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Hermon 8-10 Baseball All -Stars

Article & Photo Submitted by Randy Gardner



The Hermon age 8-10 Baseball All -Stars became the Division 3 Undeclared Champions. They placed 4th in the State of Maine Little League Championship Tournament!

I've had the privilege of

following these kids thru the regular season, the Division Championship, and into the State Championship tournament, and I can only say that as residents of Hermon, we all can be very proud of not only their athletic abilities, but also the fact that a group of finer young men just doesn't exist. I've seen first hand the effort and emotion these young kids have put into this, and it amazes me that kids this young can be this committed.

We also should remember the volunteers that make this and all of the other athletic activities work. The coaches, the announcers and scorekeepers, the umpires, and countless others give selflessly of their time to improve these young people. They are so much more than helpers, they are mentors that help shape these young people into future community members that we will see increasing value in as they grow.

Remember to thank these volunteers for the time and effort they give, and know you can be very proud of these fine young men!

The Town of Hermon has a lot to be proud of!

The players are: Tommy Meserve, James Brocato, Mason Kinney, Justin Largay, Eli Cormier, Dylan Phair, Edgar Leclerc, Max Hopkins, Mason Morin, Mathieu Turcotte, Camden Morrison, Corbin Reed.

The coaches are: Coach Matt Phair, Coach Jason Largay, Coach Eric Cormier

Hermon 8-10 Softball All -Stars



The Hermon age 8-10 All -Stars softball team became the Undeclared District 3 Champions. They then went into the State Championship. In their first game, they played an epic game all the way into the 12th inning but ended up losing to Medomak,

9-2. They also came up short in their second game but not without an outstanding long competitive battle. The game was suspended due to darkness in the top of the 13th inning. When it resumed the next morning, Hermon scored one run but it just wasn't enough, losing to Wells/Kennebunk 8-3.

In only two games, these girls battled for a total of 25 innings. They played two of the best teams in the state evenly through 23 of those innings. An amazing effort by this really great group of girls.

The players are: Katie Fowler, Mikelle Lane, Braelynn Wilcox, Karleigh Smith, Lexi Johnston, Olivia Johnston, Delaney Carr, Taylor Sherrard, Mackenzie Gallant, Norra Idano, Elizabeth Richardson, Rebecca Balmas, and Madelyn Frost.

The coaches are:
Kyle Trull
Marisa Kelly
Karli Theberge
Katie Windsor

Manager:
Jody Theberge



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The Hermon Connection,
please send it to: scottwl@hermon.net
Deadline for submissions: October 23, 2018

From the Town Manager

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ADDITION PROJECT:

The Patricia A. Duran Elementary School addition project is nearing completion. When school opens on September 4th Hermon children will be entering a new state of the art 25000 square foot addition to the school. This is long overdue! I strongly urge every parent to take the opportunity to tour the new wing and see the improvements! I want to thank the Hermon Town Council for their support on this project!



HERMON RECREATION RENOVATION PROJECT: While the school addition project was being constructed the Hermon Recreation Renovation Project took a back seat. During this period it became apparent that the original project was not going to meet our needs. The Town Council will review its options and bring something to the voters to consider for the future. I will keep you informed.

ROAD PROJECTS: The Town has had an aggressive road construction season with many roads in Town getting much needed repair and attention. I want to thank Hopkins Paving for doing a great job this summer. They have a few more roads to pave this year and we will start planning for next year's work.

SUMMER SIZZLER! - Many thanks to Mary Cameron, her staff, volunteers and generous Sponsors on making the Summer Sizzler a huge success! The turnout was good despite the off and on rain and we look forward to next year's event! Well done!

WELL DONE! - I want to take this opportunity to congratulate the Hermon Little League team and the girl's All-Star softball team for their very successful seasons. While neither won their tournament's championship their maturity, discipline and commitment showed everyone that these young men and women have great futures ahead of them. We should be very proud of their accomplishments!

PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT! - The Town held a special town meeting to replace the outdated equipment that is on the Town's property near the little league field. Voters overwhelmingly approved this project and we anticipate new equipment in the coming months.

REVALUATION LETTERS - Town Assessor Josh Berry and staff have done a great job reviewing all the parcels in town. All tax payers will receive a letter indicating their old value and new value in September. Each tax payer has the option to contact Mr. Berry and review their figures. It is your right to do that and I encourage each of you to setup an appointment if you want. Once this is done the Town will commit the taxes and tax bills will be sent out in October/November timeframe and due for payment in March/April 2019.

