

2025 **FREE**

# GUIDE

TO THE  
**KEARSARGE-SUNAPEE REGION OF NH**

**EXTENSIVE  
COMMUNITY CALENDAR**

**Local information:  
Camping, Lodging,  
Farmers' Markets  
FREE Concerts  
and more...**



AT LEFT: The Lake Queen and  
Mt. Sunapee II, a familiar sight  
in Sunapee Harbor.

(Sasha Wolfe Photo)

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# Fresh new looks come to Sunapee Harbor

*"It's all about the community"*

BY SASHA WOLFE

Sunapee Harbor became popular in the 1870s with the coming of the railroad and the first passenger steamboat.

The Lady Woodsum carried passengers to various stations around the lake. Summer hotels, resorts and

guest houses were built in the 1930s to accommodate tourists.

The railroad, lake steamers and grand hotels are long gone, but the harbor continued to provide summer businesses and residences. However, the

years have taken their toll on many structures and many of the businesses are undergoing major renovations.

"One of the most significant changes is the sale of 72 Main Street, previously owned by Sunapee Harbor Riverway Inc.," according to Deb Pasculano.

The property was purchased by Main St. Partnership LLC, owned by Pasculano and Stacy Madison. "Their plan is to restore and redevelop the Fenton's Landing building, which is in dire need of repair," Pasculano said. "As part of the purchase, they have agreed to deed restrictions to maintain mixed-use zoning, extend current lease agreements and invest significantly in building updates."

"One of our goals is to get more year-round businesses," Pasculano said.

The property next to Stacy Smoothies and the former site of the Woodbine Cottage was purchased by the Sunapee Heritage Alliance (SHA).

"This purchase aligns with SHA's mission of preserving properties for community enrichment," said Pasculano. "While there are no immediate development plans, SHA is committed to listening to the community to determine the best use for the space."

The goal is for the property to remain a community asset rather than being sold for private use.

Info on the alliance: 860-558-5458 or cpwallace27@gmail.com.

Usual businesses remaining include Fenton's Landing, 71 Main St.; Harborside Trading, 81 Main St.;

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ABOVE – Gondola in Sunapee Harbor  
(Photo by Sasha Wolfe)

## Playgrounds – Because kids wanna have fun, too!

Nearly every elementary school in the region has a playground that is open to the public when school is not in session. Bradford Elementary School is on Old Warner Road, Simonds Elementary is in Warner off Main Street, New London Elementary is on Cougar Court off Pleasant Street, Sutton Central Elementary is on Newbury Road in Sutton Mills.

There are also playgrounds at Woodward Park on Parkside Drive in New London, Smiley Grove in North Sutton Village and Velie Memorial Playground on Rte. 103, Newbury.

Some towns have town greens which might offer play areas.

# INTERTOWN RECORD COMMUNITY CALENDAR

The most extensive calendar of events in the Kearsarge-Sunapee region. Area codes are 603 unless otherwise noted.

## Tuesday, June 17

**FRENCH DISCUSSION GROUP** – At the COA, 37 Pleasant St., New London, 4:15 p.m. Casual, friendly group to practice language skills. Register at 603-526-6368. Info: [www.coachapincenter.org](http://www.coachapincenter.org).

## Wednesday, June 18

**CORNHOLE** – At the COA Chapin Senior Center, 37 Pleasant St., New London, 1 p.m. Helps with depth perception, balance and hand-eye coordination. With Sarah and Cheri from Sunapee Cove. Call 603-526-6368 to register.

## Wednesday-Sunday, June 18-September 1

**SUMMER HOURS** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Discover what life was like on an early 20th century New Hampshire summer estate. See exhibits on history, ecology and art. Take a historic guided tour of the 22-room Colonial Revival Main House, explore the renowned gardens and sculpture, build a fairy house in the children's fairy village and experience the natural world on an easy hike along one of our scenic trails. Guided tours of the gardens are available at 11 a.m. During open hours, guided tours of the Main House are available at 1 p.m. Site admission at Kiosk applies. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

## Friday, June 20

**EXHIBIT RECEPTION** – At the Upton Chandler Museum, 10 W. Main St., Warner, 5-7 p.m. Ralph Farman Pratt, landscape painter and photographer. Info: 603-456-2437.

## Friday, June 20

**THE STORY OF WILMOT'S ROADS** – At the Wilmot Public Library, 11 North Wilmot Road, Wilmot, 7 p.m. "A Stake in the Road: The story of Wilmot's Roads." Bill Chaisson presents the history of Wilmot's roads. How roads were made in the 19th century, how they were maintained and by whom, how they were classified, and how they are discontinued. Info: 603-526-6804 or [www.wilmotlibrary.org](http://www.wilmotlibrary.org).

## Saturday, June 21

**STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL** – On the town green, New London, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Celebrate the strawberry and kick off summer. Vendors, entertainment, food, bouncy house and more. Cash or check only. To benefit the rec. dept. Info: [nl-nh.com/rec](http://nl-nh.com/rec).

**SHARING NEWBURY MEMORIES** – At the library, Route 103, Newbury, 10:15 a.m. A show and tell event to share memories of the town dock. Bring photos and memories to share. Light refreshments. Sponsored by the Newbury Historical Society. Info: [www.newburyhistorical.org/events](http://www.newburyhistorical.org/events).

**FREE CONCERT** – At Flanders Stage, Sunapee Harbor, 3-5 p.m. Bruce Marshall. Info: [www.sunapeeharborriverway.com](http://www.sunapeeharborriverway.com).

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**Sunday, June 22**

**FREE GARDEN PARTY** – At the garden at Tracy Library, Main Street, New London, 2 p.m., rain or shine. Presentation on the fascinating and humorous world of maple sugaring by naturalist Dave Anderson, senior director of education for the Society for the Protection of New Hampshire Forests. Refreshments. Info: [www.gardenattracy.org](http://www.gardenattracy.org).

**Sunday, June 22**

**FREE CONCERT** – At the MainStreet Warner Stage, 16 E. Main St., Warner, 4-6 p.m. Colin Nevins. Donations encouraged. Info: [www.mainstreetwarnerinc.org](http://www.mainstreetwarnerinc.org).

**FREE CONCERT** – On the common, Newport, 6 p.m. Shawna Jackson Band. There will be a 50/50 raffle. Bring lawn chairs.

**Tuesday, June 24**

**VISITING AUTHORS SERIES** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 4:30 p.m. Kathleen Bailey is a native of Concord and has spent 35 years in journalism, with bylines from the Union Leader, Exeter Newsletter, Nutfield News and Londonderry Times. She is the author of several historical fiction titles with Pelican/White Rose Publishing. This afternoon talk will be based on her book, *New Hampshire War Monuments: The Stories Behind the Stones*, available from Arcadia Publishing. Meets in the Pavilion. Members: \$10, nonmembers: \$15. Advance registration is requested but walk-ins are welcome. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

**Thursday, June 26**

**FREE CRACKER BARREL TALK** – At the Ice House Museum, 91 Pleasant St., New London, 7 p.m. A casual cracker barrel talk featuring memories of New London businesses through the years. The topic is "New London Businesses No Longer with Us." Come, listen and flex your memory as you stroll down Main Street and recall the businesses that brought New London to life. Info: [wfkicehouse.org](http://wfkicehouse.org).

**Friday, June 27**

**LAFAYETTE VISIT** – At the Bradford Historical Society, 162 E. Main St., Bradford, 1-2:30 p.m. Celebrate the 200th anniversary of Lafayette's Farewell Tour of America in the Granite State. Lafayette will be portrayed by Michael Halbert, retired civil defense intelligence officer. Refreshments will be provided by the historical society. Info: 603-938-2203, email [bradfordhistoricalsociety@gmail.com](mailto:bradfordhistoricalsociety@gmail.com) or visit [www.bradfordhistorical.org](http://www.bradfordhistorical.org).

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### NEWPORT

#### **Newport Golf Club**

18 holes, 112 Unity Road, Newport  
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[www.newportgolfclub-nh.com](http://www.newportgolfclub-nh.com)

### NORTH SUTTON

#### **Country Club of New Hampshire**

182 Kearsarge Valley Road, North Sutton  
Info: 603-927-4246  
[ccnh@golfmanagementco.com](mailto:ccnh@golfmanagementco.com) or  
[www.countryclubofnh.com](http://www.countryclubofnh.com)



ABOVE – Boden Quackenbos serving refreshing treats at the Quack Shack, a family-run business for 25 years. (Sasha Wolfe Photo)



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# Sunapee Harbor

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Prospect Hill Antiques, 31 River Road; Quack Shack, 74 Main St.; Stacy's Smoothies, 36 River Road; Sunapee Cottages, 4 Lake Ave.; Sunapee Cruises, 1 Lake Ave.; Sunapee Farmers' Market at the Ben Mere Bandstand; Sunapee Historical Society (museum), 74 Main St.; The Livery, 58 Main St.; and Wild Goose Country Store, 77 Main St. "Our family has run the Quack Shack for 25 years. In fact, it's our anniversary this summer," said owners Kendall and John Quack-enbros.

However, some of the already-established businesses will also be going through changes.

Stacy's Smoothies is un-

der the new ownership of Gabe Humphrey. Humphrey has worked summers at Stacy's since he was 12 years old. Besides smoothies and a coffee bar, Dole Soft Serve, a more fruity ice product with 10 different flavors, is also available.

For 2025, Stacy's will remain in its current location, but in 2026, it will move to share space at Fenton's Landing.

Humphrey said, about harbor businesses, "Everyone is constantly helping one another."

The Lake Shop, 33 River Road, is moving to the former location of Goodhue Marine, (gas docks) who is not returning. Harborside

Trading will be managing the gas docks which are owned by the Sunapee Harbor Riverway Corporation.

"There was much to do with registration and inspections with the State of New Hampshire DES," said Rhonda Gurney, owner of Harborside. Harborside Gas will be a seven days a week service after Memorial Day. "Harborside Trading is open nine months of the year. We are planning to keep Harborside Gas open beyond Labor Day."

New businesses coming to the harbor include

Sunapee Cellar & Pantry, 5 Garnet St.; and a new restaurant, The Blue Canoe, which will be moving into where The Anchorage used to be.

"Sunapee Cellar & Pantry is an upscale market offering a curated selection of high-quality foods, specialty cheeses, fine wines, and artisanal goods to the vibrant Lake Sunapee community. Serving locals, tourists, and boaters, we provide a unique shopping experience that celebrates quality and convenience,"

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BELOW – Deb Pascualano, former owner, and Gabriel Humphrey, new owner of Stacy's Smoothies. (Sasha Wolfe Photo)

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# Sunapee Harbor

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said Resse Brown. "We are thrilled to be part of the Sunapee Harbor Community and welcome all visitors to our market. When you are in the harbor, please walk over and say hello. Located in Sunapee Harbor, we are part of the walking harbor community adjacent to the Sunapee Harbor Riverwalk Trail."

<https://sunapeecellarandpantry.com>

Hoptimystic Brewing will be opening a beer tasting room in the lower level of 31 River Road. This spot offers beautiful views of Sugar River.

"We had the opportunity to do a pop-up last summer at the old Anchorage building and fell in love with both the harbor and the people," said Dan Thomas, owner of Hoptimystic Brewing. "We got the opportunity for a longer-term lease on the first floor of Prospect Hill Antiques and jumped at the opportunity."

Tim Fenton, of Fenton's Landing, will be opening a taco trailer across from the Quack Shack.

"We're especially excited to introduce our new Taco Trailer, Fenton said. "Located in the beer and wine garden on the back green, it's a casual, family friendly vibe, and what's better than tacos?"

He also said, "Fenton's Landing is excited to kick off another season of our

family-run business. We took some time this off-season to regroup and make plans we're proud of. While we'll continue serving our homemade favorites, we're also introducing some fun updates and upgrades.

"This year, our sandwiches will be served on fresh-baked focaccia, made in-house daily – and available for sale on its own. Staying true to our focus on fresh, local ingredients, we'll also feature local seasonal produce both in our dishes and for purchase.

"Sunapee Cruises is proud to celebrate its 75th anniversary this season! We're marking the occasion with some special cruises throughout the summer – stay tuned for details.

Fenton said it's been an exciting few years for them, with the addition of the Lake Queen and last year's major refurbishment of the MV Mt. Sunapee II.

"We'll continue putting the finishing touches on both vessels this season as we continue to settle in to each vessel. We're grateful for 75 wonderful years on the lake and we look forward to the next 75!

There are also plans to build a new fun and games area in the backyard along with revamping the riv-



SUNAPEE HARBOR – At left are the police and fire dept. boats for Sunapee Harbor. Above is the gazebo.

(Sasha Wolfe Photo)

er walk. This will be in the area called the Harbor House lot between The Livery and Fenton's Landing.

For more information about Sunapee Harbor and

its businesses and plans, visit [www.forwardsunapee.com](http://www.forwardsunapee.com), <https://sunapeeheritage.org/the-woodbine-property/>, [www.town.sunapee.nh.us](http://www.town.sunapee.nh.us).



