

Good evening, it's Friday, July 1st.

An update now in a story we brought you last week as police have arrested three for breaking a window at a historic mill in Claremont. City police have arrested three male juveniles, all around the age of 13, for breaking a window on June 19th at the Topstone Mill Building. Their identities are being withheld because of their status as minors and it appears that these suspects are not responsible for the robbery of six patio seat cushions the day before from the Time-Out All Americana Grill. The window breaking incident was reported to have happened the night of the 19th where the juveniles smashed eight window panels. Claremont Police are still investigating a string of robberies that took place on the same weekend at other parts around town, including Durham Avenue, Little Lane, and West Pleasant Street, which all appear to be unrelated to the vandalism. If you know anything in any of these cases, please contact Claremont Police at 603-542-9538.

Staying in Claremont tonight but on a different note, a popular boat launch on the Connecticut River will be closed for a short while while silt removal is completed. The Ashley Ferry public boat access launch on Route 12A will be closed starting next Tuesday, July 5th so that the ramp can be cleared of silt that has accumulated over the years. The ramp was built 16 years ago and is the only improved ramp between Cornish and Cheshire. Fortunately enough, the ramp will be reopened three days later on July 8th, next Friday, ahead of the weekend. During the silt dredging, a turbidity curtain, which is a plastic shield placed in the water, will be installed at the end of the ramp. This device catches silt and clay floating in the water as a result of the dredging, which keeps it from entering the main river and floating away or settling elsewhere. Authorities are reminding people that there will be no opportunity to launch or retrieve their boats from the Ashley Ferry launch during that time.

The tale continues tonight for a historic bridge over the Connecticut River between Walpole and Bellows Falls. Now, federal authorities are weighing in and say that actions will be taken in the near future. *The Eagle Times* reports that the US Department of Transportation's Federal Highway Administration says that although they have not replied to a letter regarding the future of the bridge, they certainly intend to. The letter was written by Charlene Vaughn of the Office of Federal Agency Programs to the FHWA, wondering what the NHDOT had planned for the bridge and if they had even drawn up a maintenance plan for the span. So far, authorities have replied by saying that the main issue is funding. The bridge, which is jointly owned by both states, was closed back in March of 2009 by the New Hampshire Department of Transportation after a semi-annual inspection deemed the structure unsafe due to deteriorating concrete. It is closed to traffic but currently carries sewage from Walpole to Bellows Falls for treatment, as part of an agreement.

It's going without saying that this weekend will be an exciting one for everybody here in our region and across the nation. The Fourth of July is on Monday and many towns in our area are celebrating on Sunday, taking advantage of the weekend and the nice weather we're scheduled to have. There are so many activities, parades, and festivities happening across our region, that it would take too long to name them all. However, I will mention that if you're at Sunapee's Independence Day parade, we will be there too! Keep an eye out for us as we cover the traditional parade through town and if you want to see it a second time, we'll be airing it on

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Monday night in place of the news. Here you're seeing our coverage of Andover's Fourth of July parade last year. If you live near Claremont, you may want to think catching the Shana Stack Band at Arrowhead Recreation Area on Sunday at 2 PM as part of their summer concert series. Then, on the actual 4th, we've got the annual celebration at Monadnock Park with fireworks at 9:30. If you live in the Upper Valley, Lebanon will be firing off some fireworks of their own around 9:20 PM. No matter where you live, it's due to be a fun weekend!

It's officially summer, and we're now 11 days in. Besides warm weather, it means that the New London Barn Playhouse will be putting on a variety of shows for you to check out this summer. Let's check in with Daniel Schwartzberg from Bedford, NH, who is the lead actor in the current performance: "How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying."

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The play is actually going for an extended three week run, ending on July 17th so there's plenty of time to check it out. After that, every two weeks, we'll have more from the New London Barn Playhouse, chronicling their current show. Stay tuned for that!

After the break on YCN News, we'll join sports reporter Andrew Zurheide for a look at some local sports action, plus your weather and community calendar. We'll be right back.

Welcome back to YCN News, I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today started off nice with mostly sunny skies but this evening has been stormy and overcast. At least it's still been warm though with temperatures reaching as high as 83 degrees. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight showers and potentially SEVERE THUNDERSTORMS are likely before midnight. At times these storms could bring damaging winds and hail so be sure to take necessary precautions. Temperatures will fall just below 60 degrees (59). Tomorrow the storms will have moved on make for a beautiful MOSTLY SUNNY start to our July 4th weekend with high temps reaching a very comfortable 76 degrees. There will be a westerly wind with gust speeds around 10 to 15 miles an hour. Saturday night will be mostly clear with lows in the mid 50s (54). Sunday looks similar to Saturday as SUNNY skies are expected with temperatures reaching as high as 77 degrees. And Sunday night will be mostly clear with lows around 58 degrees.

Looking for some fresh food that's locally grown? The Norwich farmers market is open from 9am to 1pm at the Summer Norwich Farmers Market Grounds off of Route 5 South next to Fogg's True Value Hardware. There will be over 50 vendors who will be there rain or shine and they will offer fresh food, prepared food and arts and crafts. Admission is free of course and you can call 802-384-7447 for more details.

Now here is a very interesting event, have you ever witnessed a polo match in person? Neither have I. If you would like to, I suggest you head on up to Quechee, Vermont where a legitimate polo match will take place at the Quechee Club on 3268 Quechee Main St. The game will begin at 2pm and is free and open to the public. The match will be hosted by the Sugarbush Polo Club. If you would like more information you are welcome to call 802-295-9356.

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Today we'll be showing you the YCN top five girls lacrosse plays from this past Spring. Let's see which plays made the cut.

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Nice stick work out there girls and what a dramatic finish during the division two championship game.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some results from a Keene Swamp Bats baseball game that was played last night.

The Bats coming in with a very impressive record of 11 and 6 traveled to take on the Winnepesaukee Muskrats who held a winning record of 9 and 8. Ryan Avidano got the start for Keene while Ethan Gillis took the mound for Winnepesaukee. Right out of the gate, both starters struggled and neither lasted more than 4 innings. By the end of the 4th, the Muskrats held a narrow 6 to 5 lead but then Keene answered with 5 runs in the top of the 5th thanks to a two run homer from Keene center fielder Brandt Stallings. This would give the Swamp Bats a 10 to 6 lead. The Muskrats were able to score twice in the 8th but then in the 9th, Swamp Bats closer Michael LaBeau was able to shut down any last minute offense from the Muskrats as Keene went on to win 11 to 8. The Swamp Bats improve to 12 and 6 while Winnepesaukee falls to 9 and 9. Keene will host the Sanford Mainers tonight.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Lynn Solomon for some Kearsarge Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Scott Blewitt about the Independence Day festivities in Sunapee. We'll be right back.

Thanks Lynn and Scott. Up next, we'll join Mayors Minutes, as we hear from the mayor of Claremont about the goings on within town. We'll be right back.

Welcome back, let's now join Claremont Mayor Charlene Lovett to check in with how things are going around town. In today's installment Mayor Lovett discusses the budgeting process and challenges faced by the council in maintaining fiscal responsibility in this year's budget along with finalizing the process to select candidates qualified to fulfill the position of outgoing city manager, Guy Santagate.

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Thanks Mayor Lovett. Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good night.

Good evening, it's Tuesday, July 5th.

This 4th of July weekend was an enjoyable time for almost everybody in our region. I say almost everybody because one homeowner in Claremont is recovering after a fire heavily damaged an attached two-story garage. Authorities say that around 2 PM on Saturday, fire crews responded to 52 Cat Hole Road to the report of a fire in a garage attached to a home. Firefighters were faced with heavy flames and after additional personnel arrived, they used two hoses on both stories of the garage to douse the flames. They also cut a ventilation hole in the roof and with the combined efforts, were able to knock the fire down before it spread to the main home, deemed under control around 3:15 PM. An investigation yielded that an ATV battery charger inside the garage started the fire. The property was confirmed to have been insured and tanker trucks from Charlestown, Cornish, Newport, Plainfield, and Meriden all responded with water because there were no fire hydrants nearby. The garage's second floor, consisting of a family room and two other rooms, was damaged heavily and the home suffered heat, smoke, and water damage.

Up in West Lebanon now, for those thinking that the closed Pizza Hut on Route 12A is an eyesore, you've got good news coming your way. A developer based out of Maine is hoping to demolish the vacant building and set up a new building of their own. *The Valley News* reports that August Bristol Pizza LLC, owned by Dead River Properties in Portland, Maine, wants to raze the closed Pizza Hut building and construct a new building, which would be twice the size. Possible uses of the building range from retail, restaurant, to medical office space. The Lebanon Planning Board is set to hear the proposal of the site plan on July 11th at their next regularly-scheduled meeting. Pizza Hut closed the West Lebanon branch in November without warning, similar to some other businesses along the main drag in recent years. Across the street, BJ's is planning to build on the former site of Friendly's to create a gas station. Further north up 12A, consumers may expect a PetSmart building in the future for their pet needs. Meanwhile, in the Wal-Mart plaza, Michaels is looking to move into the storefront currently occupied by Books-A-Million, which would move to the K-Mart plaza. Many changes are coming to downtown West Lebanon and the Planning Board is continuing to process all requests.

Staying in West Lebanon now, looming on a hill above the city is the Lebanon Airport, which has been the discussion of the state's Supreme Court for the last decade and especially as of late. Now, the state has decreed that the City of Lebanon did not break a lease agreement with Signal Aviation Services when it increased its property assessment. *The Valley News* says that Signal Aviation Services filed a claim in 2006 when the city raised the company's property assessment by 11 times the original amount, thus raising taxes. The claims against the city stated that as part of the lease agreement, the tax rates should be the same as other airport businesses. Signal Aviation, now known as the Granite Air Center, is responsible for fuel and maintenance, among other services, to the Lebanon Airport's customers. The decision from the NH Supreme Court came last week, which finally puts to bed the ten-year-long tax dispute. The city has expressed their satisfaction with the decision that they did not break the lease agreement, which stands to confirm their statement that all city taxpayers are treated fairly and equally.

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It's hard to deny the value of local goods, especially if it comes straight out of a field into your hand. Farmers' markets, of which there are so many, are a great way to experience the freshest produce and other goods offered up by the numerous farms in both twin states. New London holds theirs on Wednesdays all summer long. YCN's Noah Braun tells us more.

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Looks great! I love the taste of fresh fruits and veggies and especially local meats and cheeses. If you live in New London, or heck, anywhere else, check out your local farmers' market; you won't be disappointed.

After the break on YCN News, we'll join the Lake Sunapee Region VNA and Hospice as we take another look into the world of health. We will be right back.

Let's now join the Lake Sunapee Region VNA and Hospice as we examine death rates, hospitalizations, and cost reductions for Medicare.

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Thanks for that, we'll tune back in at the same time next week for more medical information.

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Welcome back to YCN News, I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well our 4th of July weekend was absolutely gorgeous and that nice weather has carried into today as we've seen sunny skies and temps in the mid 80s. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight there will be some patchy fog after 2am. Otherwise it will be MOSTLY CLEAR with a westerly wind around 5 miles an hour. Temperatures will remain warm, falling to around 63 degrees. Tomorrow, Wednesday, they'll be some patchy fog in the early hours but then the day will be clear, SUNNY and very warm with highs reaching into the low 90s (90). There will be a light westerly wind with speeds increasing from 5 to 10 miles an hour in the morning. Tomorrow night we will see partly cloudy skies with lows around 65 degrees. Thursday there is a 50% CHANCE OF SHOWERS AND THUNDERSTORMS beginning at 9am. Highs will remain warm in the upper 80s (87). A south 5 mile an hour wind will turn southwest in the afternoon. And Thursday night there is a 30% chance of showers and thunderstorms and with lows very comfortable sitting in the mid 60s (65).

Were you ever a fan of the Where's Waldo books? Or do you have kids who are fans? Well the Norwich Bookstore in Norwich, Vermont is currently holding their very own annual Where's Waldo event where 20 business around Norwich will have a Where's Waldo book hidden somewhere in the store. If you find a waldo book, the business owner will stamp your waldo passport. If you find 10 Waldo books, you can return to the bookstore and get a 1 dollar off coupon on all Waldo books. If you find all 20 waldo books, you will be entered to win one of

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several Waldo themed grand prizes. The contest runs during bookstore hours between 9am and 6pm and is free to enter. If you would like more details, feel free to call 802-649-1114.

The Hanover area farmer's market will be open tomorrow from 3 to 6pm in Hanover on the Dartmouth Green. Come peruse the vendors who will be selling locally grown produce, prepared foods and artisanal products. Attending is of course free and you can call 603-643-3115 for more details.

If you're a fan of yo-yo's, I suggest you check out yo-yo guy John Higby in Newbury, NH at the Newbury Public Library from 1pm to 2pm. John will give an interactive performance with yo-yos, a unicycle and a giant yo-yo. This event is free and open to children grades K through 5 and their families. Sign up is recommended and to do so you can call 603-763-5803.

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The Nighthawks with a record of 9 and 11 traveled to take on the North Adams SteepleCats who held a record of 11 and 9. Ryan Tapp got the start for the Hawks while Ryan Takacs took the mound for the Cats. Both starters pitched well until the bottom of the third inning when SteepleCats catcher Edward Haus was able to double in two runs to give North Adams a 2 nothing lead. The NightHawks were unable to get their offense going as they would total just seven hits scattered across nine innings. The Cats didn't have this problem as they would score 12 times during the course of the game. The Upper Valley was able to get on the board in the top of the 9th with a Walker Grisanti RBI single but this was all the offense they could muster as the SteepleCats went on to 12 to 1. The Nighthawks will host the Vermont Mountaineers tonight.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Elizabeth D'Orazio for some River Valley Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Amanda Mace and Grace Glor. We'll be right back.

Thanks Elizabeth and Grace. Up next, we'll join our Capital Connections series for this week as John O'Connor speaks to Dr. Jim Walsh, a professor of history at New England College. We'll be right back.

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North Adams SteepleCats 12 - Upper Valley Nighthawks 1

SteepleCats

Starting Pitcher - Ryan Tapp, 6.0 IP, 4 H, 0 ER, 1 BB, 6 K's, WIN

Catcher - John Mazza, 2 for 4, 1 R, 1 2B, 4 RBI, 1 BB

Right Field - Edward Haus, 1 for 2, 2 R, 2 RBI, 3 BB

Nighthawks

Starting Pitcher - Ryan Takacs, 4.0 IP, 4 H, 3 ER, 4 BB, 4 K's, LOSS

Right Field - Walker Grisanti, 1 for 4, 1 RBI

Left Field - Joseph Denison, 1 for 2, 2 BB

Good evening, it's Wednesday, July 6th.

It was thanks to the rapid and efficient work of crews from two local fire departments during a swift water rescue that a stranded person safe was deemed safe last night. According to the Hartford Fire Department, at around 10:00 last night, they responded to the Sumner Falls Boat access area in Hartland to assist the Plainfield, NH Fire Department in rescuing a person stranded on a rock in the Connecticut River. The victim was 20 years from the shore north of the falls, was not injured, and was were able to communicate with responders. He explained that he had been fishing and the water level rose suddenly, trapping him on the rock for four hours. Swift Water Teams from Hartford and Hanover arrived and entered the water, both upstream and downstream from the trapped man. They were able to toss him a line and a personal flotation device, allowing personnel to safely wade to the man and secure him and his fishing equipment. He was safely brought back to shore with no injuries and was not brought to the hospital. Fire departments from Hartford, Hanover, Lebanon, and Plainfield all responded.

Further down the river in Brattleboro, officials will be taking a look at the new site of the police department as part of a second environmental evaluation. Following the approved move of the Brattleboro Police Station from downtown to 62 Black Mountain Road, officials will be conducting a second site survey in regards to environmental suitability to ensure that the building and land are truly safe before the move begins. *The Brattleboro Reformer* reports that at the end of the first test, officials did not suggest that a second test would be required. The building houses the *Reformer*, and officials found materials in the sewers related to the printing process. Although this discovery poses no serious threat and does not deter the move altogether, a second test will be conducted in an act of caution. However, the timeframe for this second evaluation is expected to be at least three months, which further pushes the actual purchase of the property to late this year, come October or November. In the meantime, site design and permitting processes will carry on, ahead of the November 17th construction start date.

Yesterday we brought you news of the Lebanon Airport, but now tonight, we've got a look at another local airport: Claremont's. The local airport may be on track to receive a new hanger in the future, pending the approval of funds by the city council. According to *The Eagle Times*, the city council is set to vote next week on accepting \$365,000 in federal,

state, and local grant money for the new hangar project, which is part of the 10-year master plan to upgrade the entire facility. A large percentage of the grant money comes from the Federal Aviation Administration and both state and local contributions make up just shy of \$20,000 of the total. The master plan dictates that the new hangar will replace a current structure that was built in 1927 and is falling apart, with the the cost of repairs totalling more than the cost to simply build a new one. If the funds are approved and expended, the hangar will be located close to the runway and other hangars and will house five to six small planes. Other changes are on the way as part of the master plan, including a new terminal next year.

Remaining in Claremont tonight, the closed Wheelabrator incinerator plant will now have to look for another owner as a potential buyer has backed out. The plant on 145 Grisom Lane, which shut down in 2013, was set to be purchased by Recycling Technologies Solutions from Kentucky, given the incinerator's status as a trash-to-energy machine. *The Eagle Times* says that the Kentucky energy group sent an email to Mayor Charlene Lovett and City Manager Guy Santagate stating that after much consideration, they have decided not to purchase the building. Early last month, Recycling Technologies Solutions' attorney and investor, D.B. Kazee had presented his idea to the city council to create a gasification facility that would turn electricity back into the energy grid. Having placed the winning bid for over \$550,000, the group would have operated the plant as Genesis Recycling and would have employed 25 people. Both the city council and residents are still mulling possible uses for the facility, which operated for 27 years before closing just three years ago.

Yesterday we looked at the New London Farmers Market. Today, let's head across the river. Vermont has a wide variety of farms with farmers are dedicated to stewardship and committed to quality. In Southern Vermont, Windham Farm and Food created local-distribution food hubs, to deliver locally-produced food to over 50 buyers including schools and hospitals from 30 Vermont and New Hampshire food producers. Recently, Food Connects took over Windham Farm and Food to create a Farm to School Market Development Project. Funded by the Vermont Community Foundation, Food Connects is leading this project with local efforts and Vermont Statewide coordination.

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In the end, new Farm to School marketing strategies will be developed and materials distributed to cafeterias statewide. Critical market data will be collected and shared with food producers, along with technical assistance to enable innovation. Food Connects will continue to connect local food production with the purchasing requirements of cafeterias, meal halls and dining rooms while staying focused on increasing sales to these and other institutions.

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Here's a fun event, come check out a karate demonstration at the Richards Free Library in Newport New Hampshire from 3pm to 4pm where you can learn about martial arts that comes all the way from Japan. Brent Baker and his dojo will lead the demonstration and will teach new moves to all who attend. The lesson is of course free and you can call 603-863-3430 to find out more. You won't want to miss your chance to see a Kyoshi grand master in action.

The Summer Farmers Market in Lebanon will be open from 4 to 7pm at Colburn Park on North Park Street. The market will include fresh produce, plants, prepared food, baked goods and handmade crafts. Live music will also be performed each week by folk traditional musicians from around New England. You can call 603-448-5121 for more details.

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The Hawks coming in with a record of 9 and 12 hosted the Newport Gulls who held a record of 10 and 12. Luke Reilly took the mound for the Upper Valley while Newport countered with Matthew McGarry. Reilly was able to shut down the Gulls 1, 2, 3 in the top of the first while McGarry struggled a bit in the bottom of the inning, allowing a walk and an RBI double to

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Nighthawks left fielder Joseph Denison to give the Upper Valley an early 1 nothing lead. This wouldn't hold up for long as the Gulls were then able to tie the game in the top of the second off of a Trey Harris RBI single. Then in the top of the third, the Gulls broke the game open scoring four times and chasing Nighthawks pitcher Reilly out of the game. By the 9th inning, the Gulls held a 7 to 2 lead. The Nighthawks were able to score three times in the bottom of the 9th but were unable to tie the game as the Gulls went on to win 7 to 5 as they improve to 11 and 12 while the Hawks fall to 9 and 13. The Upper Valley travels to take on the Plymouth Pilgrims tonight.

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New England Collegiate Baseball League

Newport Gulls 7 - Upper Valley Nighthawks 5

Gulls

Starting Pitcher - Matthew McGarry, 5.0 IP, 5 H, 2 ER, 4 BB, 4 K's, WIN

Left Field - Trey Harris, 2 for 4, 1 2B, 2 RBI, 1 BB

Designated Hitter - Ben Breazeale, 2 for 5, 2 R, 1 2B, 1 RBI

Nighthawks

Starting Pitcher - Luke Reilly, 2.2 IP, 5 H, 2 ER, 0 BB, 1 K's, LOSS

Left Field - Joseph Denison, 2 for 3, 2 R, 1 2B, 2 RBI, 2 BB

Designated Hitter - Trent Leimkuehler, 2 for 4, 3 RBI, 1 BB

Good evening, it's Thursday, July 7th.

Crime news is up first tonight as Vermont State Police out of the Rockingham barracks have notched another drug arrest. Police say that this morning, they arrested 19-year old Amber French of Barre, Vermont in Rockingham. She was pulled over on Interstate 91 and police were able to detect that she was in possession of crack cocaine. Following a search of her person, officers found around two ounces of crack cocaine. She was taken into custody for charges of possession and trafficking of crack cocaine. French was arraigned in front of Windham County Court Judge Katherine Hayes and was ordered held at the Southern State Correctional Facility for lack of \$2,5000 bail. Vermont State Police and local authorities continue to fight the growing opiate crisis in the Green Mountain State. Arrests like this

morning's and a large bust last week of over 1700 bags of heroin in White River Junction are proving that their work is indeed paying off.

With other serious news, this time further North in Hartford, Vermont three people were sent to the hospital on Tuesday following an explosion. Authorities say that the explosion happened at around 4:30 PM at a business at 68 Old River Road. The Hartford Fire Department arrived promptly at 4:32 PM and an investigation determined that workers at the business were using torches to remove parts of a car when the flames ignited old gasoline in the tank of a 1970's Chevrolet Camaro that was being restored. The Hartford Fire Department was able to knock down the small fire caused by the explosion, which caused no damage to the building. However, three men who were working on the car were all injured in the blast with 52-year old Mark Kidder suffering burns to his head, face, arms, and legs. Chris Macedo suffered similar injuries and the business owner, Chuck Gordon, sustained minor flash burns. Kidder and Macedo were flown to a burn unit in Boston and Gordon received treatment at Dartmouth-Hitchcock. Fire departments from Lebanon, Hanover, Norwich, and Hartland all helped assist at the scene.

In local political news now, a politician from Claremont has announced his re-election to the New Hampshire House of Representatives. Democrat Raymond Gagnon, of Ward 3 Claremont, has announced today that he will be seeking re-election to his House seat, number 1019. In a press release, Gagnon stressed his background in government on the local, county, state, and federal level as well as his knowledge of the area and commitment to citizens of Ward 3 and Claremont. One of his goals is to address sustainable property tax relief and community/economic development in the area. In addition, Gagnon is a member of the NH Passenger Rail Authority, where he has used his role towards enhancing rail trail in to and from Claremont, a concept that Mayor Charlene Lovett is also pushing towards. Having been born in Claremont and currently residing here, he hopes to "continue to be fair, frugal, and focused on the challenges facing Claremont and New Hampshire. Gagnon is currently in his 5th term as a NH State Representative and is hoping that residents to vote for him come November.

Across the river in Brattleboro, Vermont, the town has enabled a new system of voting through a device that will make early voting a bit easier. Following the approved changes to the Town Charter this year, the town will now be using voting tabulators for any residents choosing to vote early in the town clerk's office. This allows Brattleboro voters to cast their ballots in the same way as they would have on the actual election day. Early votes through the tabulator do not skew or alter the results, as all votes, from the tabulator and from the day of, are tallied on election night. The usage of this device in this new manner will ease the process of early voting by removing the need for workers to open sealed envelopes during election day and count them. In addition, voter privacy is not only kept intact with this method, but is enhanced even further. Tabulators have been in use since 1987 in Brattleboro, but previously have only been used on election day. As a reminder, August 3rd at 5 PM is the deadline for registering to vote in the Primary Election in Brattleboro.

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In late May, five Sunapee Middle School students took home an award that they won't soon forget. The team of students known as The Cat's Pajamas participated in the Destination Imagination World Competition in Tennessee and took home the silver medal, 2nd place. This is a huge accomplishment and we caught up with the team coach and two of the team members to reflect on their success.

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Congratulations to both the team members and their coach, this certainly wasn't an easy task but it's definitely something to be very proud of.

After the break on YCN News, we'll join sports reporter Andrew Zurheide for a look at some local sports action, plus your weather and community calendar. We'll be right back.

Welcome back to YCN News, I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today has been hot and muggy with temperatures in the upper 80s for most of the day. And at this point, we've seen occasional heavy rain with some scattered thunderstorms. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight there's a 60% CHANCE FOR HEAVY RAIN and THUNDERSTORMS before 9pm. Then showers are expected for the rest of the night. Otherwise the skies will be mostly cloudy with lows very warm, around 66 degrees. A 5 mile an hour southwest wind will become calm in the evening. Tomorrow, Friday, patchy fog is expected before 9am but then the skies will be MOSTLY CLOUDY with highs near 83 degrees. A calm north wind will pick up a bit around 5 miles an hour. Tomorrow night there is a 60% CHANCE FOR HEAVY RAIN and possibly a thunderstorm. Lows will fall to around 62 degrees. Saturday the storms will continue as SHOWERS AND A THUNDERSTORM are likely with highs a bit cooler, only reaching the upper 60s (69). A southeast wind will increase speeds from 5 to 10 miles an hour. And Saturday night will be more of the same with rainy stormy weather and lows falling to around 60 degrees.

If you're looking for some bargains I suggest you head on up to the Lyme Congregational Church on 1 Dorchester Road for another bargain Barn sale. Used clothes, household items, linens, jewelry and toys will be available for purchase at a very reasonable price. The bargains will be going on from 1:30pm to 4:30pm and you can call 603-795-2850 for more information.

The Chelsea Farmers Market in Chelsea, Vermont will be going on again tomorrow from 3 to 6pm in the heart of downtown Chelsea. This market offers fresh produce, local crafts, and prepared foods. There is an average of 20 vendors a week and it is a great place to purchase local products, meet up with friends, and enjoy some live music. If you would like more information you can call 802-685-3174.

The Spark! Community Center on 75 Bank St. in Lebanon, is having another Friday Fun Night and Community Dinner from 6 to 9pm. Come spend an evening interacting with the Montshire Museum of Science's "Pop Up" night where they will be setting up fun exhibits for all ages which will facilitate tinkering, creativity and building things while also building an understanding of

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science concepts. The dinner will include a make your own taco bar. There is a five dollar suggested donation and the event is open to the public and all ages are welcome. You can call 603-678-8619 to find out more.

In today's sports we'll be continuing to look at local hiking and running trails in our area. Today's focus is the St. Gaudens Trails as part of their national historic site in Cornish, NH.

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Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some results from an Upper Valley Nighthawks baseball game that was played last night.

The Hawks coming in with a record of 9 and 13 traveled to take on the Plymouth Pilgrims who held a record of 10 and 11. Cordes Baker got the start for the Upper Valley while Plymouth sent Thomas Lane to the mound. The Pilgrims got off to a quick start scoring three times over the first two innings including a lead off home run from Plymouth's right fielder Jesse Baker. However the Nighthawks didn't get discouraged as they were able to tie the game scoring three runs in the top of the 4th, two of them coming from a home run from right fielder Grayson Padgett. Both teams would trade leads until the bottom of the 9th when the Pilgrims were down by one. After a single an error and a walk, the bases were loaded for Plymouth. By the end of the inning they were able to score just once to tie the game to bring it to extra innings. Now let's go all the way to the bottom of the 13th, after two quick outs, a Plymouth runner was able to reach base after an error. He would then steal second and the next batter, third basemen Brian Sharp, was able to single him home for the game winning walk-off hit. The Pilgrims improve to 11 and 11 while the Nighthawks fall to 9 and 14 and have now lost 6 in a row.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Elizabeth D'Orazio for some River Valley Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Amanda Mace from Turning Points Network. We'll be right back.

Thanks Elizabeth and Grace. Up next, we'll join our Capital Connections series for this week as John O'Connor speaks to Dr. Jim Walsh, a professor of history at New England College. We'll be right back.

Thanks John and Jim, we'll join you tomorrow for Part 3. Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good night.

New England Collegiate Baseball League

Plymouth Pilgrims 9 - Upper Valley Nighthawks 8

Pilgrims

Starting Pitcher - Thomas Lane, 5.1 IP, 7 H, 5 ER, 2 BB, 4 K's

Right Field - Jesse Baker, 2 for 7, 1 R, 1 HR, 2 RBI

Third Base - Brian Sharp, 5 for 7, 1 R, 1 2B, 1 RBI

Nighthawks

Starting Pitcher - Cordes Baker, 5.0 IP, 7 H, 3 ER, 2 BB, 4 K's

Designated Hitter - Joseph Denison, 2 for 7, 2 R, 1 HR, 1 RBI

Right Field - Grayson Padgett, 2 for 3, 2 R, 1 HR, 2 RBI

Good evening, it's Friday, July 8th.

A crime update is up first tonight as a Claremont woman was arrested yesterday in connection to a home invasion of an elderly Charlestown woman's home. Police say that 25-year old Sarah Carr of 12 Memorial Drive in Claremont was arrested for Conspiracy to Commit Receiving Stolen Property, related to a home invasion over a year ago. Carr is the wife of Jeffrey Buzzell, who was arrested last month on similar charges for a home invasion he took part in during May of 2015. Buzzell and another man broke into an elderly woman's home, tied her up in the basement, and stole jewelry and valuables. Almost a year later, the stolen goods were discovered when police intercepted a phone call that Buzzell made from prison to his wife, describing where they were. At that time, Buzzell was in prison for a charge unrelated to the home invasion. Carr was arraigned today and Buzzell is currently lodged at the Sullivan County House of Corrections for lack of bail. Both New Hampshire State Police and Claremont Police assisted in yesterday's arrest.

Continuing with serious news, a motorcyclist was killed over the weekend in Vermont and an online fundraiser has begun to raise money for his family. During the 4th of July Holiday Weekend on Sunday, 29-year old Gregory Nichols of Bellows Falls was traveling on Canal Street on a motorcycle when he collided with a motor vehicle. Police say they responded to the scene around 4:45 PM and found that Nichols had died as a result of the collision. Police withheld his identity until family members were notified and the driver of the car has been identified as 40-year old Noreen Woodruff of Guilford, Vermont. Since the accident, a GoFundMe page was set up to help support the family of Nichols. In just three days, 88 people have raised over \$4,000, all towards the goal of \$5000. The note describing the fundraiser says that Nichols leaves behind three children, a stepson, his wife, and other family members. Two of his children were in a car near him when the accident occurred and witnessed the crash. The accident is still under investigation by Brattleboro Police.

Another update tonight, but of a different note, as the Claremont Speedway's proposed campground is receiving a considerable amount of feedback and discussion. The city's Zoning Board of Adjustment has agreed to continue the discussion on proposal of an RV campground at the Thrasher Road location. Besides hearing more input from residents, the board also hopes to visit the actual site and gather more information on the water supply. The campground would consist of 149-sites, which means that 700 people could potentially be using the land at any given time. The plan has been in the works for more than a year now as Claremont Speedway LLC even withdraw an earlier plan last year when neighbors of the proposed site spoke against it. Because the site on 282 Thrasher Road is within a Rural Residential district, the variance would permit the vacant land to be used for a private campground with utilities such as a swimming pool and bathrooms. Abutters are concerned about noise, traffic, and water supply, and the board will analyze all these factors before moving forward.

And over in Sunapee now, if you were thinking about swimming at the Sunapee State Park Beach this weekend, well you might want to think again. The New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services has posted an advisory at the local beach after tests found high levels of fecal coliform bacteria. The levels detected were higher than state standards and officials are advising the water may not be safe for wading or swimming. The New Hampshire Beach Program, as part of DES, oversees roughly 190 beaches in the Granite State, monitoring them for E. coli, which is known to originate from the digestive tracts of warm-blooded mammals which can include waterfowl. The sample test was conducted on Tuesday and the advisory was issued the following day, on July 6th. The standard figure for E. coli testing is 88 counts per 100 milliliters of water in one sample. The tests done at the Sunapee State Park Beach yielded levels of 150 counts, slightly less than double the state standard. The beach is not officially closed but a warning sign advises swimmers of the risks.

After the break on YCN News, we'll check out a local family-run gardening business that has what you need to complete your garden. We'll be right back.

Got a green thumb? If you're looking for some new colorful perennials for your garden or need some outdoor furniture guidance, we suggest you check out the family owned and run business Kathan Gardens in Newport, New Hampshire. They offer a wide variety of herbs, vegetables, flowers, shrubs and anything you need to make your garden or lawn shine in the summer sun. We recently took a tour of the Kathan Gardens and interviewed one of the co-owners, Jill Kathan.

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Kathan Gardens looks like a great place to get your garden needs this summer.

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Welcome back to YCN News, I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well so far today we've seen mostly sunny skies and temperatures in the upper 80s. There's a slight 20% chance we'll see a thunderstorm before the day is over. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight there's a 40% CHANCE OF SHOWERS after midnight. Temps will fall to as low as 63 degrees. There will be a southeast wind with gust speeds around 5 to 10 miles an hour. Tomorrow, Saturday, looks like a wet one as there's currently a 70% CHANCE FOR SHOWERS AND THUNDERSTORMS after 7am. Highs will be much cooler, only reaching 66 degrees. A half an inch of new rainfall is possible. Tomorrow night the showers and thunderstorms will continue until 2am. The skies will be cloudy and lows will fall to around 60 degrees. Sunday will continue to be stormy as showers and thunderstorms are still likely (70%) after 8am. Highs will climb into the mid 70s (74) and to wrap up our weekend on Sunday night, the precipitation will continue to linger with a 30% chance for showers and lows around 57.

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Were you ever a fan of the Where's Waldo books? Well the Norwich Bookstore in Norwich, Vermont is currently holding their very own annual Where's Waldo event where 20 business around Norwich will have a Where's Waldo book hidden somewhere in their stores. If you find 10 Waldo books, each business owner will stamp your Waldo passport and you can return to the bookstore and win a prize. If you find all 20 Waldo books you could win a Waldo themed grand prize. The contest runs during bookstore hours between 9am and 6pm and is free to enter. If you would like more details, feel free to call 802-649-1114.

Looking for some fresh food that's locally grown? The Norwich farmers market is open from 9am to 1pm at the Summer Norwich Farmers Market Grounds off of Route 5 South next to Fogg's True Value Hardware. There will be over 50 vendors who will be there rain or shine and they will offer fresh food, prepared food and arts and crafts. Admission is free of course and you can call 802-384-7447 for more details.

Looking ahead now, The Berean Baptist Church in Newport, New Hampshire off of the (928 John Stark Highway) John Stark Highway, is inviting you to bring your kids to their vacation bible school beginning on July 11th and ending on July 15th. Each day the camp will be going on from 9 to 11:30am. Grades K through 6th are welcome to attend as the week will include bible stories, arts and crafts, games and refreshments. If you would like more information you are welcome to call Pastor George at 603-938-2330.

In today's sports we'll be continuing to look at local hiking and running trails in our area. Today's focus is the Arrowhead Recreation Area right here in Claremont.

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Stay tuned for another episode tomorrow and in the following weeks.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some results from a Keene Swamp Bats baseball game that was played last night.

Keene with a record of 12 and 9, hosted the North Adams SteepleCats who came in with a record of 13 and 10. Tommy Doyle got the start for the Swamp Bats while the Cats countered with Kyle Mora. Keene got off to quick start in the second inning with Parker Sniatynski led off with a triple and then Jack Morock singled him in to give the Bats a 1 nothing lead. Keene would score two more times while only allowing one run from the SteepleCats. Now we go to the top of the 8th with North Adams down 3 to 1. With a man on first and second, Cats right fielder Edward Haus hit a double to left field which scored both runners to tie the game at 3 a piece. Now to the bottom of the 9th with the game still tied. Jack Morock would lead off the inning with a double. The next two batters would strike out but the then pinch hitter Brandt Stallings came to plate. He would double to left field that would score the walk off game winning run. Keene improves to 13 and 9 while North Adams falls to 13 and 11. Keene will face off against Winnepesaukee tonight.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Lynn Solomon for some Kearsarge Chronicle.

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Today, she'll be speaking to Andrew Hager from Hager Investments Management Services. We'll be right back.

Thanks Lynn and Andrew. Up next, we'll join our Capital Connections series for this week as John O'Connor speaks to Dr. Jim Walsh, a professor of history at New England College. We'll be right back.

Thanks John and Jim. Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good weekend.

New England Collegiate Baseball League

Keene Swamp Bats 4 - North Adams SteepleCats 3

Swamp Bats

Starting Pitcher - Tommy Doyle, 7.0 IP, 3 H, 0 ER, 1 BB, 10 K's, NO DECISION

Center Field - Parker Sniatynski, 2 for 4, 1 R, 1 3B

Right Field - 2 for 4, 1 R, 1 2B, 1 RBI, 1 BB

SteepleCats

Starting Pitcher - Kyle Mora, 5.0 IP, 8 H, 3 ER, 1 BB, 2 K's, NO DECISION

Right Field - Edward Haus, 1 for 4, 1 2B, 2 RBI

Third Base - Dustin Shirley, 2 for 4, 1 R, 1 2B, 1 RBI

Good evening, it's Monday, July 11th.

We begin tonight with a quick alert for you as local authorities in Vermont are seeking the public's help in tracking down an individual responsible for theft of a television. Late last week, an officer from Chester, Vermont police force responded to Green Mountain Union High School at 716 Route 103 South for a report of a theft. Police say that when they arrived, a building coordinator told them that someone had stolen a brand new 65 inch Vizio television that they had purchased for \$1000. The suspect was captured on the school video surveillance network, where he was seen moving the television and removing it from the premises. The crime occurred at roughly 11:45 PM and the individual had entered the building when the school was closed. If you have any information or know who the person in the photos is, you are urged to contact the Chester Police Department and speak to Officer Caleb Currie. The department's phone number is 802-875-2035.

In what has become a lengthy court case, a Dartmouth professor charged with possession of child pornography was scheduled to be sentenced today after pleading guilty. Prior to today, J. Martin Favor faced prison sentences of up to ten years, but could be as low as three, which is what his attorney is requesting. He pleaded guilty in March and resigned from his job as an English professor at Dartmouth College just last week. Favor had been on paid leave since he was arrested in September after authorities discovered that he had uploaded four images of child porn through his Tumblr account. Favor, who lives in Plainfield, NH, was flagged by Tumblr when the images were detected and the New Hampshire Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force was alerted. The single felony

count of possession of child porn dictates that, besides prison time, he will be under supervised release with terms and conditions come the end of his sentence. Besides prison time, Favor also faces being flagged as a sex offender for the rest of his life.

A development now in what has been a turbulent time for Stevens High School in Claremont in regards to its scheduling. Late last week, the state's Public Employee Labor Relations Board ruled that the school stop implementing their new A/B classroom schedule and go back to their former block schedule. The A/B schedule was adopted last year to allow students to succeed more in their core classes by offering four classes on A days and four other classes on B days throughout the year. The block schedule simply required that students take four classes per semester. However, once the A/B schedule was adopted, there was immediate feedback and following last week's ruling by the state, the school district plans to take their case to the state's Supreme Court in support of the A/B schedule, according to *The Eagle Times*. The legal battle may be lengthy and with the school year picking up again in the fall, students will use the block schedule as school administrators work out the finer details of the appeal and how the daily schedule should be set.

Returning to police news, but of a different note, the Windham County Sheriff's office is reconsidering the security they provide at courthouse hearings. At the end of August this year on the 31st, the Vermont Court Administrator's Office is expected to make a decision on increasing the pay rates to deputies who provide security to the Newfane and Brattleboro courthouses. *The Brattleboro Reformer* says that Windham County Sheriff Keith Clark revealed the fiscal contract from last year totalling in around a quarter million dollars. However, this year, his office is now asking for \$35 an hour for court security so that they don't continue to lose money for their services at the courthouses. The security detail includes screenings, managing the courtroom, patrolling inside and outside the building, as well as other responsibilities. Clark has said that two years ago, he told the courts that their contract was not sustainable and also that the Sheriff's Office relies on contracts. Both the courthouses and the Sheriff's Office now await the state's decision, with the latter considering withdrawing their services altogether if the decision rules in favor of not increasing the pay rate.

After the break on YCN News, we'll join the Lake Sunapee Region VNA and Hospice as we take another look into the world of health. We will be right back.

Let's now join the Lake Sunapee Region VNA and Hospice as we examine _____.

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Thanks for that, we'll tune back in at the same time next week for more medical information.

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Welcome back to YCN News, I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today has been warm and sunny which is a nice change from the rainy weekend. Temperatures have been in the upper

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70s and the skies will remain clear all the way into tonight. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight there will be some foggy areas after 1am with calm winds. Otherwise it will be MOSTLY CLEAR with lows falling to around 52 degrees. Tomorrow the fog will stick around until about 9am. Then the day will become clear and SUNNY with highs near 87 degrees. A calm wind will turn southwest and pick up speed to just around 5 miles per hour. Tomorrow night the skies will continue to be clear with lows sitting in the mid 60s (64). Wednesday looks like a very HOT and HUMID day as MOSTLY SUNNY skies are expected with temperatures reaching the early 90s (91). A southwest wind will pick up strength to as much as 10 miles per hour. And Wednesday night is expected to be partly cloudy with lows around 68.

Do you know Spanish or want to speak spanish but are rarely able to use your language skills in actual conversation? Then head on over to Umpleby's Bakery in Hanover from 9:30 to 10:30am to speak spanish with the Buena Gente Social Club. All ages and proficiency levels are welcome. Please call 802-649-5151 for more details about this free event.

If you have kids who like stories, I suggest you bring them to the "Lunch Time Reading" afternoon at the Hartland Public Library in Hartland, Vermont. The reading will begin at noon and will run until 1:30pm. Lunch will not be provided so be sure to bring your own to enjoy while listening to a story or participating in a reading activity. This event is of course free and if you would like more info you're welcome to call 802-436-2473.

Bingo! The Enfield firefighters association is hosting another bingo night at the Enfield Community Center starting at 6:30pm. For 12 cards it will cost you 20 bucks or for 18 to 36 cards or all-night play it will cost 25 bucks. Refreshments will be available and you can call 603-632-5438 for more information.

Today we'll be showing you the YCN top five plays from boys lacrosse this past Spring. Let's see which ones made the cut.

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Great job out there guys. Can't wait to see what next season has to offer.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some results from an Upper Valley Nighthawks baseball game that was played last Friday.

The Hawks coming in with a record of 9 and 14, hosted the North Adams SteepleCats who came in with a record of 13 and 11. Bill Maier got the start for the Upper Valley while Robby Buffis took the mound for the Cats. The Hawks took a quick 1 nothing lead in the bottom of the first which they would hold until the top of the 4th when Cats first basemen Noah Vaughan doubled in a run to tie the game. The Hawks then answered with four runs in the bottom of the same inning, two of which came from a 2 run double from Hawks left fielder Joseph Denison. With the Upper Valley now leading 6 to 1, Hawks pitcher Maier was able to dial in to pitch a total of 8 innings allowing just 3 earned runs and 5 hits. By the 9th inning, the Hawks held a 10 to 3 lead and closer Avery Flinger was able to retire the side one, two, three to give Maier and the

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Nighthawks the win. The SteepleCats fall to 13 and 12 while the NightHawks improve to 10 and 14. The Hawks will take on the Ocean State Waves tonight.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Lynn Solomon for some Kearsarge Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Roger Smith, the president of the New London Historical Society. We'll be right back.

Thanks Lynn and Roger. Up next, we'll join our Capital Connections series for this week as we take a look at Donald Trump's visit to the area last year. We'll be right back.

Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good weekend.

New England Collegiate Baseball League

Upper Valley Nighthawks 10 - North Adams SteepleCats 3

Nighthawks

Starting Pitcher - Bill Maier, 8.0 IP, 5 H, 3 ER, 2 BB, 1 K's, WIN

Short Stop - Matt Maul, 1 for 4, 2 R, 3 RBI

Left Field -Joseph Denison, 2 for 5, 1 R, 1 2B, 2 RBI

SteepleCats

Starting Pitcher - Robby Buffis, 3.1 IP, 4 H, 4 ER, 3 BB, 1 K's, LOSS

Right Field - Edward Haus, 2 for 4, 1 2B, 1 RBI

First Base - Noah Vaughan, 1 for 4, 1 2B, 1 RBI

Good evening, it's Tuesday, July 12th.

Tonight's news begins with an update from yesterday's top story as former Dartmouth professor J. Martin Favor has been sentenced to prison for 5 and a half years. He was sentenced yesterday in US District Court on charges of possession of child pornography, after being arrested last fall. His arrest came after social media site Tumblr detected that he had uploaded a handful of images of child porn from his Plainfield, NH residence. This information was passed on to state authorities who executed a search warrant on his home, finding hardware that stored illicit images and videos. Prosecutors say that over 15 years, Favor had collected over 500 videos and 300 images of children being sexually abused. He had been an English professor at Dartmouth College and was on paid leave up until last week when he resigned. He pleaded guilty in late May and will appear back in court in September for a second hearing. He faces seven years of supervised release once his sentence is up.

In Vermont now, the town of Hartford has welcomed its new town manager. 51-year old Leo Pullar, a former Army colonel, conducted his first business meeting yesterday as part of a three-year contract that promises him \$130,000 a year. His hiring and appointment to the position fills the spot left by former town manager Hunter Reiseberg who abruptly resigned in August of last year. Fire Chief Steve Locke filled the gap for a spell before he moved to Burlington Vermont, causing the Selectboard to hire Pat MacQueen as the new interim

manager. *The Valley News* reports that yesterday's meeting was upbeat and Pullar promised complete transparency and nothing being held secret. He noted that he retired from his job as the deputy director of the Installation Services Directorate at the Pentagon on Friday, hoping to take his military administrative experience to a local level, allowing Hartford to meet its goals over the next three years. This week, he will be meeting with other town officials and community groups.

In Claremont again, the city's planning board has approved the use of a new parking lot by a local company on Maple Avenue. National Field Representatives will now have 71 extra parking spaces right across the street at the former site of Gary's Tire and Auto, which was demolished recently. *The Eagle Times* says that the board approved the use of the new lot by an 8-0 unanimous vote and received no opposition during the public hearing portion of the vote. Currently on the site, a portion of land has been cleared and levelled and now, NFR hopes to pave the area and install pavilions, hoping to make the lot attractive and safe. Besides the new lot, NFR hopes to construct a new building on the site of the closed Mascoma Savings Bank building right next door. Earlier this year, a portion of Maple Avenue, including NFR, was deemed an Economic Revitalization Zone by the city, making businesses in that zone eligible for tax credits. NFR is a mortgage servicing company that employs about 200 people here in Claremont and an additional 50 at its Florida location.

For so many in our region, this past weekend was a very important one as the 35th Annual Prouty was held, despite some rainy weather. This year, the fundraiser, which has become a significant event in our area every year, raised over \$3 million for cancer research. The Prouty is sponsored by the Norris Cotton Cancer Center of Dartmouth-Hitchcock, who announced that over 4300 people turned out for this year's event. The event is not limited to one sport, as you could have walked, biked, golfed, or rowed over the course of two days to complete the event. Some participants went as far as 200 miles for the cause, known as The Prouty Ultimate, starting in Manchester on Friday and ending in Hanover on Saturday. The event was created when Audrey Prouty lost her nine-year battle with ovarian cancer in August of 1982. Four of her nurses, who were inspired by her courage, cycled 100 miles through the White Mountains and raised \$4,000 for cancer research. Next year's event is scheduled for July 7th and 8th so if you're planning to take part next year, mark your calendars!

After the break on YCN News, we'll check out a local historical society that isn't so typical. Details when we come back.

Our area is rich with history from the stone walls you can find all over the place to the iconic covered bridges. With so much history, it's a great place for museums and historical societies. However, the New London Historical Society is not your typical local historical society. Let's learn why they are so different.

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You can visit any Sunday now through Columbus Day weekend from 1 PM until 4 PM. Special event dates and other information can be found on their website, NewLondonHistoricalSociety.org.

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The Montshire Museum of Science is hosting another half an hour straw rocket activity where participants can craft an indoor paper rocket. The activity will be running from 11am to 11:30am and the museum is off of One Montshire Road in Norwich, Vermont. After construction, there'll be a testing period to see how far your rocket can fly. This activity is considered free but with admission to the museum which will cost you 13 to 16 dollars. You are welcome to call 802-649-2200 to find out more.

Well since we're currently in the summer months, I suggest you bring your kids to a kite making event in Newbury, NH. From 1pm to 3pm, the Newbury Public Library off of 933 Route 103, is hosting a free kite crafting afternoon where kids can come decorate and fly kites. All supplies will be provided and the event is open to children grades K through 5. Sign up is recommended and you can contact 603-763-5803 for more information.

The Hanover area farmer's market will be open tomorrow from 3 to 6pm in Hanover on the Dartmouth Green. Come peruse the vendors who will be selling locally grown produce, prepared foods and artisanal products. Attending is of course free and you can call 603-643-3115 for more details.

Today we'll be bringing you the YCN top five plays from boys tennis this past Spring. Let's see which ones made the cut.

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Nice shots out there guys and what a singles rally by Van Etten.

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The Hawks with a record of 10 and 14, hosted the Ocean State Waves who came in with a record of 15 and 9. Dylan Verdonk got the start for the Upper Valley while Zach Bahm took the mound for Ocean State. Both starters pitched well until the top of the third when the Waves were able to score two runs off of Verdonk, one of which was from Waves shortstop Grant Williams who was able to single home a run. Verdonk would end up pitching 5 innings only allowing the two runs but Waves starter Bahm was able to pitch 7 scoreless innings only allowing 3 hits. In the top of the 8th, Ocean State was able to score two more runs in the top of the 8th to go up 4 to zero which would be too much for the Nighthawks to overcome. Verdonk was tagged with the loss despite only allowing two run and Bahm was rewarded with the win. The Waves improve to a very impressive 16 and 9 while the Nighthawks fall to 10 and 15. The Upper Valley will take on the Plymouth Pilgrims tonight.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Elizabeth D'Orazio for some River Valley Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Laura Ryan, about a Day in the life of a TP Volunteer. We'll be right back.

Thanks Lynn and Roger. Up next, we'll join our Capital Connections series for this week as we take a look at Donald Trump's visit to the area last year. We'll be right back.

Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good weekend.

New England Collegiate Baseball League

Ocean State Waves 4 - Upper Valley Nighthawks 0

Waves

Starting Pitcher - Zach Bahm, 7.0 IP, 3 H, 0 ER, 0 BB, 3 K's, WIN

Shortstop - Grant Williams, 2 for 5, 1 RBI

Right Field - Matt Cogen, 2 for 4, 1 R, 1 RBI

Nighthawks

Starting Pitcher - Dylan Verdonk, 5.0 IP, 7 H, 2 ER, 0 BB, 1 K's, LOSS

Second Base - Austin Emblar, 1 for 3, 1 2B

Left Field -Joseph Denison, 1 for 4, 1 2B

Good evening, it's Wednesday, July 13th.

We begin tonight with a scary scene here in Claremont this afternoon as a fire broke out in a large garage on Sugar River Drive. Residents in the area reported hearing explosions and saw smoke rise from Gary's Disposal and Recycling, an 8-bay pole barn. Fire crews from Claremont, Newport, and other towns responded to the 1-alarm fire, which was fully engulfed when they arrived. The flames caused a brush fire behind the buildinghe explosions that people heard reportedly came from equipment inside the garage.

The fire was deemed under control after about an hour and is still under investigation tonight.

Tonight's show begins with news of a car chase last night that began in Vermont and ended right here in Claremont. Vermont State Police say that 20-year old Jack Baker of Brattleboro was signalled by a trooper to pull over last night around 6 PM on US Route 5 in the town of Rockingham. However, Baker failed to stop when he was signalled to and he eluded troopers. Vermont State Police were able to pursue him to Exit 8 in the town of Weathersfield. During the chase, Baker reached speeds of 110 miles per hour on Interstate 91, traveling North, and eventually reached New Hampshire, where state troopers from the Granite State picked up the pursuit. The vehicle and Baker were located in Claremont and he was subsequently arrested and charged with Attempting to Elude, Negligent Operation, Excessive Speed, and Violation of Conditions of Release. Vermont State Police caught up with Baker at the Claremont Police headquarters and he was issued a citation to appear in Windham County Superior Court at a later date.

Crime news now as a local Vermont man has been ordered held without bail yesterday for charges of assault and kidnapping. Court records say that 46-year old Mark LaValley Sr. of Brattleboro was in Windham Superior Court Criminal Division to answer to charges of aggravated assault and kidnapping from a May 15th incident which left the victim with facial fractures. He was arrested on July 11th by Brattleboro PD after receiving a phone call on May 15th saying that the caller's daughter had received Facebook messages from the victim of the kidnapping, saying he had been beat up and was being held against his will. An affidavit says that the victim was kidnapped by LaValley because the victim had allegedly hit LaValley's child on two consecutive days. He was kidnapped by LaValley and another man and was driven to Living Memorial Park, to a motel, and then to his own car, where he may have passed out. LaValley's criminal record in Vermont is extensive, having been previously convicted for escape from custody or furlough, sale of cocaine, DUI, grand larceny, burglary, and other charges. He's currently being held without bail.

The historic bridge between Walpole and Bellows Falls is still very actively in discussion on both the local, state, and federal levels. However, the newest development on the Vilas Bridge comes from the local level as the Bellows Falls Board of Trustees has voted and agreed to table the discussion of a wastewater treatment agreement, keeping it separate from the repair of the bridge. *The Eagle Times* reports that the board voted 4-1 to table any definitive action on the wastewater agreement between Walpole and Bellows Falls, with the latter treating wastewater from the former, transported underneath the Vilas Bridge. The Municipal Manager of Bellows Falls stated that he wants business to continue as usual and to keep the local wastewater agreement discussion separate from the state and federal discussion regarding the repair of the deteriorating span. This is the third attempt to resolve and sign the wastewater agreement between the two towns and won't be taking any action on it until the board adds it to their agenda for a future meeting. Meanwhile, local authorities continue to work with state and federal officials in receiving funding to repair the bridge, which closed in 2009.

After the break on YCN News, we'll check out a great time that was had in Newbury over the weekend, despite some rain.

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The weather this past weekend could not keep away the good times at Newbury Old Homes Days in Newbury. Sure it was wet but when there's good food, jugglers, a magician, and great entertainment, who cares about a little rain? That's pretty much how things went. This annual event in Newbury features activities, shows, concerts, a craft fair, boat rides, food vendors and fireworks. And best of all it was free to the public; take a look.

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For more information about next year's Newbury Old Home Days check out NewburyNH.org.

After the break on YCN News, we'll join sports reporter Andrew Zurheide for a look at some local sports action, plus your weather and community calendar. We'll be right back.

Welcome back to YCN News, I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today, we've seen mostly sunny skies and temperatures reaching as high as 91 degrees. There's currently a slight chance for some isolated showers and thunderstorms but nothing severe to worry about. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight looks like a calm evening as PARTLY CLOUDY skies are expected with lows falling to a very comfortable 67 degrees. There will be a slight south wind with gust speeds around 5 miles per hour. Tomorrow, SHOWERS AND THUNDERSTORMS are likely mainly after 5pm. Some of the storms could produce small hail, gusty wind and heavy rain so please plan accordingly. Temperatures will remain warm sitting in the upper 80s (88). The south wind will pick up strength slightly to around 10 miles an hour. Tomorrow night, heavy rain is expected until 9pm. A half inch of new rainfall is possible. Lows will again fall to a very warm 67 degrees. Friday, the skies are expected to be MOSTLY SUNNY with highs in the upper 80s (89). A light south wind will turn toward the southwest and pick up speeds from 10 to 15 miles an hour. And Friday night the skies will be partly cloudy with lows around 64 degrees.

The Summer Farmers Market in Lebanon will be open from 4 to 7pm at Colburn Park on North Park Street. The market will include fresh produce, plants, prepared food, baked goods and handmade crafts. Live music will also be performed each week by folk traditional musicians from around New England. You can call 603-448-5121 for more details.

The Lebanon police department will be hosting their 7th annual Marge Hammond bike auction in Lebanon, also at Colburn Park on North Park Street. Come check out bikes of all shapes and sizes and maybe even make a bid. This event will be going for an hour between the times of 5pm and 6pm. Attending the auction is free and you can call 603-448-1212 to find out more.

Looking ahead now, the Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum in Warner, NH on 18 Highlawn Rd, is continuing their 25 year anniversary celebration with an entire day of native storytelling on August 6th from 10am to 5pm, co-hosted by the New Hampshire Storytelling Alliance. The stories are free to be sure to bring the whole family. If you would like more information please call 603-456-2600.

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Yesterday the Upper Valley Nighthawks hosted the Plymouth Pilgrims at the Maxfield sports complex in Hartford, Vermont for another New England Collegiate Baseball League matchup. Let's see who came out on top.

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The Nighthawks have fallen on hard times, losing 8 of their last 9 games. Hopefully they can turn it around when they travel to take on the North Adams SteepleCats tonight. Tune in tomorrow when we'll be showing you interviews with the managers and players from yesterday's game.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some results from a Keene Swamp Bats baseball game that was played last night.

The Bats with a record of 14 and 12 traveled to take on the Ocean State Waves who held an impressive record of 16 and 10. Michael Pastore took the mound for Keene while Ben Onyshko got the start for Ocean State. The Waves were able to strike first after a sacrifice fly in the bottom of the second. This 1 nothing lead would stand until the bottom of the sixth when Waves first baseman Austin Upshaw doubled in two runs with the bases loaded to put the Waves up 3 to zero. Keene's starter performed well, throwing 4 and two thirds innings while only allowing 1 earned run. But Waves starter pitched even better, going 5 and two thirds, allowing zero runs en route to the win as the Swamp Bats weren't able to overcome the three run deficit. Keene falls to 14 and 13 while the Waves improve to 17 and 10. The Swamp Bats will take on the Vermont Mountaineers tonight.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Lynn Solomon for some Kearsarge Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Stacy Madison, the co-owner of Stacy's Smoothies. We'll be right back.

Thanks Lynn and Roger. Up next, we'll join our Capital Connections series for this week as we take a look at Donald Trump's visit to the area last year. We'll be right back.

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Waves

Starting Pitcher - Ben Onyshko, 5.2 IP, 4 H, 0 ER, 0 BB, 4 K's, WIN

Designated Hitter - Gian Martellini, 2 for 3, 1 R, 1 2B

First Base - Austin Upshaw, 2 for 3, 1 2B, 2 RBI

Swamp Bats

Starting Pitcher - Michael Pastore, 4.2 IP, 3 H, 1 ER, 2 BB, 4 K's, LOSS

Left Field - Parker Sniatynski, 1 for 3

First Base - Ryan Costello, 1 for 3

Good evening, it's Thursday, July 14th.

Tonight's news begins with an update from yesterday's top story as a barn fire here in Claremont was revealed to have been started by young boys playing with a lighter. According to *The Valley News*, the fire chief of Claremont, Rick Bergeron, told the paper that three juveniles were playing with a cigarette lighter that started the blaze that destroyed a six bay barn at 165 Sugar River Drive. The barn contained equipment belonging to Picard and Son's Waste and Recycling, which was all destroyed by the blaze. The damage is estimated at \$50,000 to \$60,000 for the equipment alone. The responsible juveniles had been in the vicinity of the barn prior to the fire and they admitted to starting it. The owner of the property was initially confused as to how the blaze started, telling authorities that there was no active electricity anywhere in the building. Several explosions were observed as the fire devoured the equipment inside. Fire crews from Claremont, Newport, Cornish, and Charlestown all responded to the scene.

A court update now as a woman arrested last week for connection with a 2015 home invasion has been ordered held on bail for conspiracy. 35-year old Sarah Carr of Claremont pleaded not guilty in court on Tuesday, facing the charge of contempt of bail for prior offenses that she committed, and set is for trial later this year in August. The charge is a misdemeanor and she has waived her right to a probable cause hearing for the charge of conspiracy to receive stolen property, a felony charge, stemming from a home invasion that her husband, Jeffrey Buzzell, committed in May of 2015. Buzzell and another man had broken into a Charlestown woman's home, tied her up, and stolen a large amount of jewelry and valuables. The location of the stash of stolen goods was discovered when authorities heard a phone call from Buzzell to Carr, while Buzzell was in prison, revealing directions on how to reach the stash. Carr was out on bail for two counts of welfare fraud she committed in March and had been ordered to not commit any offenses during that time. However, the conspiracy to receive stolen property charge that was handed to her during that period led to the contempt of bail charge. Carr's bail this time was set at \$25,000 and she's set to appear in court again at a later date.

An update now in a story we brought you last week as Lebanon city officials have approved the proposal for a new building on Route 12A on the site of the closed Pizza Hut. On Monday night, the Planning Board approved a new multi-tenant building, which will be twice the size of the former Pizza Hut building. Once completed, it will have space for a dental office, a restaurant, and retail storefronts. The plot of land is owned by Dead River Properties from Maine, who owns August Bristol Pizza LLC. The board approved three waivers that were sought for the project, which were passed on a near-unanimous vote. Pizza Hut closed the West Lebanon branch in November without warning, similar to some other businesses along the main drag in recent years. Across the street, BJ's is planning to build on the former site of Friendly's to create a gas station. Further north up 12A, consumers may expect a PetSmart building in the future for their pet needs. Meanwhile, in the Wal-Mart plaza, Michaels is looking to move into the storefront formerly occupied by Books-A-Million, which has moved to the K-Mart plaza. Many changes are coming to downtown West Lebanon and the Planning Board is continuing to process all requests.

