

# Brentwood NEWSLETTER



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## Memorial Day Observances



Jon "Chief" Worrall opened the ceremonies, as Pastor Allen Cook, Sen. Russell Prescott and Brentwood Cub Scouts listened carefully.



Chief Worrall invited all veterans to come into the circle and led the large crowd in applauding their years of service.

The morning was sunny, cool and beautiful at the Flagpole Garden area of the Tonry Cemetery. As Jon Worrall, CPO, USN, opened the ceremony promptly at 8:00 am, he was obviously pleased that the number of citizens in attendance was larger even than last year's gathering, and that parents were bringing their children. He stressed again the purpose of Memorial Day, which was echoed several times during the next half hour – to honor the memory of those who have died in the service of their country, and to honor those still with us who have served in the Armed Forces to preserve the freedoms we enjoy.

The order of events followed a familiar pattern. Members of the Brentwood Fire and Police Departments formed a double line as Piper Gordon Wilson in full Scots regalia led the procession of Scouts to their places in the Flagpole Circle. Pastor Allen Cook led the opening prayer, and two Scouts raised and lowered the U.S. and New Hampshire flags, assisted by two leaders and Bob Gilbert, Cemetery Superintendent. The Scouts led the Pledge of Allegiance. Brief addresses were made by Selectman Jane Byrne, State Rep. Curtis Grace and State Sen. Russell Prescott. A wreath honoring the dead was presented by American Legion Post 51 of Epping, followed by a triple gun salute and "Taps."

Albert Belanger, Cemetery Trustee, stepped forward to speak about Abraham Lincoln's great memorial tribute, the Gettysburg Address, and delivered it from memory. It seems to gain in meaning each year. Chief Worrall invited and urged all the veterans in attendance to come to the circle, where they received a heartfelt, resounding round of applause for their years of service in the Armed Forces. Small flags representing each of the services were then placed at the stone memorial at the rear of the circle. All stood in silence while piper Gordon Wilson played the well loved "Amazing Grace," followed by the benediction by Pastor Cook.

At that point Ed Doris stepped forward and gave an extended account of the reasons for the continental breakfast awaiting everyone at the Pilgrim Church. He urged all to come and enjoy the refreshment, the music and the community spirit of the occasion.

The Memorial Day ceremonies have been well done since they first began in the early 1990s. At this point they are without question the most beautiful, meaningful public event of the year in Brentwood.

*Linda Rousseau*

*Please see page 3*

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Phone: 642-6400 X 14  
 Mon., Wed., Thurs. 9:00-4:30  
 Tuesday 9:00-8:00  
 Friday 8:30-4:00  
 Saturday Closed

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Phone: 642-3355 E-mail: [bartlettlibrary@comcast.net](mailto:bartlettlibrary@comcast.net)  
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 Monday 2-7 Thursday 9-7  
 Tuesday 9-5 Friday 9-1  
 Wednesday 9-5 Saturday 9-1

**TOWN ADMINISTRATOR**

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 Monday–Thursday 8:00-4:00  
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**Notes from the Town Clerk/Tax Collector**

- Fines for unlicensed dogs will start June 1. Civil Forfeitures will also be started in June. The cost is \$25.00 for each unlicensed dog plus late fees. Please license your dog!
- Two checks are needed to register both cars and boats, one for the State and one for the Town.
- The office is closed on Saturdays in June, July and August.
- The 2012 taxes will go to lien June 26, 2013. The first issues of 2013 have all been mailed. If you haven't received one please call this office! They are due July 1st.

*Phyllis Thompson*

**June Recycling Pick-Up Dates**

June 4 & 5  
 June 18 & 19

**The Town Directory**

The updated Town Directory is included in this issue. Tear it out and keep it handy. An expanded version with a **Town Map** is available at no charge at the Town Clerk's and Selectmen's Offices. These are compiled as a service by the *Brentwood Newsletter*.

**Disposal at Highway Shed**

You may dispose of brush, bulky goods, and scrap metal at the Town Highway Shed. Hazardous waste (TV's, computer monitors, tires, etc.), demolition or construction debris is not accepted. For a list of permitted bulky goods or scrap metal please contact Wayne Robinson, Road Agent, at 775 7654 or the selectmen's office at 642 6400 x.10.

Just a reminder, the bulky goods dumpster is available as a courtesy to the residents. If you notice that the dumpster is full, please do NOT leave your items at the highway shed or in front of the gate.

**July-August Issue**

The **next issue** of the Newsletter will be a **combined July-August** issue, covering information from July 12 to September 7. The deadline for that information will be **Friday, June 28**. Please call or email if you have any questions.

*Linda Rousseau, Editor*

580-2358 [lindarou@comcast.net](mailto:lindarou@comcast.net)

**Waste Tonnage Figures**

	<u>Mar</u>	<u>Apr</u>
Tons, mixed solid waste	93.97	124.22
Tons, recycled goods	27.52 (22.7%)	36.39 (22.7%)

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 or e-mail to [lindarou@comcast.net](mailto:lindarou@comcast.net)

## Memorial Day continued



Cub Scouts from Brentwood Pack 192 marched to the Flagpole Circle, assisted with the flag raising and led the Pledge of Allegiance. Pictured above after the ceremony: Front row - Ethan Moss, Jackson Lasewicz, and Sean McGonigle. Second row - Michael Diaz, Gavin Bond, Quinn Phillips, Damon Grace, Nathaniel Walker, and Zachary Shields. Back row - Seth Moss, Jon "Chief" Worrall, Pastor Allen Cook, and Garrett Lasewicz. Not pictured - Scout Owen Grace and Den Leader Chris Shields.

