



Three Rivers News



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Live Simply - Love Generously - Care Deeply - Speak Kindly

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FIRST TENNIS TOURNAMENT OF THE SUMMER

The Penquis area summer tennis tournament kicked off on Sunday, June 5, at the Milo courts with a round robin mixed doubles event. The weather was perfect for great tennis - cool and sunny. The competitors were from Milo and the nearby towns. Play started at 11:30AM and concluded at 2:30PM. Sixty-eight games were contested. The winning team was Lynn & Jim Lubas; second - Mary Lou and Bob Lee; and third - Margie Williams & Ben Kittredge. The teams and the spectators enjoyed a fun-filled day, with super tennis and many laughs.

Open to all -- tournaments are planned for July 9th - ladies' doubles, July 10th - men's doubles and August 21st - mixed doubles. Tournaments are free - just bring a new can of tennis balls. Don't forget FUN tennis every Tuesday from 4:30 to 6:30PM and Sunday from 2 to 4PM - No cost and no sign up - just show up - everyone will play. Contact Mary Lou at 943 3267 for information or to sign up for the contests.



The Competitors: From Left to Right:

Mary Lou Lee, Bob Lee, Margie Williams, Lynn Lubas, Jim Lubas, Ben Kittredge, Robin Demers and Roger Parady

IN LOVING MEMORY OF OUR BELOVED SISTER, LAUREL ELLISON HARRIS

*Remembering you is easy--we do it every day.
Missing you is the hardest part,
For it never goes away.
Our greatest wish would be to hear your voice
And see your smile, to sit with you
And talk for a while.*

*Our family circle has been broken,
A link gone from our chain,
But though we've parted for a while*

We know we'll meet again.

Death leaves a heartache no one can heal.

Love leaves a memory no one can steal.

We love and miss you very much.

Sister Lana and Brothers and Sisters-in-law

Doug and Mona, Bobby and Tanya, Louie and Lori

RED HATTERS JUNE MEETING

Red Hatters went down to UMO this month and toured the Page Farm Museum buildings. It is free to take a small group in and browse around. In the main building are three floors of exhibits showing typical Maine farm life tools, kitchen ware, early machinery, etc. Well worth spending an hour or so viewing Maine farm life as it used to be.



One of the outer buildings is an old carriage shed which I snapped a photo of our group in front of. It was donated by ancestors of Harry and Ken Pullen.

MILO FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY NEWS

BY PAMELA FLANAGAN - milolibrary@trcmaine.org

It's living in Maine. It's sun, hail, thunder and tornadoes all in the same day. It's also new books and CDs!

Achenbach, Joel

The Hole at the Bottom of the
Sea (non-fiction)

Berry, Steve

The Jefferson Key

Martini, Steve

The Trader of Secrets

Monroe, Mary Alice

The Butterfly's Daughter CD

See, Lisa

Dreams of Joy

Spencer-Fleming, Julia

One was a Soldier

Van Lustbader, Eric

The Testament CD

The June 1st meeting of the Kiwanis Kids was very well attended. Twenty-five children came together to do crafts, borrow books and listen to *Knuffle Bunny Too*. Some of the children are getting to be quite old hands at borrowing books. We hope that they will continue to use the library all summer. And we have the perfect summer reading program theme to

encourage exactly that.

Sign-ups for the One World, Many Stories summer reading program begin the week of June 20th. Rochelle and I are in the process of sending posters and notices to the schools and local businesses. The program welcomes home-schoolers as well. All children need to bring to the library is their love of stories and a parent.

The program officially begins June 27th and will run for five weeks. You can be sure I'll be writing a lot more about it as we get closer to that date.

Have questions? Call 943-2612 or email us at milolibrary@trcmaine.org. Are hours are:

Summer Hours

Mon. 2-8, Wed. 2-8, Fri. 1-7

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TRN WEEKLY POLL

From Away: If you don't live here, do you plan to visit this year?

Yes 49.2%
No 25.4%

I live here, I'm just voting to throw off the results. 15.3%

For the Alumni Reunion 10.2%

Total votes: 59

NEXT WEEK:

Did you attend the Penquis Graduation last weekend?

Visit our website to vote!

Send us your poll suggestions!
sethen@trcmaine.org

TRC COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Visit <http://www.trcmaine.org/calendar/> for a full listing.

