



Weare in the World

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Register to Vote!

Tuesday, January 23, 7-7:30pm

Town Clerk's Office, 15 Flanders Memorial Road

The Supervisors of the Checklist will be holding a session on Tuesday, January 23, 2018, from 7:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. (and for extended hours at the discretion of the Supervisors) at the Weare Town Clerk's Office, 15 Flanders Memorial Road for correction of the checklist for the March Town Election. Voters wishing to register or registered voters wishing to change their record may do so at this meeting (RSA 669:5). NOTE: The filing period for town offices begins on January 24 and ends on February 2, 2018. Candidates filing on the last day must file in person (RSA 669:19; 652:20). Any person with a disability who wishes to attend this public meeting and needs to be provided a reasonable accommodation in order to participate should call the Town Office at 529-7575 at least 24 hours in advance so that arrangements can be made.

Weare Students on SNHU Fall 2017 Dean's & President's Lists

It is with great pleasure that Southern New Hampshire University (Manchester) congratulates Jason Innerfield, Casey Morrison, Luke Olsson, and Ryan Waterman of Weare on being named to the fall 2017 President's List. Eligibility for the President's List requires that a student accumulate an academic grade point average (GPA) of 3.7-4.0 and earn 12 credits for the semester.

Grace Sargent of Weare has been named to SNHU's fall 2017 Dean's List. Eligibility for the Dean's List requires that a student accumulate an academic grade point average (GPA) of 3.5-3.699 and earn 12 credits for the semester.

Weare Resident on Curry College Dean's List

Curry College (Milton, MA) is proud to announce that Jocelyn Dimond of Weare, has been named to the Dean's List for the Fall 2017 semester. To qualify for the Dean's List, students must earn a 3.30 GPA, have no incompletes, and have no grade lower than a "C" for the semester.



Justin Gelinas and his daughter, Alexis in 2nd grade. To Justin's left: 2nd grade classmates Natalee Sestito and Samantha Rice.

Center Woods Awarded \$25k Intel Gift Top Prize in the US and Canada

Center Woods Elementary School was presented with a check for \$25,000—the first prize in a technology competition sponsored by the Intel Corporation—by the winner and CWES parent Justin Gelinas during an All School Meeting on January 11. Justin, who works on the Geek Squad at the Manchester Best Buy, is part of a team that has been competing for the Score with Intel Core Competition for four years. Employees of retailers in the US and Canada who sell Intel processors may compete for the prize.

"This year it was my turn to choose where the prize money would go, so of course I chose my daughter's school because our family loves Center Woods," said Mr. Gelinas. Alexis Gelinas is in the second grade and her brother Justin will join her at school next year. "We moved to Weare from Manchester specifically for the smaller schools. Center Woods pays attention to every detail and when you're dealing with people's kids, every detail matters," commented Justin.

What does Center Woods plan to do with the \$25,000? "We're going to take a look at both the Strategic and Technology Plans and make note of items we have not been able to fund that are directly related to student learning," said CWES Principal Jess Potter. "We'd also like some student input on how some of the prize money should be spent. I'm asking students to write about their ideas for our school and why they should be funded."

Baby & Toddler Playgroup
Wednesday, Jan. 17, 10:15am-Noon
Weare Public Library

This is an informal gathering for caregivers and their young children. Get out of the house and meet some new friends! Books, puzzles, early literacy toys and music provided.

Ruff Readers
Wednesday, January 17, 5-6pm
Weare Public Library

Reading motivation program for children of any age! Children pick a book to read to trained therapy dogs, who provide uncritical audiences. Reading is self-paced. 15 minute reading sessions available. Registration required; space is limited. Call Miss Karen at 529-2044 or stop by the Children's Desk to register.

Knit Night
Wednesday, January 17, 7pm
Weare Public Library

Attention all knitters, Knitters Club meets 3rd Wednesday of each month at 7pm.

LEGO Club
Thursday, January 18, 3:30-5:30pm
Weare Public Library

Come in for some creative play. Donations of Legos for the library's collection always appreciated.

