

MONROE MATTERS A COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

CAN I RECYCLE THAT? MONROE MONTHLY RECYCLING TIPS

Metal Recycling and Aluminum Beverage Cans

Into the Metal Recycling Bin - All metals including soup, vegetable and pet food cans made of steel - not aluminum. This also includes larger items that are all metal that you might have once saved to bring to Large Trash Day.

NOT OK: Coffee makers, paper shredders, items made of a combination of metal and plastic, or other materials. These should be saved for the scheduled Big Trash Days.

NOT OK: aluminum beverage cans

NOTE: You don't have to scrub the food containers, just rinse or wipe out before recycling.

Into the Aluminum Beverage Cans Wire Mesh Bin - Aluminum Beverage Cans only. The cans are redeemed, and the refund is used to support the Monroe 8th graders class trip.

FROM THE OFFICE OF THE SELECTMEN

Warmer weather means more Off Highway Recreational Vehicles on the roads. Just a reminder that there are rules and regulations that need to be followed:

All operators and passengers under 18 must wear a helmet. All operators must wear eye protection unless the OHRV has a windshield or screen that covers the eyes.

** To operate along approved roads, must possess a valid driver's license OR must possess a valid safety certificate and must be accompanied by an adult at least 25 years of age who possesses a valid driver's license.

Roads where OHRVs are allowed have a posted speed limit of 20 mph.

(To read the entire policy, see the Public Notices page of the monroenh.org website.)

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

FROM THE TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE



FORGET TO DO YOUR DOG LICENSE?

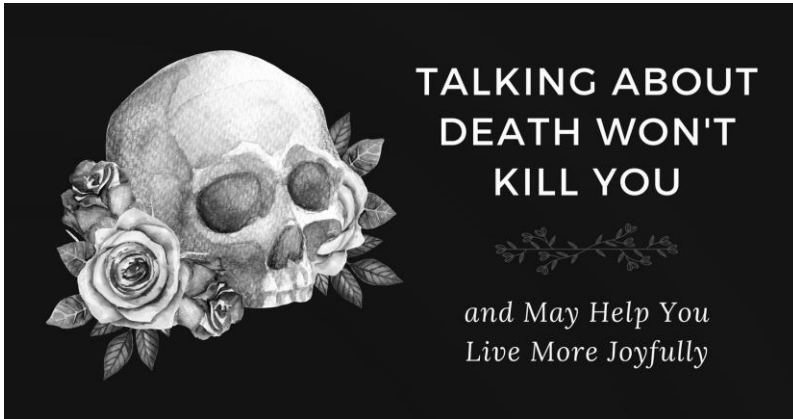
Even if you missed the April 30th deadline, you must still register your dogs. After May 30th you may have fines and fees to pay in addition to the regular registration cost.

Please bring a current Rabies Vaccine Certificate and proof of spay/neuter if it's been done since the last registration.

OFFICE HOURS

Monday: 8:30am - noon
Tuesday: 5-8pm
Wednesday: 2-6pm
Thursday: 2-6pm
Friday: 8:30am - noon

IT OUT AT THE LIBRARY



This series, co-hosted by New Hampshire Alliance for End of Life, will focus on the profound to the practical, helping to demystify and normalize conversations about mortality and death, and what really matters in our lives. The series will cover how to communicate our end of life wishes - a process that evolves over time as our lives change.

Part 1: How to Live Forever **Wednesdays May 17 & June 7 from 6:00 - 7:30 PM**

In Session 1 we'll explore our own thoughts, values, and beliefs around how we face the end, and how we might live life to its fullest. How we would live if we really knew we were going to die?

In Session 2 we'll dig a bit deeper. It's a way to practice having meaningful, honest conversations about some of life's most important questions. No pressure, judgment, or expectations - and you may even laugh a little!

Both sessions will include presentations, resources, and large and small group facilitated discussions.

Attend one or preferably both sessions.

Register by calling the Monroe Public Library at (603) 638-4736.

The number of spaces is limited, so there is a \$10 reservation fee that will be refunded when you attend the program. If you are unable to pay the fee, please speak with Jessica at the library.

