



Weare in the World

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Sarah Wagner has always loved history and civics. While at John Stark, she took both civics classes offered (Civics and We the People) and then continued to take AP Government as an independent study. Her "How to become a Member of Congress" Capstone project included researching the multiple steps it takes to mount a campaign. Sarah is off to Washington, DC and Catholic University to study Political Science.

John Stark EXPO

The annual EXPO featuring the Capstone Projects completed by seniors at John Stark Regional High School was held on the evening of May 17. The Capstone Project demonstrates a student's ability to learn independently with a mentor and show they are college and career ready. The learning project components include a project proposal, learning log, reflective paper, and a presentation to evaluators. Projects can be academic, hands on, or a combination of the two.

Play Bridge

Thursday, May 24, 1-4pm
Weare Public Library

Alternating Wednesdays and Thursdays. No prior knowledge required, just a desire to learn/play a challenging and interesting game.

Memorial Day Exercises

Monday May 28 at 10 A.M., Weare Middle School

Philbrick-Clement American Legion Post 65, with Boy Scout participation, will conduct a Memorial Day program. The program will include a local speaker. There will be a salute to Weare veterans of all wars immediately following at the Stone Building. Wreaths will be laid at the New Cemetery on Buzzell Hill Road and Hillside Cemetery. The public is encouraged to attend all or part of this observance.

New Hampshire State Primary - Notice To Voters

The State Primary Voting Will Be Held at the Weare Middle School on Tuesday, September 11, 2018, 7am-7pm. For the nomination of Candidates for the offices of Governor, Representative in Congress, Executive Councilor, State Senator, or County Officer, Declarations of Candidacy must be filed with the Secretary of State. For the nomination of Candidates for the offices of State Representative or Delegate to the Republican State Convention (Election), Declarations of Candidacy must be filed with Town Clerk. Declarations of Candidacy, Declarations of Intent and Petitions must be filed no earlier than June 6, nor later than June 15, 5pm.

Voter Registration, Tuesday, June 5, 7-7:30pm

Town Clerk's Office, 15 Flanders Memorial Road

Pursuant to RSA 654:32, the Supervisors of the Checklist will be in session for change of party registrations and for additions and corrections to the checklist for the filing period for all offices for the State Primary Election. June 5 is the last day voters registered with a party affiliation may change or declare a party affiliation for the State Primary Election. Only undeclared voters may declare a party on primary election day. Pursuant to RSA 654:34, Weare residents wishing to become registered voters may do so at this meeting or at the Primary. Please bring two (2) forms of identification, one (1) with picture, that show proof of age and residence address. Voters who register subsequent to this date may declare a party when they register. Any person with a disability who wishes to attend this public meeting and needs to be provided a reasonable accommodation in order to participate, please call the Town Office at 529-7575 at least 24 hours in advance so that arrangements can be made.

Play Cribbage

Thursday, May 31, 6-8pm, Weare Public Library

Come play or learn this classic card game in a fun, low-pressure environment. Cards and boards provided, or bring your favorite.

Letters:

With midterm elections right around the corner, it's almost time to engage with our dearest and most important democratic tradition, voting. While most of the political discourse of our nation is focused exclusively on national politics, it can be argued that local politics is of even more vital importance. While the vast majority of Americans know who our President is, and even maybe the Senators or Congress people from their own states, how many of us know all of our elected officials and representatives in, say, Hillsborough County? On a smaller level yet, who knows all of our elected levels in the town of Weare alone?

While it is obviously critically important to be aware and informed on the state of our national politics, it is just as important if not more so to be engaged in local and state politics. These are the building blocks of national politics at large. It may seem less consequential to know who your Selectman is, or what they do, than it is to have the same understanding of the executive branch but this is not necessarily the case. Town and state officials effect and shape our daily lives almost more dramatically than Senators, Congress people, and Presidents do.

