

# Our Community Newsletter



## Town of Belmont



### Town Administrator's Monthly Report

The Town of Belmont lost one of its most devoted volunteers on June 14, 2013; Suzanne S. Roberts. Sue was well known to most in Belmont, and her contributions to the school system and town will be greatly missed. We express our sincerest condolences to her family and many friends.

The Board of Selectmen at their meeting on Monday, June 24<sup>th</sup> approved hiring Shana Agan as the Town's Special Event Coordinator. Shana will be starting immediately and her first efforts will be focused on assisting with Old Home Day, which will be held this year on Saturday, August 10<sup>th</sup> in the Village. Shana can be reached at [events@belmontnh.org](mailto:events@belmontnh.org) or by calling 998-3525. Welcome Shana!

The Board of Selectmen at their recent meeting on June 24<sup>th</sup> voted not to continue delivering trash to the Wheelabrator Facility as a member of the Concord Regional Solid Waste Cooperative Facility effective December 31, 2014. The Board of Selectmen is currently exploring options for disposal and collection and will keep residents informed as the process moves forward.

The Board of Selectmen have also been discussing for the past several meetings, continued participation in LRPA (Lakes Region Public Access Television). At our most recent meeting on June 24<sup>th</sup>, a representative was present from the LRPA Board of Directors and has assured the Selectmen that they are actively reviewing their current business plan and how they can continue to be a viable organization in the future. A follow up meeting has been scheduled for Monday, July 15<sup>th</sup> at which it is anticipated the Board of Selectmen will vote on continued participation in LRPA. The Board of Selectmen are also looking for a community volunteer to serve as Belmont's representative to the LRPA Board of Directors; anyone interested in serving should send a letter of interest to the Board of



Best Town by a Dam Site  
Belmont, New Hampshire

July 2013

Selectmen for consideration. A student volunteer from Belmont High School has come forward to assist the Town in videotaping its Selectmen's meeting and there is strong encouragement from the Selectmen for other Boards and Commissions to also have their meetings taped to encourage transparency in the government process.

Data collection has begun for the 2014 property revaluation. The Board of Selectmen at their meeting January 7, 2013 voted to contract with Commeford, Neider & Perkins to begin the process of Data Verification, which will include measuring & listing every property, for the 2014 State mandated revaluation. Beginning immediately employees of Commeford, Neider & Perkins will be in town for 2013/2014, for this purpose. Questions or concerns regarding the process should be directed to [Assessing@belmontnh.org](mailto:Assessing@belmontnh.org) or by calling 603-267-8300 Ext. 18. Your cooperation in allowing the measure and listing staff into your home will assist the Town in assuring a quality revaluation project is completed. Information collected in 2013 will not be reflected on your property record card until 2014 unless you had obtained a building permit between April 1, 2012 and March 31, 2013.



The Town of Belmont is a member of the Lakes Region Cable Television Consortium which has been meeting since early summer 2011 relative to our Cable TV Franchise Agreement with Metrocast which is due to expire in December 2013. We have been meeting monthly and Consortium minutes are available on the Town's website, [www.belmontnh.org](http://www.belmontnh.org). As more information becomes available it will be posted to the site. Please send any comments regarding the renewal process to [townadministrator@belmontnh.org](mailto:townadministrator@belmontnh.org).



Water Consumer Confidence Reports have been mailed and a copy of the report will be posted on the Town's website at [www.belmontnh.org](http://www.belmontnh.org), and a copy is posted at Town Hall.

Updates to the Sewer Use Ordinance are complete and we will be holding a public hearing in early August to adopt the changes. A copy of the proposed ordinance will be posted on the Town's website at [www.belmontnh.org](http://www.belmontnh.org).



Parks & Recreation Happenings



Blue Man Group: Highly Entertaining Percussion Show

\$85-Orchestra Seats

August 25th Sunday \$32 Per Person

Shopping & Sightseeing \$32 Per Person



Wicked: The Musical Untold Story of the Witches of Oz

\$99 Mezzanine Left \$129 Mezzanine Right Center \$189 Orchestra Center

Our Boston Trip includes luxury motor coach transportation to each theatre for your choice of entertainment with additional stops for shopping and dining on your own. The untold musical story of The Wizard of Oz's Wicked Witch of the West and Glinda the Good, before Dorothy dropped in. Our orchestra seats for Wicked are in groups of 2, odd numbered parties may need to sit separately. Blue Man Group combines music, technology and comedy to create a form of entertainment that defies categorization and appeals to people of all ages. Shoppers will spend the day exploring the city or visiting the aquarium on their own. In route to Boston sit back and relax watching a movie on our luxury motor coach. This trip does require walking for a block or two for some of the venues. Space is limited, full payment and registration form are required at time of booking. No refund for cancelled reservations.

