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At the Dempsey Challenge, you'll see wonderful messages of support and love lining the Riverwalk and portions of the

run/walk and ride routes. Signs of Hope + Healing are an important reminder of what the Dempsey Challenge and Dempsey Center are all about - showing support for those impacted by cancer.

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weekend.

Dempsey Center Virtual Tours presented by Central Maine Healthcare

We welcome you, virtually, to tour the Dempsey Center in Lewiston. It is within
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Realty ONE Group - Compass of Maine Opens in Auburn



LEWISTON, ME (September 5, 2022) — A ribbon cutting ceremony was held for the opening of Realty ONE Group - Compass of Maine in Auburn at 4:30 PM on Thursday, September 1, 2022. Auburn Mayor Jason Levesque was joined by Auburn Director of Economic Development Jay Brenchick, Auburn Ward 5 City Councilor Ward 5 Leroy G. Walker, Sr., President + CEO of the LA Metro Chamber Shanna Cox, and members of the public.

"Auburn is growing and growing... this opening is happening at the right time. Auburn and the greater Auburn area are on

a fasttrack, this whole areas is. Whether you're in real estate, finance, or marketing, this whole area is rising all ships" said Auburn Mayor Jason Levesque.

"Real estate is my passion, and I love helping people build something for themselves. As part of the Realty One Group vision, I am able to give more to realtors; with increased commissions and more support in marketing and advertising, our realtors are able to better provide for their families and our community," said Broker + Owner Steve Brackett. More photos at facebook.com/TwinCityTimes



Make-A-Wish fundraiser at Mac's Grill in Auburn



Katie Camire, Shawn Sanbourin, Dave Gagne, Kaitlin Crockett and Meg Dumais of Mac's Grill served up drinks during the 8th Annual Summer Block Party at Mac's Grill in Auburn benefiting Make-A-Wish Foundation. TCT photo by Laurie A. Steele.

Make-A-Wish Maine had a record-breaking event at their 8th Annual Summer Block Party at Mac's Grill in Auburn on August 13. This free event offered live bands, dancing, a dunk tank, silent auction, beer garden with full bar and pub-style food.

The event ended in the evening with a show of fireworks. The Make-A-Wish foundation grants life-changing wishes to local children battling critical illnesses. More photos at facebook.com/TwinCityTimes

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Newsmakers, Names & Faces

Out and About

Auburn Community Concert Band

By Rachel Morin

It was the last day of August and as tradition had it, the Auburn Community Concert Band came to Schooner Estates Retirement Community in Auburn and performed its summer finale for us in our front yard.

Residents are loyal fans and had been anticipating this special treat and were already sitting in chairs under a canopy watching the band set up. Soon, band director Milt Simon was finishing the musical note checks. The weather was perfect and folks settled in as John Rice, Director of Operations at Schooner, welcomed the band and exchanged a few words with Milt Simon. Over the years, John and Milt had become friends and so the band's summer finale at Schooner became a tradition.

The opening number, as always, was The Star Spangled Banner sung by Mitch Thomas. Mitch is also the band's drummer and is well known locally for his thespian work at Community Little Theatre in Auburn.

The band continued with many numbers from the Beatles which Milt engaged the audience with memories and different stories. Members of the audience are definitely huge Beatle fans and remembered every Beatle song the band played.

Next on the program were The Beach Boys and Schooner folks were big

fans as well. And then came Mitch Thomas to the front to perform a great number, "New York, New York," which went over big as he belted it out with the New York accent.

And then, wouldn't you know, Frank Sinatra's smash hit, "Come Fly with Me" was played. Of course, the Schooner retirees are huge Sinatra fans.

Milt knew the perfect music to play for these seasoned folks. They appreciated every song played.

The finale was "God Bless America." As is the custom now, everyone (who is able) rises to their feet and sings the song, with hand over their heart. It is bound to bring a tear to these elderly eyes. I know it does to mine, every time!



The Auburn Community Concert Band sets up in the front yard of Schooner Estates at 200 Stetson Road in Auburn for the traditional close of their summer concert season. They will play a Christmas Concert at Schooner this year. (Rachel Morin Photo)



The audience enjoys sitting under a canopy to block the sun's rays. (Rachel Morin Photo)



Sonny Begin, a trombone player, has played his trombone for 39 years with the band. (Rachel Morin Photo)



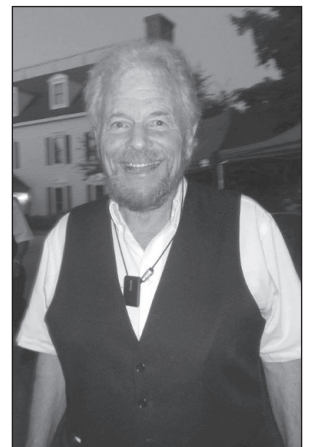
Gerald "Pete" Duchette, Linda Hicks and Pauline Gotto, are friends who share an interest in all kinds of music. (Rachel Morin Photo)



John Rice, Director of Operations, and Lindsay Remington, Marketing Associate, always look forward to the concerts each year. (Rachel Morin Photo)



Gerry and Claudette Martel attend every musical program at Schooner. (Rachel Morin Photo)



Chip Morrison, trombone player, is a member of the Band for 28 years. (Rachel Morin Photo)

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Auburn Teen Serves As Senate Page, Recognized By City Council



AUBURN, ME (September 9, 2022) – On Tuesday evening, the Auburn City Council and Mayor Jason Levesque recognized Landon Cogle, a senior at Edward Little High School who spent a month this summer as a United States

Senate Page.

During each session of the US Senate, senior senators from each state nominate a high school student through a highly competitive application and selection process. Only 30 positions are available for

the 100 senators. Landon was nominated by Maine Senator Susan Collins.

The 30 pages selected from across the US – 15 male and 15 female – live in a dormitory two blocks from the capitol complex during the four-week program. Landon and his peers performed numerous tasks while in the Senate Chamber, from collecting senators’ speeches and preparing the chamber for senate sessions, to delivering legislative material and assisting staffers on the Senate Floor.

“This experience provided me with a front row seat to the inner workings of government. I met with fellow interns, staffers, and the senators themselves,” said Cogle. “I learned that our elected representatives are personable, human, and they are just like you and me. I can proudly say bipartisan and cross-party interaction exist, and it is encouraging to see it in person.”



As he heads into his senior year, Landon plans to pursue an education in public policy and law, and that his senate page experience has affirmed his passion for both.

“I thank Senator Susan Collins for providing me with this once-in-a-lifetime opportunity and for being so gracious by taking the time to talk about the very real issues affecting Maine people, whether that was rising drug prices or

the need for good-paying Maine jobs,” added Cogle. “We discussed her fondness for the city of Auburn, its community, and all that it offers the state.”

“I offer my warm congratulations to Landon on this truly impressive accomplishment,” said Mayor Jason Levesque, who presented Landon with a commemorative coin, City of Auburn journal, and a wooden gavel. “He represented his hometown very

well in Washington, DC, and his community is very proud of him. The future of our city is in great hands with exceptional young leaders like Landon.”

