Kathy Rugg Named “Citizen of the Year”

By Lorraine Barrows

The GWC is a part of the General Federation of Women’s Clubs and Kathy is the federation representative for the Greenland club. Kathy attends district and national meetings and has participated in many committees and projects there, as well.

Her local contributions to the town also include oversight of the holiday decoration of both the bandstand and the town gazebo. As reported in the nomination, “Kathy has long been one of our most enthusiastic volunteers to take on this project. No matter how inclement the weather on the chosen day, she is there pulling our boxes, fluffing garland, and making sure all the lights work. She is usually the first to offer to climb the ladder to top off things, as well.”

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We also heard clearly that the town wants to see progress toward a better library. At our regular meeting on April 14 we decided to push ahead with our first special work session devoted to that goal. We invite the town to come to our meetings to help us find the best plan.

Please check the Library Web site for meeting dates and time: http://www.weekslibrary.org

Summer Sermon Series with Rev. Robert Thompson

By Rev. Robert Fellows

This summer, Community Congregational Church in Greenland NH will present a sermon series by Rev. Robert Thompson, the minister at Phillips Exeter Academy, on June 14, July 19, and August 2. The services begin at 10:00 a.m. on these Sundays at 10 Post Road, Greenland. The theme of this sermon series is “Our Common Beginnings: Community, Faith, and Hope.” The entire wider community is invited. Community Congregational Church welcomes people with diverse views and beliefs. This series is presented to further our mission of outreach to all—wherever you may be in your personal journey.

The Reverend Robert H. Thompson, Phelps Minister at Phillips Church, Phil-lips Exeter Academy, has held that position (formally known simply as “Minister”) since 1986. He is a 1972 graduate of that institution, having entered Phillips Exeter as a tenth grader in 1969. It was a time of great societal energy and turmoil. He speaks of it as a slice of that novel period of American history when it was popular to be black. Before Exeter, Rev. Thompson had been a student in the black public schools of Bluefield WV. His father taught at Bluefield State College, an historically black institution, and his mother was a social worker. He and his brother grew up in the midst of an economically diverse, multi-class community of black people in Bluefield that was greatly enriched by the presence of many students from up and down the east coast. The racial and societal strife that affected much of the country was not spared in Bluefield. In the mid-sixties, a dorm at Bluefield State was bombed. Soon afterwards, the dorms were closed, making it impossible for most students to remain in the community. Bluefield State began its decline as a black college; educators and other professionals began to leave; and soon, as to place a nail in the coffin of that goal. We invite the town to come to our meetings to help us find the best plan.

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By Denise Grime

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Continuing Events for Adults

Cribbage Nights
Come join the group for friendly competition!
Mondays at 5:00 p.m.

Monthly Book Discussion
Copies of the book are available at the library a month before the discussion. The group meets on the third Wednesday of the month at 7:00 p.m.

Friday Morning Group
Come play cards; challenge your brain, laugh, and socialize! Fridays at 11:00 a.m.

Summer Reading for Adults: “Escape the Ordinary”
Monthly Book Discussion
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Wit and Wisdom: Humor in 19th Century New England
Presented by Jo Radner
Before cable, satellite, and the Internet? In the decades before and after the Civil War, our rural ancestors used to create neighborhood events to improve their minds. Community members, both male and female, would compose and read aloud homegrown, handwritten literary “newspapers” full of keen verbal wit. Sometimes serious, sometimes sentimental, but mostly very funny, these “newspapers” were common in villages across Maine, New Hampshire, and Vermont, and revealed the hopes, fears, humor, and surprisingly daring behavior of our forebears. Jo Radner shares excerpts from her forthcoming book of the “newspapers” before cable, satellite, and the Internet.

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Classic Movie Night
The Heart Is a Lonely Hunter
© Warner Bros.
Monday, July 20, at 6:00 p.m.
Based on the novel by Carson McCullers, The Heart Is a Lonely Hunter stars Alan Arkin as John Singer. Singer, who is deaf, moves from a small town in order to be close to his institutionalized friend Antonapoulos (Chuck McCann), who is deaf and mentally impaired. While renting a room from a local family, Singer brightens the lives of several people. This 1968 film is Rated G and runs 124 minutes. The movie will be introduced by local film buff Glenn Bergeron. Popcorn and soda will be served.

Family Night Event
Moving Day for Laura Ingalls Wilder!
Based on Laura Ingalls Wilder’s 1935 book, This 1955 film is Not Rated and runs 80 minutes. The movie will be introduced by local film buff Glenn Bergeron. Popcorn and soda will be served.

Family Movie—Title will be announced closer to the date
Tuesday, July 14, at 1:00 p.m.
FDA Advisory Committee on Application of the “I Can Read” Program
Children may receive prizes through one of three programs this summer: The “Read-To-Me” program for children who do not read on their own, the “I Can Read” program for beginning readers who use the “I Can Read Books,” or the “Chapter Books” program for those reading on their own! Get details of each program at the library. The treasure box of prizes opens on June 29 and closes August 14. Prizes are provided by the Friends of the Library.