- 9:30 AM Depart Belmont Park & Ride, Route 106
11:15 AM Arrive Faneuil Hall for lunch, shopping or visit the New England Aquarium a short walk
11:30 AM Arrive Downtown Crossing & Boston Opera House for Wicked ticket holders, show time 1:00PM
1:40 PM Depart Faneuil Hall
1:50 PM Arrive Charles Theatre for Blue Man Group ticket holders, show time 2:30PM
3:00 PM Depart Boston Opera House, Wicked ticket holders
3:10 PM Arrive Faneuil Hall for shopping, or dinner on your own, reservations are recommended
4:10 PM Depart Charles Theatre, Blue Man Group ticket holders
4:20 PM Arrive Faneuil Hall for shopping and dinner on your own, reservations are recommended
6:30 PM Depart Faneuil Hall for return to Belmont
8:00 PM Arrive Belmont Park & Ride, Route 106

July 9-25, 2013 Tuesday & Thursday 6 classes (3 weeks) \$25.00 per person

Beginner-12:30PM Intermediate-1:00PM Advanced-1:45PM

Please utilize the following swim lesson categories to assist you in deciding which class is appropriate for your child.

Swim Lessons



Our instructor Jeannine Beckett will not be teaching the entire Red Cross course in the time we have allotted so certificates will not be issued at the end of the lessons. Lessons will be cancelled in the case of inclement weather, all efforts will be made to reschedule lessons if time allows. The lessons will be taught at the Leslie Roberts Town Beach on Lake Winnisquam. There is no minimum age for the lessons but children should be comfortable swimming in water that is constantly moving.

IMPORTANT: A Belmont Beach Sticker is required for admission and parking at the town beach.

Beginner - This class is 30 minutes long for non-swimmers or swimmers who need the support of a bubble or noodle. Provides students with the opportunity to get acclimated to the water by learning how to put their heads under water and includes basic kicking, pulling, and floating skills.

Intermediate - This class is 45 minutes long for beginner swimmers who can swim without the support of a bubble or noodle. Provides students with the opportunity to move from the basic "doggie paddle" stroke to other strokes such as the front and back crawl.

Advanced - This class is 45 minutes long for swimmers who can swim the front crawl stroke either with their head in or out of the water. Provides students with the opportunity to fine-tune their front crawl, as well as learn additional strokes such as the back crawl, breast-stroke, and elementary backstroke, as well as to build swimming endurance.



**Parks & Recreation Happenings**



**BRITISH SOCCER CAMPS 2013**

PRESENTED BY



**OVER \$100 OF FREE GIFTS!**  
See Inside for details.

**BELMONT PARK & RECREATION**

**August 5<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup> at Bryant Field, Belmont**

Camp includes FREE ball, T-shirt & Evaluation

**FREE online jersey offer deadline: June 21<sup>st</sup>**

11am - 12pm	First Kicks:	Ages 3 yrs	\$90
9am - 10:30am	Mini Soccer:	Ages 4-5 yrs	\$105
9am - 12pm	Half Day:	Ages 6-16 yrs	\$140
9am - 4pm	Full Day:	Ages 6-16 yrs	\$195

**SPACE IS LIMITED**  
Sign up at [www.challengersports.com](http://www.challengersports.com)  
online registration only!

**Questions to:**

Rich Lamoury, Challenger Sports  
Phone: 1-800-309-0212  
Email: [RLamoury@challengersports.com](mailto:RLamoury@challengersports.com)

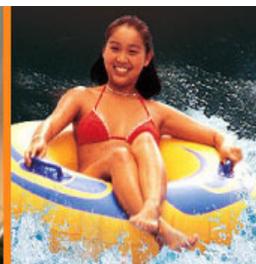
Janet Breton, Belmont Parks & Rec.  
Phone: (603) 524-4350  
Email: [recreation@belmonthnh.org](mailto:recreation@belmonthnh.org)  
Website: [www.belmonthnh.org](http://www.belmonthnh.org)

Registration for the Challenger Soccer Camps must be completed online at [www.challengersports.com](http://www.challengersports.com) to qualify for the free jersey. In addition to the online registration Belmont Parks & Recreation requires a youth registration form for each player. Please complete the online registration with Challenger and then visit our website for the recreation registration form. Questions regarding this program can be directed to Rich Lamoury at Challenger Sports or Janet Breton at Belmont Parks & Recreation.



