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Library Hours:

Monday 10-12, 3-8 pm, Wednesday 3-8 pm,

Thursday 5-8 pm, Saturday 10-12

Phone 357-8531

website: granvillelib.info

New books for adults:

Cushion in the Road: Meditation and Wandering as the Whole World Awakens to Being in Harm's Way by Alice Walker.

Drawing on the Right Side of the Brain by Betty Edwards.

Future by Al Gore.

Gun Guys: A Road Trip by David Baum

Lean In by Sandberg.

Lost Cat: A True Story of Love, Desperation and

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Out of Order: Stories from the History of the Supreme Court by Sandra Day O'Connor.

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Secrets from the Past by Barbara Taylor Bradford.

Storyteller by Jodi Picoult.

Stranger Here by Jen Larsen.

Taking Eve by Iris Johansen.

Tapestry of Fortune by Elizabeth Berg.

Unintended Consequences by Stuart Woods.

Where You Can Find Me by Joseph

For Kids:

Kids, Meet the Tractors & Trucks by Abramson. Make a Splash!: a Kid's Guide to Protecting Our Oceans, Lakes, Rivers and Wetlands by Cathyrn Kaye. Benjamin Bear in Bright Ideas by Courdray.

Dark by Lemony Snicket.

Never Say Die by Will Hobbs

John Deere by Pripps.

Stallion by Starlight (Magic Treehouse) by Mary

Pope Osbourne.

Nelly May Has Her Say by Cynthia DeFelice

White Fur Flying by Patricia MacLachlan.

New Dvds:

Chasing Liberty

Dinosaurs: Perfect Predators

Discovering Ireland

Game of Thrones – The Complete Second

Season

The Hobbit

Les Miserables

Lincoln

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Granville Library Club Raffle

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Granville Federated Church,

American Baptist & United Church of Christ 16 Granby Road, Granville, MA 01034 Phone 413-357-8583

Join us at Granville Federated Church!

Morning Worship is held each Sunday at 10 a.m. Sunday School begins after the children's message during the service.

No potluck supper for May. Instead, on **Sunday, May 5 at 5 p.m.** we will be going to the Southwick Congregational Church for the **CROP Hunger Walk Soup and Bread Supper.** (Note the earlier time.) Amy Porter, assistant director for CROP northern New England, will be there with CROP displays and will speak on the work that Church World Service does in 80 countries around the world and in the USA. CWS is often first on the scene after a disaster as well as their ongoing efforts to end hunger. They now distribute a nutritional supplement that ends death by malnutrition in children.

The soup is delicious, the atmosphere upbeat, and the cause is great! Don't miss it!

Study Groups with the Rev. Patrick McMahon include second Sunday discussion of doing theology in today's life and the fourth Sunday Sermon Review. This is a great opportunity to enrich your faith and enjoy the company of your fellow parishioners.

The **Ladies Aid** will meet for a potluck luncheon on Wednesday, May 15th at noon. A meeting will follow lunch. All women are welcome. Dottie Lou Bettinger is our new president and May Nobbs is the new secretary. Marion Whitney is our treasurer.

The regular fabulous **breakfast** served with pure Ripley maple syrup happens on Sun., May 19th from 8:30 to 9:30 a.m. All are invited. Free will donation accepted.

A huge thank you to all who are supporting the Granville Church through our **Capital Campaign.** The Kickoff was Jan. 20th and to date we have \$157,500 pledged. Replacement

of the parsonage and church roofs is complete with extra structural work done by the roofer making the parsonage look like new!

We are happy to be sharing our church story with all of you. The clock face in front of the church will keep you posted regarding how much money and pledges have come in.

The drawing for an Amish style quilt to be held on Sunday, May 12, 2013, Mother's Day. Tickets are available at the church during coffee hour and breakfast or by calling Carolyn at 569-0384. LAST CHANCE TO GET YOUR TICKETS IN!!!