## Why So Early on Memorial Day?

A resident recently asked why Brentwood's Memorial Day Ceremony starts so early in the morning, when other towns seem to start at 10:00 or 11:00.

The answer: an important segment of the ceremony – the military color guard, the gun salute, the presentation of the wreath, and the bugler playing "Taps" – is provided by Epping's Post 51. They start very early in the morning and go to many towns, providing the same service well into the day. Because we're close, it was arranged long ago that they would arrive about 8:15 to perform for us. Our routine varies slightly from year to year, depending on when they arrive.

This writer is known to be a notorious night owl. Pulling myself out of the house so early used to feel like a real duty trip. No more. It is so rewarding to see all who are contributing to this fine event, performing at their best, that I wouldn't miss it. – *Editor*.

## Thank You

I want to extend a special and heartfelt Thank You to all who sent me the beautiful get well cards. Your good wishes and prayers made my recovery speedy and easier. Every one of you took part in the outcome of my recent heart surgery.

Thank You, Thank You, Thank You,

*Jane Byrne*

## The 4th of July in Brentwood The Parade

Come and be in the parade, or cheer from the sidelines! No need to register ahead. All welcome – floats, cars, trucks, youth groups, adult groups, bikes, trikes, wagons, horses, farm animals, pets – all to celebrate the birthday of this wonderful country.

Line up at Swasey School at 9:00 a.m. Thursday, July 4. Step-off at 10:00 a.m. sharp.

## Open House at the Museum

After the parade, drop in at the Museum, 140 Crawley Falls Road, to see a Boy Scout collection of badges from around the world, on loan for the summer, old tools, toys, farm implements. Browse through our scrapbooks in the library corner. And have a **complimentary hot dog and lemonade**. Museum open until 1:00 PM.

*From the office of the Superintendent, SAU16*

## High School Celebrations

Commencement Exercises for **Great Bay eLearning Charter School** will be held on Wednesday, June 5, 2013 at 6:00 pm at the Tuck Learning Campus on Linden Street in Exeter. Festivities will be held outdoors, weather permitting.

Graduation activities for the **Exeter Adult Education Program** will be held on Wednesday, June 5, 2013 at 7:00 pm in the Arthur L. Hanson III Center for the Performing Arts at Exeter High School

The Certificate Ceremony for the **Seacoast School of Technology** seniors will be held on Thursday, June 6, 2013 at 5:30 pm in the Arthur L. Hanson III Center for the Performing Arts at Exeter High School

Commencement Exercises for the **Exeter High School Class of 2013** will be held on Friday, June 14, 2013 at 5:30 pm at the high school. Festivities will be held outdoors, weather permitting.

Please note that all of these events are open to the public. Community members are cordially invited to attend.

## The Mary E. Bartlett Memorial Library

Thanks to a generous donation from the Friends of the Library and the creative energy of Joyce Miller, we have another amazing summer of fun and learning in store at the Library. This year's theme is "**Dig into Reading!**" It will kick off with an exciting family event at **6:00pm** on Monday, **June 24** when Magician **Peter Boie** performs astounding feats here at the library. According to Peter, he started learning magic at age 11 from a book he checked out of his local library. That interest turned into a career as a professional magician which has taken him all around the country. What book at our library will change YOUR life this summer? Come let the magician and the magic of the library inspire you at this fun event! All ages welcome.

Registration for July craft and literacy workshops will begin at **8:00am** on **Saturday, June 15** at the Library. When registering for programs, please take note of the age limits and refer to your personal calendar – thank you! Each child may register for 3 programs to start, but all are welcome to add their name to the wait-list for any other program. Registration for **Summer Reading** will begin on **June 24**, when participants may pick up their Reading Packets. Please check the library website for a complete list of Summer Reading activities.

New this year: The **Summer Reading Buddies Club** for students ages 12 and 13! Here's a chance for 'tweens to lend a helping hand to the library's Summer Reading Program while taking part in some fun (and top secret!) activities just for club members. The Club will meet Tuesday mornings from 10:30-Noon, **June 25 – July 30**. Membership forms can be found at the library and on our website and will be accepted through June 21.

Teen Summer Volunteer applications are now available online and at the library. We will contact all applicants by June 21 for July volunteer service.

A special program about **Earthworms** for children ages 4 to 8 will be here from **1- 2pm** on **June 13**. Come and meet some squirmy fellows from the Seacoast Science Center and learn how they help gardens grow. (Each participant will get to put one in OUR garden!) Please register for this fun event by email or by stopping by the library.

And now a word about adult programs...

**Ladies' Night Movie** will be held on Thursday, **June 20** at **7pm**. We'll be showing Dustin Hoffman's 2013 film "**Quartet**," starring Maggie Smith, Tom Courtenay and Billy Connolly (PG-13).

The **Brentwood Bookers** will be meeting on Monday, **June 24** at **7pm** to discuss "**The Sandcastle Girls**" by Chris Bohjalian. Copies of the book are now available at the Circulation Desk.