“I hope to carry this experience, and the lessons it has taught me, for years to come, especially in my final year of high school and throughout college,” says Cogle. “And I encourage all Maine high school students to consider this highly rewarding program.”

Speculative Fiction Book Club Held at LPL

LEWISTON, ME (September 9, 2022) -- The Lewiston Public Library is launching a limited three session speculative fiction book club that will meet once a month from September to November to discuss a pre-selected novel. This free public program will take place in person at 5:30pm in the Jeanne Couture Room on the first floor of the library.

Each month will have a different focus: fantasy, horror, and science fiction. The sessions are open to genre fans and those looking to explore a new book category. Participants can sign-up for the session that most interests them, for just two, or for all three. The selected books are intended for an adult audience.

On Thursday, September 22, the group will be discussing *Nettle & Bone* by T. Kingfisher, a fantasy novella about a young woman’s quest to kill the abusive prince who forced her sister into marriage. Together with a ragtag group of allies, including a demon-possessed chicken and a dog made of bones, she undertakes a journey through lands both real and fantastic, discovering how far she and her friends will go in order to protect those they love.

On Thursday, October 20, the selection is *Nothing But Blackened Teeth* by Cassandra Khaw, a horror story about a group of friends who reunite to celebrate the wedding of one of the couples. They come together at a haunted house

in Japan that is supposedly built on the bones of the dead. Over the course of one night, restless spirits and darker personal secrets will emerge and not everyone who entered will be remain to see the morning.

On Thursday, November 17, members will dive into an altered world by reading *This Is How You Lose the Time War* by Amal El-Mohtar & Max Gladstone. The central focus of this work is two characters called Red and Blue and their struggle to best one another and destroy the other’s success by jumping through time to make subtle or drastic changes. Then one of them leaves a note for the other and they begin to develop a mutual respect and possibly even a friendship

which will test their loyalties to the rival factions that command them.

Discussions about each of these novels will be led by a Lewiston Public Library librarian and will feature open-ended ques-

tions and the opportunity for analysis and debate.

Registration is required for this event as space is limited. Bottled water and small snacks will be provided.

The Lewiston Public

Library is located downtown at 200 Lisbon Street at the corner of Pine Street. More information is available by contacting the Lewiston Public Library at 513-3135 or LPLReference@lewistonmaine.gov.

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Maine Lobstermen’s Association Responds to Court’s Decision

Press Release by Maine Lobstermen’s Association
Kennebunk, ME (September 7, 2022) – The Maine Lobstermen’s Association has issued the fol-

lowing statement following the U.S. District Court for the District of Columbia’s decision in *Maine Lobstermen’s Association v National Marine Fisheries Service*. “The federal district court

and the National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS) have failed Maine’s lobster industry. It has become crystal clear that neither grasp the devastating impacts their decisions will

have on the Maine lobster industry, our coastal communities, and the State of Maine. The court’s decision provides a blank check for NMFS to continue to use admitted “worst case sce-

narios” and disregard actual data in its regulation of a fishery that has zero documented right whale entanglements over the last 18 years. This disappointing decision puts the future of

Maine’s lobstering heritage at great risk, and along with it, the livelihoods of thousands of hard-working men and women. But this is not the end. We won’t go down without a fight.”

Poliquin Responds to Call to “Avoid” Maine Lobster

The following is a statement by Fmr. Congressman Bruce Poliquin: Lewiston, ME (September 7, 2022) – “Seafood Watch’s designation of lobster caught in the

Gulf of Maine as being on their “red list” is grossly misleading. Maine’s lobstermen have worked tirelessly to sustainably harvest lobster in the Gulf of Maine because their fam-

ilies’ livelihoods depend on it. There has not been a single right whale death that can be traced to Maine lobstering equipment and there has not been a right whale entanglement in lob-

stering gear in almost two decades. Telling consumers to “avoid” Maine lobster is wrong and adds to the hardships that our lobstermen currently face. This kind

of extreme environmentalist action is a direct result of Jared Golden’s support of environmental groups that want to sink Maine’s lobster industry. When I’m in Congress, I will always

make sure that lobstermen have the ability to earn a living for their loved ones, free of misguided designations, burdensome regulations, and sky-high bait and fuel costs.”

Send all items for Names & Faces to the editor.
Deadline is Friday by five pm.

House Republicans Support Lobster Industry

House Republican Statement: AUGUSTA, ME (September 6, 2022)

-- The Seafood Watch statement that consumers should “avoid” eating lobster is just another assault

on science and the ability of hard working Mainers to put food on the plates of American families. No Maine gear has resulted in the death of right whales, but this effort to destroy the livelihoods of fishing families and those who depend on the lobster fishing industry is reprehensible. It will ultimately raise prices on American consumers. Maine House Republicans will continue to support the working men and women that put food on our plates while rising prices threaten to put them out of business and make things harder for families.

It is time for Maine to push back against harmful policy goals of fringe political groups not only in places like California but in Augusta as well. We urge legislative Democrats to join us in denouncing the Seafood Watch designation.

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City Kids Provides Startup Funding to Generational Noor



Pictured are Generational Noor Volunteers receiving \$5,000 from City Kids. (Left to Right) Mazin Ahmed of Westbrook, Maine; Generational Noor Executive Director & Founder Amran Osman of Lewiston, Maine; Amran's sisters Safa (12) & Samiira (17) Noor, both also from Lewiston; Liiban Adaan of Portland, Maine; City Realty Group Managing Partner & City Kids Co-Founder Stephen Whalen of Brookline, Massachusetts (originally from Auburn, Maine).

PORTLAND, ME (September 5, 2022) – City Kids, a youth education nonprofit created by City Realty Group Managing Partners Fred Starikov and Stephen Whalen, is providing \$5,000 in startup funding to Generational Noor. A new organization based in Lewiston, Maine, Gen-

erational Noor works to end the stigma around substance abuse, mental health, alcoholism, and drug abuse in immigrant households and helps people get help leading to rehab and recovery. City Kids makes this donation to support Generational Noor's mission and to ensure the organization has resources to address substance abuse among the immigrant community in Maine.

City Realty Group Managing Partner and City Kids Co-Founder Stephen Whalen traveled to Portland, Maine to personally present Generational Noor Founder Arman Osman and volunteers with the startup funds. Whalen sat down with the brilliant youth behind Generational Noor to hear about their experiences and discuss their future plans for the

program. Whalen, who grew up in Auburn, Maine himself, understands the fact addiction has been an issue in Maine for many years and the immigrant community sometimes takes a backseat when it comes to resources to address substance abuse and related issues. The City Kids and Generational Noor Founders discussed ways this donation can help Generational Noor in the early stages of the program.

"One of our goals is to have the funds to hire someone from the community who can really help us take Generational Noor to the next level. There are a lot of passionate people who want to help and are currently looking for work," said Osman.

