





You vote Monday on whether to raise taxes Town Meeting decides on local meal, hotel taxes Monday, 7 p.m. at AHS

BY BETHANY BRAY STAFF WRITER

Special Town Meeting will decide whether to increase the taxes on restaurant meals and hotel stays in Andover.

leaders to combat a growing \$2

of Andover High School, 80 Shawsheen Road. If residents support On Monday, Aug. 31, voters at a the two articles, Andover's meals said. tax would increase by 0.75 percent and the hotel/motel taxes by 2 percent.

Town Manager Buzz Stapc-

Collins Center on the right side from increased taxes is just one some retirements and including the school department to cover 65 piece of both short and long term piece of the puzzle toward solving Andover's budget woes, he

"The town is well-run and we wouldn't be asking for this if there wasn't a clear need," said Stapczynski. "We're looking at The meeting, called by town zynski says Andover's estimated getting reductions in various deficit for this fiscal year is departments in other ways million deficit, will be held in the \$2,186,000. Gaining extra revenue reduction in hours and expenses, \$1.5 million. Stapczynski wants

layoffs ... We are doing the necessary belt-tightening, and this is an opportunity to raise money that's not a fee, and reduces our reliance on the property tax."

The increases would bring in an estimated \$596,407 in revenue for the rest of FY2010, decreasing the current shortfall to roughly

percent of the shortfall, but met financial planning. The other opposition from school leaders at components are cost reductions, an Aug. 17 tri-board meeting.

Debra Silberstein agreed with contract changes), changes in Stapczynski's assertion that tax service delivery, consolidation increases will not solve the entire of services (both internally and deficit problem.

"Most of us see this potential for additional revenue as one

controlling labor costs (either School Committee Chairwoman through reduction in staffing or

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Andover High School head football coach John Rex watches his players during football practice.

CARL RUSSO/Staff photo

Teen charged in party case

Alcohol 'not contributory factor' in girl's death

BY BETHANY BRAY STAFF WRITER

Andover resident Zachary Zimmerman, 19, pleaded not guilty to charges of providing alcohol to minors at a Feb. 14 overnight party at his William Street home from which a 16-year-old classmate wandered away and drown.

The medical examiner investigating the death of student Elizabeth Mun found her drowning to be suicide it was revealed during a Thursday, Aug. 20 court proceeding.

"The ME further ruled that her consumption of alcohol was not a contributory factor to her death." said Essex Assistant District Attorney Jessica Connors. Mun, a Concord

Academy student and

Wellesley resident, was reported missing to the

Andover police at 6:50

66 *There is* absolutely, utterly no connection whatsoever (to Elizabeth Mun's death and Zachary Zimmerman's charge." John Valerio, attorney

New era, attitude for Andover gridiron

By JUDY WAKEFIELD STAFF WRITER

The Andover High School football team's last state championship banner hangs proudly in the school's gymnasium among other banners saluting sports teams.

But the football banner is bit more dusty than the others. It's 34 years old.

Like Patriots quarterback Tom

Brady, students and Warrior fans appear ready to get back in the game of winning. In fact, a page in the 2009 Andover High yearbook includes a colorful slice of high school life with its "What If...' page.

"What if...girls didn't wear UGGS, everyone didn't get colored hair extension, Facebook wasn't blocked at school and the football team was good." The team's record was 4-7 last year.

AHS Athletic Director Chris before this football season started. Bergeron said he's never seen that longtime head football and baseball "What If..." page. He's focused on the future, not the past, when he talks about AHS football.

However, it seems the time had come for the Andover schools to take a hard look at the AHS football program, which has 110 kids participating this year.

For the first time in 13 years, Andover football will be led by a new coach. Just seven weeks coach Ken Maglio was told he would not be back. Bergeron stands by the decision.

Maglio was the head football coach for 13 years and his overall record was 65-68-2. Maglio's baseball team went 12-10 last spring and had gone 252-131 in his 17 seasons. The Andover teachers union and

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a.m. on Feb. 15. After a four-hour search, Mun was found unrespon-

sive in Hussey Brook Pond, and pronounced dead that afternoon in a Boston hospital.

'There is absolutely, utterly no connection whatsoever (to Mun's death and Zimmerman's charge). It could not be more unequivocal between what happened, tragically, to Ms. Mun by her own hand and what these teens engaged in," said Andover lawyer John Valerio, who is representing Zimmerman jointly with attorney Fred McAlary. "This satisfies the concerns the Zimmerman family has had since the death of Lizzie Mun. They have been devastated, and wanted to know the cause... This doesn't provide much comfort, but some measure of it.

"It's most important to the Zimmerman family, too, to hear for the first time publicly, that Zachary had no

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San Fran treat: Alcatraz swim!

By Judy Wakefield STAFF WRITER

Jack Hall escaped from Alcatraz while on his summer vacation.

But there is no outstanding warrant from the San Francisco, Calif. police department. Hall is no convict. Rather, he is a serious swimmer and has just emerged from a swimming event and vacation in San Francisco. The 61-year-old of Burnham Road took part in the Bay City's Alcatraz Swim Event.

The popular swim race is in its 17th year and this year had 800 swimmers participating. The competition through the famous, often frigid, sometimes shark-infested waters was held Aug. 15.

"It's the premier open water event and I enjoyed it," said Hall, who placed third in his age category.

It was his first time taking part in the event. He swam the 1.5-mile water course in a very respectable 44 minutes.

A daily morning swimmer at the Andover-North Andover YMCA on Haverhill Street, Hall said a trial swim in May left him wondering if swimming in the shadow of Alcatraz was such a good idea.

"The water was awful," Hall said. "There were rollers (waves) in the water and I initially was wondering if I should have signed up.



Andover resident Jack Hall, 61, emerges from the water at the finish line of the Alcatraz Swim Event. He finished third in his age group.

did.

"I'm delighted I did it," he said. "It was a beautiful day. So nice – about 75, 76 degrees.'

Wearing a sleeveless wet suit, he dove in with the other swimmers and remembers the water being warm and comfort-But Hall stuck with the Alcatraz able. The water race course arcs experience.

Swim Event and now is glad he somewhat due to the currents, and Hall adapted nicely.

His wife, Nancy, and their three sons, Will, Jaxon and Jake, and daughter-in-law, Felicia, were waiting for him at the finish line.

"I'd definitely recommend it (to other swimmers)," he said of the

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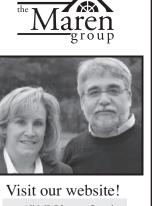
Grace Reilly, 5, left, looks overher friend Ashley Chiango, 5, book she recieved from principal Liz Roos during story time at West Elementary School. Andover Public Schools open for students on Sept. 3.

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responsibility whatsoever in the death of this girl," Valerio said. "It's a step toward the ultimate closure of this whole ordeal for all parties."

Another teen at the February gathering, Morgan Ingari, 18, also was charged with providing alcohol to minors. Ingari appeared in court on Aug. 20 with Zimmerman, and admitted to sufficient facts in the case.

At the arraignment, Connors said Zimmerman drove Ingari to a liquor store on Feb. 14, where she purchased beer and vodka with a fake ID.

Ingari's case was continued without a finding for two years. During those two years she cannot drink and will be subject to random alcohol screens. She must also complete 50 hours of community service and the "Brains at Risk" program on driving and traumatic brain injury.

Ingari, of Winchester, and Zimmerman were both seniors at Concord Academy the night of the February party and graduated this spring.

Ingari will start her freshman year at film school at New York University this fall, and has agreed to do her community service in Massachusetts, while she is home on school breaks.

In court on Aug. 20, Ingari's lawyer, Robert Delahunt Jr., said she has "deep, deep" feelings of regret and remorse and is "fully aware of the consequences of her conduct."

"There is no evidence at all that whatever Ms. Ingari purchased was consumed by the deceased," no way caused by Ms. Ingari's conduct.'

Zimmerman's case will continue with a pre-trial hearing attorney's office."



Zachary Zimmerman, 19, of Andover, and Morgan Ingari, 18, of Winchester stand with their attorneys during their arraignments in Lawrence District Court on Aug. 20.

on Sept. 29. Zimmerman has been excused from appearing in court next month because he will be away at college. This week, Valerio said he and McAlary will be going through hundreds of pages of police documents.

"Zachary wanted to, on our advice, be apprised of what facts were in the possession of the government against him before tendering a plea," said Valerio of Zimmerman's not guilty plea. "As his attorneys, because it's such an unusual case, and there was so said Delahunt. "The terrible, much information out there we tragic death of Ms. Mun was in were not privy to, we wanted to much information out there we wait and view all the materials. After viewing the information, we will speak again with the district

Court documents released after Zimmerman and Ingari's Aug. 20 arraignment answered some guestions that have remained since the February gathering.

The early morning 911 call reporting Elizabeth Mun as missing on Feb. 15 was made by Mun's boyfriend, Joshua Reed.

drinking party had taken place the night before, hosted by Zimmerman, with 15 to 20 Concord Academy students as well as three youths from Andover.

Laurie Zimmerman, the homeowner and Zachary's mother, was not at home the

evening of Feb. 14.

Interviews were conducted that afternoon and evening with "the majority of the people that attended the party," reads the incident report. The interviews revealed that partygoers collected money to buy liquor.

NEW DETAILS ON FEBRUARY GATHERING

Police obtained a search warrant for 58 William St., and on Feb. 15 found two empty 30-pack cases of Coors Light beer, a leather sunglass case containing marijuana, marijuana smoking pipes and paraphernalia, three bottles of vodka, a bottle each of Jagermeister, tequila and wine and 11 other empty beer bottles and cans.

Police investigators found the bar codes on the Coors Light beer from 58 William St. matched those at Route 114 Liquors on Winthrop Avenue, Lawrence.

TAXES: Special Town Meeting will be held on Monday

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with other districts, sharing staff and services) – all of which the schools have been doing through 2009 and will enhance going forward," she said in an e-mail.

Separately, the meals tax increase would bring in \$276,000 and the hotel/motel tax \$321,000 for the remainder of fiscal year 2009, if approved Aug. 31, said Stapczynski. The tax must be approved Aug. 31 to go into effect in October.

warrant for the Oct. 7 meeting.

and owner of Raspberries Eatery

WHY THE SCHOOLS WEIGHED IN

The School Committee does not always Committee Chairwoman Debra Silbertake a position on Town Meeting financial warrant articles. This time, members did vote on the tax issues as the town faces a growing \$2 million deficit.

'Four of us were present (at an Aug. 17 meeting; member Dennis Forgue was absent) and we decided to vote as we would at Town Meeting," said School

here, I'm proud of the services building and nearby Post Office A second special Town Meet- Andover provides, and think we Avenue into a "restaurant row," ing is planned for Oct. 7, at which should fund it at best we can. time residents will be presented The police, fire departments and as early as this fall. with options for what could be cut school system are really great. to balance the budget. Stapczyn-You don't have to travel far to ski said if the two tax increases see towns that are far worse. I'm do not pass at Monday's Town all for keeping classrooms, the Meeting, he probably would ask library, police and fire departselectmen to put them on the ments fully staffed." David Samuels, who co-owns the Musgrove building in Elm While some restaurant owners have opposed the proposed tax, Square, said he is not against Dana Wilson, Andover native raising taxes in general, but feels an economic recession is not the inside the Andover Spa on Elm time for an increase "Right now, businesses and Street, said the restaurant tax increase of 0.75 percent would retail in general are really stretched," said Samuels, who lives and practices dentistry in Andover. Samuels and his business partners, state Rep. Barry Finegold and real estate broker Scott "I'm all for balancing the budget Jamieson, are working on plans yet. of the town. Having grown up to transform the Musgrove

stein. "The School Committee from time to time does take a position on financial warrant articles. This time we felt, at the request of the town manager a Special Town Meeting was being held on Aug. 31, and that if the community was being asked to attend, that we as elected officials should weigh in."

with four new eateries opening

there, if we start employing flex spending plans and self-insurance plans. We can save a lot of money in that department – I've worked with so many companies to do that," he said.

The Finance Committee Report, which includes the two warrant articles, was mailed to every Andover household on Aug. 24. The report and warrant can also be found at www.andoverma.gov, Memorial Hall Library and Town Offices.

The state meals tax went from 5 to 6.25 percent on Aug. 1. If

Mun was last seen at the William Street gathering after 5 a.m., and made a cell phone call at 5:27 a.m. She was found halfsubmerged in Hussey Brook Pond at 10:46 a.m., according to Lane's incident report.

Carrie Kimball Monahan, spokeswoman for District Attorney Jonathan Blodgett, said she cannot comment on why the medical examiner ruled Mun's death a suicide. The medical examiner's office in Boston is only releasing the cause and manner of death - drowning and suicide - which is on Mun's death certificate.

This week, Andover Lt. Commander James Hashem said Andover detectives have finished their investigation, but would not comment further about the events of Feb. 14 and 15.

BOOMER VENTURE

BoomerVenture, a group of programs geared to Baby Boomers, is beginning a new series of classes, now offered on three afternoons per week. Call to register: 978-623-8321.

The BoomerVenture Campus is at 30 Whittier Court in Andover. BoomerVenture fall semester will return to Thursday evenings after Labor Day.

Information is available for the following classes upcoming in the fall semester: Boomer-Zumba, Bridge, Book Club and Nordic Walking.

Boomer Zumba: Cardio fitness with a Latin flair. Dance to Afro-Caribbean music and Latin

"Reed stated Mun was at risk and needed to be found immediately," reads the incident report written by Andover Patrolman Michael Lane. Police arrived to find that an underage

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make little difference to him. "It's basically a drop in the budget. If it can help defray that deficit, I think it's a good idea. I for one, don't want to see any cuts in town services," said Wilson. economic well being, but that revenue needs to be used very efficiently, just as those in the private sector have done. We should be doing everything we can for small businesses to be successful right now. Every industry in this nation has trimmed down and become leaner, but not necessarily the public sector," said Samuels. "It's time for (town and school) departments to really dig deeper down and make some cuts, and the unions need to make some concessions to continue with services that town feels is valuable. Some unions have already done this, but not every department has done this

"There is a lot of savings out

Andover were to approve the increase of 0.75 percent at the "Taxes are a vital part of Aug. 31 Town Meeting, the total rate would go up to 7.0 percent, and Andover would get 0.75 percent of that revenue - or 75 cents for every \$100.

Andover's local hotel/motel tax is 4 percent; the proposed increase would bring it to 6 percent.

If neither of the tax increases pass at Andover's Special Town Meetings, Stapczynski said the town-side's 35 percent of the \$2.1 million deficit would come out to \$735,000 – a worst-case scenario of about 15 lavoffs.

At the Aug. 17 tri-board meeting, Superintendent Claudia Bach said if the schools were to take the 65 percent split of the deficit, or \$1,356,353, that would equal about 33 full-time layoffs.



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beats, with flamenco, belly dance, rock and hip hop thrown in to mix it up. You'll party instead of working out. Licensed Zumba instructor Katie Pina, Andover High School teacher. Sept. 10 - Nov. 19. Thursdays 3:30 to 4:20 p.m. Cost is \$60 per 11 week session. Boomer Bridge: If you ever

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Past & Present



THEN: These mill houses were torn down so developers could create Powder Mill Square at the intersection of North Main and Stevens Street.



NOW: The Powder Mill Square condos.

Cheerleaders' car wash on Aug. 29

Andover High School varsity 1 p.m. There is no set price for cheerleaders will hold their the work, but the cheerleaders annual fundraising car wash will be accepting donations. at West Middle School, 70

This Saturday, Aug. 29, the Shawsheen Road, from 9 a.m. to

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QUOTE, UNQUOTE ...

IT FITS ON A COMPUTER SCREEN more and more popular. read them in minutes. Story in Arts, exists in the world. page 15.

YOU LOOK AT THINGS HERE AND YOU THINK ...it's easier to read and is getting how can you get upset over that? How does that bother you?...Growing up in Andover and Brooks Andover editor Tara L. Masih on (privat high school), I had grown up in a bubble. flash fiction, stories so short you can I had not seen any of the real, deep poverty that

- Andover's Adam Rousmaniere, who spent 10 weeks coaching soccer in the African country of Malawi. Story in Sports, page 18.

NEWS CALENDAR

THURSDAY, AUG. 27

School Building Committee, Town Offices, 36 Bartlet St., second-floor conference room, andoverma.gov 8 a.m.

Retirement Board, Town Offices, 36 Bartlet St., third-floor conference room, 8:30 a.m.

Information Technology Committee, Town Offices, 36 Bartlet St., third-floor conference let St., first-floor conference room, 6:30 p.m. room, 3 p.m.

MONDAY, AUG. 31

Special Town Meeting, Collins Center, Andover

High School, 80 Shawsheen Road, 7 p.m. To view the warrant, Finance Committee report and other information, visit www.

TUESDAY, SEPT. 1

Green Advisory Board, Town Offices, 36 Bart-Cultural Council. Town Offices, 36 Bartlet St., second-floor conference room, 7:30 p.m.

Conservation Commission, Town Offices, 36 Bartlet St., third-floor conference room, 7:45

p.m.

THURSDAY, SEPT. 3

Zoning Board of Appeals public hearing and deliberation, Andover Public Safety Center, 32 North Main St., first-floor conference room, 7 p.m.

SATURDAY, SEPT. 5

Zoning Board of Appeals, Andover Public Safety Center, 32 North Main St., first-floor conference room, 9 a.m.

New boarding rules on commuter rail

Railroad Co. has announced that beginning Monday, Aug. 31, it will pilot new train boarding procedures on the Haverhill line that stops on Railroad Street (the Andover stop) and in Ballardvale.

MBCR requests that all customers use the high-level platform at the outer end of the

passengers are advised to board at the designated area that will

hours of operation between 5 to 9 a.m. Monday through Fridays, will board as usual so that the large number of customers can be comfortably accommodated.

Massachusetts Bay Commuter without high-level platforms, at the outer end of the station the need to climb the stairs to on the coaches closest to the locomotive.

> MBCR said it is making these ing procedures to improve the level of customer safety and the overall on-time performance of trains.

Asking customers to board at the high-level platform will offer a level transfer for both boarding delays, according to the railroad

board the train. Reducing the number of doors in use will allow staff to ensure outer doors are closed prior to departure.

Establishing customer occupancy to just two cars on any train during these off-peak hours will assist with the proper collection of fares, improve boarding efficiencies, and decrease

EEE mosquito is found in Essex County

The Massachusetts Depart- tested positive for the disease. ment of Public Health has Encephalitis has been found in the first time that EEE infected mosquitoes have been found in an alpaca from Candia, in southeastern New Hampshire, had to only one area."

"Southeastern Massachusetts announced that Eastern Equine is certainly our historical hotspot for EEE virus", said DPH State mosquitoes in the town of Mer- Epidemiologist Dr. Al DeMaria rimac in Essex County. This is "In recent years, however, we have seen increasing activity in Essex county, activity which has the northeast corner of the state been concentrated in the towns this season. This finding follows along the New Hampshire borlast week's announcement that der. We should be careful not to think of this disease as restricted

EEE during 2008, however there were 13 cases with 6 deaths from 2004 through 2006. EEE is usually spread to humans through the bite of an infected mosquito. EEE is a serious disease in all ages and can even cause death.

WNV positive mosquito results from 2009 can be found on the Arbovirus Surveillance Information web page at

There was one human case of westnile.ashtonweb.com.



Passengers boarding at North platform at each station dur- Station before 4 p.m. or after ing off-peak hours. For stations 8 p.m. will be asked to board and exiting the train, eliminating company.

be clearly marked with signs. Inbound trains, during the peak changes to off-peak board-

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The cost is \$10 for members and \$20 for non-members. For

The Andover Health Department will offer mini clinics on Monday, Sept. 14, from 2 to 3 p.m. at Andover Commons and on Monday, Sept. 21 from 1 to 2 p.m. at Frve Circle. Seniorcenter clinics will be held 2 to 3 p.m. each Wednesday, Sept. 2, 9, 16, 23 and 30. No appointment is necessary.

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POLICE LOGS

ARRESTS

Sunday, Aug. 23 – At 1:01 a.m., Nicholas R. Svlvester, 18, of 294 South Main St., was arrested and charged with driving without a license, operating under the influence of liquor, possessing or using a false/stolen RMV document and a miscellaneous equipment violation.

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At 1:09 p.m., an officer responded to River Road for a drug arrest. At 1:47 and 2:03 p.m., Alan W. Dewhirst, 25, of 288 Pleasant St., North Andover, and Kyle R. Mosley, 29, of 100 Stockton St. Apt. 172, Chelsea, were arrested and charged with possession of a class A substance.

Monday, Aug. 24 - At 10 a.m., Julio Martinez, 27, of 156 Eastern St. Apt. 1, Lawrence, was arrested and charged on warrants for driving with a suspended registration and improper operation of a motor vehicle.

BREAKS

Tuesday, Aug. 18 – At 6:18 p.m., a 911 call was received from Martha's Vineyard, reporting the caller was speaking with a resident of Kensington Street, and the Andover resident began yelling at someone to get out of her house. Responding officers found a male subject, wearing a hooded blue sweatshirt, had fled from the area of Poor and William streets. State police and authorities in neighboring towns were notified of the subject. An Andover canine officer assisted in the search. No arrests were made.

being away and finding evidence which broke a window. of a forced entry.

THEFT

Monday, Aug. 24 – At 1:15 p.m., police responded to a report of a shoplifter on Main Street and issued a criminal application to a person for shoplifting. The subject was transported to the police station to wait for his or her parents.

At 2:18 p.m., a resident reported identity theft.

AUTO INCIDENTS

Tuesday, Aug. 18 - At 5:19 p.m., a Lowell Street resident reported coming home to find the tires slashed on his Buick.

Wednesday, Aug. 19 – At 6:40 a.m., a Clark Road resident reported two wheels were stolen off his vehicle the previous night. Saturday, Aug. 22 – At 3:23 p.m.,

police assisted fire personnel with a car fire on Bartlet Street. At 6:29 p.m., a driver stopped on

North Street was given a summons for driving without a license and allowing an unlicensed operator.

Monday, Aug. 24 - At 2:16 p.m., a citation for operating to endanger and negligent operation was given to a driver on Union Street. At 2:36 p.m. a criminal application was given to a River Road driver for operating after suspension. At 11:47 p.m., an Andover Street

motorist reported he was driving from Ballardvale center towards

a Regency Ridge Road resident the other way. Someone in the car reported returning home from threw an unknown item at his car,

INCIDENTS

Tuesday, Aug. 18 – At 2:05 p.m., a Carisbrooke Street caller reported a suspicious person going door-todoor asking residents for money to keep the street lights on, saying she was assaulted in the area. A responding officer found the person, and spoke to her about going door-to-door.

At 11:50 p.m., a Bancroft Road resident called 911 to report fireworks being set off near Bancroft Elementary School. A responding officer spoke with the person that had set them off.

Wednesday, Aug. 19 – At 3:23 p.m., Tewksbury Police called with a report of a trash bag with blood coming out of it in front of the IRS, Lowell Street. Two responding officers found no such trash bag from the IRS to the Tewksbury line.

At 4:53 p.m., a caller from Wyeth work shortly.

At 5:54 p.m., police responded to a report of kids on the roof of Doherty Middle School, Bartlet Street, and found roof workers on top of the school.

keyholder, police found a balloon floating around. It was removed.

At 11:49 a.m., a William Street resident flagged down a passing officer to report the media were on his property. Sergeant Mark Higginbottom reported extra checks would be done of the area.

At 6:14 p.m., an Arthur Road resident called police after his wife received a package from UPS around 3:30 p.m. that had white powder on it. Andover fire and police responded, but found the package was not contaminated.

At 6:35 p.m., a Eastman Road resident called police reporting his neighbor was firing a pellet gun into his yard and he was struck in the leg. Both parties were spoken to by responding officers, and the caller declined medical attention.

At 7:38 p.m., a Bullfinch Drive resident reported a suspicious van parked with doors open, which the caller believed might be dealing drugs. Responding officers found the van owners to be visiting a relative in the building.

Friday, Aug. 21 – At 2:58 p.m., officers responded with the Fire Department to a resident who had overdosed.

At 7:50 p.m., a 911 caller reported two construction barrels had blown into the intersection of North Main and Railroad streets. Saturday, Aug. 22 – At 2:48 a.m., police responded to a report of a loud party on Durham Road. Three responding officers gave

Sunday, Aug. 23 – At 7:06 p.m., town when a car passed him going Upon entering the house with a keeping a disorderly house, and the party was "shut down for the night," said the police log.

> At 11:50 a.m., a person walked into the police station to report a past assault and threats.

> At 2:01 p.m., a Timothy Drive resident called 911 because she had no power. National Grid was called on the resident's behalf.

At 3:46 p.m., state police contacted Andover police reporting a female resident had called, saving she had slit her wrists. A call with the resident was disconnected. Fire and police personnel responded, and the person was taken to the hospital.

Sunday, Aug. 23 – At 3:55 p.m., a Railroad Street resident called police reporting "she may possibly have a scorpion in her apartment and needs an officer to assist her," said the police log.

At 9:38 p.m., a Whittier Court resident reported a gathering of kids in the Park took some construction signs and put them all over his car. A responding officer found no damage to the caller's vehicle.

Monday, Aug. 24 – At 5:05 p.m., a Regency Ridge Road resident called 911 after hearing suspicious noises outside his home. A responding officer found the sound may have been the homeowner's sprinklers turning on.

At 1:24 p.m., a Powers Road resident called police reporting he found some bones in his backyard and was unsure if they were human. Detectives responded to take photographs.

At 8:13 p.m., a resident called olice to report a neighbor she believes is dealing drugs.

