

Resident Town Hall Meetings OCTOBER 2024

Laconia Resident Town Hall

Monday, October 7th at 11:00 a.m. Tree Rooms Woodside Building

Wolfeboro Resident Town Hall

Wednesday, October 9th at 10:00 a.m. Maple Room Sugar House

As always, please feel free to submit any questions in advance to townhall@taylorcommunity.org or call Sharon Ryba at (603) 366-1400 to submit a question via phone.

Additionally, all Town Hall Meetings will now be available for viewing on Community Apps.

We look forward to seeing you!

Transportation Needs?

Wolfeboro: Call Gina (603) 319-1552 **Laconia:** Call Kate (603) 366-1234

Fraud Alert From Mary Elliard, VP of Finance

FRAUD ALERT:

Bank of New Hampshire (BNH) has notified us of a scam targeting their customers. Fraudulent phone calls and text messages are being made from Vermont (802) area codes, falsely claiming to be from the Bank of New Hampshire Fraud Department. Please disregard these calls and messages and report them immediately by contacting BNH at 1-800-832-0912. Do not provide any personal information or click on any links in these messages. If you have any further concerns regarding fraud or scams please feel free to contact me directly at 603-366-1335.

Charlie Coulter Aug. 30, 1932 - Sept. 10, 2024 Taylor resident since 2007 Terry Gilmore July 29, 1938 - Aug. 31, 2024 Taylor resident since 2021 Barbara Wood July 13, 1939 - Sept. 17, 2024

Gazette Submissions

Taylor resident since 2008

As a reminder, all content for The Gazette is due on the 15th day of each month.

Next month, all content will be due on Sunday, October 15th.

Please send all submissions to gazette@taylorcommunity.org.



Contributing to the Sunshine Fund

The Sunshine Fund is a pool of financial contributions by Residents, to be used for staff appreciation. Taylor Resident Association Chairman, Caesar Meledandri, has provided the following guidance for making a contribution.

There is no set amount for a donation to the Sunshine Fund. The majority of the funds go to provide bonuses for the Taylor staff at the holiday season.

The amount each Resident donates depends on the value each person gives to the support and services provided to them throughout the year. Some people give \$50; some people give \$500. It also depends on your individual budget and what your feel you can afford.

If you choose to make a donation to the Sunshine Fund, please make your check payable to "Taylor Home Resident Account."

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TRA Corner

Hello All,

I hope that everyone is well and enjoying the beautiful weather. The days have been spectacular. I hope it lasts. Goings on here at Taylor Laconia are as follows:

- A) August's TRA Social was once again a hit. Great appetizers, dinner, and desserts. These socials are a great opportunity for new and established residents to get to know one another. Please plan to attend. October's TRA Social will be held on Saturday, October 19th—we hope to see you there!
- B) Our musical performances have been exceedingly professional. On Sunday, September 8th, we had the Vintage Quartet, and they were magnificent as always. This concert was held in the Woodside rooms. On September 9th, we enjoyed another great concert—Scheer Jazz. We also had Jud Caswell's Jim Croce tribute, presented at the Pavilion.
- C) Our next TRA meeting will be held on Monday, October 7th at 9:30 a.m. All of our TRA meetings are open to all residents, so please come and hear what is going on at the Laconia campus and bring up any questions or concerns you may have.
- D) On September 23rd, the Annual Meeting of Incorporators took place. Our new Taylor Community Resident Trustees are Ray Chambers and Peter Webster. If you see these two, please thank them for their desire to serve. Our Trustees work hard to keep the vision of Taylor Community moving forward. If you have any questions, please ask them and I'm sure that if they don't have the answers right away, they will be sure to get back to you with the information you want to know.

That's about it for this month. Caesar Meledandri, TRA Chairman



Community Snapshots











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Community Snapshots















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Keli Douglass Richard & Karen Fraser Richard & Theresa Levesque Franklin Mauser Sheila McGowan Susan Postlewaite Al & Jane Rollins
Diane Root & Margaret Campbell
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Dear Taylor Residents and Friends,

It's an election year and there are lots of surveys out there! So...What do you like best about Taylor Community? Is it...

The delicious food offered at the Bistro, along with the special events there?

"Brain food"- lectures, musical presentations, study and book groups?

Socializing with friends at Pub Nights; monthly social dinners?

Not having to shovel snow in winter and mow the grass in summer?

Off campus trips to interesting destinations?

Speedy responses when your home needs a repair - or just a little TLC inside or out?

On campus physical therapy following surgery or an "oops!" minute?

An extraordinary nursing/care team at our licensed buildings?

Wellness Department offerings of a variety of classes for every level of fitness?

Or...just hanging out with friends in our welcoming common areas?

All of these great opportunities are brought to us by the 319 people who work at the Taylor Community, including Glendale Dining Service and Powerback PT. How could you possibly thank each and every one individually for the differences they make in our lives?

Great news! You can thank the Taylor staff all at one time by supporting the Sunshine Fund! Each year Team Taylor is treated to a December Holiday Party that includes a delicious lunch, gifts, resident- made Christmas cookies and annual bonuses for everyone who has worked at Taylor in the year just ending.

Please support the Sunshine Fund with your check made out to Taylor Home Resident Account with Sunshine Fund on the memo line. Deposit it in the mail room on your campus or mail it to: Maureen Ballester, 435 Union Ave., Laconia NH 03246. Judy Siegel (jssiegel4@mac.com) has answers to all your questions!

Warmly, **Kindly send gifts prior to November 15th**

The Sunshine Fund Committee



Flu & Covid Vaccine Update

The following is the schedule of Flu and Covid vaccine clinics in the coming months. Please reach out to Crystal Hardy, RN, Director of Clinical Programming, at (603) 366-1442, or via email at chardy@taylorcommunity.org with any questions or concerns.

Please note that the following schedule is...

Thursday, October 17th:

Annual Flu Vaccine Clinic for all Laconia campus staff and residents.

10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m., and 12:30 - 4:00 p.m. in the Woodside tree rooms.

Independent residents and staff must bring a copy of their insurance cards. If possible, independent residents are encouraged to bring a copy of their cards to Care Management in advance of the clinic. Staff will come to Taylor Home and Ledgeview to vaccinate residents of those buildings.

Friday, October 18th:

Annual Flu Vaccine Clinic for all Wolfeboro campus staff and residents.

10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. at the Residence at Back Bay for residents living in that building and staff working at that time.

1:00 - 4:00 p.m. in the Maple Room at Sugar Hill for all independent residents and staff.

Residents and staff must bring a copy of their insurance cards. If at all possible, independent residents should get this to Care Management in advance of the clinic.

Wednesday, November 20th:

Covid Booster Clinic for Wolfeboro campuses, staff and residents.

10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. at the Residence at Back Bay for residents living there, as well as for staff working at that time.

1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. at Sugar Hill in the Maple Room for all independent residents and staff. Staff and independent residents must bring a copy of insurance cards, if not already submitted to Care Management.

Friday, 11/22:

Covid Booster clinic for all Laconia campus staff and residents.

10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m., and 12:30 - 4:00 p.m. in the Woodside tree rooms.

Staff and independent residents must bring a copy of their insurance cards, if not already submitted to Care Management.

Please reach out to Crystal Hardy at (603) 366-1442 with any questions and concerns.

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Taylor Laconia News & Events Community



Announcements



Wednesday, October 2nd Elm Room, Woodside • 7:15 a.m.

It's almost time for our monthly Men's Breakfast, which will be held on Wednesday, October 2nd in the Woodside Elm Room (as always, we meet on the 1st Wednesday of the month!). As usual, coffee will be ready by about 7:15 a.m., with food served at about 7:30 a.m., and the speaker from 8:00 – 9:00 a.m.

Our speaker this month will be Eliot Davis, Vice President of Talent Management & Culture (also known as Human Relations to some) here at Taylor. Eliot will be speaking to us regarding his efforts (and success – my plug) at attracting and maintaining our fabulous staff. He will also share what can be done to help bring in additional qualified individuals, and as time permits, he will answer questions from the floor.

To make a reservation, PLEASE register through Community Apps. For those who can't use Community Apps, please feel free to call me at (603) 524-7131 or e-mail me at jelarson234@ yahoo.com. Mark your calendar and remember to look at it! I look forward to seeing you there.

Thanks, John Larson

Transportation – Tanger Outlets

Transportation will offer trips to Tanger Outlets on the following dates:

Monday, November 18th pickup 10:30 a.m. & return 1:00 p.m.

Monday, December 9th pickup 10:30 a.m. & return 1:00 p.m.



Oasis Pub Night

Friday, October 4th Woodside, 4:30 p.m.

Fall is here and the month of October is the most splendid month of the year. Cool nights, bright days, and all the fall colors that make us happy to be in the North Country. Join us for the evening. John Larson will have our usual Halloween candy contest, so bring dollars! Greet your neighbors and make some new friends over a frosty libation and a selection from the Bistro 'Pub Grub' menu. As always, soft drinks, beer, and wine are available at a nominal cost. And you know the drill...the fun is free.

- Your Oasis Pub Crew



White Elephant Donations

Tuesdays, October 1st and October 29th Drop off 8:30-10:00 a.m. • Maple Room

In preparation for our Annual Holiday Fair, our White Elephant Committee is prepared to begin receiving donations. Additional donation dates will be set, and notifications will be sent out. Please be sure that any items donated are not broken and are in proper working order and do NOT consist of books, linens, clothing, large furniture or electronics. Our committee will determine pricing for each item ... any items not sold at our Holiday Fair will be donated to local charities.

Announcements



Wednesday, October 9th Elm Room, Woodside • 10:00 a.m.

Ladies, It's Brunch Time Again!

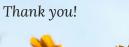
Our next Ladies' Brunch will be held on Wednesday, October 9th at 10:00 a.m. in the Woodside Tree Rooms. Our speaker will be Elena Worrall, who worked as an engineer at Bell Labs in New Jersey. We have some amazing ladies here at Taylor with interesting experiences to relate!

You must sign up in order to attend. You may do that on Community Apps, or if you are unable to do that, you may also call the front desk at Woodside to sign up.

Look for the menu and price on page 31. We hope to see you there!

Attention, Laconia Campus Gardeners!

With summer all but done, now is the time to finish, or at least start, cleaning up your garden. For example: picking up fallen vegetables (especially tomatoes); pulling out weeds and grass before the seeds fall and grow even more weeds next year. This maintenance is necessary in order to reduce next year's start-up, whether you plan on keeping your garden next year or giving it up. There should be containers available to dispose of your efforts—please don't just throw the vegetation over the bank into the woods.





TRA Monthly Social & Buffet

Saturday, October 19th **Woodside Fireside Room** 5:00 p.m.

ATTENTION: New & Existing Residents

Meet New and Old Friends! Enjoy Cocktails and Hors d'oeuvres. Take a chance on the 50/50 Raffle. Have an Enjoyable Evening!

Drink and raffle tickets available in the lobby.

Delicious buffet dinner prepared by Glendale Staff, menu is on page 30.

> Seating is a random mix of singles and couples.

> > \$30 per person



Make your reservations NOW! (Required) Accepted until October 16th Call (603) 366-1449 or reserve on Community Apps (formerly Touchtown.)

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Oktoberfest 2024

Tuesday, October 1st • 5:00 p.m.

This year, in addition to our amazing Oktoberfest menu and beer flights, we are excited to host a live accordion performance during the dinner hour by our friend Glen (of

Catfish Howl fame) ... Glen has promised to finish the evening's entertainment by playing a couple of polkas, so be sure to bring along your dancing shoes!!! Dinner reservations for this event should be made with Dining Services.

INSTRUCTION SESSION - Halloween Gingerbread House Project with Brenda

Monday, October 7th • 1:00 p.m.









We had so much fun creating our Christmas Village, we just had to bring it back for Halloween! Join us as we create adorably spooky Gingerbread Houses ... All necessary materials and decorations will be provided to complete your house. After creating the houses, the group will complete a Village Display for all to enjoy at Woodside.

