# MONROE MATTERS A COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

# FROM THE OFFICE OF THE SELECTMEN

Congratulations to all the newly graduated or soon to be graduated!

- The next Large Trash Day is **July** 20 from 7-11 am at the Municipal Building.
- Still taking volunteers to help with the Fall Festival in early September. Contact Diane at the Town Office.
- The Town's Facebook page and the Website (www.monroenh.org) are used to notify you of upcoming changes. Be sure to watch for notifications.

As always, if you have any questions or comments, you can call or email the Town Office 603-638-2644/ monroeselectmen@monroenh.org

# MONROE WATER DEPARTMENT

- If you have not already done so, please return the water line survey that was included in your April billing. Copies are available at the Town Office, if you need one. This is a Federal mandated project.
- The Consumer Confidence Report for the Monroe Water Department is available on our website (www.monroenh.org).
- Rates are increasing as of July 1<sup>st</sup> due to continued increases in cost of operation and repairs to the system.

Meter rental will be \$12.00 (currently \$10) Water will be \$8.00 per 1,000 gallons (currently \$6.33)

Most households will increase between \$10 and \$12 per quarter.

Please contact the Selectmen's office with questions.

# **OUTSIDE BURNING**

Remember that you must obtain a fire permit before starting any outside fire.

Questions regarding outdoor burning can be directed to Russ Brown, Monroe Fire Chief at 638-2294.

When you are going to burn, please give dispatch a courtesy call at their non-emergency number (603-787-2111).

Easily obtain a permit online at www.nhfirepermit.com by scanning the QR code

# MONROE COMMUNITY CHURCH



Sunday Services at the village church 9:30am

#### HARVEST FEST TRIVIA

Which individual won the most adult pie eating competitions held at previous Harvest Festivals?

# FROM THE TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE

- We'd like to ask everyone who comes in to renew a vehicle registration to bring with you the current registration and your driver's license.
- If you have purchased a new-to-you vehicle, all "owners" MUST be present to sign the title paperwork for the state.
- Thanks in advance for arriving at our office at least 30 minutes before closing as we turn off the computer 15 minutes before day end, to settle our accounts with the State of NH.

Remember we can be available, by appointment, on the last Saturday of each month. Give a call during regular office hours. 603-638-2644.

# **TOWN CLERK HOURS**

8:30 AM - 12 Noon Monday: Tuesday: 4:30 PM - 7:00 PM Wednesday: 2:00 PM - 6:00PM Thursday: 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM Friday: 8:30 AM - 12 Noon

# **KEEPING IT LOCAL**

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Do you have a business located in Monroe or are you a Monroe resident who provides a service that may be of interest to your neighbors? Reach out to be included in "Keeping it Local."

# TRASH PICK UP

Please have your trash at the roadside by 7am on Tuesdays.



Routes may vary due to weather, road construction, etc. so have your trash ready early to avoid being missed. Covered trash cans help keep the critters (and wind) from making a mess.

# TOWN WIDE YARD SALE SATURDAY, JUNE 22<sup>nd</sup> 9am-3pm (rain or shine)

Get your sale on the map by contacting the library by Saturday, June 15th.

Maps will be available on the library Facebook page on Wednesday, June 19<sup>th</sup>. Print maps can be picked up at the library or the church on the day of the sales.

# MONROE COMMUNITY CHURCH **BAKE & FOOD SALE**

Saturday, June 22<sup>nd</sup>

Grab a coffee and donut to start your day then browse a wide selection homemade goodies to take with you. There will be a selection of crafts as well.

Remember to stop back for hamburgers and hot dogs on the grill and cold drinks.

# MONROE PUBLIC LIBRARY



There are several ways to participate in the library's summer programming for children in Kindergarten through 4<sup>th</sup> grade.

- Join us at the library July 15th-18<sup>th</sup> for four days of adventuring through the wild world around us and learn about the outdoors through crafts, activities and so much s'more. Contact the library about registration.
- Complete the State Library's NH Adventure Challenge\*
- Honor Smokey Bear as he turns 80 by learning about wildfires and the environment with the Smokey Bear Reading Challenge\*.

\*Forms available at the library and on the library page on monroenh.org

# SUMMER FUN ISN'T JUST FOR KIDS!









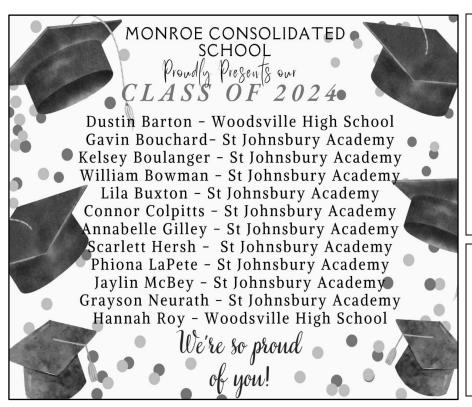
Put on your hiking boots and visit 5 of NH's fire towers (some are only short walks) to complete the NH Division of Forests and Lands' Fire Tower Quest. Send a completed form in to receive a free patch or waterproof decal.

Plan a road trip and complete NH Division of Historical Resources' Historical Marker Quest. Send your completed form in to receive a sticker.

The NH State Library's NH Adventure Challenge is for all ages. Prizes are awarded at the state level in September.

Celebrate Smokey Bear's 80<sup>th</sup> birthday by completing a modified Smokey Bear Reading Challenge and get some fun Smokey swag.

All adults that participate in any of the above activities may enter a prize drawing for grocery and gas cards from the Monroe Public Library. All necessary forms are available at the library and on the library's page on monroenh.org



# Homeschool and new residence High School students

Reach out to Administrative Assistant Molley Gilley at Monroe School District for residency paperwork for high school tuition coverage. mgilley@monroeschool77.com or 638-2800 ext. 148

# SCHOOL BOARD MEETINGS

June 3rd & 17th

If you would like to get school board related emails, send a request to schoolboard@monroeschool77.com

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