On behalf of the Town of Hermon Town Council and Staff
we wish you all a great fall!
To all the students returning to school- WELCOME BACK!
Good luck to our sports teams!

ASSESSOR'S OFFICE

IN HOUSE REVALUATION UPDATE



The Town of Hermon's in house revaluation is coming to a close. Finally, we know! We appreciate everyone's patience with this and look forward to wrapping this project up. All residents and business owners should have received a "New Valuation" letter with an opportunity to set an appointment with the Assessing Department to discuss your new assessment. If you did not receive this letter please give the Assessing Dept. a call at 848-1044 or 848-1042. Below are some key points or questions you may have when reviewing your new assessment:

- ***How did they come up with this number?***

The Assessing Dept. has reviewed all properties in the Town of Hermon. In reviewing your individual property we collected data about its characteristic, such as land you own, the location of your property, the number and size of improvements on your land, the physical characteristics of the improvements, the quality of construction of improvements, and so on. This information is used to estimate the market value of your property by comparing the sale prices of similar properties and estimating the cost to construct your property.

- ***How much are my taxes going to be?***

Please remember, we are only able to discuss your assessment amount, **NOT** how much your tax bill will be. Each year the town votes to raise a certain amount of money in order to provide and pay for local services, such as education, administration, plowing, etc. Some of our revenue comes from the State such as revenue sharing, reimbursements for tree growth tax loss and education subsidy. Other revenues come from service fees and excise taxes.

- ***What can I do about my assessed value and my property taxes?***

If you believe we have overestimated or underestimated (Yes, it does happen!) the value of your property, you should contact our office at 848-1044 or 848-1042. We encourage property owners to reach out and discuss assessments with us; we rely on property owners for accurate information. If you still feel your assessment is unfair, we have formal appeals procedures in place. Also, you can check with us to make sure all applicable exemptions are being applied to your assessment. (Homestead exemption, veteran's exemption, etc.)

Dog Licenses Due



Remember, your dog must be licensed each year by December 31st. Residents licensing dogs after January 31, 2019 will pay a state mandated late fee of \$25.00 per dog. Licenses will be available October 15th at the Hermon Town Office. You may also license your dog online starting October 15th at: www1.maine.gov/cgi-bin/online/dog_license/index.pl

Please call the Town Office with any questions at 848-1010.

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Back To School Safety Tips



As summer draws to an end, back to school season is in full effect. School days bring congestion on the roadways particularly in the morning hours when commuter traffic is the heaviest. Yellow school buses will be busy picking up children. Kids will be walking and riding their bicycles to school. Parents will be in a hurry to drop their kids off at school to make it to work on time. All in all, the number one safety concern is the safety of our children. Here are a few tips to exercise to make sure everyone is safe:

1. Please exercise caution and patience while the buses are stopped picking up or dropping off children on the roads or in school parking lots. More children are hit by vehicles near schools than any other location. Remember that it is illegal to pass school buses when the flashing red lights are activated. This is the law on the public way and in school parking lots when they are unloading and loading children. Please do not try to beat the red lights while the yellow lights are flashing. Instead be prepared to stop. Adjust your morning schedules and leave for work earlier if you find that school buses are hindering the amount of time you have to travel to work in the mornings.
2. Share the roadway with young pedestrians walking on foot or riding on bicycles. Watch for children walking along the roadways and on sidewalks. Watch for children crossing the roads and crossing in crosswalks. Please take extra care to look out for children in school zones and in residential areas.
3. Obey the rules of the roadway. Stay off the phones and no texting while driving. Whether children walk, ride their bicycles or take the bus to school, it is extremely important that they and the motorists around them take the proper safety precautions.

On behalf of the Town of Hermon and the Penobscot County Sheriff's Office, please make this a safe school year for everyone! The children are our future!



The Senator's Corner

Article by: Senator Geoff Gratwick

In today's political world, it seems as if there are only two sides: left and right. That is why in order to have progress, we have to meet in the center. We can make progress only through thoughtful discussion and willingness to compromise.

Nearly 75% of Americans think that incivility and political dysfunction prevent our nation from moving forward. We see it in Washington and we see it in Maine. Political leaders and party activists have been captured by their ideology and focused on media appearances and sound bites rather than problem-solving.

How can we return to a government that allows everyone's interests to be heard and lets us move forward?