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In education news tonight, one of our local colleges has launched its first graduate program. Students wanting to pursue nursing at Colby-Sawyer College are now in luck as this fall, the school is expanding its nursing education options and offering a graduate program for a Master Science of Nursing (M.S.N.) . The college sought the assistance of Dartmouth-Hitchcock, its longtime partner, in creating the 37-credit program which will meet the demand for higher education of the advanced generalist nurse. Upon completion, program graduates will be eligible to sit for the Clinical Nurse Leader certification exam. The program was co-designed by nursing leaders from the college and Dartmouth-Hitchcock and this fall, will enroll 12 part-time students from D-H to meet the demand for the new role of the Clinical Nurse Leader. Colby-Sawyer's nursing program is one of the state's top performing undergraduate nursing programs and boasts an official examination pass rate of 96% compared to the state and national averages of 89.5% and 84%. The college is currently accepting applications for the new program as well as all others.

After the break on YCN News, we'll take a look at the Lake Sunapee Lakathon! Details when we come back.

In police news tonight, a Hartford, Vermont police officer will be attending a prestigious institution to take part in a professional development course. Major Braedon Vail has been accepted into the FBI National Academy in Quantico, Virginia where he he's currently taking part in professional courses until September 16th. His enrollment at the Academy began on Monday and he joins around 220 other undergraduate and graduate law enforcement officials who will take part in leadership and specialized training courses. At the Academy's conclusion, those who participated have the opportunity to join the FBI National Academy Associates LLC. The Hartford Police Department has posted the announcement of Major Vail's enrollment on their Facebook page and many people have commented, wishing him well and offering their congratulations. In September, Major Vail will be returning to the Hartford force with new ideas and techniques that he will have learned during his courses over the summer.

Earlier this month, on July 3rd, the Elkins Fish and Game Club held their Lake-A-Thon in New London. It was a great time, with the Cardboard Boat Regatta, a dive team demonstration, and a kids fishing derby. YCN's Noah Braun tells us more.

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Looks like an awesome time! Especially if you love the outdoors. If what you just saw interests you, make sure to take part next year or contact the Club to get involved now.

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Welcome back to YCN News, I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today started out clear, sunny and very warm with temperatures in the upper 80s. But as of right now, showers and thunderstorms are likely across the state and some of these storms could severe to please be safe when outside. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

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Tonight the severe thunderstorms will continue until around midnight. There is a possibility the storms could produce small hail and damaging winds. Lows will fall into the mid 60s (66). Tomorrow, Friday, looks like a calm day as MOSTLY SUNNY skies are expected with temperatures again very warm, in the upper 80s (88). At times a strong southwest wind will be present with gust speeds peaking around 20 miles an hour. Tomorrow night the skies will be partly cloudy with lows sitting around 62 degrees. The wind will have calmed down to just around 5 miles an hour. To start off our weekend on Saturday, MOSTLY SUNNY skies are expected with highs climbing to around 83 degrees. A west wind will pick up strength a bit but only 5 to 10 miles an hour. And Saturday night the skies will be partly cloudy with lows falling to 60 degrees.

The newly released film "Finding Dory" will be screened from 7:30pm to 9:30pm at the Woodstock Town Hall Theatre in Woodstock, Vermont. Finding Dory is of course the sequel to the highly acclaimed finding Nemo which was originally released in 2003. Tickets will cost members 7 dollars while kids and seniors cost 8 and adults will cost 9. If you would more information you are welcome to call 802-457-3981.

The Chelsea Farmers Market in Chelsea, Vermont will be going on again tomorrow from 3 to 6pm in the heart of downtown Chelsea. This market offers fresh produce, local crafts, and prepared foods. There is an average of 20 vendors a week and it is a great place to purchase local products, meet up with friends, and enjoy some live music. If you would like more information you can call 802-685-3174.

Looking ahead now, if you enjoy live music, I suggest you check out a local veranda concert on July 31 from 5 to 7pm at The Fells in Newbury, NH off of route 103A. Nancy Tripp and her quartet that features Andy Bourke on bass, Billy Rosen on guitar, Mike Parker on saxophone and Tim Cohen on drums, will be performing "I Get a Kick Out of Cole", an evening filled with Cole Porter classics as Nancy tells the story of the composer's life. Enjoy hearty hors d'oeuvres and wine from 5 to 6. The event will cost 35 dollars per person and it's suggested that you reserve your spot as soon as possible by calling The Fells at 603-763-4789.

Yesterday we showed highlights from an Upper Valley Nighthawks game that was played on Tuesday when the Upper Valley lost 9 to 5. Today we'll be bringing you interviews with the managers and players from both the Hawks and the Plymouth Pilgrims.

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The New England Collegiate Baseball League features some very high quality competitive baseball and if you haven't checked out a game yet, I suggest you do so before the Summer is over.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some results from a Keene Swamp Bats baseball game that was played yesterday.

The Bats with a record of 14 and 13, hosted the Vermont Mountaineers who came in with a record of 10 and 15. Tommy Doyle got the start for Keene while Joe Rocchietti took the mound for Vermont. Both pitchers were able to get through the first two innings unscathed but then in

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the bottom of the third, Keene managed to put three runs on the board, two of which came from a 2 RBI double from center fielder Brandt Stallings. Vermont would then answer with a run in the top of the 4th but Keene responded with two more in the bottom of the inning to take a 5 to 1 lead. The Mountaineers didn't get discouraged as they would score 2 in the 5th and 3 in the 6th to take a 6 to 5 lead. The 3 in the 6th came from a three run homer off of the bat of Mountaineers catcher Ryan Fineman. Keene was not able to respond offensively as they were blanked for the rest of the game. When everything was said and done, The Mountaineers took home the victory by a final score of 7 to 5. Vermont improves to 11 and 15 while Keene falls to an even 14 and 14. The Swamp Bats will look to take on the Valley Blue Sox on Saturday.

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Thanks Elizabeth and Russell. Up next, we'll join our Capital Connections series for this week as we take a look at Donald Trump's visit to the area last year. We'll be right back.

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New England Collegiate Baseball League

Vermont Mountaineers 7 - Keene Swamp Bats 5

Swamp Bats

Starting Pitcher -Tommy Doyle, 4.2 IP, 2 H, 1 ER, 1 BB, 7 K's, NO DECISION

Designated Hitter - Ryan Costello, 2 for 4, 1 R, 1 2B

Center Field - Brandt Stallings, 1 for 4, 1 2B, 2 RBI

Mountaineers

Starting Pitcher -Joe Rocchietti, 4.0 IP, 6 H, 2 ER, 1 BB, 3 K's, NO DECISION

Designated Hitter - Joe Tietjen, 1 for 5, 1 R, 1 HR, 2 RBI

Catcher - Ryan Fineman, 2 for 4, 1 R, 1 HR, 3 RBI

Good evening, it's Friday, July 15th.

Tonight's news begins with an update in a story that has been developing since December of last year as a 19-year old Claremont man involved in two high speed chases has been sentenced to prison. Louis Gratacos III of Claremont pleaded guilty and was sentenced to three and a half years as a minimum in state prison for the charge of reckless conduct with a deadly weapon. This charge stems from two separate incidents where Gratacos led police on high speed chases in Claremont, both ending when he hit resident's homes on Maple Avenue and Citizen Street. *The Eagle Times* says that on Wednesday in court, Gratacos was handed the sentence which could keep him in prison for up to seven years.

Additionally, two other charges: 2nd degree assault and a second count of reckless conduct with a deadly weapon, each carrying up to 7 and 5 years respectively, have been suspended for 10 years. He pleaded guilty to all three charges and the presiding judge explained that his age of 19 influenced the length of the sentence. Gratacos and his public

defender explained that he is trying to change his ways and learn from his mistakes. For full summaries of the high speed chase incidents he was involved in, visit YCNNow.com.

Bringing the news to Claremont now, the search for the next city manager has begun with the approval of a subcommittee to spearhead the process. On Wednesday, the city council voted to approve the creation of a three-member review subcommittee who will analyze bids from firms who want to assist in picking a new city manager for Claremont come 2017. *The Eagle Times* reports that the subcommittee consists of assistant mayor Victor Bergeron and council members Scott Pope and Carolyn Towle. Beginning today, the group has begun to review Request For Qualifications bids, of which they've received three already. This process is merely the beginning of the search, which hopes to fill the vacancy being created by the departure of longtime city manager, Guy Santagate. He has held the position longer than any other city manager before him, for 15 years, and the city council has been discussing the search process since 2013, ahead of his inevitable resignation. Officials estimate the cost to search for a new manager will cost roughly \$15,000.

Today was a big day for the Newbury Public Library, who held a party of sorts for the opening of the town's first Little Free Library. Today at 5 PM, the Newbury Public Library, in conjunction with the South Newbury Union Church, held a ribbon cutting as they unveiled their Little Free Library. Not sure what that is? It's a little outdoor book exchange box that's filled with books free for the taking. The box and all the literature inside will be available to everyone all year round and residents are encouraged to add their own books to the collection, for others to enjoy. The idea is to spark the community to share their love of books and ideas. This particular Little Library was purchased for the town by the Friends of the Newbury Public Library. What's more is that a second one has been purchased by the Newbury Beautification Committee and they will be unveiling it later this year. This idea is a widespread one that has gained traction around the country and there are nearly 40,000 of Little Free Libraries around the world. For a recap and video from today's event in Newbury, tune in to YCN News on Monday.

If today was a big day for the Newbury Public Library, tomorrow will be a big day for Canam Steel here in Claremont as they are hosting public tours of their facility. Canam Steel is a fabricator of steel components for bridges, buildings, and other structures across the area, state, and nation. Tomorrow, they are holding an open house from 9 AM to noon where they hope to inform the public on how their machines operate and how they build certain bridge components. While the company employs around 160 people currently, they are also looking for additional workers and hope that the open house will bring in interested candidates. Anybody who's driven across the Tappan Zee Bridge in over the Hudson River between New Jersey and New York recently may have noticed the construction of a new bridge alongside the heavily-used current one. Canam Steel has entered a contract to provide heavy steel girders to that very bridge. They've done plenty of work here in New Hampshire as well, including the Memorial Bridge in Portsmouth.

After the break on YCN News, a local athletic director receives a prestigious award. We'll take a look when we come back.

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At the end of each Spring, the NHIAA awards one school in each division a Sportsmanship Award for displaying a high degree of sportsmanship throughout the Fall, Winter and Spring. This year for division three, the award went to the Kearsarge Cougars based out of North Sutton, New Hampshire as they were able to compete at a very high level while also maintaining an aura of professionalism throughout all three seasons. And I should note, this is the second straight year the Cougars have won. We sat down with Kearsarge's own athletic director Scott Fitzgerald to discuss this highly acclaimed award.

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Congratulations to the Kearsarge Cougars for winning this award again. Can't wait to see who takes it home next year.

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Welcome back to YCN News, I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today has been gorgeous as we've seen mostly sunny skies and temperatures reaching into the early 90s. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight the skies will be PARTLY CLOUDY with a calm southwest wind. Temperatures will fall to around 61 degrees and no precipitation is expected. Tomorrow, Saturday, looks like a nice day as we'll see MOSTLY SUNNY skies with temperatures reaching into the mid 80s (84). A light variable wind will become southwest and pick up strength in the afternoon to around 5 to 10 miles an hour. Tomorrow night the skies will be partly cloudy with lows falling just below 60 (59) degrees. Sunday looks like the pick of the weekend as SUNNY clear skies are expected. Highs will peak around 86 degrees and a calm wind will become west with gust speeds around 5 miles an hour. And to wrap up our weekend on Sunday night, the skies will remain clear with lows sitting around 57 degrees.

Looking for some fresh food that's locally grown? The Norwich farmers market is open from 9am to 1pm at the Summer Norwich Farmers Market Grounds off of Route 5 South next to Fogg's True Value Hardware. There will be over 50 vendors who will be there rain or shine and they will offer fresh food, prepared food and arts and crafts. Admission is free of course and you can call 802-384-7447 for more details.

The Saint-Gaudens National Historic Site in Cornish, New Hampshire on 139 Saint-Gaudens Road is hosting a jazz workshop from 2pm to 4pm. New Orleans Jazz Nationals Historic Park rangers will lead a jazz improvisation workshop with guest Fred Haas. The event will cost 10 dollars for students and 20 dollars for adults. If you would more information you are welcome to call 603-675-2175. Advanced registration is also recommended so call asap.

Looking ahead now, the Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum in Warner, NH on 18 Highlawn Rd, is continuing their 25 year anniversary celebration with an entire day of native storytelling on August 6th from 10am to 5pm, co-hosted by the New Hampshire Storytelling Alliance. The

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stories are free to be sure to bring the whole family. If you would like more information please call 603-456-2600.

Well the 10th annual Cougar basketball camp is currently underway at the Kearsarge Regional Middle School where over 100 kids participate each Summer, spread across three weeks during the month of July. The Camp is run by Kearsarge High School head basketball coach Nate Camp and yesterday, YCN found out what the camp is all about.

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If you would like to sign up for next year, you can visit the Cougar Camp facebook page or check out the Cougar Camp Wix website to find out more.

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Keene with a record of 13 and 12, hosted the Ocean State Waves who held a record of 16 and 9. Bill Avidano got the start for the Swamp Bats while Jordan Fulbright took the mound for the Waves. Only a total of two hits would be allowed during the first two innings but then in the bottom of the third, Keene was able to score four times off of four hits, a balk, a walk and a stolen base. Swamp Bats designated hitter hit a ground rule double that scored a run. Bill Avidano, Keene's starter, didn't allow a run until the top of the 5th when the Waves were able to score four times, tying the game off of 3 hits, one which included a two RBI single from Waves catcher Gian Martellini. Keene having just blown a 4 nothing lead immediately lead off the bottom of the 5th with a solo homer from left fielder Parker Sniatynski to retake the lead. By the end of the game, The Swamp Bats were able to hold off the Waves winning 8 to 6. Keene improved to 14 and 12 while the Waves fell to 16 and 10. Keene will take on the Valley Blue Sox tomorrow at 6:30pm.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Elizabeth D'Orazio for some River Valley Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Anna Guenther ,about the Enfield Shaker Museum. We'll be right back.

Thanks Elizabeth and _____. Up next, we'll join an Upper Valley Chef segment as we take a look at how to make _____. We'll be right back.

Time for Upper Valley Chef with Justin Dain. Take it away.

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Swamp Bats

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Starting Pitcher - Bill Avidano, 4.2 IP, 3 H, 4 ER, 4 BB, 2 K's, NO DECISION

Left Field - Parker Sniatynski, 1 for 2, 2 R, 1 HR, 1 RBI, 2 BB

Designated Hitter - Jamal Wade, 1 for 3, 1 2B, 1 RBI

Waves

Starting Pitcher - Jordan Fulbright, 3.0 IP, 6 H, 4 ER, 1 BB, 1 K's, NO DECISION

Catcher - Gian Martellini, 1 for 3, 1 2B, 2 RBI, 1 BB

Designated Hitter - Matt Cogen, 1 for 3, 1 R, 1 2B, 1 RBI, 1 BB

Good evening, it's Monday, July 18th.

An update tonight in the court case of a Newport guidance counselor charged with indecent exposure. 44-year old Thomas Mauzy, a middle school guidance counselor in Newport, will go in front of a jury as part of a trial in December. This new trial was granted as part of an appeal after being found guilty in late May on seven counts of public exposure and lewdness. Last week in Newport District Court, it was agreed that jury selection would begin in early December while Mauzy remains out on \$10,000 personal recognizance bail. The public exposure charges stem from reports by a female neighbor that he revealed himself naked in his bedroom window to her on multiple occasions late last year. Mauzy's current status with the Newport SAU is unknown for privacy reasons but he was placed on administrative leave back in January when he was arrested. He was sentenced to one year in the Sullivan County House of Corrections which was suspended for two years and will then be on probation for two more years.

More court news for you tonight as an accused child rapist from Georges Mills has withdrawn his guilty plea. 34-year old Travis Bunnell recently attempted to delay his sentencing hearing but the judge denied the request. Bunnell's request asked for more time in order to help his mother cut firewood in preparation for the cold winter months, asking for his case to be continued later in the year in August or September. In late June, Bunnell told the court through a letter that he would intend to plead guilty for the charges of sexual assault against a 9-year old girl last year. However, on the day of the sentencing last week, he said he needed more time, which was denied because he submitted this request too late and in an untimely manner. *The Eagle Times* says that after conferring with his attorney, Bunnell announced he was withdrawing his guilty plea and sought a trial by jury. A hearing is being held on August 1st to discuss evidence and Bunnell is eligible to submit a new plea agreement.

Any watchers of our show River Valley Chronicle will be familiar with the nonprofit Headrest, who hosted the show for three weeks earlier this year. Headrest, known for combatting the opiate epidemic on a local scale, has named their new interim executive director who has taken the reins. Hilde Ojibway of White River Junction, was introduced late last month at the Lebanon nonprofit, which offers a 24-7 crisis hotline and 3-month residential program for those recovering from substance abuse. *The Valley News* says that the nonprofit underwent a transition from state funding in the form of block grants to a fee-for-service basis. This new method of sustainability added burdens to the organization's administrative structure but the appointment of Ojibway may alleviate some of these strains. She comes from a

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background of experience in the same fields as Headrest, including being the executive director of Listen Community Services for 10 years.

Now for the story we initially brought on Friday as the Newbury Public Library unveiled their first Little Free Library. We were there at the ribbon cutting and spoke with the library's director to tell us more.

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The Little Free Library is free to public and is obviously open 24/7. Feel free to check it out this week and bring a book or two to drop off and let someone else enjoy!

After the break on YCN News, we'll join the Lake Sunapee Region VNA and Hospice as we take another look into the world of health. We will be right back.

Let's now join the Lake Sunapee Region VNA and Hospice as we examine if the Mediterranean diet can help improve your memory.

PKG

Thanks for that, we'll tune back in at the same time next week for more medical information.

After the break on YCN News, we'll join sports reporter Andrew Zurheide for a look at some local sports action, plus your weather and community calendar. We'll be right back.

Welcome back to YCN News, I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today's weather started off fairly nice as we saw partly cloudy skies with temperatures in the upper 80s. But we're currently in a severe thunderstorm watch that is expected to continue into tonight. These severe storms could bring damaging winds and heavy rainfall so please be careful when on the roads or outside. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

As just stated, the SEVERE THUNDERSTORM WATCH will continue into tonight until around 10pm. Once the storms pass, the skies will become partly cloudy with lows falling to around 60 degrees. Total new rainfall from today and tonight could total more than half an inch. Tomorrow, Tuesday, patchy fog is expected before 8am but then the day is expected to be MOSTLY SUNNY with highs in the upper 70s (78). A southwest wind will become northwest with gust speeds around 5 to 10 miles an hour. Tomorrow night, the skies will be mostly clear with lows a bit cooler, falling just below 50 degrees (49). Wednesday looks like another dry day with SUNNY skies and highs in the upper 70s (79). A northwest wind will calm to around 5 miles an hour. And Wednesday night is expected to be mostly clear with lows in the upper 50 (58).

Do you know Spanish or want to speak spanish but are rarely able to use your language skills in actual conversation? Then head on over to Umpleby's Bakery in Hanover from 9:30 to 10:30am to speak spanish with the Buena Gente Social Club. All ages and proficiency levels are welcome. Please call 802-649-5151 for more details about this free event.

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The Enfield public library in Enfield, New Hampshire on 23 Main St. is hosting a kids puppet making afternoon from 1 to 3pm. Children ages 6 and up are welcome to come craft and decorate puppets. The materials will be provided and the event is free. If you need more information or you would like to register, you can call 603-632-7135.

Looking ahead now, if you enjoy live music, I suggest you check out a local veranda concert on July 31 from 5 to 7pm at The Fells in Newbury, NH off of route 103A. Nancy Tripp and her quartet that features Andy Bourke on bass, Billy Rosen on guitar, Mike Parker on saxophone and Tim Cohen on drums, will be performing "I Get a Kick Out of Cole", an evening filled with Cole Porter classics as Nancy tells the story of the composer's life. Enjoy hearty hors d'oeuvres and wine from 5 to 6. The event will cost 35 dollars per person and it's suggested that you reserve your spot as soon as possible by calling The Fells at 603-763-4789.

Well recently we've been showing you the top 5 plays from each sport during this past Spring. Today we'll be airing the top 5 overall moments from across all sports and genders.

PKG

Some very dramatic championship finishes right there. Can't wait to see more high pressure moments this fall.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some results from an Upper Valley Nighthawks baseball game that was played over the weekend on Saturday.

The Hawks with a record of 10 and 19 traveled to take on the Sanford Mainers who came in with a record of 17 and 13. Bill Maier got the start for the Upper Valley while Jonah Normandeau took the mound for Sanford. Both teams were able to score once in the first inning, the Nighthawks run came off of an RBI single from designated hitter Trent Leimkuehler. The Hawks then followed up with another run in the second after an Alex Hanson RBI single. In the fourth inning, the Hawks scored another run but then the Mainers scored twice, one which came from an RBI double from Mainers right fielder Jordan Powell. By the 8th inning the score was 4 to 3 Nighthawks. The Upper Valley was then able to score 5 runs between the 8th and 9th inning to take a commanding lead which they would hold on to winning by a final score of 8 to 4. The Hawks improve to 11 and 19 and while the Mainers fall to 17 and 14. The Upper Valley has today off but will take on the Keene Swamp Bats tomorrow night.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Lynn Solomon for some Kearsarge Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Sandy Schmid, from the New London Historical Docent & Board Member. We'll be right back.

Thanks Lynn and Sandy. Up next, we'll join our Capital Connections series for this week as we hear from John O'Connor as he interviews Wayne Lesperance, a political science professor at New England College. We'll be right back.

Thanks John and Wayne. Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good weekend.

New England Collegiate Baseball League

Upper Valley Nighthawks 8 - Sanford Mainers 4

Nighthawks

Starting Pitcher - Bill Maier, 6.0 IP, 7 H, 3 ER, 1 BB, 4 K's, NO DECISION

Left Field - Joseph Denison, 3 for 5, 1 R, 1 RBI

Designated Hitter - Trent Leimkuehler, 1 for 3, 2 RBI, 1 BB

Mainers

Starting Pitcher - Jonah Normandeau, 3.1 IP, 6 H, 2 ER, 1 BB, 3 K's, NO DECISION

Right Field - Jordan Powell, 1 for 4, 1 R, 1 2B, 1 RBI

Third Base - Shaine Hughes, 1 for 4, 1 R, 1 2B

Good evening, it's Tuesday, July 19th.

We begin tonight with two crime stories that are certainly not common. First off, a Chester, Vermont man has been arrested for assaulting a female with an axe and then fleeing. Police say that on Friday around 10:30 PM, they responded to Highland Court in Chester where they learned that a man was at the Jiffy Mart with an axe and had fled into the woods. Police officers were able to locate James McCool who was then taken into custody after resisting arrest first. He faces multiple charges: Domestic Assault, Resisting Arrest, Violations of Conditions of Release, Unlawful Mischief, Operation without Owner's Consent, Criminal Threatening, Disorderly Conduct, and Offense Committed within the Presence of a Child. He was being held at the Southern State Correctional Facility in Springfield for lack of \$2500 bail. He appeared in Windsor Criminal Court on Monday to answer to all of the above charges.

Our second crime story now as a Westminster woman has been arrested for assaulting her ex-husband by holding a gun to his head, threatening to kill him. Police say that 45-year old Brenda Barbour of Westminster, Vermont was arrested on Friday night after she pulled a gun on her ex-husband, telling him that she wanted to "blow his brains out." An investigation by Vermont State Police showed that around 7:00 PM, the ex-husband went to pick up his 12-year old son at a Bemis Hill Road residence in Westminster. A verbal fight broke out between the man and Barbour, who threatened to shoot him if he didn't leave her house. According to the man, he was leaving when Barbour approached him from behind and pushed a .22 caliber pistol up against the back his head, saying she was going to kill him. He ran away and reported the incident to Vermont State Police, who arrested Barbour for first degree aggravated domestic assault. This charge stems from her being armed with a deadly weapon and threatening to kill her ex-husband with it. She appeared in Vermont Superior Court in Windham today around noon for the charge.

Continuing with our serious news tonight, police in Brattleboro, Vermont have identified a woman struck and killed by a train on Friday. Police have released the woman's identity as 57-year old Susan Collins, with no known residence. Her body was discovered on Friday around 1:30 PM when both the Brattleboro Police Department and Fire Department received a report from Amtrak that a woman had been struck by the southbound train. The

exact location is was a quarter mile south of the North Bridge, which crosses the West River. Units who arrived on the scene found Collins' body halfway between the Veteran's Memorial Bridge and Walnut Street. Amtrak Police also responded and assisted at the scene. Amtrak says that train number 55 of the Vermonter struck a "trespasser on the tracks" Friday afternoon with 83 passengers aboard. The train stopped with emergency brakes and remained on scene for several hours after the collision. Anyone with information is being asked to call Detective Erik Johnson at 802-257-7950.

Still dreaming of owning your own fortified house and a former dentist's office? If you answered yes, you're in luck. The former properties of federal tax evaders Ed and Elaine Brown are back on the market after the buyer of the government-held auction relisted them. *The Valley News* reports that Plainfield resident James Hollander, who had purchased the properties last October in an auction, has listed both properties on ReMax Upper Valley, hoping for over \$100,000 more than what he originally purchased the Center of Town Road compound for. Hollander purchased the 103-acre property for \$205,000 during the government auction, which had been initiated multiple times after no previous bidders. Now, he's selling it for \$329,000 along with the Lebanon dentist office, previously run by Elaine Brown. Both the Browns are currently serving prison sentences for the rest of their lives after refusing to pay their taxes. They entered a standoff with federal authorities and were ultimately arrested and convicted in 2009.

After the break on YCN News, the New Hampshire government lost an important individual yesterday. We'll remember Van McLeod when we come back.

Yesterday, the New Hampshire government lost someone very important and dear to them and the entire state. Van McLeod, the longest serving commissioner in New Hampshire government died yesterday in Concord Hospital. McLeod was first confirmed to the position of commissioner in 1992. Throughout his tenure in state government, he was a tireless champion for culture in all of its forms. He was as well known for his humor and compassion as he was for his devotion to supporting culture statewide. Greg Uhrin, the COO of YCN remembers him as a fellow artist in the Artist's in the Schools program where they both participated starting in the late 1970's. He remembers him for his positive "can-do" attitude and his councillor nature which was reflected in this clip from a Capital Connections show from last year.

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The entire Capital Connections show with Van can be found at YCNNow.com. We at YCN wish to pay our condolences to Van's family and especially his wife Joan and their daughter. Calling hours are 4-8 p.m. on Thursday at Bennett Funeral Home in Concord, and services will be Friday at 10 a.m. at St. Paul's Church Episcopal Church in Concord.

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Tonight the skies will be MOSTLY CLEAR and a northwest 5 mile an hour wind will become west around midnight. Temperatures will fall just below 50 degrees for the first time in months. Tomorrow, Wednesday, the skies will again be SUNNY and clear with temperatures reaching to around 81 degrees. A calm wind will increase speeds to around 5 miles an hour. Tomorrow night will be another calm one with lows falling into the upper 50s (58). Thursday again looks SUNNY and clear with highs peaking around 87 degrees. And Thursday night, we'll see partly cloudy skies with lows falling to the upper 60s (67).

The Newbury Public Library in Newbury, New Hampshire, is hosting the Library Olympics from 1 to 3pm where kids grades K through 5 are welcome to participate in outdoor field day activities that include relay races and obstacle courses. Advanced registration is required and to do so, you can call 603-763-5803 to also find out more information about this free event.

Tomorrow night there's another live concert in Hartford, Vermont at Lyman Point Park on 167 Maple St. as part of the Summer Concert Series in Hartford. This week's performance will feature Oxford and Clark and I am told they will be playing country music. The show is free and will begin at 6:30pm. If you would like more details you're welcome to call 802-295-5036.

Looking ahead now, the Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum in Warner, NH on 18 Highlawn Rd, is continuing their 25 year anniversary celebration with an entire day of native storytelling on August 6th from 10am to 5pm, co-hosted by the New Hampshire Storytelling Alliance. The stories are free to be sure to bring the whole family. If you would like more information please call 603-456-2600.

Yesterday we showed you the top 5 high school sports moments from this past Spring. Today we'll be bringing you the number 1 picks from all of our YCN top 5 plays from each sport.

PKG

Wow, some real exciting stuff right there. Can't wait to see some more top plays this fall.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some results from a Keene Swamp Bats baseball game that was played last night.

Keene with a record of 14 and 15, hosted the Sanford Mainers who came in with a record of 17 and 14. Rob Carrillo got the start for the Swamp Bats while Cole Whitney took the mound for the Mainers. The Bats were able to quickly put up two runs in the bottom of the first, one of which came from a solo homer off the bat of shortstop Joshua Shaw. Then they scored once more in the second off of an RBI single from first baseman Joshua Shaw. But the Mainers didn't get discouraged as they were able to put up 5 runs in the top of the 4th, knocking Keene's starter out of the game. Over the next five innings, the Mainers scored four times while only allowing 1 run from Keene. One of those five runs came from a solo homer off the bat of Mainers third baseman, John Cresto. The final score would end up being Mainers 9, Swamp Bats 5. The Mainers improve to 18 and 14 while Keene falls to 14 and 16. The Swamp Bats will take on the Upper Valley Blue Sox in a double header tonight.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Elizabeth D'Orazio for some River Valley

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Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Stephanie Frommer, from the Upper Valley Humane Society. We'll be right back.

Thanks Elizabeth and Stephanie. Up next, we'll join our Capital Connections series for this week as we hear from John O'Connor as he interviews Wayne Lesperance, a political science professor at New England College. We'll be right back.

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New England Collegiate Baseball League

Sanford Mainers 9 - Keene Swamp Bats 5

Swamp Bats

Starting Pitcher - Rob Carrillo, 3.1 IP, 5 H, 4 ER, 4 BB, 1 K's, LOSS

Shortstop - Joshua Shaw, 4 for 5, 1 R, 1 HR, 2 RBI

First Base - Patrick Sullivan, 2 for 4, 1 R, 1 HR, 2 RBI

Mainers

Starting Pitcher - Cole Whitney, 5.1 IP, 8 H, 4 ER, 1 BB, 3 K's, WIN

Third Base- John Cresto, 1 for 5, 2 R, 2 RBI

Center Field - Jordan Powell, 3 for 5, 1 R, 1 2B, 2 RBI

Good evening, it's Wednesday, July 20th.

We begin tonight with a development out of Dartmouth College that will pique the interest of any fraternity men such as myself. The former fraternity house belonging to the fraternity Sigma Alpha Epsilon may not house college students in the future after much deliberation and presentation of evidence. *The Valley News* says that on Monday, the Hanover Zoning Board reversed its previous decision in regards to the house on College Street, and ruled that the fraternity lost its residential zoning status when Dartmouth had disaffiliated the fraternity last winter. In April, the board had ruled in favor of SAE, with fraternity officials arguing that the building and group had operated independently from the college since its founding and shouldn't be under the college's jurisdiction. However, the college submitted new evidence that showed the fraternity has previously been under the supervision of the college, similar to other Greek groups on campus. The board voted 4-0 to deny SAE's appeal that would allow the building to house students.

Onto a brighter story now, one might say that it's more of a light-hearted story, as Claremont is moving closer and closer to having new LED lights on its streets. According to *The Eagle Times*, the city received word just recently that a \$275,000 loan for the installation of new LED lights, which will replace the current bulbs. The New Hampshire Community Development Finance Authority approved the loan with a 2% interest rate, as

part of around \$25 million that the agency provides in funding resources around the Granite State. The move to LEDs will not only extend the lifespan of the lights, but will save money on replacements and energy costs. Officials estimate that the city will save nearly \$82,000 a year and 500 lights may be installed as early as this August. There are roughly 1000 lights in town that are lit by Eversource, who bills the city. Other towns in our area have completed or are looking to complete the same type of light replacement, as it ultimately benefits town expenses and maintenance in the long run.

Staying in Claremont, ATV riders are looking for a solution in regards to usage of a portion of the rail trail along Route 11. The Sullivan County ATV Club is tossing ideas around to see if there's a way to find a solution or find a workaround for the recent state ruling that ATVs continue to be banned on the trail. On July 7th, the Federal Highway Administration New Hampshire division ruled denied the city's request for a waiver of rules, which currently prohibit off-highway vehicles on the 3 mile section of the the trail. The abandoned rail corridor, which was converted to a walking and biking trail, was acquired by the NH Department of Transportation in the late 1990s using funds from federal Transportation Enhancement. Any trails purchased and built using TE funds are only usable by bikes and pedestrians. A letter from the federal authorities to the NHDOT provided a list of recommendations for the city to pursue if they wanted to continue to push the waiver request, despite the ruling.

On Friday, we told you about an open house that was held on Saturday by Canam Steel here in Claremont. We caught up with the manufacturer's human resources manager to reflect on what visitors experienced during the tour.

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Canam is currently producing steel girders for work on the new Tappan Zee Bridge between in New York over the Hudson River. One of the construction cranes collapsed just the other day but work is continuing nonetheless. Tune in next week for more on Canam Steel and their work.

After the break on YCN News, we'll check in to see how the current farming season is going for a local farmstand.

We may all enjoy fresh fruits and veggies but do you ever wonder if it been a good growing season for farmer? For example, have we had too much rain or not enough? With the growing interest, pun intended, in local foods including fruits, vegetables, and meats from local farms, YCN news stopped by a local farmstand to ask about this growing season and what their hopes are, for future farming in New Hampshire.

PKG

Pete's has a dedicated customer base with over 30 years in operation. The produce is picked from their gardens and brought directly to the farm stand for sale to the customers. Pete's Farm Stand focuses on direct retail sales to customers and grows vegetables that can store well such as carrots and potatoes. The Monadnock Menus program helps keep money in our local

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economy by offering restaurants foods from local farm. The hope is that this program will create a community network where local farmers and institutions can help each other out.

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Welcome back to YCN News, I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today's been a nice day weather wise, as we've seen clear sunny skies and temperatures reaching into the early 80s across most of the state. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight, patchy fog is expected late but otherwise it'll be MOSTLY CLEAR with lows in the mid 50s (54). A 5 mile an hour west wind will become calm in the late evening. Tomorrow, Thursday, looks like another SUNNY clear day as temperatures are expected to peak around 87 degrees. A calm west wind will turn southwest and increase in strength to just around 5 miles an hour. Tomorrow night the skies will be partly cloudy and lows will only fall into the mid 60s (65). Friday there's a 30% CHANCE OF SHOWERS AND THUNDERSTORMS after noon. The skies will be partly cloudy and temperature will remain warm, reaching the upper 80s (88). And Friday night, the chance of showers and thunderstorms continues with lows in the mid 60s (66).

Have you ever had the urge to make a robot out of a toothbrush? Well, me neither but if you would like to find out this if possible, I suggest you check out an afternoon of Bristlebot making at the Newbury Public Library in Newbury, NH from 1 to 3pm. Participants will create a toothbrush creature using micro-motors. The age requirement is 11 to 14 and sign up is recommended. You can call 603-763-5803 to register and find out more information.

The Summer Farmers Market in Lebanon will be open from 4 to 7pm at Colburn Park on North Park Street. The market will include fresh produce, plants, prepared food, baked goods and handmade crafts. Live music will also be performed each week by folk traditional musicians from around New England. You can call 603-448-5121 for more details.

Looking ahead now, if you enjoy live music, I suggest you check out a local veranda concert on July 31 from 5 to 7pm at The Fells in Newbury, NH off of route 103A. Nancy Tripp and her quartet that features Andy Bourke on bass, Billy Rosen on guitar, Mike Parker on saxophone and Tim Cohen on drums, will be performing "I Get a Kick Out of Cole", an evening filled with Cole Porter classics as Nancy tells the story of the composer's life. Enjoy hearty hors d'oeuvres and wine from 5 to 6. The event will cost 35 dollars per person and it's suggested that you reserve your spot as soon as possible by calling The Fells at 603-763-4789.

Last fall, the Newport Tigers football team was crowned division four champions. Today we'll be taking a look back at last years team compared to this year's upcoming team.

PKG

Hopefully the Tigers can keep up their recent success and compete at a very high level. I'm very interested to see how the team does with a new head coach and without their all-state running back.

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That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Lynn Solomon for some Kearsarge Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Matt McClay, the owner of Pleasant Acres. We'll be right back.

Thanks Lynn and Roger. Up next, we'll join our Capital Connections series for this week as we take a look at Donald Trump's visit to the area last year. We'll be right back.

Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good weekend.

New England Collegiate Baseball League

Upper Valley Nighthawks 4 - Keene Swamp Bats 2

Nighthawks

Starting Pitcher - Dylan Verdonk, 4.1 IP, 4 H, 2 ER, 1 BB, 2 K's, NO DECISION

Left Field - Joseph Denison, 3 for 4, 2 R, 1 HR, 2 RBI

Designated Hitter - Trent Leimkuehler, 2 for 4, 1 R, 1 HR, 2 RBI

Swamp Bats

Starting Pitcher - Ryan Avidano, 6.2 IP, 6 H, 2 ER, 0 BB, 7 K's, NO DECISION

Right Field - Parker Sniatynski, 1 for 4, 1 2B

First Base - Patrick Sullivan, 2 for 2, 1 2B, 1 RBI, 1 BB

Good evening, it's Thursday, July 21st.

It was a scary scene Tuesday night in Wilder, Vermont as fire crews battled a small blaze at the Wilder Motel. The Hartford Fire Department says that they responded to the building at 2495 Hartford Avenue at 11:06 PM Tuesday night for reports of a fire in Room 8 of the motel. Units found smoke coming from the building near the area of Room 8 and upon entering the room, found a heavy smoke condition and a mattress that was on fire. It was

quickly extinguished by fire crews and was deemed under control by 11:28 PM. An investigation revealed that only Room 8 was damaged by the fire and the remaining living units at the motel were deemed safe, allowing residents to return to their rooms. Room 8 was unoccupied at the time of the fire and tax records show that the structure is owned by Gate Properties, LLC of Lebanon, NH. The cause of the fire is unknown at this time and an investigation is underway to determine what started it. No firefighters or civilians were injured as a result of the blaze.

A historic community center here in Claremont finally has a new owner but its future and potential uses still hang in question. *The Eagle Times* reports that the Goodwin Community Center at 130 Broad Street, now owned by Darrell Lee who bought it in the city auction, may want to use the large swimming pool as a hydrotherapy resource. Lee tells the paper that he hopes to lease the swimming pool building, which sits behind the main building, to a tenant such as a medical group or a school who could use the 25-meter pool. He has already spoken to two different physical therapy groups who are interesting in using the pool to assist with their rehabilitation programs. Lee, who is a real estate investor out of Springfield, Vermont, purchased the former community center in March for \$60,000. This amount is only 6 percent of the nearly 1 million dollar assessment value. The building was sold during a city-run auction that paid no mind to possible uses of the building and simply accepted the highest bid. Lee has yet to come forward with a specific vision for the entire complex of three buildings.

A local hospital has received an award that is undoubtedly the product of the 21st Century. New London Hospital in none other than New London, has been honored with the "Most Wired" designation, part of the annual Health Care's Most Wired survey of the American Hospital Association's Health Forum. What does this mean? Most Wired measures how much the information technology (IT) of a certain hospital benefits the patients and employees alike. The survey, in its 18th year, is published every year by the *Health and Hospitals Networks* and was conducted between January 15th and March 15th this year. The study is a leading industry barometer that measures IT and its adoption in hospitals across the nation. Over 2100 hospitals were examined this year and New London Hospital took the top spot for the fifth year in a row. President and CEO Bruce King says, "I am proud of our Information Systems department and the entire organization for once again being chosen for this honor." If you'd like to check out all the other recipients, you can visit www.HHNMag.com.

Do you know how to make paper cranes or would you like to learn how? Got a hand for origami? If you do, you're urged to visit the Library Arts Center in Newport on July 28th from 6:30 PM to 8:00 PM and help make 1,000 paper cranes. This goal of 1,000 cranes is part of a joint exhibit between the Library Arts Center and Turning Points Network called Voices and Visions: Empower(ME)nt Through Art. YCN caught up with the Executive Director of the Library Arts Center to find out why she wants to make 1,000 paper cranes and how you can help reach her goal.

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For more information, you can visit www.LibraryArtsCenter.org.

After the break on YCN News, Trail Ride Review is back! We'll take a look at Mount Ascutney when we come back.

What if I told you that the best \$10 I ever spent was on a trail map? Some of you may think I'm crazy, others may know exactly what I'm talking about if they've also purchased a map for the Mount Ascutney mountain biking trails in the West Windsor Town Forest. Yes, Trail Ride Review is back everyone and we're starting it off by riding what is considered the holy grail of mountain biking here in our region.

PKG

This was merely Part 1 of our look at the West Windsor Town Forest trails, as I only touched a small fraction of the overall trail system in an hour. Stay tuned for the next coming weeks as we continue to look at more of the trail system in future installments.

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We begin tonight with an update in the story of the Claremont Speedway and their proposed RV campground. The proposal is moving further towards fruition as city planners visited the grounds yesterday and were able to analyze its suitability and examine it through the lens of concerned abutters. *The Valley News* reports that last night, Zoning Board of Adjustment members, part of 20 people overall, visited the speedway's grounds on Thrasher Road where they hope to build a 149-spot camping site. They explored the area in groups, which included members of the Conservation Commission. The site has received some negative feedback already, with abutters being concerned about water supply. However, during yesterday's visit, some ground rules were set by the interim city planner that dictated that they receive no feedback during the site analysis and instead simply gather some facts. Public input will be accepted during the ZBA hearing on August 1st. The board must approve a zoning variance to allow the construction of the campground, considering that the site is in a rural residential zone.

Here's some food for thought: can you trust the news that's given to you? Does it depend on the source it came from and your trust level with that source? Most would argue that there are varying degrees of credibility regarding different sources of news. Even though there are newspapers, radio stations, and TV stations in our area, such as Your Local View, police in Brattleboro are warning residents not believe everything they see online, especially if it didn't come from one of those mentioned mediums. *The Brattleboro Reformer* reports that a recent story was published online on an open media website that claimed five people were murdered in Brattleboro. Police Captain Mark Carignan identified and confirmed the story as fake and is reminding residents to check in with their local police department if they see a story of that sort to confirm its credibility. Captain Carignan told the *Reformer* that nowadays, anybody can post anything they want and is up to residents to check if that information is actually correct. The website that posted the false story is ReporterCenter.com and has been known to post other factually incorrect sensational stories. Fake stories often hide malware and viruses that can infect your computer should you click on the news story.

It was both a fun and informative day at Sunapee's Mount Royal Academy this past weekend as youngsters took place in the Kids Bonanza, complete with a Bike Rodeo. During the event on Saturday, we caught up with Danielle Row, a Mount Royal Academy parent and co-organizer to fill us in.

PKG

If you'd like to check out Baby Steps in Claremont, which the event benefitted, you can find them on Facebook.

Yesterday we told you that River Valley Community College's nursing program received accreditation, which is certainly big news for the local college. We had caught up with Dr. Patricia Shinn, the chair of the nursing department, who spoke to us at length about this

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accomplishment and what it took to reach the end goal. Let's join her again to hear more, this time focusing on how the program lost its accreditation in the first place.

PKG

The fall semester, for nursing students and all others at RVCC, begins on August 29th.

After the break on YCN News, can you hear me now? We'll check out a local telephone museum.

All summer long, we've been bringing you quick looks at many of our area's museums. One of the pearls on the string of necklace that are the museums in our region is the NH Telephone Museum in Warner New Hampshire. This collection comes from a family that lived throughout the evolution of telephone communications in our area. YCN had a chance recently to visit and talk with Laura French the director.

PKG

As Laura noted, there are regularly scheduled events at the museum that are fun and entertaining. Do check out their website and those of all the Warner museums if you want to make an interesting day out of a visit to their fair town. We should note that there are three really good restaurants within walking distance of the Telephone Museum.

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Good evening, it's Wednesday, July 27th.

We begin tonight with court news, but not about your typical court case or trial. The assistant judge of Windham County's court system is under the microscope for allegedly violating his code of ethics required by the position. *The Brattleboro Reformer* reports that Assistant Judge Paul Kane of Westminster may or may not face criminal charges following an investigation by the Vermont Judicial Board for not fulfilling the high expectations of standards as part of his elected position. The investigation was conducted after a complaint was filed against Kane regarding real estate that he moved into during 2009. Kane had moved into the home of his uncle's second wife, Catherine Tolaro, who was 82 years old and suffering from dementia. He filed claims against Tolaro's estate, hoping to receive reimbursement of over \$720,000 for caring for Tolaro. After she died, he accepted loan payments that were given to the estate and was not truthful in court when a complaint was filed against him. He then went on to write payments from the estate to him and his wife. In 2015, he was appointed as an assistant judge and was able to write off one of the loans to the estate. No case against Kane has been filed as of yet.

This weekend in Windsor, Vermont it may look like a scene out of your favorite natural disaster movie as officials will be tested on their ability to respond to an unprecedented disaster. The exact nature of the disaster is not being disclosed at this point but residents need not be worried. *The Valley News* is reporting that this Friday and Saturday, "Operation Vigilant Guard" will be conducted in town to test the abilities of local and state first responders as they react to a large-scale emergency. The disaster, and what it will be exactly, is not being revealed to residents or first responders so that the latter will have no idea of situation they will be reacting to. Emergency officials based out of Waterbury, Vermont will be standing by to analyze and report on the readiness of various agencies as they respond to these mock disasters. Around 50 other Vermont towns will be and have been conducting similar exercises across the state in order to help prepare the entire Green Mountain State for any manner of emergency. Officials anticipate that the exercises will carry on until August 2nd.

One historic bridge in our region, despite being a landmark and a tourist attraction, continues to be a source of concern as many people have taken their lives jumping off the bridge. Officials are continuing to examine safety measures on the Quechee Bridge

following a recent suicide on July 13th, according to *The Vermont Standard*, and hopes to implement changes soon. On July 13th, police, received a call about a possible suicide around 8 PM and responded to the bridge. After blocking it off to traffic, they found a body at the bottom of the gorge, identified as 51-year old Holly Blackie of Randolph, Vermont. There was already one other suicide earlier this year, making it the fourth since 2013 and adding another tally to the bridge's death toll, which is in the double digits. The state passed Act 158 earlier this year which allows officials to install signs and other measures on the bridge in hopes of preventing people from jumping. Mental health continues to be at the forefront of discussions regarding safety at the bridge and one safety idea proposes boxes that tell people how they can get help.

Claremont's local mortgage servicing company on Maple Avenue is taking one step further towards expansion. Yesterday and today, National Field Representatives at 158 Maple Avenue destroyed the adjacent former Claremont Savings Bank building, which they had previously purchased. This demolition is part of their expansion plans, which includes an all-new parking lot across the street on the former site of Gary's Claremont Tire Company. The automotive business, which had been closed for a while, was demolished recently and a large plot of ground was cleared and levelled to provide more parking options for NFR employees. A construction firm out of Newport is handling the demolition, which is making room for NFR to add an addition to their current building. No site plan with exact details has been submitted to the city as of yet. Earlier this year, a portion of Maple Avenue, including NFR, was deemed an Economic Revitalization Zone by the city, making businesses in that zone eligible for tax credits. NFR is a mortgage servicing company that employs about 200 people here in Claremont and an additional 50 at its Florida location.

Here's an idea for late Summer in Northern New England that I can personally recommend: get out your mountain bike and head over to the new trail network at Mount Ascutney called STAB. Sounds scary but don't worry, it stands for Sport Trails of the Ascutney Basin. As part of the Vermont Mountain Bike Association, STAB benefits from trail grants, insurance coverage, administrative support, Vermont statewide advocacy, and the opportunity to readily connect with other chapters throughout the state. YCN news stopped by the Claremont Cycle Depot and spoke to Sarah Pierce about STAB, trends in mountain biking, and her favorite trail.

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For information on regular Tuesday Night Rides at STAB Trails and others visit the Cycle Depot Facebook page. Also, stay tuned for future episodes of Trail Ride Review where I continue to tackle all that Ascutney has to offer.

After the break on YCN News, we'll join sports reporter Andrew Zurheide for a look at some local sports action, plus your weather and community calendar. We'll be right back.

Welcome back to YCN News, I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today's been another clear warm day as we've seen sunny skies and temperatures reaching as high as 89 degrees. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight, patchy fog is expected after 2am. Otherwise the skies will be MOSTLY CLEAR with temperatures falling to as low as 61. A west 5 mile an hour wind will become calm throughout the night. Tomorrow, Thursday, patchy fog will continue until around 10am. But the skies will be MOSTLY SUNNY with temperatures reaching the early 90s (90). The calm west wind will have gust speeds around 5 miles an hour. Thursday night there's a 30% chance of showers and thunderstorms starting after 7pm. The skies will be mostly cloudy with lows in the mid 60s (66). Friday, the chance for SHOWERS AND THUNDERSTORMS (50%) increases up to 50%. The skies will be mostly cloudy with highs peaking in the early 80s (82) and Friday night, the chance for thunderstorms falls to 30% with low temperatures falling to around 62.

The Montshire Museum of Science is hosting another half an hour straw rocket activity where participants can craft an indoor paper rocket. The activity will be running from 11am to 11:30am and the museum is off of One Montshire Road in Norwich, Vermont. After construction, there'll be a testing period to see how far your rocket can fly. This activity is considered free but with admission to the museum which will cost you 13 to 16 dollars. You are welcome to call 802-649-2200 to find out more.

Do you enjoy physical fitness but are inexperienced and can't afford to pay a trainer? Well you should drive up to Colburn Park on 51 North Park Street in Lebanon, New Hampshire for an hour of free fitness time from 12pm to 1pm. An instructor from the Lebanon Recreation and Parks Department will lead the class and will be sure to make you sweat. Show up ready to move and bring water and lunch to eat afterwards. All ages are welcome and you can call 603-448-5121 for more details.

Looking ahead now, the Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum in Warner, NH on 18 Highlawn Rd, is continuing their 25 year anniversary celebration with an entire day of native storytelling on August 6th from 10am to 5pm, co-hosted by the New Hampshire Storytelling Alliance. The stories are free so be sure to bring the whole family. If you would like more information please call 603-456-2600.

The Upper Valley Nighthawks baseball team, as part of the New England Collegiate Baseball League, haven't exactly had the year they'd hoped for as a brand new team to the NECBL. They currently hold a record of 15 and 22 which means they're in danger of missing the playoffs. But there's been at least one bright spot, Hawks left fielder Joey Dension.

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Joey of course made the all star team for the Northern division along with teammates Al Molina and Grayson Padgett. Joey started the game in right field, and batted 4th in the cleanup spot, and of course, he was able to record a base hit in the game.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to see if the Upper Valley Nighthawks were able to get a much needed win in a game that was played last night.

The Nighthawks who again, held a record of 15 and 22, traveled to take on the Vermont Mountaineers who held a record of 17 and 20. These two teams have the lowest winning percentage in the northern division so this was a very important matchup if either team hopes to sneak into the playoffs. Houston Mabray took the mound for the Hawks while John Stiever

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got the start for the Mountaineers. Over the first two innings, both teams were held scoreless but then in the bottom of the third, the Mountaineers were able to drive in a run after a sacrifice fly. But the Nighthawks responded immediately with two runs of their own in the top of the 4th, one of which came off the bat of first baseman Charlie Concannon with an RBI triple. But this lead wouldn't last long as Vermont quickly tied the game from an RBI single from catcher Ryan Fineman. A couple more runs would be traded back and forth but in the 9th, the game was tied. The Nighthawks came up to bat and were able to score 3 times to take a 6 to 3 lead. These three runs came from 2 two homers, one of which was a two run bomb off the bat of shortstop Al Molina. This late lead was too much for the Mountaineers to overcome as the Nighthawks won 6 to 3. The Upper Valley improves to 16 and 22 while Vermont falls to 17 and 21. The Nighthawks will hope to continue their recent winning success when they take on the division leading Sanford Mainers tonight.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Lynn Solomon for some Kearsarge Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Christina O'Halloran, the Marketing Manager for New London Hospital days. We'll be right back.

Thanks Lynn and Christina. Up next, we'll join our Capital Connections series for this week as we take a look at Donald Trump's visit to the area last year. We'll be right back.

Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good weekend.

New England Collegiate Baseball League

Upper Valley Nighthawks 6 - Vermont Mountaineers 3

Nighthawks

Starting Pitcher Houston Mabray, 4.0 IP, 6 H, 3 ER, 3 BB, NO DECISION

First Base- Charlie Concannon, 2 for 4, 1 3B, 1 RBI

Shortstop - Al Molina, 3 for 5, 1 R, 1 HR, 3 RBI

Mountaineers

Starting Pitcher - Jonathan Stiever, 6.0 IP, 7 H, 3 ER, 2 BB, 4 K's, NO DECISION

Catcher - Ryan Fineman, 2 for 4, 1 RBI

Third Base - Daniel Little, 2 for 4, 1 R

Good evening, it's Thursday, July 28th.

Sometimes, criminals mistakenly think that they can escape the law. However, justice has no borders and running to another state, for example, is not a solution to escape criminal charges in our home state. Springfield Police have nabbed a fugitive who was on the run from Maine, being sought there for a Class B Felony. Springfield Police say that Sergeant Jeremy Fitzgibbons found 45-year old Melissa Hatch at around 4:15 PM on Friday and arrested her for being a fugitive from justice in Maine. She had been living in Woodstock and was taken to the Southern State Correctional Facility in lieu of \$10,000 bail. She was arraigned on Monday. *The Eagle Times* says that a judge in York County Superior Court in Alfred, Maine issued a warrant for her arrest yesterday after she had been handed charges

of fraud/negotiating a worthless instrument. In court cases such as this one, the fugitive can contest an extradition and enter a court hearing in the state they were apprehended in. Or, they may waive the contest to extradition and return to the state that issued the warrant to face court there.

Two update stories now, first in Windham County. After the Windham County Sheriff's Office and the two county courthouses could not reach an agreement on security coverage of court proceedings, a national firm has entered a contract to take over security. Securitas USA has signed a 22-month contract with the Brattleboro and Newfane courthouses that will exchange their security services for roughly \$620,000. *The Brattleboro Reformer* says that six security firms were contacted to provide courthouse security, but Securitas was the only one to submit a formal bid. The search for a new security provider came after the Windham County Sheriff's Office requested a higher pay increase for the security detail, as they had reportedly been losing money as part of the previous contract. Sheriff Keith Clark told the paper that they would have needed to see a 10 to 12 percent increase and were only offered a 3 percent raise, thus causing them to not renew the contract. The State of Vermont's Judicial Branch maintained a contingency plan that would be enacted in cases such as this so that the courtrooms can receive the security they need.

Our second update tonight, as a possible water and sewer rate increase continues to loom over the heads of Claremont residents and now, it's looking more probable. City Manager Guy Santage earlier this week mentioned that a proposed increase would be presented during Wednesday night's city council meeting in order to raise funds for necessary improvement and repair projects on utilities such as the reservoirs. Last night's meeting indeed brought a presentation on a proposed increase, presented by Municipal and Financial Services Group, based out of Maryland. *The Valley News* reports that Mike Maker with the Maryland-based firm, showed a PowerPoint project that showed increases over the next 5 years. In June, the council received reports that the increase would be as much as 95 percent for water. However, the presentation proposed a roughly 6.5% increase per year for water and sewer combined for a total of a 32% come year 2021. The council did not approve any new rates last night and requested to see a more detailed plan at their next meeting.

It doesn't need to be July 4th to oogle and ogle at fireworks. Heck, they're perfecting for simply celebrating summer and the great weather. As you saw earlier this month on YCN News, Old Home Day in Newbury was wet but not a wash out. Because of the weather though, the spectacular fireworks were postponed. YCN caught up with the town administrator for an update.

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We have so many fireworks around the 4th of July that it's kind of nice to have some at the end of the month. By the way, we would like to note that Newbury has the only public beach on Lake Sunapee that is free and open to anyone along with their new outdoor exercise equipment. Check it all out when you go to the fireworks.

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After the break on YCN News, let's take a trip to Hawaii, or Newbury rather, for a luau coming up next month.

You don't have to go to Hawaii to have a luau this summer. In fact, you won't need to go far at all. Wilmot is hosting a Luau in August and we caught up with two of the women behind it to learn all you could want to know. If I'm not mistaken this is the first luau in Wilmot, am I right?

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The luau is free to the public and is taking place August 7th at Timmy Patten Park Beach in Wilmot Flat. The fun starts at 3:00 so make sure to mark the date to enjoy some summer fun.

After the break on YCN News, we'll join sports reporter Andrew Zurheide for a look at some local sports action, plus your weather and community calendar. We'll be right back.

Welcome back to YCN News, I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today started off nice as we saw partly sunny skies and temperatures reaching 89 degrees at times. But as of right now, there's a slight 20% chance for showers and thunderstorms. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight the chance for SHOWERS AND THUNDERSTORMS increases to 30% after 2am. Otherwise the skies will be mostly cloudy with lows falling into the mid 60s (66). Tomorrow, Friday, SHOWERS (70%) are likely between 10am and 5pm. The skies will be cloudy and highs will only reach the mid 70s (76). A calm wind will turn northeast with gust speeds around 5 miles an hour. Tomorrow night, there's a small 30% chance the showers will continue until around 11pm. Lows will fall just below 60 degrees (59). To start off our weekend on Saturday, MOSTLY SUNNY skies are expected with highs in the early 80s (81). A weak 5 mile an hour northwest wind will be present. And Saturday night, the skies are expected to be partly cloudy with lows again falling into the upper 50s (59).

The Chelsea Farmers Market in Chelsea, Vermont will be going on again tomorrow from 3 to 6pm in the heart of downtown Chelsea. This market offers fresh produce, local crafts, and prepared foods. There is an average of 20 vendors a week and it is a great place to purchase local products, meet up with friends, and enjoy some live music. If you would like more information you can call 802-685-3174.

The Spark! Community Center on 75 Bank St. in Lebanon, is having another Friday Fun Night and Community Dinner from 6 to 9pm. This week's event is focused on art and the dinner will include sandwiches, chips and more. There's a five dollar suggested donation and the event is open to the public and all ages are welcome. You can call 603-678-8619 to find out more.

Looking ahead a bit now, if you enjoy live music, I suggest you check out a local veranda concert on July 31, this Sunday, from 5 to 7pm at The Fells in Newbury, NH off of route 103A. Nancy Tripp and her quartet that features Andy Bourke on bass, Billy Rosen on guitar, Mike Parker on saxophone and Tim Cohen on drums, will be performing "I Get a Kick Out of Cole", an evening filled with Cole Porter classics as Nancy tells the story of the composer's life. Enjoy

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hearty appetizers and wine from 5 to 6. The event will cost 35 dollars per person and it's suggested that you reserve your spot as soon as possible by calling The Fells at 603-763-4789.

Last fall, the Kearsarge Cougars football team finished with a solid record of 6 and 3. They made it to the playoffs but fell in the quarterfinals to Kennett by just six points. Let's check out how this years team stacks up.

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We wish the Cougars good luck this Fall. YCN will be covering Kearsarge twice during our Game of the Week schedule, the first game on September 16th at home when they take on Fall Mountain and the second on September 30th when the Cougars are away at Stevens.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some results from a crucial Upper Valley Nighthawks baseball game that was played last night.

The Hawks who came in with a record of 16 and 22, traveled to take on the division leading Sanford Mainers who held a record of 23 and 14. The Nighthawks currently sit in the basement of the northern division so every game is basically a must win if they hope to make the playoffs. Joseph Levasseur took the mound for the Upper Valley while Ben Wessel got the start for Sanford. The Hawks were able to immediately put a run on the board after shortstop Al Molina singled his way on base and then scored on a Sanford error. This 1 run lead would hold until the bottom of the 3rd when the Mainers were able to score after two singles and a walk. The game would be tied until the top of the 5th when the Nighthawks were able to score twice, one from an Al Molina RBI single and another from a Joey Denison sacrifice fly. The Upper Valley took this comfortable two run lead all the way to the 8th but the Mainers weren't done as they were able to dramatically score three times to take a 4 to 3 lead. Right fielder Chris Gaetano got the game tying 2 RBI hit and pinch hitter Nelson Mompierre was able to single in the go ahead run which gave the Mainers the lead. The Nighthawks weren't able to make anything happen in the 9th as they were sat down 1, 2, 3 giving Sanford the win. The Hawks fall to 16 and 23 while the Mainers improve to 24 and 14. The Upper Valley will hope to get a win when they travel to take on the Oceanstate Waves tonight.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Elizabeth D'Orazio for some River Valley Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Tim Lewis, about the Quechee Music Festival. We'll be right back.

Thanks Elizabeth and Tim. Up next, we'll join our Capital Connections series for this week as we take a look at Donald Trump's visit to the area last year. We'll be right back.

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New England Collegiate Baseball League

Sanford Mainers 4 - Upper Valley Nighthawks 3

Nighthawks

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Starting Pitcher - Joseph Levasseur, 6.0 IP, 4 H, 1 ER, 1 BB, 2 K's, NO DECISION

Shortstop - Al Molina, 2 for 4, 1 R, 1 RBI

First Base - Charlie Concannon, 2 for 4, 1 2B

Mainers

Starting Pitcher - Ben Wessel, 6.0 IP, 7 H, 2 ER, 1 BB, 4 K's, NO DECISION

Right Field - Chris Gaetano, 1 for 4, 2 RBI

Catcher/Pinch Hitter - Nelson Mompierre, 1 for 1, GO-AHEAD RBI

Good evening, it's Friday, July 29th.