Classic Movie Night
It Came from Beneath the Sea
© Ray Harryhausen
Monday, August 17, at 6:00 p.m.
It Came from Beneath the Sea was the first of several fruitful collaborations between producer Charles H. Schneer and special-effects wizard Ray Harryhausen. The stop-motion animation utilized by Harryhausen in It Came From Beneath the Sea is convincingly frightening, but before long he’ll tops this achievement with such superb projects as Earth vs. Flying Saucers and Seventh Voyage of Sinbad. This 1955 film is Not Rated and runs 80 minutes. The movie will be introduced by local film buff Glenn Bergeron. Popcorn and soda will be served.

Science Magic for grades K–4; Presented by the Center for grades K–4
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Mini-Movie Monday—The Parachute Man!
©Universal Studios
Wednesday, June 25, at 6:00 p.m.
Aircraft plant worker Robert Cummings is accused of sabotage in this 1942 film. In the end, police discover the true saboteur, all the while pursued himself by the police. Alfred Hitchcock intended Sabotage to be the American equivalent to his British 1939 Steps, which was presented at the library in the fall of 2013. This 1942 film is Rated PG and runs 108 minutes. The movie will be introduced by local film buff Glenn Bergeron. Popcorn and soda will be served.

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Music under the Summer Sky:
Greenland Summer Concert Series Slated
By Lorraine Barrows

How do magic tricks really work? What is the science behind magic tricks?

q Bam, Pow, Read: Jedi Academy
For grades K–4
Tuesday, July 28
11:00 a.m. and repeated at 6:30 p.m.
Jedi crafts, snacks, and training!

q Craft Week
August 3–7
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q Movie—Title will be announced closer to the date—for grades K–4
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Join us for an afternoon movie. Popcorn and punch served.

q Summer Reading for Tweens and Teens: Unmask Super Hero Jeopardy
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q Black Light Painting
Grades 5 and up
Thursday, July 23, at 6:30 p.m.
Come make your own creation that will glow under a black light!

q Zombies Survival
Grades 5 and up
Thursday, August 13, at 6:30 p.m.
How would you fare in a zombie apocalypse? Test your skills!

q Library Closed:
Friday and Saturday, July 3 and 4 in celebration of Independence Day; and Monday, September 7 in celebration of Labor Day

Watch our monthly print newsletter and semi-monthly electronic newsletter for changes and additions to the above list of events. For the latest information on our events and news check our Web site, Facebook posts, and Twitter tweets. Several ways to get library news!

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The veterans Memorial Committee (GMC), even with the assistance and intercession of U.S. Senator Kelly Ayotte’s office, has been able to break the complexties and restrictions imposed by the federal “Freedom of Information Act” (FOIA). Public appeals in several Grapevine articles have also been only moderately successful.

With the assistance of Mr. Peter Smith, principal of Greenland Central School, we have compiled the names of 3,091 students who have graduated from our school during the years 1979–2010. Many of these may have joined the military. Conceivably, there could be many more than 100 former students eligible for inclusion and inscription. The omission of the years 2011 to the present was not an oversight, but by design. Those years will be the subject of a search effort at a later date.

After graduation from Greenland Central School, students have continued on life’s journey and are no longer easily tracked, only parents, relatives, and readers of this paper can help with this identity issue. This is what must be done: search the name only parents, relatives, and readers of this paper can help with the names of those who have served. This is often called “SB2” because that is the number of the bill in the New Hampshire Senate in 1995 that was eventually passed and signed into law by the Governor to create the form. In a future article, I will discuss the many amendments made to this statute over the ensuing 20 years. These amendments, as well as the budget and litigation that still arise every year, lead many to conclude that SB 2 is an idea that remains “under construction,” and thus, far from perfect. As we begin to implement the change, only time will tell if Greenland will run aflame of these issues.

Regardless of how we as individuals may feel about SB2, collectively over 60 percent of those voting in the two elections decided that the existing form of government was working, and change should not be made. Right now, the only change will be how budgets and warrant articles are created and presented to the voters, what elections two changes that could be made. Here are some of them:

A. Should we continue to have an official budget committee under RSA 32—Towns are free to either adopt or rescind this form of budget preparation. If the town decided to no longer have an official budget committee, any financial work required during budget change, but also during the year. The “town administrator” has no authority to make decisions about purchasing, he or she can only delegate the work of any other town employee. The major functions of policing, fire protection, solid waste disposal, recreation, land use, and financial management all remain as functions of the selectmen, and the town administrator only implements the decisions of the board.

B. Should we have the same array of elected officials that we have today?—In Greenland, we elect a board of selectmen, a town clerk/tax collector as a combined position, a treasurer, and all members of our land use boards. The town has the following options:

1. It could reduce the board of selectmen from five to three. We have only had a board of five members since 2007, and we could return to three members. There are numerous examples of towns with each structure.