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

Another option for supporting the drive is to buy Fair Trade **food products** that are for sale at the coffee hour each Sunday. All tasty, we've tried them all. Ruth Dickinson Berquist is in charge of this.

All are welcome at any or all of our events.

Looking Ahead:

The annual **Church School/All Church Picnic** will be held on Sunday, June 2.

The 41st **Southwick/Granville CROP Hunger Walk** will step off from Southwick Congregational Church at 1 p.m. on June 2nd. We need Walkers, Sponsors and Recruiters. (Recruiters get other people to walk.)

Get sponsorship papers at the Soup and Bread Supper or see Carolyn at church.

MONTHLY/WEEKLY SCHEDULE:

Sunday—10am-Worship Service & Church School 11am-Coffee Hour Monday—8pm-AA Meeting Thursday—7pm-Choir Practice Second Sunday—11:15am- Bible Study Third Sunday—8:30am-Breakfast Third Wednesday—Noon-Ladies Aid

Fourth Sunday—11:15am-Sermon Review

SENIOR NEWS

Presentation by Aimee Weber on Reverse Mortgages

When: May 20, 2013 Where: Town Hall Time: 1:00 PM

Reverse Mortgages are a fairly new financial tool for seniors who are homeowners. Aimee will explain what they are about and answer any questions you may have. Be informed! There will be no charge.

Light refreshments will be served.

Council on Aging for Southern Hill Towns Annual Picnic

Where: Strathmore Park When: June 17, 2013 Time: 12:00 noon

The Granville COA will be hosting the annual COA picnic for the Southern hill towns this year. Cost for Granville seniors will be \$8.00 each. Menu will be a traditional picnic menu of hot dogs, hamburgers, salads etc.

Contact Patti Dickinson 357-8761 or Linda Mihlek 357-8781 for reservations.

Senior Birthday Parties!!!

Beginning on May 20, 2013 all seniors 70 and older with a birthday in May will be honored at a monthly birthday party sponsored by the COA. Parties will be held for each month. May birthday invitations will be going out soon.

Hope to see everyone there!

Council on Aging and Country Caller Volunteers Luncheon

Wednesday, June 5, 2013

Did you know:

A honey bee may collect nectar from thousands of flowers a day, but will make less than a teaspoon of honey in its lifetime.



GRANVILLE LIBRARY CLUB ANNUAL BOOK SALE HARVEST FAIR OCTOBER 12 – 14, 2013

The Granville Library Club is looking for new/used books, cd's and dvd's for our annual book sale during Harvest Fair.

Please drop off items that are in <u>good</u> condition at the library during business hours ~ Monday 10-12 and 3-8; Wednesday 3-8, Thursday 5-8 and Saturday 10-12.

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CORRECTION



In the issue of April 2013 Granville Country Caller It stated that the Granville Police Department was giving away 2 scholarships to graduating high school seniors in fact it was the Granville Police Association. Sorry for the mistake.

Medicare Fraud and Abuse

Unneeded or unauthorized Medicare services costs the Medicare program – and taxpayers – money.

We ask you to check your Medicare statement (Medicare Summary Notice – MSN) for items or services you did not receive. The MSN shows what was billed, what Medicare paid and what you may owe. If you have a question or concern regarding a Medicare claim, check first with your physician, provider or supplier.

The trained volunteers of the Massachusetts Senior Medicare Patrol (SMP) can teach you about protecting personal information, reducing identity theft and reporting errors on your health care statements. Please contact them at Elder Services of the Merrimack Valley 1-800-892-0890 to assist with fraud and abuse concerns. Thank you.

For further assistance with Medicare issues, make a SHINE appointment at your senior center or call 1-800-AGE-INFO (1-800-243-4636), then press or say "3"

Once you get the SHINE answering machine, leave your name and number: a SHINE Counselor will call you back as soon as possible.

Thank you for your diligence!