AUTO ACCIDENTS

Saturday, Aug. 22 - At 6:03 p.m., a hit-and-run crash involving a lamp post on Brookside Drive was reported.



Town mourns Kennedy

US Senator Edward "Ted" Kennedy died late Tuesday night at his home in Hyannis Port after a battle with brain cancer. He was 77.

Flags at public buildings in Andover and across the state were lowered to half staff Wednesday morning.

"We've lost the irreplaceable center of our family and joyous light in our lives, but the inspiration of his faith, optimism, and perseverance will live on in our hearts forever," said a statement from the family. "We thank everyone who gave him care and support over this last year, and everyone who stood with him for so many years in his tireless march for progress toward justice, fairness and opportunity for all. He loved this country and devoted his life to serving it. He always believed that our best days were still ahead, but it's hard to imagine any of them without him."

Local businessman Ron Hill, who chairs the Andover Chamber of Commerce, said Kennedy was "a force in the Senate" and will be greatly missed by his constituents in Massachusetts.

"Anecdotally, I always heard that if you needed something done, his office was the place to call," said Hill. "He kept in touch with the people.³

Meredith Price and his wife ran the Stearns House at Phillips Academy, where John F. Kennedy Jr. lived during his first year while attending Phillips Academy. Ted Kennedy's son, Patrick, also graduated from Phillips Academy. Price was asked to escort Ted Kennedy to the JFK Jr.'s graduation, and saw the love that many in the area felt for the senator.

"That meant walking with him and his wife and children et al from the Andover Inn to the graduation. Along the way, middle aged and older women dropped to their knees and clutched their rosaries, offering prayers for Ted - but not, I think, for (my wife) and me," wrote Price in an e-mail.

Democrat Nancy Stolberg of Andover said she was saddened to hear of Kennedy's death. "He contributed so much...he cared for so many, especially he needy," she said.



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a.m., police responded to a home alarm going off on Coventry Lane. a summons to the resident for

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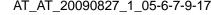




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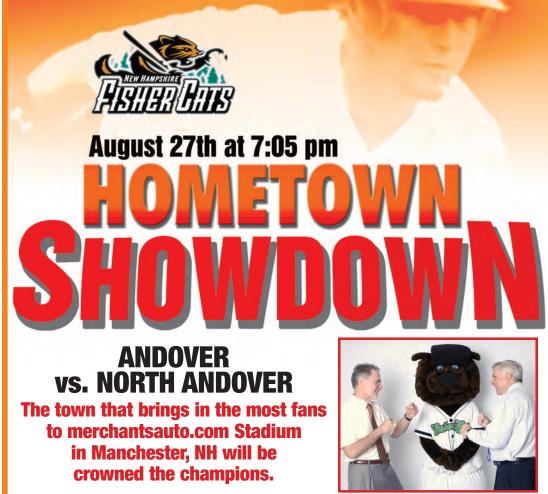
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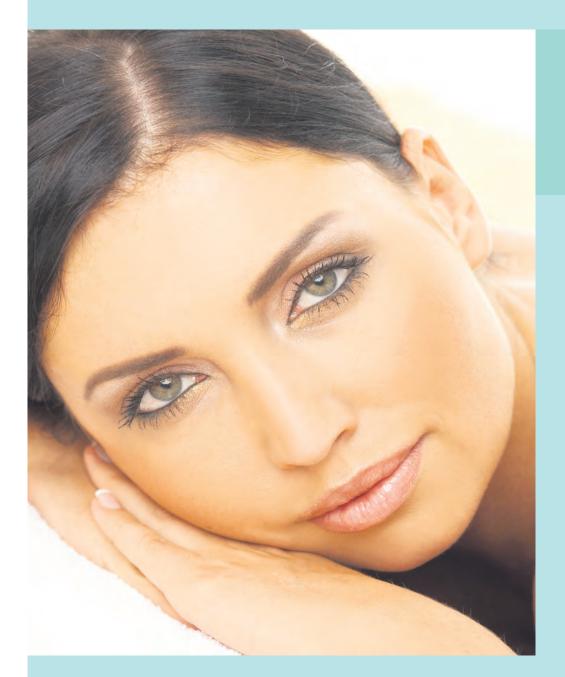
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Andover High School

BUS 1

7:20 a.m. - Summer St/Howell Drive 7:21 a.m. - Summer St/Pine St 7:21 a.m. - Pine St/Lucerne Drive 7:23 a.m. – Elm St/Burton Farm Drive 7:25 a.m. – Brookfield Rd/Woodcliff Rd 7:26 a.m. – Elm St/Elysian Drive 7:31 a.m. - 80 Shawsheen Rd

BUS 17

7:17 a.m. – High St/Olde Berry Rd 7:17 a.m. – High St/Longwood Drive 7:18 a.m. – 172 Haverhill St 7:19 a.m. – Haverhill St/Stirling St 7:20 a.m. - Haverhill St/Linwood St 7:22 a.m. - Haverhill St/Enmore St 7:25 a.m. – Burnham Rd/Rock O'dundee Rd 7:26 a.m. – Burnham Rd/Carisbrooke St 7:27 a.m. – York St/Balmoral St 7:33 a.m. – 80 Shawsheen Rd

BUS 26

6:45 a.m. – River Rd/Greybirch Rd 6:45 a.m. – River Rd/Winchester Drive 6:46 a.m. – River Rd/Nollet Drive **6:47 a.m. –** 344 River Rd 6:48 a.m. – River Rd/Ravens Bluff **6:50 a.m.** – Avery Lane/Stoneybrook Circle 6:55 a.m. - 133 Bailey Rd 6:55 a.m. – Bailey Rd/Quail Run 6:57 a.m. – Bailey Rd/Wellington Circle 7:02 a.m. – High Plain Rd/Knollcrest Drive 7:02 a.m. – High Plain Rd/High Meadow Rd 7:02 a.m. – High Plain Rd/Penni Lane 7:02 a.m. – High Plain Rd/Golden Oaks Lane 7:03 a.m. – High Plain Rd/Deerfield Way 7:13 a.m. - 80 Shawsheen Rd

BUS 28

6:50 a.m. – Bailey Rd/Larchmont Circle 6:51 a.m. - Bailey Rd/Gina Jo Way 6:52 a.m. - 40 Bailey Rd 6:54 a.m. – Pleasant St/Ashford Lane 6:54 a.m. – Pleasant St/Sevilla Rd 6:56 a.m. – Pleasant St/Boutwell Rd 6:59 a.m. – Haggetts Pond Rd/Hacienda Wav 7:00 a.m. - Haggetts Pond Rd/Zambom Terrace 7:01 a.m. - Haggetts Pond Rd/Gavin Circle 7:04 a.m. - 168 Haggetts Pond Rd 7:05 a.m. - 147 Haggetts Pond Rd 7:07 a.m. - 63 Haggetts Pond Rd 7:17 a.m. – 80 Shawsheen Rd

BUS 30

6:53 a.m. - River Rd/Bulfinch Drive 6:57 a.m. - 168 River Rd 6:58 a.m. – River Rd/Brundrett Ave 6:58 a.m. – 195 River Rd 6:59 a.m. – River Rd/Launching Rd 7:00 a.m. - 260 Chandler Rd 7:00 a.m. – Chandler Rd/Brundrett Ave 7:01 a.m. – Chandler Rd/Donald Circle 7:02 a.m. – 189 Chandler Rd

7:01 a.m. – Holt Rd/Stinson Rd 7:09 a.m. - 50 Bartlet St 7:15 a.m. - 80 Shawsheen Rd

BUS 17

6:50 a.m. – 122 Salem St 6:58 a.m. - 160 Salem St 7:01 a.m. - Salem St/Wildwood Rd 7:02 a.m. – 298 Salem St 7:03 a.m. - Salem St/Wagon Wheel Rd 7:05 a.m. - Wethersfield Drive/Cameron Rd 7:05 a.m. - Wildwood Rd/Wethersfield Drive 7:05 a.m. - Wildwood Rd/Brentwood Circle 7:06 a.m. – Wildwood Rd/Sheridan Rd 7:07 a.m. - Wildwood Rd/Sagamore Drive 7:15 a.m. - 50 Bartlet St 7:21 a.m. - 80 Shawsheen Rd

BUS 19

6:50 a.m. – Andover St/High Vale Lane 6:51 a.m. – 250 Andover St 6:54 a.m. - Woburn St/Cullen Circle 6:55 a.m. – Woburn St/Powers Rd 6:55 a.m. – Woburn St/Parthenon Rd Circle 6:58 a.m. – Woburn St/Doric Way 6:59 a.m. – Rattlesnake Hill Rd/Woburn 7:01 a.m. – Rattlesnake Hill Rd/Fosters Pond Roa 7:02 a.m. - Rattlesnake Hill Rd/Carter Lane 7:03 a.m. – Rattlesnake Hill Rd/Pine Tree Lane 7:04 a.m. – Rattlesnake Hill Rd/Roulston Circle 7:04 a.m. - Rattlesnake Hill Rd/Hawk Ridge 7:04 a.m. - 55 Rattlesnake Hill Rd 7:12 a.m. - 50 Bartlet St 7:19 a.m. - 80 Shawsheen Road

BUS 2

6:50 a.m. - Jenkins Rd/Alison Way 6:51 a.m. – 11 Jenkins Rd 6:52 a.m. - 53 Jenkins Rd 6:53 a.m. – 81 Jenkins Rd 6:53 a.m. - 85 Jenkins Rd 6:53 a.m. - Jenkins Rd/Mortimer Drive 6:54 a.m. - 109 Jenkins Rd 6:55 a.m. – Jenkins Rd/Pipers Glen 6:56 a.m. - 177 Jenkins Rd 6:58 a.m. - 78 Harold Parker Rd 6:59 a.m. – 63 Harold ParKer Rd 7:13 a.m. - 50 Bartlet St 7:19 a.m. - 80 Shawsheen Rd

BUS 20

6:57 a.m. – 9 Gould Rd 6:57 a.m. - 41 Gould Rd 6:59 a.m. – Gould Rd/Phoenix Place 7:01 a.m. – 7 Montego Circle 7:03 a.m. - Gould Rd/Forest Drive 7:04 a.m. – Farrwood Drive/Mohawk Rd 7:05 a.m. – Mohawk Rd/Eagle Way 7:07 a.m. - Farrwood Drive/Penobscot Wav 7:08 a.m. – Arrowood Lane/Farrwood BUS 31 Drive

6:58 a.m. – Porter Rd/Hammond Way

7:01 a.m. - 13 Sunset Rock Rd 7:03 a.m. - Porter Rd/Hidden Way 7:03 a.m. - 50 Bartlet St 7:05 a.m. - Students going to AHS from Doherty Middle 7:15 a.m. - 80 Shawsheen Road

BUS 4

7:10 a.m. - Orchard St/Skopelos Circle 7:11 a.m. – Holt Rd/Orchard St 7:11 a.m. - Wildwood Rd/Shaw Drive 7:12 a.m. - Shaw Drive/Meadowbrook Drive 7:12 a.m. - Shaw Drive/Chatham Rd 7:13 a.m. – Wildwood Rd/Ivy Lane 7:16 a.m. – Holt Rd/Bancroft Rd 7:22 a.m. - 50 Bartlet St 7:28 a.m. - 80 Shawsheen Rd

BUS 7

6:50 a.m. – 44 Old County Rd 6:50 a.m. – Morningside Drive/Donna 6:51 a.m. – Morningside Drive/AzAlea Drive 6:52 a.m. – Morningside Drive/Glenwood 6:58 a.m. – 73 Ballardvale Rd 6:58 a.m. – Ballardvale Rd/Wyncrest Circle 7:01 a.m. – Ballardvale Rd/Tilton Lane 7:02 a.m. - Ballardvale Rd/Teaberry Lane 7:04 a.m. - Woburn St/Charlotte Drive 7:05 a.m. - Woburn St/Island Way 7:06 a.m. – Enfield Drive/Millstone Circle 7:16 a.m. - 50 Bartlet St

7:22 a.m. - 80 Shawsheen Road

Andover High – West Middle

BUS 13

6:50 a.m. – River Rd/Inwood Lane 6:51 a.m. – River Rd/Furnari Farm Lane **6:52 a.m.** – Rlver Rd/Greybirch Circle 6:52 a.m. - River Rd/Cobblestone Lane 6:53 a.m. – River Rd/Forest Hill Drive 6:55 a.m. - Forest Hill Drive/Deerberry Lane 6:56 a.m. - Forest Hill Drive/Brierwood Circle 6:57 a.m. - Forest Hill Drive/Sugarbush Lane 6:58 a.m. – Cross St/Brady Loop 6:58 a.m. – Cross St/Brady Loop 6:59 a.m. – High Plain Rd/Pendant Court 7:02 a.m. – High Plain Rd/Avella Circle 7:03 a.m. - 320 High Plain Rd 7:07 a.m. - Juniper Rd/Woodhaven Drive 7:08 a.m. - High Plain RoAd/Juniper Rd 7:09 a.m. – High Plain Rd/Serenity Lane 7:09 a.m. - High Plain Rd/Rolling Ridge Rd 7:13 a.m. - 80 Shawsheen Road

7:13 a.m. – 70 Shawsheen Road

7:15 a.m. – Argilla Rd/Homestead Circle

BUS 14 7:05 a.m. - North Main/Kenilworth St 7:05 a.m. – Union St/Shepley St 7:09 a.m. - Topping Rd/Juliette St 7:10 a.m. - Corbett St/Topping Rd 7:10 a.m. – Corbett St/George St 7:10 a.m. – Cornell Rd/Yale Rd 7:11 a.m. - Cornell Rd/Bowdoin Rd 7:12 a.m. - Corbett St/Princeton Ave 7:13 a.m. – William St/Poor St 7:17 a.m. - Canterbury St/Lowell St 7:18 a.m. - Warwick Circle/Stafford Lane 7:20 a.m. – 9 Scotland Drive 7:26 a.m. - 80 Shawsheen Rd 7:27 a.m. - 70 Shawsheen Rd

BUS 4

6:50 a.m. - Dascomb Rd/Clark Rd 6:50 a.m. – Dascomb Rd/Acorn Drive 6:50 a.m. – Dascomb Rd/Osgood St 6:51 a.m. – Dascomb Rd/Carriage Hill Rd 6:51 a.m. – 125 Dascomb Rd 6:51 a.m. – Dascomb Rd/Partridge Hill 6:51 a.m. - Dascomb Rd/Cardinal Lane 7:00 a.m. - 80 Shawsheen Rd

Bus 5A

7:01 a.m. - 70 Shawsheen Rd

6:45 a.m. – 12 Bannister Rd 6:46 a.m. - Hall Ave/Bradley Rd 6:47 a.m. – 10 Bradley Rd 6:48 a.m. - Clark Rd/Hall Ave 6:50 a.m. – Andover St/Center St 6:50 a.m. - Tewksbury St/Center St 6:52 a.m. - Andover St/Dale St 6:54 a.m. - 30 River St 6:55 a.m. - 43 River St 6:55 a.m. – 73 River St 6:56 a.m. – River St/Laconia Drive 6:56 a.m. - 98 River St 6:56 a.m. - 100 River St 6:56 a.m. – 15 Lowell Junction Rd 7:10 a.m. - 80 Shawsheen Rd 7:10 a.m. - 70 Shawsheen Rd

Bus 5B

7:10 a.m. – Andover St/Michael Way 7:11 a.m. – Andover St/Heritage Lane **7:13 a.m. –** 5 Dascomb Rd 7:13 a.m. – Dascomb Rd/Wabanaki Way 7:13 a.m. - Wabanki Way/Shawnee Circle 7:14 a.m. – Wabanaki Way/Algonquin Ave 7:15 a.m. - 48 Dascomb Rd 7:16 a.m. – Dascomb Rd/Crestwood Drive 7:26 a.m. - 80 Shawsheen Rd 7:26 a.m. - 70 Shawsheen Rd

Bus 6

6:50 a.m. – Chester St/Mitton Circle 6:53 a.m. – Yardley Rd/Radcliff Drive 6:54 a.m. – Yardley Rd/Garfield Lane 6:54 a.m. - Yardley Rd/Copley Drive 6:55 a.m. – 130 Tewksbury St 6:56 a.m. – Tewksbury St/Pine Cone Lane 6:57 a.m. – Tewksbury St/Molly Rd

8:02 a.m. – 171 Highland Rd 8:02 a.m. - Highland Rd/Heather Drive 8:03 a.m. – Highland Rd/Highland Ave 8:03 a.m. - 219 Highland Rd 8:04 a.m. - Highland Rd/Marie Drive 8:04 a.m. – 249 Highland Rd 8:04 a.m. – Highland Rd/Rogers Brook East 8:04 a.m. - 271 Highland Rd 8:05 a.m. - 10 Downing St 8:07 a.m. - Chestnut St/Barrington Drive 8:09 a.m. - Morton St/Memorial Circle 8:09 a.m. - 40 Morton St 8:14 a.m. - 15 Bancroft Rd

8:02 a.m. - 163 Highland Rd

BUS 1B

8:20 a.m. – Main St/Chapel Ave 8:21 a.m. – 116 Main St 8:21 a.m. – 9 Punchard Ave 8:25 a.m. - Summer St/Washington Ave 8:25 a.m. – Summer St/Upland Rd 8:25 a.m. – Summer St/Stevens Circle 8:25 a.m. – Summer St/Rogers Brook West 8:26 a.m. - Summer St/Applecrest 8:28 a.m. – 16 Kathleen Drive 8:29 a.m. – 33 Kathleen Drive 8:29 a.m. – Kathleen Drive/Marie Drive 8:36 a.m. - 15 Bancroft Rd

BUS 25

8:15 a.m. – 6 Chestnut St 8:16 a.m. - Whittier St/Foster Circle 8:17 a.m. – Summer St/Whittier St 8:17 a.m. – Chestnut St/Whittier St 8:17 a.m. – 63 Chestnut St 8:17 a.m. - Chestnut St/Pasho St 8:18 a.m. – Chestnut St/Avon St 8:18 a.m. - Chestnut St/Stratford Rd 8:18 a.m. - Chestnut St/Morton St 8:18 a.m. – 134 Chestnut St 8:18 a.m. – Chestnut St/Sherry Drive 8:19 a.m. – 168 Chestnut St 8:22 a.m. - 104 Highland Rd 8:22 a.m. - Highland Rd/Salem St 8:25 a.m. – 15 Bancroft Rd

BUS 27 8:10 a.m. - 9 Wildwood Rd 8:10 a.m. - 23 Wildwood Rd 8:11 a.m. – Shaw Drive/Meadowbrook Drive 8:11 a.m. - 16 Shaw Drive 8:12 a.m. – Chatham Rd/Archer Lane 8:12 a.m. – Chatham Rd/Glenn Cove 8:12 a.m. – Chatham Rd/Haven Drive 8:14 a.m. – Wildwood Rd/Brentwood Circle 8:16 a.m. - Wethersfield Drive/Cameron Rd 8:18 a.m. – 66 Wildwood Rd 8:19 a.m. - Wildwood Rd/Ivy Lane 8:19 a.m. - 50 Wildwood ROad 8:20 a.m. - 245 Holt Rd 8:20 a.m. - 1 Vine St 8:20 a.m. - Vine St/College Circle 8:20 a.m. - 10 College Circle 8:21 a.m. - Holt Rd/Vine St 8:21 a.m. - Holt Rd/Moreland Ave 8:22 a.m. – Orchard St/Great Heron 8:23 a.m. – Orchard St/Skopelos Circle

8:02 a.m. - 132 Wildwood Rd 8:02 a.m. - 128 Wildwood Rd 8:03 a.m. - 104 Wildwood Rd 8:03 a.m. – 88 Wildwood Rd 8:03 a.m. – Wildwood Rd/Sheridan Rd 8:03 a.m. – SheridAn Rd/Sequoia Lane **8:04 a.m. –** 40 Sheridan Rd 8:04 a.m. - 36 Sagamore Drive 8:05 a.m. – 15 Sagamore Drive 8:08 a.m. – Prospect Rd/Stone Post Rd 8:09 a.m. - 38 Prospect Rd 8:09 a.m. - Prospect Rd/Buchan Rd 8:09 a.m. - 12 Prospect Rd 8:13 a.m. - 15 Bancroft Rd

Bancroft Kindergarten – Morning

BUS A

11:15 a.m. – 15 Bancroft Rd 11:16 a.m. - South Main/West Knoll Rd 11:21 a.m. – 10 College Circle 11:22 a.m. – 201 Holt Rd 11:22 a.m. - Holt Rd/Moreland Ave 11:25 a.m. - 88 Wildwood Rd 11:27 a.m. - 235 Salem StreEt 11:31 a.m. - 18 Korinthian Way 11:40 a.m. – Pipers Glen/Sawyer Lane

BUS B

11:15 a.m. – 15 Bancroft Rd 11:16 a.m. – 44 Holt Rd 11:18 a.m. – 70 Salem St 11:23 a.m. - 171 Summer St 11:25 a.m. – 21 Pine St 11:26 a.m. – Elm St/Washington Ave 11:28 a.m. – 27 Summer St 11:29 a.m. – Chestnut St/Pasho St 11:29 a.m. - Chestnut St/Stratford Rd 11:30 a.m. - Morton St/Memorial Circle

High Plain

BUS 10

7:50 a.m. - 455 Lowell St 7:51 a.m. - 494 Lowell St 7:51 a.m. - 500 LowelL St 7:51 a.m. - 513 Lowell St 7:52 a.m. - Lowell St/Rutgers Rd 7:52 a.m. – Rutgers Rd/Sheffield Circle 7:52 a.m. - Rutgers Rd/Hampton Lane **7:53 a.m. –** 30 Rutgers Rd 7:53 a.m. – 24 Rutgers Rd 7:53 a.m. – Rutgers Rd/Rindge Rd 7:55 a.m. – Lowell St/Jordyn Lane 7:55 a.m. - 1 Brown St 7:56 a.m. – 19 Brown St 7:57 a.m. - 118 Bellevue Rd 7:58 a.m. – Bellevue Rd/Regis Rd 7:59 a.m. – Bellevue Rd/Granli Drive 8:01 a.m. – 18 Haggetts Pond Rd 8:02 a.m. - Haggetts Pond Rd/LaKeside Circle 8:02 a.m. - 63 Haggetts Pond Rd 8:03 a.m. - Haggetts Pond Rd/Woodhill 8:05 a.m. - 137 Haggetts Pond Rd 8:05 a.m. - 161 Haggetts Pond Rd 8:06 a.m. - 167 Haggetts Pond Rd 8:06 a.m. - 182 Haggetts Pond Rd 8:06 a.m. - Haggetts Pond Rd/Hitchcock Farm Rd

7:04 a.m. – Chandler/Chongris Circle 7:08 a.m. – Chandler Rd/Samos Lane 7:13 a.m. - 80 Shawsheen Rd

BUS 31

6:50 a.m. – 19 Webster St 6:53 a.m. - 25 River Rd 6:53 a.m. - 32 River Rd 6:55 a.m. – North St/Brookside Drive 6:55 a.m. – North St/Somerset Drive 6:56 a.m. – North St/Joseph St 6:57 a.m. - North St/Matthew St 7:05 a.m. - 80 Shawsheen Rd

BUS 9

6:45 a.m. – Osgood St/Hearthstone Place 6:46 a.m. - OsgOod St/Apple Blossom Rd 6:47 a.m. - 102 Osgood St 6:48 a.m. – 141 Osgood St 6:49 a.m. – Devonshire Place/Blanchard St 6:50 a.m. - 157 Osgood St 6:51 a.m. – Bellevue Rd/Preston Circle 6:52 a.m. – Bellevue Rd/Stouffer Circle 6:54 a.m. - Bellevue Rd/Granli Drive 6:57 a.m. – 105 Bellevue Rd 7:01 a.m. - 180 Cardigan Rd 7:04 a.m. - 19 Brown St 7:15 a.m. - 80 Shawsheen Rd

Andover High – Doherty

BUS 1

6:46 a.m. – Sunset Rock Rd/Hidden Rd 6:48 a.m. - 421 South Main St 6:48 a.m. - 439 South Main St 6:49 a.m. - 507 South Main St 6:49 a.m. - 519 South Main St 6:51 a.m. - South Main St/Colonial Drive 6:51 a.m. – Colonial Drive/Patriot Drive 6:53 a.m. - 508 South Main St 6:53 a.m. - 502 South Main St 6:53 a.m. - 498 South Main St 6:55 a.m. - Rocky Hill Rd/Linda Rd 6:56 a.m. - 420 South Main St 6:57 a.m. - 376 South Main St 6:57 a.m. – South Main St/Suncrest Rd 6:57 a.m. - 373 South Main St 7:00 a.m. – Holt Rd/Vine St 7:00 a.m. - Holt Rd/Blueberry Hill Road

7:18 a.m. – 50 Bartlet St 7:25 a.m. - 80 Shawsheen Rd

BUS 27

6:45 a.m. - South Main St/Belknap Drive **6:45 a.m. –** South Main St/Alderbrook Rd 6:48 a.m. – Boston Rd/Cottage Rd 6:48 a.m. – Rattlesnake Hill Rd/Boston Rd 6:49 a.m. – 24 Rattlesnake Hill Rd 6:49 a.m. - Rattlesnake Hill Rd/Countryside Way 6:49 a.m. – Countryside Way/Peach Tree Path 6:50 a.m. – Countryside/Alderbrook Rd 6:50 a.m. - Sunset Rock Rd/Regency Ridge 6:53 a.m. – 294 South Main St 6:59 a.m. - Highland Rd/Marie Drive 7:01 a.m. - Highland Rd/Chestnut St 7:02 a.m. – Highland Rd/Summer St 7:06 a.m. - 50 Bartlet St 7:12 a.m. - 80 Shawsheen Rd

