

FROM THE PASTOR

Dear Friends,

The newest book by Suzanne Collins, writer of "The Hunger Games", is at the Elkins Public Library in Canterbury. It's an illustrated children's book. I recommend you read it. It will take you five minutes or less, sitting by Gretchen or perhaps more discreetly in a comfortable chair by the fireplace. You decide. Some adults are embarrassed to be seen crying quietly in public. Some children's books need to be read by adults, though, even if they cause us to feel like a child again.

Reading a review of this book two days ago, and having several recent conversations with family and friends, prompted me to read it. A close friend, a doctor whose specialty is working with trauma victims, was preparing to visit the Pearl Harbor War Memorial. His father witnessed and survived the attack. My father participated in the invasion of Okinawa. After many years of being dear friends, having raised our own children, we spoke of the experience of growing up as boys with fathers who loved us, but who were absent in many ways, and whose behavior seemed mysterious, inexplicable to us.

My brother, Tim, is 55, ten years younger than me. He said, "Remember how Mom and Dad always watched the evening news? Every night, during the year you were in Viet Nam, when they reported the news from Viet Nam, Mom would start crying, and Dad would ask me to leave the room; every night." Tim was 11 years old then. Tim's comment was my first glimpse, so much later in life, of how it was for my family when I was at war.

Last weekend we visited Karen's older brother, Richard, and his wife, Linda. Their daughter, Sunny, is married to Mike Fletcher. Mike is a Blackhawk helicopter pilot for the NH Army National Guard Air Medical Evacuation unit, now in Afghanistan, on his second deployment. Sunny and Mike have four beautiful little girls. One of them, in a first grade school project, was asked what she wants to do when she grows up. Her drawing of herself shows a picture frame, and into the frame she inserted a photo of her father, sitting in his gear in a helicopter. The childhood of all four daughters is shaped by the repeated deployments of their father going to war far away.

When I read "The Hunger Games", by Suzanne Collins, written for young adults, I was struck by how she invariably got it right when describing the emotional responses of all the characters, in every way. Personal experience seemed to be at play. This week my questions were answered when I read her new book, "A Year of the Jungle, Memories from the Home Front". Collins was entering the first grade when her dad was sent to Viet Nam in 1968. It is well written and heart-rending, told from the view of a six year old.

I encourage you to read this book, whether or not you have children. It will shape the way you think about much of the world's news, and our life in Canterbury. You will see life again through the eyes of a little child, just in case you have forgotten.

Peace be with you,

Bill

October Month at a Glance - details inside!

October 2 - "Fiber Frolic"

October 12 - Brookford Farm Quark Fest

October 4 - Red Cross Blood Drive

October 19 - CBS Artisan Craft Fair

October 19-20 - Old Ways Days

October 26 - Town Halloween Celebration

October 20 - Making Strides Breast Cancer 5 mile walk

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Wed 10:00-6:00

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Sunday, 5:30 am - 7:00 pm

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MONTHLY COMMITTEE MEETINGS
Meet at the Meeting House (MH) unless
otherwise noted

Conservation Commission
2nd Monday, 7:00 pm, MH

Fire & Rescue (at Municipal Complex)
Business Meeting: 1st Mon., 6:30 pm
Officers Meeting: Last Thurs., 7:00 pm
Trainings: All other Mondays, 7:00 pm

Library Trustees
2nd Monday, 7:00 pm, Elkins Library

Planning Board
2nd Tuesday, 7 pm, MH
4th Tuesday as needed

Recycling Committee
1st Tuesday, 6:30 pm, MH

Renewable Energy Committee
Third Tuesday, 7:00 pm, MH

Selectmen
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LIBRARY NEWS

The library will be closed on Mon. Oct. 14 in observance of Columbus Day.

The next Trustee meeting will be on Mon. Oct. 7 at 7:00.

STORY HOUR! Come enjoy songs, read aloud and crafts with new friends! Tues. Oct 1 and 15.

ROCK N' READ is a music and movement program for babies and toddlers. Come join the fun Tues. **Oct 8** and **22** at 10:00.

LEGO CLUB! NEW! Children and families are welcome to come and build together with Lego bricks. Tues. Oct 1 and 15. This club will meet on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of each month at 4:00.

