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## Dublin Gas Engine Meet (DGEM)

BY DIDDIE STAPLES

The weather was perfect for the 48th annual Dublin Gas Engine Meet, held September 6 through 8, at Cricket Hill Farm. Collectors came from the Northeast, Canada, and one from Florida to display their large and small antique gas or steam engines or their antique tractors, cars, or trucks.

There were many working displays. Each year more railroad track is laid. The

locomotive, largely worked on by Will Weidner, was on display.

The children once again enjoyed the barrel car rides, the toy-filled sandbox, and watching baseball bats being made. A flagpole was built in memory of Cles Staples, who was one of the founders of the Dublin Gas Engine Meet in 1972 and an active participant through 2017.

DIDDIE STAPLES is the secretary of the Dublin Gas Engine Meet group. Visit [dublinnhgasenginemeet.com](http://dublinnhgasenginemeet.com) for more photographs.

**1.** Caleb Niemela working his wood lathe. **2.** Will and Jim Weidner and Sarah Bolson making ice cream for 4-H fundraiser. **3.** Chris Raymond's Reid 15 HP engine. **4.** Chris Staples' 20-HP Olin engine. **5.** Flagpole built in memory of Cles Staples. **6.** Dave Whitney working the shingle mill.



Photos 1, 3, 4, 6 by Brie Morrissey, Photo 2 by Sally Shonk, Photo 5 by Rebecca Colburn of Keene Web Works.



## Dublin Public Library

Did you know the book *The Goldfinch* by Donna Tartt has been made into a movie? The library has a copy of the book!

Book Buddies begins again on Tuesday afternoons, starting October 1. Children in grades K-5 can be dropped off by the bus

### NEW BOOKS

*The Testaments*

by M. Atwood

*Quichotte* by S. Rushdie

*The Long Call*

by A. Cleeves

*Talking to Strangers*

by M. Gladwell

*When Bodies Break*

by Cameron Auxer

*This Tender Land*

by W.K. Krueger

*Vendetta in Death*

by J.D. Robb

or a parent for the afternoon program that runs for about an hour beginning at 3:45 pm. We gather together for book reading, story sharing, a light snack, and crafts. This is a great opportunity to form new friendships.

Join us for Wednesday morning Story Time at 9:30 each week. This month we'll be reading and crafting "all things fall" as we talk about how animals prepare for the colder months ahead and the fun festivities that this month brings.

Come dressed in your Halloween costume on October 30 and cre-

ate a "friendly mummy" to spook your friends, all in good fun of course. Some books we'll be reading are *A Fall Ball for All* by Jamie A. Swenson, *Bat Loves the Night* by Nicola Davies, and *Otis and the Scarecrow* by Loren Long.

## Candace L. Walker 1946-2019

## FDPL Hosts Ceramic Workshop

Friends of the Dublin Public Library announce a Majolica Glaze Workshop with Megan Bogonovich on Saturday, October 19, at 10 am. Vermont artist Megan Bogonovich is a recognized talent in ceramics, creating colorful, sculptural works that are both functional and whimsical. With degrees in painting and ceramics, she has taught at Saint Anselm College and Keene State College and exhibited nationally and internationally.

Megan will bring pre-fired surfaces in for participants to explore this enjoyable, decorative process. This free event is open to the public, although space is limited. No experience necessary.

Preference will be given to Dublin residents. To sign up, contact Kimberly Kersey-Asbury at [kkasbury@anselm.edu](mailto:kkasbury@anselm.edu).

## Electric Earth Concert with Odds Bodkin

On Sunday, October 6, at 4 pm, *Danika the Rose* with renowned storyteller Odds Bodkin will be held in Bass Hall in the Monadnock Center for History and Culture in Peterborough.

Melding song and storytelling, *Danika the Rose* weaves Dvorak's sublime Moravian Duets with an original fable written and narrated by beloved storyteller Odds Bodkin, to create a musical fairytale. Featuring Jazimina MacNeil, mezzo-soprano; Sarah Shafer, soprano; pianist Emely Phelps, and Odds Bodkin.

Admission is \$30, payable at the door or online at [electric-earthconcerts.org](http://electric-earthconcerts.org). Students may attend for free. For information, contact [joan.electricearth@gmail.com](mailto:joan.electricearth@gmail.com) or call 499-6216.

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## DHS Moves Two Hearses

*100th anniversary will be celebrated in 2020.*

BY VALERIE MULVERHILL

The Dublin Historical Society relocated its two hearses from inside of the 1841 Schoolhouse Museum to the newly rebuilt shed behind the building in mid-September. The move required that the back wall of the schoolhouse be temporarily dismantled, which was done by Sterling Abram. Sterling also undertook the task of repairing the shed, which was necessary to safely house the hearses. This was not the first time the hearses had been moved through a wall in the schoolhouse.

The wheeled hearse and the winter hearse (which has sleigh runners) were purchased by the town in 1872 and 1873, respectively. They were stored in the hearse house at the cemetery long after their use was discontinued due to the introduction of the automobile.

