

INTERTOWN RECORD

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Area code is (603) unless indicated otherwise

**Tuesday, April 22**  
**PLANNING FOR THE END OF LIFE** – At the Wilmot Public Library, 11 North Wilmot Road, Wilmot, 7 p.m. Patricia O'Connor, palliative care nurse practitioner and author of "Navigating Life's Final Journey: Conversations, Choices, Resources," will speak about planning for the end of life. Info: 603-526-6804 or [www.wilmotlibrary.org](http://www.wilmotlibrary.org).

**EARTH DAY/ARBOR DAY CELEBRATION** – At the Grantham Town Hall, lower level, 300 Route 10 South, Grantham, 6:30-8 p.m. "Local Successes in Restoring the American Chestnut Tree," sponsored by the Grantham Conservation Commission and presented by Chris Laffin and Marla Binzell of the VT/NH-The American Chestnut Foundation, and Robert Brown, Chairman of the New London Conservation Commission.

**RSVP by Wednesday, April 23**  
**SUNAPEE SENIORS TRIP** – To the Bennington Museum, Bennington, Vt., Monday, May 12. The bus will leave from the Sherburne Gym parking lot at 8:30 a.m. and will return about 5:30 p.m. Museum admission \$15. Box lunch cost \$17.50. You can choose to bring your own bag lunch. To reserve, send check to Beverly Trainor, 1-B Indian Cave Landing, Sunapee, NH 03782. Include your contact information.

**Wednesday, April 23**  
**GOOD MEMORIES CLUB** – At the Wilmot Public Library, 11 North Wilmot Road, Wilmot, 11 a.m. Stimulate those neurons with songs, readings and memorabilia to enhance your brain function and have a good time. This month's theme is the '50s. Bring song suggestions, old magazines, yearbooks or just bring

yourself. Info: 603-526-6804 or [www.wilmotlibrary.org](http://www.wilmotlibrary.org).

**Wednesday, April 23**  
**KEZAR LAKE MEETING** – At Pillsbury Memorial Hall, 93 Main St., Sutton Mills, 7:30-8:30 p.m. Kezar Lake watershed-based plan kick-off meeting to investigate the water quality, identify sources of pollutants in the watershed, and identify the actions necessary to improve water quality in the lake. Also via Zoom: <https://qrify.io/r/oUbP5NNFZI>. Info: [www.kezarlakenh.org](http://www.kezarlakenh.org).

**Thursday, April 24**  
**FREE MOSES TRUSSELL LECTURE SERIES** – At the Tracy Library, Main Street, New London, 7 p.m. Alex Cain, lecturer, will present The Battle of Bunker Hill, June 17, 1775. Moses Trussell lost his left hand in that battle. His musket will be on display that night as well as brass plaque placed in 1929 on the land he cleared in 1774. Sponsored by the historical society.

**•FREE NHSAVES BUTTON UP WORKSHOP** – At the Warner Town Hall, 5 East Main St., Warner 7-8:30 p.m. Presentation plus Q&A about how to improve the energy efficiency of your home, conducted by a certified energy auditor. Also via Zoom: [plymouthenergy.org/button-up](http://plymouthenergy.org/button-up) for the link and other details. Sponsored by The Warner Energy Committee, Warner Board of Selectmen, Main-Street Warner Inc., MainStreet Book-Ends and Gallery, Bradford Energy Committee and Sutton Conservation Committee.

**Saturday, April 26**  
**VERNAL POOL FAMILY WALK** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 1-2 p.m. Bring the whole family for a learning adventure at one of The

Fells vernal pools and discover who lives there and why these temporary habitats are so important. Lake Sunapee Protective Association staff will lead this adventure. Dress appropriately for the weather, waterproof footwear is recommended. Meet at the Gatehouse. Members free, non-members included with regular admission. Register in advance through the LSPA website: [https://secure.lgl-forms.com/form\\_engine/s/QR3UI-yTxyHV7UD27YrZ05g](https://secure.lgl-forms.com/form_engine/s/QR3UI-yTxyHV7UD27YrZ05g).