**Please bring a healthy pack lunch for full day campers and a healthy snack for all other camp programs.**

**Have some FUN at a great discount!**



**Water Country**

Admission Ticket  
\$29.99 per ticket  
(48" tall and up)

\*The discounted ticket price is for 48" and taller patrons, under 48" the price is \$24.99 and must be purchased at the park.

**Funtown Splashtown USA**

Combination Ticket  
Rides and Water Park  
\$27.00 per ticket  
(38" tall and up)

\*Provides two rides on the Grand Prix Racers and unlimited use of all other rides, slides and pools.

**Tickets are good for admission any day during the 2013 season. Call Belmont Parks and Recreation office to purchase tickets, cash only, and no refund.**



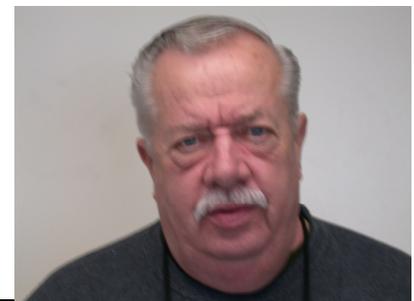
# New Arrivals Just In Time For Summer

We have two new arrivals at the BFD. A new 3A1 was put into service in April. The ambulance is a 2013 International Terrastar. It is equipped with the Medic-In-Mind configuration in place of the squad bench which facilitates patient care and provides for easier patient and equipment access. The unit was delivered with a new Zoll X series monitor which has been paired with a mobile hotspot to allow for easy and rapid transmissions of EKG.s. The second new arrival is a 13ft Boston Whaler. Deputy McCarty and Lt. Bavis found the former DES boat and trailer at the State surplus area in Concord. The boat and trailer were purchased for \$900 and are in service now . The boat will be Powered by a 15hp outboard motor we own..



## TYKE!

On May 28 2013 Albert “Tyke” Akerstrom retired from the fire service after 50 years of service. Tyke has served with both the Belmont and Laconia fire departments and is known throughout the State as a great firefighter and a great man. Tyke was and will remain a great asset to me personally and I will forever be grateful for the guidance he has provided me.



**Belmont Fire Department Year to date 2013 Alarm by type**

Alm_type	Descript	Cnt_inci_id
A1	ALS Transport	282
A2	ALS Non-Transport	14
B1	BLS Transport	112
B2	BLS Non-Transport	140
F	Fire Response	223
HM	Hazardous Materials Response	18
M	Medical Response	1
M1	Motor Vehicle Accident ALS Transport	21
M2	Motor Vehicle Accident ALS Non-Transport	1
M3	Motor Vehicle Accident BLS Transport	11
M4	Motor Vehicle Accident BLS Non-Transport	7
M5	Motor Vehicle Accident No Injury	29
M6	MVA No Incident found	3
MA	Mutual Aid Response	192
NE	Natural Disaster Event Response	1
NM	No Medical incident Found/No Patient Contact	25
R	Rescue Response	1
R2	Rescue Response W/ BLS	1
SC	Service Call	68
SR	Storm Response	25
WR	Water Rescue	2



### Coffee Break Training - Management Science Program

#### AAR: After Action Review in the Fire Service

No. MS-2013-3 May 15, 2013

**Learning Objective:** The student shall be able to explain how fire service After Action Review works and promote its use "every time wheels roll."

AAR protocols are widely but not universally used in the fire service. Good officers have known instinctively for years that performance improvements occur by creating a continuous feedback loop. Most often, these improvements are associated with fireground tactics and resource needs. AAR can be a vital tool in improving performance and correcting behaviors that can lead to a firefighter line-of-duty injury or death.

Stress injuries to firefighters are often underobserved, but their impact can destroy careers and affect families with tragic consequences. The earlier that (potential) stress injuries are identified, the more likely that successful outcomes will occur. In many ways, the first step in observing stress in firefighters and Emergency Medical Services personnel begins at the "back step" or "kitchen table talk," where every call and response is discussed with an informal AAR.