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# Local Historical Societies & Museums

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## BRADFORD

### Bradford Historical Society

162 East Main St.

Tin Shop, Old Post Office and Blacksmith Shop open Saturdays through Oct. 19, 10 a.m. to noon. Also by appointment. Info: 603-938-2203, bradfordhistoricalsociety@gmail.com or www.bradfordhistorical.org

### The Bradford Center Meeting House and adjacent Center School

24 Rowe Mountain Road

Summer concerts and other events. Also available for weddings and memorials. The buildings are under the stewardship of the Friends of the Bradford Center Meeting House. Info: 603-748-5145, 603bcm@gmail.com or www.bradford.center

## NEW LONDON

### Historical Village

179 Little Sunapee Rd.

Open Sundays through Columbus Day, 1-4 p.m. Open for special events and group tours can be scheduled. Info: 603-526-6564, office@newlondonhistorical.org or www.newlondonhistoricalsociety.org

### WFK Ice House Museum

91 Pleasant St.

Hours until Oct.12: Tuesday and Thursday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; and Saturday, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Free admission. Info: 603-526-9394 or www.wfkicehouse.org

## NEWBURY

### Sherman Hall

135 Village Road

Open by appointment. Info: 603-938-2892, info@newburyhistorical.org or www.newburynhhistorical.org

## NEWPORT

### Newport Historical Society Museum

Nettleton House, 20 Central St.

Open Sundays, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. or by special appointment by calling 603-863-1294. Info: newporths1761@gmail.com or on Facebook at Newport NH Historical Society

## SPRINGFIELD

### Old Schoolhouse next to Meeting House

43 Four Corners Road

Hours: Saturday and Sunday through Labor Day, 1-3 p.m., with special events on Saturday. Info: 603-763-5352 or www.historicalspringfieldnh.org

## SUNAPEE

### Crowther Chapel

258 Stagecoach Road

Open to the public to view historical artifacts on the last Sunday of June, July, August and September, 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Info: 603-763-5571

### Flanders-Osborne Museum

74 Main St., Sunapee Harbor

Friday, Saturday, Sunday and holiday Mondays, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., and by appointment until mid-October. Info: 603-763-9872, sunapeehistory@gmail.com or www.sunapeehistoricalociety.org

### Sunapee Archives

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Monday, 1-4 p.m., year-round or by appointment. Info: 603-763-9872, sunapeehistory@gmail.com or www.sunapeehistoricalociety.org

## SUTTON

### Cressey House, South Sutton Meetinghouse and South Village School (District No. 9) and Old Store Museum

655 Rte. 114, South Sutton

Info: suttonnhhistory@gmail.com or www.suttonnhhistorical.org

### Muster Field Farm Museum

Harvey Road, North Sutton

Historic farm and grounds, farm stand, gardens, trails, homestead tours and annual events. Info: 603-927-4276, musterfieldfarm@gmail.com or www.musterfieldfarm.com

## WARNER

### WHS office, 15 West Main St.

Main Street House, Tuesdays, 1-4 p.m.

or by appointment.

Upton Chandler House Museum, 10 W. Main St., May-October, Tuesdays, 1-4 p.m., and Saturdays, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Call, email or check website for open hours. Info: 603-456-2437, info@warnerhistorical.org or www.warnerhistorical.org

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### New Hampshire Telephone Museum and Warner Firefighters Museum

1 Depot St.

Hours through Oct. 31: Tuesday-Saturday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Info: 603-456-2234, info@nhphonemuseum.org or www.nhphonemuseum.org

## WILMOT

### Wilmot Historical Society History Room

9 Kearsarge Valley Road

Hours: Saturdays, June 15-Sept. 28, 9 a.m. to noon, during farmers markets or by appointment. Interesting displays and discussions on Wilmot's history. Also, genealogy committee members will be on hand to assist people with extended research into family history. Info: 603-496-4883, info@wilmothhistoricalsociety.org or www.wilmothhistoricalsociety.org



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## Friday, June 27

**PLAY DATE** – On the green, New London, 5:30-7:30 p.m. During concerts. Fun, games and snacks for all ages. Info: [www.newlondon.nh.gov/recreation](http://www.newlondon.nh.gov/recreation).

**FREE CONCERT** – At the Mary D. Haddad Bandstand, Sargent Common, New London, 6:30-8 p.m. Kearsarge Community Band. In case of inclement weather at Whipple Town Hall.

**LEGO NIGHT** – At the Wilmot Public Library, 11 North Wilmot Road, Wilmot, 7 p.m. Build your own creations or take the Lego challenge. Free pizza and dessert. Info: 603-526-6804 or [www.wilmotlibrary.org](http://www.wilmotlibrary.org).

## Saturday, June 28

**FREE ANNUAL POTTER PLACE FESTIVAL** – At Potter Place Railroad Station, 105 Depot St., Andover, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Family friendly event with vendors, food, pumper car rides, crafts, kids games, history exhibits, open mic music and more. Info: 603-735-5232, pres@andoverhistory.org or [www.andoverhistory.org](http://www.andoverhistory.org).

**FREE CONCERT** – At Flanders Stage, Sunapee Harbor, 3-5 p.m. Jim Hollis. Info: [www.sunapeeharborriverway.com](http://www.sunapeeharborriverway.com).

**SMA CONCERT** – At the Sawyer Center Theater at Colby-Sawyer College, New London, 7 p.m. Season opening featuring the 75-piece Boston Civic Symphony, joined by Ashley Bathgate, cellist. Tickets for adults are \$25 and \$5 for students. Available [www.summermusicassociates.org](http://www.summermusicassociates.org), by calling 603-526-8234, by mailing SMA, P.O. Box 603, New London, NH 03257, at Tatewell Gallery or Morgan Hill Bookstore in New London.

## Sunday, June 29

**SUMMER CONCERT SERIES** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 5-7 p.m. Deep Blue C, a studio orchestra is made up of woodwinds, brass, percussion and strings as in a symphony orchestra. It also includes a rhythm section of guitar, bass guitar, keyboards and drum set as in a jazz combo or show orchestra. It often includes vocalists as well. Bring your own picnic to enjoy as you listen to the music. Members/nonmembers: \$35. Advance registration is requested but walk-ins are welcome. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

**FREE CONCERT** – On the common, Newport, 6 p.m. Bel-Airs. There will be a 50/50 raffle. Bring lawn chairs.

## Tuesday, July 1

**WRITERS TUESDAYS** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 9:30-11:30 a.m. “This is the time when ...” with Joni Cole. Find your unique voice in this welcoming workshop designed for everyone with a story to tell. Embrace creativity in the inspiring setting led by distinguished instructors, where the spectacular lake views and lush gardens become your muse. Meets in the Main House. Members: \$30, nonmembers: \$40. Advance registration requested. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

## Wednesday, July 2

**FREE CONCERT** – At the Ben Mere Bandstand, Sunapee Harbor, 6:30-8:30 p.m. Kid Pinky and his Restless Knights. A retro-style blues band. Info: [www.town.sunapee.nh.us](http://www.town.sunapee.nh.us).

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**Thursday, July 3**

**FIRST THURSDAY HIKE** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 11 a.m. This informal, moderate walk is an opportunity to get a little exercise, spend time out in the landscape, and discover the beautiful property once owned by the John Hay family. Meets at The Fells Ki-osh. Members free, nonmembers included with regular admission fee. No registration required. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

**FREE CONCERT** – At Newbury Harbor, 6:30-8 p.m. Catfish Howl. Info: [www.newbury.nh.gov](http://www.newbury.nh.gov).

**Friday, July 4**

**FREE CONCERT** – On the common, Newport, 6 p.m. Jensen & Co. There will be a 50/50 raffle. Bring lawn chairs.

**CFA FIRST FRIDAYS** – At 375 Main St., New London, 6:15-9 p.m. A joyful Independence Day event to honor this year's outstanding CFA Scholarship recipients and celebrate their achievements. After the awards, enjoy music on the green. Come for the inspiration, stay for the music and celebrate the 4th with heart and harmony. Info: [www.centerfortheartsnh.org](http://www.centerfortheartsnh.org).

**Saturday, July 5**

**FREE CONCERT** – At Flanders Stage, Sunapee Harbor, 3-5 p.m. Nick's Other Band. Info: [www.sunapeeharborriverway.com](http://www.sunapeeharborriverway.com).

**Saturday, July 5**

**FREE CONCERT** – On the common, Newport, 6 p.m. MV19. There will be a 50/50 raffle. Bring lawn chairs.

**Monday, July 7**

**HISTORY CRUISE ON THE MV MT. SUNAPEE** – Sunapee Harbor Pier, 5:30 p.m. Explore early lake shore development in Sunapee Harbor and along the Burkehaven, outer Lake Ave. and Gardner Bay shores. Tickets: \$45/person. RSVP required: 603-763-9872 or [sunapeehistory@gmail.com](mailto:sunapeehistory@gmail.com).

**Monday-Wednesday, July 7-9**

**KIDS CAMP: WATERCOLOR** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 9 a.m. to noon. For children ages 10-13. Debbie Campbell, local artist, will present the workshop on the essentials of watercolor. Children will learn techniques, express their creativity while learning about color, composition and perspective. All materials provided. Fee: \$100. Meets in the Pavilion. Scholarships available. Advance registration required.

**July 7-10**

**CFA WEEKEND ARTS PARTY** – Sunapee Harbor.

**Tuesday, July 8**

**WRITERS TUESDAYS** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 9:30-11:30 a.m. "Short skirt, long jacket: Creating characters from the outside in" with Tracy Wood.

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## Pick Your Own – NH Grown

### NEW LONDON

#### Spring Ledge Farm

37 Main Street

Strawberries from late June at Pleasant Street, New London; cut flowers and herbs from late June at 37 Main St.

Call for hours.

Info: 603-526-6253,

[info@springledgefarm.com](mailto:info@springledgefarm.com) or

[www.springledgefarm.com](http://www.springledgefarm.com)

### WARNER

#### Blue Moon Berry Farm

195 Waldron Hill Rd.

Over two acres of highbush blueberries.

Voted number 1 in state for U pick blueberries by WMUR in 2021.

Tuesday-Sunday, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.;

Closed Mondays.

Info: 603-456-8747 or

[jangugliotti1947@gmail.com](mailto:jangugliotti1947@gmail.com)

# NEW HAMPSHIRE'S GREAT OUTDOORS

## Beaches/Boating

### BEACHES

There are beaches on every lake in this region however most towns restrict their use to town residents and their guests. Info: [www.nhstateparks.org](http://www.nhstateparks.org). Ask your host for a parking permit.

**These beaches are open to the public:**

### ANDOVER

#### Highland Lake Off Channel Road

Across from the East Andover Volunteer Fire Department; picnic tables.

### BRADFORD

#### Lake Massasecum Park and Campground 36 Massasecum Lake Road off Route 114

Open from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. to Labor Day. A long wide beach looks across the lake to the surrounding hills. Nonmotorized boat rentals available, snack bar and more than 30 picnic tables and fishing (with license.) No boats or paddleboards. No lifeguards on duty. No dogs. Admission fee. Info: 603-938-2571, [massasecum@comcast.net](mailto:massasecum@comcast.net) or [www.lakemassasecum-campground.com](http://www.lakemassasecum-campground.com).

### CONTOOCOOK

#### Riverway Park Boat Launch Main Street after the covered bridge Rowboats

### NEWBURY

#### Newbury Harbor Town Beach, Lake Sunapee, Route 103

Free. Open daily, 7 a.m. to 10 p.m. Large swimming area with dock and a row of buoys. Handicap accessible restrooms. No lifeguard, two-hour parking.

### Mt. Sunapee State Park Beach

#### 86 Beach Access Road, off Route 103 at the circle

Open daily weather permitting through Labor Day, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., unless otherwise posted. Because of popularity, could sell out in morning. No glass bottles. Longest stretch of sand available to swimmers on 4,085-acre Lake Sunapee. Lifeguards on duty Wed.-Sun. Fishing, boating, swimming and picnicking. Store, canoe and kayak rentals, playground, bathhouse and handicap accessible restrooms with separate changing areas. Admission fee, also fee for car with boat trailer. Season passes available. Pets are not allowed on beach. Boat launch is very shallow and rocky, not recommended for outboard motors, best for car top boats.

### SUTTON

#### Wadleigh State Park, Kezar Lake, North Sutton Penacook Road off Rte. 114

Hours: 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Large parking lot, narrow long beach, large swimming area with sandy bottom roped off with buoys. No lifeguard on duty. No pets. Handicap accessible restrooms and separate changing areas, 30 picnic tables shaded by tall pines, playground equipment and fishing. Admission fee. Info: [www.nhstateparks.org](http://www.nhstateparks.org).

### PUBLIC BOATING

Boater education required of everyone born on or after January 1, 1957, if running more than 25 horsepower. A card needs to be carried showing the course has been passed. Boaters may use an 82-minute video. For more information visit [www.boat-ed.com/nh](http://www.boat-ed.com/nh).

Lake hosts are often on hand to help educate boaters on preventing the spread of aquatic invasive species (AIS). It is now the law to clean, drain, dry all watercraft, trailers and gear before and after. It is illegal to transport and introduce aquatic invasive species. Info: RSA: 487:16. Other info: New Hampshire Fish & Game 603-271-3511.

### ANDOVER Highland Lake

Off Channel Road across from the East Andover Volunteer Fire Department, for kayaks, paddleboards and boats.

### Hopkins (Adder) Pond

Route 11 to Elbow Pond Road, 2 miles on left, 26-acre pond, trailer parking (small lot), open 24 hours, no fees, trout waters.

### Morey Pond in Kearsarge State Forest

Route 11 to South Old Winslow Road, left at X, straight past park entrance to Morey Road, first right, 5 acres, cartop, open 24 hours, no fees, trout waters.

### CONTOOCOOK

#### Riverway Park Boat Launch

Main Street after the covered bridge. Rowboats, canoes and other small boats. No powerboats.