2. While the town clerk must always be elected, the tax collector may be appointed. While Greenland has combined the two functions in one person, they are separate offices and could be separated again. The function of tax collector deals with administration of the property tax laws, which are complex. In addition, the position is responsible for the collection of millions of dollars in revenue. To be elected, one only need be over 18 years of age and a resident. If the position was appointed, our town the selectmen could assure that the person had the necessary training and experience to perform the task correctly, they would not be limited to choosing a town resident.

3. The same is true of the treasurer. Right now the position is elected, and one need only be a town resident and over 18 years of age. It is also a very responsible position, dealing with the accounting for receipt and short-term investment of millions of dollars in revenue and the proper payment of all town charges. As with the tax collector, if the position were appointed, the town selectmen could assure that the person had the necessary training and experience to perform the task correctly, and would not be limited to choosing a town resident.

D. Do we have the best structure to manage our full-time employees?—Right now, we use the “town administrator” system. This position is not described in the statutes at all, but it is quite common across the state. The “town administrator” performs only those tasks delegated by the selectmen, and this can change not only for all towns, but also change, but also during the year. The “town administrator” has no authority to make decisions about purchasing, he or she can only delegate the work of any other town employee. The major functions of policing, fire protection, solid waste disposal, recreation, land use, and financial management all remain as functions of the selectmen, and the town administrator only implements the decisions of the board.

It is possible to adopt the “town manager” system under RSA 37, which places all of these tasks in the hands of a professional manager. In a future article, I will discuss whether or not the manager prepares and implements the budget and warrant articles passed by the town, and the selectmen make overall policy determinations and have oversight of the town manager. The advantage is that a professional has day-to-day authority to make management decisions, and is available full-time to react quickly as challenges arise. The elected selectmen take on an oversight role, which may be more appropriate to the amount of time these persons can actually devote to the elected part-time position. Some examples of nearby communities with a town manager system are Hampton, Exeter, Newmarket, and Raymond. Not all town manager communities have a large full-time population, as in Lincoln, which has fewer than 2,000 full-time residents.

I do not intend in this article to advocate for or against any of these choices in Greenland, instead I only wish to highlight the choices that are available to the voters. With each choice, there will be concerns. Some who feel the system is currently working well will see no reason to change. Others who feel that the system is now deficient will want to know and discuss all the options.

It is a very sobering to realize that so many residents do not approve of how town government is currently structured. Our elected officials and our town employees, work hard all year long with limited resources and almost endless calls for service. More and more tasks are being delegated to the town as the state and federal governments become more regulatory and less involved in the direct provision of services. We should recognize the discontent, have the public discussion, and place the choices before the voters for resolution.

Paul Sanderson has resided in Greenland since 1983 with his wife Carol, and together they raised their three children here. In that time he has served as moderator of the school district and town, member of the Budget Committee, Planning Board, and Zoning Board of Adjustment, and two terms as selectman. He has been an attorney since 1978, and has held the NH Municipal Association handling legal questions from municipal officials statewide from 2004–2014.

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“Remembrance Park”
The Missing Names
By Wallace Berg, USAF Ret.
The 17th Annual GPO Scholarship Golf Tournament took place on Saturday, Sept 6th at Breakfast Hill Golf Club in Greenland. Although the weather was warm, passing thunderstorms during the afternoon halted play a few holes early but didn’t take away from the fun atmosphere and a successful banquet & auction that followed the round. The field of 70 enthusiastic golfers began their day with a noon registration and complimentary “dogs & drinks” provided by Hannaford of Portsmouth and Sud’s & Soda of Greenland. The shotgun “scramble” began shortly after 1pm and when play was completed the following “front 9” & “back 9” teams were victorious:

Front 9 1st place team: Jeff Hadad, Daren Hudson, Dave Jagielski & Mike Kelly
Front 9 2nd place team: John Asdourian, Greg Duczynski, Jason Mitchell & John Pierre

Back 9 1st place team: Bruce Delle Chiaie, Barry Melanson, Andrew Paul & Ed Towle
Back 9 2nd place team: Josh Dame, Joe Leddy, Dennis Maccarone & Bill Walker

Other winners included:
Closest to the Pin (Ladies): Cindy Melakatos
Closest to the Pin (Mens): Evan Baker
Longest Drive (Ladies): Romaine Wishart
Longest Drive (Mens): John Asdourian
Putting Contest: 3 Hole Outs by Cindy Melakatos & Renee Klesczynski

While an awards banquet took place after the tournament in the Breakfast Hill clubhouse, non-playing family, friends & children were treated to complimentary pizza from Greenland’s own Nik & Charlie’s Pizzeria. The kids putting contest couldn’t be played due to thunderstorms but all children received prizes during the kids raffle. During the awards banquet former scholarship recipients, brothers Grant & Eric Mauer who also volunteered at the tournament all day, spoke about how their scholarships helped them in their pursuit of college degrees. The GPO would like to thank EVERYONE for taking part in such a fun event benefitting a great cause and especially thank the golf committee members for their months of hard work (Kim Ancella, Tom Bake, Dan Fish, Daren & Justyna Hudson, Peter Kramenoses & Jason Mitchell). The GPO Scholarship Golf Tournament is the only fundraising source for the Scholarship Fund which awards scholarships annually to deserving GCS graduates towards college education expenses. This year’s golf tournament raised over $15,000 and plans are already in place to make next year’s event even bigger & better….so mark your calendars now for Sept 12, 2015! THANKS TO ALL OF OUR SPONSORS, DONORS, PLAYERS & VOLUNTEERS WHO HELPED MAKE THIS A DAY TO REMEMBER!!