AAR supports the National Fallen Firefighters Foundation's Firefighter Life Safety Initiatives 1 (change the culture) and 13 (psychological support) to connect firefighters to the behavioral support they need.

The NFFF motto, "every time wheels roll," means just that — after every training exercise, every call, every time firefighters and emergency medical technicians are performing their duties, five simple questions are reviewed:

1. What was our mission? (Did we plan for this event? Were there any gaps in our planning?)
2. What went well? (Did we have adequate resources? Did we do all that we could?)
3. What could have gone better? (Did we observe any unsafe behaviors? Was our training effective?)
4. What might we have done differently? (If we ran the same incident, what would we do differently?)
5. Who needs to know? (What needs to be fixed, and how do we pass this information to the correct source?)

AAR training is delivered by the NFFF as a free online module, complete with a test and an immediately printable certificate of completion at the Fire Hero Learning Network ([www.fireherolearningnetwork.com](http://www.fireherolearningnetwork.com)). If you visit the Firefighter Life Safety Initiative 13 website ([FLSI13.everyonegoeshome.com](http://FLSI13.everyonegoeshome.com)), you will find more AAR support including a flyer, poster and printable pocket cards for all your firefighters and EMT personnel. If you need some guidance or more information, contact Dr. JoEllen Kelly at [jkelly@everyonegoeshome.com](mailto:jkelly@everyonegoeshome.com).

This Coffee Break Training item was provided by the NFFF.



This poster is just one of several reminders available free from the National Fallen Firefighters Foundation.



## Novelty Lighters:

If grownups can't tell it's a lighter, how can we expect a young child to know?

According to the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission, children under 5 cause more than 5,000 residential fires a year playing with lighters. Novelty lighters present a particular danger for children because they look more like toys than regular lighters, and they often lack childproof safeguards. Novelty lighters can look like toy cars, cell phones, fire extinguishers, magic markers, fishing poles and even a rubber ducky that quacks if you squeeze it. Children often mistake lighters for toys, especially if they have been encouraged to do so by adults who light them for their amusement. Many lighters are child-proof, and while they are more troublesome to light, they are the best ones to keep around houses with small children. NH State Fire Marshal J. William Degnan would like to advise parents: "If you smoke, stay away from such novelty lighters and stick with the boring kind. Keep them out of reach of children when not in use. It's not worth the risk. The added allure could mean the difference between life and death."



Further information:  
[www.cpsc.org](http://www.cpsc.org)  
[www.safekids.org](http://www.safekids.org)

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## Library News

### Belmont Public Library Summer Reading Program For 2013



Sign –up for Summer Reading at the Library on July 1<sup>st</sup>! Get a reading log to keep track of your reading times and win prizes. Come in for wonderful programs and activities specially planned to help families enjoy reading together!



Join us on July 2<sup>nd</sup> at 3 p.m., as we dig into the **darkest depths** of the deep blue sea! This interactive outreach program will focus on the deepest trenches of the ocean and the unique, **bioluminescent creatures** that live there. Children will **explore** why some sea creatures glow, the chemical reaction that is bioluminescence and what scientists are doing with this science today. The Museum educator will lead participants in a deep-sea adventure using specimens, vibrant images and videos of animals, science experiments and a **take-home glowing creature activity**.



**Library News (cont.)**

Building Fairy Houses at the Library is lots of fun!! Sign up for this fun activity scheduled for 3 p.m. on Thursday, July 11<sup>th</sup>.



Lindsay and her Puppet Pals return for a performance on Saturday, July 20<sup>th</sup> @ 10:30. This is a fun, energetic program that you won't want to miss.



Robert Rivest, a comic mime, will entertain everyone on Tuesday, July 30<sup>th</sup> @ 2.

As you plan summer fun, remember that the Library has passes to local attractions and lots of great books and movies to enjoy. Summer is the perfect time for everyone to "dig into reading!!" Check our webpage for a more complete listing of activities!