Whalen told Osman he supports the idea and will remain committed

to helping this new organization grow. "That is certainly a win-win. Because not only will you be giving somebody a job, but a job in the movement. You are off to an incredible start and one of my goals is to help put Generational Noor on the map. Once known, Generational Noor will have all the support it needs," said Whalen.

Generational Noor seeks to educate and change the way certain immigrant communities look at substance abuse. This includes preventing youth in the community from falling into drug addiction, helping others overcome it, and giving those who have been incarcerated for drug related crimes a chance to land on their feet. For more information about Generational Noor please visit www.generationanoor.com.

WHA at CMMC Now Displaying Art of Elisabeth Salberg

LEWISTON, ME (September 5, 2022) – Graduating from Duke University where she studied art history, life took Salberg on a different path. For over 30 years she worked as a registered nurse, retiring from CMMC in 2013. At that point she returned to her earlier passion and began to paint, exhibiting at

the Annual Yarmouth Art Festival, the Elizabeth Moss Galleries in Falmouth, the Roux & Cyr International Fine Art Gallery in Portland as well as venues throughout central and southern Maine. "The beautiful colors of Maine are a constant inspiration to me, and quite a challenge, as I try to transform that world of color,

light and shape into a painting that hopefully, others will enjoy."

She is a member of Maine Women in the Arts and lives in Auburn, Maine with her husband and their golden retriever. Her web site is oilpaintingsofmaine.com.

The works on display may be purchased through

the WHA Gift Shop located adjacent to the main lobby at Central Maine Medical Center. As a result of the hospital safety precautions due to the pandemic, the art gallery is only available for viewing for staff, patients, and their designated visitors at this time. A percentage of sale proceeds benefits patients of CMMC.



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The Public Theatre's 32nd Season Is Beginning!

LEWISTON, ME (September 9, 2022) -- The Public Theatre opens its 32nd season on Sept 16 with *Morning After Grace*, a hilarious and heartfelt new comedy that every Baby Boomer on the planet is going to want to see!

"When we first read *Morning After Grace*, we laughed, we cried and we knew it would be the perfect fit for our audience", says Co-Artistic Director Janet Mitchko. "It's a refreshingly honest comedy for grown-ups, tackling real life issues like love, loss, sex, marriage, growing older, caring for aging parents and even medical marijuana munchies in a way that is both very, very funny and moving - AND we have assembled a fabulous cast of veteran Broadway actors to bring this great play to life".

After flirting at a funeral, Abigail and Angus wake up the next morning under the same blanket! When a neighbor suddenly knocks on the door, all bets are off for a peaceful retirement. Filled with unexpected twists and delightful surprises, *Morning After Grace*, playing Sept 16-25, successfully proves that getting older doesn't mean the end of living, loving or learning.

Next up, on Sept 30 and Oct 1, come to the theatre and cast your vote at the Manhattan Short Film Festival. Ten short films from around the world will be shown in over 500 worldwide venues during the same week and the winners will be voted on by the audience. Past audiences have chosen a film that went on to win an Academy Award

for best short film. Don't miss this chance to see the next generation of filmmakers from around the world.

November 4-13 brings the New England premiere of *The Victorian Ladies' Detective Collective*. It's Sherlock Holmes meets *Arsenic & Old Lace* in this entertaining murder mystery with a modern female sensibility. When a series of single ladies are mysteriously murdered in the vicinity of a London boarding house run by two strong-willed sisters, they team up with a cheeky American actress and decide to set off and solve the crime themselves!

We ring in the New Year with the Winner of the Steinberg New American Play Award, *Pilgrims* by Musa and Sheri in the New World playing March 3-12. A love

letter to the immigrant experience, this delightful and thought-provoking romantic comedy is an entertaining and relevant story for many communities in Maine. Anyone who has ever looked for love knows the dilemma. Do you make a safe, sensible match, or risk everything on the unexpected great love of your life? Musa, a sweet-natured immigrant cab driver and semi-practicing Muslim, and Sheri, a sassy American waitress, negotiate the twists and turns of love and cultural differences in this smart, funny, and provocative romantic comedy.

We start the Spring with *Jeeves and Wooster* in *Perfect Nonsense* playing April 21-30. We guarantee this delightfully silly comedy will tickle the funny bone in audiences of all

ages. Bertie's friends find his anecdotes so entertaining they've suggested he rent a theatre and tell them onstage! Luckily for him, his dependable valet Jeeves is on hand to run the lights, create the scenery, play all the roles and save the day! Inspired by the comic stories of P.G. Wodehouse, and told in the comic style of our past production of *The Hound of the Baskervilles*, don't miss London's Olivier Award Winner for Best New Comedy.

We end our season with the addition of a fabulously funny family friendly show called *Polkadots: The Cool Kids Musical*, May 19-21. Committed to creating first rate professional theatre for children, families and school groups, this delightful musical combines catchy songs, the hu-

mor of a Pixar film and an empowering message into entertaining family fun for ages 4 and up! When 8-year-old Lily moves to a new town, she faces the challenge of being the first Polkadot in an all Square school. Lily's quest for acceptance seems hopeless until she meets a Square boy whose curiosity for her Polkadot skin blooms into a friendship and together they set off to show their peers how our differences make us awesome, not outcasts. We are also offering special morning student matinee performances of this show as part of our educational programming.

Season subscriptions and single tickets are now on sale for all productions. For more information visit thepublictheatre.org or call 782-3200.

Hilarious Comedy for Baby Boomers at The Public Theatre



Left to right - Kevin Jackson as Ollie, Amy Tribbey as Abigail and Kurt Zischke as Angus

LEWISTON, ME (September 9, 2022) -- The Public Theatre opens its 32nd season on September 16 with *Morning After Grace*, a wonderful new comedy that every baby boomer on the planet is going to want to see!

Playing the role of Angus is KURT ZISCHKE. Kurt last appeared at The Public Theatre as the father in John Cariani's *Last Gas* and has appeared on Broadway, Off-Broadway, in National Tours and over 100 regional theatre productions. AMY TRIBBEY plays the unexpected new love interest Abigail. Amy has appeared on Broadway

in Gore Vidal's *The Best Man*, Off-Broadway in *Talley's Folly* at The Roundabout, and at numerous regional theatres throughout her illustrious career. Playing the role of Ollie, a retired professional baseball player and neighbor to Angus is KEVIN JACKSON. Kevin has appeared on Broadway in *Fences*, *Topdog/Underdog*, *Mule Bone* and *Of Mice and Men*.

The 55+ Florida community where the play takes place will be designed by Amber Callahan, lighting design by Kristof Janezic, costumes by Debra Susi and sound design by Scott O'Brien. *Morning After Grace*

is playing at The Public Theatre, Lewiston/Auburn's Professional Theatre, Sept 16 - 25. Thursday at 7:30pm, Sun at 2pm with an added matinee on Sat, Sept 24th at 3pm. Tickets: \$25 Adults, \$22 groups. Tickets can be purchased online at thepublictheatre.org or by calling 782-3200. The Theatre is located at 31 Maple St. Lewiston.

