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Ice fishing season extended on Northern waters

The ice fishing season in the northern region of the state has been extended after Governor Janet Mills signed a bill that gave Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife Commissioner Judy Camuso the authority to extend the ice fishing season when conditions permit.

Due to unusually cold March weather conditions and excellent ice fishing conditions, Camuso extended the ice fishing season in the northern region of Maine through April 21. Waters in southern Maine are already open year-round to both ice fishing and open water fishing unless closed by special rule.

“Extending the ice fishing season in northern Maine not only provides anglers with more opportunities to fish, but it also provides continued economic opportunity for the many small businesses that anglers support,” said Governor Mills.

Under extension enacted by Commissioner Camuso, waters that are open to ice fishing as of March 31 in the north region will continue to be open from April 1 through Sunday, April 21. All

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Community garden plots available

Those who want to grow vegetables, herbs or flowers, but lack access to suitable land may sign up for a 4-ft x 12-ft raised bed in the new Sanford Community Garden. Twenty-four beds are available on a first-come, first-served basis. A membership fee of \$25 will be assessed to purchase anything needed for the garden during the growing season. Four beds are reserved fee-free for low income individuals and another two are fee-free for home-schooled students. A food pantry plot will be tended by all gardeners.

Tending plants in one of these beds would be a great experience for families with children. It would get them outdoors for a healthy activity and let them see how food is grown. Then there is the sense of pride when the harvest is brought home.

You don’t have to know anything about gardening. Master

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Bonny Eagle Middle School Team E won first place in their division at the second annual Claude E. Webber Chess Tournament held at Bonny Eagle Middle School on Saturday, March 23. Middle School teacher and Chess Team coach Andrew DeMaris worked with students in this division. “We appreciate you learning to annotate,” he said. “Keep playing! Join your school’s Chess Club. You are keeping chess alive in the community!” From left, Kevin Lin, Maximilian Matthews, Sam Caldwell, Joseph Vetterline and Emily Jones.

PHOTO BY CYNTHIA MATTHEWS



Governor Janet Mills signs a bill into a law that gives the MDIFW commissioner the authority to extend the ice fishing season. MDIFW Commissioner Judy Camuso promptly extended the ice fishing season through April 21, 2019. From left, Commissioner Judy Camuso, House Speaker Sara Gideon, MDIFW fisheries director Francis Brautigam, Representative John Martin, Senate President Troy Jackson and Representative Danny Martin. Governor Janet Mills is signing the bill.

COURTESY PHOTO

A gift for the kids

BY C.J. PIKE

Newfield Community Church recently made a very generous donation to the Line School food insecurity program on Thursday, March 21. A small ceremony was held at the school at 818 Water Street, where Cheryl Cause presented a check in the amount of \$1,000 to Principal Timothy Stinson for the program. He stated that the money would get them through the rest of the school year, and the money will also go towards prescription eye glasses for those in need.

Also, at the ceremony were Rev. Phyllis Macdonald, pastor of the church, and some of the school officials. Rev. Macdonald stated that they had found out about the program through a previous notice in this column, and they were pleased to donate to a local cause.

The program was originally set up through the Line School and Librarian Cheryl Cause to get donations of non-perishable food items dropped off at the library and then delivered to the school for their start-up food pantry. Bags of food are then sent home with the children, who need it on the weekends.

Rev. Dr. Peter Stickney stopped by the library one day to

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Four RSU 57 Odyssey of the Mind teams competed in the Regional Tournament on March 16 at Biddeford High School. All four teams were in the top three and have advanced to the State Tournament on April 6. One fifth-grade team did the performance problem, Opposites Distract. There were three middle school teams: The Classics team and the Performance team both got first place, and the Balsa team got third place. Julie Grosvenor is the Odyssey of the Mind District Coordinator.

COURTESY PHOTO

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

FIRST RESPONDERS APPRECIATION BREAKFAST on Saturday morning, March 30 from 8 to 10 a.m. This event is entirely free of charge and is intended to express the church's and community's support of the work our various First Responders do. "Because You Answer the Call" is the continuing theme of the breakfast. Those attending should RSVP so that the church will know how many to prepare for. Call 247-6293 or email your response to pastor@swbiblechapel.org. The South Waterboro Bible Chapel is located at 911 Main Street (Route 202) in South Waterboro.

BOOK SIGNING at the Limerick Public Library, Saturday, March 30 from 10 a.m. to noon. Children's book author Susan Lubner will be signing copies of her new book "Lizzy and the Good Luck Girl." Bring your own copy, or the book will be on sale at the library, located at 55 Washington Street, Limerick.

