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New Telephone Directories are Here!!!

You may pick up your copy at the Town Hall, the Library or the Transfer Station. They are free as we were able to keep the cost down due the Westfield Vocational Academy doing our printing! Please know that we have planned on ONE copy per household ~ we are hoping that you will put yourself on an honor system so that each household will have one. Extras were not ordered!

Thank you and enjoy!

~ Members of the Telephone committee.

Help us keep the Harvest Fair strong.

Due to the pending closure of the Granville Village School, the GPA will not be running the Harvest Fair at GVS this year. The Granville Federated Church has stepped up and agreed to run the GVS site in hopes of helping to keep the Harvest Fair strong. However, we can't do it without some help. In recent years as we have added new aspects to Fair offerings at the Church, we have become stretched thin for volunteers. Adding a second site to our plate means that we will need even more volunteers than in years past. If you are able to donate some of your time, even just a few hours, during Harvest Fair, please contact Bobbi Ayers-O'Connell at 413-297-0445. We thank you in advance for your support.

COA News

Seniors (60+) the following page has Free Fun Friday's listed. Call your friends and go enjoy these cultural events. Some are close to our area.

Granville COA picnic will be sometime in mid-August, check the August Country Caller.



Saturday July 8, 2017

9AM to 2PM

We supply the Lawn – You bring your items to sell!



The West Granville Congregational Church will be hosting our 3rd annual Church Yard Sale Day. It will take place on Saturday July 8th from 9-2.

Each person is responsible for their own items. If you would like to reserve a spot please contact Deborah Boulanger at 357-6360 or Susan Beckman at 848-1440. You can also email us at WestGranvilleChurch@aol.com.

There is no charge for the space but if you would like to make a donation to the church it would be appreciated. Come join the fun or Come and Shop!!



85 MUSEUMS & CULTURAL EVENTS 10 FRIDAYS. 100% FREE FREE FUN FRIDAYS!



JUNE 23

Lyric Stage Company of Boston
Mary Baker Eddy Library
The Sports Museum
Clark Art Institute
The Mount: Edith Wharton's Home
Worcester Art Museum
Peabody Essex Museum
The Discovery Museums

JUNE 30

Boston Children's Museum
MIT Museum
Norman Rockwell Museum
Springfield Museums
EcoTarium
Maritime Gloucester
New Bedford Whaling Museum
The Gardens at Elm Bank (Mass Hort)

JULY 7

Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum
New England Historic Genealogical Society
Ventfort Hall Mansion and Gilded Age Museum
Mahaiwe Performing Arts Center
Amelia Park Children's Museum
Falmouth Museums on the Green
Pilgrim Hall Museum
Children's Museum in Easton
The Hall at Patriot Place

JULY 14

Edward M. Kennedy Institute
The Metropolitan Waterworks Museum
Harvard Museums of Science & Culture
Larz Anderson Auto Museum
Provincetown Art Association and Museum
Edward Gorey House
Museum of Russian Icons
Cape Ann Museum

JULY 21

Museum of Fine Arts, Boston
Tanglewood
Boston Athenæum
The Museum of the NCAAA
Fruitlands Museum, The Trustees
Spellman Museum of Stamps & Postal History
Lynn Museum
Hancock Shaker Village
Sandwich Glass Museum

JULY 28

JFK Presidential Library and Museum
Commonwealth Museum
Arnold Arboretum
The Eric Carle Museum
Berkshire Theatre Group
Historic Deerfield
Cape Cod Museum of Art
Wenham Museum
Tower Hill Botanic Garden

AUGUST 4

Commonwealth Shakespeare Company
Old State House
The Greenway Carousel
Fort Devens Museum
Children's Museum at Holyoke
International Volleyball Hall of Fame
The Old Manse, The Trustees
JFK Hyannis Museum

AUGUST 11

Franklin Park Zoo
Fuller Craft Museum
Cape Cod Maritime Museum
Worcester Historical Museum
Griffin Museum of Photography
Fitchburg Art Museum
Jacob's Pillow Dance
Smith College Museum of Art
Naumkeag, The Trustees

AUGUST 18

The Institute of Contemporary Art/Boston
Old Sturbridge Village
Freedom Trail® Foundation
Buttonwood Park Zoo
Cape Cod Children's Museum
Concord Museum
Berkshire Museum
Emily Dickinson Museum

