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# Join Us! Maine Maple Weekend SATURDAY & SUNDAY, MARCH 22 & 23



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### FOR EXAMPLE:

Mrs. Peppers buys a \$90 farm share in the Spring, and the farmer credits her account \$100. Mrs. Peppers can then shop at the farm stand all season long, any day of the week, for whatever she wants and the farmer records it on her account.

She can recharge her account at any time, and at the end of the season any unused value will be put towards our Prescriptions for Produce Program to help feed Mr. Sweet Pea and his family next door.

### **Maine Senior Farm Shares**

Farm Share Sign-Up Form

Thank you so much for supporting Pine Root through our farm share program! This season we will be accepting members through June 30th, and once you've joined you can recharge your account or purchase a gift share at any time.

### Please fill out this form...

If this is a gift, please also include the recipient's information.

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Address:

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email:

Share Amount (check one):

□\$90, □\$180, □\$270 □\$360 Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

# What's Going On

NOTICE: What's Going On is a free column for non-profit organizations ONLY. Please keep all upcoming events or notices to 30 words or less. Coming events are printed on a space available basis & for up to 3 weeks at a time.

BALDWIN: Mainely Woods Rug Hookers meet 9-1, first & third Monday each month at the Brown Memorial Library. New members welcome. FMI, call 625-3177.

E. BALDWIN: Brown Memorial Library Exhibit: Handmade and Functional. Before going to the store to buy everything, items were made by hand at home to fill the need. Stop in and check out the collection of interesting pieces. Hours: M 9-1, W 2-5, F 1-5, S 9-1. Story time with puppets and crafts Monday @ 10 AM Free WI/FI 24/7 Community room available for events. FMI: 787-3155

E. BALDWIN The Food Pantry at First Congregational Church of East Baldwin is open to anyone in need on Tuesday mornings 9:30-1030AM. FMI Tammy @ 625-7083.

W. BALDWIN United Methodist Church - Puckerbrush Band is back during Lent. Join us on Sunday, March 23 at 4pm Donations at the door will benefit the Heating Assistance Program through the Outeach Committee.

BROWNFIELD Artist Group meets the 1st and 3rd Monday, from 1:00 - 3:00pm every month at the old school. Contact Cathy: and if to day@gmail.com

BROWNFIELD Community Coffee Hour every Thursday, 9:30-11 am at Brownfield Recreation Center on Main Street. Cards, cribbage, and conversation. Free. All welcome. Sponsor: Friends of Brownfield Rec.

BROWNFIELD Public Library: Open Tues. 2 - 6, Weds. 10 -2, Thurs. 1 - 5, Sat. 10 - 2. Ukulele practice Tuesdays at 5. Homeschool Group Wednesdays at 11. Seed Library. Ongoing used book sale. 935-3003 info@brownfieldpubliclibrary.org. BUXTON: Try our delicious Haddock Supper Buffet - Saturday, March 29, 2025 - 5:00 pm at Living Waters Church, Parker Farm Road, Buxton. Suggested donation: \$10 Adult, \$5 Child, \$20 Family.

CORNISH: The Duck Derby is coming soon - Saturday, April 26. Family event with great prizes - Cornish Historical Soc. fundraiser. Get your duckie tickets soon, Watch for details! FMI: 625-3095

**CORNISH:** Need help understanding your Medicare plan. Get personalized guidance at Pike Hall the 3rd Wednesday of every month. Contact 207-396-6524 to set up appointment. CORNISH Bonney Memorial Library; A conversation with Maine guest speaker, Bob Crowley Sat. 3/22 at 10am. Check

out website and Facebook for details. Free. Refreshments. EFFINGHAM: Every Wednesday afternoon from 1:00 - 2:00 pm. Love to knit or crochet or sew? Bring your favorite yarn or sewing project and enjoy company while you work. Effingham Public Library 30 Town House Road, FMI call 603-539-1537 or website at https://effingham.lib.nh.us/.

GORHAM: The Mission of Hope Clothes Closet located at the Cressey Road United Methodist Church, 81 Cressey Road & Route 25. FREE clothes of all kinds and sizes to those in need. Feel free to drop by. Open 9 to 12 noon on 1st & 3rd Saturday of the month. Emergency? call 839-3111.

GORHAM: Storytime at the North Gorham Public Library! Wed. at 10am. 2 Standish Neck Rd. Hrs: Mon 3-5:30pm, Wed 10-11:30am, 6-8pm, Thurs 3-5:30pm, Sat 9:30am-1pm. FMI: http://www.north-gorham.lib.me.us/

HIRAM: Soldiers Memorial Library hours Tues 9:30-12:30, Wed & Thurs 10:30-5, Sat 9:30-12:30. Story Hour Tues at 10, Knotty Knitters Thurs at 12:30. 625-4650.