In 1963, the fire engines were moved from the basement of the Dublin Town Hall to the new fire station and the hearses were relocated to the vacated space. When the town loaned the hearses to DHS in



Thanks to (L-R) Brian, Denny, Peter, Sterling, Jeff, Hank, and Rusty, the team that moved the hearses.

1983, they were moved to the Schoolhouse Museum, which necessitated that the wall be taken down for the first time. The hearses remained inside the schoolhouse for the next 36 years, with the town transferring ownership to DHS in 1994.

With the 100th anniversary of the Dublin Historical Society being celebrated in 2020, the relocation of the hearses opens

up much needed space for future exhibits and events. The Dublin Historical Society would like to thank all who helped us with the move: Hank Campbell, Rusty Bastedo, Brian Barden, Sterling Abram, Jeff Clough, Peter Kenyon, and Denny Monaghan.

VALERIE MULVERHILL is the new administrator for the Dublin Historical Society.



**Ready, Set, Connect!**

### Autism Services for Children

Crotched Mountain's *Ready, Set, Connect!* program has opened an autism clinic at the Greenfield campus. *Ready, Set, Connect!* provides ABA therapy for young children in a group setting, offering an environment of fun and learning and a path to a bright future! Locations also in Manchester and Concord, NH.



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## Halloween Treats for Dubliners

**D**ublin School's Halloween Party will be held at the Gillespie Student Center on Saturday, October 26, 2 pm to 3:30 pm. It is put on by the students at Dublin School for all Dublin children under 13 years of age.

DCS schoolchildren will walk in their costumes in the **DCS Halloween Parade** up the hill and around the center of town on October 31 at 9:30 am.

The Town of Dublin announces the official times for **Trick or Treating** will be October 31 from 5:30-7:30 pm.

Mountain View Bible Church will hold its **8th annual Trunk or Treat** on Thursday, October 31, from 5:30 to 7:30 pm in the MVBC parking lot at 81 Page Road. More

than 20 decorated cars line up so trick-or-treaters can stop at each one for treats. A free hotdog supper and drinks will be served. A bonfire will help warm the trick-or-treaters. In case of rain, the event will be held indoors.



## Outdoor Play Is Good for Children

**T**he River Center offers a special event on October 15 at 6:30 pm: Angela Hanscom, pediatric occupational therapist and author of the book, *Balanced and Barefoot*, will talk about how unrestricted outdoor play makes for strong and capable children. RSVP. There will be a book dis-

cussion beforehand for all on October 8 the Peterborough Town Library at 6:30 pm.

For more info on these programs and more, visit us at [rivercenter.us](http://rivercenter.us) or call 924-6800.

Be a responsible dog owner.

## TOWN OF DUBLIN Help Wanted

### Transfer Station seeks applicants.

**T**he Town of Dublin is accepting applications for an immediate Saturday opening as a part-time (10 hours) Transfer Station Attendant. The successful applicant must be able to meet the public well, lift 50 pounds, pass a background check, and be willing to work toward attaining a Principal Operator, Step 3 State Certification.

The starting hourly rate for this entry level position is \$11-\$12 depending on experience and qualifications. Applications and job descriptions may be picked up at the Transfer Station, 176 Cobb Meadow Road, on Wednesdays, Saturdays, or Sundays from 9 am to 4 pm.

For further information, contact Tom Kennedy, Superintendent at 563-8557. The Town of Dublin is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

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## Monadnock Art's Open Studio Tour

*Three Dublin artists are on the tour this year.*

BY MARY LOFTIS

**M**onadnock Art ([monadnockart.org](http://monadnockart.org)) presents the 24th Annual Art Tour on Columbus Day weekend, October 12, 13 and 14. This year, 59 studios (some with multiple artists) will be open in Dublin and the other towns surrounding Mt. Monadnock during this, the original and largest art tour in New Hampshire.

Occurring during peak foliage season, the tour is self-guided and free.

An Opening Reception will be held at Bass Hall, 19 Grove Street, Peterborough, on Wednesday, October 9, from 5 to 7 pm. The Preview Exhibition, featuring a sampling of Art Tour participants' work, will continue at Bass Hall until October 27.

This year three Dublin artists are participating on the tour:

Kimberly Kersey-Asbury, 1127 Main Street, will be showing ceramic sculpture, painting and photography.

Rebecca Welch, 8 Old County Road, will be showing wearable fiber creations.

Susan Barker, 105 Old Marlborough Road, will be showing jewelry.

Art Tour maps are available in local stores and restaurants and on the Monadnock Art website, [monadnockart.org](http://monadnockart.org).

MARY LOFTIS is on the staff of the *Advocate*.

**Ernest L. McLean, Jr.**  
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## Blessing of the Animals

BY TRACEYMAY KALVAITIS

**E**veryone is invited to bring their pets to be blessed in the Garden Sanctuary, located behind the carriage sheds of the Dublin Community Church, at 4 pm on



Sunday, October 13.

Animals large and small are welcome and if you have a pet that has died or cannot be present for the blessing, you may

bring a photo or collar or other item to represent their life and we will bless them, too.