Sponsors and season underwriters for *Morning After Grace* are Visbaras Law and Excalibur Title, Lee Auto Malls, Baxter Brewing, Sun Journal, Platz Associates, Austin Associates, Maine Magazine and Bennett Radio Group.

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SOUTHERN MAINE (September 10, 2022) -- For one weekend every September, thousands of people break out their inner athletes to help make life better for people impacted by cancer by raising funds for the Dempsey Center through the Dempsey Challenge. 100% of funds raised by Challenge participants helps provide personalized, holistic services AT NO COST to cancer patients, their loved ones, and care partners.

WHAT IS THE DEMPSEY CHALLENGE?

The Dempsey Challenge presented by Amgen Oncology is an annual run/walk/ride experience to benefit the Dempsey Center. With two physical Centers in Lewiston and South Portland, Maine, and our third, virtual Center—Dempsey Connects, which launched in 2020—our specially-trained team of experts provides curated, holistic care to people impacted by cancer in Maine and beyond. Founded by actor Patrick Dempsey in 2009, this flagship fundraising event has raised over \$17 million for the Dempsey Center since its inception, with 100% of all funds raised going directly to client care.

QUICK FACTS

About The Dempsey Challenge

The Dempsey Challenge is a run/walk/cycle event and is the flagship fundraiser for the Dempsey Center, founded by actor Patrick Dempsey. Patrick grew up in Maine, and wanted to help provide wrap-around support and care for people in Maine impacted by cancer after experiencing his own cancer impact when his mom Amanda was diagnosed in 1997.

The event takes place

in Lewiston, Maine every fall.

In 2020, the Dempsey Challenge went global and introduced a complete virtual event. Today, the Dempsey Challenge is a hybrid event where participants can choose to participate in person or virtually - there are no barriers to get involved!

The next Dempsey Challenge is September 24 + 25, 2022. This will be the 14th consecutive Dempsey Challenge. Generous corporate sponsors cover the cost of the event, so every dollar raised by participants goes directly to the Dempsey Center.

Who can participate in the Challenge?

No matter who you are, there's a place for you in the Dempsey Challenge! Participants are all ages, have varying abilities, and hail from around the world. Volunteers and ambassadors love their roles and come back year after year. Dempsey Challengers are: riders, walkers, runners, volunteers, donors, fundraisers, kids, adults, and families — a community. People who want to make life better for people dealing with cancer.

How it works

Participants can be part of a team or join as an individual. Participants can choose either the in-person Local Challenge, or can participate virtually as a Global Challenger. Participants receive support for training and fundraising from Dempsey Center staff. In 2021, Dempsey Challenge participants from all over the world raised over \$1.5 million dollars!

How to get involved

Sign up today to participate, fundraise, or volunteer! If you're in the Lewiston/Auburn area on event weekend cheer for walkers and runners as they hit the pavement on

Saturday, or create a cheer station along one of the many bike routes throughout Maine!

KEY DATES

September 22, 2022 12:00pm ET

Fundraising Awards deadline

Top Fundraiser Awards to be recognized in the park

Deadline to raise \$3,000+ to receive invitation to the Champions for Hope Celebration

College Cup + High School Challenge fundraising deadline

September 22, 2022 4:00pm-7:00pm ET

Packet Pickup at Baxter Brewing, 130 Mill

Street, Lewiston

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September 23, 2022 10:00am-7:00pm ET

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September 26, 2022 4:00pm EST

Final fundraising deadline for all other incentives

Local Challengers will pick up incentives in the park on Challenge weekend

Global Challengers will have incentives shipped post-event

Deadline for Global Challengers to submit activity to receive official Global Challenger Finisher patch

Patches will be shipped in October

October 31, 2022 11:59pm EST

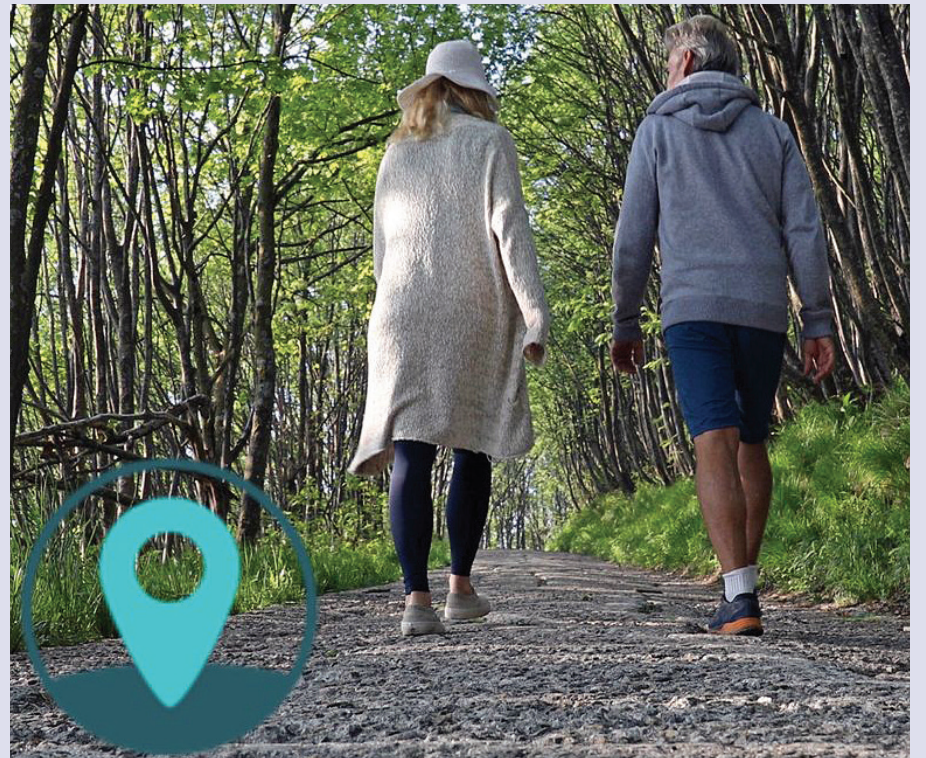
Final deadline to accept donations

Dempsey Center Offers Mindfulness Woods Walks

Taking time for yourself to be outside can be a way to ground yourself, get back into your body and take in your surroundings. Connecting with the natural world is proven to reduce stress and anger, have a positive impact on our self-esteem, emotions, and behaviors, and improve cognition and general psychological well-being.

Led by Christine Brome, LCSW this workshop is open to cancer patients, care partners, and those who have experienced a cancer-related loss. Held Wednesdays in September from 9:30 - 11:00 am at the Maine Audubon Society - 20 Gilsland Farm Rd, Falmouth, ME.

Get all the details and sign up by visiting <https://clients.mind->



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Honor
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 these walls where our programs and services come to life. Although our doors are

closed to visitors right now, we invite you in from the comfort of your own home.
Virtual Honor Wall presented by TD Bank

We're proud to present this unique virtual dedication wall to honor those managing the impact of cancer, to celebrate survivors

who are now cancer free, and to memorialize loved ones we've lost but who will forever remain in our hearts.



