

# THE Bradford Bridge

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## Selectmen's Highlights

**School District:** The newly appointed Superintendent of Schools, Jerry Frew, came before the Selectmen to introduce himself.

Larry Ballin, representing the Kearsarge Area Community Center, advised there are plans to use the old Middle School Building in New London as a community center

**BACC Septic System:** Selectmen received a letter from George Cilley regarding his concern for the proposed septic system to be installed on the front lawn of the Community Center. He stated that that property has dumped on the Cilley property for the past 70 years and the town needs to do something to stop the runoff front and back. The gravel has eroded the whole length of the fence and with all the rain his yard never dries out. Bob Stewart Jr., RCS Designs, suggested a berm to direct the water to the rear of the property as a way to help the runoff.

Two bids were opened for the Septic System to be installed on the front lawn of the Community Center:

- 1. Wheeler Construction Bid \$23,700.00 Low Bidder
- 2. Valley Excavating (Nate Kimball) Bid \$23,800.00

Motion was made and approved to accept the bid by Wheeler Construction

**Brown Memorial Library:** Bea Howe advised that the library's cost for fuel will be \$2,000 over the \$3400 budgeted for that item. Selectmen have not come to an agreement yet on fuel costs for the town departments.

**Fire Department:** Fire Chief Mark Goldberg advised that the Fire Department roof leaks and needs repair. Contractor Rodney Sargent gave a

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## 10 QUESTIONS:

*by Phyllis Wilcox*

*This is a continuation in a series of Bradford Bridge interviews with people in Bradford.*

### ROBIN STEINER

Robin Steiner was born in Manchester. She spent her early years in Candia, attended Central High School in Manchester where she met her husband, Jon. She and Jon have been married for 22 years and have one daughter, Isabelle (Izzy) who is 8 years old. Robin went to Wheaton College for one year and then transferred to UNH where she majored in Economics and Political Science. She went on to obtain a Masters in Teaching (MAT) and taught in Franklin Middle School. Her next job was at Kearsarge High School where she taught Social Studies for six years. Her curriculum included history, government and economics. Her next move was to Bow High School to become the Dean of Humanities. She was hired prior to the school's opening and helped to shape the new curriculum. In addition to her teaching job, she studied for her PhD and obtained a Fulbright. She never completed the doctorate dissertation in education because her mother became seriously ill with early onset Alzheimer's. Her career at Bow lasted 12 years and seeing that it was time for another change, Robin applied for the position of Assistant Superintendent of the Kearsarge Regional School District (KRSD).

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Don't Forget To Vote In The Primary!

Tuesday, September 9, 8:00 am to 7:00 pm KRES at Bradford.

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To The Residents Of Bradford:

The Supervisors of the checklist will be in session on Wednesday, September 3, from 7:00pm-7:30pm to register new voters and update the checklist. This will be held at the town hall. Please bring proof of residency and age.

Supervisors of The Checklist

Ann Lucier,  
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## From The Editor

Welcome to Fall! So many of the rituals of our lives in New Hampshire are based on the rhythms of the changing seasons. Children waiting for school buses, colored leaf piles, saying goodbye to our college age students as they depart for new, independent lives, shorter, cooler days and the end of the carefree luxury of long summer days. It is a bitter sweet time of year. Even our cat seems to be spending far less time hunting and more time investigating indoor spots in the sun, a sure sign of colder days ahead. We look forward to the excitement of the local and national elections on September 9 and November 4 and we also have increasing concerns about the lackluster economy and the high cost of fuel. We need to be on the lookout for friends and neighbors who are falling on hard times and might need additional support to get through the long, cold winter ahead. We will rally as a community and support each other as neighbors and friends, another season behind us and a new one arriving on its heels. Goodbye snowbirds and tourists, students and birds, green leafy trees and the soft scent of new earth and flowers. We'll look forward to seeing you again in Spring.

Beth Rodd

### Poll Worker Training

For your convenience, there will be two training sessions on Monday the 8th of September. These are to mandatory for all those planning on working the polls on the 9th. There are many new changes that need to be addressed. The first session will be at 10:00 A.M. in the Town Clerk's Office. The repeat session will be in the main meeting room at 7:00P.M. We had a great turnout for the first meeting in March and we felt that it was well received. Please mark your calendar for this date.

Absentee ballots are available at the Town Clerk's Office for the State Primary from:

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# Bradford Happenings

## Bradford Fun Day and Community Farmers Market

The fifth annual Bradford Fun Day, sponsored by Bradford Parks and Recreation and the Kearsarge Area Preschool, is scheduled for Saturday, September 20th, 11:00 am to 4:00 pm at the Brown Shattuck Field on Cilley Lane. The festivities include live animals, crafts, face painting, demonstrations, games and challenges like a climbing wall from Vertical Dreams, Bounce House and Dunk Tank. Hot dogs, cotton candy, hamburgers and sausage grinders will be served at the snack shack. Hayrides will be scheduled throughout the day and the popular pie eating contest will return. If you bake a mean apple pie, make sure it is entered into the apple pie baking contest! There will be music with DJ "Joel Cote". Mr. Phil will start things off with a little magic and make balloon hats for everyone! This year FUNDAY will also include a Farmer's Market / Crafters section. Non profit organizations and groups are encouraged to set up at this event

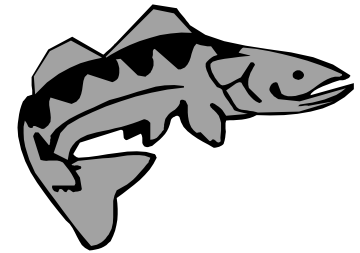
to promote community involvement. Businesses, artists and crafters are also encouraged to set up. For more information, please contact Kate at 938-6228.

## Bradford Women's Club:

**Pancake breakfast:** Sept 20 at the BCC from 8-11. This is in conjunction with the Parks and Rec Family Fun Day. We had a wonderful picnic to honor our past president, Jean Gaito, at John and Elaine Warren's beautiful home. Look for the annual flower bulb drive from our members. The money from this fundraiser goes to our scholarship program for a female studying higher education. Members, dust off your red hat and get ready for our annual tea at the Candlelite Inn on Sept. 16 at 4:00. The member book should be out soon.