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Photos By John Hittle
In March Mr. Steve Norton, the Greenland Central School Science teacher, and I taught a mock trial unit to our fifth-grade students. Students learned about the United States court system and trial procedures, and what it means to be a lawyer, a juror, and a judge. They then went to the Rockingham County Courthouse to hold a mock trial. The State vs. The Big Bad Wolf, with the wolf being tried for malicious destruction of two homes and the murder of Bob Pig and Ann Pig.

After the introductory unit, the students were given a variety of roles. These roles included defense and prosecution lawyers, jurors, bailiff, clerk, news reporters, courtroom artists, and witnesses. Students then worked on various tasks to prepare for the trial.

In science, students participated in a STEM (science, technology, engineering, and mathematics) lab, where they looked at various structures’ strengths and weaknesses.

We were fortunate to have Attorney Susan A. Lowry, a Greenland resident, come in and work with the students on what it means to be a lawyer. She also worked specifically with our courtroom lawyers on the types of questions to ask, and how to construct their opening and closing statements.

Students worked very hard throughout the entire unit and were amazing in the courthouse. Below are stories written leading up to the trial, and also stories written after the trial by our news reporters as well as sketches from the courtroom drawn by our courtroom artists.

The Story of The Big Bad Wolf

By Anique St. Laurent
From: The Daily Forest Newspaper

Early in the spring there was a case of The Big Bad Wolf committing the malicious destruction of two pig’s houses and the murder of the same two pigs. The owners of the houses and the pigs that got murdered were Bob and Ann. Ann’s house was the first house that got destroyed and Ann was the first one that got murdered and Bob was the second.

Slither the Snake is a famous architect. He designed both houses, but this time Slither Snake didn’t build their houses. Slither says, “If he built the house, it wouldn’t have fallen down because he uses stronger materials than the person who did build the houses.” Slither said he didn’t see any of the crimes happen.

Fluff is Bob’s neighbor. He saw the crime happen. Fluff heard one of the pigs squeal and then he fainted. After he fainted and woke up, he heard some more noises in the front of his house.

Quarter the Horse is Ann’s next-door neighbor and he says he didn’t see Ann at all that day. He heard, “Little pig, little pig, let me come in.” twice and then he heard, “I will blow the house down. Where are Ann and Bob?”

When Fluff the Lamb woke up from his little fainting spell, he said, “I saw animals standing and yelling around the house.” The lamb said, “He didn’t know if the wolf was the same wolf as The Big Bad Wolf.” The last thing the lamb said is that he is neighbors with Bob, the pig that is said to have been murdered.

A few days ago I interviewed the Little Good Wolf, the Big Bad Wolf’s friend, and asked her what her opinion on this trial was. She says that The Big Bad Wolf was with her the day of the murder, and was in a very good mood when they went out hunting that morning, although he had to leave in the middle of the day and didn’t come back.

Little Good Wolf says that whenever something happens everyone blames it on their pack just because they’re wolves. She also said that maybe the houses were just built badly and came down by themselves. Little Good Wolf says The Big Bad Wolf had nothing to do with it. It is now in the hands of the jury.

Is The Big Bad Wolf Guilty or Not?

By Michael O’Neil
From: The Forest Leader Newspaper

On Saturday, April 13, a crime scene was discovered. The Big Bad Wolf is charged with murder and malicious destruction.

There were 12 witnesses and here is what they each had to say. The deputy, Fluff the Lamb, told the court that he was watching over Bob’s house when The Big Bad Wolf was around. Fluff the Lamb also said that The Big Bad Wolf was not alone; he also brought along a second wolf. Fluff was also present when the crime was committed.

Judge Emma Milks hears testimony from Fluff the Lamb (Xander Quinn).
If they are hiding, where are they hiding?

If they were in hiding, why are they still in hiding?

If they are hiding, are they hiding?

These questions really get you wondering if the wolf did anything and what he did. I think there could have been more questioning to get to the final answer, but I also think the jury did a great job.

