#### SEE Notices Below!

- Town Clerk/Tax Collector's Office closed 10/18
- Straits Road culvert project Scheduled start date 10/22
- New Hampton Police Association Fundraiser
- New Hampton Historical Society presentation October 25, 2012, 7pm.
- Free Smoke Detector Installations and Battery checks for Seniors, 10/27
- Happy Halloween!!!! Wednesday, 10/31 5pm to 8pm.

## 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 <a href="https://www.new-hampton.nh.us">www.new-hampton.nh.us</a> or call the Town Office at 744-3559. All public meeting notices are posted at the Town Office and Public Works Department. All town newspaper notices are placed in the Laconia Daily Sun.

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 <a href="mailto:blucas@new-hampton.nh.us">blucas@new-hampton.nh.us</a>.

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

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

October 11, 2012

www.new-hampton.nh.us

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**Town Clerk/Tax Collector** 

THE OFFICE OF THE TOWN CLERK & TAX COLLECTOR WILL BE CLOSED ON

OCTOBER 18, 2012 (THURSDAY) TOWN CLERK TRAINING

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### Straits Road Culvert Project Scheduled to begin on Monday, October 22, 2012

Please be advised that as a result of Warrant Article #7 approval at the March of 2012 Town Meeting, an existing culvert on Straits Road will be replaced. This culvert has repeatedly failed in heavy rain and flooding events. To address the inadequacy of this culvert the Public Works Director researched the town records and found documentation of numerous events and repeated expense which supported an application for a grant. This is the 2<sup>nd</sup> of three (3) grants the town has received. The grant has been approved and 75% of this project will be funded by a State of NH Hazard Mitigation Grant. The location of this project is 2 miles east from the Dana Hill Road Intersection with Straits Road. It is between the resident's house number #386 and #470 Straits Road. It is an existing culvert crossing at the bottom of the hill.

This culvert replacement project is expected to commence on Monday, October 22, 2012. This project is estimated to be a 5-6 week construction project. During that time there will be approximately a 5-day period where there will be no thru traffic, which means a closure of Straits Road at the culvert location. All traffic must use alternative routes, traveling either east or west on Straits Road, to avoid the project area. Our Police and Fire/EMS Departments have been notified of the closure plan. These departments with the support of other local emergency service departments through Mutual Aid will be prepared to respond to any emergencies.

If you would like to view the plans they are available at the town office during office hours (M-F 8:30am to 4pm) or on the town website <a href="www.new-hampton.nh.us">www.new-hampton.nh.us</a>. We will post on the town web site and send an "Email Connection" advising of the actual dates of closure and when the road will reopen. You can also call the town office or Public Works Department for updates.

We appreciate your patience and cooperation during this project. If you have questions please call the Selectmen's Office at 744-3559 or the Public Works Director at 744-8025.

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# **Seeking Proposals From Winter Subcontractors**

The Town of New Hampton Public Works Dept. is seeking proposals from subcontractors for the 2012-2013 season to perform snowplowing, sanding and salting of town roads, parking areas, etc. as designated by the Public Works Director. Must have truck, operator, plow and sander. The contractor must be available on- call for snow and ice storms. The proposals must include a detailed description of the equipment offered and a total hourly rate for the equipment and operator. Certificates of Insurance and Workers Comp (if necessary) are required to be submitted with the proposal.

If you have any questions call the Public Works Director – Jim Boucher at 744-8025. To receive a copy of the town's policies and contract call the Town Office at 744-3559 and one will be mailed to you or you may pick it up at the Town Office.

Proposals shall be in a sealed envelope and marked "Town of New Hampton Request for Proposal (RFP) Winter Road Maintenance". **All Proposals are due by 4:00 PM, October 25, 2012** and can be delivered or mailed to: Town of New Hampton, Office of the Selectmen, 6 Pinnacle Hill Road, New Hampton, NH 03256.

All proposals received by the required date shall be opened in the Selectmen's Office, New Hampton Town Office, 6 Pinnacle Hill Road, on October 25, 2012 at 7:00 PM.

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### New Hampton Police Association

The New Hampton Police Association has begun a fundraiser to assist with the repair of the Association's 1967 Ford Custom police car which needs a new carburetor, possible transmission work, and some other minor maintenance. Donations can be mailed to the New Hampton Police Department, dropped off in person, or given to an officer with the department.

Thank you, George Huckins

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

Checks payable to: New Hampton Police Association



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NEW HAMPTON HISTORICAL SOCIETY PRESENTATION



# Thursday, October 25, 7 pm New Hampshire's One-Room Rural Schools

Gordon-Nash Library, 69 Main Street, New Hampton

Presenter: Steve Taylor

Hundreds of one-room schools dotted the landscape of New Hampshire a century ago and were the backbone of primary education for generations of children from lasting legacies of the one-room school era and how they echo today.

Free admission, refreshments.

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## Free Smoke Detector Installations and Battery Changes for Seniors

LRGHealthcare and New Hampton Fire Department are pleased to be offering:

FREE smoke detector installations and battery changes for seniors on

Saturday, October 27th

Call today if you are a senior resident or need help with changing your battery and would like to take advantage of this service.

To set up your FREE appointment call LRGHealthcare Education Services at 934-2060 ext. 8329. \*Note: Other local Fire Departments are also offering this service.

See the town website for more information www.new-hampton.nh.us

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HALLOWEEN HOURS IN NEW HAMPTON

Wednesday, October 31, 2012

5pm to 8pm

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