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Danbury Community Center

February

Events in February

Sat Feb 1st DCC Fundraiser Dinner for Rick Swift 4:30-6:30

Sat Feb 1st Grange Farmer's Market 9-1pm

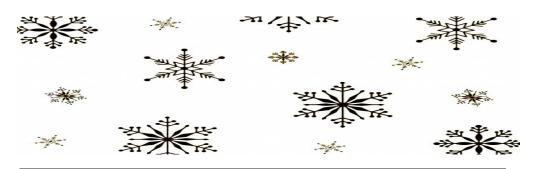
Grange-National Eat Ice Cream for Breakfast Day Feb 1st

Leap Into Wellness Day Saturday, February 29, 9 AM - NOON at the Grange

Special Family Craft Sunday Afternoon February 2nd At DCC 2-4 Making Valentines, Valentine Sun Catchers & more.....

Winter Carnival Begins Saturday Feb 22-Feb 29th (details inside)

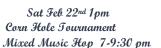




Newsletter Deadline

If you have something to be included in the Monthly newsletter, please email (dccinfo@dccnh.com) or call NO LATER than the 15th of the month by 2 p.m.







Sun Feb 23rd 1pm Sliding Party & Hot Dog Roast At the Barnett's 104 Ragged Mt



Feb 23th 5:30 Fot Luck Supper Cribbage Tournament



Feb 24th Noon Kid's Lunch & Townament



Feb 27th 6-7pm F OFP Dinner-Chili Cook-off



Feb 26th Adult Lunch

& Candy Bar Bingo



Fri Feb 28th 5:30 pm Whist Tournament/Dessert Contest



Sat Feb 29th 8:30-10 Lumber Jack Breakfast



February– Winter Carnival
March 12th our St. Patrick's Day Corn
Beef & Cabbage Dinner.
March 28th Turkey Raffle
April 4th Easter Egg Hunt and Breakfast
with the Easter Bunny

ALL THESE EVENTS AND MORE WILL BE HAPPENING IN 2020 MORE DETAILS IN EACH MONTHS NEWSLETTERS !!!!!!

Special Family Craft Afternoon February 2nd

On Sunday February 2nd, 2-4 PM, the Crafter's Afternoon will feature a Make-and-Take table with a Valentine's Day theme.

Art materials will be provided for children and their accompanying adults to make cards for the special people they love. This has a been a very popular activity at the Christmas breakfast and we hope that families can stop by to give it a try for the February holiday. (In case of bad weather we will reschedule for February 9, still in time for February 14 card delivery.)



This was Santa Breakfast Craft Table

Motor Vehicle now requires that we enter your ID number into the system before we print registrations. Please remember to bring it with you. We also need to see your ID if you are registering to vote or purchasing a birth, marriage or death certificate. Preferably it will have your current address on it. If not, please bring proof of residency such as a utility bill, rental agreement, or lease. Thank You

Tricia Taylor, Town Clerk/Tax Collector

Cathy Jo Hatch, Deputy Town Clerk/Tax Collector





The DCC Food Pantry has seen a big increase of families needing our help so we need your help. We thank everyone who supported us in 2019 your continued support is making a difference.

We continue with our Friends of Food Pantry Dinners on Thursday Nights 6-7 PM, the money is used for bread, milk, eggs, etc...

FOOD PANTRY

Wish List

Toilet Paper Jelly	Beets Peanut Butter	Paper Towels Mustard Cereal	
Mayo	Juices		
Can Goods	Water	Carrots	
Eggs	Spinach	Corn	
Ketchup	Mac & Cheese	Ravioli	

The DCC would like more board members and volunteers. If interested please call 603-768-3424 leave a message or drop by.

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HOURS

Every Wed 1–6 p.m. Every Sat 10am–3 p.m.

georgegamblelibrary@comcast.net 603-768-3765

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George Gamble Library

THE STORY OF ARTHUR TRULUV by Elizabeth Berg is about an elderly gentleman who takes his lunch to the cemetery every day to visit his beloved late wife, Nola. One afternoon he meets Maddy, a lonely teenager who spends her school lunch hour there. They become friends. When Maddy does not come to the cemetery for more than a week, Arthur becomes worried about her.

"..... he went to the library and got some help on the computer to try that Facebook, to see if he could find her there. Nope. "Have you tried Twitter?" the librarian asked. "Instagram? Snapchat?' Arthur stared at her, then thanked her and went home to lie down. Libraries used to be sanctuaries. Quiet places, with shafts of sunlight falling on rows and rows of books. Stories seeming to beckon. Now there is too much to do there, too much to see. He doesn't do well with such stimulation. He's more of a one-thing-at-a-time man.

"If you, like Arthur, don't need a library for the "stimulation" that technology and special activities offer, but only for that provided by the stories found in the books on the shelves of a library, the George Gamble Library can certainly be your sanctuary. Several of Elizabeth Berg's books can be found in our fiction collection. Her writing is remininscent of that by Maeve Binchy, Rosamunde Pilcher and Nicholas Sparks, whose words capture the events of ordinary people living ordinary lives, but which "find the extraordinary in the ordinary, the remarkable in the everyday".

In this new year, how about experiencing the writings of an author you have not yet met. Elizabeth Berg and so many others can be found at the library.

Blazing Star Grange #71

Come One, Come Blazing Star Grange #71

Danbury Winter Farmers Market... The market is held every 1st

Saturday at the Grange Hall from 9 AM – 1 PM. Local farms and artisans offering two floors of wares in an historic active grange hall. Breakfast and lunch, community and camaraderie.