Ryan Williamson Music
Live at the Stark House
Thursday, January 18, 7:30-9:30pm
Stark House Tavern
487 S Stark Hwy, (603) 529-0901

Town Meetings:

- Wednesday, January 17**
7pm – Finance Committee
- Monday, January 22**
6:30pm – Selectmen
- Tuesday, January 23**
7pm – Friends of the Library
- Thursday, January 25**
7pm – Planning Board

The Writers Guild
Friday, January 19, 10:30am
Weare Library Sawyer Room

Minus 7 degrees didn't stop the hearty folks in the Weare Writers Guild. They met as usual on January 5th. The next meeting will be Friday January 19th at 10:30 AM downstairs in the Sawyer room at the Weare Public Library. If you like putting words together, come and join us. It's like being "back stage" at the creation of a book or article. Some of the things we write are memoirs which are obviously going to be a long process and may never be for publication. Sometimes we write quick poems or short stories to express a single thought we want to capture and share with others. Sometimes, a project that was moving right along stops in its tracks. We offer support and sometimes we start a whole new project. Or maybe you are like me? I like to write; but a lot of the time, I just listen and enjoy what others do. Wherever you are at, if words are "your thing", join us when you can. For more information contact Sharon Czarnecki at czar5@comcast.net.

Live at the Stark House
Stark House Tavern

487 S Stark Hwy, (603) 529-0901
Friday, January 19, 8-10pm:
Tim Kierstead Music And Art
Saturday, January 20, 8-10pm:
Eric Lindberg & Brad Myrick

Story Time
Monday, January 22, 11:15am
Weare Public Library
Stories and crafts for kids 5 and under and their caregivers.

Play Bridge
Monday, January 22, 4-6pm
Weare Public Library
No prior knowledge required, just a desire to learn a challenging and interesting game.

Beginner Guitar Group
Monday, January 22, 5-6pm
Weare Public Library
Learn the basics of rhythm and melody, learn and share some simple songs. Bring an acoustic guitar and a tuner if you have one. No charge. Ages 8 and up, please.

Caregivers Support Group
Tuesday, January 23, 1:30-3pm
Holy Cross Episcopal Church
118 Center Road, North Weare
2nd and 4th Tuesday each month.
Contact Marge Burke, 529-7792.

Book Group:
The Curious Incident of the Dog In the Night-Time
by Mark Haddon
Wednesday, January 24, 6:30pm
Weare Public Library

Christopher John Francis Boone knows all the countries of the world, all their capitals, and every prime number up to 7,057. He relates well to animals but has no understanding of human emotions. He cannot stand to be touched and detests the color yellow. His quest to investigate the death of a neighborhood dog is one of the most widely heralded novels in years. Books available at the library.

(Cook) Book Club
Saturday, January 20, 11:30am

Weare Public Library
10 Paige Memorial Lane, Weare
wearepl@comcast.net 529-2044 wearepl.wordpress.com

**Soup,
Stew,
Chili, &
Chowder**



Choose one from your favorite cook book, then bring the dish and the book or the recipe with you.
(Please let Dena know what you are bringing so we do not duplicate.)



The Pack 24 Weare NH Pinewood Derby was held on Saturday, January 13, 2018 at Weare Middle School. There were 47 Scouts racing. Winning racers from left to right: First Place - Daniel Brisson, Second Place - Dwight Lentch, Third Place - Connor Rutledge. If you want information on joining Cub Scouts in Weare - Contact Scoutmaster Frank Morris @ 582-5085 or Committee Chair Ken Miner @ 724-8741. Pack 24 can be found online @ sites.google.com/site/pack24wearenh/

British Soccer Camp, July 9-13

Week Long Summer Camp for Ages 3-14, Weare Middle School

Half day and Full day options with before and after care available! To register, visit challenger.configio.com/pd/158922/weare-athletic-club. Please note that there will be a \$10 late fee for campers registering within 10 days of the camp start date. Many camps will fill up and be closed prior to this date – please register early to avoid disappointment. Each summer camp program includes a free ball, camp t-shirt, action poster, and a camp report, plus if you register 45 days or more before camp we will ship you this free British Soccer jersey (s&h applies).