The first step is to become better listeners. Only when we have made a connection with another person and listened to their concerns - without scowling or shaking our head- will we be able to really understand them. Understanding another person's underlying concerns is the foundation of finding a workable middle. If people come away from a conversation, not with anger that has made them dig in their heels, but with a feeling that they were understood, they are more likely to silently review their beliefs later and wonder whether they have really been voting wisely.

There are a number of specific ways we can decrease the polarization in Augusta:

- It is important that we get to know all of our colleagues, not just those in the same party or caucus. By doing so we will find that there is more that joins us together – kids and grandkids, the Boston Red Sox's, gardening, bass fishing – than separates us.
- Our seats in the legislative chambers used to be arranged randomly, not by party, not right and left; we can do so again, starting in January 2019 if we elect the right leaders.
- We can continue our effort to restrict the role of money and lobbyists in shaping legislation.
- We will often have different ideas on the best way to solve a problem – that is the reason politics can be so intense – but the words we choose must be civil and respectful.
- Good government is not a contest played in the media by dueling headlines. The purpose of Maine's government is to allow us to solve our shared problems. To do this, we have to keep asking if the problems are really important, how much the government should do, and what is the most successful way to do it. Then we must work together on the solution.



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The Hermon Fire Department reminds all residents to safely use barbeques and grills. Even with the change of seasons approaching, cooking outdoors remains popular! Stay safe!!

Grilling Safety

There's nothing like outdoor grilling. It's one of the most popular ways to cook food. But, a grill placed too close to anything that can burn is a fire hazard. They can be very hot, causing burn injuries. Follow these simple tips and you will be on the way to safe grilling.

SAFETY TIPS

- » Propane and charcoal BBQ grills should only be used outdoors.
- » The grill should be placed well away from the home, deck railings and out from under eaves and overhanging branches.
- » Keep children and pets at least three feet away from the grill area.
- » Keep your grill clean by removing grease or fat buildup from the grills and in trays below the grill.
- » Never leave your grill unattended.
- » Always make sure your gas grill lid is open before lighting it.

CHARCOAL GRILLS

- » There are several ways to get the charcoal ready to use. Charcoal chimney starters allow you to start the charcoal using newspaper as a fuel.
- » If you use a starter fluid, use only charcoal starter fluid. Never add charcoal fluid or any other flammable liquids to the fire.
- » Keep charcoal fluid out of the reach of children and away from heat sources.
- » There are also electric charcoal starters, which do not use fire. Be sure to use an extension cord for outdoor use.
- » When you are finished grilling, let the coals completely cool before disposing in a metal container.



Your Source for SAFETY Information

NFPA Public Education Division • 1 Batterymarch Park, Quincy, MA 02169

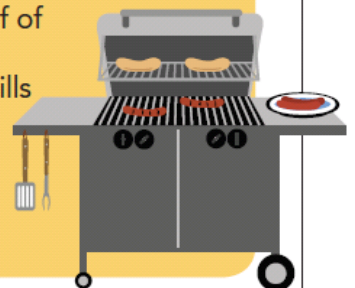
PROPANE Grills

Check the gas tank hose for leaks before using it for the first time each year. Apply a light soap and water solution to the hose. A propane leak will release bubbles. If your grill has a gas leak, by smell or the soapy bubble test, and there is no flame, turn off both the gas tank and the grill. If the leak stops, get the grill serviced by a professional before using it again. If the leak does not stop, call the fire department. **If you smell gas while cooking, immediately get away from the grill and call the fire department.** Do not move the grill.

If the flame **goes out**, turn the grill and gas off and wait at least **5 minutes** before re-lighting it.

FACTS

- ! July is the peak month for grill fires.
- ! Roughly half of the injuries involving grills are thermal burns.



**Hermon Fire
Department**

News from the Hermon Recycling Committee

The Hermon Recycling Committee has been formed and would like to remind residents to reduce, recycle, reuse and repurpose.

Zero-sort and cardboard box recycling is accessible at the rear of the Hermon Town Office for Hermon residents. As you may be aware there are two new slotted recycling containers that have been added to the site. These are for corrugated (shipping) cardboard only. Please break down all of your shipping/corrugated cardboard boxes and place them in these containers. They have a slot in the front, to slide the boxes through for easy compacting. Putting broken down boxes in these containers will allow for more space in the zero sort bins and will also separate out one of the more valuable recycle materials. The contents of the cardboard containers are picked up separately from the other recycle goods, so please use these for shipping/corrugated boxes only.