<p>Wednesday, June 15 6:30a - Three Rivers Kiwanis 10:00a - Church Thrift Shop 10:00a - Sebec Quilters 11:45a - Meals on Wheels 6:00p - Sons of Post #41 6:00p - Wednesday Night Quilters 6:30p - LaGrange Selectmen 6:30p - Boy Scout Troop #115 6:30p - Milo: Open Mic Night 7:00p - Overeaters Anonymous</p> <p>Thursday, June 16 8:00a - Milo: PAWS Huge Yard Sale ! 8:15a - LaGrange: Marion C. Cook School Final Assembly 11:45a - Meals on Wheels 11:45a - Milo: EAAA Community Cafe 4:30p - Tae Kwon Do Class 6:00p - Boy Scout Troop #112 6:00p - Brownville Snowmobile Club 6:00p - Milo: MSAD 41 Annual Budget Meeting 6:30p - BJHS Card Party 7:00p - Milo Historical Society Meeting</p> <p>Friday, June 17 1:00a - MSAD 41 Last Day of School 8:00a - Milo: PAWS Huge Yard Sale ! 8:30a - Brownville Elementary Final Assembly 11:45a - Brownville: EAAA Community Cafe 11:45a - Meals on Wheels 12:00p - Three Rivers Senior Citizens 6:15p - Post #41 Bingo</p>	<p>Saturday, June 18 8:00a - Milo: PAWS Huge Yard Sale ! 9:00a - 5th Annual Three Rivers Kiwanis Sebec River Canoe and Kayak Race</p> <p>Sunday, June 19 8:00a - Milo: PAWS Huge Yard Sale ! 2:30p - Milo : Tiny Tigers Tae Kwon Do 6:00p - Alcoholics Anonymous 6:00p - Brownville Junction : Scrapbooking 7:30p - Alcoholics Anonymous</p> <p>Monday, June 20 1:00a - MSAD 41 Teacher Workshop 9:00a - Monday Morning Quilters 11:45a - Meals on Wheels 6:30p - Medford Selectmen 7:00p - Alcoholics Anonymous 7:00p - Sebec Selectmen 7:30p - Pleasant River Lodge #163</p> <p>Tuesday, June 21 9:00a - Womancare Outreach 10:00a - Milo: MSAD 41 Budget Validation Voting 11:45a - Meals on Wheels 12:00a - Mt. Katahdin Senior Citizens 5:30p - Milo: Senior Line Dancing 6:30p - Post #92 Bingo 6:30p - Milo Selectmen 7:00p - United Methodist Women</p>
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WINNING LOTTERY NUMBERS

From the [Maine State Lottery](#)

- Pick 4 06/14/2011: Eve 1-8-8-5
- Pick 3 06/14/2011: Eve 2-9-3
- Pick 4 06/14/2011: Day 0-5-3-0
- Pick 3 06/14/2011: Day 6-7-0
- Hot Lotto 06/11/2011: 1-11-28-33-38-Bonus 15 Next Jackpot estimated at: \$2,220,000
- Powerball 06/11/2011: 16-18-27-36-50-Powerball 8 Power Play x3 Next Jackpot estimated at: \$25,000,000
- Megabucks Plus 06/11/2011: 3-13-21-35-40-Bonus 3 Next Jackpot estimated at: \$1,100,000
- Mega Millions 06/10/2011: 18-21-27-37-38- Megaball 7 - Megaplier 3 Next Jackpot estimated at: \$42,000,000

TRC PUBLIC NOTICES

Congratulations to the Class of 2011!

From the Three Rivers Community Alliance & Three Rivers News

Milo: P.A.W.S. Huge Yard Sale !!!

<http://www.threeriversnews.net/news.php?num=1414>

June 16,17,18 ~ 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Continuing on June 19, 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Kiwanis Canoe and Kayak Race, June 18

<http://www.threeriversnews.net/news.php?num=1432>

TRC PUBLIC NOTICES

Milo: MSAD 41 Annual Budget Meeting, June 16

The Annual District Budget Meeting will be held on June 16 at PVHS at 6:00 p.m. FMI contact Superintendent Michael Wright @ 207.943.7317.

Milo: Chief of Police

The Town of Milo is seeking a motivated, career-minded individual for the position of Chief of Police.

The Police Chief will oversee the operations of a three full-time person department with a pool of ten part-time officers. The Chief will report directly to the Town Manager and is responsible for the day to day operations of the department as well as management and oversight of the Police Department budget. Along with administrative duties the Police Chief will perform regular law enforcement duties including but not limited to patrol, investigations, community policing, etc.

A bachelor's degree with at least five years of supervisory experience is desired. Any equivalent combination of education and/or experience that demonstrates required knowledge, skills, and an ability to perform the duties of Police Chief will be considered.

The Town's benefit package includes competitive salary commensurate with experience coupled with employee health and dental insurance, paid holidays, paid vacation, and sick time allowance.

Applications are available at the Milo Town Office (207) 943-2202 and must be received by 5:00PM on Friday June 17, 2011. Please forward cover letter and resume to:

Town of Milo Jeffrey M. Gahagan, Town Manager, P.O. Box 218, Milo, ME 04463 or e-mail: jeff@townofmilo.net

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Milo: MSAD 41 Budget Validation Vote, June 21

Voting by Milo citizens re: the MSAD 41 budget for school year 2011-2012 will take place at Milo Town Hall on June 21 between 10:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m.

The Auction is Coming !

Three Rivers Kiwanis of Milo/Brownville is now accepting items for its annual auction on June 24 and 25, 2011. To have items picked up please call Bobby at 943-2317. (Please no clothing, shoes, suitcases or handbags, all items to be serviceable and clean.) Your support is appreciated. Thank You !

her beloved husband, John Lyford Sr., Adelia is survived by her four children, John Lyford Jr. and his wife, Marilyn, of LaGrange, Kathy Foss and husband, Jimmy, of Orneville, Penny Madore of Orneville and Wendy Coburn and husband, Rob, of Milo; 10 grandchildren, Erica Lyford, Trevor Lyford, Bobby Robinson, Kyle Foss, Paul Madore, Lacey Madore, Jacey Lyford, Robert Coburn, Linda Coburn and Jon Coburn; two great-grandchildren, Thomas Lyford and Melony Pelton; and her mother-in-law, Elnora Lyford. She was predeceased by her parents; and a grandson, Todd Roesing. Funeral services will be private. Burial will take place at Evergreen Cemetery, Milo. Arrangements are in the care of Lary Funeral Home, Milo. Messages of condolence and memories may be expressed at www.laryfuneralhome.com.