### ELKINS Pleasant Lake

Route 11 to Elkins Road, at Elkins Business Loop sign, to Elkins dam. Beach parking pass needed, but limited spots available across from King Solomon Lodge.

### NEW LONDON

#### Blodgett Landing Ramp off Route 103

#### Little Lake Sunapee

I-89 exit 12, right onto Route 11, immediate left onto Otterville Road, first right onto Little Sunapee Road. Boat ramp 100 yards on right. Open 24 hours, no skicraft.

### NEWBURY

#### Mount Sunapee State Beach

86 Beach Access Road, off Route 103 traffic circle. Parking: trailer hours through Labor Day, 9:30 a.m. to 8 p.m., fee charged. Shallow channel through breakwaters. Restroom.

### SUNAPEE

#### Burkehaven Boat Ramp

Burkehaven Road

#### Georges Mill Ramp

On Lake Sunapee, Route 11 to Cooper St. No parking for nonresidents, no-wake area, restroom.

### Perkins Pond

Route 11 to Trow Hill Road to North Road to Perkins Pond Road. 157 acres, trailer parking, open 24 hours, no fees.

### Sunapee Harbor Ramp

Route 11, east on Main Street from blinking light. Offsite parking, open 24 hours, no fees, no-wake area, handicap access to restroom.

### SUTTON

**Horse Beach**, Penacook Road, Kezar Lake, parking across the street. Jet skis not allowed.

### WARNER

**Simmons Pond**, Route 103 to Blaisdell Lake Road to Blaisdell Farm Road to Blaisdell Hill Road. Access on left. 20 acres, cartop, boats/parking, open 24 hours, no fee, trout waters.



Visit [www.wildlife.state.nh.us/access](http://www.wildlife.state.nh.us/access) for more boating and fishing access information



# INTERTOWN Community Calendar (Continued from Page 12)

Master the art of character development through this innovative approach to crafting memorable personalities. Meets in the Main House. Members: \$30, non-members: \$40. Advance registration requested. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

## Tuesday, July 8

**FREE CONCERT** – At the MainStreet Warner Stage, 16 E. Main St., Warner, 5-7 p.m. Saline Fiddlers Philharmonic. Donations encouraged. Info: [www.mainstreet-warnerinc.org](http://www.mainstreet-warnerinc.org).

## Wednesday, July 9

**CONCERT SERIES** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 6-8 p.m. Alex Minasian Trio, straight ahead jazz honoring the legends of the music such as Charlie Parker, Thelonious Monk, Horace Silver, as well as incorporating tunes from the Great American Songbook. Bring your own picnic to enjoy as you listen to the music and feel free to dance. Members/nonmembers: \$35. Advance registration is requested but walk-ins are welcome. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

**FREE CONCERT** – At the Ben Mere Bandstand, Sunapee Harbor, 6:30-8:30 p.m. Back Bay Transit. Original renditions of classics from the genres of funk, rock, pop and jazz. Info: [www.town.sunapee.nh.us](http://www.town.sunapee.nh.us).

## Thursday, July 10

**FREE CONCERT** – At Newbury Harbor, 6:30-8 p.m. Shades of Blue. Info: [www.newbury.nh.gov](http://www.newbury.nh.gov).

**FREE HISTORICAL EVENT** – At the Flanders-Osborne Museum, Sunapee Harbor, 7 p.m. Greg Young will explain and demonstrate some historic equipment, the Woodsum machine shop, farm implements, blacksmith tools and more. Info: 603-763-9872 or [sunapee-history@gmail.com](mailto:sunapee-history@gmail.com).

**SMA CONCERT** – At the First Baptist Church, Main Street, New London, 7 p.m. The Riverside Brass Quintet, led by virtuoso trumpeter Geoffrey Shamu, will present a mix of pop, classical and jazz. Tickets for adults are \$25 and \$5 for students. Available [www.summermusicassociates.org](http://www.summermusicassociates.org), by calling 603-526-8234, by mailing SMA,

P.O. Box 603, New London, NH 03257, at Tatewell Gallery or Morgan Hill Bookstore in New London.

## Friday, July 11

**FREE CONCERT** – At the Mary D. Haddad Bandstand, Sargent Common, New London, 6:30-8 p.m. Luke Con-cannon and Stephanie Hollenberg. International singer-songwriter. In case of inclement weather at Whipple Town Hall.

**VISITING AUTHORS SERIES** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 11 a.m. Dave Anderson will share readings from the works of Burroughs Award-Winning Naturalist, John Hay (1915-2011) pertaining to New Hampshire's forests and mountains, Sunset Hill and Lake Sunapee. Also included will be eight recollections of John Hay's boyhood home and the gardens at The Fells and the "Fells Farm" era during the 1920s and 1930s. Meets on the Veranda of the Main House. Co-sponsored by the Society for the Protection of New Hampshire Forests and The John Hay Estate. Members: \$10, nonmembers: \$15. Advance registration is requested but walk-ins are welcome. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

**KICK OFF PARTY FOR ARTS** – At Prospect Hill and Hoptimystic Brewery, 31 River Road, Sunapee Harbor, 5:30-7 p.m. Tickets: CFA members \$45 and nonmembers \$55. Enjoy art, live demonstrations, beer, appetizers, live music and more. Support the CFA art scholarships, school and teacher grants, and art classes. Info: At

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# Hike, bike and paddle!



A lot of information on New Hampshire state parks can be found at [www.nhstateparks.org](http://www.nhstateparks.org). The site contains info on hiking trails, pet policies, hours parks are open, any fees required, places handicapped accessible and many other amenities and events. Also check the fish and game website for boating and fishing information.

*Note: Drone use is restricted in all New Hampshire state parks.*

## Hiking:

Sunapee-Ragged-Kearsarge Greenway is 75-miles of hiking trails linking the summits of Sunapee, Ragged and Kearsarge mountains and maintained by the SRKG Coalition. SRKG volunteer members lead hikes throughout the summer, plus there are other events offered. Maps, calendar of events, trail closures, guide book and more can be found at [www.srkg.com](http://www.srkg.com).

Summer 2023 at Mount Sunapee offers many trails including the ski trails, Summit Hiking Trail, Lake Solitude Hiking Trail and the Newbury Hiking Trail. There's also the Andrew Brook Trail (great for families) off Mountain Road which also will take you to Lake

Solitude. Visit [www.mountsunapee.com](http://www.mountsunapee.com) and click on "Summer at Mount Sunapee" for list of events.

Mt. Kearsarge South (there's a Mt. Kearsarge North in Chatham) can be hiked from two sides. Rollins State Park in Warner has a nice family hike up the mountain. The Wilmot side is a more challenging hike from Winslow State Park.

For suggestions and trail maps, also visit the New London, Newbury or Sunapee information booths. Town halls are also a good source for maps and information compiled by the town's conservation commission.

Pillsbury State Park in Washington, off Rte. 31, is crossed by a network of hiking and mountain bike trails. These trails offer easy to moderate hiking in fairly remote settings. The park is an important link in the Monadnock-Sunapee Greenway, a 51-mile trail connecting Mt. Monadnock with Mt. Sunapee in the north.

## Rails to Trails:

Many towns and areas are getting involved in the Rails to Trails movement which turns the old railroad lines

into well-maintained four-season recreational trails. These trails provide wonderful easy hiking and biking allowing anyone the opportunity to enjoy the scenic views and experience the natural beauty of the areas. Some allow horseback riding.

One such trail is the 59-mile Northern Rail Trail which runs from the Concord city line to Lebanon. There are many parking areas and trailheads along the route.

The Concord-Lake Sunapee section passes through several towns, some of which still may be in planning stages. The Stevens Rail Trail, 1.3 miles, is between Warner and Hopkinton. The Warner Rail Trail is a 1-mile section. Bradford hosts 1 mile of the Tilly-Wheeler Trail and Lower Lake Todd segment.

Kearsarge-Sunapee area visitors can park at Potter Place at the intersection of Rtes. 4 and 11 in Andover or at the Highland Lake Inn trailhead in East Andover. The Danbury General Store also has trail access along with parking, bathrooms and food. For more information and to find maps and where to park, check [www.nhstateparks.org](http://www.nhstateparks.org) and look under the Trails

Bureau or visit [www.fnrt.org](http://www.fnrt.org).

## Boating:

In Andover, the Blackwater River is highly recommended for kayaking. Also, Highland Lake has a great scenic shoreline. Public boat access is off Channel Road.

Bradford's Lake Massasecum has a public boat ramp off Rte. 114 with limited parking.

Eastman Lake, aka Eastman Pond is located in Enfield, Grantham and Springfield. Public boat access is at Eastman West and has a 10 mph speed limit.

In New London, try the Little Lake Sunapee and explore around Colby Point if you like loons. Also, Pleasant Lake has a town beach and public boat ramp in Elkins. located mostly in New London.

Kezar Lake, North Sutton, is another good bet for canoeing or kayaking. The public boat ramp is next to Smiley Grove in North Sutton village near the beach. You can also hike or bike the 3 miles around the lake. If you're lucky, you can spot the nesting eagle.

Lake Sunapee, the fifth largest lake in the state offers four boat ramps, 11 islands and three lighthouses.



## CALENDAR (Continued from Page 13)

The Livery, 58 Main St., Sunapee, 1-5 p.m. The Naturally New England Art and Photography Show, a juried art exhibit celebrating New England's landscapes, wildlife and historic architecture. A stunning display of artistic talent on exhibit until July 20. An online virtual exhibition will also be featured. Info: [www.centerfortheartsnh.org](http://www.centerfortheartsnh.org).

**Friday, July 11**

**FREE CONCERT** – At the Mary D. Haddad Bandstand, Sargent Common, New London, 6:30-8 p.m. Luke Concanon and Stephanie Hollenberg. International singer-songwriter. In case of inclement weather at Whipple Town Hall.

**Friday, July 11 & Saturday, July 12**

**ARTIST SHOW PREVIEW AND OPENING RECEPTION** – At The Livery, 58 Main St., Sunapee. Preview, Friday, 1-5 p.m. Opening reception, Saturday, 5-7 p.m. The Naturally New England Art and Photography Show, a juried art exhibit celebrating New England's landscapes, wildlife and historic architecture. A stunning display of artistic talent on exhibit until July 20. An online virtual exhibition will also be featured. Info: [www.centerfortheartsnh.org](http://www.centerfortheartsnh.org).

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**PUBLIC LIBRARIES – For your reading pleasure!****ANDOVER**

Andover Public Library  
11 School St.  
603-735-5333  
[andoverpl11@gmail.com](mailto:andoverpl11@gmail.com)  
[www.andovernhlibrary.weebly.com](http://www.andovernhlibrary.weebly.com)

William A. Bachelder Library  
12 Chase Hill Road, East Andover  
603-735-5076  
[wablibrary@comcast.net](mailto:wablibrary@comcast.net)  
[www.andovernhlibrary.weebly.com](http://www.andovernhlibrary.weebly.com)

**BRADFORD**

Brown Memorial Library  
78 West Main St.  
603-938-5562  
[bmlbradford@gmail.com](mailto:bmlbradford@gmail.com)  
[www.brownmemoriallibrary.org](http://www.brownmemoriallibrary.org)

**CONTOOCCOOK**

Hopkinton Town Library  
61 Houston Dr.  
603-746-3663, [info@hopkintontownlibrary.org](mailto:info@hopkintontownlibrary.org)  
ort or [www.hopkintontownlibrary.org](http://www.hopkintontownlibrary.org)

**DANBURY**

George Gamble Library  
29 Route 104  
603-768-3765  
[georgegamblelibrary@comcast.net](mailto:georgegamblelibrary@comcast.net)  
[www.georgegamblelibrary.wordpress.com](http://www.georgegamblelibrary.wordpress.com)

**GRANTHAM**

Dunbar Free Library  
401 Route 10  
603-863-2172  
<https://dunbarlibrary.org>

**NEW LONDON**

Tracy Memorial Library  
304 Main St.  
603-526-4656  
[info@tracylibrary.org](mailto:info@tracylibrary.org)  
[www.tracylibrary.org](http://www.tracylibrary.org)

**NEWBURY**

Newbury Public Library  
933 Route 103  
603-763-5803  
[reference@newburynhlibrary.net](mailto:reference@newburynhlibrary.net)  
[www.newburynhlibrary.net](http://www.newburynhlibrary.net)

**NEWPORT**

Richards Free Library  
58 N. Main St.  
603-863-3430  
[rfl@newport.lib.nh.us](mailto:rfl@newport.lib.nh.us)  
[www.newport.lib.nh.us](http://www.newport.lib.nh.us)

**SPRINGFIELD**

Libbie Cass Memorial Library  
2750 Main St.  
603-763-4381  
[libbielcass@gmail.com](mailto:libbielcass@gmail.com)  
[www.libbielcass.weebly.com](http://www.libbielcass.weebly.com)

**SUNAPEE**

Abbott Library  
11 Soonipi Circle  
603-763-5513  
[info@abbottlibrary.org](mailto:info@abbottlibrary.org)  
[www.abbottlibrary.org](http://www.abbottlibrary.org)

**SUTTON**

Sutton Free Library  
5 Corporation Hill Road  
603-927-4927  
[suttonlibrarian@gmail.com](mailto:suttonlibrarian@gmail.com)  
[www.sutton-nh.org/town/library](http://www.sutton-nh.org/town/library)

**WARNER**

Pillsbury Free Library  
18 East Main St. at Depot Street  
603-456-2289  
[info@warner.lib.nh.us](mailto:info@warner.lib.nh.us)  
[www.warner.lib.nh.us](http://www.warner.lib.nh.us)

**WILMOT**

Wilmot Public Library  
11 North Wilmot Rd., off Route 4A  
603-526-6804  
[wilmotlibrary@comcast.net](mailto:wilmotlibrary@comcast.net)  
[www.wilmotlibrary.org](http://www.wilmotlibrary.org)

*Please check with individual libraries for story times, summer reading programs and other events.*

## CALENDAR (Continued from Page 16)

**July 11-20**

**NATURALLY NEW ENGLAND ART & PHOTOGRAPHY SHOW** – At The Livery, 58 Main St., Sunapee. Preview, Friday, July 11 1-5 p.m. Opening reception, Saturday, July 12, 5-7 p.m. This juried art exhibit celebrates New England's landscapes, wildlife and historic architecture. A stunning display of artistic talent on exhibit until July 20. An online virtual exhibition will also be featured. Info: [www.centerfortheartsnh.org](http://www.centerfortheartsnh.org).