*Not Guilty of Murder!!!*

By Anique St. Laurent

On March 26 The Big Bad Wolf was tried for four crimes, malicious destruction of two houses whose owners were Ann and Bob, and the murders of two little pigs, Ann and Bob. During the trial the prosecution came up with reasons why The Big Bad Wolf did the crimes, and the defense came up with reasons why The Big Bad Wolf didn't do the crimes. After they gave the reasons, they started bringing up the answers and started asking them questions. During the questions there were a lot of objections—the judge, Emma Mills, was sustaining a lot of them. The defense made a lot of objections and the prosecution made a little bit less. Then some other witnesses came up and we got a lot of information. They were saying that the houses weren't stacked right and they had seen wolves out that week roaming around the neighborhood.

Dr. Bear is The Big Bad Wolf's doctor and he said that the wolf seemed very hungry but he was very healthy.

After the witnesses were done, the jury began to deliberate. When they came back they announced that the wolf was found guilty of the malicious destruction of Bob's house. The wolf was found not guilty on counts of the malicious destruction of Ann's house and the murder of the two pigs Ann and Bob.

*The Big Bad Wolf Trial Concludes*

By Caitlin McDonough

On March 26, 2015, The Big Bad Wolf went to trial for four crimes; murder of two pigs and malicious destruction of Ann and Bob's houses.

The first witness to go up to the stand was the sheriff. He said that it was a perfectly fine day. Although he didn't say that he witnessed it, when they asked him how he knew the address, he seemed very unsure about it.

Our next witness was Quack. Quack lives right across the street from both pigs and said that she heard screaming and saw pigs running. That just might mean that The Big Bad Wolf didn't actually kill the pigs, they could just be hiding. Also Quack just saw a wolf. Quack wasn't sure if it was The Big Bad Wolf or just another wolf. Right after saying that, Attorney David Howard called an expert witness that Quack didn't actually see The Big Bad Wolf. He said that it could've been any other old wolf.

Also Moo the Cow, an expert on wolves, said that his wolf's favorite meal was bacon. Another one of The Big Bad Wolf's neighbors, Fluff the Lamb, said that he only heard one squeal.

Next up was Slater. Slater said he was going to build Ann and Bob's houses, but they decided that he was taking too long so they built their own houses. Slater said that they might have built them wrong from the blueprints.

Dr. Bear went up next. Dr. Bear is The Big Bad Wolf's doctor. He said that at The Big Bad Wolf's last check-up he was doing very well for a wolf his age. Although Dr. Bear said that he was unusually hungry.

The Beaver said their houses were very flimsy. He said that an average wind could have blown it down. Also if someone bumped into it, it could've knocked it down.

Little Good Wolf said that she tried to keep The Big Bad Wolf with her. She said that in their pack there are wolves that have stolen meat. She herself said that she had stolen a lamb once from a farm. She also didn't know exactly what he was doing that afternoon.

When the jury finally came back from the jury room, they said that The Big Bad Wolf was guilty of malicious destruction of Bob's house. Although the jury said that he wasn't guilty of the murder of Ann and Bob or the malicious destruction of Ann's house.

So The Big Bad Wolf will have a one-year period in jail for the destruction of Bob's house. Also after he gets out, he will have to pay for the cost of rebuilding the house. It was a very long day at court.
Cooking together can be a delicious learning experience for children and parents. Kids can explore new foods, learn about nutrition, and develop math and reading skills as they measure and read directions. Invite your child to help plan a meal, pick a recipe, and get ingredients.

Stay in the kitchen with your children while they are working, and set clear rules about sharp utensils and the stove. This may take longer, but cooking with kids is as much about “process” as it is about product. Cleanup is part of the process too, so give your kids a sponge or broom so they can help out.

Smoothies are a nutritional snack for kids that are easy for them to help with and can be tailored to favored foods. They are a great medium for self-expression! You don’t even need a recipe. Just have fun trying different ingredients, and with a little practice you’ll become an expert.

Get started with these building blocks, but don’t stop there. Keep building different smoothies until you discover a combo you love.

1. Pick a fruit or two or three (remove any unwanted skins or seeds); banana, berries, pineapple, mango, papaya, kiwi, apple, grapes… or whatever you love!
2. Pick a liquid: milk (cow, soy, coconut, almond, or rice), 100% fruit juice, water, or coconut water.
3. Thicken it with: ice, frozen fruit, yogurt, nut butter, avocado, banana, or tofu.
4. Give it a boost!

- Add a veggie boost: raw spinach or kale, cooked beets, cooked red peppers, carrot tops, dulse, or a sprinkle of cayenne.
- Add a fruit boost: strawberry, kiwi, pomegranate, pineapple.
- Add a protein boost: nut butter, algae, lentils, cashews, tofu, yogurt, protein powder.
- Add a fiber boost: oatmeal, wheat germ, ground flax seed, chia seeds.
- Add a flavor boost: vanilla extract, fresh mint or basil leaves, cinnamon, nutmeg, grated fresh ginger, citrus juice or zest, a dash of cayenne.