Gerald E. Dyer

April 20, 1939 - June 10, 2011

DOVER-FOXCROFT - Gerald E. Dyer, 72, died June 10, 2011, at his home, after a long battle with cancer. He was born April 20, 1939, in Atkinson, the son of George and Maryann (Cowette) Dyer. He worked at Hathaway Shirt Co., Dover-Foxcroft, for many years and later for Moosehead Manufacturing, Dover-Foxcroft. He was a member of the Horseman's Association, and enjoyed training and riding horses. Gerald was also a member of Piscataquis Fair Association. He loved hunting and fishing, and spending time at his camp at Alder Stream. He is survived by his wife of 50 years, Sara (Bouley) Dyer of Dover-Foxcroft; two children, Cara Connors and her husband, Dan, of Sebec and Bonnie Church and her husband, Rusty, of Guilford; two grandchildren, Amber Connors of Dover-Foxcroft and Justin Connors of Sebec; a great-grandson, Cody Chambers of Dover-Foxcroft; 17 brothers and sisters, Shirley Clark of Florida, Lula Pratt, Louise Aspinwall, Christine Burgess, Lorraine Cotta, Elaine Dyer, Thomas Dyer and Kathy Pelky, all of Guilford, George Dyer Jr. of New Hampshire, Muriel Henderson, Deborah Hanson and Paul Dyer, all of Massachusetts, Michael Dyer, Loretta Clukey and Alan Dyer, all of Dover-Foxcroft, Dwight Edgerly of Pownal and Lawrence Dyer of Atkinson; many nieces and nephews. At his request, no public services are planned at this time. In lieu of flowers, those who wish may make donations to Hoofs-n-Hearts, P.O. Box 174, Sangerville, ME 04479 or Pine Tree Hospice, 883 West Main St., Dover-Foxcroft, ME 04426. Arrangements by Crosby & Neal, Guilford. For an online guest register, go to www.CrosbyNeal.com.

IN MEMORIAM



Adelia D Lyford
April 12, 1944 - June 12, 2011

ORNEVILLE - Adelia D. Lyford, 67, died June 12, 2011, at her home. She was born April 12, 1944, in Bradford, the daughter of Arthur and Florence (Noke) Jack. On June 25, 1960, Adelia married the love her life John K. Lyford Sr. and together they

shared 51 years of marriage and raised four loving children. DeeDee's most favorite things to do in the world were to create flower arrangements and play cribbage. In addition to

Carolyn K. Doore

March 25, 1934 - June 08, 2011

ATKINSON - Carolyn (Knowlton) Doore passed away peacefully June 8, 2011, with her family by her side at Hibbard Nursing Home. She was born March 25, 1934, the first child of the late Carroll and Florence Knowlton. Carolyn attended Foxcroft Academy, where she excelled at playing basketball. A story is told that during one game she scored more points by herself than the entire boys' team scored in their game together. Her class was the first class to graduate from the new Foxcroft Academy in 1952. Carolyn was very proud of receiving the Husson Award,



which was awarded to students who excelled in business courses. In 1953, Carolyn married Malcolm Doore and they resided in Atkinson. Together they built a successful dairy farm. They had two daughters, Katherine and Loretta. Not only did Carolyn work on the family farm, she also worked for Piscataquis County, first in the Superior Court office and then as county clerk. She found her job very fulfilling and her extraordinary work ethic was a shining example for her family members. She retired in 2004 after 30 years of service. Carolyn was predeceased by her husband, Malcolm, in 2001; her brother, Roger Knowlton, in 2007; and her parents. Carolyn is survived by her children, Katherine Kinney and her husband, Mark, and Loretta Nuite and her husband, Lewis, all of Atkinson. She was very proud of her four grandchildren and their accomplishments, Megan (Kinney) Bard and her husband, Dan, of Old Town, Marnelle (Kinney) Grumbach and her husband, Morgan, of Westbrook, Larae (Nuite) Chambers and her husband, William, of Duncan, Okla., and Caleb Nuite and his wife, Nicole, of Atkinson. Carolyn also enjoyed her four great-grandchildren, Aaron and Levi Bard of Old Town and Kierstyn and Grayden Nuite of Atkinson. Her fifth great-grandchild is expected to arrive in October in Duncan, Okla. She is survived by two sisters, Beverly Carsley of Newport and Linda Hews and her husband, Ken, of Bowerbank; many special nieces and nephews. She is also survived by her best friend and neighbor, Cathie Goodine and her husband, Greg. A special thank you goes out to Carolyn's at-home caregivers, Kathy Dow, Sharon Emery, Cheryl Pingree, Rosemarie Guay and Cathie Goodine; and also to the caring staff at Hibbard Nursing Home. Visiting hours will be held 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Saturday, June 11, at Dover-Foxcroft United Baptist Church, where a funeral service will be held 1 p.m. with Pastor Chris Viera Sr. officiating. Burial will be at Sweet Cemetery, Atkinson. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Tilton/Carsley Mission Fund, care of United Baptist Church, 146 East Main St., Dover-Foxcroft, ME 04426. Arrangements are in the care of Lary Funeral home. Messages of condolence and memories may be expressed at www.laryfuneralhome.com.