National Eat Ice Cream for Breakfast Day... On Feb 1st, celebrate at the market by "Yes! ... Eating Ice Cream for Breakfast!" Our regular breakfast sandwiches and lunch will also be available.

Leap Into Wellness Day Saturday, February 29, 9 AM - NOON ... Mark your calendars! The grange is a community service organization doing for others... but the first step in helping others is helping ourselves. As this newsletter goes to press the final details are being planned. It is looking like a great event for one and all.

March 28... Silent Movie Night begins at 7:00 PM presented with live accompaniment by Jeff Rapsis. This year's film will be a comedy; come and enjoy a laugh.

For more information, call 768-5579 or 2523-4440, visit blazingstargrange.org, or follow us on Facebook at Blazing Star Grange of Danbury NH.

Come One, Come All!

All!

February News from the South Danbury Church

Sunday worship at 11:00 a.m. will continue through the winter. On stormy Sundays, call or text to 603-491-3196 to be sure there will be a service at the church. If you would like to receive our weekly email news, or to be notified of church events, please let us know with a short message to southdanburychurch@gmail.com. Follow us on Facebook at "Friends of the South Danbury Christian Church." And whenever you see any activity at the church, please do stop by for a visit!

Our Friday Evening Speaker (and music) Series will resume in the spring, when weekend weather conditions are more stable.

The South Danbury Church, located at 1411 U.S. Route 4 in South Danbury, New Hampshire 03230, is listed in the National Register of Historic Places. We are an Open & Affirming Congregation of the United Church of Christ, UCC. Please contact us if you need a ride or other assistance to attend worship or events. We'll be happy to help.



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Friendly Forum





Geese help each other. They take turns with leadership & help when others are sick or injured. Elders can be isolated, which is a huge loss for them & their communities. Like geese, we can share our experience & skill, to assist others.

Please join us for Friendly Forum February 7th at 10:15. We have started a number of activities for anyone who has an interest in the community and would love to do more.

Here is what is happening now:

Friendly Forum meetings: 10:15 the first Friday of each month Bone Builders: 9:00—10:00 AM on Tuesdays & Fridays, Lunches: Noon on the fourth Friday of each month. We have Whist Card Parties, on Friday Nights 6:30 & Pool Night, 6 pm on Tuesday Nights which were inspired by Friendly Forum people.

Please see the calendar for more information. We have also gone on mini-trips of interest to the group. These activities were suggested and developed by participants in our meetings.

Please join us to share your ideas and special talents with the group.

We need another leader for Bone Builders. If you are interested please come to our class to find more out.

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United Church of Danbury, 20 NH Route 104, Danbury Worship Service at 9:30 With Social Time Following For more info please call

Deacons Sylvia Hill @ 768-3936, Dorothy England @ 768-3371, Emma Bidwell or Rev. Henry M. Frost @ 848-8183 The United Church of Danbury is affiliated with both The United Church of Christ and the American Baptist Church.

We invite and welcome members of the public to join us at any time! Bible Study will be the 3rd Sunday of the Month.

T RAGGED MOUNTAIN BIBLE CHURCH



Ragged Mountain Bible Church, a bible teaching fellowship, meets every Sunday at the DCC. Our interim Pastor Bill Tower, is a retired Pastor who has been serving in Pulpit Supply Ministry.

Please join us as we worship Christ and study His word. John 14:6-7 Jesus answered "I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me."

For More information call 768-3368 and visit our website at Raggedmoutainbiblechurch.com

FLEA WARKET

JANUARY 25th





Thank You to EVERYONE who made this a great success we made over \$800 to start our Fund Raising Goal for 2020!!!!



Card Party	\$3.00 donation. Light refreshments. Come and play Kitty Whist. Don't know how to play Kitty Whist? No problem, we're easy going and happy to teach. Every Friday at 6:30 p.m.		
FOOD PANTRY	Food Pantry Hours: Tuesday 10 a.m 12 p.m. & Thursday 6 p.m 8 p.m. The weekly <u>Friends of the Food Pantry</u> meal raises funds to offset operating costs of the Food Pantry. Each week the Food Pantry purchases needed items. Dinner is served from 6 - 7 p.m. for a \$5 donation while supplies last.		
Craft Afternoon	Sunday afternoons 2- 4 p.m.		
AA Every Wednesday 7:30 p.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous meets on Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. downstairs.		
RRIC	Ragged Returns Investment Club meets the first Monday of each month at 6:30 p.m.		
Friendly Forum	FREE for Adults (Seniors and others) in our Community who are looking to get out of the house or visit with neighbors. First Friday every odd month, The Friendly Forum meeting will be at 10:15 right after Bone Builders. Transportation is available. Please let us know if you need a ride. #768-3424		
Bone Builders Every Tuesday and Friday 9-10 a.m.	Increase/maintain bone density and improve balance. Our Friendly Forum group is holding these free classes upstairs.		

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23 SLIDING PARTY & Hot Dog Roast at the Barnett's 1pm 104 Ragged Mt Rd Pot Luck Dinner/ Cribbage Tournament 5:30 Crafters Afternoon	24 Kids Lunch & Corn Hole Tournament Noon	25 Bone Builders 9-10am Food Pantry 10-noon Pool Night 6pm	Adult Lunch at Noon & 1pm Candy Bar Bingo AA 7:30pm	27 FOFP Dinner 6-7pm Chili Cook-Off Upstairs Food Pantry 6-8pm	28 Bone Builders 9-10am Friendly Forum Lunch Noon Whist Tournament & Dessert Contest 5:30 \pm	DCC Lumber Jack Breakfast 8:30-10am Grange Leap Into Wellness Day Saturday, February 29 9 AM - NOON