This is a time to appreciate all the love that animal companions bring to our lives and all they teach us. In the spirit of St. Francis, who recognized a kinship with all of nature, we will also acknowledge the wild animals that live with us here in the Monadnock Region.

In case of rain, we will gather on the front steps of the church.

TRACEYMAY KALVAITIS is the pastor of the Dublin Community Church and the Community Church of Harrisville and Chesham (CCHC).

## Howard Muscott's Photography at the JCC

**T**he Jaffrey Civic Center presents the work of self-taught photographer Howard Muscott, which has captured the beauty of the natural world and the wildlife within it for more than 40 years.

Howard's work has been published on the cover of national journals in education, in newspapers and books, and used on educational and other websites. He has won numerous awards for both wildlife and portraits, and was recently honored as the 2019-20 Artist of the Year of the Manchester Artist Association.

Howard is a lifelong special educator and retired professor who directs the New Hampshire Center for Effective Behavioral Interventions and Supports at SERESC in Bedford, NH.

The Jaffrey Civic Center is at 40 Main Street, Jaffrey; call 532-6527, e-mail [info@jaffreyciviccenter.com](mailto:info@jaffreyciviccenter.com), or for more information, visit [www.jaffreyciviccenter.com](http://www.jaffreyciviccenter.com).



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## Update from the School Board

BY BERND FOECKING

This month's update from the School Board will unfortunately be the last one I write, as I have resigned from the board effective 12/20/2019. Should our selectmen appoint a replacement to serve until the next election, I will consider resigning earlier.

It has been a great honor to serve as

your representative. Dublin is a wonderful community and the support that our children, educators, and public schools receive from within the community is strong. I encourage everyone to participate in the important and lively discussions about the education within our school district, including its funding.

As a school board member, one is

bound by "the principle that all board decisions and actions of individual board members should be prioritized by what is best for students and what enhances student achievement" ([www.nhsba.org/governanceroles.asp](http://www.nhsba.org/governanceroles.asp)). I believe the ConVal School Board exemplifies these principles through their work and their vision.

Questions around funding have consumed a big part of my time on the board. We all share the cost of our children's education. Public education is costly, especially for taxpayers in rural districts such as ours. Some are trying to reorganize the school district but are arguing with measures that are not relevant. Therefore, I would like to use this forum to remind us of an important principle to remember: Towns do not pay taxes. Taxpayers pay taxes. In the case of school funding, our towns merely collect them as a service to the district. A measure such as cost-per-pupil-per-town does not create district-wide comparable numbers; it is a fictitious measure to support a biased agenda. When comparing costs, we need to look at tax rates within our district. How much does the individual taxpayer pay on every \$100,000 of property value?

Thank you again for your support, questions, challenges, and interest in the education of the students of ConVal.

BERND FOECKING is retiring as Dublin Representative to the ConVal School Board. The Select Board appointed Alan Edelkind to be the School Board Rep for the Town until next year's election. The BOS also wants to express its thanks to Bernd for his years of dedicated service to Dublin as a member of the ConVal School Board.

### Rummage and Yard Sale

October 4 & 5  
Dublin Community Church

## DCA Homecoming and Ten Class Reunions

*Campus welcomes alumni for 53rd homecoming.*

BY BETHANY PACQUIN

On Saturday, October 12, Dublin Christian Academy will welcome alumni and friends to its campus for Homecoming festivities.

Returning graduates will challenge the

academy's varsity soccer and volleyball teams in games at Alumni Field beginning at 1 pm.

The classes of 1969, 1974, 1979, 1984, 1989, 1994, 1999, 2004, 2009, and 2014 will reunite to celebrate milestone anni-

versaries of their DCA graduation.

To conclude the festivities, the school will host alumni, friends, current students, families, faculty, and staff for the Blue & Gold Barbeque on the upper campus.

BETHANY PACQUIN is Development Assistant at Dublin Christian Academy. She can be reached at 563-8505 ext. 16 or visit [dublinchristian.org](http://dublinchristian.org).



The DCA Class of 1969 will celebrate its 50th class reunion.

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## DCS News

*Come to the Annual Harvest Supper, and the Halloween Parade.*

BY NICOLE PEASE

It is hard to believe the school year is already a month underway! With the quick change to cooler fall weather, DCS staff and students moved swiftly into the routines of school.

Staff spent much of the first month of school focused on strengthening the social and emotional development of our students. This work begins with identifying students' and parents' hopes and dreams. These are used to develop classroom and schoolwide expectations. Throughout these activities, the school motto of "DCS Cares...for ourselves, each other, our school and community" is kept in mind. All this work deepens our strong sense of community, which positively impacts students' sense of belonging and in turn supports increased academic growth.

October also means many of the fall benchmark assessments have been completed. Although time consuming, the results of these assessments guide the teachers' lessons and grouping in the



classrooms. These scores are also used to assess student progress throughout the year and our effectiveness as a school. We use this information to create goals for the next school year and beyond.

At DCS's first community lunch on September 27, we welcomed families and local community members to attend the meal with our students at 12:15 pm. It is so lovely to see our children and adults engaged in lunch and conversation.