Crime news is up first in a court update as a man from Newport has been sentenced to prison for possession of child pornography. 49-year old Allen Langlois was sentenced in the United States District Court of the District of NEw Hampshire this week. He was handed a prison sentence of 41 months and will be under 10 years of supervised release at the end of his sentence. Last year in the fall, the FBI conducted a lengthy investigation into Langlois and found that he had hundreds of still images of child pornography on his personal computer within his Newport residence. He admitted to authorities that he downloaded the images from various sources on the internet and he later pleaded guilty in March of this year. Police from Newport, Manchester, Nashua, and NH State Police all assisted the FBI in the investigation and arrest of Langlois last year.

In other court news now, in what has been a lengthy case, the former owner of a West Lebanon nightclub has had his request for a shorter prison sentence denied. *The Valley News* reports that Louis A. Fucci Jr., the former owner of the Benning Street Bar and Grill was in court on Wednesday this week to hear the ruling on his request for a shorter prison sentence for a crime he committed in 2011. Fucci had hired a hitman to kill his former business partner and ex-girlfriend after business had begun to decline, but the hitman alerted authorities. He was arrested and pleaded guilty in 2013. Just this year, in April, he went before the judge in Windsor Superior Court to ask for his sentence of 10 to 15 years to be reduced to 6 to 15 years. The judge ruled on Wednesday to retain the original sentence as he was not convinced from April's hearing that the sentence should be reduced. Fucci had been trying to prove that he was suffering from mental illness during the time of the crime and believed that the court was overlooking that fact. He may be released in 2021.

Wanna pump some iron or break a nice workout sweat but don't have somewhere to do it? Fortunately enough for residents in the surrounding area around Claremont, the Claremont Savings Bank Community Center and the city are re-examining their membership programs to allow more people to join. In fact, they're doing more than just re-examining membership and the City Council has voted to approve a new corporate membership program.

According to *The Eagle Times*, despite some disagreement, the Council voted 6-3 in favor of activating a corporate membership program that would benefit non-residents. The move to this type of membership has been in the works since this spring as the town has been speaking with Active Net, a software firm that will host the new membership system. Mayor Charlene Lovett voted against the membership, but most of the Council was in favor it. The discussion revolved around the actual cost for non-residents, but most council members

were more concerned with simply driving more members and thus, revenue, to the community center. The CSBCC opened in 2013 and is located on 152 South Street.

There's been a lot going on around the country recently, especially with both the Republican and Democratic National Conventions taking place over the past two weeks. However, the recent slew of killings of both black men and police officers in various locations around the US has sparked discussions on the local level. Community members in Brattleboro met this week to discuss race relations, hoping to shed a local light on a national issue. *The Brattleboro Reformer* reports that the event, which was a public forum, was organized after community organizer Patrina Lingard spoke with Jose Moldano, a former New York City Police Department officer. It was put on in hopes of understanding the social issues that exist across the nation and how they, in Brattleboro, could break down barriers and create an open, friendly environment. Of particular mention was how the town's police force could be both more accessible and community-minded and that how having conversations like the public forum was a step in creating a safe community. Representatives from many different parties attended, including Vermont State Police, Brattleboro Police, and Black Lives Matter Vermont.

After the break on YCN News, we'll continue our look at Mount Ascutney's mountain biking trails. Part 2 of Trail Ride Review is up next.

Last week, I brought you a look at Mount Ascutney's extensive system of trails as part of Trail Ride Review. This week, we heard from the Claremont Cycle Depot on the significance of the trails and what to expect. Well today, we're gonna keep that discussion rolling with Part 2 of Trail Ride Review at Ascutney. Let's go!

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Stay tuned for future episodes of Trail Ride Review for some more ideas of where you can bring your bike for a great summer ride.

After the break on YCN News, we'll join sports reporter Andrew Zurheide for a look at some local sports action, plus your weather and community calendar. We'll be right back.

Welcome back to YCN News, I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today's been cloudy with the sun peaking through at times. Temperatures have reached as high as 79 degrees and there's currently at 40% chance for showers. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight, patchy fog is expected after 3am, but the skies will be PARTLY CLOUDY with lows dropping just below 60 degrees (58). A 5 mile an hour north wind will become calm throughout the night. Tomorrow, Saturday, the patchy fog will continue until around 8am. The skies however will be PARTLY SUNNY with highs in the mid 80s (84). A calm wind will pick up strength and become northwest with gust speeds around 5 miles an hour. Tomorrow night, there's a 30% chance of showers after 2am and the skies will be mostly cloudy with lows falling again, just below 60 degrees (59). Sunday, there's a 40% CHANCE OF SHOWERS throughout the day and mostly cloudy skies are expected. Highs will only reach the upper 70s (78). And Sunday night, showers are likely with cloudy skies and lows will fall to around 61 degrees.

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Looking for some fresh food that's locally grown? The Norwich farmers market is open from 9am to 1pm at the Summer Norwich Farmers Market Grounds off of Route 5 South next to Fogg's True Value Hardware. There will be over 50 vendors who will be there rain or shine and they will offer fresh food, prepared food and arts and crafts. Admission is free of course and you can call 802-384-7447 for more details.

Well after you've checked out the Norwich Farmers Market, why don't you bring your kids and head over to the Norwich Public Library on 368 Main St. for a free Harry Potter Party from 1 to 2pm. There'll be quidditch, trivia and bubble potions on the library lawn, it should be a blast. If you would like more information you're welcome to call the library at 802-649-1184.

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Yesterday we previewed for you the upcoming Kearsarge Cougars football team. Today, we're talking about the upcoming Hanover Marauders football season as they hope to improve on a less than perfect 2015.

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We wish the Marauders good luck this fall. YCN will covering Hanover during our game of the week schedule on September 23rd when Hanover hosts their close by rivals, the Lebanon Raiders. Should be a great game.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some results from a crucial Upper Valley Nighthawks baseball game that was played last night as the Hawks hope to sneak into the playoffs.

The Upper Valley with a record of 16 and 23, traveled to take on the Ocean State Waves who held a record of 19 and 20. Cordes Baker got the start for the Nighthawks while the Waves countered with Max Ford. The Hawks were immediately able to take an early 2 nothing lead in the top of the 1st when Trent Leimkuehler and James Morisano each were able to drive in a run. The Waves wouldn't answer until the bottom of the third when Grant Williams lead off with a single and eventually came around to score after multiple errors from the Hawks. The Upper Valley would respond by leading off the next inning with a solo home run from the bat of Charlie Concannon which extended the lead to 2. The Waves were shut down by Nighthawks pitching until the 8th inning when they scored once more after pinch hitter Matt Cogen hit a leadoff ground rule double and was able to come around and score. The Hawks still held a one run lead into the bottom of the 9th when they sent Brian Lau to the mound to close out the game. He would strikeout all three batters to record the save and earn the Upper Valley a much needed 3 to 2 win. The Waves fall to 19 and 21 while the Hawks improve to 17 and 23 and they'll hope to get another win when they take on the Valley Blue Sox tonight.

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Thanks Lynn and Roger. Up next, we'll join our Capital Connections series for this week as we take a look at Donald Trump's visit to the area last year. We'll be right back.

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New England Collegiate Baseball League

Upper Valley Nighthawks 3 - Ocean State Waves 2

Nighthawks

Starting Pitcher - Cordes Baker, 5.0 IP, 6 H, 0 ER, 0 BB, 3 K's, WIN

First Base, Charlie Concannon, 1 for 4, 1 R, 1 HR, 1 RBI

Closer - Brian Lau, 1.0 IP, 0 H, 0 ER, 0 BB, 3 K's, SAVE

Waves

Starting Pitcher - Max Ford, 5.0 IP, 6 H, 1 ER, 0 BB, 3 K's, LOSS

Shortstop - Grant Williams, 2 for 4, 1 R

Right Field/Pinch Hitter - Matt Cogen, 1 for 1, 1 2B, 1 R

Good evening, it's Monday, August 1st.

In a case that was considered resolved earlier this year, a local official has echoed the state's ruling regarding Croydon's use of public funds for private school tuition. *WNTK Radio* says that on Friday, Sullivan County Superior Court Judge Brian Tucker ruled that students from Croydon who attend the private Newport Montessori School will not have their tuition paid for by public taxpayer money. This ruling reflects a veto by Governor Maggie Hassan of House Bill 1637 in June, which would have allowed students to attend private schools on public funds, part of school choice. The State Board of Education determined that students attending private schools on public money might not be receiving adequate education or reaching certain state education requirements. The state had filed an injunction against Croydon last year when it was found that four students were attending the Newport private school on public taxpayer money. Now, following the state and Judge Tucker's ruling, that tuition money must come out of the parents' own pockets.

In crime news now, this story may seem all too familiar if you joined us last week, as a second man from our area has been sentenced to prison for possession of child porn. Shawn Ellison, a Chester man in his young 20's, was sentenced last week in Vermont Superior Court, Windsor Criminal Division, after he pleaded guilty to three felony counts of Sexual Exploitation of a Child and one felony count of possession of child pornography. The Office of the Attorney General says that he was sentenced to seven to twelve years in prison, all suspended for two years, and was placed on probation for 15 years. During his probation period, he will be subject to certain conditions for sexual offenders, including

counseling and limited access to the internet and children under the age of 16. He will also have to register as a sex offender.

Last week, 49-year old Allen Langlois of Newport was sentenced to 42 months in prison as well as ten years of supervised release. He had been investigated by the FBI over several months and was found with hundreds of still images of child porn on his personal computer.

Staying in Vermont but further north, the Hartford Police Department looked into a report of gunshots last night but found the report to be erroneous. The Hartford PD says that last night around 8:15, officers were dispatched to a report of a family dispute in the 100 Block of Horseshoe Avenue in Wilder Village. The caller had reported that she had been disconnected from a cell phone conversation with her 26-year old son who said he had been chased from a home by gunpoint by his girlfriend's father. The caller explained that her son was hiding in the woods and had been shot at while he ran away. Police could not contact either the son or his girlfriend and responded to Horseshoe Avenue with Norwich Police and Vermont State Police. They found the home in question unoccupied and bystanders said they had heard an argument earlier in the evening but no gunshots. Afterwards, police were able to locate the son in Canaan, New Hampshire and contacted all parties involved. It was determined that the report of a shooting was false and that poor cell reception played a role. Everybody involved is unharmed and police are still looking into the matter. Anyone with information is asked to contact Hartford Police Officer Eric Clifford at 802-295-9425.

I'm going to wager that anyone who's attended a New London Barn Playhouse performance has enjoyed their time there. I could be wrong, but it's obvious that the hard work by the acting interns definitely leaves a lasting impression on those who attend. YCN's Andrew Zurheide attended Shrek last week and he can attest that it was certainly a good time. The interns who put on costumes and assume different personalities are the lifeblood of the Barn but that doesn't mean that the Junior Interns should be overlooked! YCN's Noah Braun tells us a bit more about the junior interns at the Barn.

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For more information on the Barn and the Junior Intern program, you can check out NLBarn.org.

After the break on YCN News, we'll join the Lake Sunapee Region VNA and Hospice as we take another look into the world of health. We will be right back.

Let's now join the Lake Sunapee Region VNA and Hospice as we examine how infections affect hospital readmissions.

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Thanks for that, we'll tune back in at the same time next week for more medical information.

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Welcome back to YCN News, I'm Andrew of Rivia. Hahahaha nice. Well today's been a cooler wet day as we've seen showers, cloudy skies and temperatures only reaching as high as 70 degrees. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight there's a 40% CHANCE OF SHOWERS that will last throughout the night. The skies will continue to be cloudy and lows will into the early 60s (61). An east 5 mile an hour wind will become calm during the late hours. Tomorrow, Tuesday, the 40% CHANCE OF SHOWERS will continue until around 2pm. Then the skies will be mostly cloudy with highs reaching the mid 70s (75). Tomorrow night, partly cloudy skies are expected with lows a bit chilly, falling to around 56 degrees. Wednesday looks like a much nicer day as we'll see MOSTLY SUNNY skies with highs back in the 80s (81). A calm wind will turn south with gust speeds around 5 miles an hour. And Wednesday night, the skies will be partly cloudy with lows falling to around 60 degrees (60).

Do you enjoy physical fitness but are inexperienced and can't afford to pay a trainer? Well you should drive up to Colburn Park on 51 North Park Street in Lebanon, New Hampshire for an hour of free fitness time from 12pm to 1pm. An instructor from the Lebanon Recreation and Parks Department will lead the class and will be sure to make you sweat. Show up ready to move and bring water and lunch to eat afterwards. All ages are welcome and you can call 603-448-5121 for more details.

If you're a fan of live music like me, I suggest you head over to the Grantham Recreation Park in Grantham, New Hampshire for another night of Music in the Meadow for two hours of free music from 6 to 8pm. This week's performance features Steve Blunt and friends. Bring chairs, blankets and dinner while ice cream and drinks will be available for purchase. If you would like more details please call 603-443-2894.

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Congrats on the win Nighthawks and good luck tomorrow against the Mountaineers.

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The Upper Valley with a record of 18 and 23 hosted the Keene Swamp Bats who held a nearly identical record of 18 and 24. Ryan Takacs got the start for the Nighthawks while the Swamp Bats countered with Rob Carrillo. Immediately the Bats were able to put up 2 runs in the first, a run in the second and a run in the third to take a very quick 4 to nothing lead. Two of these runs were driven in by Keene's first baseman Patrick Sullivan. But the Hawks didn't get discouraged as they were able to answer with 3 runs of their own in the bottom of the fourth to make it a 1 run game. Neither team would score again until the bottom of the 7th when the Upper Valley tacked on another run to tie the game at 4 a piece. This run was scored when the Swamp Bats made a wild throw which allowed the runner to advance home. This tie wouldn't hold for long as Keene then scored twice in the top of the 8th and twice in the top of the 9th to go up 8 to 4. The Hawks did the best they could to tie the game but ultimately fell short losing 8 to 5.

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New England Collegiate Baseball League

Keene Swamp Bats 8 - Upper Valley Nighthawks 5

Swamp Bats

Starting Pitcher - Rob Carrillo, 6.0 IP, 5 H, 2 ER, 3 BB, 2 K's, NO DECISION

First Base - Patrick Sullivan, 3 for 4, 1 R, 1 2B, 3 RBI

Designated Hitter- Aubrey McCarthy, 3 for 5, 1 R, 1 RBI

Nighthawks

Starting Pitcher - Ryan Takacs, 2.0 IP, 5 H, 4 ER, 1 BB, 0 K's, NO DECISION

Left Field, Joey Denison, 1 for 3, 1 R, 1 RBI, 2 BB

Shortstop - Al Molina, 1 for 5, 1 R, 1 3B

Good evening, it's Tuesday, August 2nd.

Many town officials in our area have been busy with zoning, town management, and looking ahead to the future. All of our stories today involve area towns and future developments that are in the works. First up, in Claremont, the city's Zoning Board of Adjustment has agreed to continue looking at two developments in town: the possible reopening of BJ Bricker's and the Claremont Speedway's RV campground. *The Eagle Times* explains that the closed steak and seafood restaurant on Washington Street is hoping to reopen, but not before they

acquire a variance that would reduce the number of required parking spaces. To approve a variance for the parking, the board will need to see a professional engineer's design. Regarding the Claremont Speedway now, the board heard a two hour presentation this week about the proposed RV campground on Thrasher Road and has unanimously decided to continue to hearing. The 149 spot campsite has received both support and criticism, most notably from land abutters, and the Zoning Board visited the site last week. The board will discuss BJ Brickers' parking situation in early September and will continue to campground discussion during the same meeting.

Down in Rockingham now, the town is moving further towards creating two new development review boards that would replace the current zoning board. *The Eagle Times* reports that the Rockingham Planning Commission and the Zoning Board of Adjustment are close to deciding on creating a separate Planning Commission, a PC, and Development Review Board, a DRB. While the Rockingham Planning Commission ultimately has no official capacity to create such a board, it can convince the Selectboard to either divide planning and development review into two separate boards or to retain the original ZBA. State officials told the town that most towns have no difficulty when transferring to a DRB. If all goes according to plan, the PC/DRB model's size would be determined by the Selectboard, who would dictate other facets of the groups function. The town's zoning administrator, Charles Wise Jr, would retain his role and responsibilities after the transition. The Planning Commission and Zoning Board of Adjustment will be meeting on August 17th to talk with the Selectboard regarding the split.

Back in Claremont now, the City Council has said no to a proposed Tax Increment Finance District that would have been located along Charlestown Road and Grissom Lane. *The Valley New* says that the TIF was proposed by City Manager Guy Santagate and would have sponsored economic growth along the aforementioned areas. A TIF is an economic development strategy where a city or town designates an area that looks promising for private investment, sets a minimum assessed value, and improves the area's infrastructure to promote private business. The private development would then hopefully raise the assessed value above the initial minimum amount. The council agreed that the TIF already in place in the downtown has not yielded the expected results, which caused members to be wary of creating another one in a less busy area. Santagate proposed the TIF because it was one of three options to address the drainage problems on Charlestown Road, the other two options being increased tax rates or borrowing the money. City officials hesitated at creating the TIF because of two existing TIFS and needing to focus on them before moving to another.

Across the river and a tad south, the town of Springfield is looking to garner input soon from area residents on the future of the downtown. What's more is that they hope to do it in a casual and low-key manner, allowing for honest and open discussions. Market Madness is fast approaching in late August, hosted by Springfield On The Move, and town officials, in conjunction with a national consulting group, will be asking Springfield residents what they'd like to see from the downtown and how it can be improved as part of a \$75,000 master plan. *The Rutland Herald* says that Greenman-Pedersen Inc., which has an office in White River Junction, will be having a booth at the Market Madness fair on August 20th to receive public input. Some ideas have already been put forth, including a river walk or park area along the Black River.

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Springfield's Town Manager says that after the Market Madness booth, GPI and others involved with the project will have an open house in November. The money for possible improvements comes from a grant from the Vermont Agency of Transportation and the Agency of Commerce and Community Development.

After the break on YCN News, we'll take a look at a local manufacturer who is producing massive steel girders for the Tappan Zee Bridge.

Trivia for you: what does the new Tappan Zee bridge in New York and the new Memorial Bridge in Portsmouth, New Hampshire have in common? Got an idea? Well I'll tell you the answer: the steel beams on both bridges were fabricated in Claremont at the Canam bridge building facility. YCN had a chance to tour this impressive plant and talk to their Human Resources Manager, Dana Moss about this unique facility and their cutting edge capabilities.

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Claremont harbors many local gems, including this powerhouse manufacturer. Canam is currently hiring so if you have welding or painting skills and are interested in a unique learning opportunity, check out their website for job postings.

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The Hanover area farmer's market will be open tomorrow from 3 to 6pm in Hanover on the Dartmouth Green. Come peruse the vendors who will be selling locally grown produce, prepared foods and artisanal products. Attending is of course free and you can call 603-643-3115 for more details.

If you have little ones who enjoy stories, I suggest you bring them to Wednesday Story Time in the Park in Lebanon, New Hampshire at Colburn Park on 51 N. Park St. Bring lunch and listen to stories told outside. The event is co-sponsored by Lebanon Public Library and will begin at noon and will last until 1pm. It's of course free and you can call 603-448-5121 to find out more details.

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Well Elk's Lodge on 150 Heater Rd. in Lebanon, New Hampshire is having another drive-thru chicken barbecue from 3 to 6pm. Swing by and purchase some quality chicken, baked potatoes, biscuits, coleslaw and dessert. The main meal will cost \$8 dollars and each homemade dessert will cost \$1.50. This dinner is sponsored by the Lebanon Emblem Club and all proceeds will benefit local community organizations. Pre-orders are available and if you would like to do so please call 802-359-3575.

Yesterday we showed you highlights from an Upper Valley Nighthawks baseball game that was played on Friday. Today we'll be bringing you interviews with the managers and players from the Hawks to get their take on their 4 to 3 win.

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The Nighthawks will wrap up the regular season tonight against the Vermont Mountaineers in a double header as the Hawks fight for a playoff spot.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some results a Keene Swamp Bats baseball game that was played last night.

The Bats with a record of 19 and 24, traveled to take on the Newport Gulls who held a record of 24 and 19. Zach Hart got the start for Keene while the Gulls countered with Paul Campbell. Newport was able to strike first, scoring once in the second and once in the third to take an early 2 nothing lead. But the Swamp Bats answered with a run of their own in the top of the 4th off of a Jack Morock sacrifice fly. No runs would be scored until the bottom of the 6th when the Gulls tacked on two more runs, one of which came off the bat of Gulls third baseman Trey Harris. The Swamp Bats were held completely at bay as they were sat down one, two, three in order from the 6th inning to the 9th inning as the Gulls went on to win 4 to 1. Newport improves to 25 and 19 while Keene falls to 19 and 25. This game was the last of the regular season for Keene. They currently hold the final spot for the playoffs but today's doubleheader between the Nighthawks and the Mountaineers could change everything. If either the Hawks or the Mountaineers win both games, they would move ahead of the Swamp Bats to be awarded the final playoff position.

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New England Collegiate Baseball League

Newport Gulls 4 - Keene Swamp Bats 1

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Gulls

Starting Pitcher - Paul Campbell, 4.0 IP, 1 H, 1 ER, 3 BB, 5 K's, NO DECISION

Third Base, Trey Harris, 2 for 4, 2 R, 1 2B, 1 RBI

Catcher - Troy Dixon, 1 for 4, 2 R, 1 2B

Swamp Bats

Starting Pitcher - Zach Hart, 6.0 IP, 7 H, 4 ER, 0 BB, 3 K's, LOSS

Center Field - Jack Morock, 0 for 1, 1 RBI, 1 BB

Left Field - Ryan Costello, 1 for 3, 1 R, 1 BB

YCN, Your Local View! is a TV station based out of Claremont, NH. They cover stories from a large area in the greater Dartmouth/Lake Sunapee Regions. Visit ycnnow.com for more information and other stories.

Good evening, it's Wednesday, August 3rd.

Crime news is up first tonight and this particular case is very local for Claremont residents. Police say that yesterday around 8:00 in the morning, the Claremont Police Department, the DEA Clandestine Laboratory Team, and New Hampshire State Police executed a search warrant at 44 Central Street on suspicion of drug manufacturing. Authorities arrested 34-year old Erica Walker and 33-year old Shaun Teeter during the search for charges of Felony Manufacturing a Controlled Drug. The search team had found evidence of methamphetamine manufacturing and deemed the scene under control and safe. Both Walker and Teeter were scheduled to be arraigned in the 5th Circuit Court, Claremont District Division earlier today. Earlier this year, another local man, 54-year old Bradley Ames, was arrested for Conspiracy to Manufacture Methamphetamine out of his 27 School Street home. He pleaded guilty and is spending one year behind bars and will be under three years probation after release.

In other police news tonight, this time as more of an alert and an inquiry to the public, police in Hartford, Vermont need your help tracking down those responsible for vandalism. The Hartford Police Department is investigating vandalism that occurred last night at the the Cumberland Farms at 1167 Hartford Avenue. The Cumberland Farms gas station is currently closed for renovations and the vandals targeted construction equipment and survey materials, including two excavators. The incident was determined to have taken place last night and into the early hours of this morning and the vandals removed markers placed by survey crews and spray-painted graffiti on the body panels of two excavators on the site. The damage is currently estimated at \$5500 and Hartford Police are actively looking into the incident to find those responsible. If you have any information or know someone who may, you are urged to contact Officer Sean Fernandes at 802-295-9425. This particular Cumberland Farms has been under renovation for some time now and is located conveniently off of Interstate 91.

The long tale of the Vilas Bridge continues tonight with news that the town of Rockingham is looking to pursue legal action against New Hampshire. *The Eagle Times* says that during yesterday's Selectboard hearing, town officials discussed reaching out to an attorney and finding out if it would be worth their while to pursue a case against the Granite State

regarding the Vilas Bridge. The paper says that a Memorandum of Understanding, an MOU, was signed in 1994 by the New Hampshire division of the Federal Highway Administration that ruled that for 22 years, New Hampshire would be responsible for maintenance of the bridge. NH has not maintained the bridge, which carries wastewater from Walpole to Bellows Falls for treatment as part of an agreement, and Rockingham hopes that legal action would spur New Hampshire to repair the old bridge. Yesterday, the board approved inquiring with legal counsel to make sure that they indeed have a case against their twin state.

In Sunapee now, the future of the Old Abbott Library is currently being discussed with one local preservation group presenting their vision of how the building can be used. *WNTK Radio* says that the Sunapee Historical Society, in conjunction with the Town of Sunapee, is moving forward with their idea to install a thrift shop in the lowest level of the building and purchase the building for a quarter million dollars. A lease purchase agreement is on the horizon and public hearings will be held to determine what the public thinks about the building's possible future under the wing of the Sunapee Historical Society. The purchase price would cover payment to the Library Trustees and the Planning Board is being brought into the discussion in September to talk about a handicap ramp to lower level of the building, which would potentially house a thrift shop. The New Abbott Library was built two years ago and since then, they have reported that there has been an 80% increase in visits and 120% increase in the number of library cards issued.

After the break on YCN News, I love pulled pork...do you? We'll take a look at a local pulled pork contest when we come back.

If you've looked at the calendar recently, hopefully you've noticed it's August. What does that mean? Plenty of things, like the inevitable end of summer, but mainly, it's time to get out your slow cooker. Why? It's only a few weeks until the 4th Annual Amateur BBQ Pulled Pork Competition & Festival at Alyson's Orchard in Walpole. Admission is cheap: all you gotta do is bring a non-perishable food item that will benefit the Fall Mountain Food Shelf. Included with admission is the honor of sampling some of Southern New Hampshire's finest pulled pork and for competitors, the possible distinction of being a pulled-pork champion.

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The Amateur Pulled Pork Competition and Festival is on Sunday, August 28th from 11 AM to 3 PM. In addition to the great BBQ, there will be apple picking, wagon rides, ice cream and face painting. If you'd like to compete, go to info@AlysonsOrchard.com.

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Welcome back to YCN News, I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today's been a very nice day as we've seen sunny clear skies with temperatures reaching 83 degrees. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

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If you enjoy clowning around, pun intended, you should bring your kids to an hour of clown comedy at Colburn Park in Lebanon, NH on 51 North Park St. Clown Michael Zerphy will be performing for free from noon until 1pm with juggling, comedy and more. Make sure to bring a lunch to enjoy during the show. If you would like more information please call 603-448-5121.

The Summer Farmers Market in Lebanon will be open from 4 to 7pm also at Colburn Park on North Park Street. The market will include fresh produce, plants, prepared food, baked goods and handmade crafts. Live music will also be performed each week by folk traditional musicians from around New England. You can call 603-448-5121 for more details.

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Last night the Upper Valley Nighthawks hosted the Vermont Mountaineers for a doubleheader that concluded the regular season for both teams as part of the New England Collegiate Baseball League. Both teams were tied in the standings as they hoped to clinch the final spot in the playoffs. Let's see which team was able to win game one.

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Stay tuned tomorrow as we'll be showing you highlights from game 2.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some results from a nail biting Winnepesaukee Muskrats baseball game that was played last night.

The Muskrats with a record of 19 and 24, hosted the Mystic Schooners who held an impressive record of 28 and 15, the best team in the league. If the Muskrats won this game, they'd clinch the final playoff spot as they're currently in the 4 way tie for the last playoff seed. The Muskrats were able to take an early lead in the bottom of the first after an error from the Schooners allowed a run to score. But they would immediately tie the game in the top of the second. Leads would be traded back and forth until the Schooners were able to score six runs in the top of the 4th, three of which came from a 3 run homer off the bat of Mystic's second baseman Nick Mascelli. Let's now go to the 7th when the Muskrats were down 10 to 4. They would score 4 times in the bottom of the inning and 3 more times in the bottom of the 8th to tie the game at 11 apiece as the Schooners managed to score once in the top of the 8th. The 3 runs in the 8th

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came off the bat of Winnepesaukee left fielder Kevian Berges as he crushed a game tying 3 run homer. Neither team scored in the 9th so this game would go to extra innings. No runs were scored in the 10th but the 11th was a different story as the Schooners scored twice off of a Nick Mascelli two run single. But the Muskrats were able to again rally from behind as Kevian Berges again came through with the big hit, a two run game tying single. So this game would continue on into the 12th when the Schooners scored three times. The Muskrats were not able to make a third comeback in this one as they fell 16 to 13. The Muskrats will now play a one game playoff as they hope to sneak into the playoffs.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Lynn Solomon for some Kearsarge Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Karen Zurheide, the Vice President of Community Relations at New London Hospital who may or may not be my mother. We'll be right back.

Thanks Lynn and Roger. Up next, we'll join our Capital Connections series for this week as we take a look at Donald Trump's visit to the area last year. We'll be right back.

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New England Collegiate Baseball League

Mystic Schooners 16 - Winnepesaukee Muskrats 13

Schooners

Relief Pitcher - Kellen Croce, 5.0 IP, 6 H, 6 ER, 5 BB, 3 K's

Second Base - Nick Mascelli, 3 for 7, 3 R, 1 HR, 4 RBI

Catcher - Scotty Bradley, 5 for 6, 2 R, 1 HR, 2 RBI

Muskrats

Starting Pitcher - Ethan Gillis, 1.1 IP, 1 H, 1 ER, 0 BB, 1 K's

Left Field - Kevian Berges, 2 for 7, 1 R, 1 HR, 6 RBI

Third Base - James Garnett, 2 for 5, 3 R, 1 2B, 1 HR, 1 RBI

Good evening, it's Thursday, August 4th.

Tonight's news begins with a crime update regarding a story we brought you earlier this week as two Claremont residents who were arrested on Tuesday for methamphetamine manufacturing have been ordered held on bail in court. As part of a drug raid at 44 Central Street on Tuesday, 34-year old Erica Walker and 33-year old Shaun Teeter were arrested on the charge of conspiracy to manufacture methamphetamine. *The Eagle Times* says that both of the suspects were in court yesterday and held on a high bail amounts, with \$50,000 and \$100,000 for Walker and Teeter, respectively. The high amounts were justified by the extensive criminal records of both suspects, with Teeter having been out on parole from a July 20th release, making it the third time he has violated parole. Police revealed in court that they had witnessed Walker and Teeter purchasing Sudafed, which can be used to cook meth, from the Rite-Aid in town and a cooperating individual had revealed to authorities that they were cooking meth in the Central Street residence. The DEA also had the two on their watch list.

Sticking with crime news, police down in Brattleboro have arrested two people for a hate crime. Police say that late last week, officers from the Brattleboro PD responded to Elliot Street for a report of an assault. At the scene, they found two victims: a male who had been attacked randomly and hit with a beer bottle as well as a female passerby who had been assaulted as well. The reported suspects, a male and female, shouted racial slurs as they had assaulted the female victim. The suspects reportedly fled down the street and Vermont State Police and the Windham County Sheriff's Department assisted in tracking them down, including use of the VSP's K9 Unit. They arrested the female suspect, 20-year old Mariam Belarj for Disorderly Conduct: Hate Motivated as well as other charges. The second suspect was arrested yesterday on Elliot Street, identified as Patrick Wayne Poillon. He was treated for minor injuries sustained during the incident and pleaded not guilty in court. He faces the same hate crime charge as Belarj as well as other charges. Both of the victims have been treated for non life-threatening injuries.

Back in Claremont, it's certainly been a busy year for Stevens High School and school district administrators as they debate with the state over the class schedule. Following the state's Public Employee Labor Relations Board ruling that Stevens stop implementing their new A/B classroom schedule and revert to their former block schedule, the school board met last night to discuss moving forward. Following a heated debate, according to both *The Eagle Times* and *The Valley News*, the board decided to table the discussion for a special meeting as board members clashed on defying the state's ruling. This meeting, with the date and time to be announced, will include the public, teachers, and board members. The A/B schedule was adopted last year to allow students to a higher success rate in their core classes by offering four classes on A days and four other classes on B days throughout the year. The block schedule simply required that students take four classes per semester. With the school year picking up again shortly, students will use the block schedule as school administrators and the public work out how to proceed.

Up in Hanover now, the battle continues over a proposed large athletic facility to be built in a residential neighborhood. Dartmouth has proposed building a 70,000-square-foot athletic facility for its athletes to use year-round, but the location is raising eyebrows and even some fists. Just last week, abutters of the proposed build site off of South Park Street, through their attorney, have filed a request with Hanover's Planning Board to examine the school's application for the site. This is an effort to find a compromise with Dartmouth to adjust the design so that it is more friendly to the surrounding areas in a few different regards. *The Valley News* says that the investigation into the site plan showed many deficiencies and lacked information regarding certain factors such as sound and neighborhood impact. Communication between the college and residents is ongoing and school officials have proposed changing the shape of the roof. Residents have complained mainly about the sheer size of the building, which would resemble a large warehouse and the two sides in the argument hope to reach a compromise before anything is set in stone.

After the break on YCN News, we'll check out the current show at the New London Barn Playhouse that you can see yourself. That's when we come back.

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It's that time once again where we give you an inside look at the show currently being performed at the New London Barn Playhouse. Following their last show, "Shrek", the group has begun to perform "The 39 Steps", a humorous rendition of John Buchan's novel and Alfred Hitchcock's movie. We caught up with two of the play's actors to tell us more.

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"The 39 Steps" has a short performance run, ending this Sunday on the 7th so make sure to see it before you miss your chance! The Barn's next show is "Crazy for You", beginning on August 10th.

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Tonight patchy fog is expected after 2am. Otherwise the skies will be MOSTLY CLEAR with lows falling just below 60 degrees (59). There will be a southwest wind with gust speeds around 5 miles an hour. Tomorrow, Friday, the patchy fog will continue until just before 7am. But the day itself will be beautiful with SUNNY skies and highs peaking in the mid 80s (85). A southwest wind will have gust speeds around 5 to 10 miles an hour. Tomorrow night, there's a 40% chance of showers after midnight. The skies will be mostly cloudy and lows will fall to around 64 degrees. Saturday there's a 40% CHANCE FOR SHOWERS and POSSIBLY SEVERE THUNDERSTORMS. High temperatures will reach the mid 80s (84). By 6pm, the storms will have past and the skies will become partly cloudy with a south wind with gust speeds around 5 to 10 miles an hour. And Saturday night, partly cloudy skies are expected and lows will fall to around 60 degrees.

If you're looking for some bargains I suggest you head on up to the Lyme Congregational Church on 1 Dorchester Road for another bargain Barn sale. Used clothes, household items, linens, jewelry and toys will be available for purchase at a very reasonable price. The bargains will be going on from 1:30pm to 4:30pm and you can call 603-795-2850 for more information.

The Chelsea Farmers Market in Chelsea, Vermont will be going on again tomorrow from 3 to 6pm in the heart of downtown Chelsea. This market offers fresh produce, local crafts, and prepared foods. There is an average of 20 vendors a week and it is a great place to purchase local products, meet up with friends, and enjoy some live music. If you would like more information you can call 802-685-3174.

If you enjoy live music, I suggest you head on over to the Norwich Green in Norwich, Vermont on 22 Church St. for two hours of free music from 6pm to 8pm as a part of the Summer Concert Series in Norwich. Bring a blanket, picnic, lawn chairs, and your kids to enjoy this week's band Toast. Please call 203-253-4871 to find out more details.

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Yesterday we brought you highlights of game 1 during a doubleheader as the Upper Valley Nighthawks baseball team hosting the Vermont Mountaineers. Today we'll showing you highlights of game 2 which was a must win for Hawks if they hope to make the playoffs after losing game one 11 to 4.

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Since the Nighthawks won game 2, they were able to stay alive as they tied with four other teams for the final playoff spots. In order to break the tie, they played against the Winnepesaukee Muskrats yesterday at noon and the Hawks went on to win 6 to 3 which then forced them to play another win or go home scenario against the Keene Swamp Bats.

So now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out the results from the second crucial game that was played last night.

The Nighthawks and the Swamp Bats faced off as the Hawks sent Bill Maier to the mound and the Bats countered with Noah Rizio. The Upper Valley got off to a good start in the bottom of the second when Charlie Concannon blasted a leadoff solo home run to give the Hawks an early 1 nothing lead. There would be no more runs scored until the bottom of the fifth when the Hawks were able to string together six hits to score 4 times which chased Swamp Bats starter Rizio out of the game. The Nighthawks starter on the other hand pitched what some are calling his best start of the year as he would the entire game only allowing 2 hits with zero walks and zero earned runs. The Nighthawks rode Maier's dominant start all the way to end as the Upper Valley ended up winning 5 to 0. This win clinched the final playoff spot for the Hawks which was very important to the management as this was the team's inaugural year into the NECBL. The Upper Valley will start a best of three game series against the tough Sanford Mainers beginning tonight at 6:30pm at Goodall Park, the Mainer's home field.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Elizabeth D'Orazio for some River Valley Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Chris Collier, of the Vermont Institute of Natural Science and what their mission is all about. We'll be right back.

Thanks Elizabeth and Chris. Up next, we'll join our Capital Connections series for this week as we take a look at Donald Trump's visit to the area last year. We'll be right back.

Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good weekend.

New England Collegiate Baseball League

Upper Valley Nighthawks 5 - Keene Swamp Bats 0

Nighthawks

Starting Pitcher - Bill Maier, 7.0 IP, 2 H, 0 ER, 0 BB, 5 K's, WIN

First Base - Charlie Concannon, 2 for 3, 1 R, 1 HR, 1 RBI

Left Fielder - Joey Denison, 1 for 3, 1 2B, 1 RBI

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Starting Pitcher - Noah Rizio, 4.1 IP, 6 H, 4 ER, 3 BB, 1 K's, LOSS

First Base - Patrick Sullivan, 1 for 3

Third Base - Garrett Christman, 1 for 2

Good evening, it's Friday, August 5th.

We begin tonight with news of an ongoing investigation in the area of Newport, New Hampshire as police are looking into an untimely death. The Newport and Goshen Police Departments are investigating the death that was reported on Wednesday. Both the Sullivan County Sheriff's Department and the New Hampshire Attorney General's Office are assisting in the efforts. Newport Police were initially notified of the death but did not reveal where the body was located. The deceased was identified as a male but his name, residence, and age were have not been revealed at this time. Some type of incident occurred that resulted in the man's death and police performed CPR on him but he was later pronounced dead at Valley Regional Hospital in Claremont. An autopsy was performed yesterday but no exact cause of death has been revealed yet, but it is believed that drugs may have been a factor. Authorities anticipate to release further details as family members are notified.

On a different note now, the search for Claremont's new city manager to replace outgoing longtime manager Guy Santagate is progressing further. *The Eagle Times* says that the City Council voted 5-1 during a special meeting on Wednesday to reach out to Municipal Resources Incorporated (MRI) to help the council in finding a replacement city manager who would take office in 2017. A subcommittee, consisting of councilors Scott Pope and Carolyn Towle as well as Assistant Mayor Victor Bergeron had recommended MRI, which is based out of Meredith, NH. They chose MRI, which specializes in government consulting, over four other firms because of their extended reach and familiarity with the New England area. City Manager Guy Santagate, who is the longest serving city manager in the city's history, having served 15 years, announced his retirement in December last year, which will take place at the end of this year. The City Council has been anticipating this inevitable announcement and has been looking into filling his spot since 2013. MRI's services will cost the city more than \$15,000.

New Hampshire is a great place to live and work. However, one of the difficult conundrums for retaining our young people and even providing housing for professionals is the lack of living units at all economic levels. YCN caught up with Darryl Parker, owner of Schoodacs Coffee and Tea shop in Warner, who recently posted his thoughts on his Facebook page. He said he has a couple 20-somethings working for him and they just can't find a place to live in the area. Looking into the problem, he found that there is nothing available at the entry level in this area. He told us that around 60% of high school students that leave the state for college do not return, largely due to this problem. YCN asked him what people could do.

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Thanks Darryl for your efforts in the Warner area. If your community has a creative solution to this problem, let YCN know and we will report it.

Onto other news now, it's the New London Hospital Days through Sunday, ending with the triathlon. But last night, YCN caught up with Dan O'Halloran, the president of the Lake Sunapee

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Region Chamber of Commerce at their Chamber Night. It was a fun 60's theme event that has become one of the feature attractions along with the midway and many other happenings that all contribute to the financial health of the New London Hospital programs.

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For the kids, the midway is open again tonight and all day tomorrow along with the biggest parade in our region tomorrow at 2 PM on Main Street. I'd like to note that if you can't make the parade, or are in it, YCN will televise it Monday night at 7:30 PM.

After the break on YCN News, we'll take a look at a fun time that was had on Wednesday night involving three chambers of commerce. We'll be right back.

It was certainly a good time at Summercrest in Newport on Wednesday night as three different chambers of commerce came together for a night of food and live music. The group Second Wind performed while attendees enjoyed food and conversed. Later, everyone heard from Lake Sunapee Region Chamber President Dan O'Halloran, Claremont Chamber Executive Director Elysa Crossman, and Newport Chamber Executive Director Ella Casey. Let's take a quick peek at the event.

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The Chamber directors and presidents explained that there certainly are a lot of events coming up this month of August so stay posted in your respective town for some summer fun.

After the break on YCN News, we'll check out some local sports action, plus your weather and community calendar. We'll be right back.

Welcome back to YCN News. Well today summer was in full swing as we saw sunny skies and warm temperatures all day long... Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight will start off clear but storms could move in after 3am bringing a 30% CHANCE OF SHOWERS & THUNDERSTORMS with low temperatures in the mid 60s (64). Tomorrow those storms are likely to stick around throughout the day, and there's a 40% OF SEVERE THUNDERSTORMS at times throughout the day. Highs will reach into the mid 80s (86). Storms should clear out by around 5:00pm, leaving us with PARTLY CLOUDY skies saturday evening, with lows of 60 degrees. Sunday looks to be the perfect summer day with MOSTLY SUNNY skies, with a mild breeze and highs just under 80 degrees (79). And Sunday night MOSTLY CLEAR skies will continue with temperatures bottoming out at around 57 degrees

You can freshen up on your French in Enfield, New Hampshire tomorrow beginning at 10 AM at the Community Lutheran Church on 96 Main Street. Being held is a free French Conversation Club where you can practice your French in a social setting. All abilities are welcome and you can call 603-306-6606 for more details.

The Windsor Farmer's Market in non other than Windsor, Vermont will be open again tomorrow from 11am to 2pm on The Green off of State Street. Fresh produce, eggs, meat, crafts,

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prepared food and more will be available for purchase. If you would like more details you're welcome to call 802-359-2551.

The Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum in Warner, NH on 18 Highlawn Rd, is continuing their 25 year anniversary celebration with an entire day of native storytelling tomorrow from 10am to 5pm, co-hosted by the New Hampshire Storytelling Alliance. The stories are free so be sure to bring the whole family. If you would like more information please call 603-456-2600.

It's time for YCN Sports and today we'll be continuing to examine Tuesday's double header that the Upper Valley Nighthawks played in against the Vermont Mountaineers. You've already seen the highlights so today we'll be hearing from the manager and three players, who we caught up with after the second game of the night. They needed to win this game in order to make it into the playoffs.

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The Nighthawks played two win or go home matches to truly qualify for the playoffs. Let's take a look at those playoff scores now to check out the how the Nighthawks fared in their first playoff game against the Sanford Mainers.

It was a tough night for the Nighthawks as poor pitching and mental errors allowed the Mainers to take control early and never look back. It started off early in the first when Shaine Hughes of the Mainers singled in a runner at third who had been allowed to advance on a wild pitch from starting pitcher Dylan Verdonk. Michael Landestoy would then hit a sacrifice fly to right field to score another run, putting the Mainers up by 2 after just 1 inning. After allowing the Mainers to score in the 3rd, twice in 4th and again in the 5th, things went from bad to worse for the Nighthawks. Leading the Hawks 6 to nothing in the bottom of the 7th, Mainers lefty pitcher Johnny Slater beamed a triple deep into right center field, allowing shortstop Todd Czinege to score. Slater, Zack Janacarski, Shaine Hughes, Michael Landestoy, and Christopher Gaetano would all reach home plate for the Mainers off Singles by Hughes and Gaetano, and a Double by Sam Stauble, to give the Mainers the 12 to Nothing lead. The Nighthawks would not score until the 9th inning when Outfielder Trent Leimkuehler knocked in two runs off a double into deep center field, allowing Mike Cross and Zack Canada to cross home plate. The Hawks fell by a final score of 12 to 2. The Hawks will look to bounce back tonight as they face the Mainers at home, and try to stay alive in the NECBL playoffs.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Lynn Solomon for some Kearsarge Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Matt McClay, the owner of Pleasant Acres. We'll be right back.

Thanks Lynn and Matt. Up next, we'll join our Mayor's Minutes segment for this week as we hear from Claremont Mayor Charlene Lovett. We'll be right back.

Welcome back. Let's now tune in to Mayor's Minutes.

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Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good weekend.

New England Collegiate Baseball League

Sanford Mainers 12 - Upper Valley Nighthawks 2

Mainers

Starting Pitcher - Cole Whitney, 7.2 IP, 2 H, 0 ER, 2 BB, 3 K's, WIN

Short Stop, Todd Czinege, 4 for 5, 2 R, 2 RBI

Third Base - Shaine Hughes, 3 for 5 1 R, 2 RBI, 1 BB

Nighthawks

Starting Pitcher - Dylan Verdonk, 2.1 IP, 6 H, 3 ER, 1 BB, 1 K's, LOSS

Second Base, Trent Leimkuehler, 1 for 4, 1 R, 2 RBI

Right Field - Al Molina, 1 for 3 1H

The past month or so you've probably noticed a lot more people than usual walking around outside on their phone. What's more is that most of these people are younger and you may have heard them mutter something about "catching a Pikachu". For those of you who may not know what I'm speaking about or what exactly is taking over our nation, here's YCN's Noah Braun with more.

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Interested in trying out this national trend for yourself? You can download the game from either the App Store or Google Play and join the many other players in our region. Heck, you may even make some new friends!

Good evening, it's Monday, August 8th.

It was a scary scene last night in Springfield, Vermont as a man suffered non-life threatening injuries from a single vehicle crash. Springfield Police say that at around 9:30 PM, they responded to multiple calls regarding a single vehicle rollover that had occurred on Chester Road near the area of the Church of Christ. An investigation revealed that 28-year old Travis Tyrrell of Chester, Vermont lost control of his 2015 Ford F150 and hit a ditch just west of the Church of Christ, causing the vehicle to go airborne and rolling over when it hit the ground again. It came to a rest back on its wheels and both Tyrrell and his passenger, an 18-year old male, were transported to Springfield Hospital with non-life threatening injuries. Neither of the vehicle's occupants were wearing seatbelts at the time of the accident. Anyone who may have witnessed the accident or has information regarding it, you are urged to contact Officer Steven Neily of Springfield Police at 802-885-2113.

In Claremont now but on a lighter note, a local educational group has officially purchased a distinguishable and unique building on Main Street. Twin State MakerSpace, a group that promotes art and creativity in the immediate and surrounding areas, just last week purchased the Sawtooth Building at 44-46 Main Street. *The Eagle Times* says that MakerSpace purchased the building on August 1st for \$18.42 through a quitclaim deed. The Lebanon-based nonprofit was given the chance to purchase the building back in 2014 for

one dollar in hopes that once purchased, they would rehabilitate and renovate the historic building. Makerspace had been given a quarter million dollar economic development grant in the fall of last year to purchase equipment and materials needed to complete their goals. In this particular building, they will host precision machining instruments, 3-D printers, a wood shop, and other valuable resources. The Sawtooth Building is no stranger to Claremont and has been around since the early 1990's. However, part of it was demolished and turned into a parking garage, as part of an agreement. City officials have expressed enthusiasm in the downtown being revitalized in efforts such as this.

Amid multiple stories of turmoil within local school districts, including Stevens High School's controversial new schedule, residents and officials in Croydon are continuing to fight for their right to send schools to private school with public money. Following Judge Brian Tucker's recent ruling that Croydon can't use taxpayer money to fund the tuition of students attending the Newport Montessori School, which sided with an injunction filed by the state, residents and officials met last Thursday to discuss moving forward. Currently, six students attend the private school in Newport and *The Valley News* says that half of the \$8,200 annual tuition has already been paid. The School Board told around 30 residents who attended that they will be filing an appeal of Judge Tucker's ruling, and if not successful, will take their case to the NH Supreme Court. The State Board of Education and many other authorities are concerned that if students attend unapproved private schools, they may not receive adequate education that they would have received at a state-standard public school. For parents and local school administrators, school choice and allowing parents to send their kids wherever they want remains at the forefront of the discussion. No official decision on the appeal has been made yet.

On more of a grave note now, Dartmouth College has taken some initial steps in their cleanup plan for a contaminated test animal disposal site. Late last week, New Hampshire officials who specialize in water regulation, approved the revised cleanup plan for the historic Rennie Farm, which is a contaminated site. *The Valley News* says that the Rennie Farm site at Dartmouth College used to be the dump site for several tons of deceased radioactive test animals as part of tests and studies at Dartmouth's medical school. However, the radioactivity contaminated a private well and even though cleanup was undertaken in 2011, workers recently found waste that had been missed. So far, around \$5 million has been put into the cleanup efforts and the school must wait until later this week for state nuclear regulators to approve the revised clean up. The Department of Environmental Services has said that their immediate goal is to remove the extra lab animals that were recently discovered, in light of neighbors demanding a more thorough cleanup. The most recent work plan was submitted in late July and will tackle a 30 by 30 foot burial plot.

After the break on YCN News, we'll join the Lake Sunapee Region VNA and Hospice as we take another look into the world of health. We will be right back.

Let's now join the Lake Sunapee Region VNA and Hospice as we examine how MRIs help to detect pr.

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Thanks for that, we'll tune back in at the same time next week for more medical information.

After the break on YCN News, we'll take a look at some local sports action, plus your weather and community calendar. We'll be right back.

Welcome back to YCN News. Well hopefully today you got a chance to get out and enjoy those sunny skies and warm temperatures. If not that's ok, looks like tomorrow should be more of the same... let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight we may see some patchy fog after 2am, but otherwise skies will be CLEAR, with cooler lows that usual bottoming out at around 50 degrees. That fog could carry over into Tuesday morning, but should hopefully be clearing up just in time for your morning commute, leaving us with SUNNY skies throughout the day, and highs in the mid 80's. Tomorrow night we'll have MOSTLY CLEAR skies with a chance once again for some fog after midnight, lows reaching around 62 degrees. And Wednesday will start off ok but as we move into the afternoon there is a 30% CHANCE OF THUNDERSTORMS and highs will reach just above 80 degrees. Those storms should be wrapped up by early evening though, leaving us with MOSTLY CLOUDY skies Wednesday night lows in the mid 60's.

Well if your kids are into the outdoors, head over to the Marsh Billings Rockefeller Historic Park in Woodstock Vermont from 10-10:30 AM tomorrow to learn how to become a Junior Ranger. Kids will be joined by a National Park Ranger for 30 minutes of hands on activities. Children Ages 6-12 accompanied by parents can participate, and even earn a National Park Ranger patch. It's free to participate and if you would like to know more you can call (802) 475-3368, Extension 222.

Any aspiring writers out there should check out the Howe Library in Hanover tomorrow, for a Free Workshop called "What A Character". Writer Jo Knowles will teach you how to craft a unique special, character, and how to convey those traits to your reader. It's going on from 1-3pm and if you would like to learn more you can call (603) 640-3268

And if you enjoy a challenge with your friend then you might enjoy Pub Trivia night in Canaan, at the Town Library. Challenge your brain on topics ranging from History to Literature, and even a few creative topics as well. There is no charge to attend, and you can come with a team of 4 or as an individual. Light refreshments will be available, and prizes will be awarded to the winners. Find out more by calling (603) 632-5026

Yesterday marked the final day of New London's Hospital Days and it was certainly a big day, given the 33rd Annual Hospital Day Triathlon. Let's take a look.

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The Hospital Days festivities will pick up again next year around the same time and competitors will test their mettle once again in what will be the 34th Annual Triathlon.

Switching over to some scores now, let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out the Upper Valley Nighthawks, trying to stay alive in the NECBL Playoffs.

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Well the nighthawks faced off against the Sanford Mainers again on Friday and Saturday night. The hawks needed to win both games to move on in the playoffs after losing to the Mainers on Thursday. The first game for the Nighthawks got off to a much better start as they were able to score 2 in the second on a single Walker Grisanti, and tack on 4 more in the 3rd off doubles by Trent Leimkuelher, and Walker Grisanti, and a single by Kevin White Jr. however entering the bottom of the 8th the Upper Valley trailed Sanford 8 to 7. But with the season on the line Walker Grisanti hit a two run homer to put the hawks up by 1 and give them the 9-8 win after the Mainers went 3 up 3 down in the top of the 9th. However the story book playoffs were not to be for the Nighthawks as Sanford was able to rally back from their loss on Friday to put together a strong performance on Saturday including a 2 run Homer in the first, and a 6 run inning in the 5th. The hawks fought hard but were only able to put up 2 points in the 5th inning off a single by Austin Embler to send Brian Lau to home plate, and a solo homer run by Walker Grisanti, who had a stellar last two games going 5 for 8 with 5 RBI's 2 home runs, a double and a stolen base for good measure. Sanford would end the Nighthawks season, winning 12 to 2. The Nighthawks went 21 and 25 in their debut season but finished strong with a 7 and 3 record over their last 10 games, their future looks bright as they look to improve that mark and make a return trip to the playoffs next year.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Lynn Solomon for some Kearsarge Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Catherine Bardier, the director of wellness and community health at New London Hospital. We'll be right back.

Thanks Lynn and Catherine. Up next, we'll join our Capital Connections series for this week as we check in with members of the League of NH Craftsmen. We'll be right back.

Thanks John, we'll join you tomorrow for Part 2. Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good weekend.

New England Collegiate Baseball League

Upper Valley Nighthawks 9 - Sanford Mainers 8

Nighthawks

Starting Pitcher - Brian Lau, 1.2 IP, 0 H, 0 ER, 2 BB, 2 K's, WIN

Center Field - Walker Grisanti, 3 for 5, 3 R, 4 RBI, 1 HR

Designated Hitter - Zach Canada, 4 for 4, 3 R, 1 RBI, 1 BB

Mainers

Starting Pitcher - Joseph Orlando, 7.2 IP, 2 H, 0 ER, 2 BB, 3 K's, LOSS

Second Base, Michael Landestoy, 2 for 5, 1 R, 3 RBI

Third Base - Shaine Hughes, 3 for 4, 1 R, 1 RBI, 1 BB

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Mainers

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Starting Pitcher - Nick Kuzia, 5.0 IP, 6 H, 2 ER, 1 BB, 1 K's, WIN
Designated Hitter, Chris Gaetano, 1 for 2, 3 R, 2 RBI, 1 HR, 1 BB
Catcher - Tristan Chari, 2 for 5 1 R, 2 RBI

Nighthawks

Starting Pitcher - Ryan Takacs, 3.0 IP, 4 H, 4 ER, 3 BB, 0 K's, LOSS
Center Field - Walker Grisanti, 2 for 3, 1 R, 1 RBI, 1 HR, 1 BB
Second Base - Austin Embler, 1 for 3 1 RBI, 1 BB

Close to 200 hundred racers competed in the 33rd annual New London Hospital Days triathlon held in New London on August 7th. Teams and individuals began by swimming a quarter mile in Little Lake Sunapee followed by a 5.7 bike ride around Little Lake Sunapee and then a 5K run through New London finishing the race at the New London Historical Society. The top individual men's winner was Jake Parker from Stow with a time of 40:27.5. The individual women's winner was Kate Newick from New London with a time of 47:33.6. Taking second and third place for mens was Brendan Mulvey of Brighton Massachusetts and David Hollely of Belmont Massachusetts. For womens' second and third, we have Rachel Kelly-Martin of New London, sticking up for the hometown, and Morgan Ashworth of North Attleboro Massachusetts. Competitors came from all over to take part in the race, including many racers from Massachusetts but also some from Colorado and Washington DC. Congratulations to winners and to all of those who took part.

Good evening, it's Tuesday, August 9th.

We begin tonight with an ongoing investigation and a call for information as police are looking into a single-vehicle crash that occurred early this morning. Vermont State Police say that three people were injured when a 2000 Volkswagen Passat was totalled after crashing on Interstate 91 around 1:30 this morning just north of mile marker 80 near White River Junction, Vermont. The driver lost control of the vehicle and it went off of the road on the east side of the Interstate. After coming to a rest, it burst into flames and all three occupants were able to escape, but not without suffering non-life threatening injuries. 27-year old Michael Alger and 24-year old Jonathan Ruggles of Haverhill, NH and 26-year old John Winot of Woodsville were injured, including lacerations and bruising. Police are looking for two pieces of information: they are hoping to hear from anyone who may have witnessed the crash or the green Volkswagen between the hours of 1:00 and 1:30 AM on I-89 north between Lebanon, to WRJ or on I-91 north between WRJ and Norwich. If you have information on either the crash or the saw the car that was involved, you're asked to contact Trooper Pregent at the Royalton State Police Barracks between the hours of 5:00 PM and 2:00 AM. The phone number for the Barracks is 802-234-9933.

Take one look at the rivers and streams around our area and you'll no doubt notice that the water levels are much lower than usual. You don't need me to tell you that we are in a drought, having not received any significant rain for quite a while now. In light of this, the town of Newport is enacting a voluntary water reduction notice because of the statewide drought condition. The town, on their website, have posted a list of ways that residents can reduce their water consumption until we receive more water in the way of rain. Ideas include taking shorter showers and keeping drinking water in the fridge so that you use the faucet less. Other are to reduce the washing of cars, watering of lawns, filling of swimming pools,

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and to wash dishes by hand. For non-residents, other ideas are being offered, such as reducing the amount of water served in restaurants, if you're a server, and to only provide water unless specifically requested by a customer. For both residents and non-residents, you're urged to adjust all water-using appliances so that you're using the minimum amount of water needed for the appliance to function. The voluntary water reduction request will remain in effect until further notice.

In medical news now, the region's largest hospital is going to be awarded a contract to provide services for New Hampshire Hospital. Executive Councilor Joe Kenney told *The Valley News* that the Executive Council is going to be asked to award Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center with a three-year contract to provide professional services at the Concord-based New Hampshire Hospital. The paper says that Kenney had been told by Health and Human Commissioner Jeffrey Meyers that he had decided on the three-year contract and will be presenting it to the Council for their approval. The contract has not received unanimous approval so far, and the 5-member Council had even signed a letter to Meyers in mid June, expressing that they wanted to see a new bidding process for the hospital contract. It was that same day that a temporary deal was enacted with DHMC and NHH, which required that psychiatrists and nurse practitioners sign letters of intent for DHMC. A handful did not and they were let go, forcing Dartmouth-Hitchcock to fill empty spots at the Concord hospital, sparking controversy. The proposed new three-year contract will be presented in the near future.

It may be just less than two months away but that does not mean that Warner is not preparing for their annual Fall Foliage Festival. At a recent meeting of the festival organizers, they made an exciting announcement.

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That's great news! Surely this will return much of the festivities to the downtown and will consolidate the fun in one place. The Fall Foliage Festival is taking place October 7th to the 9th.

After the break on YCN News, the Lake Sunapee Region Chamber of Commerce got together for Chamber Night last week. We'll take a look.

Our region is populated by many community minded businesses and is facilitated by great local Chamber's of Commerce. YCN's Laura James caught up with several members of the Lake Sunapee Region Chamber at their annual Chamber Night at the New London Hospital Days to get an idea of what this local chamber sees as its mission.

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Thanks Laura. Last year, the Lake Sunapee Region Chamber raised over \$2500 for the local hospital and with the great weather last weekend, we can anticipate even more. Please keep in mind that when you spend money at a local business, it stays here, supporting the community

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with jobs and backing local sports teams, arts groups, and other non-profit organisations. All these provide the amenities that make it wonderful to live here.

After the break on YCN News, we'll take a look at some local sports action, plus your weather and community calendar. We'll be right back.

Welcome back to YCN News. Well today was another very nice Summer day as we've seen clear sunny skies and temperatures in the upper 80s. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight looks like it'll be calm and clear with temperatures falling to around 60 degrees. There will be a southerly wind but with gust speeds only around 5 miles an hour. Tomorrow, Wednesday, scattered SHOWERS AND THUNDERSTORMS (50%) are likely after 11am. The skies however will be partly sunny with highs peaking around 83 degrees. The southerly wind from the night before will continue to be present with gust speeds increasing to around 10 miles an hour. Tomorrow night, the skies will become partly cloudy with lows in the mid 60s (66). Thursday could be the pick of the week as SUNNY clear skies are expected with temperatures reaching the early 90s (91) and Thursday night the skies will be partly cloudy with lows staying very warm, around 70 degrees.

The Hanover area farmer's market will be open tomorrow from 3 to 6pm in Hanover on the Dartmouth Green. Come peruse the vendors who will be selling locally grown produce, prepared foods and artisanal products. Attending is of course free and you can call 603-643-3115 for more details.

The Northern Lights quilting group will be meeting again tomorrow at 6:30pm at the Lebanon United Methodist Church in Lebanon, New Hampshire on 18 School St. Come work on quilts while meeting new people. All materials will be provided and its free to attend. If you would like more information you're welcome to call 239-404-1962.

Since the school year is coming right up, you or your kids might want to brush up on some math to get ready for the fall. I suggest you check out the Algebra Brush up in White River Junction, Vermont at the Community College of Vermont on 145 Billings Farm Rd. This free 3 hour interactive session will be going on from 5 to 8pm and it'll be led by the college's math faculty to help refresh some skills learned in high school. Advance registration is required so please call 802-828-2800 to sign up as soon as possible.

All Summer we've been covering the brand new Upper Valley Nighthawks Baseball team during their first year in the New England Collegiate Baseball League. The team made the playoffs in dramatic fashion but ended up losing to the tough Sanford Mainers 2 to 1 in a best of three scenario. But the Hawks had a number of bright spots including shortstop Al Molina who was selected to the league's all-star team so today we'll be checking out Al's season while also hearing from his coach, teammates and Al himself.