However just as it is in national politics at large, it is completely possible to be engaged in the process and to also be dissatisfied at the same time. If no candidates properly embody your views or values, why give them your valuable support? Why should we abide to vote between the lesser of two evils, or be made to compromise in areas so important to our daily lives? The answer is that we shouldn't, and if there are no candidates running that properly represent our interests, we should then run for office ourselves instead of handing the positions to the same people election cycle after election cycle. After all, the only way

to achieve a better, fairer and more representative government is to get involved personally and do it ourselves. No one will create a better government for us, the only way to acquire it is to make it ourselves, whether through voting or running for office. - *Dakota Ventiere*

Baby & Toddler Playgroup

Wednesday, May 23, 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.

Beginner Guitar Group

Wednesday, May 23, 5-6pm
Weare Public Library

Learn the basics of rhythm and melody and some simple songs. Bring an acoustic guitar and a tuner if you have one. No charge. Ages 8 and up.

Ruff Readers

Wednesday, May 23, 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.

Book Group

The Shadow of the Wind
by Carlos Ruiz Zafon
Wednesday, May 23, 7pm
Weare Public Library

Books available at the library.

Town Meetings:

Thursday, May 24

7pm – Planning Board

Monday, May 28 – Memorial Day
Town offices & Library Closed

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American Indians of Weare

Friday, May 25, 7pm

Weare Town Hall

Sponsor: Weare Historical Society, Friends of the Weare Public Library

Sherry Gould, member of the Nulhegan Band of the Coosuk - Abenaki Nation is a basket maker and fiber artist from Warner, NH. She will be talking about local place names, giving the good, the bad and the ugly aspects of places we call by names associated with the original people of New Hampshire. Or are they related to anything close to the original people? Come hear some tales of the facts and lore and undecided origins of local place names.

Legion Breakfast

Sunday, May 27, 8-11am

American Legion Post 65

The community is invited to select from a breakfast menu with meals starting at \$3.75. The atmosphere is casual and the food traditional. Seating at long tables brings together people who make new acquaintances and chat with old friends. Breakfasts are staffed by volunteer crews who share the Legion's community service goals. Proceeds from breakfasts support the Legion hall, scholarships, youth activities and help for veterans.

Game Night

Monday, May 28, 6-8pm

Generals Sports Bar & Grill

840 S Stark Highway

529-3663 generalsbargrill.com

Hosted by Generals Sports Bar & Grill and Weare Lacrosse. 10% of sales will go to Weare Athletic Club. Questions about joining or coaching youth lacrosse? Email Ric or Kim at lacrosse@weareathleticclub.com.

Town-Wide Yard Sale

Saturday, June 2, 8am-2pm, Sponsor:

Weare Historical Society

Maps \$2, available at the Historical Society Stone Building, Town Center, on the day of the sale. FMI: 529-7253.



New Assistant Principal

Dr. Laurel Richie Dumont will be the Assistant Principal for Teaching and Learning at John Stark Regional High School, beginning on July 1.

Brian Emery will continue as Assistant Principal, concentrating on student life. Aprylle Desrosiers will take the position of Director of Student Services, overseeing the Counseling office, interventions for struggling students, and coordination of the management of 504 plans and extended learning opportunities for all students.

As Assistant Principal for Teaching and Learning, Dr. Dumont will focus on coordination of curriculum, use of data for decision making, and creating professional development opportunities for faculty and staff.

Dr. Dumont has taught students in all years of middle and high school, as well as undergraduates for 26 years in Connecticut and Delaware. In addition to National Board Certification, she holds a PhD from Northcentral University in Education with specialization in Curriculum and Instruction.

Building Fire, 662 Concord Stage Road

On May 14, 2018, at 1426 hours the Weare Fire Department responded to a single phone call report of a building fire in the vicinity of 662 Concord Stage Road. The duty crew arrived at the residence within five minutes of the alarm to find a large 2-story cape style house with a significant amount of fire showing. Fire Chief Robert Vezina immediately struck the second alarm.

Engine 5, under the direction of Captain Kristina Houde, began their fire attack from the exterior due to the large volume of fire consuming the front of the house. Once the fire had been darkened down from the outside the crew entered the building to search for occupants and to continue extinguishing the fire. Fire crews completed their search to confirm that the residents were not home and began the laborious task of opening up many void spaces to extinguish the hidden fire. The fire was brought under control in about ninety minutes. Damage to the house was substantial.