Please note that the containers at the town office are for recycle material only, and not for trash disposal. Recently, we have noticed that there is a lot of household trash, dirty diapers, chicken containers and other non-recyclable materials being placed in the zero sort recycling containers; which defeats our recycling efforts. If this continues the contents of these containers and our efforts as recyclers, may be rejected and the town will be required to pay for the containers to be hauled away as trash.

We ask that if you bring your recyclables in plastics bags (trash bags, shopping, etc.), please empty the bags into the zero sort recycling containers and carry away the bags with you. Even though most plastic bags have a recycling approved marking, zero sort will NOT accept plastic bags of any kind, in our Zero-sort containers. However, you may take your clean plastic bags (bread bags, plastic bags, Deli bags) to Danforth's and other grocery stores. There is a box in the entryway just for recycling plastic bags.

What can you recycle in the Cardboard & Zero Sort Containers?

ALL CARDBOARD must be broken down and placed in the slotted containers only. (This should make more room for all of our recycled items; be kind and keep this in mind.)

Zero Sort Containers will accept the following (CLEANED & RINSED CONTAINERS ONLY):

PAPER: Newspapers, Junk Mail, Envelopes, Magazines, Soft Cover Books, Brown Bags

PLASTIC: Containers #1- #7 Milk Jugs, Bleach, Detergent, Shampoo Bottles

GLASS: Bottles and Containers (Any Color)

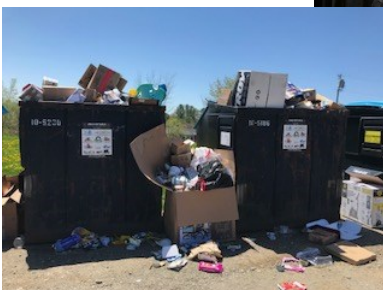
METAL: Aluminum, Tin, Steel Kitchen Cans, Aluminum Pie Plates/Trays/Foil

Other Box Items: Cereal & Soda Boxes, Pizza Boxes, Paper Towel Cores, Egg Cartons, Beverage Holders

ZERO-SORT DOES NOT ACCEPT: Window Glass, Mirrors and Light Bulbs, TV/Electronics, Dishes, Pyrex, Ceramics, Foam or plastic bubble packaging, Styrofoam (cups, plates, etc.), Pots and Pans, VCR Tapes/CD's, Tools, Plastic Bags (of any kind), Tarps, Trash bags, Recyclables containing Food Waste, Paint or Oils, Hazardous Material.

Please go to <http://www.hermon.net/zero-sort-recycling> to learn more about recycling and complete the recycling survey.



The following are photos of what the recycling area should NOT look like. We ask that boxes be broken down and put in the corrugated bins. These are excellent visuals of why we need to be aware of what can be recycled.



Thank you for your time and efforts.





September 2018 Senior Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
2	3 Bowling Family Fun Lanes 12:00 pm \$2.50 per game Shoes are free	4 Lunch Ruby Tuesday Brewer 12:00pm	5	6 Board/Card Games Boulier Place 12:00 p.m. Free	7	8 
9	10 Bowling Family Fun Lanes 12:00pm \$2.50 per game Shoes are free	11	12 Bingo Boulier Place 1:00pm Free	13 Board/Card Games Boulier Place 12:00 p.m. Free	14	15
16	17 Bowling Family Fun Lanes 12:00 pm \$2.50 per game Shoes are free	18 Movie Boulier Place 12:30pm Free	19	20 Board/Card Games Boulier Place 12:00 p.m. Free	21 Lunch Just Down the Road Hermon 12:00pm	22
23	24 Bowling Family Fun Lanes 12:00 pm \$2.50 per game Shoes are free	25 Craft Burlap Banners Boulier Place 10:00am Snack Provided Free	26	27 Board/Card Games Boulier Place 12:00 p.m. Free	28	29
30	1	2 	3	4	5	6

Contact Hermon Recreation at 848-4075 for more information.

