



TOWN OF LANCASTER EVENTS

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If These Trees Could Talk:

How Lancaster Has Shaped and Been Shaped by Its Trees & Forests

May is

Lancaster

History

Month

at Thayer Memorial Library



Tuesday, May 21

6:30 p.m.

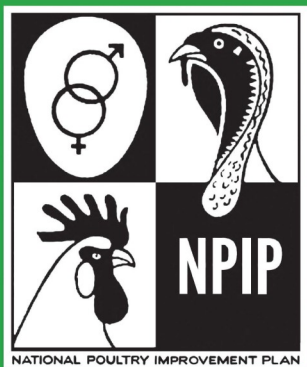
Dexter Meeting Room

Our forests are our treasure. This program will place the history of Lancaster's "Blood" Town Forest in the context of the larger history of forests in New England and evolving ideas about forest conservation and preservation. Special emphasis will be given to changing land uses in the area. Management challenges will also be discussed in the context of current threats facing the forests ranging from development, climate change, and some recreational uses. What lessons can we learn from the forest as we balance the needs of humans, wildlife, and biodiversity in our management?

Presented by Local Historian Timothy Castner, Nashoba Regional High School History Teacher, Lancaster Town Forest Committee member.

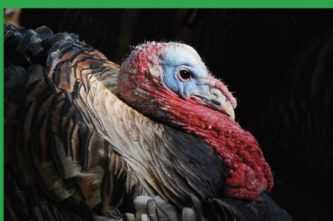


Lancaster's Hidden Treasure



**Do You Own Poultry
in Massachusetts?**

**Is Your Poultry Tested for
Salmonella Pullorum or
Avian Influenza?**



The Testing is FREE!

**To arrange for your free testing call the
Massachusetts Department of
Agricultural Resources
at 617-626-1795**

Things you should know:

1. If you sell or give away hatching eggs, chicks or grown birds, they must be from a tested flock (MGL Ch 129 sec 26B).
2. If poultry leaves your property for exhibition, they must also be from a tested flock.
3. Test your flock annually; test all chickens, turkeys, upland gamebirds, guinea or peafowl over 16 weeks of age.



Perkins

PERKINS 16TH ANNUAL

GOLF TOURNAMENT

GOLFING FOR A GREAT CAUSE

TUESDAY MAY 21, 2019

Sterling National Country Club

JOIN US!

Support students, residents, and adult clients
facing educational, developmental,
and mental health challenges.

Sponsor, donate an auction item, or register
to golf today. See you on the course!

FOR MORE INFO PLEASE VISIT golf.perkinsprograms.org

Thank you to our Premier Sponsor: Clinton Savings Bank



Kids Code & Play Make Video Games Using Scratch

Join us for an introductory course in computer programming using "Scratch" a visual programming language that teaches kids how to code by creating video games and "Bitsbox" a JavaScript application maker

As a bonus the students will work as a team to program "Cozmo" an artificially intelligent robot

- All equipment is provided
- Only 5 spaces available per session
- Ages: 6 - 10yr olds
- Skill Level: Beginner, no previous experience necessary

Duration: Two 2 hour sessions

Sat 5/18 10am - 12pm

Sat 5/25 10am - 12pm

*Future classes will become available

Cost: \$100 per participant for all four hours

Location: Town Hall, 695 Main St. Lancaster, MA

To sign up contact: ashepard@lanasterma.net





Dashed Hopes: The Story of the Lancaster Industrial School for Girls from 1856-1905

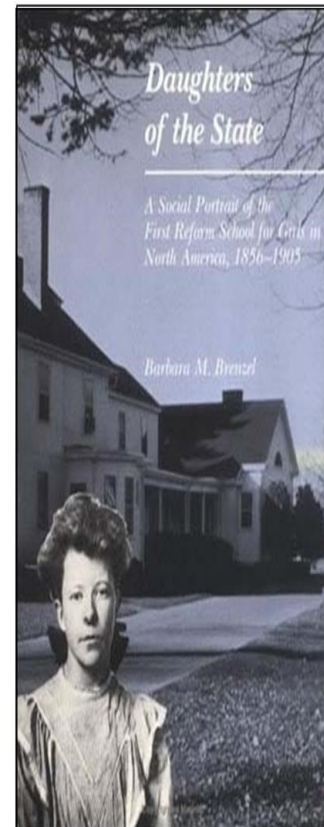
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Tuesday, May 14

6:30 p.m.