KEZAR FALLS: Public is invited to a program about the Public Lands of the Francis Small Heritage Trust Wednesday, March 26, 7 p.m. Riverside Methodist Church. Sponsored by the 21 Club.

KEZAR FALLS: 21 Club meeting at RUMC, March 26 at 7pm, program: Francis Small Heritage Trust. Open to Public KEZAR FALLS: American Legion West-Day Post 123 & Auxiliary meets the first Wednesday of each month. Supper at 6pm & meeting at 7pm. FMI, call 207-432-1919.

KEZAR FALLS Circ. Library, 2 Wadleigh St, Parsonsfield. 625-2424. Tue:2:30-7, Wed:10-4, Thu:2:30-5, Sat:10-12. No more fines! Laptops & printing available. Bring your cahild to Storytime on Wednesdays at 11am. View upcoming programs and online catalog: www.kezarfallslibrary.org.

LIMERICK: St. Matthew Church will host a traditional St. Patrick's Day Dinner & Silent Auction on March 22 from 4-6pm in the parish hall (19 Dora Lane). Price: \$15 Adult; \$7 child: Free for kids 5 and under. Family \$35. LIMERICK: Public Library Hours: Mon. 1-5, Tues. 9-6, Wed. 9-12 & 3-8, Fri. 1-5, Sat. 9-1.



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if you have any questions. We will contact you to confirm receipt. LIMERICK: Chili & Chowder Supper, salad drinks dessert on Saturday, March 29 (snow date March 30) 5pm-7pm. Freedom Lodge, 11 Main Street. No fee donations accepted. LIMERICK: American Legion Post 55 meetings on first Tuesday of the month. Dinner at 6pm, followed by biz meeting. LIMINGTON: Davis Memorial Library open Mon 2-8; Tues 10-6; Thurs 10-6; Fri 2-6; Sat 10-1. Check out our monthly local collection in our display cabinet. Preschool story hour is Thurs@10:30am. Offering a home delivery service for Limington residents. FMI, call: 637-2422, or email:

library@limingtonmaine.gov;web: davismemoriallibrary.com. MOULTONBOROUGH, NH: White Mountain Rug Braiders Guild meets from 10-2 on the 4th Saturday of each month in Moultonborough Library in NH. Visit FB page to join. NEWFIELD Music Jamboree. 1st Saturday monthly. Town Hall. So. Effingham Rd., 1:00pm, Nov- April. FMI: 468.1491 NEWFIELD Library Hrs: Tues., Wed., & Thurs. 1:00-4:00pm, 207-809-7014. Newfield Library Book Club, 2nd Wednesday monthly 1:00-3:00pm. Light Refreshments.

**PORTER:** Bereavement Support Group - A safe and caring environment for anyone who has experienced a loss. Next meeting: Thursday, March 20 @ 2 pm at the Riverside Methodist Church, School Street. For more information call: Sylvia Pease 625-8712 or Nancy Stanley 625-8269.

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**Greene Maple Farm** 

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# MAINE MAPLE SUNDAY WEEKEND

Try a free A at 77 Bridgton Road, Sebago from 8am to 4pm ample of our Staturday & Sunday, March 22 & 23 syrup on ice

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Maple Treats available for purchase include:

candy, cream, sugar, rubs, nuts, whoopie pies & more! New This Year! MAPLE COTTON CANDY!

Phillip View Farm will have their store set up at Greene Maple Farm for the weekend selling: GRASS FED HIGHLAND BEEF:

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The Original Maine Maple Sunday PANCAKE BREAKFAST Sunday, March 23 • 7am til Noon at the Sebago Town Hall on Route 107 BENEFIT: Sebago Community Fire Company Maple Syrup donated by Greene Maple Farm FMI, CALL: 207-671-6209

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### <u>WHEN</u>: Saturday, March 22, 9AM (SVHC parking lot) <u>WHERE</u>: Madison Cascades (Madison, NH)

Madison Cascades is the final hike of our winter season and, again, represents a first for Healthy Sacopee. Our outing will be followed by lunch at the Barley and Salt Tap House in North Conway. (Very positive reviews from our last visit. <u>Please RSVP</u> <u>if planning lunch</u>.)

The trail, 1.2 miles out and back total, meanders slowly uphill through forested terrain, culminating in a lovely grove of mature pines at the head of the cascades. A short adventure to be sure, but enough to whet an appetite.

We'll meet at 9am at the Sacopee Valley Health Center parking lot. Bring water and appropriate footwear (snack optional).

Questions? Call/text Peter Zack @ 515-0226

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Hiram, ME 04041



### OBITUARY Scott Allan Thompson

PARSONSFIELD - Scott "Scooze" Allan Thompson,

age 56, passed away on March 3, 2025 unexpectedly at his home. He was born in Portland, Maine on March 12, 1969, the son of Daniel and Alice (Harmon) Thompson.

For over 20 years, Scott worked for Limerick Steeple Jacks. He climbed, sand blasted, and painted hundreds of water tanks and churches all over New England.