**Saturday, July 12**

**THE EXCHANGE** – Local vintage and farm inspired outdoor market, Andover.

**CARS AND COFFEE** – At the Ice House Museum, 91 Pleasant St., New London, New London, 9 a.m. Bring your favorite vehicle, old or new. Enjoy car camaraderie and explore the museum's collections. Info: [wfkicehouse.org](http://wfkicehouse.org).

**FREE OLD HOME DAY OPEN HOUSE** – At the Center Meeting House, Route 103, Newbury, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Info: [centermeetinghousenewbury.org](http://centermeetinghousenewbury.org).

**ARTS IN THE HARBOR** – At Sunapee Harbor, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. A one day juried show celebrating creativity in many forms. Info: [www.centerfortheartsnh.org](http://www.centerfortheartsnh.org).

**FREE CONCERT** – At Flanders Stage, Sunapee Harbor, 3-5 p.m. Scott Forrest. Info: [www.sunapeeharborriverway.com](http://www.sunapeeharborriverway.com).

**CONCERT** – At the Bradford Meetinghouse, 34 Rowe Mountain Road, Bradford, 6 p.m. The Dobros. A local crowd-pleasing favorite, for a family-friendly rock and roll concert and dancing on the green. Cost: \$10. Children free. Info: [www.bradford.center](http://www.bradford.center).

**FREE CONCERT** – At the town green, Wilmot, 6-7:30 p.m. Nick's Other Band. Classic rock. Food vendor: Wilmot Volunteer Fire Dept.

**FREE CONCERT** – At Newbury Harbor, 7:30 p.m. Shot Down. Info: [www.newbury.nh.gov](http://www.newbury.nh.gov).

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**FREE SUMMER  
◆ CONCERTS ◆**

**BRADFORD:** At the Center Meetinghouse, 34 Rowe Mountain Road. Saturday, July 26, 6 p.m. Info: [www.bradford.center](http://www.bradford.center).

**NEW LONDON:** At the Mary D. Haddad Bandstand, Sargent Common, Main St., Fridays, June 27-Aug. 15, 6:30-8 p.m. No concert Aug. 1. Bring blankets and lawn chairs. In case of rain, held in Whipple Hall.

**NEWBURY:** At the harbor, Thursdays, June 26 to Aug. 21, 6:30-8 p.m., and Saturday, July 12, 7:30 p.m.

**NEWPORT:** On the town common, Sundays, June 22 to Aug. 21; Friday and Saturday, July 4 and 5; and the last one, Saturday, Aug. 30, 6-8 p.m. If raining, held at rec. center, Belknap Ave. Info: [chamber@newportnhchamber.org](mailto:chamber@newportnhchamber.org).

**SUNAPEE:** At Ben Mere Bandstand, Sunapee Harbor, Wednesdays, July 2-Aug. 27, 6:30-8:30 p.m. Info: [recreation@town.sunapee.nh.us](mailto:recreation@town.sunapee.nh.us).

At Flanders Stage, Saturdays, through Aug. 30, 3-5 p.m., unless otherwise noted. Info: [info@sunapeeharborriverway.com](mailto:info@sunapeeharborriverway.com) or [www.sunapeeharborriverway.com](http://www.sunapeeharborriverway.com).

**WARNER:** At Jim Mitchell Community Park, MainStreet Warner Stage or on the patio, various days, various times. Donations appreciated. Info: 603-456-3745, [info@www.mainstreetwarnerinc.org](mailto:info@www.mainstreetwarnerinc.org). [www.mainstreetwarnerinc.org](http://www.mainstreetwarnerinc.org).

**WILMOT:** At the town green, Wilmot Flat, 9 Kearsarge Valley Road, Saturdays, July 12-Aug. 23, 6-7:30 p.m. No concert Aug. 2. In case of rain, held at the Wilmot Community Association, 64 Village Road. Food concessions. Info: 603-731-5850 or [www.wilmotnh.org/community/bandstand](http://www.wilmotnh.org/community/bandstand).





# Area Lodging



## ANDOVER

**Highland Lake Inn B&B and Andover Barn, Event Venue**  
32 Maple St. • 603-735-6426  
innkeeper@highlandlakeinn.com  
www.highlandlakeinn.com  
For wedding venues: www.andoverbarn.com

## BRADFORD

**Rosewood Country Inn B&B**  
67 Pleasant View Road  
603-938-5253 or 1-800-938-5273  
innkeeper@rosewoodcountryinn.com  
www.rosewoodcountryinn.com

## NEW LONDON

**Inn at Pleasant Lake**  
853 Pleasant St.  
603-873-4833 or 1-800-626-4907  
info@innatpleasantlake.com  
www.innatpleasantlake.com

### **King Hill Cottage**

603-748-9467  
info@sunapeestays.com  
www.sunapeestays.com

### **Lamplighter Motor Inn**

6 Newport Road  
603-526-6484  
lamplightermotorinn@comcast.com  
www.lamplightermotorinn.com

### **The New London Inn**

353 Main St.  
603-526-2791  
Limited number of pet friendly rooms  
stay@thenewlondoninn.com  
www.thenewlondoninn.com

### **Twin Lake Village**

164 Twin Lake Village Road  
603-526-6460  
tlvkidder@twinlakevillage.com  
www.twinlakevillage.com

## NEWPORT

**Newport Hotel**  
467 Sunapee St.  
603-863-1440

## NEWBURY

**Bluebird Sunapee**  
1403 Route 103  
603-763-2010  
Pet friendly rooms  
sunapee@bluebirdhotels.com  
www.bluebirdhotels.com

### **Blue Goose Inn**

24 Route 103B  
603-763-5519  
Bluegooseinnnh@gmail.com  
www.bluegooseinnnh.com

### **Lake Inn at Mt. Sunapee**

1349 Route 103  
603-763-2701  
Limited pet friendly rooms  
info@lakeinnsunapee.com  
www.lakeinnsunapee.com

### **Mountain Edge Suites at Sunapee**

1380 Route 103  
603-763-4600 or 1-877-468-3343  
Pet suites available with advance notice  
reservations@mountainedgeresort.com  
www.mountainedgesuites.com

### **Tiffany Hill Treehouse**

88 Bay Point Road  
603-748-9467  
info@sunapeestays.com  
www.sunapeestays.com

## NORTH SUTTON

**Country Club of New Hampshire**  
187 Kearsarge Valley Road  
603-927-4246  
ccnh@golfmanagementco.com  
www.countryclubofnh.com

### **Follansbee Inn**

2 Keyser St.  
603-927-4221  
denis@follansbeeinn.com  
www.follansbeeinn.com



## SUNAPEE

**Georges Mills Cottages**  
1373 Route 11  
603-763-2369  
Pet friendly  
Gmcottages77@gmail.com  
www.georgesmillscottages.wordpress.com

### **Soonipi Casa**

603-748-9467  
info@SunapeeStays.com  
www.sunapeestays.com

### **Sunapee Harbor Cottages**

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www.sunapeeharborcottages.com

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www.sunapeestays.com

## WARNER

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themaples@tds.net  
www.themaplesatwarner.com

## WILMOT

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318 New Canada Road  
Bookings: Airbnb/VRBO  
admin@prospective-realty.com  
www.nhmountaininn.com



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### July 12 & 13

**MOUNT KEARSARGE INDIAN MUSEUM ANNUAL POW WOW** – In Warner. Directions from I-89 either exit 8 or 9: take Route 103 to the center of Warner, turn up Kearsarge Mountain Road. After one mile turn right onto Highlawn Road. Turn right into the second driveway. As you pull in to the parking lot you should see the front museum entrance.

### Sunday, July 13

**CONCERT SERIES** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 5-7 p.m. New Legacy Swing Band, 17-piece swing band delighting New England for over 20 years. Their play list includes Blood, Sweat and Tears, Brian Setzer, Herb Alpert, Chicago and well-known big band and swing classics with updated arrangements of the big band era. Bring your own picnic to enjoy as you listen to the music and feel free to dance. Members/nonmembers: \$35. Advance registration is requested but walk-ins are welcome. Info: 603-763-4789 or www.thefells.org.

**FREE CONCERT** – On the common, Newport, 6 p.m. Shades of Blue. There will be a 50/50 raffle. Bring lawn chairs.

**VANISH FILM SCREENING** – At The Livery, 58 Main St., Sunapee, 7-9 p.m. Vanish -- Disappearing Icons of a rural America film screening and special vanishing New England barns and landscapes exhibit. Presented by the CFA. Tickets: \$15 for members, \$20 for nonmembers. Info: www.centerfortheartsnh.org.

### Monday-Wednesday,

### July 14-16

**KIDS CAMP: WATCH YOUR GARDEN GROW** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 9 a.m. to noon. For children ages 8-11. The Fells staff will introduce your child to the science and art of gardening through hands-on experience. Kids will learn the process of planting a garden and how flowers grow, explore native habitats, create arts and crafts, make new friends, and spend the summer days outdoors. Fee: \$100. Meets in the Pavilion. Scholarships available. Advance registration required.

### Tuesday, July 15

**WRITERS TUESDAYS** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. "Write In" with Masher Chappelle, story guide. Immerse yourself in a supportive community writing experience guided by an experienced mentor. Meets in the Main House. Members: \$30, nonmembers: \$40. Advance registration requested. Info: 603-763-4789 or www.thefells.org.

**FREE CONCERT** – At the Ben Mere Bandstand, Sunapee Harbor, 6:30-8:30 p.m. The Lake Effect. A family  
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**Thursday, July 17**

**GARDENING LECTURE SERIES** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 10 a.m. Bringing It All Home: Garden Photography, Garden Making and the Art of Seeing with Karen Bussolini, garden photographer, writer, speaker and eco-friendly garden coach. Meets in the pavilion. Members \$10, nonmembers \$15. Advance registration is requested but walk-ins are welcome. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

**FREE CONCERT** – At Newbury Harbor, 6:30-8 p.m. North River Music. Info: [www.newbury.nh.gov](http://www.newbury.nh.gov).

**Thursday, July 17 & Friday, July 18**

**ART IN BLOOM** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 10 a.m. Experience the art of the current gallery exhibit through the eyes of talented local floral designers. “In all of nature there can be nothing more expressive than silence,” wrote John Hay. See how these talented florists interpret the painted canvas through innovative floral designs; from a single stem set in the perfect vase to an elaborate arrangement. Members: free; nonmembers: included with regular admission fee Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

**Friday, July 18**

**FREE CONCERT** – At the Mary D. Haddad Bandstand, Sargent Common, New London, 6:30-8 p.m. Hopkinton Town Band. Well-known tunes from the symphonic band repertoire. In case of inclement weather at Whipple Town Hall.

**FREE CONCERT** – At the MainStreet Warner Stage, 16 E. Main St., Warner, 6-8 p.m. Now's the Time. Donations encouraged. Info: [www.mainstreetwarnerinc.org](http://www.mainstreetwarnerinc.org).

**Saturday, July 19**

**FREE OLD FORD DAY** – At the Ice House Museum, 91 Pleasant St., New London, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Bring your own

antique vehicle and try your skills on the balance beam, or just come to see those on display, trade tales with the owners. Learn more about how these great cars work by watching or joining in some kind of tinkering project or simply enjoy a ride around the block. Great event for kids (old and young alike). Info: [wfkicehouse.org](http://wfkicehouse.org).

**Saturday, July 19**

**LAKE STATION TO NEWBURY STATION** – At the library, Route 103, Newbury, 10:15 a.m. Deane Geddes will present an encore of his slide show on the station to station and everything in between. Sponsored by the Newbury Historical Society. Info: [www.newburyhistorical.org/events](http://www.newburyhistorical.org/events).

**FREE CONCERT** – At Flanders Stage, Sunapee Harbor, 3-5 p.m. The Better Days Band. Info: [www.sunapeeharborriverway.com](http://www.sunapeeharborriverway.com).

**FREE CONCERT** – At the town green, Wilmot, 6-7:30 p.m. Frogz. Classic rock and pop. Food vendor: Wilmot Community Association.

**BEHIND THE LYRICS** – At The Livery, 58 Main St., Sunapee, 7-9 p.m. Discover the Stories Behind the Music with singer/songwriters Tom Pirozolli, Click Horning, Grace Rapetti and Colin Nevins. For tickets, contact [www.centerfortheartsnh.org](http://www.centerfortheartsnh.org).