## Bradford Fish and Game News

Things have been going well at BF&G this summer and we are looking forward to the fall season. The next meeting will be Tuesday, September 2nd at 7:00 pm at the clubhouse on Gillingham Drive. Something new for the 2008 fall season will be the BF&G deer pool. There is also going to be a family day and BBQ at the club house on Sunday Sept. 7th. If you have any questions about these events, please contact Fritz at 938-2047. Finally the Turkey Raffle is back! It will be on Saturday, Nov. 22nd, with the time and place to be announced.



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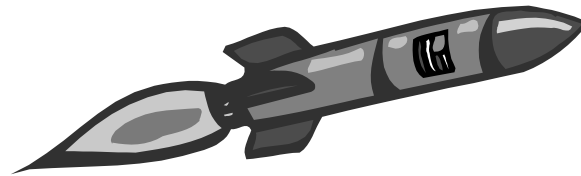
**Sunday, September 14:** the Mount Kearsarge Indian Museum will host a class on Native American Wild Edibles for Health and Healing from 9 am to 3 pm. Gardens and Grounds Director John Brooks will present a lecture in the morning on the medicinal qualities of native plants, followed by an afternoon session in the museum's Medicine Woods and gardens. The cost is \$10 for non-members and \$8 for MKIM members.

Also in September, the Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum will unveil a new exhibit entitled New Hampshire Firsts: The Archaeology of Howard Sargent. The museum will be open for extended hours, 10 am to 7:30 pm, for the Grand Opening Day, Friday, September 19.

The end of the month, September 29, brings the annual Harvest Moon Festival. Harvest Moon attendees are sure to reap a rich bounty of native-style food, crafts and skills. Visitors can watch or participate in corn grinding, fire building, shelter construction and other traditional autumn activities, including children's crafts. Harvest Moon activities help rekindle the connections between people and the changing seasons of the land. The Harvest Moon Festival is open to the public and runs from 10am -4pm. Admission is \$7 non-members, \$5 MKIM members, or \$20 per family.

For programming information call the museum at 456-2600 or email [mkim.visitorservices@tds.net](mailto:mkim.visitorservices@tds.net).

**The Kearsarge Area Rocket Society (KARS)** will host a model rocket launch on Saturday September 20th from 1PM to 4PM (raindate is the following day). All are welcome to participate or spectate. There is no charge. For directions and any other details, please visit [www.KARSNH.org](http://www.KARSNH.org) on the web or call Mike Bellino at 938-5129



### Concord

The Barley House, 132 North Main Street, every Thursday night until further notice, 7:00 to 9:00pm, our own **Andrew Pinard** will perform his strolling sleight-of-hand artistry, magic and comedy. Bring your friends and family and prepare to be amazed! Info? Call 228-6363.

### Sunapee

**Plant Sale.** Sat. Sept 13th - 9am - 1pm. Fall mums and plants for the cooler weather. Pumpkins, cornstalks, bulbs and dug perennials from the campus grounds. Proceeds will benefit the Mount Royal Academy Fine Arts and Music programs. Contact Lynn Solomon at [lbsolomon@comcast.net](mailto:lbsolomon@comcast.net) or 526-9289 for donations or more information.

Happenings - continued on next page



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Happenings - continued

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*Sunapee- continued:*

**2008 FALL WALKABOUT HIKES** on the S-R-K GREENWAY  
The Sunapee-Ragged-Kearsarge Greenway Coalition's 15th annual Fall Walkabout starts Saturday, September 6th and continues every Saturday and Sunday for seven weeks. Please call the hike leader two nights before to learn starting location and time. Bring water, sun screen, a hat, and a snack. For information about the SRK Greenway Coalition see [www.srkg.com](http://www.srkg.com).

### Weekend 1

**Sept. 6:** From Wilmot Center toward Danbury via trails and woods roads. 4.1 miles, easy. Ken Aldrich, 526-2942.

**Sept. 7:** From Wilmot, over Ragged Mountain in Danbury to Proctor Academy in Andover. 6.1 miles, difficult. Ken Aldrich, 526-2942.

### Weekend 2

**Sept. 13:** From Proctor Academy in Andover to Mount Kearsarge. 6.0 miles, moderate. Wayne Nicoll, 735-5721.

**Sept. 14:** A rigorous hike over Mount Kearsarge to Kearsarge Valley Road in North Sutton. 5.8 miles, difficult. Andy Hager, 526-2846.

### Weekend 3

**Sept. 20:** From Kearsarge Valley Road in North Sutton to Wadleigh State Park on Kezar Lake. 3.9 miles, easy. Ralph Spofford, 526-6568.

**Sept. 21:** Kezar Lake in North Sutton over King Hill to Chalk Pond in Newbury via the NH Audubon Society's Stoney Brook Wildlife Sanctuary. 5.4 miles, moderate. John Heiden, 526-7518.

### Weekend 4

**Sept. 27:** Chalk Pond to NH Route 103 and Newbury Harbor, via Bly Hill. 4.4 miles, moderate. Frank Perrotta, 763-9280.

**Sept. 28:** Newbury Harbor over Mt. Sunapee to Goshen, with a stop at the Lake Solitude overlook. 5.4 miles, difficult. Gerry Gold, 526-2857.

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**10 Questions- continued**

**Q. I understand that you began your teaching career in the KRSD and now you will be returning as the Assistant Superintendent. Can you tell me about that?**

I wanted to be back in the district. I felt it was a good time to make the move. It was time for a change. I wanted to feel like I was doing something for my community.

**Q. Your next teaching job was in Bow, where you helped to develop a new curriculum. Can you describe that position and where that led you in your career?**

It was a great position. I was able to look at what was happening in education all over the country. We got to try team teaching, integrated curriculum, arts integration and senior projects. Most recently, I have been training for the International Baccalaureate ( a curriculum used in schools all over the world.) This is like Advanced Placement (AP) but not quite the same. I've had many new opportunities as the Dean of Humanities.

**Q. You appear to be cracking the glass ceiling with your new position as Assistant Superintendent. Was this a long-term career goal or just happenstance?**

It was a long term career goal. I am cracking the glass ceiling. I believe that more women need to be in these positions. It was a good time to do this with the hiring of a new superintendent. I'll be working with Jerry Frew who did his student teaching at Kearsarge High School. It will be exciting . I see this as an adventure.