Building Tips

- Add liquid ingredients to the blender first.
- Cut ingredients into bite-size pieces for smooth, consistent blending.
- Pulse the blender at several intervals to catch all the chunks.
- Include a “creamy” fruit (banana, avocado) to give your smoothie a silky texture.
- For smooth success, a general guideline is one cup frozen to two cups non-frozen ingredients. Use frozen fruit chunks in place of ice for more flavor.
- If the finished smoothie isn’t quite sweet enough, add a little fruit juice, green grapes, dates, and/or honey or stevia instead of sugar.

School Registration

I encourage the parents of any incoming kindergarten student to please register their child if they have not already done so. Parents may register by stopping at the school office any school day between the hours of 8 a.m. and 3 p.m. Students entering kindergarten must be five years old on or before September 30, 2015. Students entering first grade in September of 2015 who did not attend Greenland kindergarten should also be registered at this time.

It is important that any student who will be new to our school comes to the 2015–16 school year register as soon as possible so that we can most effectively complete next year’s class assignments. Class assignments will be mailed to parents by mid-August 2015.

Another Successful Year

We are headed for the close of another school year, and this past winter has pushed our calendar back, so the last day of school is now Friday, June 19. We will therefore conduct our eighth-grade graduation on the evening of Thursday, June 18 at 6:00 p.m. Our graduates are excited about this milestone and we wish them the best as they head off to high school. All of our students and staff are completing another year of hard work and accomplishments and are having many of our traditions and events, including our student Exposition, concerts, GPO Reading Carnival, DARE Graduation, eighth-grade State College trips and special activities.

Our students in grades 3–8 recently participated in the first year of the Smarter Balanced statewide assessments, which are aligned to the new Common Core Standards. These tests were challenging and lengthy, and were completed by students at the computer. The results they yield will be another piece of data we use to measure student growth and progress, and we will help us to design and adjust our instruction. I am pleased to report that our school was again engaged in charitable causes this spring, including the collection of donations for the American Heart Association through the Jump Rope for Heart program sponsored by our physical education teacher, Mrs. Gosselin. Our school collected over $8,000 for this important charity. We are grateful to all members of the school community who contributed. Our Student Council also sponsored a food drive to support the Greenland Food Pantry, and again this year they collected an impressive number of donations to help those in need.

School Board News

The School Board welcomed two new members in March, parents Sara Huestis and Randy Bunnell. Sara is the mother of an eighth grader and a preschooler and she has been the President of the Greenland Parent Organization for the past year. Randy is the father of three girls in eighth, sixth, and third grade, and is clearly knowledgeable about our school. Sarah and Randy replaced two outstanding and long-serving School Board members, Martha Stone and Len Couture. During her eleven years on the Board Mrs. Stone served in nearly every capacity, exhibiting exceptional leadership, reasoning, and interpersonal skills. Mr. Couture likewise over six years provided strong leadership and an excellent understanding of finance and technology. We are grateful for their service and dedication to our school community and wish them well with more time to devote to their careers and family.

The School Board conducted its annual reorganization at the March meeting. Mrs. Tague was elected to continue as chairperson for the coming year, Mr. Walsh as vice chairperson, and Mrs. Huestis was elected as the secretary. School Board member Mrs. Mauer continues to serve as the SAU 50 School Board’s Emergency Management Team. Through further discussion, and the budget process, we will continue to consider how to best respond to the recommendations from this assessment.

On behalf of the students and staff, I want to thank the organizations within the Greenland community who helped to make ours another successful and safe school year, including the Fire Department, Police Department, Recreation Department, Greenland Women’s Club, Wicks Library, Greenland Grapevine, Jason Hussey Memorial Fund, Thomas Fogarty Memorial Fund, and many others who contribute in so many ways.
On April 25 the Gundalow Company held its 4th Annual Gundalow Gatherings: a night of food, drinks, and conversation focused on the area’s maritime history and future conservation. Attendees of the fundraising event chose between nine dinner locations held at the homes of the hosts in Portsmouth, Kittery, and York. All of the evening’s proceeds support the Gundalow Company’s 2015 education programs.

According to the Gundalow Company’s Operations Director, Sue Cobler, the company’s award-winning educational programs help to connect students to their natural environment and its history. It also fosters future generations of river stewards. Cobler praises the hands-on experience where students are given the opportunity to work, step aboard a replica gundalow, sail the Piscataqua River, and learn how to operate the vessel. “The cultural and natural history of the rivers of the Piscataqua Region are the veins of all ages to sail on the river. Gumbalows were the ideal vessels for navigating the shallow rivers of the region, able to carry freight up to 50 tons between ocean going schooners and growing towns. During their heyday, gundalows were primarily built from wood hut timber, Saltwater farmers, fisherman, and traders often built their own gundalows based on specific needs, which meant that no two gundalows were exactly alike.”