AUGUST 25

Boston Harbor Islands National and State Park
USS Constitution Museum
Plimoth Plantation
MASS MoCA
Nantucket Whaling Museum
The Children's Museum of Greater Fall River
Museum of African American History
Cape Cod Museum of Natural History
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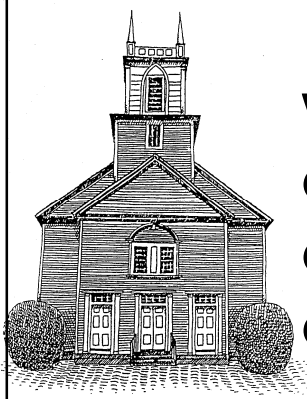
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West Granville Congregational Church

1580 Main Road, Route 57

West Granville

Our Worship Services for 2017
will be held on the
2nd Sunday of each month:

July 9, 2017

Old Home Sunday Service - August 13, 2017

September 10, 2017

October 8, 2017

November 12, 2017

December 10, 2017

All services are at 7PM and followed by
refreshments and fellowship in the
Academy Hall.

**We are pleased to announce we have a
new worship leader this year.**

**Rev. David Hurst - formerly of the Grace
Union Church in Wilbraham MA. (more
info to follow!)**

Our organist is Roberta Kowal of the Southwick
Congregational Church.

Mark your calendars for our **15th Annual Potluck
Picnic on Saturday August 12th** at 5PM.

Both the Church and Academy are available for
rental. Please call Deborah Boulanger at 357-6360
for more information.

Check our Facebook Page for updates on
upcoming services and events!

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Morning Worship is held each Sunday at 10 a.m.
A coffee hour follows the service each week.

We have Big Y gift cards available for purchase.
Please see Jean McMahon.

WEEKLY/MONTHLY SCHEDULE

Sunday-10:00 a.m.-Worship Service

11:00 a.m. Coffee hour

Monday-8:00 p.m. AA Meeting

Thursday-7:00 p.m. Senior choir

(There is no choir during the summer months.

Music will be provided by special musicians who
have volunteered their talents)

Fellowship breakfasts will resume in September.

June 19, 2017

Dear Granville Residents,

We are very excited about all the new activities at the Granville Federated Church. The weekly yoga classes provide health and wellness opportunities for every fitness level. The monthly lecture series addresses many topics of current and local interest. The concerts provide entertainment and fellowship for the whole family. The inter-faith activities promote multi-cultural understanding and connections.

The Granville Federated Church welcomes everyone who chooses to worship and share fellowship. We welcome diversity and encourage free-thinking. We recognize that the path to spirituality is varied. You are invited to join us for weekly services on Sunday mornings, our monthly church breakfasts and all the other activities we sponsor.

In spite of all our efforts, the Church still struggles financially. Attendance is down due to the passing of many long-term members, which has reduced our base of support. We sincerely believe that the survival of our church is truly important to our members and friends and all Granville residents. We are the heart of the town with weddings, memorial services, family reunions, Lions Club events, AA meetings, concerts, Church suppers, breakfasts and many other activities that benefit both members and friends of the church and all Granville's residents.

Our expenses for 2017 through the end of May have exceeded our revenues by approximately \$9,000. Large oil bills and snowplowing in winter contributed to this shortfall. Our largest fundraiser, the Harvest Fair, does not take place until October. Although the fair is profitable, it is not enough.

We need your help. The Trustees are asking you to consider making a special donation payable to Granville Federated Church to assist us in this emergency. Please mail your special contribution to:

Granville Federated Church, c/o Greg Jerome, P.O. Box 246, Granville Ma 01034

Your generosity would truly be gratefully appreciated.

Sincerely,

The Trustees of the

Granville Federated Church

Brad Burrall, Laura Fielding, Bill Fluhr, Karen McLaughlin Roberta Ayers-O'Connell

Granville-Tolland Dollars for SCHOLARS®

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The Granville-Tolland Dollars for Scholars has been serving the college students of Granville and Tolland for more than 40 years, and we thank you for your continued support of our students! We have worked hard to raise money and invest it wisely, following transparent processes, with nearly every dollar going directly to scholarships for our students.

