



June 2016

Our Community Newsletter

Town Administrator's
Monthly Report



Notice

The Belmont Board of Selectmen in conjunction with the Belmont Police, Fire and Parks Recreation Departments are pleased to announce that the State of New Hampshire Department of Transportation has posted the state-owned property located adjacent to the Leslie E. Roberts Town Beach as "No Camping". The signs were installed late last week. Posting of this property will now facilitate the Belmont Police Department's efforts to move the transient population out of the area which will improve safety in the vicinity. Efforts by the Fire and Police Departments to canvas the area for discarded drug paraphernalia will continue on a regular basis. We would appreciate the public's help while visiting the area; if you see discarded needles or other such material, please contact the Belmont Police Department at 267-8350 or notify Town staff immediately. Your help in conjunction with the efforts of our Fire and Police Departments will insure a safe, fun summer at the beach.

Citizen's Survey



Time is winding down only 30 more days to complete our Citizen's Survey which can be found online at <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/9T7NJ5X>.

Results from the survey will be collected through June 30, 2016. Hard copies of the survey can be picked up at Town Hall in the Selectmen's Office. We would appreciate your feedback and hope that you will take a few minutes to complete the survey.



We are looking forward to a busy summer and ask for your patience as you travel through the community.

IT is the LAW! (RSA 466:31 II (c))

We would like to remind all Dog Owners of the importance of picking up your dog's waste from property not your own. The town installed at three different locations, dog waste stations where you can obtain a plastic bag to pick up the waste and deposit it in the numerous garbage cans located in the Village.



The Belmont Board of Selectmen are on Facebook, look for us at Belmont NH Selectmen; we will be posting information about our upcoming meetings, minutes of meetings, general notices about happenings in Town and we are looking for "friends". The Board of Selectmen adopted a Social Media Policy at their meeting on May 16, 2016.



We are very excited to announce that beginning June 6, 2016, the Town of Belmont will be live streaming its' Selectmen's meetings at <http://livestream.com/belmontnh> in addition to them being shown on LRPA Channel 26. We have for many months been trying to find someone interested in videotaping our meetings for us so this new offering from LRPA was an answer to our dilemma.

Just a reminder that the Town of Belmont is an active member of Lakes Region Public Access Television which can be seen locally on Metrocast Channels 24, 25, and 26. If you are a camera buff and you have an interest in producing a show to be shown on LRPA, please contact the station at 528-3070 to discuss your idea.



Just a reminder that applications are available for the Low and Moderate Income Homeowner's Property Tax Relief at <http://revenue.nh.gov/publications/press/documents/pr-lm-160429.pdf> - applications will be accepted by the State through June 30, 2016.

Your feedback is always welcome and if my office can be of assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me at townadministrator@belmontnh.org.

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Belmont Public Library

146 Main Street bpl@belmontnh.org
www.belmontpubliclibrary.org T: 603 267-8331

Get in the Game—READ! Get a head start on a fitness filled season by signing up for summer reading starting June 6. Everybody can compete this year! Pick up a reading calendar from the circ desk. Log 20 minutes reading a day for 30 days between June 6 and August 20 to earn your free book. Complete your calendar to be eligible for our additional raffle prizes.

Summer reading can help kids avoid the dreaded “summer slump” and retain their enthusiasm and reading skills. If parents and other role models join in, that adds motivation.



Stop by to sign up for summer reading and play some classic playground games!



Summer Special Events

LEGO Build
June 4 10am

Summer Reading begins
June 6

LEGO Summer Celebration
June 17 12-3pm

Summer Kids' Movie
June 21 12pm

Playground Games Kickoff
June 24-25

Tea in the Garden
June 27 4pm

Summer Teen Movie & Craft
June 28 1pm

Upcoming

Multi-Age Storytime
Wednesday 10:30am

Adult Book Group
June 17 10:30am

Craft n' Laugh
Thursdays 5:30pm

Trustees' Meeting
June 13 4:30pm



**CRAFT N' LAUGH
THURSDAYS 5:30**

6/2 watercolor	6/23 handmade cards
6/9 Zentangle	6/30 hand-lettering
6/16 jewelry	

Kids' Movie 6/21 1pm
Teen Movie 6/28 1pm

A poster for a LEGO event. It features a blue starburst shape in the center with white text. The background is a pile of colorful LEGO bricks in red, yellow, green, and blue.