We enjoyed a new fall whole-school

field trip to Magic Wings in Deerfield, MA. DCS has been designated an official Monarch Waystation through the Monarch Watch Program — and our students love butterflies! This was a wonderful way to foster this love of butterflies and other creatures.

The Cornucopia Project returned this fall to harvest the bounty in the garden. It was a challenging growing season, between a rainy cool spring, sneaky creatures eating the seedlings, and a hot summer. Lauren Judd with the Cornucopia Project spent a good amount of time restoring the gardens in preparation for the fall program. We are hopeful for the garden harvest to be used in part at our Annual Harvest Supper & Open House on October 18 from 6 to 7:30 pm. We will also continue the tradition of the Halloween Parade, when schoolchildren in their costumes walk up the hill and around the center of town on October 31 at 9:30 am.

DCS is a very special place! If you would like to come see all that is going on at our school, please do so; simply give us a call first at 563-8332.

NICOLE PEASE, M.Ed., has been Teaching Principal at DCS since 2018-2019. Prior to that, she was Principal for two years.

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## The 2020 Old Farmer's Almanac is Here

*Frequent snow events forecasted.*

The 2020 Old Farmer's Almanac, published in Dublin with more than three million print copies each year, is warning that this winter's shivers, snowflakes, and slush will transform the landscape.

"This winter will be remembered for big chills and strong storms bringing a steady roofbeat of heavy rain and sleet, not to mention piles of snow," says Janice Stillman, editor of *The Old Farmer's Almanac*, which was 80.5% accurate in predicting last winter's wild weather.

*The 2020 Old Farmer's Almanac*

provides weather predictions for Alaska, Hawaii, and 16 regions across the continental U.S.

While the Almanac's prognosticators still use a formula created by founder Robert B. Thomas, the methodology now includes state-of-the-art technology and modern scientific calculations.

*The 2020 Old Farmer's Almanac* is \$7.99. Pick up a copy wherever books



and magazines are sold, or by calling 800-ALMANAC. Save a tree with the digital version from [Almanac.com/Shop](http://Almanac.com/Shop), iTunes, or Amazon.

## Black Fly Story Hour Returns!



*Hear true stories from community folks of all ages.*

See an all-new lineup of storytellers at Black Fly Story Hour #9 on Friday, October 25, at 7:30 pm in the Lucy Hurlin Theatre at ConVal High School. General admission of \$15 will benefit the construction of the Thornton

Wilder Center for the Arts.

Tricia Rose Burt of *The Moth* will return as emcee for this twice-yearly popular event. Buy tickets online at [thorntonwildercenterforthearts.org](http://thorntonwildercenterforthearts.org) or at Toadstool Bookshop, Peterborough.

By advance purchase only!

## DHS 1841 Schoolhouse Museum

BY RUSTY BASTEDO

In support of a weekend celebrating Monadnock Region arts and artists, the Dublin Historical Society's 1841 Schoolhouse Museum will be open from 12 to 2 pm Saturday and Sunday, Columbus Day Weekend, October 12 & 13.

Located on Dublin's Main Street and close to Dublin Consolidated School, the Museum exhibits collections made in 1852,

when the town celebrated 100 years of existence; and

in 1876, when our country celebrated its first 100 years.

This is a look at our town before the automobile and before electricity, as interpreted in Schoolhouse Number One, a center of learning for 90 years, from 1841 to 1931. Plan to stop in for a look at Dublin's horsepower economy, which drove our town independently of gasoline.

RUSTY BASTEDO is on the staff of the *Advocate*.



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## Dublin Community Preschool & Childcare Center Update

BY SHEENA BALDWIN

We dove right into fall at Dublin Community Preschool and Childcare Center. Preschoolers have been learning about colors and worked hard on making their own versions of the *Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What do you see?* by Bill Martin Jr. and Eric Carle.

The preschool class did some color experimentation with a local Tie Dye expert, Meegan Collier. Thank you to Meegan for sharing her expertise with us.

The Harris Center for Outdoor Education sent Ms. Jaime with crickets to see, hold, and observe. The children ventured outdoors with teachers to locate where crickets hide during the day. Ms. Jaime will continue to provide the children of DCP with monthly installments of information and explorations of plants, bugs, mammals, amphibians, and birds of prey.

October includes Fire Safety Week. The children will learn all about fire safety and prevention. We will also practice some of our emergency response drills and evacuations that staff recently learned about during an Emergency Preparedness Training through ChildCare Aware of New Hampshire.

If you have a special talent, skill, or hobby that you would like to share with the children at DCP, please reach out to DCP at [info@dublinpreschoolandchildcare.org](mailto:info@dublinpreschoolandchildcare.org) or call 563-8508.

SHEENA BALDWIN is the Director of the Dublin Community Preschool & Childcare Center.

## News from the DCS Parent-Teachers Organization

*PTO supports art enrichment activities, field trips, and special school events.*

BY LISA BUDZIK

Thank you to everyone who purchased mums from our fall plant sale. As always, it was a great success. All proceeds will support field trips, arts enrichment activities, and special school events.

Our next sale will be holiday poinsettias, and we will accept orders beginning around Thanksgiving. Please feel free to call DCS at 563-8332 to place your order.