DANCE & AUCTION Saturday, March 30 from 6 to 11 p.m. at the Town Club, 4 Washington Street (4th floor), Sanford. Raffles, silent auction (6-8:45 p.m.), live music, dancing, prizes, appetizers & desserts and cash bar. Tickets are \$20. Call 324-0999, ext. 210 or email info@grahamtastic.org. Proceeds benefit the GrahamTastic Connection.

Girl Scouts of Maine to host **DISCOVER GIRL SCOUTS EVENT** April 1 at Waterboro Elementary School, East Waterboro, at 6 p.m. for potential members and volunteers. This event will bring together girls from kindergarten through third grade and their caregivers, and allow them to discover why Girl Scouting is important to the development of girls, how it relates to the success of young women today, and the important role that adults play. For more information about Girl Scouts or to see a full list of Discover Girl Scout events, visit girlsoutsofmaine.org or call 888-922-4763.

2ND ANNUAL NIGHT OF MUSIC Thursday, April 4 at 7 p.m. at the Line Elementary School. The MHS chorus, under the direction of Heather Guilfoyle, and the MHS band, under the direction of Adam Goad, will

perform at this free concert event hosted by the Limerick Research Club.

AFFORDABLE HEALTHCARE FOR ALL MAINE PEOPLE Do you think all Mainers should have publicly funded health care? Good idea or not? Maine All Care, an organization dedicated to universal, high quality and affordable healthcare for the people of Maine, will present and discuss their ideas. Phil Bailey, Executive Director will speak on Thursday, April 4 at 6:30 p.m. at the Hollis Elementary School Cafeteria, 554 River Road, Hollis. This event is free and open to the public. This program is sponsored by the Hollis and Buxton Democratic Committee.



SCHOOLHOUSE ARTS CENTER PRESENTS NOISES OFF April 5-14. A non-stop, mad-cap, fast-paced comedy is a huge challenge for the 9 actors who are being directed by Zachariah Stearn. But equally challenging is the construction of a massive two story twenty foot wide set which must be able to rotate 180 degrees twice during each performance. The play will be presented at 7 p.m. on Fridays and Saturdays with matinees at 2 p.m. on Saturdays and Sundays. The Schoolhouse also plans to present a fully interpreted American Sign Language presentation on Sunday, April 7 for their Deaf patrons. Tickets are available online for \$16 for adults and \$14 for students and seniors at www.schoolhousearts.org. Those ordering tickets before April 5 can save \$3 off their purchase by using coupon code SAC3. Tickets purchased at the door will be \$18 for adults and \$16 for students and seniors.

YORK COUNTY REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE MEETING Thursday, April 11 at the Wells Activity Center, 113 Sanford Road, Wells. Doors open 6 p.m. for socializing and refresh-

ments, followed by a business meeting at 7 p.m. Guest Speaker Carroll Conley, Jr., Executive Director of the Christian Civic League of Maine, will discuss the efforts being made by the CCL to address the many bills being debated in Augusta that would have major impacts on the freedom of individuals, churches, and businesses to speak and act according to their faith. Schedules permitting, legislators from both Houses of the Legislature will be on hand to inform about legislation currently being considered and to answer questions. All Republicans are invited to participate in this meeting. FMI or to be added to YCRC email list, contact communications@yorkgop.org or call 468-2395.

THE ORIGINALS PRESENT THE ELECTRIC BABY BY STEPHANIE ZADRAVEC April 18, 19, 20, 25, 26, 27 at 7:30 p.m., Apr. 28 at 2:30 p.m. April 18 & 25 are pay-what-you-can. Saco River Theatre, 29 Salmon Falls Road, Bar Mills. Tickets are general admission \$25, Seniors & Students \$22. Call 929-5412 or visit www.sacorivertheatre.org. Set in Pittsburgh, THE ELECTRIC BABY tells the touching and funny story of six fractured souls whose lives become irrevocably linked in the aftermath of a tragic accident, and changed forever through their contact with a magical baby. Mystical folklore weaves throughout this darkly comic fairytale of sad endings, strange beginnings, and the unlikely people who just might help you find your way home. A hauntingly beautiful and funny celebration of the ordinary joys, sorrows, and magic that shape our human existence. Featuring: Jennifer Porter, Dana Packard, Elisabeth Hardcastle, Lowell Jeffers, Emily Eberhart and Gerald Davis. Directed by Dana Packard.