BUS 29

6:45 a.m. – Salem St/Seten Circle 6:46 a.m. – Salem St/Coventry Lane 6:47 a.m. – Gray Rd/Harper Circle 6:47 a.m. – 26 Gray Rd 6:48 a.m. – 48 Gray Rd 6:49 a.m. – Korinthian Way/Athena Circle 6:56 a.m. – Salem St/Prospect Rd 6:59 a.m. - 36 Prospect Rd 6:59 a.m. – Prospect Rd/Stone Post Rd 6:59 a.m. – Prospect Rd/Buchan Rd 7:01 a.m. – Salem St/Woodland Rd 7:06 a.m. - 50 Bartlet St 7:12 a.m. - 80 Shawsheen Rd

BUS 3

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7:15 a.m. – Argilla Rd/Meadow View Lane 7:16 a.m. – Argilla Rd/Newman Hill Drive 7:17 a.m. – Argilla Rd/Fairfax Drive 7:17 a.m. – Argilla Rd/Ruggerio Way 7:18 a.m. – Argilla Rd/Strawberry Hill Rd 7:18 a.m. – Argilla Rd/Oriole Drive 7:21 a.m. – Reservation RoAd/Mayflower Drive 7:21 a.m. - Reservation Rd/Pilgrim Drive 7:22 a.m. - 22 Reservation Rd 7:24 a.m. – 1 Reservation Rd 7:30 a.m. - 80 Shawsheen Rd **7:30 a.m. –** 70 Shawsheen Rd

BUS 18

6:48 a.m. - 311 Lowell St 6:48 a.m. - 351 Lowell St 6:49 a.m. - 357 Lowell St 6:49 a.m. – Lowell St/Evergreen Lane 6:50 a.m. - Lowell St/Geneva Rd 6:51 a.m. - 400 Lowell St 6:53 a.m. – Lowell St/Rutgers Rd 6:54 a.m. - Lowell St/Jordyn Lane 6:56 a.m. - 451 Lowell St 6:57 a.m. - 487 Lowell St 6:59 a.m. – Rutger S Rd/Hampton Lane 7:03 a.m. - 14 Haggetts Pond Rd 7:04 a.m. – Bellevue Rd/Stouffer Circle 7:05 a.m. – Bellevue Rd/Patricia Circle 7:05 a.m. – Argilla Rd/Bateson Drive 7:06 a.m. – 4 Bateson Drive 7:07 a.m. - 25 Bateson Drive 7:11 a.m. – 80 Shawsheen Rd 7:13 a.m. - 70 Shawsheen Rd

BUS 11

7:10 a.m. - Windemere Drive/Cricket Circle 7:12 a.m. - Lowell St/Nob Hill Circle 7:12 a.m. – 8 Greenwood Rd 7:13 a.m. – Greenwood Rd/Tiffany Lane 7:14a.m. - Greenwood/Cottonwood Circle 7:14 a.m. - Greenwood Rd/Candlewood Drive 7:16 a.m. – Candlewood Drive/Lancaster Place 7:19 a.m. - 97 Greenwood Rd 7:29 a.m. - 80 Shawsheen Rd 7:30 a.m. - 70 Shawsheen Rd

6:57 a.m. – Tewksbury St/Redgate Drive 6:57 a.m. - Tewksbury St/Pole Hill Drive

6:57 a.m. – Tewksbury St/Marland St 7:08 a.m. - 80 Shawsheen Rd 7:08 a.m. - 70 Shawsheen Rd

BUS 8A 6:40 a.m. - Beacon St/Country Club Lane 6:41 a.m. – Beacon St/Paulornette Circle 6:42 a.m. - 208 Beacon St 6:43 a.m. - Beacon St/Noel Rd 6:47 a.m. - Iron Gate Drive/Pauline Drive 6:48 a.m. – Chandler Rd/Iron Gate Drive 6:51 a.m. – Greenwood Rd/Green Meadow Lane 6:53 a.m. – Greenwood Rd/Dairy Lane 6:53 a.m. – Greenwood Rd/Starwood Crossina 6:59 a.m. - 80 Shawsheen Rd 7:00 a.m. - 70 Shawsheen Rd

BUS 8B

7:12 a.m. – Dascomb/Glen Meadow Rd 7:14 a.m. - 4 Lovejoy Rd 7:15 a.m. - Lovejoy Rd/Talbot Rd 7:15 a.m. – Lovejoy Rd/Bridle Path Rd 7:15 a.m. – Lovejoy Rd/Hansom Rd 7:15 a.m. – Lovejoy Rd/Comanche Place 7:16 a.m. – Lovejoy Rd/Alonesos Way 7:23 a.m. - 80 Shawsheen Rd 7:24 a.m. – 70 Shawsheen Rd

BUS 9

7:13 a.m. – Lowell St/West Parish Drive 7:17 a.m. – Poplar Terrace/Hemlock Rd 7:18 a.m. – Sweetbriar Ln/Hemlock Rd 7:20 a.m. – Lovejoy Rd/Holly Terrace 7:21 a.m. – Lovejoy Rd/Will O'way 7:21 a.m. – Lovejoy Rd/Fairway Drive 7:28 a.m. - 80 Shawsheen Rd 7:28 a.m. - 70 Shawsheen Rd

BUS 1A

Bancroft

8:00 a.m. - 51 Woodland Rd 8:00 a.m. - 23 Woodland Rd



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8:24 a.m. – South Main/West Knoll Rd **8:26 a.m. –** 15 Bancroft Rd

BUS 28 8:15 a.m. - Holt Rd/Apple Tree Lane 8:16 a.m. - 120 Salem St 8:17 a.m. - 127 Salem St 8:19 a.m. - 11 Stinson Rd 8:20 a.m. - 22 Stinson Rd 8:20 a.m. - Stinson Rd/Coderre Way 8:21 a.m. – 193 Salem St 8:21 a.m. – Salem St/Vine St 8:21 a.m. - 235 Salem St 8:22 a.m. – Gray Rd/Harper Circle 8:23 a.m. – Gray Rd/Tucker Rd 8:23 a.m. - 30 Gray Rd 8:24 a.m. - 48 Gray Rd 8:25 a.m. - Korinthian Way/Delphi Circle 8:25 a.m. – Korinthian Way/Athena Circle 8:28 a.m. – Salem St/Coventry Lane 8:29 a.m. – 11 Seten Circle 8:35 a.m. – 15 Bancroft Rd

BUS 29

8:20 a.m. – School St/Morton St 8:20 a.m. - School StreeT/Locke St 8:21 a.m. - Central St/Old South Lane 8:23 a.m. - 69 Phillips St 8:25 a.m. - Main St/Locke St 8:27 a.m. – Florence St/Elm St 8:28 a.m. – Elm St/Washington Ave 8:29 a.m. – Pine St/Lucerne Drive 8:33 a.m. – Chestnut St/Bartlet St 8:33 a.m. - Bartlet St/Chapman Ave 8:36 a.m. – Main St/Hiddenfield Rd 8:38 a.m. – 15 Bancroft Rd

BUS 4

7:50 a.m. - 193 Jenkins Rd 7:50 a.m. - 177 Jenkins Rd 7:51 a.m. – Jenkins Rd/Pipers Glen 7:51 a.m. – Pipers Glen/Sawyer Lane 7:53 a.m. – Jenkins Rd/Mortimer Drive 7:54 a.m. - 83 Jenkins Rd 7:55 a.m. - 47 Jenkins Rd 7:57 a.m. – Alison Way/Rachel Rd 7:59 a.m. – 350 Salem St 8:00 a.m. - 342 Salem St 8:00 a.m. - Salem St/Wagon Wheel Rd 8:00 a.m. – 332 Salem St 8:00 a.m. - 304 Salem St 8:01 a.m. - 298 Salem St

8:07 a.m. - 213 Haggetts Pond Rd 8:08 a.m. - 231 Haggetts Pond Rd 8:09 a.m. - 235 Haggetts Pond Rd 8:12 a.m. – 333 High Plain Rd

BUS 12A

7:55 a.m. - 15 North St 7:55 a.m. - 33 North St 7:55 a.m. - 59 North St **7:59 a.m.** – River Rd/Bulfinch Drive 8:01 a.m. - 148 North St 8:01 a.m. – North St/Brookside Drive 8:02 a.m. - North St/Spring Valley Drive 8:03 a.m. - North St/Ashbury Lane 8:04 a.m. - 43 North St 8:13 a.m. - 333 High Plain Rd

BUS 12B

8:20 a.m. – River Rd/Inwood Lane 8:20 a.m. - 268 River Rd 8:20 a.m. – River Rd/Furnari Farm Lane 8:20 a.m. – River Rd/Peterof Circle 8:21 a.m. - Greybirch Rd/Greenbriar Circle 8:21 a.m. – 4 Greenbriar Circle 8:22 a.m. – Greenbriar/Greybirch Rd 8:23 a.m. – River Rd/Nollet Drive 8:24 a.m. – 288 River Rd 8:26 a.m. – 104 Cross St 8:26 a.m. - 97 Cross St 8:26 a.m. - 48 Cross St 8:27 a.m. – 32 Cross St 8:28 a.m. - 333 High Plain Rd **BUS 15A**

7:45 a.m. - 78 Chandler Rd 7:45 a.m. – 84 Chandler Rd 7:48 a.m. - 8 Chongris Circle **7:49 a.m. –** 131 Chandler Rd 7:49 a.m. - 137 Chandler Rd 7:50 a.m. – 145 Chandler Rd 7:54 a.m. - Chandler Rd/Belle Isle Way **7:56 a.m. –** 276 Chandler Rd 8:01 a.m. - 355 River Rd 8:02 a.m. – River Rd/Ravens Bluff 8:03 a.m. – 403 River Rd 8:04 a.m. – Avery Lane/Atwood Lane 8:05 a.m. – Avery Lane/Stoneybrook Circle 8:14 a.m. - 333 High Plain Rd

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BUS 16

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BUS 15B

8:23 a.m. – River Rd/Pheasant Run 8:25 a.m. - 118 Bailey Rd 8:25 a.m. - Bailey Rd/Quail Run 8:26 a.m. - 91 Bailey Rd 8:26 a.m. - 96 Bailey Rd 8:27 a.m. – Wellington Circle/Bailey Rd 8:27 a.m. – Wellington Circle/Langley Lane 8:27 a.m. – Wellington Circle/Ellsworth Rd 8:27 a.m. - Wellington Circle/Belle Haven Drive 8:29 a.m. - 84 Bailey Rd 8:29 a.m. – Bailey Rd/Nicholas Circle 8:34 a.m. – Boutwell Rd/Freemont Lane 8:34 a.m. - 21 Boutwell Rd 8:34 a.m. - 7 Boutwell Rd 8:38 a.m. - 333 High Plain Rd

BUS 16A

8:00 a.m. - 23 Somerset Drive 8:00 a.m. – Somerset Drive/Bedford Place 8:01 a.m. - Somerset Drive/Suffolk Circle 8:02 a.m. - Somerset Drive/Norwich Place 8:02 a.m. - 66 North St 8:02 a.m. - North St/Joseph St 8:03 a.m. - 32 North St 8:03 a.m. - 28 North St 8:03 a.m. - North St/Matthew St 8:05 a.m. - 207 GreenwoOd Rd 8:07 a.m. – Greenwood Rd/Pettingill Rd 8:07 a.m. – Greenwood Rd/Dairy Lane 8:08 a.m. - 139 Greenwood Rd 8:08 a.m. - Greenwood Rd/Starwood Crossing 8:09 a.m. – 104 Greenwood Rd 8:10 a.m. – High Plain Rd/Woodman Ridge Rd 8:11 a.m. – 241 High Plain Rd 8:12 a.m. - 256 High Plain Rd 8:15 a.m. - 333 High Plain Rd

BUS 16B

8:25 a.m. – High Plain Rd/Knollcrest Drive 8:26 a.m. - Pleasant St/Kalia Circle 8:26 a.m. - 16 Pleasant St 8:27 a.m. - 29 Pleasant St 8:28 a.m. – SeVilla Rd/Lamancha Way 8:29 a.m. – 47 Pleasant St 8:29 a.m. - Pleasant St/Ashford Lane 8:29 a.m. – 73 Pleasant St 8:30 a.m. – Pleasant St/Old School House Rd 8:31 a.m. - 51 Bailey Rd 8:31 a.m. - 47 Bailey Rd 8:32 a.m. – Gina Jo Way/Penbrook Circle 8:32 a.m. – 9 Starr Ave East 8:33 a.m. – Bailey Rd/Gina Jo Way 8:33 a.m. - 21 Bailey Rd 8:33 a.m. – Bailey Rd/Doyle Circle 8:34 a.m. – Bailey Rd/Larchmont Circle 8:36 a.m. - Haggetts Pond Rd/Gavin Circle 8:36 a.m. - 214 Haggetts Pond Rd 8:36 a.m. – Haggetts Pond Rd/Zambom Terrace 8:39 a.m. - 333 High Plain Rd

11:57 a.m. – North St/Brookside Drive **11:57 a.m. –** North St/Spring Valley Drive 11:58 a.m. - 32 North St 12:04 p.m. - High Plain Rd/Woodman Ridge Rd 12:07 p.m. – 333 High Plain Rd

BUS B

11:53 a.m. - 131 Chandler Rd 11:53 a.m. – Chandler Rd/Chongris Circle 11:54 a.m. – 145 Chandler Rd 11:56 a.m. – 210 Chandler Rd 12:00 p.m. - 168 River Rd 12:00 p.m. - 174 River Rd 12:05 p.m. – Forest Hill Drive/Sugarbush Lane 12:07 p.m. – 333 High Plain Rd

Pike-Montessori

BUS 22

7:30 a.m. - Abbot St/School St 7:31 a.m. - Abbot St/Phillips St 7:32 a.m. – Abbot St/Prides Circle 7:36 a.m. - 52 River St 7:42 a.m. – Porter Rd/Hammond Way 7:47 a.m. – Sunset Rock Rd/PepperCorn Lane 7:48 a.m. - Sunset Rock Rd/Regency Ridge 7:52 a.m. – 26 Rocky Hill Rd 7:54 a.m. - South Main St/Suncrest Rd 7:56 a.m. – Ballardvale Rd/Paddock Lane 8 a.m. - 32 Sunset Rock Rd-Pike School

8:05 a.m. - 400 South Main St-Montessori School

BUS 25

7:25 a.m. – 291 South Main St 7:28 a.m. – Morningside Drive/Donna Rd **7:32 a.m. –** 35 Farrwood Drive 7:40 a.m. – Jenkins Rd/Pipers Glen 7:42 a.m. – Mortimer Rd/Douglass Lane 7:44 a.m. – Alison Way/Rachel Rd 7:50 a.m. – Shaw Drive/Meadowbrook Drive 7:52 a.m. – Chatham Rd/Glenn Cove 7:55 a.m. - 101 Holt Rd 7:58 a.m. - 7 Appletree Lane 8:02 a.m. - 32 Sunset Rock Rd-Pike School 8:06 a.m. - 400 South Main St-Montessori School **BUS 27** 7:25 a.m. - 168 Lowell St 7:25 a.m. - 4 Kirkland Drive

Lane 7:27 a.m. - Westminster Roadway/ Shadow Lane 7:28 a.m. - Westminster Roadway/ Worthen Place Circle 7:32 a.m. – Poor St/William St 7:38 a.m. - 41 Stirling St 7:43 a.m. – Burnham Rd/Rock O'Dundee Rd **7:46 a.m. –** 72 Maple Ave. Place 7:46 a.m. - Walnut Ave /Wolcott Ave 7:48 a.m. - 15 Johnson Rd 7:49 a.m. - 28 Johnson Rd Circle **7:52 a.m. –** 44 Chestnut St 7:52 a.m. - 60 Chestnut St Sanborn **7:54 a.m. –** Summer St/Pine St **7:57 a.m. –** 171 Highland Rd 8:01 a.m. – Main St/Hiddenfield Rd **BUS 8A** 8:06 a.m. - 32 Sunset Rock Rd-Pike 7:50 a.m. - Bellevue Rd/Patricia Circle 7:50 a.m. - 5 Preston Circle School 7:52 a.m. - 5 Barron Court 8:09 a.m. - 400 South Main St-Montessori School

Terrace 2 PM Only – Bartlet St/Morton St 2 PM Only – Canterbury St/Stafford Lane

BUS 28

7:15 a.m. - 243 Lowell St 7:17 a.m. - 311 Lowell St 7:21 a.m. – Bellevue Rd/Barron Court 7:21 a.m. – Bellevue Rd/Granli Drive 7:22 a.m. – Bellevue Rd/Preston Circle 7:26 a.m. – 7 Windemere Drive 7:28 a.m. - Argilla Rd/Bateson Drive 7:30 a.m. - 34 Wild Rose Drive 7:33 a.m. – Argilla Rd/Ruggiero Way **7:33 a.m. –** 41 Årgilla Rd 7:34 a.m. - Argilla Rd/Meadow View Lane 7:34 a.m. - Argilla Rd/Homestead Circle 7:35 a.m. – Andover St/Heritage Lane 7:40 a.m. – 15 Buttonwood Drive 7:43 a.m. – 6 Basswood Lane 7:49 a.m. - Tewksbury St/Molly Rd 7:51 a.m. – Yardley Rd/Garfield Lane North 7:59 a.m. - Woburn St/Powers Rd 8:04 a.m. – 32 Sunset Rock Rd-Pike School 8:08 a.m. - 400 South Main St-Montessori School

BUS 29

7:25 a.m. – Bailev Rd/Gina Jo Wav 7:27 a.m. – Pleasant St/Old School House Rd 7:28 a.m. - Pleasant St/Sevilla Rd 7:29 a.m. – Boutwell Rd/Freemont Lane 7:32 a.m. – Avery Lane/Stoneybrook Circle 7:42 a.m. – North St/Brookside Drive 7:42 a.m. - 117 North St 7:47 a.m. - 18 Iron Gate Drive 7:50 a.m. - Chandler Rd/Chongris Circle 7:54 a.m. – 158 Beacon St 7:55 a.m. – Beacon St/Country Club Lane 8:07 a.m. - 32 Sunset Rock Rd - Pike School 8:11 a.m. - 400 South Main St - Montessori School

Sanborn Kindergarten Morning

11:15 a.m. - 90 Lovejoy Rd 11:15 a.m. - Lovejoy Rd/Alonesos Way 11:16 a.m. - 30 Lovejoy Rd 11:19 a.m. - Crestwood Drive/Russett 11:20 a.m. - 44 Dascomb Rd 11:21 a.m. - 27 Dascomb Rd 11:23 a.m. – Algonquin Ave/Seminole 11:28 a.m. - 48 Wild Rose Drive 11:31 a.m. - 230 Lowell St 11:36 a.m. - 11 Candlewood Drive 11:36 a.m. – Candlewood Drive/Lancaster 11:40 a.m. - 311 Lowell St 11:45 a.m. – Devonshire Place/Lenox

7:54 a.m. - 151 Osgood St 7:56 a.m. - Devonshire Place/LeNox Circle 7:57 a.m. – Devonshire Place/Blanchard St 7:57 a.m. - 14 Blanchard St 8:01 a.m. - 89 Osgood St 18:01 a.m. – Osgood St/Apple Blossom Rd 18:01 a.m. - 70 Osgood St 18:02 a.m. - 66 Osgood St 18:02 a.m. - 63 Osgood St **18:02 a.m. –** Osgood St/Hearthstone Place 18:03 a.m. - Osgood St/Keystone Way 18:11 a.m. - 90 Lovejoy Rd BUS 8B 8:20 a.m. – Wabanaki Way/Cheyenne Circle

8:20 a.m. – Dascomb Rd/Wabanaki Way 8:20 a.m. – 25 Dascomb Rd 8:20 a.m. - 27 Dascomb Rd 8:21 a.m. - 41 Dascomb Rd 8:21 a.m. – 44 Dascomb Rd 8:22 a.m. – Dascomb Rd/Durham Drive 8:23 a.m. – 5 Crestwood Drive 8:24 a.m. - Crestwood Drive/Russett Lane 8:26 a.m. – 77 Dascomb Rd 18:27 a.m. – Dascomb Rd/Steeple Court 18:28 a.m. - 8 Germano Wav 18:29 a.m. – Barbara Lane/Osgood St 18:30 a.m. - 5 Osgood St 18:31 a.m. - Dascomb Rd/Carriage Hill Rd **18:32 a.m.** – 2 Surrey Lane 18:33 a.m. – Dascomb Rd/Cardinal Lane 18:34 a.m. – Dascomb Rd/Partridge Hill Rd 18:39 a.m. - 90 Lovejoy Rd

BUS 9A

8:05 a.m. – Greenwood Rd/Tiffany Lane 8:05 a.m. – Greenwood Rd/Cottonwood Circle 8:05 a.m. - 55 Greenwood Rd 8:05 a.m. - 65 Greenwood Rd 8:07 a.m. - Candlewood Drive/Lancaster Place 8:07 a.m. – 21 Exeter Way 8:08 a.m. – Candlewood Drive/Lansbury Lane 8:08 a.m. – 2 Candlewood Drive 8:09 a.m. – 14 Dean Circle 8:09 a.m. – 4 Dean Circle 18:10 a.m. - 93 Greenwood Rd 18:10 a.m. - 88 Greenwood Rd 18:11 a.m. – 46 Greenwood Rd 18:11 a.m. - 22 Greenwood Rd 18:11 a.m. - 12 Greenwood Rd

BUS 9B

18:13 a.m. - 90 Lovejoy Rd

8:20 a.m. - 311 Lowell St 8:21 a.m. - 351 Lowell St 8:21 a.m. – Bellevue Rd/Tessier Drive 8:22 a.m. - 20 Bellevue Rd 8:22 a.m. – Bellevue Rd/Rasmussen Circle 8:26 a.m. - 230 Lowell St 8:27 a.m. - 278 Lowell St 8:27 a.m. - 284 Lowell St 8:29 a.m. – Windemere Drive/Dawn Circle 8:29 a.m. - Windemere Drive/Robin-

7:45 a.m. – Windemere Drive/Cricket Circle 7:47 a.m. – Candlewood Rd/Lancaster Place 7:50 a.m. – 9 CandlEwood Drive 7:55 a.m. – Candlewood Drive/Exeter Wav 8:02 a.m. - 311 Lowell St 8:06 a.m. – Lowell St/Evergreen Lane 8:11 a.m. – Devonshire Place/Lenox Circle 8:12 a.m. - 151 Osgood St 8:19 a.m. – Barbara Lane/Germano Way 8:22 a.m. – Dascomb Rd/Partridge Rd 18:24 a.m. – Acorn Drive/Buttonwood Drive 18:25 a.m. – Acorn Drive/Basswood Lane 18:28 a.m. - Lovejoy Rd/Comanche Place 18:30 a.m. - 144 Lovejoy Rd 18:39 a.m. - 26 Central St 18:45 a.m. – 18 Magnolia Ave

BUS 17

7:45 a.m. - Main St/Hiddenfield Rd 7:51 a.m. - Shaw Drive/Tobey Lane **7:53 a.m. –** 5 Embassy Lane 7:57 a.m. – Wethersfield Drive/Cameron Rd 7:59 a.m. - 121 Wildwood Rd 8:06 a.m. - 18 Pipers Glen 8:07 a.m. - 134 Jenkins Rd 8:08 a.m. - 81 Jenkins Rd 8:11 a.m. – Alison Way/Rachel Rd 8:18 a.m. - Korinthian Way/Delphi Circle 18:23 a.m. – 9 Prospect Rd 18:25 a.m. – 17 Appletree Lane 18:32 a.m. - 26 Central St 18:34 a.m. - 137 North Main St 18:39 a.m. – 18 Magnolia Ave

BUS 18

7:36 a.m. – High PlaIn Rd/Serenity Lane 7:36 a.m. – 190 High Plain Rd 7:39 a.m. - 229 High Plain Rd 7:48 a.m. – High Plain Rd/Knollcrest Drive 7:53 a.m. - 1 Avery Lane 7:55 a.m. – River Rd/Nollet Drive 7:58 a.m. – River Rd/Pheasant Run 8:04 a.m. - Wellington Circle/Ellsworth Rd 8:09 a.m. - Bailey Rd/Larchmont Circle 8:17 a.m. - 41 Brown St 18:19 a.m. – Bellevue Rd/Granli Drive 18:31 a.m. – 26 Central St 18:37 a.m. – 18 Magnolia Ave

BUS 19

7:50 a.m. - North Main St/Lewis St 7:53 a.m. - Shawsheen Rd/Beech Circle 7:54 a.m. – 12 Lincoln Circle **7:59 a.m.** – Reservation Rd/Whispering Pines Dr 7:59 a.m. – 18 Reservation Rd 8:01 a.m. – 11 Argilla Rd 8:02 a.m. – Argilla Rd/Meadowview Ln 8:02 a.m. - 2 Penacook Place 8:02 a.m. – Argilla Rd/Ruggerio Way 8:03 a.m. - 84 Argilla Rd 8:04 a.m. - Strawberry Hill/Rennie Dr 8:04 a.m. – 1 Rennie Drive 8:07 a.m. – 23 Bateson Drive 8:07 a.m. - 9 Bateson Drive 8:08 a.m. - 151 Argilla Rd 8:17 a.m. – Burnham Rd/Arundel St 8:17 a.m. - Burnham Rd/Arglye St 8:17 a.m. - Burnham/Carisbrooke St