Lamy's Black Belt Academy of Peterborough, a wonderful program that focuses

on character building and the martial arts, is welcomed back to instruct a 12-week fall session.

On Thursday, October 10, the children will be completing their annual fall Walk to School. The walk will begin at the Dublin General Store and end at the school. Be sure to wave if you are driving by!

On Friday, October 18, is the DCS Harvest Supper & Open House. This is a beloved school community event, held each new school year to welcome students and families new and old for 2019-2020.

LISA BUDZIK is the DCS PTO Secretary. Other members include Serena Berube, Erin Nolan, Corey Boyd, and Karen Niemela.

Kiya Dodge, Danika Carter, and Lily Albert climbed up into the new town excavator at the Police Department's BBQ and Touch-A-Truck held September 15 in Yankee's lot.



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## October Events at the DubHub

### Code Club Fall Session

Code Club will start its fall session on Thursday, October 3, from 3:30 to 4:30 pm. The club is open to any Dublin students, grades 2 through 8, as long as they can read.

This free session will run weekly through November 21 (but will not meet on Halloween, October 31). This session is limited to 15 students. Interested people may email [dubhubcodeclub@gmail.com](mailto:dubhubcodeclub@gmail.com).

### Song Circle Gathers

Song Circle will meet on Friday, October 4, at 7:30 pm. This is an informal gathering

of guitar players, bassists, mandolinists, singers, fiddlers, and other instrumentalists, as well as audience members. The group plays a variety of folk, pop, blues, and Americana from the past 60 years or so. Bring 10 copies of chord sheets if you want others to play along.

For information, email Bruce Simpson at [Bruce\\_Simpson@msn.com](mailto:Bruce_Simpson@msn.com). Donations to the DubHub are welcome. BYOB.

### Ongoing Fitness Classes

Qigong classes meet on Wednesdays from noon to 1 pm and are instructed by Ginnette G. Groome, a nationally certi-

fied massage therapist. Qigong, which is based on Traditional Chinese Medicine, is a natural extension of her practice. Please contact Ginnette at [ammatwirl@aol.com](mailto:ammatwirl@aol.com) or call 313-9828.

Dance Fitness with Deb classes are held on Mondays from 5:30 to 6:30 pm, and are geared to aerobic dance enthusiasts wanting a low-impact, moderate workout. For information, call Deb at 603-563-8648 or email her at [fredebg@myfairpoint.net](mailto:fredebg@myfairpoint.net).

Gentle Yoga classes are held Wednesdays from 4 pm to 5:15 pm. Email [margaretsgurney@gmail.com](mailto:margaretsgurney@gmail.com) with questions.

### Leaf Seligman, Author Presentation

On Monday, October 7, the Dublin Community Center, in cooperation with Bauhan Publishing, will present an interactive talk with author Leaf Seligman. The free presentation begins at 7 pm and will last about an hour. Leaf will include readings and discussion based

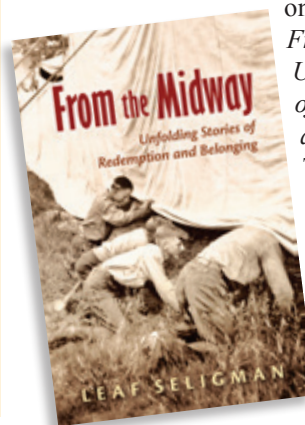


on her new book, *From the Midway: Unfolding Stories of Redemption and Belonging*. This collection of stories traces the journeys of people who traveled through the Jim Crow South. Leaf Seligman has taught writ-

### Quilts by Wendy Parker

The art quilts of Wendy Parker are being shown during October. The opening reception will be Friday, October 4, from 5 to 7 pm. Admission is free and open to the public, and refreshments will be served.

Wendy is inspired by the natural world and the colors, textures and patterns that can be found by looking closely. She writes: "All of my art quilts are free motion quilted (FMQ) on a domestic sewing machine in my home."



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ing in colleges, jails, prisons, and community settings since 1985 and worked as a minister, a jail chaplain, a youth services caseworker, and a restorative justice practitioner. Books will be available for purchase and signing.

### Community Lunch & The Nurse Is In

Join us Tuesday, October 15, for home-cooked tomato bisque and grilled cheddar cheese, salad, sweets, and drinks. Cost is \$3. Lunch is served from noon to 1 pm. Come enjoy conversation with your neighbors over a tasty meal! Also at noon, Home Healthcare, Hospice and Community Services (HCS) is offering a Nurse Is In wellness clinic. The HCS wellness nurse will check blood pressures and answer any questions about home care or health concerns. This screening is open to residents of all area towns and is offered free of charge. No appointment necessary.

### Bring Your Own Ukulele

The Monadnock Ukulele Group meets on the third Friday from 7 to 9 pm. Song lists emailed to participants ahead of each meeting and each member must bring their own copy. No lessons given, but easy two- and three-chord songs are always included. Please email Nancy at [thoreaucottage@gmail.com](mailto:thoreaucottage@gmail.com) or call 785-9857 to request a song list or to be put on the monthly email list. Beginners through advanced uke players are welcome.