October 2018 Senior Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 Bowling Family Fun Lanes 12:00 pm \$2.50 per game Shoes are free	2 Movie Hollywood Cinemas Time TBD Ticket Free You purchase your own snacks	3	4 Board/Card Games Boulier Place 12:00 p.m. Free	5	
7	8 Bowling Family Fun Lanes 12:00pm \$2.50 per game Shoes are free	9	10	11 Board/Card Games Boulier Place 12:00 p.m. Free	12 Lunch TBD Check Hermon.net or call 848-4075	13
14	15 Bowling Family Fun Lanes 12:00 pm \$2.50 per game Shoes are free	16	17 Senior Dinner P. A. Duran School (Elementary School) 6:00-7:00 pm \$5.00 Please RSVP	18 Board/Card Games Boulier Place 12:00 p.m. Free	19	20
21	22 Bowling Family Fun Lanes 12:00 pm \$2.50 per game Shoes are free	23 Craft Pinecone door hanger Boulier Place 10:00am Snack Provided Free	24	25 Board/Card Games Boulier Place 12:00 p.m. Free	26	27
28	29 Bowling Family Fun Lanes 12:00 pm \$2.50 per game Shoes are free	30 Lunch TBD Check Hermon.net or call 848-4075	31 	1	2	3

Contact Hermon Recreation at 848-4075 for more information. *Subject to change

Spectrum Cable Television Changes Coming

Studio's involved: *Nokomis Warrior Broadcasting*

Communities involved: *Brownville, Dover Foxcroft, Milo, Carmel, Hermon, Corinth, Glenburn, Kenduskeag, Levant, Burnham, Canaan, Corinna, Detroit, Dexter, Hartland, Newport, Palmyra, Pittsfield, St. Albans, Thorndike, Unity and Lincoln*

As you're probably aware, this fall Spectrum is upgrading its entire channel lineup to a digital-only signal. This change will allow Spectrum to deliver more channels, better picture and sound quality as well as increased Internet speeds to customers. As part of this nationwide project, Spectrum will be relocating the Public, Educational and Governmental (PEG) access channels to the 1300s section of the channel line-up. In most instances, we are already simulcasting these channels in the 1300s.

I wanted to provide you with this information far in advance to make this change as seamless as possible for your viewers/our customers. Multiple notifications will be sent to the municipalities and customers outlining the details of this project, what's needed and the timeline for the changes.

Below is a message that we suggest may be helpful to run on the PEG channel(s) to help get the word out about the upcoming changes.

Since this email is going out to several municipalities and PEG personnel/studios, please select the office location (in the message below) closest to your facilities to include in the suggested message.

Suggested message

On **September 11th**, Channels 2, 5, & 7 new locations will be on channel 1301, 1302 and 1303. This will be carried in the basic service tier. Customers will be required to have a Spectrum Receiver on each TV. If you have an existing set-top-box, digital transport adapter (DTA), or retail device with a CableCARD on each TV, you will be unaffected by this change. Otherwise, to order your Spectrum Receiver(s), please go to Spectrum.com/digitalnow or call 1-844-278-3409 and **Charter will ship a self-installation kit directly to your home at no additional cost.** You can also visit the **[Bangor Cable Store or Winslow Isle Cable Store]** to pick up your equipment. If you need equipment, customers are eligible to receive a converter at no additional charge for a limited period of time. Please note, if customers have TV(s) without equipment issued by Spectrum, you will lose the ability to view channels.

Please let me know of any questions.

Shelley Winchenbach | Director, Government Affairs – Northeast



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HERMON SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

Special Education Child Find Notice

The Hermon School Department is in compliance with federal and state regulations regarding the delivery of services to all children with special needs.

Federal statutes (I.D.E.A.) requires that the School Department identifies, locates and evaluates all children with disabilities, ages 3-20, residing within the school district. Residents who believe that their child is in need of special education services, whether attending public or private school, should contact Cindy Badger, Director of Student Services, P.O. Box 6360, Hermon, ME 04402, Tel. 848-4000, X 6004.

Annual Notice of Student Education Records and Information Rights

The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act ("FERPA") provides certain rights to parents and eligible students (18 years of age or older) with respect to the student's education records. A copy of the Hermon School Department's policy statement and administrative procedure is available in each school.

Inspection of Records

Parents/ eligible students may inspect and review the student's education records within 45 days of making a request. Such requests must be submitted to the Superintendent or building administrator in writing and must identify the record(s) to be inspected. The superintendent or building administrator will notify the parent/eligible student of the time and place where the record(s) may be inspected. Parents/eligible students may obtain copies of education records at a cost of ten cents (\$0.10) per page copied.

Amendment of Records

Parents/eligible students may ask the Hermon School Department to amend education records they believe are inaccurate, misleading or in violation of the student's right to privacy. Such requests must be submitted to the Superintendent or building administrator in writing, clearly identify the part of the record they want changed and specify why it is inaccurate or misleading. If the superintendent or building administrator decides not to amend the record as requested, the parent/eligible student will be notified of the decision, their right to request a hearing and information about the hearing procedure.