PAWS JUNE YARD SALE!

PAWS will be having their HUGE summer sale June 16 [Thurs], 17[Fri], 18[Sat] from 8-4, and June 19[Sun] from 8-12 at 39 Clinton St. in Milo. We have lots of stuff! --a little of everything. Stop in for a great deal! If you have any clean plastic bags without rips that you don't need, please bring them to our sale, or leave them on the porch at 39 Clinton St. We use them to put purchased items in. If you have some free time on the 15th, we could use your help setting up. Call Donna 965-5277, or Sandy 965-8547 if you have any questions. Thanks, and hope to see you there!!

KREW KUTZ BARBER SHOP

70 Pleasant Street, Milo

Tuesday-Thursday : 2-7

Saturday : 9-2

Wednesdays - Schoolboy Special: \$2 off

Saturdays - 10-12 :\$2 off

FIREFIIGHTERS CONVENTION

Waterville - The Consolidated Fire Fighters of Waterville has taken on the task of hosting the 48th Maine State Federation of Firefighters Convention on September 9th - 11th, 2011.

The Fire Fighters of Waterville took on this task as it also falls on the 10th Anniversary of 9/11 and they wanted to host a very respectable memorial service to honor all those effected by the tragic events on that day.

„Comedy Central“, „The View“, „Opie and Anthony Radio Show“, and his new hit show „Top Gear“, just to name a few. The two time nominee for best Male Stand-Up by the American Comedy Awards, always brings the stage to life with his honest, clever and fearless perspective on family, relationships and himself.

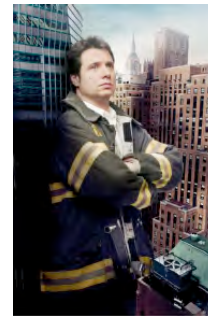
Adam's other screen roles have included; „Definitely Maybe“ with Ryan Reynolds and Isla Fisher, „Winter of Frozen Dreams“ and „National Lampoons: Dirty Movie“ with Christopher Meloni. Ferrara began his career on NBC's „Caroline in the City“ and has since then, has Many events are planned for that weekend, including bring in a special guest who will help bring 9/11 into prospective. Adam Ferrara, the stand up Comedian and actor that „Entertainment Weekly“ dubbed "Hilarious!", will be coming to Waterville to help the fire fighters with being their Grand Marshall for their huge parade on Saturday morning and putting on a Comedy show for the entertainment that night, September 10th.

A regular on the Emmy-Nominated hit FX TV show, 'Rescue Me', Adam plays the role of New York Fire Chief Needles Nelson. Adam as also starred in the smash hit movie with Kevin James, as 'Paul Blart in „Mall Cop“. Ferrara has been praised for his acting chops and impeccable comedic timing. Just back from a national tour with „Rescue Me“ Co-stars Denis Leary and Lenny Clark to rave reviews. „Recue Me“ has been renewed for a sixth season, and Ferrara will reprise his role as Chief Nelson. „Adam's a great comedian, but he's really making me mad now because he's become such a great dramatic actor“, praised Actor Denis Leary.

Adam has an upcoming comedy "Funny as Hell" special on the Comedy Central cable channel and has a DVD of the same name currently available in stores. A regular on everyone's favorite shows; „The Tonight Show with Jay Leno“, „Late Show“ with David Letterman“, appeared as a series regular on the critically acclaimed ABC series „The Job“, guest starring on NBC's must see „Law and Order“, „Ugly Betty“, and a frequent guest on „The King of Queens.“

Adam will be appearing in Waterville on Saturday September 10th, 2011 at the Champions Fitness Club at 9:00 p.m. Tickets are now available and can be purchased for \$25.00 per person at the Waterville Fire Department or by calling Lt Scott Holst at 314-2703. Seating will be limited, so please get your tickets as soon as you can. A local band, Fallen Angel, will also be appearing after Adam Ferrara's show, to finish off the night with a night of great music and dancing. Please visit our website for more information about the 2011 Waterville Fire Fighters Convention and 9/11 Memorial Service:

<http://2011watervilleconvention.homestead.com/2011watervilleconvention.html>



LOCAL SCHOOL NEWS

MILO ELEMENTARY KIWANIS TERRIFIC KIDS



Mrs. Carey - We all know that the word "kindergarten" begins with the letter "k" but did you know that the word "kind" is part of the word kindergarten? Well, being kind is a very important part of being in kindergarten and our Terrific Kid this week is a good example of a kind person. He might be a little wiggly at times and, man, does he like to talk, but he is the kindest of the kind! We are so thankful to have T.K. Brady Goulette in our kindergarten family.

Mrs. Walker - WE would like to honor the whole class today in Mrs. Walker's Kindergarten room as being one room of PROMISES and POTENTIALITIES for the future. Congratulations on a job well done this year.

Mrs. Hayes - Today we will be giving special attention to the girls in our class. The girls are good readers and they enjoy writing. They really like horses. The boys say the girls like to talk a lot. The teachers hope that when the girls' talk it will be about schoolwork. Some of the girls like make-up and shopping. Most of the girls like puppies. Great work this year!