### Open Mic Meets on Fourth Friday

The monthly Open Mic will be on Friday, October 25, starting at 7 pm. Come prepared to do three songs or 15-minute sets. Performance order determined randomly. Attendees may bring a

### Save these DubHub Dates

**November 16**  
Dublin Story Hour (Benefit for the DubHub) 7–9 pm

**December 13**  
Holiday Sing-along 7–9 pm

**January 31**  
Fifth Friday Folk Show (Benefit Concert for MATS) 7–9:30 pm

### Mimi Bull Discusses Her New Memoir

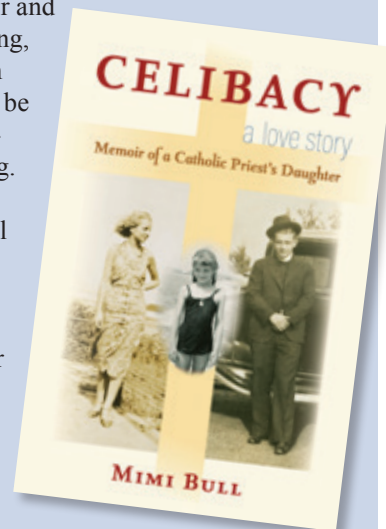
Author Mimi Bull will be discussing her new memoir, *Celibacy — A Love Story: Memoir of a Catholic Priest's Daughter*, Monday, October 21 at 7 pm. This free event, co-sponsored by the Dublin Community Center and



Bauhan Publishing, will last about an hour. Books will be available for purchase and signing.

Born in the 1930s, Mimi Bull grew up believing she'd been adopted by two women, a mother

and daughter. She discovered her father was the Catholic priest she'd known as a family friend. In this memoir, Bull writes lovingly of her parents and of their efforts to forge a life as a family.



snack to share and BYOB. Coffee, tea, and water will be available. Admission (\$5) benefits the DubHub. Sign up at [info@dublincommunitycenter.org](mailto:info@dublincommunitycenter.org), or at the door.

### Community Forum: Dynamic Teens

Dublin's Dynamic Teens at this Community Forum on Saturday, October 26, from 4:30 to 5:30 pm, will feature students from Dublin who are passionate about the extracurricular activities they are involved in. Slated to be on the program are Quinn Wilson, Aggie Macy, and Ella DrakeUnderkoffler. If you know a Dublin teen who would like to speak for five minutes about their favorite activity, please email the DubHub at [info@dublincommunitycenter.org](mailto:info@dublincommunitycenter.org). This free event will conclude with a pizza party!

### Do You Have a DNA Story to Tell?

On November 23, the Community Forum will be "My DNA Story." Several community members have agreed to share their unique DNA story. If you would like to be on the program, email Volkert at

[info@dublincommunitycenter.org](mailto:info@dublincommunitycenter.org). There will also be an opportunity for audience members to ask questions or to tell their own stories during the discussion period.

### Dublin Smartphone Photo Contest Rules

1. Open to all Dubliners. Deadline December 1.
2. DubHub employees and board members may not enter.
3. All entries will be on display at the DubHub in January 2020.
4. Winners and honorable mentions will be announced January 3.
5. All entries must have been taken on a smart phone. Photos must be taken within the town limits of Dublin, NH, between December 1, 2018 and December 1, 2019. Post-production effects permitted. Submit all high-resolution images to [dubhubphotocontest@gmail.com](mailto:dubhubphotocontest@gmail.com).

For more information, email Volkert at [info@dublincommunitycenter.org](mailto:info@dublincommunitycenter.org).

The DubHub is open for Coffee & Conversation on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays from 9 am to noon. On Mondays the Hub is open until 5 pm. On Wednesdays the Hub is closed from noon to 1, but then is open again from 1 to 4 pm. Call 563-8080 with questions.

## MRC Hosts Community Walk for Recovery

*To help de-stigmatize recovery from Substance Use Disorder.*

A Community Walk for Recovery hosted by the Monadnock Rotary Club is a walking event from Dublin School to Historic Harrisville's Granite Mill (mostly downhill), on Sunday, October 20, starting at 1 pm and ending with exhibits and a speaker by 4 pm at the Mill (Spinning Room).

Participants may get registration forms by going to [MonadnockRotary.org](http://MonadnockRotary.org) and clicking on the Walk icon, or picking up registration forms at the Dublin General Store or the Harrisville General Store. You also can sign up on the day of the event.

There is a suggested donation of \$10 for individuals over 12 years old and free for those younger. For non-walkers, come gather at the Harrisville Granite Mill by 2 pm to talk with a variety of exhibitors and experts from the recovery field.

## The Joy in Showing Up

*Creative movements supporting immigrants and our futures.*

BY BALMEET KAUR KHALSA

On Monday, October 14, from 7 to 8:30 pm at the Dublin Community Center (Hub), four women will come together to discuss their projects around the immigration crisis, their inspiration for such powerful work, and ways that others can participate. This event is not sponsored by the Hub.