**Q. As the first days in your new job approach, do you feel ready for this challenge? How are you preparing for it? Are there workshops and training sessions that you need to attend?**

I will be attending some workshops. I think that my previous job has prepared me well for this one. At the present time I'm wrapping things up in Bow and preparing for the new

job. The office is in New London in a former church on Main Street. My new work space has the pulpit and confessional in it.

**Q. Teaching and educational administration seem to be in your blood. Can you explain how and if your early life led you in this direction?**

I was always interested in teaching. My grandmother was a teacher. She went to Normal School and raised four children on a teaching salary. My grandfather died young, at age 53, and she became the sole breadwinner. My mother was a school librarian at my elementary school. She passed away at age 59 with early Alzheimer's.

**Q. You're quite young at age 42. Have you set goals for your career in the future?**

I always see myself in education. I love teaching. This move is a big change for me, since I will be moving out of the classroom. I could eventually move upward to the job of superintendent somewhere. I could do something at the state or national level. I am always looking at the future.

**Q. Your jobs have been demanding until now and this new position will be more so. What are your hobbies and interests? Will you find time to pursue them?**

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swimming and sailing and most important playing with my daughter and spending time with my family. I probably won't have as much time off in the summer months but I'm sure that I'll find time for family and recreation.

**Q. You have what appears to be an ideal family and an upwardly mobile career. Is this enough?**

I feel very fortunate. I have a great family and a great career. I feel lucky. It's enough. I'm quite satisfied.

**Q. What brought you to Bradford? You have two homes in the same town. Was there a special reason for your move here?**

Actually, Jon and I used to come to Champ's Auction House with his mom who was an antiques dealer. We ate at the Appleseed and loved the surrounding mountains and lakes.

**Q. What if any changes would you make in your life given the opportunity?**

I might be a food critic. I love to eat. I used to hate to cook but then when I stayed home with Izzy on maternity leave, I began to enjoy cooking and baking bread. Jon and I both love eating out in restaurants and love food. It would be fun to be a food critic.

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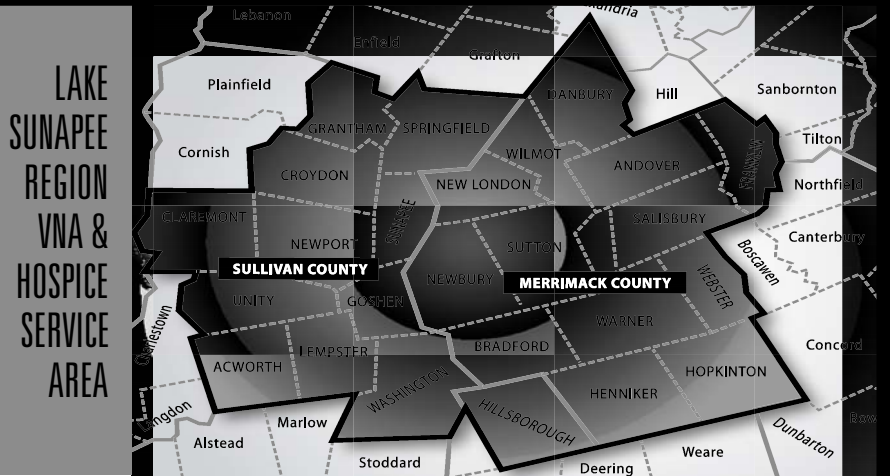
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figure to strip the roof and put on 30-year shingles. Cost to do only the Route 103 side was quoted at \$15,800.00; the other side was quoted at \$11,800.00. Prices are good for 30 days. Approximately \$500.00 could be deducted if the whole roof was done at the same time.

**Budget Committee:** Selectmen requested the Budget Committee to meet on September 2<sup>nd</sup> to review figures and support an application to the State Department of Revenue to exceed our appropriations by \$51,000 and fund the expenses from Fund Balance.

**Highway Garage:** Selectmen signed the contract with Mike Sailer for the new building, which will be located to the left of the existing fuel tanks, parallel to Route 103.

A motion was made by Charles Meany to sign a bond for seven years with a warrant article in March to pay it off, seconded by Peter Fenton. Andrew Pinard voted Nay. Carried 2-1. Selectmen voted to appoint Charles Meany as Clerk of the Works. Meany will work with volunteers to project costs for a 40' x 43' salt shed for proposal in March.

Road Agent Steve Lucier reported that the highway crew has put 5 days into clearing the land for the new highway garage. The septic system test pit has been done and found nothing but sand going down 14 feet in an area where no one will be driving over it. The new highway garage building has been ordered by Mike Sailer who received a deposit for same.

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Addy Camarie came before the Selectmen regarding the article in the Bradford Bridge stating the Jones Road bridge budget being over by \$4,600.00 resulting from additional engineering fees regarding the apron on the driveway on their property. The July 1, 2004 minutes show a breakdown for the additional charge. Cheryl Behr, Administrator will check on the bills for the project.

**Solid Waste/Recycling:** Selectmen appointed Bindy Glennie, Marcia Keller, Will Kranz, George Morse, and Mike Sherrill as members of a volunteer committee to help decide if the town should continue recycling materials at the transfer station or move to the Single Stream Recycling program as proposed by the Concord Solid Waste Cooperative. The Selectmen said they would appreciate hearing the long and short term benefits resulting from Single Stream recycling. The committee will serve as an advisory committee to the Selectmen.

An additional baler was approved to be purchased for recycling. Opinion was that it could be sold at a later time.

**Forest Street** Selectmen sent a back hoe to clear out a culvert on Forest Street. Road Agent Steve Lucier advised that the property owner has begun to take steps to improve the situation. Consensus was to contact the Town Attorney regarding responsibility for the road and cistern.

**Naughton Property** Steve Lucier found two mattresses dumped on the property, which has now been gated with a cable and lock. Cement blocks are also in place again in the roadway.

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## September Calendar

### **Mon. Sept. 1**

Mountain View Senior Center is closed in observance of the Labor Day Holiday.

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### **Tues. Sept. 2**

8:45AM Mountain View Senior Center Fitness

10:00AM Stitches from the Heart

10:00AM – Line Dancing

12 Noon Senior Community Dining - Chicken Salad, Tomato Soup, Wheat Bread, Pickled Beets, and Mandarin Oranges.

6:00 PM - Yoga Class – call Fran at 456-3099 for information

7:00 PM - Fish & Game meeting - Gillingham Drive

### **Thurs. Sept. 4**

10:30AM Foot Massage with Betty Perron. Call 938-2104 for an appointment. Donations appreciated.

