGIT MCCALLUM**
brigit@waterbororeporter.com

A public hearing for discussion of the replacement of the Stimson Bridge that spans the Little Ossipee River on Route 5 between the towns of Limerick and Waterboro was held on Jan. 14. Mark Parlin and designer Devon Eaton, representatives of the Bridge Division of the Maine Department of Transportation, met with about 30 Waterboro and Limerick residents at the Waterboro Town Hall Annex.

According to Eaton, the existing bridge was built in 1931 and is rated at 12.8 out of a 100-point sufficiency rating, with many deficiencies. There is delaminated concrete, and parts of the road are missing. The width of the current bridge, curb to curb, is 27 feet, as

(Continued on page 3)

Student films improving every year



2014 Freshman Film Festival winners, from left, Dan Bolender, Sam Foglio, Kate Shubert, Mikiah Jordan, Madison Richards, Melanie Bryan and Cayleigh Morris. COURTESY PHOTO

By **SHELLEY BURBANK**
sburbank@waterbororeporter.com

Massabesic High School teacher, Mark Mercier, says that the student films culminating in an annual freshman film festival are getting better overall every year. This year's festival was held Dec. 16 in the MHS auditorium with 11 films shown and three winning films announced at the end of the screening.

"As we get better at planning and coaching, I find the number of good movies increases," said Mercier. "The best movies this year were just as good as the best movies from last year, but there were more quality movies made. I think the students' comfort with technology allowed them to feel safer experimenting with ideas, so, the floor is raising. Every film made had some kind of complex technique employed."

This year's first place winning film was "Porcugeist," by Dan Bolender and Sam Foglio. The film was made with traditional

horror-film elements like scary sound effects and a narrative about a porcupine toy that had become inhabited by a malignant spirit. A mix-up regarding the words "exercise" and "exorcise" created a roadblock for the protagonists, two students plagued by the so-called Porcugeist. Literature (reading from the Holy Bible) saved the day, however, and the song "Take Me To Church" either underscored that religious theme or provided irony, depending on the viewer. And was that horse head in the messed-up room a reference to "The Godfather?"

The second place entry, "Perception," was Mikiah Jordan, Madison Richards, and Kate Shubert's depiction of a teenage girl troubled by the death of her father, bullying, and self-harm which led eventually to a suicide attempt. Shot in black and white, the film featured a narrated story, essentially a suicide note, which was a very well-written, poetic lamentation about life being overwhelming and sad. Heavy stuff.

The character from "Perception" could have had a friend like the claymation character in Melanie Bryan and Cayleigh Morris's third-place entry, "How To Save a Life." The film was shot as a video version of the song "How To Save A Life" by The Fray and featured simple clay characters and drawings. The simplicity combined with the messages of friendship and compassion shown to someone who is suffering was powerful and effective.

According to Mercier, students taking freshman English in the first trimester use iPads and the iMovie application to create films that allow student to demonstrate proficiency in the narratives standard, including pacing and logical sequence of events, and the planning and revising standard through the use of storyboards and outlines.

"I love seeing how hard they work at something they enjoy. Students stay after school, use activity block, or use up their

(Continued on page 2)

'Crime' at Line solved, thanks to Solomon

York County Sheriff's Deputy Jason Solomon recently visited Danae Secunde's second-grade reading class at Line Elementary to show students how officers collect evidence from crime scenes.

Solomon is also a school resource officer in Regional School Unit 57. Secunde's students started a mystery unit and had a crime scene of their own when cookies inexplicably disappeared. "My hook was to have the students solve a mystery of cookies that someone 'ate,'" Secunde said. "I had the clues on a quadrant, and students had to draw and write the evidence left over from the crime." The students not only documented clues left behind,

they developed a list of suspects, brainstormed questions to ask, and then interviewed the suspects.

Solomon visited the following day to lead the students through the process and, with the students' help, "interrogated" the main suspect.

Finally, Solomon showed students how to dust for fingerprints and allowed them to sit in the back of his cruiser. The students completed thank you cards and a written piece on their favorite part of the visit.

"It was a terrific way to start the unit and Deputy Solomon's visit was the highlight," Secunde said.



Deputy Jason Solomon working with second-graders from Line Elementary School. COURTESY PHOTO

MRS. MAINE

(Continued from page 1)

Center. On Saturday, the contestants are helping out with a Habitat for Humanity Women's Build in Freeport.

Many local businesses and individuals are sponsoring Gannett in her campaign so far including

Briarwood Children's House, Tanya Thayer, Lydsay Woodward, Bridals By Sandy, Town Line Pizza, Waterboro NAPA, GF Septic, Nasons Variety, A New Leaf Salon & Spa, Ceara O'neil, and Kelly Roy Photography.

Gannett feels she's had the experience to run a successful campaign as many of the job duties of Mrs. Maine include public

speaking. "By being an inspirational speaker, an actor, and business partner of A New Leaf Salon & Spa, I have a lot of practice." She is a graduate of the University of Southern Maine and graduated from Massabesic High School in 2007. She is married to another MHS graduate and is the mother of two children.

The Mrs. Maine America Pageant will be held at the Seasons Event and Conference Center in Portland on March 22. If she wins, Gannett will be flying with other Mrs. America state contestant winners to the Mrs. America/Mrs. Russia pageant which will be held in Sevastapol, Russia, recreating an historic pageant that took place 25 years ago.

FILM FESTIVAL

(Continued from page 1)

weekends to put this project together. I am the most proud of my students when I see them take pride in their own work, and they are driven to make something they want to show other people," said Mercier.

The idea for the film festival, which is now in its third year, was the brainchild of Mercier and fellow teacher Erik Johannes. This

year, new MHS freshman English teacher Amanda Buckley came on board with the project, and according to Mercier, "had some great material and gave us some good ideas for how we could improve it." The three educators planned and organized the event.

Judges for this year's freshman film festival were Dr. Steven Urbach (staff), Heather Guilfoyle (staff), Lorna Stiefvater (staff) and Russell Wright (student, previous winner).

WOODSOME

(Continued from page 1)

deliberation that will take place." Assistant Senate Majority Leader Andre Cushing (R-Penobscot) also lauded Senator Woodsome's appointment. "We must ensure Maine has an energy policy that is helpful, and not a hindrance, to our state's economy. We must also have effective

policy to support our state's telecommunications and broadband needs. I have every confidence that Senator Woodsome has the knowledge and skills to lead the Energy, Utilities, and Technology Committee during this vital time."

Senator Woodsome has also been named to the Joint Standing Committee on State and Local Government.

To advertise call 247-0273.

BRIEFS

Fishing derby raising money for veterans

Limerick American Legion Post #55 is holding the 5th Annual Ice Fishing Derby to provide fuel assistance to veterans. The derby will be held on Sunday, Feb. 8, from 7 a.m.-3 p.m. at the boat launch on Sokokis Lake. This year, ice traps are being provided for all children age 15 and under.

There is a \$10 donation per adult to participate in the derby. Children age 15 and under are free.

Raffle tickets will be sold throughout the day at the public boat launch on Washington Street. The prize for the adult who brings in the heaviest fish is 50 percent of the derby's entry fees. Children with the heaviest fish will be awarded 1st and 2nd place trophies.

For more information call 608-5837 or 793-8677.

Calling all basketball fans

Alfred PTSA and the 57 Stallions have teamed up to bring all of RSU 57 together on Jan. 31 at 7 p.m. at the Portland Expo. Tickets are \$10 each. Watch the 57 Stallions take the court and play 5x5, 20 Lucky students will Hi-Five the players, 65 students will hold the Living Flag while listening to the beautiful voices of our own Massabesic High School students Lexi Kidder and Julia Blackington sing the National Anthem. Last day to purchase tickets will be Jan. 24. To get your tickets please email alfredptsa@rsu57.org or 57stallionshoops@gmail.com.