Dempsey Goods Merch for Sale



Have you checked out the newest Dempsey Goods store yet?! We've got hooded sweatshirts, vests, tees, backpacks, joggers, workout attire, and—you guessed it—lots of new hats!

latest Dempsey Center and Dempsey Challenge gear by visiting https://stores.inksoft.com/dempsey_center/shop/home.

Thank you to Tee Shirt Bar for helping us create some beautiful merch for this year's event!

Check out all of our

Leave a Legacy through a Remainder Charitable Trust

When Jill Bruce received her cancer diagnosis, she thought she would have to tackle her journey on her own. But when a friend introduced her to the Dempsey Center, she quickly found a haven of support, accessing the ser-

vices she felt comfortable with at different points in her journey.

Last week, we held our final Double the Donation Day for Dempsey Challenge 2022 presented by Amgen Oncology. This gift of \$50,000 was just

part of a donation given to the Center from Jill's late mother, Nancy Sturtevant, and her family, as a way to give back for all the ways our services supported Jill on her journey.

Listen to Jill's story on the Dempsey Center's

Facebook page. Jill shares her story, her experience with the Center, and why her family chose to make such a generous donation to make life better for people impacted by cancer.

If you are interest-

ed in learning more about our services for cancer patients, survivors, care partners, friends, and family, please visit DempseyCenter.org.

If you'd like to learn more about a Remainder

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RIPE BIO

On a primal level, we react to music through movement.

A head-nod, a foot-tap, or a handclap certainly shows appreciation, but dancing seals the eternal bond between audience and musician. Siphoning the spirits of rock, funk, R&B, jazz, and pop through a kaleidoscope of unpredictable and virtuosic improvisation, Boston-based Ripe consistently bring people to their feet. Most importantly, they prove that “dance music” in its purest form doesn’t have to come from computers and synthesiz-

ers. It can be an unstoppable groove or an extended moment of ecstatic release. Like those bodies moving on the floor, it’s the result of the energy, friction, and communication between living and breathing people. An inimitable and indefinable chemistry has separated and singled out Ripe since day one. Subverting any and all standard genre boundaries once again, their latest offering confidently continues that tradition. These five musical soulmates —Robbie Wulfsohn [vocals], Jon Becker [guitar], Sampson Hellerman [drums], Calvin Barthel [trombone], and Nadav Shapira [bass]—once again incite listeners to move on their full-length debut, Joy In The Wild Unknown.

“What we make is music you can dance to,” affirms Robbie. “We’re drawn to the peak of a song—the emotional catharsis when everything comes out. It’s all about reaching that moment. The revelation comes back to us when bodies shake with joy.”

“Every time we play,

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something unique happens,” adds Jon. “You’ll never see the same show twice. We want to bring that unexpected element into the pop sphere.”

Ripe brings the swag-ger of funk filtered through a rock anthem, a musical journey that somehow gets as stuck in your head as your favorite pop banger.

Formed during their Berklee College of Music days, the boys have built a rabid fan base through tireless gigging and a steady stream of music. Following their debut collection of songs, Produce The Juice EP, the 2015 Hey Hello EP yielded fan favorites “Goon Squad,” which clocked over 4 million Spotify streams. The band then raised the stakes with their debut album, Joy In The Wild Unknown, which represented a creative journey as Ripe became a national presence. The band tapped the talents of producer Cory Wong of Vulfpeck behind the board. Additionally, five-time GRAMMY® Award winner Joe Visciano [Mark Ronson, Adele,

Beck, Coldplay] mixed the music, while mastering came courtesy of Randy Merrill [Lady Gaga, Lorde, Imagine Dragons, Taylor Swift].

Over the course of twelve songs, it finds the elusive sweet spot between jaw-dropping technicality and airtight songcraft as Ripe collectively kick off a fresh, focused, and fiery next phase. Averaging over 250K monthly listeners on Spotify, the group landed looks from the likes of WXPN, Huffington Post,

Verge Campus, Boston Globe and Hype Machine love from sites like Ear to the Ground and Indie Obsessive. Along the way, they also hit the stage at festivals such as SweetWater, Levitate, The Rock Boat, High Sierra, LaurelLive, Brooklyn Comes Alive, Audiotree, and Summer Camp.

The common thread would always be the translation of their individual interplay to their audience, one that Ripe views as not just fans, but old and new

friends; an extended family that is rapidly growing as their sound spreads and their world deepens. Ripe gives the same weight to happiness as is often given to sadness. Their music signifies more than just a distraction from your troubles for a few hours - it’s an experience of connection and acceptance; a warm welcome into their world. In the end, this Joy is shared by an ever-growing community that’ll be dancing every time Ripe roll through town.

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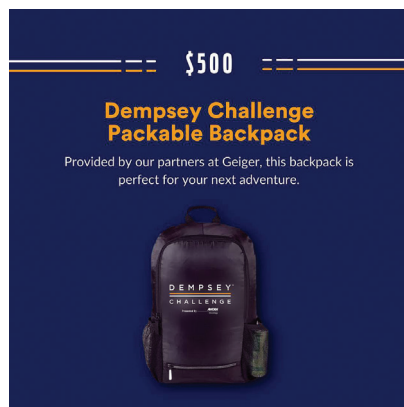
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Thank you all for all of your efforts to make life better for people impacted by cancer. Your contributions to our goal of raising \$1.6 million

this year will make a difference in the services we offer here in Maine and beyond!

And a GIANT thank you to our partners for their contribution and support of this year's Challenge!

Not registered yet? Today's a great day to do so! Register for the 5k/10k Run and Walk events presented by Poland Spring Natural Spring Water on Saturday, September 24th OR any of our Cycling events presented by Specialized Bicycles on Sunday, September 25th!



5th Annual Whitmore Family Dempsey Challenge Fundraising Breakfast!

Sunday 9/18 7:30-10am @ Mac's Grill

\$10 per person Kids < 10 eat free

50/50 raffle **Abby & Alyssa's Spare Change Bucket**

ALL proceeds benefit the

to keep ALL services FREE for anyone affected by cancer

Your Support Makes a World of Difference

100% of the dollars raised by Dempsey Challenge participants helps make life better for people impacted by cancer.

In 2021, Dempsey Challenge participants fundraised more than \$1.5 million to provide curated, holistic, wrap-around support

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Love Triumphs in *A Midsummer Night's Dream* At TAM

MONMOUTH, ME (September 6, 2022) -- Theater at Monmouth opens Shakespeare's *A Midsummer Night's Dream* as the Fall Show following the 2022 It's Greek (and Roman) to ME! Summer Repertory Season. William Shakespeare's magical comedy *A Midsummer Night's Dream* runs Thursday, September 14 through Sunday September 25. Shakespeare's beloved tale of love and chaos filled with mischievous fairies, quarreling lovers, and a floundering amateur acting troupe takes center stage in this delightful tale of joy and romance that famously declares, "Lord, what fools these mortals be." *A Midsummer Night's Dream* follows the journey of four young lovers as they find their way through the forest and to each other. But as Lysander says "the course of true love never did run smooth." Full of

madcap chases and mistaken identities, *A Midsummer Night's Dream* is an exploration of the mystery, mayhem, and madness of love.