KINDERGARTEN SCREENING FOR SOUTHWICK-TOLLAND-GRANVILLE CHILDREN

The Southwick-Tolland-Granville Regional School District Kindergarten Screening for the 2013-2014 school year will be held from Thursday, June 6th through Friday, June 7th, 2013 at Woodland School for Southwick, Tolland and Granville residents.

In order to be eligible for Kindergarten, a child must be *five* years old on or before September 1, 2013. There will be no exceptions to this policy. As required by Special Education Law, Chapter 766, screenings will be conducted in the areas of hearing, vision, speech/language, cognitive and motor skills. All parents having an eligible child should come to the Woodland School office at 80 Powder Mill Road, Southwick, MA to pick up an enrollment packet between now and May 21st. Open enrollment hours are 9:15 am to 2:45 pm.

A check off list is included in the packet for your convenience. Once you've filled out your paperwork and have the necessary documents (proof of residency, birth certificate, medical, physical) as noted on the check off list, <u>return</u> **ALL information to the Woodland School Office**. An appointment will be made for you at that time to attend the screening (June 6th & June 7th) to complete the registration process.

PLEASE CALL 569-6598 With questions

Russell COA Special Events

Join the Russell COA for the Monday, May 13, Birthday Party and Enjoy the Do Ri Mi Singers

The Do Ri Mi singers will be preforming at 1:00 PM at the Russell Town Hall, 65 Main Street Russell in the Senior Center upstairs. Refreshments will be served after the performance..

Take a Garden Tour with us

Our first garden tour will be of Grandmothers Garden and Stanley Park in Westfield. Join us on Tuesday May 21 cost \$6.00. We will meet at the Russell Town Hall at 11:30. Bring a picnic lunch to enjoy at Stanley Park we will eat and enjoy the gardens in the park and at Grandmothers Garden down the street.

Water Colors at the Russell COA

Learn Simple Water Coloring techniques from Christine Soderquist, May, 3rd, 10th,17th,and 31st from 2:30-4:30PM at the Russell Senior Center located on the second floor of the town hall. A great class for people with little or no experience using water colors. Explore different techniques; you will create a still life, a landscape, and an abstract that will be ready to frame. All participants will create a folder with resources to be used for future creations, Call 413 685-1052 or e-mail at Southernhilltownshaec@gmail.com to pre-register, before April 26th the cost for supplies is \$5.00 per class.



32th Annual Granville Harvest Fair

Applications for Vendors and Craftsmen to participate in the Fair, Columbus Day Weekend, October 12, 13 & 14 are most welcome. Your request from one of the following venues should include a #10 self-addressed stamped envelope.

The Old Meeting House

Coralie Stevenson,
P.O. Box 193,
Granville, MA 01034-0193
or call 413-357-8801.

The Drum Shop

Carol Jones, NCCHP Water Street, Granville, MA, 01034 or call 357-8814.

The Town Green

Linda Blakesley, 397 Main Road, Granville, MA 01034 or call 413-357-6150.

The Federated Church

Jennie Maceyka, 173 South Lane, Granville, MA 01034 or call 413-357-8732.

The Granville Library

Nancy Petersen, P.O. Box 222, Granville, MA 01034 or call 413-357-8806.

The Village School:

Rene Ellinger, 33 Blandford Rd, Granville, MA 01034 or call 413-627-8859

COMMUNITY PRESERVATION NEWS MAY 2013

The Community Preservation Committees (CPC) recent meetings have centered on evaluating this years' grant proposals and making decisions on funding recommendations. As a result of those meetings, the CPC will bring the following proposals to the 2013 Annual Town Meeting for a vote.

- Town Green Walkway \$ 17,000.00 for replacement of the current asphalt walkway with new paver bricks. This is partial funding for the project using the new open space funding guidelines.
- 2) Historical Room Document Preservation \$ 1,500.00 for the purchase of archival storage materials to be used for preservation of the most sensitive documents in the collection.
- Old Meeting House Kitchen Roof \$ 4,000 for new roofing material on the kitchen portion of the OMH.