We're hosting several events for armchair travelers this summer. Author and Mount Everest conqueror Ed

Webster will be here on July 18, while on August 1, Victoria Lang of Holderness, NH will describe her part in bringing libraries to the rural parts of the African nation of Botswana. Mark your calendars for these two fascinating events!

Last, but not least, the next Library Trustee meeting will be held at the Library on **Monday, June 17** at 6:30pm. As always, the public is welcome to attend.

Check it all out @ your library!

*Betsy Solon, Library Director*

## Friends of the Library

The Friends had another fun and successful Book/Bake sale. We would like to express our sincere thanks to all those that baked and helped sell the baked goods and books. Without your continued help and support we would not be able to offer the great programs and passes we do.

Speaking of passes, we have lots of passes for your enjoyment. The Museum of Science in Boston, Children's Museum in NH, Canterbury Shaker Village and McAuliffe-Shepard Discovery, Squam Lakes and Seacoast Science Center. Stop by the library to get your passes and enjoy what New Hampshire and Massachusetts have to offer.

Coming this fall is our annual Scarecrow Festival – stay tuned for more information about getting your scarecrows ready. We have booked some fun entertainment for this year's event. Mark your calendars for October 26 for this exciting day. We are again looking for businesses to sponsor the contest – the cost is \$25 and will offer you free publicity.

If you are interested in receiving email reminders about upcoming events simply email [marybartlett76@yahoo.com](mailto:marybartlett76@yahoo.com) and we would be happy to add you to our list. We do not share this information with anyone else.

*Cheryl Scott*

## A Thank You Letter

The family of Ken Smith would like to express their sincere thanks to the Brentwood Police, Fire and Rescue for their response and care of our father on the morning of March 26, 2013. Your kindness and professionalism were so greatly appreciated by him and us.

We also would like to thank our many friends and neighbors for your thoughts, prayers and kindness shown during Ken's illness and passing.

Sincerely,

*Janice Smith, Debra Smith Flagg, Dawn Smith Higley, Linda Smith Bergeron and Paul Smith*

## News from the Brentwood Trails Committee

Work is progressing on the descriptions of all trails in the Brentwood trail system. At the meeting on April 1, Rebecca Davis presented draft descriptions of the Old Bartlett Road, Martin, and Haigh Road trails. Distances, times, and points of interest will be included, and these descriptions should help users when choosing and



Rebecca Davis and Debbie Briscoe

enjoying a trail.

Members of the committee did trail maintenance on the Martin Trail on Saturday, April 12. And work was begun on clearing a path at the Fish and Game Farm property on South Road on May 6.

The Trails Committee is looking for someone to mow a path two or three times a year for the Stevens Meadow Trail, adjacent to Old Haigh Road and located on town conservation land. This will require a tractor with a mower. If anyone can help out, please contact committee chair, Debbie Briscoe at [brentwoodtrails@aol.com](mailto:brentwoodtrails@aol.com).

The Brentwood Trails Committee helps to maintain, sign and monitor trails in town to provide healthful outdoor recreation, to understand the importance of natural areas for our environment and to assist landowners who allow trail use on their property. The committee meets on the first Monday of the month at the Brentwood Town Offices at 7:00 p.m. New members and interested individuals are welcome.

*Karen Ellis*

## Mailing Crew for May

Many thanks on behalf of the community to those in the South Road/Lake Road area who assembled the May issue of the *Newsletter* for mailing: Ruth-Ann and Chris Cooper, Tim Bond and June Little, Kirsten and Anthony Philipps, and Jen Sherman.

*Linda Rousseau, Editor*

## Brentwood Historical Society



Tim Hoyt, Nathan Epstein, Micah Lopez, and Gregory Williams.

### Collections

The Historical Society will focus in the coming months on collections that people have. Collections almost always contain items of historical interest. In fact, museums are often born because people want to preserve the collections they have worked so hard to assemble.

Brentwood Scouts are leading the way. Nathan Epstein of Troop 192 has loaned his collection of Scout badges from around the USA and other countries. They will be on display at the Summer Open Houses, the first of which was Saturday, June 1. All Scouts are invited to let us borrow their collections as well. They do not have to be Scout-related. Those who will lend us a collection are asked to call Maureen Menter, curator, at 679-4353.

### June Program on Middle Road

All who are interested in “**Life along Middle Road in the 40s and 50s**” will want to hear Martha Clark, John Dodge and Jo Tuck bring their memories and stories to the Museum on **Thursday, June 13, at 7:00 pm**. These programs about life on our old town roads have been very popular. There will be time for refreshments and conversation afterward.

### Summer Open Houses

The remaining Summer Open Houses will be:  
**Thursday, July 4, 10 am-1 pm— with complimentary hot dogs and lemonade.**  
**Saturday, July 6, 10 am-1 pm**  
**Saturday, August 3, 10 am-1 pm**

Take some time to come in and browse among early toys, housewares, kitchen gadgets, farm machines, tools, items from Lindy's Store in 1950-60, fire department equipment, and the many books and scrapbooks in the library corner.

*Brentwood Historical Society*

## **Brentwood Graduates**

**Sara Rushia** graduated *summa cum laude* on May 18 with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Neuroscience, with a minor in Psychology, from Wheaton College, Norton, Mass. She had been inducted into Phi Beta Kappa and the Psychology and Biology Honor Societies. Sara plans to pursue a career in clinical neuropsychology. She is the daughter of Paula and Scott Rushia of Vahey Drive.