THE Maine REAL ESTATE NETWORK
Creating Relationships for Life

MULTIPLE LISTING SERVICE **MLS** **Diane Gray** BROKER **REALTOR**

207-632-1943 • graysofmaine@hotmail.com
397 Sokokis Trail, E. Waterboro
www.TheMaineRealEstateNetwork.com

2014 Real Estate Report for Waterboro, Maine

Total number of properties sold	110
Residential properties sold	100
Lowest residential sale price	\$23,000
Highest residential sale price.	\$500,000
Average median sale price	\$158,951
Average days listed on the market.	99
Land parcels sold.	10
Lowest sale price	\$2,400
Highest sale price	\$44,900

These properties include owner re-sale properties, short sales and foreclosures.

If you are thinking about buying or selling or have questions or need advice on your real estate situation, call Diane Gray, Broker, at 632-1943 or email dianeg@themainerealestatenetwork.com.

GOOD FOR ALL PHARMACY

Ask about our "Good for You" customer loyalty program

It's not too late for your FLU SHOT!

ISAGENIX Solutions to toxicity, weight loss, creating better health, energy and healthy aging.

10 Goodall Way, Suite 800, E. Waterboro
207-247-4000 • 207-247-4600 (fax)
HOURS: Mon. - Fri. 8am-7pm, Sat. 9am-5pm
DRIVE-THROUGH SERVICE

Check out Angela's blog at:
www.goodforallpharmacy.com

A. Marie's Family Hair Studio

**MANICURES • PEDICURES
HAIRCUTS • COLOR • WAXING**

740 Main Street, Suite 1, Waterboro
Tue. 11-7, Wed. 9-7, Thu.-Fri. 9-5,
Sat 8-noon • 247-1024
www.facebook.com/amariestudio

BRIDGE

(Continued from page 1)

it was built for narrower vehicles of the time. Eaton says the plan is to replace the bridge during the building season of 2016, to widen it to 30 feet, and to go from a 3-span bridge to a 2-span which will reduce the amount of material to interrupt the flow of water, ice and trees in the river. The modern spans are also narrower in width to allow clearer water flow. There will be 4-foot wide shoulders to provide a little more room for bikers or walkers, though there will be no actual sidewalks as there are none along Route 5, north or south of the bridge. The project has a budget \$2.5 million, 80 percent of which comes from federal and 20 percent of state funds.

Dave Benton of Waterboro noted that even with a 4-foot shoulder, given the size of large trucks that go over that bridge, pedestrians and bikers don't have a lot of room to safely cross the bridge. Residents who live near the bridge stated that cars have trouble stopping when school buses are stopped to discharge children by the bridge.

The plan is to maintain traffic flow with a temporary bridge during construction. A detour plan was dismissed because there are so few river crossings in the area and because the shortest possible detour would be 12 miles of a combination of state and local roads.

They plan to look for a cost-effective and safe temporary bridge, the alignment of which would most likely be downstream of the existing bridge. This bridge would leave the Waterboro side, cross the river, and form a T-intersection with Beaver Brook Road on the Limerick side. Generally, if a bridge is a one-season project, the temporary bridge is one lane, and if a two-season project, two-lanes. They anticipate completing this bridge in one season, with the final paving coat possibly going on the second season, if not in the first. They anticipate a June-November 2016 project.

Residents on the Limerick side of the bridge also cautioned that, because of the hill on the north side of the bridge on Route 5, any traffic control light placed on that side during the time of the temporary bridge needs to be north of the crest of the hill to alert drivers to slow down in time.

Parlin and Eaton made it clear that there is no proposed design yet and this was only an initial hearing to present their thoughts and to get comments and questions from citizens regarding the project. They expect the next hearing to take place in June when they will return with a design and seek more comments.

POLICE LOGS

from the York County Sheriff's Office
NOV. 22 - DEC. 7, 2014

Saturday, Nov. 22

Jonathan J. Benwell, 23, of Porterfield Road, Hiram, was charged with failure to give notice of an accident by the quickest means following a motor vehicle accident on Hasty Road in Parsonsfield at 9:10 a.m.

Michael Hughes, 44, of Stonecrest Drive, Limington, was charged with driving to endanger following a motor vehicle accident on the River Road in Limington at 3:32 p.m.

Francis R. Carroll II, 53, of John & Marie Drive, Limerick, was charged with domestic violence assault and domestic violence reckless conduct following a domestic disturbance on John & Marie Drive in Limerick at 9:40 p.m.

Sunday, Nov. 23

Mackenzie Ross, 20, of Cornish was charged with operating under the influence of alcohol/drugs following a motor vehicle accident on Ossipee Trail in Limington at 3:04 a.m.

Jeremy E. Milair, 22, of Gray was charged with operating under the influence of alcohol/drugs following a motor vehicle accident on Cape Road in Limington at 8:40 p.m.

Monday, Nov. 24

Brandon A. Mahoney, 18, of Shapleigh Corner Road, Shapleigh, was charged with criminal mischief following a domestic disturbance on Shapleigh Corner Road at 11:22 p.m.

Tuesday, Nov. 25

Tyler Robert Vercoe, 36, of Hampton Circle, Scarborough, was charged with possession of a useable amount of marijuana and sale/use of drug paraphernalia during a motor vehicle stop on Sokokis Trail in Waterboro at 3:09 p.m.

Wednesday, Nov. 26

James E. Murt, 53, of Main Street, Waterboro, was charged with criminal trespass during a trespassing call on Mast Camp Road in Waterboro at 4:32 a.m.

Thursday, Nov. 27

Caleb J. Hubbard, 18, of Pickerel Pond Road, Limerick, was charged with sale/use of drug paraphernalia and possession of a useable amount of marijuana during a motor vehicle stop in the vicinity of Pickerel Pond Road and Central Avenue in Limerick at 5:55 p.m.

Friday, Nov. 28

An 11-year-old was charged with criminal mischief following a domestic disturbance on the Foss Road in Limington at 11:31 a.m..

Steven C. Miller, 29, of Sokokis Avenue, Limington, was charged with suspended registration following a motor vehicle stop on Ossipee Trail in Limington at 6:03 p.m.

Saturday, Nov. 29

Deanna White, 35, of Cheney Street, Springvale, was charged with improper plates during a motor vehicle stop in the vicinity of Main and Elm Streets in Limerick at 5:17 p.m.

Shawn R. Trainor, 25, of Washington Street, Limerick, was charged with operating under the influence of alcohol/drugs during a motor vehicle stop in the vicinity of Sokokis Trail and Cannon Hill Road in Limerick at 11:24 p.m.

Sunday, Nov. 30

Robert D. Fifield, 18, of Bidddeford was charged with operating without a license; Collin T. Gallant, 18, of Irving Road, Arundel and John R. Pelletier, 18, of Bidddeford were charged with illegal consumption of alcoholic beverages by a minor during a motor vehicle stop on South Waterboro Road in Lyman at 1:33 a.m.

Philip Mazza, 63, of Elm Street, Newfield, was charged with operating after suspension during a motor vehicle stop on Bridge Street in Newfield at 10:11 a.m.

John R. Potvin, 20, of West Road, Waterboro, was charged with operating after suspension during a motor vehicle stop on Ossipee Hill Road in Waterboro at 5:12 p.m.

Monday, Dec. 1

A 14-year-old was charged with assault during a disturbance call on the West Road in Waterboro at 2:15 p.m.