## **Dig into Reading @ the Belmont Public Library Schedule of Events**

- Tuesday, July 2** Children's Museum of NH @ 3 [at the Corner Meeting House]
- Thursday, July 11** Building Fairy Houses @ 3 (registration required)
- Saturday, July 20** Lindsay & Her Puppet Pals @ 10:30 [at the Corner Meeting House]
- Tuesday, July 30** Robert Rivest – Comic Mime @ 2 [at the Corner Meeting House]
- Thursday, Aug. 15** Steve Blunt Sing-a-long & Ice cream party @ 1:30 [Corner Meeting House]

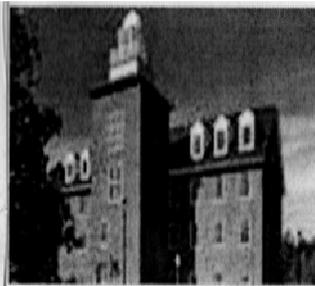
\*Thanks to a grants from the Byrne Foundation, CHILIS, Cogswell Benevolent Trust, the New Hampshire Library Association, New Hampshire State Library, and U.S. Institute of Museum and Library Services.

- Story Time** - Wednesdays @ 10:30
- Lego Club** - Saturday, July 6<sup>th</sup> & August 3<sup>rd</sup> @ 10:30
- Crafternoons** (for kids 6-12) - Tuesday, July 9<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup> @ 3
- July 1st – Aug. 16 – Read for prizes!! Sign up for raffles!!! Have fun!!**





# Belmont Senior Center



July 2013

Brenda Stark Fortier,  
Director

267-9867

Belmont Senior Center  
14 Mill Street  
Belmont, NH 03220

Email:

[bfortier@bm-cap.org](mailto:bfortier@bm-cap.org)

Serving Communities of:

Belmont  
Canterbury  
Gilford  
Gilmanton  
Loudon

Hours:

Mondays 10:00-2:00

Tuesday-Friday  
8:00-2:00

Community Dining  
M-W-Th 12:00

Breakfast—Friday  
10:00 a.m.

Door-To-Door  
Transportation  
Wed. & Thur.  
8:30—1:30

Service Link  
Resource Center  
1-866-634-9412  
528-6945

Come in and participate in any of our activities and have lunch. All Seniors are WELCOME!!!

### Daily

We have a Wii, with golf, bowling, baseball and tennis, computers, games, TV, movies, books and puzzles are available for your use and enjoyment.

#### Mondays

9:30 a.m.—cards /cribbage

#### Tuesdays

9:00—10:00 a.m. Bone Builders (by donation)

12:00—Art Classes

1:00 p.m. Foot Clinic 2nd Tuesday, even-numbered months.

#### Wednesdays

10:00 a.m. Wii Bowling

11:30 a.m. Café Bienvenue serving soup, salad  
And an entrée with side dishes

9:00 a.m. 4th Wednesday—Advisory Council followed by Activities Committee Meeting.

#### Thursdays

9:00 a.m. Bone Builders

#### Fridays

9:00 a.m. Cards

Café Bon Appetite is open @ 10:00 serving hot breakfast items prepared in our kitchen. Breakfast is followed by Bid Whist...**Needed Card Players!!!**

We have Bingo monthly and lots of special activities and speakers. Please join us anytime.

Thursday 11 July @ 12:00

**Join us for Lunch and a Speaker/An Attorney talking about Wills & Trusts**

Please call for Reservations 267-9867

### **SAVE THE DATE:**

Thursday, September 26, 5:30-9:00 at NH Audubon, Concord: **Bowls of Care...a gathering to support community and family caregivers.** Your entry entitles you to a handcrafted bowl and an evening of gourmet soups, breads, and desserts provided by local chefs, music by Peggo Hodges, and an insightful, informative presentation by renowned speaker Dr. Dennis McCullough, author of "My Mother, Your Mother." Join us to raise awareness at this first ever Elder Services Caregiver event! Tickets: \$30.00. More info to follow.

**Wish List:** 1. Bring a Friend for Lunch. 2. Old Jewelry, can be broken—for a project 3. Bingo Prizes 4. Card Players 5. Old-style canning jars



### *Director's Desk*

June was an interesting month with storms that swept through our Nation with little regard for anything or anybody. The severity at times shocked us and the level of personal sacrifice for some families was overwhelming. We had some rain and warm temps here in New Hampshire but seemed pretty stable when compared with the mid-west.

Our loss was of a different nature. Suzanne Roberts, who has been a long-time supporter of The Belmont Senior Center and of this community in general, passed away on June 14th. She is to be commended for her contributions to the community and to us and we send our most heart-felt condolences to her family. We will miss you Sue, you were absolutely the BEST that life offers. You are missed!!!

So what will July bring? Warm sunny days, rainy nights, very few bugs and time with family and friends sounds like a good plan to me.