3:00 – 6:00 PM - Farmers' Market

12 Noon Senior Community Dining - Summer picnic, Sliced Turkey, Macaroni Salad, Cole Slaw, Roll, and Fruit.

6:00 PM – Yoga Class

### **Fri. Sept. 5**

8:45AM Mountain View Senior Center Fitness

9:00-10:00 AM - Tai Chi Dance call Sasha Wolfe at 938-2115 for information

9:45AM MVSC Walkers

10:30AM Line Dancing Demonstration with the Suncook Seniors

11:30AM First Friday Brunch – Give yourself a break and enjoy Brunch for only \$2.00.

Omelet with Ham Slice on a Wheat Bagel, Stewed Tomatoes, Juice, and Coffee.

7:00PM – Book-to-Movie, BML

### **Sat. Sept. 6**

11:00 AM - Writing Group

### **Mon. Sept. 8**

8:45AM Mountain View Senior Center Fitness

9:45AM MVSC Walkers

10:00AM Ceramics with Doris

10:30AM Yoga with Fran

12 Noon Sudoku and Bag Lunch

1:00 PM - Bridge Group

7:00 PM - Rural Heritage Connection

7:00 PM – Library Trustees, BML

### **Tues. Sept. 9**

10:00AM Stitches from the Heart

12 Noon Senior Community Dining - Hot Dog, Brown Bread, Baked Beans, Cole Slaw, and Yogurt.

4:30 PM – Parks & Recreation

6:00 PM - Yoga Class

### **Wed. Sept. 10**

5:00 PM -Bradford Area Community Center -Committee Meeting

6:00 PM – Friends of BACC

### **Thurs. Sept. 11**

11:00AM MVSC Walkers

12 Noon Senior Community Dining - Swedish Meatballs, Brown Rice, Broccoli, and Tropical Fruit. September birthdays celebrated with cake and ice cream.

3:00 – 6:00 PM –Farmers' Market

6:00 PM – Yoga Class

### **Fri. Sept. 12**

8:45AM Mountain View Senior Center Fitness

9:00 – 10:00AM -Tai Chi Dance –call Sasha Wolfe at 938-2115 for information

9:45AM MVSC Walkers

### **Mon. Sept. 15**

*National Senior Center Week*

8:45AM Mountain View Senior Center Fitness

9:45AM MVSC Walkers

10:00AM Ceramics with Doris

10:30AM Yoga with Fran

12 Noon Senior Community Dining - Sliced Turkey, Stuffing, Cranberry Sauce, Sweet Potatoes, Biscuit, Scandinavian Blend Veggies, and Pudding.

1:00 PM -Bridge Group

### **Tues. Sept. 16**

*National Senior Center Week*

10:00AM Stitches from the Heart

12 Noon Senior Community Dining - Veal Roulard, Sauce, Mashed Potatoes, Carrots, and Peaches.

6:00 PM - Yoga Class – call Fran at 456-3099 for information

### **Thurs. Sept. 18**

*Senior Center Week Open House*

11:00AM Exhibits, Displays, and Tour of Intergenerational Garden

11:00AM – 12:30PM Blood Pressure Clinic provided by Lake Sunapee Region VNA

12 Noon Senior Community Dining - Roast Pork with Apple, Stuffing, Baked Potato, Sour Cream, Butternut Squash, and Gingerbread with Cream.

3:00 – 6:00 PM – Farmers' Market

6:00 PM – Yoga Class

### **Fri. Sept. 19**

*National Senior Center Week*

8:45AM Mountain View Senior Center Fitness

9:00-10:00 AM - Tai Chi Dance - call Sasha Wolfe at 938-2115 for information

9:45AM MVSC Walkers

10:15AM Friday at the Movies showing “The Bucket List” starring Morgan Freeman and Jack Nicholson

Just released. A touching comedy about one’s list before they kick the bucket. Two Thumbs Up!

7:00 PM – International Movie, BML

### **Sat. Sept. 20**

8:00 AM – 11:00 AM Bradford Women’s Club – Pancake Breakfast

## September Calendar

9:00 AM–1:00 PM – Household Hazardous Waste Collection Day, Henniker Highway Dept.  
 9:00 AM - Writing Group  
 10:00 AM Bradford Improvement Association – All are welcome  
 11:00-4:00 PM – Annual Fun Day

**Mon. Sept. 22**

8:45AM Mountain View Senior Center Fitness  
 9:45AM MVSC Walkers  
 10:00AM Ceramics with Doris  
 10:30AM Yoga with Fran  
 12 Noon Senior Community Dining - Jones Pork Sausage, Whipped Potatoes, Bread, and Pudding.  
 1:00 PM - Bridge Group

**Tues. Sept. 23**

10:00AM Stitches from the Heart  
 12 Noon Senior Community Dining - Meatballs, Gravy, Zucchini & Tomatoes, Brown Rice, and Chunky Cinnamon Applesauce.  
 6:00 PM - Yoga Class

**Wed. Sept. 24**

10:00AM at MVSC to carpool for “School Days” at Kearsarge Elementary School. Seniors and the Bradford Historical Society share their stories of the “old days” in school.

**Thurs. Sept. 25**

11:00AM MVSC Walkers  
 11:00 AM – 12:30 PM - Foot Care Clinic  
 12 Noon Senior Community Dining - American Chop Suey, Green & Wax Beans, and Hot Fruit Dessert  
 3:00-6:00 PM – Farmers’ Market  
 6:00 PM – Yoga Class

**Fri. Sept. 26**

8:45AM Mountain View Senior Center Fitness  
 9:00 - 10:00 AM - Tai Chi Dance – call Sasha Wolfe at 938-2115 for information  
 9:45AM MVSC Walkers

**Mon. Sept. 29**

8:45AM Mountain View Senior Center Fitness  
 9:45AM MVSC Walkers  
 10:00AM Ceramics with Doris  
 10:30AM Yoga with Fran

12 Noon Senior Community Dining - Salisbury Steak, Mashed Potato, Winter Blend Veggie, and Pudding.

1:00 PM - Bridge Group

**Tues. Sept. 30**

10:00AM Stitches from the Heart  
 12 Noon Senior Community Dining serves Turkey a la King, Biscuit, Beets, and Fruit Cocktail.  
 6:00-730 PM Yoga Class

All events take place at the Bradford Area Community Center (938-6228) or the Mountain View Senior Center (938-2104) unless otherwise noted.