During last years' funding cycle, the Town approved a grant of \$5,100.00 for an assessment of the collection of the Historical Room, located in the Granville Library. This study has been commissioned for the purposes of planning for the preservation of the documents and other items there. That 40 page report has been received from the New England Document Conservation Center and will be a major tool in our efforts to preserve the history of Granville. The report is available for anyone who would like to study it – please contact Richard Pierce at 357-6403 for a digital or print copy.

In the coming months, the CPC will be sending out information on the new funding guidelines for Community Preservation Act projects and updating the application form.

The CPC will also be actively informing residents and town organizations about the successful funding of numerous projects over the past 4 years and will be discussing the possibilities for increasing the matching state funds we receive.

The bulk of CPA funds are derived from a 1½ % surcharge on your property taxes, the rest from a state CPA fund that is funded through real estate transaction fees through the Registry of Deeds. Our state match has only been in the 18 – 25% range for the past 4 years. We would like to take steps to increase that match and will be informing residents about the possibilities.

Any proposals for a change would be presented at the 2014 Town Meeting. At this years' Annual Town Meeting, the CPC will be presenting some information on past projects and current funding levels.

Note: To see what your current CPA assessment is, look at your property tax bill. It is listed on your bill as "Spec AsmtCP cmprct" with the monetary contribution beside it.

It's not too early to begin planning for next years' projects. If you are part of an organization in Town the has a potential project in the CPA categories of Historic Preservation, Open Space & Recreation or Community Housing, please contact CPC chair Richard Pierce for more information at 357-6403.

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Annual Town Meeting Monday, May 13, 2013 7pm, Granville Village School

Free Daycare Available

Warrants will not be mailed to each household but will be available online at www.townofgranville.net.

Copies of the Town Meeting Warrant and Annual Town Report will be available at the Town Hall and Library May 6, 2013.

Memorial Day Celebration

Town Green, Noon

Sunday, May 26th

Otis Farmer's Market

Saturdays 9am-1pm

L&M Auto Parking Lot Papa's Healthy Food & Fuel

2000 East Otis Road, E. Otis MA

Join us for another

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Opening May 11th through October 12th Saturdays 9 am to 1 pm

*Coming in May:

Plant Sales, Baked Goods, Maple Syrup

Products, Crafts & Farm Fresh Eggs!

WANTED: Farmers, Crafters, Musicians & Chefs! Contact Market Manager Jess Ripley @

413-357-9919 or OtisFM1@ymail.com

or Assistant Market Manager

Wendy Scanlon @ 860-379-8664

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Western MA Master Gardeners to hold two soil testing & Q&A mornings.

Saturdays:

May 4th & June 1st 9 am -12 noon. Town Hall

Learn about composting: Recycle your plant materials & vegetable scraps. Transform them into humus & mulch, which are valuable soil improvers.

Improve your garden soil structure this year!

We will guide you to UMass Extension Service fact sheets to give you valuable information on insects, diseases, good maintenance practices, perennials, annuals & vegetables.

We will be able to do a soil test for pH. This will guide you in the need for lime in your lawns, flower beds & vegetable gardens.

Each garden space, lawn & garden, should be tested separately.

A small donation will be accepted for cost of the test materials.

Please follow the suggestions for soil testing below:

How do I take a soil sample for testing?

- Dig a hole 6-8 inches deep (3-4 inches deep for lawns) and set the soil aside
- Using a clean trowel, take a thin vertical slice from the side of the hole and place in a clean container
- 3. Take at least 5 samples from the test area and mix them well in a clean container
- Place 1/2 cup of this mixed soil in a small plastic bag, close tightly and label the outside of the bag

Avoid taking soil which has recently been limed or fertilized.

Granville Library's Summer Reading Program 2013

"Dig into READING!" is sponsored by the Granville Public Library, the Granville Library Club, the Granville Cultural Council, the Massachusetts Cultural Council, the Massachusetts Regional Library System, the Collaborative Summer Reading Program and the Massachusetts Board of Library Commissioners.