8:18 a.m. – Haverhill St/York St 8:19 a.m. – Haverhill St/Riverina Rd 8:21 a.m. – 18 Magnolia Ave 8:29 a.m. - 26 Central St

BUS 20

7:55 a.m. – River Rd/Inwood Lane 7:57 a.m. – 49 Cross St 7:57 a.m. - 28 Cross St 7:59 a.m. - 20 Forest Hill Drive 8:08 a.m. - 189 Greenwood Rd 8:09 a.m. – 89 Chandler Rd 8:11 a.m. – Iron Gate Drive/Pauline Drive 8:12 a.m. – Iron Gate Drive/Southridge Circle 8:13 a.m. – 34 Chandler Rd 8:22 a.m. – 45 Juliette St 8:23 a.m. - 50 Topping Rd 8:25 a.m. – 51 Corbett St 8:25 a.m. – 12 Bowdoin Rd 8:26 a.m. - Princeton Ave/Bowdoin Rd 8:27 a.m. – Princeton Ave/Yale Rd 8:28 a.m. - Princeton Ave/George St 8:28 a.m. - 23 Princeton Ave **8:30 a.m. –** 18 Magnolia Ave 8:37 a.m. - 26 Central St

BUS 23

7:50 a.m. - School St/Locke St 7:51 a.m. – 64 Morton St 7:52 a.m. – Morton St/Memorial Circle 7:54 a.m. - 129 Chestnut StreeT 7:55 a.m. - Chestnut St/Barrington Drive 7:58 a.m. - Elm St/Summer St 7:59 a.m. – 101 Elm St **8:01 a.m. –** 50 Brookfield Rd 8:01 a.m. - 33 Rock Ridge Rd 8:03 a.m. – Elysian Dirve/Twin Brook Circle 8:05 a.m. - Elm St/Westwind Rd 8:06 a.m. – Elm St/Shipman Rd 8:07 a.m. – 11 Cheever Circle 8:08 a.m. - Coolidge Rd/Cedar Rd 8:09 a.m. – 90 Cheever Circle 8:10 a.m. – Walnut Ave/Carmel Rd 8:10 a.m. - Carmel Rd/Lockway Rd 8:11 a.m. – 94 Elm St 8:11 a.m. – Elm St/WOlcott Ave 8:11 a.m. – 31 Wolcott Ave 8:12 a.m. - 12 Wolcott Ave 8:13 a.m. - 63 Maple Ave 8:14 a.m. – 24 Maple Ave 8:15 a.m. – Elm St/Florence St 8:17 a.m. – 26 Central St 8:23 a.m. – 18 Magnolia Ave

BUS 24

7:50 a.m. - 15 Webster St **7:53 a.m.** – River Rd/Bulfinch Drive 7:55 a.m. – North St/Brookside Drive 7:55 a.m. - North St/Spring Valley Drive 7:56 a.m. - 103 North St 7:56 a.m. - 92 North St 7:58 a.m. - Somerset Drive/Bedford Place 8:00 a.m. – North St/Matthew St 8:04 a.m. – Greenwood Rd/Starwood Crossing 8:08 a.m. - 6 Beacon St 8:10 a.m. - Lowell St/Kirkland Drive 8:10 a.m. - 104 Lowell St 8:11 a.m. – 33 Lincoln St 8:12 a.m. – 6 Cindy Lane 8:14 a.m. – Lowell St/Canterbury St 8:16 a.m. – Stafford Lane/Warrick Circle 8:18 a.m. - Westminster Roadway/ Wescott Rd

BUS 22

8:20 a.m. – Chandler Rd/Cloverfield Drive 8:20 a.m. – Chandler Rd/Richard Circle 8:21 a.m. – Chandler Rd/Donald Circle 8:21 a.m. – 236 Chandler Rd 8:23 a.m. – 18 Brundrett Ave 8:23 a.m. - 30 Brundrett Ave 8:26 a.m. - Shattuck Rd/Tech Drive 8:28 a.m. - 168 River Rd 8:28 a.m. - 174 River Rd 8:28 a.m. - 190 River Rd 8:28 a.m. - 194 River Rd 8:29 a.m. - 219 River Rd 8:30 a.m. - Launching Rd/Gemini Circle 8:31 a.m. - Launching Rd/Apollo Circle 8:33 a.m. – 244 River Rd 8:33 a.m. - River Rd/Fossen Way 8:37 a.m. - 333 High Plain Rd

High Plain Kindergarten – Morning

BUS A

11:15 a.m. – 333 High Plain Rd 11:15 a.m. – 7 Golden Oakes Lane 11:18 a.m. – 213 Haggetts Pond Rd 11:22 a.m. – Pleasant St/Ashford Lane 11:24 a.m. – Bailey Rd/Wellington Circle 11:24 a.m. - 96 Bailey Rd 11:29 a.m. – Avery Lane/Atwood Lane 11:33 a.m. – Greybirch Rd/Greenbriar Circle

BUS B

11:15 a.m. – 333 High Plain Rd 11:20 a.m. – Bailey Rd/Larchmont Circle 11:21 a.m. - Bailey Rd/Doyle Circle 11:25 a.m. – Rutgers Rd/Hampton Lane 11:27 a.m. - 500 Lowell St 11:28 a.m. - 19 Brown St

High Plain Kindergarten - Afternoon

BUS A 11:48 a.m. - 43 North St 11:53 a.m. – River Rd/Bulfinch Drive

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7:53 a.m. – Bellevue Rd/Stouffer Circle

swood Way 18:32 a.m. - 112 Wild Rose Drive 18:34 a.m. - 90 Lovejoy Rd

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Education

Lugus of Andover, received dual above. First Group Scholars are further degrees from Washington University in St. Louis on May 15. Lugus graduated with a doctor of philosophy in molecular ally represent the top 10 percent of the cell biology from the Graduate School of Arts and Sciences.

Lugus graduated in 2000 from University of Wisconsin in Madison, Wis., with a bachelor of arts.

Washington University's 148th allschool commencement ceremony was held in Brookings Quadrangle on campus. Wendy Kopp, chief executive officer and founder of Teach For America, delivered the address. Kopp received an honorary doctor of humanities.

Katie Nadworny, daughter of Sherry And Eric Nadworny of Andover, was named to the dean's list at Brandeis University for academic achievement during the spring 2009 semester. Dean's list honors are awarded to students who have earned a grade-point average of of Psychology degree. While at UMass, 3.5 or above.

of Linda J. Vasconcellos and David Hastings and Chelsea Portney, daughter of Stacey Channing, both of Andover were named to the dean's list at Smith High School in 2005. College for the academic achievement for the 2008-09 school year.

Vasconcellos was also named to a First Group Scholar for the 2008-09 school year.

The dean's list recognizes students

SCHOOL LUNCH MENUS

The following is what is for lunch during the first two days **Andover High School** of Andover public schools, Sept. 3 and 4:

Elementary schools

Thursday: Ham-and-cheese sandwich, tuna pocket, grilled hotdog on a roll, macaroni salad, broccoli salad and fresh fruit.

Friday: epperoni or veggie pizza, assorted sandwich choices, bagel and yogurt, veggie sticks and dip, peach and juice.

Middle schools

Thursday: New low-sodium steamed hotdog, grilled cheese, ham-and-cheese wrap, carrot sticks, french frios, barbecue beans and chilled fruit cup.

Friday: French pizza, grilled chicken on a bulky roll with lettuce and tomato, seasoned veggies, macaroni salad, chilled peaches and cream and juice.

Jesse Lugus, son of Judith and John with grade-point averages of 3.333 or recognized for their particularly high level of achievement, and they generclass, according to a release from Smith College.

> Vasconcellos graduated from Andover High School and is majoring both in government and in Portuguese and Brazilian studies.

> Portney graduated from Brooks School in North Andover and is majoring in english.

Brianna Levy, daughter of Laurie and Michael Levy of Andover, received a bachelor's degree in psychology from the University of Massachusetts Amherst.

Levy graduated summa cum laude. She will attend the Massachusetts School of Professional Psychology in the fall with plans to receive her Doctor she was a member of the Golden Key honor society, the Phi Beta Kappa Soci-Hannah Vasconcellos Hastings, daughter ety, and the Psi Chi psychology honor society. Levy was also a member of the Commonwealth College, UMass' honors college. She graduated from Andover

Marisa Laine Evans of Andover graduated cum laude and received a bachelor administration. of arts degree from Miami University on Saturday, May 9 at Yager Stadium. university in southwestern Ohio.

Sarah Morgan, daughter of Rebecca

Kelley-Morgan of Andover, and Jim Morgan of Waltham, was recognized recently by Commonwealth College, the honors college at the University of Massachusetts Amherst, with a certificate for completing the prestigious International Scholars Program. Cosponsored by Commonwealth College and the university's International Programs Office, the program integrates coursework in international studies with experience living and learning outside the U.S. The goals of this competitive three-year scholarship program are to prepare students for the study abroad experience, foster an appreciation for other cultures, and support students in developing skills for careers in an increasingly interconnected world.

A 2005 graduate of Andover High School, Morgan completed a year of coursework on international issues and cross-cultural preparation and then studied in Quito, Ecuador. Upon returning to the U.S., she completed a re-entry seminar and a senior project. On May 23, Morgan graduated from UMass Amherst with Commonwealth College honors and departmental honors in environmental science, completed a minor in political science, and earned a certificate in public policy and

Commonwealth College is the honors college at the University of Massachusetts Amherst.

Thursday: Grilled chicken teriyaki over pilaf, seasoned cut carrots, bread stick, meatball sub, steak and cheese, hamburger or cheeseburger deluxe with bacon, lettuce and tomato, grilled cheese, hotdog and fruit cup.

Friday: Baked fish sandwich, french fries, cole slaw, meatball sub, steak and cheese, hamburger or cheeseburger deluxe with bacon, lettuce and tomato, grilled cheese, hotdog and fresh fruit.

Also available a la carte daily at the elementary and middle schools: bottled water and 100 percent juice; low-fat ice cream and yogurt; bagel with light cream cheese; yogurt; fresh fruit of the season; and milk.

At Andover High School there is a wrap/deli bar with sandwiches made to order with favorite toppings, plus a daily sandwich offering, daily specials, and panini specials.

For prices or other information about lunches, call Gail Koutroubas, food services director, at 978-623-8622.

Providing reason to bullies in my youth Kan Saifert the other guy's fault.

good job in discussing the problem

Every neighborhood has at least

a few bullies, and my childhood in

the city of Buffalo was no different.

The girls kept their part of the social

contract and for the most part were

ladies. They deserved much credit

for facing poverty, alcoholic fathers

and unemployment while having no

The boys, on the other hand, were

allowed more freedom. They went

to church, as the girls did, the boys

club, the streets... and all too many

We established two methods for

handling bullies. On the street, if a

bully became a problem, five to 10 of the more docile lads would rough

him up a bit. If he singled us out one

at a time, an older brother or friend

would meet him privately and pro-

parents were very aware of such

tactics and watched in silence. The

police knew each bully and his ten-

dencies. We never had a court case

over bullies. There were those who

could not control their anger and

The second method was

employed when boys of similar

size and age had issues. We had a

tradition in our family. It was not

Dad. The first rule was, try to talk

your way out of physical confronta-

tion. It must be a sincere effort. You

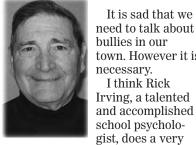
must also not be the reason for the

problem. In other words, it must be

unique. It was instituted by our

vide order in the neighborhood. The

of bullies. Andover is fortunate to



have his services.

boys club to attend.

to jail.

went to jail.

It is sad that we need to talk about bullies in our town. However it is necessary.

I think Rick

we are probably going to resort to physical exchange. Once that has been established, no pushing or shoving was allowed. You never knew when the battle would escalate. Instead you formed a fist and sent a good one to the jaw of your opponent. It was quick and usually decisive. Sometimes the battle would continue. Most times it did not. It is amazing how the sensation of bone on bone provides reality. There never was a second battle. The bully knew that a skirmish was to occur when trying to strong arm a person who would fight back.

If you cannot resolve the issue

peacefully, then warn the adversary

At home, we were very well schooled on the art of self defense. We were not always the victor, but we represented the Seifert family well and followed the rules.

This tradition was passed on to the next generation. Kevin, our oldest son, established the practice in Andover. He had three experiences, at least to our knowledge, and survived childhood quite well. Kurt was quiet on the subject until last week when he brought his lovely wife and Vivian Adeline Seifert, our new grandchild, for her first visit. He said he used the method on two occasions in Andover.

Now there will be those who will not approve of a superintendent of schools who would teach his children such behavior. If my boys followed the rules, I think a judge would rule in their favor. I bet Dr. Phil would have acted in a similar manner when faced with the same problems. A bully seems to be crying out for help. Help should be given. In no way am I suggesting I feel good about such methods, but self defense and preserving your dignity are necessary in certain situations. This is especially true when there is no one else around to provide reason to the bully.

Ken Seifert is a 40-year resident of Andover and former superintendent of schools.

BUS ROUTES

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8:18 a.m. – Westminster Rd/Endicott Rd 8:19 a.m. - 41 Chandler Circle

11:30 a.m. – 19 Enmore St 11:31 a.m. - 17 Dufton Rd 11:31 a.m. – 64 Burnham Rd 111:33 a.m. - Haverhill St/York St 11:54 a.m. – Linda Rd/Nancy Circle **Noon –** 51 Farrwood Drive **12:01 p.m. –** 25 Farrwood Drive 12:02 p.m. – Farrwood Drive/Penobscot 8:21 a.m. – Abbot Bridge Drive/Hartford 7:58 a.m. – 4 Linda Rd

8:20 a.m. – Eastman Rd/Spruce Circle 8:20 a.m. – Eastman Rd/Danforth Circle

7:57 a.m. – 13 Rocky Hill Rd 7:57 a.m. – 3 Black Horse Lane 7:58 a.m. – Linda Rd/Nancy Circle **7:59 a.m. –** 459 South Main St 8:00 a.m. - 8 Old County Rd 8:01 a.m. – Old County Rd/Boston Rd 8:01 a.m. - 31 Old County Rd 8:01 a.m. – Old County Rd/Morningside Drive 8:01 a.m. - Morningside Drive/Donna Rd 8:02 a.m. - Morningside Drive/Clover Circle 8:02 a.m. - Morningside Drive/Azalea Drive 8:03 a.m. – Morningside Drive/Glenwood Rd 8:05 a.m. – Countryside Way/Peach Tree Path 8:05 a.m. - 8 Countryside Way 8:07 a.m. - Sunset Rock Rd/Regency Ridge 8:08 a.m. – Sunset Rock Rd/Peppercorn Lane 8:08 a.m. – 12 Arcadia Rd

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8:22 a.m. - 30 Lowell St 8:22 a.m. – Lowell St/Marwood Drive 8:24 a.m. - 18 Magnolia Ave 8:31 a.m. – 26 Central St

BUS 26

7:45 a.m. - 128 Andover St 7:49 a.m. – Yardley Rd/Radcliff Drive 7:50 a.m. – Yardley Rd/Copley Drive 7:52 a.m. – 55 Tewksbury St 8:00 a.m. – Ballardvale Rd/Tilton Lane 8:06 a.m. - Rattlesnake Hill Rd/Countryside Way 8:09 a.m. – Morningside Drive/Azalea Drive 8:14 a.m. - 17 Wildwood Rd 8:15 a.m. - 241 Holt Rd 8:15 a.m. - 219 Holt Rd 8:16 a.m. – Orchard St/Great Heron Place 8:20 a.m. – 4 Sunset Rock Rd 8:23 a.m. – South Main St/West Knoll Rd 8:30 a.m. – 247 Highland Rd 8:30 a.m. - Highland Rd/Kathleen Drive 8:31 a.m. – 14 Downing St 8:35 a.m. – 26 Central St 8:42 a.m. - 18 Magnolia Ave

BUS 30

8:00 a.m. - 20 High St 8:00 a.m. - 26 High St 8:00 a.m. - 42 High St 8:00 a.m. – High St/Hartigan Court 8:01 a.m. - 159 High St 8:02 a.m. – High St/Olde Berry Rd 8:02 a.m. - High St/Longwood Drive 8:02 a.m. – 197 High St 8:03 a.m. - 166 Haverhill St 8:03 a.m. - 109 HaverhIII St 8:05 a.m. - Stirling St/Whittemore Terrace 8:07 a.m. – Stirling St/Sutherland St 8:08 a.m. – Stirling St/Dumbarton St 8:08 a.m. - Liberty St/Carlisle St 8:09 a.m. - Haverhill St/Linwood St 8:10 a.m. – Dufton Rd/Enmore St 8:11 a.m. - 3 Village Way 8:11 a.m. - 57 Dufton Rd 8:11 a.m. - 17 Dufton Rd 8:12 a.m. - Burnham Rd/Rock O'Dundee Rd 8:16 a.m. – 363 North Main St 8:17 a.m. – Union St/Shepley St 8:22 a.m. – 18 Magnolia Ave 8:29 a.m. - 26 Central St

Shawsheen Kindergarten – Morning

BUS A

11:15 a.m. – 18 Magnolia Ave 11:21 a.m. - 150 High St 11:23 a.m. - 197 High St 11:26 a.m. - 34 Stirling St 11:28 a.m. - 68 Haverhill St 11:28 a.m. - 60 Haverhill St 11:29 a.m. - 48 Enmore St

BUS B 11:15 a.m. – 18 Magnolia Ave 11:16 a.m. – Poor St/Windsor St 11:23 a.m. – 64 Morton St 11:24 a.m. – Morton St/Memorial Circle 11:28 a.m. - Elm St/Summer St 11:28 a.m. – 24 Maple Ave 11:30 a.m. - 130 Elm St 11:31 a.m. - Elm St/Westwind Rd

Shawsheen K PM

Bus A

11:45 a.m. – North St/Brookside Drive 11:49 a.m. - 189 Greenwood Rd 11:58 a.m. - Westminster Roadway/ Haskell Rd 12:06 p.m. – Princeton Ave/Yale Rd 12:08 p.m. – Princeton Ave/Bowdoin Rd 12:10 p.m. – 12 Sherbourne St 12:11 p.m. – 18 Magnolia Ave

Shawsheen Kindergarten – Afternoon

BUS B

11:55 a.m. – 144 Lovejoy Rd Noon - Strawberry Hill Rd/Rennie Drive Noon – 4 Rennie Drive 12:08 p.m. - 137 North Main St 12:13 p.m. – 18 Magnolia Ave

BUS C

11:50 a.m. - North Main St/Lewis St 11:55 a.m. – Main St/Hiddenfield Rd 12:00 Pm - 17 Wildwood Rd 12:12 p.m. – 18 Magnolia Ave

South Kindergarten - Morning

BUS A

11:15 a.m. – 55 Woburn St 11:19 a.m. – Andover St/Dale St 11:20 a.m. – Andover St/Church St 11:22 a.m. - 33 Chester St 11:25 a.m. – Yardley Rd/Garfield Lane North 11:26 a.m. - 67 Tewksbury St 11:29 a.m. - 30 River St 11:31 a.m. - 99 River St **11:33 a.m. –** 11 Messina Drive

BUS B 11:15 a.m. – 55 Woburn St

11:23 a.m. – 1 Bradley Rd 11:24 a.m. - 30 Bannister Rd

South Kindergarten – Afternoon

BUS A

11:50 a.m. – 17 Orchard Crossing **11:51 a.m.** – 9 Belknap Drive

Way 12:14 p.m. - 55 Woburn St

BUS B

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11:57 a.m. – Countryside Way/Peach Tree
Path
11:58 a.m. – 84 RattleSnake Hill Rd
12:01 p.m. - 150 Woburn St
12:01 p.m. – 131 Woburn St
12:02 p.m. – Woburn St/Charlotte Drive
 12:08 p.m. – 5 Timothy Drive
 12:11 p.m. – Woburn St/Bayberry Lane
 12:12 p.m. - 55 Woburn St
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South Elementary School

BUS 2

7:55 a.m. – Colonial Drive/South Main 7:55 a.m. - 112 Colonial Drive 7:55 a.m. – Colonial Lane/Patriot Drive 7:57 a.m. - 522 South Main St 7:57 a.m. - 502 South Main St 7:58 a.m. – 9 Gould Rd 7:59 a.m. - 17 Gould Rd 8:00 a.m. - 61 Gould Rd 8:00 a.m. – Gould Rd/Phoenix Place 8:02 a.m. – Gould Rd/Farrwood Drive 8:02 a.m. - 86 Gould Rd 8:03 a.m. - 91 Gould Rd 8:03 a.m. – Gould Rd/Forest Drive 8:03 a.m. - 109 Gould Rd 8:05 a.m. - 45 Farrwood Drive 8:06 a.m. – Farrwood Drive/Mohawk Rd 8:06 a.m. - Mohawk Rd/Eagle Way 8:08 a.m. – 25 Farrwood Drive 8:09 a.m. – Farrwood Drive/Arrowood Lane 8:13 a.m. - 448 South Main St 8:13 a.m. - 444 South Main St 8:13 a.m. - 436 South Main St 8:14 a.m. - 388 South Main St 8:14 a.m. - 378 South Main St 8:22 a.m. - 55 Woburn St.

BUS 21A

7:52 a.m. – 143 Andover St 7:53 a.m. - Andover St/Church St 7:53 a.m. - Center St/Church St 7:53 a.m. – Center St/Oak St 7:54 a.m. - Tewksbury St/Center St 7:54 a.m. – Tewksbury St/Marland St 7:55 a.m. – 199 Andover St 7:56 a.m. - 9 River St 7:56 a.m. - 30 River St 7:58 a.m. - 99 River St 8:00 a.m. – Laconia Drive/Sparta Way 8:00 a.m. - 11 Odyssey Way 8:01 a.m. – 15 Messina Drive 8:07 a.m. – Andover St/High Vale Lane 8:08 a.m. - 229 Andover St 8:08 a.m. - 240 Andover St 8:09 a.m. - 250 Andover St 8:10 a.m. - 264 Andover St 8:11 a.m. - 267 Andover St 8:13 a.m. – 55 Woburn St

BUS 21B 8:20 a.m. – Abbot St/Eastman Rd Circle 8:21 a.m.-Abbot Bridge/Jefferson Lane 8:22 a.m. - 18 Abbot Bridge Drive 8:22 a.m. – 12 Abbot Bridge Drive 8:23 a.m. - 49 Lupine Rd 8:23 a.m. - 56 Lupine Rd 8:25 a.m. - School St/Ridge St 18:27 a.m. – 96 Central St 18:27 a.m. – 93 Central St 18:27 a.m. – 88 Central St 18:28 a.m. - 10 Henderson Ave 8:28 a.m. - 15 Marion Ave 8:29 a.m. - 84 Central St 8:32 a.m. - 112 Abbot St 8:32 a.m. - 11 Prides Circle 8:34 a.m. – 131 Abbot St 8:37 a.m. – 55 Woburn St

BUS 5A

7:55 a.m. – 16 Hall Ave 7:57 a.m. – 42 Clark Rd 7:57 a.m. - 47 Clark Rd 7:59 a.m. – Bannister Rd/Bradley Rd 7:59 a.m. - 11 Bradley Rd 8:00 a.m. - 15 Bradley Rd 8:00 a.m. - 30 Bradley Rd 8:02 a.m. – 22 Clark Rd 8:04 a.m. - 71 Tewksbury St 8:04 a.m. - Tewksbury St/Redgate Drive 18:05 a.m. – Yardley Rd/Radcliff Drive 18:06 a.m. - Yardley Rd/Waverly Drive 8:07 a.m. - Yardley Rd/Bristol Lane 8:07 a.m. – Yardley Rd/Copley Drive 8:08 a.m. - 130 Tewksbury St 8:09 a.m. - 93 Tewksbury St 8:09 a.m. – 78 Tewksbury St 8:09 a.m. – Tewksbury St/Molly Rd 8:10 a.m. – 49 Tewksbury St 8:10 a.m. – Yardley Rd/Garfield Lane North 8:10 a.m. – Tewksbury St/Pole Hill Drive 8:10 a.m. - 23 Tewksbury St 8:10 a.m. - 17 Tewksbury St **8:16 a.m. –** 55 Woburn St

BUS 5B

8:20 a.m. – Ballardvale Rd/Enfield Drive 8:21 a.m. – Ballardvale Rd/Wyncrest Circle **8:23 a.m. –** 56 Ballardvale Rd 8:25 a.m. - 14 Ballardvale Rd 8:25 a.m. – 9 Ballardvale Rd 8:27 a.m. - 24 Belknap Drive 8:29 a.m. – Ballardvale Rd/Paddock Lane 8:31 a.m. – Suncrest Rd/Pinecrest Rd **8:33 a.m. –** 9 Alderbrook Rd 8:36 a.m. - 63 Spring Grove Rd 8:38 a.m. – 9 Timothy Drive 8:41 a.m. – 18 Spring Grove Rd 8:45 a.m. – 55 Woburn St

BUS 6A

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7:55 a.m. – 345 South Main St 7:55 a.m. - 365 South Main St 7:55 a.m. - 375 South Main St 7:56 a.m. - 413 South Main St

BUS 6B

8:08 a.m. – 1 Arcadia Rd

8:13 a.m. - 55 Woburn St

8:19 a.m. – 131 Woburn St 8:19 a.m. – 146 Woburn St 8:19 a.m. – 150 Woburn St 8:20 a.m. – Doric WAy/Acropolis Circle 8:20 a.m. - 161 Woburn St 8:21 a.m. – 183 Woburn St 8:21 a.m. - 191 Woburn St 8:22 a.m. – 140 Rattlesnake Hill Rd 8:22 a.m. – 124 Rattlesnake Hill Rd 8:22 a.m. – Rattlesnake Hill Rd/Dundas BUS B Ave 8:23 a.m. – Rattlesnake Hill Rd/Fosters Pond Rd 8:24 a.m. - 119 Rattlesnake Hill Rd 8:24 a.m. – Rattlesnake Hill Rd/Carter Lane 8:24 a.m. – 104 Rattlesnake Hill Rd 8:24 a.m. – Rattlesnake Hill Rd/Pine Tree Lane 8:25 a.m. – Rattlesnake Hill Rd/Roulston Circle 8:26 a.m. – RatTlesnake Hill Rd/Hawk Ridge 8:26 a.m. – 55 Rattlesnake Hill Rd 8:26 a.m. – 50 Rattlesnake Hill Rd 8:27 a.m. – Rattlesnake Hill Rd/Boston Rd 8:33 a.m. – 55 Woburn St

BUS 7A

7:50 a.m. – Porter Rd/Mackenzie Court 7:50 a.m. – Porter Rd/Hammond Way 7:52 a.m. – Forbes Lane/Karlton Circle 7:52 a.m. – Hidden Rd/Forbes Lane 7:55 a.m. - 25 Alden Rd 7:55 a.m. – Nutmeg Lane/Lantern Rd **7:57 a.m. –** 50 Hidden Rd 7:57 a.m. – Hidden Rd/Gardner Ave 7:58 a.m. - 269 South Main St 7:58 a.m. – 281 South Main St 7:59 a.m. - 305 South Main St 8:00 a.m. – 14 Orchard Crossing 8:00 a.m. - 24 Orchard Crossing

8:02 a.m. - 136 Hidden Rd 8:03 a.m. - 120 Hidden Rd 8:05 a.m. - 46 Sunset Rock Rd 8:14 a.m. - Woburn St/Island Way 8:14 a.m. - 100 Woburn St 8:14 a.m. - 116 Woburn St 8:14 a.m. – 4 Powers Rd 8:14 a.m. – 20 Powers Rd 8:17 a.m. – 55 Woburn St

BUS 7B

8:25 a.m. – Andover St/Dale St 8:25 a.m. – 191 Andover St 8:25 a.m. – 180 Andover St 8:25 a.m. – Andover St/Clinton Court 8:27 a.m. – 5 Chester St 8:27 a.m. - 20 Chester St 8:28 a.m. – 30 Chester St 8:35 a.m. - 55 Woburn St

West Elementary Kindergarten – Morning

BUS A

11:15 a.m. – 58 Beacon St 11:19 a.m. – 18 Cuba St 11:22 a.m. - Shawsheen Rd/Brechin Terrace 11:23 a.m. - Stevens St/Powder Mill Square 11:24 a.m. - 52 Stevens St 11:26 a.m. - 30 Railroad St

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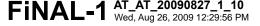
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Obituaries

Louise A. Campagna, 94



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mother.

