We are in the World
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A free weekly production of the Weare Public Library

Weare Old Home Day
Saturday, August 24, 10am-3pm
Free to the Community
Animal Encounter takes the stage at Old Home Day at 11:30. Look for Fiddler Kip Ferguson, and music all day from a DJ in the gazebo. The Weare Historical Museum in the Stone Memorial Building will be open and screening a video of historic Weare from 10am to 3pm. There will be a car show, weather permitting, along the Middle School driveway.

Kids can enjoy a craft center throughout the day, or try out a climbing wall, bouncy house, and giant Connect 4 game in the area between the library and the Stone Memorial Building. Monica Leo of Trading Faces, LLC will be doing face painting, airbrush tattoos, and henna tattoos.

Don’t miss the Pie and Chili Cookoffs. Dig out those recipes, polish up your pots and pans, and show us what you’ve got! To enter, contact Tara at 529-8410 or 370-8190. A tasting panel of three judges will vote on the entries. The winner of each contest (pie and chili) will receive a $25 gift card, plus bragging rights until the next Old Home Day!

Among the huge variety of vendors will be several representing the arts and crafts world. The Weare Area Writers Guild will have a table featuring locally-written books, many of which use Weare, New Hampshire, and New England as their backdrop. Carmella Stagakis will be there with Earth Art Studio, as well as April Racicot of KnickNacCrafts with sewn, quilted, and fiber art projects. You can meet puppet builder, puppeteer, and freelance artist Natalie Lessard of Fantastical Puppetarium. See the work of Richard Harbour of Snug Harbour Carving, and photographer Barry Simmons. Plus DKR Crafters’ doll clothes and Deb’s Wicked Stitch homemade sewn items.

Take a chance on the vendor auction in front of the Stone Memorial Building, with vendor-donated items and some special prizes, $100 cash, a TV, and a grill. Tickets are $1 each, or 5 for $5.

OHRV Incident In East Weare
At 12:00 pm on Saturday, August 17, 2019, Weare Fire Rescue Department responded to an OHRV accident on the Hopkinton-Everett Multi-use Trail System located in East Weare. Weare Fire Rescue, working with eyewitnesses together with GPS coordinates from NH 9-1-1, was able to locate the injured rider on Bassett Mill Trail suffering from a lower leg injury.

Fire Chief Robert Vezina would like to thank all who assisted and aided in the successful mitigation of the incident, most significantly Dunbarton Fire Department, Weare Police Department, and NH Fish & Game Department.

PTO Welcome Back Social
Monday, August 26, 5-7pm, Town Gazebo
The Weare PTO is holding a welcome back social to show parents their after-school options. Get to know the before and after school programs from the Boys and Girls Club and New Morning, Cub Scouts, You Should Be Dancing, the Ruff Reader reading to therapy dogs program at the Weare Public Library, and Henniker Huskies. The Smoke Wagon will be there with food, and the PTO will have freeze pops and some games to play.

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First Day of School
Wednesday, August 28
Please remember to watch for students walking and biking to and from our schools and waiting at or being dropped off at various bus stops. Please stop at crosswalks and for stopped school buses.

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What & When in Weare:

Wednesday, August 21
6:30pm – Finance Committee, Town Offices
7pm - Knit Night, Weare Library

Thursday, August 22
1pm – Computer 101, Weare Library
7pm - Planning Board

Friday, August 23
5pm – Wine and Beer Tasting, Country3Corners

Saturday, August 24
10am – Weare Old Home Day

Sunday, August 25
8-11am – Breakfast, American Legion Post 65

Monday, August 26
5pm – Board of Fire Wards
6pm – Back to School With Essential Oils, Weare Library
6:30pm – Board of Selectmen

Tuesday, August 27
1:30pm – Caregiver Support Group, Holy Cross Church
7pm – Friends of the Weare Public Library

Wednesday, August 28
7pm – Book Group, Weare Library

Friday, August 30
5pm – Wine Tasting, Country3Corners

Sunday, September 1
8-11am – Breakfast, American Legion Post 65

Tuesday, September 3
Noon -Senior Wearites, American Legion Post 65

Wednesday, September 4
10:30am – Baby & Toddler Playgroup, Weare Library
6pm – Mildred Hall Advisory Committee, Library Sawyer Room
6:30pm – Finance Committee, Town Offices

Knit Night
Wednesday, August 21, 7pm
Weare Public Library
Knit, crochet, sew, whatever fabric art you are into, come share the time and some fellowship.

