

SEE Notices Below!

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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 Public Works Department. All town newspaper notices are placed in the Laconia Daily Sun.

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.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN: Neil G. Irvine, Nathaniel H. Sawyer, Jr. and Kenneth M. Mertz

Barbara A. Lucas
Town Administrator
Town of New Hampton
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Tel. 744-3559

February 3, 2017

**Town of New Hampton
State of New Hampshire
2017 TOWN MEETING
Tuesday, February 7, 2017 7pm**

To the inhabitants of the Town of New Hampton, New Hampshire, in the County of Belknap, qualified to vote in town affairs:

FIRST SESSION

You are hereby notified to meet at the New Hampton Public Safety Building for the First Session of the 2017 Town Meeting to be held at the New Hampton Public Safety Building, 26 Intervale Drive, New Hampton on **Tuesday, the 7th day of February next at 7:00 p.m.** The First Session will consist of explanation, discussion and debate of the warrant articles and will afford those voters who are present the opportunity to propose, debate and adopt amendments to the warrant articles.

In the event of an emergency cancellation, the Deliberative Session will be held on Wednesday, February 8, 2017 at 7:00 p.m. at the same location.

[Click here](#) to read the proposed 2017 Town Warrant.

[Click here](#) for the proposed 2017 Town Budget.

[Click here](#) for the Default Budget.

SECOND SESSION

You are also notified to meet for the Second Session of the 2017 Town Meeting, to vote by official ballot on the election of town officers, zoning amendments and the warrant articles as they may have been amended at the First Session, to be held at the Town House, 86 Town House Road, New Hampton on **Tuesday, the 14th day of March** next. Polls for voting by official ballot at the Town House will open at 11:00 a.m. and will close at 7:00 p.m. unless the town votes to keep the polls open to a later hour.

OFFICIAL POLITICAL PARTIES IN THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

As announced by NHVotes earlier this month, Libertarian is now an official party in the State of New Hampshire. Voters may select "Libertarian" as their party affiliation choice, in addition to the existing choices of "Democratic", "Republican", or "Undeclared" when they register as a new voter in New Hampton. Voters who are already registered in New Hampton may change their party affiliation by completing a "Change of Party Affiliation Card". This form is available at the Town Clerk's office and will be available at the Town's First Deliberative Session on February 7, 2017. Also, voters may change their affiliation among the three existing choices; they are not limited to choosing the Libertarian Party.

Christine Pollock, Chairman
Supervisors of the Checklist

Important Notice - Vehicle Registrations in February

PLEASE TAKE NOTE:

The Town Clerk's Office will not be able to process any vehicle registrations the following dates:

February 17, 20, 21, 2017

The NH Department of Safety, Division of Motor Vehicles is pleased to announce that a new computer system (VISION) will be implemented in the month of February. As a result, there will be an interruption of motor vehicle registration processing statewide. Town/City Clerk's offices, along with the DMV offices, will be unable to process new or renewal registrations over the President's Day holiday weekend, beginning Friday, February 17, 2017, and will be resuming transactions on Wednesday, February 22, 2017. Throughout this process, the Town Clerk's office will be open for other transactions not related to vehicle registrations during normal, scheduled hours of operation.

If you have a new registration, a temporary plate or your registration renewal is due during the month of February, please make sure you are aware of the processing interruption.

Please feel free to visit the DMV website at www.nh.gov/dmv for updates concerning this implementation.

If you have recently purchase a new vehicle which would require new plates or transfer of plates – you will not be able to complete the transaction between the dates mentioned above. Please plan accordingly.

*Thank you,
Cynthia Torsey, Town Clerk*

PLANT EXTRA FOR HUNGER

A Benefit Concert FOR nh Gleans-Belknap County

Saturday March 11, 2017
7:00 to 10:00 PM
McEvoy Theatre at The New Hampton School
70 Main Street, New Hampton, NH

For ticket information contact Lisa Morin at 603-527-5880; email
lisa.morin@nh.nacdnet.net;
Download order form at www.belknappccd.org
Tickets: \$15 in advance, \$20 at door.

Featuring



Playing an incongruous mishmash of musical styles:

- Irish / folksy
- Cowboy / Jug Band
- 50's / Rockabilly
- 3 Chord (punk) Rock
- Original songs "and more!"

NH Gleans-Belknep County encourages farmers and home gardeners to plant a little extra for donation to local food pantries. When the crops are ready NH Gleans-Belknep County volunteers will harvest and deliver them to local food pantries, soup kitchens, and senior centers.



NH Gleans-Belknep County is hosted by the Belknep County Conservation District. For more information on NH Gleans or NH Gleans-Belknep County, contact Russ Bailey at email belknappgleans11@gmail.com. To sign-up to be a volunteer gleaner, or to list your farm or garden as a donor please visit www.nhgleans.org



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Youth Group harvesting vegetables at Winnepesaukee Woods Farm

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