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A long line of maple lovers waited patiently outside the Gile and Bushey Sugar house on Maple Sunday. PHOTO BY ALLISON WILLIAMS

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Sap is still running

There was a long line of cars snaking up Shaker Hill, where the old Shaker community once stood. There was also a long line of people flanked by two large mud puddles, left and right. Their line led down to the sugar house, on Maple Sunday.

Members of the Gile and Bushey families were selling their varied products – maple flavored apple crisp, maple butter, maple doughnuts, maple flavored cotton candy, maple sugar candies, lollipops and whoopie pies, all with that delectable spring flavor of maple. And oh yes, the top favorite for which they had come – maple syrup.

There has fortunately been good weather for sap. We drove past some maples sporting blue tubing for the sap to reach the sap buckets. That is why everyone was here, to obtain the good flavor of maple for pancakes and all those other products sold at the sugar house. Roughly 1,000 people visited the sugar house on Sunday.

Parish Church

It will soon be April when the Parish Church moves services into the sanctuary. That will happen after brunch on Palm Sunday, on April 14 when Sunday School will also be held.

Communion and a new members informational meeting will be held on April 7 in Conant Chapel. There will be a Maundy Thursday service on April 18; on Good Friday, April 19, the sanctuary will be open from 12 to 3 p.m. Those who plan to have Easter lilies in church on Easter Sunday, April 21, are

asked to sign the paper in Conant Chapel so designating.

There is a list of needs for the mission committee in the chapel, including toilet articles. When a need is filled donors are asked to cross out their name.

There is also a list from Pilgrim Lodge, the United Church of Christ summer camp in West Gardiner. New camps include Fix'n to Fish and Grand-Parenting Weekend. There is more information in Conant Chapel. Volunteer training and summer staff jobs are available. The camps are on Lake Cobbosseecontee.

Wool sale

Attention all rug braiders, crafters and fiber people. On Saturday, March 30 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. there will be an abundance of wool for sale in the Alfred Shaker Museum on Shaker Hill Road. It will be a fine time to obtain the wool needed to complete a project.

New Books

There is lots of good reading at Parsons Memorial Library among the new book arrivals. "Cemetery Road" by Greg Iles is one of them, also "1st Lady" by James Patterson; "Wild Card" by Stuart Wood and "Delicate Touch"; "Run Away" by Harlen Coben; "Girl In the Glass Box" by James Grippando; "All the Wrong Places" by Joy Fielding; "Justified Murder" by Jude Deveraux; "Celtic Empire" by Clive Cussler; "Night Bird" by Brian Freeman also "Voice Inside". These are all fiction. For non-fiction there is "Our Nig or Sketches from the Life of Wilson" by Harriet Wilson; "Shoot for the Moon, The Space Race" by James Donovan; "Prairie Fires, the American Dream" by Caroline Fraser, a biography.

New Children's books include "Pete the Cat's Giant Groovy Book" by James Dean and "Ruby and Rufus" by Olivier Dunrea and "Hands to Heart" by Alex Bauermeister.

Reiki Workshop
Learn Reiki I with Diana!
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TOWN OF WATERBORO
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
The Waterboro Board of Selectmen will hold a Public Hearing at the Waterboro Town Hall, 24 Townhouse Road, on **Tuesday, April 9, 2019 beginning at 6:00 p.m.** to hear public comment regarding an ATV Ordinance.
The proposed ordinance is available at Waterboro Town Hall and on the town's website at www.waterboro-me.gov.

NEWFIELD

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drop off a check for \$900 from the church. Cause was so surprised that she thought the check should be formally presented to the principal and decided to get that set up. In the meantime, another \$100 was donated, which brought the amount to \$1,000.

Children from both Newfield and Limerick attend the local elementary school, so both towns benefit from the food pantry program. This project will go through the end of the school year, so donations of non-perishable food items will still be accepted at the library until then, and donors will receive a free book for their generosity. The program will extend through the summer and parents may get food too.

Church to have a seniors day

The Newfield Community Church at 639 Water Street is planning to have a weekly gathering at the church of people who would like to get together for coffee, tea, muffins and more. According to Rev. Phyllis MacDonald, it is still in the planning stages, but they are in hopes of starting it on Saturday, May 4, and will have it on a weekly basis for a couple of hours. The time and a more definite schedule will be announced at a later date.

Holy week services

Holy week services at the Newfield Community Church will include a Maunday Thursday service on April 18, and they will show the film the "The Passion of the Christ" at 6:30 p.m.

On Good Friday, April 19, a piano meditation with Rev. Dr. Peter Stickney will be held from noon to 1 p.m and from 6-7 p.m. Easter services will be at held at

10 a.m. and the choir will practice at 9 a.m. The church has changed their regular worship hours to 10 a.m. every Sunday, in hopes that it will be more convenient

Happy birthday!