Filing period for School and Town Offices

January 24-February 2, 2018

Selectman - two positions for 3-year terms. **Library Trustee**-one position for 3-year term. **Trustees of the Trust Funds** - one position for 3-year term. **Cemetery Trustee** - one position for 3-year term, one position for 1-year term. **Supervisor of the Checklist** - one position for 6-year term. **Moderator** - one position for 2-year term. **Board of Fire-Wards (Non-Member Fire Department)** - one position for 3-year term. **Board of Fire-Wards (Member Fire Department)** - one position for 3-year term. **John Stark School District School Board Member (At Large)** - 3 year term. **John Stark School District School District Moderator** - 1 year term. **Weare School District One School Board Member** - 3 year term. **Weare School District One School Board Member** - 3 year term. (Persons wishing to file for school district positions should contact the office of the Superintendent of Schools at 603-428-3269 ext. 240.)

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Weare School District Warrant

By Chris Hague

(This is the first of a series of informational articles about the upcoming budget season and warrant articles.)

Weare voters will have four Weare School District warrant articles to consider. The first two are procedural, setting the School Board's salaries and accepting reports. The third article will be a request for \$15, 299,618 for the 2018-2019 school year. Dr. Lorraine Tacconi-Moore, SAU 24 Superintendent of Schools, presented the Weare School District's proposed budget at a public hearing on January 10. The requested amount is a decrease of \$3,328 from last year. Should the proposed budget fail, the default will be \$15,138,975.

Higher costs for health insurance, contracted speech pathology services, pupil transportation, and student needs were offset in part by reductions in use and cost of propane, bond costs, special education transportation and out of district tuition, and a reduction in the District's share of the SAU budget. Four retirements also lowered the budget total. These positions will be filled, but at lower salaries and benefits. The budget request includes an additional \$160,643 for replacement computers, additional hardware and software, books and materials, general equipment, online library resources, and maintenance.

A fourth article would place \$75,000 of surplus funds into the Building Maintenance Expendable Trust Fund. Dr. Tacconi-Moore said that this fund is short of the amount necessary to replace an aging boiler at Center Woods School.

These warrant articles together would be increase taxes by 27 cents, setting the District's tax amount at \$9.48 per thousand. The default amount would be \$9.29 per thousand.

Budget proposals will be presented to voters at the District's deliberative session February 7, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. in the cafeteria at the Weare Middle School. Any amendments made at that meeting will be reflected in proposals on the ballot in March. Voters are encouraged to attend this important meeting, where they may ask questions and amend any articles they wish to see changed.