Grace Aldrich will share her upcoming journey, "Walking with Grace," and offer opportunities for others to participate in her unfolding practice of humanity inspired by teachers and leaders who have walked as a practice of liberation. Beginning January 1, 2020, Aldrich will travel 1700+ miles from the Widow Jane Cave in Rosendale, NY, to Galveston, TX, ending on Juneteenth Day. She and her walkers will visit different prisons serving as ICE detention centers and meeting with communities along the way, bearing witness, sharing stories, and bridging the gap between communities, envisioning a world

where everyone belongs and thrives.

Sue Hay will speak about Project Hope, a grassroots organization that helps asylum seekers move from detention centers into our communities as they await asylum hearings. A community-based model now forming in the Monadnock Region, they are developing a network of community coalitions to provide housing, legal, medical, educational, and other forms of support for at least five asylum-seeking families or individuals.

Marjorie Margolis will speak about an upcoming Border Awareness Experience (BAE), a trip from November 9 to 16 to El Paso that will provide an opportunity to put a face to the Immigrant, the Refugee, and the Border Patrol Agent. BAE is a program developed by Annunciation House, a nonprofit in El Paso serving people who are the migrant, the homeless, and the economically vulnerable since 1978.

Glen Ring, now exhibiting at the Marioposa, will share her firsthand experiences at the Homestead Child Detention Center and discuss the traveling version of the "Uncaged Art" exhibit from teens incar-

## Julie Rizzo Joins the Advocate Staff

BY MARY LOFTIS

The staff of *The Dublin Advocate* is pleased to welcome Julie Rizzo, who moved to town about two years ago with her husband Frank and their hound dog Cleo. Julie works as a writer for the Communications Office at Franklin Pierce University in Rindge. Although she and Frank moved here from MA, their family (which includes three grown children) previously lived in Bedford, NH, for 25 years. During that time, they regularly brought their kids to visit the Friendly Farm, which is how Dublin remained on their radar when they were house hunting.

Both Julie and Frank have a deep love of music and all things green and growing. They have joined the choir at the Dublin Community Church, and are thrilled with the sense of welcome and community in Dublin.

MARY LOFTIS has been on the staff of the *Advocate* since 2010.



Photo by Frank Rizzo

cerated at the Tornillo Detention Center in Texas.

There will be light refreshments after and plenty of time for conversation.

BALMEET KAUR KHALSA will moderate the event. For any queries prior to the evening, please contact [balmeetkhal@gmail.com](mailto:balmeetkhal@gmail.com).



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## Pack Monadnock 15th Season Sees Results

BY PHIL BROWN

The Pack Monadnock Raptor Observatory, a partnership of the Harris Center and NH Audubon, located within Miller State Park in Peterborough, is already in full swing for its 15th consecutive season! Mid-September was the height of Broad-winged Hawk migration, and the forecast called for continued moderate to large flights of raptors.

There was much excitement and anticipation September 13 as a flight of 2,300 Broad-winged Hawks passed over the raptor observatory, much of this taking place during a couple of hours early in the day. In addition to Broad-wings, we are starting to see bigger flights of Bald Eagle, Osprey, Sharp-shinned Hawk, and American Kestrel – each of which has placed in the double-digits already. As Broad-wings begin to wane, raptor diversity reaches its peak around the end of September and into October.

Come out alongside staff and volunteers to learn about and marvel at the spectacle and science of raptor migration!

The Harris Center staff and volunteers continue to make special efforts to provide



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programming to visiting school groups and the general public, enhancing the environmental literacy of visitors to the Observatory. For more information, please visit [harriscenter.org/conservation-research/pack-monadnock-raptor-observatory](http://harriscenter.org/conservation-research/pack-monadnock-raptor-observatory).

Thanks to the many volunteers, supporters, and partners of this project, in par-

ticular, NH Parks and the Department of Cultural and Natural Resources, the Observatory will remain an outdoor classroom for all to enjoy for many years to come.

See you on the Mountain!

PHIL BROWN is Hawk Watch Coordinator for the Harris Center for Conservation Education.

## NH Hunting Season Started September 1

*More than a million acres of public land open to hunting.*

Fall hunting seasons kicked off September 1 with the opening of black bear and gray squirrel seasons. Archery seasons for turkey and white-tailed deer began September 15. The statewide resident Canada goose hunt ended September 25.

Numerous opportunities exist for hunters this fall. Highlights of NH hunting seasons can be found in the *New Hampshire Hunting and Trapping Digest*. Pick up a free copy where you buy your license, or visit [huntnh.com/hunting/publications.html](http://huntnh.com/hunting/publications.html).

Please consult the *Digest* or visit Fish and Game for an overview of NH's fall hunting seasons at [www.huntnh.com](http://www.huntnh.com).