Local people celebrating their birthdays this first week of April are Michael Polcaro and Bella Mae LeBlanc.

Meetings

Cub Scout Pack #329 - April 1, at Line School at 818 Water Street at 6 p.m. Anastasia Ferguson is the Cubmaster.

Boy Scout Troop #329 - April 1, at the Scout Hall at 7 School Street in Limerick at 6:30 p.m. New members always welcome. Jim Dion is the Scoutmaster. Call Joe Iannazzo at 850-6237.

The American Legion - nApril 1 at the Brick Town Hall at 19 Main Street in Limerick at 7 p.m.

Newfield Firefighters training session - April 2, at the Public Safety Building at 85 Water Street in West Newfield at 7 p.m. New members are welcome to attend.

Tea Time - April 3, at the Newfield Village Library at 637 Water Street at 3 p.m.

The Comprehensive Planning Board - April 3 at the West Newfield Town Hall at 23 So. Effingham Road, at 7 p.m.

Newfield Planning Board - April 3, at the West Newfield Town Hall at 23 So. Effingham Road, at 8 p.m. following the comprehensive planning board meeting.

Newfield Rescue training session - April 4 at the Public Safety Building, at 85 Water Street, at 7 p.m. Anyone interested in volunteering may contact Dick or Hazel McGlincey at 793-2045 or any rescue member.

Northern York County Rod and Gun Club - April 5 at the clubhouse at Lewis Hill Road at 7:30 p.m.

CORRECTION

Wendy Richardson Thorne was elected as the Limerick Town Selectmen, Assessor and Overseer of the Poor in the annual town elections. My apologies that her maiden name was used instead of her married name.

Students of the month



The following students were February Students of the Month at Massabesic Middle School: Gabe Lawrence, Madeline Vigue, Callin Allard, Justin Desrochers, Mayalynn Daniels, Lauren Joy, Dylan Storman, Sage Leach, Jared Breton, Lucas Caron, Izabelle Auger, Luchion Richardson, Rhonda Bryce, Ben Maddox, Tony St. Pierre, Evan Pike, Anna Howe, Braylon Sirois and Halle Jordan. COURTESY PHOTO

ICE FISHING

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rules and regulations for those waters that are already open to ice fishing in the north region will remain in effect.

Any waters that are not open to ice fishing will remain closed to ice fishing, and Tribal Waters are excluded from this ice fishing season extension.

"The current ice fishing season closes on Sunday, March 31, and open water season begins Monday. With weather conditions currently more appropriate for ice fishing than open water fishing, I am grateful for Governor Mills' support for extending the ice fish-

ing season in the northern zone," said Camuso, MDIFW Commissioner.

Currently, waters in the south zone are open year-round to both ice fishing and open water season unless closed by special rule. This provides those in the south with fishing opportunity no matter if there is an early or delayed spring.

April 1 also marks the traditional start to the open water fishing season in the northern region of the state.

Ice conditions can change rapidly during the spring, and anglers should be reminded to always check the condition of the ice before heading out.

"While it's a good idea any time of the season, it is especially important now to test the thickness of the ice using an ice chisel or ice auger in several locations on the lake or pond," said Major Chris Cloutier of the Warden Service. "Conditions can change rapidly this time of year, and ice that forms over flowing water and currents, especially near streams, bridges and culverts, can be particularly dangerous."

Many anglers often access waters surrounded by land that is privately owned. During the spring, unpaved roads can be muddy or soft, so anglers are reminded to be respectful, and avoid damaging roads.

GARDEN PLOTS

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Gardener volunteers and land trust members will provide the

necessary information, advice, and nutritional information about vegetables and how to use herbs in meal preparation.

Descriptive brochures with application forms are available at Springvale Library, Goodall Library, Shaw's Hardware, Springvale Hardware and Jerry's Market or online at www.mousamwaylandtrust.org. The deadline for applications was March 27 but beds are still available. The final date for accepting

applications is April 5.

The combined efforts of land trust volunteers, Master Gardeners and garden participants will bring the garden into being on Earth Day weekend April 20. Master Gardeners will be available at scheduled times to provide advice and demonstrate gardening techniques.

The garden is hosted by the Mousam Way Land Trust and managed by the York County Master Gardener Volunteers.

TOWN OF WATERBORO

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Waterboro Board of Selectmen will hold a Public Hearing at the Waterboro Town Hall, 24 Townhouse Road, on **Tuesday, April 9, 2019 beginning at 6:00 p.m.**

Public Hearing is to receive comment regarding the proposed 2019/20 fiscal year budget.