TRA Barbecue Picnic

Monday, October 14th • 4:00 p.m. | Woodside Pavilion

Our fifth and final Barbecue Picnic for this year will be held on Monday, October 14th at 4:00 p.m. at the Pavilion. Don't let the threat of rain keep you away—this event will be held RAIN OR SHINE!! Please mark your calendar and plan to attend. Bring your meat to be grilled for you, a dish to share (either a salad, a casserole, or dessert), eating utensils, and a drink. We will provide the grills, grillers, standard condiments, and if needed, paper plates, napkins, paper towels, cups, and plastic utensils.

Cat Walk - Virtual Cat Show

Tuesday, October 22nd • 11:00 a.m. | Woodside Theater



Do you have—or have you had—an amazing pet cat!? If so, your cat extraordinaire should be included in our Virtual Campus Cat Show. To enter, simply send along a photo of your fuzzy feline friend, their name and how they got it, and your favorite story. On October 22nd, we will meet in the Woodside Theater to view a slideshow presentation featuring our Campus Cats. Prizes will be awarded! Send your info today to bkean@taylorcommunity.org or stop by the office with your photo!



OCTOBER CRAFT PROJECT Decoupage Pumpkins

Wednesday, October 30th • 1:00 p.m. | Wet Craft Room, Woodside

Continuing on with our Crafting Series, we will create these lovely Willow Pattern inspired pumpkins. Although this looks complicated, you will find the process fairly quick and simple. Reservations are required to be sure we have sufficient supplies.

Halloween Gathering / Lunch at Pavilion and Costume Parade at Ledgeview

Thursday, October 31st • 11:30 a.m. | Woodside Pavilion



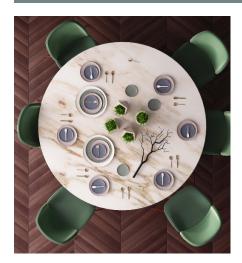
Join us for this fun event ... in costume.

We will be ordering lunch in ... menu to follow. Following lunch, we will plan to visit our friends at Ledgeview for a Costume Parade.

Reservations are required.

Circle Dinner

Saturday, November 9th • Laconia Campus



Do you:

Enjoy meeting new people?
Sharing a meal with friends?
Engaging in interesting conversation?
Making a favorite dish to share; and/or,
Hosting others in your home/apartment?

You can do all of these things and more if you participate in Circle Dinners, which are mini-Pot Luck contributory Suppers.

We meet five (5) times a year—the second Saturday in the months of November, January, March, June and September. You only sign up for the months that work for your schedule.

The next Circle Dinner will be held on Saturday, November 9th.

The final day to sign up is Friday, November 1st.

Don't drive at night? Not to worry—transportation can be provided. Questions? Contact Liz Cooper at liznhnc@gmail.com or (603) 344-0344.

Be there or be square!!

ATTENTION RESIDENT VETERANS: We Want To Hear From You!

If you are a veteran... **We Thank You** and want to include your service photo in our Veteran slide show.

Please call Brenda Kean at (603) 366-1226 to be sure she is aware of your Veteran status and make arrangements to share your service photo.

Thank you for your Service!



The Ice House Museum - New London, NH

Tuesday, October 1st • 8:30 a.m. departure



Come and explore Bill Kidder's special collection of automobiles and Americana. The Ice House Museum offers a memorable, hands-on experience for visitors of all ages. Antique Ford cars, children's ride-on toys, steam whistles, padlocks, washing machines, auto parts, horse-drawn carriages, a town jail, blacksmith shop and tinsmith shops and the list goes on. Admission is by donation. Suggested donation is \$10.

The bus will begin picking up residents on the Laconia Campus at 8:30 a.m.

Foliage Pontoon Tour of Lake Winnipesaukee

Thursday, October 3rd • 8:30 a.m. departure







Climb aboard as our Taylor Community Resident and Captain Russ Cooper navigates Lake Winnipesaukee during what we hope is Peak Foliage Viewing! There will be two tours—the morning tour will depart Woodside at 8:30 a.m. and the afternoon tour will depart Woodside at 12:30 p.m. Be sure to have your cameras ready for the colorful views. Seating is limited to 10 passengers per trip. Refreshments will be served on all tours. Boarding Ticket is \$10 per person.

The bus will begin picking up residents on the Laconia Campus at 8:30 a.m. for the morning tour and 12:30 p.m. for the afternoon tour.

Colonial Theater - ABBA Tribute

Thursday, October 3rd • 6:30 p.m. departure

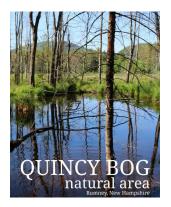


The Concert: A Tribute to ABBA continues to be the top ABBA tribute group in the world, dazzling all who see with their fantastic performance while playing the most iconic hits, including "Mamma Mia," "S.O.S," "Money, Money, Money," "Knowing Me, Knowing You," "Waterloo," "Gimme, Gimme, Gimme," and "Dancing Queen." Tickets are \$49 - \$79 and are non-refundable.

The bus will begin picking up residents at 6:30 p.m. for this 7:30 p.m. (3 hour) show.

Quincy Bog

Friday, October 4th • 9:00 a.m. departure



The Quincy Bog Nature Center has significantly expanded its nature walks. The trail around the Quincy Bog has comprehensive trail markers, a trail guide, and other interpretive materials to enhance the educational value of the visit. Under the official name of the Rumney Ecological Systems (RES), they have created the Pemi-Baker Land Trust (PBLT) with four significant properties under conservation easement. The PBLT is conserving properties that larger land trusts often overlook. This is always a beautiful walk ... at your own pace ... a walking stick is recommended. Join us for a walk through Quincy Bog followed by a picnic lunch on-site. Menu selections to follow.

The bus will begin picking up residents on the Laconia Campus at 9:00 a.m.

2024 Maine Fall Foliage Excursion - Camden and Boothbay, Maine and Iconic Boothbay Botanical Gardens Joint Campus Adventure The Camden Riverhouse Hotel - 2023 Travelers Choice Awardee

Tuesday - Thursday, October 8 - 10, 2024 • departure at 8:15 a.m.







Camden is a charming seaside town with scenic views, historic charm, and outdoor activities. Camden is known as the Jewel of the Maine Coast, and for good reason. You can enjoy the stunning beauty of the harbor, the hills, and the fall foliage, as well as explore the rich history and culture of the town. Whether you want to sail, hike, shop, or dine, Camden has something for everyone. You can visit the Camden Hills State Park, the Curtis Island Lighthouse, the Camden Opera House, among other attractions. Camden is a town that will captivate you with its natural beauty and charm.

The bus will begin picking up residents on the Laconia Campus at 8:15 a.m.

RSVP required for all resident trips via Community Apps, or to Brenda at bkean@taylorcommunity.org or (603) 366-1226.

Viewing of the 40th Annual Return of the Pumpkin People Jackson, NH

Friday, October 11th • 8:30 a.m. departure





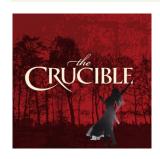
Welcome to the 40th Annual Return of the Pumpkin People. With a month-long celebration including "All Things Pumpkin Tours," Open Houses highlighting Pumpkin Displays, "Where's Jackson?" Scavenger Hunts and so much more. We anticipate more than 60 participating properties hosting Pumpkin People displays to delight visitors of all ages. You will not want to miss this very exciting year for the 40th Birthday Bash

of the Return of the Pumpkin People! Our group will follow the map and enjoy a picnic lunch along the way.

The bus will begin picking up residents on the Laconia Campus at 8:30 a.m.

Colonial Theater - The Crucible

Friday, October 11th • 6:30 p.m. departure



The Arthur Miller classic about the Salem Witchcraft trials comes to the Colonial stage. Follow a community engulfed by hysteria as rumors of witchcraft grip a town and bring out fears and suspicions, turning neighbor against neighbor. Performed by Powerhouse's talented dramatic performers, this timeless drama always connects with something relevant and new. Tickets are \$18 - \$30 and are non-refundable.

The bus will begin picking up residents on the Laconia Campus at 6:30 p.m. for this 7:30 p.m. performance.

Winnipesaukee Scenic Railroad (Hobo Railroad) Fall Foliage Train Excursion

Monday, October 14th • 9:15 a.m. departure







This special round trip train excursion departs from Meredith at 11:00 a.m. and heads north toward the White Mountains for an approximate 4-hour trip! This route is only traveled during fall foliage season, so sit back in the comfy coach

and enjoy the fall scenery. You will pass Lake Waukewan and Lake Winona, follow along and over the Pemigewasset River from Ashland to Plymouth with station stops along the way. At The Common Man Inn in Plymouth, passengers will be served a Hot Buffet Lunch, which is included in your ticket price. On the return trip have your camera ready as you will make a brief stop at the restored Ashland Train Station, where you will be greeted by Station Attendants dressed in period attire. Estimated time of return is 3:30 p.m. Tickets are \$71.95 for Train and Buffet. Limited seating... So, make your reservation today on Community Apps, by email to bkean@taylorcommunity.org or by calling (603) 366-1226.

The bus will begin picking up residents on the Laconia Campus at 9:15 a.m.

Resident Trips | OCTOBER 2024



Lunch at Walter's Basin

Wednesday, October 16th • 10:45 a.m. departure

A former bowling alley in the heart of Holderness makes an unlikely but charming setting for meals overlooking Little Squam Lake—local boaters dock right beneath the dining room. Among the specialties on the seafood-intensive menu are shellfish paella, and sea scallops with a creamy bacon-corn-poblano succotash, while sandwiches and salads are among the lighter options.

The bus will begin picking up residents on the Laconia campus at 10:45 a.m.



The Village People of Chester

Friday, October 18th • 8:30 a.m. departure

The Town of Chester's population temporarily increases starting in September. Don't be afraid of their newest residents! The scarecrows are a fundraiser for the Chester Historical Society, and we have always enjoyed the creativity of this display of Village People in Chester. Our group will follow the map and enjoy a picnic lunch along the way.

The bus will begin picking up residents on the Laconia Campus at 8:30 a.m.





History Journey around Lake Winnipesaukee





Join us for this drive around Lake Winnipesaukee with several stops and brief history lessons at historic points of interest, including: the Laconia Car Company, Gunstock, The Birthplace of the MS Mount Washington, the New Hampshire Veterans Encampment, Methodist Circle, Endicott Rock, the location of the Alton Ice Runway, the Old Country Store and Museum in Moultonborough, Swallow Boathouse, Moulton Farm and Kellerhaus. The group will enjoy a picnic lunch along the way - menu to follow.

The bus will begin picking up residents on the Laconia Campus beginning at 8:30 a.m.



Interlakes Theater - The Cat's Pajamas Vocal Band

Saturday, October 26th • 6:15 p.m. departure



Temple B'nai Israel announces the next We Care Concert. Proceeds raised from this event will benefit Circle Program's efforts to empower, enrich and transform girls' lives through community connections. This concert will feature the flawless harmonies and dynamic performers of The Cat's Pajamas, a one-of-a-kind vocal band that has toured nationally and abroad and has brought their unique, high-energy brand of a cappella to hundreds of thousands. Tickets are \$40 and are non-refundable.

The bus will begin picking up residents on the Laconia campus at 6:15 p.m.



Funding for our Music Series Programming is provided by Bank of New Hampshire and Individual Program Sponsors

MUSIC SERIES EVENT - White Mountain Ceili Band

Wednesday, October 2nd • 6:30 p.m. | Woodside Elm Room



The White Mountain Ceili Band features Dexter Hardin on the tenor banjo, Fiona Howell on the flute, Siena Kaplan-Thompson on the fiddle and Mike Levine on the guitar and occasional concertina. They play Irish, Scottish and Cape Breton instrumental music with warmth and joy as well as the occasional song.



MUSIC SERIES EVENT - Toni Lynn Washington & Friends

Monday, October 7th • 6:30 p.m. | Woodside Elm Room

Toni Lynn Washington is an exceptional American blues singer. Recipient of the Boston Blues Festival Lifetime Achievement Award, this talented artist has provided soulful, authentic blues and jazz for numerous private and public performances.

MUSIC SERIES EVENT - The North River Music with Vicky Poland

Wednesday, October 9th • 6:30 p.m. | Woodside Elm Room



North River Music performs as an acoustic duo or trio, a four-piece group or full band. The group, from the Rochester, New Hampshire area, features long-time seacoast area musicians Dan Poland, Tom Kesel, Pete Leavenworth, Bob Thibodeau, Carolyn Hutton and Vicky Poland. North River has an Americana sound with strong harmonies and expressive musicianship. Playing covers of rock, bluegrass and country songs, a North River set is fun to listen to with something familiar for everyone. From the Eagles and Dylan to the Indigo Girls and Grateful Dead—come to dance, come to listen—you'll like what you hear!