Robert Jeremy Woodward, 25, of Victoria Lane, Waterboro, was charged with possession of a useable amount of marijuana, and Jacob M. Major, 27, of Sanford Road, Waterboro, was charged with operating after suspension during a motor vehicle stop on Straw Mill Brook Road in Waterboro at 6:05 p.m.

Lisa K. Durost, 48, of Whaleback Road, Limington, was charged with operating with expired license over 90 days during a motor vehicle stop in the vicinity of Ossipee Trail and Mildred Lane in Limington at 7:48 p.m.

Tuesday, Dec. 2

James Daniel Coleman, 55, of Sunset Circle, North Waterboro, was charged with operating with-

out a license following a suspicious activity call on New Dam Road in Waterboro at 2:19 p.m.

Terry L. Ireland Jr., 26, of Aiken Lane, Limerick, was charged with eluding an officer, driving to endanger and speed in excess of 30 over the limit following an intoxicated/incapacitated subject call on Vaness Street in Sanford at 6:49 p.m.

Thursday, Dec. 4

Michelle Debutts, 23, of Northwood, NH, was charged with operating under the influence of alcohol/drugs following a motor vehicle accident in the vicinity of Deering Ridge Road and Lebanon Road in Shapleigh at 8:43 a.m.

Michael W. Cormier, 55, of Silver Lake Road, Shapleigh, was charged with domestic violence assault following a domestic disturbance call on Silver Lake Road in Shapleigh at 10:53 p.m.

Friday, Dec. 5

Andrew Mayer, 45, of Owls Nest Road, Shapleigh, was charged with terrorizing following a terrorizing/threatening call on Sanborn Road in Acton at 10:43 a.m.

Jordan J. Richard, 19, of Sanborn Road, Acton, was charged with operating without a license and illegal transportation of alcoholic beverages by a minor following a motor vehicle accident on Emery Mills Road in Shap-

leigh at 11:52 p.m.

Saturday, Dec. 6

Jacob M. Higgins, 18, of Van Way, Waterboro was charged with failure to stop an ATV for a law enforcement officer, operating after suspension, and operating an ATV at a greater than reasonable and prudent speed during a motor vehicle stop on Goodwins Mill Road in Waterboro at 6:37 p.m.

Sunday, Dec. 7

Richard Anthony George, 48, of Dogwood Drive, Shapleigh, was charged with the sale/use of drug paraphernalia during a motor vehicle stop in the vicinity of West Road and Ross Corner Road in Waterboro at 10:27 a.m.

Cynthia May White, 51, of Mayfair Way, Waterboro, was charged with an accident involving property damage following a motor vehicle accident at Silas Brown Road and Sokokis Trail in Waterboro at 12:12 p.m.

Danielle M. R. Pierce, 20, of Sokokis Trail, Waterboro, was charged with speed in excess of 30 over the limit during a motor vehicle stop in the vicinity of Federal Street and Martin Circle in Waterboro at 2:49 p.m..

Matthew R. Lemery, 26, of Shaker Hill Road, Alfred, was charged with operating with prior suspension not operating under the influence following a call regarding suspicious activity on Sokokis Trail in Waterboro at 6:42 p.m.

POLICE NOTES

Icey conditions cause crashes

On Jan. 19 at 5:40 AM, Michael J. Linteau, 27 of Waterboro lost control of his 2004 Dodge 1500 pick up truck on Route 25 in Limington. The vehicle went into a fish tail slid across on coming traffic lane hit the soft shoulder and rolled onto its side.

Linteau, who was alone in the vehicle, was not injured, however his vehicle sustained extensive damage. Rt. 25 was shut down for an hour.

Icy road conditions were a contributing factor.

About an hour later, at 7 a.m., Cristen Carpentier, 36, of Shapleigh lost control of her 2007 Subaru Impreza on Back Road in

Acton. Ms. Carpentier's vehicle left the roadway, struck the mailbox in front of 922 and rolled over onto its top. Ms. Carpentier, who was alone in the vehicle, escaped injury but her vehicle appears to be totaled. (no photograph)

A few hours later, at approximately 10:30 a.m., Lydia Hubbard, 18 years of Parsonsfield was driving her 1997 Ford Ranger pick up truck on Bridge Street in Newfield.

Ms. Hubbard, who was alone in her vehicle, lost control on the icy roads, crossed the centerline and struck a guardrail causing her vehicle to roll over coming to rest on a large tree.

Ms. Hubbard was not hurt in the crash but her vehicle was totaled.

Peck's
Family Acupuncture

813 Main Street, Waterboro
Massabesic Lion's Regional Medical Ctr.
www.pecksfamilyacupuncture.com
(207) 247-7388
Gentle care for your whole family!

WAYNE LARIVIERE, DMD
GENERAL DENTIST

Call Today 247-3511

Welcoming New Patients

Massabesic Regional Medical Center
Route 202, Waterboro, ME
www.drldmd.com

We Offer
CareCredit®
Low Monthly
Payment Plans

Insurance
Plans
accepted.

5TH ANNUAL
Ice Fishing Derby

Sokokis Lake, Route 11, Limerick at the public boat launch

Sunday, Feb. 8
7 a.m. to 3 p.m.

\$10 donation per adult
15 and under FREE

PRIZES • RAFFLES

- Adult with heaviest fish wins 50% of entry fees.
- Children with heaviest fish win 1st and 2nd place trophies.

Ice fishing traps provided for children 15 and under!

Derby profits will be used to help veterans with fuel assistance.

FMI call 608-5837 or 793-8677

Sponsored by American Legion Post 55, Limerick

WATERBORO

Brigit McCallum

brigit@waterbororeporter.com

Leo Club new officers installed

An installation ceremony was held on Jan. 13 at 6:30 p.m. at the Massabesic Lions Club for incoming officers of the Massabesic Leo Club. The Leo Club is the youth arm of the Lions Club composed of high school students age 13 to 18.

Allison Dunlap was elected as the club president for 2015. Dunlap has been an active member of the Massabesic Leo Club for the past 3 years. Zoë LeBlanc was elected to be the new club secretary. Ashley Rondeau will serve as the club's vice president and Madeline Beauchesne and Abbie Staples will be the treasurers. New President Dunlap said, "I am looking forward to leading various projects and continuing the Massabesic Leo Club's commitment to serving the community."

Since the club's organization in 1985 by the Massabesic Lions Club, its members have worked on a variety of projects in local and regional communities, including the Iris Network, animal shelters, autism awareness and Relay for Life. The club is currently getting ready this weekend to help the Massabesic Lions Club make their handmade chocolates and to raise funds for a new project called "Leos Helping Locals." The goal is to raise money and give back to a local needy family once a month.

The Massabesic Leo Club has 12 members and meets on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month at 7 p.m. at 813 Main Street, Waterboro, at the

Massabesic Lions Den. Students who would like more information about the Massabesic Leo Club can contact Kim Dunlap, Leo Advisor, at 415-1844.

Lions clubs sponsor more than 5,700 Leo clubs in 140 countries. While helping others in their community, Leos develop leadership skills and experience teamwork in action. For more information about the Leo Club Program, visit the Leo Zone section of the Lions Web site at www.lionsclubs.org or www.massabesiclions.org. They can also be found on Facebook under Massabesic Lions Club.

Waterboro library open again and story hour resumes

The upstairs portion of the library re-opened Saturday, Jan. 17, after uncapped pipes under the floor in the front of the Maggie Taylor Reading Nook were repaired. Following those repairs, Code Enforcement Officer Glenn Charette and a plumber checked the entire system on Jan. 16, and reported the following to Library Director Ruth Blake: "I had a plumber on site today. We discovered another issue with the venting. That issue has been corrected. I do feel better about letting the library open, although there is still more work to do. A plumbing air pressure test will be done soon, followed by an air quality test. The plumbing test will insure all waste lines are air and watertight. The air quality test will tell us if there are mold spores present."