**Sunapee, April 27**  
**OLD DOGS GO TO HELEN** – Knowing when it's time – saying goodbye to our beloved companions. How do we know when it's time to let our animals go? Do we opt for euthanasia or allow natural death to occur? What is better – at home or at the vet? All these questions and more will be discussed at this valuable talk. Presented by Helen St. Pierre, Certified Dog Trainer and Behavior Consultant. She is the founder of Old Dogs Go to Helen, a dog hospice for elderly and sick dogs: <https://olddogsgotohelen.com>. The memoriam for her talk will be donated to Old Dogs Go to Helen by Caring Animal Partners, Pet Therapy. Join Helen from 1-3 p.m. on Sunday, April 27 at No Monkey Business Dog Training, 78 Regional Dr., Concord. Reservations Required – email or call Susie Nichols: 617-974-0050 or [Nichols.ma@comcast.net](mailto:Nichols.ma@comcast.net).

**Monday, April 28**  
**GARDEN VOLUNTEERS** – In the Community Room at Tracy Memorial Library, Main Street, New London, 9 a.m. to noon. Welcome reception for new and returning volunteers. Light refreshments will be served, followed by spring clean-up in the garden. Bring garden gloves and expect to have fun. Volunteers welcome until late October on Mondays, 9 a.m. to noon. Visit [www.gardenattracy.org](http://www.gardenattracy.org).

**Tuesday, April 29**  
**NH HUMANITIES TO GO PRESENTATION** – At the Tracy Library, Main Street, New London, 6:30 p.m. Dan Billin will present an illustrated lecture on the violent end of the first integrated prep school in the United States and the remarkable lives of black students, including Henry Highland Garnet and Alexander Crummel, who dared to attend the Canaan School. Sponsored by the Friends of Tracy Memorial Library.

**Thursday, May 1**  
**FIRST THURSDAY HIKE** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 11 a.m. This informal, moderate walk is an opportunity to get a little exercise, spend time out in the landscape, and discover the beautiful property once owned by the John Hay family. Winter conditions may require snowshoes or cleats for ice. Meets at The Fells Kiosk. Members free, nonmembers included with regular admission fee. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

**Thursday, May 1**  
**•WHO IS 'BUGGING' OUR FORESTS?** – At the LSPA Center for Lake Studies, Main Street, Sunapee, 6:30-7:30 p.m. Forest lands are essential in ensuring high water quality and they are facing many threats! Join LSPA and Kyle Lombard, from the NH Forest Health Bureau, for an informative discussion of current New Hampshire forest health and the major threats our forests face. Info: 603-763-2210 or [lakesunapee.org](http://lakesunapee.org).

**Friday, May 2**  
**•CFA FIRST FRIDAYS GALLERY STROLL** – At the New London Inn, Blue Loon Bakery, CFA Gallery and Studio, Bar Harbor Bank & Trust and Tatewell Gallery, New London, 5-7 p.m. Grounds Café will have their showing starting May 9. Aa celebration of exceptional creativity. Meet and interact with the artists. Info: <https://www.centerfortheartsnh.org/microgalleries>.

**Saturday, May 3**  
**•FREE OPEN TABLE PROJECT DINNER** – At Lake Sunapee United Methodist Church, 9 Lower Main St., Sunapee, 5:30 p.m. Join the conversations around the table; not solving the problems of the world, just chatting and getting to know one another. Assorted Italian-style entrees, garlic bread, salad, assorted desserts, coffee/tea/juice provided by Sunapee High School Culinary Class. Free-will donations accepted to support future meals. Reservations strongly suggested. Text 603-843-7022 or email [TheOpenTableProject@gmail.com](mailto:TheOpenTableProject@gmail.com).

**Monday, May 5**  
**•LAKE SUNAPEE ROWING INTERMEDIATE/ADVANCED ROWING** – At 20 Cooper Street, Georges Mills Public Boat Launch. Experienced rowers welcome for morning programs. Info and registration details: visit [www.LakeSunapeeRowing.org](http://www.LakeSunapeeRowing.org).