MUSIC SERIES EVENT - Tall Granite Big Band

Wednesday, October 16th - 6:30 p.m. | Woodside Elm Room

Life's too short to play music that doesn't swing! Or sway! (Or swivel!) That's the unofficial motto of the Tall Granite Big Band. This unique group got its start in 2014 when a handful of Concord-area musicians seized the opportunity to acquire a collection of big band charts assembled over the post-World War II decades by Houston trumpeter, music store-owner and bandleader Johnny Dyson. Johnny's tastes ran to the Swing Era classics by Basie, Miller, Goodman, Ellington and Herman, et al., with significant excursions into the Blues and Latin sounds characteristic of the Gulf Coast. Join us for this fun evening of music and swing dancing!

MUSIC SERIES EVENT - Cat Faulkner Trio

Sunday, October 20th • 3:00 p.m. | Woodside Elm Room



Bringing new life and passion to the Jazz standards and doing it with grace, Cat Faulkner is on a mission to help audiences rediscover the Great American Songbook. Her unforgettable voice and heartfelt delivery has been reminding audiences of their love for the music of Gershwin, Ellington, Berlin and all of the classic American Songbook tunesmiths. With an unforgettable voice, Cat brings alive the beautiful melodies and sophisticated lyrics that are part of our musical heritage. But she is not merely a musical historian waxing nostalgic—she inhabits the songs. From a smoky whisper to a full belt, Cat makes choices that serve the song. The listener is taken on a journey full of transcendent musical moments and wonderful surprises. Pure elegance...

MUSIC SERIES EVENT - The Rough & Tumble

Monday, October 21st - 6:30 p.m. | Woodside Elm Room



The Rough & Tumble is a folk/Americana duo, consisting of Mallory Graham & Scott Tyler. Formed in 2011, they spent eight years full-time in a 16-foot camper with two big dogs, playing roughly 150 shows a year. At home at festivals (30A, Mile of Music, Nor-Eastr',) listening rooms (Caffe Lena, Club Passim, Eddie's Attic), and house concerts across the country, their commanding stage presence, engaging performances and affecting songwriting won them official showcases at Folk Alliance International, NERFA, SERFA and the Independent Music Awards Americana Song of the Year for their song, "The Hardest Part." In 2023, they received recognition for their work in New England as recipients of Club Passim's Iguana Music

Fund. 2021's "We're Only Family If You Say So," an album about what it means to be family and then to lose it, had singles debuting on American Songwriter and The Bluegrass Situation and has been embraced by fans for its stark honesty, unique storytelling and well-crafted melodies. The band now resides in New Hampshire and their new album, "Only This Far," was released in May 2023, and has been described as "quality songs, well-written, well-played, well-sung and arranged, and a pleasure from start to end."

MUSIC SERIES EVENT - Myanna

Monday, October 28th • 6:30 p.m. | Woodside Elm Room

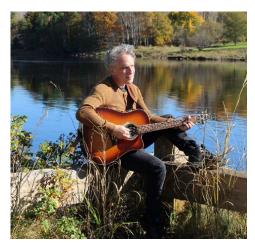


One of the hottest and most soulful saxophonists based in Massachusetts, Myanna plays music that mixes together jazz improvisation with funky rhythms, expressive playing and catchy tunes. Her music, whether it is an original or a cover tune, is colorful and infectious and she is a consistent crowd pleaser.

RSVP required via Community Apps, or to Brenda at bkean@taylorcommunity.org or (603) 366-1226.

MUSIC SERIES EVENT - Alan Cook Music

Wednesday, October 30th • 6:30 p.m. | Woodside Elm Room



Maine musician Alan Cook revitalizes the music of the 20th century. He has been a musical staple of the Downeast region of Maine for decades, as a solo and group performer, as music faculty at the University of Maine for 15 years, and as proprietor of a music store. His heartfelt and fearless performances make a memorable impression. Each show journeys across his wide repertoire of musical gems spanning 100 years of folk, country, blues, rock, and pop. His songwriting skills are often brought out on stage, as well; compositions and improvisation alike. A natural crowd-pleaser, he has the ability to scan an audience and play to their hearts, redefine genres, and bring together the generations. Performing across New England, he lives with his wife and five children in Jonesboro, Maine. Join us for Alan's first visit to Taylor Community.

Lecture Series | LACONIA

Invasive Plants of New Hampshire

Wednesday, October 2nd - 2:00 p.m. | Woodside Elm Room



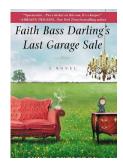


Douglas Cygan, Invasive Species Coordinator for The New Hampshire Department of Agriculture, will be here to discuss Invasive Plants of New Hampshire. Doug plays a crucial role in managing and addressing invasive species within the State. He has authored a comprehensive guidebook titled "New Hampshire Guide to Upland Invasive Species." This resource

covers 26 upland plants, three insects and three aquatic plants that are designated as invasive in New Hampshire. Doug's work is essential for maintaining ecological balance and protecting native ecosystems from the impact of invasive species.

WOODSIDE BOOK CLUB — "Faith Bass Darling's Last Garage Sale," by Lynda Rutledge

Friday, October 4th • 10:00 a.m. | Woodside Birch Room



On the last day of the millennium, sassy Faith Bass Darling, the richest old lady in Bass, Texas, decides to have a garage sale. With help from a couple of neighborhood boys, Faith lugs her priceless Louis XV elephant clock, countless Tiffany lamps, and everything else from her nineteenth-century mansion out onto her long, sloping lawn.

Why is a recluse of twenty years suddenly selling off her dearest possessions? Because God told her to.

Healthy Aging Series - The Continuum of Care with Hank Offinger

Tuesday, October 15th • 2:00 p.m. | Woodside All Rooms





Please join Director of Social Services Care Management Hank Offinger, MSW, for a presentation of the various levels of care within Taylor Community. As part of that discussion, we will address how residents can transition through the continuum of care to access the supports they need to promote their safety and comfort.

Zoom Presentation — Dr. Michael Cross presents Serendipity in Science

Monday, October 21st • 10:30 a.m. | Woodside Theatre



Genius is one percent inspiration and 99 percent perspiration, but sometimes a little luck can help. From penicillin to Silly Putty, NutraSweet to amazing anti-cancer drugs, some of the most incredible breakthroughs have been accidental. Learn about how the 2010 Nobel Prize in physics was awarded for something that you surely created in kindergarten.

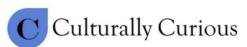
ART APPRECIATION LECTURE SERIES Jane Oneail presents Downeast Connections

Monday, October 21st • 2:00 p.m. | Woodside Elm Room





Maine's remote, rocky shoreline has been a beacon to American artists for generations. This program will survey the work of some of the most celebrated artists inspired by the State's distinct landscape and ways of life. The program features work by artists including Winslow Homer, Andrew Wyeth, and Ashley Bryan.



About the Presenter:

Jane Oneail curates and delivers art appreciation programs to audiences throughout New England. Jane holds a master's in Art History from Boston University and a master's in Education from Harvard University. Born and raised in New Hampshire,

she has worked at some of the State's most esteemed cultural institutions, including the League of New Hampshire Craftsmen, where she served as Executive Director, and the Currier Museum of Art, where she held the role of Senior Educator. Jane has also taught at the college level for more than a decade, most recently at Southern New Hampshire University.

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Dan Gardoqui - Mammals Under Ice!

Wednesday, October 23rd • 2:00 p.m. | Woodside Elm Room





Join nature-based consultant, educator, and guide Dan Gardoqui for a truly unique program exploring animals under ice! In his program, "Mammals Under Ice—The Amazing Lives of Beavers, Otters, and Muskrats in Winter," Dan will help us understand the busy lives and brilliant adaptations and interconnections of these very different species who share wetland habitats in winter.

Rebecca Rule - That Reminds Me of a Funny Story!

Thursday, October 24th • 2:00 p.m. | Woodside Elm Room



Let's laugh together and swap a few stories ... Rebecca Rule is back with new stories and maybe a couple of old favorites to share from her collection of Yankee humor and stories of New Hampshire and New England, collected over her long career as a storyteller and writer. We may not be able to "get theyah from heah," but we can smile along the way.

New Library Additions

Woodside:

Biography

Maid, Stephanie Land

Fiction

A Calamity of Souls, David Baldacci The Midnight Line, Lee Child The Life Impossible, Matt Haig Three Sisters, Heather Morris Great Circle, Maggie Shipstead Shoot First, Stuart Woods

Non Fiction

The Art Of The Maestro, Paul Polivnick

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Woodside Theater Events

OCTOBER DOCUMENTARY - Itzhak

Tuesday, October 8th • 1:00 p.m.





ITZHAK - From Schubert to Strauss, Bach to... Billy Joel, Itzhak Perlman's transcendent violin playing evokes the depth of the human experience. This enchanting documentary details the virtuoso's own struggles as a polio survivor and Jewish émigré, and reminds us why art is vital to life. Run Time 1hr 22mins. This is an Amazon Prime Presentation.

OCTOBER OPERA - La Fanciulla del West (The Girl of the Golden West)

Thursday, October 24th • 7:00 p.m.



This is a rip-roaring tale of betrayal and redemption, set in the Wild West during the California gold rush. This opera is in three acts, sung in Italian. Music by Giacomo Puccini; libretto by Guelfo Civinini and Carlo Zangarini, based on the play The Girl of the Golden West by David Belasco. Feel free to bring wine and snacks or a beverage of your choice to enhance this experience! If you have any questions or suggestions for future operas, please call Friedl Scimo at (269) 760-2772. Looking forward to sharing this exceptional broadcast with you! Run time 2hrs 14mins. Original Met Production date was October 27, 2018. This is a Metropolitan Opera performance.

OCTOBER MUSICAL - Broadway Performance of Hamilton

Monday, October 28th • 1:00 p.m



Join us for this special Disney Plus Presentation - the filmed version of Broadway original "Hamilton," that soars in music and tale. The Tony®, Grammy®, Olivier & Pulitzer Prize-Winning Musical, this is a revolutionary story of passion, unstoppable ambition, and the dawn of a new nation. Hamilton is the epic saga that follows the rise of Founding Father Alexander Hamilton as he fights for honor, love, and a legacy that would shape the course of a nation. If you have not seen this outstanding performance, now is your opportunity ... if you have seen it ... we are sure you will want to see it again! Run Time 2hrs, 41mins. This is a Disney+ Presentation.

RSVP required via Community Apps, or to Brenda at bkean@taylorcommunity.org or (603) 366-1226.

FRIDAY & SATURDAY NIGHT MOVIE SERIES



Passengers | Friday, October 4th • 7:00 p.m.

Jennifer Lawrence and Chris Pratt star in a high-stakes adventure about two passengers, Jim and Aurora, onboard a spaceship transporting them to a new life on another planet. The trip takes a deadly turn when their hibernation pods mysteriously wake them 90 years before they reach their destination. As they try to unravel the mystery behind the malfunction, they begin to fall for each other. Run Time 1hr, 28mins. This is an Amazon Prime Presentation.



Romance in Hawaii | Saturday, October 5th • 7:00 p.m.

Leah, a successful but dissatisfied executive, discovers the missing passion from her life when she starts taking hula dance lessons from handsome local Ikaika. Run Time 1hr, 25mins. This is an Amazon Prime Presentation.



The Lake House | Friday, October 11th • 7:00 p.m.

A lonely doctor who once occupied an unusual lakeside home begins exchanging love letters with its newest resident, a frustrated architect. Run Time 1hr, 34mins. This is an Amazon Prime Presentation.



Behind The Mask | Saturday, October 12th • 7:00 p.m.

Starring Donald Sutherland and Matthew Fox. When an overworked doctor has a heart attack, his life is saved by one of his autistic patients. The two men forge a friendship and help each other rekindle what is missing from both their lives. Run Time 1hr, 31mins. This is an Amazon Prime Presentation.



The Boy in the Striped Pajamas | Friday, October 18th • 7:00 p.m.