He added that because the emergency exit door in the basement meeting room is not adequate, none of the space in the basement is to be used for community gatherings or activity un-



Massabesic Leo Club initiation and new officer installation. From left, Abbie Staples, Ashley Rondeau, Alison O'Brien, Courtney Boucher, Molly O'Brien, Jenny Hanson, Allison Dunlap, Crystal Boucher, Jamie Dunlap, Zoë LeBlanc and Thyme Whitten. Absent from the photo was Madeline Beauchesne. COURTESY PHOTO

til further notice. Story hour will resume Wednesday mornings at 10 a.m. upstairs in the children's room.

New Waterboro Daisy/Brownie troop

Jessica Chambers and Morgan Hood are leaders of a new Daisy/Brownie combination Troop 184 that meets at the Waterboro Elementary School. They are a young troop of about 10 girls ages 6 to 7. They began meeting at the beginning of this school year, and engage in a combination of Daisy and Brownie activities at their meetings. They are conducting a bottle drive at JD's Redemption Center to raise funds for a variety of purposes including activities, snacks, and donations to the An-



Eighth-grader Matthew DeMers won the Massabesic Middle School Geography Bee out of a field of 18 entrants. DeMers moved to North Waterboro with his parents Kellie and Frank DeMers in 2013. Besides social studies, DeMers has a strong interest in science and reading and is also a member of the Teen Advisory Group at the Waterboro Public Library. COURTESY PHOTO

BRIEFS

MHS yearbooks still available

Yearbooks can still be purchased, but must be paid in full by Feb. 13. You can purchase online at www.jostens.com or you can get an order form in the high school office. Books must be ordered and paid in full by February vacation as extra yearbooks will not be ordered.

Skating nights with lights

Carle's Corner Ice Rink on Old Alfred Road and Route 5 in East Waterboro will have generator lighting on Friday, Jan. 23 and Sat. Jan. 24 from 5 to 9 p.m.

READ US ONLINE
www.waterbororeporter.com

REPORTER

YOUR COMMUNITY NEWSPAPER

P.O. Box 75, North Waterboro, ME 04061
545 Main Street, Suite C, Waterboro
(207) 247-0273 • news@waterbororeporter.com
www.waterbororeporter.com

Kerry DeAngelis... Owner/Publisher/Advertising Manager
kdeangelis@waterbororeporter.com

Michael DeAngelis..... Sports Writer
mdeangelis@waterbororeporter.com

Ann Fisher..... Copy Editor/Contributing Writer
afisher@waterbororeporter.com

Shelley Burbank..... Contributing Writer
sburbank@waterbororeporter.com

Brigit McCallum..... Contributing Writer
brigit@waterbororeporter.com (Waterboro correspondent)

Allison Williams..... Contributing Writer
awilliams@waterbororeporter.com (Alfred correspondent)

MAIL SUBSCRIPTIONS: \$75 per year

Coverage areas: Alfred, Dayton, Hollis, Limerick, Limington, Lyman, Newfield, Shapleigh, Waterboro & the Sanford and Sacopee Valley Regions.

Published by KL Design & Marketing • www.kldesignandmarketing.com

The Reporter is independently owned and operated locally and has no affiliation with any other newspaper or publication.

©2014 All Rights Reserved. All logos and trademarks are property of their respective owners. No part of this publication may be reproduced without permission from the publisher.

Salon Allure

1168 C Main St., Waterboro
(Next to State Farm)
Walk-ins Welcome
Call for an appointment today!

Melissa Blackington 247-2800 Kathie Chute

F.R. CARROLL, INC. LIMERICK, MAINE

CRUSHED STONE
3/8" 3/4" 1-1/2"

READY MIX CONCRETE

HOT TOP • LOAM

MORTAR SAND

CRUSHED GRAVEL



MAIN OFFICE: (207) 793-8615
ASPHALT: (207) 793-4434
CONCRETE: (207) 793-2742
OR (207) 793-8753



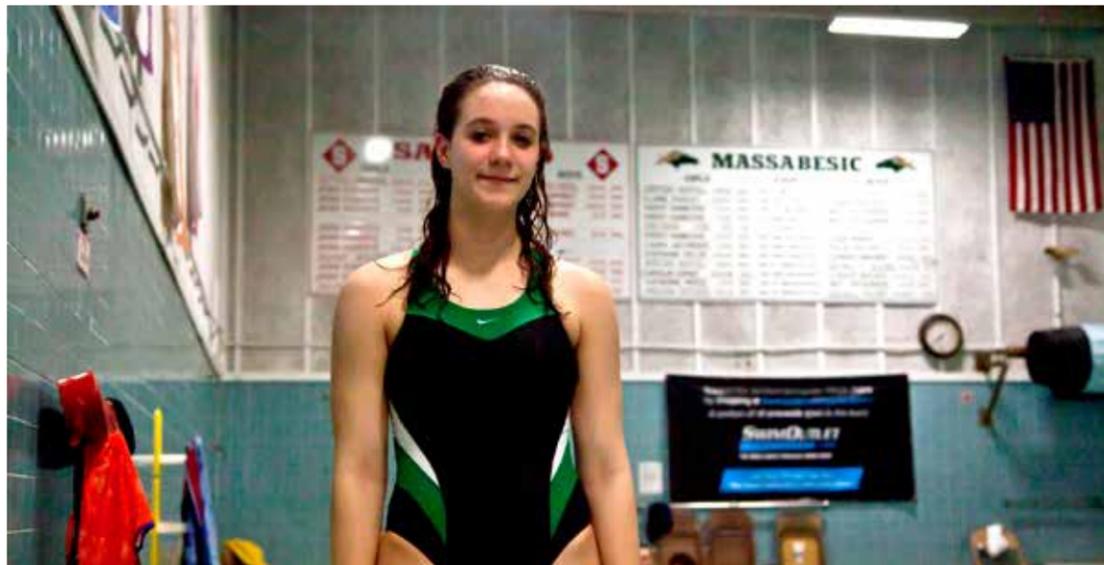
KASPRZAK INSURANCE ASSOCIATES, INC.

Auto • Home • Life • Business • Health

247-4959

RTE. 5 • NO. WATERBORO, ME 04061

SPORTS



Massabesic junior Elaine Dudley broke her own record in the 200 freestyle on Jan. 16. COURTESY PHOTO

Swim squad splits meet with Trojans

Dudley sets mark in 200 free

BY MICHAEL DEANGELIS
mdeangelis@waterbororeporter.com

Massabesic's varsity swim team split a meet with Thornton Academy held Friday, Jan. 16 at the Sanford YMCA.

The lady Mustangs routed the Trojans 104-64, capturing 10 of 11 events including the first, the 200-meter medley-relay.

Captain Ashley Cryer (four gold's on the night) led the Mustangs off the blocks. Joanna LaFrance followed; with Elaine Dudley next and Sophia LaFrance on the anchor. They posted a time of 2:04.29.

Cryer was part of the winning 400 freestyle-relay team that posted a 4:14.21. Morgan Houk followed, Amanda Dudley (winner of the 50 freestyle with a 28:17) and sister Elaine swimming next.

Cryer took first in both her in-

dividual events with a 2:29.85 in the 200 IM and a 1:06.34 in the 100 backstroke that blew the rest of the field away by more than seven seconds.

Last week, Elaine Dudley knocked down a 25-year-old school record in the 200 IM. This week she chipped close to one-half of a second off the school record she set in her freshman year in the 200 freestyle as the junior posted a 2:00.54.

"Not a big deal, I already held the record," said the modest junior.