We are, however, in urgent need of help. Our core group of volunteers has been working for the organization for 10-15 years, and it is time to transition this work to a new generation. Without help, we will be forced to merge with another chapter and lose control over the money we've raised and how we award scholarships.

Please consider volunteering. The time commitment is very reasonable, and the more volunteers we have, the lighter the load. Simply email us at granvillettollanddfs@gmail.com, or call Kris LeFebvre at 357-9044.

This is an opportunity to help our students well into the future!

Volunteers Needed

GTDFS will again be participating in the 2017 Moto-X Parking Fundraiser in Southwick on **Saturday July 8, 2017**. This is a major fundraiser for our organization and we welcome all volunteers! You will help to park cars on the school grounds, and the more volunteers we have, the more money we raise. Students can earn NHS volunteer hours. Email granvillettollanddfs@gmail.com, or call Kris LeFebvre at 357-9044 for details.

Congratulations to the Granville-Tolland Dollars for Scholars® 2017-2018 recipients

Jane Bannish
Emma Conroy
Nathan Dargie
Alexis Delldonna
Madeline Falcetti
Julia Ingledue
Adam Jensen
Lydia Kinsman
Kailyn Marshall
Daniel McClellan
Emma Paul
William Pratt
Sabrina Provost
Joshua Saulenas
Cassandra White

Named Scholarships

1st Lt. Travis Fuller Memorial Scholarship Fund

Samantha Burzynski
Amber Nobbs
Devon Roberts

Dorothy Miller Trust Endowment

Natasha Brzoska

Elizabeth H. Meiklejohn Memorial Scholarship Fund

Emily Hoschouer
Cole Provost

Everett O. and Miriam T. Rockwell Scholarship Endowment Fund

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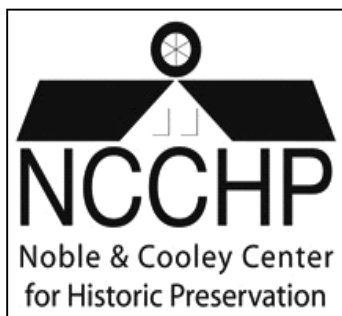
William Armstrong

The Ladies Aid Society of Tolland Honoring Bertha Fowler Hale Endowment Fund

Lillian Kelmelis

Walter A. and Katherine E. Phelon Memorial Scholarship Fund

Samuel Houston



“All To The Tune Of A Hickory Stick: A Look At Education In The One Room Schoolhouse”

Don't miss this fun presentation about what it was like to attend school in one room with students of all ages! Join us on Wednesday, July 19th at 6:30 PM at the NCCHP Museum at 42 Water Street in Granville, MA when Dennis Picard, in period attire and with accompanying artifacts, will share the history, legends and myths about what was called “district” school education. One room schoolhouses were the norm in New England before the adoption of the graded elementary system in the latter half of the 19th century.

Dennis Picard, former Director of the Storowton Village Museum in West Springfield has been a museum professional in the “Living History” field for over 35 years. NCCHP is pleased to host Dennis and his program which ties into the museum's revolving exhibit on old toys and games.

The free Living History programs at the NCCHP museum are made possible in part thanks to a grant from the Granville Cultural Council and by donations from members and friends of the museum. Thank you for your continued support in 2017. Light refreshments will be served following the program. For more information visit the NCCHP website www.ncchp.org or call 413-357-6321. The museum is open for tours from noon – 3:00 on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month from May – October. Tours are available at other times by appointment.

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Mark your calendars for
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The TRUCK STOP TROUBADORES will be performing at the
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 The Granville Recreation Committee along with a grant from
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GRANVILLE FIRE DEPARTMENT

709 MAIN ROAD

The Granville Fire Department wants you to stay safe this Summer season!

By Tim Rickis – GFD Firefighter & Public Relations Coordinator

July brings Independence Day celebrations, Campfires, and lots of Yard Work!

Below are a few tips and reminders to help keep you and your family safe.