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Other all-stars from the Nighthawks included left fielder Joey Denison and right fielder Grayson Padgett.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some results from a New Hampshire Fisher Cats game that was played on Sunday night.

The Fisher Cats with a record of 51 and 61, hosted the Erie Seawolves who held a less than impressive record of 46 and 68. New Hampshire sent Jeremy Gabryszewski to the mound while Erie countered with Cory Riordan. Neither team would score until the bottom of the third when the Fisher Cats hit a sacrifice fly that drove in a run. Then Cats first baseman Rowdy Tellez stepped up to the plate. Two pitches later, he crushed a two run homer that put New Hampshire up 3 to zero. But the Seawolves didn't give up as they were then able to tie the game, scoring three runs of their own in the next half inning. Two of which came from a 2 RBI double off the bat of second baseman Harold Castro. The Fisher Cats also didn't get discouraged after very quickly giving up the lead as they would then answer with another 3 runs in the bottom of the 5th after Rowdy Tellez again crushed a two run homer which gave the Fisher Cats back the three run lead. Fisher Cats starter Gabryszewski threw very well going 7 innings, with zero earned runs as the three runs Erie scored in the 4th were unearned. He would go on to get the win as the New Hampshire ended up winning 7 to 4. The Nighthawks will hope to get on a winning streak when they travel to take on the Bowie Bay Sox tonight.

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Thanks Elizabeth and Gary. Up next, we'll join our Capital Connections series for this week with host John O'Connor. He's speaking with various members of the League of New Hampshire Craftsmen. We'll be right back.

Thanks John, we'll join you tomorrow for Part 3. Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good weekend.

AA Minor League Baseball

New Hampshire Fisher Cats 7 - Erie Seawolves 4

Fisher Cats

Starting Pitcher - Jeremy Gabryszewski, 7.0 IP, 6 H, 0 ER, 4 BB, 4 K's, WIN

First Base - Rowdy Tellez, 2 for 4, 2 R, 2 HR, 4 RBI

Second Base - Christian Lopes, 4 for 4, 2 R, 1 2B

Seawolves

Starting Pitcher - Cory Riordan, 5.0 IP, 8 H, 6 ER, 1 BB, 1 K's, LOSS

Second Base - Harold Castro, 2 for 4, 1 R, 1 2B, 2 RBI

Short Stop - Gustavo Nunez, 2 for 4, 1 RBI, 1 BB

Good evening, it's Wednesday, August 10th.

We begin tonight with three stories regarding two car accidents and a fatal fire across Lebanon, Grantham, and Brattleboro. First, in Lebanon, a rollover car crash last night has resulted in injuries and an arrest for DUI. Police say 19-year old Mykaela Simond of White River Junction, Vermont was driving at high speeds Tuesday night around 7:30pm when she flipped her car on Old Pine Cemetery Road. Also in the car was 23 year old Michael Taylor of Lebanon. During the 911 call that alerted the police about the crash, it was believed that a pedestrian was hit by a car but upon further investigation, it was determined that the driver and passenger were thrown from the car when it rolled over. Both of the victims were transported to the hospital by the Lebanon Fire Department due to the serious bodily injuries sustained by each passenger. Simond was arrested and charged with Aggravated Driving While Intoxicated, a felony and she will appear in the Lebanon District Division, NH Second Circuit Court on October 3rd.

Further down I-89 now, in Grantham, police are investigating a road rage incident that was caught on camera and are seeking the driver who damaged another vehicle. New Hampshire State Police say that they responded to a vehicle collision that took place yesterday near mile marker 48 in Grantham. Authorities discovered that a 2014 Volkswagen Jetta had been hit by a white 2003 Ford Explorer in what was determined to be a road rage incident. What's more is that the incident was caught on camera. The Ford, while travelling North on I-89, passed the Volkswagen and merged in front of the Volkswagen while braking. An impact occurred and the Volkswagen lost control and hit a bridge abutment where DOT crews had been working. The driver and a child passenger suffered non-life threatening injuries and were transported to DHMC. Meanwhile, the driver of the Ford fled the scene and an arrest warrant has been placed on the vehicle's operator. The identities of the Volkswagen's driver and passenger are being withheld at this time, given that this is an active investigation. Anyone who may have information regarding this incident is urged to contact New Hampshire State Police Trooper Michael Catalfamo at 603-223-8697.

In Brattleboro, Vermont now, a community is mourning the loss of two residents who were killed in a mobile home fire last night. The Brattleboro Fire Department say that they responded to 3 Record Drive just before midnight last night and found a mobile home engulfed in flames. The fire was deemed under control around 1:15 AM after about an hour and a half of battling the flames. Crews were finally able to enter the structure and discovered the two deceased bodies. The Brattleboro FD told *The Brattleboro Reformer* that they believe the two deceased occupants had died before they arrived on the scene. Additionally one dog died as a result of the fire and two cats are unaccounted for at this time. The mobile home was deemed a total loss and the fire is under investigation as authorities have only identified that it started in a bedroom but do not know the exact cause yet. Two occupants were able to escape the burning residence and are now under the care of the Red Cross Disaster Action Team.

Over the years, YCN has been a great supporter of the Concord Boys and Girls Club. They have expanded their programs in the last few years to include programs in Sutton, Hopkinton, Warner and several other towns, all while changing their name to Central New Hampshire Boys and Girls Clubs. Coming up is one of their major fund raisers. YCN caught up with the voice of the Manchester Monarchs and WTPL announcer, Ken Cail to learn more.

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What a great program that, in addition to helping our young kids, also provides food and assistance in the communities they serve. To learn more about their good work go to their web site centralNHClubs.org or tune in to 107.7 "The Pulse" this Friday for their 11th annual Radiothon coming from Banks Chevrolet in Concord.

After the break on YCN News, we'll check out Claremont's annual auction gala coming up this weekend.

Come Fly Away With the Greater Claremont Chamber of Commerce at their annual Auction Gala this Saturday! The Chamber's annual Gala is an event guaranteed to be bigger and better than ever and they want you to be a part of it. The annual Auction Gala, is one the Chamber's most important fundraisers and a wonderful evening in town. This year, the event is held at the Claremont Municipal Airport hangar and airfield and the hope is to pack the airfield and historic airplane hangar with as many community members as possible and celebrate an opportunity to support the Greater Claremont area.

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The Claremont Chamber thanks community members for their gracious donations and sponsorships and those who volunteer their time to make these events happen.

After the break on YCN News, we'll take a look at some local sports action, plus your weather and community calendar. We'll be right back.

Welcome back to YCN News. I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today's been wet and rainy as we've seen scattered showers and at times thunderstorms with temperatures only reaching the mid 70s. But tomorrow looks much better so now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight, patchy fog is expected after midnight. Otherwise, the skies will be PARTLY CLOUDY with lows in the mid 60 (65). The stormy weather will have moved on and wind gusts will be very calm. Tomorrow, Thursday, the skies will be very clear and SUNNY. It could be one of the warmest days of the year with temperatures reaching the mid 90s (94). Wind gusts will pick up strength slightly and turn west, but only at 5 miles an hour. Tomorrow night the skies will become partly cloudy with lows falling into the upper 60s (68). Friday could be another wet one as there's a chance of showers during the morning but then after 1pm, SHOWERS AND THUNDERSTORMS are likely (60%) with a southwest 5 to 10 mile an hour wind. Temperatures will remain warm though with highs reaching the upper 80s (88). And Friday night, the chance for showers decreases to 40% and the skies will be mostly cloudy with lows staying very warm, falling to around 71 degrees.

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Do you enjoy magic shows? What about FREE magic shows? Magician and Claremont native Dylan Tenney will be performing at Colburn Park in Lebanon, New Hampshire on 51 North Park St from noon to 1pm. His shows are a very appropriate fun time so be sure to bring the whole family and don't forget to bring a blanket and lunch. It's recommended your child is above the age of three and you can call 603-448-5121 to find out more details.

Well if you're a fan of Pokemon Go, which I know some of us here at YCN are, I suggest you check out the Richards Free Library in Newport, New Hampshire on 58 North Main St. at 3pm to catch some Pokemon, hang out or meet new friends and to make a reflective craft, should be a fun time. If you would like more information you're welcome to call 603-863-3430.

Well after you've witnessed the magic of magician Dylan Tenney, you should check out the Summer Farmers Market in Lebanon. It'll be open from 4 to 7pm again at Colburn Park on North Park Street. The market will include fresh produce, plants, prepared food, baked goods and handmade crafts. Live music will also be performed each week by folk traditional musicians from around New England. You can call 603-448-5121 for more details.

Summer is very much still alive and we've got plenty of options around the area for a nice swim, whether you're dipping in after work or on the weekend. Swimming is one of many sports that has no age requirement so when a 72-year old and a college junior got together yesterday for a swim-off, it made for a fun time.

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Looks like a fun time and we've got plenty of options for swimming in our region. I prefer Little Lake Sunapee myself or Pleasant Lake. YCN's Kurt Wehde prefers Windsor's Mill Pond and our Dan Carbonara is a fan of our story's focus, Skip and Jesse's turf, Lake Sunapee.

From watersports to baseball now, let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some results from a New Hampshire Fisher Cats game that was played last night.

The Fisher Cats with a record of 53 and 61, traveled to take on the Bowie Bay Sox who held a record of 49 and 66. Shane Dawson was sent to the mound for the Cats while Brandon Barker got the start for the Sox. Neither team would score until the top of the 4th when Cats second baseman Christian Lopes was able to single home a run. The Cats would score 3 times in the inning. But the Bay Sox were able to respond, scoring 2 runs in the bottom of the 5th, one of which came off the bat of Sox designated hitter Henry Urruita (AH ROO SHA) when he hit an RBI single. The Fisher Cats held a 1 run lead going into the 7th, when clean up hitter and first baseman Rowdy Tellez came up to the plate. He would smack and RBI double down the left field line to extend the lead to two. The Bay Sox weren't able to overcome the deficit despite Barker's strong 6 inning two earned run start as they went on to lose to the Fisher Cats 6 to 2. New Hampshire has now won two in a row and will look to continue this winning streak when they take on the Bay Sox again at 7:05pm.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Lynn Solomon for some Kearsarge Chronicle.

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Today, she'll be speaking to Donna Ruel, a 20 year survivor of a bone marrow transplant. We'll be right back.

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Thanks John and _____, we'll join you tomorrow for Part 2. Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good weekend.

AA Minor League Baseball

New Hampshire Fisher Cats 6 - Bowie Bay Sox 2

Fisher Cats

Starting Pitcher - Shane Dawson, 4.0 IP, 3 H, 2 ER, 6 BB, 1 K's, NO DECISION

First Base - Rowdy Tellez, 2 for 3, 1 2B, 1 RBI, 2 BB

Second Base - Christian Lopes, 3 for 5, 1 R, 1 RBI

Bay Sox

Starting Pitcher - Brandon Barker, 6.0 IP, 8 H, 2 ER, 2 BB, 3 K's, LOSS

Designated Hitter - Henry Urrutia, 2 for 4, 1 RBI, 1 BB

Center Field - Julio Borbon, 1 for 4, 1 R, 1 2B, 1 BB

Good evening, it's Thursday, August 11th.

We begin tonight with an update in the case of former Bernice A. Ray Elementary School Matthew Laramie. Tonight's update is that the Hanover School Board has regained the \$30,000 that Laramie spent through unauthorized purchases on his school-assigned credit card. Additionally, he will not be facing criminal charges. Laramie resigned in February when allegations arose that he was using his school credit card for purchases on school-related trips that were not within the allowable uses rules. An audit showed the exact purchases, which included bar tabs, gas money, food, and various other luxuries. *The Valley News* reports that the insurance company that represents the school district agreed to write a check for around \$34,000 to cover the expenses that Laramie was responsible for. No criminal investigation is currently open on Laramie and the school district does not see it as necessary to open a case. The reason mainly due to the fact that there is no victim in this case, which is needed in order to investigate a crime.

An update from a story we brought you yesterday regarding a road rage incident in Grantham, NH caught on camera. Police say that 65-year old Henry Carnevale of Newbury was arrested at his residence Tuesday afternoon for Reckless Conduct and Conduct After an Accident. He had fled the scene of a road rage incident on I-89 near mile marker 48 around 7:30 AM earlier that day. New Hampshire State Police and local authorities responded to the scene and identified that a 2014 white Volkswagen Jetta was travelling north while a 2003 white Ford Expedition was following closely behind. The Ford passed the Volkswagen and while it merged back in front of the Volkswagen, the driver applied the brakes, causing the vehicles to impact. The Volkswagen lost control and crashed, injuring both the driver and a child passenger. The driver, later identified as Carnevale, fled the

scene and was found at his Newbury residence. Carnevale was held behind bars overnight on \$5,000 cash bail and was arraigned in Newport Circuit Court yesterday. He was released on \$25,000 personal recognizance bail.

Down in Bellows Falls now, the town is considering a second police officer for all shifts. The Bellows Fall Village Board of Trustees has yet to make any sort of move on this new idea and has merely begun to discuss it in light of potential future violence and drug use. *The Eagle Times* says that town officials have expressed concern that the violence taking place in other parts of the country will eventually occur in Bellows Falls and Rockingham and that they'd like to be prepared for such an occurrence. Other concerns that helped spark the discussion about an enhanced police presence include parking and losing spaces in the downtown. The Bellows Fall Police Department does not always have more than one officer covering shifts throughout the day and the police chief has expressed enthusiasm in receiving additional staffing, provided it does not become a fiscal burden. At the board's next meeting is when they'll discuss the proposal of adding extra police officers to provide enhanced coverage or a parking enforcement official to help monitor the situation downtown. The meeting is taking place September 13th.

Who doesn't enjoy live music? It doesn't matter if it's not the particular genre that you like but it's hard not to at least tap your foot when live music permeates through the air. A semi-new restaurant in Hanover, the Skinny Pancake, has had their request approved to enact a cover charge for live music at their establishment. *The Valley News* says that the Hanover Zoning Board of Adjustment, after a previous dispute, has sided in favor of the Skinny Pancake to charge customers at the door for live music, for the cause of raising money for Vital Communities. Previously, the Board had cancelled a concert when they found out that the restaurant was charging customers at the door. However, the restaurant's co-owner filed an appeal and just last week, the Zoning Board reversed their initial decision, this time unanimously approving the use of cover charges for this particular eatery. Skinny Pancake is a crepe restaurant based out of Burlington, Vermont and the co-owner told the paper that the cover charge is not unique to its Hanover location.

After the break on YCN News, we'll take a look at the 5th Annual Sunapee Trading Company Fine Artists Exhibition.

It's a great time for art and its patrons here in our region as Sunapee is not only currently hosting the League of NH Craftsmen's Fair, but it's also hosting a second show. The 5th Annual Sunapee Landing Trading Company Fine Artists Exhibition is currently underway, right down the road from the League of NH Craftsmen's Fair. Let's take a look.

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This show and the Craftsmen's Fair are both running until August 14th. This is a perfect chance to check out two art shows in one trip to Sunapee!

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Welcome back to YCN News. I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today's been one of the hottest days of the year so far as we've seen very sunny with temperatures reaching the mid 90s at times. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight, patchy fog is expected after 1am but the skies will be MOSTLY CLEAR with lows falling to a very comfortable 68 degrees. Tomorrow, Friday, SHOWERS AND THUNDERSTORMS (60%) are likely mainly after 3pm. Some of these storms could produce small hail, gusty winds and heavy rain so be sure to plan ahead. Temperatures will remain very warm, possibly reaching as high as 90 degrees. Tomorrow night, there continues to be a chance for showers and thunderstorms. Lows will only fall to around 71 degrees and there'll be a southwest wind with gust speeds around 5 to 10 miles an hour. To start off our weekend on Saturday, SHOWERS AND THUNDERSTORMS (70%) are expected with heavy rain and patchy fog before 10am. Highs will peak around 84 degrees and there'll be a southwest wind with gust speeds around 5 miles an hour. And Saturday night, will be more of the same with wet stormy weather. Lows will fall to around 68 degrees.

The Montshire Museum of Science is hosting another half an hour straw rocket activity where participants can craft an indoor paper rocket. The activity will be running from 11am to 11:30am and the museum is off of One Montshire Road in Norwich, Vermont. After construction, there'll be a testing period to see how far your rocket can fly. This activity is considered free with admission to the museum which will cost you 13 to 16 dollars. You're welcome to call 802-649-2200 to find out more.

The Chelsea Farmers Market in Chelsea, Vermont will be going on again from 3 to 6pm in the heart of downtown Chelsea on the North Common off of route 110. This market offers fresh produce, local crafts, and prepared foods. There's an average of 20 vendors a week and it's a great place to purchase local products, meet up with friends, enjoy some live music and even bring your kids as there'll be free children's activities. If you would like more information you can call 802-685-3174.

If you're a fan of space and a bit of a night owl, I suggest you check out the Shattuck Observatory at Dartmouth College in Hanover, New Hampshire on Observatory Road for a free night of public astronomical observing from 9:30pm to 11pm. The Department of Physics and Astronomy offers free viewing through its astronomical telescopes. Observations will include the moon, planets, stars and more. Observing is only possible under good weather conditions so if the skies are questionable please call 603-646-9100 to confirm the status of the session and to find out more information about this very cool event.

Since the high school football season is right around the corner, we're taking a look at some local teams as they gear up for the fall. Today we'll be looking at the Hanover Marauders as they begin their preseason practice schedule. We caught up with Hanover's 2nd year head coach after a practice last night.

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We wish the Marauders good luck this fall as they begin their season away at Laconia on September 2nd.

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Now from football to baseball, let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some results from a New Hampshire Fisher Cats game that was played last night.

The Fisher Cats with a record of 53 and 61 again played on the Bowie Bay Sox home turf as the Sox held a record of 48 and 67. Wilmer Font got the start for the Cats while the Sox countered with David Hess. New Hampshire was able to immediately put a run on the board in the top of the first when designated hitter Richard Urena smacked a triple to center field. He would score on a wild pitch from Hess. The Cats were then able to put two more runs on the board in the top of the second after shortstop Shane Opitz crushed a two run homer to put the Fisher Cats up 3 to zero. The Bay Sox did get a run back in the bottom of the inning when first baseman Joey Terdoslavich lead off with a solo homer. The score would remain 3 to 1 until the top of the 5th when DH Richard Urena from the Fisher Cats again hits a triple but this time he would be rewarded with an RBI. He would score on a ground out to put NH up 5 to 1. Let's go to the top of the 7th, when Urena would hit his third triple of the game. He would eventually be hit in on a double from left fielder Dwight Smith Jr. who was then hit in by catcher Ryan Lavarney with an RBI single who if you remember, used to play for the Boston Red Sox. During the next 2 and a half innings, the Bay Sox managed to score 4 times but it wasn't enough to overcome the deficit as the Fisher Cats went on to win 7 to 4.

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Thanks Elizabeth and Nathan. Up next, we'll join our Capital Connections series for this week with host John O'Connor. He's speaking with various members of the League of NH Craftsmen. We'll be right back.

Thanks John. Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good weekend.

AA Minor League Baseball

New Hampshire Fisher Cats 7 - Bowie Bay Sox 4

Fisher Cats

Starting Pitcher - Wilmer Font, 6.0 IP, 2 H, 1 ER, 2 BB, 8 K's, WIN

Designated Hitter - Richard Urena, 3 for 5, 3 R, 3 3B, 1 RBI

Short Stop - Shane Opitz, 1 for 4, 1 R, 1 HR, 2 RBI

Bay Sox

Starting Pitcher - David Hess, 5.0 IP, 6 H, 5 ER, 1 BB, 3 K's, LOSS

First Base - Joey Terdoslavich, 2 for 4, 2 R, 1 2B, 1 HR, 1 RBI

Second Base - Sharlon Schoop, 1 for 2, 1 R, 1 RBI, 2 BB

Good evening, it's Friday, August 12th.

Crime news is up first tonight as Vermont State Police have notched another drug arrest on Vermont's highways. A 19-year old Rhode Island man, Deven Guernon, was arrested yesterday afternoon for having heroin, cocaine, and a regulated drug in his car during a traffic stop. Vermont State Police say they pulled over Guernon in Westminster for a traffic stop and while conducting a search of his vehicle, police found marijuana and cocaine. He was subsequently arrested and brought to the Westminster Barracks for processing there. Police then searched his clothing and body and found a felony amount of heroin and cocaine, as well as Xanax pills, a sedative used to treat anxiety disorders. He was then fingerprinted, photographed, and transported to the Southern State Correctional Facility for lack of \$15,000 bail. He was due in Windham County Superior Court today to answer to his charges. Vermont State Police, as well as local authorities, continue to not only try to mitigate the drug crisis occurring in Vermont, but also try to keep drugs from coming into the state.

It was a scary situation for one particular swimmer yesterday afternoon as he was injured while in the water, but the Hartford Fire Department was able to rescue him and deem him safe and sound. The Hartford Fire Department says that they were dispatched to a report of an injured swimmer in the Ottaquechee River near the Quechee Covered Bridge, which is known to be a popular swimming spot. First units on the scene found a 14-year old male swimmer on the water's edge, being tended to by other swimmers. Fire officials discovered that the swimmer had jumped 6-8 feet into the water from a ledge and hit a rock underwater, injuring his lower back and hip area. Because of his location and injuries, he was extricated using a stokes basket to the roadway. He was loaded onto an ambulance and transported to DHMC for treatment there. His injuries were non-life threatening and the patient remained conscious and alert during the rescue. Additional Hartford units helped respond to provide extra manpower and equipment to rescue the injured swimmer.

A quick update tonight in a story we brought you earlier this week as Dartmouth College has received full clearance to enact their revised cleanup plan of a contaminated site near campus. *The Valley News* states that following an initial approval by state water regulators last week of a revised cleanup plan of the Rennie Farm lab animal disposal site, state nuclear regulators have given their OK as well. the Rennie Farm site near Dartmouth College used to be the dump site for several tons of deceased radioactive test animals as part of tests and studies at Dartmouth's medical school. However, the radioactivity contaminated a private well and even though cleanup was undertaken in 2011, workers recently found waste that had been missed. So far, around \$5 million has been put into the cleanup efforts and the Department of Environmental Services has said that their immediate goal is to remove the extra lab animals that were recently discovered. Neighbors of the site have demanded a more thorough cleanup and this time, monitoring wells will be installed to keep on eye on the contamination of the soil and water, should there be any more. Officials anticipate this particular cleanup operation to only last a few days.

The past month or so you've probably noticed a lot more people than usual walking around outside on their phone. What's more is that most of these people are younger and you may have heard them mutter something about "catching a Pikachu". For those of you who may not know what I'm speaking about or what exactly is taking over our nation, here's YCN's Noah Braun with more.

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Interested in trying out this national trend for yourself? You can download the game from either the App Store or Google Play and join the many other players in our region. Heck, you may even make some new friends!

After the break on YCN News, we'll check out what's currently playing at the New London Barn Playhouse.

It's time to continue our summer series of looking at what's currently playing at the New London Barn Playhouse. From August 10th to the 21st, you can check out "Crazy for You", which was originally produced on Broadway. We caught up with two of the actors last week as they were working on the show; let's hear from them now.

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Again, "Crazy for You" runs until August 21st and you can buy tickets online or at the door.

After the break on YCN News, we'll take a look at some local sports action, plus your weather and community calendar. We'll be right back.

Welcome back to YCN News. I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today started off very muggy and hot as temperatures reached 90 degrees at times. But right now we're seeing heavy rain and thunderstorms which will continue throughout the evening. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight scattered SHOWERS AND THUNDERSTORMS (40%) are expected and at times these storms could produce heavy rain and gusty winds. We could see a quarter of an inch of new rainfall. Lows will stay very warm, falling to around 71 degrees. Tomorrow Saturday, the heavy RAIN AND THUNDERSTORMS (80%) will continue after 10am and again, these storms could produce small hail with strong winds so please plan ahead and be safe. A half inch of new rainfall is expected and temperatures will reach as high as 82 degrees. Tomorrow night, will be more of the same with heavy rain and possibly a thunderstorm with lows again staying warm, falling to a very comfortable 69 degrees. Sunday again is expected to be stormy with SHOWERS AND THUNDERSTORMS (60%) mainly after 1pm. The skies will be mostly cloudy and highs will reach the mid 80s (85) and to wrap up our stormy weekend on Sunday night, we'll see more wet weather with possibly heavy rain and some more thunderstorms with lows falling to around 66 degrees.

Do you need some fresh farm grown food to start off your weekend? The Norwich farmers market is open from 9am to 1pm at the Summer Norwich Farmers Market Grounds off of Route 5 South next to Fogg's True Value Hardware. There'll be over 50 vendors who will be there rain or shine and they'll offer fresh food including meats, veggies, cheese, baked goods and arts and crafts. Admission is free of course and you can call 802-384-7447 for more details.

If you are a fan of trucks, which I know a lot of people in this region are, then I suggest you check out the free Kids: Touch-A-Truck event in Lebanon, New Hampshire at the CCBA on 1

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Taylor St. Also known as the Carter Community Building Association. Come touch, climb and explore all kinds of trucks. Refreshments, dunk tanks and raffles will also be available. If you would more info you're welcome to call 603-448-6477.

The Haverhill Common in Haverhill, New Hampshire on 120 School St, will be hosting a band concert from 6 to 9pm. This performance will feature the Brock Hill Bluegrass Band. They'll start performing at 7pm but before they come on, a chicken barbecue will be taking place on the common. The show is free but dinner will cost adults 10 dollars, anyone under 12, 5 dollars and little ones under 5 are free. If you would like more information please call 603-838-6036.

Yesterday we previewed for you the upcoming Hanover Marauders football team. Today we'll be taking a look at the Stevens Cardinals football season as they hope to make it back to the playoffs after a strong year in 2015.

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Keep an eye on the Cardinals this fall as they're expected to go deep into the playoffs with so many experienced seniors leading the way.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some results from a New Hampshire Fisher Cats game that was played yesterday afternoon.

The Fisher Cats with a record of 54 and 61 played the final game of a 3 game series away at on the Bowie Bay Sox home turf as the sox held a record of 49 and 67. Taylor Cole got the start for the Cats while the Sox countered with Matthew Grimes. Bowie got off to a quick start in the bottom of the first when center fielder Julio Borbon lead off with a triple. He would quickly be singled in to give the sox an early lead. Then in the bottom of the second inning, the sox were able to put up another run after Borbon hit and RBI single. But the Fisher Cats weren't even close to giving up as they would score 3 times over the next two innings to go up 3 to 2. Two of these 3 runs came off the bat of fisher cats first baseman Emilio Guerrero as he crushed a two run homer to left field. Let's now go to the bottom of the 8th with the Fisher Cats now leading 5 to 3. Bay Sox right fielder, Conor (BEER FELT) Bierfeldt stepped up to the plate with one man on and one out. He would crush the second pitch of the at bat to deep left center field to tie the game in dramatic fashion. So with the game tied let's go to the bottom of the 9th as the Cats were sat down in order in the top of the inning. The Sox managed single and draw a walk with one out. Then second baseman Garabez Rosa hit a line drive single that to right field that scored a run and gave the Bay Sox the walk off win with a final score of 6 to 5. The Fisher Cats will hope to turn things around when they start a three game series away against the Trenton Thunder tonight.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Lynn Solomon for some Kearsarge Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Elizabeth D'Amico, about the Center for the Arts Program. We'll be right back.

Thanks Lynn and Elizabeth. Up next, we'll join our Mayor's Minutes segment for this week with Claremont Mayor Charlene Lovett.

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Welcome back. Time for Mayor's Minutes to hear a thing or two about the inner workings of Claremont.

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Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good weekend.

AA Minor League Baseball

Bowie Bay Sox 6 - New Hampshire Fisher Cats 5

Bay Sox

Starting Pitcher - Matthew Grimes, 5.0 IP, 6 H, 3 ER, 4 BB, 2 K's, NO DECISION

Right Field - Conor Bierfeldt, 1 for 3, 1 R, 1 HR, 2 RBI, 1 BB

Center Field - Julio Borbon, 2 for 5, 1 R, 1 3B, 1 RBI

Fisher Cats

Starting Pitcher - Taylor Cole, 5.0 IP, 7 H, 3 ER, 3 BB, 3 K's, NO DECISION

Second Base - Christian Lopes, 2 for 5, 1 R, 1 HR, 2 RBI

First Base - Emilio Guerrero, 2 for 4, 1 R, 1 HR, 2 RBI

Good evening, it's Monday, August 15th.

Crime news is up first tonight as two men arrested in Lebanon last week for heroin were scheduled to answer for their crimes today in court. Last week, the Lebanon Police Department responded to a reported drug overdose at a residence on Perley Avenue. The first two officers on scene administered CPR to the overdose victim, a 32-year old male, and he was revived shortly after using Narcan provided by the Fire Department. Police investigated the source of the heroin and led them to 30-year old Brock Richardson of Oak Hill Road in Enfield. He was arrested after being identified as the supplier that caused the overdose and as the seller of heroin to 21-year old Caleb Dumont-Willey of Water Street in Leb. Richardson was charged with two counts of Sale of the Narcotic Drug Heroin as well as the Intent to Distribute. Dumont-Willey faces charges of possession of heroin and both men were held on \$5,000 and \$20,000 bail prior to their arraignment, which took place this morning. This batch of heroin was in bags marked "Game of Thrones" and appears to have a high potency level. Police are still investigating and are warning people that this batch could be lethal.

Continuing our serious news now, there were two fires that took place this weekend on both sides of the river in Westminster and Charlestown. First up, Westminster Fire and Rescue says they responded to Gage Street last night around 9:30 for a reported house fire. Units who arrived on the scene within minutes found a 2.5 story building about 75% engulfed in flames. After identifying the intensity of the blaze, a 2nd alarm was struck which subsequently called in additional units and personnel as part of mutual aid. The fire was knocked down entirely and under control by around 3 in the morning and one unit stayed overnight on fire watch. The home has been unoccupied for several years and there was no one inside at the time of the blaze. Meanwhile, in Charlestown on Saturday night, a mobile

home was struck by a fire as well around 10 AM. There were no reported injuries and the cause of the fire is under investigation, but the cause is believed to be electrical. The building has been deemed a complete loss because of smoke and water damage. Crews from the surrounding region came to assist on the scene.

On a lighter note now, the plan for the future of the site that houses the closed Pizza Hut on Route 12A in West Lebanon has received a revision. The Lebanon Planning Board will be hearing from August Bristol Pizza LLC of Maine regarding a mixed-use building that they're planning to build at 257 Plainfield Road after having revised their site plan. The Planning Board previously approved a multi-tenant building that would be twice the size of the closed Pizza Hut building and would house a dental office, a restaurant, and retail storefronts. But now, the revised plan, according to *The Valley News*, won't have retail space but will still have a dental office and a coffee shop, including a drive-thru. As a result of the revised plan, the square footage has been reduced by around a thousand feet and there will be less parking spaces than originally designed. There has been some discussion regarding the parking situation and how this new building would increase the amount of traffic along 12A, considering there would be dental office employees and patients as well as coffee shop staff and customers. The Planning Board is expected to examine the redesigned site plan on September 12th.

In municipal news in Claremont now, the city's wastewater treatment plant has received a new five-year permit following a lengthy inspection. *The Eagle Times* reports that the Environmental Protection Agency renewed the plant's permit for the next five years, explained in an 80-page document that explains that the plant on Plains Road is indeed operating under the guidelines set by the Clean Water Act. The wastewater treatment plant is capable of treating around 1.4 million gallons of water per day and is in compliance with standards that require phosphorous and nitrogen be taken out of the water. The inspection of the plant, which ultimately deemed it eligible to receive a permit renewal, took several years and officials conducted a multitude of tests on wastewater at the plant. This inspection was carried out internally and with the assistance of a hired specialist working on the city's dime. The recent talk of the town has been the proposed increases in water and sewer rates, which would fund improvements at the wastewater plant and the reservoirs. One such improvement would be increasing the size of the pipes that carry water from the reservoirs to the treatment plant, which is currently being made up for by drawing water from the Sugar River.

After the break on YCN News, we'll join the Lake Sunapee Region VNA and Hospice as we take another look into the world of health. We will be right back.

Let's now join the Lake Sunapee Region VNA and Hospice as we examine blood sugar controls in diabetic patients.

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Thanks for that, we'll tune back in at the same time next week for more medical information.

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Welcome back to YCN News. I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well after a hot, humid and stormy weekend, today was a nice change as we've seen mostly sunny skies and temperatures peaking at a very comfortable 81 degrees. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight, patchy fog is expected after 2am. Otherwise partly cloudy skies are expected with lows in the mid 60s (64). A 5 mile an hour northwest wind will become calm throughout the night. Tomorrow, Tuesday, there's a 50% CHANCE FOR SHOWERS AND THUNDERSTORMS after 11am. Some of these storms could produce heavy rain with the potential for a half an inch of new rainfall. Highs will be in the upper 70s (79) and there is expected to be little to no wind. Tomorrow night, more rain and thunderstorms are expected with again, heavy rain. Lows will fall into the upper 60s (68). There'll be a slight southwest wind with gust speeds around 5 miles an hour. Wednesday, RAIN AND THUNDERSTORMS (60%) are likely before 9am but then between 9 and 4pm, we'll see just rain with a 5 mile an hour northwest wind. Highs will reach 78 degrees. And Wednesday night, the storms will have moved on to make for a dry calm night with partly cloudy skies and lows falling to around 62 degrees.

Well if you're an adult and enjoy using adult coloring books, I suggest you check out an hour of adult coloring at the Richards Free Library in Newport, New Hampshire on 58 North Main St. The Library will supply coloring pages, crayons markers and everything you need to make a black and white page come to life. The coloring will begin at 10:30am and will run for an hour until 11:30am. If you would like more information you're welcome to call 603-863-3430.

From 6:30pm to 8pm, come check out some free live music as part of the Summer Concert Series in Canaan, New Hampshire off of Route 4. The show will take place at the Canaan gazebo on the common and this week's band will feature The Moonlighters, a big band who'll be performing classical hits. You're welcome to call 603-523-4407 to find out more.

If trivia is more your forte, then you should check out the free Pub Trivia Night in Canaan, New Hampshire, at the Canaan Town Library also off of route 4. The trivia will begin at 6:30pm and should run for about an hour, until 7:30pm. Topics will include but are not limited to: history, geography, literature, New Hampshire history and contemporary culture with a few creative topics as well. Come with a team of 4 or as an individual. Light refreshments will be available with along with prizes for the weekly winners. Call 603-632-5026 for more details.

At the end of each Spring, the NHIAA awards one school in each division a Sportsmanship Award for displaying a high degree of sportsmanship throughout the Fall, Winter and Spring. This year for division three, the award went to the Kearsarge Cougars based out of North Sutton, New Hampshire as they were able to compete at a very high level while also maintaining an aura of professionalism throughout all three seasons. And I should note, this is the second straight year the Cougars have won. We sat down with Kearsarge's own athletic director Scott Fitzgerald to discuss this highly acclaimed award.

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Congratulations to the Kearsarge Cougars for winning this award again. Can't wait to see who takes it home next year.

Moving on now, let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some results from a New Hampshire Fisher Cats game that was played on Saturday night.

The Fisher Cats with a record of 55 and 62 traveled to take on the tough Trenton Thunder during game two of a three game series. The Thunder with a very impressive record of 75 and 43 sent Ronald Herrera to the mound while Jeremy Gabryszewski got the start for the Cats. This game would be highlighted by early offense from the Thunder as Trenton was able to score 8 times during the first two innings. Two of these runs came off the bat of shortstop Tyler Wade who went 3 for 4 with a double and a lead off solo homer in the first inning. First baseman Mike Ford was also able to crush a three run homer in the second. Fisher Cats starter Gabryszewski was chased from the game after just one and a third innings. New Hampshire was able to score once in the 4th and once in the 6th, as both were driven in by first baseman Rowdy Tellez. These would be the only runs scored for the Cats as they went on to lose 8 to 2 falling to 55 and 63 on the year.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Lynn Solomon for some Kearsarge Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Glenn Perreault, the new owner of Colonial Pharmacy. We'll be right back.

Thanks Lynn and Glenn. Up next, we'll join our Capital Connections series for this week with host John O'Connor. He's speaking with Andru Volinsky, a candidate for New Hampshire's Executive Council. We'll be right back.

Thanks John and Andru, we'll join you tomorrow for Part 2. Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good weekend.

AA Minor League Baseball

Trenton Thunder 8 - New Hampshire Fisher Cats 2

Thunder

Starting Pitcher - Ronald Herrera, 6.0 IP, 7 H, 2 ER, 0 BB, 4 K's, WIN

Short Stop - Tyler Wade, 3 for 4, 2 R, 1 2B, 1 HR, 2 RBI, 1 BB

First Base - Mike Ford, 1 for 4, 1 R, 1 HR, 3 RBI

Fisher Cats

Starting Pitcher - Jeremy Gabryszewski, 1.1 IP, 8 H, 8 ER, 1 BB, 0 K's, LOSS

Relief Pitcher - John Anderson, 3.2 IP, 2 H, 0 ER, 0 BB, 2 K's

First Base - Rowdy Tellez, 1 for 3, 1 2B, 2 RBI, 1 BB

Good evening, it's Tuesday, August 16th.

In medical news tonight out of the region's largest healthcare provider, Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center's fourth quarter fiscal year results have revealed a large deficit. Results published on Friday on the website Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board showed that DHMC saw a \$22.6 million operating loss for the 4th quarter of the fiscal year, which ended on June 30th this year. *The Valley News* says that this loss eliminated a small positive

operating margin from the other three quarters, leaving the hospital down \$12.2 million for the year. The hospital has since expressed that they did not expect to see such results, but were aware of three problems in the past month that did serious damage to the budget. The three issues that took a toll on the budget were implementing a new federally ordained illness coding method, combining business and patient software, and outsourcing billing services. This \$12 million loss for the year extends a now 3-year streak of having negative results, with a slightly less \$9 million loss last year.

Man's best friend deserves many things, including food, tender loving care, and a nice scratch behind the ears. But how about body armor? The Lebanon Police Department's K9 named Briggs is on track to receive a bullet and stab protective vest as part of a charitable donation by an anonymous donor. The vest is coming from Vested Interest in K9s Incorporated of in Massachusetts and will be embroidered with "This gift of protection provided by Vested Interest in K9s, Inc". Briggs' handler, Officer Tracy, has been an officer with Lebanon since 2003 and has been handling the male German Shephard since 2013. The duo of Officer Tracy and K9 Briggs received a Commendation Bar for Lifesaving in January this year when they successfully tracked the victim of a motor vehicle accident who had fled into the forest in the snow. When they found him, he was suffering from hypothermia, but he was saved by responders. In October, Tracy and Briggs will be given the New Hampshire Congressional Law Enforcement Award in the "Dedication and Professionalism" category. The protective vest, which will protect Briggs from bullet and stab wounds, should arrive in eight to ten weeks.

With many popular movements taking place across the country in regards to environmental health and sustainability, one has made its way to our region and is being highlighted next month. I'm speaking about the tiny house movement which involves tiny homes, which are, as the name implies, much smaller than a regular home, and thus, much more environmentally friendly. On September 4th, Brattleboro will be hosting Tiny House Fest Vermont which will see Flat Street closed off and becoming a Tiny House village. Event goers will be able to examine tiny houses, including a transformed school bus and designs by Tiny House Crafters and Jamaica Cottage Shop. In addition, there will be speakers lined up throughout the day that will provide insight into the tiny house movement. The day will focus on environmental awareness and will feature solar technology and trailers made specifically for tiny homes so that you can take your home on the go. The event is being put on with assistance from the Downtown Brattleboro Alliance.

Another event in Vermont coming up soon, this time in Springfield, as the Market Madness Street Fair is kicking off this weekend. From 10 AM to 6 PM, the downtown will be closed for the day to provide space for the 5th annual Market Madness Street Fair which hopes to provide a day full of music, food, and family fun. The street fair is even hosting a new attraction this year, that being a dunk tank. What's more is that on the list of those up for being dunked is Town Manager Tom Yennerell, three selectboard members, two school board members, and the school superintendent. The dunk tank is being sponsored by the Claremont Savings Bank and participants can dunk town officials to the background tune of over 10 musical acts that will be there. There's truly something for everybody as there will be over 50 classic cars, antique tractors, two different local brewery beer tents, a kids corner, an ice cream social, and a booth for the Steampunk Festival. The event has been put on for the past four years by Springfield On the Move, a nonprofit that looks to reinvent Springfield's downtown and improve the overall quality of life in town.

After the break on YCN News, we'll take a look at a local historical society that you can check out this weekend.

Most New England towns have their local historical societies. These are amazing organizations that curate and preserve the history and artifacts of a community. The town of Warner in New Hampshire has a very active and involved group that has taken this vocation upon themselves. Let's hear more from the executive director on the history and mission of the Warner Historical Society.

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Like history, which is being created every day, it sounds like the Warner Historical Society is ever expanding and changing with new exhibits every year. Whether you're studying genealogy or just interested in what made a community tick, try out a visit to one of our wonderful local historical societies.

After the break on YCN News, we'll take a look at some local sports action, plus your weather and community calendar. We'll be right back.

Welcome back to YCN News. I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today's been a cloudy wet day as we've seen zero sun and temperatures only reaching the mid 70s. But tonight we could see some heavy rain so now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight, SHOWERS AND THUNDERSTORMS (70%) are likely and some of these storms could produce gusty winds with heavy rain. Damaging winds along with isolated tornadoes are possible. Lows will fall to a very comfortable 70 degrees. Tomorrow, Wednesday, there's a 40% CHANCE OF SHOWERS before noon. The skies will be mostly cloudy with highs reaching the upper 70s (79). A southwest 10 mile an hour wind will turn northwest in the afternoon. Tomorrow night fog is expected after 11pm with partly cloudy skies and lows falling to around 60 degrees. Thursday, looks like a much better day as MOSTLY SUNNY skies with temperatures in the mid 80s (84) are expected. The winds will be calm with the exception of a slight 5 mile an hour west wind. And Thursday night, we'll see partly cloudy skies with lows falling to around 61 degrees.

The Hanover area farmer's market will be open tomorrow from 3 to 6pm in Hanover on the Dartmouth Green at 1 east Wheelock. Come peruse the vendors who will be selling locally grown produce, prepared foods and artisanal products. Attending is of course free and you can call 603-643-3115 for more details.

Well Elk's Lodge on 150 Heater Rd. in Lebanon, New Hampshire is having another drive-thru chicken barbecue from 3 to 6pm. Swing by and purchase some quality chicken, baked potatoes, biscuits, coleslaw and dessert. The main meal will cost \$8 dollars and each homemade dessert will cost \$1.50. This dinner is sponsored by the Lebanon Emblem Club and all proceeds will

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benefit local community organizations. Pre-orders are available and if you would like to do so please call 802-359-3575.

If you enjoy free live music, I suggest you head on over to Lyman Point Park in Hartford, Vermont on 167 Maple St. for a performance by The Occasional Jug Band as part of the summer concert series. I'm told they play a style similar to Louisiana cajun music. The show will begin at 6:30pm and it's a great place to meet the local community and bring the family. If you would like more information you're welcome to call the Hartford Parks and Recs department at 802-295-5036.

Well recently we've been previewing local high school football teams as they gear up for the fall of 2016. Today we'll be taking a look at the Stevens Cardinals as they hope to make it back to the playoffs after a strong year in 2015. YCN attended a full pads practice yesterday afternoon and talked with the head coach to get his opinion on the upcoming season.

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Keep an eye on the Cardinals this fall as they're expected to go deep into the playoffs with so many experienced seniors leading the way.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some results from a New Hampshire Fisher Cats game that was played on Sunday night.

The Fisher Cats with a record of 55 and 63, wrapped up a three games series against the Trenton Thunder who leads the league with an impressive record of 76 and 44. Shane Dawson got the start for the Cats while Trenton countered with Caleb Smith. New Hampshire won game one, lost game two and hoped to win the series with a victory in game 3. Neither team would get a huge lead but the Fisher Cats did manage to score three runs in the top of the third. Two of which came off the bat of right fielder Emilio Guerrero who hit a 2 RBI double. By the ninth inning, New Hampshire held a 6 to 3 lead. Trenton did manage to score once but ultimately they ran out of outs as the Fisher Cats went on to win 6 to 4. New Hampshire takes the series 2 to 1 and are currently playing a doubleheader against the Binghamton Bearcats. We'll have results from those games for you tomorrow.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Elizabeth D'Orazio for some River Valley Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Robin Witterman, the director of baby steps. We'll be right back.

Thanks Elizabeth and Robin. Up next, we'll join our Capital Connections series for this week with host John O'Connor. He's speaking with Andru Volinsky, a candidate for New Hampshire's Executive Council. We'll be right back.

Thanks John and Andru, we'll join you tomorrow for Part 3. Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good weekend.

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New Hampshire Fisher Cats 6 - Trenton Thunder 4

Fisher Cats

Starting Pitcher - Shane Dawson, 5.1 IP, 4 H, 3 ER, 4 BB, 3 K's, WIN

Right Field - Emilio Guerrero, 1 for 5, 1 R, 1 2B, 2 RBI,

Second Base - Christian Lopes, 3 for 5, 3 R

Thunder

Starting Pitcher - Caleb Smith, 3.1 IP, 6 H, 4 ER, 3 BB, 2 K's, LOSS

Short Stop - Tyler Wade, 2 for 4, 1 R, 1 3B, 2 RBI, 1 SB

Center Field - Dustin Fowler, 2 for 5, 1 3B, 1 RBI

Good evening, it's Wednesday, August 17th.

Can you hear me now? How about now? Well good because this story focuses solely on one of our five senses and how it can be used to help an argument you may be making, at least in this case. Neighbors of Dartmouth College in the area around the Alexis Boss Tennis Center are now saying that the facility is violating allowable noise levels and should have its license revoked. The reason for this sudden outcry? Hanover residents in a particular neighborhood are continuing to fight against a proposed 70,000-square foot athletic facility that would be built right off of South Park Street. The Boss Center, as it's called, was established in 1999 and *The Valley News* says that seven neighbors submitted a letter to the Hanover Planning Board on Friday about the noise level at the tennis facility. This may thwart the construction of the large athletic facility, which has yet to be approved or denied, considering that the application is not yet complete. The Board has since said that if they find a violation at the existing facility, they would try to reduce the noise rather than pull the permit entirely.

Another development is taking place in our region, but this one is moving forward without public outcry, in fact, it has only received support. The Brattleboro Central Fire Station has had their plans for construction approved by the town's Development Review Board. This renovation is part of a three-part improvement of the town's police and fire facilities. The *Brattleboro Reformer* says that the renovated facility will have three new engine bays and a space for larger vehicles, such as a big ladder truck, and part of one of the bays that faces Elliot Street will be converted to office space. Firefighters can also expect a new three-story high hose tower and new offices for the captain and lieutenant. No work on the front of the building has been proposed so far save for the idea of redoing some of the pavement to allow for a handicap parking space. Work on the West Brattleboro Fire Station is ongoing after the site plans were approved earlier this year and the police station is moving forward in their move to Black Mountain Road, in the same building as the *Reformer*. The update on that development is that officials are running a second environmental assessment to check out printing process debris that was found in the sewers.

Do you have a need for a large 15,000-square foot facility or are you part of a group that could have a use for one? Well if that's the case, you may want to check out the former Vermont National Guard Armory in Windsor, Vermont. Town officials are probing the waters to see if there is any community interest in finding a use for the large building on Route 44.

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The Eagle Times says that the informal survey of community interest was proposed by one of the town's selectboard members and around 30 people toured the building today at 4 PM. The goal of the tour was to determine possible uses for the building and to see if there is a need or desire to turn the building in a recreational facility. If converted to such a resource, it would become the second in town, the first being the Windsor Recreation Center in the same building as the town offices and fire/police station. The Vermont National Guard left the building empty when they combined with other Guard contingents, which has happened in another area town: Ludlow. Town Manager Tom Marsh told the *Eagle Times* that Ludlow converted their old Guard facility into a community center. Other ideas for the Windsor facility include a bowling alley or an indoor shooting range.

In political news now, with New Hampshire's Primary Election right around the corner, Warner's MainStreet BookEnds is hosting a Community Candidates Forum featuring one of the candidates for the Governor's Executive Council. Let's find out more.

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Joining Andru Volinsky will be NH Senator Dan Feltes from District 15 and NH Representatives Clyde Carson from District 7 and David Karrick from District 25. With the September 13th Primary right around the corner, you owe it to yourselves to become informed. Do join them with your questions and comments and toss a big thank you to Katherine for hosting these important gatherings.

After the break on YCN News, seize the power! Paddlepower that is, and it's coming up this weekend. Details in a minute.

Besides Market Madness down in Springfield this upcoming weekend, we've also got Paddlepower, a river kayak or canoe adventure, that's sure to be a good time. It's a 2-day river adventure, where canoes and kayaks journey down the Connecticut River. Everyone's invited- individuals, teams, volunteers, and sponsors. West Central Behavioural Health hosts Paddle Power to raise awareness about suicide and raise funds to support prevention, including a twenty-four hour crisis hotline and rapid response counselling. Take a look:

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If you'd like to join in, sign-up information is at Paddlepower.org where you can register online to participate to have fun while making a difference.

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Welcome back to YCN News. I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today hasn't been hot or rainy. We've actually just seen cloudy skies with strong northwest 15 to 20 mile an hour winds. And temperatures have barely reached the mid 70s across most of the state. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

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Tonight, patchy fog is expected after 2am. But otherwise the skies will be MOSTLY CLOUDY with lows falling to cool 57 degrees. The strong northwest winds from before will become calm throughout the night. Tomorrow, Thursday, the patchy fog will continue until 9am. Then the skies will become MOSTLY SUNNY with highs reaching the mid 80s (84). A light west wind will increase strength from 5 to 10 miles an hour. Thursday night, the skies are expected to be PARTLY CLOUDY with lows falling to around 62 degrees. The west wind will turn slightly northwest with gust speeds around 5 miles an hour. Friday looks like a beautiful day with SUNNY clear skies and temperatures again in the mid 80s (84). The northwest wind from the night before will become calm throughout the day. And Friday night, will continue to be clear with lows falling to around 62 degrees.

Do you like to meditate? Then you should check out the Shambhala Center in White River Junction , Vermont on 158 South Main St. for an hour of sitting and/or walking meditation. Instruction will be available and the class is free but donations are encouraged. Please call 802-484-7235 to find out more information.

Have you ever made your own tie dye shirt? If you would like to, you should check out the Newbury Public Library in Newbury, New Hampshire off 933 route 103. Come learn about the chemistry of sharpie pen ink and create your own tie dye item to take home and wear. Bring at least two cotton clothing items that are pre-washed that you want to transform into wearable artwork. Educator Susan Morse will lead the event which will run from 1pm to 3pm. The recommended age range is 11 to 14 and please call 603-763-5803 to sign up.

The Summer Farmers Market in Lebanon will be open from 4 to 7pm at Colburn Park on North Park Street. The market will include fresh produce, plants, prepared food, baked goods and handmade crafts. Live music will also be performed each week by folk traditional musicians from around New England. You can call 603-448-5121 for more details.

Yesterday we brought you an interview with Stevens Cardinals football head coach Paul Silva during one of the team's full pads practices. Today, we'll be bringing you interviews with some of the senior players as they tell YCN their thoughts about their team and their last season as Cardinals.

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The Cardinals should easily be able to match last years 6 and 3 record and maybe even go beyond the quarterfinals.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some results from a New Hampshire Fisher Cats game that was played on Monday night.

The Cats back at home after returning from a road trip, hosted the Binghamton Mets for game one of a five game series. Wilmer Font got the start for New Hampshire while the Mets countered with Tyler Herron. The Fisher Cats were able to take an early lead after second baseman Christian Lopes crushed a leadoff solo homer to left center field in the bottom of the first. This 1 nothing score would hold until the bottom of the 5th when the Cats were able to add to their lead after an error and two bunts set the table for 3 runs to score. The Mets did manage to cut into the lead slightly with a run in the top of the 8th after a couple singles and a passed

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ball, but ultimately, they could not get passed Fisher Cats pitching as Font threw 7 scoreless innings allowing just 3 hits with 9 strikeouts. New Hampshire would go on to win 4 to 1 as they improve to 57 and 63.

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AA Minor League Baseball

New Hampshire Fisher Cats 4 - Binghamton Mets 1

Fisher Cats

Starting Pitcher - Wilmer Font, 7.0 IP, 3 H, 0 ER, 1 BB, 9 K's, WIN

Left Field - Dwight Smith Jr, 1 for 4, 1 RBI

Second Base - Christian Lopes, 2 for 4, 2 R, 1 HR, 1 RBI

Mets

Starting Pitcher - Tyler Herron, 7.0 IP, 9 H, 2 ER, 0 BB, 4 K's, LOSS

Third Base - Derrik Gibson, 2 for 4, 1 SB

Center Field - Victor Cruzado, 2 for 4

Good evening, it's Thursday, August 18th.

Crime news is up first tonight as the Lebanon Police Department's K9 Briggs was able to track down a suspect who fled from law enforcement officials. Lebanon Police say that earlier this week on Monday around 5 in the morning, officers observed 42-year old Jamie Judkins walking near an apartment complex in town. He was known to have had multiple arrest warrants out on him, including one from Belknap County for failing to appear on a burglary charge. Judkins fled when he saw police officers. However, police returned to the area later that day around 8:30 PM and it was discovered that he had fled to his residence. Officers again tried to approach him and he fled a second time, but Senior Officer Tracy and K-9 Briggs were able to track and locate Judkins in the area of Mechanic Street. He was apprehended there and was held without bail while he waits for arraignment at the Belknap Superior Court. And a quick note regarding K9 Briggs, if you saw YCN News earlier this week, you know that Briggs is receiving some body armor shortly to help save his life while he saves others.

We may all remember that dreadful day in grade school when you'd go to the nurse's office and they'd stick a scary needle in your arm telling you it'll help you. Flu shots remain ever-

important, especially for kids growing up, and a handful of local health providers are teaming up to make sure that our kids in school stay safe from influenza as they grow into healthy adults. The Greater Sullivan County Public Health Network has announced that nursing staff members from Valley Regional Hospital, New London Hospital, and the Lake Sunapee Region VNA and Hospice will be providing flu immunization clinics at area schools to help immunize thousands of our area's youngsters this fall. This effort is aided considerably by a grant received in 2013 from the NH Department of Health and Human Services and the Lake Sunapee Region VNA alone vaccinated 726 elementary school students last year. Because there will be three institutions assisting this time around, officials plan to vaccinate high school students as well, which hopes to reduce the frequency of flu outbreaks and help students maintain their health, which has been estimated to save families roughly \$450 per school year. For more on the group that is leading this initiative, you can visit [SullivanCountyNH.gov/Public Health](http://SullivanCountyNH.gov/PublicHealth) to learn a little extra.

It's that time again ladies and gents for a staple of our region that drives in visitors from all over. I'm speaking of the Cornish Fair, which is in its 67th year, and it starts tomorrow. The fair, which is labeled as a family-friendly, country, agricultural fair, will attract between 20,000 to 25,000 people over the course of the weekend. It'll feature many different rides and attractions to keep everyone in the family entertained including a horse show, face painting, helicopter rides, bingo, an owl show, chainsaw artists, and much more. One of the Friday highlights every year is the Cornish Fair Queen Contest that starts at 8pm at the Whelen Pavilion. Girls between the ages of 15 and 19 will compete for a crown by partaking in a talent show, answering interview questions, and wearing an outfit that impresses the crowd. Last years winner was Elizabeth-Anne Mathews of Brownsville. There will also be live music Saturday night featuring the Johnny Cash Tribute Band. The fair will run tomorrow and Saturday from 7am to 11pm and on Sunday from 7am to 7pm. Tickets cost 10 dollars and admission is free to those 12 and under. Three-day passes are available for 25 dollars and 4 hour ride bracelets cost 20 dollars.

For the 5th time in the last few years, a group of Master Chiefs and Master Chief candidates will be visiting the Warner community and the namesake of their ship, the USS Kearsarge. YCN caught up with Rebecca Courser to learn more.

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Sounds like a fun three days for the visiting servicemen and women. If you would like to help mitigate the cost of the visit please contact Rebecca at the Warner Historical Society.

After the break on YCN News, we'll check out our newest installment of Trail Ride Review as we ride some swoops and loops.

Heads up all you mountain bikers, we've got a look at another local trail for you as part of Trail Ride Review. Today's focus is going to be a trail that is right across from the entrance to the Mount Ascutney State Park, called Swoops and Loops. After having a pretty bad crash two

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weeks ago at Plainfield's French's Ledges and needing to get my front tire straightened back out, I was ready for a nice easy adventure. This is a green-difficulty trail so it's a nice cruise through the forest. Let's take a look.

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Stay tuned for future episodes for Trail Ride Review as we continue to ride everything the area has to offer.

After the break on YCN News, we'll take a look at some local sports action, plus your weather and community calendar. We'll be right back.

Welcome back to YCN News. I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today's felt more summer as we've seen mostly sunny skies with temperatures in the mid 80s. There is currently a slight 20% chance for showers but this will only last until about 8pm. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight the skies will be PARTLY CLOUDY with lows falling to around 60 degrees. There'll be a weak 5 mile an hour northwest wind that should last throughout the night. Tomorrow, Friday, looks like a beautiful day as SUNNY clear skies with highs in the mid 80s (85) are expected. A calm north wind will pick up strength slightly to around 5 miles an hour in the afternoon. Tomorrow night, we'll see some patchy fog after 1am. Otherwise, it'll be MOSTLY CLEAR with lows falling to around 60 degrees. To start off our weekend on Saturday, we'll see more clear SUNNY skies with highs once again climbing into the mid 80s (85). There will be a 5 mile an hour south wind in the afternoon. And Saturday night, the skies will be PARTLY CLOUDY with lows a bit warmer, sitting at around 64 degrees.

The Chelsea Farmers Market in Chelsea, Vermont will be going on again from 3 to 6pm in the heart of downtown Chelsea on the North Common off of route 110. This market offers fresh produce, local crafts, and prepared foods. There's an average of 20 vendors a week and it's a great place to purchase local products, meet up with friends, enjoy some live music and even bring your kids as there'll be free children's activities. If you would like more information you can call 802-685-3174.

The United Church of Cornish on Center Road in Cornish Flat, New Hampshire, is hosting a spaghetti buffet night that will also feature meatball subs. From 11am to 7pm, you can swing on by to enjoy an all you can eat meal for the price of 8 dollars. It's also a great place to meet new people and get to know your community. If you would more information please call 603-542-8546.

If you're a fan of space and a bit of a night owl, I suggest you check out the Shattuck Observatory at Dartmouth College in Hanover, New Hampshire on Observatory Road for a free night of public astronomical observing from 9:30pm to 11pm. The Department of Physics and Astronomy offers free viewing through its astronomical telescopes. Observations will include the moon, planets, stars and more. Observing is only possible under good weather conditions so if the skies are questionable please call 603-646-9100 to confirm the status of the session and to find out more information about this very cool event.

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Since the school year is right around the corner, many local fall sports teams have started practices to gear up for the upcoming season. YCN attended the first Stevens Cardinals boys soccer practice earlier this week to find out what to expect from what some are calling, a very experienced team.

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As you just heard, it looks like the Cardinals have a very experienced deep team who could go very far in the playoffs.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some results from game one of a doubleheader New Hampshire Fisher Cats game that was played on Tuesday afternoon.

The Cats with a record of 57 and 63 hosted the Binghamton Mets who held a nearly identical record of 56 and 63. John Straka got the start for New Hampshire while the Mets countered with Rafael Montero. The Fisher Cats were able to strike early and often with 4 runs in the bottom of the first inning. Three of these runs were driven in by left fielder Dwight Smith Jr. who crushed a 3 run homer to right field. The Mets now down 4 nothing, did manage to score once in the 3rd, once in the fourth and once in the fifth to cut to lead to 1. The run in the top of the fifth came off the bat of Stefan Sabol who nailed a solo homerun to lead off the inning. In minor league baseball, when a double header is played, the games are cut short to just 7 innings so the Mets had little time to tie the game. The Fisher Cats were able to hold off any late offensive charges from the Mets and went on to win 4 to 3 improving to 58 and 63 on the season.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Elizabeth D'Orazio for some River Valley Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Lauren Adams, from VINS. We'll be right back.

Thanks Lynn and _____. Up next, we'll join our Capital Connections series for this week with host John O'Connor. He's speaking with _____. We'll be right back.

Thanks John and _____, we'll join you tomorrow for Part 2. Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good weekend.

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New Hampshire Fisher Cats 4 - Binghamton Mets 3

Fisher Cats

Starting Pitcher - John Straka, 6.0 IP, 5 H, 3 ER, 1 BB, 3 K's, WIN

Left Field - Dwight Smith Jr, 1 for 3, 1 R, 1 HR, 3 RBI

Second Base - John Berti, 0 for 3, 1 R, 1 2B, 1 RBI

Mets

Starting Pitcher - Rafael Montero, 6.0 IP, 5 H, 0 ER, 2 BB, 3 K's, LOSS

Right Field - Stefan Sabol, 1 for 3, 1 R, 1 HR, 1 RBI

Second Base - Derrik Gibson, 1 for 3, 1 2B, 1 RBI

Good evening, it's Friday, August 19th.

Earlier this week we told you about two men who were arrested by Lebanon Police for heroin possession after an overdose. The two men, one of which was a supplier, the other a buyer, were in possession of a new strain of heroin in the area called "Game of Thrones" and officials are warning that it is more deadly and potent than other strains. The Springfield Police Department, among other local police departments, and the Vermont Department of Health are all warning residents of this particular strain. State officials say that according to reports from emergency responders over the weekend, there were 10 reported overdoses, which all required at least one dose of Narcan to revive those affected. The bags of heroin marked "Game of Thrones", which may be laced with fentanyl, were determined to have been connected to these overdoses. Narcan, an antidote, can reverse an overdose, but must be given quickly and may need more than one dose. The Health Department has offered some tips online for those who are street drug users, including to inject less if it feels too strong and to not mix it with alcohol. For more information on this potent strain that is present across the whole state and in our region, you can visit HealthVermont.gov.