LEGO FUN
Saturday
6/4 10am-12pm
Friday
6/17 11am-3pm



**The Martian
by Andy Weir**

Six days ago, astronaut Mark Watney became one of the first people to walk on Mars. Now, he's sure he'll be the first person to die there.

After a dust storm nearly kills him and forces his crew to evacuate while thinking him dead, Mark finds himself stranded and completely alone with no way to even signal Earth that he's alive—and even if he could get word out, his supplies would be gone long before a rescue could arrive.

But Mark isn't ready to give up yet. Drawing on his ingenuity, his engineering skills—and a relentless, dogged refusal to quit—he steadfastly confronts one seemingly insurmountable obstacle after the next. Will his resourcefulness be enough to overcome the impossible odds against him?

**Book Group
June 17 10:30am**

June 2016

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
29	30	31	1 10:30 Storytime	2 5:30 Craft n' Laugh	3	4
5	6 Summer Reading Begins 2-4 Tech Time	7	8 10:30 Storytime	9 5:30 Craft n' Laugh	10 June is National Audiobook Month	11
12	13	14	15 10:30 Storytime	16 5:30 Craft n' Laugh	17 10:30 Book Group 11-3 LEGO Summer Celebration	18
19	20 2-4 Tech Time	21 1pm Kids' Movie & Craft	22 10:30 Storytime	23 5:30 Craft n' Laugh	24 Playground Games	25 Playground Games
26	27 4pm Tea in the Garden	28 1pm Teen Movie & Craft	29 10:30 Storytime	30 5:30 Craft n' Laugh	1 9 Adult Walking Group	2

NEW TO THE LIBRARY

FICTION

Clark, Mary Higgins *As time goes by : a novel*
 Cleave, Chris. *Everyone brave is forgiven*
 Hallinan, Timothy. *Crashed : a Junior Bender mystery*
 Hamer, Kate. *The girl in the red coat*
 Hill, Joe *The fireman : a novel*
 Patterson, James *15th affair*
 Sandford, John *Extreme prey*
 Steel, Danielle *The apartment : a novel*

NON FICTION

Shirky, Clay. *Here comes everybody : the power of organizing without organizations*
 Primavera, Louis H., *Making marriage work : avoiding the pitfalls and achieving success*
 Thakor, Manisha. *On my own two feet : a modern girl's guide to personal finance*
 Tobias, Andrew P. *The only investment guide you'll ever need*
 Greitens, Eric *The warrior's heart : becoming a man of compassion and courage*
 Mukherjee, Siddhartha *The gene : an intimate history*
 Monkman, Jerry *Discover and explore New Hampshire's natural wonders : a field guide to the Nature Conservancy's preserves and conservation project areas*

AUDIO

Crawford, Susan, *The other widow*
 Patterson, James, *15th affair*

CHILDREN

Bradley, Kimberly Brubaker *The war that saved my life*
 Buyea, Rob *Mr. Terupt falls again*
 Egan, Kate *The vanishing coin*
 Holm, Jennifer L. *Babymouse goes for the gold*
 Hunt, Lynda Mullaly. *Fish in a tree*
 Mull, Brandon. *Wild born*
 Riordan, Rick *Demigods & magicians*
 Tarshis, Lauren *I survived. : I survived the Nazi invasion, 1944*
 Tarshis, Lauren *I survived the destruction of Pompeii, AD 79*

Tarshis, Lauren *I survived Hurricane Katrina, 2005*
 Tarshis, Lauren *I survived the San Francisco earthquake, 1906*
 Tarshis, Lauren *I survived the Battle of Gettysburg, 1863*
 Wallace, Rich. *Babe conquers the world : the legendary life of Babe Didrikson Zaharias*
 Willems, Mo *The thank you book*
 Woodson, Jacqueline *Brown girl dreaming*