Set during WWII in Germany, the eight-year-old son of the commandant at a concentration camp begins an innocent but forbidden friendship with a Jewish boy on the other side of the camp fence, ending in a startling and unexpected consequence. Run Time 1hr 34mins. This is an Amazon Prime Presentation.

Woodside Theater Events

FRIDAY & SATURDAY NIGHT MOVIE SERIES



Casablanca | Saturday, October 19th • 7:00 p.m.

Nazis, intrigue and romance clash at a Moroccan nightclub. Run Time 1hr, 38mins. This is an Amazon Prime Presentation.



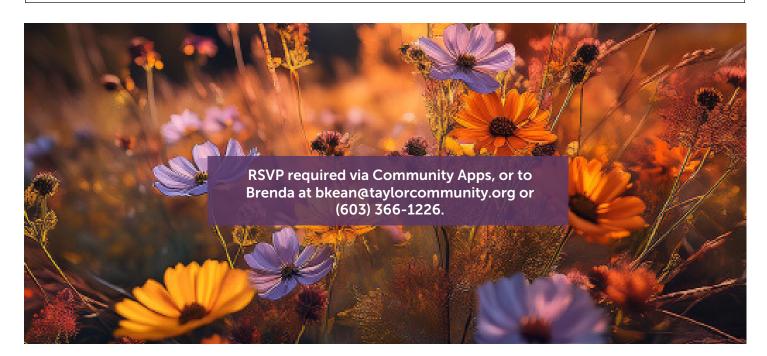
Saving Mr. Banks | Friday, October 25th • 7:00 p.m.

Author P. L. Travers travels to California to meet with Walt Disney about turning her book Mary Poppins into a movie - but it's a power struggle until Walt discovers the story's secret. A winning drama! Run Time 2hrs, 5mins. This is an Amazon Prime Presentation.



Nanny McPhee | Saturday, October 26th • 7:00 p.m.

A governess uses magic to control the chaos of children. Run Time 1hr, 36mins. This is an Amazon Prime Presentation.



TUESDAY MOVIE GROUP

The Tuesday Movie Group is a specialty movie group, with movies run and selected by residents. Attendees are asked to refrain from conversation during the movie presentation and credits. Selections chosen by the movie group may include foreign films, potentially controversial topics and non-family-friendly ratings. Viewer discretion is advised.



Infinite Storm | Tuesday, October 1st • 7:00 p.m.

An experienced climber (Naomi Watts) turns back before she reaches the summit as a huge blizzard approaches. On her way down, she encounters a stranded man, and takes it upon herself to get them both down before they succumb to the storm. Run Time 1hr, 37mins. This is an Amazon Prime Presentation.



Thelma | Tuesday, October 8th • 7:00 p.m.

Thelma isn't your average 93-year-old grandmother—she's tenacious, determined, and on a mission. After getting conned by a scammer, she teams up with a friend and his motorized scooter on a wild adventure to take back what's hers. Run Time 1hr, 38 mins. This is an Amazon Prime Presentation.



The Birdcage | Tuesday, October 15th • 7:00 p.m.

The son of a gay club owner and his drag star partner announces his engagement to the daughter of a conservative Senator. Comic chaos ensues and proves you do not have to be a woman to be a good mother. Run time 1hr, 58mins. This is an Amazon Prime Presentation.

Burn After Reading | Tuesday, October 22nd • 7:00 p.m.



When a disc filled with some of the CIA's most irrelevant secrets gets in the hands of two determined, but dim-witted, gym employees, the duo are intent on exploiting their find. But since blackmail is a trade better left for the experts, events soon spiral out of everyone's and anyone's control, resulting in a non-stop series of hilarious encounters! Run Time 1hr, 31 mins. This is an Amazon Prime presentation.

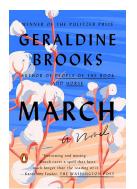
The Crime is Mine | Tuesday, October 29th • 7:00 p.m.



After a struggling actress stands trial for the murder of a lascivious producer in 1930s Paris, she ascends to scandalous stardom with the help of her lawyer roommate. A new life of fame, wealth, and tabloid celebrity awaits her—until the truth comes out. The Crime is Mine is a rollicking farce and a wily feminist romp from Francois Ozon. PLEASE NOTE: This French Film will have subtitles available. Run Time 1hr, 42mins. This is an Amazon Prime Presentation.

Joan Mountford's Fall Focused Book Group

Our focus will be on what Paul Harvey used to call "the rest of the story:" What happened elsewhere while a story was going on ... or after one story was finished.



March, by Geraldine Brooks—Winner of the Pulitzer Prize Monday, October 7th • 10:00 a.m. | Woodside Fireside Room

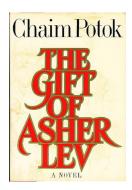
From Louisa May Alcott's beloved classic *Little Women*, Geraldine Brooks has animated the character of the absent father, March, and crafted a story "filled with the ache of love and marriage and with the power of war upon the mind and heart of one unforgettable man" (Sue Monk Kidd). With "pitch-perfect writing" (USA Today), Brooks follows March as he leaves behind his family to aid the Union cause in the Civil War. His experiences will utterly change his marriage and challenge his most ardently held beliefs. A lushly written, wholly original tale steeped in the details of another time, *March* secures Geraldine Brooks's place as a renowned author of historical fiction.



Go Set a Watchman, by Harper Lee Monday, November 4th • 10:00 a.m. | Woodside Fireside Room

"Go Set a Watchman is such an important book, perhaps the most important novel on race to come out of the white South in decades." — New York Times "A landmark novel by Harper Lee, set two decades after her beloved Pulitzer Prize—winning masterpiece, To Kill a Mockingbird."

Twenty-six-year-old Jean Louise Finch—"Scout"—returns home to Maycomb, Alabama from New York City to visit her aging father, Atticus. Set against the backdrop of the civil rights tensions and political turmoil that were transforming the South, Jean Louise's homecoming turns bittersweet when she learns disturbing truths about her close-knit family, the town, and the people dearest to her. Memories from her childhood flood back, and her values and assumptions are thrown into doubt. Featuring many of the iconic characters from To Kill a Mockingbird, Go Set a Watchman perfectly captures a young woman, and a world, in painful yet necessary transition out of the illusions of the past—a journey that can only be guided by one's own conscience.



The Gift of Asher Lev, by Chaim Potok Monday, December 2nd • 10:00 a.m. | Woodside Fireside Room

Twenty years have passed. Asher Lev is a world-renowned artist living with his young family in France. Still, he is unsure of his artistic direction. Success has not brought ease to his heart. Then Asher's beloved uncle dies suddenly, and Asher and his family rush back to Brooklyn—and into an Hasidic world that Asher thought he had left behind forever. It is a journey of confrontation and discovery as Asher purges his past in search of new inspiration for his art and begins to understand the true meaning of sacrifice and the painful joy in sharing the most precious gift of all.

Also available on demand through the Community Apps Programming App.

MUSICAL – State Fair Tuesday, October 1st • 6:30 p.m.

Run Time 1hr 37mins https://youtu.be/cMtuq3xX6eY

MOVIE – His Girl Friday Friday, October 4th • 6:30 p.m.

Run Time 1hr 26mins https://youtu.be/kmYcT5gT6a4

MOVIE – Captain Kidd Saturday, October 5th • 6:30 p.m.

Run Time 1hr 28 mins https://youtu.be/tEQjqAEXHOQ

DOCUMENTARY – Yellowstone Tuesday, October 8th • 6:30 p.m.

Run Time 45 mins https://youtu.be/7OMxBlK46wY

MOVIE - People will Talk Friday, October 11th • 6:30 p.m.

Run Time 1hr 51mins https://youtu.be/KxRpAvJ1-Os

MOVIE – Heroes in Blue Saturday, October 12th • 6:30 p.m.

Run Time 56mins https://youtu.be/a_V04XwglrQ

DOCUMENTARY – Deep Sea Creatures Tuesday, October 15th • 6:30 p.m.

Run Time 1hr 6mins https://youtu.be/4fcG4pn_swQ MOVIE – Gentlemen Prefer Blondes Friday, October 18th • 6:30 p.m.

Run Time 1hr 19 mins https://youtu.be/Lk-zhsa6Lyw

MOVIE – The Stranger Saturday, October 19th • 6:30 p.m.

Run Time 1hr 35mins https://youtu.be/Jbcq8JS8XHo

DOCUMENTARY – Sunken Treasures Tuesday, October 22nd • 6:30 p.m.

Run Time 48mins https://youtu.be/xuRpF9RnrOM

MOVIE – There's No Business Like Show Business Friday, October 25th • 6:30 p.m.

Run Time 1hr 58mins https://youtu.be/Lhn9rlx3y_s

MOVIE – Pack Up Your Troubles Saturday, October 26th • 6:30 p.m.

Run Time 1hr 13mins https://youtu.be/FAF2XWaeTmo

DOCUMENTARY — Cleopatra's Lost Tomb Tuesday, October 29th • 6:30 p.m.

Run Time 45mins https://youtu.be/9G69n11o3z8

Lakes Region Symphony Orchestra - Romantic Revelations Hanaway Theater Plymouth State University

Saturday, November 2nd • 5:45 p.m. departure





Guest Artist: Ian Jang, cello • Stunning romantic era pieces including the lesser-known but stunningly beautiful Symphony No. 2 by Vasily Kalinnikov, and the exciting Hebrides Overture by Mendelssohn. We also celebrate LRSO's 2024 Concerto Competition Winner Ian Jang performing the 1st movement of the glorious Dvorak Cello Concerto in B minor.

Performance begins at 7:00 p.m. Tickets \$25 per person. The bus will begin picking up residents on the Laconia campus at 5:45 p.m.

Nutcracker Ballet Colonial Theater, Laconia

Saturday, November 30th • 3:30 p.m. departure



Safe Haven Ballet is thrilled to bring our spirited, full-length ballet of The Nutcracker to The Colonial Theatre of Laconia! This dynamic performance includes all of your favorite characters including a strong-minded Clara, to the eccentric Drosselmeyer, the spooky Rats, as well as our beloved Sugarplum Fairy danced by artistic director, Lissa Curtis. In the Land of Sweets, you will be introduced to a variation unique to Safe Haven Ballet called The Brave American. Come sing and clap along to this spirited, patriotic piece!

SHB is located in beautiful Portsmouth, New Hampshire and exists to offer free trauma-sensitive classes to survivors of sexual/domestic violence and trauma. Many of these brave survivors will be in the production as they help bring the magic of the season to you. We would love your energetic applause!

Performance begins at 4:30 p.m. Tickets \$40 per person, and all sales are final. No request for cancellations, exchanges, changes or refunds shall be honored. The bus will begin to pick up residents on the Laconia Campus at 3:30 p.m.

Vienna Boys Choir Colonial Theater, Laconia

Tuesday, December 3rd • 6:30 departure



The illustrious group of child musicians has been delighting music lovers across the globe for six centuries with their purity of tone, distinctive charm and popular repertoire. Christmas in Vienna showcases these gifted musicians with voices of unforgettable beauty in an extraordinary program featuring Austrian folk songs, classical masterpieces, popular songs and, of course, holiday favorites.

Tickets are \$80-\$110 per person, and non-refundable. Brenda will assist with seat selections.

Pemigewasset Choral Society 50th Anniversary Season Gilford Community Church

Thursday, December 5th • 6:45 p.m. departure



Join us for the Pemigewasset Choral Society's 50th concert season. As singers return from a Covid-induced hiatus and new singers join the group, they are now over 90 voices strong. They continue to have the excellent musical leadership of Director Will Gunn, with support from collaborative pianist Laura Belanger. The Winter concerts this year are entitled, "Peace."

The bus will begin picking up residents on the Laconia Campus at 6:45 p.m. for this 7:30 p.m. show.

Lakes Region Symphony Orchestra - Holiday Concert - Take a Bough Colonial Theater, Laconia

Saturday, December 7th • 5:30 p.m. departure



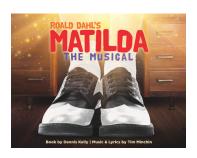


Our annual holiday concert festivities return, featuring a mix of traditional carols and modern flair, interpreted by husband and wife team Alex and Rachel Hunton — vocal and theatre veterans of Laconia's Powerhouse Theatre Collaborative. A concert that will surely light up your holiday spirit in grand orchestral style. Planned vocal selections include: "The Prayer," "Baby It's Cold Outside", "White Christmas," "O Holy Night," "Do You Hear What I Hear?", and many more holiday favorites!