Fireworks:

- The State Fire Marshal asks the citizens of Massachusetts to set a good example for children and leave the fireworks to the professionals. Enjoy the many displays of fireworks supervised by local fire departments and conducted by licensed professionals.
- Children imitate what they see adults do and if you use fireworks, they won't realize how dangerous they are. Not only do sparklers burn at more than 1200 degrees Fahrenheit but they also encourage the use of matches and lighters by young children.
- The possession and use of all fireworks by private citizens is illegal in Massachusetts. This includes Class C fireworks which are sometimes falsely called "safe and sane fireworks". Class C fireworks include sparklers, party poppers, snappers, firecrackers, spinners, cherry bombs and more. It is illegal to transport fireworks into Massachusetts, even if they were purchased legally elsewhere. Illegal fireworks can be confiscated on the spot.

Gasoline/Yard Work:

- Over the past five years, Massachusetts hospitals treated 135 people for gasoline-related burns. Gasoline vapors ignite at a very low temperature. These fumes are heavier than air, and can travel a distance to find a spark.
- At home, always store gas containers in a safe secure area, outside of living areas, (such as a locked shed or detached garage) and away from ignition sources such as pilot lights.
- A spark or a lit cigarette is enough to light the invisible fumes that may linger on clothing. Wait for mowers and other gas powered machines to cool before refilling with gas.
- If a fire starts while handling gasoline, don't attempt to extinguish the fire. Leave the area immediately and call 9-1-1.

Fire Pits/Campfires:

Fire pits have become increasingly popular in recent years. Unless they are being used primarily for cooking, however, they are technically subject to the MassDEP open burning regulation. If you do use a fire pit for cooking, the fire must be:

- Kept to a reasonable size (3'x3'x3'), Located away from combustible materials, Contained in a non-flammable enclosure, and Tended by someone who is 18 years of age or older. Keep a water source and fire tools close by.
- Remember to burn only clean, dry firewood. This will minimize the amount of smoke leaving your property and lessen the chance of causing a nuisance for your neighbors. Burning trash, refuse and other similar materials is not allowed.

The all-volunteer members of The Granville Fire Department are proud to serve our residents 24/7. Please visit our web page at <http://www.granvillefire.altervista.org/> or find us on Facebook! For Public Relations contact Tim Rickis at firedept@townofgranville.org

The Granville Farmers Market



**@ the Gran-val Scoop
221 Granby Road
Granville, MA
1 to 5 pm
2nd & 4th Sundays
May ~ September
2017 Season**

Join us at market for the best of what the season has to offer. We provide fresh produce, local honey, homemade breads, gluten-free baked goods, quiche, homemade pasta, local maple syrup & maple products, beef, pork, rabbit, goat cheese, fresh eggs, canned goods, fiber, fresh-cut herbs, plants, granola bars, one of a kind jewelry, hand-crafted pottery, desserts, pizza & grinders, gourmet mustard, chocolate treats, handmade clothing, tie dye, massages & live music every market!

Upcoming Market Dates:

July 9th & 23rd

August 13th & 27th

September 10th & 24th

PRODUCE FARMERS NEEDED:

If you have a farm or a garden that is overproducing, for \$20 a day you can set up at market! All interested please call Jess Ripley @ 413-357-9919

Thank you for supporting your local farms & businesses!



Sending a special thank you to everyone that could attend Frankie Hansen's 90th birthday party on Sunday, June 11, 2017 at the Granville Town Hall. She was amazed at the number of people who came to the party. She asked us "are all these people here for me"? Times change and the years go by, but the memories remain. Having family and friends in attendance made for a special day that she will never forget. Thank you for helping to put a smile on her face.

Thank you to Hilltown Pork, a locally owned business that demonstrates generosity and kindness. Also to Matt Streeter & Doug Roberts for their help in getting the Town Hall ready. We are fortunate to have such a beautiful and accessible building available right in town.

Blessings to all.

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Hours: Monday 10-12, 3-8
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Thursday 5-8
Saturday 10-12

New Books for Adults and YA:

Bill O'Reilly's Legends & Lies: The Civil War.
16th Seduction by James Patterson.
Affair of Lady Westcott's Lost Ruby by Gary Lovisi.
And Into the Fire by Robert Gleason.
Camino Island by John Grisham.
Come Sundown by Nora Roberts.
Dangerous Minds by Janet Ivanovich.
Fifth Letter, The by Nicola Moriarty.
Force, The by Don Winslow.
He Said She Said by Erin Kelly.
Hiss Before Dying: A Mrs. Murphy Mystery by Rita Mae Brown.
Last Place You Look by Kristen Lepionka.
Lockdown by Laurie King.
Nighthawk by Clive Cussler.
On Copper Street: A Victorian Police Procedural by Chris Nickson.
Silent Corner by Dean Koontz.
Tom Clancy's Point of Contact by Mike Maden.
You Will Pay by Lisa Jackson.