FOR CHILDREN AGES 3-11 • REGISTER AT THE LIBRARY MAY 29TH - JUNE 29TH • 357-8531

Library Hours: Monday 10-12/3-8; Wednesday 3-8; Thursday 5-8; Saturday 10-12

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	Craft during library hours 10 am - 12 pm 3 pm - 8 pm Color Your Own Placement					10:00 AM at the Library (if it's raining at the Town Hall) ~ Let's Gogh Art – Art Project and Face Painting FINALE

NEWS FROM THE GRANVILLE CULTURAL COUNCIL

Arts and Artisans Show -

All are invited to the 21st Annual Arts and Artisans Show featuring Granville artists exhibiting their artistic talents in a variety of different media.

Art Show Hours:

Saturday, May 4th, 10:00 – 4:00 PM Sunday, May 5th, noon – 4:00 PM

(Reception 2-4 PM) Old Meeting House, Main Road, Granville, Mass. 01034

Sunday afternoon- come listen to the beautiful flute music of Jim Weber who will play for all at the Art Show reception.

Admission is free.

— IN NURSING HOMES —

Philip Dickinson

Renaissance Manor of Westfield 37 Feeding Hills Road Westfield, MA 01085

Bea Lewis

Landmark at Monastery Heights
110 Monastery Avenue,
W. Springfield, Ma 01089

Betty Carpenter

Renaissance Manor of Westfield Feeding Hills Road Westfield, MA 01085

Watercolor Painting Workshop

Summer 2012

Dates: August 5 - 9, 2013

Time: 8:00 a.m. - 12 noon

Place: Old Meeting House

Cost: \$ 30.00 per student

Watercolor painting will be the main focus of this workshop, although we will take some time on the first day to work on basic drawing skills too.

Very basic watercolor techniques will be taught, so do not hesitate to join the class if you have never done watercolor painting before.

Advanced painters will be encouraged to set their own agenda and may proceed to greater challenges while beginning painters will work together to learn new skills.

The first 25 Granville adults (age limit is 16 and older) to enroll will be accepted into the workshop, so call soon to reserve a place in the class.

All students will be responsible for their own supplies, a list of the supplies you will need will be sent to you soon after you apply. Call Betty if you have any questions.

To enroll call Betty Angell (Instructor) 357-8804

This workshop is partially funded by a grant from the Granville Cultural Council and the Massachusetts Cultural Council.

Knitting Circle

Meeting Tuesdays in May

Granville Town Hall

If you are a Knitter or you crochet, or you would like to learn come join us!



Federated Church Capital Campaign Fund Raiser Donation|Drawing 56*x49* Prize Winning Quilt in Amish Pattern

Donation: \$1.00/each or \$5.00/6 tickets

Drawing: Sunday, May 12, 2013 in time for Mother's Day

Please send entry tickets with cash or check payable to Granville Federated Church to: Capital Campaign, c/o Granville Federated Church, P.O. Box 246, Granville, MA 01034

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capital campaign Fund Raiser The quilt is a Diamond in A Square* Amish pattern done in jewel tone colors: Purple, green, blue, rose and black. The back is solid purple. The kinding is black. All the quilting is done by hand! So front and back, it is teautiful! Hand embroidery features the GFC. Estimated value: \$500.

> Won prize at Blandford Fair.

GFC Ticket sale for

Thank you for supporting the Granville Federated Church Capital Fund Campaign! Good Luck!