Mrs. Barden - Finally we are able to tell you that we have 2 terrific kids this week. One little boy has worked all week with help from his friends to get this award. He is trying to follow the Golden Rule every day. John Lansing is a terrific kid with Kasside Witham.

Mrs. Hussey -First I want to say that I've had a wonderful class this year and now that we're at the final Terrific Kid assembly I've been looking back over the year. One child stands out for his hard work and great progress. This young man came in reading below grade level and has worked everyday to improve his reading skills. He just met the end of the year benchmark for second grade! His math skills have improved too, and he loves mad minute math! He is a helpful, caring, kind, cooperative boy and it's been a pleasure having Corey Merrill in my class! Congratulations Corey!!!

Mrs. Redmond - What a hard decision this week!! I decided to pick a boy who has a great attitude and has improved a lot over the year. Trevor Saunders has been a hard worker in my class.

He is a great friend and classmate who cares about others' feelings. He is helpful and has a wonderful sense of humor. Congratulations, Trevor!!

Mrs. Dunham - It's been a hard choice to choose a final terrific kid, but I chose a girl who has shown all those traits of being a terrific kid all year long. She is kind, dependable, a hard worker, and a good friend. She can always be counted on to help out if I'm not here. She has made wonderful progress in all academic areas. Her assignments are always done neatly and on time. We are very lucky to be getting this young lady in third grade next year. Congratulations to Ainsley Ade.

Mrs. Mills - Our terrific kid is a hard-working young lady. She has made wonderful gains in her reading and math skills. She has learned her cursive letters and multiplication facts. I love how she helps her classmates when they are stuck. She is going to be a fabulous fourth grader. Congratulations to Rosa Cianci.

Mrs. McMahon's and Ms. Morrill's classes are all Terrific Kids this week! Earlier this week, both fourth grade classes went on a field trip to the Margaret Chase Smith Library and Museum in Skowhegan. They displayed wonderful behaviors throughout the entire day and were respectful and kind to one another as well as to the adults. They showed a lot of enthusiasm and interest about Margaret Chase Smith, asking questions and offering suggestions. Because of all this Mrs. McMahon and Ms. Morrill have decided the entire fourth grade deserves the title of Terrific Kids.

Mrs. Knowlton - The two TKs in 5K this week are 2 boys who have shown exceptional growth and maturity this year. They have both been very responsible for having their planners signed almost every day. They have both become polite citizens of our classroom. They almost always remember to use nice manners and I am very proud of the positive changes I have seen. Congratulations to our 2 TKs, Julian Maxcy and Alec Young.

Mrs. Gillis - The students wrote about someone in our class who is kind, respectful and works hard. This is what they wrote about Mitchell Carey, who turns out to be our final TK! Catherine says Mitchell is always giving inspiration. I think he should be called an inspiration leader. He never starts a fight, but he still tries to end it.

Jamie says Mitchell asks for permission before he does something.

Damion says Mitchell treats everyone the way he likes to be treated.

Hunter says Mitchell doesn't hurt people's feelings and he cheers them up. He is the most kind and respectful person I know.

Noah says Mitchell is the most respected person in our room. He doesn't talk in class.

Dakota says Mitchell helps me when I need it. That's why I'm glad to have Mitchell Carey as my friend.

Caleb says Mitchell is really kind. If someone needs help Mitchell is always ready to help, and he follows all the classroom rules.

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Olivia says Mitchell helps other people when they need help, and he does his work without talking. Congratulations to Mitchell Carey!

Mrs. Clukey - The TK this week from 6C has had a good week. She has made sure all her assignments are completed on time. She has also worked hard to keep on task and to follow the classroom rules. Mrs. DW has also commented on how well she has done this week. We are both proud to announce Heather Carpenter as the terrific kid from 6C this week.

Ms. Dixon-Wallace - The Terrific Kid in DW 6 this week is another second timer. This student is a very dedicated and inquisitive student, who is always asking for extra work and additional information. These skills and attitudes will be very helpful for this student both in middle school and throughout his life. It has been great having Clayton Preble in our class, good luck in middle school.

Principal's Award: Seth
Bus Kids: LaCreshia, Tucker, Kelena
Caught Doing Your Best Prize Winners: Sonny P., Tucker, Christina, Aubrey, Mackayla
Birthday: Raven
Upcoming Events: June 10 Cook School Movie 8:30
June 16 Final Assembly followed by the Talent Show 8:15
All are welcome to join us.
Congratulations to all of our Terrific kids.

BROWNVILLE ELEMENTARY NEWS

The Frogtown Puppets made their third appearance for the students from Brownville Elementary and Marion C. Cook School. The brother and sister team do a wonderful job entertaining with the puppets they've made. They also write their own script. The show was paid for by the two PTOs. Once again they provide some of the many extras we have in our schools.



COOK SCHOOL KIWANIS TERRIFIC KIDS



Brooklynn, Alyssa, and Jessica were honored as Terrific Kids at our June 3rd assembly.

Mrs. Nott: Brooklynn is my terrific kid this week. She has asked me every day this week if she could help me clean the room and put up chairs at the end of the day. She has been a good friend to others and has worked hard, especially in writing! Great work, Brooklynn!

Mrs. Johnston: Alyssa is a terrific kid in many ways. She comes to school ready to learn every day, usually remembers her planner and work, and has a smile on her face. She is happy and willing to try new things and work towards new goals. She loves helping out in the classroom, and is a good friend to all!!