As the search for Claremont's new city manager continues, the City Council has agreed on a new salary for the incoming manager. They plan to advertise the position with the salary out in the open and on the table, hoping to attract more potential candidates that way. *The Eagle Times* says that the city council has voted on compensation of up to \$135,000, up from the roughly \$100,000 that current city manager Guy Santagate currently makes. The salary and the idea to put it out in the open as part of the listing was proposed by MRI Municipal Resources out of Meredith, NH, the firm hired by the city to help look for a new city manager. Council members looked at salaries of city managers in other towns and cities in the state and found that Santagate's current salary is on the lower end of the spectrum. Santagate, who is the longest serving city manager in the city's history, having served 15 years, announced his retirement in December last year, which will take place at the end of this year. The City Council has been anticipating this inevitable announcement and has been looking into filling his spot since 2013. MRI's services will cost the city more than \$15,000.

News for you Vermonters out there who are from the Cavendish area or who travel through it. There is an expected road closure on the schedule starting next Monday on Cavendish Gulf Road which will allow for a slope stabilization project. Casella Construction Incorporated, with a nearly \$500,000 bid will be completing the the work which will fortify the embankment along the Green Mountain Railroad Corporation's rail line. The stabilization work will be done using soil nails and shotcrete, which will have a natural brown "kahlua" stain to it. In addition to the embankment work, crews will also be cleaning out the stone culvert beneath the railroad bridge. The project will start August 22nd and the road will be closed from 7 AM to 6 PM every day until September 18th, which is the project end date. The road will still be worked on until October 28th, but the road will remain open during that time. The project's contract was awarded last month in July and the project manager is Kyle Wells. If you want any further information on this project and how it may affect your commute, feel free to contact the Vermont Agency of Transportation at 802-324-5522.

Anyone who's attended a college or university must remember walking back and forth relentlessly between classes, dorm rooms, dining halls, student centers etc. But for those who ever used a bicycle to make such a trip knows how useful they can be on a college campus. Dartmouth College is now the next school to look into a bike share program on campus to provide students a resource to assist in following their daily schedule and possibly reducing the number of last minute sprints to class. Beginning this fall, according to Dartmouth News, the college is partnering with Zagster, a bike-sharing company that will make 50 bikes available at eight different locations around the college, including Sachem Village. The bikes won't be available for free and instead, students will have the option to take part in a \$6 daily membership or a \$20 annual membership which provide unlimited bike rentals for up to an hour each day. Some of the rental stations include Baker-Berry Library, the Tuck School of Business, and the Leverone Field House. This pilot program will last for two years and officials hope it will improve campus life in many regards.

After the break on YCN News, we'll take a look at a local flower shop where you can go shopping for that someone special or for any other occasion.

Allioops! Flowers and Gifts is a locally owned and run business based out of New London, New Hampshire. They offer beautiful flower arrangements and a wide variety of gifts for weddings, birthday parties, celebrations, funerals and more. We stopped by their store last week and talked to owner to get a sense of what Allioops is all about.

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If you would like more information or would like to contact Allioops, please visit or email the links at the bottom of your screen. (allioopsflowers.com - INFO@ALLIOOPS.COM)

After the break on YCN News, we'll take a look at some local sports action, plus your weather and community calendar. We'll be right back.

Welcome back to YCN News. I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today's been another sunny warm day as we've seen clear skies with temperatures reaching 82 degrees. It looks like we have a nice weekend ahead of us so now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight patchy fog is expected after 2am. Otherwise the skies will be MOSTLY CLOUDY with lows falling to around to around 58 degrees. A north wind with gust speeds around 5 miles an hour will become calm throughout the night. To start off our weekend tomorrow on Saturday, another beautiful day is expected with MOSTLY SUNNY skies and temperatures reaching the mid 80s (85). The north wind from the night before will turn south and will pick up strength slightly to around 5 miles an hour. Saturday night, the skies will be PARTLY CLOUDY with low temperatures falling to around 63 degrees. The 5 mile an hour south wind will remain present until the early morning. Sunday looks like a nice day in the morning with partly sunny skies and highs reaching 80 degrees. But then after 3pm there's a 30% CHANCE OF SHOWERS along with a south wind with gust speeds between 5 and 10 miles an hour. And to wrap up our weekend on Sunday night, it looks like it could be wet as there's an 80% CHANCE FOR SHOWERS beginning after 8pm. Temperatures will fall into the mid 60s (64).

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Looking for some fresh food that's locally grown? The Norwich farmers market is open from 9am to 1pm at the Summer Norwich Farmers Market Grounds off of Route 5 South next to Fogg's True Value Hardware. There will be over 50 vendors who will be there rain or shine and they will offer fresh food, prepared food and arts and crafts. Admission is free of course and you can call 802-384-7447 for more details.

In honor of Vermont open farm week, Vital Communities is sponsoring a kids scavenger hunt again right at the Norwich Farmers Market grounds. From 9am to 1pm bring your kids as the hunt will take them around the market to find, count, taste and tell what they love about farms and the market. Then when your child returns from the hunt, every kid gets a small prize for participating and is entered in a raffle to win a grand prize of 50 dollars towards a gift certificate to Riverview Farm. Participating is free and you can call 802-291-9100 to find out more.

The newly released film "Finding Dory" will be screened at 7pm at the Hopkins Center for the Arts in Hanover, New Hampshire on 4 east Wheelock St. Finding Dory is of course the sequel to the highly acclaimed film Finding Nemo which was originally released in 2003. Tickets will cost adults 8 dollars while kids 12 and under will cost 5. If you would more information you are welcome to call 603-646-2422.

Yesterday morning, YCN attended a Kearsarge Cougars football practice where we tried to shed some light on what could be a very different looking team this fall. We spoke with Kearsarge's head coach along with their all-state yard running back.

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The Cougars have moved down from division 2 to division 3 this year which could help this young cougar team ease through some growing pains.

Moving on now, let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some results from game two of a doubleheader New Hampshire Fisher Cats game that was played on Tuesday night.

The Cats with a record of 58 and 63 again hosted the Binghamton Mets who held a similar record of 56 and 64. John Anderson was sent to the mound for New Hampshire while the Mets countered with Logan Taylor. Binghamton was able to score in the top of the first inning after a solo homer off the bat of shortstop Phillip Evans. The Mets would score two more times in the top of the 3rd and again in the top of the 5th to take an early 4 run lead. But the Fisher Cats didn't give up as they were able to score once in the bottom of the 5th, twice in the bottom of the sixth and once more in the bottom of the 7th to tie the game at 4 - 4 and bring it to extra innings as this was just a 7 inning doubleheader game. The run that tied the game in the 7th came from a solo homer off the bat of Fisher Cats catcher Jorge Saez. So now to the 8th inning, The Mets were sat down in order 1-2-3 and then New Hampshire came up to bat. Jon Berti, fisher cats third baseman, stepped up to the plate. He would take two pitches for balls and then the third pitch he saw, he absolutely crushed out of the park to right field which won the game for New Hampshire. The Fisher Cats have now won 4 in a row and will look to make it 5 when they take on the Mets again tonight.

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Thanks Elizabeth and Sue. Up next, we'll join Claremont Mayor Charlene Lovett for Mayor's Minutes?

Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good weekend.

AA Minor League Baseball

New Hampshire Fisher Cats 5 - Binghamton Mets 4

Fisher Cats

Starting Pitcher - John Anderson, 2.2 IP, 6 H, 3 ER, 2 BB, 4 K's, NO DECISION

Third Base - Jon Berti, 3 for 4, 2 R, 1 3B, 1 HR, 1 RBI, 1 SB

Catcher - Jorge Saez, 2 for 3, 2 R, 1 HR, 2 RBI

Mets

Starting Pitcher - Logan Taylor, 3.2 IP, 1 H, 0 ER, 2 BB, 2 K's, LOSS

Short Stop - Phillip Evans, 3 for 4, 2 R, 1 HR, 1 RBI

Third Base - Matt Oberste, 3 for 3, 1 RBI, 1 BB

Good evening, it's Monday, August 22nd.

We begin tonight with tragic news out of Claremont as a Charlestown man is dead after being trapped under a car in Moody Park. Currently, there aren't many details in this case as it is under investigation, but here's what we know: Claremont Police say that a 37-year old man was pulled out from underneath a vehicle in Moody Park yesterday. Emergency crews who responded were there on reports of someone being trapped under a car near Maple Street that was off of the roadway leading into the park. Authorities found the man underneath the car, as reported, and the Claremont Fire Department assisted in lifting the car off of the victim, who was found unresponsive. He was declared deceased and it appeared that he had died before the car was lifted off of him. An initial investigation revealed that the man may have been working on his vehicle from underneath and the devices holding the car up gave way, causing the car to fall on him. After notification of family members, the victim's name was revealed as 37-year old James M Dearborn from Charlestown, New Hampshire. The case is still under investigation.

In what seems to be a trend in the past year, another one of our region's covered bridges has been struck by a motorist who then fled the scene. Newport's Corbin Bridge is the victim of this hit and run, which occurred on Saturday, prior to 1:45 PM. Around that time, the Newport Emergency Communications Center received multiple calls that someone had hit Corbin Bridge and caused extensive damage before fleeing the scene. Newport Police officers responded and found serious damage to the facade but it was deemed still structurally sound. They also found car parts on the ground, which had hit the bridge while traveling East, meaning the car was left with extensive damage to the passenger side of the

vehicle. Police are seeking information on this incident and are urging anyone with information or anyone who witnessed the hit and run to contact the Newport Police Department or the Connecticut Valley Crime Stoppers. The Corbin Bridge was built in 1845 and was destroyed by a fire in 1993, thus removing it from the National Register of Historic Places. It was since rebuilt and is one of 54 wooden covered bridges in New Hampshire.

In other crime news now, a White River Junction man is under arrest after driving the wrong way on Interstate 89 and is facing charges of DUI. Vermont State Police say that around 1:30 AM on Sunday morning, they received a call from a driver on I-89 who reported another driver traveling the wrong direction on the highway. The motorist was driving southbound in the northbound lanes and was reported around mile marker 8 in the town of Hartford. Troopers from VSP responded and intercepted the vehicle just north of Exit 1, Quechee. 46-year old Brendan Scribner of WRJ was arrested on suspicion of DUI and was processed at the Hartford Police Department. He was released on a criminal citation to appear in Vermont Superior Court Windsor Criminal Division later this year for DUI charges. Earlier this year, a Hartland man was charged with DUI after killing a Rhode Island woman while driving the wrong way on I-89. The driver, 38-year old Daniel Cowdrey, posted his \$25,000 bail and waived his probable cause hearing.

Further down I-89 now, authorities responded to a rollover crash in Warner over the weekend that left two people in the hospital. On Friday night around 4:30 PM, New Hampshire State Police say they responded to a rollover crash in Warner involving two vehicles. The Warner and Hopkinton Fire Departments responded as well and found that two vehicles had been involved in a crash ending on the side of the roadway. The two vehicles involved were a Mitsubishi and a Toyota SUV, driven by 60-year old Jeffrey Scott of Amherst, NH and 33-year old Paul Bradley of Dennis, MA, respectively. Each vehicle had rolled over and sustained extensive damage on the right side of the roadway. Scott was transported to Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center with a female passenger who was trapped in the vehicle and had to be extricated. Both Scott and the passenger suffered multiple injuries and were treated at the hospital. Two dogs were in the car with them when it crashed but appeared to be uninjured and were coaxed off of the roadway by some motorists. The crash is under investigation tonight and if you have information, contact Trooper Mark Barrett at 603-271-3636.

After the break on YCN News, we'll join the Lake Sunapee Region VNA and Hospice as we take another look into the world of health. We will be right back.

Let's now join the Lake Sunapee Region VNA and Hospice as we examine _____.

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Thanks for that, we'll tune back in at the same time next week for more medical information.

After the break on YCN News, we'll take a look at some local sports action, plus your weather and community calendar. We'll be right back.

Welcome back to YCN News. I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well after a wet Sunday night, we've seen a very nice Monday morning and afternoon with sunny clear skies and

temperatures a bit cooler, only reaching 72 degrees. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight, patchy fog is expected after 2am. Otherwise, we'll see CLEAR skies with lows falling to a very cool 50 degrees. There'll be a west wind with gust speeds as high as 10 miles an hour. Tomorrow, Tuesday, the patchy fog will continue until about 7am. Then the skies will open up to make for a CLEAR SUNNY day with highs in the upper 70s (78). The west wind from the night before will continue to be gusty with 5 to 10 mile an hour winds. Tomorrow night, the skies are expected to be MOSTLY CLEAR and temperatures will fall to as low as 52 degrees, again very cool. Wednesday looks like another very warm SUNNY summer day. Temperatures will be back in the mid 80s (86) and there might be a southwest wind with gust speeds around 5 miles an hour. And Wednesday night the skies will be MOSTLY CLEAR with lows falling to around 61 degrees.

Do you know Spanish or want to speak spanish but are rarely able to use your language skills in actual conversation? Then head on over to Umpleby's Bakery in Hanover, New Hampshire from 9:30 to 10:30am to speak spanish with the Buena Gente Social Club. All ages and proficiency levels are welcome. Please call 802-649-5151 for more details about this free event.

If you're a fan of live music like me, I suggest you head over to the Grantham Recreation Park in Grantham, New Hampshire for another night of Music in the Meadow for two hours of free music from 6 to 8pm. This week's performance features the band Soulfix. Bring chairs, blankets and dinner while ice cream and drinks will be available for purchase. If you would like more details please call 603-443-2894.

If trivia is more your forte, then you should check out the free Pub Trivia Night in Canaan, New Hampshire, at the Canaan Town Library also off of route 4. The trivia will begin at 6:30pm and should run for about an hour, until 7:30pm. Topics will include but are not limited to: history, geography, literature, New Hampshire history and contemporary culture with a few creative topics as well. Come with a team of 4 or as an individual. Light refreshments will be available with along with prizes for the weekly winners. Call 603-632-5026 for more details.

Well since the new academic year is right around the corner, many high school fall sports teams have begun their practice schedules in an effort to prepare for the upcoming season. Recently YCN attended a Sunapee High School boys soccer practice where we spoke to the head coach and of the few players to find out what to expect from this year's Laker team.

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The Lakers won't be ranked very high coming into the fall but they'll hope to turn some heads when they open the season this Saturday at 3pm at Colebrook Academy.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some results from a New Hampshire Fisher Cats game that was played on Saturday night.

The Cats with a record of 60 and 65 hosted the Altoona Curve who held a record of 68 and 56. Wilmer Font got the start for New Hampshire while Altoona countered with John Kuchno. This game would be dominated by pitching as both starters combined to allow just 6 hits over a total

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of 13 innings thrown. Altoona did manage to score twice off of a two run homer from center fielder Elvis Escobar in the top of the 3rd. The Fisher Cats were able to cut this two run lead to 1 in the bottom of the 5th after a solo home run from first baseman Rowdy Tellez, his 17th of the year. Now let's go all the way to the bottom of the 8th. With the Fisher Cats down by a run, third baseman Jason (LEB ALL BEAH JEE AN) Leblebajian stepped up to the plate with a man on third. He not only drove in the game tying run, but drove himself in as well after he crushed a two run homer to left center field to put the Cats up 3 to 2. New Hampshire's closing pitcher then came on in the 9th and sat down the Curve batters 1-2-3 to record the save and seal the come from behind victory for the Fisher Cats who improved to 61 and 65. New Hampshire will travel to take on the Portland Sea Dogs tonight.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Elizabeth D'Orazio for some River Valley Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Teresa M. Volta from RSVP. We'll be right back.

Thanks Elizabeth and Sue. Up next, we'll join John O'Connor for Capital Connections. This week, he's speaking to Karen Ebel, a NH State Representative from Merrimack District 5. That's when we come back.

Thanks John and Karen, we'll join you tomorrow for Part 2. Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good weekend.

AA Minor League Baseball

New Hampshire Fisher Cats 3 - Altoona Curve 2

Fisher Cats

Starting Pitcher -Wilmer Font, 7.0 IP, 4 H, 2 ER, 1 BB, 4 K's, NO DECISION

First Base - Rowdy Tellez, 1 for 3, 1 R, 1 HR, 1 RBI

Third Baseman - Jason Leblebajian, 1 for 3, 1 R, 1 HR, 2 RBI

Curve

Starting Pitcher - John Kuchno, 6.0 IP, 2 H, 1 ER, 0 BB, 5 K's, NO DECISION

Center Field - Elvis Escobar, 1 for 3, 1 R, 1 HR, 2 RBI

Relief Pitcher - Jared Lakind, 1.0 IP, 2 H, 0 ER, 0 BB

Good evening, it's Tuesday, August 23rd.

It was an intense scene for Bellows Falls police officers on Friday as they chased a motorist who had an infant in his car and a suspended license. Bellows Falls Police, in a press release, say that Keith Tyrrell Jr. was apprehended Friday when he crashed his car following a chase that began when he failed to pull over at a traffic stop. Officers had attempted to pull Tyrrell over for a routine traffic stop on Rockingham Street, but failed to stop and drove in what was described as a "negligent manner" into North Walpole across the New Arch Bridge. Walpole Police took up the chase in New Hampshire and he crashed on Route 12. Police found both Tyrrell and an uninjured infant in the car and transported Tyrrell to a Vermont hospital where he was arrested for careless and negligent operation and violation of conditions of release for a curfew he was under. He also received charges

of cruelty to a child under the age of 16, resisting arrest, and attempted assault on a law enforcement officer by bodily fluids. He was held on \$750 bail at the Southern State Correctional Facility.

In court news now, a Quechee, Vermont man has been convicted of sharing sexually explicit videos of a woman on the internet without her consent. 39-year old Jonathan Lazarus of Quechee accepted a plea deal late last week in Windsor Superior Court and even though prosecutors had dismissed a felony human sex trafficking charge against him, he faced sentencing for three misdemeanor counts. The first two misdemeanors, to which Lazarus pleaded no contest, were related to sharing the videos on the internet, while the third charge, to which he pleaded guilty, was for physically assaulting the woman, who he knew. *The Valley News* says that the presiding judge handed him a suspended prison sentence, which could be up to three years, if he violates any one of his probation conditions, one of which includes unapproved contact with the victim. Lazarus had taken pornographic videos of the woman, including one where he coerced her into sexual contact with another woman, and distributed them online. Lazarus's actions were revealed about a year ago when the parents of the victim went to Hartford Police and mentioned that they were concerned for their daughter, who later told police that she had been abused by Lazarus. He is currently out on probation.

School officials and parents in Claremont have a resolution for now in regards to their scheduling at Stevens High School. Following an order by the state and a period of unrest, both the Claremont School Board and teachers union have agreed to go back to the former block classroom schedule instead of the A/B schedule that was used last school year. Earlier this month, the School Board, after being ruled by the NH Public Employee Labor Relations Board to revert to the block schedule, attempted a motion to not comply with the state. However, the vote failed and the discussion was tabled until last week. *The Eagle Times* says that both the board and the teachers union last week agreed that the best solution was to revert to the block schedule, which allows for flex time for students to seek extra academic help. School officials were considering an appeal with the state's Supreme Court in regards to the Labor Relations Board ruling, but last week's agreement stood to resolve most of the contention that occurred over the course of this year.

Up in Lebanon now, city officials have expressed hesitance at increasingly supporting the Lebanon Airport financially. *The Valley News* reports that last week, the City Council told Lebanon Airport officials that there is in fact a limit as to how much money they're willing to pump into the airport. The airport had asked to hire a consultant for the business, but the council was unsure on whether to spend the requested \$70,000 when the work could be done in-house instead. The paper says that the airport can't survive on its own and has required increasing amounts of money from the city the past two years. The airport will be slowly upgraded over the next 20 years as the city approved a long term plan to fix federal safety issues. The city will be paying for roughly \$2 million of those upgrades while the Federal Aviation Administration will be covering the rest at roughly \$47 million. One airline runs out of the Lebanon Airport, Cape Air, but used to be serviced by three airlines that offered a wider variety of destinations than the current ones of Boston and White Plains, New York. The city is going to look at previous reports and master plans regarding the airport to discuss a business plan.

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After the break on YCN News, we'll take a look at the Warner New Hampshire Firefighter's Museum to give you an idea of where you can visit this weekend.

Following our vein this summer of introducing to you many different museums in our area, today we'll show you the Warner, New Hampshire Firefighter's Museum. Let's join Fire Chief Ed Raymond to hear how it came to be and some of the unique equipment in the collection.

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Also housed in the museum is a display dedicated to 9/11 and how this small rural community responded. If you are interested in visiting the Firefighter's Museum all you have to do is call the New Hampshire Telephone Museum at (603) 456-2234 and they will schedule a visit.

After the break on YCN News, we'll take a look at some local sports action, plus your weather and community calendar. We'll be right back.

Welcome back to YCN News. I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well last night we saw the first sign that Summer is starting to wind down as temperatures dropped into the low 50s. Today's also been a bit cooler but for the most part it's still been sunny and clear with temperatures peaking in the mid 70s across most of the state. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight, patch fog after 2am. CLOUDY, lows around 55. 5 mile an hour south wind.

Tomorrow, Wednesday, patchy fog continues until 9am, MOSTLY SUNNY, highs around 87. Southwest 5 mile an hour wind.

Tomorrow night, MOSTLY CLEAR, lows around 58. 5 mile an hour south wind.

Thursday, MOSTLY SUNNY, highs near 83. Southwest wind 5 to 10 miles an hour.

Thursday night, 40% CHANCE OF SHOWERS AND THUNDERSTORMS after 7pm. Mostly cloudy, lows falling to 67.

Well Elk's Lodge on 150 Heater Rd. in Lebanon, New Hampshire is having another drive-thru chicken barbecue from 3 to 6pm. Swing by and purchase some quality chicken, baked potatoes, biscuits, coleslaw and dessert. The main meal will cost \$8 dollars and each homemade dessert will cost \$1.50. This dinner is sponsored by the Lebanon Emblem Club and all proceeds will benefit local community organizations. Pre-orders are available and if you would like to do so please call 802-359-3575.

The Hanover area farmer's market will be open tomorrow from 3 to 6pm in Hanover, New Hampshire on the Dartmouth Green. Come peruse the vendors who will be selling locally grown produce, prepared foods and artisanal products. Attending is of course free and you can call 603-643-3115 for more details.

The Hartland Public Library in Hartland, Vermont on 153 US Highway 5, will be screening a TED Talk followed by a discussion. This week's talk is led by Julia Galef and it's titled "Why You Think You're Right - Even If You're Wrong" and it focuses on how to examine one's beliefs. The Talk will begin at 6:30pm and will run until 7:30pm. This is a free event and you're welcome to call 802-436-2473 to find out more.

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Yesterday YCN took a look at the Sunapee boys soccer team as they gear up for the upcoming season. Today we'll be checking out the Sunapee Girls soccer team as they're also getting ready to make another playoff run this fall.

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As you just heard, the Lakers didn't lose many seniors so this years team will be very experienced as they'll be ready to make it back to the semi finals and hopefully beyond. Be sure to check them out when they begin their season on August 27th, this Saturday, at 3pm at Colebrook Academy.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some results from a New Hampshire Fisher Cats game that was played on Sunday night.

The Fisher Cats with a record of 61 and 65 again hosted the Altoona Curve who held a record of 68 and 57. John Straka got the start for New Hampshire while Altoona countered with Tyler Eppler. The Curve were able to score early and often as they put up 8 runs between the first and second innings. 5 of these runs were driven in by Altoona second baseman Erich Weiss. He hit a two run homer in the first and a bases clearing 3 RBI double in the second. By the bottom of the 6th inning, Altoona held a 9 to 1 lead but the Fisher Cats managed to make some noise, scoring three times in the inning. Two of which were driven in off of a two RBI single by left fielder Dwight Smith Jr. By the bottom of the 9th, New Hampshire was in an 11 to 4 hole. Dwight Smith Jr. nailed a solo homer to center field but this was all the offense the Cats could muster as Altoona went on to win 11 to 5. The Fisher Cats fall to 61 and 66 and will take on the Portland Sea Dogs tonight.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Lynn Solomon for some Kearsarge Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Cathy Raymond, from the Lake Sunapee Region VNA and hospice. We'll be right back.

Thanks Lynn and Cathy. Up next, we'll join John O'Connor for Capital Connections. This week, he's speaking to Karen Ebel, a NH State Representative from Merrimack District 5. That's when we come back.

Thanks John and Karen, we'll join you tomorrow for Part 3. Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good weekend.

AA Minor League Baseball

Altoona Curve 11 - New Hampshire Fisher Cats 5

Curve

Starting Pitcher - Tyler Eppler, 7.0 IP, 7 H, 4 ER, 1 BB, 2 K's, WIN

Second Base - Erich Weiss, 3 for 4, 1 R, 1 2B, 1 3B, 1 HR, 7 RBI

Center Field - Elvis Escobar, 1 for 4, 2 R, 2 BB

Fisher Cats

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Starting Pitcher - John Straka, 1.2 IP, 8 H, 8 ER, 2 BB, 2 K's, LOSS

Left Field - Dwight Smith Jr, 3 for 4, 2 R, 1 3B, 1 HR, 3 RBI

Second Base - Jon Berti, 2 for 4, 1 R, 1 2B

Good evening, it's Wednesday, August 24th.

We begin tonight with a court update out of Windsor Superior Court as a Springfield, Vermont nurse's court case will be continued. Court records show that 39-year old Rebecca Parker was granted a second continuance in her case against that state, where she stands accused of sexually exploiting an inmate she was treated at the prison in Springfield. Her attorney filed a motion on Monday for the continuance, one day before she was to stand for her charge of exploiting a confined correctional facility inmate. The continuance was granted in Windsor Superior Court although it was noted that there will not be any further continuances in this case. The 31-year old victim has since been released from prison with a both a deputy state attorney and victim's advocate assisting him. Vermont State Police were contacted by the State Department of Corrections on February 9th of this year, reporting sexual misconduct between a staff member and an inmate at the Southern State Correctional Facility. Authorities launched an investigation and VSP were able to collect a large number of emails and recorded phone calls exchanged between Parker and the unidentified inmate. She is due back in court on September 6th.

News out of one of the local community colleges as the president of RVCC is stepping down at the end of this month. River Valley Community College's president, Dr. Alicia Harvey-Smith, after a three year run, had her resignation accepted Monday by Community College System of New Hampshire Chancellor Ross Gittell. In the announcement by Gittell, he mentioned several accomplishments of Harvey-Smith during her time with the school, including moving the school's fundraising efforts in a forward direction, expanding workforce training partnerships with businesses, and enhancing the overall image and visibility of the school in the community and state. Under her guidance, improvements were made to the Claremont and Keene locations and she oversaw the acquisition of the new Lebanon campus, which is holding its grand opening tomorrow. Additionally, the nursing program was reaccredited this summer thus revitalizing the program. Harvey-Smith will be moving on to Lone Star College in Houston, Texas where she will be the Executive Vice Chancellor. Harvey-Smith says, "I believe I will leave River Valley well-positioned to continue to offer life-changing opportunities to students in western NH, to support economic growth in the region, and to forward the community college mission statewide."

Medical news now out of the region's largest healthcare provider as Dartmouth-Hitchcock officials were scheduled to meet with the state's Executive Council yesterday to discuss a contract. The two parties met at Colby-Sawyer College in New London to discuss a contract that would see psychiatrists and other professional employees from DHMC to be supplied to New Hampshire Hospital in Concord. *The Valley News* says that State Health and Human Services Commissioner Jeffrey Meyers awarded the contract to Dartmouth-Hitchcock even though a letter signed by all five members of the Executive Council expressed disapproval in the offer and wanting to see a new bidding process. So far, seven professionals from DHMC have filled spots at New Hampshire Hospital and more are on the way. The contract is controversial beyond just the Executive Council opposing it, as employees of New

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Hampshire Hospital are skeptical of new employment terms that would be enacted under DHMC. Dartmouth College has traditionally been the provider of additional services and NHH employees are concerned they may lose benefits if DHMC takes over as their employer. The contract was signed on August 18th by both DHMC and NHH.

The weekend after next is Labor Day weekend which is good news for a lot of us. Looking for something to do that weekend? On Saturday September 3rd, you can go to Sunapee Harbor and run the Bold for Gold 5K, for a good cause. The race is being organized by Sunapee Middle High School senior Renee Brandon for her senior project to give back to the community. YCN caught up with Renee and asked her about the 5K race that she's taking the reins on.

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Sounds like a great cause and with cancer affecting so many in our region, country, and world, this is a perfect opportunity to give back. Good luck with the event Renee and to all those who plan on participating.

After the break on YCN News, we'll take a look at the upcoming apple season out of Putney, Vermont.

like it or not, Fall is just around the corner but that does mean so is the beginning of apple picking season. Now I know I'm preaching to the choir when I say that our region plays host to amazing fresh produce and natural products. Many local orchards announced this past weekend that early season apples were ready for picking. Alysons Orchard in Walpole opened this past weekend with picking of two varieties: Paula Reds and Ginger Golds. In nearby Putney Vermont, YCN news stopped by Green Mountain Orchards to take a closer look at their working orchard and to get ready for this great time of year that brings in tourists from all over.

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For more information about weekend events and hours visit their website GreenMountainOrchards.com.

After the break on YCN News, we'll take a look at some local sports action, plus your weather and community calendar. We'll be right back.

Welcome back to YCN News. I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today's been another hot summer day as we've seen sunny clear skies with temperatures reaching the mid 80s. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight patchy fog is expected after 2am. But the skies will be MOSTLY CLEAR with lows falling to around 59 degrees. Tomorrow, Thursday, the patchy fog will continue until 7am. We'll see increasing clouds (CLOUDY) throughout the day with highs reaching again in the mid 80s (85). At times there could be a south wind with gust speeds around 10 miles an hour. Tomorrow night, there's a slight 30% CHANCE FOR SHOWERS AND THUNDERSTORMS between 9 and 11pm. The skies are expected to be mostly cloudy with lows falling to a comfortable 66 degrees. There could be a relatively strong south wind with gusts speeds reaching as high as 15 miles an hour. Friday, the 30% CHANCE FOR SHOWERS AND THUNDERSTORMS will continue until

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around 2pm. Then the skies will become partly sunny with highs once again in the mid 80s (86). And Friday night looks like a calm evening as we'll see MOSTLY CLEAR skies with lows falling to around 62 degrees.

Naturalist and Wilderness guide, Mark (COO TOW LOW SKI) Kutolowski, is leading a free wild edibles food walk from 3 to 5pm in White River Junction, Vermont on 149 Latham Works Lane at the Center for Transformational Practice. Mark will lead participants through the wild landscape to find nutritious herbs, roots, tubers and barks. Discussion topics will include, safety, sustainable harvesting and processing techniques. You can find out more information by calling 802-295-3075.

The Summer Farmers Market in Lebanon will be open from 4 to 7pm at Colburn Park on North Park Street. The market will include fresh produce, plants, prepared food, baked goods and handmade crafts. Live music will also be performed each week by folk traditional musicians from around New England. You can call 603-448-5121 for more details.

The Richards Free Library in Newport is hosting another poetry night at 7:00pm. Come meet local poets who will read and discuss their poetry and you are also welcome to bring a poem to read to the audience. This is a free event and refreshments will be served. If you would like more information please call 603-863-3430.

Yesterday the Lebanon Raiders football team hosted the Stevens Cardinals during a friendly scrimmage in an attempt to get both teams some real contact before the regular season begins. Let's see which team came out on top.

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Lebanon and Stevens both begin their season on Friday, September 2nd. The Raiders will travel to take on Merrimack Valley while the Cardinals open their year at home against Mascoma Valley. I don't know about you but I can't wait for football to be back.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some results from a New Hampshire Fisher Cats game that was played on Monday night.

The Cats with a record of 61 and 66 traveled to take on the Portland Sea Dogs who held a record of 49 and 75. Conner Greene got the start for New Hampshire while Portland countered with Teddy (STANKY WITZ) Stankiewicz. The Fisher Cats were able to strike first, scoring twice in the second inning when right fielder Derrick Loveless smacked a 2 RBI triple to left field. No runs would be scored until the top of the 5th when New Hampshire's left fielder, Dwight Smith Jr. smacked a solo homerun to right field. Fisher Cats starting pitcher Greene was outstanding, pitching a total of 7 innings, allowing just 3 hits and 2 walks with zero earned runs. The Sea Dogs just couldn't get any offense going as the New Hampshire went on to win 4 to 0 improving to 62 and 66 on the year.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Elizabeth D'Orazio for some Kearsarge Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Anna Autilio, from Project Nestwatch at VINS. We'll be right back.

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Thanks Elizabeth and Anna. Up next, we'll join John O'Connor for Capital Connections. This week, he's speaking to Karen Ebel, a NH State Representative from Merrimack District 5. That's when we come back.

Thanks John and Karen, we'll join you tomorrow for Part 4. Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good weekend.

AA Minor League Baseball

New Hampshire Fisher Cats 4 - Portland Sea Dogs 1

Fisher Cats

Starting Pitcher - Conner Greene, 7.0 IP, 3 H, 0 ER, 2 BB, 1 K's, WIN

Left Field - Dwight Smith Jr, 1 for 3, 1 R, 1 HR, 1 RBI, 1 BB

Right Field - Derrick Loveless, 2 for 4, 1 3B, 2 RBI

Sea Dogs

Starting Pitcher - Teddy Stankiewicz, 6.0 IP, 4 H, 3 ER, 3 BB, 6 K's, LOSS

Third Base - Yoan Moncada, 1 for 2, 2 BB

Second Base - Tzu-Wei Lin, 1 for 3, 1 BB, 1 SB

Good evening, it's Thursday, August 25th.

In today's day and age, the types of crimes you can commit through technology have increased significantly. One such crime is credit card fraud, which is the topic of this crime story. Four men from New York were arrested on Tuesday for their credit card skimming and re-encoding scam that began in New York and moved to Massachusetts, Vermont, and New Hampshire. Windsor Police say that 27-year old Carl White, 26-year old Jacob Houedjissi, and 21-year old Kyle Philip of Jamaica, New York and 22-year old Shaquille Francis of Springfield Gardens, New York were all charged with Possession or use of Credit Card Skimming Devices and Re-Encoders as well as Identity Theft and Accessory Aiding Commission of Felony. Their operation was detected in New Hampshire and they were reported to be driving a BMW with New York plates. They tried to make fraudulent purchases at Windsor businesses and police pulled them over when they were spotted on Main Street in their car. Police found their credit card re-encoder machine as well as several fraudulent credit cards. The FBI is assisting in the investigation and all four were arraigned yesterday, now being held on \$25,000 cash bail.

A follow-up now in a story we brought you yesterday regarding a contract between Dartmouth-Hitchcock and New Hampshire Hospital in Concord. For now, the vote on the controversial contract is being postponed, pending further discussion by officials of both hospitals, the Executive Council, and other state officials. *The Valley News* reports that the Executive Council, while meeting with hospital officials at Colby-Sawyer College in New London, voted to delay the 32-month contract while they discuss staffing at New Hampshire Hospital and a recent suicide of a released patient. Health and Human Services Commissioner Jeffrey Meyers was against postponement, arguing that the longer it takes to

enact the contract, the harder it will be to recruit new psychiatric staff at the hospital. Two of the five members of the Executive Council are running for governor, which influences their decision making in the months leading up to the election. The contract would provide NHH with professional staff from DHMC to assist with mental health treatment, which was emphasized when a 63-year old woman jumped to her death from a building mere hours after being released from NHH. The Council will discuss the contract again on September 7th, following a motion to table the discussion.

And now, there's some monkey business going on in Bellows Falls that has people going bananas. Don't laugh! There is an actual monkey that was spotted by at least three people in town in the area of Route 121 and Back Westminster Road. Bellows Falls Police made the initial announcement on their Facebook page, where they stated that they received one of the most bizarre reports that they've ever heard. The report was from a man who said he saw a monkey cross the road right in front of him. The Facebook post garnered an incredible amount of attention and all sorts of comments that expressed both belief and disbelief. Bellows Falls Police have since removed the post and Chief Ron Lake told NBC5 that things had "gotten too out of hand". However, others have reported seeing the monkey in the area and it has not been found yet. *The Eagle Times* says that the Windham County Humane Society hasn't had anyone come in with a monkey nor has anyone reported one missing. According to online sources, it's illegal in both Vermont and New Hampshire to own a monkey, unless you have one as a service animal, which costs about \$40,000 to train. If you've got any info on the primate, feel free to contact Bellows Falls Police at 802-463-1234.

When you turn on the news some nights, and not your friendly neighborhood YCN News, but rather, international news, and you see the living conditions and hardships in other countries, do you ever wish you could help? There are many different groups that aim to help those less fortunate and one local group is continuing their efforts to do so in Africa. Plus, they've got an event coming up this weekend. YCN caught up with Edward Kanu, founder of African International Mission Services in Sunapee, New Hampshire, to hear about his group.

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The event is free to attend and Edward will be there to help answer any questions you may have about AIMS or their mission. It's this Sunday, August 28th from 11 AM to 3 PM on Central Street across from the athletic fields. A cargo container is already packed full and will be shipped with donations collected at the event. What a great opportunity to help those in need on the other side of the world.

After the break on YCN News, we'll take a look at the big event that took place last night in Lebanon as RVCC held a ribbon cutting for its new campus.

It was an exciting day yesterday for state officials, local educators, community college officials, students, and well, pretty much everyone as RVCC held a ribbon cutting for their new Lebanon campus. The ribbon cutting marked a new chapter for River Valley Community College in being able to expand their services to more of the greater Upper Valley region. We were there and caught up with some of the influential people behind this event.

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Classes at RVCC begin August 29th. And in other news, President Dr. Alicia Harvey-Smith had her resignation accepted on Monday this week and will be leaving the school at the end of the month to resume her career at a Texas college. We wish her luck in her academic endeavors.

After the break on YCN News, we'll take a look at some local sports action, plus your weather and community calendar. We'll be right back.

Welcome back to YCN News. I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today's been overcast and a bit stormy but we've still felt warm and humid temperatures reaching as high as 85 degrees. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight, there's a 30% CHANCE FOR SHOWERS AND THUNDERSTORMS before midnight. The skies will of course be cloudy and temperatures will fall into the mid 60s (65). New rainfall amounts will not be higher than a tenth of an inch. Tomorrow, Friday, the SHOWERS AND THUNDERSTORMS (40%) will return until around 1pm. The skies in the morning will be mostly cloudy but once the storms move on in the late afternoon, the sun will come out and the evening will be very nice with highs reaching the upper 80s (88). There could be a relatively strong southwest wind with gust speeds possibly reaching 15 miles an hour. Tomorrow night, the skies are expected to be MOSTLY CLEAR with lows falling just below 60 degrees (58). To start off our weekend on Saturday, it looks like we'll see beautiful SUNNY skies without a cloud in sight. Highs will climb into the mid 80s (84) and a north wind will remain calm throughout the day. And Saturday night, the skies will be PARTLY CLOUDY with lows again falling just below 60 degrees (59).

If you have little ones ages 4 or under, I suggest you bring them to "music and movement in Hanover", New Hampshire from 10:30 am to 11:00am at the Howe Library on 13 South St. Children's musician and early childhood educator, Jo Brambles, will be leading the class as she will help engage your children in the wonders of making and listening to music. Please call 603-640-3254 to find out more.

If you're looking for some bargains I suggest you head on up to the Lyme Congregational Church on 1 Dorchester Road for another bargain Barn sale. Used clothes, household items, linens, jewelry and toys will be available for purchase at a very reasonable price. The bargains will be going on from 1:30pm to 4:30pm and you can call 603-795-2850 for more information.

The Chelsea Farmers Market in Chelsea, Vermont will be going on again from 3 to 6pm in the heart of downtown Chelsea on the North Common off of route 110. This market offers fresh produce, local crafts, and prepared foods. There's an average of 20 vendors a week and it's a great place to purchase local products, meet up with friends, enjoy some live music and even bring your kids as there'll be free children's activities. If you would like more information you can call 802-685-3174.

Yesterday we showed you highlights from a football scrimmage between the Lebanon Raiders and the Stevens Cardinals that was played Tuesday evening. Today we'll be bringing you

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interviews with some of the starters from both teams as they told YCN their thoughts after the game.

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We wish the Raiders and Cardinals good luck when they begin their season on Friday September 2nd, a week from tomorrow.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some results from a New Hampshire Fisher Cats game that was played on Tuesday night.

The Cats with a record of 62 and 66, again played away against the Portland Sea Dogs who held a record of 49 and 76. Jeremy Gabryszewski got the start for New Hampshire while Portland countered with Jalen Beeks. The Fisher Cats got off to a quick start scoring twice in the top of the first after back to back RBI doubles from Rowdy Tellez and Ryan Lavarney. But the Sea Dogs immediately answered by scoring 7 runs over the next 3 innings. 3 of the 7 were driven in by third baseman Yoan Moncada after he crushed a 3 run homer to right center field. If you didn't know, the Sea Dogs are apart of the Red Sox organization and Yoan Moncada is currently considered the second best prospect in all of baseball so if you're a sox fan, be sure to keep an eye out for him in the near future, and oh yeah, he also walked 4 times in this game to go along with the homer. After the two run first inning, the Fisher Cats bats were silenced as Portland's starting pitcher Beeks was dominant pitching 5 total innings. By the end of the game the Fisher Cats had lost 8 to 2 and they now fall to 62 and 67 on the year.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Lynn Solomon for some Kearsarge Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Jennie Lamanuzzii, from JL hair designs. We'll be right back.

Thanks Lynn and Jennie. Up next, we'll join John O'Connor for Capital Connections. This week, he's speaking to Karen Ebel, a NH State Representative from Merrimack District 5. That's when we come back.

Thanks John and Karen. Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good weekend.

AA Minor League Baseball

Portland Sea Dogs 8 - New Hampshire Fisher Cats 2

Sea Dogs

Starting Pitcher - Jalen Beeks, 5.0 IP, 5 H, 2 ER, 4 BB, 1 K's, WIN

Catcher - Jake Romanski, 3 for 4, 1 R, 1 2B, 2 RBI

Third Base - Yoan Moncada, 1 for 1, 2 R, 1 HR, 3 RBI, 4 BB

Fisher Cats

Starting Pitcher - Jeremy Gabryszewski, 3.1 IP, 8 H, 6 ER, 2 BB, 3 K's, LOSS

First Base - Rowdy Tellez, 1 for 3, 1 R, 1 2B, 1 RBI, 1 BB

Catcher - Ryan Lavarney, 1 for 4, 1 2B, 1 RBI

Good evening, it's Friday, August 26th.

Tonight's news begins with an update in the case against the driver of a vehicle involved in a fatal accident that killed one person. 36-year old Amber King was indicted by a grand jury on felony charges this week for a fatal crash in April that killed a female passenger and seriously injured another. *The Eagle Times* reports that King was indicted in Sullivan County Superior Court on charges of negligent homicide, second-degree assault, and two counts of driving while intoxicated. On April 23rd, King was behind the wheel of a 2005 Jeep Cherokee with three other passengers when the car struck an embankment on Main Street near Tractor Supply Company. The car was travelling around 118 miles per hour and the vehicle flipped after hitting a utility pole on the embankment. King and her husband, 35-year old Jacob King, were trapped inside the vehicle and had to be extricated by firefighters using hydraulic tools. 37-year old Jody Metcalf and Amanda Grasso were ejected from the vehicle, with Grasso landing in the Sugar River. She was later pronounced dead. King had allegedly used heroin, cocaine, marijuana, Suboxone, and an anti-anxiety drug in the time leading up to the accident. She is due back in court on September 7th for her arraignment. In the meantime, she remains behind bars at the Sullivan County House of Corrections on \$50,000 bail.

On a bit of a different note now, the MV Sunapee was on a routine afternoon tour of the lake yesterday when it had an unexpected stop. YCN caught up with one of the owners, Pete Fenton, to tell us about it.

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This was not the first experience that the Fenton's have had with flotation collars. A year and a half ago their MV Kearsarge was refloated with the same kind of device after sinking in its winter harbor. All is good now with both boats.

And speaking of the very water that the MV Sunapee was sailing in, state officials have lifted yet another no swimming advisory in Newbury. Earlier this week, state officials posted an advisory for Mount Sunapee State Park, warning beachgoers that there were higher levels of bacteria in the water than normal. An advisory of this type encourages people to not go swimming or enter the water, which was home to a level of fecal bacteria that exceeded state standards. The advisory was lifted this morning when officials analyzed water samples and found that the fecal bacteria levels were back within normal parameters. Earlier this summer, the same advisory was posted for the same beach, but was lifted within a week. The New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services oversees water quality across the state. They collectively monitor 186 freshwater and saltwater beaches in the Granite State for fecal coliform, which usually originates in the intestines of warm-blooded animals including waterfowl. In addition to Mount Sunapee State Park, Todd Lake off of Route 103 in Newbury, also received a warning, this time for a cyanobacteria bloom and both lake users and pets were advised to take caution.

Got a sweet tooth? Then you may want to pay attention or turn away, depending on how bad it is, but regardless, this is some sweet news for Claremont residents. A Kentucky-based

chocolate producer has had their plan for an experimental test kitchen to be set up on Union Street. One of the many staples of our region is the delicious maple syrup and the chocolate company hopes to experiment with maple and possibly introduce new concoctions into its main product line. *The Eagle Times* reports that the city's Planning Board unanimously approved the special use permit for the 40 Union Street location that would act as a test kitchen and may have some sort of retail component, but that is not the main focus. The chocolate company, Deglace LLC, had a representative speak on behalf of the headquarters in Louisville, saying that they hope to experiment with local products for new chocolates. The building was built in 1833 and has stood vacant for a while, offering up around 10,000 feet of space. The building is part of Claremont's historic downtown and the board's approval works to further efforts to revitalize the downtown and bring businesses back to empty storefronts.

After the break on YCN News, we'll take a look at what's currently playing at the New London Barn Playhouse as part of their final performance of the year.

If you haven't made your way to a New London Barn Playhouse show this summer, you've got one last opportunity to do so. Their current show, "Don't Dress for Dinner", runs until September 4th. As usual with their shows, we caught up with some of the actors to give us some insight on the current performance.

PKG

And like we said earlier, this is the final performance this summer so this is a great chance to check out the talent on display at the Barn Playhouse.

After the break on YCN News, we'll take a look at some local sports action, plus your weather and community calendar. We'll be right back.

Welcome back to YCN News. I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today's been a wet day as we've seen some showers and isolated thunderstorms. But the temperatures have remained warm, peaking around 86 degrees. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight, the wet weather will have moved on to make for a CLEAR cloudless evening. It could be a good night to do some stargazing. Lows will fall to around 57 degrees and winds will be calm. Tomorrow, Saturday, looks like a beautiful start to our weekend as SUNNY skies are expected with highs reaching the mid 80s (86), looks like a good day to head to the beach. Tomorrow night, the skies will remain MOSTLY CLEAR with lows falling just below 60 degrees. Sunday, we'll see MOSTLY SUNNY skies during the morning and afternoon with a south wind with gust speeds around 5 to 10 miles an hour. Highs will climb to around 83 degrees. And to wrap up our weekend on Sunday night, there's a 50% CHANCE FOR SHOWERS mainly during the later hours of the night. The skies will be mostly cloudy and lows will fall to around 64 degrees.

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If you're a fan of pies I suggest you check out the 43rd annual Apple Pie Crafts Fair in Newport, New Hampshire on 15 Sunapee st. on the Newport Town Common. From 9am to 3pm, there'll be over 100 vendors selling local crafts and goods and of course pies. Every pie sold will benefit the Library Arts Center. If you would like to find out more you can call 603-863-3040.

Well the 2nd annual puppies and pooches parade will be taking place again in Woodstock, Vermont on the Woodstock Village Green from 10:30am to 12pm. Come on by and enjoy a morning filled with fun and friendship with lots of smiles. This event will not only feature a parade but also a dog show, raffles, prizes and each dog will get a special ribbon and bandana. Attending the event is free but each dog entering the contest will cost 10 dollars. Please call 802-457-7078 to find out more.

Looking ahead now, St. Mary's Catholic Church on Main Street in Claremont, New Hampshire will be hosting another gigantic indoor yard sale on Saturday September 10th from 8am to 2pm. The sale will take place in St. Mary's gym and there'll be over 100 tables featuring thousands of items for sale. Food and beverages will also be available for purchase. To learn more about the sale, you're welcome to call 603-542-9518.

Well it looks like a nice weekend is ahead of us so if you're looking for something to do outside, why not check out the Mount Ascutney mountain biking trails in the West Windsor Town Forest. Our very own Kurt Wehde took to the trails earlier this summer so we'll be once again bringing you Part 1 of Trail Ride Review at Mount Ascutney.

PKG

Mount Ascutney looks absolutely beautiful, thanks a lot Kurt. Be sure to get out there soon before the Summer's over.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some results from a New Hampshire Fisher Cats game that was played last night.

The Cats with a record of 62 and 68 traveled to take on the best team in the minors, the Reading Fightin Phils who held a record of 82 and 47. New Hampshire sent Wilmer Font to the mound while Reading countered with John Richy. Neither team would score until the top of the 3rd when Fisher Cats shortstop Richard Urena was able to lift a ball deep to center field for a sacrifice fly that scored right fielder Derrick Loveless. But the Phils were able to respond scoring twice in the bottom of the inning, once in the 5th and 3 times in the 6th to take a 6 to 1 lead. Reading's starting pitcher Richy was outstanding, pitching 8 innings, allowing just one run and 4 hits. The Fisher Cats bats just did not show up as they went on to lose 6 to 1 falling to 62 and 69 on the year. New Hampshire will face off again against Reading tonight for game 2 of their 4 game series.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Elizabeth D'Orazio for some River Valley Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Nicole Jorgensen, the executive director of High Horses Therapeutic Riding. We'll be right back.

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Thanks Elizabeth and Nicole. Up next, we'll join Chef Justin Dain of the Pine Restaurant to see how to make a delicious plate of food!

Welcome back, it's time for Upper Valley Chef with Justin Dain of the Pine Restaurant.

PKG

Looks delish. Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good weekend.

AA Minor League Baseball

Reading 6 - New Hampshire Fisher Cats 1

Fightin Phils

Starting Pitcher - John Richy, 8.0 IP, 4 H, 1 ER, 0 BB, 4 K's, WIN

Center Field - Roman Quinn, 3 for 5, 2 R, 1 2B, 1 HR, 2 RBI

Shortstop - KC Serna, 2 for 4, 1 R, 1 RBI

Fisher Cats

Starting Pitcher - Wilmer Font, 5.0 IP, 6 H, 2 ER, 1 BB, 7 K's, LOSS

Shortstop - Richard Urena, 0 for 3, 1 RBI

Right Field - Derrick Loveless, 1 for 3, 1 R

Good evening, it's Monday, August 29th.

We begin tonight with tragic news out of Vermont as a New Jersey man is dead and his wife is injured in a single vehicle crash on I-91 yesterday. Authorities say that 79-year old Alexander Romanow was driving north on I-91 in Weathersfield with his wife Jane in a 2006 Chevrolet Tahoe when the vehicle veered into the median, hit multiple trees, and caught fire. The accident occurred around 9:30 in the morning near mile marker 49. Jane was able to escape from the burning vehicle with a broken femur and chest injury. However, her husband Alexander was trapped in the driver's seat and could not escape the wreck. Fellow motorists attempted to rescue him but the fire was too large to extricate him and he was pronounced dead at the scene. Police say that Jane was transported first to Valley Regional Hospital and then to Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center for treatment. The left lane of I-91 northbound was closed for around six hours for an investigation, which determined that Alexander may have fallen asleep at the wheel. Many local officials responded to the accident, including Weathersfield Police, West Weathersfield Fire, Ascutney Fire, Thetford Fire, and the Vermont Agency of Transportation.

An update now in the court case of two local men who were involved in a break-in of a Charlestown home last year. 41-year old Jeffrey Buzzell of Claremont and 32-year old Jamie Stevens of Newport were in court last week and stood in front of a grand jury for several charges related to a break-in they committed in May of last year where they stole jewelry and valuables from a Charlestown home. They answered to charges of burglary, theft, second-degree assault, and receiving stolen property. *The Valley News* reports that

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these charges are on top of an existing set of three indictments of Buzzell in June, including the charge of assaulting a prisoner, having tied up one of the homeowners during the robbery. Buzzell's wife, Sarah Carr, has been charged with conspiracy to receive stolen property after authorities intercepted calls made from prison, in which Buzzell was serving on an unrelated charge. The calls instructed Carr on how to find a stash of the stolen goods, which police found. In addition, 49-year old Sherry West of Claremont was also indicted on charges of conspiracy to receive or possess stolen properties. All four are facing various sentences and so far, Carr has pleaded guilty with a 12-month sentence.

With our country having been victim to several shootings in recent history, one local school put in some effort this weekend to prepare themselves for such an event. On Saturday morning, the Sunapee Police Department, with help from Homeland Security and the Sunapee School District, held an Active Shooter Drill at the Sunapee Middle High School. Sunapee Police Chief David Cahill began planning this drill months ago which involved the officers from the Sunapee Police Department, volunteer students, teachers, administrators, and staff from the school, as well as New London dispatch. The scenario for the drill was a man with a rifle, played by New London Police Chief Edward Anderson, whose plan was to gain access to the school and try and enter a classroom. Teachers would then call 911 and police would arrive and confront the gunman. Chief Cahill and others spoke with those involved before the drill on what to expect and how they may feel during the exercise. He stressed that safety of all the participants was the top priority. After the event, which took about 20 minutes to complete, there was a discussion to talk about what went right and what could be improved on such as communication and keeping people from harm during an event like the one staged.

Are you a Claremont resident and are you sitting at home wishing you could help search for the new city manager? Now's your chance! The city council is extending an invitation to residents to become members of the city's search committee to track down the next manager for 2017 onward. *The Valley News* says that the council last week heard from Municipal Resources Incorporated, the firm hired to spearhead the search, who suggested that they should form a committee of at least five but no more than nine city residents. The firm's president, Alan Gould, explained that the committee should equally represent various facets of the city, including but not limited to Valley REgional Hospital, River Valley Community College, and SAU 6. Interested residents can submit a letter of interest and a completed application, which can be found on the city website. The deadline is September 7th. City Manager Guy Santagate is retiring at the end of this year after 15 years with the city, making him the longest standing city manager in Claremont. The city council recently agreed on a new salary for the city manager of \$135,000 compared to the \$100,000, hoping to raise the appeal of the position.

After the break on YCN News, we'll join the Lake Sunapee Region VNA and Hospice as we take another look into the world of health. We will be right back.

Let's now join the Lake Sunapee Region VNA and Hospice for our weekly segment: Home Care Matters.

PKG

Thanks for that, we'll tune back in at the same time next week for more medical information.

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Welcome back to YCN News. I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today's been another nice summer day as we've seen warm sunny skies with temperatures reaching 80 degrees. It's also been a bit gusty at times with northwest 10 to 15 mile an hour winds. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight looks like a CLEAR uneventful evening with temperatures falling to a cool 54 degrees. The gusty winds from earlier in the day will have moved on to make for a calm night. It could be a great night for some star gazing. Tomorrow, Tuesday, looks like another pleasant SUNNY day with highs again just reaching 80 degrees. Tomorrow night, some clouds will roll in (PARTLY CLOUDY) and lows will fall back into the mid 50s (56). A southwest wind will remain throughout the night. Wednesday could be a bit wet at times as there's a 40% CHANCE OF SHOWERS AND THUNDERSTORMS after 10am. Highs will be back in the low 80s (80) and the skies will still be partly sunny. A westerly wind will be present with gust speeds reaching as high as 15 miles an hour. And Wednesday night, the 40% chance for storms from earlier in the day will drop to 30% and only showers will be expected. Lows will fall to around 60 degrees.

The Enfield firefighters association is hosting another bingo night at the Enfield Community Center in of course Enfield, New Hampshire off of 308 Route 4 starting at 6:30pm. For 12 cards it will cost you 20 bucks or for 18 to 36 cards or all-night play it will cost 25 bucks. The doors will open at 5pm and refreshments will be available. You're welcome to call 603-632-5438 for more information.

The ArtisTree Community Arts Center in South Pomfret, Vermont on 2095 Pomfret Road, is hosting an open mic acoustic jam session from 7 to 9pm. Bring any acoustic instrument and share your tunes and songs with the public. Attending is free and the evening will be hosted by Kenny Rosenthal. For more details please contact 802-457-3500.

Looking ahead now, St. Mary's Catholic Church on Main Street in Claremont, New Hampshire will be hosting another gigantic indoor yard sale on Saturday September 10th from 8am to 2pm. The sale will take place in St. Mary's gym and there'll be over 100 tables featuring thousands of items for sale. Food and beverages will also be available for purchase. To learn more about the sale, you're welcome to call 603-542-9518.

Well Summer is coming to a close people but you do still have some time left to enjoy some outdoor activities. The Mt. Ascutney trail system is a great place for hiking or mountain biking in a very secluded part of the West Windsor Town Forest. Our very own Kurt Wehde tested out some of the trails earlier this Summer so today we're bringing you another installment of trail ride review.

PKG

Thanks a lot Kurt, looks like a blast. Besides Wednesday afternoon, it's going to be a warm dry week so get out on those trails as soon as possible.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some local high school soccer scores from last Friday.

First up are the girls,

The Lebanon Raiders traveled to take on the Bow Falcons to open the season for both teams. The Falcons outshot the Raiders 22 to 1 as they went on to win 5 to 0. Lebanon's goalie, Chloe Wadlinger made 17 saves in the loss.

The Stevens Cardinals hosted the Monadnock Huskies as the Cards went on to win 5 to 0. Jazz Griffin recorded a hat trick in the first period, wow.

The Kearsarge cougars traveled to face off against Merrimack Valley. The Cougars were able to hold on to 1 goal lead late to seal the victory 3 to 2. Jordan Busch scored 2 goals and an assist for the Cougars.

Newport opened their season away against White Mountains as the Tigers were able to win 3 to 2. Hannah Stark scored two second period goals en route to the victory. Newport will take on Stevens at home tomorrow.

Now to the boys,

Lebanon, away, took on the Bow Falcons who were ranked number one last season. The Raiders managed to score 3 goals while allowing none from Bow. Nate Chickering was one of 3 goal scorers for Leb.

The Hanover Marauders, traveled to take on Londonderry as the Marauders were able to score two goals late to seal the shut out victory. Charlie Adams scored his first goal for Hanover.

Kearsarge away at Merrimack Valley, played a double overtime thriller and they ended up coming out on the losing end of things by a final score of 3 to 2. Brad Underhill was one of two goal scorers for the Cougars.

The Newport Tigers traveled to Bristol, New Hampshire to face off against Newfound. The Tigers unfortunately were shut out as they also allowed 4 goals from Newfound. Newport will take on Sunapee tomorrow.

Fall Mountain played away against Raymond scoring three goals but it wasn't enough compared to Raymond's six. Fall Mountain will take on Stevens away tomorrow.

And finally to the Cardinals, Stevens at home was shut out by Derryfield as the Cougars went on to win 3 to zero. As just said, Stevens will face off against Fall Mountain at home tomorrow.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Elizabeth D'Orazio for some River Valley Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Martha McLaffetry, the director of the Hartford Community Restorative Justice Center. We'll be right back.

Thanks Elizabeth and Martha. Up next, we'll join John O'Connor for Capital Connections. This week, he's speaking to Steve Smith, a New Hampshire State Representative from Sullivan - District 11. That's when we come back.

Thanks John and Steve and thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good weekend.

Scores

GIRLS SOCCER

Bow 5 - Lebanon 0

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Stevens 5 - Monadnock 0

Kearsarge 3 - Merrimack Valley 2

Newport 2 - White Mountain 1

BOYS SOCCER

Lebanon 3 - Bow 0

Hanover 2 - Londonderry 0

Merrimack Valley 3 - Kearsarge 2 **DOUBLE OT**

Newfound 4 - Newport 0

Raymond 6 - Fall Mountain 3

Derryfield 3 - Stevens 0

Good evening, it's Tuesday, August 30th.

News out of one of our area's courts is up first tonight as two men stood in front of a judge for an incident that happened this weekend in Putney. 41-year old Jason Robison of Bellows Falls and 36-year old Alfred Spellman were in Windham County Superior Court Criminal Division on Monday for charges of aggravated assault with a weapon and reckless endangerment. Court records show that both men pleaded not guilty to the first felony charge and were both held on bail of at least \$2,500. Vermont State Police responded to reports of a verbal argument and gunshots at 57 Hi Lo Bidy Road on Friday and spoke to witnesses who said they saw a male subject firing a gun on the road while a Subaru drove down the road at a high speed. Court documents revealed that the address is registered as Spellman's residence and Robison was questioned on the scene before being arrested. A witness told police that a Putney resident and a Brooklyn, NY resident were also involved because of a \$30 drug debt. The four men had become involved in a minor shootout at the house which ended when Robison and the Brooklyn man left the scene. The felony charge that both men face carries up to 15 years in prison.

Credit score can mean a lot nowadays, whether you're making that next big purchase of a car or new home. But for large businesses, it's important to them as well and our region's largest healthcare provider had their score downgraded recently. A major credit rating firm, Fitch Ratings, lowered Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center's grade from A+ to A in light of poor financial performance. The hospital reported significant losses in its fourth quarter of the previous fiscal year, which proved to be more than the gains from the other three quarters, making the overall loss of the year around \$13 million. *The Valley News* says that Fitch Ratings, as well as S&P Global Ratings, the other firm that rates the hospital's credit, have both placed a negative credit watch on the healthcare provider. An analyst from S&P said that she didn't expect Dartmouth-Hitchcock's rating to fall below an A-, despite the deficit that from the last two years. Representatives from Fitch Ratings will be visiting the hospital this fall to talk with members of the hospitals management and discuss financial standing.