One of my seniors was just the other day talking to a couple about The Belmont Senior Center. He told them about the meals, the fun adventures we have, the exercise group, Art classes and the activities that we have each week. After he finished telling them how great we are, they said "that's for old people". He looked a bit closer at this 80+ year old couple and didn't quite know how to respond. Yes, we are for old people, but ask anyone here and you will find so many individuals who are so "young at heart" and realize that age has little to do with anything. Desire to stay active, even when you've lost your spouse, or are still doing things with your spouse, is the key to keeping life interesting, fun and engaged. We have a committee that plans all sorts of activities from a trip on the Winni Belle, picnics at the beach and just daily exercise to fun parties at the Center with Blueberry Bread Pudding or dessert buffets and Formal Tea Parties. We are proud of the efforts we make on the behalf of "OLD" people and we assert that you are only "as OLD as you choose to be". Come join us. We are very accepting of everyone, no matter your chronological or behaved age. You are welcome here! Take Care and Happy July!!! Brenda



## Land Use News

### Planning and Zoning News July, 2013

#### **Planning Board:**

Subdivision approval granted to Arthur & Beverly Perron to subdivide one 18.9acre lot at 9 Fred Friend Road into a total of two lots.

The Planning Board congratulates Norm's Auto Body for their new (additional) location at 26 Laconia Road.

Fee Schedule amendment adopted to establish a \$100 fee for applications to extend previous approvals for an additional 12-month period.

Amendments adopted to the Subdivision, Site Plan and Earth Excavation Regulations to establish an application review committee comprised of applicable town staff to assist applicants to produce a technically complete application which conforms to the applicable Ordinances, Codes and Regulations. The review process is intended to result in an efficient and effective review of the application by the Planning Board and reduce unnecessary costs and delays in the application process.

#### **Zoning Board:**

Denied applications of James & Anne Marie Coviello of 90 Durrell Mtn Road for two variances to allow a total of four recreational vehicles on a vacant property and to allow one recreational vehicle to be used as a temporary full-time residence.





# HHW 2013

## Lakes Region Household Hazardous Waste Collections

*Saturday July 27 & Saturday August 3*

**Household Hazardous Waste requires proper, safe disposal**

**BRING IT TO THE MOST CONVENIENT COLLECTION SITE FOR YOU!**

### July 27: 8:30 A.M. to Noon

**BELMONT -**

**Fire Station (267-8300)**

**FRANKLIN - Public Works Garage (934-4103)**

**GILFORD - Public Works Garage (527-4778)**

**MEREDITH - Public Works Garage (279-6352 or 279-8480)**

### August 3: 8:30 A.M. to Noon

**BRISTOL - NH DOT Garage (Info 744-3354)**

**LACONIA - Public Works Garage SWAP TABLE! (528-6379)**

**CENTER OSSIPEE - Town Highway Garage (539-4121 or 539-4181)**

**MOULTONBOROUGH - Town Highway Garage (Info 476-2347)**

## Bring them in!

### From the House:

- Arts & craft supplies
- Drain opener
- Dry-cleaning fluids
- Epoxies & resins
- Floor cleaner & polish
- Metal polish
- Oven cleaner
- Photo chemicals
- Roofing tar
- Spot remover
- Unbroken fluorescent bulbs (including compact fluorescents)



### From the Yard and Garden:

- Cesspool cleaner
- Coal tar-based driveway sealer
- Muriatic acid
- Pesticides (1 gallon containers or smaller)
- Herbicides & weed killers



- Pool chemicals
- Rust preventative
- From the Garage:**
- Radiator cleaners
- Car wax & polish
- Carburetor cleaners & degreasers
- Gasoline & Diesel fuel
- Mixed motor oil
- Antifreeze



### From the Workbench:

- Paint Stripper
- Paint thinner & solvents
- Oil-based paint
- Spray paint
- Stains & varnishes
- Wood preservative
- Sealants



**Reminder: Latex paint and alkaline batteries are not hazardous products and will not be accepted.**

## Please note:

- Residents/taxpayers of participating communities only; you may be asked to present proof of residency.
- Household products only please; no commercial waste allowed.
- Each household is limited to 10 gallons or 50 pounds.
- You will be asked to participate in a brief survey, which helps us improve our collection effort.
- Keep materials in original containers.
- For speedy drop-off, place containers in a sturdy cardboard box in your trunk.
- The Laconia site has a Swap Table - be sure to stop by if you are looking for usable paint, stain, or cleaners!