**Saturday and Sunday, July 19 & 20**

**ARTIST WEEKEND** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Discover the natural beauty and gardens of The John Hay Estate through the eyes of prominent New England artists as they create art en plein air. Visitors are invited to observe artists interpret the landscape and watch as their paintings come to life, discuss their individual techniques and learn what inspires them. Select artists demonstrate special artistry methods. There will be a silent auction of participating artists on both Saturday and Sunday. Sunday culminates with a 3 p.m. reception of lemonade and treats; an exhibit of the weekend's paintings; and a wet paint sale. Sunday's reception is free for all beginning at 3 p.m. Paintings may be purchased off the easel anytime on Saturday or Sunday. Members: free, nonmembers: included with regular admission fee. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

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**CALENDAR (Continued from Page 20)****Sunday, July 20**

**CONCERT SERIES** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 5-7 p.m. Grace Marie Wallace was born and raised in Worcestershire, England, and started studying classical piano and flute at 11 years of age. She's had the privilege to study with some amazing jazz vocalists including Madeline Kole and Natalia Bernal. Bring your own picnic to enjoy as you listen to the music. Members/nonmembers: \$35. Advance registration is requested but walk-ins are welcome. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

**FREE CONCERT** – On the common, Newport, 6 p.m. Clint Pecor. There will be a 50/50 raffle. Bring lawn chairs.

**Monday, July 21**

**CFA HUMANITIES MONDAYS** – At 428 Main St., New London, 6:30-7:30 p.m. Each month, explore fascinating topics like history, literature, art, and philosophy in a welcoming community setting and led by area experts. Held on the third Monday of every month., Info: [www.centerfortheartsnh.org](http://www.centerfortheartsnh.org).

**Monday-Wednesday,  
July 21-23**

**KIDS CAMP: NATURE EXPLORERS** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 9 a.m. to noon. For children ages 6-10. Investigate the wild side of The Fells to learn secrets of the plants and animals that call it home. Dip your toes in the stream and scoop up aquatic insects and explore the mysteries of the forest. Explore nature's playground in the forest, stream, meadow and lake.

Meets in the pavilion. Members \$10, nonmembers \$15. Advance registration is requested but walk-ins are welcome. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

**Tuesday, July 22**

**WRITERS TUESDAYS** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 9:30-11:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. “The Embodied Writer: A Mindfulness & Movement Creative Writing Workshop” with Candace Coakley and Liz Kinchen. This two-hour workshop blends mindfulness, movement and writing to help you quiet the noise, tap into your creativity and bring greater depth to your storytelling. Explore the intersection of mindfulness and memory in this transformative workshop. Meets in the Main House. Members: \$30, nonmembers: \$40. Advance registration requested. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

**Wednesday, July 23**

**RAPTORS UP CLOSE** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 2-3 p.m. For children ages 6-10. Investigate the wild side of The Fells to learn secrets of the plants and animals that call it home. Dip your toes in the stream and scoop up aquatic insects and explore the mysteries of the forest. Explore nature's playground in the forest, stream, meadow and lake. Meets in the pavilion. Members \$10, nonmembers \$15. Advance registration is requested but walk-ins are welcome. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

**CONCERT SERIES** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 6-8 p.m. The three gals of The Hot Skillet Club bring their audience into another time and place, swooning their three-part harmonies, sock rhythm and

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<b>GOOD TATS • GREAT SPIRITS</b> 21 Flavors of Ice Cream at Newbury Harbor		<b>al fresco dining &amp; cocktails on the deck</b>  <b>Full take-out menu available</b> wood-fired pizza, burgers, salads, etc.  Serving Lunch & Dinner OPEN 11:30 am Closed on Wednesday Rt. 103, Newbury Harbor <b>603-763-3290</b>



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walking bass lines with sweet violin fills and ripping solos. Music that is swing, western swing and songs from the Great American song book. Bring your own picnic to enjoy as you listen to the music. Members/nonmembers: \$35. Advance registration is requested but walk-ins are welcome. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

**Wednesday, July 23**

**FREE CONCERT** – At the Ben Mere Bandstand, Sunapee Harbor, 6:30-8:30 p.m. The Honey Bees Band. Equal parts ‘30s era jazz, western swing, folk-rock and Americana. Info: [www.town.sunapee.nh.us](http://www.town.sunapee.nh.us).

**Thursday, July 24**

**FREE CONCERT** – At Newbury Harbor, 6:30-8 p.m. Bacchus. Info: [www.newbury.nh.gov](http://www.newbury.nh.gov).

**FREE HISTORICAL EVENT** – At the Flanders-Osborne Museum, Sunapee Harbor, 7 p.m. Industry along Sunapee’s Sugar River. Barbara Chalmers will trace the evolution of industries that once were the lifeblood of Sunapee. Info: 603-763-9872 or [sunapeehistory@gmail.com](mailto:sunapeehistory@gmail.com).

**SMA CONCERT** – At the First Baptist Church, Main Street, New London, 7 p.m. Fred Moyer returns bringing a dual concert – classical piano for the first half, and when joined by his trio, a collection of jazz classics for the second half. Tickets for adults are \$25 and \$5 for students. Available [www.summermusicassociates.org](http://www.summermusicassociates.org), by calling 603-526-8234, by mailing SMA, P.O. Box 603, New London, NH 03257, at Tatewell Gallery or Morgan Hill Bookstore in New London.

**Friday, July 25**

**PLAY DATE** – On the green, New London, 5:30-7:30 p.m. During concerts. Fun, games and snacks for all ages. Info: [www.newlondon.nh.gov/recreation](http://www.newlondon.nh.gov/recreation).

**FREE CONCERT** – At the Mary D. Haddad Bandstand, Sargent Common, New London, 6:30-8 p.m. Chasing Ghosts. ‘90s alternative rock. In case of inclement weather at Whipple Town Hall.

**Saturday, July 26**

New London Historical Society Antique Sale, New London.

**FREE CONCERT** – At Flanders Stage, Sunapee Harbor, 3-5 p.m. Back Bay Transit. Info: [www.sunapeeharborriverway.com](http://www.sunapeeharborriverway.com).

**FREE CONCERT** – At the town green, Wilmot, 6-7:30 p.m. Cheryl Arena Band. Blues. Food vendor: TBA.

**FREE CONCERT AND ICE CREAM SOCIAL** – At the Bradford Meetinghouse, 34 Rowe Mountain Road, Bradford, 6 p.m. Kearsarge Community Band. a time-honored community tradition. Fun for all ages. Info: [www.bradford.center](http://www.bradford.center).

**Sunday, July 27**

**FREE CMH ANNUAL MEETING** – At the Center Meeting House, Route 103, Newbury, 7 p.m. Benedict Arnold: Patriot and Traitor. A New Hampshire Humanities to Go program with George Morrison. Info: [centermeetinghousenewbury.org](http://centermeetinghousenewbury.org).

**FREE CONCERT** – On the common, Newport, 6 p.m. The Ferns. There will be a 50/50 raffle. Bring lawn chairs.

**Wednesday, July 30**

**FREE CONCERT** – At the Ben Mere Bandstand, Sunapee Harbor, 6:30-8:30 p.m. Better Days Band. Drawing on years of collective musical experience and widely varying styles and tastes playing a mix of pop, B sides; R&B and fusion. Equal parts ‘30s era jazz, western swing, folk-rock and Americana. Info: [www.town.sunapee.nh.us](http://www.town.sunapee.nh.us).

**Thursday, July 31**

**FREE CONCERT** – At Newbury Harbor, 6:30-8 p.m. The Flames. Info: [www.newbury.nh.gov](http://www.newbury.nh.gov).

**July 31 through August 2**

**NEW LONDON HOSPITAL DAYS** – New London.

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**Friday, August 1**

**CFA FIRST FRIDAYS** – At 428 Main St., New London, 4:30-5:30 p.m. A free monthly event offering a diverse selection of arts experiences for all ages. Enjoy captivating live performances, explore inspiring gallery exhibitions and take part in engaging hands-on activities. Whether you’re an art enthusiast or just looking for a fun night out, there’s something for everyone to enjoy. Info: [www.centerfortheartsnh.org](http://www.centerfortheartsnh.org).

**FREE CONCERT** – At the MainStreet Warner Stage, 16 E. Main St., Warner, 6-8 p.m. Trade. Donations encouraged. Info: [www.mainstreetwarnerinc.org](http://www.mainstreetwarnerinc.org).

**Saturday, August 2**

**ANNUAL MEETING, ELECTIONS AND PROGRAM** – At the library, Route 103, Newbury, 10:20 a.m. Beginners guide to cemetery sleuthing. Sponsored by the Newbury Historical Society. Info: [www.newburyhistorical.org/events](http://www.newburyhistorical.org/events).

**FREE CONCERT** – At Flanders Stage, Sunapee Harbor, 3-5 p.m. Tom Pirozzoli. Info: [www.sunapeeharborriverway.com](http://www.sunapeeharborriverway.com).

**August 2-10**

**LEAGUE OF NH CRAFTSMEN FAIR** – At Mount Sunapee, Newbury.

**Sunday, August 3**

**FAIRY FESTIVAL** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. This celebration of fairy houses connects children to the natural world and includes crafts, stories and readings, a whimsical tea party in the Pavilion, and, of course, building fairy habitats in the fairy village. Children are invited to dress in their finest fairy or gnome attire. There will also be a special performance by local dancers. Members: adults \$10, children \$5; nonmembers: adults \$20, children \$10. Advance registration is requested but walk-ins are welcome. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

**FREE CONCERT** – On the common, Newport, 6 p.m. East Bay Jazz. There will be a 50/50 raffle. Bring lawn chairs.

**Monday, August 4**

**HISTORY CRUISE ON THE MV MT. SUNAPEE** – Sunapee Harbor Pier, 5:30 p.m. Explore early lake shore development in Sunapee Harbor and along the Burkehaven, outer Lake Ave. and Gardner Bay shores. Tickets: \$45/person. RSVP required: 603-763-9872 or [sunapeehistory@gmail.com](mailto:sunapeehistory@gmail.com).

**Wednesday, August 6**

**FREE CONCERT** – At the Ben Mere Bandstand, Sunapee Harbor, 6:30-8:30 p.m. The Flames. A four piece “Rock & Roll” band playing music of the ‘50s, ‘60s and ‘70s. Info: [www.town.sunapee.nh.us](http://www.town.sunapee.nh.us).

**Thursday, August 7**

**FIRST THURSDAY HIKE** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 11 a.m. This informal, moderate walk is an opportunity to get a little exercise, spend time out in the landscape, and discover the beautiful property once owned by the John Hay family. Meets at The Fells Kiosk. Members free, nonmembers included with regular admission fee. No registration required. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

**ABRAHAM AND MARY LINCOLN** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 4 p.m. Steve and Sharon Wood of Claremont will present “Abraham and Mary Lincoln: the Long and the Short of It,” a living history program set in 1861. Lincoln met John Hay, and their unique relationship began. After the program, the Woods will step out of character and answer audience questions. Historical presenters specializing in 19th century American history, Steve and Sharon Wood have been researching and portraying the Lincolns since 1995. Meets in the Pavilion. Light refreshments will be served. Members: \$25 per person, nonmembers: \$30 per person. Advance registration is requested but walk-ins are welcome. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

**FREE CONCERT** – At Newbury Harbor, 6:30-8 p.m. Endless Skies. Info: [www.newbury.nh.gov](http://www.newbury.nh.gov).

**HISTORICAL SOCIETY MEETING** – At the Flanders-Osborne Museum, Sunapee Harbor, 7 p.m. Annual meeting followed by “Late in Arriving, How Electricity Changed Rural New Hampshire Life” presented by

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# Local Farmers' Markets

## BRADFORD

Sweet Beet Market, 11 West Main Street. Shop hours: Wednesday-Friday, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.; Saturday and Sunday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Shop food from over 150 local farmers and food producers: fresh veggies, fruits, meats, seafood, dairy and more. Prepared meals to go Wednesday-Sunday. Visit the cafe for a seasonal menu, Saturday and Sunday, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Use SNAP/EBT and enjoy 50% off fresh produce with Granite State Market Match. Info: 603-938-5323, [sweetbeet.market@gmail.com](mailto:sweetbeet.market@gmail.com) or [www.sweetbeetmarket.com](http://www.sweetbeetmarket.com)

## NEWPORT

On the common, Fridays through Sept. 26, 3-6 p.m. Rain or shine. Live music and a variety of vendors. Pet friendly. Also a Power of Produce Club for kids to earn a chance to buy fruits and veggies. No smoking on the common. [cornishsoapworks@gmail.com](mailto:cornishsoapworks@gmail.com) [www.newportfarmersmarketh.com](http://www.newportfarmersmarketh.com) or 603-304-8328

## NORTH SUTTON

Muster Field Farm Stand, follow signs from North Sutton Village, Route 114 to Keyser Street to Harvey Road on the right. Daily, mid-June through October, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Seasonal vegetables, locally made honey, cut flowers and more. 603-927-4276 [musterfieldfarm@gmail.com](mailto:musterfieldfarm@gmail.com) or [www.musterfieldfarm.com](http://www.musterfieldfarm.com)

## SUNAPEE

Ben Mere Park, Sunapee Harbor, every Saturday through Aug. 30, 9 a.m. to noon, rain or shine. Vendors sell only items grown, raised, baked, created or prepared within 75 miles of Sunapee. [farmersmarket@projectsunapee.org](mailto:farmersmarket@projectsunapee.org) or [www.sunapeefarmersmarket.com](http://www.sunapeefarmersmarket.com)

## WARNER

On the town hall lawn, Saturdays, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. through Warner Fall Foliage Festival. Columbus Day weekend, Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 12 & 13, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Rain or shine. Eggs, vegetables, fruits, flowers, plants, dairy, maple, bakery, meat, crafts, honey, jams, jellies, dog treats, live music and homemade soaps, occasional milk vendor and more. Info: 603-456-2319 or [kgfarm@tds.net](mailto:kgfarm@tds.net), [www.warnerfarmersmarket.org](http://www.warnerfarmersmarket.org) or [facebook@warnerareafarmersmarket](https://facebook.com/warnerareafarmersmarket)

## WILMOT

On the town green, Saturdays, through Sept. 27, 9 a.m. to noon. Rain or shine. Vegetables, fruits, flowers, plants, dairy, meat, maple, baked goods, jams, honey, crafts, breakfast and lunch. Debit/credit and snap cards accepted. Also Granite State Market Match program. Info: 603-768-5579 or [wilmotfarmersmarketh@gmail.com](mailto:wilmotfarmersmarketh@gmail.com) or [www.wilmotfarmersmarket.com](http://www.wilmotfarmersmarket.com)

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Steve Taylor. Sponsored by New Hampshire Humanities. Info: 603-763-9872 or [sunapeehistory@gmail.com](mailto:sunapeehistory@gmail.com).