**Ryan Glowacky**, son of Thomas and Lauren Glowacky of Northrup Drive, received his Bachelor of Science degree in Mathematics from Framingham State University in Framingham, Massachusetts on May 19.

**Kyle Wang** graduated from the University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine on May 20. He attended Swasey School, graduated from Exeter High School in 2004, and graduated with a degree in Biology from the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill in 2008. He will do a one-year residency in transitional medicine in Pittsburgh, and a four-year residence specializing in Radiation Oncology at UNC, Chapel Hill. He is the son of Shujun Sun and Edward Wong of Peabody Drive.

**Norman Rousseau** graduated May 31 from the University of Massachusetts, Boston, with a certification to teach high school science. He attended Swasey School, Exeter High School, earned a Bachelor's degree in Microbiology at UNH and a Master of Science degree in Biotechnology at Worcester Polytechnic Institute, Lowell, Mass. He is teaching at TechBoston Academy, Dorchester, Mass. He is the son of Roger and Linda Rousseau.

*Exeter High School graduates will be listed in the July-August issue of the Newsletter. For all other graduates, we ask family and friends to help by notifying us as listed at the bottom of page 2. Editor.*

## **Film Camp Offered at Exeter High School**

**When:** Week of July 8-12, 2013, 10:00am-3:00 pm.  
**Where:** Exeter High School, 1 Blue Hawk Drive, Exeter.  
**What to bring:** Paper and pencil, current picture of yourself, snack/drinks/lunch.  
**Led by:** **Doug York and Bethany Constance.**

The Camp is open to anyone entering 6th grade through 12th grade, from any school district. For more information please contact Bethany Constance at [a713production@comcast.net](mailto:a713production@comcast.net) or call 603-978-3662.

## **Relay for Life Exeter/Epping June 22-23**

At Relay for Life, an American Cancer Society event, teams of people will camp out at Sanborn Regional High School and take turns walking or running around the track. Each team is asked to have a representative on the track at all times during the event. Because cancer never sleeps, Relays are overnight events. Teams do most of their fundraising prior to the event, but some teams also hold creative fundraisers at their camp sites during Relay.

The last Relay for Life Participant meeting will take place at 7 pm on Wednesday, June 12 at the Exeter Inn, Exeter. The American Cancer Society encourages all current participants and those who are interested in joining Relay for Life to attend. Also, T-Shirt night will be held at the Exeter Inn on Wednesday, June 19 from 5:30- 7:30 pm. Teams should email [Exeter\\_relay@cancer.org](mailto:Exeter_relay@cancer.org) to sign up for a time slot for T-shirt night.

This year, Relay for Life of Exeter/Epping is carnival-themed. Each hour has been designated with a fun carnival theme

Mark your calendar for the 2013 Relay or Life of Exeter/Epping scheduled for June 22-23 at Sanborn Regional High School. For more information about Relay, to start or join a team, or to find out how to volunteer, please visit [relayforlife.org/exeternh](http://relayforlife.org/exeternh), call 1-800-227-2345, or email [exeter\\_relay@cancer.org](mailto:exeter_relay@cancer.org).

## **Achievement**

**Robert Glowacky**, son of Thomas and Lauren Glowacky of Northrup Drive has been named to the Dean's List of Iona College in New Rochelle, New York for the spring semester.

## **Summer Institute at Exeter High School**

Designed to provide a wide range of learning opportunities for students entering grades nine through twelve, Exeter High School (EHS) will host its first Summer Institute in 2013. Twenty-seven different courses, ranging from Broadcast Journalism to Standardized Test Preparation and from an Introduction to Marine Biology to an Introduction to Elementary Teaching, will run for two-week sessions from June 24<sup>th</sup> to August 2<sup>nd</sup>. Courses will carry two Exeter High School credits (.5 Carnegie unit) and will have 10-18 students per class. All courses will have 40 hours of class time and will be graded on a pass/fail basis. Each course costs \$250 plus additional fees for books or travel, as appropriate. Exeter High School students had the opportunity for priority registration prior to May 17, 2013. Open enrollment for any student is now available. More information is available online at:

<http://savvy.sau16.org/ehs/SummerInstitute.cfm>

## Brentwood Recreation News

Check out our new website! We now offer online registration and online payment option for many of our programs.

### SUMMER PROGRAMS:

#### Mad Science Summer Camp "Secret Agent Lab" July 15-19 9:00am-3:30pm Cost: \$245

Look out 007, the Mad Science Secret Agent Lab is in session! Decoding messages, metal detectors & night vision, cool spy equipment. Create your own edible message in a hands-on look at the science that spies use! A combination of in-class discovery and exploration, outdoor games and physical activities, and hands-on applications of the scientific principles presented.

#### Engineering with LEGO®! June 24--June 28

##### Jedi Engineering Camp 9:00am-12:00pm Ages 5-7 yrs. Cost \$130

Young Jedi will explore worlds far, far away and engineering principles right in front of them. Designing and refining X-Wings, R2-units, and settlements on far-flung edges of the galaxy, energy catapults, shield generators and defense turrets.