Across

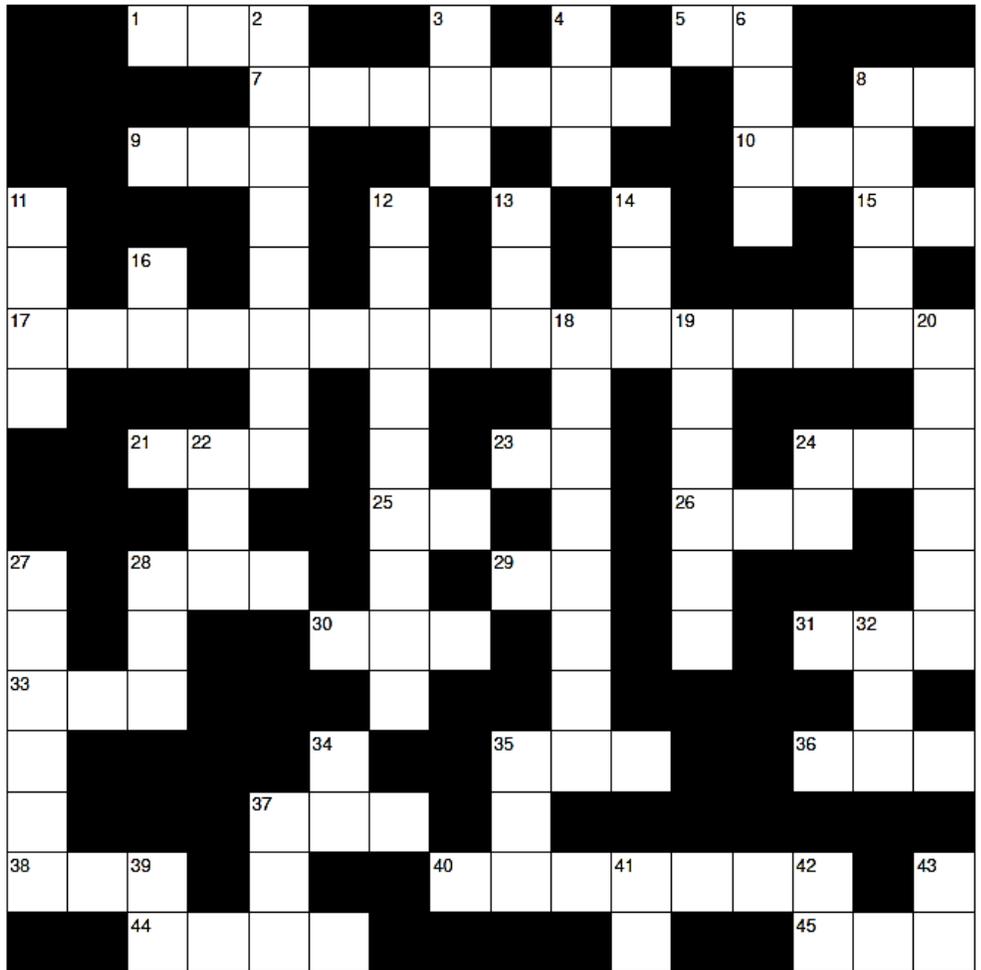
1. New England season between winter and spring.
5. Subconscious.
7. Pizza-type food.
8. Informal greeting.
9. Tasty sound.
10. Place for beauty treatment.
15. Exist.
17. Politicians don't lie, they use ____.
21. belonging to that guy.
23. Atop.
24. Wedding affirmative.
25. Prince ___ Wales.
26. Morse Code component.
28. Put your hands on.
29. First person plural.
30. Help out.
31. Male offspring.
33. Big coffee cup.
35. Long way.
36. Unused.
37. Not bright.
38. A couple.
40. Subtler points.
44. Moves quickly.
45. Grain popular among the equine crowd.

Down

2. Weare to get pizza?
3. European mountain.
4. Broken down horse.
6. Computer storage device.
8. "We are what we repeatedly do. Excellence, then, is not an act, but a ____." -- Aristotle.
11. Bummer.
12. Notch locale.
13. Hawaiiin welcoming gift.
14. Struggle (for).
16. Located there.
18. Dangerous grudge.
19. Square dance need.
20. Said out loud.
22. Anger.
24. The girl to be.
27. Shakespearean prince.
28. Musical job.
32. Unique object.
34. Math term that sounds like dessert.
35. Annual epidemic.
37. Cub Scout group.
39. Indicating options.
41. Short, negative, answer.
42. Question indicating dismissal.
43. NH's next door neighbor.

Liars, Damn Liars, and Politicians

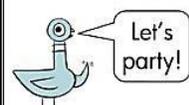
Michael Sullivan



Elephant & Piggie Party

At the
Weare Public Library
10 Paige Memorial Lane
Weare, NH

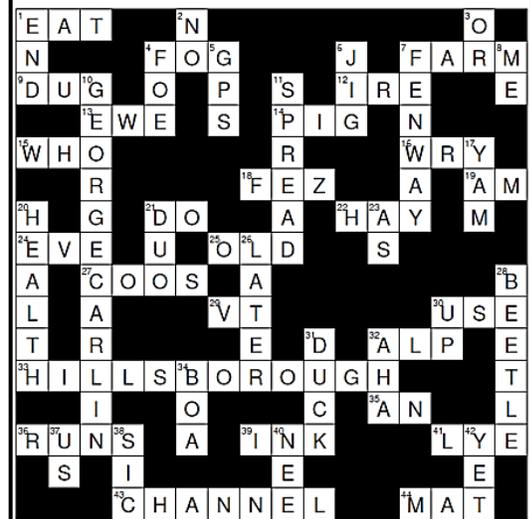
Saturday
Jan. 27
10:00-11:30 am



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