**SMA CONCERT** – At the First Baptist Church, Main Street, New London, 7 p.m. The Manhattan Chamber Players make their New London debut on with a violin, viola, cello and flute quartet. Tickets for adults are \$25 and \$5 for students. Available [www.summermusicassociates.org](http://www.summermusicassociates.org), by calling 603-526-8234, by mailing SMA, P.O. Box 603, New London, NH 03257, at Tatewell Gallery or Morgan Hill Bookstore in New London.

**Friday, August 8 PLAY DATE** – On the green, New London, 5:30-7:30 p.m. During concerts. Fun, games and snacks for all ages. Info: [www.new-london.nh.gov/recreation](http://www.new-london.nh.gov/recreation).

**FREE CONCERT** – At the Mary D. Haddad Bandstand, Sargent Common, New London, 6:30-8 p.m. The Flames. Classic rock 'n' roll. In case of inclement weather at Whipple Town Hall.

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# Camping under the stars!

## BRADFORD

**Lake Massasecum Park & Campground:** 36 Massasecum Lake Road off Rte. 114, 603-938-2571, 50 RV sites, tenting area, cabins. Sandy beach with fishing, boating, swimming and campfires. Camping season open Mother's Day through Columbus Day. Beach open to public Memorial Day through Labor Day, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., weather permitting. No boats, no paddle boards, no dogs. Season passes available. Info: [massasecum@comcast.net](mailto:massasecum@comcast.net) or visit [www.lakemassasecumcampground.com](http://www.lakemassasecumcampground.com) to see list of amenities and rentals.

## NEWBURY

**Mt. Sunapee State Park Campground:** 86 Beach Access Road off Route 103, Newbury, 5 lean-to sites and 6 tent only sites each with picnic table and fire ring. Pets permitted at campsite and trails but not on beach or at festivals. Open through Columbus Day weekend, 7 days a week. Park office: 603-763-5561. Reservations: 1-877-647-2757 or online, [www.reserveamerica.com](http://www.reserveamerica.com). Also visit [www.nhstateparks.org](http://www.nhstateparks.org).

## NEWPORT

**Crow's Nest Campground:** 529 South Main St., Newport, 603-945-1142, playground, pools, recreation hall, camp store, mini-golf, picnic tables, fire rings and more. Wi-Fi available. Pets welcome. Email: [camping@crowsnestcampground.com](mailto:camping@crowsnestcampground.com) For more info and online reservations: [www.crowsnestcampground.com](http://www.crowsnestcampground.com).

**Northstar Campground:** Northstar Campground: 43 Coon Brook Road, Newport, 603-863-4001, drop-ins welcome, swimming pond, fishing, dump station, games, Wi-Fi hotspot, hiking and more. Pets welcome on leash. Military/veterans discount available. Email [info@northstarcampground.com](mailto:info@northstarcampground.com) or visit [www.northstarcampground.com](http://www.northstarcampground.com).

## WASHINGTON

**Pillsbury State Park:** 100 Pillsbury State Park Road, Route 31, 603-863-2860, 41 primitive tent sites on the shore of May Pond and scattered throughout the park. No electricity at office, cash only at campground, pit toilets/out houses and water spigots, remote sites are walk to or canoe to, payment at time of reservation covers 2 adults and up to 4 children. Additional adults and children pay at check-in. Handicap accessible site must call the park to make arrangements. Boat speed is restricted to trolling speed only. Boating, fishing, hiking picnicking, playground, ranger station, recycling station, retail supplies. Pets permitted. Open through mid-Oct. Date and times weather dependent. Call for up-to-date hours and info. Visit [www.nhstateparks.org](http://www.nhstateparks.org).



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Saturday, August 9

**CARS AND COFFEE** – At the Ice House Museum, 91 Pleasant St., New London, New London, 9 a.m. Bring your favorite vehicle, old or new. Enjoy car camaraderie and explore the museum's collections. Info: wfkicehouse.org.

Saturday, August 9

**FREE CONCERT** – At Flanders Stage, Sunapee Harbor, 3-5 p.m. Cormac McCarthy. Info: www.sunapeeharbor-riverway.com.

**FREE CONCERT** – At the town green, Wilmot, 6-7:30 p.m. Horsepower. '90s rock. Food vendor: TBA.

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# Area Worship Services

**ANDOVER**

**Andover Community Church**  
1 Chase Hill Road, East Andover  
Info: 603-735-5160, andoverchurch@tds.net  
www.andovercommunity.org

**Immaculate Conception Church**

12 Church Lane, Rte. 11  
Info: 603-735-5821, 603-526-4484  
www.olfic.org

**Kearsarge Unitarian Universalist Fellowship**

194 Main St.  
Info: 603-526-8213, admin@kuufnh.org  
www.kuufnh.org

**BRADFORD**

**Bradford Community Church**  
88 West Main St. Info: 603-938-5313,  
bradfordcommunitychurch@gmail.com  
www.bradfordcommunitychurch.org

**ELKINS**

**Elkins Chapel at Pleasant Lake**  
374 Elkins Road, (Old Route 11)  
Info: 603-526-2590

**NEW LONDON**

**First Baptist Church of New London**  
461 Main St.  
Info: 603-526-6511  
kross@fbcnlh.org  
www.fbcnlh.org

**Kearsarge Community Presbyterian Church**

82 King Hill Rd. Info: 603-526-4800  
officem@tds.net  
www.kcpcnlh.com

**Old St. Andrews Episcopal Church**

Summer services through Labor Day  
1766 King Hill Road  
Info: 603-526-6344, office@standrewsnl.org  
www.standrewsnl.org

**NEW LONDON**

**Our Lady of Fatima**  
724 Main St. Info: 603-526-4484  
olfic@comcast.net  
www.olfic.org

**St. Andrews Episcopal Church**

52 Gould Road. Info: 603-526-6344  
office@standrewsnl.org  
www.standrewsnl.org

**NEWBURY**

**South Newbury Union Church**  
162 Village Rd.  
Info: 603-938-5369  
snunionchurchinfo@gmail.com  
www.southnewburyunionchurch.org

**NEWPORT**

**First Baptist Church**  
85 N. Main St. • Info: 603-863-3235  
www.fbcnewportnh.com

**South Congregational Church**

20 Church St.  
Info: 603-863-3729  
www.thesouthchurch.us

**St. Patrick's**

32 Beech St.  
Info: 603-863-1422  
office@saintpatrickparish.net  
www.saintpatrickparish.net

**The United Methodist Church of the Good Shepherd**

9 Park St., Info: 603-863-4590  
www.newportnhmethodistcogs.org

**SUNAPEE**

**Lake Sunapee United Methodist Church**  
9 Lower Main St. Info: 603-763-4301  
sunapeeumc@gmail.com  
www.lakesunapeeumc.com

**SUNAPEE**

**St. James Church**  
378 Lake Avenue  
Sunday, June 30-Sept. 1, 9:30 a.m.  
Info: www.stjameschurchsunapee.org

**St. Joachim's**

5 Old Georges Mill Road, Rte. 11  
Info: 603-863-1422  
office@saintpatrickparish.net  
www.saintpatrickparish.net

**SUTTON**

**First Free Will Baptist Church**  
1533 Route 114 by Kezar Lake, North Sutton  
Info: 603-927-4150  
helpingyou123@comcast.net  
www.ffwbcstutton.org

**Trinity Bible Church**

539 Rte. 114, South Sutton  
Info: 603-927-4384  
mail@trinitybiblechurch.us  
www.trinitybiblechurch.us

**WARNER**

**United Church of Warner**  
43 E. Main St. Info: 603-456-3447  
unitedchurchofwarner@gmail.com  
www.ucwarner.org

**WILMOT**

**First Congregational Church of Wilmot**  
19 North Wilmot Road. Info: 526-7715  
news@wilmotucc.org, www.wilmotucc.org

**Wilmot Baptist Church**

61 Village Road Info: 603-731-9533  
info@wilmotbaptistchurch.org  
www.wilmotbaptistchurch.org



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**CONCERT** – At the Bradford Meetinghouse, 34 Rowe Mountain Road, Bradford, 6 p.m. North River Band with lively covers of rock, bluegrass and country songs for all ages. Cost: \$10. Children free. Info: www.bradford.center.

Sunday, August 10

**FREE CONCERT** – On the common, Newport, 6 p.m. Straight A's. There will be a 50/50 raffle. Bring lawn chairs.

Wednesday, August 13

**FREE CONCERT** – At the Ben Mere Bandstand, Sunapee Harbor, 6:30-8:30 p.m. John Sullivan Band. Info: www.town.sunapee.nh.us.

Thursday, August 14

**FREE CONCERT** – At Newbury Harbor, 6:30-8 p.m. Back Bay Transit. Info: www.newbury.nh.gov.

**FREE SPEAKER SERIES EVENT** – At the Center Meeting House, Route 103, Newbury 7 p.m. Redcoats & Rebels: New Hampshire and the American Revolution with Mary Adams. A New Hampshire Humanities to Go Program. Info: centermeetinghousenewbury.org.

Friday, August 15

**PLEIN AIR PAINTING CLASS** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 10 a.m. Try your hand at capturing the beautiful scenery of The Fells onto canvas in this beginner plein air painting class for adults. Led by local artist, Debbie Campbell, this course will cover the basics of plein air painting where artists will learn about color, composition and perspective. Learn about using light and color to create form in either oil or acrylic paints. Fee: TBA. Space limited. Advance registration required. Info: 603-763-4789 or www.thefells.org.

**PLAY DATE** – On the green, New London, 5:30-7:30 p.m. During concerts. Fun, games and snacks for all ages. Info: www.newlondon.nh.gov/recreation.

**FREE CONCERT** – At the Mary D. Haddad Bandstand, Sargent Common, New London, 6:30-8 p.m. Kearsarge Community Band. In case of inclement weather at Whipple Town Hall.

Saturday, August 16

**ANTIQUE CAR AND TRUCK SHOW** – At 152 E. Main St., Bradford, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Grounds open at 9:30 a.m. for participating vehicles. All eligible for a popular vote contest with trophies awarded to the top three favorites. Suggested donation for registered vehicles is \$5. Refreshments and snacks will be available. This is a BHS fundraiser for building repairs and maintenance. There will be a 50/50 throughout the morning, with drawing just before trophy awards. Sunday, Aug. 17, will be the backup day in event of a weather cancellation. Contact Buddy Allen at 603-938-2835 or 727-278-5504 for show information.

**CLASSICAL CONCERT** – At the Bradford Meetinghouse, 34 Rowe Mountain Road, Bradford, 6 p.m. Featuring Fourth Wall Ensemble, classical musicians from Avaloch Farm Music Institute. Cost: \$10. Children free. Info: www.bradford.center.

**FREE CONCERT** – At the town green, Wilmot, 6-7:30 p.m. Luke Concannon. Folk-pop. Food vendor: TBA.

**FREE CONCERT** – At the MainStreet Warner Stage, 16 E. Main St., Warner, 6-8 p.m. Manning & McBrian. Donations encouraged. Info: www.mainstreetwarnerinc.org.

**FREE MOVIE NIGHT** – At the Ice House Museum, 91 Pleasant St., New London, at dusk. Bring your blankets and chairs and settle in for an evening of family fun watching an old movie (Title TBA). Popcorn will be supplied. Info: wfkicehouse.org.

Sunday, August 17

**FREE CONCERT** – On the common, Newport, 6 p.m. Party Crashers. There will be a 50/50 raffle. Bring lawn chairs.

Monday, August 18

**CFA HUMANITIES MONDAYS** – At 428 Main St., New London, 6:30-7:30 p.m. Each month, explore fascinating topics like history, literature, art, and philosophy in a welcoming community setting and led by area experts. Held on the third Monday of every month. Info: www.centerforheartsnh.org.

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**Wednesday, August 20**

**SUMMER CONCERT SERIES** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 6-8 p.m. Brooks Hubbard is a national touring independent artist from the mountains of rural New England. From writing songs about the Iraq war at age fifteen to recording with members of Jackson Browne and James Taylors’ bands and more, Hubbard has put in 10,000 hours and then some to become a powerful singer, songwriter and entertainer. Bring your own picnic to enjoy as you listen to the music. Members/nonmembers: \$35. Advance registration is requested but walk-ins are welcome. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

**FREE CONCERT** – At the Ben Mere Bandstand, Sunapee Harbor, 6-8 p.m. The East Bay Jazz Ensemble. Lots of brass performing all the big band favorites. Info: [www.town.sunapee.nh.us](http://www.town.sunapee.nh.us).