“All personnel did a great job,” said Chief Vezina, “Given the amount of fire on arrival and the limited number of personnel available made for a busy few minutes”.

Firefighters from several surrounding communities fought the fire with water that had to be transported via tanker trucks from a nearby water source. The communities of Goffstown, Henniker, Bow, New Boston, Henniker, Dunbarton, Hopkinton, Hillsboro, Francetown, Mont Vernon, Concord, and Deering provided Mutual Aid.

The cause of the fire remains under investigation by the NH Fire Marshal’s Office.

Two fire personnel were evaluated for heat related issues at the scene. No civilians were injured. The homeowners are staying with relatives in the area.



Nicole Grenier on Copper.

The John Stark Regional High School Equestrian Team was the Reserve Champion at the end of the season for NH High School Equestrian Team District II. This district includes Milford, Bishop Guertin, Goffstown, Trinity, Bedford, and the Derryfield School. The John Stark team also took second place overall for all three meets this season. The league combines middle and high school

members, and the JSRHS Equestrian team includes students from John Stark, Weare Middle, and the Henniker Community School.

My Parent & Me Group

June 5, 12, 19, and 26, 11-11:45am

Twin Bridge Stables, 188 Twin Bridge Road 660-8167

Bring your child (children) for a fun morning of socialization and fun! Hans on horse grooming, crafts, and free play time. Space is limited to five families per week. Please call, text, or email to sign up. Ages 2-5 years old. Price: \$20 per family (parent and up to two children), \$5 for each additional child.

Engine Repair Business Opens

Weare Repair, 77 Duck Pond Rd 522-7473 [m.facebook.com/WeareRepair](https://www.facebook.com/WeareRepair)

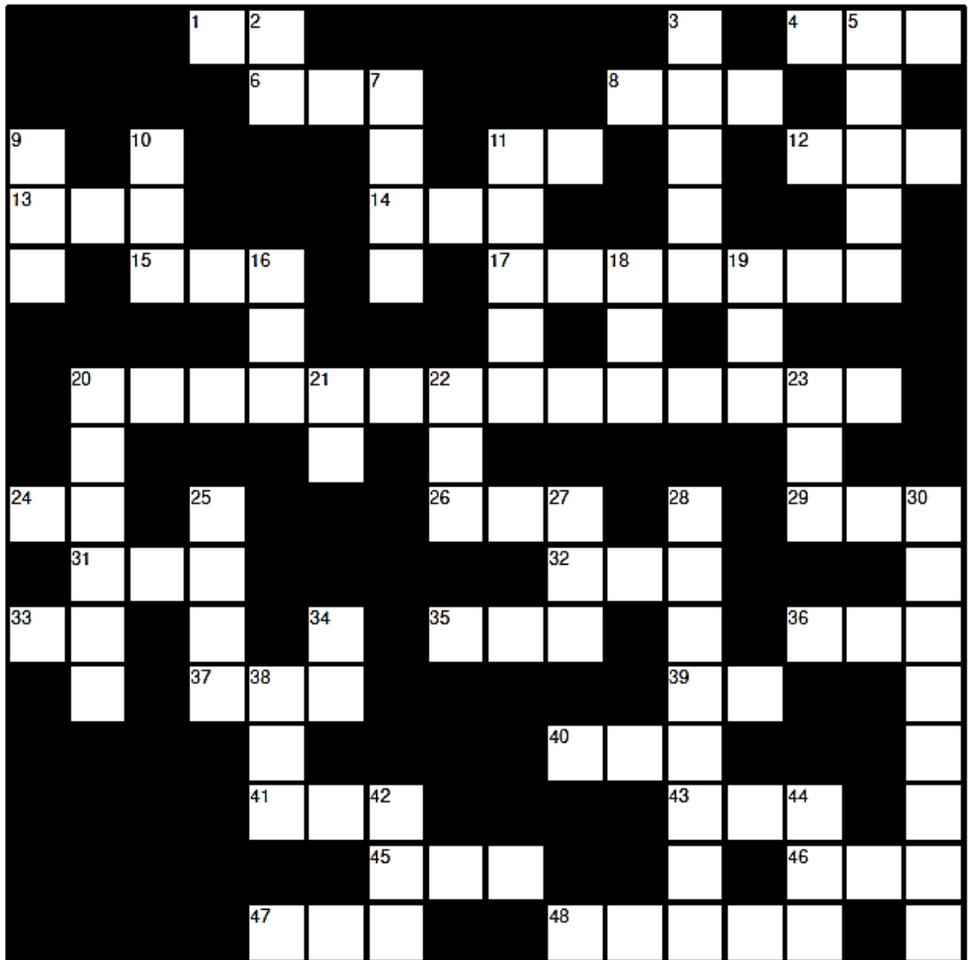
Weare Repair is open for business. We are “fix it” experts for your small engines, tractors, lawnmowers, snowblowers chainsaws, etc. We offer mechanical services, light fabrication, machine shop, welding, and perform work on electrical systems. We offer pick up services in Weare and most surrounding towns. No job is too small—give us a call! We have decades of experience in troubleshooting, repairing and modifying all types of equipment. We are thrilled to be part of the small business community in Weare and look forward to keeping your equipment running great!