Police news now, but not of the crime sort, as two local police chiefs travelled to the nation's capitol to learn a thing or two about policing in the 21st Century. Woodstock Police Chief Robbie Blish and Springfield Police Chief Doug Johnston attended a White House briefing earlier this month with the chiefs from Burlington and Colchester. The briefing focused on

21st Century Policing and is part of the White House's efforts to invite police chiefs from all over the country to attend six-hour briefings that include topics such as building trust and legitimacy and technology and social media. *The Vermont Standard* reports that Blish, of the Woodstock PD, found that his police force is already in line and following many of the things recommended by the President's Task Force on 21st Century Policing. He learned a handful of things at the meeting, including about an online database where you can record every kind of police activity in over 150 different data sets. Blish attended the meeting on behalf of the Vermont Association of Chiefs of Police and emphasized to the *Standard* that it did not cost a penny to Woodstock residents. He hopes to take what he learned and apply it in Woodstock.

And in nonprofit news, the group that is behind many of the projects in Springfield, Vermont is saying goodbye to their executive director of the past seven years. Carol Lighthall will be leaving the group in mid-September and is becoming the new executive director of Community Capital of Vermont, a statewide alternative lender out of Barre. She's filling the vacancy left by Martin Hahn, who left the group this summer to become the housing director of the Vermont Housing and Conservation Board. Lighthall's new group was founded in 1995 and oversees a lot of work in the downtowns across the Green Mountain State. She has already served on the board of directors for the past couple of years and is familiar with the group's operating procedure as well as their mission. The executive director's position at Springfield on the Move is a part time gig, with 20 hours a week. The pay is supported by the town of Springfield as well as grants and donations. SOM is responsible for many events and programs within town, including Market Madness, which took place again two weeks ago, and overall improvements to the quality of life for Vermonters who call Springfield home. Lighthall, before she leaves, will be assisting volunteers in bringing them up to speed on projects she was working on.

After the break on YCN News, it's no secret that the Boy Scouts can be an influential part of a young man's life and we'll check in with the Sunapee District Director on their mission.

For over a hundred years, the Boy Scouts have been providing character building programs that are experiential, youth led, and fun for young men. YCN caught up with the Sunapee District Director, Jason Eborn at the Hidden Valley camp to tell us about their program, troop activities, and how kids can become involved.

PKG

The best part of the Boy Scouts is that it while they grow into responsible young men, they have fun, learn, and do things that give them a head start on adulthood. And if they have aspirations towards military service, YCN was told that an Eagle Scout automatically gets a bump to E-2 in the Army when they enter, giving them the rank of Private 2nd Class. Sounds like a wonderful opportunity for young men all around, regardless of future aspirations.

After the break on YCN News, we'll take a look at some local sports action, plus your weather and community calendar. We'll be right back.

Welcome back to YCN News. I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today's been another very nice summer day as we've seen and felt clear sunny skies with temperatures reaching 81 degrees. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight will be a cooler but comfortable evening as we'll see PARTLY CLOUDY skies with temperatures falling to around 57 degrees. Tomorrow, Wednesday, will be a different story as SCATTERED SHOWERS (40%) are expected after 1pm. The skies in the morning will be partly cloudy with highs reaching the mid 80s (84). There'll be a southwest wind with gust speeds as high as 15 miles an hour. Tomorrow night, the SCATTERED SHOWERS (50%) will continue with mostly cloudy skies and lows will fall into the mid 60s (65). By Thursday, the wet weather will have moved on and we'll see PARTLY SUNNY skies with highs a bit cooler, but still comfortable, reaching the mid 70s (76). And Thursday night, PARTLY CLOUDY skies are expected and lows will fall to a cool 55 degrees.

Well Elk's Lodge on 150 Heater Rd. in Lebanon, New Hampshire is having another drive-thru chicken barbecue from 3 to 6pm. Swing on by and purchase some quality chicken, baked potatoes, biscuits, coleslaw and dessert. The main meal will cost \$8 dollars and each homemade dessert will cost \$1.50. This dinner is sponsored by the Lebanon Emblem Club and all proceeds will benefit local community organizations. If you would like more information please call 802-359-3575.

Looking for some fresh food that's locally grown? The Norwich farmers market is open from 9am to 1pm at the Summer Norwich Farmers Market Grounds off of Route 5 South. There'll be over 50 vendors who will be there rain or shine and they offer fresh food, prepared food and arts and crafts. Admission is free of course and you can call 802-384-7447 for more details.

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Well this Friday marks the start of the high school football season for most schools across the state. The clock is ticking to work out any weaknesses before game 1. The Hartford Hurricanes from Vermont, are doing just that and yesterday YCN attended one of their practices to learn what to expect from the upcoming 2016 season and to find out how the team stacks up compared to last year.

PKG

The Hurricanes made the playoffs last year but fell in the semi-finals to Middlebury so hopefully this year Hartford can make it back to the semis and beyond. We wish them good luck this fall.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some results from a New Hampshire Fisher Cats game that was played last night.

The Cats with a record of 64 and 70 hosted the Trenton Thunder who held an impressive record of 83 and 51. Shane Dawson got the start for New Hampshire while Trenton countered with

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Caleb Smith. Both starting pitchers threw relatively well until the 5th inning when each team was able to score 4 times. 3 of New Hampshire's runs came off of a 3 run homer from first baseman Rowdy Tellez. Now let's go all the way to the bottom 9th inning with the Fisher Cats down by two runs. Former Red Sox catcher Ryan Lavarney was able to hit a two out 2 RBI double to tie the game and bring it to extra innings in dramatic fashion. Now to the 11th inning, New Hampshire let up a run and had to come from behind once again. This time, they couldn't get it done as the Thunder went on to win 8 to 7. The Fisher Cats fall to 64 and 71 and will take on Trenton again tomorrow night at home.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Elizabeth D'Orazio for some River Valley Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Liz Kerby, a committee member for Wilmot's 9/11 plaque and ceremony. We'll be right back.

Thanks Elizabeth and Sue. Up next, we'll join Claremont Mayor Charlene Lovett for Mayor's Minutes?

Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good weekend.

AA Minor League Baseball

Trenton Thunder 8 - New Hampshire Fisher Cats 7 EXTRA INNINGS

Thunder

Starting Pitcher - Caleb Smith, 4.2 IP, 7 H, 5 ER, 1 BB, 5 K's, NO DECISION

First Base - Dante Bichette Jr., 4 for 5, 2 R, 1 2B, 2 HR, 3 RBI

Designated Hitter - Mike Ford, 1 for 3, 1 R, 1 HR, 2 RBI, 1 BB

Fisher Cats

Starting Pitcher - Shane Dawson, 6.2 IP, 10 H, 6 ER, 0 BB, 1 K's, NO DECISION

First Base - Rowdy Tellez, 2 for 5, 1 R, 1 2B, 1 HR, 3 RBI, 1 BB

Catcher - Ryan Lavarney, 1 for 5, 1 2B, 2 RBI

Good evening, it's Wednesday, August 31st.

Crime news is up first tonight as Lebanon Police have chalked up another drug-related arrest in the city. The arrest occurred on Monday, where Lebanon Police officers conducted a motor vehicle stop at around 7:00 PM in the Upper Valley Plaza. A passenger in vehicle gave officers a fictitious name when asked to identify themselves and upon further investigation, it was discovered that his true identity was 25-year old Steffen Whitaker of Springfield, Vermont. What's more is that he had active arrest warrants out of Lebanon and Keene District Courts as well as a Capias warrant out of Grafton County Superior Court for failing to show for a scheduled court date. He was taken into custody and following a search, officers found heroin on his person and he was charged with Possession of a Narcotic Drug, which is a Class B Felony. He was held without bail at the Grafton County House of Corrections and was arraigned on Tuesday.

In Hanover now, the Big Green is going even greener with further steps to reduce its carbon footprint. Dartmouth College is planning to write up some plans this year for sustainability that can be enacted come 2017, by analyzing the many facets of energy consumption on campus. *The Valley News* reports that a task force made up of faculty, administrators, and students will look into the resources that Dartmouth consumes and find way to make the school more sustainable in those respects. Over the past ten years, despite expanding the size of the campus through new buildings, the school has cut down its energy intensity by 24 percent. Energy intensity is a measure of how much energy is used per square foot per year. School administrators say that the designs of the new buildings is a large factor in the reduction so far, which consists of more energy efficient features like heat conservation. One of the main thrusts of the task force will be to find alternatives for the school's primary source of heat, that being Number 6 fuel oil, a heavy fossil fuel. The college has been discussing the use of natural gas for over a year now to replace the current energy source. In addition, the task force will look at food and water and how they can be saved more efficiently.

Viewers of YCN will be familiar with this next story as it involves the Vilas Bridge between Walpole and Bellows Falls, which we've brought you updates on. Today's update is a little bit different and more on the creative side, which I'll explain in just a second. The ongoing debate and discussion regarding the historic and deteriorating span is taking on an artistic form as a local business is sponsoring a multimedia art contest that focuses on the bridge. *The Eagle Times*, in a recent story, noted that the owner of Green Mountain Traffic Control, Deb Wright, wants to fortify the relationship between Walpole and Bellows Falls to ultimately fix the bridge that is falling into disrepair. The bridge, despite closing back in 2009 to both vehicular and pedestrian traffic, is a historic landmark that was built in 1930 and supports a sewage pipe that carries sewage from Walpole to Bellows Falls. So far, the closing date of the contest may be the end of September and Green Mountain Traffic Control is accepting all sorts of entries, provided they focus on the bridge and its significance. For more info, you can check out the Open the Vilas Bridge Facebook page. And to catch anyone up to speed on the state of repairs for the bridge, Bellows Falls is currently considering legal action against New Hampshire who is obligated to maintain the bridge through a formal agreement.

It's going to sound like I'm repeating myself here, and in fact, I am when I say that our region has some of the freshest and most delicious produce and natural products around. I've said that before many a time here on YCN and I've also said frequently that our area harbors rich history. Well this story works to reinforce both of those sayings even further. This past weekend, the Muster Field Farm Museum in North Sutton held their 30th Annual Farm Days. People came from all over the area to see exhibitors spin wool and plane boards, as well as watch a blacksmith make door handles and many other exhibits that showed how people lived and worked on farms in years past. Farm Days also offered hands-on exhibits where children and adults could hand dip candles, pound on a log to make strips for baskets, walk on stilts, or the ever-popular help make and eat homemade ice cream. Musterfield Farm is a working farm museum that grows and sell vegetables in the summer and early fall. Upcoming events at the farm will be Harvest Day on October 2nd and Ice Day at the end of February in 2017.

After the break on YCN News, we'll check in with another local farm over in Newport to see how they run their historic trade.

Well folks it's the end of August and as we head into September we're reminded of the Fall harvest going on right now. YCN news stopped by Beaver Pond Farm in Newport to talk with Ben and Becky Nelson, who are seventh generation family-members running the farm hacked out of wilderness in 1780 by their ancestor, William Osgood. This local farm provides outstanding agricultural products to Sullivan County and they value tradition, history and excellence, all while staying current on agricultural practices, trends, and food safety.

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By the way, sixth generation ancestors, Fred and Norma McDonough, are semi-retired, but still working every day at Beaver Pond farm! And in case you're getting hungry, their specialties are vegetables, apples, pumpkins, and pick-your-own raspberries, with tomatoes and sweet corn as the top sellers.

After the break on YCN News, we'll take a look at some local sports action, plus your weather and community calendar. We'll be right back.

Welcome back to YCN News. I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today started off nice and sunny but by the afternoon the skies became overcast and we've seen some isolated showers and thunderstorms ever since. Temperatures reaching 80 degrees have helped create a humid day leading to these isolated storms. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight, there's a 40% CHANCE FOR SHOWERS after 9pm. Otherwise the skies will be mostly cloudy and lows will fall to a comfortable 63 degrees. Tomorrow, Thursday, we'll see some patchy fog before 9am but there's also a 30% CHANCE FOR SHOWERS before 1pm. Once this precipitation moves on, the skies will become partly cloudy with highs reaching the mid 70s (76). Tomorrow night, patchy fog is expected after 1am but the skies will be PARTLY CLOUDY with lows falling to the mid 50s (54). Friday, the patchy fog will continue until around 9am but it should be a very nice day as MOSTLY SUNNY skies are expected with temperatures reaching the mid 70s (74). There could be a north wind with relatively strong gust speeds around 10 to 15 miles an hour. And Friday night, we'll see PARTLY CLOUDY skies with lows falling to a cool 52 degrees.

The Enfield Shaker Museum in Enfield, New Hampshire, off of route 4A, is hosting an Herb Garden Talk lead by retired museum herbalist Happy Griffiths. Join her as she gives a tour around the museums herb garden where she'll be talking about each herb while answering specific herb based questions. The tour starts at 11am and will run for an hour. The tour will cost you the price of admission to the museum which ranges from 3 to 12 dollars and you can call 603-632-4346 to find out more.

The Montshire Museum of Science is hosting another half an hour straw rocket activity where participants can craft an indoor paper rocket. The activity will be running from 11am to 11:30am and the museum is off of One Montshire Road in Norwich, Vermont. After construction, there'll be a testing period to see how far your rocket can fly. This activity is considered free but with

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admission to the museum which will cost you 13 to 16 dollars. You're welcome to call 802-649-2200 to find out more.

The Lebanon Parks and Recreation department is hosting one last bandstand concert at Colburn Park in Lebanon, New Hampshire on 51 North Park St. This week's show features a German polka group called the Oom-Pah-Pah Band. The concert will begin at 7pm and will run until 8:15pm and it's free to attend. If you would like more information please call 603-448-5121.

Yesterday the Newport Tigers boys soccer team hosted the Sunapee Lakers for what was just the second game of the year. The Lakers were hoping to improve to 2 and 0 while the Tigers were looking for their first win of the season. Let's see which team came out on top.

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Even though we were only two games into the season, the Lakers look strong as their depth is clearly a strength.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some local results from yesterday.

First up is boys soccer.

The Stevens Cardinals hosted the Fall Mountain Wildcats as they went on to win 1 to nothing. Noah Spauldings penalty kick goal in the first half was all the Cardinals needed to get the victory.

The Kearsarge Cougars hosted the Plymouth Bobcats as Plymouth went on to win 3 to 1. The Lebanon Raiders traveled to take on the John Stark Generals, losing 1 to nothing as Lawson Murphy scored the game winning goal for the Generals with just 4 minutes left to play. And the Hanover Marauders traveled to take on Exeter where they ended up winning 2 to 1. The Marauders are now 2 and 0 on their young season.

Now let's check out the girls.

Lebanon hosted John Stark and the Raiders were clearly overmatched as the Generals out shot them 19 to 1. John Stark would win 6 to zero.

Kearsarge hosted Plymouth as the Cougars were able to score 4 goals while shutting out the Bobcats.

Let's turn to field hockey.

Lebanon took on Merrimack Valley in what was a tight game. The Raiders were able to score once and that was all they needed winning 1 to nothing.

Stevens and Kearsarge faced off to open their seasons as the Cardinals won easily 5 to nothing.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Elizabeth D'Orazio for some River Valley Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Leslie Moses, the winner of the best intergenerational Community award. We'll be right back.

Thanks Elizabeth and Sue. Up next, we'll join Claremont Mayor Charlene Lovett for Mayor's Minutes?

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Scores

BOYS SOCCER

Stevens 1 - Fall Mountain 0

Plymouth 3 - Kearsarge 1

John Stark 1 - Lebanon 0

Hanover 2 - Exeter 1

GIRLS SOCCER

John Stark 6 - Lebanon 0

Kearsarge 4 - Plymouth 0

FIELD HOCKEY

Lebanon 1 - Merrimack Valley 0

Stevens 5 - Kearsarge 0

Good evening, it's Thursday, September 1st.

Crime news is up first tonight, just like last night, but this time we're in Claremont instead of Lebanon. According to police, on Tuesday around 1:00 AM, the Claremont Police Department was called to Dusty's Cafe on Pleasant Street for a report of a burglary. The initial investigation into the burglary by the Patrol and Criminal Divisions identified 35-year old Scott Berry of Claremont as the suspect, who had broken through the wall of an adjoining businesses to gain entry into Dusty's. Once inside, he allegedly stole an undisclosed amount of cash from the eatery and exited through the opening in the wall that he created during his break in. Security camera footage from both Dusty's and the adjoining business, the laundromat, helped identify Berry as the suspect in this case. He was arrested about an hour after police initially received the call and was charged with Felony Burglary and Misdemeanor Criminal Mischief. He was arraigned yesterday and here in Claremont and entered pleas of not guilty. Bail was set at \$25,000 cash only and a probable cause hearing on the felony charge is scheduled for September 8th.

Here's another crime story for you, this one being more of a warning or an alert. If you're looking for housing in Springfield, Vermont and you're using Craigslist to facilitate your search, you may want to heed this warning being issued by the town's police department. On their Facebook this week, they reiterated the warning on Craigslist that says "Avoid scams, deal locally. Do not wire funds like Western Union or buy/rent sight unseen." They explained that one of the trending scams is a housing post that uses photos of an existing, occupied house that was previously posted by a realtor. Scammers repost the photos with an inviting title and hope to have renters send them deposit money but will never actually complete the deal, considering the homes are already privately owned. **What we're showing you here** is the specific listing that Springfield Police are warning about. You may notice that there are only five photos for the entire 3-bedroom home and that the size of the photos is smaller than if someone had uploaded photos they took themselves into a post,

making it clear that the photos had been previously downloaded from somewhere else. On Springfield PD's Facebook, someone commented with a scam email they received regarding a similar listing in Ludlow, asking for personal information and payment. The Springfield PD reminds potential renters to do proper research before committing to any sort of deposit or money transfer

Yet more news now out of our local police departments, as Lebanon Police responded to a scene yesterday of a man who had accidentally shot himself. Lebanon Police say that around 11:54 in the morning yesterday, they received a 911 call regarding a 24-year old male subject who had accidentally shot himself in the lower torso while sitting in a vehicle at the West Lebanon Cemetery. Both Lebanon Police and Fire responded to investigate the male subject who was subsequently transported by ambulance to Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center for treatment there. He was treated for a single gunshot wound to the leg, which was not considered to be life-threatening. The male was identified as 24-year old Ivan Deutsch of Lebanon and was found that he did not have a concealed carry license for the .38 caliber pistol he had in his possession. *The Valley News* reports that Deutsch was attempting to unload the pistol when it discharged in his lap and he was alone in the vehicle at the time of the incident. He was waiting for his girlfriend near the entrance of the cemetery because he isn't allowed on the premises of her apartment and they were to meet at his car. The investigation into the accident is ongoing tonight.

Vermont, the Green Mountain State, is always getting greener with state initiatives to reduce the carbon footprint and lean more towards renewable energy. Solar power has taken hold in many towns and the few cities across the state and Brattleboro is now considering their next project. Next week, two meetings are being held by the Windham Solid Waste Management District to discuss a closed and capped landfill that would host a net metering pilot project. *The Brattleboro Reformer* reports that Sky Solar owns the lease for the landfill property at 327 Old Ferry Road and Encore Renewables will take the reins on permitting and building for the solar project that will hopefully save customers more than half a million dollars over 20 years. The field will generate roughly 5 megawatts and the town will receive a credit for 19 cents every kilowatt hour generated and would pay the developer around 14 cents for every kilowatt hour generated. The meetings next week may see a turnout of business owners and local officials from both municipalities and school districts and will offer an opportunity for questions about the landfill project to be answered.

After the break on YCN News, we'll continue this summer's theme of looking at local museums.

This summer, we've been bringing you quick looks at a handful of our area's museums and today is no different. Nestled in Windsor, Vermont is a slice of rich history in the form of the American Precision Museum. Currently, they have a few exhibits on display that highlight the innovations in machining that originated locally. The Tool Revolution is one such exhibit and we caught up with the museum's executive director back when the exhibit came out to tell us more.

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If you're looking for something to do this Labor Day Weekend, consider hopping in the time machine that is the American Precision Museum.

After the break on YCN News, we'll take a look at some local sports action, plus your weather and community calendar. We'll be right back.

Welcome back to YCN News. I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well the first day of September is still technically summer and it was evident today as we've seen sunny skies with highs in the upper 70s. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight, the skies will be MOSTLY CLEAR and it'll be a calm evening with lows falling into the mid 50s (55). Tomorrow, Friday, MOSTLY SUNNY skies are expected and highs will reach the mid 70s (74). There could be a relatively strong north wind with gust speeds as high as 15 miles an hour. Tomorrow night, we'll again see MOSTLY CLEAR skies and lows will fall just below 50, to a cool 49 degrees. Saturday looks like a SUNNY start to our weekend with highs once again in the mid 70s (76). It should be a calm clear day so be sure to get outside. And Saturday night will continue to be clear (MOSTLY CLEAR) with lows falling to around 50 degrees.

The Chelsea Farmers Market in Chelsea, Vermont will be going on from 3 to 6pm in the heart of downtown Chelsea on the North Common off of route 110. This market offers fresh produce, local crafts, and prepared foods. There's an average of 20 vendors a week and it's a great place to purchase local products, meet up with friends, enjoy some live music and even bring your kids as there'll be free children's activities. If you would like more information you can call 802-685-3174.

High Horses, the amazing company that specializes in therapeutic horseback riding for the mentally or physically disabled, is holding an open house at their headquarters in Sharon, Vermont on 138 Horse Farm Road from 5 to 8pm. Come tour the farm, get information on volunteering and learn about their programs as well as a meet and greet with the staff and horses. Refreshments will be available and please call 802-356-3386 to find out more.

Looking ahead now, St. Mary's Catholic Church on Main Street in Claremont, New Hampshire will be hosting another gigantic indoor yard sale on Saturday September 10th from 8am to 2pm. The sale will take place in St. Mary's gym and there'll be over 100 tables featuring thousands of items for sale. Food and beverages will also be available for purchase. To learn more about the sale, you're welcome to call 603-542-9518.

On Tuesday afternoon, the Newport Tigers girls soccer team hosted the Sunapee Lakers as both teams hoped to improve to 2 and 0 on the year. Let's take a look at some of the action.

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The Lakers had a number of upperclassmen starters out during the game which allowed other players to step up and gain some valuable playing time which could pay off big down the road.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out a local field hockey game from yesterday.

The Newport Tigers held their season opener at home against the Pelham Pythons. The Tigers lost seven seniors to graduation last year and their star senior Krystin Kibbey due to injury. This

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was clearly evident as the Pythons went on to win 4 to nothing. Pelham scored two of its four goals in the final 10 minutes of the game so the final score didn't exactly represent the quality of the game as the Tigers defense played strong. Newport will visit Mascoma Valley tomorrow at 4pm.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Lynn Solomon for some Kearsarge Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Catherine Bardier, director of wellness and community health at New London Hospital. We'll be right back.

Thanks Lynn and Catherine. Up next, we'll join Mr. Boss Man.

Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good weekend.

Scores

FIELD HOCKEY

Pelham 4 - Newport 0

Good evening, it's Friday, September 2nd.

If you've parked in Bellows Falls recently and received a ticket, it's probably because you parked somewhere where you shouldn't, including staying in a time-sensitive spot. But it's also largely due to the presence of a new full-time parking enforcement officer. Following advice from the Rockingham Selectboard and the Bellows Falls Board of Trustees, the Bellows Falls Police Department hired another full-time officer to join their ranks, who began this week, and will be focusing his responsibilities on parking enforcement. *The Eagle Times* says that in one and a half days, starting Monday, police had issued 20 tickets to various parked vehicles in town. Despite the force now having another officer, it alleviates current staffing strains only slightly. Recent discussions with town officials deduced that having at least two full time officers on every shift throughout the day would be a definite improvement but having a designated parking officer reduces the need for other officers to cover that responsibility. The new officer is Josh Paulette and while he's certified for parking enforcement in Vermont, he's also working to achieve certification in all other policing matters. Paulette's salary comes out of the existing municipal budget.

A followup now in a story we brought you earlier this month. Town officials and residents in Windsor are continuing to look at future uses for the former Vermont National Guard armory building on Route 44 and the town's selectboard is forming a committee to spearhead the effort. This week during their regular meeting, according to video of the meeting by Windsor on Air, the selectboard agreed to form a sub-committee of two of their members plus Recreation Department members, and some of the town's residents. The committee of the various facets in town will review possible ideas for the large vacant space and find a best use for it. To date, brainstormed ideas include a recreation space for dances, performances, and activities or for commercial use. Another idea, proposed this week, was to turn the space into a home for veterans who are currently without homes. The plot of land that the

armory sits upon was granted to the town in 1928 and fourteen deeds were drafted in 1944 and given to all members of the original grantor families, the Kennedys and the Evarts. The deed claimed that the plot would only be used for an armory or recreational use so the subcommittee will try to find the best use for the building that fits within the recreational category. The town has yet to accept or decline the building as a donation from the National Guard.

In education news now, Dartmouth College has announced a record amount of a gifts and commitments during the last fiscal year. The Dartmouth news site says that under the third consecutive year under the leadership of President Phil Hanlon, the community has supported the college's priorities at record levels to keep providing opportunities to students. The fiscal year of 2016 closed at the end of June and when the total amount of gifts and commitments was tallied up, officials reported a \$318.8 million amount, which is a nearly 3 percent increase over the year before and a 74 percent increase over the previous five-year average of roughly \$184 million. Dartmouth says that their overall philanthropy reached a new high-water mark and there were several highlights throughout the year that marked major gifts that support teachers and students. Some of these highlights include a \$25 million donation towards the Thayer school of Engineering and \$40 million donated towards the groundbreaking of a renovation for the Hood Museum of Art. Additionally, gifts and commitments provided \$25 million for a new high-tech indoor practice facility, which is currently being debated by residential neighbors. The record number of gifts this year was supported by nearly 3,800 who returned to campus in June.

Another followup tonight from a story we brought you last week, as a humanitarian group from Sunapee who is sending a cargo container full of aid to Africa held an event this past weekend. The goal of the event was to raise money to ship the container and guests were treated to music and food. Let's take a quick look.

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For more information, you can visit AfricalntMissionServices.org.

After the break on YCN News, we'll check out what you can find in the form of produce and natural products at a local farm in New London.

It's officially September but it's still officially summer. Regardless of what season it actually is, one local farm over in New London offers up different types of goods each month. Let's check in with Spring Ledge Farm to see what they've got on display and on sale in September.

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Spring Ledge Farm is open 9 AM to 6 PM and is located at 37 Main Street. Feel free to drop them a visit sometime this fall!

After the break on YCN News, we'll take a look at some local sports action, plus your weather and community calendar. We'll be right back.

Welcome back to YCN News. I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well so far, September's been very nice weather wise as today we've seen mostly sunny skies with temperatures reaching the mid 70s. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight, looks like a calm evening as we'll see MOSTLY CLEAR skies with low temperatures falling to around 50 degrees. To start off our labor day weekend tomorrow, SUNNY clear skies are expected with highs again in the mid 70s (75). There could be a slight north wind but nothing significant. Tomorrow night, the skies will continue to be MOSTLY CLEAR and lows will fall to around 53 degrees. Sunday the sunny skies will keep on rolling (MOSTLY SUNNY) and highs will be back in the mid 70s (74) and Sunday night, PARTLY CLOUDY skies are expected and temperatures will fall back into the 50s (54).

If you're looking for some fresh farm grown food I suggest you check out Mount Tom's Farmers Market in Woodstock, Vermont off of route 12 North at the Mount Tom Parking Lot. It will be open from 9:30am to 12:30pm and you can find a wide variety of items to purchase including, home grown produce, home-baked foods, arts and crafts, herbs and spices, eggs and maple sugar products. Please call 802-763-7100 to find out more.

After you've bought some veggies, you should drive on over to Hanover, New Hampshire for the 5th annual Hanover Dartmouth Community Yard Sale taking place at the Dewey Field Parking lot on Dewey Field rd. The sale will run from 10am to 2pm and there'll be over 130 sale spots filled with furniture, household goods, tools, sports equipment, games, toys, books and seasonal clothing. If you would like more information you're welcome to call 603-643-5648.

Looking ahead now, St. Mary's Catholic Church on Main Street in Claremont, New Hampshire will be hosting another gigantic indoor yard sale on Saturday September 10th from 8am to 2pm. The sale will take place in St. Mary's gym and there'll be over 100 tables featuring thousands of items for sale. Food and beverages will also be available for purchase. To learn more about the sale, you're welcome to call 603-542-9518.

Today marks the first day of the regular season for local high school football teams across the state. We recently caught up with the Windsor Yellow Jackets at one of their practices and talked to their head coach as well as some players to learn what to expect from this Yellow Jacket team.

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YCN will be covering the Yellow Jackets as a part of our YCN Game of the Week schedule on October 21st at 7pm when they travel to take on Woodstock Wasps. This Monday, YCN will be broadcasting the Hartford Hurricanes game as they take on their rivals, the Brattleboro Colonels. The matchup will be aired this Monday at 7:30pm and 10:30pm. Tomorrow we kick off college gameday here on YCN with 3 back to back games starting at 12 noon. The first game will feature Boise State at Louisiana Lafayette followed by a 3 o'clock matchup between Gardner Web at Elan and we'll close out the evening at 7 o'clock with southern methodist at North Texas.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some local high school results from yesterday.

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First up is girls soccer,

The Kearsarge Cougars hosted the Lebanon Raiders as the cougars were only able to score one goal. But this was all they needed to pick up the victory as Lebanon falls to 0 and 3 on the season.

Stevens hosted a strong Hillsboro-Deering team and the Cardinals could not keep up, allowing 3 goals while scoring none. Stevens goalie Amber Duford had 12 saves.

Now to the boys,

Lebanon hosted Kearsarge as the Raiders went on to win 4 to zero during their home opener.

Fall Mountain faced off against Mascoma as the Wildcats offense played very well, scoring 6 times compared to Mascoma's two.

Next is field hockey,

the Hanover Marauders hosted the Plymouth Pythons where Hanover was able to win easily 4 to zero as they picked up their first win of the season.

Lebanon, a young team this year, traveled to take on Derryfield. The Raiders played well during the second half but let up 2 goals in the first as Derryfield would end up winning 2 to zero.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Elizabeth D'Orazio for some River Valley Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Bruce Bouchard, from friends of the Norris Cotton Cancer Center. We'll be right back.

Thanks Elizabeth and Bruce. Up next,

Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good weekend.

Scores

GIRLS SOCCER

Kearsarge 1 - Lebanon 0

Hillsboro-Deering 3 - Stevens 0

BOYS SOCCER

Lebanon 4 - Kearsarge 0

Fall Mountain 6 - Mascoma Valley 2

FIELD HOCKEY

Hanover 4 - Plymouth 0

Derryfield 2 - Lebanon 0

Good evening, it's Tuesday, September 6th.

We'll start off with crime news tonight in Bellows Falls Vermont where one man is behind bars tonight on charges of both possession and sale of heroin. In a press release on Sunday the Bellows Falls Police Department announced that after an ongoing investigation, they had arrested 62 year old Nicholas Marrocco on charges of selling heroin on at least two occasions. At around 11 in the morning Bellows Falls Police Along with K9 Caesar

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executed a search warrent at marrocco's apartment and found 74 bags of heroin, more than 5000 dollars in cash, as well as a rifle. Marrocco who had been living under conditions of release for a prior conviction for the sale of heroin was not at home at the time of the search, but was located and arrested a short time later by hartford police. He is currently being held at the southern state correctional facility on 25 thousand dollars bail.

And speaking of Hartford, Vermont state police arrested a man in hartford for driving under the influence, with a blood alcohol content of nearly 3 times the legal limit. On Sunday at around 5:45 Troopers responded to call from a concerned motorist who warned of a vehicle traveling south down I91 in Hartford. The caller believed the driver of the vehicle may have been impaired and when troopers located the vehicle they found Leyder Luque-Romero behind the wheel. Troopers immediately detected signs that Luque-Romero impaired and administered a preliminary breath sample that returned a staggering .236, nearly 3 times the legal limit of .08. He was arrested without incident and processed at the Hartford police station, he is scheduled to appear in windsor district court on september 20th to answer to DUI charges

Well the one hundred and first annual Hopkinton Fair took place over this past labor day weekend. It's a great place to bring family and friends to enjoy some rides, fried dough and just general fair attractions. YCN attended the event where we interviewed some first time fair goers and got some shots to learn what the fair is all about.

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Looks like a great time for everyone involved.

After the break on YCN News, we'll check out the Lake Sunapee Region VNA and Hospice for our weekly home care matters segment. We'll be right back.

Welcome back to YCN News, I'm Andrew Zurheide.

Let's now join the Lake Sunapee Region VNA and Hospice for our weekly segment: Home Care Matters.

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Thanks for that, we'll tune back in at the same time next week for more medical information.

After the break on YCN News, we'll take a look at some local sports action, plus your weather and community calendar. We'll be right back.

Welcome back to YCN News. I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well after a sunny labor day, we've started off the work week with some early morning showers and overcast skies. Temperatures have reached 77 degrees and we could see some more showers later on in the evening. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

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Tonight, the skies are expected to be MOSTLY CLOUDY with lows falling to around 62 degrees. There'll be a northeast wind with gust speeds as high as 10 miles an hour. Tomorrow, Wednesday, looks like another MOSTLY CLOUDY day but it's expected to stay dry with temperatures nearly reaching 80 degrees (79). Tomorrow night, the clouds will stick around and lows will fall into the mid 60s (64). The winds are expected to be calm. Thursday, looks like a very nice day as PARTLY SUNNY skies with temperatures climbing into the mid 80s (84) are expected. Some clouds will roll in during the late afternoon. And Thursday night, there's a CHANCE OF SHOWERS AND THUNDERSTORMS (40%) before midnight and the skies will be mostly cloudy with lows falling to a comfortable 66 degrees.

If you have problems navigating new technology, why not reserve a volunteer high school student tech coach who can answer all your tech related questions. The aging resource center at Dartmouth hitchcock medical center on 46 Centerra Parkway in Lebanon, New Hampshire will be hosting a tech coaching session from 2:30pm to 4:30pm where you can work out tech questions side by side with a student volunteer. To make a free appointment please call the aging center at 603-653-3460.

Do you enjoy dancing? If so, how about learning a new kind of dance? The Fairlee Town Hall in Fairlee, Vermont on 75 Town Common Road, is hosting a scottish country dancing class from 7 to 9pm where an instructor will teach participants this unique style of dancing. No partner is necessary and beginners are welcome so I suggest you check it out. If it's your first time attending there is a small fee of 3 dollars and if you would like more information, you're welcome to call 802-439-3459.

Looking ahead now, St. Mary's Catholic Church on Main Street in Claremont, New Hampshire will be hosting another gigantic indoor yard sale on Saturday September 10th from 8am to 2pm. The sale will take place in St. Mary's gym and there'll be over 100 tables featuring thousands of items for sale. Food and beverages will also be available for purchase. To learn more about the sale, you're welcome to call 603-542-9518.

Last Friday, the Hartford Hurricanes Football team hosted the Brattleboro Colonels during the season opener for both teams. This I-91 rivalry was expected to be a memorable one and let's just say it was for one of the two teams.

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Congrats to the Canes on an impressive win. Be sure to check out YCN's game of the week this Monday as we'll be covering the Hanover Marauders as they host Merrimack Valley for a Friday night matchup.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some local results from last Friday.

Let's start with football.

The Hanover Marauders traveled to take on the Laconia Sachems as the Marauders were able to win 34 to 19. Hanover was down 19 to 13 at halftime but rallied to score 21 second half points.

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The Lebanon Raiders started their season away in Penacook, New Hampshire as they took on Merrimack Valley. The Raiders would end up winning 34 to 20 as running back Ryan Milliken ran for about 250 yards to go along with 5 touchdowns.

The Stevens Cardinals hosted Mascoma Valley as the Cardinals offense and defense seemed to thrive especially since their starting quarterback Henri Bourque is back from a season ending injury suffered last year. The Cardinals won decisively 43 to 6.

The Windsor Yellowjackets began their season at home against the joint team of Poultney and Mount St. Joseph Academy. The Jackets were able to score at will it appeared as they went on to win 55 to 7, allowing just one touchdown.

On Saturday the Newport Tigers hosted the Kearsarge cougars. Both teams lost key contributors from last season so this was a battle between new faces. The Tigers went on to win 21 to 14 as their freshman running back, John Thibault, rushed 10 times for 103 yards and 3 touchdowns in his first varsity game.

Let's change things up and check out girls soccer.

The Newport Tigers traveled to Jaffrey, New Hampshire to take on Conant as the Tigers ended up losing 3 to 1. Newport falls to 1 and 2 on the young season.

Hanover hosted Bow as part of a double overtime thriller. The Marauders ended up winning 2 to 1 after Amelia Lubrano scored, lifting the Marauders to 2 and 0.

Now to boys soccer.

The Hanover Marauders traveled to take on the Winnacunnet Warriors as the Marauders were able to score 3 goals while only allowing 1 from the Warriors. Hanover improves to 3 and 0.

The Newport Tigers traveled to take on the Laconia Sachems. The Tigers couldn't get any offense going as they ended up losing 3 to zero.

Stevens traveled to Franklin as the Cardinals ended up winning 9 to 1. Mitchell Paquette and Noah Spaulding each has four points.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Lynn Solomon for some Kearsarge Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Jim Culhane, the president and CEO of the Lake Sunapee Region VNA. We'll be right back.

Thanks Elizabeth and Sue. Up next, we'll join Claremont Mayor Charlene Lovett for Mayor's Minutes?

Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Andrew Zurheide, have a good night.

Scores

FOOTBALL

FRIDAY

Hanover 34 - Laconia 19

Lebanon 34 - Merrimack Valley 20

Stevens 43 - Mascoma Valley 6

Windsor 55 - Poultney and Mount St. Joseph Academy 5

SATURDAY

Newport 21 - Kearsarge 14

BOYS SOCCER

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Hanover 3 - Winnacunnet 1

Laconia 3 - Newport 0

Stevens 10 - Franklin 1

GIRLS SOCCER

Conant 3 - Newport 1

Hanover 2 - Bow 1

Good evening, it's Wednesday, September 7th.

The biggest news around here today is that YCN has partnered with TDS TV to bring you WYCU and all the local, retro and American sports network programming so welcome to all you first time viewers.

We'll start off tonight with an update on an accidental shooting out of Lebanon, New Hampshire. On Wednesday, August 31st, at around midnight, the Lebanon police department got a call from 24 year old Ivan Deutsch who was seated in a vehicle at the West Lebanon Cemetery. He mistakenly fired a round out of his .380 caliber pistol that struck him in the leg. Lebanon police and fire units responded to investigate the scene after Deutsch was transported by ambulance to Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center and treated for a single gunshot wound. It was determined that Deutsch did not have a revolver license for the firearm he had in his possession. He was then arrested the following day by the Lebanon police department and charged with carrying a pistol without a license, a Class A misdemeanor offense. He was released on personal recognizance bail and will appear in the Lebanon District Division, New Hampshire Second Circuit Court on Monday, November 7.

(INTRO) Cindy Best, a Sutton resident and owner of Little Bear Pottery and ARTS describes the two areas of concentration for her businesses. Additionally, she and Co-Author Joyce Shor Johnson have signed a publishing contract for their book "Meet Me Where I'm At", which focuses on helping kids with special needs explain their particular needs and sensitivities to teachers and caregivers.

(OUTRO) Part of the proceeds from the sales of the book will go to support scholarships to ARTS.

(INTRO) There are many great organisations around that lend a helping hand to those that might need a little extra help. YCN caught up with one.

(OUTRO) Gardeners with an over abundance of vegetables and fruit are welcome to bring their excess produce to the food pantry and donations of every kind are welcome.

<http://trinitybiblechurch.us>

Bernie Sanders returned Monday to the Granite State to stump for his primary rival Hillary Clinton and US Senate candidate Maggie Hassan. After a breakfast with the AFL-CIO in Manchester he traveled up I-89 to Warner, NH to give a boost to the Executive Council

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candidate Andru Volinsky where over 400 excited former supporters turned out at Jim Mitchell Community park to greet him and hear his message that Hillary is the best candidate. Many expressed that they were happy that he ran to move the agenda to the left. From Warner he headed up to Lebanon where he reminded the people that the down ticket voting was just as important and that New Hampshire could be the deciding vote to make the US Senate Democrat controlled.

After the break on YCN News, we'll check out the tiny house festival that took place in Brattleboro, Vermont over the weekend. We'll be right back.

Welcome back to YCN News, I'm Andrew Zurheide.

With many popular movements taking place across the country in regards to environmental health and sustainability, one just made its way to our region. It's the tiny house movement which involves tiny homes, which are, as the name implies, much smaller than a regular home, and much more environmentally friendly. This past Sunday, Brattleboro hosted the Tiny House Fest, on Flat Street which closed off the Preston lot and created a Tiny House village. Event goers were able to examine tiny houses, including a transformed school bus and designs by Tiny House Crafters and Jamaica Cottage Shop. Take a look:

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The day focused on environmental awareness, along with solar technology. The trailers holding the homes were made specifically for them so that they could be easily moved. The event was put on with assistance from the Downtown Brattleboro Alliance.

After the break on YCN News, we'll take a look at some local sports action, plus your weather and community calendar. We'll be right back.

Welcome back to YCN News. I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today's been pretty nice weather wise as some early morning clouds have moved on to make for a mostly sunny evening. It has been warm as temperatures have climbed back into the 80s. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight, some clouds (MOSTLY CLOUDY) will roll back in but it should remain dry with temperatures falling into the mid 60s (64). A 10 mile an hour east wind will become calm in the later hours. Tomorrow, Thursday, PARTLY SUNNY skies are expected and it's going to be another warm day as temps will climb into the mid 80s (84). Tomorrow night, there's a CHANCE OF SHOWERS (40%) after 8pm and lows will fall back into the mid 60s (66). New precipitation amounts will not surpass a tenth of an inch. Friday, looks like a nice SUNNY clear day with highs reaching the early 80s (82). It could be a bit gusty at times as a westerly 10 mile an hour wind will be present. And Friday night will be a calm evening with PARTLY CLOUDY skies and lows falling just below 60 degrees (58).

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If you have kids who enjoy science and learning how things work, I suggest you bring them to the Richard Free Library in Newport, New Hampshire on 58 North Main St. starting at 3:30pm for an hour of Electricity learning. Come snap circuits together, watch and learn how electricity is able to travel through objects while giving off energy. If you would like more information you're welcome to call 603-863-3430.

The Summer Farmers Market in Lebanon will be open from 4 to 7pm at Colburn Park on North Park Street. The market will include fresh produce, plants, prepared food, baked goods and handmade crafts. Live music will also be performed each week by folk traditional musicians from around New England. You can call 603-448-5121 for more details.

Have you ever witnessed a mentalist in action? Well the Newport Arts Center in Newport, New Hampshire on 58 north main st. is hosting an event titled "Well Guarded Secrets" where mentalist Preston Heller will be performing a free show from 7 to 8pm. Preston will read minds, project thoughts, read divine information and predict wild results. This audience participation event is family friendly but the age recommendation is 12 and up. If you would more information you're welcome to call 603-863-3430.

Yesterday the Stevens Cardinals boys soccer team took on the Newport Tigers right here in Claremont. The Cardinals came into the game with a record of 2 and 1 while the Tigers came in winless at 0 and 3. Let's see who came out on top.

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Over the first two games of the season, the Cardinals only scored one goal but managed to go 1 and 1 and ever since, their offense has been tops in the division.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some local high school sports results from yesterday.

Let's begin with boys soccer,

The Windsor Yellowjackets faced off against Oxbow as the Jacks went on to win 9 to zero. A.J. Wood recorded a hat trick for Windsor as they earned their first win of the season.

The Kearsarge Cougars took on the John Stark Generals as the Cougars were blanked at home, losing 2 to nothing. The Cougars are still winless, now at 0 and 4.

The Lebanon Raiders hosted Trinity as the Raiders were able to score 6 times compared to their opponents 1. Lebanon improve to 3 and 1.

Let's check out the girls,

Kearsarge traveled to take on Sanborn as the Cougars ended up winning a close one 3 to 2.

Kearsarge stays undefeated on top of division two at 4 and 0.

The Fall Mountain Wildcats improved to 4 and 0 on the year when they took down the Laconia Sachems 7 to zero. Ella Stewart recorded a hat trick for the Cats.

Now let's change things over to field hockey,

The Stevens Cardinals traveled to take on the Pembroke as Stevens won a tight game 2 to nothing. The Cardinals remain undefeated at 3 and 0.

Hanover took on Derryfield as the Marauders couldn't overcome a couple of early goals by the Cougars, falling 2 to zero. Hanover will take on their rivals, Lebanon on Friday.

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That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Elizabeth D'Orazio for some River Valley Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to William Link, about volunteering and helping veterans at High Horses. We'll be right back.

Thanks Elizabeth and William. Up next, we'll take a look at part two of our labor day 9/11 memorial special.

Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Andrew Zurheide, have a good weekend.

Scores

BOYS SOCCER

Windsor 9 - Oxbow 0

John Stark 2 - Kearsarge 0

Lebanon 6 - Trinity 1

Stevens 12 - Newport 0

GIRLS SOCCER

Kearsarge 3 - Sanborn 2

Fall Mountain 7 - Laconia 0

FIELD HOCKEY

Stevens 2 - Pembroke 0

Derryfield 2 - Hanover 0

Good evening, it's Thursday, September 8th.

We begin tonight with news of a serious accident out of Lebanon that left multiple people in the hospital with injuries. New Hampshire State Police say that around 10:30 last night, they responded to I-89 southbound near Exit 20 in Lebanon. State troopers from Troop D and the Lebanon Police Department arrived on the scene to find a black 2006 Pontiac Torrent had hit a white 2011 white BMW X3. The Pontiac's driver, 27-year old Bianca M. Williams of Illinois, became distracted for an unknown reason while driving southbound and hit the guardrail in the travel lane. Her car rolled back into the travel lane and was broadsided by the BMW, driven by 76-year old Peter Tourin of Jericho, Vermont. Him and his passenger, 75-year old Jean S. Twombly of Springfield, New Hampshire were both transported to Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center for treatment. Williams was also brought to the hospital as the lone occupant in the Pontiac and was treated there as well. The interstate near Exit 20 was shut down for roughly 3 hours and southbound traffic was detoured during the cleanup and investigation. If you have any information on the incident, you're asked to call Trooper Derek Myrdek at 603-223-8944.

Remaining in Lebanon tonight, this time in crime news, a White River Junction man was arrested earlier this week for possessing a stolen handgun. At around 1:35 in the afternoon on Tuesday, Lebanon Police Officers responded to Alice Peck Day Memorial Hospital for a report of a male subject, later identified as 24-year old Robert T. Warrington, who had been walking through the parking lot and was seen entering a parked vehicle. The caller reported

that he had exited the car shortly after and did not appear to be the vehicle's owner. Officers who responded noticed the male walking on Alice Peck Day Drive and began to run behind some adjacent buildings. Officers confronted him behind 111 Mascoma Street and he pulled out a .38 caliber revolver from his waistband and tossed it on the ground. Police determined that he had just stolen the handgun from the parked vehicle that the caller had described. He was arrested on charges of Theft of a Firearm and Carrying a Loaded Handgun without a License, which is a Class A Felony and Class A Misdemeanor, respectively. He was held on \$25,000 cash bail and appeared in court for arraignment yesterday.

An update now in the court case of a Claremont woman who was the driver in a fatal accident earlier this year on Main Street. 36-year old Amber King pleaded not guilty to negligent homicide as well as charges of second-degree assault and two counts of aggravated driving under the influence. All charges are felony charges and she stood in Sullivan County Superior Court to answer to them yesterday. On April 23rd, King was behind the wheel of a 2005 Jeep Cherokee with three other passengers when the car struck an embankment on Main Street near Tractor Supply Company. The car was traveling around 91 miles per hour and the vehicle flipped after hitting a utility pole on the embankment. King and her husband, 35-year old Jacob King, were trapped inside the vehicle and had to be extricated by firefighters using hydraulic tools. 37-year old Jody Metcalf and another passenger, Amanda Grasso, were ejected from the vehicle, with Grasso landing in the Sugar River. She was later pronounced dead. King had allegedly used heroin, cocaine, marijuana, Suboxone, and an anti-anxiety drug in the weeks and days leading up to the accident and was reportedly under the influence of drugs when the accident occurred.

Another update tonight also involving speeding cars, but this time on a much lighter note. The Claremont Speedway's proposed RV campground may be moving forward after much deliberation, or not, pending a decision in early October. Claremont's Zoning Board of Adjustment announced this week that, according to *The Valley News*, they have all the information they need in order to decide on a variance request for the proposed seasonal campground on Thrasher Road. The site is located within a rural residential zone and would need a variance to allow for its installation. However, residents, mainly those who live near the proposed site, are continuing to offer their feedback opposing the development, mainly regarding water supply and the noise level. City officials visited the site in mid-summer to get the lay of the land and determine its suitability. The campsite, which will host 149 spots, will be rented on a seasonal basis, summer or winter, and short term rentals will not be accepted. If the plan is approved by the Zoning Board on October 3rd, the Planning Board will also need to approve it in order for the development to ultimately move forward.

After the break on YCN News, we'll take a look at a local business in Claremont which offers careers for plenty of young professionals in our region.

This summer has been full of us showing you quick looks at local museums, businesses, and day trip ideas. If you're a young professional in the area with a knack for technology, you may want to check out Red River.

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For more information and career opportunities, feel free to visit RedRiver.com.

After the break on YCN News, we'll take a look at some local sports action, plus your weather and community calendar. We'll be right back.

Welcome back to YCN News. I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today's turned out to be a nice partly sunny day with temperatures in the 80s. There was the possibility for some thunderstorms today but it looks like those storms will hit us tonight instead so now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight, there's a 40% CHANCE FOR SHOWERS AND THUNDERSTORMS before 1am. The skies will be mostly cloudy and lows will fall into the mid 60s (66). Winds will be calm and new precipitation amounts will not surpass a tenth of an inch. Tomorrow, Friday, the storms will have moved on and patchy fog is expected before 7am, but the skies will be MOSTLY SUNNY and highs will reach the early to mid 80s (83). There could be a northwest wind with gust speeds as high as 10 miles an hour. Tomorrow night, the skies will become PARTLY CLOUDY and lows will fall just below 60 degrees (59). Saturday looks like a nice start to our weekend, at least in the morning and early afternoon as PARTLY SUNNY skies are expected with highs reaching 80 degrees. But after 6pm, there's a slight 30% chance for showers but nothing significant. And Saturday night, SHOWERS are likely (60%) mainly after 9pm. The skies will be mostly cloudy and lows will fall to around 63 degrees.

The Montshire Museum of Science on One Montshire Road in Norwich, Vermont is hosting another cool activity for kids. Come create wind vehicles using a variety of common but limited materials to create a vehicle that includes a sail or some way of catching the wind. Once built, the designs will be tested on the raceway. This event will be running all day while the museum is open from 10am to 5pm. It is recommended that your child is at least 8 years old and if you would more information please call 802-649-2200.

The well known Nugget movie theatre in Hanover, New Hampshire on 57 South Main St, is having its centennial celebration from 5 to 7pm and the public is welcome to attend for free. They'll be a red carpet, limos, refreshments, door prizes and photo ops. Attendees are encouraged to dress as their favorite movie character or wear outfits befitting the red carpet. This event is appropriate for all ages and please call 603-252-9404 for more details.

If art is more your cup of tea, then I suggest you check out an Art Opening at the AVA Gallery and Art Center in Lebanon, New Hampshire on 11 Bank St. from 5 to 7pm. Artists featured include Gar Waterman, Rob Kessler, Gina Adams, Paulette Werger and Joshua Yunger. This event is free to attend and please call 603-448-3117 to find out more.

Welcome to the first installment of YCN's coach's corner. This week we'll be taking a look at the Stevens boys soccer head coach, Jason Stone. We talked with coach Stone before the soccer season started after a team practice back in August when he told us what he expects from his players. Then last Tuesday night, after a 12 nothing win over Newport, we talked to him again to see if his opinions have changed after his team has now won three of its first four games.

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The Cardinals did fall to Derryfield 3 to nothing in the season opener but ever since, they've won three straight and have totaled a staggering 23 goals while at the same time allowing just 1 from their opponents. Coach Stone clearly knows how to help his team rebound after a tough loss to start the season.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some local high school results from yesterday.

Let's start with girls soccer,

The Sunapee Lakers traveled to take on Concord Christian as the Lakers were able to win 4 to zero. Madeline Austin scored twice as the Lakers improved to 3 and 0.

Stevens traveled to face off against Hopkinton as the Cardinals fell 4 to 3. Stevens falls to 1 and 2 and will host Fall Mountain on Friday at 7pm as a part of their charity cup to raise awareness for ALS.

The Hartford Hurricanes hosted the Woodstock Wasps as the Canes were able to win 2 to zero. Hartford won their first game of the year while the Wasps lost their first of the season.

The Hanover Marauders hosted the John Stark Generals which turned into a wild double overtime thriller. The Generals Brooke Shatney scored the game winner to hand Hanover its first loss of the season. The Marauders will travel to take on their rival Lebanon tomorrow.

And speaking of Lebanon, the Raiders away, took on the Trinity Pioneers as Lebanon dropped to 0 and 4 losing 1 to zero. Lebanon is still in search of their first goal this season.

Now let's check out the boys,

The male Lakers traveled to take on Concord Christian, just like the girls. But unlike the girls, the boys lost 1 to nothing during overtime. Goalie Will Palin made 12 saves for Sunapee.

Changing things up now to girls volleyball,

Hanover faced off away against Fall Mountain. The Marauders were able to win 3 straight sets to record their first win of the year, improving to 1 and 1.

And finally to field hockey,

The Newport Tigers were able to put up 3 goals as their opponent, the John Stark Generals, only managed 1 goal. Newport won their first game of the season and will take on Mascoma on Friday.

And Hartford took on Brattleboro for the Canes first game of the year. Emma Libbey scored twice for Hartford as they went on to win 4 to zero. Hartford will visit Middlebury on Friday.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Lynn Solomon for some Kearsarge Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Joanne Hughes, from the Renaissance Shoppe in New London. We'll be right back.

Thanks Lynn and Joanne. Up next, we'll join part three of our Labor Day 9/11 Memorial Special. Hang around for second.

Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good weekend.

Scores

GIRLS SOCCER

Sunapee 4 - Concord Christian 0

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Hopkinton 4 - Stevens 3

Hartford 2 - Woodstock 0

John Stark 1 - Hanover 0 **2OT**

Trinity 1 - Lebanon 0

BOYS SOCCER

Concord Christian 1- Sunapee 0 **OT**

GIRLS VOLLEYBALL

Hanover 3 - Fall Mountain 0

Newfound 3 - Stevens 0

FIELD HOCKEY

Newport 3 - John Stark 1

Hartford 4 - Brattleboro 0

Good evening, it's Friday, September 9th.

Tonight's news begins with an alert out of the Lebanon Police Department as they are warning of a scam that is the result of the 21st Century. A handful of residents from Lebanon have called the local police department to report scam phone calls and Internal Revenue Service scams. Residents reported receiving messages telling them that they have not filed their taxes for years and also got voicemails that threatened legal action if the person did not call back a number left in the message. One of the main ploys the scammers use is to trick you into sharing private information or sending money to them and may even claim to know information about you. The Lebanon Police Department reminds residents that the IRS will contact you by mail, not by phone, if you owe taxes, making these scam phone calls easily identifiable. Additionally, they will never ask for payment information, demand that you pay over the phone, or threaten you. If you think you're a victim of such a scam or any other scam, you're urged to contact Lebanon Police at 603-448-1212. On a quick side note, there's a Craigslist real estate scam in Springfield, Vermont going on right now. For more information on that story, visit YCNNow.com.

Croydon is in the news again and the story hasn't changed: the town is continuing to pay the tuition of students attending private school using public money. What's more is that New Hampshire state asked Sullivan County Superior Court to hold the town in contempt of court. However, Judge Brian Tucker ruled that the town was not in contempt when it sent public money to the private Newport Montessori School just a few days before an order to cease doing so was handed down. *The Valley News* says that on Tuesday, the state officials were in court in Newport, asking to find the town in contempt because of their sending of \$24,000 for tuition while a judge's order was pending in late July. The money was sent on July 25th and Judge Tucker ruled that the town cease their practices only four days later. The state Department of Education tried to ask the judge to have that money reimbursed, but to no avail, as the private school refused any refunds. Six students from Croydon will be attending the private school in Newport for the first half of the 2016-2017 school year on public money, but after that, the parents must fund the tuition on their own accord.

An update in a story we brought you late last month and into this month: Dartmouth-Hitchcock will indeed be entering a contract with New Hampshire Hospital to provide services there. On Wednesday, the state's Executive Council unanimously approved a 32-month \$37 million contract between the two health institutions which hopes to provide enhance mental health care at the Concord-based New Hampshire Hospital. Dartmouth College has traditionally been the provider of additional services at NHH, where they provided professional staff for mental health treatment. However, DHMC will be the new provider, which will see nurses and psychiatric professionals assigned to Concord in light of the recent suicide of a released patient. The contract was not without dispute and was discussed in depth over the past month by the council and hospital officials. A handful of health professionals who worked at New Hampshire Hospital under the contract with Dartmouth College were concerned over their salaries and benefits and how they would change or diminish with the contract transfer and eleven employees left near the end of June. Two of the five executive councilors are running for governor and by voting yes, established their views on the importance of mental health treatment in the Granite State.

Tonight is full of updates and here we go with a third one: the closed restaurant on Claremont's Washington Street called BJ Bricker's is getting even closer to possibly reopening, following a long discussion on parking. Claremont's Zoning Board of Adjustment this week agreed to approve a parking variance that will the restaurant to operate with fewer parking spaces than initially required. *The Eagle Times* explains that during the board's regular meeting this week, it unanimously approved the variance request for the closed restaurant that is owned by the Gertrude Holl Revocable Trust. The restaurant was placed under violation of a zoning ordinance regarding parking when a 50-year easement with Claremont Plaza Associates expired in 2013. However, the restaurant closed that year in light of a familial dispute. The parking lot for the restaurant would operate within roughly 80% of its original size and the board agreed to pass the variance provided that a fence be erected between the restaurant lot and the CPA lot. Although some may hope the restaurant reopens, one of the restaurant's trustees says that he may rent or sell it before trying to open it back up.

After the break on YCN News, looking to get some new ink? Then you may want to check out the new tattoo shop in Claremont. We'll show in just a second.

Continuing our trend this summer of checking out local museums, businesses, and day trip ideas, today we'll be looking at a brand new tattoo shop on Pleasant Street right here in Claremont, New Hampshire, which recently opened its doors to the public. Wolf and Bee Tattoo, a locally owned and run business, touts itself as a custom electric tattooing shop that also sells used electric and acoustic guitars. YCN stopped by recently where we spoke with one of the co-owners who is also, a long time professional tattoo artist.

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If you're considering getting a custom tattoo, I suggest giving Hurley a ring. He's well known for his colorful detailed tattoos as well as his customer service.

After the break on YCN News, we'll take a look at some local sports action, plus your weather and community calendar. We'll be right back.

Welcome back to YCN News. I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today's been a very nice Summer day as we've seen mostly sunny skies with temperatures reaching 87 degrees. Tomorrow could be a different story so now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight, some clouds will roll to make for a PARTLY CLOUDY evening. Lows will fall into the early 60s (61) and a 10 mile an hour northwest wind will become calm as the night goes on. Tomorrow, Saturday, there's a 40% CHANCE FOR SHOWERS after 10am. The skies will be mostly cloudy and highs will reach the mid 70s (76). Tomorrow night, there's a 60% CHANCE FOR SHOWERS AND THUNDERSTORMS beginning around 10pm. There'll also be some patchy fog rolling in around 11pm. Winds will stay relatively calm and lows will fall into the mid 60s (64). Sunday, the chance for precipitation continues with a 50% CHANCE FOR SHOWERS before 3pm. But once these storms move on, the skies will become partly sunny and highs will again reach the mid 70s (76) and to wrap up our weekend on Sunday night, the clouds and rain will be long gone and MOSTLY CLEAR skies are expected with lows falling just below 50 degrees (49).

St. Mary's Catholic Church on Main Street in Claremont, New Hampshire will be hosting another gigantic indoor yard sale on from 8am to 2pm. The sale will take place in St. Mary's gym and there'll be over 100 tables featuring thousands of items for sale. Food and beverages will also be available for purchase. To learn more about the sale, you're welcome to call 603-542-9518.

If you're looking for some fresh farm grown food I suggest you check out Mount Tom's Farmers Market in Woodstock, Vermont off of route 12 North at the Mount Tom Parking Lot. It will be open from 9:30am to 12:30pm and you can find a wide variety of items to purchase including, home grown produce, home-baked foods, arts and crafts, herbs and spices, eggs and maple sugar products. Please call 802-763-7100 to find out more.

The New London Garden Club will be hosting a flower show at the Whipple Hall on 429 Main St. in New London, New Hampshire. The show will begin at 9am and will run until 3pm. It'll include flowers, designs, exhibits, education and tons of fun. Admission is free so bring the whole family and if you would like more information please call 603-526-7657.

Yesterday the Stevens Cardinals Field Hockey team hosted the Laconia Sachems right here in Claremont. Stevens hoped to stay undefeated while the Sachems were looking for their second win of the year. Let's see who came out on top.

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The Cardinals have only allowed one goal during their first four games while scoring a total of 15. Look for Stevens to be a top seed come playoff time.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some local results from yesterday.

First up is boys soccer,

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The Lebanon Raiders traveled to take on the Con-Val Cougars as the Raiders would go on to win 3 to zero handing the Cougars their first loss of the year. Both teams are now 4 and 1.

Fall Mountain hosted Hopkinton as the Wildcats fell 1 to zero. Fall Mountain falls to 1 and 4.