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## OCTOBER 2019 Dublin Town Events

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>BOS</b> Board of Selectmen <b>DCC</b> Dublin Community Church <b>DCS</b> Dublin Consolidated School <b>DPL</b> Dublin Public Library <b>DS</b> Dublin School		<b>1 DCC MRC</b> 7:30 am; <b>DPL</b> Book Buddies 3:45 pm; HillTop Group 6:45 pm	<b>2 HUB</b> Coffee 9-noon Open 1-4 pm; Qigong 12-1 pm; <b>DPL</b> Republicans 6 pm; StoryTime 9:30 am; <b>DCC</b> TwoHat Group 7 pm	<b>3 HUB</b> Code Club 3:30-4:30 pm; <b>DPL</b> Book Group 6:30 pm	<b>4 HUB</b> Coffee 9-noon; Art Reception 5-7 pm; Song Circle 7:30-9:30 pm; <b>DCC</b> Rummage Sale 1-6pm	<b>5 DCC</b> Rummage and Yard Sale 8 am-noon
<b>6</b>	<b>7 HUB</b> Coffee 9-noon, Open-5 pm; Dance With Deb 5:30-6:30 pm; <b>TH BOS</b> 4 pm; <b>DPL</b> Raylynmor meeting 6 pm	<b>8 DCC MRC</b> 7:30 am; <b>DPL</b> BookBuddies 3:45 pm; HillTop Group 6:45 pm	<b>9 HUB</b> Coffee 9-noon Open 1-4 pm; Qigong 12-1 pm; <b>DPL</b> StoryTime 9:30 am; Trustees 7 pm; Monadnock Art Tour Preview Bass Hall P'boro 5-7 pm; <b>DCC</b> TwoHat Group 7 pm	<b>10 DCS</b> Walk to School; <b>HUB</b> Code Club 3:30-4:30 pm	<b>11 HUB</b> Coffee 9-noon	<b>12</b> 24th Annual Art Tour
<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;">Fire Prevention Week October 6-12</div>						
<b>13 DCC</b> Blessing of the Animals 4 pm; 24th Annual Art Tour	<b>14 Columbus Day</b> <b>HUB</b> Coffee 9-noon, Open-5 pm; Dance with Deb 5:30-6:30 pm; <b>TH BOS</b> 4 pm; 24th Annual Art Tour	<b>15 DCC MRC</b> 7:30 am; <b>HUB</b> Community Lunch/Nurse Is In Noon-1 pm; <b>DPL</b> BookBuddies 3:45 pm; HillTop Group 6:30 pm; Republicans Exec. 5 pm; Dublin Lake Preservation 6:45 pm	<b>16 HUB</b> Coffee 9-noon, Open 1-4 pm; Qigong 12-1 pm; <b>DPL</b> StoryTime 9:30 am; <b>DCC</b> TwoHat Group 7 pm; <b>TH</b> Conservation Committee 7 pm	<b>17 HUB</b> Code Club 3:30-4:30 pm; <b>DPL</b> Recycle 6 pm	<b>18 HUB</b> Coffee 9-noon; Ukelele Group 7-9 pm; <b>DCS</b> Harvest Supper & Open House 6-7:30 pm	<b>19 DPL FDPL</b> Ceramic Workshop 10 am
<b>20 MRC</b> Community Walk on Recovery from Dublin to Harrisville, 1 pm	<b>21 HUB</b> Coffee 9-noon, Open-5 pm; Dance with Deb 5:30-6:30 pm; Mimi Bull's Book Talk 7-8 pm; <b>TH BOS</b> 4 pm	<b>22 DCC MRC</b> 7:30 am; <b>DPL</b> Book Buddies 3:45 pm; HillTop Group 6:45 pm; <b>DCC</b> Community Supper 5:30 pm	<b>23 HUB</b> Coffee 9-noon; Qigong 12-1 pm; Open 1-4 pm; <b>DPL</b> StoryTime 9:30 am; <b>DCC</b> TwoHat Group 7 pm	<b>24 HUB</b> Code Club 3:30-4:30 pm; <b>TH ZBA</b> 7 pm	<b>25 HUB</b> Coffee 9-noon; Open Mic 7-9:30 pm; <b>DPL</b> Monadnock Trustees noon	<b>26 HUB</b> Forum: Dynamic Teens 4:30-5:30 pm; <b>DS</b> Halloween Party 2-3:30 pm
<b>27</b> Last day Monadnock Art Tour Preview Bass Hall, Peterborough	<b>28 HUB</b> Coffee 9-noon, Open-5 pm; Dance with Deb 5:30-6:30 pm; Leaf Seligman's Book Talk 7-8 pm; <b>TH BOS</b> 4 pm	<b>29 DCC MRC</b> 7:30 am; <b>DPL</b> BookBuddies 3:45 pm; HillTop Group 6:45 pm	<b>30 HUB</b> Coffee 9-noon; Qigong 12-1 pm; Open 1-4 pm; <b>DPL</b> StoryTime 9:30 am; <b>DCC</b> TwoHat Group 7 pm	<b>31 HALLOWEEN DCS</b> Halloween Parade 9:30 am; Town Trick or Treat 5:30-7:30 pm; <b>DCA</b> Trunk or Treat 5:30-7:30 pm	<b>DWC</b> Dublin Women's Club <b>HUB</b> Dublin Community Center <b>MRC</b> Monadnock Rotary Club <b>TH</b> Town Hall, Dublin <b>ZBA</b> Zoning Board of Adjustment	

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