The proposed 2019-2020 fiscal year budget is available at Waterboro Town Hall and on the town's website at www.waterboro-me.gov.

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Maple Sunday

MARCH 24



Enjoying the ice cream at Thurston and Peters are, from left, Lisa Tocci, Kelly and Jeremy Sanborn, with Lilly in front, all from Waterboro. PHOTO BY C.J. PIKE



Heidi Hammerle and daughter Evelyn from Sanford had a great time at Thurston and Peters, and got their syrup. PHOTO BY C.J. PIKE



A horse-drawn sleigh ride at Curran Homestead Village at Willowbrook in Newfield. COURTESY PHOTO



Oliver Storer in the new gift shop at Hidden Roots Maple Farm in Limerick. COURTESY PHOTO



Eva at Harris Farm in Dayton. COURTESY PHOTO



Enjoying the pancake breakfast at Triple C Boilers in Lyman. COURTESY PHOTO



Sisters, from left, Kassadie Munro, Mylie Lennox, Kylie Munro and Madison Lennox from North Waterboro. COURTESY PHOTO



Ella Doiron-Frankland. PHOTO BY C.J. PIKE



Jahleel Joseph, 9, and his mom, Lori, of Waterboro had their picture taken with Chef Elliott, of the Food Network, while visiting Naturally Jammin' in Limington on Maple Sunday. They sampled the ice cream, sweetened only with honey, and purchased owner Jeddy Nevells cookbook. Chef Elliott has a testimonial with a recipe in the cookbook. Not only did he sign the cookbook for them, he added a secret ingredient to his recipe! PHOTO BY CYNTHIA MATTHEWS



Annabelle and Callen at Hilltop Boilers. COURTESY PHOTO



Malakai at Hilltop Boilers in Newfield. COURTESY PHOTO

Maple Sunday

MARCH 24



50 years of tapping

Mickey Pingree started tapping maple trees 50 years ago, up at Pease Farm. Why? "Because we were foolish!" he said. "We just did it for ourselves." They had a 10 ft. evaporator, and only used 1/2 the sap - it ran too much. "It's been down hill ever since!" he added. The operation moved to its current location on High Rd in Cornish in 1980. Tom, who has been "lugging sap buckets since he was 5" took over the business a few years ago. He's been trying to bring something new each year, to try new things. Recently, they added a Reverse Osmosis Machine, which cuts the boiling time in half. They not only make maple syrup, but maple candy, cream and even soy candles. Products are available all year. Call 625-8584, or visit their website at www.pingreemapleproducts.com and email Tom your order. The family, of course, helps out and pitches in, especially for Maple Weekend. Back row, from left, Lisa and Tom Pingree, Charlie Day, Scott, Mary and Ashley Pingree, Josh Benson, Mickey Pingree, Berta Emerson and Alan Wadsworth. Front Row, from left, Raegan, Ricky and Sarah Day.

PHOTO BY CYNTHIA MATTHEWS



From left, Jason Dusseault, Madison Buzzell, Rylee Sawyer at Kyle's Sugar Shack in West Baldwin. COURTESY PHOTO



Stella and Silas Perkins. COURTESY PHOTO



Hannah Whitmore at Harris Farm. COURTESY PHOTO



Connor, Mark and Devyn in the back seat after visiting Maple Hill Farm in Newfield. COURTESY PHOTO



Lily and Austin at Hilltop boilers in Newfield. COURTESY PHOTO



Elijah at Michaud Family Farm in Lyman. COURTESY PHOTO



Newfield Fire Station pancake breakfast with Savannah, Sarah, Luke, Jacob and Erik all from Waterboro. COURTESY PHOTO



Warren at Triple C Farm & Boilers in Lyman. COURTESY PHOTO

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RSU #57

Notice to General Contractors REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

Regional School Unit No. 57 ("RSU No. 57") is requesting proposals from General Contractors ("Contractors") interested in providing services for the Massabesic Middle School Masonry Repairs project located in Waterboro, Maine ("Project").

The Project consists of repair of the brick masonry with TorqueFix and helical ties.

RSU No. 57's intent is to award the contract on or about **May 13, 2019** with mobilization on **June 1, 2019** and substantial completion on or before **August 23, 2019**.