Granville Village School 3rd Quarter Honor Roll

1st Honors

Abby Hoschouer
Rebecca Drohen
Emily Pinney
Jodie Cahill
Matthew Corrigan
Alexis Delldonna
Marcella Delldonna
Devon Doiron
Brooklynn Hayes

2nd Honors

Daniel Burnett Ryan Laferriere Cory Small Lauren Sussmann Melanie Winn Zackary Cahill Julia Ellinger **Grace Ingledue Devin Loubier Keeley Meyer** Russell Stetson D aniel Armstrong Aidan Brown Margaret Drohen Karesa Flagg Alayna Fortin Mackenzie Sullivan Elizabeth Tenerowicz Hiedi Bergen Sean Crawford Amanda Desroches Alexis Doiron Lydia Kinsman

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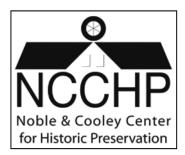
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NCCHP May 2013 Update

After the long, cold winter, the 2013 museum season is finally here! From May – October the museum will be open for tours on the 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month from 12:00 – 3:00. Free Monthly Movie Nights are back on the 4th Wednesday of every month from 7:00 – 9:00. This popular series features short movies about how things were made or operated "back in the day". The May 22^{nd} movie night will feature films about trains to complement the newest

museum exhibit, "Trains and Railroads".

The monthly Living History series starts Wednesday, 6/12 at 6:30 with a program by David Leff called "Hidden In Plain Sight". A local essayist, poet and lecturer, David unlocks the secrets of seeing magic in the mundane and discovering wonders in the commonplace world around us. The July Living History Series on Wednesday, 7/10 features a patriotic musical program "Lincoln and Liberty" led by Roger Lee Hall. Roger is a music preservationist, author and composer and holds a Ph.D. in Musicology specializing in early American music. Be sure to mark your calendars to come learn about, hear and sing many of the popular songs from the Civil War era.

An exhibit about the history of photography and cameras is currently "under construction". If you have old cameras, photography equipment or photographs you are willing to lend to NCCHP for the exhibit, please contact us. Also, if you are interested in working on researching, pulling together and setting up new exhibits, we are always looking for more volunteers! To learn more or discuss further, please call 413-357-8814 or e-mail us at ncchp.org@gmail.com.

The NCCHP museum at the Drum Shop is located at 42 Water Street in Granville and is open for tours by groups of ten or more by appointment only (call 413-357-8814). Museum admission is free for NCCHP members; \$5 for adults and \$3 for children for non-members. The Gift Shop is open weekdays year round from 9:00 – 4:00 as well as whenever the museum is open for tours and features hand crafted items made by local artists, potters, woodcrafters, quilters, authors and more!



Virginia L. Clark

Virginia, age 72, died Friday, March 29, 2013. Born in Westfield, she was the daughter of the late Joseph and Helen Mango.

Virginia was predeceased by her first husband, William "Bruce" Gihon in 1987 and by her second husband, Gordon H. Clark in 2001. She is survived by her children, Cindy Sadowski and her husband Robert of Granville, William Gihon and his wife Teresa of Westfield; her grandchildren, Robert and John Sadowski of Granville, Alan and Kate Gihon of Westfield; her step children, Debbie Clark Gilman, Gary Clark and his wife Marlene, Rick Clark and his wife Annie, and Jason Clark. Virginia also leaves her dear friends Lisa Gage and Lynn McFarland.

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Judith A. (Morse) Adam

Judith, age 73, passed away Wednesday, April 10, 2013 surrounded by her family. She was born in Ayer, MA to the late Howard and Audrey (McClenaghen) Morse and was a graduate of Westfield High School. Judith worked for Kennametal Inc. in Windsor Locks for over 10 years as a machine operator, also for the Noble and Cooley Drum Shop for over 5 years and for the Benton Store for over 3 years. She was an avid horse enthusiast and rider and owned many horses, including her last horse, Pride. Judith was predeceased by her beloved husband of 42 years, David K. Adams in 2000 and a brother Alan Morse in 2010. Judith is survived by her loving children, David K. Adams, Jr. of Westfield, Richard W. Adams of W. Virginia, Deborah A. Boulanger of W. Granville and Susan L. Beckman of Blandford, her grandson Robert Boulanger of W. Granville, her brothers, John Morse, Donald Hartford and Douglas Hartford all of California and her sister, Jacquelyn Grillon of Maryland.

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