He enjoyed tinkering in his garage on various snowmobiles, 3-wheelers or anything with a motor that he could ride around with his children. Scott could rebuild any motor set in front of him.

He is predeceased by his mother, Alice (Harmon) Thompson.

Scott is survived by his father, Daniel Thompson of Parsonsfield; his children, Scott Thompson Jr. of Limerick, Kayla Thompson of Limerick, Dyllan Thompson and significant other, Annie Lajoie of Parsonsfield, Brandon Thompson and fiancé, Autumn Carr of Limington, Brittani Thompson and significant other, Thomas Spinney of Parsonsfield; sisters, Angela (Thompson) Wilmont and husband, Jeremy Wilmont, Amy (Thompson) Bourne and husband, Wesly Bourne; granddaughters, Genasis Spinney and Tilli Thompson; along with many cousins, nieces and nephews.

A celebration of life will be held at a later date to be determined.

"In the end, it's not the years in your life that count. It's the life in your years." - A. Lincoln.

In leu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to: Liberty Bay Recovery Center

343 Forest Ave.

Portland, ME 04101

in Scott's honor.



### ONLINE Meetings of AA. http://aa-intergroup.org/directory.php

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**BALDWIN** - Select Board meets every Tuesday @ 6:00pm. Planning Board meets 2nd & 4th Thurs every month, 7pm at Town Office. General Assistance & Code Enforcement office hours are by appointment only. Municipal staff meetings held the first Wednesday of each month. For more info. visit the website www.baldwinmaine.org for schedule, contact info, hours & meeting minutes, or call the Town Office at 625-3581 or Select Board Office at 625-9107.

**CORNISH** - Planning Board Monthly Business Mtg. 1st Mon. ea. mo. 5:30pm @ Pike Hall. Workshop 3rd Mon. ea. mo. 5:30pm. Agenda items must be submitted 10 business days prior to business meeting @ planningboard@cornishme.com. Selectmen's Mtgs - every other Weds. 5pm @ Pike Hall; Workshops will take place as needed. Code Enforcement Officer/Plumbing Inspector Dan Vaillancourt, hours by appointment, 653-4608. Animal Control Officer - Kristin Russell-Perkins (207)807-9071. Fairgrounds Mtg. 1st Thurs. 6:30pm @ Pike Hall, Pike Hall Committee now meets quarterly, next meeting: TBA, 9am. Website: www.cornishme.com.

**LIMERICK PLANNING BOARD** - Meeting Schedule: The Planning Board regular monthly meeting will be held the first and third Wed. of each month & may sometimes include a workshop after the regular meeting. Meetings will take place at the Municipal Building, 55 Washington St. and be broadcast live on Channel 5 and replayed as scheduled for Limerick. All meetings

### OBITUARY Bradley Tyne Murch

WEST BALDWIN - Bradley Tyne Murch, age 30, passed away unexpectedly at his home

on March 8, 2025. He was born February 23, 1995, in Portland, Maine to parents Troy and Sarah (Sanborn) Murch.

He graduated from Sacopee Valley schools and was proud to be in the JROTC program for 4 years.

After completing high school, Bradley enjoyed spending his

time with his family and doing many things outdoors. His favorite activities were fishing, swimming, hiking, hunting, and video-gaming. Outside of his love for nature, he was mainly a homebody who aspired to travel.

Recently, Bradley became a father of Riley May Murch, his 1.5 years old daughter, and was a very incredible dad. He especially loved to sing and dance with her. Bradley had a second family at Call's Shop' N' Save in Cornish, where he worked as a meat cutter. He will be remembered as a father, a fiance, a son, a goofball, and a hard-worker.

Bradley and his fiance, Michelle, were working on building their home in East Baldwin.

Bradley is survived by his fiance of 13 years, Michelle Moulton; his daughter, Riley May Murch; his parents, Troy and Sarah Murch of West Baldwin; and his brother, Tucker Murch and his partner, Christopher Clancy of Rockland; his paternal grandparents, Jean and Frank Murch of East Baldwin; his maternal grandmother, Ruth Hall; and Michelle's parents, Jody and Irene Moulton of Wytopitlock.

The family will be doing services for Bradley privately. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to:

Riley May Murch at

Bangor Savings Bank in Cornish, Maine 180 Maple St.

Cornish, ME 04020

Online condolence messages can be made at www.mainefuneral.com A memorial monument for him will later be placed at the Old West Baldwin Cemetery. Arrangements have been entrusted to Poitras, Neal & York Funeral Home, Cornish.



Due to the inconvenience and cost of mailing bills, Classified Ads, including For Sales, Notices, Wanted and Thank-yous must be paid for before insertion. Please send ads in with fee: 30 words for \$3.00 cash (\$4.00 credit/debit), 10¢ each additional word, so that we receive them by Monday AM of the week you want them published.