Disclosure of Records

The Hermon School Department must obtain a parent/eligible student's written consent prior to disclosure of personally identifiable information in education records except in circumstances permitted by law.

Directory Information

The Hermon School Department designates the following student information as directory information that may be made public at its discretion: name, participation and grade level of students in officially recognized activities and sports, height and weight of student athletes, dates of attendance in the Hermon School Department, and honors and awards received, and photographs and videos of student participation in school activities open to the public except photographs and videos on the Internet). Parents/eligible students who do not want the Hermon School Department to disclose directory information must notify the Superintendent in writing by September 15th or within thirty (30) days of enrollment, whichever is later.

Military Recruiters / Institutions of Higher Learning

Military recruiters and institutions of higher education are entitled to receive the names, addresses and telephone numbers of secondary students, and the Hermon School Department must comply with any such request, provided that parents have been notified of their right to request that this information not be released without prior written consent. Parents/eligible students who do not want the Hermon School Department to disclose this information must notify the Superintendent in writing by September 15th or within thirty (30) days of enrollment, whichever is later.

School Officials with Legitimate Educational Interests

Education records may be disclosed to school officials with a "legitimate educational interest." A school official has a legitimate educational interest if he/she needs to review an education record in order to fulfill his/her professional responsibility. School officials include persons employed by the Hermon School Department as an administrator, supervisor, instructor or support staff member (including health or medical staff and law enforcement unit personnel); members of the Hermon School Committee; persons or companies with whom the Hermon School Department has contracted to provide specific services (such as attorneys, auditors, medical consultants, evaluators or therapists); and parents, students and volunteers serving on an official committee (such as a disciplinary or grievance committee) or assisting a school official in performing his/her professional responsibilities.

Health or Safety Emergencies

In accordance with federal regulations, the Hermon School Department may disclose education records without prior written consent in a health and safety emergency to any person whose knowledge or the information is necessary to protect the health or safety of the student or other individuals.

Other School Units

As required by Maine law, the Hermon School Department sends student education records to a school unit to which a student applies for transfer, including disciplinary records, attendance records, special education records and health records (except for confidential health records for which consent for dissemination has not been obtained).

Other Entities / Individuals

Education records may be disclosed to other entities and individuals as specifically permitted by law. Parents/eligible students may obtain information about other exceptions to the written consent requirements by request to the Superintendent or building administrator.

Complaints Regarding School Department Compliance with FERPA

Parents/eligible students who believe that the Hermon School Department has not complied with the requirements of FERPA have the right to file a complaint with the U.S. Department of Education. The office that administers FERPA is:

Family Policy Compliance Office
U.S. Department of Education
400 Maryland Avenue, SW
Washington, D.C.

OPPORTUNITY TO VOLUNTEER FOR OUR COMMUNITY

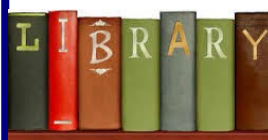
The Hermon Fire Department Auxiliary is looking for volunteers. Our group holds a single fundraiser most years with a yard sale. We support the fire department in many different ways. We fund a scholarship at Hermon High, give a monetary gift to families in Hermon that have had a fire and provide drinks and food during extended calls. We also support the annual Christmas party for our firefighters and their families.

We meet three times a year at the fire station to organize the above items. The largest being the yard sale.

If you are looking for a way to serve our town, this is a great way without a lot of time commitment.

Please consider attending our next meeting to learn more about the Auxiliary on October 11, 2018 at 6:00 pm at the Hermon Public Safety Building, 327 Billings Rd.

If you have any questions, please call Mary DiBona at 570-6196 or Vicki Gonyea at 848-5615.



The Hermon High School Library Media Center is open to the communities of Hermon, Carmel and

Levant from 2:15pm to 6:00pm Monday through Friday when school is in session. Please come by and check out some books or use a computer.

If you have any questions, please call the library at 848-4094.

From The Town Clerk:

October 5 - Absentee ballots available.

October 8 - Town Office Closed – Columbus Day

October 15 – 2019 dog tags will be available. Your dog must be licensed for 2019 by 12/31/18 to avoid paying the \$25.00 late fee on 2/1/2019.

October 15 – 2019 Snowmobile Registrations will be available for purchase.

November 6 - State of Maine Referendum Election. Polls open from 7AM – 8PM at the Patricia A. Duran Elementary School Gym.

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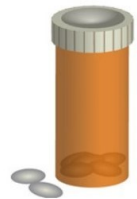


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