TEEN TIME READ: Mon. Oct. 21 at 5:30. Make food and read great books. If you're in 5th grade and up and would like to participate, please let us know.

Start **Halloween** early! Come in 9:00 to 11:30 on **Sat. Oct 26** to decorate a Halloween cookie. Wear your costume (we'll be in ours!)

BOOK GROUP meets on Tues. Oct. 15 at 7:00. We're discussing "The Secret Keeper," by Kate Morton. Copies of the book are available at the library for anyone wishing to join us.

KNITTERS meet Thurs. evenings at 6:30 for any level knitter; beginners to experts. Don't miss the great display at the library of last year's projects! Come join us by the fireplace.

QUILTERS meet Tuesday mornings from 10 – 1. Stitch, exchange ideas and conversation. Bring your handwork, sewing machines and don't forget your lunch!

SCRABBLE every Monday night at 6:00. Come join in!
The Capital Crime of Witchcraft: What the Primary Sources Tell Us.

Tues. Oct. 8 at 7:00. Margo Burns explores an array of prosecutions in seventeenth century New England. This program focuses on the Salem witchcraft trials of 1692 and 1693, when nineteen people were hanged and one crushed to death, but also examines a variety of other cases against women in NH, MA, and CT. H-T-G program.

Upcoming program hosted by the Canterbury Historical Society on Tues. Nov. 5 at 7:00 Lincoln VS. Lee with Jim Miller and Mark Stevens.

Download audio books & e-books! Check out the website <http://nh.lib.overdrive.com> for more details and then contact the **library** if you would like to **register** for this service and receive the required code.

Family Passes: The library provides family passes to:

SEE Science Center – Manchester Christa

McAuliffe Planetarium

Squam Lake Science Center Shaker

Village

Currier Museum of Art Museum of NH

History

New titles: Longest Ride by N. Sparks and Songs of Willow Frost by Jamie Ford

~ Sue LeClair

CES NEWS



Apple Hill Farm in Concord is again helping Canterbury students raise money to fund their trip to the environmental camp, Nature's Classroom. Last spring, Kim Wieck, took our fourth graders to the farm where they were given a plot of land to use to raise pumpkins. Now as fifth graders, they have returned to harvest their crop. They will again take their pumpkins to local Farmer's Markets, where they hope to sell enough to offset the cost of their trip to the Ocean Park next spring. There will, of course, be plenty of pumpkins for sale at the school. CES is very grateful to Apple Hill Farm and Deke Jackson for making this project possible.

CES is hosting a Red Cross Blood Drive on Friday, October 4, 2013 from 2:00 P.M. to 7:00 P.M. Those who wish to donate are asked to please schedule online at redcrossblood.org or call 1-800-733-2767. Walk-ins will also be welcome. The Canterbury drives have been very successful with a substantial number of supporters. Please be a donor and help make this another winning event.

Shaker Regional School District is holding a Childfind Clinic on Thursday, October 17th at Belmont Elementary School from 1:00 to 3:00 P.M. This Clinic is a screening for preschool age children who may have a disability related to speech, vision, hearing, coordination, or learning. The screening is administered by certified staff members of the School District. All children under the age of six and who are residents of the town of Belmont or Canterbury are eligible. This includes infants and toddlers. To schedule an appointment, please call the Special Education Office at 267-9222. You can find the referral form at the district website, www.sau80.org under Student Services.

Correction: Last month we reported that school board meetings will now take place on the second and third Tuesday of each month. That should have read the second and **fourth** Tuesday of each month.

October Calendar

October 4	Staff In-Service Day – No School
October 4	Red Cross Blood Drive
October 14	Columbus Day – No School
October 18	School Board at CES 6:00 P.M.
October 21	PTO 6:30 P.M.
October 17	Childfind 1:00-3:00 Belmont Elementary School
October 22	School Board at CES 6:00 P.M.
October 31	Halloween Events 1:30

~ Mary Morrison, Principal

AROUND TOWN

HEAR YE! HEAR YE!

The final results are in and the Wrap-Up meeting for the Canterbury Fair will be held Wednesday evening, October 16, 2013 at 7 PM in the Chapel Room of the Parish Hall. Please come with your thoughts and ideas for planning next year's Fair and to hear about this year's Fair (held on the truly best weather day of this past summer....a feat in itself!)