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### OBITUARIES

### OBITUARY James A. Stevens

BUXTON - James A. Stevens, age 51, passed away at

home with family by his side on March 9, 2025, after a valiant battle with cancer. James was born in Portland, Maine on June 5, 1973, son of Ruth (Pierce) Snyder and the late Daryl Stevens. He was the oldest of his siblings and grew up in East Waterboro with his mom and stepfather Steve Snyder. He attended Massabesic High School, Class of '91.



In his late teens he learned the flooring trade and continued in the flooring business even through the beginning stages of his cancer journey. He was talented in this line of work, and always proud of every job he completed.

Throughout his life his hobbies included playing the drums, listening to heavy metal and hard rock, skateboarding, juggling, target practice, and watching old Westerns. He loved his time with family at his Grampa Steven's hunting camp, where he learned to hunt, fish, and play cribbage with his dad and grandfather. He liked spending time at Beech Ridge watching his stepdad race and going Downeast every summer to rake blueberries. He loved mind puzzles, reading, word of the day, and tinkering on machines.

With his sons he enjoyed fishing, going to the races, playing the racing game Gran Turismo, listening to music together, and teaching them music history. They also shared many late-night phone conversations over the years, talking about anything and everything.

Collecting RC cars was a new-found hobby after his cancer diagnosis. He loved working on his cars, of which he had quite the collection. He was often tinkering, trying to find ways to make them better and faster. He and his stepdad, Steve built an RC car track to test them on. They kept it maintained with the help of his nephews, and they would all race cars together. In addition to his family, James cherished many years of friendship with his beloved friend, Sue Woodbury. He always looked forward to their routine Sunday get togethers where they shared various adventures right up to his last days.

James was predeceased by his father, Daryl. He is survived by his mother, Ruth (Pierce) Snyder and stepfather, Steve Snyder of Buxton; and stepmother, Linda (Ingalls) Stevens of Windham; sons, Sean Austin and James Stevens of Winthrop; siblings, Kelly Latini of Windham, Chad Stevens of Buxton, Renee DeLapp and husband, Jason of East Baldwin, Stephani Martin and husband, Brett of Hillsborough, NH, Kris Berg and wife, Alicia of Porter, Becki Webster and husband, Jason of Limington, Aaron Berg and partner, Kristen of Vassalboro, and Missi Charles and husband, Ryan of Steep Falls; as well as several aunts, uncles, nephews, nieces, and cousins.

A funeral service will be held on March 22, 2025, at 2:00pm at the Chad E. Poitras Cremation and Funeral Service Chapel, 498 Long Plains Road, Buxton. Visiting hours will be prior from 1:00-2:00 pm. A reception will follow in the Fellowship Hall at Grace Bible Church, 74 Deering Road, Gorham, Maine. Online condolence messages can be submitted at

mainefuneral.com

In lieu of flowers a donation may be made to: Northern Light Mercy Cancer Care and Infusion

195 Fore River Parkway #360

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Please direct donations toward the patient assistance fund.

A special thank you to all the staff at NLMCCI for their exceptional care and loving support throughout his journey.

and workshops are open to the public. FMI: 207-793-2166 Option 22 and leave a voice message. Aaron Carroll-Chairman.

**PARSONSFIELD PLANNING BOARD** Regular Monthly meetings are on the third Wednesday at 6:00 pm. (If postponed, will be moved to the first Wednesday the following month.) Applications must be submitted at least 15 days in advance to the Code Enforcement Officer. Workshops will be scheduled for the first Wednesday of the month. To see if a workshop meeting is scheduled, check the website Parsonsfield.org. FMI/Questions contact planning@parsonsfield.org or call 207-625-4558.

**PARSONSFIELD** - www.parsonsfield.org. 625-4558. (townclerk@parsonsfield.org)-Town Clerk's office Open Mon-Thurs. 8am-4pm (Mon. open to 6pm). (Selectmen@parsonsfield.org) Selectmen's mtgs: Every Mon. @ 6pm; Optional Selectmen's/Assessors' Workshop 2:30pm 5pm also Thursdays 2:30pm to 4pm. Code Enforcement Officer/ Plumbing Inspector-Jesse Winters: jwinters@parsonsfield.org, Mon-Tues 8- 4 & Thurs 4- 6pm (call first) (207)-604-4804 or by appt. Animal Control Officer -David Lawnsby (207)-590-0818. Maine State Police-Emergency: call 911. Non-emergency, call 207-624-7076 ext.9. Be prepared to give your name & birthdate.

**PORTER PLANNING BOARD-** Regular monthly meetings on 3rd Wednesday each month (4th if the 3rd is a holiday), 7pm @ Porter Town Hall. Applications due by the third Tuesday of the month Appeals Board meetings posted on town website. Call Code Enforcement Officer at 256-4522 or ceo@portermaine.org for more information.