For Kids:

Apex Predators by Jenkins.
Junk Drawer Engineering by Mercer.
My First Book of Soccer by Editors
Phones Keep Us Connected by Kathleen Zoehfeld.
Colette's Lost Pet by Arsenault.
Elephant and Piggie Like Reading by Mo Willems.
On Duck Pond by Jane Yolen.

New Audio CDs:

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I See You by Clare Mackintosh.
Police at the Station & They Don't Look Friendly by Adrian McKinley.

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CSM's begin Saturday, July 1st!
BAKER WANTED:

If you are a baker with a certified kitchen, and you'd like to be a vendor at market, please contact us!

If you are interested in becoming a vendor, or being a musician at market, please contact the Market Manager, Jess Ripley, at 357-9919 or email us at OtisFM1@gmail.com.
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\$150 for up to 10 children,
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Gem/Fossil Mining: \$5 - \$9
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ACTIVITIES OPEN TO PUBLIC

Saturday, July 1st, 6pm: Live Music featuring
Frantic City (\$5 per adult admittance)

Saturday, July 29th, 6pm: Pig Roast Dinner &
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reservations required by 7/23, or stop in
for just the music for \$5 per adult)

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BUILD A BETTER WORLD

Granville Public Library's Summer Reading Program 2017

July 8 - Kick Off Library Lawn (if raining the event will take place in the basement)

Drop In any time between 10:30 and 11:30 and help *build* a Tower of Boxes for our summer display. Bring an empty cereal box or shoe box for this creative project. Meet Page, the Bookworm and learn about the new challenge she has for you. Pick up your summer reading packet and start reading.

Mondays from 3:30 - 7:30p.m. Throughout the Summer Reading Program, participants are invited to share their building skills. A variety of building blocks will be made available. Completed structures will be placed on display until the following Monday, with the builder's permission.

Week of July 10

Week 1 - Hidden Letter Search

July 10 * 3:30 - 7:30 p.m. Building Blocks

July 12 * Project - Decorate a Flower Pot

(bring with you for the Master Gardener Workshop on July 15) (while supplies last)

July 13* Project - Decorate a Flower Pot (while supplies last)

Drop In & Share about what you are reading 6:00 - 7:00 p.m. with Miss Dickinson and friends.

July 15 * **Master Gardener's Workshop** Learn about composting with Fran Wackerbarth and Verna Sadowski. Plant something to take home and watch it grow. 10:30 - 11:30

Please sign up at the library ahead of time so we can plan accordingly.

Week of July 17

Week 2 - Hidden Letter Search

July 17* 3:30 - 7:30 p.m. Building Blocks

July 19 *Project - Create Kindness Notes - Spread kindness by creating a note which will be collected and then tucked inside a library book to surprise the next person to take out the book. (while supplies last)

Drop In and Share about what you are reading 4:00 - 5:00 with Miss Dickinson and friends.

July 20* Project - Create Kindness Notes (while supplies last)

July 22 * **Zoo On The Go From Forest Park** - 10:30 - 11:30 Library Lawn (if raining the event will take place in the basement)

Please sign up at the library ahead of time so we can plan accordingly.

Week of July 24

Week 3 - Hidden Letter Search

July 24* 3:30 - 7:30 p.m. Building Blocks

July 26* Project - Draw a New Building for the Town of Granville - What would your building look like? What would happen in your building? Add it to our stand-up building display. (while supplies last)

July 27* Project - Draw a New Building for the Town of Granville (while supplies last)

Drop In and Share about what you are reading 6:00 - 7:00 with Miss Dickinson and friends.

July 29* Game Time with Reading Friends - Drop in between 10:30 - 11:30 and play a few *Build a Better World* games.