Planning Board Meeting
Thursday, August 22, 7pm
Weare Town Office Building
Conditional Use Permit for Charity Gagnon on 231 Old Franccetown Road (Map 411 Lot 354) for a dog kennel. Weare Zoning Ordinance section 17.3.12 Kennels (as permitted use) in the Rural Agricultural Zone, by a conditional use permit issued by the Planning Board.


Change of Use application for Alexander Heafield (dba) HL Sugar Hill LLC for the property on 197 South Sugar Hill Road, former speedway. The proposed use is for a landscaping business. The tax map is 404, Lot 4 in the Commercial Zone.

Site Design Review for TMS Diesel LLC for the property at Concord Stage Road and Rockland Road, Map 202 Lot 94.2 in the Commercial Zone. The applicant proposes to construct vehicle maintenance and repair facility.

Legion Breakfast
Sundays, 8-11am
American Legion Post 65
12 N Stark Hwy
American Legion Post 65 welcomes the community to breakfast every Sunday, May 5 – November 3, from 8-11am We have the best breakfast at the lowest prices!

Back to School with Essential Oils
Monday, August 26, 6pm
Sawyer Room, Weare Library
$20 materials fee
Come make an essential oil “Back to School” wellness kit to help your littles (and yourself!) get ready to tackle the school year! You won’t want to miss it! With Delina Kelley of Young Living Essential Oils. Please RSVP, or for more info, email YLbyDelina@yahoo.com.

Caregivers Support Group
Tuesday, August 27, 1:30-3pm
Holy Cross Episcopal Church
118 Center Road, North Weare
Contact Marge Burke, 529-7792.

Wine Tasting
Friday, August 30, 5-7pm
Country 3 Corners, 833 S. Stark Hwy
Join Derek from Perfecta Wines. All items tasted during the evening are specially priced.

Senior Weare-ites Meeting
Tuesday, September 3, 12pm
American Legion Hall
For more information, call Pat at 529-2259.

Baby & Toddler Playgroup
Wednesday, September 4, 10:30am
Weare Public Library
An informal gathering for caregivers and young children. Get out of the house; meet new friends! Books, puzzles, early literacy toys, music.

Community Coffee:
Ask Your Local Financial Advisor, Elizabeth Salas Evans
Thursday, September 5, 10am
Do you have questions about investments? Financial security? Retirement? Anything that has to do with your money? Ask Weare’s own Elizabeth Salas Evans, President and Chief Compliance Officer at Cayena Capital Management, LLC, an independent fiduciary, financial advisor, and economist based right here in Weare. Plus coffee, goodie, and a chance to meet with other Wearites!

Seniorcize
Tuesdays & Thursdays, 8:30am
Weare Town Hall
For a nominal pay-as-you go fee, get the convenience of a local group and individualized support for beginners. An attractive alternative to a trip to the gym. For more information, contact Valerie White, 529-4975.
Hand In Hand Ministries present:
Ya Never Know Thrift Shop
and Breaking Bread 60+ Café Center!

The thrift shop will open soon with gently used to new items at a reasonable price. Donations can be dropped off by appointment at this time; please call (603) 325-1544. Downsizing? Tidying up a bit? Do you have something new that you will never use? Bought it and forgot about it? Received a gift you will never use? You can re-gift it right here.

What we are looking for: cleaned, gently used or new clothing, shoes & jewelry. Gently used dish and glassware sets! No odds or chips! Gently Used or never used small kitchen gadgets, pots & pans sets. Small Kitchen appliances: toasters, juicers, blenders, or food processors. Gently used furniture and lamps.

We cannot accept at this time: Televisions, computers, microwaves, cribs, and books unless they are new reading books which we could use in our Senior Café Center.