**STANDISH PLANNING BOARD** - Holds a monthly mtg the first Monday of each month (second Monday if a holiday) in Council Chambers beginning at 6pm. FMI 642-3466or jdyer@standish.org.

**STANDISH TOWN COUNCIL** - Regular monthly mtg 2nd Tuesday; Council Workshop 4th Tuesday, mtgs are held at the Municipal Center beginning at 6pm. FMI call Mary Chapman 642-4678 or emailmchapman@standish.org. leave message.

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**HELP WANTED:** Think Spring! Are you already thinking about Spring! We are! Down to Earth Flower Gardening is looking for someone who is hard-working, self-motivated and reliable. Willing to train the right candidate to do land-scaping and perennial flower gardening. Full/part time. Call 603-387-1515.

OBITUARIES

### OBITUARY William Fred Davis

William Fred "Moose" Davis passed away unexpect-

edly at the age of 77, holding the hand of his wife of 60 years, Sharon "Ducky" Davis, on March 5, 2025.

Moose proudly served in the 5th Marines, during the Tet Offensive, while stationed at An Hoa Combat Base during the Vietnam Conflict. After returning home, Moose served with the 1st Marines as a Military Police



Officer at the U.S. Naval Air Station in Brunswick, Maine. During that time, he was certified as an Aircraft Crash Fire and Rescue Man, Fire Marshal, received the National Defense Service Medal, Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal 1960, Combat Action Ribbon, Republic of Vietnam Service Medal with Four Stars, two Good Conduct Medals, Rifle Marksmanship Badge and Pistol Marksmanship Badge. On February 2, 1972, he exited service as a Lance Corporal.

After serving, Moose took his young family to Lamoine, Maine, where they built their log cabin forever home from the trees off the property. He spent his life meticulously improving and finishing the beautiful cabin. He loved being a Marine and was very proud of his service.

He enjoyed hunting, riding his Harley-Davidson "Baby-Doll", shooting guns, pressing ammo, and teaching life lessons. Throughout his life, Moose adopted several "strays", children and animals alike. He enjoyed the satisfaction of carpentry and fixing anything with his hands. Often working on his house, in the barn, or on his "little car". Shooting was a passion, and he taught several of his "kids" marksmanship and how to handle a weapon correctly. He was looked up to and respected by many. He loved his family fiercely.

Moose was predeceased by his parents, Walter C. Davis Jr. and Maxine Mae Finely; grandparents, Vera and George Simmons; his "Wild Cat" sisters, Debbie Innes and Gail Fowler; and his chosen son, Mark Sanchez.

He is survived by his wife, Sharon "Ducky" Davis; daughter, Rebecca Crabtree; son, Paul Davis; sisters, Bethany Brown and Phyllis Davis; grandchildren, William Hisler, Matthew Crabtree, and Merna Mae Davis; several great grandchildren; and chosen brothers, John Dragon and Jerry O'Rourke.

A service will be held on his birthday, March 23, 2025, at the Franklin Vets Club, 4 Cards Crossing, Franklin, Maine 04634. Doors open at 2pm, Funeral Honors start at 3pm. His favorite sweets and coffee will be provided, and the club bar will be open. In lieu of flowers, please donate to the Saint Jude Children's Hospital in his name.

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### OBITUARY Wayne Farley

peacefully on March 6, 2025, at Bridgton Hospital after an extended illness with his family by his side. Butch was born in Rockland Maine on September 20, 1939, son of the late Thomas Farley and Charlotte (Woodward) Farley.

After graduation from Rockport High School, Butch worked as an equipment installer

for the telephone company. Following retirement, he managed Fox Island Transport for good friends, Cy and Barb Davidson who owned Carvers Harbor Market on Vinalhaven. He married Ann MacFee of Vinalhaven in 1999 enjoying a fulfilling life with their blended families and many friends in Vinalhaven, Sebago and across the Midcoast region.

He excelled in baseball, basketball, was an avid golfer and a longtime member of Rockland Golf Club. He was a little league coach, umpire, referee and was deeply honored to be inducted into the Midcoast Sports Hall of Fame in 2008. Along with his sons, family and friends he enjoyed hunting, fishing and many snowmobile trips.

Butch is predeceased by his brother, David Farley of Rockport who passed away in February 2025.

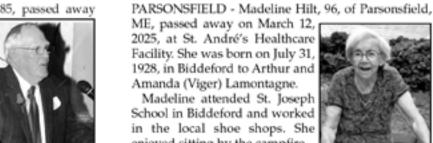
Butch is survived by his wife, Ann Farley; his sons, Scott Farley and wife, Jillian of Smyrna Mills, Barry Farley of Lily Bay; brother. Carlton and his wife. Val of Rockport; sister-in-law, Carol Farley of Rockport; stepchildren, Adam MacFee of Vinalhaven, Beth Herman of Windham and Bill MacFee of Rockland. Butch is also survived by his grandchildren, Taylor Farley, Andrew, Daniel and Isaac Herman, Miranda MacFee, Racquelle Farley Haney and Meesha Luce; as well as five great grandchildren.