If you have any questions or input and cannot attend, please call Lisa Carlson (783-0335) and we'll happily add your information.

Again....many thanks to all who participated and can we count on you again?

~ Lisa Carlson

SUBSCRIBE TO SELECTMEN NEWS

We have implemented a new way of keeping our residents informed of events and [meetings](#) that are occurring in the town. Whenever a new event or document is posted to the Web site, you have an opportunity to receive a copy of that [posting](#) in your personal Email box automatically. It won't be necessary to visit the Web site, although we encourage you to do so, since not all folders will be available for subscription. If you decide that you no longer want to receive notices automatically, you can use the following form to remove your name from the list.

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~ Jan Stout

Town Clerk News

Happy fall everyone,

Please remember that at this point we are not able to process credit/debit cards at the Town office. It is something that I am looking into.

I wanted to let everyone know that we will be closed on Monday October 21 and Tuesday October 22 for the annual NH Tax Collectors Conference. Please plan accordingly.

Thanks,

~Ben Bynum
Tax Collector/Town Clerk

LBS

The Ladies Benevolent Society members have voted to change our name to Canterbury Benevolent Society. This was done to include all men, women and children that wish to attend the meetings. Our mission is still the same; "To cultivate the spirit of Christ beginning with our own lives and reaching out into homes and communities and the uttermost reaches of the world."

How can we benefit from music in our lives? The Canterbury Benevolent Society invites you to attend a program on Music Therapy on October 9 at 1 PM in the Parish House. Hostesses will be Joan Leggett and Janet Pessolano. The C.B.S. members will also finalize the plans for the Artisan Fair to be held on Saturday, October 19, from 10-3 in the Parish House. Hop to see you there.

Annual Benevolent Society ARTISAN CRAFT FAIR, Saturday, Oct. 19, 10am-3pm

Please join the Canterbury Benevolent Society (until recently known as the LBS) at their annual Artisan Fair and famous Corn Chowder luncheon! The Fair will be held upstairs in the Parish House, as usual. There will be more than 15 vendors with a selection of items for the fall and harvest season, Christmas and holiday gifts, plus the always anticipated Attic Treasures table, and Benevolent Society Bake Sale!

Coffee and baked goods will be available starting at 10am. Luncheon will be served from 11am-2pm. The Fair runs until 3pm.

CALL FOR ARTISANS! We unexpectedly have had a few spots open up for vendors at the Artisan Fair. If you have a special craft, and would like to participate as a vendor, please contact Ann Fifield at 783-4441 or a.fifield@comcast.net. Deadline is Oct. 14.

DONATIONS for Attic Treasures: Donations will be accepted starting Sun., Oct. 13 through Friday, Oct. 18, at the Parish House. Clean, gently used treasures can be left in the downstairs hallway, or upstairs by the piano. We'd appreciate it if you mark the box or bag "Attic Treasures" so it gets to the right person. No clothing, electronics, or books, please!

"Breathe a prayer of gratitude. And give those you love an extra measure of affection. Life is fleeting and love is precious. Cherish both."

- Galen Guengerich, Senior minister, All Souls Church, New York City

"Watch the turtle. He only moves forward by sticking his neck out."

- Louis Gerstner, Former chairman and CEO of IBM

That's right, isn't it, Tertullian?

AROUND TOWN CONTINUED



On October 7th, we will be having a meeting at 6:00 at the Canterbury Elementary School. This meeting will be our annual Honors Evening where our new officers will be inducted and new members will be recognized. This event will include a pot luck dinner.

Fundraisers

Though we all loved our 4-H cookie fundraiser, it is no longer available to our club. The good news is that we will now be selling chocolate bars made right here in New Hampshire instead! Find a 4-H member to buy some delicious chocolate bars!

We are also taking part in a Uno's Doughraiser to raise money for our club. This event will be held on Thursday October 24th at the Concord Uno's. Any lunch, dinner or take-out bought there will earn money for our club if you present a doughraiser slip! Get your Doughraiser slip from a 4-H member or from the bulletin board outside the Country Store.