**Thursday, August 21**

**ANNIVERSARY PARTY** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 5-7 p.m. Celebrate the 25th anniversary of The Fells being listed on the National Registry of Historical Places. Honor the collective efforts that made this milestone possible and unveil the meticulously restored Zuber Wallpaper, a centuries-old French artisan masterpiece. The reception will feature music, cocktails and light hors d'oeuvres. Advance registration is required. Email [info@thefells.org](mailto:info@thefells.org) to reserve your space. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

**FREE CONCERT** – At Newbury Harbor, 6:30-8 p.m. Ava and Cam. Info: [www.newbury.nh.gov](http://www.newbury.nh.gov).

**SMA CONCERT** – At the First Baptist Church, Main Street, New London, 7 p.m. Last concert for the season. An all-star tribute to jazz legend Duke Ellington. The Ellington Collective, a sextet of jazz heavyweights, blend their unique talents to breathe new life into Ellington’s classic repertoire. Tickets for adults are \$25 and \$5 for students. Available [www.summermusicassociates.org](http://www.summermusicassociates.org), by calling 603-526-8234, by mailing SMA, P.O. Box 603, New London, NH 03257, at Tatewell Gallery or Morgan Hill Bookstore in New London.

**Saturday, August 23**

**APPLE PIE CRAFTS FAIR** – Library Arts Center, Newport.

**LAKESIDE CEMETERY TOUR** – Park at town offices, Route 103, Newbury, 9:30 a.m. A walk and talk by Deane Geddes about some of the notable interments. Sponsored by the Newbury Historical Society. Info: [www.newburyhistorical.org/events](http://www.newburyhistorical.org/events).

**FREE CONCERT** – At Flanders Stage, Sunapee Harbor, 3-5 p.m. Catfish Howl. Info: [www.sunapeeharborriverway.com](http://www.sunapeeharborriverway.com).

**FREE CONCERT** – At the town green, Wilmot, 6-7:30 p.m. Fern Family Band. Pop. Food vendor: TBA.

**August 23 & 24**

**MUSTER FIELD FARM DAYS** – Harvey Rd., North Sutton.

**Sunday, August 24**

**CONCERT SERIES** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 5-7 p.m. JOSA presents Back Bay Transit, a fresh and unique musical group currently working the New England region. They perform original renditions of music classics from the genres of funk, rock, pop and jazz. Their sound features 3-part harmonies with exceptional horn arrangements. Performing rain or shine in the pavilion. Bring your favorite beverage and a picnic. Members/nonmembers: \$35. Advance registration is requested but walk-ins are welcome. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

**FREE CONCERT** – On the common, Newport, 6 p.m. The Flames. There will be a 50/50 raffle. Bring lawn chairs.

**Tuesday, August 26**

**JOHN HAY PRESENTATION** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 4:30 p.m. This presentation by Dr. Patricia Martin will introduce you to John Hay, the grandson of John Milton Hay. Martin will explore as a young man growing up summers at The Fells. His 16 books will be addressed during this presentation. Martin has been a docent at The Fells for almost a decade. She calls

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herself a “Hay Nerd!” Members: \$10; nonmembers: \$15. Advance registration is requested but walk-ins are welcome. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

**Wednesday, August 27**

**CONCERT SERIES** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 6-8 p.m. Double-billing features two duos of Irish American roots music. JD and the Stonemason play a huge variety of Irish American music. Liz and Dan Faiella bring to life the traditional music of their roots, with crisp vocals, mesmerizing fingerstyle guitar, lyrical fiddling and exhilarating rhythmic drive. Bring your own picnic to enjoy as you listen to the music. Members/nonmembers: \$35. Advance registration is requested but walk-ins are welcome. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

**FREE CONCERT** – At the Ben Mere Bandstand, Sunapee Harbor, 6-8 p.m. Dr. Harp Blues Revue Band. A four-piece blues band specializing in the driving boogie blues. Info: [www.town.sunapee.nh.us](http://www.town.sunapee.nh.us).

**Saturday, August 30**

**FREE CONCERT** – At Flanders Stage, Sunapee Harbor, 3-5 p.m. Nick’s Other Band. Info: [www.sunapeeharborriverway.com](http://www.sunapeeharborriverway.com).

**FREE CONCERT** – On the common, Newport, 6 p.m. Sirsy. There will be a 50/50 raffle. Bring lawn chairs.

**Saturdays, Sundays & Monday holidays, September 1 to October 19**

**HISTORIC HOME FALL HOURS** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Discover what life was like on an early 20th century New Hampshire summer estate. See exhibits on history, ecology and art and take a self-guided tour of the 22-room Colonial Revival Main House. Explore the renowned gardens and sculpture, build a fairy house in the children’s fairy village, and experience the natural world on an easy hike along one of the scenic trails. Guided tours of the gardens are available at 11 a.m. and guided tours of the Main House are available at 1 p.m. during Main House open hours. Site admission at kiosk applies. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

**Thursday, September 4**

**FIRST THURSDAY HIKE** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 11 a.m. This informal, moderate walk is an opportunity to get a little exercise, spend time out in the landscape, and discover the beautiful property once owned by the John Hay family. Meets at The Fells Kiosk. Members free, nonmembers included with regular admission fee. No registration required. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

**Friday, September 5**

**CFA FIRST FRIDAYS GALLERY STROLL** – In New London, 5-7 p.m. Showcasing exceptional artwork exhibited at six unique locations which includes Bar Harbor Bank & Trust, Blue Loon Bakery, Grounds, New London Inn and Tatewell Gallery. Attendees can meet and interact with the talented artists behind these stunning exhibits. Light refreshments served. Info: [www.centerfortheartsnh.org](http://www.centerfortheartsnh.org).

**Saturday, September 6**

**FREE CONCERT** – At the MainStreet Warner Stage, 16 E. Main St., Warner, 5-9 p.m. Lodge Fest: Night Kitchen and The Dobros. Donations encouraged. Info: [www.mainstreetwarnerinc.org](http://www.mainstreetwarnerinc.org).

**THE EXCHANGE** – Local vintage and farm inspired outdoor market, Andover

**Saturday, September 13**

**CARS AND COFFEE** – At the Ice House Museum, 91 Pleasant St., New London, New London, 9 a.m. Bring your favorite vehicle, old or new. Enjoy car camaraderie and explore the museum's collections. Info: [wfkicehouse.org](http://wfkicehouse.org).

**Sunday, September 14**

**CONCERT SERIES** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 5-7 p.m. Peabody’s Coal Train (PCT) is a unique, local acoustic Americana six-piece band featuring strings and shared vocal harmonies. They enjoy playing originals and covers that tell stories which celebrate the triumphs and tragedies of human conditions. The band particularly appreciates opportunities to interact with a listening audience in special venues with

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neighbors and new friends. Bring your own picnic to enjoy as you listen to the music. Members/nonmembers: \$35. Advance registration is requested but walk-ins are welcome. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

**Monday, September 15**  
**CFA HUMANITIES MONDAYS** – At 428 Main St., New London, 6:30-7:30 p.m. Focusing on dementia and Alzheimer's through the lens of photography. Plans include a visual presentation and a discussion with experts in the field, offering insight into the human impact of these conditions. Info: [www.centerfortheartsnh.org](http://www.centerfortheartsnh.org).

**Tuesday, September 16**  
**SECOND ANNUAL WRITING FESTIVAL** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. An extraordinary day of literary exploration and creativity offers you the opportunity to learn from industry experts, develop your craft through hands-on workshops, and connect with fellow writers in the vibrant regional community. Set against the backdrop of early autumn, this festival promises to inspire and energize your writing practice. Space is limited, so reserve your spot. Fee: TBA. Advance registration required. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

**Sunday, September 21**  
**STORIES FROM THE GRAVE** – At several cemeteries in Sunapee, 1 p.m., 1:45 p.m., and 2:30 p.m. Park in school lot, corner of Lower Main and North Road. Visit with several residents of Lower Village Cemetery and learn about their lives. Suggested donation: \$15/person. If raining hard, Sunday, Sept. 28. Reservations Required: 603-763-9872 or [sunapeehistory@gmail.com](mailto:sunapeehistory@gmail.com).

**CONCERT SERIES** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 5-7 p.m. World, folk, blues, rock, reggae & percussive guitar; Senie Hunt is a self-taught singer-songwriter and percussive guitarist. His career highlights include being the opening act for renowned artists such as Richard Thompson, The Levin Brothers, Brooks Young, Daby Touré, Kris Allen, Robert Randolph, The Wailers and Recycled Percussions. Members/nonmembers: \$35.

Advance registration is requested but walk-ins are welcome. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

**Thursday, September 25**  
**VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION EVENT** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 5-7 p.m. In honor of Diane Wheaton, the Diane M. Wheaton Endowment Fund for Volunteers was established to provide financial support for volunteer-related activities. This event provides an opportunity for the volunteers, staff and board members to gather, socialize and convey the well-deserved appreciation. Volunteers are recognized with a variety of annual awards, including the Volunteer of the Year Award. Enjoy a special evening of appreciation and gratitude with hors d'oeuvres, cocktails and conversation on the veranda, in the gardens and dinner in the Pavilion. Reservations are required by emailing [info@thefells.org](mailto:info@thefells.org). Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

**FREE SPEAKER SERIES EVENT** – At the Center Meeting House, Route 103, Newbury 7 p.m. 18th Century Cooking and Life with M. Allyson Szabo. Info: [centermeetinghousenewbury.org](http://centermeetinghousenewbury.org).

**Saturday, September 26**  
**FREE CONCERT** – At the MainStreet Warner Stage, 16 E. Main St., Warner, 6-8 p.m. Lucas Gallo & The Guise. Donations encouraged. Info: [www.mainstreetwarnerinc.org](http://www.mainstreetwarnerinc.org).

**Sunday, September 28**  
**FUNGI FORAY** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 1-4 p.m. Join Maynard Wheeler and the Sunapee Region Mycology Club for an informative presentation about mushrooms, followed by an identification walk on the woodland and lakeshore hiking trails. This annual event is intended for the beginner as well as the more experienced. Meets at the Pavilion. Members: \$10 per person, nonmembers \$15 per person. Advance registration is requested but walk-ins are welcome. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

**Wednesday, October 1**  
**TICKETS ON SALE FOR LADIES' NIGHT** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, Wednesday, Nov. 12, 6-8 p.m. An unforgettable pre-holiday season event..  
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**October 1-31**  
**Return of the Pumpkin People**

**Thursday, October 2**  
**FIRST THURSDAY HIKE** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 11 a.m. This informal, moderate walk is an opportunity to get a little exercise, spend time out in the landscape, and discover the beautiful property once owned by the John Hay family. Meets at The Fells Kiosk. Members free, nonmembers included with regular admission fee. No registration required. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

**Friday, October 3**  
**•CFA FIRST FRIDAYS** – At 428 Main St., New London, 6-7 p.m. A Colby-Sawyer Alumni Art Exhibit. Showcasing a diverse range of artistic expression, offering a glimpse into the talent and vision of past graduates. Info: [www.centerfortheartsnh.org](http://www.centerfortheartsnh.org).

**Sunday, October 5**  
**HARVEST DAY** – At Muster Field Farm, North Sutton.

**October 8**  
**FREE SPEAKER SERIES EVENT** – At the Center Meeting House, Route 103, Newbury 7 p.m. America at 250: Moving from Colonies, to Confederation, to Nation: Revolution and the Development of a National Identity with Eric Boyer, Ph. D. Info: [centermeetinghousenewbury.org](http://centermeetinghousenewbury.org).

**October 10-12**  
**77TH WARNER FALL FOLIAGE FESTIVAL**

**Saturday, October 11**  
**CARS AND COFFEE** – At the Ice House Museum, 91 Pleasant St., New London, New London, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Closing day. Bring your favorite vehicle, old or new. Enjoy car camaraderie and explore the museum's collections. Info: [wfkicehouse.org](http://wfkicehouse.org).

**Saturday and Sunday, October 11 & 12**  
**OPEN STUDIOS** – In various local art spaces and studios, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. See what inspires these artists, how they prepare it, and their creative techniques as they welcome you into their creative space. Info: [www.centerfortheartsnh.org](http://www.centerfortheartsnh.org).

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#### Sunday, October 12

**HAY DAY FALL FESTIVAL** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. A fun-filled day for all ages with old-fashioned games, music, children's art projects, face painting and more. Explore nature trails, create a fairy house in the fairy village and discover exhibits and art installations. Step back in time and take a historic tour of the Main House and gardens or simply imagine a simpler bygone life while relaxing on the veranda. Food available for purchase on site. Members: free, nonmembers: included with regular admission fee. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

party given by Alice and Clarence Hay at the Estate in 1925. Members/non-members: \$125 per person. Advance registration is required. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

#### Monday, October 20

**CFA HUMANITIES MONDAYS** – At the Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum, 18 Highlawn Road, Warner, 6:30-7:30 p.m. Explore the legendary hero tales of the Wabanaki people. Through rich storytelling traditions, these narratives

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**October 15**  
**NATIONAL CHAMBER DAY** – Connect with your local chamber.

#### Saturday, October 18

**MURDER MYSTERY EVENING** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 5:30-8 p.m. Dinner, death and dessert. Enjoy an evening of bribery, extortion, murder and mayhem. Dress in period clothing or black tie and you may be included as a character at the dinner

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offer a glimpse into a heritage passed down through generations. Info: [www.centerfortheartsnh.org](http://www.centerfortheartsnh.org).