Please call to confirm dates and times in case there has been a change to the submitted information.

*Note: Send your comments on the new Calendar format to [bradfordbridge@mcttelecom.com](mailto:bradfordbridge@mcttelecom.com) or call 938-2877*

- BML**- Brown Memorial Library
- KAP**-Kearsarge Area Preschool
- KRES**-Bradford Elementary School
- MVSC** -Mountain View Senior Center
- TH** - Bradford Town Hall
- ZBA**-Zoning Board of Adjustment

### Ongoing Events

- CHILDREN’S STORYTIME** - WEDNESDAYS AT 10:30 PM. BML
- CEMETERY COMMISSION** - 2ND THURSDAY AT 6 PM - CALL 938-5539 FOR INFORMATION
- CONSERVATION COMMISSION** - 3RD TUESDAY 7:00 PM - TOWN HALL OR BML
- FIRST FRIDAY BRUNCH** - 11:30 AM MVSC - RESERVATIONS APPRECIATED, CALL 938-2104
- HISTORICAL SOCIETY**-OLD P.O BUILDING, OPEN MOST SATS. 1:30-3 PM OR CALL 938-5386
- LIBRARY TRUSTEES MEETING** - 1ST MONDAY 7:00 PM - BML
- PLANNING BOARD** - 2ND & 4TH TUESDAY 7 PM - TOWN HALL
- RURAL HERITAGE CONNECTION** - 2ND MONDAY 7 PM - BACC
- SELECTMEN’S MEETING** - 1ST & 3RD TUESDAY 6 PM - TOWN HALL
- ZONING BOARD** - 1ST TUESDAY 7:30 PM - TOWN HALL

## Letters To The Editor

To The Editor:



**BRADFORD** - Nice residential neighborhood with attractive homes. This 3.55 acre parcel has great VIEWS towards Bald Sunapee and Newbury. Power underground, possible owner financing. **\$99,500.00**



**NEWBURY** - The town of Newbury has decided to part with the old town highway garage on the commercial corner of Rt 103 and Sutton Rd. Sited on 1.1 acre, level land, brook frontage, 36' X 98' 6 high bay building, drilled well. **\$232,500.00**



**BRADFORD** - Special property with VIEWS facing westerly, open fields, outbuildings, great horse property with 24 acres and more land available, older 3BR Gambrel w/ newer addition, 1 1/2 baths, some sand deposits, rolling to level property. **\$315,000.00**

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A close friend of mine has undergone an invisible tragedy that has been ongoing since October 2005 - two floods in three years due to run off from the construction of a subdivision, uphill from her on Forest Street in Bradford. Her personal living quarters were completely ruined and she has had to throw out over 4 truckloads of furniture, clothing, personal effects and flooring materials - TWICE. Her business and health have suffered as she lives alone and has not had any family to help. The flooding has resulted in mold growth in the house, aggravating allergies and causing multiple sinus infections and pneumonia. She is dealing with an old hip injury, has incurred back problems and tendonitis while putting in new flooring and cleaning up the heavy debris from the damage.

Because of stress and ill health, she has had to back away from many of the community projects in which she was involved, editing the Bradford Bridge, the Planning Board and the Rural Heritage Connection. Her business has suffered the most with the layoff of both her graphic designer and bookkeeper because of ongoing bills incurred by the damages which have been overwhelming.

She desperately needs community support to help cover the medical bills, legal and engineering fees

which have resulted from the damages. Her property still has ongoing drainage issues and will need drainage systems installed.

There will be a web site posted in the coming weeks which will outline and show photos of both floods and the damages that occurred.

A fund has been opened at Lake Sunapee Bank, P.O Box 326, Bradford, NH 03221. Please make checks payable to the Susan Janicki-Flood Fund. Any help at all is very much appreciated.

Thank you.

Heather Turner

To The Editor:

Have you made the call yet? You know, the one you've thought about - the one about becoming a foster or adoptive parent. There's no time like the present, is there? Pick up that phone. Make the call. Classes will begin in September or October at a DCYF office near you. Call your local Concord DCYF foster care worker at 1-800-322-9191. Jan Feuer, Intake Specialist  
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**Letters - continued from p.12**

To the Editor:

The trustees and librarians of Brown Memorial Library would like to extend a huge thank you to Steve Lucier and his crew for all they did to get our new book drop up and running. The community spirit they showed was heart

warming and we all appreciate what they did, from pouring the concrete to actually setting it up for us. People can now drive up to the book drop, located beside the stairs to the library. Thanks Steve, from all of us!

Bea Howe, Trustee  
Brown Memorial Library

To The Editor

The best soft serve is at the Casino at Lake Massasecum Camp Ground.  
Ann Lucier

*Thanks, Ann. We're still on the ice cream hunt! Ed.*



**Library Lantern**  
*by Meg Fearnley*

The library is closed on Monday, September 1. Thank you to everyone who attended our Fundraising Dinner and Labor Day book sale. Trustees and librarians had a great time and we hope you did too! We are so grateful for the wonderful support we receive from Bradford and afar. Join us for the next book-to-movie discussion of *The Spy Who Came in From the Cold* on Friday, September 5 at 7pm. We revive our International Movie Series on Friday, September 19 at 7 with a selection from Israel. In October the book-to-movie series continues with *The Princess Bride*, an old favorite. Copies of the book are available at the library.

You will notice the addition of many DVDs and children's books this month. Thank you to a very generous local family (you know who you are!). New books added to your library in August:

**For adults:**

- Moscow Rules* by Daniel Silva
- The Lace Reader* by Brunonia Barry
- Illegal Action* by Stella Rimington
- Smoke Screen* by Sandra Brown
- My Stroke of Insight* by Jill Bolte Taylor
- The Gargoyle* by Andrew Davidson
- Born on a Blue Day* by Daniel Tammet

**For children and young adults:**

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## Obituaries

### Hazel L. Perkins

Hazel L. Perkins, 93, died Thursday, July 31, 2008, at the Concord Regional Visiting Nurse Association Hospice House in Concord. Mrs. Perkins was born May 19, 1915, in Waterbury, Conn., to Benjamin and Rosetta (Foster) Lynn. She was the oldest of 10 children who were all raised on a large family farm in Watertown.