Also needed are volunteers to make this all happen. Contact Peggy at handinhandministriesinc@gmail.com. All proceeds will benefit Breaking Bread 60+ Café Center. The café will offer free coffee/tea bar and WI-FI to our seniors 60+. A place to come together and socialize, play games, indulge in a puzzle, or read a book. We would love to offer a book swap area, a knitting/crocheting class or group, a card game table, or an art class? The possibilities are endless. Please tell us your suggestions!

We will offer a free lunch once a week. We can also accept offers of "goodies" from those so inclined to bake something and share. Donations are tax deductible. Hand In Hand Ministries Inc is a nonprofit 501(c3).

AARP Smart Driver Course Objectives
The AARP Smart Driver course, offered by AARP Driver Safety, is the nation’s largest classroom and online driver safety course and is designed especially for drivers age 50 and older. By taking the AARP Smart Driver course you’ll learn the current rules of the road, defensive driving techniques, and how to operate your vehicle more safely in today’s increasingly challenging driving environment.

The AARP Smart Driver course is designed to help you learn research-based safety strategies that can reduce the likelihood of a crash; understand the links between the driver, vehicle, and road environment, and how this awareness encourages safer behavior; learn how aging, medications, alcohol, and other health-related issues affect driving ability, along with ways to adjust to allow for these changes; increase confidence; know how to drive safely when sharing the road with other road users; learn the newest safety and advanced features in vehicles; learn when driving may no longer be safe; and explore other ways to travel.

Ready to sign up? The AARP Smart Driver course takes place at the Weare Public Library, Tuesday, September 10, 9am-4pm. The course costs $15 for AARP members and $20 for non-members. Space is limited. Register at 529-2044, email wearepl@comcast.net, or stop by the Weare Library at 10 Paige Memorial Lane.

Dems Host Presidential Candidates
The Weare Democrats hosted a Meet and Greet for presidential candidate John Delaney on Saturday, August 17. As the ex-congressman outlined his plan for the future and answered questions, his team prepared hamburgers and hotdogs on the grill. This was the forth in a series of meet and greets the Weare Dems have hosted: Elizabeth Warren came in May, Seth Moulton and Tom Steyer shared their visions for America in July.

The Weare Democrats are looking forward to hosting other candidates in the future. They are working out the details for the next candidate, Tulsi Gabbard, a senator from Hawaii. All the candidates have received multiple requests from the Weare group and have indicated interest in coming to our town.

Local Wildlife Artist Exhibit at Ava Gallery in September
Rosemary Conroy, a contemporary painter who lives in Weare, will be exhibiting nearly a dozen new paintings at the AVA Gallery & Art Center in Lebanon, NH for the month of September. Entitled “Love At First Sight,” the show will feature Conroy’s expressive portraits of bears, owls and whales, among other creatures.

An opening reception will be held on Friday, September 6, from 5-7pm and the public is welcome. Conroy will also be giving an Artist Talk on Thursday September 19 at 5:30 at AVA. For more information and to get directions, please visit AVA’s website at www.avagallery.org or call (603) 448-3117.

The artist co-hosted “Something Wild” on New Hampshire Public Radio for over ten years was named one of “Eleven NH Women Artists to Watch” by New Hampshire Magazine.
Across
1. Most important point.
4. Enemy.
5. Place of origin.
7. Round bread, sauce, and cheese.
8. Fight on steroids.
9. A substance used in the diagnosis, treatment, or prevention of a disease.
13. Finless swimmer.
15. Just a bit.
16. Large noise.
17. Breakfast staple.
21. Grain popular among the equine crowd.
29. Regret.
31. "I knew it!"
34. 168 hours.
37. Shape with no end.
38. Mighty tree.
40. Object for play.

Down
2. One of the throwing Mannings.
3. Piece together with thread and needle.
4. Long way.
5. Unhappy.
6. Fourth Rock from the sun.
7. Is all down.
10. Weare runners, passers, and kickers.
11. NH city that sounds agreeable.
12. Not divisible by two.
18. Caddy Shack critter.
19. Library system inventor.
20. Valuable rock.
22. Give it a shot.
23. Put a stop to speech.
24. Hawaiian welcoming gift.
26. Fruit drink.
27. Take to the street.
30. Employ for a purpose.
32. Try to find out.
33. Musical job.
34. Dryly sardonic.
35. Great queen, informally.
36. Little guy.