#### Sunday, October 26

**FREE SPEAKER SERIES EVENT** – At the library, Route 103, Newbury, 3 p.m. Haunted Hikes of New Hampshire with Marianne O'Connor. Info: [www.centermeetinghousenewbury.org](http://www.centermeetinghousenewbury.org).

#### Tuesday, October 28

**TASTE OF THE LAKE SUNAPEE REGION** – At Mount Sunapee.

#### Thursday, November 6

**FIRST THURSDAY HIKE** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 11 a.m. This informal, moderate walk is an opportunity to get a little exercise, spend time out in the landscape, and discover the beautiful property once owned by the John Hay family. Meets at The Fells

Kiosk. Members free, nonmembers included with regular admission fee. No registration required. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

#### Friday, November 7

**CFA FIRST FRIDAYS** – New London, 5-7 p.m. The participating locations include Bar Harbor Bank & Trust, Blue Loon Bakery, Grounds, New London Inn and Tatewell Gallery. The New London Hospital hosts new exhibits during regular business hours. Attendees can meet and interact with the talented artists behind these stunning exhibits. Light refreshments served. Info: [www.centerfortheartsnh.org](http://www.centerfortheartsnh.org).

**CHRISTMAS PREVIEW PARTY** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 5:30-7:30 p.m. Enjoy holiday cheer and sumptuous appetizers. Mingle with the decorators and shop ahead of the crowds at the fabulous Holiday Boutique. Consider becoming a Merry Mistletoe Sponsor. Tickets \$250 per person

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includes three return tickets and a listing as a sponsor for Christmas at The Fells. Evening tickets are \$100 per person, includes one return ticket. Advanced registration is required. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

#### Saturday, November 8

**CHRISTMAS AT THE FELS: PICTURES WITH SANTA** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 10 a.m. to noon. Plan your holiday photo with Santa. For just \$35 your family can come to Santa's Workshop and visit with Santa himself. The Fells Elf photographer will

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## Local Area Covered Bridges

#### Andover

**Keniston Bridge, #15**, Lorden Road over Blackwater River; built 1882, rehabilitated 1981; style: town lattice truss, 64 feet long; posted for six ton and listed on the National Register of Historic Places.

**Cilleyville/Bog Bridge, #16**, Rtes. 11 and 4 spanning Pleasant Brook; built 1887. It was bypassed in 1959 and restricted to foot traffic. The bridge was the model for murals of typical New Hampshire scenes which were once located in the State House in Concord. Roof repairs 1962 and 1982; style: town lattice truss, 53 feet long; pedestrian only since 1959 and listed on the National Register of Historic Places.

#### Bradford

**Bement Bridge, #14**, Center Road spanning the Warner River; built 1854, rebuilt 1947, repaired in 1969, 1987, 1990 and 2021; style: long truss, 60 feet long; posted for three tons and listed on the National Register of Historic Places.

#### Hopkinton

**Railroad Bridge, #10**, Route 103 spanning the Contoocook River in Contoocook Village; style: double town-Pratt lattice truss, 140 feet long, on the old Concord and Claremont Railroad line, said to be the oldest covered bridge still standing in the U.S. and is listed on the National Register of Historic Places.

**Rowell's Bridge, #9**, north of Route 127 on Clement Hill Road and carries the Rowell Bridge Road over the Contoocook River; style: combination of long truss, 164 feet long, with Burr arches; posted for six tons and is listed on the National Register of Historic Places.

#### Newport

**Corbin Bridge, #17**, North Newport Road over the Croydon Branch of the Sugar River; built approximately 1845; style: town lattice truss, 96 feet long; posted for six tons and listed on National Register of Historic Places.

**Pier Bridge, #57**, a.k.a. Chandler Station Bridge, west of Route 103, spanning the Sugar River; built 1907; style: double town-Pratt lattice truss, 216 feet long, part of the abandoned Concord and Claremont Railroad line, and listed on National Register of Historic Places.

**Wright's Bridge, #58**, south of Route 103, spanning the Sugar River; built 1906, style: double town-Pratt lattice truss, 122 feet long, with laminated arches, part of the abandoned Concord and Claremont Railroad line, and listed on National Register of Historic Places.

#### Warner

**Dalton Bridge, #12**, a.k.a. Joppa Road Bridge, Joppa Road spanning the Warner River; style: long truss, 76 feet long, with auxiliary Queenpost system; built 1853, rebuilt 1963-64, repairs 1990; posted for six ton; one of the oldest standing covered bridges still in use and listed on National Register of Historic Places.

**Waterloo Bridge, #13**, Newmarket Road crossing the Warner River; style: town lattice truss, 76 feet long; built in 1840, rebuilt in 1857, again in 1970 and "rehabilitated by the state" in 1987; posted for six ton and listed on National Register of Historic Places.



Information gathered from [www.nh.gov/nhdhr/bridges](http://www.nh.gov/nhdhr/bridges)



## 2026 GUIDE NOTICE

Keep the INTERTOWN Summer/Fall Guide in mind for next year when considering 2026 summer/fall events.

MAY 15, 2026 is the deadline to have the information to the InterTown for your FREE listing.

Also check the table of contents in the summer guide to see the group categories listed and update any of the information that pertains to you or your group.

If you have summer events or programs, please provide the following information as soon as you can in 2026:

Day, Date, Time

Event or program

Place and Address

Description: short and to the point and not overloaded with detail  
Free or costs  
Contact information

Remember, it is not always easy to tell if website information is new or old. Please provide the full website address. *Thank you!*

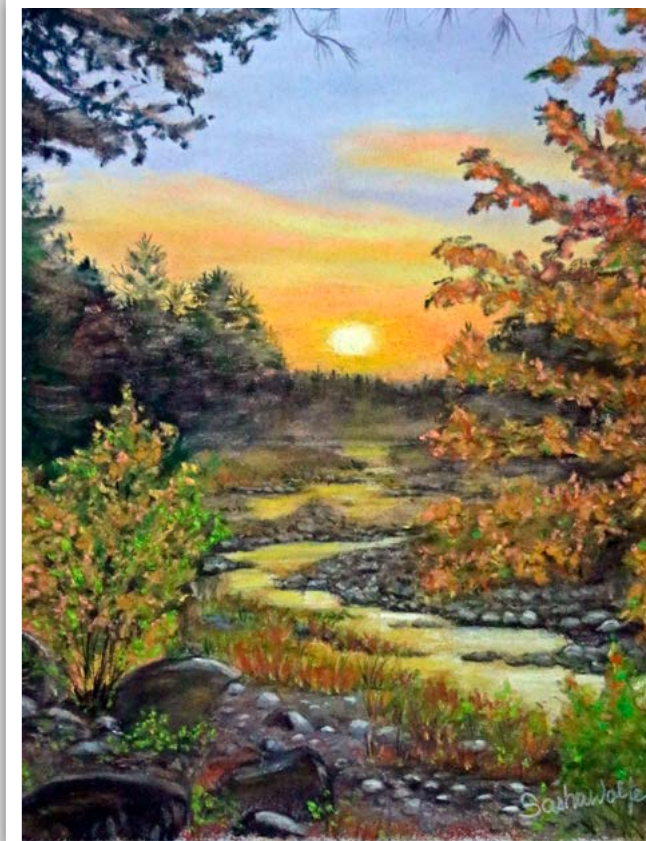
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### November 8-16

**CHRISTMAS AT THE FELS HOLIDAY DECORATOR SHOWCASE** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury. Saturdays and Sundays, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, noon to 4 p.m.; Thursday and Friday, noon-8 p.m. (special evening hours.) Tour Main House and get inspired Professional interior designers, floral artists, decorators and talented volunteers have sprinkled their magic throughout to create this one-of-a-kind showhouse. The Holiday Boutique features the finest regional artisans. Stop by their Holiday Cafe for a hot drink and sweet treat. Tickets are \$20 per person in advance through Nov. 6, or \$25 per person at the door (\$8 for children at all times). Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

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Original pastel painting by Sasha Wolfe

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### November 8 through December 23

**LAC'S GALLERY OF GIFTS** – At the Library Arts Center, Newport.

### Sunday, November 9

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## Lake Sunapee Region Chamber of Commerce



**Some highlights of SUMMER in the Lake Sunapee Region** – from boating, kayaking, biking, hiking, swimming, paddle boarding, fishing and so many incredible events on the weekends! Fourth of July Celebrations with fireworks, Old Home Days, Farmer's Markets, Craft Fairs, New London Hospital Days...there is so much to do and never enough time to do it all!



**Some highlights of FALL in the Lake Sunapee Region** – amazing fall foliage, incredible scenic drives, hunting, numerous covered bridges to explore, many fall festivals and events including the Return of the Pumpkin People displays, Warner Fall Foliage Festival, the Annual NH Duck Drop and our Taste of the Lake Sunapee Region at Mount Sunapee in October!



**Some highlights of WINTER in the Lake Sunapee Region** – alpine and cross country skiing, snowmobiling, ice fishing, traditional horse drawn sleigh rides and magical winter scenes. Yes - we even have events and festivals in the snow! Winter Carnivals in Newport and in New London are super fun events for families. There are a few wonderful ice skating rinks in our communities too! The Holidays in our region are truly magical with such a focus on downtown shopping and supporting our local businesses.



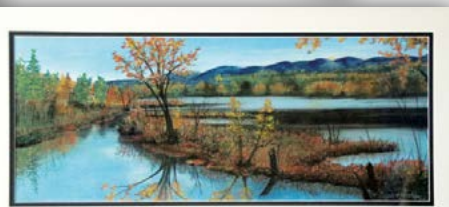
**Some highlights of SPRING in the Lake Sunapee Region** – we have beautiful blossoms and acres of green grass. There are breathtaking gardens like at Tracy Memorial Library and The John Hay Estate at The Fells. We have incredible hikes for the easy, moderate to challenging trail enthusiasts as the snow melts. We have great biking opportunities including e-biking too! With the weather warming everyone takes to the outdoors with enthusiasm.



For more information on what to do in the region, feel free to stop by our Chamber Office on Main Street in New London, OR call our team at 603.526.6575 OR visit [www.LakeSunapeeRegionChamber.com](http://www.LakeSunapeeRegionChamber.com)



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Wednesday, November 12

**9TH ANNUAL DUCK DROP** – At Mount Sunapee Resort, Newbury.

**CHRISTMAS AT THE FELS: LADIES NIGHT** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 6-8 p.m. An unforgettable pre-holiday season event. There is no better time to view the beautifully decorated historic Main House than in the evening. Enjoy cocktails, hors d'oeuvres, door prizes and the best boutique shopping you can find anywhere. Tickets are \$75 per person or consider becoming a Snow Queen sponsor for \$100 per person which includes two return admission tickets for another day. Tickets go on sale October 1. Advanced registration required. Space is limited. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).



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Saturday, November 15

**CHRISTMAS AT THE FELS: BREAKFAST WITH SANTA** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 10 a.m. to noon. Family-friendly event to spark your holiday spirit with a pancake breakfast with Santa. In addition to enjoying a delicious breakfast, you can tour the beautifully decorated historic home, shop in the Holiday Boutique, and visit with Santa. Have your Christmas lists ready. Tickets in advance: \$20 per family (up to four people). Tickets at the door: \$25 per family (up to four people). Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

Sunday, November 16

**CHRISTMAS AT THE FELS: PICTURES WITH SANTA** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 10 a.m. to noon. Plan your holiday photo with Santa. For just \$35 your family can come to Santa's Workshop and visit with Santa himself. The Fells Elf photographer will take your picture, and you will receive a minimum of three digital images after the close of CATF. Use those priceless photos for your holiday card, keepsake frames and so much more. Appointments are limited and are every 15 minutes so that you have private time with Santa. There will be no waiting in line because you have pre-booked and paid for your appointment. What a fun opportunity for you and your kids or your grandchildren. Book your appointment in advance at [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

November 22

**STUFF A TRUCK EVENT** – New London.

November 27

**19TH ANNUAL TURKEY TROT** – Sunapee Harbor.

November 30 through December

**SMALL BUSINESS SHOP LOCAL MONTH** – Kick off with the chamber.

Thursday, December 4

**FIRST THURSDAY HIKE** – At The Fells, 456 Route 103A, Newbury, 11 a.m. This informal, moderate walk is an opportunity to get a little exercise, spend time out in the landscape, and discover the beautiful property

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once owned by the John Hay family. Meets at The Fells Kiosk. Members free, nonmembers included with regular admission fee. No registration required. Info: 603-763-4789 or [www.thefells.org](http://www.thefells.org).

Friday, December 5

**CFA FIRST FRIDAYS** – 428 Main St., New London, 6-8 p.m. Holiday concert and an evening of music, community and festive cheer. Live performances capture the spirit of the holidays. Explore seasonal art exhibitions and take part in hands-on activities that bring the joy of the season to life. Info: [www.centerfortheartsnh.org](http://www.centerfortheartsnh.org).

Sunday, December 7

**TREE LIGHTING** – At the Center Meeting House, Route 103, Newbury 5 p.m. Info: [centermeetinghouse-newbury.org](http://centermeetinghouse-newbury.org).

December 21-31

**FESTIVAL OF TREES** – At Whipple Hall, New London.



ABOVE – Lady Slippers in Wilmot. (Scott Capron Photo)



ABOVE – Autumn forest scene (Annette Vogel Photo)

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