##### Jedi Master Engineering Camp 1:00pm-4:00pm Ages 8-11yrs. Cost \$130

The Force is strong in this class. Build complex machines and structures based on the best designs from a galaxy far, far away. Projects include X-Wings, AT-AT walkers, Pod Racers, Star Destroyers, Cloud Cities, settlements, and fortresses. Instructors reinforce key engineering concepts such as gear trains, worm drives, pneumatics, eccentric motion and more. Space is limited. Please contact the Recreation office.

#### Challenger Sports Soccer Skills Camp Aug. 19-23.

Challenger's British Soccer Camp: drills and skills, skill development, technical and tactical practices, and daily 'World Cup' tournament style plays. A rich cultural experience; lessons on respect, responsibility, integrity, leadership and sportsmanship. FREE camp T-shirt, soccer ball, soccer poster and an individual skills performance evaluation. Plus, any child who signs up online at least 45 days prior to camp will receive a genuine British Soccer replica Jersey.

*Mini Soccer 9-10:30am Ages 3-5yrs. \$93*

*Half-Day 9-12pm Ages 6-10yrs. \$125*

*Half-Day 4-7pm Ages 10-13yrs. \$125*

If you'd like to know more about them or sign-up online visit [www.challengersports.com](http://www.challengersports.com).

#### Challenger Multi-Sports Camp July 2-26 Register online before June 8 to receive a free jersey! Ages 5-12 9:00 - 12:00pm \$123

British coaches will offer a memorable week of fun and competition. New British sports and new skills. Team-building activities, more than running, jumping, catching, kicking and throwing! Games that kids on the other side of the Atlantic play every day. To know more or sign-up

online visit: [www.challengersports.com](http://www.challengersports.com) or call Recreation office.

#### Red Cross Babysitter Training Course

Thursday, August 1 9am-4pm Cost \$85

First aid and safety skills so sitters can prevent and respond to emergencies. Learn to supervise infants to school age children, make good responsible decisions and perform basic care. Become Red Cross certified and receive a certification card. Receive Red Cross Babysitter Handbook, emergency reference guide, emergency contact notebook, basic first aid supplies, a first aid guide, and a CD-ROM with additional resources.

#### Surf Camp – July 15-19 Rye Beach, July 15-19

Noon-2pm Ages 6-16 Cost: \$219

Kids' Surf Camp is the perfect way for new surfers to learn and progress alongside their friends. Designed to introduce kids age 6-16 to surfing in a safe and fun environment. No experience necessary, all equipment is included! Your child will get accustomed to the mechanics and timing of the waves as well as the skills to enjoy riding them. If they have never surfed before, this is their chance to learn! If they have surfed before, they can refine their techniques and prepare for more advanced maneuvers.

#### Bruce Joyce Baseball Camp July 29- Aug. 2

9:00am-3:00pm Cost: \$150.

*Bruce Joyce's Granite State Baseball School.* For information and sign up, go to [www.joycebaseball.com](http://www.joycebaseball.com).

#### Yoga Classes

Tuesdays 6:30pm. Next 8-week session begins March 5. All ability and experience levels welcome.

**Cost: \$64 /8-week session. Drop-ins always welcome!**

**Discount WATER COUNTRY Tickets:** Discount tickets will be available again this summer for \$27 each. Pick them up in the Recreation Office (If office is closed, see Town Clerk's office)

**Kayaks and Canoes** available for residents to borrow at no charge. Call Rec. Office to reserve. (Need to be picked up Monday, Tuesday or Thursday by 4pm)

#### Fall Soccer

Our Fall Soccer program offers soccer for players age 4-5 (must be 4yrs. by 9/1/13), grades 1-2, grades 3-4, and now grade 5 (will involve some travel to area towns). The season will run September 7-October 26. Sign-ups will begin Monday, July 22. Registration forms are available at the Recreation office or to print off our web page. Online registration also available. The cost is \$35/player (\$70 max per family). Deadline will be Monday, August 19.

**Recreation website** at [www.brentwoodnh.gov](http://www.brentwoodnh.gov). Forms are there to be downloaded for your convenience.

*Margaret Dullea*

(603) 642-6400 ext. 20. Office hours: Mon. Tues. & Thurs. 8:30am-3:30pm. [recreation@brentwoodnh.gov](mailto:recreation@brentwoodnh.gov)

## Brentwood Seniors

The Brentwood Seniors meeting on **Wednesday, June 26**, will take place as usual in the Community Center building. Lunch will feature Chicken Barbecue. Members are asked to bring a variety of salads and side dishes to accompany the chicken, and arrive as usual between 11:00 and 11:30 am.

President Sandy Thorsell will conduct a brief business meeting at 11:30, after which the buffet will be ready for serving. After lunch there will be a "**Pound Party.**" Members bring one or more items of the White Elephant type, hidden out of sight in a bag. The mystery bags will then be auctioned off. The proceeds go into the Seniors' treasury.

New members are always welcome in the Brentwood Seniors. You do not have to be a Brentwood resident to join. For information please call Sandy Thorsell, president, at 772-4476.

The Brentwood Seniors do not meet in the months of July and August. However, the **Senior Activity Days** at the Community Center, which are sponsored by the Brentwood Recreation Department, will continue all summer. These events have grown in attendance and all are having a good time. They are on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of the month from 10:30 am on. The remaining summer dates are June 18, July 2 and 16, August 6 and 20, September 3 and 17.