19.2009.

and a sister, Anna Filella.

Barbara of Wells, Maine; daugh-

EAST PENNSBORO, Pa. —

Frances Tenney Coombs, 84, of

East Pennsboro, Pa., formerly of

She was born Feb. 19, 1925, in

New York, to Francis and Miriam

Searle Tenney, and she grew up in

Lynbrook, N.Y. After her gradua-

tion from Middlebury College with

married Roy E. Coombs, Jr., her

Her church was the focus of her

Church, participating in Bible

studies, women's fellowship and

served on committees preparing

candidates for ministry. Music,

husband for 58 years.

Andover, died Wednesday, Aug.

ANDOVER — ters, Marilyn A. Dufton and her Louise A. (Filelhusband William of Londonderry, N.H. and Paula M. Galvin and her la) Campagna, 94, of Andover, husband Thomas of Ballston Spa, formerly of Law-N.Y.: and a sister. Rita Misserville rence, passed of Methuen. She is also survived away Wednesby seven grandchildren, 11 greatday, Aug. 19, 2009 grandchildren, two great-greatat the Lawrence grandchildren and several nieces General Hospiand nephews, including a special niece, Rosalie Gagne of Methuen.

She was born in Lawrence and **ARRANGEMENTS: By Louise's request** was the daughter of the late Antofuneral services will be private and nio and Guiseppina (Tripoli) Filelthere will no visiting hours. Entombment will be in St. Mary's Mausoleum in Louise lived in Lawrence and Lawrence. In lieu of flowers memorial Andover all of her life. Her family donations may be made in Louise's was her life. She was a wonderful memory to St. Jude Children Research Hospital, P.O. Box 1000, Dept. 142, wife, mother, sister and grand-Memphis, TN 38148 or Holy Family Can-She was predeceased by her cer Management Center, 70 East St., husband, Michael J. Campagna; Methuen, MA 01844. Arrangements are brothers, Carlo and Paul Filella by the Cataudella Funeral Home, 126 Pleasant Valley St., Methuen. For direc-Louise is survived by her son, tions and condolences please visit our Michael A. Campagna and his wife online website at www.cataudellafh.

com.

Frances Tenney Coombs, 84

Dorothy G. Lankshear, 86

away Tuesday, Aug. 18, 2009 at Golden Living Center.

She was born Jan. 28, 1923 to Miller in Andover. She was a member of the United Church of Christ where she sang in the choir and also she was a devoted volunteer through NCH Hospital and Hospice in Naples, Fla. When Ron and Dorothy Gail were married in 1984, she became a sailor which she enjoyed and loved sailing.

In addition to her parents she was preceded in death by her daughter, Deborah Freethy. She is survived by her husband, Ronald F. Lankshear of the home; one

Marguerite A. Lumb, 82

N O R T H husband George of Linthicum Heights, Md. and Donna Sutherby ANDOVER — Marguerite A. (Bostch) Lumb, 82, of North Andover, passed away on Monday, Aug. 17, 2009 in Mary-

and her husband Kenneth of Bradford; her 23 grandchildren and 25 great-grandchildren; her brotherin-law, William Lumb and his wife Virginia of Methuen; and her sisters-in-law. Ruth Burke of Salem, N.H., Barbara Bostch of Andover and Betty Bostch of Stoughton; as well as her many nieces and nephews. Marguerite was predeceased by her daughter, Karen Ratcliffe; her brothers, Arthur and Francis Bostch; and her son-in-law, Phillip

Szelest **ARRANGEMENTS:** Relatives and friends were invited to attend her funeral service on Saturday, Aug. 22 at the Conte Funeral Home, 17 Third St., North Andover. Interment will follow at Ridgewood Cemetery, North Andover. Calling hours will be held on Friday from 4 to 7 in the funeral home. For those who wish, Marguerite may be remembered through donations to the Lazarus House, P.O. Box 408, Lawrence, MA 01842-0808. For funeral home directions or to sign the family guest book, please visit www.contefu-

Robert E. McKinley, 71

ANDOVER — (AAGHS-NE). Bob also served on Robert E. McKin- the World Mission Planning Comley, 71, passed mittee of The American Baptist Churches of MA(TABCOM) and in away Wednesday, Aug. 19, 2009 various offices as a member of at his home in Third Baptist Church of Law-Andover. rence. ARRANGEMENTS: Family and friends

He is survived by his wife, Bren- called on Tuesday, Aug. 25, 2009 from da; his son, Robert, Jr. of Virginia in the Cataudella Funeral Home, 126

ANDOVER — Dorothy Gail daughter, Kathryn Lackey of Win-Lankshear, age 86, of Chances ston-Salem, N.C.; 10 grandchil-Creek Road in Fancy Gap passed dren; several nieces and nephews

also survive. **ARRANGEMENTS: A memorial ser**vice was held Saturday, Aug. 22, 2009 the late William and Charlotte in the Twin County Funerals Sanctuary with the Rev. Keith Ledford officiating. Family received friends the same day one hour prior the service. Burial was held in the Spring Grove Cemetery in Andover. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Mayflower Congregational UCC 2900 Country Barn Road Naples, FL 34112; or to Twin County Hospice, P.O. Box 106, Galax, VA 24333. Twin County Funerals is serving the Lankshear family. Online condolences can be made at www.twincountyfunerals.com.

L. Francis Sirois, 73

AMESBURY Philip C. Sirois and wife Miriam of – Mr. L. Francis "Frank" Sirois, 73, of Amesbury, Saturday, Aug. 22, 2009 at the Merrimac Valley Hospital in Haverhill Born in Lawrence, Frank was

the son of the Late Germaine

(Schelling) and Ludger Sirois.

Frank was a 1955 graduate of Cen-

tral Catholic High School and held

a degree in electrical engineering

from Wentworth Institute of Tech-

nology. He proudly served in the

United States Army during the

Frank had a strong entrepre-

neurial spirit. He was the owner

and operator of Custom Industries

Manufacturing Inc. in Bradford.

Over his lifetime, he ventured into

many different business and man-

ufacturing opportunities. His hu-

mor and strong work ethic will be

Frank is survived by his wife of

52 years, Janice E. (Whiteley)

Sirois of Amesbury; four children,

Michael L.Sirois of Amesbury,

Berlin Crisis.

missed by many.

Susan of Haverhill, daughter Stephanie A. Lysik and husband passed away on Michael of Amesbury: six grandchildren, Elizabeth Lysik, Colin Lysik, Quinn Lysik, Brigitte Sirois, Rose Lysik, and Vivienne Sirois; and five siblings, Louie Sirois and his wife Yvette of Andover, Philip Sirois and his wife Beverly of Andover, Sister Marie Germaine of Lawrence, Madeline Fluet of Lawrence and Germaine Sheehan and her husband James of Haverhill. He was the brother of the late Fr. George Sirois, John Sirois, Joseph Sirois, Vincent Sirois, Margaret Beaulieu, Pauline Icton Sr. Rachel Sirois, and Martha Marchand.

New York, John F. Sirois and wife

ARRANGEMENTS: His funeral Mass was celebrated on Wednesday, Aug. 26, 2009 at the Holy Family Church in Amesbury. His burial will be private. Family and friends may call on Tuesday, Aug. 25, 2009 from 4 to 8 p.m. at the Paul C. Rogers & Sons Funeral Home, 2 Hillside Ave., Amesbury. Arrangements are under the direction of the John Breen Memorial Funeral Home, Inc. For online condolences, please go to

www.breenfuneralhome.com.

FOOTBALL: New coach

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Maglio are in the process of suing to get his job back. A rally in sup- season: port of Maglio was held at The Park just after Bergeron's coach- Beasley, Wally Shields, Paul Willis, Ben ing announcement and footage Gibson. of the rally continues to air on

Andover's local cable station. "We've talked with the lawyer and are in the process (of ligitating)," said teachers union president Tom Meyers.

Maglio did not return telephone calls.

For its part, the school department has talked of the need for a new direction. Deciding to bring cross country, field hockey, football, golf, in an interim coach was the first step for the program, Bergeron volleyball said.

"Now, let's move on," he said.

Bergeron focuses his conversation on John Rex, the new head football coach he says is a good fit. Rex is the former Andover High freshmen football coach who played football in college. He was a defensive linebacker in his senior year at Bridgewater State

BACK IN ACTION

Football coaches returning from last

Kevin Bibeau, David Sumberg, Derrick

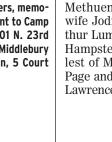
AHS FALL SPORTS NUMBERS

500 studentss playing \$350 sports fee cost per person 31 paid coaches

Sports: Cheerleading, boys & girls boys & girls soccer, girls swimming, girls

"I know a lot of these kids from when they played freshmen and they're great kids. I'm really excited about this," said Rex.

He is thrilled to have the job, but he's anxious about upcoming scrimmages, including one against top-rated Reading (11-1



Elizabeth Fitzgerald, 94



grandchildren, Kelly, Michele, Fitzgerald, a lifelong resident of Jennifer, Amy, Jesse and Sarah; Andover and be- six great-grandchildren, Betheny, loved wife of the Kaileigh, Reilly, Cassidy, Tristin late Frederick P. and Terence. Great aunt of Peter Fitzgerald, died and Joseph Auchterlonie; and sevat the Academy eral cousins, including William

ANDOVER — and Catherine F. and her husband

gardens, and reading enhanced her life, but her greatest joy was her family.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by her daughters, Martha C. Parvis of Newtown, Conn., and Cynthia C. Harbert of Hampden Township, Pa.; sons-in-law, Paul B. Parvis and Thomas M. Harbert; two beloved granddaugha degree in political science, she ters, Megan E. Harbert and Rebecca A. Harbert; and her sister, Katherine T. Hoyt, of Athens, Ga.

ARRANGEMENTS: A memorial service life wherever she lived. While in will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, Aug. Andover, she was active at South 29, at Camp Hill Presbyterian Church in Camp Hill, Pa. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be sent to Camp the hand bell choir. She became an Hill Presbyterian Church, 101 N. 23rd elder in the Presbyterian Church St., Camp Hill, PA 17011; or Middlebury when she lived in New Jersey, and College, Gift Administration, 5 Court St., Middlebury, VT 05753.

land. Marguerite was born in Stoughton, to the late William and Marguerite (Hockmouth) Bostch. Mrs. Lumb was a wonderful mom to her children and enjoyed gardening and reading, however her greatest passion was her grand-

children. Marguerite was the beloved wife of the late George B. Lumb and is survived by her children, Wayne Lumb of Gloucester, Fred Lumb and his wife Barbara of North Andover, George Lumb of Methuen, Robert Lumb and his wife Jodi of North Andover, Arthur Lumb and his wife Karen of Hampstead, N.H., Kathleen Szelest of Manchester, N.H., Debra Page and her husband George of Lawrence, Phyllis Potwin and her neralhomes.com.

on Tuesday, Aug. 18, 2009. She was also the loving sister of the late 94-years-old.

Born in Andover, Elizabeth was Croy. the beloved daughter of the late Andrew and Agnes (Hodge) Croy. Mrs. Fitzgerald was a lifelong member of the Free Christian Church of Andover and loved to read and do needlework. Above all, Elizabeth was a real family 2009 at 11 a.m. Burial will be private. person, always putting her family first.

three daughters and two sons-inlaw, Jane and her husband Mi- 48 Boylston St., Boston, MA 02116. For chael J. Bailey of Newport, R.I., additional information, please visit Virginia Johnson and her companion Gee Lauder, both of Mesa, Ariz.

Catherine Marcille and James

ARRANGEMENTS: Calling hours will be held in the Burke-Magliozzi Funeral Home, 390 North Main St., Andover, Friday, Aug. 28, 2009, from 4 to 7 p.m. Her memorial service will be celebrated in the funeral home, Saturday, Sept. 12, Donations in Elizabeth's memory may be made to Friends of Memorial Hall She will be sorely missed by Library, PO Box 133, Andover, MA 01810, or to the MA Commission for the Blind, www.burkemagliozzi.com.

ven McKinley, and Erick Klopp and a host of other family and friends.

Bob's career was in senior man-Fortune 500 companies: Drackett, a Division of Bristol Myers; Polaroid, BASF, Josten's, and Whistler Corporations; later he joined Sears. He enjoyed working with community organizations including the Andover High School Band, A Better Chance Program, the NAACP, and the African American Genealogical and Historical Society-New England Chapter

Manor Nursing Center in Andover Hodge of Vermont. Elizabeth was | Beach, Va.; his daughter Monica Pleasant Valley St., Methuen. His fu-Nutter of Haverhill; his grandchil- neral service was held on Wednesday, dren Ciara and Moriah Nutter, Ste- Aug. 26 in the Third Baptist Church, 22 Warren St., Lawrence. Entombment will be held in Oak Woods Mausoleum. Chicago. At the request of the family, please omit flowers. Memorial contriagement positions with several **butions may be made in Bob's memory** to the project Bob and Brenda were working on which was the building of two dormitories for ex-Trokosi slaves attending the Frankadua Vocational School in Ghana, West Africa: Ghana Mission Explosion Project, c/o TABCOM, 20 Milton St., Dedham, MA 02026 or to the Third Baptist Church Scholarship Fund, C/O Scholarship Committee, 22 Warren St., Lawrence, MA 01841. For directions and condolences, please visit our Web site and online guestbook at www.cataudellaFH.com.

RELIGION NEWS

Rolling Ridge sponsors Wellness Open House

On Sept. 13, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Rolling Ridge Retreat and Conference Center in North Andover, will open the estate to the community to sample various healing arts, enjoy lunch in the lakeview dining room, walk the grounds and watch artists painting or participate in a Red Cross blood drive.

Guests for the day will have opportunity to try or sample massage, reiki, foot reflexology, healing touch, yoga, drumming and other healing arts, including making prayer flags which will be hung from the trees. Teachers and therapists from the Merrimack Valley will be offering their services as a way to introduce people to their work and the programs available at Rolling Ridge.

There is no admission charge to Ridge Fest Wellness Open House. Lunch items will be available for sale prepared by international chef, Tobias Marx. Lunch reservations may be made by calling Rolling Ridge, 978-682-8815 or emailing, the staff@rollingridge.

Wellness vendors and providers of goods, may purchase tent and table space by calling Candita at Healthy Living Magazine, 781-834-2728 or e-mail mmamet@verizon. net

For more information call Larry Peacock or visit the Web site www. rollingridge.org.

College. Some of Maglio's assistant

coaches have returned and "three

or four chose not to for their own

said. "We are getting our kids

Getting teams ready during

today's lean school budget times

mean boosters are raising more

money than ever for school sports

around the state. In Andover, foot-

ball boosters have raised thou-

sands of dollars for the new turf at

Lovely Field and concession stand

with a state-of-the-art film room.

When asked if football boost-

ers put pressure on Bergeron to

make coaching changes – one of

many theories of armchair quar-

"I've always had a positive

working relationship with the

Bergeron's moving-forward

attitude on the turf officially

kicked-off this week as two-a-day

practices started for the team.

They were scheduled to leave for

football camp in Naples, Maine

today, Thursday, Aug. 27. Packed

with all the equipment is coach

"I just ask the kids to give their

best effort." Rex said about his

coaching style. "I just want to see

Rex speaks with Maglio often,

he said, and has nothing but

respect for the former coach.

He worked with Maglio's team

of coaches for the five years he

coached freshmen football. Then,

he got the call from Bergeron

about the head coach job.

terbacks - Bergeron said no.

boosters," he said.

Rex's focus on effort.

a full effort."

"We are moving forward," he

reasons," Bergeron said.

ready."

last year). "That's when we'll see what we've got and what we need to do," Rex said.

A father of three who is married to Mary Ann Rex, an eighth-grade teacher at St. Augustine School in Andover, he gets stopped often around town from well-wishers hoping his varsity debut goes well.

"I've gotten a lot of positive comments in Market Basket," laughed Rex who lives on Central Street.

Rex taught school when he graduated from college then earned a master's degree and worked in sales for 13 years. He decided to return to teaching after being a chaperone for a trip to Quebec with 50 eighth-graders.

"On the bus ride home, I told my wife that I really missed teaching. She said, 'Then go for it," Rex said. "And here I am."

Rex is about to start his sixth year at Bancroft School, where he is the physical education teacher. Elementary-school days end about 40 minutes after the high school day, but Bergeron is not worried about time-management troubles.

'So, practices will start a little later," he said. "It's not a big deal."

Many high school coaches work in the elementary schools, Bergeron said.

The football's team first five games are away and the first is against North Andover on Friday. Sept. 11 at 7 p.m.

"We'll be ready to go," Rex



CARL RUSSO/Staff photo

Andover High School senior lineman, Nick Burdeau, center, runs a play with his teammates during football practice.

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Opinion

THE TOWNSMAN Thursday, August 27, 2009 11

Beyond the Aug. 31 tax requests

Residents should welcome the comments coming from many Andover quarters, acknowledging the need to go after "real savings" in the budget, by changing the salaries and to much greater degree, the benefits, offered to Andover employees. Such basic contractual changes are the way for Andover to truly get its spending under control long-term and offer the services residents want. Salaries and benefits make up more than 70 percent of the budget.

Of course, voters might be forgiven for expressing some cynicism, given that some unions have expressed no interest in helping to close the budget gap and some officials will ask for two tax increases first. Those requests will come Monday, Aug. 31 at a hastily called Special Town Meeting that will begin at 7 p.m. in the Collins Center, Andover High School, 80 Shawsheen Road. Town Manager Buzz Stapczynski is seeking the tax increases on Aug. 31 because if they are approved that day they can take effect in October. If they are approved after Aug. 31, they will not take effect until Dec. 1, he said.

Officials have made some changes regarding benefits in and outside of the most recent contract negotiations. But many of these will take years to have significant effect. For instance, take-home cars have been removed only after employees move on from one of the town's sought-after leadership positions. Changes to sick-leave pay may affect newer employees, but have meant the town is continuing to hand golden parachutes to longtime employees when they retire.

Whatever the result at Special Town Meeting Aug. 31, voters need to hold officials feet to the fire and see that they commit to real change and tough negotiating stances where needed, both to solve the current approximately \$2 million shortfall, and to solve the systemic budget problems.

Taxing the outsiders

In Danvers recently Town Meeting voters rejected the idea of imposing a tax on meals served in local restaurants, but had no qualms about increasing the tax on hotel and motel rooms. Several Andover officials are making the same recommendation for the Aug. 31 Town Meeting.

One reason is that the meals tax affects virtually everyone, including Andover residents. The hotel tax, on the other hand, is restricted mainly to directly affecting those from out of town.

It's a trend seen throughout the country: If you need to raise money, tax those who won't or can't complain about government picking their pockets once again. It's the reason lodging and rental-car taxes are through the roof in many locales.

The state legislature and Gov. Deval Patrick approved these local-option taxes earlier this year to help cities and towns make up some of the money they stood to lose in state aid. But it seems worth asking whether it feels right for a town to make people from out of town with no vote pay for its residents' services. Two hundred and forty years ago when Andover farmers were contemplating revolution and freeing themselves from the yoke of British rule they had a name for it: Taxation without representation.

STAYING COOL & HAVING FUN



ROGER DARRIGRAND/Staff photo Ella Finegold, 3, left, cools off with her sister, Ava, 6, as a car-wash turned into playtime for the pair on a hot afternoon last Friday in Andover.

Schools superintendent, town manager support new taxes

Editor, Townsman:

At the Aug. 31 Special Town Meeting the residents of Andover will be asked to vote on two important new local excise revenue options that have been authorized by the Massachusetts Legislature. The state provided these two local revenue options to cities and towns this year to help compensate for the reduction in state financial aid for education and law enforcement. Andover was hit with a \$662,000 reduction in state assistance this year.

Article 1 proposes the adoption of a local meals excise tax of 0.75 percent on sales of meals served by restaurants in Andover. This amounts to about 75 cents on a \$100 tab, or 37.5 cents on \$50. Dining out is a discretionary expense for most people, and a luxury for high-end meals. Contrary to some opinions, this nominal amount is unlikely to cause people to forgo dining out

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

taxed at a rate 64 percent higher raising their local meals taxes cents for my Saturday morning than residents.

Anyone who has lived in Andover for any period of time knows that Selectman Brian Major and the editorial writer of the Andover Townsman have both warned for years about the unsustainable increases in our labor contracts. However, in March 2008, for example, then School Committee member David Samuels said of the recently negotiated teachers cost of living adjustment increase: "We're very happy with it... It's very fair, conservative." At best, there appears to have been an enormous lack of financial understanding by the School Committee and their financial consultants.

Andover is governed by two boards. A School Committee that has total budget authority over all school matters, which accounts for two-thirds of our total budget, and a Board of Selectmen that has budget authority over police, fire, maintenance and every other aspect of our town.

For 2010, five of the six town-

because, as Lawrence Mayor Michael Sullivan put it to the cheonette. No, I will not stop get-Eagle Tribune, "We're trying to ting my breakfast there for the get more restaurants to come to Lawrence, not drive them away.

Yet by adding higher taxes at town establishments, hotels and restaurants will be forced to raise prices just to break even, giving Andover an even deeper competitive disadvantage in relation to businesses in neighboring towns. Additionally, this comes on the heels of a 25-percent increase in the state sales tax which took effect Aug. 1.

Now more than ever, we need to be of service to our fellow residents and support local businesses during this time of economic need. On Aug. 31, we urge all Andover voters to attend the Special Town Meeting at the Andover High School Collins Center and vote no to higher taxes. It's bad for businesses and bad for taxpayers.

breakfast at The Shawsheen Lunadditional seven cents, nor will anyone. Business travelers, who will be paying the vast majority of the additional hotel levy of a \$1 or \$2 per night, will not suddenly look for lodging in New Hampshire or elsewhere either. These meager levies will not adversely affect local businesses. If shopping and purchases in downtown Andover are suffering maybe it has to do with local layoffs, current commercial options, product variety, pricing and ease of parking.

WILLIAM L. GIBSON 125 Argilla Road

Light shutoff plan is pound foolish

Editor, Townsman:

What a bunch of hooey ("Selectmen support shutting 626 street lights," Townsman, Aug. **PAUL ADAMS** 20). The town continues to trip 12 Berkeley Lane over dollars to pick up pennies. Secretary, Andover Republican Town And Rome continues to burn. As

WEB QUESTION

Are Andover's costs sustainable?

Lights on, lights off

Selectmen voted Monday, restaurant meals and hotel/ Aug. 17, to adopt the Department of Public Works suggestion to shut off 626 street lights in town, saving an estimated \$4,000 each month in utility costs. With 43 responses:

"I feel crime will go up once the 626 lights go off" received 37.21 percent;

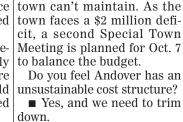
"Police have done their homework, and the 626 lights really aren't needed" and "There are other places the town should save money instead" received 20.93 percent each;

"I applaud the DPW for finding a creative way to save money" received 18.60 percent; and

"I pay for those street lights with my taxes. They should stay on" received 2.33 percent.