Across

1. Math term that sounds like dessert.
4. Every one.
6. Video format.
8. Four-legged member of the family.
11. Exist.
12. Dingy equipment.
13. Enemy.
14. Fight on steroids.
15. Carry a heavy load.
17. Pizza-type food.
20. Warning on a post or video... don't open at the office!
24. Personal state of being.
26. Most important point.
29. Santa's little helper.
31. Consumed.
32. Pitching star.
33. NH's next door neighbor.
35. a small drink.
36. Hawaiiin welcoming gift.
37. KKing Kong type.
39. Accomplish.
40. Metal in the raw.
41. Cut a trout open.
43. Just a bit.
45. Upset or anger.
46. Poetic tribute.
47. Mama lamb.
48. Fe-fi-fo'er.

Office protocol 2.0

Michael Sullivan



Down

2. Subconscious.
3. Okaay under the law.
5. Gain knowledge.
7. Day's beginning.
9. Many times, poetically.
10. Toothpaste material.
11. Short, or a short explanation.
16. Driving help from a comp.
18. Mix of breathable gases.
19. Wedding affirmative.
20. "If you aren't going all the way, why go at all?" – Joe ____.
21. Newspaper blurb selling something.
22. Large deer.
23. Seacoast NH town.
25. Add it to anything to make it huge.
27. Slap one's gums.
28. Dangerous grudge.
30. "There are two kinds of ____: those who thought and never did, and those who did and never thought." -- Laurence J. Peter.
34. First person plural.
38. Dog so ugly it is cute.
42. Neckwear for men.
44. Morse Code component.



Brien Sweet, who's live music repertoire spans more than five decades, pop, rock, country, reggae, and R&B, kicks off this weekend's live music at the Stark House Tavern.

Live Music at Stark House

487 S Stark Hwy (603) 529-0901

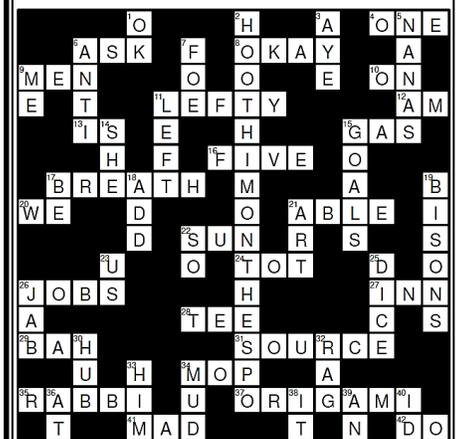
Thu., May 24, 7:30pm – Brien Sweet

Friday, May 25, 8pm – Ken Budka

Sat., May 26, 8pm – Tim Kierstead

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