BUILD A BETTER WORLD

Granville Public Library's Summer Reading Program 2017

Week of July 31-August 5

Week 4 - Hidden Letter Search

July 31 * 3:30 - 7:30 p.m. Building Blocks

August 2 * Project - Creative Cardboard Structures Add theme words and decorate pieces of cardboard and then build a structure. Leave for display or take home. (while supplies last)

Drop In and Share about what you are reading 4:00 - 5:00 with Miss Dickinson and friends.

August 3 * Project - Creative Cardboard Structures (while supplies last)

Gran - Val Scoop 3:00 - 4:00 (rain or shine) Listen to some stories, feed the animals and enjoy some refreshing ice cream (pending)

Please sign up at the library ahead of time so we can plan accordingly.

Week of August 7

Week 5 - Hidden Letter Search

August 7* 3:30 - 7:30 p.m. Building Blocks

August 9* Project - Create a Card Make a card for a town worker, senior citizen, business owner, or someone special in your life. Thank them, or just brighten their day. (while supplies last)

August 10* Project - Create a Card (while supplies last)

Drop In and Share about what you are reading 6:00 - 7:00 p.m. with Miss Dickinson and friends.

August 12* Game Time with Reading Friends - Drop in between 10:30 and 11:30 and play a few Build a Better World games.

Week of August 14

Week 6 - Hidden Letter Search

August 14* 3:30 - 7:30 p.m. Building Blocks

August 16 * Project - Decorate a Door Hanger Be creative with words and drawings to show how you can Build a Better World. (while supplies last)

Drop In and Share about what you are reading 4:00 - 5:00 with Miss Dickinson and friends.

August 17* Project - Decorate a Door Hanger (while supplies last)

August 19 * **FINALE - SING ALONG & Raffle** Mrs. Wackerbarth will lead summer readers and senior citizens in a sing along featuring patriotic songs. Come share your voices as we gather to celebrate the hard work of our readers and the long time support that our senior citizens have given to this town. May we always continue to strive to *Build a Better World*. 10:30 - 12:00 Granville Town Hall

For children ages 3 - 11

All children must be accompanied by an adult.

Register @ the Granville Public Library between June 19 - July 1

The summer reading program is sponsored by the Granville Public Library, the Granville Library Club, the Massachusetts Cultural Council, the Collaborative Summer Reading Program, and the Massachusetts Board of Library Commissioners.

Build a Better World – Granville Library Summer Reading Program

July & August 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	Hidden Letter Search EVERY WEEK!					⁸ KICK OFF—10:30-11:30 Library lawn; Build a Tower of Boxes; Meet Page the Bookworm
⁹	¹⁰ Building Blocks— 3:30-7:30 @ the Library	¹¹	¹² Project— Decorate a Flower Pot (while supplies last) @ the Library	¹³ Drop in & Share: 6-7pm @ the Library	¹⁴	¹⁵ Master Gardener's Workshop: 10:30-11:30 @ the Library Register ahead of time!
¹⁶	¹⁷ Building Blocks— 3:30-7:30 @ the Library	¹⁸	¹⁹ Project— Create Kindness Notes (while supplies last) @ the Library Drop in & Share: 4-5pm	²⁰ Project— Create Kindness Notes (while supplies last) @ the Library	²¹	²² Zoo on the Go from Forest Park: 10:30-11:30 @ the Library Register ahead of time!
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OBITUARIES

Marcia (Schlosser) Gallo

Marcia passed away peacefully on May 24, 2017 with her husband John by her side.

She was born on March 3, 1944, the oldest of four children, to the late Gordon Schlosser and wife Falice (Holcomb). She leaves her siblings Patricia (Michael) Barron of Arizona; Morton (Terry) Tripp of Oregon and Earl Tripp of Massachusetts.

Marcia loved the great outdoors and the country way of life. She was raised in Granville, MA at the base of the Berkshire Mountains. Growing up she enjoyed helping her grandparents in their apple orchard while assisting her parents milking cows on the family farm.