Hermia loves Lysander, Demetrius loves Hermia, Helena loves Demetrius, Theseus and Hippolyta are almost newlyweds and the already-complex marriage of the immortal Queen and King of Fairyland was rocky even before one of them fell for an amateur actor-turned-ass. Run away to the Forest of Arden with young lovers, a rag tag group of amateur actors, and one mischievous sprite in Shakespeare's most mixed-up comedy.

While *A Midsummer Night's Dream* has many themes, Director Adam P. Blais chose to focus on the one most central to the story, love. Blais says "the show is a story about love, marriage, and the complexities of relationships



(Human and Fairy)." Blais continues that in *Midsummer*, Shakespeare reminds us that being able "to give ourselves freely to another, we must first be willing to unapologetically accept ourselves."

A Midsummer Night's Dream features Owen Halstad as The-

seus/Oberon/Snout, Austen Horne as Hippolyta/Titania/Starveling, Ethan Miller as Demetrius/Snug/Cobweb, Shaan Sharma as Lysander/Quince/Mustardseed, Ray K. Souen as Egeus/Helena/Flute/Puck, and Casey Turner as Hermia/Bottom/Fairy. Directed by Adam P. Blais; Set

Design by Jim Alexander, Costume Design by Michelle Handley, Lighting design by Erin Fauble and Sound Design by Rew Tiffin, with Stage Management by Hailey Glick.

Performance Calendar: PREVIEW 9/15 at 7:30 p.m.; OPENING 9/16 at 7:30 p.m.; additional performance dates 9/17, 9/22, 9/23, and 9/24 at 7:30 p.m., 9/17, 9/18, 9/24, and 9/25 at 1:00 p.m.

Audience Engagement Programs

Post-Performance Discussions. Join us on selected weekend evening performances for Post-Performance Discussions with the cast and creative team. Discuss the critical historical, artistic, and cultural perspectives of the worlds of each individual play. Post-Performance Discussion will take place on the following date: Sunday September 18.

Tickets, Subscriptions, and Ways to

Save. Single tickets for the Fall Show are \$37 for adults, \$32 for senior citizens, and \$23 for students (18 and under).

Opening Nights are Educator Nights. Educators receive 20% off the general ticket price with a valid photo ID at the Box Office.

Under 30 Rush Tickets. For patrons under 30, \$10 Rush Tickets are available for up to 20 audience members at each performance in the season excluding the Family Show and Special Events. Contact the Box Office by email boxoffice@theateratmonmouth.org or by calling 207.933.9999 after 10 a.m. on the day of the show. Requests made before the Box Office is open will not be processed.

For calendar and reservations, please contact the TAM Box Office at 207.933.9999 or visit www.theateratmonmouth.org.


Barbershop Choruses Join Up for Performance

AUGUSTA, ME (September 7, 2022) -- The women of Maine-ly Harmony women's barbershop chorus in Augusta are ready to "take on" the Nor'easters barbershop men's chorus from Brunswick in their first performance since the beginning of Covid. Joining them will be several quartets and a new chorus

entitled FairWinds, a combination of men and women. All will join up for "Singing Together Again," a live production coming to the South Parish Congregational Church in Augusta, Saturday, September 17th at 2 p.m. Reduced tickets available at the door for seniors and youth, 18 and under.



Some members of Maine-ly Harmony pose with their "chapeaux" at an event before Covid hit: l-r, front row, Betty Avery, Cindy Gyorgy, Martha Tait, Kathy Joyce, Jenny Clair; 2nd row, l-r, Anne Danforth, Sharon Judkins, Sheryl Whitmore, Donna Ryder, Nancy Bosse. Photo courtesy of Anne Danforth.




Veterans and Family Shout Out

Saturday, September 17, 2022
10 a.m. to 2 p.m.
Location: Auburn Mall

YMCA, Post 9/11 VHA Team, Operation Re-boot
Outdoors, Lewiston Vet Center, Paws for Vets, NAMI and More.

Available information for veterans/families and those that care.



NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

TO: MICHAEL TIMOTHY ZEKOVITCH, JR.

IN RE: ROSEMARY BELLE WILLIAMS and JERRY RICHARD WILLIAMS VS. MICHAEL TIMOTHY ZEKOVITCH, JR.

**In Re: River Zekovitch (b.d. 7/14/2015)
Korrine Casey Zekovitch (b.d. 2/24/2018)
Children Under the Age of Eighteen Years**

IN THE CHANCERY COURT FOR KNOX COUNTY, TENNESSEE

In this Cause appearing from the Petition filed, which is sworn to, that the Respondent, Michael Timothy Zekovitch, Jr., is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, or whose whereabouts cannot be ascertained upon diligent search and inquiry, so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon MICHAEL TIMOTHY ZEKOVITCH, JR., it is ORDERED that said Respondent MICHAEL TIMOTHY ZEKOVITCH, JR., file an answer with the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court in Knoxville, Tennessee, and with CAROLE COLE, an Attorney whose address is 135 Fox Road, Knoxville, Tennessee 37922, within thirty (30) days of the last date of publication. If the Respondent fails to file an answer within the time limit, the Petitioners shall be permitted to file a Notice of Default Judgment and serve the Defendant by leaving a copy of said notice with the clerk of this court. This cause will be set for hearing Ex-Parte as to you before Chancellor Weaver in the Knox County Chancery Court, Part I, 400 W. Main Street, Suite 125, Knoxville, Tennessee 37902. This Notice will be published in *The Twin City Times Newspaper* for four (4) consecutive weeks.

This 8th day of August, 2022.

HOWARD HOGAN
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Communities Sending Kids Back to School with Healthier Outlook

PORTLAND, ME (September 9, 2022) – Families in Portland and Brunswick are sending their kids back to school this fall with a greater likelihood of not being exposed to flavored tobacco products.

Councils in Portland and Brunswick passed an ordinance earlier in the year ending the sale of flavored tobacco products in each community, effective June 1. Many families testified at the time that students in middle and high schools were being exposed to flavored tobacco products through targeted marketing to youth

by tobacco companies. Some students told stories of classmates losing interest in studying and sports because they were so addicted to flavored tobacco. Some students even complained that they didn't like using the bathroom because it was frequently full of other students vaping or smoking. As school eases back into session, students in those communities will be less likely to be exposed to flavored tobacco products.

"I am genuinely glad that we are finally taking more and more action," said Caleb Gould, a 7th grader at Brunswick Junior

High School. I remember when the bathrooms were closed due to vaping, and hundreds of signs were put up only to be vandalized and made fun of. The way the tobacco industry has been targeting teens for decades with their 'healthy flavored' options is disgusting, and I for one, am glad to see the end of it."