Tickets are \$25 per person and are non-refundable. The bus will begin picking up residents on the Laconia Campus at 5:30 p.m. for this 7:00 p.m. show.

Matilda – The Musical Sometimes you have to be a little bit naughty! Winnipesaukee Playhouse

Thursday, December 12th • 6:00 p.m. departure



In 2010, Roald Dahl's beloved children's book leapt to the stage, bringing his characters to life with dynamic songs and innovative staging, winning 16 Best Musical awards! It's the inspiring story of an extraordinary girl with an unbounded imagination who proves that, despite the odds, you can do anything you put your mind to.

Tickets are \$25 and are non-refundable. The bus will begin picking up residents on the Laconia Campus at 6:00 p.m. for this 7:30 p.m. show.

RSVP required via Community Apps, or to Brenda at bkean@taylorcommunity.org or (603) 366-1226.

Upcoming Events – Taking Reservations

Christmas with the Celts Colonial Theater, Laconia

Tuesday, December 17th • 6:45 p.m. departure



The Celts are Dubliner Patrick D'Arcy (U2, Sting, Josh Groban) and Fiachra O'Regan from Connemara, Ireland, on uilleann pipes/whistles/bodhran, Maggie Lander and Luisa Marion on vocals and fiddle, Matt Menefee (Mumford & Sons) banjo/mandolin/vocals, and Nashville songwriter/producer and band leader Ric Blair on vocals/guitar/bodhran/piano.

"The Celts weave hundreds of years of heritage into their music, which is at once timeless and equally up to the minute. Their songs are as carefully crafted as

heirloom furniture, their music will be cherished way into the future." Sean Laffey, Irish Music Magazine.

Ticket price is \$39 - \$69 (plus ticket fee) per person. The bus will begin picking up residents on the Laconia Campus at 6:45 p.m. for this 7:30 p.m. show.

Lakes Region Symphony Orchestra – Vienna to Berlin, A Germanic Journey Interlakes Auditorium, Meredith

Saturday, March 22, 2025 • 5:30 p.m. departure





We feature principal violist Sally Wituszynski performing the enchanting "Romanze, Op. 85" by Max Bruch on our visit to the countryside of Austria and Germany. We muse with a Strauss opera, Brahms folk dances, and Robert Schumann's struggles and triumphs symbolizing his personal journey towards stability and artistic expression. STRAUSS - Die Fledermaus Overture, BRAHMS - Hungarian Dances #5 and #6, BRUCH - Romanze, Op. 85, SCHUMANN - Symphony No. 2.

Tickets are \$25 per person and are non-refundable. The bus will begin picking up residents on the Laconia Campus at 5:30 p.m. for this 7:00 p.m. show.

Lakes Region Symphony Orchestra - Vintage Grooves, Hits from the 70s Colonial Theater, Laconia

Saturday, May 10, 2025 • 5:30 p.m. Departure







A New Side of LRSO! Hustle back to the 70's with the hits of Earth Wind and Fire, Chicago, The Doobie Brothers, Carole King, the Bee Gees, Billy Joel, Joni Mitchell, ABBA and more! The contemporary, jazz, R&B, classical, and rock roots of vocalists Taylor O'Donnell and Adrian Sicam will transport you back to the disco, soul, and unforgettable timeless grooves that defined 70's radio.

Planned vocal selections include: "New York State Of Mind," "What A Fool Believes," "How Deep Is Your Love," "Close To You," "Saturday In The Park," "Dancing Queen," and many more 70's hits!

Tickets are \$25 per person and are non-refundable. The bus will begin picking up residents on the Laconia Campus at 5:30 p.m. for this 7:00 p.m. show.

Oriental Bittersweet at Taylor







by Dean Anson

Oriental bittersweet is neither bitter nor sweet! It is an invasive plant that has invaded our campus. As its name suggests, oriental bittersweet was introduced from Asia. Because it does not have any natural enemies in the U.S., it takes over our gardens, fields, and forests, and outcompetes our native bittersweet.

The pictures above of oriental bittersweet on our campus show how it can strangle our pine, oak, and other trees and shrubs. As the bittersweet vines grow, they not only block the sun from native vegetation, but also weigh it down and cause trees and shrubs to collapse.

I remember my mother picking bittersweet and making it into holiday wreaths because of the pretty yellow and red seeds. These seeds, when they fall on the ground, can cause further propagation of the plant. In addition, bittersweet seeds are spread by birds who eat them.

So, what to do about this invasive bittersweet? Because it is so widely spread on our campus, small seedlings and vines need to be pulled up, leaving their orange roots exposed to the air. Larger vines,

including those having yellow and red seeds, can be more challenging to deal with because of the size of the vines.

a recent meeting with Michael Flaherty and Taylor's grounds experts requested by concerned Taylor residents, we discussed options for how we can work together to control bittersweet on our campus without breaking the budget and increasing resident fees. We suggested that residents who were so inclined could deal with smaller vines and seedlings around their cottages, while our grounds staff addressed the larger vines as well as the seedlings and vines in common areas.

This ongoing battle with bittersweet will take time to keep it from taking over our native trees and shrubs. The team of residents and grounds experts will make a difference and we can see where staff and resident efforts have already made an impact on the problem.

To further our knowledge of how to identify and address bittersweet and other invasive plants, Brenda Kean has arranged with Doug Cygan of the NH State Department of Agriculture to make a presentation to the Taylor Community. Mr. Cygan will make his presentation on October 2nd at 2:00 p.m. in the Woodside Elm Room on our Laconia campus.

Community Snapshots



Jeanne Petta in front of the milkweed we planted in the pollinator garden last year.
Finally came up!









Bocce Championships



Winners – Team "Pallino Pair" John Clauson and Jeff Brewer Runner Up – Team "Bolles Trolles" Peter Webster and Jim Eggers









Taylor community wellness LACONIA FITNESS CLASS SCHEDULE

Monday

9:00 a.m. Strength & Stretch with Becky9:00 a.m. Tai Chi for balance with Russ in Wet Craft Room

10:00 a.m. Balance with Becky

10:00 a.m. Functional Strength with Russ in Wet Craft Room

10:00 a.m. Archery Program (ends October 7th)

Tuesday

9:00 a.m. Strength & Stretch with Becky
9:00 a.m. Aqua Fit with Taylor
10:00 a.m. Gentle Flexibility with Taylor
10:30 a.m. Balance with Taylor
11:00 a.m. Strength & Stretch with Ethan
1:00 p.m. Low Impact Cardio Fit with
Taylor

2:00 p.m. Horseshoe Games at Woodside Pavilion

Wednesday

9:00 a.m. Strength & Stretch with Becky9:00 a.m. Tai Chi for Balance with Russ in Wet Craft Room

10:00 a.m. Balance with Becky

10:00 a.m. Functional Strength with Russ in Wet Craft Room

11:00 a.m. Strength & Stretch with Russ

1:00 p.m. Aqua Fit with Becky

1:00 p.m. Meditation Group in Woodside Theatre with Linda

1:30 p.m. Mat Yoga with Russ in Wet Craft Room

2:00 p.m. High Intensity Resistance Training (H.I.R.T.) with Becky

3:00 p.m. Line Dancing with Freda

Thursday

9:00 a.m. Strength & Stretch with Russ
9:00 a.m. Aqua Fit with Ethan
10:00 a.m. Chair Yoga with Russ
10:30 a.m. Tai Chi with Russ
11:00 a.m. Strength & Stretch with Ethan
1:30 p.m. Mat Yoga with Russ in Wet Craft Room

Friday

9:00 a.m. Strength & Stretch with Ethan 10:00 a.m. Low Impact Cardio Fit with Ethan 11:00 a.m. Strength & Stretch with Becky

Wellness

Woodside Pool Schedule

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
8:00 – 9:00 a.m.	Open pool	Open pool	Open pool	Open pool	Open pool	Open pool	Open pool
9:00 – 10:00 a.m.	Open pool	Aqua Fit	Open pool	Aqua Fit	Open pool	Open pool	Open pool
10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Open pool	Open pool	Open pool	Open pool	Open pool	Open pool	Open pool
1:00 – 2:00 p.m.	Open pool	Open pool	Aqua Fit	Open pool	Open pool	Open pool	Open pool
2:00 – 3:00 p.m.	Aqua Fit	Resident swim only	Pool closes at 2:30 p.m. for cleaning	Resident swim only	Resident swim only	Resident swim only	Resident swim only
3:00 – 4:00 p.m.	Resident swim only	Resident swim only		Resident swim only	Resident swim only	Resident swim only	Resident swim only
4:00 – 7:00 p.m.	Open pool	Open pool		Open pool	Open pool	Open pool	Closes at 5:00 p.m.

Please note:

- The women's locker room is cleaned from 1:00 1:30 p.m. on weekdays please do not use the women's locker room during that time.
- Always exit the pool during thunder and lightning storms!



AMERICAN HEALTH TRAINING

CPR & AED

TRAINING

\$ \$35.00 PER PERSON

OCT. 22ND | 2:00 PM
OCT. 24TH | 1:00 PM
WOODSIDE GROUP EXERCISE ROOM



Sign up on Community Apps or with Becky (603) 366-1206

bhamilton@taylorcommunity.org

Have you ever wanted to learn CPR? Now is your chance!

A CPR & AED course will be held on Tuesday, October 22nd at 2:00 p.m. and Thursday, October 24th at 1:00 p.m. The course will take up to three hours and costs \$35 per person.

Archery







Woodside Bistro

Jennifer Lutzen, Resident District Manager, (603) 366-1481 ilutzen@taylorcommunity.org Greg Demers, Executive Chef, (603) 366-1481 gdemers@glendalediningservices.com

Woodside Bistro Hours

Monday - Friday

11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. Tuesday & Thursday Night Dinners

Call the Bistro to make your reservations or make your reservation on Community Apps



October Bistro Menu

Please ask about our specials every Tuesday & Thursday

Espinaca Dip
White cheese sauce with spinach & tomatoes. Served with Tortilla chips

Cranberry SaladDried cranberries, raisins & shredded carrots on a bed of baby greens tossed in an apple pie vinaigrette

Entrees

Butternut Squash & Pumpkin Ravioli

Fresh pasta pillows filled with butternut & pumpkin, tossed in a sage mornay sauce topped with toasted almonds & pumpkin seeds. Served with a side of garlic bread

\$21.95

Chicken Dijonnaise

Oven roasted French Dijon mustard chicken breast topped with a cremini mushroom sauce with mashed Yukon potatoes & seasonal vegetables \$26.95

Parmesan Crusted Haddock

Baked fresh Atlantic Haddock topped with panko & parmesan cheese. Served with rice pilaf & seasonal vegetables

\$26.95

Pork Tenderloin Medallions

Pan seared tenderloin with ginger, cinnamon apples, roasted sage potatoes & seasonal vegetables

* All entrees are served with two additional items

Appetizer | Salad | Dessert

*Before Placing Your Order, Please Inform Your Server If A Person In Your Party Has A Food Allergy

October TRA Social 2024

Hors d'oeuvres

Cheddar & Cracker Display Spankopita Crudités

Appetizer

Heirloom Tomato, Basil & Balsamic Bruschetta Entrees

Chicken Piccata

Sauteed chicken breast strips with grape tomatoes, baby spinach & capers in a lemon wine sauce

Fall Salmon

Faroe Island salmon topped with toasted pumpkin seeds & honey

Brussels Mac & Cheese

Shaved roasted Brussels sprouts & caramelized onions tossed in a cheddar cheese sauce & pasta

Sides

Honey Whipped Sweet Potatoes Seasonal Vegetables

Dessert

Pumpkin Chocolate Chip Cannoli

*Before Placing Your Order, Please Inform Your Server If A Person In Your Party Has A Food Allergy



We'll do the cooking; you do the re-heating.

Purchase any two salads or delicious reheatable entrees any day of the week and receive a FREE Half Pint of Ice Cream.