Dudley also won the 500 freestyle with a 5:38.85.

Joanna LaFrance won the 100 butterfly with a 1:12.02 and her 1:18.69 on the 100 breaststroke was best. The LaFrance sister were part of the 200 freestyle-relay team, along with Houk and Amanda Dudley that captured gold with a 1:57.11.

Desiree Saucier is co-captain along with Cryer.

The Mustang men dropped an 89-80 decision in their portion of the meet with the Trojans.

Massabesic won the first event, the 200 medley-relay with a time of 1:51.70. Caleb Fuschillo swam first with Cam Mayhew following. Garrett LaFrance was next and Mason Darling (just .08 out of first in the 50 free) was the anchor. The same unit won the final event, the 400 freestyle-relay with a time of 3:37.82.

Mayhew won his two individual events. He logged a speedy 58.73 in the 100 fly and his 1:07.04 captured gold in the 100 breaststroke.

Fuschillo was first in the 100 backstroke with a time of 1:02.66.

LaFrance, Darling and Mayhew represent the Mustang men as captains.

ON THE MAT

Mustangs take gold at York

BY MICHAEL DEANGELIS
mdeangelis@waterbororeporter.com

Massabesic wrestlers took first place at the annual Hammerhead Duals event, held Saturday, Jan. 17 at York High School.

The Mustangs got off to a good start, racking up six pins and a 5-1 decision win for Trevor Walton (220) in an opening round win over Boothbay. Jeff Bryan (113), David Phinney (138), Zac Richard (145), Logan Martin (152), Noah Schneider (170) and Matt Carroll (182) all made quick work of their opponents to help Massabesic advance by a 51-12 count.

Their work was even quicker against Oak Hill who they handed a 64-6 thrashing, but with much of the results due to forfeits. Logan Martin pinned Kayne Gagne in the first period to record what ended up being just one of two bouts held in the contest. Noah Schneider's 13-4 decision win over Brendan Tervo the other.

The Mustangs advanced to

the championship round with a 52-24 win over Wells. Zac Richard took a 15-3 decision over Charlie Durfee. Schneider and Walton both recorded pins for Massabesic, who lost two bouts in the meet. The rest of the matches were forfeits.

The Mustangs got a measure of revenge with 50-22 championship round victory over Dirigo who had topped Massabesic 39-25 earlier in the season at the Oxford Duals.

Bryan, Phinney, Martin, Carroll, Walton and Noah McGrath (126) each recoded pins, while Richard took a tech fall decision 18-3 and Schneider got by Spencer Vaughn with a narrow 3-2 win.

Coach Rick Derosier was pleased with the performance. "It was nice to get into the winners circle again, especially after Dirigo beat us early on."

Massabesic was without senior captain standout Mike Risti (over 150 career wins, with 100 via pin) who was out with a sprained knee.

ON THE TRACK

Both varsity track and field teams from Massabesic finished third at a four team meet held Saturday, Jan. 17 at USM.

The lady Mustangs finished with 68 team points. Westbrook was tops with 176, Cheverus had 81 and Portland was fourth with 26.

Karissa Lambertson won the 600-meter dash with a time of 1:38.95. The Mustangs got a second place finish from Grace Gile in the same event.

Maddy Bantz took third place

in the one-mile run and Gabby Johnson took second place in the lengthy two-mile event.

Maquila DiMastrantonio took second place in the triple jump with teammate Ashley Russell right behind her in third.

Massabesic won the 1600-meter sprint medley relay.

The Mustang men finished with 61 points. Westbrook was first with 135, Cheverus had 86 and Portland was fourth with 29.

Tom Harrington won the 800-meter dash. Mike Aboud won the two-mile with a time of 10:27.06 and he was runner-up in the 600.

Alex Swett won the one-mile with a time of 4:48.07

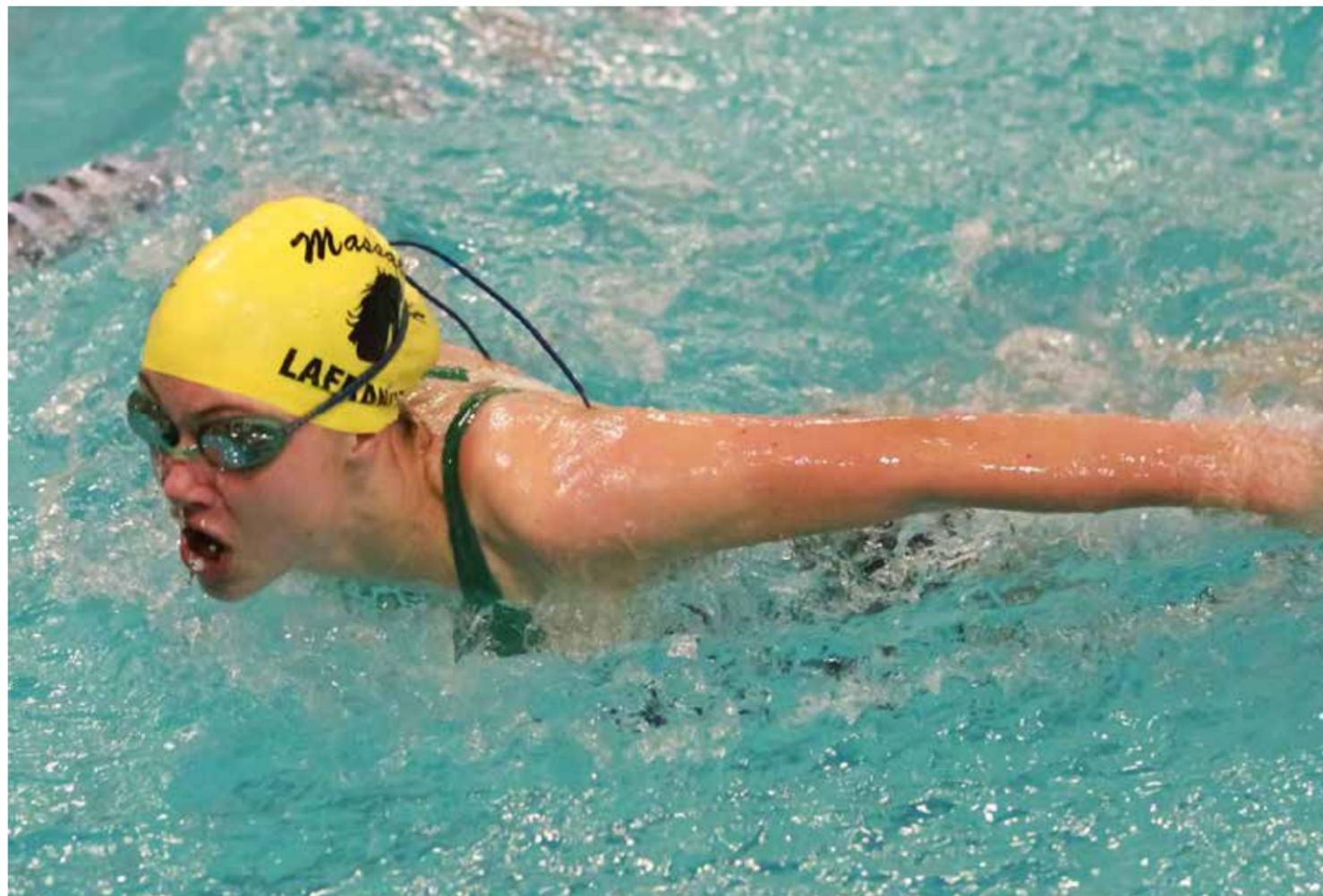
HOOP WRAP-UP

Massabesic varsity basketball teams continue to struggle through their season with each team sitting with just one win and identical 1-12 records as of Jan. 21.