The Bangor City Council also passed an ordinance ending the sale of flavored tobacco products later in the summer. The Bangor ordinance takes effect January 1, 2023.

"My freshman year in high school was an incredible experience, but seeing

so many classmates and teammates succumbing to flavored tobacco was discouraging, to say the least," said Sophie Ward, a sophomore at John Bapst Memorial High School. "The Bangor City Council taking action by passing this ordinance shows a great amount of support for the health and safety of students at every middle and high school in the city. I am very appreciative of their decision."

South Portland is also giving consideration to ending the sale of flavored tobacco products. The South Portland City Council expects to bring up the

issue next month with a vote expected shortly after.

The issue will also likely come before the state legislature when it convenes in January.

"The momentum we are seeing through overwhelmingly positive votes at the municipal level is encouraging," said BJ McCollister, campaign manager for Flavors Hook Kids Maine. "We have polling from earlier this year showing strong support for this type of a law statewide, and the local votes reinforce that. It's time to protect all of our kids in Maine from the dangers of flavored tobacco products,

and we are hopeful that the legislature will agree when they return to Augusta in the new year."

Dozens of partners have come together in support of the effort, including the Campaign for Tobacco-Free Kids, the American Heart Association, the American Lung Association, the American Cancer Society Cancer Action Network, Healthy Acadia, the Christian Civic League, the Maine Children's Alliance, Planned Parenthood of Northern New England and a variety of local organizations. More details can be found at www.FlavorsHookKidsMaine.org.

September Is Falls Prevention Awareness Month

MAINE, STATE-WIDE (September 5, 2022) -- September is Falls Prevention Awareness Month, a time to recognize the impact that falls have on the lives of millions of Americans each year and take steps to prevent falls.

The U.S. CDC reports that each year one in four adults over the age of 65 experiences a fall. Additionally, the National Council on Aging reports that an older adult is seen in an emergency room every 11 seconds due to a fall-related injury.

"Healthy Living for ME is actively making a difference for Mainers who are at risk for falls. Through workshops and resource

connections, network partners throughout the state are helping Mainers reduce their risk of falls and improve their quality of life," said Jennifer Fortin, Training & Fidelity Manager of Healthy Living for ME. "During this Falls Prevention Awareness Month, we encourage Mainers to assess their own risk for falls and have conversations about preventing falls with loved ones who may be at risk."

In May 2022, Healthy Living for ME announced that over 2100 Mainers had participated in the network's falls prevention workshops, with 98% of participants reporting they have made positive changes



due to their experience.

In 2022, Healthy Living for ME will be marking Falls Prevention Awareness month with several events in addition to the network's regularly offered falls prevention workshops.

Falls Prevention Awareness Week is held during the awareness month, September 18-24, 2022. During this week, Healthy Living for ME will be holding two public drop-

in events to provide free balance assessments and information/resources to Mainers.

On September 19th, Healthy Living for ME welcomes people to the Muskie Community Center in Waterville from 10-11:30am for the balance screening and information drop-in event.

On September 22nd, Healthy Living for ME welcomes people to the Co-

hen Community Center in Hallowell from 10:30am-12:30pm for the balance screening and information drop-in event.

Healthy Living for ME will also have an exhibit on falls prevention at the Aging in the Right Place Forum in Damariscotta on September 15th. Additionally, Healthy Living for ME will be hosting a wellness break focused on falls prevention at the Maine Council on Aging's 2022 Wisdom Summit on September 21st.

Among the factors that may put someone at risk for falls are balance and gait, as well as the presence of chronic conditions that

lead to inactivity or pain. Throughout the year, the Healthy Living for ME network offers free and low-cost evidence-based workshops that can help adult Mainers of all ages prevent falls through addressing balance, flexibility, and activity levels. These include A Matter of Balance, Tai Chi for Health and Balance, Bingocize, and EnhanceFit-ness.

To learn more about these workshops, to register for one, or to make a referral, visit Healthy Living for ME's website at www.healthylivingforme.org, call at 1-800-620-6036, or send an email to: info@healthylivingforme.org.

SOURCES SOUGHT

Wreaths Across America is issuing this Sources Sought Notice to identify parties having an interest in providing approximately 2.8 – 3.0 million domestically-grown balsam wreaths for procurement to support Wreaths Across America's wreath project and the resources needed to support this requirement for wreaths beginning with the 2023 season. It should be noted that Wreaths Across America does not provide purchase orders for wreath procurement contracts.

THERE IS NO SOLICITATION AT THIS TIME. This is a request for capability information only and does not constitute a request for proposals. The submission of any information in response to this request is purely voluntary. Wreaths Across America assumes no financial responsibility for any costs incurred.

If your organization has the potential capacity to perform these services, please provide the following information: 1.) Organization name, address, email address, Web site address, telephone number, and size and type of ownership for the organization; and 2.) Tailored capability statements addressing the particulars of this effort, with appropriate documentation supporting claims of organizational and staff capability.

Telephone inquiries will not be accepted or acknowledged, and no feedback or evaluations will be provided to companies regarding their submissions.

Submission Instructions: Interested parties who consider themselves qualified to perform the above-listed services are invited to submit a response to this Sources Sought Notice within 28 business days of the first posting of this notice. All responses under this Sources Sought Notice must be emailed to domn@drydengroup.com.

If you have any questions concerning this opportunity, please send them to domn@drydengroup.com.

L-A Community Little Theatre to Hold Annual Meeting



AUBURN, ME (September 6, 2022) — The L-A Community Little Theatre will hold its annual meeting on Monday evening, September 19, at the theatre on 30 Academy Street in Auburn.

The evening will get underway with light refreshments and mingling at 6:00 p.m. followed by the meeting at 6:30 p.m. Official business and the presentation of awards will

be followed by a sneak preview of CLT's upcoming 83rd season, which will include entertainment. A photo array of the 82nd season will also be presented.

All members and patrons are invited to participate. Anyone interested in learning more about CLT is strongly encouraged to attend. More information is available at www.laclt.com/news.

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LEWISTON -- Baby Storytime held on Tuesdays, starting September 6th at 10:15am. Enjoy an interactive storytime with your baby that includes early literacy fun with books, songs, rhymes and body movement. Recommended for children ages 0 – 24 months old and their caregivers. Play and social time immediately follow the program. Siblings are always welcome. Please stay home if you or your child are sick and not feeling well.

Free. 513-3133; www.LPLonline.org

Wednesdays

GORHAM -- 10:00am Weekly story time has resumed at the North Gorham Public Library! Storytime is open to children & their caregivers. Join us weekly for stories, songs and crafts every Wednesday at 10am. 2 Standish Neck Rd, Gorham ME.

September 9-18

BATH -- All Aboard! Next stop, River City! For the CCAC/Studio Theatre of Bath co-production of this 1957 Meredith Willson Broadway musical hit, THE MUSIC MAN.