Your Reporter,
Olivia Bowser

Brookford Farm's 3rd Annual Quark Fest!

October 12th from 2 pm-7pm

Celebrate the Harvest Season with Brookford Farm, Canterbury NH. Come visit the farm for a day of family fun. The many activities planned for our 3rd Annual Quark Fest will include Farm Tours, Pumpkin Carving, Farm Food, Live Music, Children's Games, Bon-Fire, Quark Recipe Contest, CSA Information, and Demonstrations on Fermenting, Canning, Culturing, and Grass-Fed Meats.

Quark Recipe Contest :

The recipe can be any recipe whether sweet or savory, in which quark is a prominent ingredient. We will provide you with the quark, if you request it ahead of time. Please bring in the entry form (see our website), a copy of the recipe, and the dish to the farm no later than 2pm on October 12th. Prizes will be awarded to the top three recipes.

What is Quark? Quark is German for "curds". It is similar to ricotta, it's great as a spread or it can be used in savory dinner dishes or sweet desserts.

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Adult Morris Practices Beginning!

Morris Dancing practices have started up again for adults. If you have ever wanted to try it out and are looking for a healthy, fun, social, activity – NOW'S YOUR CHANCE!! We practice once per month on a Thursday evening, year round, until Spring, when we kick it into high gear and practice weekly until our Canterbury Fair.

Morris Dancing is a type of old English folk dancing, kept alive and celebrated by many teams in New England. We, as a team, have had the privilege of travelling to many different venues in the last few years to participate in festivals and celebrations, as well as dancing locally for farmer's markets and town activities.

Please call (783-8374) or email (jpacamire@hotmail.com) Polly Camire with any questions, concerns, or interest! Former dancers are MOST welcome! You need a pair of sneakers, a pair of white hankies, and some water. Our schedule of practices for the remainder of the year is as follows, and practices are from 6:30-8pm at the Parish House:

October 24
November 21
December 19

~ Polly Camire



Canterbury Halloween Celebration

Saturday October 26th 5:30 to 7:30

Join us in the Town Center for:

- Spooky Stories in the Library
- Candy Stops Around the Center
- Spook Walk (for the older kids)
- The Return of the Not So Spooky House
- Cookie Decorating/Snacks in the Town Hall
- S'mores

Donations of candy/stickers/temporary tattoos/other favors gratefully accepted. You can drop them off at the Elkins Library during library hours. Thanks!

We are in need of volunteers. Please contact Laura Crockford 540-9877 or Kiersty Scarponi 783-9127. It takes a village!!!

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Old Ways Days

Dave and Anne hope you can come to the 7th annual Old Ways Days, October 19 & 20, 10 to 4 at Old Ways Traditions, 418 Shaker Road. Old Ways Traditions is part of the Ham farm which was started by Joseph Ham, one of 10 children of a Portsmouth ship carpenter. In 1785, 24 year old Joseph paid the first taxes on the 100 acre piece.

This year we will reintroduce our farm tours, "The Stone Walls Tell the Story of the Farm", at 2:00 p.m. both days. The farm has about every type of stone wall there is, and they all have something to tell us.

Our activities this weekend involve our visitors with early ways of work. We've got the corn sheller working to go with the corn grinder as well as the bean sheller and winnower. Bring your dry beans and corn! Our crab (portable capstan) is probably the only one on display and working in the state. Ever see one? It pulls a freight wagon but was used to move buildings and ships. Come give it a try!

Tools for Kids provides the opportunity to discover how easy it can be to use traditional tools such as hand drills, bit braces, several types of saws, spoke shaves with shaving horses and early laundry equipment.

We'll have at least two steam engines running the lathe and, for the first time, our antique planer. Steam toys, too – engines and a 100 year old steam boat!

Come and welcome (and work with) our new blacksmith, Zach Archambeault. Try stone cutting. Music will be by Homefolks on Saturday and the Fiddling Thompsons, Ryan and son, Brennish on Sunday (and friends and neighbors that show up.) We'll have hots and hams and Dave will make his chili.

As always, how much we can do depends on however many show up to help. So come on over, enjoy, and give us a hand.

Old Ways Traditions, 418 Shaker Road, Canterbury, is 1 1/4 miles north of Shaker Village.