She graduated from the Waterbury Hospital School of Nursing in 1936. She married Carleton H. Perkins in 1940. They moved to a small farm in Bradford with five of their six children in 1947. Their sixth and youngest son was born in 1951. Mrs. Perkins was employed as a registered nurse for many years in various capacities, retiring in 1975 after 17 years as the charge nurse in the emergency room at the New London Hospital in New London.

Mrs. Perkins married Classen P. Perkins in 1975. They were married for 20 years, enjoying their time together with their 10 children, 29 grandchildren, 47 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren. Mrs. Perkins loved spending time with Classen and their family, rocking new great-grandchildren, gardening and visiting the ocean.

She was predeceased by her first husband, Carleton, in 1974; and her second husband, Classen; a son, William Perkins; two sisters, Elizabeth Vaughn and Doris Foran; and a brother, Robert Lynn. Mrs. Perkins is survived by five of her six children, Nancy Battles, Lois Loomis, John Perkins, Joyce Champy Teele and Gary Perkins; her stepsons, Charles, Donald, Robert and Thom Perkins; five sisters, Phyllis Erling, Barbara Blum, Janice Frenzer, Margaret Lynn and Joan Blum; and one brother, Donald Lynn.

Memorial donations may be made to the First Baptist Church Building Fund, P.O. Box 57, Bradford 03221; or to the Concord Regional Visiting Nurse Association Hospice House, P.O. Box 1797, Concord 03302.

## KEARSARGE DISTRICT NEWS

### School District Report

Jon Steiner

As you read this, school is back in session after a rainy but fun summer. Many things have happened since my last report. First, my wife Robin has been named as the Assistant Superintendent. While I completely recused myself from the entire process, I am not surprised she was selected. She has great experience as an administrator in Bow, a tremendous work ethic, and a super attitude. I'm certain she will be a great addition in our efforts to move the district forward. I've thought about what this means about my role on the board. There is no legal reason for me to resign; however there are other reasons why it may be difficult for me to continue. So at this point I plan on sticking with it until at least the end of the year, to get us through the budget and the opening of school and then will reevaluate how it is working with the

family, the SAU staff, the board, and the community prior to the filing period for the March elections. If you have an opinion, let me know. In other news, the Board took two full days—one with the new superintendent and one without, to discuss philosophy, board expectations, goals and more. These sessions were very productive and have helped the board to better focus on priorities and to better understand where each member is coming from. It was a big chunk of time but well worth the effort. Lastly, we are working on the budget and understand that times are difficult. We will work to control spending on all areas where we are able. As always, the deliberative session will be in January and the budget will be presented at that time. Welcome back to school!



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## Planning Board Notes

### Conceptual Consultation:

Surveyor Tim Bernier represented Nate Kimball (Valley Excavation) to discuss a gravel pit permit for property on Breezy Hill Road. The original permit was approved in 2003. The area is also used as a “contractor’s yard” for storage and processing of material. The Board advised that a new application is required since renewals are no longer allowed. A public hearing is scheduled for September 9<sup>th</sup>.

**Subdivision:** Dave Eckman of Eckman Engineering reviewed the application for a 2-lot subdivision for property owned by Daniel Kraft with frontage on both Hogg Hill and Sunset Roads. The application was approved with a condition recorded in the deed that the driveway will not be paved in order to protect wetlands on the property.

Dave Eckman represented OE Trucking (Marty Chivers) with an application for a 2-lot subdivision of property on Breezy Hill Road and boundary adjustments to two of the lots involved. It was noted that a street plat will be required for the access to the proposed rear lot. The application was accepted as complete, a site walk will be scheduled, and the hearing was continued to September 9.

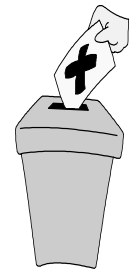
Mr. Eckman presented a site plan for the three lots owned by Mr. Chivers on Breezy Hill Road. The bus company that will service the Kearsarge Regional School District proposes to store busses on one lot. Concerns were expressed by

abutters present about which driveway will be used, limited tonnage on the narrow bridge, and environmental concerns near the Warner River. Chair Phil LaMoreaux suggested separate proposals for each of the lots. Review by CNHRPC is required and a site walk will be scheduled.

**Site Plan Revision:** Bob Stewart Jr. of RCS Designs presented a revised site plan for DPX2 – the Fitness Center on Route 103 –

showing elimination of trees on the front and east side of the building. After much discussion, the Board voted not to approve the proposed revision. The decision was based on the underlying zones not having changed and the fact that this site plan was approved prior to the one for the veterinarian clinic next door. Conditions that must be met include locating the trees and landscaping as shown on the original plan and the sign with Planning Board approved lighting.

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The collard greens looked beautiful, that pretty soft green, free of yellow blotches. So I bought them plus chicken breasts. My plan was to grill the chicken breasts and do something with the collard greens. After leafing through a couple of cookbooks, I decided to cook the greens sort of Southern style simmered for all day with ham hocks. But, it was the middle of the afternoon, the storm clouds were gathering, and I had no ham hocks. It was improvisation time before the Pauls came to dinner.

"And the Rain Came-a-Tumbling-Down" 'Grilled' Chicken and Collard Greens  
4 Servings

1 to 1 ½ pounds collard greens	6 cups water
¼ teaspoon red pepper flakes	1 teaspoon salt
2-3 slices bacon, cut crosswise into ¼ " slices	1 tablespoon sugar
1 ½ pounds boneless, skinless chicken breasts	3-4 tablespoons garlic oil
½ cup dry white wine	2 garlic cloves, sliced thinly
1 medium onion, small dice	

1. Wash and de-stem the collard greens. Tear greens into large pieces.
2. Bring water to a boil in a large pot. Add red pepper flakes, salt, bacon, and sugar to pot. Add collard greens and bring to a boil, uncovered.
3. Reduce heat and simmer for 45 to 60 minutes, uncovered. Add more water, if needed.
4. Meanwhile, heat 2 tablespoons olive oil in large a sauté pan to shimmering. Add patted-dry chicken breasts and sauté on medium- high heat for 3-4 minutes on each side.
5. Add white wine. Cover. Turn down heat and simmer until moisture is nearly evaporated (au sec). Remove chicken from pan and tent on a plate. (Internal temperature of chicken should be 165 F. or higher.)
6. Add 1 tablespoon olive oil to chicken sauté pan; bring to shimmering. Add onion and cook, stirring often until softened. Turn down heat and add garlic, cooking for 1 minute.
7. Spoon large amounts of collard greens into onion-garlic sauté pan with juices. Bring to a boil and let reduce to make sauce. Yum!
8. To plate: Spoon collard greens onto platter. Cut chicken breasts crosswise into ½ " pieces and arrange on top of collard greens. Spoon juices over chicken and greens.