## Brentwood Gardeners

The Gardeners are very happy with the way people found their way to the Plant Sale on May 18 and thank the town residents, friends and area residents who came and found some gems to add to their own gardens. The Gardeners are now looking at the various public garden spots in town to see which need sprucing up and rejuvenating.

We do not have scheduled meetings in the summer but we are planning one very interesting field trip to Bedrock Gardens in Lee. On **Saturday, June 15** members will leave from the Pilgrim Church parking lot at **9:45 am** to carpool to the site in Lee. Bedrock Gardens is open from 10-4. It is a lovely mix of artistically arranged gardens and creative sculptural pieces, many made of re-used metal pieces from fields and barns. Pack a little picnic lunch so you don't have to hurry away.

For questions about our group please call one of the co-Presidents, Torie Freeman, 778-3748, or Linda Rousseau, 580.2358.

*Linda Rousseau*

## Sympathy

Sincere sympathy is extended to the family of **Richard Clifton Oliver**, 69, who died April 23, 2013 at the Rockingham County Nursing Home. He lived for much of his life in Manchester, Connecticut, where he worked for many years as a garment cutter for the clothing manufacturer Manchester Modes. He had resided in Brentwood, NH for the past 25 years, where he remained employed doing maintenance work.

Deep sympathy and friendship are extended to the family of **Kenneth E. "Ken" Smith**, 76, of Middle Road, who died May 5, 2013 at the Rockingham County Nursing Home. He was a lifelong resident of Brentwood, born September 11, 1936, the son of the late Norman B. and Ruth (Robinson) Smith. After graduating from the Thompson School of Agriculture at the University of New Hampshire, he served in the U.S. Army Reserves from 1957-1963. He worked with area farm equipment dealers JF Brown & Sons, Seacoast Tractor and Taylor Ford before starting his own business in Brentwood, Ken Smith Tractor. He was a member, and served as past master, of the Maj. Gen. John Sullivan Masonic Lodge No. 2 of Epping.

Sincere sympathy and friendship are extended to the family of **Virginia M. Wendell**, 93, died on May 13, 2013 at the Maple Leaf Health Center in Manchester, NH. She also was a lifelong resident of Brentwood, born February 4, 1920 in Exeter, the daughter of the late Roscoe and Mildred (Richardson) Fuller. She graduated from Raymond High School in 1937 and married her high school sweetheart, Hubert G. Wendell in 1939. She worked at Exeter Handkerchief Factory, the Warren Company in Newfields, NH, and Wheelabrator in Hampton. She was a member of the Rebekahs and the VFW Ladies Auxiliary in Exeter, NH. She also taught Sunday School at the Brentwood Congregational Church.

Sincerest sympathy and friendship are extended to the family of **Pauly R. Palen**, 54, of River Road, who died May 21, 2013 at her home. She also was born and raised in Brentwood, the daughter of Elizabeth (Rock) Townsend and the late Andrew Townsend. She was a graduate of Sanborn Regional High School, attended Hesser College, and was the office manager in Dr. Peter Vrees' office in Exeter for 30 years.

# DIRECTORY

June 2013

## Brentwood, New Hampshire

Town Website: <http://www.brentwoodnh.gov>

### Town Office Building

1 Dalton Road, Brentwood, N.H. 03833

Fax: 642-6310

### Selectmen -- 642-6400 ext 10

Andrew Artimovich, Chair

Jane Byrne Jeffrey Bryan

Ken Christiansen David Menter

Meetings: Tuesdays, 6:00 pm, Town Office

June, July, August: 1st & 3rd Tuesday, 6:00 pm

### Moderator

Richard K. Chamberlain, 642-8758

### Town Clerk & Tax Collector -- 642-6400 ext 14

Phyllis Thompson [PTHompson@brentwoodnh.gov](mailto:PTHompson@brentwoodnh.gov)

Sharon Copeland, Deputy Jane Byrne, Clerk

Office Hours, Town Office:

Monday-Wed.-Thurs. 9:00am--4:30pm

Tuesday 9:00am--8:00pm

Friday 8:30am--4:00pm

Saturday 9:00-12:00 (except June, July & Aug.)

### Town Administrator -- 642-6400 ext 10

Karen Clement [KClement@brentwoodnh.gov](mailto:KClement@brentwoodnh.gov)

Office Hours, Town Office

Monday - Thursday 8:00am--4:00pm

Friday 9:00am--12:00pm

Carolyn Thorsell, Clerk/Bookkeeper

### Town Treasurer -- 642-6400 ext 19

Jonathan Ellis

### Planning Board Admin. Assistant -- 642-6400 ext. 16

Kathy St. Hilaire [planningboard@brentwoodnh.gov](mailto:planningboard@brentwoodnh.gov)

Office Hours, Town Office:

Monday - Thursday 8:00 am--4:30pm

### Rockingham Planning Commission Rep.

Glenn Greenwood -- for assistance with application for site review:

Office Hours, Town Office, 642-6400 ext 16

First and third Wednesdays, 9:00-4:00

### Recreation Department 642-6400 ext 20

Margaret Dullea, Director [recreation@brentwoodnh.gov](mailto:recreation@brentwoodnh.gov)

Office hours, Town Office:

Monday, Tuesday & Thursday, 8:30 am--3:30 pm

Recreation Commission: Bob Regan, chair

Monthly meeting: 4th Tuesday, 6:30 pm

### Supervisors of the Check List

Mary Clancey, 642-3280

Martha Clark, 772-0652

Charles "Skip" Williamson, 642-5644

### Chief of Police -- Emergency 911

Wayne Robinson, 642-8817

Secretary: Christine Belanger, 642-8817

Animal Control Officer: Steve Arkell

Non-emergency, 642-8817

### Fire Chief -- Fire/Ambulance 911

#### Forest Fire Warden

Kevin Lemoine, 642-8132

Brentwood Firehouse -- to obtain a fire permit, oil burner permit, and for all normal business; **not** for emergency: 642-8132

### Director, Emergency Management

Richard Murphy

Town Office, 642-6400 ext 10

### Building Inspector

Gilbert Tuck, 642-3010

Office Hours: Town Office

Call for appointment

To obtain building permit: 642-6400 ext 18

### Road Agent

Wayne Robinson, 775-7654

To obtain a driveway permit: Town Office,

642-6400 ext 10

Paving inspection, other concerns, 775-7654

### Mary E. Bartlett Memorial Library

Betsy Solon, Library Director 642-3355

22 Dalton Road [mebdirector@gmail.com](mailto:mebdirector@gmail.com)

#### Sept. 1 -- June 30

#### July 1 -- Aug. 31

2 - 7 Monday 2 - 7

9 - 5 Tuesday - Wednesday 9 - 4

9 - 7 Thursday 9 - 7

9 - 1 Friday - Saturday 9 - 1

Web site: <http://www.brentwoodlibrary.org>

E-mail: [bartlettlibrary@comcast.net](mailto:bartlettlibrary@comcast.net)

### Library Trustees

Robert Gilbert, chair, 642-5440

### Cemetery Trustees -- to purchase a cemetery lot

Phyllis Thompson, Clerk, 642-6400 Ext 14

### Health Officer

Lawrence Middlemiss, 642-6400 Ext 10

### State Senator

Russell Prescott, 603-271-2641

[russell.prescott@leg.state.nh.us](mailto:russell.prescott@leg.state.nh.us)

### State Representative

Curtis Grace, 603-556-1936

[curtis.grace@leg.state.nh.us](mailto:curtis.grace@leg.state.nh.us)

## Town Boards, Brentwood, New Hampshire

### Planning Board

Bruce Stevens, chair, 642-6400 ext 16  
1st and 3rd Thursdays, 7:00 pm

### Board of Adjustment

Michael Hureau, chair, 642-6400 ext 10

### Municipal Budget Committee

Elyse Gallo Seeley, chair, 778-9411, [elysegallo@comcast.net](mailto:elysegallo@comcast.net)

### Conservation Commission

Rob Wofchuck, chair, 347-5700

### Trustees of the Trust Funds

Julie Avant, Bookkeeper, 772-5994

### School Board

Dianne Vosgien, chair, 772-0124; Charles Gargaly, Vice Chair, 679-1569; Amy Mitchell, 778-4713; Jessie Hollister, 580-5386; Melissa Litchfield, 734-2631

### Swasey School: 642-3487

Swasey web site: <http://scs.sau16.org>

### Coop. Middle School 775-8700

### Exeter Sr. High: 395-2400

SAU 16 website: <http://www.sau16.org>

## Organizations

### Brentwood Historical Society

Alma Vahey, president, 679-8635  
Albert Belanger, secretary, 772-5826  
[www.brentwoodnhhistory.org](http://www.brentwoodnhhistory.org)

### Brentwood Seniors

Sandra Thorsell, president, 772-4476

### Brentwood Firemen's Association

Joe Bird, president, 642-8132

### Brentwood Fire and Rescue

Donna Vadeboncoeur, EMS Coordinator, 642-5034

### Brentwood Gardeners

Co-Presidents Torie Freeman, 778-3748 and Linda Rousseau, 580-2358

### Friends of the Library

Information: Niki Reed, 642-3355

### Cub Scout Pack 192

Garett Lasewicz, Cubmaster, 347-5757

### Boy Scout Troop 192

Aaron D. Epstein, Scoutmaster [firedoc166@comcast.net](mailto:firedoc166@comcast.net)

### Swasey School Parent-Faculty Group

Tina Dennehy, Pres., [swasey.pfg@gmail.com](mailto:swasey.pfg@gmail.com)

## Churches

### First Baptist Church of Brentwood, 201 North Road

Rev. John Hastings. Church phone 679-5259.  
Worship & Sunday School, Sunday 10:00 am

### Pilgrim United Church of Christ, Brentwood/Kingston

197 Middle Road. Sunday Worship & Church School Sept-June, 10:00 am; June-Sep., 9:30 am. Rev. Kimberly McKerley, pastor. Church phone 778-3189. [www.pilgrimucc-nh.org](http://www.pilgrimucc-nh.org).

### Grace Ministries International, 263 Route 125, Brentwood

Sunday 9:30, pre-service prayer; 10:00, church service. Allen W. Cook, Senior Pastor. Phone 642-7848. [www.gracemi.org](http://www.gracemi.org).

### Temple Israel, 200 State Street, Portsmouth, 436-5301

Rabbi Barry Krieger. Shabat services, 7:30 pm Fri., 9:30 am Saturday. [www.templeisraelnh.org](http://www.templeisraelnh.org).