Miss K.: Jessica is a wonderful student. She uses many strategies to solve problems. She has been a great help adding links to our kindness chains. Jessica is very happy when other students do well and often remarks on others' achievements. Thank you, Jessica.



Last week the new Brownville Town Manager Matthew Pineo, organized a group of town employees and selectpersons to visit the elementary school to make birdhouses with Grades 4-6. The kits were donated by Lowes and the children really enjoyed the project. The group will make another visit next week to work with the younger children to make flower vases. Thank you to all who helped.

PENQUIS VALLEY BASEBALL / SOFTBALL

Penquis H.S. Baseball & Softball / Central



Photo : Penquis batter Skylar Bard was hitting against Central of Corinth when the ball was coming at him with the ball traveling about 70 miles per hour. Skylar attempted to dodge the ball but was hit by the pitch. The ball is frozen in time just before he was hit. The lettering and stitches on the ball were very clear in the photo.

Penquis Valley High School baseball team lost a close game to Central by one run on a warm spring day.



Photo : Penquis second baseman Allison Durant makes a nice play on a hard hit ground ball against Central of Corinth.

Penquis Valley High School Softball Team lost to Central of Corinth last Tuesday.

**Penquis Softball & Baseball / Foxcroft
Last game of the season**



Photo : Penquis senior captain Shelby Weston attempts to tag out a Foxcroft runner attempting to steal second base. The throw was a little late and the runner was safe.

Penquis Valley High School softball team played their final game of the season against Foxcroft last Wednesday afternoon. The Lady Patriots had a one run lead going into the 6th inning. Foxcroft scored 4 runs and defeated the patriots in a hard fought game.

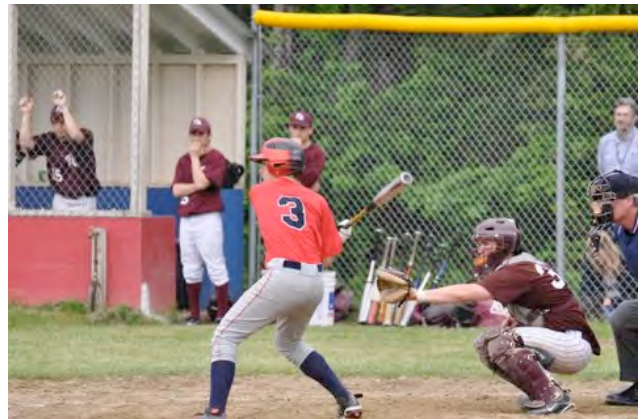


Photo : Penquis number 3 Tyler Pelletier prepares to swing and hit a line shot over the FA left fielder for a single against Foxcroft last Wednesday afternoon.

Penquis Valley High School Baseball Team lost their final game against Foxcroft on a cold a rainy afternoon at Harris Field.



These Penquis Seniors were recognized at their last game in a Penquis baseball uniform. Colby Brown, Bryan Russell and Chris Brackett finished up their careers vs. Foxcroft. Great season boys!

**Three Rivers Kiwanis, Milo-Brownville
May 11, 2011 - Regular Morning Meeting**

The meeting at Coburn's Family Restaurant was called to order at 6:45 a.m. and was attended by fourteen members. We had an interclub from Dover-Foxcroft (4), PVHS Key Club members (3). We had one guest, Crystal Macomber from Dover Builders Club.

Eben led us in the Pledge of Allegiance and George offered the morning prayer.

It was noted that Richard Mullins was celebrating a birthday on May 12.

Ten Happy & Sad Dollars were collected for fixing drain and faucet and moving to camp for bathroom remodeling; best regards from Nancy & Pauline who are driving to Florida; hi from Ethelyn who is not feeling well; painting of Alice Zwicker donated by Bill Sawtell to the American Legion; speaker also is a busy person.

Upcoming dates: May 12 - Board Meeting 6 a.m. at Hobnobbers; May 18 - Business Meeting & Election of Officers; May 25 - Speaker from Pine Tree Hospice.

Frank Cochrane introduced Julie Knowlton, fifth grade teacher from LaGrange who is involved with the trip for Milo and LaGrange fifth graders to Boston to Walk the Freedom Trail and visit the Museum of Science on May 13th. The schools started this tradition in 2006 by raising funds. Cost of the trip that year was about \$2,700., but cost for this year is \$3,950. For a student to be eligible to go, they must write a research report and create a project in conjunction with the trip. By doing this, they take on the responsibility of qualifying themselves for the trip, plus they learn how to access materials for their report, etc. in numerous ways. Last year 28 students and 15 chaperones made the trip. Upon visiting the Museum of Science last year, they were surprised to see a movie of The Grand Canyon Adventure which coincided with what they had been studying back at school that year. They also visited the place where the Declaration of Independence was first read to the people, as well as Samuel Adams burial site.

Ms. Knowlton mentioned that she takes numerous photos during the trip and then she makes a CD of the photos for each child so they will have it as a reminder of their trip.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:30 a.m.
Many thanks go to Lois Trask for providing these minutes.

Three Rivers Kiwanis, Milo-Brownville *May 18, 2011 - Regular Morning Meeting*

The meeting at Coburn Family Restaurant was called to order at 6:30 a.m. and was attended by fifteen members. Also present were interclubs from Dover-Foxcroft (7) and PVHS Key Club (4).