## Notes:

1. To clean collard greens: Soak in a large amount of cool water for 5 minutes. Lift leaves out of water. You may need to repeat this procedure depending on the grit on the leaves. Then fold the leaves in half with the large central vein on the outside. Gently rip the vein out starting at the stem end.
2. Sandy had just seen a food program on collards and asked what I had added to the greens. I told her pepper flakes, salt, and bacon. She said they used ham hocks, salt, pepper flakes, and one more ingredient, but she couldn't remember what it was. Suddenly she said, "Sugar and lots of it, like a cup!" Hence, the tablespoon of sugar. There was no way I was adding a cup of sugar!
3. Cook green vegetables uncovered to preserve their color. There is a long scientific reason, but suffice it to say, there are enzymes that discolor and they are not released into the air if covered.
4. From last month, I've been asked about Umami (OO-mam-ee): Meaty of brothy flavor; also called *savory*. Umami is often found in protein, some vegetables ( mushrooms come to mind for me), and fermented foods, such as soy sauce. Prentice Hall Introduction to Culinary Arts. Pearson Prentice Hall, Boston, Massachusetts 02116, 2007. 161.

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### Bradford Historical Society

The Bradford Historical Society will hold its September meeting at the Center in the District # 1 Schoolhouse on Wednesday, September 24<sup>th</sup>, 7:00pm.

The late Laura Hoyt Sanborn spoke about schooling at the Center. "Years ago the teachers boarded around at the homes. The family who had the largest number of children in school had to board the teacher the longest. During 1880 and 1890 when I was going to school, there was a spring term of 8 weeks and the fall term 10 weeks, no winter term. In the village school, they had a winter term of 10 weeks... when the boys were 13 or 14, they had to stay at home to work on the farm during the spring and went to the fall term. Boys and girls went until they were 20 years old if they wanted to. Some started at 4 years. We didn't have written work, had slates for our arithmetic. Parents had to buy books for their children. A special committee man was one who was supposed to know a little more than the others and he visited the school each term and made a few remarks. We had to be on our good behavior when he came".

The Schoolhouse has been in infrequent use since so much work was put into restoring this 1793 building. It's a step back into time, full of period furnishings. Townspeople are invited to visit and reminisce about their school days.

#### Progress on the Blacksmith-Woodworking Shop

The windows are ready, the door ready to be painted and most of the

timbers are cut. The site is ready for the foundation to be laid. The schedule is to have it completed before Thanksgiving. Any donations of building materials are welcome.

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**Lake Todd Loon News**

Our Loons have been on the lake all summer and have had two nests destroyed by high water. The last nest was found with two floating eggs it in. So, we had no chicks this year. A sad story, but we still have our loons plus 2 or 3 more keeping the regulars company.

The loon biologist has been watching progress on our loons and they have the eggs for examination. It is good to have the Loon Preservation Committee from Moultonborough checking on our loon families.

We also had Mergansers earlier in the season. They resemble a loon in the water but without the mottled back and have more white on the body. They are a diving duck.

We have also been lucky to see beautiful eagles off and on this summer. The loons become very noisy when the eagles appear. They feel the same way about them that they do about any airplane that flies over.

How lucky we all are to have these wonderful wild creatures so close to us!!! We will hope for more chicks next year.

Sincerely,

Allene S. Hamilton, Observer

**A Special Note:** Clean out all fishing tackle boxes where you may have lead sinkers. Please destroy them!! They kill loons.



**First Baptist Church News**

From Lynn E. Hubley

**Mom's Group:** The Moms Group will meet on Thursday mornings beginning September 11 from 8:45 a.m. - 9:45 a.m. They will be reading the book "The Power of a Praying Parent" by Stormie O'Martian. Child-care is available.

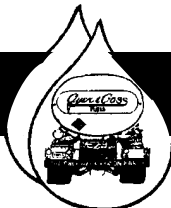
**Youth Group:** Youth who are in grades 5-8 are welcome to come to youth group on Friday, September 12 and Friday, September 26 from 6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. at the Fisk House.

**Food Pantry:** The September distribution date for food is Wednesday, September 17 from 5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. Food can also be obtained by calling the church office at 938-5313.

**Rally Day:** Sunday school will start Sunday September 21 at 10:00 a.m.. Children stay in Worship until the "Time with God's Children" and then break out into their classes. (We offer Sunday school for children ages 4 and up).

**Alpha Program:** Our church is offering the Alpha Course for anyone who is interested. It is a 10-week course to be held on Sunday evenings beginning September 21. We will have a potluck supper at 5:00 pm., followed by a DVD presentation and then small group discussions. The topics will include: "Who is Jesus? Why Did Jesus Die? How can I be sure of my faith? Why and how do I pray? How does God guide us? Who is the Holy Spirit? How can I resist Evil? Does God Heal Today? What about the church? How can I make the Most of the rest of my life?" We will end the small groups at 7:30 p.m. If you are interested in joining the Alpha group, please call the church office at 938-5313 so we can get you a book.

**Men's Fellowship:** The men will meet at the home of Fred Hubley on Wednesday, September 24 at 6:30 p.m. for devotions followed by pool and refreshments.



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# Outside

by J. Ann Eldridge

The information gained examining a small, seemingly inconsequential life can offer a surprising collection of seemingly unrelated stories.