The men recorded their lone win against Biddeford, who had topped Massabesic early on in the season. The Mustangs have been decimated by both injuries as well as illness as coach Ramone Jones recently lamented the fact that he had only two occasions all year where each of his varsity players was present at practice.

The lady Mustangs picked up their lone win against Noble, 0-13, back on Jan. 6 by a 52-22 count.

Both squads finish their season with contests against rival Sanford on Thursday, Feb. 5.



Massabesic's Joanna LaFrance.

COURTESY PHOTO BY JASON GENDRON, S4 ACTION PHOTOGRAPHY

OPINION

A woman with a past

No single recording artist better captured the hopes and dreams of a generation than Melanie Safka. Her career began on a rain-soaked stage at Woodstock during a time of great social upheaval. "I was terrified," she says. "I was the only performer at the three-day event that wasn't already



by
Jon Simonds

an established star. There were half a million people out there!"

Some walked miles for a gathering of talent echoing the ideology of recently slain leaders, Bobby Kennedy and Martin Luther King. They came because the victor of war endures the same loss and suffering as the loser. They gathered because all men are created equal regardless of the color of their skin, their relationship with their God or their desire to love. They gathered to see Hendrix; Crosby, Stills, Nash & Young; The Who; Jefferson Airplane and many more. They became a City, a massive cooperative where children were actually born. "I went out on stage," she continued, "thinking maybe 100 people have heard of me."

Melanie performed and over the next two years blessed the world with a string of visionary hits like the chart-topping *Lay Down, Beautiful People*, *Peace Will Come*, *Leftover Wine*, *Look What They've Done To My Song*, and *Brand New Key*. The list goes on. Some of the

most respected critics from the *New York Times* to *Rolling Stone Magazine* called her "the female Bob Dylan." She was exceptional, and then she was gone.

As a child, my very first concert experience was at the Westbury Music Hall in Long Island. I went as part of a day camp trip. Melanie was the performer. I had never heard of her and was quickly given the wrong impression of concerts as she came out on stage and rearranged all the seating. There were about 1,000 people in the theatre, and the artist looked out at the crowd and said, "Everyone in the first row. Come up on stage and form a circle around me." There was enough room for everyone in the second row to form



Melanie Safka, left, and Kaitlyn Simonds.

COURTESY PHOTO

a circle around the first so that everyone could move down two rows in front of them. "That's better," she said. "We're all a little closer now." We stayed that way for nearly three hypnotic hours.

By the early '80s Melanie became synonymous with the age-old question, "Whatever happened to?" In 2007, I found two tickets in the mail to see Melanie at a small venue in Clearwater, Florida. I still don't

know where the tickets came from. I took my daughter. She was 11. We arrived early and used the facilities before returning for the start of the show. After the concert Melanie looked at my daughter and said, "You didn't know that was me in the bathroom when we were talking earlier, did you?"

We saw her again in Ogunquit last Saturday night. She talked about the beauty of Maine and how she is think-

ing of moving to York County, and she talked about Miley Cyrus. Apparently, we're going to find out what happened to Melanie, and Miley has the lead role. Melanie. She was just another kid from Queens spinning the essence of life - our pursuit of life, liberty, happiness and love.

Jon Simonds lives in North Waterboro and is the author of "Brooklyn Encounters," a collection of short stories available on Kindle.

LETTERS

This is our town: Old Home Days coming back?

The booming of fireworks and cheers from hundreds of people from Waterboro and surrounding towns was a sound that was missed by many in July of 2014. The yearly event was cancelled due to lack of volunteers last summer. Everywhere I went I heard comments from people who were disappointed that our town did not have its amazing fireworks display. Unfortunately it wasn't just the fireworks we missed out on.

Old Home Days is a two-day festival put on by our town beginning on what is normally the second Friday night of July. Vendors arrive early and set up before the festival opens to the public around 5 p.m. Games, rides, and multiple food trucks are available for your enjoyment.

Saturday morning begins with a parade that has grown tremendously. Our local fire department, recreation department, clubs, and businesses all have the opportuni-

ty to show off their floats and take pride in their community. People are then able to enjoy scheduled entertainment throughout the day on top of the multiple booths available from crafters, leagues, and clubs.

What we all didn't know was that behind the scenes there is years' worth of planning going on, and all this planning was being done by a only a few people. Eventually, the small amount of people left on the committee admitted that they could no longer do it alone and called it quits.

For those of us not involved in the planning process, the disappointment was great. For the people who did the planning, the disappointment was enormous. Volunteering isn't about doing things for yourself, it's about doing things for other people. The fact that they could no longer provide a fun, easy, flowing festival for their community was heart-breaking. Let's face it, no one wants to claim defeat.

This is your town. This is OUR town and it's time to get involved

and be a part of what makes small towns special.

Currently, there is no Old Home Days scheduled for 2015, but I am calling upon you to help change that. A group of committed volunteers will be meeting Wednesday, Feb. 4 and 11 at 7 p.m. at the Waterboro Town Hall. Some of the former volunteers have agreed to stay on and help show us the ropes if we can get a good group of new volunteers together. Yes there will be a time commitment, yes there will be work involved, but the more people we have the more we can share in the work and make the process go smoother and the jobs smaller.

This is your town. This is your Old Home Days. It's time for you to be part of your community. Let's make sure we can have our 2015 fireworks and watch our kids smile at the end of the night. Let's show the people from Waterboro and surrounding towns that we love our town too!

*April Tucker
Waterboro*

BRIEFS

Willowbrook's winter activity

19th Century Willowbrook Village was at the Knowlton School in Berwick on January 13 to do three sessions during the course of the day for all its fifth graders. The program, "Ice, Ice Harvesting, and Ice Houses", included an overview of one of historical Maine's leading industries as well as a hands-on science curriculum related activity that explored water density and fresh pond ice. There was also some homemade ginger ice cream shared as a special treat in consolation for the string of sub-zero days spent inside without recess. The presentation also provided hands-on examination of many authentic ice harvesting tools, including a very heavy ice plow. This is our second connection with these 105 plus fifth graders, as they visited the museum this past October and experienced some new activities specific to the autumn. The plan is that Knowlton will attend Willowbrook's free-to-the-public Jan. 31 ice harvest with moms and dads. Let the museum know if your school is interested in this program or other programs during the winter.

The museum also had its first blacksmithing class of the winter season with six participants on Jan. 10, including one thirteen year old and Lindsay Decker of Shapleigh, a junior at Lycoming College in Pennsylvania, who will serve as an internship at the museum this summer. As a history major, she will be focusing on creating new interpretive signage to go with our two blacksmith

shops and a planned farrier exhibit. The museum made use of a propane burning forge made in a recent forge making class for this most class focusing on making a hunting knife with West Newfield resident Frank Vivier. Other classes are planned, and the museum will also be providing time in the smithies on weeknights and weekends for doing one's own projects by arrangement.

Finally, a class in "Early Gas Engine Maintenance and Repair" is planned at the museum for late January or February depending on interest. A nominal fee will be charged. The class will be taught by Russell Welch of Kennebunk, who has a lifetime of experience with what are commonly known as "one-lungers," "hit 'n miss," and "make 'n break" engines. Willowbrook has some 22 examples of these early engines, and the class will involve disassembling, cleaning, and repairing a couple of these engines in a group setting.

The idea is to nurture a new generation to perpetuate this hobby of collecting and maintaining these examples of early American engineering. The class will take place in the heated restoration workshop at the museum; this site will be renovated later this winter for the purpose of Machine Shop and Metal Fabrication workshop funded in part by the Narragansett Number One Foundation of Berwick. Contact Robert Schmick at: director@willowbrookmuseum.com or leave at message at 793-2784.