Are we over our heads?

At a Special Town Meet- Editor Neil Fater at nfater@ ing on Aug. 31, Andover andovertownsman.com



will decide whether to raise

motel taxes. Several mem-

bers of town boards have

spoken out against the pro-

posed increase, saying the

new revenues would pay into

overgrown cost structure the

■ No, it's just a bad economy, affecting state aid and town revenues.

■ I'm not sure.

■ Other.

To vote, go to www.andovertownsman.com and scroll all the way to the bottom of the page. For different or lengthier answers, send an e-mail to



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or drive our very desirable local restaurants to move to Lawrence or Salem.

Article 2 would increase the existing 4 percent user excise on hotel/motel rooms to 6 percent. This surcharge increase will be borne primarily by out-of-town business travelers who are in town for meetings at the large corporations. Again, this modest increase is not going to drive those corporations to seek other hotels out of Andover.

The approval of these two local revenue options will help to permanently address the town's structural budget deficit. Article 1 will generate approximately \$276,000 and Article 2 approximately \$321,000, for a combined total of just about \$600,000 for FY10. These recurring revenues will reduce reliance on the property tax, provide a better alternative to other types of user fees, and help minimize the cuts to school and municipal services and personnel. We urge the good citizens of Andover to attend the Aug. 31 Special Town Meeting, and to cast their votes in support of these two important new revenue sources.

CLAUDIA L. BACH Superintendent of Schools **REGINALD S. STAPCZYNSKI Town Manager**

Vote no: Give restaurants and hotels a break

Editor, Townsman:

Andover restaurants and hotels provide necessary services. They are innocent bystanders in a troubled economy, in a town and in a state that have for years spent themselves way beyond their means; and in a state that has passed local option taxes to provide cover for its enormous local aid cuts and unfunded mandates.

On Aug. 1, Massachusetts raised the sales/meals tax to 6.25 percent and added a new Alcohol Distribution Tax of 6.25 percent, passing these along to local restaurants, hotels and, yes, Andover patrons as well. The state also passed enabling legislation allowing towns to raise the meals from 6.25 to 7 percent and the hotel/motel from 4 to 6 percent.

Businesses already provide more than their share. In FY 2009, businesses in Andover were

side unions thoughtfully agreed on a 1-percent giveback that has resulted in a 3.25 percent average salary increase. The firefighters union was the only holdout. Also, between FY2002 and FY2009, the number of full time town-side employees decreased by 2.8 percent.

While we generally read about small contract increases like the teachers' 8.5 percent COLA over three years, this is but one component of their total salary. The other components are step increases, track increases and longevity increases. Consequently, the average teacher's salary increase for 2010 is 5.5 percent. Between FY2002 and 2009, full-time school employees increased by 14 percent while school enrollment went up 5 percent. By the way, the teachers union is the other union that has refused any givebacks, while residents in the private sector have either taken substantial salary cuts or lost their job altogether. If the teachers had agreed to a 0.5 percent giveback for 2010, we would not have a budget problem for 2010, all teachers would likely remain employed and we could have avoided two costly Special Town Meetings.

Our problem won't be cured or mitigated by further punishing our restaurants and hotels by raising their taxes. We need to fix our structural spending problems.

MIKE MOSCA 44 Pleasant St.

Town Republicans: Taxes bad for business, taxpayers Editor, Townsman:

At our recent meeting, the Andover Republican Town Committee voted unanimously to recommend against adding an additional 0.75 percent tax on meals and 2 percent on hotel rooms

Many business owners in town have closed shop as a result of the national recession, and many more are maintaining very thin profit margins. Consumers already have the opportunity to shop in bordering towns that collect little or no meals and hotel taxes of their own, including sales tax-free New Hampshire. Lawrence, Methuen and North

Committee

7 cents more for breakfast OK by him

Editor, Townsman:

Massachusetts, in a rare gesture of largesse, has recently allowed cities and towns to increase their revenues. The possibility for increased revenues from hotel and meals taxes can and will assist all communities in saving citizens' jobs and essential services. That is a fact. That Andover can and will receive approximately \$600,000 from approving these additional and meager tax increases is also a fact. That Andover is now scurrying to close a budget gap of approximately \$2 million is a fact. So, voting in favor of these opportunities will eliminate 30 percent of the budget gap and help prevent further draconian cuts to the educational excellence we provide to our children and the public safety services we demand.

But wait. In a moment of ostensible lunacy, some are saying they don't want \$600,000! It has been suggested it is advantageous to Andover to refuse this found money because, "We need the unions to work with us. We cannot afford things the way they are, and we're sending the wrong message to throw money at them without concessions." We are not giving this money to the unions. We will use it to balance the budget and preserve desired services. That town salary and benefit expenses are too great and unsustainable is a fact. That previously negotiated and in-force union contracts are onesided and not in the best interest of the town's fiscal health is a fact. However, to link union employees and their contracts to the opportunity to garner 30 percent of the town's budget shortfall through painless additional levies is patently absurd. In fact, one could make a much stronger case that to refuse this opportunity actually reinforces some unions' contentions and continued unwillingness to help the town in this time of crisis.

None of us likes or wants additional new taxes. As a retiree, I additional meal tax at the Aug. 31 Special Town Meeting means Andover have decided against I will pay an additional seven

one of the "fewer than a dozen citizens" who commented to the town on the plan, I guess I got my answer. It amazes me that on heavily-traveled cut through street (Pine), where children play, there will not be one operating street light. Pathetic. TOM ADAMS 89 Pine St.

Broaden and diversify the sources of local revenue Editor. Townsman:

The budget gap that the town of Andover is facing today has increased since the Annual Town Meeting this past May. New information about reduced state aid and lower than expected local revenues has caused the deficit to increase to \$2 million or more for this fiscal year.

The town has wisely chosen a course of action to confront and solve the budget gap by scheduling two Special Town Meetings: Aug. 31, and Oct. 7, 2009. The first STM will enable the town to act on two provisions authorized by the Massachusetts Legislature to enhance local revenues. The second STM will enable Andover to consider changes to the FY2010 budget approved in May, 2009 to balance this year's town budget.

However, even with the prudent actions planned by the town, the impacts from the ongoing economic downturn will continue to place a significant strain on Andover's resources in future years. Declining property values will most likely contribute to a continued reduction in local revenues over the next few years. The town must find ways to broaden and diversity its sources of local revenue. The local options plan being considered at the Special Town Meeting on Aug. 31 can offer the Tyown an opportunity to do just that, by broadening and diversifying the sources of local revenue and by reducing its dependence on local property taxes.

I concur with the town manager's recommendation that Andover exercise its right to increase hotel and meals taxes as authorized by the legislature. This increase of 2 percent in certainly do not. But, passing the the hotel tax and 0.75 percent in the meals tax would provide

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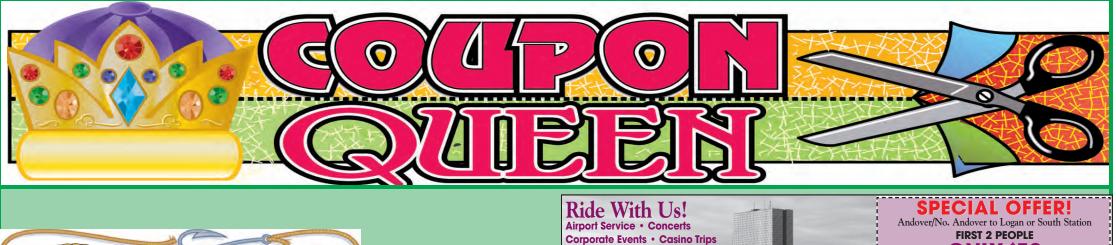
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Tips from the Coupon Queen

Jill Cataldo saves hundreds on groceries by making the most of the common coupon. You can, too. Here's how. Meet the Coupon Queen and Start Saving

I am a coupon queen.



I wasn't always. In fact, it's not even a title I gave myself. But two years ago, I completely changed the way I shopped for groceries for my family. Perhaps you've seen stories in the news about some frugal person gleefully purchasing hundreds of dollars worth of groceries for pennies. Well, I am one of those people. And I've

The Coupon Queen been getting a lot of attention over the past few

months for something that anyone can do. I'm now dedicating a large portion of my time to educating other people in what I call "Super-Couponing," an easy and fun way to save money on gro-

chased nine tubes of name-brand toothpaste for 63 cents.



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Something in the water

Virginia Perry Reck

All bottled water is not created equal.

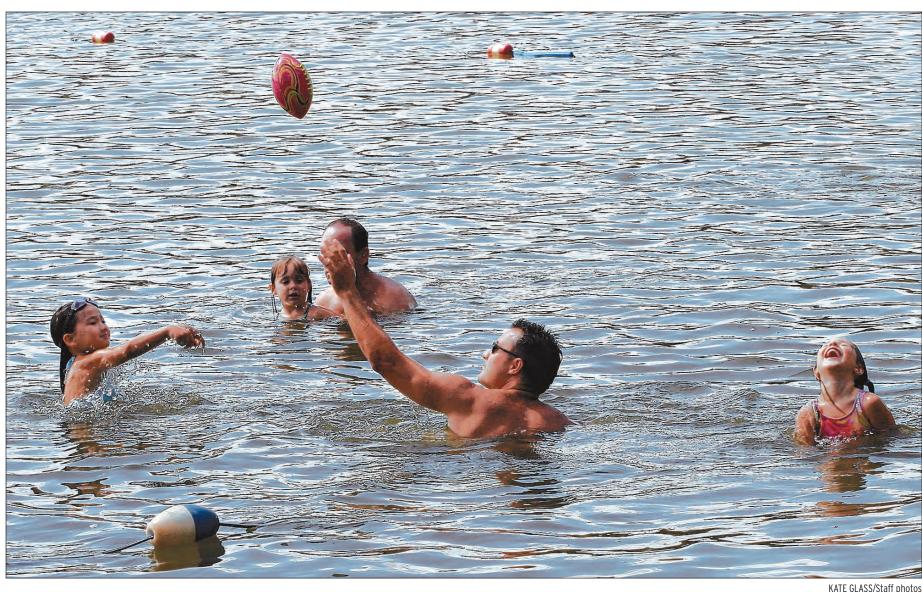
Recently, I had a chance to become reacquainted with May Norris, a long time Ballardvale resident. She mentioned that a "Lithia Spring Company" used to exist in Ballardvale. She said the bottled water from the springs had lithium in it and was acclaimed for its calming affects. Even though my family has been closely associated with Ballardvale since 1929, I had never heard of the springs and was eager to learn more about them. I spoke with long time residents

I spoke with long time residents John and Lorna McIntyre, who told me that the spring and bottling buildings were on Woburn Street, south of the intersection with Ballardvale Road, where Woburn Street is curvy and new homes have since been built. John went there when he was a child and found old Lithia Spring bottles that had been thrown on a near by dump.

The Andover spring water was carted from Woburn Street to Lowell Junction and shipped all over the world in barrels, carboys and bottles.

At the Andover Historical Society I found a write-up on the Lithia Spring Co. written by J.W. Robinson on Feb. 7, 1952. He was one of a group of men who, in the 1890s, bought out the founder of the Lithia Spring Co., Paul Hannigan of Lawrence. Paul Hannigan had set up the company in the 1880s. Mr. Robinson writes that the water was "purer than Poland Springs water" at its source and that Lithia salts were added by pipe to the water to turn it into an unparalleled mineral water, a hot commodity at that time.

I went online and found that there were other Lithia Springs water companies formed in the 1880s in Europe and the United States. The companies advertised their waters far and wide with glowing testimonials to the water's curative properties. Lithia Springs Water Co. in



Courtney Duffy, 5, Fallon O'Connor, 4, Tom O'Connor, Michael Ciacciarelli and Lucy Ciacciarelli, 5, play monkey in the middle at Pomps Pond on Sunday. The pond officially closed for the summer at the end of the day.

Summer fun comes to a close at Pomps Pond





Georgia is still bottling water and advertising today.

Lithium was not discovered as a treatment for mania until 1948, and although it was used through the 1950s and 1960s to treat bipolar disease, lithium carbonate, the most common preparation, was not approved by the FDA until 1970. However, back in the 1800s doctors and their patients had discovered that spring water that was high in lithia salts had curative properties. In an ad for the Londonderry Lithia Spring Water (an ad that was typical),

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Alistair McBrien and his brother, Duncan, work on their last sandcastle of the summer at Pomps Pond on Sunday.

Cate Margolis, 4, pours water over her head while cooling off at Pomps Pond with her twin sister, Abby, before it closed for the season.

Eagle Scout projects help town soar



COURTESY PHOTO

After receiving the Eagle badge at his Court of Honor ceremony, Matthew D. Quartararo of Andover accepts congratulations from his father Christopher Quartararo, a Troop 73 Committee member. At right is his brother, Christopher D., a Star Scout.

Extending the boardwalk

When a group of Andover Scouts and leaders trekked across 81 miles of the rugged Rocky Mountain range on a July 19 to Aug. 1 backpacking expedition to the Philmont Scout Ranch, in Cimarron, N.M., Matthew D. Quartararo of Andover served as the group's crew chief.

Quartararo also had been given the Eagle badge, the highest honor bestowed by the Boy Scouts of America, during a lawn ceremony at his parents' home earlier this June. He received the honor after successfully completing an intensive land conservation project late last fall that improved trails at the Harold

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Eagle Scout candidate Matt Dorros glues a marker next to a storm drain, reminding residents not to dump pollutants into the town's storm water sewer system.

Helping to keep town water clean

Boy Scout Matt Dorros has a personal reason for spearheading an ongoing environmental project.

"A lot of my interests have to do with the outdoors, backpacking, and skiing, and I wouldn't want to see those things go away," he said.

As a candidate for the Eagle badge with Andover Troop 73, Dorros has led an effort to identify storm drains around town with plastic-coated markers that have a "no dumping" message. The markers remind people storm drains are meant for rainwater and not pollutants that can cause environmental harm and contaminate drinking water.

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COURTESY PHOTO From left, Don Milligan, Eagle Scout Steve Moore and his dad Jonathan Moore.

Drawing people to the Shawsheen

If Andover achieves its dream of a revitalized stretch along the Shawsheen River, 18-year-old Stephen Moore will deserve some of the credit.

As part of the advancement to Eagle Scout, each Scout is required to complete a community service project that involves other Scouts, friends and family.

Moore's project cleared land adjacent to the Shawsheen River, on a former industrial site near the Andover/Tewksbury town line. Completed with the support of the Andover Conservation Commission, the project included the creation of

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COURTEST PHOT

Life Scout Tom Huntley, right, supervised a work crew, including Eric Heath, Max Tonks and Emily Zinsmiester, at AVIS's Keck Reservation.

Opening up AVIS reservation trails

Tom Huntley continued a long standing tradition of Eagle Scout candidates by choosing AVIS reservations as the recipient of his efforts to better the community.

Huntley organized a work party early this summer to open up AVIS's newly-acquired addition at the Keck Reservation to the public.

Fueled by pizza and soda, Huntley, of Troop 76, Ballard Vale United Church, oversaw in excess of 20 fellow Scouts and friends as they removed thousands of feet of rusting wire fencing. The crew also completed a trail linking the new meadow to

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QUARTARARO: Boardwalk

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Parker State Forest where the community of friends and famland connects to the Skug River Reservation. The reservation is part of 1,100 acres owned and managed by the Andover Village Improvement Society.

"I wanted a project that I could run my hands over when I was done," said Quartararo. "Something that I could point to and say 'I built that.""

He is the son of Christopher and Leslie Quartararo.

Quartararo, 18, joined Scouting in 1998 as a Wolf Cub in Pack 73, and crossed over to Andover Troop 73 out of South Church in May 2002. Throughout the years, he served as the troop's senior patrol leader, assistant patrol leader, and quartermaster.

Quartararo was honored with a letter of congratulations from US Senator Edward M. Kennedy, and a certificate from US Rep. Niki Tsongas, at his Eagle Court of Honor. Andover Town Manager Reginald "Buzz" Stapczynski also recognized him with a letter.

Andover High School and will attend Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute in Rensselaer, N.Y., this fall where he will pursue an by Joyce Pellino Crane.

engineering degree.

With help from an extended ily, Quartararo constructed a boardwalk for his project, which connected an area of the stateowned land with the AVIS reservation. The section had been characterized by beaver damming and annual flooding that made passage difficult for hikers during the spring months. Quartararo's boardwalk extended a previously constructed walkway

that crosses the Skug River. The project required months of planning and involved approvals from both the town's Conservation Commission and the state's Department of Conservation and Recreation.

Quartararo said the hurdles he cleared in completing the project made him a better leader, and his seven years of Scouting turned him into an avid outdoorsman and Scouting advocate. Through the years he participated in such troop activities as downhill skiing, backpacking, back-country canoeing and bicycling trips.

"Aside from the skills and life He is a 2009 graduate of lessons (Scouting) teaches on the road to Eagle Scout," he said, "it's just plain fun."

This information was provided

Erin Shepherd and Adam Finelli

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn J. Shepherd of Hamilton announce the engagement of their daughter, Erin J. Shepherd to Adam L. Finelli, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis J. Finelli of Andover.

Ms. Shepherd graduated from Hamilton Wenham in 1998 and received a bachelor of arts degree from Wheaton College in Norton in 2002 with a double major in economics and psychology. She is employed at Capital Crossing Servicing Company LLC in Boston.

Mr. Finelli graduated from St. John's Preparatory in 1991 and received a bachelor of science degree from the University of Massachusetts Amherst in 1995, majoring in marketing. He is also employed at Capital Crossing Servicing Company LLC in Boston. The couple plan a September 2010 wedding.

WATER: Gold medal for purity and lithia

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the product was said to cure: rheumatism, gravel, dyspepsia, acid stomach, indigestion, heart disease, Bright's disease, insomnia, nervous prostration, insanity, apoplexy, kidney disease and headache. The ad continued that as a "natural remedy it is a remarkable one."

In 1890, two doctors established a hospital in Lithia Springs, Ga., and called it the Lithia Springs Sanitarium. In an 1890 article, the resident physi-

trails, picnic areas and a camp-

by Boy Scouts troops, lead-

ing to what has been referred

to as the "Shawsheen River

Milligan, Scoutmaster of

Renaissance."

tion and compulsive behavior. The water acted as a sedative, calming nerves, preventing convulsions of the organs, and acting as a general aphrodisiac.

Soon spas, hotels and resorts were built by the springs to accommodate the people who came to partake of the water, and some still exist today. Apparently, none existed in Ballardvale, as no mention was made of that in Mr. Robinson's write-up, nor in articles about Ballardvale's history. Mr. Robcian there wrote that local doc- inson did write that in 1912 tors used natural lithium water when the U.S. Navy went on a sels, Belgium, Ballardvale

to treat alcoholism, opium addic- world cruise, the only carbon- Lithia was awarded the highest ated water they used was made honor, a Gold Medal for purity by Ballardvale's Lithia Spring Co. May Norris was told that the water was also sent to our soldiers on World War I battle fields to calm them.

In a pamphlet found at the Andover Historical Society entitled "The Greatest Thing in Water," W.H. Worden Jr., the general representative of Ballardvale Lithia Spring Water, writes that "in competition with French, German and other European waters at the World's Fair held in Brus-

and largest amount of lithia in water."

In 1915, the Lithia Spring Co. was sold to Liggett, the owner of the drug store chain, and in 1916 became the Ballard Vale Springs Company. The company ceased to exist in the 1920s.

I am tempted to find the old site and see if there are some bottles to be dug up, but the current residents might object!

Virginia Perry Reck is a longtime Andover resident.

DORROS: Cleaning the water

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To help people dispose properly of hazardous materials, the town runs a collection day twice a year, according to its Web site, andoverma.gov.

Last November, leading a team of Scouts, adult leaders, and friends, Dorros spent several days affixing informational fliers to residents' front doors, and gluing 500 of the green and blue markers next to storm drains across town.

Contaminants "can kill wildlife, hurt fish, poison the water, and have a general negative effect on the ecosystem," said Dorros. "If you wouldn't put it in your drinking cup you wouldn't put it in the storm drain."

In addition to marking the drains, Dorros posted informational posters in several downtown storefront windows.

Dorros, who completed his sophomore year at Andover High Troop 73 Scouts backpacked School in June, said he took on the project at the suggestion of town officials. Since 2003, the Philmont Scout Ranch in Cimartown's Department of Public ron, N.M. The expedition was Works has been fulfilling fed- led by his father, Mark Dorros, eral regulations aimed at reduc- an Eagle Scout and a Troop 73 ing pollution in waterways, said Committee Member.

Town Engineer Brian Moore.

"The work that Matt did installing the storm drain markers and door hangers is a required Public Involvement and Participation component of the town's plan to meet these EPA regulations," Moore wrote. "Hopefully, residents will become more aware of the actions needed to help protect the environment and prevent pollution."

Dorros joined Troop 73 in 2004 when he received the Arrow of Light, the highest rank in Cub Scouting, marking the transition to Boy Scouts. He completed the Scouts' National Youth Leadership training program in 2005, and served on staff in 2006. In 2007 he was inducted into the Order of the Arrow, the Scouts National Honor Society, and served as Troop 73's Senior Patrol Leader from 2007-08.

In July, Dorros and several along 81 miles of the rugged Rocky Mountain trails at

NESTING GROUND

have also been completed the past year include Michael Kaluzny, Tommy Fuerst, John Wurts, Robbie King, Barrett Flynn and Max Tonks.

taking on leadership roles in the troop while experiencing Troop 76, praised Moore's com- camping, hiking, canoeing, and mitment to his project and the many other outdoor activities. leadership skills he has devel- He did a great job developing oped through his scouting his project while working with Ballard Vale United Church in experinece. "Steve is a won- the town Conservation Com- Andover. It recognized Moore's

our eyes."

Moore spoke at the Boy Scouts of America Yankee Clipper Council Distinguished Citizen Award dinner this spring at the Andover Wyndham Hotel on the topic of "What Scouting Means to me." Steven Baddour, Sheila Balboni and Peter Anderson were honored by the Yankee Clipper Council with the Distinguished Citizen Award for 2009.

Boy Scout Troop 76 Ballard Vale celebrated Moore's achievement with an Eagle Court of Honor this spring at the **HUNTLEY:** Connects walking trails

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the older section of the Keck Reservation and cleared a section of existing trail at the intersection.

Andover hikers can now extend their walks on the AVIS Goldsmith Woodlands by crossing South Main Street and entering the meadow on Gould Road

While the national percent of Scouts ing area to help take a formerly blighted industrial site and turn achieving Eagle Rank is around 4 perit into a natural asset for the cent, more than 30 percent of Troop 76 community, said Scoutmaster Scouts reach this rank. In addition to Don Milligan. Since then, two Stephen Moore, Andover Scouts from other projects along the river Troop 76 who achieved the Eagle rank in

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COURTESY PHOTOS Andover resident Tara Masih, right, wrote a "Field Guide to Writing Flash Fiction" and credits Andover reference librarian Leslie Baskin with uncovering some interesting history of the quick-read genre.

AUTHOR READING

What: "Field Guide to Writing Flash Fiction" Who: editor Tara L. Masih and flash fiction writer Sue Williams, both of Andover When: Tuesday, Sept. 22, 7 p.m. Where: Flint Memorial Library, North Reading

By JUDY WAKEFIELD STAFF WRITER

It's a writing style that was pushed aside when television came on the entertainment scene. But now that so much of entertainment has gone handheld, it's back.

It's called flash fiction. Stories in this genre, defined as one to three pages and less than 1,000 words, can be read easily from a cell phone or small computer. The Chinese like to call these stories "Smoke-Long" as they can be read from start to finish while the reader smokes a cigarette. American writers label works as "short short stories" or "flash fiction."

As fast as you can google flash fiction, you'll learn that an editor from Andover brought together works by 25 writers for a hot new book on the genre.

Tara L. Masih, a longtime textbook editor and former English professor at Emerson College, got rave reviews from Publishers Weekly in its Web Exclusives Reviews on Aug. 17. The book reviewers there called Masih's introduction to "Field Guide to Writing Flash Fiction" (Rose Metal Press, \$15.95) "remarkably thorough," and a "smart, fun, very grateful.



Book on short, short fiction shows its increasing popularity, deep roots

Tara Masih signs a copy of her book for novelist Lisa Borders at a recent event in Brookline.

provocative guide to an increasingly popular form."

Masih is herself an awardwinning flash fiction writer. She is happy about the book's accolades, but says a reference librarian at Memorial Hall Library shares in them. Librarian Leslie Baskin tracked down the most obscure references for Masih's book introduction and Masih is

"Without her, the book would have never happened," said Masih who has lived in town for 15 years.

Masih said she "felt like a detective" as she unearthed the history of the short short story. "I was looking for a way to help (readers and writers) be educated on what flash fiction is," Masih said. "I was fascinated by its history."

Masih's research shows the short short story was popular centuries ago across the world. Italian, Asian and Indian writers kept their stories very short from the 1300s through the 1800s.

Masih dates the phrase "short short story" to Collier's Weekly in 1942. She also found an American advertisement for short short stories from 1947. It listed 10 magazines, including Atlantic Monthly and Cosmopolitan, that were looking for short shorts.

"It's a resurgence from the 1800s and 1900s," Masih said of the genre. "Now, it fits on a computer screen...it's easier to read and is getting more and more popular."

