

SEE Notices Below!

- **Fire Department Training with DHART Helicopter on April 26th**
- **Low & Moderate Income – Tax Relief – May 1st through June 1st.**
- **New Hampton School Meeting – Comprehensive Master Plan to be presented- April 26th.**
- **New Hampton Historical Society Meeting – April 28th.**
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- **New Hampshire Preservation Alliance presents “Painting your historic home” on May 1st.**
- **Sarah Dow MacGregor Scholarship Fund Applications**

WELCOME TO THE “NEW HAMPTON CONNECTION”

E-mail notices will be sent from this office with dates, locations and times of Town Meetings, special meetings, special events, and other important town events or information. We hope you will find these notices helpful. These e-mails will not provide notice of regular scheduled meetings, deadlines, holiday hours, general information, etc. For such scheduled information, please check the town web site www.new-hampton.nh.us or call the Town Office at 744-3559. All public meeting notices are posted at the Town Office and Fire Station. All town newspaper notices are placed in the Laconia Citizen.

Please talk with other New Hampton residents who may not have been contacted to see if they are interested in receiving these e-mails. I also would encourage you to get the “word out” about important information to those who may not have e-mail.

If at some future time you change your e-mail address or you wish to be removed from the list please send an e-mail to blucas@new-hampton.nh.us.

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**Fire Department Training with DHART Helicopter
Tuesday, April 26th from 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm**

Please be advised: the New Hampton Fire Department will hold a training session involving area Fire/EMS Departments with the DHART rescue helicopter. This training will be held on Tuesday, April 26th from 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm. at the New

Hampton School Palazzi Field located at 157 Main Street. The helicopter will be landing and taking off from that location and department personnel from New Hampton and area departments will be on site.

The goal of this training is to educate EMS, Fire and Police personnel on Safety, Air Operations, LZ Preparation and other vital information necessary to complete a successful mission with DHART. This knowledge, training and preparation will insure the Safest, Highest Quality, Most Responsive and Comprehensive services to critically ill and injured patients.

Low to Moderate Income Property Tax Relief Forms Now Available

Below is a link to the DP-8, Low and Moderate Income Property Tax Relief form for NH residents. This is available between May 1 and June 1 and provides some tax relief to homeowners who qualify.

DP-8 forms will also be available at the Town Office.

http://www.revenue.nh.gov/forms/low_mod_program.htm and click on "Download Form DP-8". This is a fillable pdf form. This NH Dept. of Revenue website also has the following information:

- Online Claim Status Check
- Answers to Frequently Asked Questions
- Changes to Procedures Regarding Property Tax Relief Claims
- History of Property Tax Relief & More Information...

NEW HAMPTON SCHOOL MEETING TUESDAY, APRIL 26, 2011 AT 7PM ACADEMIC RESEARCH CENTER (ARC) 88 Main Street, New Hampton

The New Hampton School will hold a meeting and present to the public, town boards, commissions and committees information on the next 20-25 year comprehensive master plan for the School.

New Hampton Historical Society Presents:

**New Hampton Premier of
“Lost in Laconia”
Gordon – Nash Library, Main Street, New Hampton on
April 28th at 7:00 PM**

Lost in Laconia, a documentary film produced by local film maker Gordon DuBois, will be shown in at Gordon – Nash Library, Main Street, New Hampton on April 28 at 7:00 PM. The film provides a thought provoking and inspirational documentary that examines the social values and cultural ideals of the twentieth century. Thousands of children and adults were institutionalized in large, state operated institutions throughout the country, and in the case of New Hampshire, at Laconia State School. The film traces the history of the *New Hampshire School for the Feeble-minded*, later renamed *The Laconia State School*, from its initial beginning in the early 1900’s until its closure in 1991. The Laconia institution was similar to other such places that served to segregate and isolate people branded as feeble-minded and a danger to society.

Following the screening film maker Gordon DuBois, will lead a question and answer session about the making of the film.

The program is free and open to the public.

**LOCAL POLICE DEPARTMENTS WORK WITH DEA FOR
THE COLLECTION OF UNUSED, EXPIRED AND
UNWANTED PRESCRIPTION DRUGS
Saturday, April 30, 2011 from 10am to 2pm**

This spring, the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) and its national and community partners will give the public another opportunity to prevent pill abuse and theft by ridding their homes of potentially dangerous expired, unused, and unwanted prescription drugs.

On Saturday, April 30th, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., DEA and its partners will hold their second National Prescription Drug Take-Back Day at sites nationwide. During this timeframe any pharmaceutical (prescription or over-the-counter) drug may be dropped off at the locations listed below. The service is free and anonymous--no questions asked. All efforts will be made to protect the anonymity of those disposing of the medications and no requests for identification will be made by police. Intravenous solutions, injectables, syringes and aerosol inhalers will not be accepted. Once collected, the drugs will then be turned over to the DEA and destroyed.

A number of area police departments will be participating in this prescription drug collection effort:

- Alexandria Transfer Station, Smith River Road - sponsored by Alexandria Police Department
- Ashland Police Department, 20 Highland Street
- Bristol Police Department, 230 Lake Street
- **New Hampton Fire Station, 48 Route 104 - sponsored by New Hampton Police Department**
- Plymouth Police Department - 334 Main Street
- Woodstock Police Department, 165 Lost River Road

In addition to the list provided above, community members can find a nearby collection site by visiting www.dea.gov, clicking on "Got Drugs?" and entering their zip code.

Further information can be found on the town website.

The New Hampshire Preservation Alliance presents
Old House & Barn Series
~ Painting Your Historic Home~
Sunday, May 1st, 1pm – 4pm
Dana Meeting House
288 Dana Hill Road
New Hampton, NH

Experienced painter of older homes John Thompson, of JLT Painting, Laconia, will offer homeowners guidance and best practice tips on how to tackle a paint job on your historic home, as well as the latest information on lead paint and how the new EPA lead law affects you. John will discuss some of the tricks of the trade-how to address those quirky situations that you always encounter in an older house, and how to keep yourself and your kids safe while dealing with lead paint. Both interior and exterior painting and associated repairs will be addressed.

\$15 - Members \$25 - Non-members

New Member Special - \$35 (1 yr. membership + program)

Advanced registration required. Space is limited, so sign up now!

Please call the Preservation Alliance to register - 603-224-2281

Generous sponsors of the Old House & Barn Program include:

Arnold M. Graton Associates, Inc., Bedard Preservation & Restoration, LLC, Ian Blackman, LLC, Farms & Barns, Fifield Building Restoration & Relocation, Frank R. Whittemore Builder, Innerglass Window Systems, North Country Door, Inc., R & T Electric, Selectwood, Sunrise Woodworks, Woods & Co. Civil Engineering.

The New Hampshire Preservation Alliance is the statewide, non-profit membership organization committed to preserving historic buildings, communities and landscapes through leadership, education and advocacy.

www.nhpreservation.org

****REMINDER****

SARAH DOW MACGREGOR SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Applications for New Hampton High School graduates that are college bound and current College Students are available at the Town Office and on the Town's website www.new-hampton.nh.us under the Sarah Dow Macgregor Scholarship Committee. The deadline for submission is on or before May 31, 2011.

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