Contact us at 603 783 4403, efurnitr@comcast.net, or www.oldwaystraditions.net

"Someone's sitting in the shade today because someone planted a tree a long time ago."

~ Warren Buffett

"You are braver than you believe, stronger than you seem, and smarter than you think."

~ Christopher Robin

"If you can dream it you can do it."

~ Walt Disney

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FARMERS' MARKET
Every Wednesday, 4-7pm,
in library parking lot
RAIN or SHINE

Canterbury Farmer's Market FALL & WINTER SCHEDULE
Yes indeed, that's right – cold weather is just around the corner, and it's getting to be time to pack up the Farmer's Market and move it indoors. Here's the schedule of where we will be and when. NOTE the day and time change for the Nov. and Dec. Markets!

Wed., Oct. 2, 4-6:30 pm - Special Event "FIBER FROLIC,"
This is the last outdoor market of the season, and it will be time for some furry fun. There will be spinning and weaving, braided rugs, freshly "hand-cranked" woolen socks, knitted caps, crafts for kids, and who knows what else. Come and play outside with us today, and be sure to stock up on root veggies, pumpkins, and the last of the sweet summer tomatoes. Music will be by TAPAS. This market will be by the Elkins Library in the usual spot.

Sat., Nov., 16, 10 am-2 pm INDOOR FARMERS MARKET
This is the first of two indoor Farmer's Markets. Come find us at our cold weather location, inside the CES gym. Please note that this market is on SATURDAY, and runs from 10am-2pm.

Sat., Dec., 14, 10 am-2 pm INDOOR FARMERS MARKET
This is the second indoor market, and the last market of the 2013 season. Come find us at our cold weather location, inside the CES gym. Please note that this market is on SATURDAY, and runs from 10 am-2 pm.

~ Beth Blair

Did you know that October is...

National Breast Cancer Awareness month

Eat Country Ham Month

Clergy Appreciation Month

October 7 is World Smile Day

October 9 is Moldy Cheese Day

October 14 is Columbus Day

October 26 is Make A Difference Day

AROUND TOWN CONTINUED

Historical Society

EXPANDED HOURS FOR OUR EXHIBIT "CANTERBURY THROUGH THE YEARS ~ 1900-2000"

In an effort to encourage more people to visit our exhibit at the Elkins Memorial Building we have expanded our hours for October. We will be open on Saturdays, October 5th and 12th from 10-1 and on Sundays, October 13th, 20th and 27th from 11- 3. The exhibit chronicles 100 years of Canterbury history (1900-2000) through pictures, videoed events, artifacts from our archive collection and many anecdotal notes. Admission is free and we promise you will enjoy the many facets of this wonderful exhibit! Everyone is welcome!

The Historical Society would again like to express its sincere appreciation to all those who contributed to the mounting of our exhibit, including Ken Williams, Mark Stevens, Stephanie Jackson, Mary Morrison, Peter Scripture, Dale Caswell and many others to numerous to mention...thank you!

SOCIETY TO UPDATE LYFORD'S CANTERBURY HISTORY

Watch for news about our project to write a new history of Canterbury continuing from where James Lyford stopped in the early 1900's. Our exploratory committee will be meeting in early November. You will be welcome to attend and become involved. Our exhibit will form the basis for this effort, so if you are interested please make an effort to visit it in October.

SAVE THE DATE – NOVEMBER 5TH...

On that date, President Abraham Lincoln (Jim Miller) and General Robert E. Lee (Mark Stevens) will re-enact their debate, first held at the Elementary School in May, as part of our One Room Schoolhouse program which focused on the Civil War. The schoolchildren were entranced by this debate concerning the respective merits of each side's position in the Civil War. You will be too! Join us at 7 PM in the Town Hall. This program is free and open to the public. Refreshments will be served following the program.

~ Robert Scarponi

~People News~

CONGRATULATIONS ARE IN ORDER!!!!

On Tuesday, 17 September 2013 at 8:39 PM, Denver time, **Liam Ayers Tupper** joined the family of extraordinarily proud first time Grandpa **Frank Tupper**. Liam's grandmother is Holly Sorensen. Liam's parents are Frank's son Zack and his wife Michelle who live in the Denver area. Liam's Uncle Glenn rejoices with the family from Minneapolis. Please be sure to congratulate Frank and don't hesitate to ask to see his email pictures!