RSU No. 57 will hold a mandatory site visit on **April 11, 2019 at 12:00 p.m. at Massabesic Middle School** located at 134 Old Alfred Road in Waterboro, Maine at which time general issues associated with the Project and the RFP process will be discussed. RSU No. 57 will provide reasonable access to the Project site during the proposal preparation period to verify and evaluate existing conditions. Should a proposer anticipate needing additional Project site access, it shall provide RSU No. 57's point of contact, Colin Walsh 207-247-3221 ext. 2204, with no less than three day notice and RSU No. 57 will endeavor to provide such access.

The detailed Request for Proposals may be accessed and downloaded at <https://www.rsu57.org>. Proposals must be

received no later than **12:00 p.m.** at the office of the Superintendent of Schools on **May 9, 2019**, at which time they will be read aloud. Proposals received after this time will not be accepted.

As bid security, proposals must be accompanied by a certified or cashier's check for 5% of the proposal or a satisfactory bid bond (Section 2-C1) in a similar amount.

The selected Contractor will be required to furnish a 100% contract performance bond and a 100% contract payment bond to cover the execution of the work which shall be in conformity with the form of bonds contained in Section 2-C of the specifications and for the contract amount.

RSU No. 57 reserves the right at its sole discretion to waive any informality or irregularity in any bid, to reject any and all bids, to award a bid wholly or in part, to call for re-bid, and to negotiate with any Submitter, if it is deemed to be in the best interest of RSU No. 57 to do so.

All completed proposals, submittals, and accessory documents should be mailed or delivered to:

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Obituaries

Barbara Ann Carroll

Barbara Ann Carroll, 84, of Limerick died on March 8, 2019, at Maine Medical Center in Portland after a long illness. She was born in Gray on Sept. 5, 1934, a daughter of William and Maude (Smith) Hamilton. She was educated in local schools and a 1952 graduate of Limerick High School.



Barbara Ann Carroll

As a teenager Barbara boarded at the home of Russell and Mert Hubbard. She enjoyed playing basketball in high school, and one of her first jobs was working as a telephone operator in Limerick even before graduating.

Barbara married Francis R. Carroll on Oct. 22, 1955. She worked as a teller at the local bank in Limerick for several years. She spent the next 30 years as a full time Mom as well as being secretary/treasurer of the family business, F.R. Carroll Inc. She also established the Limerick Mobile Home Park and ran that as well.

Barbara was very involved in her community. She was a founding member of the Tibbetts Memorial Park Committee, member of the Limerick Historical Society and member of York County Extension for many years. She was a Pew Holder of the Baptist Society Church in Limerick, and a Communicant at St. Matthew's Catholic Church in Limerick for many years.

She was active and enjoyed the outdoors, especially swimming and feeding her birds. She was a wonderful cook as well and was known for her desserts and dill pickles.

Her family, faith, friends and the town of Limerick were all so important to Barbara. She will be sadly missed by all who knew and loved her.

Besides her parents she is also predeceased by her beloved husband, Francis R. Carroll Sr., her sister, Phyllis Gilpatrick, and two brothers, Lloyd and Donald Hamilton. Surviving are her six children, Deborah Ann Furlong and husband Patrick of California, Donna C. Welch and husband Albert III of Mass., Francis R. Carroll II and wife Katherine of Limerick, Denise L. Benton and husband Timothy of Limerick, Michael P. Carroll and wife Maureen of Limerick, and Kathleen S. Colby and husband Steven of Limerick; 16 grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren; two sisters-in-law, Dolores Carroll of Limerick and Martha Hamilton Smith of Limerick, a brother-in-law, Ronald Carroll of Brunswick. Also many nieces, nephews, great and great-great nieces and nephews.

A funeral Mass was held at St Matthew's Catholic Church, Limerick, on March 13. Burial will be in the spring. Arrangements by Poitras, Neal & York Funeral Home, Cornish. Online condolences may be sent to: www.maineFuneral.com.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Baptist Society Church in Limerick for their renovation fund to: Baptist Society Church, P.O. Box 359, Limerick, ME 04048.

Janet D. Knight

Janet D. Knight 51, of Newfield, passed away peacefully with her loving husband Wayne and sister Paula by her side on March 18, 2019.



Janet D. Knight

Janet was born on October 22, 1967 in Kittery, the daughter of Clarence and Ernestine (Reeves) Fenderson and was a graduate of Wells High School, while attending Wells High School, she enjoyed being part of their softball team.

Janet met her love, Wayne, while caring for his mother and they were married in 1992. As the years together passed, their devotion for each other only grew. Wayne's love and dedication to his wife became more apparent as Janet's health declined over the past several years.

Janet loved living in Newfield; the tranquil lifestyle allowed her and Wayne to enjoy spending time outdoors together. Janet also enjoyed a good fishing hole and casting her rod, taking long drives, doing cross stitch and playing various games.