Today the Piscataqua serves as a floating classroom for school and youth groups. In the past year, over 2,000 students, Scouts, and campers have enjoyed a unique educational experience on the new vessel. Participants dive into hands-on activities during their voyage, including raising the sail, steering the vessel, learning to navigate with historic and modern technology, towing for plankton, exploring the human impact on the Great Bay and Piscataqua River’s ecology, and analyzing water quality. These educational programs combine concepts from social studies, science, math, art, and language arts. And they help students develop critical-thinking, problem-solving, decision-making, and team-building skills.

Unlike the Captain Edward H. Adams which is a faithful replica of gundalows, the newer Piscataqua is USCG approved to carry passengers and has modern equipment.

At the Gundalow Company, Cobler’s goal is to connect the past with the present, tying in contemporary coastal issues such as water quality, habitat restoration, conservation, and stewardship to the rich maritime history that revolutionized sea commerce. In 2011, in addition to their stationary exhibit Captain Edward H. Adams, the Gundalow Company built a new gundalow—the Piscataqua. This fully functional gundalow was built specifically for locals and visitors of all ages to sail on the river. The Piscataqua serves as a floating classroom for school and youth groups. In the past year, over 2,000 students, Scouts, and campers have enjoyed a unique educational experience on the new vessel. Participants dive into hands-on activities during their voyage, including raising the sail, steering the vessel, learning to navigate with historic and modern technology, towing for plankton, exploring the human impact on the Great Bay and Piscataqua River’s ecology, and analyzing water quality. These educational programs combine concepts from social studies, science, math, art, and language arts. And they help students develop critical-thinking, problem-solving, decision-making, and team-building skills.

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The Gundalow Company’s educational programs span all levels of difficulty and ages, and its education team will customize a trip to incorporate any requested topics of learning.

Cobler hopes the Gundalow Gatherings will provide support for the River Kids Day Camp, which is debuting this year. The first campers in this new program will spend their mornings on the water doing interactive activities involving navigation, environmental science, and history. Their afternoons will be spent doing shore-based explorations. Children who are ready to take the reins of the gundalow can participate in the Crew for a Day. Students in this program will be leaders with hands-on sailing, helping direct a crew through dockside activities like setting the sail, steering the boat, and engaging in active learning and teamwork.

An expanded sail for grades 6–12 focuses on STEM-based (science, technology, engineering, and mathematics) learning. In addition to the hands-on science provided on all other sails, this program incorporates a higher level of problem solving, boat steering, and sailing techniques.

The Gundalow Company is also a business partner of the Green Alliance, a union of local sustainable businesses promoting environmentally sound business practices and a green co-op offering discounted green products and services to its members. The Gundalow Company’s dedication to educational programs designed to teach the value of environmental stewardship and eco-friendly Seacoast tourism option certifies this non-profit as a proudly sustainably green business.

Tickets to Gundalow Gatherings, which can be purchased online, are $75 per person ($50 of which is tax deductible) and include food and drink that have been generously donated by the hosts.

For more information about the Gundalow Company, visit www.gundalow.org. Learn more about the Green Alliance at www.greenalliance.org.
SUMMARY—The first Winter Session in the New Hampshire House is usually the busiest time of year. This year was no exception with a combined 900 House and Senate bills filed. Each respective House hears and acts on every bill before a deadline called “Crossover” which occurs half way through the session. Every House bill was heard in committee and either disposed of (voted) on the House floor, or retained in committee until next year in order to delve further into the bill. After Crossover, the House receives the Senate bills that passed and the Senate receives the House bills.

THE BUDGET—the state budget that passed the House increased state spending from $10.8 billion to approximately $11.2 billion. Both Carol and Pam voted to pass the budget. We agree there are things to like and things to dislike in the budget, but we kept our word to not continue spending money if we do not have the funds. No new taxes or mandatory fees were in the House budget. This bill has been widely publicized; a couple of details need to be presented:

Had we passed the budget presented by Governor Hassan, the amount per person in the state would have increased by $250/person.

The rainy day fund is still depleted. However, as the Senate starts work on the budget, they will have two more months of revenue estimates and can start building this up again should revenues be stronger.

Keno passed as an amendment to the budget. We expect that this will stay in the Senate budget and ultimately become a reality in New Hampshire. Pam has consistently voted against gambling and voted against Keno; Carol voted for the passage. The revenue from Keno will go to education, per the constitution.

Fifty percent of all State and Federal dollars go to Health and Human Services.

The line item funding for Meals on Wheels was in the budget we passed. The overall department that Meals on Wheels is a part has reduced spending.

The commissioner of Health and Human Services has broad discretion of prioritizing the spending. It is up to him to assure that the funds allocated to HHS and particularly Meals on Wheels will be put where it serves those who need it the most.

Community College system will be getting an additional $1.5 million. Even without showing any efficiency, the USNH is receiving the same amount of funding as before.

Stabilization Aid, a temporary amount to help towns fund education, was originally going to be eliminated. The House budget kept the most of it and decreased it by only 10% for all towns.