GREEN THUMB GROWERS

- Have extra seeds or seedlings? Drop them off at the library! See what others have donated that you can bring home to plant.
- Children can plant nasturtium seeds to bring home and watch grow.
- Need to borrow a hand tool? We have an edger, bulb planter and more to lend as part of our Library of Things.

TOWN WIDE YARD SALE DAY IS JUNE 24th



If you would like to donate to advertising and have your sale on the map we distribute, contact the library. Or you may send your \$5.00 donation with your name, location of the sale to the library at PO Box 67 (checks payable to *Monroe Public Library*)

MONROE CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL

Monroe School District Monroe NH



Prekindergarten and new to us
Kindergarten Registration for
Monroe Residents

MAY 19th, 2023
1 p.m – 3 p.m

Preschoolers must be 4 years old by
Sept 30, 2023
Kindergarteners must be 5 years old by
Sept 30, 2023

Please call Karen at (603) 638-2800 ext 110 to make an appointment

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CHILD FIND Notice

Do you have concerns about your child's development?
Monroe School will evaluate your child's development in

Vision - Hearing - Speech - Learning Skills - Coordination

This screening is available free of charge for children birth to 5
years old who reside in Monroe, NH. Please call Karen at (603)
638-2800 ext 110 to make an appointment.

AGRICULTURE IN THE CLASSROOM



MCS 2nd & 3rd graders had an amazing opportunity to learn about chicks. The first week, we learned about the parts of a chicken egg. Week 2, we learned about the life cycle of a chicken. Week 3, we learned about the anatomy of a chicken. Week 4 we went on field trips to Pete & Gerry's and Maplemont Farm. We then had a guest visitor, Mr. Gonyaw, who read a few stories and answered questions. We ended with a brunch. A BIG THANK YOU to Pete & Gerry's, Maplemont Farm, and NH Ag in the Classroom.

MONROE, NH NEIGHBORS & FRIENDS FACEBOOK GROUP

The Monroe, NH Community Facebook page will no longer be maintained and will soon be deleted. There is a better option though, a group that allows all the members to post directly. This is a place for events, lost and found notices, sales, announcements and community news. This will not be a group for political views or negative posts...such posts will be deleted by the volunteer administrators.

Go join the Monroe, NH Neighbors & Friends Facebook group now so you don't miss out on anything!

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 call on their non-emergency number (603-787-2111).

Easily obtain a permit online at www.nhfirepermit.com.



CHECK YOUR MAIL

NH DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE ADMINISTRATION

If you get a postcard like the one shown, it's not a scam. Monroe is scheduled for a reevaluation of properties this year. If you have any questions, reach out to the selectmen's office at 603-638-2644 or call the number on the card. You may decline their visit or request they come at a time that is more convenient. The appraiser from DRA will drive a state of NH/DRA vehicle and have a photo ID.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Dear Taxpayer,

As part of our duties under NH law, RSA 21-J:11-a, New Hampshire Department of Revenue Administration (DRA), randomly selected your property as part of a quality control review of current assessment and/or reevaluation data in Monroe.

A DRA Monitor may visit your property to verify the physical data listed on the property record card collected by the assessor. If there is no objection, the DRA will measure the exterior of your structure (s). AN INTERIOR INSPECTION WILL NOT BE REQUESTED. If you object to the exterior review, please call (603) 230-5977 by 5/17/2023 as failure to reply to this notice constitutes visit permission. All DRA Monitors drive State of NH/DRA marked vehicles and have picture ID's at all times. Thank you for your cooperation and assistance.

SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

Monday, May 15th at 5:30pm

A meeting schedule is posted on the school website at www.monroeschool77.com/home/schoolboard

NEWSLETTER SUBMISSIONS

Email 03771plans@gmail.com by May 15th with submissions for the June issue.

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Monroe Public Library

PO Box 67

Monroe, NH 03771

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MONROE NH

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MAY BIG TRASH DAY

Saturday the 20th

7am-11am

@the Municipal Building.

Same rules as before. To refresh your memory visit monroenh.org or call the selectmen's office at 603-638-2644.

POSTAL PATRON

Monroe, NH 03771