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Transfer Station and Recycling Center Updates:

As we head into Autumn, it seems prudent to mention that yard waste like leaves and grass go into the mulch pile, but sticks, brush, and any infectious garden waste (like squash and tomato vines that look diseased) should go into the burn pile to prevent the spread of these diseases to other gardens and to maintain proper conditions in the compost pile as well.

As we fire up those woodstoves and furnaces please remember to ALWAYS allow ashes to completely cool before transporting them in your vehicle. Coals can stay hot for days if they are well-insulated and undisturbed. NO HOT ASHES may be placed in the burn pit; they can start a fire during dry and dangerous conditions. Please check all loads with an attendant.

Just a gentle reminder that we need to keep items within the boundaries of their proper places to facilitate safe operation of our facility: Please do not just leave items if you aren't sure where they go. So many residents are great communicators, even asking in advance what to do with materials, where they go, how to break them up for best recycling, if there is a fee, et cetera. This thoughtful behavior makes the safe and effective operation of our little facility that much easier. We really appreciate it when you take the time to ask where things should go and what is the safest way to handle them, your health and safety, as well as that of town employees, often depends upon it. We can also often save you money by suggesting free options for disposal of certain universal wastes and helping you separate out any recyclable and clean materials to minimize construction debris and trash fees.

We attend workshops and seminars on a continuing basis to make sure we are trained in the latest safest methods of handling and disposal. Please let us put that knowledge to work for you by preventing spills, contamination, and mishaps before they even happen. If you have a topic you would like explained better or would like to know more about in a future newsletter article, please contact CanterburyTransferandRecycling@gmail.com.

~ Adrienne M. Hutchinson for the Canterbury Transfer Station and Recycling Center

~In Sorrow~

Ernestine Traverse Mason of New Hampton, NY died peacefully on August 27th. She was 98 years old. She is survived by four children including Mary Ann Winograd of Canterbury; seven grandchildren including David and Mark Winograd and three great-grandchildren including Ruby Winograd. Services were held in Middletown, NY.

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Making Strides Against Breast Cancer Walk

Sunday, October 20, 2013 1:00 PM. Walk starts at Memorial Field, South Fruit St., Concord. The route is 5 miles.

Making Strides Against Breast Cancer is the largest network of breast cancer awareness events in the nation, uniting nearly 300 communities to finish the fight. Every breast cancer walk and event is an incredible and inspiring opportunity to honor those who have battled breast cancer, raise awareness about what we can do to reduce our breast cancer risk, and raise money to help the American Cancer Society fight the disease with research, information and services, and access to mammograms for women who need them.

When you walk and raise money for Making Strides, you join one million volunteers across the country whose common purpose is to beat this disease. Together, we can finish the fight against breast cancer. The event in Concord is inspiring, emotional, and we are proud to be a part of it. In 2012, Concord Making Strides made \$613,763!!!!

Pink Tornadoes – Kathy Rice, team captain

http://main.acsevents.org/site/TR?team_id=1442402&pg=team&fr_id=55857 to donate

Other teams can be found on the Making Strides website.

~ Denise Sojka

HOW TO PLACE A NEWSLETTER AD

The deadline is the 15th of each month. \$7 for 30 words or less or \$14 for up to 60 words. Please email ad to newsletter (see address below) and mail payment to CUCC, PO Box 216, Canterbury, NH 03224. Must be received by the 15th and we will take it from there!

Town-Wide Email List

The Town of Canterbury has a Town-Wide email list to distribute information. If anyone is not on the list and would like to be, contact me at : canterburytownemail@yahoo.com This is a great way to get information out. Thank you!

~Laura Crockford

October Events at the Village

Canterbury Shaker Village in Fall is a time not to be missed. In addition to ongoing daily visitation hours through the end of the month, the Village will be hosting two unique special events this month.