Men's Breakfast 10/2





Ladies Brunch 10/9



TRA Social 10/19



Bistro Breakfast 10/25







Wednesday, October 9th

Pumpkin Chocolate Chip Muffin with Whipped Butter

Buffet

Crustless Quiche

Savory egg batter baked with roasted red peppers, baby spinach, caramelized onion, and Vermont cheddar cheese

Cinnamon Apple French Toast Bake

Texas toast filled with a cream cheese and apple filling dipped in French toast batter and grilled

Smoked Sausage Links Pan Fried Potatoes

Maple syrup & whipped butter Orange or apple juice Coffee or tea

\$15.00









Recurring Campus Events | LACONIA

RSVP is required for most events and may be made via Community Apps in Events, or with Brenda Kean at (603) 366-1226 or bkean@taylorcommunity.org unless otherwise noted.

To make a reservation with Dial-A-Ride please call (603) 366-1234. Please be sure to make all transportation arrangements at least 24 hours in advance. Thank you!

MONDAYS:

Quilting Group with Gail Dyer 8:00 a.m.

Woodside Dry Craft Room

Women's Billiards

1:00 p.m. • Woodside Billiard Room

TUESDAYS:

Cracker Barrel Programming

10:00 a.m. • Woodside Elm Room

In Stitches (Needlework)

11:00 a.m. • Woodside Ladies Lounge

Caregivers Support Group

11:00 a.m. • Woodside Birch Room

Prayer Shawl Group

12:00 noon (2nd Tuesday) Woodside Dry Craft Room

Cancer Support Group

12:00 p.m. (2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month)
Woodside Birch Room

de Dry Craft Room

Cancer Family/Friends Support Group

12:00 p.m. (1st and 3rd Tuesday of the month) Woodside Birch Room

Current Events Discussion

1:00 p.m. (2nd Tuesday) Woodside Wet Craft Room

Blood Pressure Clinic

2:00 - 3:00 p.m.

Woodside Care Management Office

Altrusa

5:30 p.m. (2nd Tuesday) Woodside Birch Room

Prescription and NH Liquor Store Pickup Services -

Call Hank Offinger at (603) 366-1207 by 5:00 p.m. Monday to request this service



WEDNESDAYS:

Men's Breakfast

7:15 a.m. (1st Wednesday) Woodside, Elm Room

Cribbage

10:00 a.m. • Woodside Card Room

Line Dancing with Freda

1:30 p.m. • Woodside Fitness Ctr.

Nurse Office Hours

2:00 - 3:00 p.m. • Woodside Care Management Office

Grocery Shopping Services Ledges & Ledgeview

Call Hank Offinger at (603) 366-1207 by 5:00 p.m. Tuesday to request this service.

THURSDAYS:

Woodcarvers Group

9:00 a.m. (April - November) Woodside Wet Craft Room

Shopping Bus

10:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. Call Transportation (603) 366-1234

Mexican Train

10:00 a.m. • Woodside Card Room

Sew Sisters Quilting Group

10:00 a.m. • Woodside Dry Craft Room

Taylor Writing Group

10:00 a.m. • Woodside Fireside Room

Playreaders

1:30 p.m. (2nd and 4th Thursdays) Woodside Birch Room

Billiards

1:00 p.m. • Woodside Billiard Room

Bridge

1:00 p.m. • Woodside Fireside Room

Pinochle

1:00 p.m. • Woodside Card Room

Taylor Community Chorus

2:45 p.m. (2nd, 3rd, 4th Thursdays) Woodside Elm Room

Opera Viewing

7:00 p.m. (monthly-see date in Gazette) Woodside Theater

Grocery Shopping Services

(TH & WS) Call Hank Offinger at (603) 366-1207 by 5:00 p.m. Wed. to request this service

FRIDAYS:

Headliners Portrait Group

10:00 a.m. (February-November) Woodside Wet Craft Room

French Group - Le Cercle de Français de Laconia

10:00 a.m. • Woodside Fireside Room

Woodside Book club with LPL

10:00 a.m. (3rd Friday of the month) Woodside Elm Room

Friday Quilters

10:00 a.m. • Woodside Dry Craft Room

Ping Pong

1:00 p.m. • Woodside (3rd floor)

Rummikub

1:00 p.m. • Woodside Game Room

Oasis Pub Night

4:30 p.m. (1st Monday of the month) Woodside Fireside & Dining Room

SATURDAYS:

Hand & Foot Card Game

9:30 a.m. • Woodside Card Room

Scrabble Group

1:00 p.m. • Woodside Card Room

TRA Social & Buffet

5:00 p.m

(3rd Saturday of the month) Woodside Elm Room

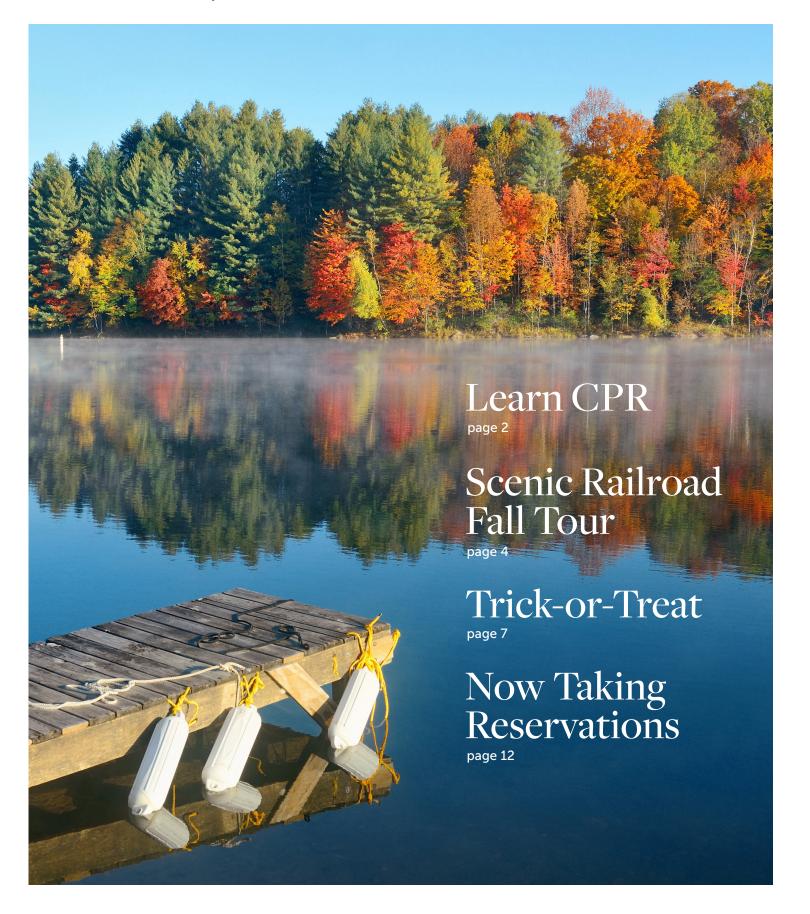
SUNDAYS:

Sunday Social

4:30 p.m. (last Sunday) Woodside Fireside Room

For additional information including contacts for various groups, please contact Brenda Kean at (603) 366-1226 or bkean@taylorcommunity.org unless otherwise noted.

Taylor Wolfeboro News & Events Community



General Announcements



A friendly reminder that if you would like to attend an event, please remember to RSVP.

There are several ways of doing this - if you use a computer, the easiest way is via Community Apps. If you do not use a computer, you can call Caralyn Russell at (603) 294-1770, or you can let Michelle Albert know at the Sugar House front desk. It is very important to RSVP so Caralyn can ensure there are adequate numbers for programs and events. Thank you!



Hannaford Supermarket

Please note transportation will be providing rides to Hannaford Supermarket in Alton every Tuesday at 9:00 a.m.

Please reach out to Gina Colantuono at (603) 319-1552 if you would like to be transported to Hannaford.

PLEASE NOTE: There will be no Cracker Barrel meeting on Thursday, October 10th.

Sugar Hill Library

Would you like to exhibit your art

in the Sugar House Library? We are looking for resident artists to display artwork! We can display anything from textile arts to paintings to



Have you ever wanted to learn CPR?

Now is your chance! A CPR & AED course will be held on Thursday, October 17th, at 1:00 p.m.

The course will take up to three hours and costs \$40 per person.

AMERICAN HEALTH TRAINING

CPR & AED **TRAINING**



\$40.00 PER PERSON

OCT. 17TH | 1:00 PM **RECREATION & AQUATIC CENTER**

Sign up on Community Apps or with Becky at (603) 366-1206 or bhamilton@taylorcommunity.org.



Resident Trips | October 2024

Resident Trip and Tour of Canterbury Shaker Village

Wednesday, October 2nd • 9:30 a.m. departure



Explore how the Shakers journeyed from being a misunderstood and persecuted people to becoming one of the most intriguing and successful religious communities in our nation's history. Learn how their vision of "Heaven on Earth" reflects communal life, religious practices, gender equality, pacifism, simplicity, and innovative contributions to American history and culture. This is a 1-hour tour beginning at 11:00 a.m.

Cost is \$26.50 per person and there will be a picnic lunch available at an additional cost of \$11.

The bus will begin picking up residents on the Sugar Hill campus at 9:30 a.m. followed by pickup at Back Bay. Please RSVP via Community Apps or to Caralyn Russell at (603) 294-1770.

Maine Fall Foliage Excursion Camden and Boothbay Harbor, Maine and iconic Boothbay Botanical Gardens

Tuesday, October 8th – Thursday, October 10th



Camden is a charming seaside town with scenic views, historic charm, and outdoor activities. Camden is known as the Jewel of the Maine Coast, and for good reason. You can enjoy the stunning beauty of the harbor, the hills, and the fall foliage, as well as explore the rich history and culture of the town. Whether you want to sail, hike, shop, or dine, Camden has something for everyone. You can visit the Camden Hills State Park, the Curtis Island Lighthouse, and the Camden Opera House, among other

attractions. Camden is a town that will captivate you with its natural beauty and charm.

In addition to exploring Camden, our group will venture over to Boothbay Harbor to view the Iconic Boothbay Botanical Gardens. Located on more than 300 acres, the Gardens are a true Maine experience. The Gardens feature a dozen ornamental gardens, fabulous children's and sensory gardens; impressive waterfalls and stonework; and waterfront and woodland trails where we will view the amazing giant trolls at Guardians of the Seeds, art exhibits and Fairy House Villages.

Our group will stay at the 2023 Travelers Choice Awardee - The Camden Riverhouse Hotel, where they are celebrating their 30th year. Their rooms are available with either a king bed or two queen beds. You can walk across their flower-covered bridge to Camden's shops, restaurants, and the renowned Camden Harbor, amphitheatre, and park. All guests have access to the indoor heated pool, our terrace and fire pit, and an expansive backyard. Included in our stay is a continental breakfast (served 7:00 – 10:00 a.m.) in their breakfast room, and a nightly campfire with the making of smores in their landscaped backyard/patio. This trip is currently full, and we are no longer accepting reservations.

Resident Trips | October 2024

Winnipesaukee Scenic Railroad Fall Foliage Tour

Monday, October 14th • 9:15 a.m. departure



This special round trip train excursion departs from Meredith at 11:00 a.m. and heads north toward the White Mountains for an approximate 4-hour trip! This route is only traveled during fall foliage season, so sit back in the comfy coach and enjoy the fall scenery. You will pass Lake Waukewan and Lake Winona, follow along and over the Pemigewasset River from Ashland to Plymouth with station stops along the way. At The Common Man Inn in Plymouth, the passengers will be served a Hot Buffet Lunch, which is included in your ticket price.

On the return trip, be sure to have your camera ready as you will make a brief stop at the restored Ashland Train Station where you will be greeted by Station Attendants dressed in period attire. Estimated time of return is 3:30 p.m. Tickets are \$84.99 for Train AND Buffet. The bus will depart Sugar Hill at 9:15 a.m. and then pick residents up from Back Bay. Per the GSSR website, this excursion is not recommended for guests with significant mobility issues.

This trip is currently full, and we are no longer accepting reservations.

The bus will begin picking up residents on the Sugar Hill campus at 9:15 a.m. followed by pick-up at Back Bay. Please RSVP via Community Apps or to Caralyn Russell at (603) 294-1770.