Dexter Meeting Room

*This program is based on the book **Daughters of the State: A Social Portrait of the First Reform School for Girls in North America, 1856-1905** by Barbara M. Brenzel, late professor of Wellesley College.*

Presented by Karen Silverthorn, Assistant Director, Thayer Memorial Library and Lancaster Historical Commission member.



The History and Environmental Restoration of Bartlett Pond Conservation Area

Location: Bartlett Pond Conservation Area, Main Street (Rt. 117), Lancaster MA

Date and Time: Saturday, May 18, 1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Audience: Adult & Families, Recommended for ages 7 and up

In 2014, Bartlett Pond and the surrounding area were transformed by the removal of the Bartlett Pond Dam. Learn why this project was undertaken, how humans impacted the environment from the time of Lancaster's settlement, and how the landscape changed with restoration efforts. We will examine plant and animal life in and around Wekepeke Brook.

- Dress for the weather including shoes that can get wet and clothes that can get muddy. Tick bite prevention, even in early spring, is wise. Optimal protection includes: long pants, long sleeves, pants tucked into socks, and permethrin-treated clothing.
- Must be able to walk on uneven terrain
- Pre-registration appreciated but not required. To register please contact Andrea Kiuru-Shepherd at ashepard@lancasterma.net



LANCASTER GARDEN CLUB'S

PLANT SALE

Saturday, May 25
9 a.m. - Noon

LANCASTER TOWN GREEN



The Lancaster Firefighters Association & Auxiliary Spaghetti Dinner

**Annual Spaghetti &
Meatball Dinner**


***Sunday June 2nd, 2019
from 1pm – 6pm***

**Fire Department Headquarters
at 1055 Main Street**

**Ticket Prices will be \$6.00 for
adults, \$4.00 for children ages
6 – 12, and children 4 and
under eat for FREE.**



**Tickets can be obtained by
calling the Lancaster Fire
Association (978) 368-4003**





There Will Be Music in the Air in Lancaster This Summer

Summer Concerts on the Lancaster Town Green
Sponsored by the Friends of Thayer Memorial Library

Lancaster's Town Green will be rocking this summer when six live bands perform a variety of music concerts for folks from Lancaster and surrounding communities. Sponsored by the Friends of Thayer Memorial Library, the Wednesday evening family-friendly concert series will run June 26 through July 31 – RAIN or SHINE from 6:30 – 8:30 pm. Lancaster's Town Hall will serve as the backup performance venue in the event there is inclement weather. But when it's nice outside, the performers will set up and play in the gazebo located on the Town Green.

Folks are asked to bring their lawn chairs and/or blankets for seating. The Friends of Lancaster's Seniors will offer barbecue and refreshments, but folks are welcome to bring a cooler with food and beverages (non-alcoholic) if they'd like.

The following performers have been scheduled in this summer's concert series:

- June 26: T.J. Wheeler
- July 3: Tootie Pa and His Great Big Thang
- July 10: Knock on Wood
- July 17: The Delmatics
- July 24: The O-Tones
- July 31: Decatur Creek

All concerts are free. All are welcome. For more information, phone Karen Silverthorn at 978-368-8928 ext. 4 or go to www.thayermemoriallibrary.org or the library's Facebook page. Thayer Memorial Library, 717 Main Street, Lancaster 01523

The Rosemary Davis Nature Series 2018-19 Program Schedule

Wednesday, Aug. 15 @ 6:00 p.m.

Learning Anti-bullying Lessons from Our Animal Friends

Presented by: Animal Adventures

LIVE ANIMALS—including a KANGAROO, will help teach children & teens that bullying is not acceptable and how you can present yourself to keep others from bullying you.

Recommended for Children & Teens.

Tuesday, Sept. 11 @ 6:30 p.m.

Wild Heroes

Presented by: Animal World Experience

LIVE ANIMALS—Many famous superheroes have animal powers and every animal has the power to be a superhero. Learn what special abilities these animals have so that you too can be a superhero in your own way.

Recommended for Children & Families.

Tuesday, Oct. 16 @ 6:30 p.m.

Discover the Birds of Costa Rica

Presented by: Photographer Peter Christoph

This photo journey will help us develop a deeper appreciation for the birds, animals, and plants that inhabit this fragile tropical paradise where the rainforest meets the sea.

Recommended for Young Adults & Adults.

Tuesday, Nov. 6 @ 6:30 p.m.

Puffins and Auks and Muirs ... Oh, My ...

Presented by: Photographer John Rockwood,
The Loon Man

This photo journey will include seals, eagles, ospreys, moose, fox, and swans too.