A diehard NASCAR fan, Janet was able to watch her "Candyman" Kyle Busch's race, which became his 200th NASCAR victory.

Janet was loved by all that had the opportunity to spend time with her, especially her closest friend and first cousin "Dottie," she will be fondly remembered as kind, light hearted and hard working.

Janet enjoyed working and had a passion for Medical billing. She also worked at the Maine Turnpike and was the most "fabulous" breakfast cook at Congdon's Donuts in Wells.

Janet is lovingly survived by her husband Wayne, her four babies Jake and LeRoy (Bug) Brown, her brothers Jeffrey Fenderson and Joseph Fenderson of Limerick; as well as her sister Paula Fenderson-Carl and her husband Michael of New York.

Janet's family will be having a celebration of her life on May 4, from 12 to 4 p.m. at The Trailblazers, 102 Bills Lane in Wells.

To leave a message of condolence for the family, visit www.autumngreenfuneralhome.com.

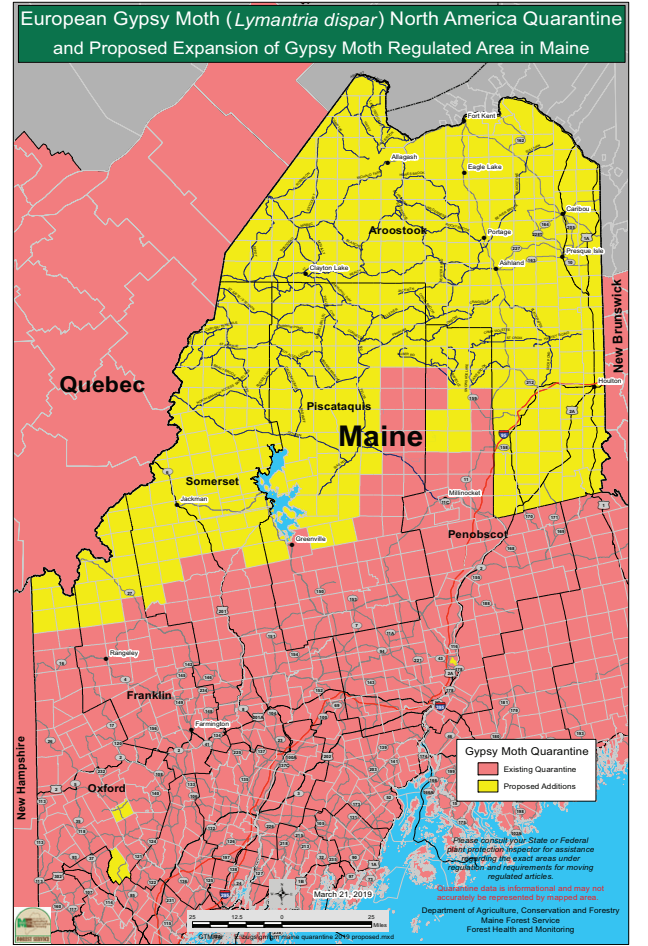
MAINE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, CONSERVATION AND FORESTRY NEWS

State quarantine proposed for Gypsy Moth

The Maine Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry is proposing a full state quarantine for Gypsy Moth. This proposed rule amends a state quarantine against the gypsy moth to prevent its movement from all parts of the State. This quarantine is necessary to protect other state's forest and landscape tree resources. The Gypsy moth is also a federally regulated pest and USDA-APHIS-PPQ will mimic the full state quarantine.

For a copy of the proposed quarantine, visit: www.maine.gov/dacf/mfs/forest_health/downloads/gypsy_moth_quarantine/001c271_03-11-2019.doc.

Written comments will be accepted until 11:59 p.m. on April 26. Send comments to: Gary Fish, State Horticulturist, Maine Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry, 28 State House Station, Augusta, ME 04333-0028. Email: gary.fish@maine.gov or call 287-7545.



Harness racing season to open

Maine's own harness race horses will be on full display at the 2019 Maine State Harness Racing's opening day held at Scarborough Downs on Saturday, March 30 with a 12:30 p.m. post time.

Some Maine horses and teams started their season on out-of-state tracks, such as Pompano Park in Florida, Saratoga and Yonkers in New York, and Meadowlands in New Jersey. But, the vast majority of Maine harness race horses,

horsemen and horsewomen, as well as fans who have all been cooped-up all winter, are looking forward to March 30 to start an exciting new season.