A life celebration will be held on May 18, 2025, at Rockland Golf Club from 1-3pm.

Online condolence messages can be submitted at the Poitras Funeral Homes website, www.mainefuneral.com

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# SEBAGO - Wayne "Butch" Farley, 85, passed away



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Madeline Hilt

OBITUARY



Biddeford; and many nieces and nephews.

There will be no services. Burial will take place in St. Joseph Cemetery.

### A Heartfelt Thank You

to everyone that remembered Joe by showering our family with cards, flowers, food and by attending a very special Celebration of Life.

Thank you to the Kora Shriners for their part in celebrating Joe's life, to Will Rankin for relating authenthic Joe stories and his comforting words; to John and Heather for "foe Food" and to Shelby for fully capturing the true essence of her beloved grandfather.

### All Our Love, Sharon,

Todd & Tammy, Shelby, Colby, Weston & Logan; Breana & Zack, Cindy & Brent, Brady & Katie, Cassidy & Sam

# Attn: Hiram Residents

### **Change of Office Hours**

beginning Monday March 31<sup>st</sup>

### NEW HOURS

Monday - Wednesday 9 am to 3 pm Thursdays 9 am to 7 pm Closed on Fridays

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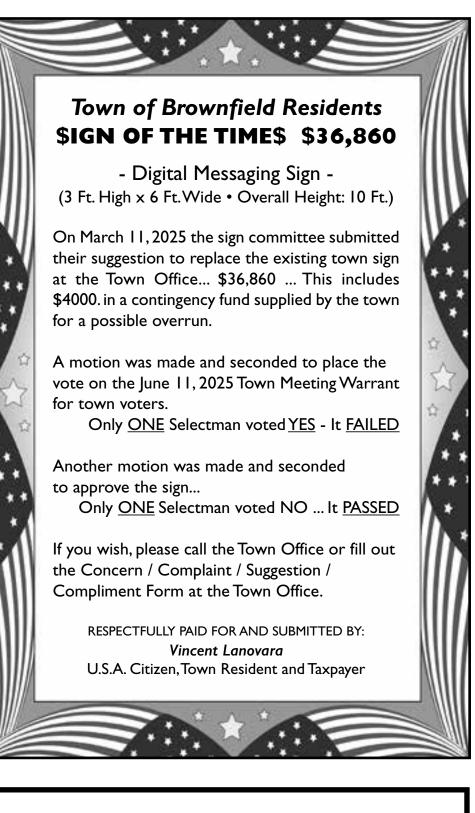


### **TOWN OF** BROWNFIELD

Board of Selectmen & Planning **Board Public Hearing: ORDINANCE AMENDMENTS: Fire Department** 

Animal Control Short Term Rentals

March 19, 2025 at 6:00pm at the **Brownfield Community Center** 



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Please submit your written bid by Friday, March 28, 2025 at 9:00 am to **Dr. Carl Landry, MSAD 55 Superintendent, 137 South Hiram Road, Hiram, ME 04041** or to: <u>clandry@sad55.org</u>.

Please list the copier you are interested in bidding on and your price.

No bids after Friday, March 28, 2025 at 9:00 am will be accepted. The highest bid for each individual copier will be accepted with a minimum bid of \$500.00 each. Copiers will need to be picked up by Friday, April 11, 2025.



**207-803-6809** Pictures and details are appreciated.

# PUBLIC NOTICE TOWN OF LIMERICK

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The Town of Limerick is seeking information on a parcel of land known as Map 39 Lot 105 assessed to an unknown owner. This is a 13 +/- acre lot, located at the corner of Central Avenue and Dog Road. This lot is also known as the Oliver Martell lot and then transferred to Consolidated Construction Co., Inc.

The current assessed value is \$100,600.

If you have any information on the rightful owner, please contact our tax acquired liaison at 207-793-4470.





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This is a friendly reminder that the second payment of your 2024/25 taxes will be due by March 31, 2025.

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### ATTENTION BALDWIN RESIDENTS

THE TOWN OF BALDWIN ASSESSING AGENT, ROB SUTHERLAND, OF CUMBERLAND COUNTY REGIONAL ASSESSING, WILL BE PRESENT FOR PUBLIC INFORMATION / ASSESSING QUESTION AND ANSWER SESSION ON **TUESDAY, MARCH 25, 2025** AT **6:00PM.** THE SESSION IS TO BE HELD AT THE **BALDWIN TOWN OFFICE** DURING THE REGULARLY SCHEDULED SELECTBOARD WORKSHOP.

### TOWN OF PARSONSFIELD

The Town of Parsonsfield is soliciting bids for mowing, edging, and cleanup for the upcoming season. The properties are the Town Office at 634 North Road, and two cemeteries: the Town House cemetery on Merrill Hill Road and the North Parsonsfield cemetery at the corner of North Road and Merrill Hill Road.