In 1978, Marcia married John Gallo. They were constant companions raising four children, while working in partnership in their many business endeavors which included the Oldsmobile/GMC truck dealership in Westfield, MA; the liquor store and Peter & Jon's Gourmet Ice-cream shop in Huntington, MA. It was a love affair that lasted forty-three years. She leaves four children: Shawn Gallo of Westfield; Susan (Steve) Cabral and Steven Holub of Housatonic, MA; Laurie(Gregg) Taillefer of Mt. Green, Utah; and two grandchildren Stephanie and Samantha Cabral of Housatonic, MA.

While growing up, Marcia spoke often about her desire to live in the West on a cattle ranch with many horses. In 2005, John & Marsha moved to Star Valley, Wyoming where she began to fulfill her childhood dream. Though she never had cattle, she spent many hours in the saddle enjoying her horses with a faithful dog by her side. One of Marcia's favorite horse rides was to Bailey Lake where she would relax with a fishing pole in hand. The western way of life inspired her to hunt antelope. Marcia's marksmanship landed her a trophy every year with one shot.

Marcia worked at the Star Valley Assisted Living Center in Afton, WY. She developed many dear friendships with those who lived there. Retirement was difficult, as she shed many tears saying her goodbyes.

Marcia found great happiness in insignificant details, grooming her horses, giving treats to her dogs, her love of talking, sharing & caring for all those who came in contact with her. We will always be inspired by the memories of her kindness, her friendship, and the joy of life she brought to all.

William Maher

William (Bill) Maher aged 88, died peacefully at home in Granville on June 12. Retired science department head and science teacher at Simsbury High School, Bill enthusiastically enjoyed boat building, sailing, biking, poetry, classical music and a keen interest in current events. He is survived by his wife Kathleen, daughters Michelle van Schouwen (Don Robear) of Longmeadow, Jennifer Leonard of Boston, Molly Zeppa (Eric) of Southwick, 6 grandchildren, 4 great grandchildren and 2 sisters in Florida and Maryland.

OBITUARIES

Edward A. Jensen Jr.

Ed, age 91, passed away on Thursday, June 1st. Ed was born August 7, 1925 in Westfield to the late Edward A. and Anna (Olsen) Jensen Sr. Ed grew up and spent his entire life on the family farm in Granville. As a boy, he grew celery and other vegetables in a peat bog with his brothers, selling them to neighbors using a pull wagon. At that time, his father was planting apple trees on some property he had purchased, along the side of Bad Luck Mountain, which became the farm known today as Mountain Orchard. Here Ed cultivated a love of farming while honing his skills in agriculture.

He was drafted into the United States Navy in 1943 at the age of 18, and served as a Motor Machinist Mate Second Class on a LCT 730 landing craft in the Philippines during World War II. Returning home in 1946, Ed worked in construction before becoming a partner with his father in the family farm. Under his management, the farm grew to almost 100 acres, supplying apples throughout the Pioneer Valley.

Ed met Anne Sussmann in 1956 at a Granville square dance, eventually marrying on October 5, 1957. They were blessed with five children, who helped around the farm throughout their childhoods.

Ed became director of the Hampden County Farm Bureau, also serving as a member of the Massachusetts Fruit Growers Association, where he became President for a term. In the 1970s, he also began his service as Assessor for the town of Granville, where he served for 25 years.

At age 91, he was still working on Mountain Orchard, growing peaches, nectarines, and pears in addition to over 20 varieties of apples. He was a quiet man, with an understated sense of humor, who worked to the end to maintain and improve the farm for the next generation.

Ed is survived by his beloved wife of 59 years Anne S. Jensen (Sussmann) of Granville. He was the loving father to Karen A. Kechkaylo and her husband Timothy of Delphi, IN; Eric J. Jensen and his wife Tracy of Liverpool, NY; Christina J. Teter of Granville; Kevin E. Jensen of Simpsonville, SC; and Robert P. Jensen and his wife Sarah of Belmont, MA. He was the caring brother to James Jensen of Granville and cherished grandfather to 20 grandchildren. Ed was predeceased by his brothers Christian Jensen and Ernest Jensen and his son-in-law William Teter.

Thank you

Our heartfelt thanks for all the comforting cards, the flowers, and the food from the wonderful folks of Granville and our family and friends across this country.

We were honored by your presence at Ed's service. It really meant so much to see and meet all who came.

A special thanks also for the responders to my 911 call.

Ed loved farming and Granville and we will surely miss him.

Anne Jensen and Family