15 High Street Danbury NH 03230 Danbury Community Center

# **Danbury, NH 03230**

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March

#### **Events in March**

March 12th DCC St. Patrick's Day Corn Beef & Cabbage Dinner 6-7 PM

March 10<sup>th</sup> ... Bake Sale at Town Voting Day!

March 28th DCC Turkey Raffle 7 PM

March 28<sup>th</sup> ... Silent Movie at 7:00 PM. At the Grange



Come play the wheel win Money, a Turkey, Ham, Pork Roast, or a Scratch Ticket, you only donate \$1 a Spin.

#### **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.







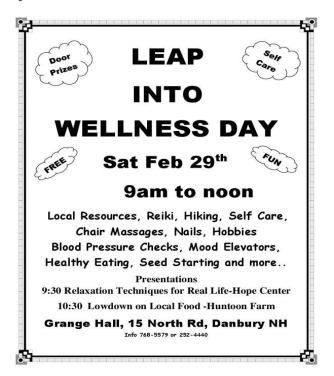








Thank You to Everyone who Helped with Events. Thank You to everyone who came to the 2020 Winter Carnival!





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 !!!!!!

Anyone who would like to donate a Corn Beef for the St Patrick's Day Dinner. They can be dropped off at DCC. (Mon, Tue, Thu, or Fri 9-2 pm.

Thank You

Motor Vehicle now requires that we enter your ID number

remember to bring it with you. We also need to see your

marriage or death certificate. Preferably it will have your

residency such as a utility bill, rental agreement, or lease.

into the system before we print registrations. Please

ID if you are registering to vote or purchasing a birth,

current address on it. If not, please bring proof of

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

Thank You to these lovely girls who came and made cards and had fun !!!!!!





Tricia Taylor, Town Clerk/Tax Collector

Cathy Jo Hatch, Deputy Town Clerk/Tax Collector

## Do you have:

- A hobby or are you interested in finding out more about a handcrafting hobby?
- A project in process that you could use some support to finish? Finished items to show-and-tell and inspire. Perhaps you would like to offer to share what you know about your hobby with someone else?

The DCC is open on Sunday afternoons from 2-4 for a very informal get-together we call Crafter's Afternoon. Bring any craft you would like to work on or just come to visit and see what others bring.

Two popular activities have been felted soaps and tote bags re-purposed from feed /seed bags. We have everything available that is necessary to do either of these.

April 2020 is the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Earth Day. We have been thinking about other crafts that can use materials that would otherwise be headed for the transfer station. Rag rugs have been suggested. There are many methods of making rugs with worn out sheets, T-shirts or denim - crocheting, braiding, weaving. If you have experience with rug-making or would like to participate in giving it a try, please drop by any Sunday afternoon 2-4 in April.





#### **FOOD PANTRY**

#### Wish List

Toilet Paper
Jelly
Peanut Butter
Mayo
Juices
Can Goods
Water
Eggs
Spinach
Ketchup
Mac & Cheese

Water Carrots
Spinach Corn
Mac & Cheese Ravioli

Paper Towels

Mustard

Cereal

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

#### George Gamble Library

#### March 2020

March is Women's History Month, the month during which we specifically recognize and celebrate the many women around the world and throughout history who have contributed to making our lives better. The library has a good selection of books about some of these courageous women.

D-DAY GIRLS by Sarah Rose recounts the story of the 39 extraordinary women who, in the summer of 1942, were recruited by SOE, Britain's elite spy agency. Trained in everything from demolition to sharpshooting, they secretly parachuted into France to train the resistance and sabotage the Nazi efforts, helping lay the groundwork for the D-Day invasion. The author writes "This book is not fiction. It was built from archives in Britain, France and the United States and from the memories, both written and oral, of those fortunate enough to survive."