Publishers Weekly said Masih's book is "for pleasure reading but instructive enough for the classroom."

Masih said young writers will especially like this writing guide because flash fiction writing is considered less intimidating than short story writing. Flash fiction workshops for teachers and writers are becoming popular and this book aims to help them, too.

"Where to start" seems to be every writer's first question. This book answers the question – in a flash.



EVENTS CALENDAR

THURSDAY, AUG. 27

ONE DAY WORKSHOP, "How It Was Made," 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m., explore history, physics and more. Learn about Andover's mill history and the technology that powered these mills, ages 9 to 13. \$20 members, \$25 non-members, bring lunch, includes snack; info@andoverhistorical.org.

LIVE MUSIC, veteran singer-songwriter Jon Shain, combines improvised piedmont blues with bluegrass, swing and ragtime, part of Maudslay Arts Center summer season in is \$20 and lawn seating overlooking the \$18. Children 12 and younger are invited to all performances and lawn seating is free. Concert goers are encouraged to bring a picnic dinner; 978-499-0050. Mastercard and Visa

MONDAY, AUG. 31

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING, 7 p.m., Collins Center, 80 Shawsheen Road, Andover.

TUESDAY, SEPT. 1

AUDITIONS, Cantemus is seeking experienced singers in all voice parts for next season. Known for its eclectic programming, the chamber chorus will perform "Light in Winter: Season of Sun & Shadow" in December, and "The Woodland Quiet: Songs of Nature & Newburyport, 7 p.m., patio seating at tables Beauty" in May. Auditions by appointment, 6 to 10 p.m., First Church, 1 Arbor St. at Route 1A, stage (bring your own chairs or blanket) is Wenham; (617) 585-1307 to schedule audition, www.cantemus.org.

THURSDAY, SEPT. 3



Pat Coffey, 14, of Andover practices his moves in the half-pipe at the Andover Community Skate Park. Famous skateboarders on the C1RCA team had been scheduled to skate but the heavy rains canceled the show.

New voices welcome at Andover Choral Society

for its 80th season.

Rehearsals will start on Mon- and other masters. day, Sept. 21 at 7:20 to 9:30 p.m., Christ Church, 25 Central St., will feature J.S. Bach's "Mass Andover. Past performances in B-Minor." The Bach concert have included Orff's "Car- will feature soloists and orches-

inviting new members to join it Mendelssohn's "Elijah," as well as works by Bach, Beethoven

The January 2010 concert mina Burana," Verdi's "Messa tra with period instruments. Da Requiem," Haydn's "The The May 2010 concert is titled

ral Music of Johannes Brahms." This concert will feature special guests and the premiere of a new arrangement of the "Four Serious Songs," according to the group.

Both concerts will be con- is sponsored in part by a grant ducted by Music Director Allen from the Massachusetts Cultural Combs, celebrating his 20 years Council.

The Andover Choral Society is Season," Handel's "Messiah," "Songs of Love and Spirit: Cho- with the ensemble. The concerts are performed at the Rogers Center for the Arts, Merrimack College.

For more information call 978-682-0196 or 978-688-6353.

The Andover Choral Society

are accepted by telephone or at the center an hour before the performance; www.maudslayartscenter.org.

FRIDAY, AUG. 28

LIVE JAZZ, Serene, an Italian American restaurant on Main Street, 7:30 to 10:30 p.m., 100 Pawtucket St., Lowell; www.umltickets. with Sandi Bedrosian-Hvde (vocals). John Hvde (piano), Thomas Hebb (bass) & Paul Ahlstrand (sax); www.SereneRestaurant.com.

SATURDAY, AUG. 29

ANDOVER FARMERS MARKET, Andover Historical Society, 97 Main St., Andover, 12:30 to 3:30 p.m., 15 vendors; 978-475-2236.

LIVE JAZZ, with Rebecca Parris, called the "First Lady of Jazz," part of Maudslay Arts Center summer season in Newburyport, 7 p.m., patio seating at tables is \$20 and lawn seating overlooking the stage (bring your own chairs or blanket) is \$18. Children 12 and younger are invited to all performances and lawn seating is free. Concert goers are encouraged to bring a picnic dinner; 978-499-0050. Mastercard and Visa are accepted by telephone or at the center an hour before the performance; www. maudslayartscenter.org.

LIVE MUSIC, with Charlie Farren & Friends, 7 p.m., fireworks follow at 10 p.m., Salisbury Beach, Salisbury.

SUNDAY, AUG. 30

AUDITIONS, "Scrooge," Pentucket Players, noon to 6 p.m., Pentucket Bank Community Room, 25 Merrimack St., Haverhill; www.pentucketplayers.org

FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL, Andover

FRIDAY, SEPT. 4

LIVE COMEDY, with Zach Galifianakis, costar of "The Hangover," \$20 advance, \$25 door, Campus Recreation Center, UMASS Lowell East. com. 978-934-5001.

SATURDAY, SEPT. 5

ANDOVER FARMERS MARKET, Andover Historical Society, 97 Main St., Andover, 12:30 to 3:30 p.m., 15 vendors; 978-475-2236. LIVE MUSIC, Adam Ezra Group, 7 p.m., fireworks at 10 p.m., Salisbury Beach, Salisbury.

MONDAY, SEPT. 7

BREAD & ROSES FESTIVAL, the Common, Lawrence, noon to 7 p.m., Free admission, lots of live music, puppets, dancing, historical tours, children's entertainment, food court & more: 978-794-1655, breadandroses99@hotmail.com, www.breadandroses.net.

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 9

MUZZLELOADING COURSE, Lawrence Rod and Gun Club, Webster Road, Andover, 7-9:30 p.m., Sept. 9, 11, 16 and 18; Must pre-register, 978-632-7648.

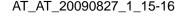
THURSDAY, SEPT. 10

LIVE JUGGLING, with the flying Karamazov Brothers, to kick off 2009-2010 season,

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Merrimack Repertory Theatre, Merrimack to 3:30 p.m., 15 vendors; 978-475-2236. Street, Lowell, 7:30 p.m.; 978.654.4MRT (4678).

FRIDAY, SEPT. 11

OPENING RECEPTION, for "Photograph," images by Larry Elardo of Groveland, Eva Timothy of Newburyport and Joseph Votano of Tewksbury, 5 to 7 p.m., Essex Art Center, 56 Island St., Lawrence; 978-685-2343

SATURDAY, SEPT. 12

DOWNTOWN MORNING COFFEE RETURNS, 9 to 11 a.m., Andover Council on Aging spon-Hall, 20 Main St., Andover. Council members family; 978 475-0050. will solicit donations of coffee and pastries from local businesses: members and other volunteers will serve as hosts.

ANDOVER FARMERS MARKET. Andover Historical Society, 97 Main St., Andover, 12:30

GENTLY USED KIDS STUFF SALE, toys, icballet.org, or call 978-975-0289 and press 4. clothes, books, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., Central Congregational Church, 1 Worthen St., Chelmsford, \$1 admission, under 14 free. Cash Only. Sponsored by the Nashoba Valley Mothers of Multiples, www.nashobavalleymom.org, 978 376-2939.

SUNDAY, SEPT. 13

ST. AUGUSTINE PARISH PICNIC, Andover Recreation Park, Mass at 12:30 p.m., followed by a cookout, moonwalk, games and gift basket raffle. Tickets are on sale at the parish sors, drop-in center at the front of Old Town office, 35 Essex St.. Andover, \$3/person, \$12/

OPEN HOUSE, Temple Emanuel of the Merrimack Valley, 101 West Forest St., Lowell. 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.; www.temv.org, 978-454-1372.

AUDITIONS FOR NUTCRACKER, New England Civic Ballet, info regarding ages, times, and proper dress attire, www.newenglandciv-JOINT PICNIC, St. Gregory Armenian and St. Michael's Church, 1 to 5 p.m. on Main Street in North Andover inside the town center.

RIDGEFEST 2009, Rolling Ridge Retreat and Conference Center 10 a.m.-3 p.m., 660 Great Pond Road, North Andover, This is a Healing Arts Festival, sponsored by Rolling Ridge and includes a Blood Drive sponsored by the American Red Cross, a Wellness Expo, sponsored by Healthy Living Magazine, a Wellness Festival sponsored by Rolling Ridge and walking tours, free admission; 978-682-8815, www.rollinaridae.ora.

NORTH SHORE WALK-A-THON, for Scleroderma, Proctor School, 60 Main St.. Topsfield, noon, sign-in at Proctor School gym; www.scleroderma.org/chapter/ newengland/2009NorthShoreWalk.htm.

Live-eel tank slides into Newburyport wildlife refuge center

Wildlife Refuge is displaying a Turnpike in Newburyport and is viewable from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

"The American eel is slimy, fascinating fish that lives an interesting life cycle," according to a release from the refuge center. "These eels begin their

The Parker River National the North Atlantic between the animals. They can absorb oxy-West Indies and the Azores. live eel tank. This tank is in the After hatching, the eel eggs visitor center at 6 Plum Island float to the ocean surface and hatch into small, transparent larvae shaped like willow leaves. These larvae drift with the Gulf is what they call Catadromous. Stream and other currents, taking about a year to reach the Atlantic coast, and even all the way here to Parker River."

life thousands of miles away in feed on fish, fish eggs, crabs, the Sargasso Sea, which is in worms, clams, as well as dead impoundment.

gen though their gills as well as their skin. This gives them the ability to travel short distances on land. The American eel is a special species of fish because it This means that they mature in fresh water and then return to the ocean to spawn.

Joining the American eels will These carnivorous creatures be a few Mummichog friends from the refuge's Stage Island



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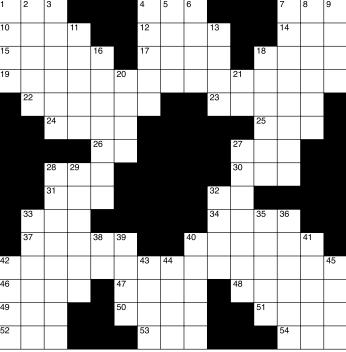
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1. Former CIA 4 Seated 7. Cycles per minute 10. 2 or more draft animals 12. Baby carriage 14. Go quickly 15. Snow house 17. Swiss river 18. Metal containers 19. Interference 22. Glides on ice 23. Inner layer of the skin 24. Object of worship 25. Feel ill 26. Manuscript (abbr.) 27. A tall vase 28. Macaws

30. A wooden pin 31. Female swan 32. Atomic #64 33. 13th Hebrew letter 34. Launched Apollo 37. A pleasant odor 40. Surface sheen 42. Home entertainment controller 46. Building plot 47. Movie " and the King" 48. Gulf of, in the Aegean 49. One of the Mannings 50. Phonograph record 51. Sodium chloride 52. British air aces

53. Sweet or savory baked

1. About organ of hearing 2. Edible lily bulbs 3. Gazelle hound 4. Practice fights 5. Biblical name for Syria 6. Container weight deduction 7. Fairy tale prince 8. About a conifer 9. Military food hall 11. Atom with a valence of 1



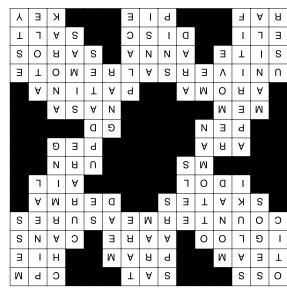
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35. Lithuanian basketballer Jasaitis 36. Parka 38. Of I 39. P___ox: contradictory statement 40. Topographic point

42. Exploiter 43. Clip

41. Cornmeal mush 44. Oversees U.S. standards 45. Z___: spicy

Solution



pastry 54. Lock opener

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13. Anthropologist Margaret 16. A cushioned foot stool 18. Tubocurarine 20. Anguilliformes

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Auditions for Nutcracker ballet

New England Civic Ballet will hold open auditions to cast male and female roles for their annual production of the beloved holiday ballet, The Nutcracker, on Sunday, Sept. 13. The audition fee is \$10 and there is no production fee, according to the group.

Performances will be Dec. 11 to 13 at the Rogers Center for the Performing Arts on the Merrimack College Campus in North Andover.

For information on the time, ages and proper dress attire, visit Web site www.newenglandcivicballet.org or call 978-975-0289 and press 4. The contact person is Phyllis George.

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that three individuals it says work in its Andover office have been named associates of the firm. dispersion modeling analyses, The associate position is newly created and recognizes the hard work and sustained excellence of these individuals, offering them foot-printing, and compliance with the chance to take an ownership stake in the firm.

Mike Battistelli has 14 years of environmental consulting experience managing and conducting fueling station design, infiltration field investigations and remediation activities at a variety of hazardous waste sites. He is a Licensed Professional Geologist focusing on remediation projects involving the releases of hazardous materials and petroleum products, as well as large coastal wetland permitting projects involving the remediation and redevelopment of waterfront properties.

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air quality work including air announce that Andover resident tions, as well as finance and lend-Michael Dana Rosen has joined the ing, will make him a great asset firm as of Aug. 3, 2009.

> Rosen has extensive experience representing developers regarding the acquisition, development, sale, leasing, and financing of complex residential and commercial real estate projects. He has represented both borrowers and lenders in complex real estate financing transactions and has appeared before zoning and planning boards regarding a variety of residential and commercial matters.

Rosen also represents telecommunication carriers before local boards with regard to wireless facilities and cellular towers. Additionally, his clients include vendors, creditors, and landlords in bankruptcy cases and commercial workouts.

"We are very excited to welcome Michael to the Firm," said Christopher Litterio, managing Union. She attended Hesser Colshareholder of Ruberto, Israel and Weiner. "His expertise in business. She is a resident of Boston law firm Ruberto, in complex commercial and Methuen.

to our clients."

Prior to joining Ruberto, Israel and Weiner, he was a shareholder at Devine MIllimet. Rosen earned his J.D. from Boston University School of Law and his bachelors degree from Boston University School of Management. He also has an masters degree from Boston University Graduate School of Management. Rosen is admitted to practice in Massachusetts. . . .

Enterprise Bank CEO Jack Clancy announced the recent appointment of Therese Leone vice president/branch relationship manager of Enterprise's Andover Office at 8 High St. Leone brings over 20 years banking experience to her new position, most recently having served as a Business Relationship Manager with Northern Mass Telephone Workers Credit lege earning an associate's degree

Extra! Extra!: Courtesy crew



Danversbank Courtesy Crew members Barbara Mullin, left, and Sonia LaRock helped commuters at the Andover train station enjoy their wait on a recent Friday morning by handing out free issues of the Andover Townsman. Courtesy Crews are uniformed groups of Danversbank employees, doing something courteous and unexpected in the communities where the bank has branches. Besides visiting train stations to give away free newspapers, Danversbank Courtesy Crews have also been seen this summer passing out cold bottled water to folks waiting in line at the Registry, and giving out free packets of sunscreen at parks on hot, sunny days.

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West Elementary School

BUS 11A

7:50 a.m. - North Main St/Castle Heights Rd 7:52 a.m. - 22 Railroad St 7:52 a.m. - 30 Railroad St 7:57 a.m. – Lincoln St/Cyr Circle 7:57 a.m. – Lincoln St/Marilyn Rd 7:57 a.m. - 3 Cindy Lane 7:58 a.m. - Theodore Ave/Mary Lou Lane 8:00 a.m. - 88 Lowell St 8:01 a.m. - 5 Canterbury St 8:02 a.m. - 10 Canterbury St 8:02 a.m. - 21 Canterbury St 8:03 a.m. - Stafford Lane/Warwick Circle 8:05 a.m. - 6 ScotlanD Drive 8:07 a.m. - Westminster Roadway/ Wescott Rd 8:08 a.m. - Westminster Roadway/ Shadow Lane 8:09 a.m. - 51 Chandler Circle 8:09 a.m. - 31 Chandler Circle 8:09 a.m. - 18 Chandler Circle 8:10 a.m. – Chandler Circle/Lowell St 8:13 a.m. - 58 Beacon St **BUS 11B**

8:15 a.m. – 6 Paulornette Circle 8:16 a.m. - 208 Beacon St 8:16 a.m. - Beacon St/Dove Lane **8:16 a.m. –** 247 Beacon St 8:16 a.m. - Beacon St/Noel Rd 8:16 a.m. - 265 Beacon St 8:23 a.m. - Walker Ave/Mckennev CirclE 8:24 a.m. - 17 Juliette St **8:24 a.m. –** Corbett St/Juliette St 8:24 a.m. - 77 Corbett St 8:25 a.m. - Princeton Ave/Bowdoin Rd 8:26 a.m. – Princeton Ave/Yale Rd 8:27 a.m. - Princeton Ave/George St 8:27 a.m. - Princeton Ave/Dartmouth Rd 8:28 a.m. – 22 Corbett St 8:28 a.m. – Sherbourne St/Allen St 8:31 a.m. – William St/Poor St 8:32 a.m. - North Main St/Windsor St 8:39 a.m. - 58 Beacon St

Getting ready for Sept. 3



From left, Michela Caffrey, 11, Sara Clark, 11, Gina Venuti, 13, fifth-grade teacher Alia Mohammed, and Julie Clark, 9, sort letters for the bulletin boards in Mohammed's new classroom. Mohammed moved up from fourth to fifth grade teacher with her students at West Elementary School. The first day of school is next Thursday, Sept. 3.

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BUS 2

8:33 a.m. – 19 Red Spring Rd

8:39 a.m. – 111 Shawsheen Rd

8:40 a.m. - 191 Shawsheen Rd

8:05 a.m. - 98 North Main St

8:05 a.m. – 122 North Main St

8:41 a.m. – 58 Beacon St

8:34 a.m. - Red Spring Rd/Moraine St

8:36 a.m. - Shawsheen Rd/Brechin

8:37 a.m. – Shawsheen Rd/Beech Circle

8:39 a.m. - Shawsheen Rd/Caleigh

8:26 a.m. – 30 Juniper Rd 8:27 a.m. - Chandler Rd/Hawthorne Circle 8:27 a.m. - Chandler Rd/Samos Lane 8:27 a.m. - 42 Chandler Rd 8:28 a.m. - 45 Chandler Rd 8:28 a.m. – 58 Chandler Rd 8:29 a.m. – Iron Gate Drive/Southridge Circle 8:29 a.m. - Iron Gate Drive/Sutton Way 8:30 a.m. - IroN Gate Drive/Pauline Drive 8:32 a.m. - 199 Greenwood Rd 8:32 a.m. – Greenwood Rd/Green Meadow Lane 8:36 a.m. – 191 High Plain Rd 8:36 a.m. - 175 High Plain Rd 8:39 a.m. - 58 Beacon St

sus Place 8:10 a.m. - 130 Elm St

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8:10 a.m. – Elm St/Shipman Rd
8:11 a.m. - Elm St/Cheever Circle
8:11 a.m. – 57 Cheever Circle
8:11 a.m. – 83 Cheever Circle
8:12 a.m. - Johnson Rd/Coolidge Rd
8:13 a.m. – Carmel Rd/Lockway Rd
8:14 a.m. - 82 Elm St
8:14 a.m. – Elm St/Wolcott Ave
8:15 a.m. – Elm St/Elm Court
8:18 a.m. – North Main St/Washington
Park Dr
8:18 a.m. - 277 North Main St
8:25 a.m. - 58 Beacon St
BUS 31A
8:00 a.m. - Andover St/Michael Way
8:00 a.m. – 29 Andover St
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8:00 a.m. – Andover St/Heritage Lane 8:03 a.m. – Apache Ave/Penacook Place 8:04 a.m. – 11 Rose Glen Drive 8:04 a.m. – Argilla Rd/Rose Glen Drive 8:04 a.m. - Argilla Rd/Newman Hill Drive 8:05 a.m. – Argilla Rd/Meadow View Lane 8:05 a.m. – 24 Argilla Rd 8:05 a.m. – Argilla Rd/Homestead Circle 8:07 a.m. – 7 Reservation Rd 8:07 a.m. - 18 Reservation Rd 8:08 a.m. - Reservation Rd/Whispering Pines Dr 8:08 a.m. - Reservation Rd/Pilgrim Drive 8:08 a.m. - 68 Reservation Rd 8:09 a.m. - Reservation Rd/Mayflower Drive 8:09 a.m. - 81 Reservation Rd

8:08 a.m. - Burton Farm Drive/Parnas-7:26 a.m. - High St/Burnham Rd 7:30 a.m. - 70 Shawsheen Rd

Wood Hill Middle School

BUS 10A

6:45 a.m. - 357 Lowell St 6:45 a.m. – Bellevue Rd/Rasmussen Circle 6:46 a.m. – Bellevue Rd/Tessier Drive 6:50 a.m. - Osgood St/Apple Blossom Rd **6:52 a.m. –** Osgood St/Hearthstone Place 6:53 a.m. - Osgood St/Keystone Way **6:55 a.m. –** 102 Osgood St 6:57 a.m. – Devonshire Place/Blanchard 6:58 a.m. – 151 Osgood St 6:58 a.m. – Bellevue Rd/Preston Circle 7:08 a.m. - 11 Cross St **BUS 10B** 7:15 a.m. - 19 Webster St

7:16 a.m. - 148 North St 7:18 a.m. - North StrEet/Brookside Drive 7:20 a.m. - North St/Spring Valley Drive 7:23 a.m. - North St/Somerset Drive 7:35 a.m. - 11 Cross St **BUS 12A**

6:50 a.m. – 33 North St 6:51 a.m. – North St/Fun Flight Circle **6:53 a.m. –** 44 River Rd 6:55 a.m. – River Rd/Bulfinch Drive 7:00 a.m. - North St/Joseph St 7:00 a.m. - North St/Matthew St 7:01 a.m. - 84 Chandler Rd

6:59 a.m. - Iron Gate Drive/Chandler 7:00 a.m. – Chandler Rd/Samos Lane 7:00 a.m. - Chandler Rd/Hawthorne Circle 7:01 a.m. – Juniper Rd/Chandler Rd 7:02 a.m. - Juniper Rd/Woodhaven Drive 7:04 a.m. - 191 High Plain Rd 7:09 a.m. - 11 Cross St **BUS 15B**

6:58 a.m. - 17 Iron Gate Drive

7:11 a.m. - 279 River Rd 7:11 a.m. - 288 River Rd 7:12 a.m. - 323 River Rd 7:12 a.m. – River Rd/Nollet Drive 7:13 a.m. - 344 River Rd 7:13 a.m. - 359 River Rd 7:14 a.m. – River Rd/Ravens Bluff 7:15 a.m. - 379 River Rd 7:17 a.m. – Avery Lane/Atwood Lane 7:17 a.m. – Avery Lane/Stoneybrook Circle 7:19 a.m. - 470 River Rd 7:21 a.m. - 118 Bailey Rd 7:21 a.m. – Bailey Rd/Quail Run 7:22 a.m. – Bailey Rd/Wellington Circle 7:23 a.m. – Bailey Rd/Nicholas Circle 7:30 a.m. - 11 Cross St

BUS 16A

6:50 a.m. - 416 Lowell St 6:51 a.m. - 455 Lowell St 6:51 a.m. - 480 Lowell St 6:53 a.m. - 25 Rutgers Rd 6:53 a.m. – Rutgers Rd/Hampton Lane 6:54 a.m. – Rutgers Rd/Rindge Rd 6:54 a.m. – Rutgers Rd/Sheffield Circle 6:55 a.m. – Rutgers Rd/LoweLI St 6:55 a.m. - Lowell St/Jordyn Lane

BUS 13A

7:55 a.m. – High St/Olde Berry Rd 7:55 a.m. - High St/Crescent Drive 7:55 a.m. – High St/Longwood Drive 7:55 a.m. - 197 High St 7:56 a.m. - 172 Haverhill St 7:58 a.m. – Haverhill St/Stirling St 8:00 a.m. – Stirling St/Dumbarton St 8:00 a.m. - 44 Stirling St 8:00 a.m. - Stirling St/Whittemore Terrace 8:02 a.m. - Sutherland St/Liberty St 18:04 a.m. – Haverhill St/Fleming Ave 18:15 a.m. - 58 Beacon St

BUS 13B

8:20 a.m. – High Plain Rd/Rolling Ridge RoaD 8:20 a.m. - High Plain Rd/Spencer Court 8:20 a.m. – High Plain Rd/Serenity Lane 8:21 a.m. – Juniper Rd/High Plain Rd 8:23 a.m. – 54 Juniper Rd 8:24 a.m. – Juniper Rd/Woodhaven Drive 8:25 a.m. - 41 Juniper Rd

BUS 14A

7:55 a.m. – Balmoral St/York St 7:56 a.m. – Burnham Rd/Carisbrooke St 7:56 a.m. – Burnham Rd/Argyle St 7:57 a.m. - Burnham Rd/Arundel St 7:58 a.m. – Burnham Rd/Rock O'Dundee Rd 7:59 a.m. - 16 Dufton Rd 8:00 a.m. - Dufton Rd/Enmore St 8:00 a.m. – 3 Village Way 8:00 a.m. - Linwood St/Linwood St Ext 8:01 a.m. - Enmore St/Linwood St 8:04 a.m. - 363 North Main St 8:08 a.m. - 383 North Main St 8:08 a.m. - Union St/Shepley St 8:15 a.m. - 58 Beacon St

BUS 14B

8:20 a.m. – West Parish Drive/Thresher Rd 8:20 a.m. – Thresher Rd/Birch Rd 8:20 a.m. – West Parish Drive/Birch Drive 8:21 a.m. – 6 West Parish Drive 8:24 a.m. - 150 Shawsheen Rd 8:24 a.m. – 158 Shawsheen Rd 8:26 a.m. – Lillian Terrace/Lincoln Circle WeSt 8:26 a.m. - 37 Lincoln Circle East 8:27 a.m. – Lincoln Circle/Lincoln Circle East 8:30 a.m. – 9 Smithshire Estates 8:31 a.m. - 32 Shawsheen Rd 8:32 a.m. - 16 Cuba St