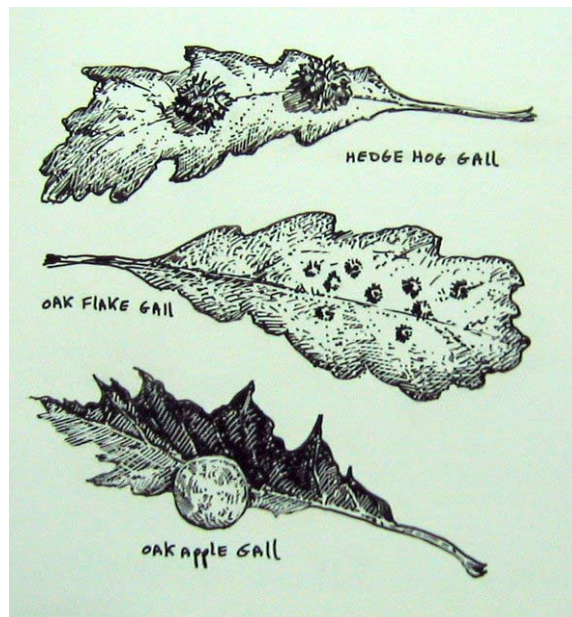
I have not knowingly ever seen a gall wasp, and quite possibly, neither have you. It is likely though that you, too, have pondered the combined architectural accomplishments of gall wasp larvae and oak trees. Most obvious of these are the oak apple galls that have formed in the canopy above us. The size of a ping pong ball, these orbs are the work of the tiny gall-making wasp *Amphibolips confluenta*, who laid her eggs one at a time on the leaves of oak.

These strange growths are caused by unknown mechanical, chemical, or viral actions and are actually a mutation of the leaves themselves. This irritation to the oak leaf results in the formation of a watertight biosphere that protects the growing larvae while it steals its tiny sap meal from the tree. Scores of other equally small lives can be attracted to these galls, sharing in the banquet. Doing no harm to the wasp larva, these would be called 'inquilines'. Still other pathogens and insects invade the galls and do intend harm as parasites. Birds, raccoons, and rodents also seek to interrupt the feast by consuming all the diners.

Something that is galling, is irritating, and galls may have gotten their name by annoying the oaks. 'Gall' also means 'bitter', as for the tannins that oak galls contain. This could bring us around to gall bladders which contain a bitter, alkaline fluid.

The oak leaves carry on as best they can and, if all goes well, in mid-summer the now mature winged but stingless wasps drill their way out of the dried casing and fly onward to the next assigned task which is to find a mate. The fertilized females then burrow below the soil and lay the next generation of eggs within the roots of the oak, causing a distinctly different form of gall. The wingless wasps, all female, that hatch from these more than a year later hike up the trees to the leaves to continue the plan of alternating gall and wasp shapes.

All this back and forth from canopy to roots is a bit unusual, even in the bizarre and populous world of insects. There are two major reproductive strategies for animals. One is the virgin birth scheme – no energy is wasted in vying for mates or impressing anyone. I'm sure you can see the advantages. The offspring will essentially be boring clones of the mother in this scenario. The dating scheme is a hassle, but an exchange of genetic material with resulting variability has its own survival advantages in an ever-changing world. Many of the thousands of species of gall-making wasps, such as the oak apple gall, are noted for incorporating both methods into their life plan.



All of this was initially uncovered by a meticulous German named Hermann Adler in the 1890s. Raising these tiny bugs in simulated natural settings couldn't have been easy but it only brought him applause amongst a very small circle of entomologists. Decades later, Alfred Kinsey took up the research, collecting gall wasps with obsessive zeal and writing his doctoral thesis at Harvard on the subject. Something about this voyeurism into the sexual habits of wasps seems to have inspired the same level of interest in the habits of his own species – causing Dr. Kinsey and his publications a good bit of fame and his portrait on the cover of Time magazine in the 1950s.

Hermann Adler's original research with gall wasps was done at a time when some of the best writing ink was still being manufactured with a concoction of a European galls and iron sulfate. In use for 700 years, this state of the art fluid works better on vellum (split animal skin) than paper and was falling out of favor by the 1900s. Artists and those interested in forgeries manage to keep the ancient formulas alive though.

I am writing this short essay with a pen containing modern synthetic chemicals about an insect I've never seen that creates havoc with an oak leaf, producing a gall that I could use to make ink. There are a multitude of other knobs, spikes and fuzzy bumps on leaves and stems, especially on oaks. These, too, are probably galls and they signal the presence of an army of modest insects who are doing their best to ignore the machinations of biologists and people like me.

### Transfer Station News

#### Bradford Transfer and Recycling Center Receives New Baler

With thanks to Marcia Keller, who made the motion at a recent town meeting, a warrant article passed that gave the Bradford Transfer and Recycling Center a special revenue fund. This fund receives a portion of the income that Bradford earns from recycling. This revenue is put aside each year to provide for the Center's needs associated with recycling.

Our new baler has arrived! Now we have one baler for #1 plastics, which includes clear plastic bottles and jugs having tops smaller than the bottoms. No plastic tubs or containers are accepted. A second baler is used for #2 plastics, which includes non-clear milk and laundry detergent jugs. You may flatten the plastic items if you wish, but please remove all caps. You may place the caps into the bucket set near the plastics balers or include them with your household trash.

We have two other balers: one for mixed paper and one for corrugated cardboard. Please flatten the cardboard items before placing them into the baler.

As we all get accustomed to the new setup, we expect that recycling efforts will be more organized and run more smoothly. My assistant Lois and I appreciate the participation of so many Bradford residents in the town's recycling programs.

#### E-Waste Relief

The Bradford Transfer and Recycling Center is pleased to announce that we have found an environmentally-friendly company to take our discarded computers, monitors, towers, empty laser cartridges, empty inkjet cartridges, cell phones, PDAs, iPods, DVDs, video games, video consoles, and digital cameras. Please bring these items to the transfer station for the bi-monthly pickup. This recycling program is a positive step to save the taxpayers money and is good for the health of our environment. The company is [www.cartridgesforkids.com](http://www.cartridgesforkids.com).

Kenneth Anderson



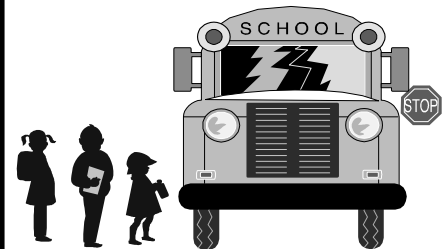
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