And now let's check out boys golf,

The Stevens Cardinals were able to beat Kearsarge, Monadnock and Prospect Mountain, with a team score of 188 on the day. The Cardinals improve to 6 and 2.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Elizabeth D'Orazio for some River Valley Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Mila Pinigin, the director of the Duckworth art museum. We'll be right back.

Thanks Elizabeth and Sue. Up next, we'll join Claremont Mayor Charlene Lovett for Mayor's Minutes?

Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good weekend.

Scores

BOYS SOCCER

Lebanon 3 - ConVal 0

Hopkinton 1 - Fall Mountain 0

FIELD HOCKEY

Stevens 6 - Laconia 0

BOYS GOLF

Stevens 188

Kearsarge 192

Monadnock 200

Prospect Mountain 203

Good evening, it's Monday, September 12th.

Crime news is up first tonight, as usual, as a Westminster man is behind bars for two counts of sexual assault at an area high school. Police say that 18-year old Jamie C.D. Deitz of Westminster was arrested yesterday afternoon for two counts of sexual assault that allegedly occurred at Bellows Falls Union High School. The 16-year old female victim in the sexual assault cases contacted Vermont State Police on Tuesday, September 6th, which is the date of the second assault by Deitz. The first assault was reported to have occurred one week prior to the second one. At around 1:00 yesterday afternoon, members of the Vermont State Police Bureau of Criminal Investigation arrested Deitz at his home in Westminster. He was then transported to the Westminster Barracks and processed before he was released on conditions. He was issued a citation to appear in Windham Superior Criminal Court at 8:00 in the morning on Tuesday, October 25th. He faces two counts of sexual assault, which is a felony charge carrying a prison sentence of at least three years.

Good news for one Claremont business on Maple Avenue as they've had their expansion plan approved unanimously. National Field Representatives was given approval by the city's Planning Board last night to expand their location at 158 Maple Avenue with a new 20,000 square foot building. *The Valley News* reports that the two story addition will be located on the western side of the one story 15,000 square foot building and will cost around \$5.5 million, with a project end date of next July. NFR's president told the board that they hope to consolidate their three offices into the new building as to increase efficiency. Earlier this summer, NFR knocked down the closed Gary's Claremont Tire Company building, which made room for a new parking lot. Not very long after, they also knocked down the adjacent and vacant Claremont Savings Bank building, which they had previously purchased, giving them full control over the building's fate. The demolition made room for the new expansion, which will be supported by 200 parking spots on the main site and 70 across the road. NFR is a mortgage servicing company that employs around 200 workers locally.

This past weekend, over 200 people gathered on the grounds of the New London Historical Society to attend the the New London Electric Car Expo. Area residents had the chance to look at electric cars from the past like the 1923 Red Bug Electric to the all new Tesla electric cars from today. Electric cars and hybrids from other manufacturers included BMW, Chevy, Nissan, and BYD. Also at the expo were electric assist bicycles the people could try out for themselves. Owners and enthusiasts of all electric cars and hybrids brought their own vehicles to the show and talked about their experiences in driving electric cars in all seasons, finding charging stations, maintenance, and many other pros and cons of driving an electric vehicle. Short lectures were also given on the benefits of an electric car and the how to go about buying and installing solar panels. The free event was one of more than one hundred similar events held around the country during the fifth annual National Drive Electric Week. The event was organized by the New London Energy Committee and the Andover Energy Group.

Sunday was a day of remembrance for our nation and region as we remembered those who lost their lives 15 years ago in the 9/11 attacks. In particular, the town of Wilmot held a 15th Anniversary Memorial Program to remember all of the victims as well as one of their own, Thelma Cuccinello. Thelma was on board United Airlines Flight 11, which was the first plane to hit the World Trade Center. We caught up with Rhonda Gauthier who is the Town Clerk, Tax Collector, and Member of the 9/11 Memorial Committee.

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This was certainly a respectful event that paid due tribute to those lost 15 years ago.

After the break on YCN News, the crew of the US Navy ship USS Kearsarge comes to visit their namesake mountain. We'll take a look at the trip.

Every year, a group of Master Chiefs and a group of candidates from the USS Kearsarge travel to Warner, New Hampshire to ascend their namesake mountain. The community comes together for every visit to show their hospitality and welcome the servicemen and women. YCN covered the first of their three days in the region.

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The Master Chiefs not only take in the sights and sounds of the area, but also help groom the mountain to make it better for other visitors. On their final night, the MV Kearsarge dinner boat invited the Master Chiefs and their American Legion hosts for a departing meal. Food on the mountain was provided by Northeast Catholic College. The Lake Sunapee Region will once again extend its notable hospitality next year when the crew visits again.

After the break on YCN News, we'll take a look at some local sports action, plus your weather and community calendar. We'll be right back.

Welcome back to YCN News. I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today's been another nice end of summer day as we've seen clear sunny skies with temperatures reaching 76 degrees. Tomorrow could be a different story so now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight, patchy fog is expected after midnight. But the skies will be MOSTLY CLEAR with lows falling just below 60 degrees (58). A 10 mile an hour southwest wind will become calm throughout the night. Tomorrow, Wednesday, the day will start off with partly sunny skies but then SHOWERS (60%) are likely, mainly after 1pm. It'll still be a warm day with temps climbing to around 81 degrees. New precipitation amounts are expected to be between a tenth and a quarter of an inch. Tomorrow night, there's a 30% CHANCE FOR SHOWERS AND THUNDERSTORMS before 11pm. The skies will be mostly cloudy and lows will be chilly, falling just below 50 degrees (49). By Thursday, the wet weather will have completely moved on to make for a clear SUNNY day. Temperatures won't quite reach the 70s (69) and there'll be a north wind with gust speeds as high as 15 miles an hour. And Thursday night, will continue to be CLEAR but temperatures will plummet into the mid 40s (44) so be sure to stay warm.

If you currently have or have had breast cancer at some point in your life, then we have an exercise class for you. Pam's Class, in Lebanon, New Hampshire at Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center on One Medical Center Drive, is a free exercise class for women who have been diagnosed with breast cancer. The class is set to music and works on range of motion, strength, balance and self image. Please call the number on your screen to learn more. (603-650-7768)

The Hanover area farmer's market will be open tomorrow from 3 to 6pm in Hanover on the Dartmouth Green. Come peruse the vendors who will be selling locally grown produce, prepared foods and artisanal products. Attending is of course free and you can call the number at the bottom of your screen for more details. (603-643-3115)

If you're a fan of experiencing other cultures, then you should check out an evening workshop, focused on Japanese Taiko Drumming at the Ahimsa Yoga Studio on 140 North St right here in Claremont, New Hampshire. From 7 to 9pm, come learn this ancient art that incorporates culture, athletic movements, and rhythm. You must be at least 10 years old to attend and no experience is required. This is considered a free event but a 25 dollar donation is suggested. To find out more and to register please call the number on your screen. (802-738-0022)

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Yesterday the the Lebanon Raiders field hockey team faced off away against the Plymouth Bobcats. After winning the first game of the season, the Raiders had dropped their last two so Leb was certainly trying to even out their record. Let's see how they did.

PKG

As just said, the Raiders don't play again until the 21st, in eight days. Hopefully they can come up with an effective game plan against Derryfield.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some local results from yesterday.

Let's start with field hockey,

The Stevens Cardinals traveled to take on the Mascenic Vikings as the Cardinals suffered their first loss of the year, losing 1 to zero. The Cardinals fall to 4 and 1 and will host Newport on Thursday.

Now let's change over to girls volleyball,

The Sunapee Lakers faced off away against Hillsboro-Deering. The Lakers were able to sweep all 3 games winning 3 to nothing. Sunapee improves to 2 and 1 and will look for another win when they take on Stevens on Thursday.

And speaking of Stevens, the Cardinals traveled to West Canaan to take on Mascoma as the Royals were able to win all 3 games. Mascoma improves to 1 and 1 while Stevens remains winless at 0 and 3.

And now to boys golf,

Bow was able to win a four team match against Stevens, Kearsarge and Gilford, with a score of 152 while Gilford came in second, Kearsarge in third and Stevens in last. Bow sits on top of division three at 11 and 0 while Stevens falls to 6 and 4 and Kearsarge falls to 4 and 3.

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Thanks Elizabeth and Sue. Up next, we'll join Claremont Mayor Charlene Lovett for Mayor's Minutes?

Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good weekend.

Scores

FIELD HOCKEY

Mascenic 1 - Stevens 0

Lebanon 2 - Plymouth 0 (TODAY's PKG)

GIRLS VOLLEYBALL

Sunapee 3 - Hillsboro-Deering 0

Mascoma Valley 3 - Stevens 0

BOYS GOLF

Bow 152

Gilford 170

Kearsarge 171

Stevens 195

Good evening, it's Wednesday, September 14th.

It was a tragic scene on the shore of the Connecticut River last night as an Alaska man drowned while swimming. Cornish Police say that around 6:00 last night, the Hanover Dispatch Center received a call about a reported missing swimmer off of the bank of the Blow Me Down Farm on Route 12A in Cornish. Emergency responders from every surrounding town responded, including the NH Fish and Game Department and NH State Police. Rescue workers on the scene conducted searches of the river banks and boats from Lebanon, Hanover, and Hartford searched from the water's surface. More than an hour later, around 7:18 PM, members of the Lebanon Fire Department spotted a male body in the river in about 8 to 10 feet of water. The body was recovered by the Hanover Fire Department Dive Team and the 21-year old was pronounced dead at the scene by the NH Medical Examiner's Office. The man was identified as Reed McWilliams of Bethel, Alaska, who was working at the St. Gaudens National Park as an AmeriCorps Member working with the Student Conservation Association. McWilliams and another female were swimming when he did not resurface, prompting the female to call 911. Family members were notified and his identity was released today.

An update now in the case of a Hartford, Vermont police officer who shot and killed someone else's dog while at a dog park. Hartford Police Officer Logan Scelza won't face charges, according to the Vermont Attorney General's Office, following an incident where, while off-duty, he shot someone else's dog at the Watson Upper Valley Dog Park when his dog and theirs became involved in a fight. The incident occurred on June 25th and the decision regarding whether he would face criminal charges or not was announced today. The Attorney General's Office explained that he acted within the law and had just reason to shoot the other dog that was endangering the life of his own pet. Hartford Police released a statement by Chief Phillip Kasten shortly after the incident where one of his two huskies became involved in a fight with a pit bull and while trying to break up the fight, he fired a handgun three times into the ground as warning shots. When the pit bull did not stop, he shot it once in the face and three times in the chest, say authorities. He left the park to bring his husky to vet while the pit bull was declared dead at the scene. Vermont law allows someone to kill a domestic pet if it is attacking another animal, especially one's own pet.

Yesterday was a big day for Granite Staters as it was Primary Election Day and voters went to the polls to elect Democrat and Republican candidates for the national and state elections in November. In the race for the US Senate, incumbent Republican Kelly Ayotte won with 79% of the vote over four challengers and will face Governor Maggie Hassan, who runs unopposed in the primary. United States Representative incumbent Democrat Ann Kuster will face republican Jim Lawrence who won his primary with 40% of the vote. In the race for governor, both Republicans and Democrats had a full slate of candidates for the race. On the Democratic side,

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Colin Van Ostern won with 52 percent of the vote and will most likely face Chris Sununu, who had a surprisingly close race with Frank Edelblut with only a narrow 1 percentage point lead over Edelblut. In local races in Sullivan County District 6, Virginia Irwin and John Lunn, running for state representatives, took the top two spots on the Democratic side and will face Republicans Skip Rollins and Bill Schroeter in November. In Merrimack County, Dave Kidder was in a tight race with Peter Spaulding for county commissioner. All other unmentioned local races were uncontested.

Got a hankering for chowder? As New Englanders, it flows in our veins and in Sunapee, they're holding an event one week from this weekend on the 25th to bring together the best chowders in the region. We caught up with chair of the Sunapee Chowder Challenge to tell us more, including a second judging category.

SOT

Sounds delicious, I know I like me some chowdah. If you're in the same boat, feel free to check out the event and enjoy some culinary delights.

After the break on YCN News, are you looking for your next pet or your first one? There are plenty of options at the Windham County Humane Society. We'll take a look when we come back.

I love dogs, heck I like cats too. And lots of other people do too, in fact, there are countless pet owners in our region who own a variety of furry friends, from guinea pigs to horses and ferrets to llamas. The Windham County Humane Society in Brattleboro has a great selection of household pets that would love a new home. Let's revisit a piece we did earlier this year that shows off what sort of furry friends you can find there.

PKG

As an animal lover, that piece makes my heart swell. There were a few I'd like to take home myself but having four dogs, two cats, and two horses is enough for me. So head on over yourself and take home a new friend this weekend.

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Welcome back to YCN News. I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today started off nice with partly sunny skies and temperatures in the upper 70s but by now, the skies have become overcast and we've seen scattered showers and thunderstorms with relatively strong 15 mile an hour west winds. But by tonight things should settle down so now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight, patchy fog is expected after 3am. Otherwise the skies will be PARTLY CLOUDY with lows falling to a cool 47 degrees. The storms will have moved on but there'll still be a gusty 10 mile an hour north wind. Tomorrow, Thursday, the patchy fog will continue until 8am. But the skies will be SUNNY and highs will not quite reach the 70's (69). Tomorrow night, will be an uneventful evening as clear skies are expected with calm winds. Lows will fall to a very chilly 43

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degrees so be sure to use an extra blanket at night. Friday looks like another clear SUNNY day with highs reaching 72 degrees and a calm southwest wind. And Friday night, we'll continue to see MOSTLY CLEAR skies with lows a bit warmer but still cool, falling to around 50 degrees.

If you have little ones between the ages of 3 and 6, you should bring them to the Converse Free Library in Lyme, New Hampshire on 38 Union St. for an hour of stories, rhymes and arts and crafts, led by Judith Russell. The stories will begin at 1pm and should run until around 2pm. Please call the number on your screen to find out more. (603-795-4622)

The Summer Farmers Market in Lebanon will be open from 4 to 7pm at Colburn Park on North Park Street. The market will include fresh produce, plants, prepared food, baked goods and handmade crafts. Live music will also be performed each week by folk traditional musicians from around New England. You can call the number you see for more details. (603-448-5121)

Well if you're an adult and enjoy using adult coloring books, I suggest you check out an hour of adult coloring at the Richards Free Library in Newport, New Hampshire on 58 North Main St. The Library will supply coloring pages, crayons markers and everything you need to make a black and white page come to life. The coloring will begin at 7pm and will run for about an hour. If you would like more information you're welcome to call the number on your screen. (603-863-3430)

The Newport Tigers girls soccer team, hosted Inter-Lakes yesterday afternoon as both teams came into the contest with records of 2 and 2. Let's see which team was able to improve to over .500.

PKG

The Stark sisters clearly give the Tigers some weapons but if they want to compete against the best teams in the division, they'll need some other players to get in on the scoring action.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some more local results from yesterday.

Let's start with boys soccer,

The Hollis Brookline Cavaliers hosted the Trinity Pioneers as the Cavs ended up winning by a goal, 2 to 1 recording their first win of the year as they improve to 1 and 4.

The Sunapee Lakers faced off away against Moultonborough as the Lakers would lose 5 to 2. Sunapee goalie Will Austin recorded 15 saves as the Lakers fall to 3 and 2.

Fall Mountain took on Monadnock and won 2 to zero. The Wildcats outshot the huskies 17 to 2. The Lebanon Raiders played host to the Kingswood Knights as the Raiders would go on to 4 to zero. Leb improves to 5 and 1 while the Knights fall to 1 and 4.

Let's change things over to the girls,

Hollis Brookline traveled to take on Trinity as the Cavs won 2 to nothing. Hollis improves to 5 and 1 as they've now won 5 straight after dropping the season opener.

The Hillsboro-Deering hillcats hosted the Monadnock Huskies as the Cats would go on to win 8 to 1. They improve to 5 and 1 on the young season.

The Sunapee Lakers traveled to take on Moultonborough as Sunapee won easily 6 to zero. Maddie Austin scored for times for the Lakers.

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Stevens and Bishop brady faced off during an overtime thriller as the Cardinals were able to come out on top, off of a game winning goal by Sydney Miller. Stevens improves to 2 and 3 on the year.

Lebanon traveled to take on Kingswood as the Raiders won 2 to zero. Lebanon improves to 1 and 5 and will host Plymouth on Friday.

The Hanover Marauders were able to beat ConVal 2 to nothing as Hanover improves to 4 and 1. Anna Dixon and Carly Kraft each scored for the Marauders.

And finally to field hockey,

The Hartford Hurricanes hosted the visiting Hanover Marauders as the Canes ended up winning 1 to nothing off of a goal from freshman Kennedy Mullen. Hartford stays undefeated at 3 and 0.

The John Stark Generals took on the Mascoma Royals as Mascoma won easily 10 to zero. Katie Ferland scored four goals for the Royals.

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Scores

BOYS SOCCER

Hollis Brookline 2 - Trinity 1

Moultonborough 5 - Sunapee 2

Fall Mountain 2 - Monadnock 0

Lebanon 4 - Kingswood 0

GIRLS SOCCER

Hollis Brookline 2 - Trinity 0

Hillsboro-Deering 8 - Monadnock 1

Sunapee 6 - Moultonborough 0

Stevens 3 - Bishop Brady 2 **OT**

Lebanon 2 - Kingswood 0

Hanover 2 - ConVal 0

FIELD HOCKEY

Hartford, VT 1 - Hanover 0

Mascoma Valley 10 - John Stark 0

Good evening, it's Thursday, September 15th.

Like most nights of the week, crime news is up first. Two men were arrested in Ludlow, Vermont yesterday on multiple drug charges. Ludlow Police say that beginning in February of this year, they began to investigate and conduct formal surveillance of 32 Soapstone Road in response to information developed from multiple sources. During the investigation, detectives observed a high amount of vehicular and foot traffic around the residence, which was indicative of drug dealing. In the spring, the Southern Vermont Drug Task Force assisted Ludlow Police in obtaining a search warrant for the residence. Just yesterday, both groups executed the warrant and recovered over 100 bags of heroin, 2 ounces of processed marijuana, narcotics without prescriptions, 2 long rifles, 1 small caliber handgun, and over 500 rounds of ammo. 37-year old Richard M. Taylor and 31-year old Kimberly H. Ashley were both arrested on multiple drug charges, including a Sale and Distribution of Heroin charge for Taylor. Both were jailed at the Southern State Correctional Facility and appeared in court today.

We've got an update now in the search for Claremont's new city manager: a committee made up of city residents has been officially formed. *The Valley News* reports that all 13 residents who applied for the search committee have been named to it, despite the original goal of only appointing nine residents. Municipal Resources Inc., the firm based out of Meredith, NH hired to spearhead the search, earlier this month suggested that they council extend an invitation to residents to apply for the committee. They hoped to receive applicants from multiple parts of the city, including the community college and hospital in a cross-section that would represent the city as a whole. The Council and Municipal Resources hope to hire a new manager by November 1st so that they would be able to spend time on the job with current manager, Guy Santagate. Santagate is retiring at the end of this year after 15 years with the city, making him the longest standing city manager in Claremont. The city council recently agreed on a new salary for the city manager of \$135,000 compared to the \$100,000 currently being made by Santagate. They hope to raise the appeal of the position by doing so.

From hiring city managers to hiring town managers now, the town of Newport is examining the hiring of a new town manager and is laying out the guidelines to do so. Earlier this week, the Newport Board of Selectmen began to discuss the plans for the hiring process as well as a projected time frame. The *Argus Champion* says that Monday night saw a Town Manager Replacement Forum take place in town, including a handful of residents who offered their feedback, most notably that they'd want a new town manager to live within town lines. The new manager will be replacing Shane O'Keefe, who resigned for personal reasons after a little over a year in the position. Newport's finance director is currently taking the role of interim town manager and filling in for the vacancy until a new chief executive can be found, which town officials hope is within six month's time. Gary Nichols, a former selectman, voiced that when final applicants are found, he'd like the town to send representatives to their respective communities to get a sense of their experience there. And just like Claremont in our previous story, the town hopes to create a search committee made up of a cross-section of the town, with representatives from the town's various facets.

One local fire department has received a major grant that will help them purchase a new truck to replace an outdated current rig. The Meriden, NH Fire Department recently received a grant from FEMA, that being the Federal Emergency Management Agency, to design and

customize a new fire truck to replace their Engine 1, which has been running since 1982. In an article by a Kimball Union Academy student, it is explained that the department was awarded \$320,000 following a series of proposals that have been going on since mid 2014. Engine 1, now outdated, is a tanker that transports roughly 2,500 gallons to any scene of emergency. The new machine will carry less water, but will have room for an extra firefighter and will be the first vehicle on the scene, followed by Meriden's Engine 2. After being awarded the grant by FEMA, the FD put together a "Truck Committee" to plan for the acquisition of a new truck and what exactly they wanted from it. The group traveled to nearby Ascutney to view one of their engines and identify features that they would like to see on their new Engine 1. The new truck will be ordered in special segments and may join the fleet next summer, alongside an existing second engine, ladder truck, and utility vehicle.

After the break on YCN News, next weekend is bringing the 3rd Annual Claremont Kiwanis Brewfest and 5K! Are you excited? We'll take a look at what to expect when we come back.

Yesterday, we asked you if you like chowder. Now today, we'll ask you if you like beer. Doesn't matter which type, because what we're going to show you has something for everybody in the beer world. Next weekend, beer lovers and runners can unite during the 3rd Annual Brewfest and 5K here in Claremont, which is a fundraiser for the Claremont Kiwanis Children's Charities. In preparation, let's revisit last year's festivities to give you a taste of what to expect this year.

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Tickets are currently on sale and registration is open for runners who plan on participating. So get to it!

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Welcome back to YCN News. I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well last night and today, have certainly felt as if fall is on its way as temps fell into the 40s overnight and today, they haven't quite reached the 70s. But at least it's still been a sunny day with calm northwest winds. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight, patchy fog is expected after midnight. Some clouds (CLOUDY) will roll in and lows will again plummet to into the low 40s (42). A 10 mile an hour northwest wind will become throughout the night. Tomorrow, Friday, we'll see MOSTLY SUNNY skies with temperatures reaching 72 degrees. A calm northwest wind will turn south and will gradually increase in strength throughout the day to possibility around 10 miles an hour. Tomorrow night, the skies will be MOSTLY CLEAR and lows will fall back into the 40s (49). Saturday the skies are expected to be MOSTLY SUNNY with highs a bit warmer, reaching the mid 70s (75). There'll be a south wind with gust speeds between 10 and 15 miles an hour. And Saturday night could be a wet one as SHOWERS AND THUNDERSTORMS (60%) are likely mainly after midnight. The skies will of course be mostly cloudy but lows will remain relatively warm, only falling to around 60 degrees.

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If you're interested in giving blood but just don't know where to go, I recommend attending a blood drive in Windsor, Vermont at the American Legion headquarters on 4 Court St. The drive will begin at 12:30pm and will run into evening, until around 5:30pm. If you haven't donated before, I suggest you try it as your donated blood will help save the lives of patients who desperately need it. The drive is sponsored by Mount Ascutney Hospital and you can call the number on your screen to find out more details. (802-674-7088)

The Chelsea Farmers Market in Chelsea, Vermont will be going on from 3 to 6pm in the heart of downtown Chelsea on the North Common off of route 110. This market offers fresh produce, local crafts, and prepared foods. There's an average of 20 vendors a week and it's a great place to purchase local products, meet up with friends, enjoy some live music and even bring your kids as there'll be free children's activities. If you would like more information you can call the number on your screen. (802-685-3174)

If you're a fan of space and a bit of a night owl, I suggest you check out the Shattuck Observatory at Dartmouth College in Hanover, New Hampshire on Observatory Road for a free night of public astronomical observing from 9:30pm to 11pm. The Department of Physics and Astronomy offers free viewing through its astronomical telescopes. Observations will include the moon, planets, stars and more. Observing is only possible under good weather conditions so if the skies are questionable please call the number you see to confirm the status of the session and to find out more information about this very cool event. (603-646-9100)

Welcome to another installment of coaches corner, brought to you by Bubba's Bar and Grille. This week we'll be taking a look at the Newport Tigers girls soccer head coach, Jon Hamel. Coach Hamel will be discussing his team's recent five-one win over Inter-Lakes as well as what to expect from his team the rest of the season.

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The Tigers are now 3 and 2 and on the young season and have scored 10 goals while allowing two over their last two games. They will travel to take on Hillsboro-Deering tomorrow.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some local results from yesterday.

Let's start with girls volleyball.

Merrimack hosted Concord as Concord won 3 to zero. Merrimack falls to 3 and 2 and will take on Exeter tomorrow.

Hillsboro-Deering hosted the Mascoma Royals in what turned out to be a tight matchup. The Royals came back to tie it at 2 games a piece but Hillsboro ended up pulling out the victory 3 to 2.

Fall Mountain and ConVal faced off as the Wildcats dropped a tough one 3 to zero. Fall Mountain remains winless at 0 and 4 and will look for their first victory against also winless Manchester West tomorrow.

John Stark hosted Milford as the Generals were able to win 3 to 1 improving to 3 and 1 on the season.

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And St. Thomas Aquinas was able to beat up on Hanover 3 to nothing. The Marauders fall to 1 and 3 on the young season.

Let's change things over to field hockey.

Bellows Falls took on Burr and Burton as the Terriers would end up winning 5 to zero. It was a close game at halftime but the Terriers turned it up in the second half.

Merrimack and Exeter took on one another as Merrimack was able to win a close game 2 to zero. Merrimack improves to 2 and 4 and will take on Londonderry tomorrow.

The Newport Tigers hosted the Kearsarge Cougars as Kearsarge was able to win 3 to zero. The game was close until the final minutes as the Tigers just couldn't get any offense going against Kearsarge's freshman goalie Marissa Pickman. Kearsarge improves to 2 and 3 while Newport falls to 1 and 5.

And now to boys and girls soccer.

John Stark hosted souhegan as the generals were able to pull out a close win, 1 to zero. John Stark improves to 5 and 1 as the Generals have only allowed 1 goal so far after six games.

The Bellows Falls Terriers traveled to take on the Springfield Cosmos as Springfield would end up winning 4 to nothing. The Terriers remain winless at 0 and 4.

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Scores

GIRLS VOLLEYBALL

Concord 3 - Merrimack 0

Hillsboro-Deering 3 - Mascoma Valley 2

ConVal 3 - Fall Mountain 0

John Stark 3 - Milford 1

St. Thomas Aquinas 3 - Hanover 0

FIELD HOCKEY

Bellow Falls 5 - Burr and Burton 0

Merrimack 2 - Exeter 0

Kearsarge 3 - Newport 0

BOYS SOCCER

John Stark 1 - Souhegan 0

GIRLS SOCCER

Springfield 4 - Bellows Falls 0

Good evening, it's Friday, September 16th.

No hard news for you tonight, which can be a breath of fresh air, but we've still got some exciting stories. First up, an international security firm has officially taken over providing security at three Vermont courthouses, including one in Brattleboro in Newfane. According to *The Brattleboro Reformer*, Securitas, a security group based out of Stockholm, began their 22-month contract this month, who takes over for the Windham County Sheriff's Office, who stated that it is not financially stable for them to continue providing security. The contract for around \$620,000 will cover the courthouses in Brattleboro and Newfane as well as a third in Burlington. In June, Sheriff Keith Clark requested that the Sheriff's Office see a 10 to 12 percent increase in the contract for courthouse security so that they could break even, but only a 3.5 increase was offered. The Sheriff's Office did not accept so six security firms were contacted to provide courthouse protection. Securitas was the only one to submit a formal bid.

The State of Vermont's Judicial Branch maintained a contingency plan that would be enacted in cases such as this so that the courtrooms can receive the security they need.

Visitors heading to the Saint Gaudens National Historic Site in Cornish, NH may soon have an easier time driving up the road to reach the site. The New Hampshire Department of Transportation is holding an informational meeting next Thursday, September 22nd, to garner community feedback on a proposed road reconstruction project. The stretch of road under question is the half mile segment from Route 12A up to the Saint Gaudens main site, which is an inclined road that sits on the side of a hill. The reconstruction work will see the removal of the existing pavement, improvements to the subsurface of the road, placement of new pavement, earthwork, and other miscellaneous activities. The NHDOT will also install underdrains on both sides of the roadway and will replace the existing cable guardrail on the westerly side of the roadway. A final pavement overlay will be laid down once all other work is completed. The purpose of the public meeting will be to explain the project and to receive feedback to ensure that the project decisions will meet public transportation needs. No timeline has been announced as of yet and when the project does eventually take place, the Saint Gaudens Site can still be accessed from Dingleton Hill Road. The meeting is scheduled for next Thursday at 6:00 PM at the Cornish Town Hall.

In Vermont, the new state initiative to group schools together, called Act 46, is slowly chugging along, especially in Windsor County. What's more is that the special committee formed to comply with the new state legislature has unanimously voted this week to replace their educational advisor. It has not been an easy road for the Windsor Southeast Act 46 study committee these past few months as they've discussed the state-ordained merger of Windsor, West Windsor, Hartland, and Weathersfield. Diana Watson, an advisor and consultant to the committee, was replaced on Tuesday this week by Peter Clarke, who has worked with other with other Act 46 study committees across the state. Act 46 is a new state initiative that hopes to group schools together in new administrative units in light of declining numbers in Vermont's schools statewide. School choice has been at the forefront of the discussion, as Windsor is the only town with a high school which would force the other three towns to send their students to Windsor, provided that the four towns merge. The committee expressed that they feel their options have become limited but bringing in

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Clarke will hopefully allow the four towns to reach some manner of agreement before the state's deadline.

Here's some good news for any theater or art fans out there: live theater performances may be coming to Bellows Falls! In a town that's known for the arts and live music, a new agreement between Rockingham and Main Street Arts out of Saxtons River will stand to bring live performances to the Bellows Falls Opera House. *The Eagle Times* says that just recently the Rockingham Selectboard voted unanimously to allow the arts group to rehearse and put on six live performances of "Sweeney Todd" during March of next year. The artistic director of Main Street Arts asked the board if they could rent the opera house at a reduced rate on the grounds that they are a local nonprofit group with a staff of 50 that would promote economic development in the downtown through their shows. The director also explained the stage setup for the shows and said that they would build the props and background off-site so that there wouldn't be much interruption or traffic disturbance. The normal rent for the building would be \$17,000 to use the space, but considering the special circumstances and the art group's goal to bring patrons into the downtown, the Selectboard agreed to allow the nonprofit to rent it for \$6,570. So far, some community members have even pitched in to help alleviate the reduced rental cost.

After the break on YCN News, it would be hard not to call this recent weather the best we've had all year. Therefore, it's a perfect time to check out The Fells in Newbury. Details when we come back.

Any viewers of YCN know that we love to promote local businesses, museums, nonprofits, et cetera. There are too many local gems to keep track of but we've been trying our hardest this summer to show you the best of what our region has to offer. So today, we'll visit a very special place in Newbury, NH to give you an idea of what to do tomorrow or Sunday.

PKG

Looks gorgeous! Now keep in mind that that piece was recorded earlier this summer so you can only imagine how lovely it will look once the leaves start to change, which is a staple of our area.

After the break on YCN News, we'll take a look at some local sports action, plus your weather and community calendar. We'll be right back.

Welcome back to YCN News. I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well after another chilly night, today's been a relatively warm sunny day with temperatures reaching the mid 70s and with calm southwest winds. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight will start off CLEAR and cool with temperatures falling into the mid 40s (46). Around 2am, dense fog is expected and we'll see some clouds start to roll in. Tomorrow, Saturday, the dense fog will continue until around 9am. The skies will be MOSTLY CLOUDY but they'll gradually become clear throughout the later afternoon hours. Highs will reach 76 degrees and there could be a south wind with gust speeds as high as 15 miles an hour. Tomorrow night, could be wet as there's a good chance for some SHOWERS AND THUNDERSTORMS (60%) mainly after 11pm. The skies will of course be mostly cloudy and lows will stay relatively warm,

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only dropping to around 60 degrees. Sunday, the chance for SHOWERS AND THUNDERSTORMS (70%) continues and highs will reach the mid 70s (75). A 10 mile an hour southwest wind is also expected. And Sunday night, SHOWERS (60%) are likely as the skies will be mostly cloudy and low temperatures will fall to a warm 62 degrees.

If you're a bit of a morning person, you should check out a free hike in Canaan, New Hampshire at the Mountain Meadow Event Center off of 478 Route 4. Starting at 8:30am, come explore a section of the Northern Rail Trail near the Mascoma River and look for migrating birds. Wear sensible shoes and bring binoculars for bird watching. Call the number on your screen to find out more. (603-523-7375)

Here's a fun family event, the ArtisTree Community Arts Center in South Pomfret, Vermont on 2095 Pomfret Road, is hosting an hour of family sing along fun beginning at 10am. Come sing oldies-but-goodies, campfire songs and folk tunes along with some silly ones mixed in. Bring the family and create new memories clapping, dancing and chiming in together. This event will cost your family between 3 and 10 dollars and you can contact the number in front of you to find out more. (802-457-3500)

Looking for some fresh food that's locally grown? The Norwich farmers market is open from 9am to 1pm at the Summer Norwich Farmers Market Grounds off of Route 5 South next to Fogg's True Value Hardware. There will be over 50 vendors who will be there rain or shine and they will offer fresh food, prepared food and arts and crafts. Admission is free of course and you can call the number on your screen for more details. (802-384-7447)

On Tuesday, the Newport Tigers boys soccer team hosted the Stevens Cardinals. These two teams played each other last week and the Cardinals won easily 12 to zero. Let's see if the Tigers were able to fare better during this one.

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Stevens took on Winnisquam last night and we have those results for you coming up.

So now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some local results from yesterday.

Let's continue with boys soccer.

Hillsboro-Deering at home, was able to beat Franklin 5 to 2. Hillsboro picked up their second win of the year.

The John Stark Generals faced off against Kennett as the Generals were able to win 3 to zero, improving to 6 and 1.

The Hartford Hurricanes played away at Springfield as the Canes won easily 4 to zero. Junior Kyle Prior scored all four goals for the Canes as they improve to 2 and 1.

And the Stevens Cardinals continue to go on a tear when they hosted Winnisquam yesterday, winning 11 to zero. The Cardinals have now won six straight and will host Windsor on Wednesday.

Let's switch over to the girls.

Merrimack fell to Exeter 4 to zero on Exeter's home field. After winning the first game of the year, Merrimack has now lost 6 straight.

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Hartford away, took on Mill River as the Canes ended up losing 3 to 1. Hartford will host Harwood on Wednesday.

Stevens traveled to take on Laconia as the Cardinals won 5 to 0. Jazmyn Griffin scored 4 of the five goals for Stevens as they improve to 3 and 3.

Now on to field hockey.

The Hanover Marauders at home, were able to beat Merrimack Valley 5 to zero, improving to 3 and 3 on the year. Diana Schwarz scored a goal and had two assist for the Marauders.

And last but not least, girls volleyball.

A strong Sunapee team was able to beat Stevens 3 to zero in Claremont. The Lakers improved to 3 and 1 while the Cardinals remain winless at 0 and 4.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Elizabeth D'Orazio for some River Valley Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Pat Whitney, from the Turning Points Network. We'll be right back.

Thanks Elizabeth and Sue. Up next, we'll join Claremont Mayor Charlene Lovett for Mayor's Minutes?

Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good weekend.

Scores

BOYS SOCCER

Hillsboro-Deering 5 - Franklin 2

John Stark 3 - Kennett 0

Hartford 4 - Springfield 0

Stevens 11 - Winnisquam 0

GIRLS SOCCER

Exeter 4 - Merrimack 0

Mill River 3 - Hartford 1

Stevens 5 - Laconia 0

FIELD HOCKEY

Hanover 5 - Merrimack Valley 0

GIRLS VOLLEYBALL

Sunapee 3 - Stevens 0

Good evening, it's Monday, September 19th.

Crime news is up first tonight on this Monday evening as two people have been arrested in Lebanon for running a methamphetamine production operation. **(B)** Lebanon Police say that at 4:00 AM on Sunday morning they conducted a welfare check on a male and female subject at the request of New London Police. While responding, officers determined that

there may have been a Violation of a Domestic Protective Order if the two subjects were found together. Officers attempted to contact the subjects at 125 Renihan Meadows but they eluded the police. **(M)** At around 6:30 AM, the male subject, 42-year old Jamie Judkins, fled the apartment but was arrested after a struggle with authorities. An investigation revealed that a meth manufacturing operation was being conducted and the DEA's Clandestine Lab Team executed a second search of the apartment and found Crystal, meth, pills, and marijuana. **(M)** They also arrested 36-year old Tristonna Copp during the search and both individuals were charged with two counts of Possession of a Narcotic Drug, which are Class B Felony charges. Both were held on \$25,000 cash bail and were arraigned today in Lebanon.

Tragic news now out of Claremont as a priest from one of the local churches has drowned while on vacation in the Caribbean. Reverend George Majka, who presided over the St. Joseph Parish on Elm Street since 2009, drowned while he was on vacation in the Dominican Republic last week. **(B)** *The Eagle Times* reports that Reverend Shawn Therrien of the St. Mary Catholic Church delivered the tragic news of the 72-year old's death. The death was announced on Saturday at 5 PM during mass at the St. Joseph Parish and Therrien told the congregation that they could all attend the jubilee year celebration of the holy Year of Mercy to pray for Majka. The US Embassy in the Dominican Republic contacted the St. Joseph Parish late last week, informing them that Majka had drowned but no further information, including the circumstances of the incident, was revealed. He was due to return from his vacation on Saturday and his body will be returned once all the necessary paperwork is completed.

This is the second drowning that has affected the region in the past week, as an Alaskan man drowned in the Connecticut River last week.

On a lighter note, it's good news for Dartmouth College as they've announced a new energy research institute, thanks to a considerable monetary gift. A large player in the oil industry, Irving Oil, has donated a lead gift of \$80 million towards the \$160 million goal to fund the new institute. **(B)** The new school within Dartmouth will be titled the Arthur L. Irving Institute for Energy and Society and it will hope to advance the understanding and knowledge of a resource that powers modern life and is tied directly to the quality of life, says Dartmouth. Arthur Irving and his wife Sandra have been providing Dartmouth with student scholarships and faculty support for over a decade and their daughter is a Dartmouth graduate who graduated in 2010 and then from the Tuck School in 2014. The institute will examine the intersection of energy and society from four different angles: technology and science, society and the environment, business and economics, and geopolitics. Irving says that Dartmouth has been committed to the study of some of the world's most urgent problems and the Institute of Energy and Society will set the Ivy League apart as a leader in the field. Additional gifts towards the funding goal have already been contributed, bringing the running total to \$113 million.

From educational news to fire department news, the Brattleboro FD has announced some rather significant changes to their staffing. The changes are certainly positive as two new entry level firefighters have been hired, two have been promoted to lieutenant, and two more have been promoted to captain. **(B)** According to Fire Chief Michael Bucossi in an announcement he wrote for the *Reformer*, all of the candidates were subject to a written test, an oral board, and an

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interview with him, a chief's interview. The two new hires are Kyle Rabideau from Hinsdale, NH and Adam Schaub from Meredith. Rabideau has been a two-year member of the Call Staff at the Brattleboro FD and Schaub has been a member of the Center Harbor Fire and Rescue in Center Harbor for 10 years. Both will begin their orientation next week and their first shift assignments begin the following week. Meanwhile, 10 and 12 year veterans Kurt Schmidt and Josh Jones have been promoted to shift lieutenants and begin their new responsibilities next week. Finally, both Lieutenants Jason Davis and David Emery Jr. have been promoted to the rank of captain. Both have been with BFD for 17 years and will be in charge of the day to day operations of their shifts, beginning next week.

After the break on YCN News, we'll check out the Lake Sunapee Region VNA and Hospice for our weekly home care matters segment. We'll be right back.

Welcome back to YCN News, I'm Andrew Zurheide.

Let's now join the Lake Sunapee Region VNA and Hospice for our weekly segment: Home Care Matters.

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Thanks for that, we'll tune back in at the same time next week for more medical information.

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Welcome back to YCN News. I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today's been a wet overcast day as we've seen showers and thunderstorms with periods of patchy fog as well. But at least it's been relatively comfortable with temperatures reaching the mid 70s. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight could be very foggy and temperatures will fall just below 60 degrees (59). The skies will be MOSTLY CLOUDY and a 10 mile an hour southwest wind will become calm throughout the night. Tomorrow, Tuesday, looks like a very nice day as SUNNY clear skies are expected. Temperatures will reach the upper 70s (79) and the southwest wind from the night before will remain calm. Tomorrow night, the skies will be MOSTLY CLEAR and lows will fall into the mid 50s (56). A southwest wind will increase in strength slightly to around 5 miles an hour. Wednesday will be another beautiful SUNNY day as the skies will be clear and temperatures will again reach the upper 70s (78). There could be a west wind will gust speeds as high as 15 miles an hour. And Wednesday night, we'll see MOSTLY CLEAR skies with lows falling to a cool 49 degrees.

If you have kids who enjoy experimenting with techno-toys, I suggest you bring them to the Richard Free Library in Newport, New Hampshire on 58 North Main St. for an hour of maker play beginning at 3:15pm. Your kids will learn to create and play with techno toys like cubelets, snap circuits and brain flakes. Contact the number on your screen to find out more. (603-863-3430)

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Well a few hours later, the Richards free library is also hosting a free knitting night beginning at 6pm. Bring in your knitting projects and join local community members for some pleasant conversation. The knitting will last until 8pm and if you would like more information, you're welcome to call the number on your screen. (603-863-3430)

Looking ahead now, the Northern Stage, a local theater company located in White River Junction, VT on 76 Gates Street at the Barrette Center for the Arts, is kicking off its 20th anniversary season with Macbeth, a play by William Shakespeare. The play probes the deepest realms of human nature, finding truths that still resonate with our world. This production joins the countless world productions set to acknowledge the 400th anniversary of Shakespeare's death. Macbeth will be running from September 28 until October 23rd. The show will cost students 15 dollars and adults 30. For tickets and information please call the number on your screen. (802-296-7000)

Although the temperatures may be getting a little chiller, especially at night, winter is still a ways away. That's good news for any mountain bikers out there, although you could still bike in the winter with a fat tire bike. However, YCN's Kurt Wehde maintains that Autumn is the best time of year for mountain biking so without further ado, let's check out the Swoops and Loops trail near the Ascutney State Park in Vermont.

PKG

Looks a nice easy ride for any beginners out there. As the leaves start to change, it's a great time to take a hike or bike ride to do some sightseeing of the wonderful fall colors.

So now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some local results from the weekend.

Let's start with some football games from Friday,

The John Stark Generals took on the Lebanon Raiders as the Generals were able to win a blowout 42 to 6. John Stark improves to 3 and 0 while Lebanon suffered their first loss of the year and are now 2 and 1.

Stevens hosted Newfound as the Cardinals also won a blowout, winning 42 to 16. Stevens remains undefeated at 3 and 0 while newfound is still searching for their first win.

Windham and Hillsboro-Deering Hopkinton faced off as Windham won easily 58 to 7. Windham improves to 3 and 0 while Hillsboro falls to 1 and 2.

And Hanover traveled to take on Pembroke as the Marauders would end up winning 37 to 6, improving to 3 and 0 on the year.

Now let's check out girls soccer,

The Sunapee Lakers played against Pittsfield on Friday as the Lakers won easily 4 to 0. This was the Lakers third straight shutout victory.

John Stark was able to take down Kennett winning 8 to nothing. The Generals remain undefeated at 6 and 0.

Lebanon was able to score a single goal against Plymouth but this was all the Raiders needed to get the win as they improve to 2 and 5.

Hanover hosted Pembroke as the marauders pulled out a close one winning 2 to 1.

Hillsboro-Deering was able to beat Newport 4 to 1.

And Fall Mountain took down Campbell 2 to 1.

And finally to boys soccer,

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Pittsfield was able to beat Sunapee 4 to 2 as the Lakers fall to 3 and 3. Hank Vincent and Michael Mullen were the goal scorers for Sunapee.

Windsor was able to score 7 goals against Bellows Falls as the yellow jackets improved to to 2 and 4. A.J. Wood scored a hat trick along with two assists for Windsor.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Elizabeth D'Orazio for some River Valley Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Danny Kish, a golf pro from Eastman's golf course. We'll be right back.

Thanks Elizabeth and Danny. Up next, we'll join John O'Connor for this week's Capital Connections. He's speaking to Wayne Lesperance, a political science professor at New England College. We'll join them when we come back.

Thanks John and Wayne, we'll join you tomorrow for the next part. Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good weekend.

Scores

FOOTBALL

John Stark 42 - Lebanon 6

Stevens 42 - Newfound 16

Windham 58 - Hillsboro Deering - Hopkinton 7

Hanover 37 - Pembroke 6

GIRLS SOCCER

Sunapee 4 - Pittsfield 0

John Stark 8 - Kennett 0

Lebanon 1 - Plymouth 0

Hanover 2 - Pembroke 1

Hillsboro-Deering 4 - Newport 1

Fall Mountain 2 - Campbell 1

BOYS SOCCER

Pittsfield 4 - Sunapee 2

Windsor 7 - Bellows Falls 0

Good evening, it's Tuesday, September 20th.

For the second night in a row, we've got crime news out of Lebanon, New Hampshire, as police have completed another drug bust. In late August, the Lebanon PD with the assistance of the NH Attorney General's Drug Task Force received intelligence that 32-year old Mark Churchill of Springfield was traveling to Leb with a quantity of heroin. On August 31st, police located his vehicle on Heater Road at around 3:45 in the afternoon. During a motor vehicle stop of Churchill's vehicle, 10 bags of heroin and a small amount of marijuana were found. Two other occupants were in the vehicle at the time, that being 25-year old Jessica Griswold and 22-year old Nathaniel Decamp of Springfield and Enfield, respectively. Police found 10 bags of heroin on Griswold and marijuana on Decamp.

Churchill was charged with the Class B Felony charge of Possession of a Narcotic Drug and a Griswold was arrested for the same charge as well. Both were released on \$10,000 bail and will be arraigned November 7th. Meanwhile, Decamp was released on the scene but given a summons for a court date of October 24th for marijuana possession charges.

Ever wanted to name a bridge? How about ever wanting to drive across a bridge with family or friends and tell them that you helped name it? Now's your chance, especially if you're a resident of Lebanon or West Leb. The city is currently seeking ideas and input regarding the name of the new Route 4 bridge that connects West Lebanon and Hartford, Vermont. Residents will have their chance during a public forum on Thursday night at the Mount Lebanon School. The span over the Connecticut River opened last November after a long construction period where the old deteriorating bridge was dismantled and the new one was built in its place with commuters using a temporary bridge in the meantime. However, the bridge just can't seem to find a name as multiple people and groups are proposing different ideas. Ideas include naming it after Korean War veterans, all veterans abroad, or historic West Leb families. *The Valley News* says that groups argued that the I-89 bridge further South is named after Vietnam War veterans and that Korean War vets deserve recognition of their own. The City Council has formed a task force to find a name this fall and to decide how to pay for signage once a name is agreed upon. The meeting is at 6:00 on Thursday.

As I've mentioned previously once or twice here on YCN, it doesn't need to be the 4th of July to light off some fireworks. Summer is always a common time for people to ignite some of the loud light displays that cause us to oogle and ogle, but residents of Enfield are speaking up to voice their concerns over the noise and possible pollution. According to *The Valley News*, a handful of residents were scheduled to meet with the town's selectboard yesterday to discuss the noisemakers. The residents, who live on the lake, requested a special meeting with the board to discuss not banning fireworks, but instead to look at how their effects can be mitigated to all residents in town. The concerns are stemming mainly from residents who live on the lake, given the fact that sound travels exceedingly well over bodies of water as well as the concern that firework debris is landing in the water, including plastic and traces of chemicals. The Department of Environmental Services in NH says that fireworks debris can be poisonous to wild animals and can even affect the taste and odor of drinking water. The Mascoma Lake Association has expressed interest in the discussion but has not taken a stance on the fireworks as of yet.

(L3, Kathleen Kennedy, Manager, New London Hospital Annual Fund & Grants)

In medical news now, from 1955 through 1988, Dr. John Ohler practiced at the New London Hospital. As a highly regarded physician, the medical staff and leadership created a lecture series in his honor and memory. This will be the 3rd year of this program for healthcare professionals and community members. YCN caught up with Kathleen Kennedy to tell us about this year's lecture.

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Thanks for the insight Kathleen and if you're looking for something to do tomorrow night, this is a great opportunity to absorb some valuable knowledge.

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After the break on YCN News, if you've got a thing for antique cars or BBQ or heck, both, then you'll wanna stick around as we take a look at an event from this past weekend.

Some consider Fall the finest time of the year here in Northern New England, myself included. You've got warm days, crisp cool nights, very few bugs, and how could I not mention the fall foliage that people come from all over just to see. Best of all are all the events that occur now through Columbus Day. YCN dropped by one such event at Sunapee Cove Assisted Living recently: an antique car show and BBQ! We asked the Executive Director, Pudge Eaton, how an event like this gets put together.

Pudge Eaton
Executive Director, Sunapee Cove Assisted Living

Jim Austin
Yesteryears Motorcar Club

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Looks like a fun day for all those who attended. For upcoming events you can go to their website HallKeen.com and click on the "Our Communities" tab for access to Sunapee Cove then click on "News and Events." If you're interested in Yesteryears Motorcar Club you can eMail the president, Chuck Solger at jcsolger@yahoo.com to see where and what they are doing and how you can join.

After the break on YCN News, we'll take a look at some local sports action, plus your weather and community calendar. We'll be right back.

Welcome back to YCN News. I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today, as one of the final days of summer, has been absolutely gorgeous as we've seen clear sunny skies with temperatures reaching 81 degrees. Tomorrow could be more of the same so now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight, patchy fog is expected after 2am. But the skies will be MOSTLY CLEAR and lows will fall into the mid 50s (56). A 10 mile an hour southwest wind will become calm throughout the night. Tomorrow, Wednesday, the patchy fog will continue until around 7am. But it looks like another warm SUNNY day with highs reaching the upper 70s (78) and with calm westerly winds. Tomorrow night, the skies will continue to be MOSTLY CLEAR and lows will fall to a rather chilly 50 degrees. Thursday, the official first day of fall, will again be MOSTLY SUNNY and highs will reach 80 degrees. And the winds will remain calm with slight 5 mile an hour southwest gusts. And finally on Thursday night, the skies will be MOSTLY CLOUDY and lows will fall into the upper 50s (58).

If you currently have or have had breast cancer at some point in your life, then we have an exercise class for you. Pam's Class, in Lebanon, New Hampshire at Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center on One Medical Center Drive, is a free exercise class for women who have been diagnosed with breast cancer. The class will begin at 1pm and it's set to music and works on range of motion, strength, balance and self image. Please call the number on your screen to learn more. (603-650-7768)

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The AVA Gallery and Art Center in Lebanon, New Hampshire on 11 Bank St. is hosting another Art Stop from 3 to 5:30pm. Art Stop is an afterschool program that encourages youths in grades 5 through 8 to take inspiration from AVA's ongoing exhibitions to create their own drawings, paintings and sculptures. This is a free program and you're welcome to call the number on your screen to find out more. (603-448-3117)

Do you enjoy playing chess but just don't have anyone to play with? Or maybe you're interested in learning how to play? Then you should check out the the Howe Library, In Hanover, New Hampshire, on 13 south st. From 6 to 8pm, there'll be a chess club playing games and/or teaching how to play chess. The club is open to all experience levels and to players of all ages. To learn more, contact to number on your screen. (603-643-4120)

Last Friday night, the Kearsarge Cougars hosted the Fall Mountain Wildcats in North Sutton, New Hampshire. Kearsarge came into the game with a record of 1 and 1 while the Wildcats held a record of 0 and 2. Let's see which team was able to get the victory.

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After the first two games of the year, Kearsarge had lost their first and second string quarterbacks due to injury. But it doesn't seem to matter as Justin Norris has scored a total of 10 touchdowns over the past two games and he currently leads the state in rushing yards. Look for him to continue to be a big factor for this Kearsarge team going forward.

So now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some local results from yesterday.

First up, girls soccer,

The Kearsarge Cougars hosted Plymouth as the Cougars were able to win 3 to 1, improving to 6 and 1 on the year.

The Stevens Cardinals were able to beat the Newport Tigers 5 to 2. Stevens improves to 4 and 3 while Newport falls to 3 and 4.

Let's change things over now to girls volleyball,

Stevens lost to Campbell 3 to zero as the Cardinals sit winless at 0 and 5.

Hanover lost to Gilford 3 to nothing as the Marauders have only managed one win on the year with a record of 1 and 5.

John Stark was able to beat Manchester West 3 to zero as the Generals improved to 5 and 1.

And Sunapee was able to take down Franklin winning 3 to nothing. The Lakers also improved to 5 and 1 and have now won their fifth consecutive match.

And last but not least, boys golf,

Hopkinton was able to come out on top after a four team matchup which also featured Sunapee, Profile School and Hillsboro-Deering. Hopkinton won by a final score of 197, with Sunapee coming in second with 213, and Profile and Hillsboro-Deering close behind for third and fourth. Hopkinton improves to 9 and 5 and is eyeing the playoffs.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Lynn Solomon for some Kearsarge Chronicle.

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Today, she'll be speaking to AJ Giglio, from the Brother's House of Smoke. We'll be right back.

Thanks Lynn and _____. Up next, we'll join John O'Connor for this week's Capital Connections. He's speaking to Wayne Lesperance, a political science professor at New England College. We'll join them when we come back.

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Scores

GIRLS SOCCER

Kearsarge 3 - Plymouth 1

Stevens 5 - Newport 2

GIRLS VOLLEYBALL

Campbell 3 - Stevens 0

Gilford 3 - Hanover 0

John Stark 3 - Manchester West 0

Sunapee 3 - Franklin 0

BOYS GOLF

Hopkinton 197

Sunapee 213

Profile 228

Hillsboro-Deering 236

Good evening, it's Wednesday, September 21st.

It was a scary scene Monday night for emergency crews in Unity, New Hampshire as they responded to the scene of a collision between a car and a telephone pole. At around 8:30 at night, the Unity Fire Department was dispatched to the 2nd NH Turnpike in the area of County Farm Road for a report of the aforementioned collision. Deputy Chief Noll was on the scene around 8.45 with Unity Engine 2 and they found that the car had sheared the telephone pole in half and had come to a rest on the upper portion of the fallen pole. The rest of the pole was suspended above the vehicle by the electrical and phone wires. The driver was uninjured and was able to make it out of the vehicle by the time crews arrived. The electrical wires were intact but were hanging low over the roadway and posed a threat to vehicles and people in the area as they were still live and strained. The road was closed and the scene was cleared. Unity crews were on the scene until 4:00 AM until traffic control arrived at the behest of the power company. Besides Unity, Golden Cross Ambulance, the Sullivan County Sheriff's Department, and New Hampshire State Police responded to the scene.

Crime news now out of Springfield, Vermont now as a police executed a search warrant at a home on Pine Street and have cited a Springfield man for growing marijuana. Police spent several hours inside a yellow home on Pine Street near a preschool as they searched the

place over. They filed no charges as of Monday evening and didn't reveal much information besides the fact that they had found something. *The Eagle Times* says that yesterday, it was revealed that authorities had found a marijuana grow operation and that 49-year old David Fuller of Springfield was issued a citation to appear in court for alleged marijuana cultivation. The search warrant was the result of a complaint from a resident that there was possibly a growing operation as well as firearms in the house in question. Springfield Police were assisted by Vermont State Police and Weathersfield Police in executing Monday's search warrant. Two rifles and a shotgun were confiscated in the search and Fuller was issued a citation to appear in Vermont Superior court in Windsor on November 8th.

This story will be familiar to those who joined us yesterday as we've got an update now in the recent discussions over fireworks in Enfield focusing around Macoma Lake. According to *The Valley News*, the town's selectboard and about a dozen residents met on Monday to discuss the noise and pollution from summer fireworks ignited by other residents and vacationers in the area. One resident from Mascoma Lake brought a bag of cardboard and plastic debris found on his property, left over from spent fireworks. Another neighbor voiced concerns that fireworks on the weekends make it hard for him to sleep and disturb his two pet dogs, which was understood by a Selectboard member who lives on the lake and said that she can also hear the fireworks on a regular basis. The board brought up the idea of proposing a new ordinance on fireworks that wouldn't been too restrictive nor would it ban fireworks altogether, but it would try to mitigate the negative effects that have been brought up. The idea is to find the balance between the rights of individuals to light fireworks and to address the concerns voiced on Monday. The board will continue the discussion.

Yesterday on YCN, we offered our thoughts that Autumn is definitely one of the best seasons of the year for a variety of reasons. One of those reasons is the great amount of events going on from now through Columbus Day. One such event is this weekend in Windsor, Vermont and it's called the Autumn Moon Festival. This is a yearly event that is a festival in the utmost sense of the term. It's taking place this Saturday from 4 to 9 PM in the heart of Windsor in the downtown and will feature live music from Roadtrash and About Gladys. At night there will be a fireworks display, which is a great way to celebrate the first few days of Autumn. There is absolutely no fee to enter the festival itself, but certain exhibits may require a minor fee to enter or take part in, such as the Kids Zone, which has a \$5 entrance fee that is good for all 4 hours of the event. If you're feeling thirsty while there, Harpoon Brewery will be hosting a beer garden and there will be plenty of craft and baked good. Youngsters in the Kids Zone can fool around in the Safari Bounce House or 3D Obstacle Course and can take some funny photos in the Photo Booth. We've only mentioned a handful of all the exhibits and events taking place at the Autumn Moon Festival so you can visit [Facebook.com/AutumnMoonFestival](https://www.facebook.com/AutumnMoonFestival) to find out more.

After the break on YCN News, we've got two stories regarding marathons and runs today so we'll start with the first when we come back.

As we head into this last weekend in September we remind all runners in our region of the 39th Annual Clarence DeMar Marathon and Half Marathon road race with the finish line at nearby Keene State College This is a challenging but fair road race for endurance runners of all abilities. The first half of the 26.2-mile course is mostly gentle hills with a net elevation drop from start to finish. The Full Marathon begins in Gilsum, and the Half Marathon begins at the Surry

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Recreational Dam in Surry. The Super Seniors and Kids' Marathons begin 1.2 miles from the finish line. Take a look!

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The Clarence DeMar Marathon is a well-organized, welcoming race and the 26.2-mile course is a Boston Marathon qualifier. The DeMar gives runners a world-class experience and a celebration with every cross of the finish line.

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Tonight, patchy fog is expected after 3am. But the skies will be MOSTLY CLOUDY and lows will fall to around 51 degrees. There'll be a southwest wind that'll become calm throughout the night. Tomorrow, Thursday, the patchy fog will continue until around 9am but the first day of fall looks like another nice day as MOSTLY SUNNY skies are expected and temperatures will climb into the low 80s (80). Tomorrow night, the skies will be MOSTLY CLOUDY. Lows will fall back into the mid 50s (56) and a calm south wind will increase in strength to around 10 miles an hour. Friday could be a wet one as there's a 30% CHANCE FOR SCATTERED SHOWERS throughout the day. But despite this, the skies will still be partly sunny with highs reaching 71 degrees. A 15 mile an hour southwest wind will turn northwest in the afternoon. And Friday night, the CHANCE FOR SHOWERS increases to 50%. Mostly cloudy skies are expected and lows will fall to a very chilly 46 degrees.

If you consider yourself a senior citizen, and you enjoy art and being creative, then you should check out the senior art in the morning event at the AVA Gallery and Art Center in Lebanon, New Hampshire on 11 bank st. Beginning at 9am, swing on by to work on your own projects using materials provided by AVA. This event will run until 12 and a free lunch will take place from noon to 1pm. Attending will cost you small fee of five dollars and you can call the number on your screen to find out more. (603-448-3117)

If you want to play with legos as a kid or an adult, come on down to the Wilder Club and Library, in Wilder, Vermont on 78 Norwich Ave. at 3pm where lego construction will be available to all ages. Kids 5 and up, can complete 8 challenges over 10 weeks to win a prize. The event is free and you can call the number on your screen for more details. (802-295-1232)

Looking ahead now, the Northern Stage, a local theater company located in White River Junction, VT on 76 Gates Street at the Barrette Center for the Arts, is kicking off its 20th anniversary season with Macbeth, a play by William Shakespeare. The play probes the deepest realms of human nature, finding truths that still resonate with our world. This production joins the countless world productions set to acknowledge the 400th anniversary of Shakespeare's death. Macbeth will be running from September 28 until October 23rd. The show will cost students 15

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dollars and adults 30. For tickets and information please call the number on your screen. (802-296-7000)

On September 10th, around 80 runners and multiple families drove to the top of Lempster Mountain in Lempster, New Hampshire to run the Newport Area Chamber of Commerce Windmill 5K race. Let's check out some of the action.

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All proceeds from the race went to the Newport Chamber of Commerce. If you would like to participate in next years race, you can register at wind mill 5k.com (windmill5k.com)

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John Stark took on Kingswood as the Generals were able to win a close one, 1 to nothing during double overtime. Lawson Murphy headed in the game winning goal for John Stark as they improved to 7 and 1.

Hanover was able to beat Nashua North 4 to nothing as Casey Starr scored twice for the Marauders.

Hopkinton took down Mascoma Valley 5 to 1 as they improved to 6 and 1, winning their 4th straight.

And Fall Mountain was able to blank Hillsboro-Deering, winning 6 to nothing. Fall Mountain improves to 2 and 6 while fall mountain fell to 3 and 5.

Let's change things over to girls soccer.

Hanover traveled to take on Trinity as the Marauders were able to win easily 5 to zero. Anna Dickson scored twice and added and assist for Hanover as they improved to 6 and 1.