Back for a second year, "Ghost Encounters" will take place on Friday, October 18 and Saturday, October 19 at 6:00 pm and 8:30 pm both days. This interactive tour, which sold out last year, allows visitors to experience for themselves true stories of ghostly encounters at the National Historic Landmark. Many of the dramatizations of true accounts will occur in the actual rooms where the other-worldly incidents took place. Meet "the Chef," "the Museum Guide," "the Museum Intern," "the Historian," "the Psychic," "the Tourist," "The Textiles Expert," "Eldress Elizabeth Stirling," and "Sister Caroline Witcher" during this one-of-a-kind special event.

"Canterbury Shaker Village is many things, but at its heart it has always been a spiritual place," noted Funi Burdick, Executive Director. "It's therefore no surprise that there are stories of other-worldly events occurring in many of the buildings."

Tickets for "Ghost Encounters" are \$15 per person and space is limited. This event is not recommended for small children. Tickets can be purchased by visiting www.shakers.org. Ghost Encounters is sponsored by The Hays Companies.

On Saturday, October 19 from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm the Village, in partnership with the White Mountain Region Chapter of the Model A Ford Club of America, will host a Vintage Car Show on the Village grounds. Visitors can admire automobiles from many eras, meet with the owners and other vintage car enthusiasts, enjoy Village tours and exhibits, and shop for local handcrafts at the Museum Store. An outdoor grill lunch will be available as well as soups, salads, sandwiches and baked goods at the Shaker Box Lunch & Farm Stand. The Vintage Car Show is sponsored by Valpey Financial Services.

"The New Hampshire Shakers were innovators and leaders in technology," noted Funi Burdick, Executive Director. "Many people do not know that they in fact owned one of the first cars in the state. The Vintage Car Show and our partnership with the White Mountain Regional Chapter of the Model A Ford Club of America is a tribute to the Shakers' heritage."

Tickets are \$17 for adults, \$8 for children ages 6-17. Children under 5 are free. Tickets can be purchased by visiting www.shakers.org.

AROUND TOWN CONTINUED

GIVING OPPORTUNITY

Loudon Food Pantry News

Annual Holiday 50/50 Raffle

Our annual raffle is starting November 1st and continues until December 13th. Half of the ticket sales will go to the winner and the other half benefits Loudon Food Pantry. Tickets are 50¢ each; \$2.00 for 5 or \$3.00 for 10. You can purchase your tickets at the pantry located at 30 Chichester Rd., Unit D, Loudon on Mon., Tue., or Thu. 10 a.m. - 5 a.m. and Wed. 10 a.m. - 6 a.m. An order form will be on our website (LoudonFoodPantry.org) during the dates of the raffle.

Thanksgiving Box Time

It's that time of the year again! We expect to hand out between 120 – 125 boxes this year. The boxes will contain fresh fruit, fresh vegetables, as well as all the Thanksgiving Dinner fixings.

Bon Ton Community Days Booklets

In order to help raise funds to support the pantry, we are participating in Bon Ton's Community Days. Donate \$5 and receive a booklet containing over \$500 and more in exclusive coupon savings that are good on Friday November 15th and Saturday November 16th. The pantry keeps 100% of the donation. You can drop by the pantry (30 Chichester Rd., Unit D, Loudon) to get your booklet or go to <http://bit.ly/14WhEVH> and order yours today. Your order will be shipped free of charge and Bon Ton will send us your donation. Tell your friends and family. The more booklets sold, the more it helps the pantry and you get some great coupons as well!

Feeding America's "Map the Meal Gap 2013" Study

"The new research found 1 in 9 residents in New Hampshire remain food insecure; however, the number of seniors and children in need are rising. "

5% of seniors ages 60 and over are food insecure. This means that more than 13,000 seniors do not know where their next meal is coming from. Over the past 3 years the "Map the Meal Gap" study has shown a steady increase in senior hunger and projected that if the growth remains consistent, 22.3% of seniors will be food insecure in 2030.

1 in 7 children, more than 40,000, in New Hampshire are food insecure. Nearly half these children are not eligible for federal nutrition assistance. Additionally, only 27% of students in grades 1 through 12 are eligible for free or reduced price lunch.

The cost of an average meal in New Hampshire is \$2.83, which is .16¢ higher than the national average.

Nearly 23 million meals are missing from New Hampshire tables. The number of missing meals times the average meal cost means the total meal funding gap is almost \$65 million.