In the genre of historical fiction, based on fact, is THE WOMEN OF THE COPPER COUNTRY by Mary Doria Russell. The novel pays homage to "Big Annie" Clements who, in1913, led a strike against the biggest copper mining company in Calumet, Michigan, becoming the public face of a growing labor movement lobbying for better pay, shorter hours and safer working conditions. Also depicting the spirit and courage of young women who dared to fight for better, safer working conditions is Kate Alcott's book THE DARING LADIES OF LOWELL. These women, eager to escape New England farm life in the 1830's, found a sense of freedom and independence in the Massachusetts cotton mills, but also atrocious, dangerous working conditions. Of interest, as well, is author Carol McCleary's series based on the life of Nellie Bly (1864-1922), a pioneer in the field of investigative journalism. Bly actually feigned insanity to go undercover in New York's Women's Lunatic Asylum to I investigate and report on the deplorable conditions in that institution.

Middle school readers can read about amazing heroines from Joan of Arc to Mother Teresa in GIRLS WHO ROCKED THE WORLD. Younger readers can enjoy the adventures of Nell Richardson and Alice Burke who toured the United States in 1916, spreading support for the right of women to vote. They can learn about Molly Williams, America's first female firefighter, and Sarah Emma Edmonds who, disguised as a man, became a nurse for the Union in the Civil War and later a spy.

Women are awesome!

#### **Blazing Star Grange #71**

**Danbury Winter Farmers Market... Sat, March 7<sup>th</sup>, 9 AM - 1 PM.** This month features our 3<sup>rd</sup> annual sharpening activity. Bring your knives and tools to be sharpened on a traditional sharpening wheel. And, don't forget... *All veterans get 20 market dollars to spend for any product from participating vendors*. Not only does this help veterans, but it supports vendors as well. Whether you are looking for crafts, specialty foods or farm products, there are a lot of items to choose from. Hot lunch and breakfast served.

March 10<sup>th</sup> ... Bake Sale at Town Voting Day! Vote and buy treats at the annual Town Voting Day Bake Sale. The Grange will be there from 11 am until the goodies sell out. Enjoy a sandwich and something for your sweet tooth. A delicious tradition you won't want to miss.

March 28<sup>th</sup> ... Silent Movie at 7:00 PM. Join us for our annual silent movie night featuring two Harold Lloyd comedies: the short film 'Number, Please' followed by the feature comedy 'Why Worry?'. Come out and see these family-friendly classic silent films as they were meant to be seen on the big screen with an audience. The live accompaniment by Jeff Rapsis really is a treat. Shake off cabin fever and enjoy a laugh with your neighbors. Suggested donation is \$5.

April 11, 1 - 2 PM ... Rabies Clinic. Rabies shots provided by Pleasant Lake Veterinary Hospital. \$15 for dogs or cats. Please bring a copy of pet's last rabies certificate. This is required to have this shot be good for 3 years. Town Clerk will be available to license dogs.

For more information visit blazingstargrange.org or follow us on Facebook at Blazing Star Grange of Danbury NH.

Come One, Come All!

#### March 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 <a href="mailto:southdanburychurch@gmail.com">southdanburychurch@gmail.com</a>. 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 March 6th 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.





# United Church of Danbury, 20 US 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.

Sunday April 12th Easter Sun Rise Service 6 AM At Elmwood Park Bridge, Ragged Mountain Road followed by a Pot Luck Breakfast at the United Church of Danbury, 20 US Route 104 Danbury.





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

## **TURKEY RAFFLE**

All Are Welcome Come Join the Fun

# **SATURDAY MARCH 28th**

**Where: Danbury Community Center** 

15 High St. Danbury NH

When: 7pm

### Come Take a Chance on the Wheel!!



Door Prives

Refreshments

50|50 Raffle

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				
<b>Bone Builders</b> 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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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Craft Afternoon 2-4pm	2 RRIC 6:30pm	3 Bone Builders 9-10am Food Pantry 10-noon Pool Night 6pm	4	5 FOFP Dinner 6-7pm Food Pantry 6-8pm	6 Bone Builders 9-10am Friendly Forum Meeting 10:15am Whist Card Party 6:30pm	7 Grange Farmers Market 9-1pm
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