OTHER BILLS—One bill co-sponsored by Pam, HB334 to allow for closing oyster beds, has passed the House and is on its way to the Senate. This bill allows the executive director of Fish and Game, after a hearing, to close a clam, oyster, or other bivalve area for the purpose of restoration of the area for a period of not more than five years. The restoration of oysters in Great Bay has begun and we need to ensure these are not over-used and become depleted once again.

HB 147 to increase the Homestead Exemption Amount. This would protect your home in the event of a catastrophic event. The original bill increased the amount from $100,000 to $250,000 but was amended down to $120,000. As a comparison, Massachusetts Homestead Exemption is $200,000.

The bill to require a warrant to obtain electronic device information passed the House. This means that a warrant will be necessary for law enforcement to take your cell phone or other electronic device if you are in an accident or altercation. It is a good thing that the Great Bay bill has begun and we need to ensure these are not over-used and become depleted once again.

HB 650 to increase the amount for Children’s Services to $550,000. There will be no limit to how much can go into this account. This was originally going to be eliminated, was increased to $250,000, but was increased to $550,000 for next year.

Other bills that were defeated included a bill to make the Red-Tailed Hawk the state raptor and a bill to define how long would be for “musical” purposes.

The bill to make the Red-Tailed Hawk the state raptor did not pass in the House. Being on the Environmental and Agriculture Committee, Carol heard the bill firsthand from the Committee, Carol heard the bill firsthand from the Heating and Energy Committee. Carol heard the bill firsthand from the Heating and Energy Committee. Carol heard the bill firsthand from the Heating and Energy Committee. Carol heard the bill firsthand from the Heating and Energy Committee.

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To find out more about Boomerang Adventures, please visit our Web site at http://www.boomerangadventurestrips.com/.

Meet your Representative—The first Monday of every month, Carol and/or Pam will be at the Country View Restaurant in Greenland around 10:00 a.m. to meet with constituents. There is no House session over the course of the summer, it will meet in June and then resume in October. Should there be something we can help you with, please contact either of us at: 603-948-9828, carolbush17@gmail.com (Carol’s contact information) or 603-531-0085, pamzt@comcast.net (Pam), or find us both on Facebook. Thank you!
### Community Calendar

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<td>Board of Selectmen Meeting (visit <a href="http://www.greenland-nh.com">www.greenland-nh.com</a> for dates)</td>
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| Monday, June 8 | 6:00 PM | Friends of the Library Annual Meeting | Nik & Charlie’s Pizzeria                       |
| Wednesday, June 10 | 6:30 PM | Humor in 19th Century England          | Weeks Public Library                          |
| Tuesday, June 18 | 3 - 6 PM | Farmers’ Market - starts June 16       | Remembrance Park/Town Green                   |
| Thursday, June 25 | 6:00 PM | Classic Movie Night: Saboteur          | Weeks Public Library                          |

**JULY**

| Wednesday, July 01 | 6:00 PM | Content & Advertising Due Date for September Issue of GREENLAND GRAPEVINE |
| Wednesday, July 01 | 10:00 AM | Hands-Free law goes into effect         |
| Saturday, July 04 | 6:00 PM | FOURTH OF JULY - Independence Day        |
| Thursday, July 09 | 6:00 PM | Summer Concert Series: The New Legacy Swing Band | Town Green |
| Monday, July 20 | 6:00 PM | Classic Movie Night: The Heart Is a Lonely Hunter | Weeks Public Library |
| Thursday, July 23 | 6:00 PM | Summer Concert Series: The Bell Alts    | Town Green |
| July 16-19 | 6:00 PM | Stratham Fair                           |

**AUGUST**

| Thursday, August 06 | 6:00 PM | Summer Concert Series: The Beatles Tribute Band | Town Green |
| Monday, August 17 | 6:00 PM | Classic Movie Night: It Came From Beneath the Sea | Weeks Public Library |
| Thursday, August 20 | 5:30 PM | Summer Concert Series: Hot Tamale Brass Band | Town Green |

**SEPTEMBER**

| Monday, September 07 | 6:00 PM | LABOR DAY                                 |
| Wednesday, September 09 | 6:00 PM | Orders due for Friends of the Library Fall Mums Sale | Weeks Public Library |
| Saturday, September 12 | 6:00 PM | GPO Scholarship Golf Tournament           |
| Saturday, September 12 | 6:00 PM | Friends of the Library Fall Mums Sale Pick Up | Weeks Public Library |
| September 19-20 | 6:00 PM | Weeks Brick House 40th Anniversary Celebration - see article for list of activities | Weeks Brick House |

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**You Need to Be HANDS-FREE!**

By Sgt. Dawn Sawyer

A reminder that on July 1, 2015, New Hampshire’s Hands-free law goes into effect. The Greenland Police Department is starting an education campaign to inform drivers of the new law that prohibits the use of mobile electronic devices while driving.

Two Web sites that will provide more information are: http://www.gencourt.state.nh.us/rsa/html/XXI/265/265-79-c.htm and http://www.gencourt.state.nh.us/legislation/2014/hb1360.html

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