This offbeat romantic comedy is a true classic of American musical theatre. A treasured gem for all ages. This is a non-traditional, stylized version in staged and choreographed scenes.

The Music Man (Theatre); \$18 ADV | \$22 DOS; Show Run: September 9–18 Thursday, Friday,

Calendar

Send your submissions to the Editor. More online.

and Saturday: 7:30–9:30 pm; Sunday: 2–4 pm.

Tickets On Sale at <https://chocolate.na.ticket-search.com/sales/salesevent/13788>

September 16

NORWAY -- Peaceful Means will perform at First Universalist Church at 479 Main St. Norway, ME on Friday September 16, 2022 at 7:00 pm. The performance is free and the public is encouraged to attend!

Peaceful Means is a new musical duo featuring the harmonious warmth and presence of Leah Boyd and Heather Pierson. Weaving together original songs and uplifting arrangements of choice covers with their voices and accompanying piano, acoustic strings, and percussion, they create music as an invitation to remember and to cultivate the joy, peace, and connection that are available in every moment. More artist information is available at www.peacefulmeans.net.

September 20

STANDISH -- Standish Historical Society, Old Red Church Museum, 55 Oak Hill Road Tuesday, September 20, 6-8 p.m. Antique Assessments with Kathy Libby of "Libby's Antiques", Cornish.

With 45 years of experience as an antiques dealer, Kathy will assess

your items according to the price she would charge in her shop. \$5 per item to benefit the SHS. Walk-in or stay to see what interesting items others have brought. FMI: standishhistoricalsociety@gmail.com.

September 20 – December

LEWISTON -- 3rd Tuesdays from September-December 2022, 3-5pm at the Lewiston Public Library: MAINE-TRANSNET TEEN TABLETOP TUESDAYS

This fall, LPL Teen and MaineTransNet Youth are joining up to host monthly tabletop role-playing sessions, on the 3rd Tuesday from 3-5pm in person in the LPL teen space. All supplies will be provided and no previous RPG experience is required – just bring yourself and your creative mind!

This program is open to teens ages 13-19.

For more information, contact the Lewiston Public Library Adult & Teen Services Department at 513-3135 or LPLReference@lewistonmaine.gov. www.LPLonline.org

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September 21

LEWISTON -- Outdoor Hiring Event on Wednesday, September 21st from 10:00am-noon at the Lewiston CareerCenter, 5 Mollison Way, Lewiston. Bring your best self and speak with over thirty employers all offering great job opportunities! The event is free, open to the public and will be held rain or shine. For a list of participating employers, visit: <https://www.mainecareercenter.com/locations/jobfair.shtml?id=8251073>

September 22

AUBURN -- The second offering from Senior College in the Community, will feature Jean Potuchek, presenting "Aging, Health, and Happiness. This program, a collaboration between Auburn Public Library and LA Senior College will be held on September 22, 2022 at 2pm at the Auburn Public Library. This program will cover research that consistently shows that elders are more likely to report being happy than those in any other age group. This presentation will look at some of that research, consider why this finding is considered surprising, and explore sources of happiness

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September 22

LEWISTON -- SPECULATIVE FICTION BOOK CLUB – FANTASY (5:30 pm at the Lewiston Public Library)

In this limited three session adult speculative fiction book club, LPL librarians will host interactive discussions on select genre novels. The fantasy read will be *Nettle & Bone* by T. Kingfisher. Open to genre fans and those who are new to genre novels alike.

Free. Registration required. Bottled water and small snacks available. Contact info. 513-3135; www.LPLonline.org

September 23

LEWISTON -- AUTHOR SALOMA MILLER FURLONG TO SPEAK AT LPL (2pm at the Lewiston Public Library)

Saloma Miller Furlong will speak about her latest book, *Liberating Lomie: Memoir of an Amish Childhood*. Contact info. 513-3135; www.LPLonline.org

September 24

GRAY -- First Congregational Church of Gray's Saturday Night Bean Supper at 5:00 PM at the Parish House, 5 Brown Street, Handicapped Accessible. Reservations Required, Accepting Only 50 Reservations. Contact Carol at 650-9093 and let her know your name, phone number, and how many in your party. Cut Off For Reservations is Wednesday, September 21, 2022 at 2:00 PM.

Meals are Single sized and are \$10.00 each. Please Pay At the Door.

The Menu includes Baked Pea Beans, Red Hot Dogs, Variety of Casseroles, Salads, and Bread, Assortment of Desserts, Cold Drinks and Hot Coffee

September 24

BUXTON -- Had-dock Supper Buffet - Sat-

urday, September, 24 2022 - 5:00 pm at Living Waters Church, Parker Farm Road, Buxton. Suggested donation: \$8 Adult, \$4 Child, \$20 Family.

Please note: We will offer the option of takeout containers for those who do not want to come inside for seating. Wearing of face masks for those who are not vaccinated is suggested. Hand sanitizer is available for those who wish to use it.

October 4

LEWISTON -- Public Hearing is Scheduled to Amend FY2021 - 2022 HOME Budget to Include Additional Allocation in HOME-ARP Funding. <http://www.lewiston-maine.gov/CivicAlerts.aspx?AID=1567>

October 8

BOOTHBAY-- Call for artists for the Boothbay Region Art Foundation's 15th annual juried exhibition, Art in Maine, to be held at the foundation gallery Oct. 8 through Nov. 13. Art in Maine's exhibit presents a fresh and selective look at the fine art being created by Maine artists today, showcasing originality in the media of painting, drawing and sculpture. Submission deadline. Is Sept. 23, and the opening reception is Saturday, Oct. 8 from 5-7 p.m.; over \$1,000 dollars in prizes will be awarded.

The prospectus and other details can be found on the gallery's website: www.boothbayartists.org.

Works will be juried by artist Kathleen Galligan who is represented by Portland Maine's Greenhut Gallery and Littlefield Gallery in Winterport.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

RE: Rejane L. Gosselin, Deceased

TO: ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS OR DEMANDS AGAINST THE ABOVE NAMED DECEDENT

The above-named Decedent, established a Living Trust, entitled **Gerald and Rejane Gosselin Living Trust Dated March 22, 1994 and Restated February 23, 2004**.

The name(s) and address(es) of the Trustee(s) is/are set forth below.

ALL INTERESTED PERSONS ARE NOTIFIED THAT:

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Trust (and/or estate) must file their claims with the Trustee listed below **WITHIN FOUR**

MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS AND DEMANDS NOT SO FILED WILL BE FOREVER BARRED.

The date of the first publication of this Notice is September 1, 2022.

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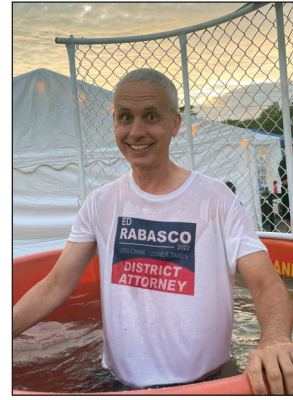
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