SEE Notices Below!

- Road weight postings lifted with exception of Hatch Corner Rd.
- NH DOT projects Route 104 & Park-n-Ride. Delays expected.
- PSNH aerial patrols on April 3-5, 2012
- New Hampton Garden Club begins a new season.
- U.S. Senator Ayotte's Staff visiting New Hampton
- Collection of Unwanted, Expired or Unused prescription drugs
- Dog License renewals by April 30th
- D.A.R.E. Program donations

WELCOME TO THE "NEW HAMPTON CONNECTION"

E-mail notices will be sent from this office with dates, locations and times of Town Meetings, special meetings, special events, and other important town events or information. We hope you will find these notices helpful. These e-mails will not provide notice of regular scheduled meetings, deadlines, holiday hours, general information, etc. For such scheduled information, please check the town web site www.new-hampton.nh.us or call the Town Office at 744-3559. All public meeting notices are posted at the Town Office and Fire Station. All town newspaper notices are placed in the Laconia Citizen.

Please talk with other New Hampton residents who may not have been contacted to see if they are interested in receiving these e-mails. I also would encourage you to get the "word out" about important information to those who may not have e-mail.

If at some future time you change your e-mail address or you wish to be removed from the list please send an e-mail to <u>blucas@new-hampton.nh.us</u>.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN: Kenneth A. Mertz, Nathaniel H. Sawyer, Jr. & Valerie Fraser

Barbara A. Lucas Town Administrator Town of New Hampton 6 Pinnacle Hill Road Tel. 744-3559 Fax 744-5106

April 2, 2012

Road Weight Postings

The Public Works Director has lifted the road weight limit postings for all town roads with the exception of Hatch Corner Road, which is still posted at a 10 Ton limit for at least another week.

Thank you for your patience during mud season.

New Hampshire DOT Projects

NH Department of Transportation (DOT) has begun the project of widening shoulders on Route 104 near the Route 104 Diner. Please expect delays on Route 104 during construction.

They are also completing the Park-n-Ride project at Exit #23 that was started last fall. The project plans are available for your review on the town website www.new-hampton.nh.us.

PSNH Conducting Aerial Patrols in New Hampton and other surrounding communities

PSNH will be conducting routine aerial patrols of the Rights Of Way in New Hampton and some neighboring communities between the dates of April 3 and April 5th.

These transmission spring vegetation aerial patrols will be conducted by JBI helicopters between 8:00 am and 3:00 pm.

NEW HAMPTON GARDEN CLUB BEGINS A NEW SEASON

The New Hampton Garden Club has started its 80th year. We meet at 9:30 a.m. in the Judge Nash Community Room of the Gordon-Nash Library, New Hampton, the first Tuesday of the month April through December. Come help us celebrate! Eighty years of scrapbooks will be available. Whether you are an experienced gardener or a novice, there are lots of reasons to join your local garden club. Come see what we are all about.

NEW HAMPSHIRE U.S. SENATOR KELLY AYOTTE'S OFFICE

A member of U.S. Senator, Kelly Ayotte's staff will be visiting New Hampton on Thursday, April 19, 2012 at 6:30pm at the Town Office. In an effort to reach out to the constituents her staff is available to meet with you. You may also contact her office directly at (603) 622-7979 or email www.ayotte.senate.gov

LOCAL POLICE DEPARTMENTS WORK WITH DEA FOR THE COLLECTION OF UNUSED, EXPIRED AND UNWANTED PRESCRIPTION DRUGS NEW HAMPTON PUBLIC SAFETY BUILDING Saturday, April 28, 2012 from 10am to 2pm

This spring, the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) and its national and community partners will give the public another opportunity to prevent pill abuse and theft by ridding their homes of potentially dangerous expired, unused, and unwanted prescription drugs.

On Saturday, April 28th, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., DEA and its partners will hold their second National Prescription Drug Take-Back Day at sites nationwide. During this timeframe any pharmaceutical (prescription or over-the-counter) drug may be dropped off at the locations listed below. The service is free and anonymous--no questions asked. All efforts will be made to protect the anonymity of those disposing of the medications and no requests for identification will be made by police. Intravenous solutions, injectables, syringes and aerosol inhalers will not be accepted. Once collected, the drugs will then be turned over to the DEA and destroyed.

New Hampton Public Safety Building, 24 Intervale Drive off Route 104 Sponsored by New Hampton Police Department

DOG LICENSES/REGISTRATIONS

All Dogs must be licensed through the Town by April 30th. If a dog is not licensed by June 1st, there will be a forfeit of \$25.00 and a fine of \$1.00 per month.

License Fees are:

Male or Female \$9.00 Spayed or Neutered \$6.50 Puppies – 3 months to 7 months \$6.50

Dog for owner over Age 65 \$2.00 (one dog only)

CURRENT rabies certificate must be presented at time of registration, if not already on file. Residents are reminded that it is unlawful for any dog to run at large unless accompanied by and under the control of the owner or custodian.

D.A.R.E PROGRAM FOR STUDENTS

The New Hampton Police Department D.A.R.E. Program, in conjunction with the New Hampton Police Association is seeking donations and corporate sponsors to support the D.A.R.E. Program. D.A.R.E. is a Drug Abuse Resistance Education program offered to elementary school students. The program is an international effort to promote a drug-free lifestyle and help students make wise, healthy and safe choices in their daily lives.

The program is offered by the New Hampton Police Department and is conducted by a uniformed officer who is trained and certified as a D.A.R.E. instructor. Your donation will be used to provide supplies and materials specifically supporting the program in the New Hampton Community School. Your support is greatly appreciated. Donations can be mailed to the New Hampton Police Department, dropped off in person, or an officer with the department would be happy to come to your home or office.

Thank you,

Officer Jeff Cagle D.A.R.E. Instructor

Donations can be mailed to: DARE Program c/o New Hampton Police Department 24 Intervale Drive New Hampton, NH 03256

Checks payable to: New Hampton DARE Program