John Stark was able to beat up on Kingswood as the Generals won 10 to nothing. Morgan Hawks and Brooke Shatney each score two goals for John Stark as they remain undefeated at 7 and 0.

And last but not least, field hockey.

The Bow Falcons were able to beat the Kearsarge Cougars, 2 to nothing in Bow. The Falcons improved to 4 and 4 while the visiting Cougars fell to 2 and 5.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Elizabeth D'Orazio for some River Valley Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Martha McLafferty, from the Hartford Community Restorative Justice Program. We'll be right back.

Thanks Elizabeth and _____. Up next, we'll join John O'Connor for this week's Capital Connections. He's speaking to Wayne Lesperance, a political science professor at New England College. We'll join them when we come back.

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Thanks John and Wayne, we'll join you tomorrow for the next part. Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good weekend.

Scores

BOYS SOCCER

Lebanon 5 - Kennett 0

John Stark 1 - Kingswood 0 **2OT**

Hanover 4 - Nashua South 0

Hopkinton 5 - Mascoma Valley 1

Fall Mountain 6 - Hillsboro-Deering 0

GIRLS SOCCER

Hanover 5 - Trinity 0

John Stark 10 - Kingswood 0

FIELD HOCKEY

Bow 2 - Kearsarge 0

Good evening, it's Thursday, September 22nd.

Crime news is up first tonight as Lebanon Police are at it again, bringing the guilty to justice. Today's suspects are three males who are accused of approaching a man on Taylor Street early this morning and stealing his cellphone and headphones while threatening to kill him and his family. The victim reported the call early this morning around 1:20 AM and officers responded to the scene. Based on a physical description provided by the victim, officers made contact with two residents, identified as 18-year old Antonio Callaghan and 22-year old Justin Cohn at a home on Elm Street and found out that a third suspect, the one who had made the threats and stolen the property, had fled the residence. Officers obtained a search warrant and found the SIM card from the stolen cellphone and three people were arrested. A 15-year old juvenile, the one who fled, was found with the cellphone and was found to have an active Juvenile Detention Order from the Manchester Police Department. Callaghan and Cohn were both arrested for Conspiracy to Commit Robbery. Both were transported to the Grafton County lockup on bail and were arraigned today.

Here in Claremont now, city officials are planning to examine the upcoming timber harvest at Arrowhead Recreation Area. As with any proposed timber cut in Claremont, the city council and the conservation commission meet to discuss the plan of action. *The Eagle Times* says that both groups will be meeting on Monday at 5 PM to discuss the harvest site at Arrowhead, which is home to around 190 acres of forest managed by the city's parks and rec department. The 190 acre plot includes the open ski slopes of the mountain but the wooded area is home to many different types of trees. This latest timber harvest project is part of a 10-year forest management plan that is a little less than halfway complete and has already provided the city with over half a million dollars in profit. The logging is done in a beneficial way in that it removes hazard trees and thins out dense thickets, which allows new trees to grow and prosper. Residents have voiced concerns over logging at Arrowhead,

most notably property abutters, but the public review will hope to mitigate any concerns over busy logging roads and property damage. The project won't move forward until a meeting is held with property abutters.

Two transportation related stories for you now. We'll begin with our first in West Lebanon, New Hampshire where the Lebanon Airport has dropped their airline ticket costs to meet their ticket target for the year. Cape Air, which is the only airline that flies out of Lebanon, has begun to offer discounts for their two flight destinations of Boston and White Plains, New York. The drops are \$49 from \$59 and \$99 from \$130 for Boston and New York, respectively. *The Valley News* says that officials hope that the decreased fares will inspire more people to fly through Lebanon so that the airport can reach their 10,000 annual flier goal. The airport's manager told the paper that they've had roughly 6,500 flights so far this year and is confident that they will hit the 10,000 flight goal, as they've done for the past few years since 2012. YCN spoke to Anna Gillam, a resident of Port Chester, New York who recently flew from through Lebanon Airport to White Plains. She told YCN that, "Price, as well as the length of the trip are two huge factors when choosing your mode of transportation. One hour to New Hampshire for \$99 is basically unbeatable". The sale for flights to both Boston and White Plains will be running until the end of the year, which is a great resource for visiting relatives for the various holidays coming up.

From airlines to buslines, folks who live in Brattleboro or the surrounding area will now have a much easier time getting to Boston as a new bus service will link the two. Beginning in just a week or so on October 1st, MAX Bus will be making stops at the Brattleboro Transportation Center in downtown Boston and will provide a trip from Brattleboro to Boston each way, every day. The new service will offer round trip tickets for \$29, purchased online, marked down from the normal \$60 price tag as a way of introducing commuters to the new service. *The Brattleboro Reformer* says that the Massachusetts Department of Transportation awarded federal funds to start the project after entering a bid for it. And the good news for future bus riders is that MAX buses will have 51 seats instead of the usual 56 so riders will have some extra room to stretch their legs and relax. Those seats will be reclining seats and will be complemented by power outlets and wireless internet. Handicap riders are in luck too as the buses will be wheelchair accessible and if you have a bike or extra luggage, space is provided for those as well. The MAX buses will also be making stops in Greenfield, Mass.

After the break on YCN News, we'll check out a rare piece of history here in Claremont that is more significant than it looks at first glance.

It's not uncommon in area towns to see old cannons or artillery pieces as a symbol of not only our region's history but our nation's involvement in several international wars and many local veterans. However, one piece in particular in Claremont has a lot more history and significance to it than one may think. As a self-proclaimed history buff with a speciality in World War II, I now bring you this special look at one of Claremont's most interesting historic features.

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I should note that if you're a fine scale modeler, this piece serves as a great real-life reference for painting or detail work. Again, it's really something to see a cannon that was once greatly

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feared around 70 years ago simply sitting passively and harmless here in the city. I do recommend that you check it out. And that concludes our history lesson for today!

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Welcome back to YCN News. I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today's the official first day of fall and it's been another warm one as we've seen sunny clear skies with temperatures reaching the mid 80s. Tomorrow could be a different story so now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight, we'll start off by seeing mostly clear skies but as the night goes on, some clouds (CLOUDY) will roll in and temperatures will drop to a relatively comfortable 57 degrees. There could be a slight 5 mile an hour south wind. Tomorrow, Friday, there's a 50% CHANCE FOR SHOWERS after 9am. The skies will be cloudy and highs will reaching the low 70s (72). No more than a tenth of an inch of new precipitation is expected. Tomorrow night, we'll see SCATTERED SHOWERS (30%) mainly before 11pm. The skies will continue to be mostly cloudy and lows will fall to a chilly 47 degrees. By Saturday, the skies will have cleared up and the sun (SUNNY) will be out all day. Temperatures will be a bit cooler, only reaching the mid 60s (64). And there could be a northwest wind with gust speeds as high as 15 miles an hour. And Saturday night, the skies are expected to be MOSTLY CLEAR and lows will plummet down to a very cold 41 degrees.

The Chelsea Farmers Market in Chelsea, Vermont will be going on from 3 to 6pm in the heart of downtown Chelsea on the North Common off of route 110. This market offers fresh produce, local crafts, and prepared foods. There's an average of 20 vendors a week and it's a great place to purchase local products, meet up with friends, enjoy some live music and even bring your kids as there'll be free children's activities. If you would like more information you can call the number on your screen. (802-685-3174)

The Claremont Opera House in none other than Claremont, New Hampshire on 58 Opera House Square, is hosting a beatles tribute band called "Beatlemania". The band will take the stage at 8pm and will perform against a backdrop of images of the 60s and 70s. Tickets will cost between 25 and 35 dollars with discounts to seniors, students and the armed forces. They can be purchased in person, by phone or online by emailing and or calling the information on your screen. (claremontoperahouse.org - (603-542-4433)

If you're a fan of space and a bit of a night owl, I suggest you check out the Shattuck Observatory at Dartmouth College in Hanover, New Hampshire on Observatory Road for a free night of public astronomical observing from 9:30pm to 11pm. The Department of Physics and Astronomy offers free viewing through its astronomical telescopes. Observations will include the moon, planets, stars and more. Observing is only possible under good weather conditions so if the skies are questionable please call the number you see to confirm the status of the session and to find out more information about this very cool event. (603-646-9100)

Welcome to another installment of coaches corner, brought to you by Bubba's Bar and Grille. This week we'll be taking a look at Kearsarge Cougars Football head coach, Zach Matthews. We caught up with Coach Matthews back in August before the start of the season to get a feel for this year's cougar team. We also talked to him last Friday after his team's 57 to 14 win over

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Fall Mountain. Let's see how coach Matthews felt in August compared to how he feels now after a 2 and 1 start to the season.

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After the Cougars lost to Newport by a touchdown in their season opener, Kearsarge has outscored their opponents 104 to 48. The Cougars did lose their first and second string quarterbacks due to injury over the first two weeks so look for Kearsarge to keep handing the ball off to Norris like they did against Fall Mountain. An oh yeah, he currently leads the state in rushing yards.

Now let's move on and take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some local results from yesterday.

Let's begin with girls soccer.

Lebanon was able win 3 to 1 on the road against Kennett. Raiders goalie Kassidee Rogers made a number of nice saves to Lebanon's lead intact.

Stevens hosted Windsor as the Cardinals were able to win 10 to 2, improving to 5 and 3 on the year while Windsor fell to 1 and 4.

Sunapee was able to take down Concord Christian with ease, winning 10 to zero. Syd Clark and Maddie Austin each netted hat tricks for the Lakers as they notched their 6th win of the season.

Hartford hosted Harwood as both teams would score a goal a piece resulting in a tie.

Now let's check out the boys.

The Stevens Cardinals hosted Windsor, and just like the female Cardinals, the boys were able to win with ease with a final score of 7 to nothing. Noah Spaulding scored four times as Stevens improved to 7 and 1.

Sunapee faced off against Concord Christian as the Lakers were able to win 3 to nothing. Hank Vincent scored twice and goalie Will Palin recorded 5 saves for the shutout victory as Sunapee improved to 4 and 3.

Hartford away, was able to beat Woodstock 1 to nothing. The Hurricanes improved to 4 and 1 while Woodstock suffered their first loss of the year and now at 4-1 and 1.

Let's change things over to field hockey.

Plymouth was able to sneak by Hanover, winning 2 to 1. The Marauders fell to 3 and 4 and will visit Milford on Friday

And Derryfield was able beat Lebanon 2 to nothing as the Raiders fell to 2 and 3.

And last but not least, girls volleyball.

Raymond won a close one against Hillsboro-Deering 3 to 2. Hillsboro fell to 1 and 6.

And Sunapee was able to beat Newfound 3 to 1. Sunapee is now 6 and 1 and haven't loss since their season opener against Moultonborough.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Lynn Solomon for some Kearsarge Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Orma Thompson, a customer at the Sunapee Landing Trading Company. We'll be right back.

Thanks Elizabeth and Sue. Up next, we'll join Claremont Mayor Charlene Lovett for Mayor's Minutes?

Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good weekend.

Scores

GIRLS SOCCER

Lebanon 3 - Kennett 1

Stevens 10 - Windsor, VT 2

Sunapee 10 - Concord Christian 0

Hartford 1 - Harwood 1

BOYS SOCCER

Stevens 7 - Windsor, VT 0

Sunapee 3 - Concord Christian 0

Hartford 1 - Woodstock 0

FIELD HOCKEY

Plymouth 2 - Hanover 1

Derryfield 2 - Lebanon 0

GIRLS VOLLEYBALL

Raymond 3 - Hillsboro-Deering 2

Sunapee 3 - Newfound 1

Good evening, it's Friday, September 23rd.

First up tonight is news out of one of our local courts as two people who stand accused of meth production in Claremont have been indicted by a grand jury. 33-year old Shaun Teeter and 35-year old Erica Walker of 44 Central Street in Claremont were charged with possession of methamphetamine and attempted manufacture of meth after an arrest in early August where authorities found evidence of production at the Central Street home. Court records say that both Teeter and Walker will appear for a video arraignment and bail hearing in Sullivan County Superior Court on October 6th. The next day on the 7th, they will be part of hearing for the felony charge of conspiracy to manufacture meth. Following their indictment this week by a grand jury, Teeter was ordered held on \$100,000 bail and Walker on \$50,000 bail. Teeter was arrested in early August during a parole period after being sentenced for 2 to 10 years for credit card fraud in 2010. Authorities said that an inside source told them that Walker was cooking meth in front of her daughter at the Central Street residence. Both individuals were on a watch list for suspected meth production.

The Vilas Bridge is in the headlines again and it most likely will remain that way for a while as the discussion over the bridge's maintenance continues. However, the discussion over the bridge has expanded to include what to do with the historic plaques from the span. According to *The Eagle Times*, the Rockingham Selectboard is actively looking to bring the removed plaques back to town and find them a new home within the Bellows Falls Historical Society. The exact location of the plaques is not yet known and the board discussed contacting the NHDOT to find out where they're being stored and what they can do to return

them. The plaques were once mounted on the historic bridge, which was built in 1930 and stands closed today. The engravings explain that the bridge was presented to New Hampshire and Vermont and Walpole and Rockingham by Charles Nathaniel Vilas, a native of Alstead. The Bellows Falls Historical Society on Mill Street within the Adams Grist Mill Museum has expressed interest in receiving the plaques but has no plans as of yet on how to display them or in what manner. The board will next ask the NHDOT on how they can move forward in locating the plaques and returning them to Vermont.

Further North in Hartford, Vermont now, the Maxfield Sports Complex may be going through some changes in the near future. The sports complex, on Route 5, is home to a building that has been used by multiple tenants and the town is trying to figure out what to do with it. *The Valley News* says that in February the town purchased a 3.25 acre plot of land between the sports complex and the road that encompasses the building and is now discussing how to use the property and the building. Some ideas have been broached so far, including turning it into additional parking or using it for more natural purposes like a vegetable garden or small-scale tree farm. Another idea sees the building used as a multi-purpose facility or vendor/concession hub. In February, the board had initially leaned more in the direction of using it for parking or storage space, but residents, including a soccer coach and vendor, have expressed that it would work better as a spot for vendors and that parking isn't much of an issue in the existing space. The Sports Complex is used for many different purposes, including soccer and basketball and the Upper Valley Nighthawks call it their home field.

And back in Claremont but on a much lighter note than our first Claremont story tonight, a local nonprofit has received a large grant to support their efforts. Turning Points Network, a social services group, received a nearly \$350,000 grant from the Department of Justice Office on Violence Against Women yesterday to support their transitional housing program. This considerable grant will help TPN provide housing at various residences for roughly 50 survivors of domestic violence and their families in Sullivan County. The housing will be provided through private landlord housing and TPN joins five other local organizations in providing a roof over the heads of domestic violence survivors. These groups are: Pride Center of Vermont, Community Alliance, Southwestern Community Services, TLC Family Resource Center, and LP Coleman Contracting Services. Clients will be helped for a minimum of one year and a maximum of two years and will come with a variety of optional service such as legal advocacy, financial counseling, and safety planning. Turning Points Network was founded in 1977 and has offices in both Claremont and Newport. They held a 5K walk and fun run earlier this year and fundraised a total of \$96,000.

After the break on YCN News, we'll ask some area residents their favorite part about Autumn. That's when we come back.

Yesterday was the first day of Fall and even though it didn't feel like it with those high temperatures, the leaves are in fact starting to change. In light of this, we took to the streets of Claremont and asked a handful of residents what their favorite part of Fall is.

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Great answers! To quip in myself, I just love the smell and the wind. Oh and jumping into leaf piles with my dog is fun too. Oh and pumpkin flavored stuff isn't bad, like coffee. Anyway, that's enough of that, time to tell you what's coming up next.

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Welcome back to YCN News. I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today hasn't been nearly as nice as the last few days of summer as we've seen showers and cloudy skies. Temperatures have also been cooler, only reaching the mid 60s. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

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The town of Grafton, New Hampshire will be hosting a town wide yard sale and barbecue at the Grafton Recreation Field and all across town. There'll be countless sales all over the place from the more commercial to the more local so come on by and see if there's anything you'd like to purchase for cheap. The sales will begin at 8am and will run until 3pm while the barbecue will include hamburgers, hot dogs, chili, fried dough, refreshments and more. To find out more, please call the number on your screen. (603-523-9902)

On Sunday, the Candidates for Governor Youth Forum will be held at the Damon Hall in Hartland, Vermont from 4 to 6:30pm. The nominees for governor of Vermont will discuss a number of youth issues including risky behavior, school attendance and education, volunteerism, youth leadership, work-readiness and more. It'll all be moderated by Anne Galloway of VTDigger. A reception will begin at 4pm and the forum itself will begin at 5pm and it's hosted by Windsor County Partners. Both events are open to the public and if you attend the reception, there is a 10 dollar recommended donation. Please email or call the the number on your screen. (802-674-5101 - WindsorCM@outlook.com)

Looking ahead a bit now, the Northern Stage, a local theater company located in White River Junction, VT on 76 Gates Street at the Barrette Center for the Arts, is kicking off its 20th anniversary season with Macbeth, a play by William Shakespeare. The play probes the deepest realms of human nature, finding truths that still resonate with our world. This production joins the countless world productions set to acknowledge the 400th anniversary of Shakespeare's death. Macbeth will be running from September 28 until October 23rd. The show will cost students 15 dollars and adults 30. For tickets and information please call the number on your screen. (802-296-7000)

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On Wednesday afternoon, the Stevens Cardinals boys soccer team hosted the Windsor Yellow Jackets right here in Claremont, New Hampshire. This was an out of division matchup with Stevens holding a record of 6 and 1 and Windsor with a record of just 2 and 5. Let's see which team came out on top.

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The Cardinals have now outscored opponents 53 to 5 over 8 games so far so look for Stevens to be a top seed come playoff time.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some local results from yesterday.

Let's begin with boys soccer. John Stark hosted Windham as the Generals ended up losing an overtime thriller 2 to 1. John Stark falls to 7 and 2 while Windham improved to 7 and 1.

Now to the girls. Hopkinton was able to beat Gilford 6 to 0 on Hopkinton's home field. Brianna Curley scored twice for Hopkinton as they improved to 5 and 2.

Hillsboro-Deering was able to beat inter-lakes 4 to zero as Bridgette Winters scored a hat trick for Hillsboro, helping her team improve to 8 and 1.

Let's check out some field hockey. Stevens traveled to take on Newport as the Cardinals were able to win 6 to 2. Jennie Morey scored three times as Stevens improved to 6 and 1.

And finally to boys golf. Hanover was able to win a 3 team meet which also featured Bishop Brady and John Stark. The Marauders managed to shoot the lowest with a final score of 208, while Bishop Brady came in second with 226 and John Stark with 234. Hanover currently holds a record of 18 and 2 and is sits in second place in division two.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Elizabeth D'Orazio for some River Valley Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Steve Miller, the general manager from Harpoon Brewery. We'll be right back.

Thanks Elizabeth and Steve. Up next, ____.

Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good weekend.

Scores

BOYS SOCCER

Windham 2 - John Stark 1 OT

GIRLS SOCCER

Hopkinton 6 - Gilford 0

Hillsboro-Deering 4 - Inter-Lakes 0

FIELD HOCKEY

Stevens 6 - Newport 2

BOYS GOLF

Hanover 208

Bishop Brady 226

John Stark 234

Good evening, it's Monday, September 26th.

Big news tonight out of Claremont with a developing story regarding a fatal officer-involved shooting over the weekend. A 25-year old Claremont resident was killed early Sunday morning after an encounter with Claremont Police at around 5:00 AM. The victim was identified as Cody Lafont, who lived on Congress Street, and the state's Attorney General's Office is currently investigating the case. Police say that they encountered Lafont when they were responding to a 911 call but it was not revealed what exactly they were responding to or the identity of the officer responsible for shooting Lafont. No police officers were injured and the scene at 53 Congress Street was blocked off during the day on Sunday as investigators worked to uncover the exact details of what happened. Lafont's mother told *The Valley News* that her son had mental health issues, including depression, and he had called 911 multiple time in the past to have police assist him at his home. She also said that to her knowledge, her son owned no firearms. Investigators have determined that this case appears to be an isolated incident and that there wasn't and still isn't a perceived threat to the public.

An update from last week now as residents have made their voices heard regarding the proposed improvements for St. Gaudens Road in Cornish. A public meeting was held last Thursday at the Cornish Town Hall and about 40 residents turned out to hear from the NH Department of Transportation for their planned project for the stretch of road from 12A to the St. Gaudens main site. *The Eagle Times* reports that residents voiced several concerns regarding the removal of the current guardrail and installation of a new one as well as the removal of 14 trees on the side of the road. Additional work mainly includes the removal of the existing pavement, which is worn and cracked, and replacing it with new asphalt and eventually adding a final overlay on top. The guardrail will be replaced with a NU-Guard guardrail, considering that the existing wire rail was built in the 1930s and would not be effective in the event of a crash. However, the new fence would be an eyesore, according to residents. NHDOT officials have expressed that if residents are not happy with the project as it is currently being presented, then it will be amended and not done without the input of residents. The start and duration of the project have not been set as of yet but will cost the state roughly \$585,000 to complete.

It was a fun day yesterday for food enthusiasts in Sunapee, New Hampshire as the Chowder Challenge brought the best chowder from the region into one place to face off. Connoisseurs of chowder and chili came from all over to the 16th Annual Sunapee Parent Teacher Organization Chowder and Chili Challenge in Sunapee Harbor. Nine area restaurants served up various chowders from corn to clam at this year's Chowder Challenge. YCN caught up with Charleen Osgood, who is one of more than 80 volunteers that help put on the successful event and we asked how this year's event went.

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The 2016 winners were were judges choice: Peter Christian's first, Suna second, and Mountain Spirits Tavern third. People's choice was Mount Spirits Tavern first, Peter Christian's second, and Suna third. Then kids choice was: Peter Christian's first, Mountain Spirits Tavern second, and Suna third. Seems like Peter Christian's was a hit! Money raised from the Chowder Challenge will be used for the Sunapee Central Elementary School's enrichment and afterschool programs.

People own all sorts of pets and animals here in the area so when National Alpaca Day took place on Saturday, one local farm was more than happy to show off their furry friends. At Skyview Alpacas in Elkins, visitors were treated to a beautiful day of visiting 85 alpacas and other farm friends while enjoying refreshments and an outdoor shop with alpaca and specialty fiber merchandise. We spoke to Susan King of Skyview Alpacas right before the visitors arrived to shed some light on this fun day.

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Looks like a fun time! Certainly not an animal that you see everyday but thanks to the hospitality of pet and farm owners like Sue King, we all get to enjoy some of the quirkiest animals for our region.

After the break on YCN News, we'll check out the Lake Sunapee Region VNA and Hospice for our weekly home care matters segment. We'll be right back.

Let's now join the Lake Sunapee Region VNA and Hospice for our weekly segment: Home Care Matters.

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Thanks for that, we'll tune back in at the same time next week for more medical information.

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Welcome back to YCN News. I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today's been cooler temperature wise as highs have barely reached 60 degrees. The skies however have been mostly sunny but this could change come tonight so now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight, SHOWERS (60%) are likely mainly after midnight. The skies will become mostly cloudy and lows will stay relatively warm, falling to around 52 degrees. There'll also be a southeast wind with gust speeds as high as 15 miles an hour. Tomorrow, Tuesday, the showers will continue but by around 10am, they'll move on and the skies will gradually become SUNNY and clear. Highs will be comfortable, reaching the early 70s (70) and wind gusts will turn south and should not exceed 10 miles an hour. Tomorrow night, some clouds (PARTLY CLOUDY) will roll in but it'll remain dry. A 10 mile an hour southwest wind will become calm throughout the night and temperatures will fall into the mid 40s (46). Wednesday, the skies will again be MOSTLY SUNNY and highs will climb to nearly 70s (69) degrees. And Wednesday night, there's a slight

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30% CHANCE FOR SHOWERS mainly after 11pm. The skies will be mostly cloudy and lows will fall back into the mid 40s (46).

Do you know Spanish or want to speak spanish but are rarely able to use your language skills in actual conversation? Then head on over to Umpleby's Bakery in Hanover from 9:30 to 10:30am to speak spanish with the Buena Gente Social Club. All ages and proficiency levels are welcome. Please call the number on your screen for more details about this free event.

The Montshire Museum of Science on One Montshire Road in Norwich, Vermont is hosting another cool activity for kids. Come create wind vehicles using a variety of common but limited materials to create a vehicle that includes a sail or some way of catching the wind. Once built, the designs will be tested on the raceway. This event will be running all day while the museum is open from 10am to 5pm. It is recommended that your child is at least 8 years old and if you would more information please call 802-649-2200.

Looking ahead to Wednesday now, the Northern Stage, a local theater company located in White River Junction, VT on 76 Gates Street at the Barrette Center for the Arts, is kicking off its 20th anniversary season with Macbeth, a play by William Shakespeare. The play probes the deepest realms of human nature, finding truths that still resonate with our world. Macbeth will be running from this Wednesday September 28 until October 23rd. The show will cost students 15 dollars and adults 30. For tickets and information please call the number on your screen. (802-296-7000)

Last Wednesday, the Hanover Marauders field hockey team traveled to take on the Plymouth Bobcats. Last year, Hanover over beat Plymouth 2 to zero on the same field so let's see how this year's matchup went.

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Neither team's currently in the top 8 for division 2 but Hanover did pick up a victory over Milford on Friday and have improved to 4 and 4 so things could change quickly.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some local results from over the weekend.

Let's begin with football, the Hanover Marauders hosted their rival Lebanon as the Marauders were able to win easily 34 to 8. Hanover remains undefeated at 4 and 0 while Lebanon falls to 2 and 2.

Merrimack Valley lost to Hollis Brookline 34 to 18 as the Royals fell to 0 and 4.

John Stark was able to black Kingswood 42 to zero as the Generals improved to 4 to 0.

Kearsarge was able to pull out a victory against Newfound 57 to 34. Justin Norris rushed for over 400 yards with 8 touchdowns for Kearsarge as the Cougars improved to 3 and 1.

Stevens was able to beat their rival Newport in a close game 20 to 14. The Cardinals remain undefeated at 4 and 0 while the Tigers fell to 2 and 2.

Hillsboro Deering Hopkinton was able to defeat Trinity 27 to 14.

Bellows Falls easily took down Mt. Mansfield 55 to 8.

And Windsor hosted Otter Valley as the Yellow Jackets were able to win 55 to 13 improving to 4 and 0. Through four games, the Jackets have outscored their opponents 210 to 26.

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Now onto girls soccer, John Stark was able to win a tight game against Hanover 1 to zero. Newport defeated Bishop Brady 4 nothing. Stevens took down Monadnock 7 to 2 and over in Vermont, Hartford won against Springfield 6 to 1 and Woodstock was able to defeat Fair Haven 5 to zero.

And last but not least boys soccer,

Hopkinton beat Raymond 3 to 1. Hanover blanked Merrimack, winning 4 to zero and Stevens took down Mascoma Valley 5 to 3 as the Cardinals have now won 8 straight.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Elizabeth D'Orazio for some River Valley Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Sarah Waters, a volunteer at High Horses. We'll be right back.

Thanks Elizabeth and _____. Up next, we'll join John O'Connor for Capital Connections. This week, he's speaking to Steve Norton, the Executive Director for the New Hampshire Center for Public Policy Studies. We'll be right back.

Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good weekend.

Scores

FOOTBALL

Hanover 34 - Lebanon 8
Hollis Brookline 34 - Merrimack Valley 18
John Stark 42 - Kingswood 0
Kearsarge 57 - Newfound 34
Stevens 20 - Newport 14
Hillsboro Deering-Hopkinton 27 - Trinity 14
Bellows Falls 55 - Mt. Mansfield 8
Windsor 55 - Otter Valley 13

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GIRLS SOCCER

John Stark 1 - Hanover 0
Newport 4 - Bishop Brady 1
Stevens 7 - Monadnock 2
Hartford 6 - Springfield 1
Woodstock 5 - Fair Haven 0

BOYS SOCCER

Stevens 5 - Mascoma Valley 3
Hopkinton 3 - Raymond 1
Hanover 4 - Merrimack 0

Good evening, it's Tuesday, September 27th.

We begin tonight with an update from a story we had last week as Claremont has spoken with residents about their planned logging operation for Arrowhead Recreation Area. The consensus following a public hearing last night was that neighbors and abutters of the logging site were generally opposed to the timber harvest. *The Valley News* reports that last night, about 50 residents met at the end of Whitcomb Lane to chat with city officials about the timber harvest operation that is part of the city's 2008 forestry management plan. The city's forestry consultant explained how the process would be completed, including using specialized equipment and highly-skilled operators to reduce damage to the surrounding land and to fully reap the benefits of selective logging. However, residents have already expressed opposition to the project before it was even explained, citing that the land and roads would suffer immense damage and that water runoff would ruin lawns, considering that the trees are above the houses on a hill. Residents voiced that the cost of the damage would exceed the expected revenue of about \$47,000. The plan won't move forward for now until the City Council discusses it more and makes a decision.

It's no secret that Vermont, the Green Mountain State, is on the cutting edge of going green, well in this case, greener, especially through solar panels. One local town is now examining the option of installing a large group of solar panels on the roof of a sports arena, but it may not work out any time soon. *The Valley News* explains that the town of Hartford has applied for state permission to install a grid of solar panels on the roof of the Wendell A. Barwood Arena, but the building is owned by the school district and would have to go through the School Board first. In July this year, the Vermont Public Service Board received the application from Hartford which sought to install solar panels not just on the sports arena but on various other town buildings including the wastewater treatment plant. All applications were approved as they did not exceed the allowable cap but the actual structural integrity of the sports arena's roof is now in question as it may not be strong enough to support an entire array of panels. The idea of placing the panels on the ground was also broached, but the School Board has yet to make up their mind regarding the installation.

In education news tonight, Dartmouth College is reporting a slight decrease in their endowment for 2016. On Friday, the College announced that they've posted a 1.9 percent investment loss for the fiscal year that ended on June 30th. This brings the endowment value down to \$4.5 billion, which is an overall decrease of 4% from last year's amount of \$4.7 billion. The college's Chief Investment Officer explained that the decrease is largely due to the volatile global economy. However, just last year, the college's endowment was increased by 8.3 percent, boosted by large investment returns and gifts to the school, so the 4% decrease this year isn't as impactful had the college not seen such an increase. Dartmouth now joins two other Ivy Leagues who have reported losses on their endowment funds and investments, those being Harvard University and the University of Pennsylvania with Harvard racking in a 2 percent loss on its endowment and UPenn tallying up an investment loss of 1.4 percent. Four other Ivy Leagues, including Brown and Cornell, have yet to release their investment results.

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After the break on YCN News, we'll take an inside look at the leading provider of home healthcare services in the entire area.

Viewers of YCN are no doubt familiar with the Lake Sunapee Region Visiting Nurse Association and Hospice, which has been serving the area for nearly 50 years. They are the leading provider of home health care services in the Lake Sunapee, Upper Valley, and Connecticut Valley regions of New Hampshire. They're an enduring presence with an unsurpassed breadth of service offerings so let's hear from a few of the people that have found their services to be of benefit.

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If you are interested in their services, would like to volunteer, or would like donate to one of their programs, contact Cathy Raymond at 603-526-4077.

After the break on YCN News, we'll take a look at some local sports action, plus your weather and community calendar. We'll be right back.

Welcome back to YCN News. I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today started off a bit wet but it's turned into a nice day weather wise as we've seen mostly sunny skies with temperatures reaching 71 degrees. Tomorrow could be a bit different so now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight, the skies will be PARTLY CLOUDY. Temperatures will drop just below 50 degrees (49) and a northeast wind will remain calm throughout the night. Tomorrow, Wednesday, we'll see PARTLY SUNNY skies but at times, there could be some patchy drizzle to go along with the sunshine. Temperatures will reach as high as 63 degrees and there'll also be a slight 5 mile an hour east wind. Tomorrow night, there's a 30% CHANCE FOR SHOWERS after 3am to go along with mostly cloudy skies. Lows will fall to a cool 47 degrees. Thursday, the chance for SHOWERS increases slightly to 40%. We'll see mostly cloudy skies with highs reaching the mid 60s (65). And Thursday night, there continues to be a 40% CHANCE FOR SHOWERS along with mostly cloudy skies. Temperatures will again fall just below 50 degrees (49).

If you currently have or have had breast cancer at some point in your life, then we have an exercise class for you. Pam's Class, in Lebanon, New Hampshire at Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center on One Medical Center Drive, is a free exercise class for women who have been diagnosed with breast cancer. The class will begin at 1pm and it's set to music and works on range of motion, strength, balance and self image. Please call the number on your screen to learn more. (603-650-7768)

If you enjoy knitting and drinking tea, then I suggest you check out the Knitting and Tea for Teens and Adults in Etna, New Hampshire at the Etna Library on 130 Etna Road. From 3 to 5pm, knitters, sewers and weavers will come together to share ideas and conversation while enjoying some delicious tea. Newcomers are welcome as well as inexperienced sewers. Please call the number on your screen to find out more. (603-643-3116)

Do you enjoy dancing? If so, how about learning a new kind of dance? The Fairlee Town Hall in Fairlee, Vermont on 75 Town Common Road, is hosting a scottish country dancing class from 7

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to 9pm where an instructor will teach participants this unique style of dancing. No partner is necessary and beginners are welcome so I suggest you check it out. If it's your first time attending there is a small fee of 3 dollars and if you would like more information, you're welcome to call 802-439-3459.

Last Friday night, the Hanover Marauders football team hosted the Lebanon Raiders for their annual rivalry match up. Lebanon had lost the week before while the Raiders remained undefeated so let's see which team was able to take home this year's principals cup.

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Congrats to Hanover on the big win. This victory sure did solidify the Marauders as a powerhouse in division two.

So now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some local results from yesterday.

Let's begin with boys soccer, the Sunapee Lakers dropped to 4 and 4 when they hosted and lost to Moultonborough 3 to zero. The Lakers will take on Wilton-Lyndeborough on Thursday. Woodstock traveled to take on Mill River as the Wasps were able to win 4 to zero. Woodstock improved to 6, 1 and 1.

Now to the girls, Sunapee hosted Moultonborough as the Lakers were able to win 3 to zero. Sunapee remains undefeated with a record of 7, 0 and 1.

Let's change thing over to field hockey, Hanover was shutout while allowing 4 goals from Kennett as the Marauders dropped to 4 and 5.

Stevens was able to take down John Stark 5 to zero as the Cardinals improved to 7 and 1.

Hartford beat Rutland by a final score of 4 to 1 as the Hurricanes improved to 6, 1 and 1.

And Bellows Falls easily blew by Brattleboro with a score of 5 to zero.

And last but not least, girls volleyball, Plymouth was able to pull out a close matchup against Hanover, winning 3 to 2. Raymond took down Hillsboro-Deering 3 to 1. Sunapee blanked Stevens winning 3 to 1 as the Lakers improved to 7 and 2 and Fall Mountain fell to Souhegan 3 to nothing.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Lynn Solomon for some Kearsarge Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Donna Dunlop, from the Hopkinton Town Library. We'll be right back.

Thanks Elizabeth and Sue. Up next, we'll join John O'Connor for Capital Connections. Today we'll continue his conversation with Steve Norton, the Executive Director for the New Hampshire Center for Public Policy Studies. We'll be right back.

Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Kurt Wehde, have a good weekend.

Scores

BOYS SOCCER

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Moultonborough 3 - Sunapee 0

Woodstock 4 - Mill River 0

GIRLS SOCCER

Sunapee 3 - Moultonborough 0

FIELD HOCKEY

Kennett 4 - Hanover 0

Stevens 5 - John Stark 0

Hartford 4 - Rutland 1

Bellows Falls 5 - Brattleboro 0

GIRLS VOLLEYBALL

Plymouth 3 - Hanover 2

Raymond 3 - Hillsboro-Deering 1

Sunapee 3 - Stevens 0

Souhegan 3 - Fall Mountain 0

Libraries have historically been an incredibly valuable resource and that remains true to this day. With countless local libraries across our viewing area, it's likely that residents have at least one favorite. For those who live in Wilmot, their local library is getting the recognition it deserves by being named the 2016 NH Library of the Year. Let's find out more!

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Congratulations to the Wilmot Town Library and I'll take this opportunity to recommend that if you haven't already, stop in at your local library and just get lost for an hour or so. It's amazing what a good book can do!

Good evening, it's Wednesday, September 28th.

A minor update tonight in the tragic story of the death of a 25-year old Claremont man who was shot and killed by police over the weekend. An autopsy released by the New Hampshire Attorney General's Office has revealed that Cody Lafont was shot three times in the chest during an encounter with police on Sunday morning around 5:00 AM. What's more is that at least one officer has been removed from the line of duty for now, pending the results of an investigation being conducted by the AG's Office. Police Chief Alex Scott did not specify to *The Eagle Times* whether the unidentified officer has been placed on paid or unpaid leave of absence or had been reassigned. In fact, authorities aren't revealing much information at this point in the investigation, besides the fact that they responded to a 911 call at Lafont's Congress Street residence and an officer shot and killed him, firing three times. His mother has since explained that he was known to have had mental issues such as depression and didn't own any firearms to her knowledge. Authorities have ruled the shooting as a homicide, which is different than murder, and the autopsy says that no crime was implied.

Staying in Claremont but on a more pleasant note, the city is set to discuss parking and traffic on one of the city's most recognizable streets. The City Council will be discussing

Pleasant Street tonight at their meeting especially in regards to the downtown parking situation and truck traffic. *The Eagle Times* says that the city's Director of Planning and Development will present a downtown parking study from 2009 so that they can address its effectiveness and find determine if parking signs are doing their jobs. One focus of the report was a look at all-day parking for both commercial and residential use. Additionally, in 2015, the Upper Valley Lake Sunapee Regional Planning Commission conducted a study of truck traffic in the downtown and officials are now looking to remove the use of trucks on Pleasant Street, instead hoping to move them to Elm or Union Street. Trucks have been a source of headaches in the area of Opera House Square and Broad Street by causing traffic blockages and slow-downs as they maneuver through roadway features such as the rotary. Essentially, the city is looking to start a discussion and lay out an overview on the current traffic situation, with special regards to Pleasant Street, and find ways to improve.

Speaking of traffic, pedestrians are as much a part of downtowns as cars are and one Vermont town is about to invest in safety for those walking and biking around town. Brattleboro, Vermont, through the town's Selectboard, has agreed to take \$30,000 from the town's annual budget to buy and install pedestrian safety measures throughout town. *The Brattleboro Reformer* says that the Department of Public works is expected to chime in soon and inform the Board on how that money can best be spent. The Traffic Safety Committee in town had discussed installing four new flashing lights for pedestrians crossing the street and the Selectboard, at their previous meeting, came up with the figure of \$30,000 for new safety measures. The vote was unanimous this week following recent incidents of at two pedestrians being hit by vehicles and sent to the hospital with non-life threatening injuries. The board hopes to make the investment and improvements soon, as waiting for the next fiscal year of 2018 would mean that they wouldn't be able to pull funds until next summer.

Yesterday was a big day for the Center for the Arts in the Lake Sunapee Region as they held their annual meeting at the Nolton House in Sunapee Harbor. It was an afternoon full of reflecting on accomplishments for the year and goals moving forward into next year. We spoke to Jean Connolly, the nonprofit's chairman, to tell us more.

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The group continues to promote music, dance, literature, visual arts and all other forms of culture in area and we look forward to seeing what else comes out of the region.

After the break on YCN News, we'll check in with a favorite on YCN, Chef Justin Dain of the Pine Restaurant as he tells us about himself.

Well you've probably seen him on one of our popular video magazine shows like *The Kearsarge Chronicle* or *Explore Outside*, today we profile Chef Justin Dain who creates culinary magic every week at the PINE Restaurant in The Hanover Inn. Chef Justin now tells us just how he arrived and what's keeping him and Pine Restaurant at the top.

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Some quick background, PINE is an American restaurant incorporating a farm-to-table philosophy that utilizes ingredients available in and around New England. PINE has received numerous accolades in the years that it's been open and continues to push the envelope with new inspiring dishes.

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Welcome back to YCN News. I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today's been cloudy and cool and a bit wet at times with sporadic showers and temperatures barely reaching 60 degrees. Tomorrow could be similar so now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight, MOSTLY CLOUDY skies are expected. Lows will fall just below 50 degrees (48) and there'll also be an east wind with gust speeds as high as 15 miles an hour. Tomorrow, Thursday, the MOSTLY CLOUDY skies will continue. Highs will reach the mid 60s (65) and the east wind from the night before will turn north but gust speeds will remain around 15 miles an hour. Tomorrow night, the CLOUDS will stick around and lows will again fall just below 50 degrees (49). The north wind will become calm throughout the night. Friday, will start off cloudy in the morning, but then after 1pm, there's a 30% CHANCE FOR SHOWERS. Temperatures will reach 61 degrees and there'll be a slight northeast wind with gust speeds only reaching 5 miles an hour. And Friday night, the chance for SHOWERS will increase slightly to 40%. The skies will remain cloudy and lows will fall to around 50 degrees.

If you consider yourself a senior citizen, and you enjoy art and being creative, then you should check out the senior art in the morning event at the AVA Gallery and Art Center in Lebanon, New Hampshire on 11 bank st. Beginning at 9am, swing on by to work on your own projects using materials provided by AVA. This event will run until 12 and a free lunch will take place from noon to 1pm. Attending will cost you small fee of five dollars and you can call the number on your screen to find out more. (603-448-3117)

If you want to play with legos as a kid or an adult, come on down to the Wilder Club and Library, in Wilder, Vermont on 78 Norwich Ave. at 3pm where lego construction will be available to all ages. Kids 5 and up, can complete 8 challenges over 10 weeks to win a prize. The event is free and you can call the number on your screen for more details. (802-295-1232)

Have you ever used the programming software called Scratch? Many schools now use Scratch to teach students how computer programming languages work. But Scratch is special because it's an easy interface to use and it allows you to create interactive stories, games and animations. If you would like to try the program out for free, you should come to the Richards Free Library in Newport, New Hampshire from 3:15 to 4:15pm. It's a great way to get your child a leg up on the world of computers. To find out more please call the number on your screen. (603-963-3430)

On Monday night, the Sunapee Lakers girls soccer team hosted the Moultonborough Panthers. Sunapee came into the game undefeated with 7 wins and 1 tie while the Panthers held a record of 4, 4 and 1. Let's see if Moultonborough was able to deliver the Lakers their first loss of the year.

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The Lakers have outscored their opponents 36 to 2 over eight games so far in division four. They're currently ranked second underneath only Newmarket. These two teams will face off on October 14th for a huge matchup that we'll be keeping a close eye on.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some local results from yesterday.

Let's start with boys soccer, Stevens was able to beat Monadnock 6 to zero for the Cardinals 9th straight win. Noah Spaulding recorded another hat trick.

ConVal was able to sneak by Merrimack Valley, winning 5 to 3.

Lebanon won a tight one against Goffstown 4 to 3 as the Raiders improved to 8 and 1.

And Derryfield took down Hopkinton 5 to 1.

Now to the girls, Green Mountain was able to blank Windsor, winning 5 to nothing.

Fall Mountain was able to win an overtime game against Hillsboro-Deering 2 to 1.

Springfield just snuck by Bellows Falls 5 to 4.

Stevens took down Inter-Lakes 2 to nothing with Jazmyn Griffin scoring both goals for the Cardinals.

Hanover beat their rival Lebanon 3 to nothing.

Milford played tight defense against Kearsarge allowing zero goals while scoring three.

Hopkinton only scored once against Raymond but that was all they needed to get the victory.

And John Stark was able to beat Sanborn easily 5 to 0.

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Thanks Elizabeth and _____. Up next, we'll join John O'Connor for Capital Connections. Today we'll continue his conversation with Steve Norton, the Executive Director for the New Hampshire Center for Public Policy Studies. We'll be right back.

Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight and for joining me throughout the more than a year period as your anchor. Like I said earlier, this was my last show on YCN as I am moving on to the next step in my career at Mount Sunapee Resort as the digital content producer so if you're ever skiing or riding there, you may see me. I want to give some quick thank you's, or shout-outs, if you will, to those who have helped support me over the past year. First, my parents and sister Ava, you guys always support me no matter what and keep me sane. Next, to my girlfriend Anna, you're honestly the best I could ask for and I couldn't wish for anything more from you. Then, my best friend Micah, I can't wait till you're back East and we're gonna have an awesome winter doing the outdoorsy things that we've been doing since we were little kids. And finally, my two new roommates, Steve and Nik, it's been great so far bros, it's gonna be an awesome year. So that's about it and again, thank you to everyone and all of our viewers for supporting

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Scores

BOYS SOCCER

Stevens 6 - Monadnock 0

ConVal 5 - Merrimack Valley 3

Lebanon 4 - Goffstown 3

Derryfield 5 - Hopkinton 1

GIRLS SOCCER

Green Mountain 5 - Windsor 0

Fall Mountain 2 - Hillsboro-Deering 1 **OT**

Springfield 5 - Bellows Falls 4

Stevens 2 - Inter-Lakes 0

Hanover 3 - Lebanon 0

Milford 3 - Kearsarge 0

Hopkinton 1 - Raymond 0

John Stark 5 - Sanborn 0

Good evening, it's Thursday, September 29th.

Parents of Croydon students who attend public school in Newport will have one more week to figure out new transportation plans for their children thanks to an agreement reached last night. Just one day after Croydon Superintendent Greg Vogt sent a letter to parents informing them bus service to Newport would end at the end of the week, a new agreement reached last night will extend that service for at least one more week. Currently, about 25 students take advantage of the service - which utilizes a Newport bus driver - for transportation to the Newport Montessori School and the town's public schools. Croydon, which split from Newport's school district this summer to form its own single-town school district, has been without its own bus driver since the middle of last year due to health reasons. Vogt told the *Valley News* he's been looking for a replacement driver since late August when he was told about the current agreement's pending termination. State law says school districts are required to provide bus transportation to students who live more than two miles from their school.

Crossing into Vermont now, a 50-year-old St. Johnsbury man pleaded not guilty Tuesday after firing shots at a camper in Brattleboro and telling police he was "going to blow the town up." Police say John E. Merrick threatened two victims with guns before firing shots at the canopy of their camper from a close proximity. According to the Brattleboro Reformer, Merrick then told an officer he was "going to blow the town up" and that he was "fortifying (his) position" and "loading up all (his) guns." Despite the threats, Merrick - who had access to a black powder pistol and multiple rifles - was taken into custody without incident. He now faces felony charges of aggravated assault with a deadly weapon, reckless endangerment and firearm possession after condition of a violent crime, with each charge carrying a sentence of up to five years in prison. Merrick, who has multiple prior convictions including grand larceny and simple assault, is currently being held without bail.

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Turning back into New Hampshire, a 67-year-old Enfield woman was found guilty earlier this week of assaulting the president of the Enfield Outing Club during a select board meeting back in April. According to court documents, Paulette Dunbar was sentenced to one year good behavior and not serve any prison time as a result of the incident that was caught on video tape. Dunbar was found guilty of having unprivileged contact with the club's president and grabbing his cellphone during a break from the April 18th select board meeting. The altercation was apparently triggered after Dunbar filed a court petition seeking injunctive relief, saying the outing club - which operates a shooting range - violated Enfield's zoning ordinance by expanding use of its site. Dunbar and her partner live across the street from the club. Outing club president David Stewart videotaped the altercation with his cellphone.

And finally, calling hours for a 25-year-old man shot and killed by a Claremont police officer early Sunday morning will be held tonight at a city funeral home. Family and friends are invited to the Roy Funeral Home on Sullivan street until 8 p.m. tonight to pay their respects to Cody Lafont, who was killed during an encounter with police shortly before 5 a.m. Sunday morning. A Mass of Christian burial will be held tomorrow at 3 p.m. at St. Mary's Church. Authorities have released few details regarding the incident, which remains under investigation by the New Hampshire Attorney General's Office. An autopsy released earlier this week revealed that Lafont - who is said to have struggled from depression - was shot three times in the chest. No officers were injured. Police responded to Lafont's Congress street home on a service call, and the name or names of the officers involved have not yet been released.

After the break on YCN News, we'll check out...

Welcome back to YCN News, I'm Abby Peel.

Well we are lucky in this region to have thriving local library's across the state. One local library has been recognized for their Achievements. The Wilmot Public Library has been named the 2016 New Hampshire Library of the Year. YCN Spoke to Jackie Thompson, Chair of the Board for the Library to reflect on this Honor.

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Thanks Jackie, i would encourage all of you watching to stop in, say hi, and see all they have to offer

After the break on YCN News, we'll take a look at some local sports action with this weeks installment of Coaches Corner, Andrew Zurheide will be speaking to the Head Coach of the Hanover Marauders football team, plus Andrew will have your weather and community calendar, when we come back.

Welcome back to YCN News. I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today's been a relatively nice day weather wise as we've seen sunny skies with no precipitation. It's been a bit cool with temperatures not quite reaching 60 degrees but we'll take it along with the blue sunny skies. Now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

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Tonight, some clouds will roll in around 10pm (MOSTLY CLOUDY). Temperatures will fall into the mid 40s (45) and they'll be a calm east wind with gust speeds only reaching 5 miles an hour. Tomorrow, Friday, the clouds will stick around (MOSTLY CLOUDY) and highs will climb to around 60 degrees. The east wind from the night before will increase slightly in strength to around 10 miles an hour. Tomorrow night, could be a bit wet as there's a 30% CHANCE FOR SHOWERS beginning around 9pm. There'll also be some patchy fog beginning after 2am. The skies will be cloudy and temperatures will fall just below 50 degrees (49). Saturday, the 30% CHANCE FOR SHOWERS will continue throughout the day. The skies will be cloudy and highs will almost reach 60's (59). And Saturday night, the CHANCE FOR SHOWERS increase slightly to 40% to go along with cloudy skies and temperatures falling again to around 50 degrees.

The Quechee Library in Quechee, Vermont on 1957 Quechee Main St. is hosting an hour of storytime and craft making for kids who are homeschooled or visiting the area. From 10 to 11am kids around elementary age can come and enjoy free stories and activities focused around folk tales. Please call the number on your screen to find out more. (802-295-1232)

Well volunteers from the town of Bethel, New Hampshire will be transforming their Main Street into a vibrant, walkable active downtown from 3 to 10pm in honor of the Bethel Better Block Festival. Main Street will feature pop-up shops, a beer garden, a taco stand, kids activities, live music, temporary bike lanes, giant street games, public art and more. The festival will be running all weekend until Sunday afternoon and to find out more please call the number on your screen. (802-379-4474)

If you're a fan of space and a bit of a night owl, I suggest you check out the Shattuck Observatory at Dartmouth College in Hanover, New Hampshire on Observatory Road for another free night of public astronomical observing from 9:30pm to 11pm. The Department of Physics and Astronomy offers free viewing through its astronomical telescopes. Observations will include the moon, planets, stars and more. Observing is only possible under good weather conditions so if the skies are questionable please call the number you see to confirm the status of the session and to find out more information about this very cool event. (603-646-9100)

Welcome to another installment of coaches corner, brought to you by Bubba's Bar and Grille. This week we'll be taking a look at the Hanover Marauders Football head coach, Sam Cavallaro. We caught up with Coach Cav after his teams big win last Friday night over rival Lebanon which gave the Marauders their fourth win of the year. They're one of three teams who remain undefeated in the northern division as part of division two along with Plymouth and John Stark. Let's see what coach Cav had to say about his recent victory along with this year's team.

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Hanover has outscored opponents 127 to 62 and as I said before, the Marauders are undefeated at 4 and 0. They'll take on a winless Gilford-Belmont on Saturday.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some local results from yesterday.

Let's start boys soccer, Bishop Brady, the top ranked team in division three, was able to dismantle the lowest ranked team, Newport 10 to nothing. Brady improved to 8 and 0 while Newport fell to 0 and 9.

A strong Campbell team took down Hillsboro-Deering 3 to zero. Hillsboro fell to 2, 7 and 1.

Now to field hockey, undefeated Newfound defeated Kearsarge 3 to nothing as the Cougars fell to 2 and 7.

Franklin was able to score 6 goals while allowing 4 against the Newport Tigers. As Newport fell to 1 and 7.

Hopkinton beat Conant easily 9 to zero. Hopkinton improved to 4 and 4 and will take on White Mountain tomorrow.

And Lebanon beat Goffstown 2 to nothing in a close game. The Raider improved to 4, 3 and 1.

And last but not least girls volleyball, Hanover swept Fall Mountain winning 3 to zero for just their second win of the year.

And John Stark was also able to sweep their opponent ConVal as the Generals improved to 7 and 1 and are currently tied for third in division two.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join Sean Bowman for some Kearsarge Chronicle. Today, he'll be speaking to Rebecca Courser, from the Warner Historical Society. We'll be right back.

Thanks Sean and Rebecca. Up next, we'll join John O'Connor for Capital Connections. Today we'll Wrap up his conversation with Steve Norton, the Executive Director for the New Hampshire Center for Public Policy Studies. We'll be right back.

Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, I'm Abby Peel, have a good night.

Scores

BOYS SOCCER

Bishop Brady 10 - Newport 0

Campbell 3 - Hillsboro-Deering 0

FIELD HOCKEY

Newfound 4 - Kearsarge 0

Franklin 6 - Newport 4

Hopkinton 9 - Conant 0

Lebanon 2 - Goffstown 0

GIRLS VOLLEYBALL

Hanover 3 - Fall Mountain 0

John Stark 3 - ConVal 0

Good evening, it's Friday, September 30th

We begin tonight with news out of the Upper Valley as utilities firm Valley Green Natural Gas formally withdrew its proposal Thursday to build a natural gas facility in Lebanon. The news comes on the heels of an agreement between the firm and competitor Liberty Utilities, which will allow the later company to continue in its efforts to become the region's primary supplier of natural gas. Liberty Utilities will now ask the Public Utilities Commission to reopen its petition to establish a gas distribution facility in the Upper Valley, after having asked the state to suspend the process while it negotiated with Valley Green. Liberty spokesman John Shore announced in a press release that Valley Green has "withdrawn their petition for franchise rights and are supporting the Liberty Utilities petition that is now before the Public Utilities Commission." It was not immediately known when the commission will issue a response to the petition, which has been opposed by environmental groups who question the suitability of natural gas.

Over in Plainfield, town officials are contesting some \$126,000 in charges the federal government says it's owed for maintenance of the property formerly owned by notorious tax evaders Ed and Elaine Brown. The property, located on Center of Town Road, sold at auction last October for \$205,000, but is still causing headaches for officials after the Internal Revenue Service recently released invoices seeking compensation. The Valley News reports the town is arguing that much of the government's claims had either nothing to do with taking care of the property or were "exorbitant," including approximately \$40,000 for plowing and sanding the home's gravel driveway prior to its sale. Another \$27,000 dollars was paid to Dartmouth Moving and Storage for packing personal property at the Plainfield property, though the town argues that much of the Brown's personal items were sold at auction. Plainfield officials expect a response from the government on its arguments some time in the next few weeks.

Here in Claremont, city councilors are split on a proposal to spend roughly \$33,000 on a review of finances of the Parks and Recreation Department and its community center. According to the Valley News, the idea to hire an outside consultant to review the department was triggered during a spring budget review when a request was issued to hire a full-time maintenance worker at a cost of \$60,000 annually. The request was denied by the council, which instead agreed to review the department to ensure it's being run as efficiently as possible. Councilors debated Wednesday the need for the review, with some arguing the city may not even follow through with the report's recommendations. One councilor, John Simonds, went as far as to call the review a "slap in the face" to Parks and Recreation Director Mark Brislin, saying it suggests Brislin is not doing his job properly. The council is expected to reach a resolution on the matter at its Oct. 12th meeting.

And finally, drivers around the Connecticut River Valley will have a new office to visit when it comes to renewing licenses and other DMV matters according to a press release issued by the New Hampshire Division of Motor Vehicles. Today marked the last day of operations at the Claremont DMV located on Water Street, setting the stages for the grand opening of a new DMV office on Monday located at 20 North Main Street in downtown Newport. The new location will feature a larger lobby, more customer parking and offer on-site motorcycle

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testing. DMV Director Elizabeth Bielecki said in a press release that her department “anticipates its customers will find (the new location) both convenient and efficient while they complete their DMV business.” Hours of operation will remain the same at the Newport office, which will be open Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. The Newport office is the only office in the immediate area, with the next closest located in Concord or Keene.

After the break on YCN News, we'll check out the Montshire Museum of Science up in Norwich, Vermont. We'll be right back.

Welcome back to YCN News, I'm Abby Peel.

Well this year marks the 40th anniversary of the Montshire Museum of Science located in Norwich, Vermont. The Montshire is now one of the busiest museums in northern New England, attracting about 150,000 visitors annually. The Museum's school programs also reach more than 13,000 school children in New Hampshire and Vermont. YCN stopped by recently and spoke with the museum's executive director to learn what the Montshire is currently up to.

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If you would like to pay a visit to the museum, they're open daily from 10am to 5pm and admission for non members is between 12 and 15 dollars. Visit Montshire.org to learn more.

After the break on YCN News, we'll take a look at some local sports action, plus your weather and community calendar. We'll be right back.

Welcome back to YCN News. I'm Andrew Zurheide. Well today's been a chilly but sunny day as temperatures have only reached the mid 50s. There's also been a slight chance for a few sprinkles here and there. Tonight could be a different story so now let's take a look at our forecast for the next couple of days.

Tonight, there's a 30% CHANCE FOR SHOWERS beginning around 8pm. The skies will be cloudy and lows will fall to a chilly 45 degrees. New precipitation amounts won't surpass a tenth of an inch. Tomorrow, Saturday, looks like a wet day as SHOWERS (60%) are likely. The skies will of course be cloudy and highs will only reach the mid 50s (56). A calm east wind will turn northeast and gust speeds will increase to around 10 miles an hour. Tomorrow night, there's a 50% CHANCE FOR SHOWERS to go along with temperatures falling again into the mid to high 40s (47). The east wind from earlier in the day will become calm throughout the night. On Sunday, there continues to be a CHANCE FOR SHOWERS (40%). Highs will be a bit warmer but not by too much, reaching 60 degrees. And Sunday night, there'll still be a 40% CHANCE FOR RAIN with cloudy skies and temperatures falling to around 51 degrees.

St. Anthony's Church in Bethel, Vermont on 221 Church st will be hosting a pancake breakfast from 8 to 11am. Swing on by, meet new people and eat breakfast with the community. The

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breakfast will cost between 5 and 8 dollars but all proceeds go towards benefitting the Knights of Columbus programs. Call the number on your screen for more details. (802-763-8985)

If you're looking for some fresh farm grown food I suggest you check out Mount Tom's Farmers Market in Woodstock, Vermont off of route 12 North at the Mount Tom Parking Lot. It will be open from 9:30am to 12:30pm and you can find a wide variety of items to purchase including, home grown produce, home-baked foods, arts and crafts, herbs and spices, eggs and maple sugar products. Please call the number you see to find out more. (802-763-7100)

If you're a fan of live music and FREE live music like myself, then you should check out the Lake Sunapee Area Flute Choir in Newport, New Hampshire at the Library Arts Center on 58 North Main St. Beginning at 7pm, the choir will perform a number of songs that you can listen to in the gallery surrounded by the exhibit, Voices and Visions: Empowerment Through Art. To learn more please call the number on your screen. (603-863-3040)

Here at YCN, we tend to focus on local high school varsity teams but most schools also have JV programs to allow younger up and coming athletes to compete while hopefully being able to eventually make the jump to the varsity level. On Tuesday afternoon, we attended a Hanover Lebanon girls JV soccer game to shed some light on the JV experience and the future of Hanover and Lebanon girls varsity soccer.

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This Hanover JV team will take on Souhegan tomorrow night and Sunapee on Saturday.

Now let's take a look at the YCN Scoreboard to check out some local results from yesterday.

Let's start with girls soccer, Milford was able to pull off an upset win over the John Stark Generals 2 to 1. John Stark lost their first game of the year, dropping to 9 and 1. Sunapee was able to easily blow by Wilton-Lyndeborough 7 to zero as Sunapee remains undefeated at 8, 0 and 1. And Woodstock pulled out a tough win against Springfield 2 to nothing as the Wasps improved to 5 and 4.

Now to the boys, the male Sunapee lakers also took on Wilton-Lyndeborough. They didn't have as easy of a time as the girls but still managed to get the victory, winning 3 to 2, improving to 5 and 4.

Let's change things over to girls volleyball, Sunapee was able to sweep Mascoma Valley winning 3 nothing. The Lakers improved to 7 and 2 and will host Mascenic on Wednesday. And Trinity managed beat Stevens 3 to 1. The Cardinals won their first set of the year but remain undefeated at 0 and 6.

And last but not least boys golf, Hanover was able to improve and finish the regular season with a record of 21 and 2 when they were able beat Coe-Brown 205 to 226. Hanover will compete for their third straight division 2 title on Thursday in Concord.

That's been your look at local sports brought to you by LaValley Building Supply. When we come back on YCN News, we'll join the guys from YCN Sports Talk Jeremy Stout, and

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Dave Collins as they make their picks for week 4 of the NFL season, we'll keep the sports rolling right after this.

Thanks Jeremy and dave, Up next we'll join Elizabeth D'Orazio for some River Valley Chronicle. Today, she'll be speaking to Kent Underwood, from the Vermont Farmstead Cheese Company an award winning cheese shop. We'll be right back.

Thanks Elizabeth and Kent. Thanks to our viewers for joining us tonight, we always appreciate it. Join us tomorrow for more of Your Local View. For YCN, _____, have a good weekend.

Scores

GIRLS SOCCER

Milford 2 - John Stark 1

Sunapee 7 - Wilton-Lyndeborough 0

Woodstock 2 - Springfield 0

BOYS SOCCER

Sunapee 3 - Wilton-Lyndeborough 2

GIRLS VOLLEYBALL

Sunapee 3 - Mascoma Valley 0

Trinity 3 - Stevens 1

BOYS GOLF

Hanover 205

Coe-Brown 226