Eben led us in the Pledge of Allegiance and Heidi offered the morning prayer.

Birthdays/Anniversaries: Josh Clement and Jim Lord have a birthday on May 23.

Twelve happy/sad dollars: George sold 6 books of raffle tickets/need to sell lots of tickets to make up for not having the Talent Show this year; proceeds go to RIF which needs to be funded for the coming year; Ethelyn happy to be back; Maria doing march for March of Dimes this weekend; Richard for attending a ceremony in Augusta with Jeff where JSI was given an award for Business Excellence; Ed, Ethelyn, Camille and Stephanie attending the LifeFlight picnic in Rockland

where they sold some raffle tickets; tribute to Frank for his involvement in Builders Club, Key Club, after school Library program, selling tickets and entertaining us; Red Sox for being on a roll;

American Flags up for Memorial Day and the summer; missing out on 50% off Red Sox memorabilia at FL training camp.

Heidi announced the annual meeting of the Kiwanis Foundation in MA which is coming up. She also acknowledged appreciation to Ms. Cummings who helped with the Builders Club while Bonnie was away this spring.

Ethelyn informed us that we could sell Life Flight Raffle Tickets at Maine Savings FCU on Friday May 20th and was looking for volunteers. Ed & Ethelyn, Bob Ellison, Lois, and Camille have volunteered.

The election of officers was held and the following were elected to be our slate of officers for the 2011-2012 year:

President - Jan Barton
Pres. Elect - Richard Mullins
Vice-President - Maria Mills
Secretary - Pauline Mullins
Treasurer - Jeff Gahagan
New Director - Nancy Harrigan

Ethelyn explained to us about the New England District of Kiwanis being able to allow a Family Membership now. This would enable a regular member to add other family members who live in the household to join for half the regular amount.

Frank introduced Jane Stitham from Pine Tree Hospice located in Dover which serves about 3900 square miles in 33 communities. They are one of seven such agencies in Maine and one of 70 nationwide. They are not a service of Medicare and do not receive any federal, state, or insurance company funding. All services provided are free. Funding comes from grants, fund raisers, and private donations. Their annual budget is around \$ 140,000. About 90 volunteers serve clients and their families who are dealing with life-limiting illnesses as well as end-of-life issues. Some of the things volunteers can do are helping at home, providing transportation, building ramps, help access other services for clients, do errands and chores, work on committees, give family care-givers a break. In addition, bereavement support is provided for families, if needed, as well as children. They also work with schools when needed. They could use many volunteers. One of the major fundraisers for Hospice will be four golf tournaments this year - in Dexter, Milo, & Dover. They also hold a talent show each spring. They are celebrating 25 years of service with a barbeque on July 15.

Many thanks go to Lois Trask go for providing these minutes.

The meeting adjourned at 7:30 a.m.
Respectfully submitted, Nancy Harrigan, Secretary

Three Rivers Kiwanis, Milo-Brownville **May 25, 2011 - Regular Morning Meeting**

The meeting at Coburn Family Restaurant was called to order at 6:45 AM, and was attended by eighteen members. We had an interclub from Dover-Foxcroft (6) and PVHS Key Club (1). Eben led us in the Pledge of Allegiance and Heidi offered the morning prayer.

Twenty-One happy/sad dollars were collected: Red Sox almost in first place; remembering Bobbie racing up and down Park Street in the old days; Yankees doing well; glad luggage finally arrived; talk about Katahdin Iron Works at D-F Historical Society; spring break; Milo Black Fly Festival is July 2.

Birthdays/Anniversaries: Eben's birthday is May 28 and Virgil's is May 30.

Upcoming Dates: June 1 - Womancare; June 8 - Dave Butterfield of Tradewinds Market; June 10 - 3 PM at the Town Hall a Combined Committee meeting for Canoe Race and Auction; June 16 - 5 PM erect the tent at Tradewinds; June 22 - begin setup for the garage sale part of the auction. Every Monday - at 11 AM - Builders Club meets, and Every Thursday - at 11:45 AM - Key Club meets. Last day of school is June 19. Our speaker chairperson for June is ??.

Other Important Dates: June 18 our annual canoe race takes place; also on June 18 there is a picnic to honor past Lt. Governors of our district, it will be held at the Kiwanis Park in Dover later in the afternoon; and June 24 and 25 will be our annual auction; August 4 is the golf tournament.

Heidi reviewed our business meeting which was held on May 12: A motion was made by Jan to pay \$100. to Womancare for snacks.

OLD BUSINESS:

501c3 status - Jeff is working with Ken Woodbury to get this taken care of.

NEW BUSINESS:

YMCA - George has been talking with Patrick Myers re: swim program for Milo kids.

Bike Rodeo date - Decided to hold June 11 from 10 a.m. to 12 noon at Milo Elem.

Jeff and Jim will oversee, and ask Masonic Lodge if they have bikes they can donate or ask Tradewinds Market if they can get one thru a distributor for us.

OTHER BUSINESS:

Three Rivers News: income down to approx. \$15-\$20 - selling less than 75 - location of boxes in stores are in strange places, hard to find - summer is usually slow due to no school news in it. Discussion on whether to suspend distribution or just do it online or suspend temporarily and start again in fall. It was decided to continue until after July 4th and notify the public of suspending publication and then review again in August.