Mowing is to commence the week of May 5, 2025, and continue through the growing season. (Approximately every other week, ten to twelve times).

Bids must be received at the Town Office by 4PM, on Monday, April 28, 2025, in a sealed envelope, noting Mowing on the outside. Email submissions will not be accepted.

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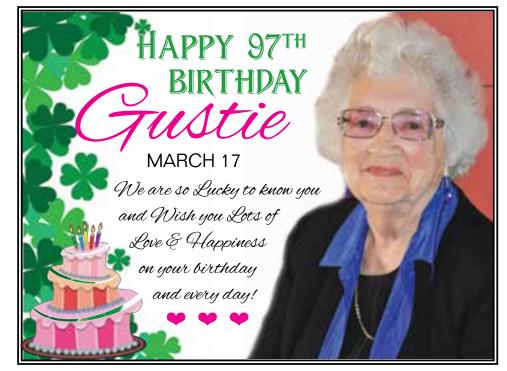
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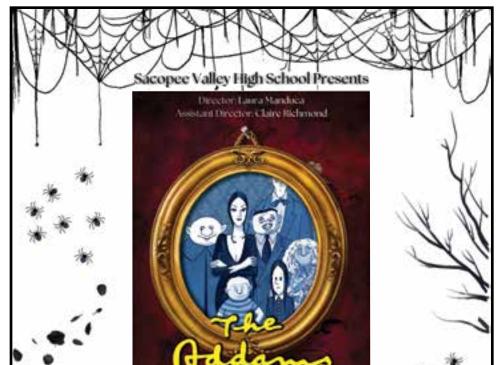
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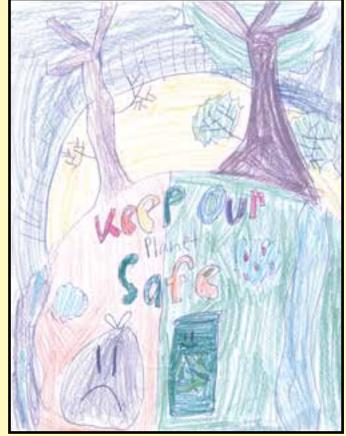
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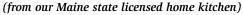
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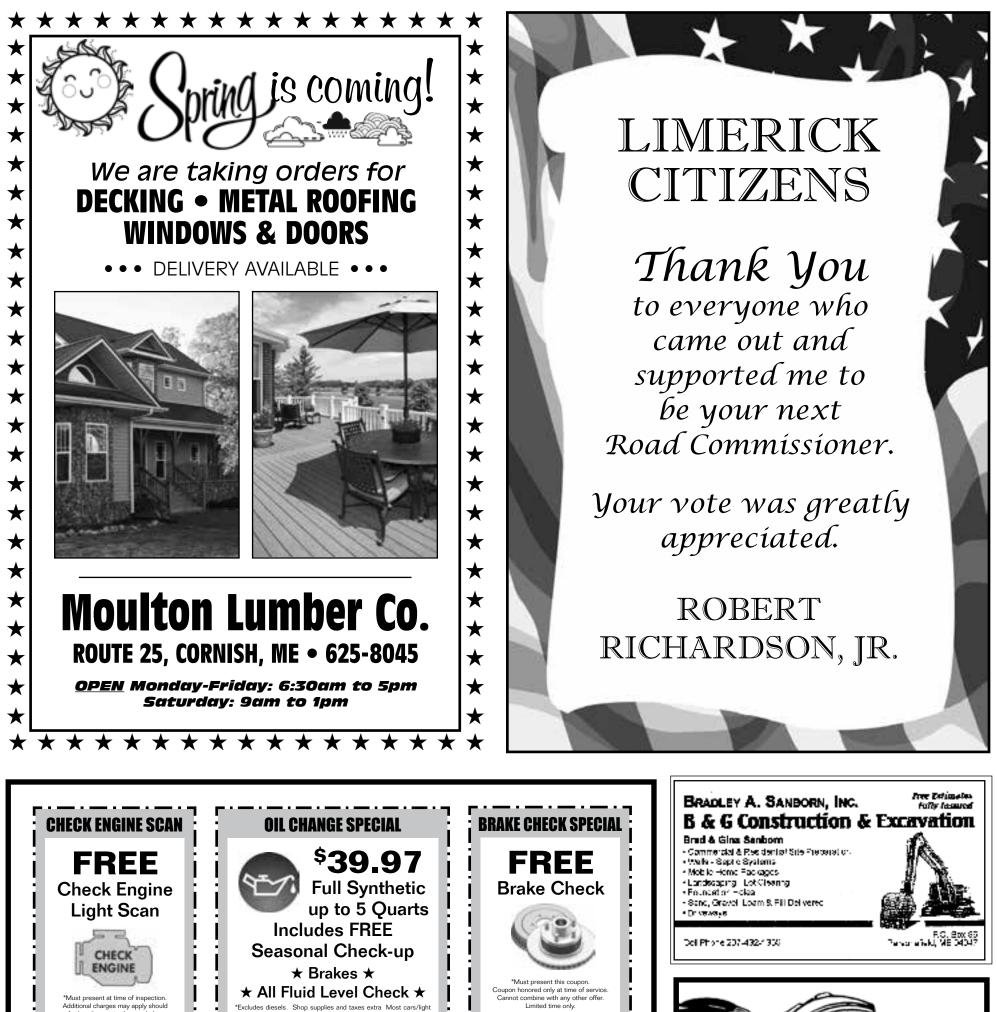
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**SACOPEE VALLEY:** Grateful Undead: Sacopee Valley residents: PUT ON YOUR WALKING SHOES! Local people getting together to make our lives more fun, invites all older people to enjoy an hour or so of easy, but interesting, walking each Wednesday at 10 am. FMI 207-408-3829 for details. **SACOPEE VALLEY:** Cancer Support Meeting located at 5 School Street, Porter (Riverside United Methodist Church), meeting fourth Friday, of the month from 1:30-3pm. FMI please contact Marianne Wyer at: souppot4@yahoo.com or 207-749-0392 FMI. This group was initiated by The Grateful Undead in collaboration with SVHC and sponsored by Cancer Resource Center of Western Maine.