The 2019 racing season will feature full radio and online streaming coverage of racing at eight of Maine's agricultural fairs. Many other special events, prizes, giveaways, invitational races and special racing series are being planned, including: Kentucky Derby and Belmont Stakes Celebrations at Scarborough Downs, The Paul Bunyan Classic at Bangor Raceway, and special Invita-

tionals at the fairs.

Whether you're a life-long harness racing fan or joining for the first time, you won't want to miss watching these four-legged athletes as they race to the finish line!

The Maine State Harness Racing Commission strives to preserve the integrity of the industry, promote sportsmanship and enhance the economic viability of the sport. Harness racing contributes over \$57.5 million in economic benefits to the rural economy, supports over 1,000 jobs, and helps preserve over 7,000 acres of open space.

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Health education programs offered for April

Southern Maine Health Care is offering the following programs during the month of April. This listing is also available at www.smhc.org under Healthy Communities.

CLASSES/EVENTS Total Joint Replacement Education Class

Designed for those considering total joint replacement. Participants will learn what to expect before, during and after their procedure and stay in the hospital. Open to anyone interested.

First Thursday (April 4), 1 to 2:30 p.m. and third Thursday (April 18), 3 to 4:30 p.m. at SMHC Medical Center, 1 Medical Center Drive, Biddeford, 1st floor, Classroom 1. Free. To pre-register (not required), call 283-1126.

Weight Loss Surgery Information Session

Is weight loss surgery the right decision for you? Have you tried the other weight loss methods and nothing seems to work? If you're considering weight loss surgery, then

this introductory class is for you. Information will be presented about nutrition, resources, and other topics to help with the lifestyle and emotional adjustments you face.

Second Wednesday of each month (April 10), 5 to 6 p.m. at SMHC Medical Center, 1 Medical Center Drive, Biddeford. Free. Registration is required, call 284-2630.

Third Thursday of each month, (April 18), 1 to 2 p.m. at SMHC Sanford Medical Center, 25 June Street, Sanford. Free. Registration is required, call 284-2630.

Smoking Cessation Sessions

Southern Maine Health Care offers a smoking cessation program involving one-on-one sessions designed to offer the tobacco user all the information and tools required to become tobacco free. The Certified Tobacco Treatment Specialist will offer insights into smoking habits, stress and the relationship it has to smoking, as well as nicotine replacement options available. Ongoing support is also valuable in guiding the tobacco user to become tobacco free.

Individualized Sessions at SMHC Pulmonology, 9 Healthcare Drive, Biddeford. Free. Call 283-6408 to schedule an appointment.

SUPPORT GROUPS Alzheimer's Support Group

Open to anyone that has a loved one diagnosed with Alzheimer's or any form of dementia. The group helps participants understand the process of the disease and allows for sharing and questions.

Third Wednesday of each month (April 17) 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. at Pavilion Conference Room, 35 July Street, Sanford. Free. For More information, call 490-7600 and ask for Kathy Wadden or Jeri Bogan.

Breast Cancer Survivors Support Group

Second Thursday of each month (April 11) and the fourth Thursday (April 25), 5:30 to 7 p.m. at SMHC Medical Center, 1 Medical Center Drive, Biddeford, Webber Building, 2nd floor Conference Room. Free. For more information, contact Helene Langley at 283-7805.

Breastfeeding Support Group with Janice Lessard

Empowering you through mother to mother support. This free support group is a great opportunity to meet other new breastfeeding mothers in your community, share experiences, and receive postpartum and newborn care information and support. A lactation consultant is on hand to answer your questions, provide guidance, and perform infant weight checks.

This group is held every Thursday from 10 to 11:30 a.m. in the Webber Building Conference Room on the second floor. FREE, no registration required. Call 283-7335 with any questions.

Cancer Survivor Support Group - Saco

We welcome those affected by cancer and their family/friends. Support, information, and networking will be provided by skilled facilitators.

Third Monday of each month (April 15), 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. at SMHC Walk-In Care, 655 Main Street (entrance on Ross Road), Saco - 2nd floor Conference Room. Free. Registration required. Call 283-7327.

First and third Friday of each month (April 5, 19): 3:30 to 5 p.m. at MaineHealth Cancer Care Center York County, 27 Industrial Avenue, Sanford. For more information contact facilitator Jess Welch, LMSWcc at 459-1666 or jmwelch@smhc.org.

Parkinson's Disease Support Group

A place to share information and support for people with Parkinson's disease, their families, caregivers and those in related health fields.

Second Thursday of each month (April 11), 2 to 4 p.m. at Huntington Common, Ross Road, Kennebunk. Free. For more information, call Christine George 767-9773.

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