**Tuesday, May 6**  
**FRENCH DISCUSSION GROUP** – At the COA, 37 Pleasant St., New London, 4:15 p.m. Casual, friendly group to practice language skills. Register at 603-526-6368. Info: [www.coachapincenter.org](http://www.coachapincenter.org).

**Wednesday, May 7**  
**•PARKINSONS SUPPORT GROUP** – At the COA, 37 Pleasant St., New London, 1 p.m. Peer-to-peer group to share practical insights and provide mutual support to those also living with or caring for someone with PD. This is a walk-in program. Info: 603-526-6368. Info: [www.coachapincenter.org](http://www.coachapincenter.org).

**•VOLUNTEER ORIENTATION AND TRAINING** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 2-4 p.m. This event is open to all returning and new volunteer to discuss upcoming volunteer opportunities for the 2025 season. Watch a slide presentation on the history of the John Hay Estate

and review the calendar of events for 2025. Participants will receive a volunteer handbook and participate in volunteer training. Meet at the Gatehouse. Advance registration is requested by emailing [info@thefells.org](mailto:info@thefells.org). A second date for this orientation session may be added, if program registration exceeds maximum.

**Friday, May 9**  
**•PLANT STAND OPENS** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury. Just in time for Mother's Day, and is stocked through the growing season in the Gatehouse courtyard. There will be a selection of spring flowers, perennials and hanging baskets for you and your family to choose from. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

**Monday, May 12**  
**•GARDENING LECTURE SERIES** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 10 a.m. No Dig Gardening with Charlie Nardozzi, a regional Emmy® award winning, nationally recognized garden writer, speaker, radio and television personality. Meets in the gatehouse. Members \$10, nonmembers \$15. Advance registration is requested but walk-ins are welcome. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

**Tuesday, May 13**  
**•COA BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP** – At the Tracy Memorial Library, Main Street, New London, 10 a.m. "The Wager" by David Grann. Info: 603-526-6368 or [www.coachapincenter.org](http://www.coachapincenter.org).

**Thursday, May 15**  
**NATURALIST & AUTHOR** – Sy Montgomery with wildlife artist Matt Patterson at the Lake Sunapee Protective Association Center for Lake Studies & via Zoom. This event is free. Registration is required. To register visit [lakesunapee.org/an-author-talk](http://lakesunapee.org/an-author-talk).

**Register by Saturday, May 24**  
**BLACK FLY BLITZ** – In Wilmot Flat, Memorial Day, Monday, May 26, 9 a.m. The Wilmot Community Association (WCA) will sponsor its 17th Black Fly Blitz 5K. Register by 5 p.m. Until May 24, race registration is free for children 11 years and younger and \$25 for everyone 12 and older. Race day registration will increase by \$5 for everyone 12 and older. Check-in and day-of-race registration opens at 7:30 a.m. under the tent on the town green at the intersection of Kearsarge Valley and Village roads in Wilmot Flat. Until April 30, runners can purchase Blitz T-shirts for \$10. Register at [www.wilmotwca.org](http://www.wilmotwca.org) or at [www.pinnaclestrive.com](http://www.pinnaclestrive.com). More info: 603-526-7934 or by email at [wca@wilmotwca.org](mailto:wca@wilmotwca.org).

LOCAL NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS

Submit information about your non-profit events to the

INTERTOWN RECORD Community Calendar.

\*Please include date, time, location of event and contact information. Ongoing weekly events are not allowed. Please take out an ad to support the local news if you would like to promote a weekly event. (Only \$5)

DEADLINE: Friday, 5 p.m. each week

Email: [info@intertownrecord.com](mailto:info@intertownrecord.com)

Out of our coverage area? Not a non-profit? You can list your event on the calendar page, with a border, for just \$5.

(Small general listing: title, date, location, time, contact and short description if applicable.)