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**SEBAGO:** Spaulding Memorial Library open Mon. 9-5, Wed. 9-7, Sat. 9-1; Computers, printers and Wifi available. Preschool Story Hour 2nd and 4th Wednesdays @ 1pm check FB for details.

**SEBAGO:** North Sebago United Methodist Church, 820 Sebago Road. Sunday Service: 10am-11am. Come join us! **SEBAGO:** Food Pantry is open to Sebago residents every Monday 9:30-10:45. The Clothes Closet is open every Sat, 9am-12. Clothing is free to all Maine Residents.

**STANDISH** Republican Committee meets every Wednesday at Standish Town Hall at 6pm. All Standish registered Republicans are invited to attend. FMI: standishrepublicancommittee@gmail.com

**STANDISH:** Richville Library community resource for everyone! Tuesday 10am-4pm, Adult/Senior Socials 1pm, Thursday 2-5pm, Children's Story Hour 10am, Saturday 9am-1pm. See Facebook page or <u>RichvilleLibrary.com</u>.

**STANDISH:** The Deeper Well Church welcomes visitors to our Sunday morning service at 10:00 am. Sunday School for children during Sunday morning Service. Questions, please call the church office at: 642-1016 and leave message. **STANDISH:** Wildridge Garden Club, Standish Town Hall, Rt. 35 at 1pm, April 1: Geology of Sebago Lake. Public welcome.

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However, a living donor kidney transplant would offer me much more freedom and the ability to live a longer, healthier, and more meaningful life. A transplant would also give me more time to do the things I love most, such as spending time with my family and friends, my partner Nick, my pets, helping others, and being outdoors.

Finding a kidney is not easy. People who are on a wait list for a kidney from a deceased donor often have to wait 5-10 years and the kidney on average lasts 10-15 years, but the average wait list for a living kidney donor is much shorter, and the kidney typically lasts 20-30 years. It also has much better function.

In order to donate, living kidney donors get a careful and thorough evaluation with their own team of health professionals to see if you could be a match for me and to ensure that living donation is as safe as possible for you.

I would like to share with you some basic information about kidney donation.

- 1) You only need one kidney to live a long, healthy life.
- 2) The surgery for a donor is done laparoscopically, meaning through tiny incisions, and the recuperation period is fairly quick, generally only a few weeks.
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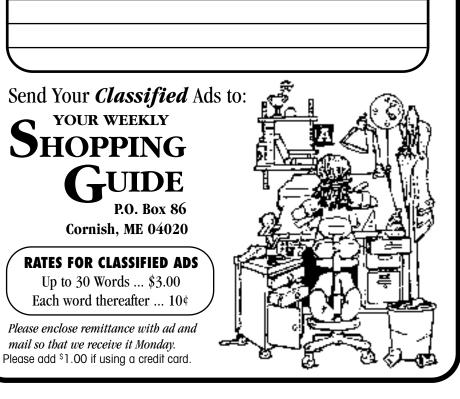
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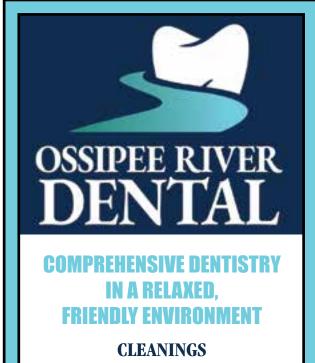
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