### St. Michael's Catholic Church, Front Street, Exeter.

Fr. Marc Montminy, 772-2494. Masses Sat. 4:00; Sunday 7:30, 9:00, and 11:00 am. Monday-Saturday 8:00 am. [www.stmichaelparish.org](http://www.stmichaelparish.org).

### St. Joseph's Catholic Church, 208 Pleasant St.,

Epping. 679-8805. Fr. Donald Clinton. Masses Sat. 4:00pm; Sunday 8:00, 10:30am, 6:00pm. [www.stjosepheppingnh.org](http://www.stjosepheppingnh.org).

### Christ Church Episcopal, 43 Pine Street, Exeter,

772-3332. Rev. Mark B. Pendleton. Sunday: 8:00am Holy Eucharist, spoken; 9:15am Christian Education; 10:30am Holy Eucharist with music. (May 30-Aug. 31, Holy Eucharist 8:00 and 9:30am. Child care during 9:30 service.). [www.christchurchexeter.org](http://www.christchurchexeter.org).

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## Skin & Nail Therapies

Patti Murby  
Esthetician & Manicurist

At Face Works Plus, 265A Middle Road

Phone 603-770-7730  
www.pattimurby.com



I have been in this wonderful and exciting industry for 10 years now, I am always current on the latest skin and nail care trends out there. I always research products so my clients get the best possible treatments. I feel that looking and feeling your best is a big part of your overall health. All services are performed in a quiet, comfortable setting at affordable prices. Gift Certificates are always available for that special someone.

My services offer an array of relaxing and rejuvenating treatments which include: Customized European Facials, Deep Cleansing Facials, Back Treatments, Alpha Hydroxy Peels, Waxing, Lash & Brow Tinting, Manicures, Pedicures, Spa Manicures, and Spa Pedicures.

I am at the Salon on Mondays and Wednesdays, with day and evening appointments. Please feel free to call me to schedule your appointment, or if you would like a complimentary consultation for your skin or nail care needs. We are a full service Salon with 5 independent women offering skin, nail, hair, and massage services.

**This is your time to Relax and Unwind.....**

*A Brentwood Newsletter Business Article*

### End of the Year Summaries from the Superintendent, SAU 16

Fifth grade students at **Swasey Central School** have been heavily involved in the annual Revolutionary War unit. They took on roles that were popular in the late 1700s and the halls were filled with marching! The students were working hard academically and socially as their efforts collectively combined to demonstrate how the victors were determined. Recently these fifth graders visited the NH History Museum in Concord for its "Colonial Day" presentation that highlights careers, lifestyles, and food that were common in the days of the Revolution. This learning opportunity opened up a wide variety of non-traditional experiences for the students and their families and was thoroughly embraced by all who participated.

Life at the **Cooperative Middle School** is often filled with various levels of student engagement and activities that are done to enhance learning in a way that is particularly meaningful for students who are preparing for high school. Recently, sixth graders on Team 2 reported on some of their initiatives. In English class, the students worked on a Robert Frost Poetry Project that included an audio recording of a poem, pictures to accompany the audio, and a written interpretation of the poem. In Social Studies classes, the students learned about life in India and performed skits about the culture there. In Science classes, a unit on friction involved experiments with rockets and skateboards. In Math classes, working with fractions was enhanced by raps and songs to remember how the process works.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- June 4 Selectmen’s meeting – 6:00 pm, Cross Room, Town Office Building
- June 6 Planning Board – 7:00 pm, Cross Room, Town Office Building  
Cemetery Trustees – 7:00 pm, Town Office Building
- June 10 School Board meeting – 6:00 pm, Swasey School
- June 12 Conservation Commission –7:00 pm, Cross Room, Town Office Building
- June 13 Friends of the Library – 9:30 am, Bartlett Library  
Historical Society – **“Life along Middle Road” – 7:00 pm, Museum, 140 Crawley Falls Rd.**
- June 15 Brentwood Gardeners trip to Bedrock Farms, Lee – 9:45 carpool from Pilgrim Church parking lot.
- June 17 Library Trustees – 6:30 pm, Bartlett Library
- June 18 Selectmen’s meeting – 6:00 pm, Cross Room, Town Office Building  
Parent Faculty Group – 6:30 pm, Swasey School
- June 20 Planning Board – 7:00 pm, Cross Room, Town Office Building  
**Ladies night at the Movies – “Quartet” – 7:00 pm, Bartlett Library**
- June 24 **Magician Peter Boie – 6:00 pm, Bartlett Library**  
Brentwood Bookers – 7:00 pm, Bartlett Library
- June 25 Recreation Commission – 6:30 pm, Sanborn Room, Town Office Building
- June 26 Brentwood Seniors – 11:00 am, Community Center
  
- July 1 Trails Committee – 7:00 pm, Town Office Building  
Fire Association – 7:00 pm, Fire House
- July 2 Selectmen’s meeting – 6:00 pm, Cross Room Town Office Building
- July 4 **10:00 am – Parade. Line up at 9:00. Begin and end at Swasey School.**  
**10:00 am – 1:00 pm – Brentwood Historical Society Museum Open. Free hot dogs & lemonade.**
- July 6 Brentwood Historical Society **Museum Open House – 10 am – 1 pm.**

The public is welcome at all above events

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