Member dues are due by September 30 and can be paid earlier.

\$100 will be given to Key Club for graduation materials.

Now that Bonnie is back she will resume leadership of the Builders Club.

Childrens' Library Program - Val reported that the program is doing great with parents helping.

\$300. was approved toward the 4H Kids Can Grow program provided they need the funds.

In the meantime, Heidi contacted Brenda Mowdy and found that the funding was not needed at this time.

Fifth Grade Boston Trip - \$250. to go to the Boston Trip to the Freedom Trail and Science Museum as presented by Julie Knowlton at May 11th Kiwanis meeting.

George reported that A.E. Robinson Oil Co. has donated \$ 100. gal. of oil to the auction (at today's prices that would have a value of about \$ 400.).

Discussion was held regarding whether to have installation of new officers separately or combine with a 20th Anniversary Celebration of our club this fall. Consensus appeared to be that a combined event would be easier for people traveling in light of gas prices.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:30 AM.

Respectfully submitted, Nancy Harrigan, Secretary

Three Rivers Kiwanis, Milo-Brownville **June 1, 2011 - Regular Morning Meeting**

The meeting at Coburn Family Restaurant was called to order at 6:45 AM, and was attended by nineteen members. We had an interclub from Dover-Foxcroft (6) and PVHS Key Club (4). Guests: Josh Clements and Bill Sawtell.

Eben led us in the Pledge of Allegiance and George offered the morning prayer.

Twenty happy/sad dollars were collected: glad summer is here; happy to see so many young people at the meeting; it's time to sell auction raffle tickets; the Yankees are in first place; Josh misses Milo.

Birthdays/Anniversaries: June 4 is Paul Grindle's birthday.

Upcoming Dates: Dave Butterfield of Tradewinds Market; June 10 - 3 PM at the Town Hall a Combined Committee meeting for Canoe Race and Auction; June 16 - 5 PM erect the tent at Tradewinds; June 22 - begin setup for the garage sale part of the auction. Every Monday - at 11 AM - Builders Club meets, and Every Thursday - at 11:45 AM - Key Club meets. Last day of school is June 19. Our speaker chairperson for June is Heidi. We still need speaker chairpersons for July and August. It is not that hard of a job, as you only need three speakers during a month, and usually there are several suggestions made and all that the chairperson would need to do is make the contact and then introduce the person at the meeting.

Other Important Dates: June 18 our annual canoe race takes place; also on June 18 there is a picnic to honor past Lt.

Governors of our district, it will be held at the Kiwanis Park in Dover later in the afternoon; and June 24 and 25 will be our annual auction; the Annual Milo Fly Festival will be on July 2; and August 4 is the golf tournament.

In lieu of having a speaker, Heidi led a discussion on the upcoming events and what needs doing in preparation. The canoe race and auction are going along as planned and a committee meeting is scheduled for June 10 at the Town Hall at 3 PM to finalize any last minute details.

Ethelyn further explained the new temporary club dues plan in trial phase for New England clubs. Basically, a spouse or other household resident can join or renew at half the dues amount of the primary member from that household.

Ethelyn also reminded us to hand in any 50/50 tickets for the district drawing which will be held at the past Lt. Gov.'s picnic on June 8.

Edwin reminded us to make our contacts to get the donation of items from local businesses for our auction. So far the response has been slow.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:10 AM.
Respectfully submitted, Nancy Harrigan, Secretary

Penquis Smart Starts for Students Begins in Piscataquis Region

Dover-Foxcroft, ME- Summer is just beginning but Penquis is already working to help get kids ready for school this fall. The Penquis Smart Starts for Students program is currently accepting registrations from parents and guardians who need back to school supplies for their children. Registrations will be accepted until July 31, 2011.

Families with children who live in the greater Piscataquis area attending school in MSAD #4, #41, #46, #68 or Union #60 may register for assistance by visiting www.penquis.org (select the Smart Starts



for Students banner on lower right side), calling 564-7116 or 1-800-215-4942 ext. 2440, or stopping by the Penquis office at 50 North Street, Dover-Foxcroft. Registration forms also will be sent home with children attending schools within each of these districts over the next week.

According to Sheree Brown, Project Coordinator, the need was extremely high in the Piscataquis region last year. Smart Starts for Students served 428 children in 2010 which was a 74% increase over the previous year. "It is our hope that each student registered will receive a basic pack of back to schools supplies including binders, folders, notebooks, pens, pencils, erasers, crayons, markers, and paper, and whenever possible a backpack. These packs are valued at \$15-20 each, depending on age group served," said Brown.

Businesses and community members are invited to help serve the students in this area. To provide backpacks, basic supplies or a monetary donation, please contact Sheree Brown at 974-2440 or 1-800-215-4942 ext. 2440 or email sabrown@penquis.org.

Individuals can also support this project by visiting www.penquis.org and selecting the Make a Donation button on the home page or by visiting the Save-a-Lot store in Dover-Foxcroft during the month of July and purchasing a "bus". All proceeds will go towards the purchase of backpacks and school supplies. Donated supplies may be dropped off at drop boxes located at Camden National Bank branches in Dover-Foxcroft, Milo or Greenville or at Penquis in Dover-Foxcroft.

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