Quincy Bog with Naturalist Dan Gardoqui

Friday, October 18th • 8:30 a.m. departure





Join us at The Quincy Bog Nature Center where we will be joined by Naturalist Dan Gardoqui who will walk the trails and help us identify various wildlife, birds and plants throughout the trails. The trail around the Quincy Bog has comprehensive trail markers, a trail guide, and other interpretive materials to enhance the educational value of the visit. Under the official name of the Rumney Ecological Systems (RES), they have created the Pemi-Baker Land Trust (PBLT) with four significant properties under conservation easement. The PBLT is conserving properties that larger land trusts often overlook.

Join us for a two-hour walk through Quincy Bog followed by a picnic lunch on-site. There are many spots to sit and take in the beauty of this natural area. Menu selections to follow.

The bus will begin picking up residents on the Sugar Hill campus at 8:30 a.m. followed by pick-up at Back Bay. Please RSVP via Community Apps or to Caralyn Russell at (603) 294-1770.

Campus Events & Lectures



Monday Morning Bible Study

Every Monday • 11:00 a.m. Sugar House Maple Room

Join Susan Price, Melvin Village Community Church's Christian Education Committee Volunteer, for a seven-week Bible Study. She will be using the John Stott landmark book, Basic Christianity, which is not doctrine-based. All are welcome.



Book Club with Jeanne Mitchell

Tuesday, October 8th • 11:00 a.m. Sugar Hill Library

Jeanne Mitchell from the Wolfeboro Public Library will host this book club meeting to discuss the most recent book selection, Never Caught by Erica Armstrong Dunbar.

Please RSVP via Community Apps or to Caralyn Russell at (603) 294-1770.



Monday Morning Social

Every Monday • 10:00 a.m. Sugar House Bistro

Catch up with your neighbors and friends over coffee and pastries.



Local Effects of Climate Change on Wildlife and our Communities,

presented by the Student Conservation Association

Thursday, October 3rd • 2:00 p.m. Sugar House Maple Room

How has New Hampshire's climate been changing over recent decades? We have all likely witnessed some changes in our lifetimes. Increased precipitation, decreased water quality, shorter sugar mapling seasons and more extreme weather events are some examples of the environmental changes that have taken place. What are the possible outcomes of both less and more greenhouse gas emissions? What can the local community do to mitigate these changes? Join us at this discussion with Kendra Dean from the Student Conservation Association.

Please RSVP via Community Apps or to Caralyn Russell at (603) 294-1770. There will be a bus provided from Back Bay; please note if you would like bus transportation when signing up via Community Apps or call Caralyn Russell to reserve a bus seat at least 48 hours prior to the event.

For all programming, please make reservations via Community Apps or by calling Caralyn Russell at (603) 294-1770.

Campus Events & Lectures



Cyber Seniors with Brewster Academy

Sunday, October 6th • 1:00 − 3:00 p.m. Sugar House Maple Room

Bring your devices and small equipment to the Maple Room for help from Brewster Academy students who are very tech-savvy and can help you with any issue you might be having when it comes to tech!

Cyber-Seniors trains students to become technology mentors for older adults and provides them with the opportunity to receive practical experience while earning service hours. Through this experience, students develop important job skills that enhance opportunities for future employment.

Please RSVP via Community Apps or to Caralyn Russell at (603) 294-1770.



"That Reminds Me of a Story," with Rebecca Rule

Thursday, October 17th • 2:00 p.m. Sugar House Maple Room

Stories speak to us of community. They hold our history and reflect our identity. Rebecca Rule has made it her mission over the last 20 years to collect stories of New Hampshire, especially those that reflect what's special about this rocky old place. She'll tell some of those stories—her favorites are the funny ones—and invite audience members to contribute a few stories of their own.

Rebecca Rule hosts Our Hometown on NHPBS. Each program features a different New Hampshire town, and its stories about what makes that town special, as told by its citizens.

She's been telling stories in New England, especially New Hampshire, for many years. She hasn't visited every town in the Granite State, but has found her way to most of them—speaking at libraries, schools, historical societies, church groups, and charitable organizations. She likes collecting stories because "they're free and you don't have to dust them." Our stories are our identity. They hold our history, our culture, our heart.

Her books include "N is for New Hampshire," an ABC book with photographs by Scott Snyder; "The Iciest Diciest Scariest Sled Ride Ever!," a picture book illustrated by Jennifer Thermes; "Headin' for the Rhubarb, A NH Dictionary (well, kinda);" and "That Reminds Me of a Funny Story." Her new book, "NH Trivia," was released this past spring.

For all programming, please make reservations via Community Apps or by calling Caralyn Russell at (603) 294-1770.

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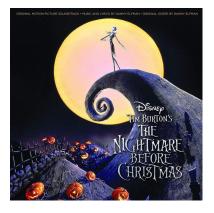


Bird Migration with Naturalist Dan Gardoqui

Thursday, October 24th • 2:00 p.m. Sugar House Maple Room

Each fall, billions of birds embark on an epic, dangerous journey southward away from their northern breeding grounds. Did you know some birds can fly for days nonstop? Birds are amazing! Join master birder Dan Gardoqui of Lead with Nature and learn which birds migrate, which stick around, and why. Learn all about the marvels of bird navigation and the perils of making this annual trek in a changing climate.

Please RSVP via Community Apps or to Caralyn Russell at (603) 294-1770. There will be a bus provided from Back Bay; please note if you would like bus transportation when signing up via Community Apps or with Caralyn Russell to reserve a bus seat at least 48 hours prior to the event.



Movie Matinee: The Nightmare Before Christmas

Monday, October 28th • 2:00 p.m. Sugar House Maple Room

The film follows the misadventures of Jack Skellington, Halloweentown's beloved pumpkin king, who has become bored with the same annual routine of frightening people in the "real world." When Jack accidentally stumbles on Christmastown, all bright colors and warm spirits, he gets a new lease on life—he plots to bring Christmas under his control by kidnapping Santa Claus and taking over the role. But Jack soon discovers even the best-laid plans of mice and skeleton men can go seriously awry.

Run time 1 hr. 15 min. / Family/Comedy/ Animation / Rated PG / 1993 release

Please RSVP via Community Apps or to Caralyn Russell at (603) 294-1770.



Halloween Trick-or-Treat

Sunday, October 27th • 6:00 p.m. | Sugar Hill & Back Bay

Stay tuned for additional details regarding trick-or-treat night on our Wolfeboro campuses including Back Bay, the Sugar Hill

cottages, and the Sugar House. We will be welcoming Brewster Academy students back for trick-ortreat along with staff children or any children in your families! Trick-or-treating will begin at 6:00 p.m. If you live in a cottage and wish to participate, please leave your outside light on.

Please RSVP via Community Apps or to Caralyn Russell at (603) 294-1770.

Musical Events | WOLFEBORO



Funding for our Music Series Programming is provided by Bank of New Hampshire and Individual Program Sponsors

The Joy of Music with Andy Campbell

Monday, October 7th & 21st • 2:00 p.m.
Sugar House Maple Room (7th) & Back Bay Residences (on the 21st)



We have heard about the benefits of music in our lives—how it can improve our emotional and cognitive lives and how it connects us with our long-term memory while bringing us closer to folks in the present. But don't just take our word for

it—come and see how making music will help you to Voice Your Heart and Train Your Brain!

Please RSVP via Community Apps or to Caralyn Russell at (603) 294-1770.

Music Series Event: The Sweetbloods

Tuesday, October 1st • 2:00 p.m. | Sugar House Maple Room



The Sweetbloods are an acoustic duo based in Meredith, NH. Their music is well-known in the Lakes Region/White Mountains area. The Sweetbloods specialize in blending tight vocal arrangements with tasteful guitar accompaniment. The duo's repertoire is varied and incorporates songs from several genres and time periods. Their music centers around acoustic versions of classic rock tunes, folk rock and country rock tunes intermingled with folk, bluegrass, reggae, calypso, blues and jazz tunes. The duo's primary influences include the Grateful Dead, Bob Dylan, the Beatles, Pink Floyd, Led Zeppelin, the Band, Neil Young, Van Morrison, Emmy Lou Harris, and Joni Mitchell, to name a few.

The Sweetbloods consist of Phil and Janet Sanguedolce. Phil is a multi-instrumentalist and vocalist who has been performing professionally for over 45 years. He has played guitar, keyboards, fiddle, bass, and pedal steel guitar in various bands in the Midwest and New England. Janet is a talented visual and ceramic artist who has been performing professionally as a guitarist/vocalist for the past twelve years. Her solid rhythm arrangements provide a strong backdrop to Phil's colorfully polished guitar artistry. Janet's rich and captivating voice crystalizes the Sweetbloods hypnotic harmonies.

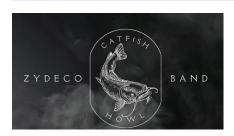
Please RSVP via Community Apps or to Caralyn Russell at (603) 294-1770. There will be a bus provided from Back Bay; please note if you would like bus transportation when signing up via Community Apps or call Caralyn Russell to reserve a bus seat at least 48 hours prior to the event.

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Music Series Event: Catfish Howl

Friday, October 11th • 2:00 p.m. | Sugar House Maple Room



Catfish Howl Zydeco Band performs Blues, Rock, and Country Covers and Originals New Orleans Style. There is a festive New Orleans feel to this New Hampshire band's music. The sound is a cross between what you would expect to hear on a countryside hayride and up-tempo rural blues. The Catfish love to perform! There is no typical show with Catfish. You never know what you might see and hear from Catfish Howl....but one thing is guaranteed...We will all have a good time!

Please RSVP via Community Apps or to Caralyn Russell at (603) 294-1770. There will be a bus provided from Back Bay; please note if you would like bus transportation when signing up via Community Apps or call Caralyn Russell to reserve a bus seat at least 48 hours prior to the event.

Music Series Event: The Al Hospers Band

Wednesday, October 16th • 7:00 p.m. | Sugar House Maple Room



Al Hospers has been playing in the White Mountains area of New Hampshire for over 20 years. While living in New York in the 80s, Al toured with the Buddy Rich Big Band and Blood, Sweat and Tears. The Al Hospers Band plays a wide variety of music including jazz, funk and rock. Al plays regularly at the Majestic Cafe, Tuckerman Brewing Company, The Wildcat Tavern, Saco River Brewing, Big Day Brewing, The Public House on Page Hill and other venues in the area.

Please RSVP via Community Apps or to Caralyn Russell at (603) 294-1770. There will be a bus provided from Back Bay; please note if you would like bus transportation when signing up via Community Apps or call Caralyn Russell to reserve a bus seat at least 48 hours prior to the event.

Music Series Event: Mark T. Smalls

Tuesday, October 22nd • 2:00 p.m. | Sugar House Maple Room



Mark is an internationally recognized musician and entertainer who has performed in numerous venues throughout the United States & Europe. His CD was named BEST Acoustic Blues Album in 2014 and his recordings have reached the top 20 on National Music Charts.

Mark is an extraordinarily accomplished guitarist. His concerts include instrumentals and singing and music from the early 1800s to the late 1950s. The show includes Mark's signature, foot stompin' blues, boogie, early rock and honky-tonk selections.

Mark establishes a personal connection with his audience by discussing the origin of music and providing continued to page 10

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the listener with insights into the history of the guitar and other instruments that have become critical to the development of American music. Listen and learn that the oldest guitar was discovered in Egypt and is over 3,500 years old; or that Benjamin Franklin was a guitarist. You might even find out what effect the Spanish American War has on American guitar players, or why and how fiddle music impacted the development of guitar music.

Please RSVP via Community Apps or to Caralyn Russell at (603) 294-1770. There will be a bus provided for Sugar Hill residents; please note if you would like bus transportation when signing up via Community Apps or call Caralyn Russell to reserve a bus seat at least 48 hours prior to the event.



Music Series Event: Miner & Ryan

Tuesday, October 29th • 2:00 p.m. | Sugar House Maple Room

Miner & Ryan musicians are a well-known duo playing all around New Hampshire and Maine featuring folk, blues, southern rock, indie and classic songs . . . and fun!

Please RSVP via Community Apps or to Caralyn Russell at (603) 294-1770. There will be a bus provided from Back Bay; please note if you would like bus transportation when signing up via Community Apps or call Caralyn Russell to reserve a bus seat at least 48 hours prior to the event.