We want to hear from you!

Send your letters,
recipes, photos,
poems & stories to:
news@waterbororeporter.com

Please include name, town and
phone number for verification.



LIMERICK

BRIEFS



The First Annual Chief's Award was presented to Richard Gurney, right, at the Limerick Fire Department's annual dinner Sunday, Jan. 18. The dinner and award presentation took place at the Peppermill Restaurant in Limerick. The plaque was presented to Gurney by Fire Chief Michael McLean, center, and secretary and auxiliary president, Brian Saulnier and read: "This award is in recognition of the outstanding commitment and dedication demonstrated throughout the year." Wendy Farren was the guest note speaker. COURTESY PHOTO

Snow Dance

The Rt. 11 Streakers Snowmobile Club will be holding a Snow Dance January 24 from 7 to 11 p.m. at the Old Limerick Brick Town Hall. Tickets are \$8 in advance and \$10 at the door. Contact rt11streakers@yahoo.com for advance tickets. Proceeds will be used to support equipment maintenance and trail grooming. BYOB age 21 and older. "Come help us make snow!"

Book discussion group

Limerick Library Book Discussion Group will meet every other Tuesday from 6 to 8 p.m. at the Limerick Public Library Meeting Room, beginning Tuesday, Feb. 3. Are you a parent of a teen or preteen? Are you looking to connect with others regarding this journey as parents and seeking to understand our changing and developing children? Please join this local book discussion group led by Mary Vermette-Graham and read and discuss "Between Form And Freedom; Being a Teenager" by Betty Staley. Attendees will need to obtain a copy of the book on their own.

Open call for Artists

The Limerick Public Library has several open slots for artists who would like to display their work at the Library in 2015. If you, or someone you know, have an exhibit to display, call 793-8975. We will discuss the details with you and show you our hanging system and locking display case.

Classifieds

Call **247-0273** to place your classified ad today!

Email to **ads@waterbororeporter.com**



FOR SALE

AVON
LINDA DAVISON
 Avon Independent Sales Representative
 Order anytime online at <https://ldavison.avonrepresentative.com> and receive direct home delivery. Questions or to order a brochure, email: ledavison@roadrunner.com

WANTED

I BUY ANYTHING OLD!
 Books, records, furniture, jewelry, coins, hunting, fishing, military, art work, dishes, toys, tools, etc.
 I will come to you with cash.
 Call John 450-2339

EMPLOYMENT

Carpenter's Helper Wanted
 • Must provide liability insurance.
 • Experience with cutting and climbing.
 • \$15 and up depending on experience.
 Call Jason 294-2046

Your ad HERE only \$5 per week!

Please recycle this newspaper

The Reporter is looking for a salesperson to sell advertising and manage local business accounts.
 Willing to train the right person. Flexible hours, possible to telecommute.
 Email resumé to **ads@waterbororeporter.com**

BUSINESS DIRECTORY

Get listed for only \$5 per week!

BUYING OLD ITEMS

BUYING Old Items
 Barn & Attic accumulations.
Jimmy: 207-450-4163
Honest prices paid!

HARDSCAPE

AFFORDABLE STONE WALLS
 Consultation, Instruction, Installation. DEP Certified, 25+ yrs exp, Sal Adinolfi, Stone Artisan • 205-6868

FITNESS

JUNCTURE LEARNING CENTER
 Affordable fun & fitness w/ Coach Lisa for boys & girls ages 1-14. Tumbling FUN!, FUNergy!, open gym and more. FMI on Facebook or call 318-7685.

LANDSCAPING

BARK MULCH
 Loam • Sand • Gravel Stone • Landscape Supplies
 Call **Buddy Knight**
608-3582 or 247-5111

SERVICE DIRECTORY: \$20 per week

TOP-IT-OFF OIL
 QUALITY HOME HEATING OIL
 Keep your family warm. Gift certificates available.
24 HOUR EMERGENCY SERVICE
1-800-293-6448
 279 BIDDEFORD RD., ALFRED
 - Serving all of Southern Maine -
 KENNEBUNK 985-6448 ALFRED 324-1133

WANTED
 Junk Cars & Trucks, Scrap Metal
HOURS OF OPERATION:
 Scale/Yard: Mon-Fri 8-4, Sat 8-2
 Office: Mon-Fri 8-5, Sat 8-3
CLOSED SUNDAY
 We buy the following metals:
 Copper • Brass • Aluminum Cans • Batteries
 • Stainless • Lead • Wire • Aluminum Wheels (with or without tires) • Large amounts of Metal
 • Steel • Appliances • Catalytic Converter
C.I.A. SALVAGE We'll beat any reasonable offer for complete vehicles.
 Toll Free: 877-456-8608 • 207-793-2022
 366 Sokokos Trail N. • Route 5, Limerick, ME 04048

BUXTON ANTIQUES EMPORIUM
 ANTIQUES, COLLECTIBLES & FURNITURE
 (207) 648-4026 • Open Daily 10-7 • 249 Parker Farm Rd., Buxton
 Always buying and selling antiques, furniture, gold, silver, jewelry, coins and old paper.
 www.buxtonantiques.com

POLE BARN
 • TRADITIONAL MAINE LOOK
 • ECONOMICAL STORAGE
 207.432.8881
 www.StultzBuilding.com

CINDY'S HAIR SALON
 Services Done Your Way
PERMS ONLY \$39.95
 LUCINDA ALDOUS
 Owner/Cosmetologist
 Lord Road, North Waterboro
247-3017

THE Maine REAL ESTATE NETWORK
 Creating Relationships for Life
 jbutler@themainerealestatenetwork.com
 Mobile: 207-252-9561 • Home: 207-793-2174
 Office: 207-247-3232 ext. 225 • Fax: 207-247-3255
 397 Sokokis Trail, East Waterboro, ME 04030
 www.TheMaineRealEstateNetwork.com
JACK BUTLER
 Broker/Realtor
 REALTOR **MLS**

ALFRED

Allison Williams

awilliams@waterbororeporter.com
324-5823

Boy Scout camping survival

For those of us feeding wood fires to keep warm, camping outside doesn't seem like much of an attraction. But Boy Scouts from Alfred, Lyman and Sanford kept warm in 3-below weather this past weekend, built shelters of pine boughs, logs and tarps, and worked on their outdoor cooking skills besides. All this happened at the Lyman Hut on Bunganut. According to their leader, Richard Lanoix, no one got cold.

It was hamburgers and hotdogs for supper. Besides serving themselves, they served their guests, former leaders Jim McAdam, Roger Nagy—who demonstrated ice-fishing for them—and Jeffrey Lanoix. Mike Gervais showed up in the morning with coffee and doughnuts, which was appreciated. They had to break camp at 9 a.m. There were three boys from Alfred, one from Lyman and five from Sanford attending with their leaders.

The survival camping was in preparation for the upcoming Klondike Derby.

The boys had also been on a fall hike in New Hampshire, taking the Caribou Trail, where they sighted moose and bear tracks.



Members from three Boy Scout troops, Alfred, Lyman and Sanford, learned how to build shelters and cook a meal in the snow during the campout last weekend. COURTESY PHOTO

County Republicans meet

There was a well-attended meeting of York County Republicans in the courthouse this past Wednesday. Nominations for officers were held, and the following were elected for 2015: Chairman, James Booth; vice-chairman, Ed Karyto; secretary, Lindsey Atkinson; treasurer, Connie Bemis; finance chairman, Nancy Ford.

A motion for a new position was made, a parliamentarian, to be a resource for the committee's compliance with "Robert's Rules of Order." It will be voted on during the February meeting.