TEEN

Cass, Kiera *The crown*
 Hartland, Jessie. *Steve Jobs : insanely great*
 Stiefvater, Maggie. *The Raven King*

DVD

Mission: impossible. *Rogue Nation*
 He named me Malala
 Before we go
 The choice
 Collateral
 Creed
 Edmond
 Miss you already
 The revenant
 Rules of engagement
 Star Wars. *The Force Awakens*
 Suffragette
 The walking dead *Season 5*
 What dreams may come
 Young James Herriot

J DVD

Batman, the brave and the bold. *Season 1*
 Dragons. *Dawn of the dragon racers*
 Norm of the north



Try www.audiobooksync.com for free audio books this summer!

Special Events

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Thank you to all who participated in our Community Wide Yard Sale, either by selling or buying treasure. It was a huge success! Organization of a fall yard sale day is being considered.



Mark your calendars now for our 2016 Farmer's Markets

Whether you are a vendor or consumer, help support our effort to bring a monthly Farmer's Market to our residents and visitors.

Dates: June 26, July 31, August 28, & September 18. Vendor fees are \$50 for all four market days or \$15 if you choose to join us for just one day.

Vendor information packets are available at <http://www.belmontnh.org/belmontfarm.asp> or you may call Gretta at 998-3525.



Concert on the Bandstand

Windham Swing Band
June 25 --- 6:30-8:30 pm

Belmont Old Home Day is Saturday, August 13! "Bridging Our Generations"

School clubs, civic organizations, and commercial vendors are encouraged to get applications in early to secure your spot. Vendor applications, parade registration forms, and road race registration forms are available now on the town's website at www.belmontnh.org.

Contact Gretta Olson-Wilder, Special Events Coordinator, at 603-998-3525 or email her at events@belmontnh.org with any questions. Feedback is always welcome!



Planning and Zoning News

June, 2016

[Flag Day](#), June 14th

Applications

Planning Board

- **DDI Commercial #3LLC**: Site Plan approved for exterior parking and storage of trucks, trailers, RVs and boats at 32 Eastgate Park Road.
- **Chet Lewandoski**: Conceptual Discussion for auto sales use, 995 Laconia Road.

Application Review Committee

- **Chet Lewandoski**: Request for Site Plan Review for motor vehicle sales, 995 Laconia Road.
- **Laurie Libby**: Request for Boundary Line Adjustments (3) review, single-family residential lots, 167, 168 & 173 Gardners Grove Road.
- **Belmont DG, LLC**: Request for Site Plan Review for 9,100sf commercial retail building with associated site development, 15 Gilmanton Road.

Zoning Board

- **DWB Property LLC**: Request for a 1 year extension of two variance approvals to construct a house and add fill closer to the brook than allowed at 17 High Street.
- **John Klement for Winnisquam Beach Campground Association**: Request for three variances to relocate a shed and construct two decks closer to the wetlands than allowed at 16 Park Place.

Other Land Use News

The new edition of the Timely Reminders is available. Great resource for new residents or those needing more information about local government. Can be viewed at www.belmontnh.org/docs/newsletter/TimelyReminders.pdf

News and notices of on-going interest to the community can now be viewed on the Community Notices page of the Town's website at www.belmontnh.org/aboutcommunitynotices.asp.

Visit www.belmontnh.org/agendasminutes.asp to view agendas and minutes for all meetings.

Contact LandUse@belmontnh.org or 267-8300 x 119 for any assistance!



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SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1 CONSERVATION COMM 6:00P @CMH	2	3	4
5	6 BOS MTG 5P @CMH	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14 FLAG DAY 	15	16 BRATT MTG 6:30 @CMH	17	18
19 FATHER'S DAY 	20 BOS MTG 5P @CMH SUMMER SOL- STICE 	21	22 ZONING BOARD MTG 7P @CMH	23 ARC MTG 8A @CMH	24	25
26	27 PLANNING BOARD 6P @ CMH	28	29	30		