Loudon Food Pantry news continued

Makris Lobster & Steakhouse is hosting their 1st Annual Blues & Lobster Fest! on October 13th (Rain Date Oct. 14th) from 1 - 6 pm.

The entrance fee is \$3.00 or \$3.00 value in non-perishable, in date food. The entrance fee will benefit Loudon Food Pantry. Come join us for a last chance to dance in the sand.

Donations Needed

Check out LoudonFoodPantry.org for an updated list of items we need. Thanksgiving needs are listed there too. We will also have printed lists available at the pantry as well.

You can mail or drop off your donations to Loudon Food Pantry, 30 Chichester Rd., Unit D, Loudon NH 03307. But if you find you're not in the neighborhood you can drop off at one of these convenient locations:

Business Accepted	Town	Collection Type
Elkins Library	Canterbury	Food
Care Pharmacy	Epsom	Funds
Loudon Post Office	Loudon	Food & Funds
The Hungry Buffalo	Loudon	Food & Funds
Beanstalk	Loudon	Funds
Red Roof Inn	Loudon	Food & Funds
Loudon Village Country Store	Loudon	Funds

Thank You

We would like to thank all our volunteers for their help! Without volunteers this pantry would not have been able to take care of the ever growing demand of feeding those in need.

Looking for the Monthly Veg Newsletter

There has been an unavoidable delay in getting out our first newsletter. We are hoping for October 1st Thank you for your patience.

Sarah, Sue, Bill

PAINTING HELP NEEDED!

Day One: Scraping and priming on the back of the Canterbury Country Store Saturday, 28 September at 9 AM.

Day Two: Final finish coat on back of store on Sunday, 6 October at 1 PM.

For information and letting us know you can join us call Al Edelstein at 783-0335.

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Travel Report

Linda and I have returned from our first “year” of RV travel around these wonderful United States. In about 10 months we drove over 25,000 miles and traveled in 31 states and 3 Canadian provinces. We saw an incredible variety of geography and learned much about the geology, anthropology and history of many places. We also met some wonderful people. We spent time with our oldest son, Jeff’s family in Colorado and flew to Japan for three weeks from San Francisco to see Dan’s family and our new granddaughter, Lia .

We hardly ever watched TV and only occasionally read a newspaper, and in the larger scheme of things, don’t think we missed much! Even with all the time we had, we often felt “on the go.” Seven weeks in Alaska was actually not enough time, partly because the distances between places required a lot of driving and all that driving got tiring. We traveled part of the way up on the Alaska Marine Highway ferry system – well worth it, even though they charge for your vehicle by the foot and our rig is 47’ long! Denali National Park was a special place we hope to get back to. We actually had great views of Mt. Denali during our one day of shuttle bus travel deep into the park. The Kenai Peninsula was a bit of a disappointment, partly because Mel’s fishing experiences were mostly unproductive. Wrangell-St. Elias National Park was hard to access, because of only two difficult roads into it; so we did a one hour “flight-see” and marveled over glaciers, rivers, mud volcanoes and snowy volcanic mountains from the air.

There are a few places we hope to return to, perhaps not by RV. Crater Lake in Oregon is still our most favorite place in the continental USA. When we were there for just one day in early May, only 1 mile of the rim road had been plowed free of the 15-20’ snow banks (it gets over 100’ of snow a winter). Glacier NP is a close second on our favorites list, especially the eastern side.

And western British Columbia was something we had not anticipated; from high desert to snowy mountains and glaciers, vast turbulent rivers and the dramatic Fraser River canyon, there was much to see (and Mel got to catch two Chinook salmon from a charter boat out of Prince Rupert!).

We were very appreciative of the gas gift cards the CUCC and friends gave us. Prices varied a lot, but getting 8-9 miles per gallon made that gift especially valuable. In Canada diesel was consistently cheaper than regular gas, but both ranged from \$1.39-1.65 per liter or \$5-6 per gallon.

This winter we expect to drive out to Denver for Christmas with all of our children and grandchildren; then a slow return south through Texas and the warmth of the Southeastern states. We miss our friends and the town of Canterbury, but still look forward to more travel adventures and eventually will find a good place to sink some roots. New England still holds the greatest appeal for us even after all the places we’ve been.

~ Mel & Linda Burrowes