The Alfred Republican Com-

mittee will not meet in January, but on Feb. 16, in Town Hall.

Parish Church

There will be new members received next Sunday, Jan. 25, and the Healing Circle will be held. A confirmation gathering will be held at North Parish in Sanford at 1 p.m.

A free community supper will be held Tuesday, Jan. 27 from 5 to 6 p.m. The menu will include spaghetti and tomato sauce, pizza, bread, salad and desserts.

The Noonng Group will meet on Wednesday for another in the series "Saving Jesus Redux" and a luncheon of soup and bread.

Girl Scouts

Five girls in Troop 1099 are on their way to earning a free week at Girl Scout camp. They need to sell 325 boxes of cookies in their first step to earn a week at the camp, so it is appreciated if you find your closest Girl Scout to help in this step by ordering cookies.

Last week the girls attended an indoor campfire, sang songs and played games. They brought donations of treats, food and toys for the Animal Welfare Society as their service project for the week. Next week they will begin their Valentine's Day project for a local nursing home.

Christian Women's Club

The next meeting of the Christian Women's Club, which meets the first Monday of each month, will be Feb. 2 at 7 p.m. at Christy's in Sanford. Sanford lawyer Jessie Krall will speak on "Do You Know What Three Documents Everyone Should Have?" The second speaker will be Pamela Cahill of Chester, N.H. whose topic will be "How to React to Unexpected Situations."

Reservations are necessary and may be made by calling Lovedy 793-8104.

Village Notes

During the meeting between the town selectmen and trustees of the Parish Church this past Monday, it was decided the downstairs

rooms of Conant Chapel could be used for town business while the mold problem in Town Hall was being eradicated. It was felt it would take about two weeks to remove the mold.

The Country Acoustic Jam will be held at the Legion Hall this Saturday, Jan. 24 from 1 to 4:30 p.m. Donations are \$1 and food and beverages are available.

BRIEFS

Jump into January

The Lyman Elementary School PTC is once again transforming their gym into a jumping paradise on Saturday, Jan. 24 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. (Jan. 31 snow date). There will be two bounce houses, an obstacle course, a giant double slide and games and face painting in the lobby. Bracelet cost is \$10 in advance or \$12 at the door and includes unlimited bouncing and games. Parents and children under age 2 do not need to purchase a bracelet. Hot dog meals, snacks, popcorn, cotton candy and drinks will be for sale in the cafeteria.

GOT NEWS?
We want to hear from you!
news@waterbororeporter.com

Massabesic Wrestling Calendar Fundraiser

Massabesic Wrestling February 2015

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
JP Carroll Fuel \$50 Cert Fuel or Propane	Stadium Systems Replica Helmet Value \$150 Wal-Mart \$25 card	NAPA Waterboro \$50 Gift Cert Waterboro House of Pizza \$25 Gift Cert	Lakeside Market \$100 Gift Card	Waterboro Pawn \$25 gift cert Ed's Grove \$30 Gift Cert Town Line Pizza And Deli \$25 Gift Cert	Kwan Ki Do Martial Arts One Month \$60 value Beth Woodsome 5 Yoga Classes \$40 value	Kenney Automotive 4 Oil Changes \$120 Value Lakeside Sport And Marine \$25 cash
Limerick Village Variety \$25 Gift Cert Plummers Hardware \$25 Gift Cert	Town of Waterboro One Month Teen Camp Value \$600	Just Jewelry By Amanda \$80 Gift Cert Barden St Soap Gift Basket \$25	Dominic Vermette of Horace Mann \$50 Bank Card	In Memory of Lacy Richard \$50 Cash Lakeside Realty \$25 cash	Woodsomes Feeds N Needs \$25 Gift Cert RSD Graphics T-Shirt & Duffie Bag \$40 Value	Funtown/Splashtown Donated by Waterboro Parks n Rec 5 Combo Passes \$185 Value
Ferguson Technologies Computer Clean \$75 Value Shaws \$25 Cash	F.M. Abbott Power Equipment \$100 Bank Card	Kasprzak Insurance \$100 Bank Card	Limerick Village Variety \$25 Gift Card Plummers Hardware \$25 Gift Card	Shark Fishing Aboard Jillian 2 Donated by Rick Crosby Rick Derosier For 2 \$600 Value	Woody's Sports Grille \$25 Gift Cert Shaws \$100 Cash	Back Woods Studio Waterboro Handmade Bench \$100 Value 31 Gifts - Dodi Kelly Beauty & Lunch Bag \$80 Value
Woodsomes Feeds N Needs \$25 Gift Cert RSD Graphics T-Shirt & Duffie Bag \$40 Value	Woody's Sports Grille \$25 Gift Cert Shaws \$100 Cash	Lakeside Market \$100 Gift Card	Good For All Pharmacy Bed Pan Bonanza \$125 Value Woodland Valley Disc Golf 4 rounds \$20 value	Funtown/Splashtown Donated by Peter Gilman 4 Combo Passes \$148 Value	Ground Fishing Aboard Jillian 2 Donated by Rick Crosby Rick Derosier For 2 \$400 Value	

ONLY \$10

Weekly drawings every Monday in February. Just one entry has a chance to win 28 TIMES!

To purchase a calendar contact your favorite wrestler or call Mike at 710-7129.

All proceeds benefit the Massabesic wrestling program.

PRIZES AVAILABLE

VALUE

- JP Carroll Fuel, \$50 gift certificate \$50
- Stadium Systems authentic replica helmet \$150
- Wal-Mart, \$25 gift card \$25
- NAPA Waterboro, \$50 gift card \$50
- Waterboro House of Pizza, \$25 gift card \$25
- Lakeside Market, 2-\$100.00 gift cards \$200
- Waterboro Pawn \$25 gift card \$25
- Ed's Grove, \$50 gift card \$30
- Town Line Pizza and Deli, \$25 gift card \$25
- Kwan Ki Do Martial Arts, one month free \$60
- Beth Woodsome Yoga, 5 yoga classes \$40
- Kenney Automotive, 4 oil changes (non-synthetic) \$120
- Lakeside Sport and Marine, \$25 cash \$25
- Limerick Village Variety, 2-\$25 gift cards \$50
- Plummers Hardware 2-\$25 gift cards \$50
- Town of Waterboro Parks & Rec. Teen Camp, one month \$600
- Just Jewelry by Amanda, \$80 gift card \$80
- Barden St. Soap, \$25 gift basket \$25
- Dominic Vermette of Horace Mann, 2-\$50 bank cards \$100
- In Memory of Lacy Richard, \$50 cash \$50
- Lakeside Realty, \$50 cash \$50
- Woodsomes Feeds and Needs, 2-\$25 gift cards \$50
- Town of Waterboro Parks and Recreation, 5 combo passes Funtown/Splashtown \$185
- Ferguson Technologies, computer cleaning \$75
- Shaws, \$225 cash \$225
- F.M. Abbott and Power Equipment, \$100 bank card \$100
- Kasprzak Insurance, \$100 bank card \$100
- Shark Fishing aboard Jillian 2 for two people \$600
- Woody's Sports Grille, 2-\$25 gift certificates \$50
- Back Woods Studio in Waterboro, handmade bench \$100
- 31 Gifts by Dodi Kelly Beauty and lunch bag \$80
- RSD Graphics, 2-T-shirts and duffie bags \$80
- Good For All Pharmacy, Bed Pan Bonanza \$125
- Woodland Valley Disc Golf, 4 rounds of golf \$20
- Peter Gilman, 4 combo passes Funtown/Splashtown \$148
- Ground Fishing aboard Jillian 2 for two people \$400

PRIZE TOTAL
THANK YOU to all donors!

\$4,168