Resident Groups | WOLFEBORO

Sugar Hill Knitting Circle



Every Wednesday 2:00 p.m. Sugar Hill Dining Room (by the fireplace)

An informal drop-in group for those who enjoy knitting or any other small handwork (even mending). All are welcome to join us.

No registration required!

We are hopeful that this circle will continue to meet, knit, and to share ideas, get help and inspire one another.



Residents will be gathering every Saturday morning in the Table Tennis Room to play. If you are interested in playing outside of the Saturday morning scheduled hours, you can also call Harry Liedtke at (603) 581-8313 to arrange to play table tennis at a mutually convenient time.

For all programming, please make reservations via Community Apps or by calling Caralyn Russell at (603) 294-1770.

Resident Groups | WOLFEBORO

American Mahjongg



Every Tuesday and Saturday 1:00 p.m. at the Back Bay RAC

Every Friday • 1:00 p.m. Sugar House Maple Room

Please reach out to Penny Keith at (774) 722-7992 or Shirley Felong at (603) 569-3097 if you are interested in learning and playing at the Back Bay RAC. Please reach out to Betty Lathrop at (603) 515-1181 if you are interested in playing at Sugar Hill. This fascinating game is excellent for brain plasticity! "A Beginner's Guide to American Mahjongg" is available at the RAC on a sign-out basis.

A card that shows the hands that can be created with the tiles is necessary to play, and new cards are sent out every year. The current card can be ordered at Nationalmahjonggleague.org \$14/\$15.

Drum Circle



Every Thursday 11:00 a.m. Sugar House Maple Room

How can a drum circle be healing?

Drum therapy is an ancient approach that uses rhythm to promote healing and self-expression. Therapeutic rhythm techniques have been used for thousands of years to create and maintain physical, mental, and spiritual health. Recent research indicates that drumming accelerates physical healing, boosts the immune system, produces feelings of well-being, and helps release emotional trauma. Drumming also induces deep relaxation, lowers blood pressure, and reduces stress. Led by Sugar Hill resident Steve Reinhart.

No experience is necessary! We encourage you to join the circle and express yourself!



Every Saturday • 1:00 p.m. Sugar Hill

Please contact Clyde Coscia, Sugar Hill resident and group organizer for more information at (603) 515-1055.

Mexican Train

Every Saturday • 1:00 p.m. Back Bay RAC



Easy to learn and lots of laughs! 25¢/game. Warning: this game is addictive! Just show up with your quarters and play!



Men's Group

Every other Tuesday • 9:00 a.m. Sugar House Maple Room

The Men's Group represents a unique opportunity for men to unite, offering each other the support to share their stories and talk amongst friends without judgment. It provides a dedicated space for empowerment. In the company of peers, men offer each other meaningful camaraderie, mentorship, harness each other's strengths, and collectively confront their fears.

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Resident Groups | WOLFEBORO



Death Café

Monday, October 21st 3:00 p.m. Sugar House Maple Room

Are you curious and looking for a safe, confidential place to talk about your thoughts and feelings regarding planning and preparing for your death? Do you have questions? Are you fearful? What is Hospice and Palliative care? How can you talk to your family about your wishes for cremation? Do you want a celebration of life? This is an opportunity to find answers to these questions and many more!

At a Death Café, any and all subjects of dying and death are discussed while we enjoy a beverage and treat. Details and options are yours to ponder, to learn about and decide. The Café is a shared opportunity for discovery and a closer community. Planning for your own death can offer you peace of mind, not having left a lot of decisions and work for your family or friends. A Death Café is a safe, confidential place to listen, learn, and create.

NOTE: A Death Café is NOT a bereavement group or a grief group... simply an ongoing once-amonth small group conversation around questions and concerns to share and learn from each other... and quite possibly find the "gift" in this process! This is a resident-led group.



Meditation Group

Every other Tuesday • 9:00 a.m. Sugar House Maple Room

Meditation is a practice in which an individual uses a technique—such as mindfulness, or focusing the mind on a particular object, thought, or activity—to train attention and awareness, and achieve a mentally clear and emotionally calm and stable state. Meditation can give you a sense of calm, peace and balance that can benefit both your emotional well-being and your overall health. You can also use it to relax and cope with stress by refocusing your attention on something calming. Meditation can help you learn to stay centered and keep inner peace. Other benefits

can include lower levels of stress, reducing asthmatic episodes, physical pain, insomnia, episodic anger, negative or irrational thinking, and anxiety, as well as improving coping skills, focus, and a general feeling of well-being.

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Upcoming Events – Now Taking Reservations



Safe Haven Ballet presents: The Nutcracker Colonial Theatre, Laconia NH

Saturday, November 30th • 2:45 p.m. deprature

Safe Haven Ballet (SHB) is thrilled to bring our spirited, full-length ballet of The Nutcracker to the Colonial Theatre of Laconia! This dynamic performance includes all of your favorite characters, including everyone from a strong-minded Clara to the eccentric Drosselmeyer, the spooky Rats, as well as our beloved Sugarplum Fairy danced by Artistic Director Lissa Curtis. In the Land of Sweets you will be introduced to a variation unique to Safe Haven Ballet called The Brave American. Come sing and clap along to this spirited, patriotic piece!

SHB is located in beautiful Portsmouth, New Hampshire and exists to offer free trauma-sensitive classes to survivors of sexual/domestic violence and trauma. Many of these brave survivors will be in the production as they help bring the magic of the season to you. We would love your energetic applause! Tickets are \$40 per person and are non-refundable. The show is from 4:30 – 6:30 p.m.

The bus will begin picking up residents on the Sugar Hill campus at 2:45 p.m. followed by pickup at Back Bay. Please RSVP via Community Apps or to Caralyn Russell at (603) 294-1770.

Portland Symphony Orchestra presents The Magic of Christmas Preview & Dinner at DiMillo's

Friday, December 13th • 11:30 a.m. departure



This beloved Maine holiday classic brings a delightful combination of nostalgic traditions and unexpected surprises. Experience perennial favorites like the "Hallelujah Chorus" from Handel's Messiah and "Sleigh Ride" (performed in a distinctly unique PSO fashion—and yes, pun intended for those in the know), new traditions like "The Maine Christmas Song," and special selections heard for the first time each year.

The matinee showing will begin at 2:00 p.m. and will last about two hours including an intermission. There is a concession snack bar available at the Merrill Auditorium.

As this is the first "preview" showing of the Magic of Christmas, the group rate is just \$31. Please note that we do have seats in the Grand Tier this year; there is an elevator but there are some steps involved to get down to our seats.

Following the Magic of Christmas, our group will dine at DiMillo's On The Water. Our group has a 4:30 p.m. dinner reservation.

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For all programming, please make reservations via Community Apps or by calling Caralyn Russell at (603) 294-1770.

Wellness

Recreation and Aquatic Center Pool Schedule

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
7:30 - 9:00 a.m.	Resident swim only	Resident swim only	Resident swim only	Resident swim only	Resident swim only	Closed	Closed
9:00 a.m 12:00 p.m.	Open swim	Open swim	Open swim	Open swim	Open swim	Opening 9:30 a.m. Water aerobics (10:00 – 11:00 a.m.)	Opening 9:30 a.m. Open Swim
12:00 -1:00 p.m.	Open swim	Resident swim only	Open swim	Resident swim only	Resident swim only	Open Swim	Open Swim
1:00 - 3:00 p.m.	Open swim	Water Aerobics (1:00 - 2:00 p.m.)	Open swim	Water Aerobics (1:00 - 2:00 p.m.)	Open swim	Open Swim	Open Swim
3:00 - 4:30 p.m.	Open swim	Open swim	Pool closes at 3:00 p.m. for maintenance	Open swim	Open swim	Open Swim	Open Swim
4:30 – 7:00 p.m.	Open swim	Open swim	Closed	Open swim	Open swim	Open Swim Closes at 5:00 p.m.	Open Swim Closes at 5:00 p.m.



The Red Hill Hike is about 3.8 miles with 1,350 feet of elevation gain. The summit has a fire tower, which has great views of Lake Winnipesaukee and Squam Lake. Sign up on Community Apps or with Becky at bhamilton@ taylorcommunity.org or (603) 366-1206. All residents wishing to go on this hike should have completed the Return to Hiking Class or a step test with Wellness staff. Be sure to have a Hike Safe Card and ensure that Becky has your Hiking Medical Form!



TAYLOR COMMUNITY WELLNESS

WOLFEBORO FITNESS CLASS SCHEDULE

Monday

9:00 a.m. Functional Fitness with **Taylor**

10:00 a.m. Strength & Stretch with Taylor

11:00 a.m. Balance Class with Taylor 1:00 p.m. Resident-led pick-up bocce ball on Sugar House Bocce Ball Court

Tuesday

9:00 a.m. Chair Yoga with Russ 10:00 a.m. Mat Yoga with Russ 11:00 a.m. Tai Chi with Russ 1:00 p.m. Water Aerobics with Russ

Wednesday

9:00 a.m. Functional Fitness with **Taylor**

10:00 a.m. Strength & Stretch with Taylor

11:00 a.m. Balance with Taylor

2:00 p.m. Low Impact Cardio Fit with Taylor

2:00 p.m. Resident-led pick-up croquet games on Sugar House front lawn

Thursday

11:00 a.m. Chair Yoga with Becky 1:00 p.m. Water Aerobics with Taylor

Friday

9:00 a.m. Functional Fitness with Taylor

10:00 a.m. Strength & Stretch with Taylor

11:00 a.m. Tai Chi

Saturday

10:00 a.m. Water Aerobics with Amanda

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Recurring Campus Events | WOLFEBORO

RSVP is required for most events and may be made via Community Apps in Events, or with Caralyn Russell at (603) 294-1770 or crussell@taylorcommunity.org unless otherwise noted.

MONDAYS:

Billiards

10:00 a.m. Sugar House

Monday Morning Social

10:00 a.m. Sugar House Bistro (coffee & pastries)

Bible Study

11:00 a.m. Sugar House Maple Room

TUESDAYS:

Meditation Group

9:00 a.m. Sugar House Maple Room (every other Tuesday)

Men's Group

9:00 a.m. Sugar House Maple Room (every other Tuesday)

Mexican Train

1:00 p.m., Back Bay RAC

American Mahjongg

1:00 p.m., Back Bay RAC

WEDNESDAYS:

Billiards

10:00 a.m. Sugar House

Knitting Group

2:00 p.m. Sugar House Dining Room area by fireplace

THURSDAYS:

Cracker Barrel Coffee Hour

10:00 a.m.

Sugar House Maple Room (outdoors under the Sugar House tent in the warmer months)

FRIDAYS:

Billiards

10:00 a.m. Sugar House

American Mahjongg

1:00 p.m.

Sugar House Maple Room

SATURDAYS:

Table Tennis

9:00 a.m.

Sugar House Table Tennis Room

Resident-led exercise

10:00 a.m.

Sugar House Maple Room

American Mahjongg

1:00 p.m.

Back Bay RAC

Bridge

1:00 p.m. Sugar Hill contact Clyde Coscia

Mexican Train

1:00 p.m. Back Bay RAC

SUNDAYS:

Board Games

1:00 – 3:00 p.m. Sugar House Dining Room

Care Management Nurse

Care Management Nurse Anne Ulman, RN and Samantha Jones, LNA will be leading Blood Pressure Clinics every Tuesday from 1:00 - 2:00 p.m. in the Sugar House Library, and every Wednesday from 2:00 - 3:00 p.m. at Back Bay Recreation and Aquatic Center.

For more information, please contact: aulman@taylorcommunity.org or (603) 569-8485, ext. 4240.

Dining at Sugar Hill

The Sugar House Bistro and Dining Room are open for dining in or take out pick-up at the Sugar House, Monday – Friday, 12:00 noon – 6:30 p.m.

If you would like to order takeout, please call (603) 569-8485. If you would like to order dinner to go, please call 24 hours in advance whenever possible, so we can have your order ready for you at 5:00 p.m.



Dial-A-Ride Reservations

To make a reservation with Dial-A-Ride please call Gina Colantuono at (603) 319-1552 or gcolantuono@taylorcommunity.org.