**The following will not be accepted at this collection but can be safely disposed of in other ways:**

Latex paint, alkaline batteries, ammunition/fireworks, asbestos, propane tanks, empty/solidified oil-based paints, explosives, smoke detectors, radioactive materials, household trash, tires, and electronics.

- Latex paints, alkaline batteries, empty/solidified oil-based paints, smoke detectors, household trash, and tires should go to your transfer station.
- For explosives, ammunition, and fireworks, call your local law enforcement office or State Police (271-3636) for safe disposal.
- For radioactives, call the NH Department of Public Health at 271-4585.
- Refill propane tanks at a local exchange site. If you no longer need the tank, give it away so others can exchange it. Some transfer stations take used tanks for a fee.
- Check with the store where you bought your car tires regarding disposal (you may have already paid a disposal fee at purchase).
- For safe disposal of computers, TVs, and other electronics, check with your transfer station or electronics store.



Rechargeable batteries (NiCad, Li ion) will be accepted but you can also safely dispose of them for free at many transfer stations, electronics stores, and at LRPC.

Car batteries will be accepted at most sites. These can often be returned to the point of purchase.

**Why the Concern?**

Contamination of our environment is a very real threat through the improper disposal of household hazardous wastes. Most treatment plants and leachfields are incapable of processing these chemicals. Landfill disposal poses the same risks, and the result is the eventual contamination of our groundwater, upon which everyone is dependent.

**What else can I do to reduce the impact on the environment?**

Take responsible action to protect your family's health and the health of your community. Taking these steps can reduce the risk of toxic substances getting into our ground and surface waters.

Seek alternatives to hazardous products.

There are many cleaners, polishes, and gardening supplies that can be made with vinegar, vegetable oil, baking soda, lemon juice, and washing soda (sodium carbonate). - For recipes and tips go to: [http://www.lakesrpc.org/services\\_hhw.asp](http://www.lakesrpc.org/services_hhw.asp).

Reduce the Quantity of HHW. Buy only as much as you will use right away and give leftovers to friends or neighbors.

Buy recycled products. Recycled paint, motor oil, and antifreeze can perform quite well. Tell your retailer that you want recycled products.

Read the label. Avoid products that contain hazardous ingredients when possible. Ask your retailer for safer or less toxic alternatives.



**Questions?**

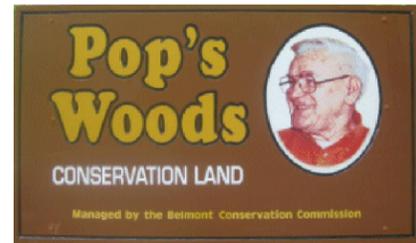
- Contact the representative at the site nearest you. Telephone numbers are listed on the back page.
- Call the Lakes Region Planning Commission at 279-8171 or visit our website at [www.lakesrpc.org](http://www.lakesrpc.org).