8:06 a.m. – North Main/Lewis St 8:09 a.m. – Essex St/Brook St 8:12 a.m. - Essex St/Baker Lane 8:14 a.m. - 70 Stevens St 8:15 a.m. - 52 Stevens St 8:15 a.m. - Stevens St/Powder Mill Square 8:18 a.m. - 11 High St 8:18 a.m. - 56 High St 8:18 a.m. – High St/Temple Place 8:19 a.m. - 20 High St 8:20 a.m. – Walnut Ave/Carmel Rd 8:21 a.m. – Walnut Ave/Maple Ave 8:21 a.m. - 79 High St 8:22 a.m. - High St/Flint Circle 8:22 a.m. - 118 High St 8:22 a.m. - 128 High St 8:24 a.m. - 205 High St 8:24 a.m. - 304 High St 8:26 a.m. - Haverhill St/York St 8:32 a.m. - 58 Beacon St

BUS 3

7:54 a.m. - 11 Elm St 7:54 a.m. - 68 Elm St 7:54 a.m. – Elm St/Carmel Rd 7:55 a.m. – Elm St/Washington Ave 7:55 a.m. – Elm St/Farnsworth Rd 7:55 a.m. – 151 Elm St 7:56 a.m. - Brookfield Rd/Foxhill Rd 7:56 a.m. – Brookfield Rd/Woodcliff Rd 8:01 a.m. - Brookfield Rd/Rock Ridge Rd 8:05 a.m. – Elm St/Napier Rd 8:05 a.m. – Elm St/Elysian Drive 8:05 a.m. – Elysian Drive/Twinbrook Circle 8:08 a.m. – Westwind Rd/Burton Farm Drive

8:11 a.m. – 58 Beacon St

BUS 31B 8:25 a.m. - 189 Lowell St 8:25 a.m. - 211 Lowell St 8:28 a.m. - 92 Argilla Rd 8:28 a.m. – Argilla Rd/Strawberry Hill Rd 8:29 a.m. - 11 Rennie Drive 8:29 a.m. – Strawberry Hill Rd/Rennie Drive 8:30 a.m. - 4 Strawberry Hill Rd 8:31 a.m. – Argilla Rd/Cattle Crossing 8:32 a.m. – Fairfax Drive/Midland Circle 8:34 a.m. – Argilla Rd/Oriole Drive 8:34 a.m. – Argilla Rd/Bateson Drive 8:35 a.m. – 4 Bateson Drive 8:35 a.m. - 20 Bateson Drive 8:37 a.m. – 26 Cutler Rd 8:40 a.m. - 58 Beacon St

8:09 a.m. – Reservation Rd/Oriole Drive

West Middle School

BUS 3

7:10 a.m. - Haverhill St/Riverina Rd 7:11 a.m. – Haverhill St/York St 7:12 a.m. – Burnham Rd/Carisbrooke St 7:13 a.m. - Burnham Rd/Arundel St 7:14 a.m. – Burnham Rd/Rock O'dundee Rd 7:16 a.m. – Dufton Rd/Enmore St 7:16 a.m. - Haverhill St/Linwood St 7:18 a.m. - Sutherland St/Liberty St 7:20 a.m. - Stirling St/Whittemore Terrace 7:22 a.m. - Haverhill St/Stirling St 7:23 a.m. - 201 High St 7:24 a.m. - High St/Longwood Drive 7:25 a.m. – High St/Olde Berry Rd

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BUS 12B

Drive

7:20 a.m. - Chandler Rd/Chongris Circle 7:20 a.m. - 134 Chandler Rd 7:22 a.m. – Chandler Rd/Cloverfield Drive 7:23 a.m. – Chandler Rd/Richard Circle **7:24 a.m. –** 4 Brundrett Ave 7:26 a.m. - 30 Brundrett Ave **7:27 a.m. –** 174 River Rd 7:28 a.m. - Shattuck Rd/Tech Drive 7:30 a.m. – 195 River Rd 7:31 a.m. – River Rd/Launching Rd 7:31 a.m. - 243 River Rd 7:31 a.m. – River Rd/Fossen Way 7:32 a.m. – 261 River Rd 7:32 a.m. – River Rd/Inwood Lane 7:33 a.m. – River Rd/Greybirch Circle 7:33 a.m. – River Rd/Cobblestone Lane 7:36 a.m. - 11 Cross St **BUS 15A** 6:53 a.m. – Beacon St/Noel Rd 6:58 a.m. – Iron Gate Drive/Pauline Drive

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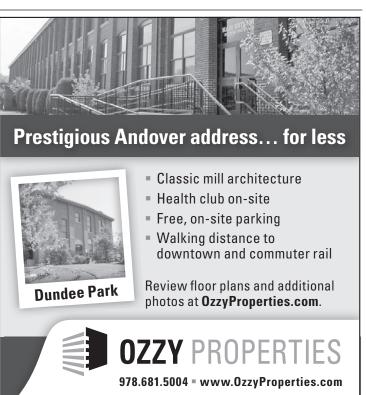
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BUS 16B

7:20 a.m. - 16 Pleasant St 7:21 a.m. – Boutwell Rd/Freemont Lane 7:21 a.m. - 26 Pleasant St 7:22 a.m. – Pleasant St/Sevilla Rd 7:22 a.m. – 47 Pleasant St 7:23 a.m. – Pleasant St/Ashford Lane 7:25 a.m. - Pleasant St/Old School House Rd 7:26 a.m. - 56 Bailey Rd 7:27 a.m. – Bailey Rd/Gina Jo Way 7:27 a.m. - Bailey Rd/Larchmont Circle 7:29 a.m. – Haggetts Pond Rd/Hitchcock Farm Rd 7:29 a.m. - Haggetts Pond Rd/Gavin Circle 7:30 a.m. - Haggetts Pond Rd/Zambom Terrace 7:31 a.m. - Haggetts Pond Rd/Hacienda Wav 7:32 a.m. - High Plain Rd/Knollcrest 7:35 a.m. – 11 Cross St











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Sports Andover's Rousmaniere teaches soccer in Africa

BY DAVID WILLIS STAFF WRITER

For Andover's Adam Rousmaniere, life simply has a different meaning now.

"When I got home, everything seemed different," he said. "It was difficult to readapt. You look at things here and you think, how can you get upset over that? How does that bother you? Readapting to life in the United States was quite an experience."

No one should blame the Harvard senior for feeling changed.

This summer, Rousmaniere spent 10 weeks in the African country of Malawi, teaching soccer as a volunteer for Coaches across Continents.

"It was so much different than anything I had ever experienced," said the former Brooks star. "Growing up in Andover and Brooks, I had grown up in a to prepare for soccer season. By bubble. I had not seen any of the real, deep poverty that exists in the world.'

Last spring, Coaches across Continents founder and Harvard alum Nick Gates spoke to the Crimson soccer team about his program. While initially intrigued, Rousmaniere was not immediately sold.

and did a lot of research," he said. "The more I thought about

it, the more I said, 'This is something I think I could contribute to.' I have been playing soccer my whole life, and I love to teach."

So Rousmaniere, along with Harvard women's standout Sophie Legros, signed on. But he admits it was very emotional when he arrived in Malawi, a country where an estimated 40 percent of its more than 13,900,000 population live under the poverty line.

"What is most shocking is the suffocating poverty that you see everywhere," he said. "Every day, everywhere you go, people that do not have homes sitting on the side of the streets. It was tough to deal with.'

While his Crimson teammates were training in comfortable gyms, Rousmaniere began every day at 6 a.m. with his conditioning on the dusty fields of Malawi 7:30 a.m., he was taking local transportation then walking 45 minutes to a field where he helped teach a three-hour session for local soccer coaches.

After lunch, it was back on public transportation, and more walking, to meet up with 1,000 or more children for a three-hour soccer clinic. While it was gruworth it.

COURTESY PHOTO

Andover's Adam Rousmaniere demonstrate a move for a crowd of onlookers. Clinics he taught drew up to "I thought about it for a while eling, Rousmaniere said it was 1,500 children during his time in the African country of Malawi with Coaches across Continents.

> them were orphans, living on the streets. Most of them get one meal a day — maybe. But 1,500 first few days. kids would show up, laughing,

"The kids were amazing," he said. "A little more than half of smiling and jumping around. they were so excited. Our nick-They just wanted to play soccer. That was really hard on me the "Every time we showed up,

name was 'Mzungu' which means white person. They were so passionate about learning soccer, despite their disadvantages."

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Rousmaniere and the rest of the Coaches across Continents volunteers found few luxuries in Malawi.

We stayed wherever we could," he said. "I probably slept in 40 different beds. We staved with host families, in hostels, inns and lodges. That was draining.

"I didn't mess with the food too much. Kids would walk around with sticks and impale mice on them, and they would roast them. I tried a small piece of one mouse, but it was disgusting. And all bone. I had to come back and play Division 1 soccer, so if I got sick and lost 30 pounds, it would have been really bad."

Now back in the US, Rousmaniere is set to begin his fourth season, and second as a starter, as a member of the Harvard soccer team.

"Last year I broke the starting lineup full-time (two goals, two assists)," said the third-generation Harvard student. "I am a center-mid, so I am a connector between the strikers and the back line and I am a playmaker. I think I am ready for a successful season.'

And, despite the challenges of his time in Africa, Rousmaniere is thankful for the experience.

"It was fantastic," said the economics major. "So many of the kids were orphans. But all they wanted to do was play soccer. It was tough to deal with, but it was incredible to me. It was very moving."

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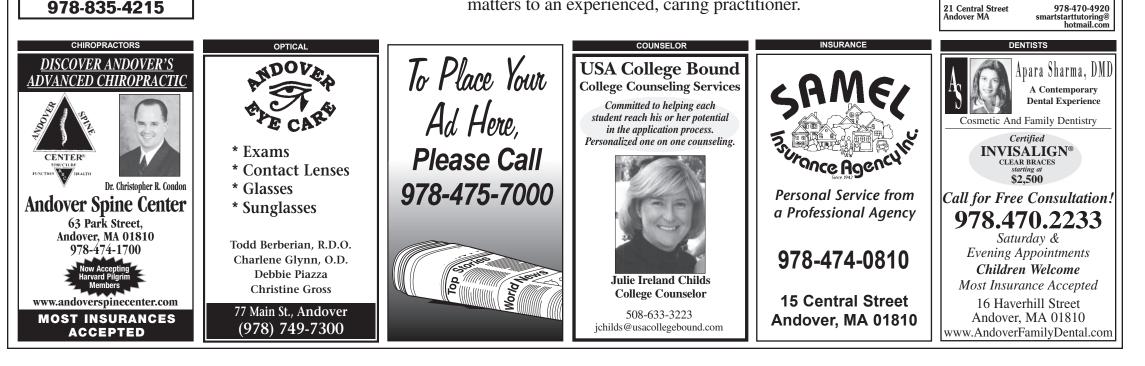
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an estimated \$600,000 in extra revenue for Andover this year, and possibly \$1 million in future years. Town Meeting action on Aug. 31 can take full advantage of this opportunity.

There is no doubt that difficult choices will be required to balance this year's town budget. To begin that process, I encourage people to attend the Special Town Meeting on Monday, Aug. in common with Somerville. The 31, beginning at 7 p.m. at the Collins Center, to make their voices heard on the local option questions.

JOHN F. ZIPETO 14 Canterbury St.

Reasoning on lights needs illumination

Editor, Townsman:

I attended a special selectmen's meeting Aug. 17 on the planned, wide-ranging turningoff of neighborhood, not superbright Main Street, street lights Editor, Townsman: ("Andover unplugged: Selectmen to make call on shutting streetlights," Townsman, Aug. 13, page 1). Having only recently become aware of this issue, I assumed the board was still exploring the option. I decided to attend since I thought townwide darkness to be a very bad idea.

and participatory. Anyone wantthe open discussion focused narrowly on the details of the turnoff - e.g. cases could be made for leaving on a light here and there for safety purposes; a resident offered a more efficient plan to eliminate street lights. Due to the narrow focus of this discussion, I pointed out that I had the distinct impression that the decision was a fait accompli. On the insurers, too, use such deviices chance that I was wrong, I asked as physician profiles and "usual the following questions:

1. What were the other options to cost-saving that the board had considered (or was considering)?

2. What other communities throughout the state had decided that the best way to save was to turn off large numbers of residential street lights?

Unfortunately, I never got a satisfactory answer to the question ings attached to various options, bursed by law far higher for

I did expect to get verbal expla- identical work than their compespecific was forthcoming except a statement that they were not good. Why was this request for information of such low priority are inevitable handicaps of govto selectmen? Why was there a rush to formally make the decision without any explanation of its desirability over other possible cuts?

I did get a specific answer to my question about whether communities across the state were doing this. Yes, Somerville had so voted! I asked myself what Andover had answer, for me, was bad decisionmaking by town leadership. I can only hope that Somerville residents received more reassurances than I about the need for such a drastic remedy. I am not reassured about either the deciprocess used in Andover.

46 Lupine Road

Healthcare reform an attainable dream

Jim Edholm's letter ("Healthcare bills are seriously misseveral opinions and assertions of fact that require address.

1. There is no attempt by government to take over health care envisioned by anyone in the Obama administration. The The meeting was very orderly only debate is amongst several strategies to broaden insurance ing to speak was recognized after coverage and access to care. He the opening discussion. However, concedes all this, but nevertheless persists that a government takeover is the goal. Not so.

2. The so-called "public option" of the government as insurer of last resort is hardly certain even Editor, Townsman: to be included in the final bill.

3. Medicare and, more so, Medand sometimes don't cover the cost of services. But private and customary" charges to modify providers' bills to their liking. States where balance billing is forbidden require the provider to write off the unpaid amount.

4. Cost shifting occurs regularly, all over the healthcare system. The diversion of well insured patients to private, forprofit facilities – often owned by the physicians doing the diversion – for such things as imaging of other options. While I had only and surgical procedures, and to half-hoped to see charts with sav- Boston teaching hospitals reim-

nations of other options. Nothing tition, would also be worth looking at.

5. Were a "public option" to suffer under what Edholm believes ernment - poor cost control, inefficiency, little regard for quality - nobody would opt for it. Private insurers doing a better job would prosper.

6. The out-of-control costs in McAllen County, Texas, were explored in detail by Atul Gawande, MD, a professor of surgery at the Brigham and Women's Hospital, in a long "New Yorker" article. He found doctors there simply overutilized services that added nothing to health outcomes, and compared their costs and results to those in Iowa and the Mayo and Cleveland Clinics, where costs are matesion itself or the decision-making rially lower without any worse health outcome. Government **PATRICIA MALONE** action had nothing whatever to do with it. If anything, Gawande made the case for more, rather than less, control of physician behavior.

7. Right now, countries as diverse as France, Switzerland, Australia, Germany and Japan, under very different models, guided," Aug. 20) contains insure all of their citizens, while providing care equal or superior to that in America. They do it at a cost per capita of thousands of dollars less than ours. Unlike many dreams, universal health insurance can be, and is, attained in the real world.

> MICHAEL KEMPSTER, MD, JD 132 Holt Road

Health care right is in the Constitution

Government responsibility for health care for all is in the Preicaid indeed underpay claims, amble to the Constitution: "We the People of the United States, in order to form a more perfect union, establish justice, insure domestic tranquility, provide for the common defense, promote the general welfare, and secure the blessings of liberty to ourselves and our posterity, do ordain and establish this Constitution for the United States of America."

"Promote the general welfare" - that clearly is a guarantee that we all as a right fare well – not sick or broken – and most surely that a citizen should not be bankrupted or left to die because that individual lacks funds. MICHAEL FRISHMAN

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Drive, Andover, MA for a

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FOR WEEK OF AUG. 23-29, 2009 Big dream comes true for Justice Sotomayor

She's gone from a housing project to a seat on the highest court in our land. Sonia Sotomayor has had an exciting journey.

Sotomayor's parents moved from Puerto Rico to New York during World War II. Her dad could not speak English. He found a job in a factory.

When she was nine, her father died. Her mother raised her and her little brother alone. They lived in a public housing project in the Bronx.

Her childhood idol was Nancy Drew, a detective in a children's mystery book series. She dreamed of growing up to be like Nancy Drew.

Sonia was diagnosed with diabetes when she was young and told she should look at other types of jobs.

Her mother worked six days a week. She told her children they needed a good education.

Sotomayor studied hard. She graduated from Princeton University with the highest honors. She earned her law degree at Yale.

She worked in almost every level of the judicial system. She prosecuted violent crimes as an assistant district attorney. She was a partner in a law firm.

She was named district judge by President George H. W. Bush in 1992. President Bill Clinton nominated her to the U.S. Court of Appeals in 1997.

Recently President Barack Obama nomi-

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nated her to the United States Supreme

Court. The Senate confirmed her on Aug. 11 by a vote of 68-31. She becomes the 111th justice, replacing retiring Justice David Souter.

Sotomayor is the first Hispanic and the third woman to be seated on the Supreme Court. She was sworn in on August 8.

Sotomayor was told by her doctors to give up her dream of becoming a real life Nancy Drew. So, she turned her focus to a television show called Perry Mason; she decided to become an attorney. A 10-year-old's dream can come true. It just takes setting goals and working hard.

Dare to live your dream!

Newspaper in Education Activity

Search your newspaper for women who are in the news. Answer the following questions. 1. Why is the woman in the newspaper? 2. Where did the story take place? 3. What was the main topic of the 4. Was this woman doing something good or bad? 5. What would be your dream job?

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All as shown on said plan.

A deposit of Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars by certified or bank check will be required to be paid by the purchaser at the time and place of sale. The balance is to be paid by certified or bank check at Harmon Law Offices, P.C., 150 California Street, Newton, Massachusetts 02458, or by mail to P.O. Box 610389, Newton Highlands, Massachusetts 02461-0389, within thirty (30) days from the date of sale. Deed will be provided to purchaser for recording upon receipt in full of the purchase price. The description of the premises contained in said mortgage shall control in the event of an error in this publication

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gage given by Chang K Lee and Eun Ju Kim to Mortgage Electronic Registra-tion Systems, Inc., dated August 16, 2007 and recorded with the Essex Coun-

ty (Northern District) Registry of Deeds at Book 10885, Page 30, of which mortgage Aurora Loan Services, LLC is the present holder, for breach of the

conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing, the same will be sold at Public Auction at 2:00 p.m. on September 21, 2009, on the mortgaged

premises located at 9 Chandler Road, Andover, Essex County, Massachusetts

The land and the building therein in said Andover and being shown as Lot Number Six (6) on plan of entitled "Subdivision Plan, Andover, Mass., Fred W.

Doyle, Owner" recorded with the North Essex Registry of Deeds as Plan No. 2905, said premises are bounded and described substantially as follows:

SOUTHERLY by Chandler Road one hundred fifty and no/100 (150.00) feet;

WESTERLY by Lot Numbered Five (5) four hundred fifty-six and 10/100

NORTHERLY by land now or formerly of Wilfred Cronteau one hundred

fifty-six and 24/100 (156.24) feet and; EASTERLY by Lots Seven (7), Nine (9) and Ten (10) four hundred ninety-six

Being the same premises conveyed to the herein named mortgage s by deed recorded with Essex North District Registry of Deeds in Book 9326, Page

District) Registry of Deeds in Book 9326, Page 32. These premises will be sold and conveyed subject to and with the benefit of

all rights, rights of way, restrictions, easements, covenants, liens or claims in the nature of liens, improvements, public assessments, any and all unpaid taxes, tax

titles, tax liens, water and sewer liens and any other municipal assessments or

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Present holder of said mortgage

By its Attorneys HARMON LAW OFFICES, P.C

150 California Street

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A deposit of Fifteen Thousand (\$15,000.00) Dollars by certified or bank

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Property Address: 9 Chandler Road, Andover, Massachusetts

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associated parking and Special Permit under garages, on a 12.09-acre Article VIII, §3.3.5 to extend an existing front site located at 0 River Street, 86 River Street porch so that it will not meet minimum front and 15R Charlotte Drive. being more particularly setback requirement. Premises affected identified as Lots 3A. 2F & 36 on Assessor's Map are located at 103 140. The application and Haggetts Pond Rd., Andover, MA in an SRA plans may be viewed in the office of the Board of District as shown on Appeals, Town Office Assessor's Map 210 as Lot 3.

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> COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS The Trial Court Probate and Family Court

ESSEX Division

Docket No. ES09P2258GD In the Matter of: Hannah S Bailev Of: North Andover, MA RESPONDENT Alleged Incapacitated Person CITATION GIVING NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF GUARDIAN FOR

INCAPACITATED PERSON PURSUANT TO G.L. c. 190B, §5-304

To the named Respondent and all other inter-ested persons, a petition has been filed by Robert C Bailey of Methuen, MA in the above captioned matter alleging that **Hannah S Bailey** is in need of a Guardian and requesting that Robert C Bailey of Methuen, MA (or some other suitable person) be appointed as Guardian to serve Without Surety on the bond.

The petition asks the court to determine that the Respondent is incapacitated, that the appointment of a Guardian is necessary, and that the proposed Guardian is appropriate. The petition is on file with this court and may contain a request for certain specific authority.

You have the right to object to this pro**ceeding.** If you wish to do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance at this court on or before 10:00 A.M. on the return date of 09/15/2009. This day is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline date by which you have to file the written appearance if you object to the petition. If you fail to file the written appearance by the return date, action may be taken in this matter without further notice to you. In addition to filing the written appearance, you or your attorney must file a writ-ten affidavit stating the specific facts and grounds your objection within 30 days after the return

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The outcome of this proceeding may limit completely take away the above-named person's right to make decisions about personal affairs or financial affairs or both. The abovenamed person has the right to ask for a lawyer. Anyone may make this request on behalf of the above-named person. If the above-named person cannot afford a lawyer, one may be appointed at State expense.

WITNESS, Hon. Mary Anne Sahagian, First Justice of this Court.

Date: August 19, 2009

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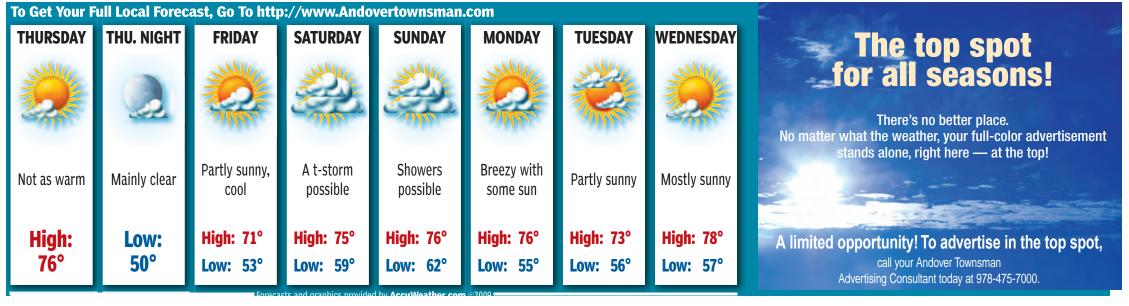
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Maeve Gaffney and her friend Anna Zdunczyk, both 8, recently ran a lemonade stand at the end of the Gaffneys' driveway. The girls raised \$27. "They were hoping to save the Health Program in town with the proceeds," reported mom Karen Gaffney.

TOWN TALK

Andover-related band brings music to Paradise

After completely restructuring with three new members, the band McAlister Drive will play its first show ever at the Paradise Rock Club this weekend.

McAlister Drive describes itself as a Boston bred, indie pop band with worldly influences and a natural hatred for baseball teams from the Bronx. It was founded by former Andover High School graduate Christoph Krey, and its name comes from Tulane University's main street, where Krey attended college.

added Scott Wilson (drummer), artist/mcalister-drive-tickets.

Eric Thachuk (bassist) and Canvas-ing the town Adam Richter (guitar and keyboard), it has been busy recording an album, due out this fall.

The band has performed at the Middle East Downstairs, Hard Rock Café and Bill's Bar, and will play the Paradise Rock Club, 967 Commonwealth Ave., Boston, on Saturday, Aug. 29. Doors open at 8 p.m. and McAlister Drives comes on at 11 p.m.

Also performing that night are Gold Star Morning at 9 p.m., Fire in the Field at 10 p.m. and Michael Bernier & the Uprising at midnight. Tickets are avail-Since July, when the band able at www.livenation.com/

Stop by Memorial Hall Library to see a little of Andover on canvas. Through the month of September, Andover natives and artists Jane Fitzgerald Bailey and Catherine Fitzgerald Meeks will have paintings on display at the Elm Square library. The series will feature Bailey's pen and ink and watercolor works, and works in pastel on paper by Meeks.

Who's pitching?

We'll know tonight which of the Andovers is the bigger baseball town.

The minor league baseball team, The Fisher Cats based in the Harrisburg Senators. Manchester, N.H., is promoting

a ticket sales contest between Andover and North Andover and the town buying more tickets to the game tonight, Thursday, Aug. 27, wins. The town manager of the town with the most fans throws out the first pitch.

Tim Hough, public relations representative, said Andover had a slight lead as of Wednesday morning.

It's not too late to buy a ticket: Go to www.nhfishercats.com to order \$6 to \$12 tickets, fill in Andover's promotional code, "Slider," and head north. The first pitch will be thrown at 7:05 p.m. and the Fisher Cats are playing

– Judy Wakefield

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