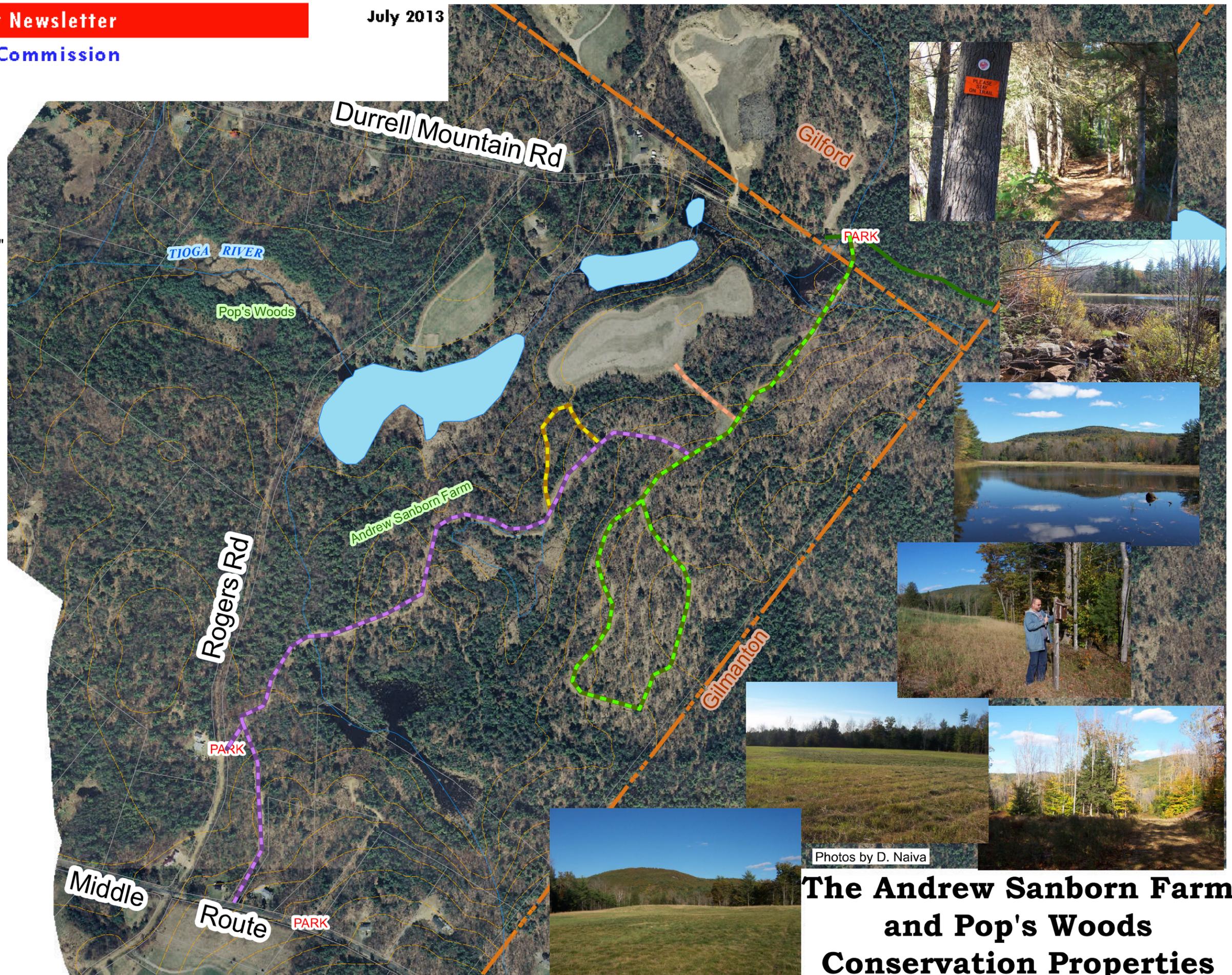
All Properties Are "Carry In - Carry Out"  
Trail Insets Scaled at 1"=1000'

**PERMITTED USES**



Properties Managed by  
Belmont Conservation  
Commission

**TODAY'S  
CONSERVATION  
STEWARDS FOR  
TOMORROW'S  
GENERATION**



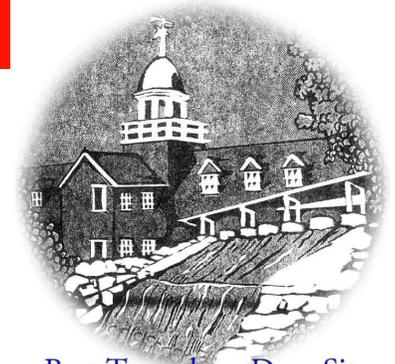
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# July 2013

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1 BOS Mtg 5pm at CMH	2 Children's Museum of NH Program 3pm @ CMH	3	4 Explorers Mtg at CMH Knitting 6:00pm @ Library	5	6 Lego Club 10:30am @ Library
7	8	9 Crafternoons 3pm @ Library	10 Conservation Comm. 6pm @ CMH	11 Explorers Mtg at CMH Knitting 6:00pm @ Library Fairy Houses 3pm @ Library	12	13
14	15 BOS Mtg 5pm at CMH	16 Crafternoons 3pm @ Library	17	18 Explorers Mtg at CMH Knitting 6:00pm @ Library	19	20 Lindsay & Her Puppet Pals 10:30am @ CMH
21	22 Planning Board Mtg 7pm @ CMH	23 Crafternoons 3pm @ Library	24 ZBA Mtg 7pm @ CMH (downstairs)	25 Explorers Mtg at CMH Knitting 6:00pm @ Library	26	27 Lakes Region HHW Collection 8:30a to Noon Belmont Fire Department
28	29	30 Robert Rivest, comic mime 2pm @ CMH	31			