Recommended for Young Adults & Adults.

Tuesday, Mar. 19 @ 6:30 p.m.

Discover the Owls of New England

Presented by: Photographer Peter Christoph

This photo journey will take us exploring all over New England while tracking these magnificent birds that rule the night.

Recommended for Young Adults & Adults.

Monday, Apr. 8 @ 6:30 p.m.

The World of Owls

Presented by: Wingmasters

LIVE OWLS—A wealth of fact and folklore about these masters of the dark explains the natural and unnatural history of owls.

Recommended for Ages 5—Adults.

Tuesday, Apr. 23 @ 6:30 p.m.

Wiggles & Waggles!

Presented by: Photographer John Rockwood,
The Loon Man

Follow these comical twin loons from the day they were born until they migrate to the ocean 6 months later. See videos of adult loons and chicks swimming under water.

Recommended for Young Adults & Adults.

Monday, Apr. 29 @ 6:30 p.m.

Ani-Motion!

Presented by: Animal World Experience

LIVE ANIMALS—Walk on the wild side and learn how animals stay fit & healthy.

Recommended for Children & Families.

Tuesday, June 4 @ 6:00 p.m.

Edible Landscaping: The Latest Garden Design

Presented by: Chef Liz Barbour

Learn how to utilize your limited garden space so that it can be productive and beautiful at the same time. Slide show, cooking demonstration, and tasting.

Recommended for Adults.

LIMITED SEATING—REGISTRATION REQUIRED.

Tuesday, June 18 @ 6:30 p.m.

In the Groves: World Stories and Songs that Celebrate Trees

Presented by: Master Storyteller Diane

Edgecomb & Celtic Harper Margot Chamberlain

Learn how various cultures have imagined the living world of plants and trees. Travel around the world and celebrate this garden of delights. Stories include music and songs from many lands.

Recommended for Ages 8—Adult.

13-May-19

FINAL Results - Lancaster Town Election

VOTE COUNT		PCT 1	PCT 2	TOTAL	%
MACHINE	8:00 AM	6	5	11	0.21%
	9:00 AM	17	12	29	0.57%
	10:00 AM	36	22	58	1.13%
	11:00 AM	55	31	86	1.68%
	12:00 PM	66	63	129	2.52%
	1:00 PM	74	86	160	3.13%
	2:00 PM	97	88	185	3.61%
	3:00 PM	113	107	220	4.30%
	4:00 PM	122	120	242	4.73%
	5:00 PM	148	137	285	5.57%
	6:00 PM	167	155	322	6.29%
	7:00 PM	193	172	365	7.13%
	8:00 PM	204	179	383	7.48%
MACHINE TOTAL - FINAL		204	179	383	
HAND COUNT		0	0	0	
UOCAVA		0	0	0	
PROVISIONAL VOTERS		0	0	0	
TOTAL VOTED		204	179	383	7.48%
TOTAL # REGISTERED VOTERS		2465	2655	5120	
OFFICIAL BALLOT					
SELECTMAN					
BLANKS		22	23	45	
JAY M. MOODY		168	150	318	
MARK GRASSO		3	1	4	
SHAWN WINSOR		1	0	1	
JOHN SCHUMACHER		1	0	1	
HENRY RICHTER		1	0	1	
LUKE DANBY		1	0	1	
CAROL JACKSON		1	0	1	
STAN STARR		1	0	1	
JEAN SYRIA		5	5	10	
TOTAL		204	179	383	100.00%
FINANCE COMMITTEE					
BLANKS		61	42	103	
DAVID DITULLIO		141	134	275	
CAROL JACKSON		1	0	1	
SUSAN SMILEY		1	1	1	
WILLIAM O'NEILL		0	1	1	
FICTIONAL CHARACTER		0	1	1	
TOTAL		204	179	383	100.00%
BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS					
BLANKS		10	15	25	

COURTNEY G. MANNING		94	89	183	
SHAWN M. CORBETT		100	75	175	
TOTAL		204	179	383	100.00%
PLANNING BOARD					
BLANKS		97	91	188	
CAROL JACKSON		75	66	141	
FRANK SULLIVAN		14	12	26	
SUSAN SMILEY		9	4	13	
FRANK STREETER		2	0	2	
RYAN KRAFVE		1	0	1	
SHAWN CORBETT		1	0	1	
KATHERINE HOLDEN		2	1	3	
GERALD WILSON		1	0	1	
MARK GRASSO		1	0	1	
KEVIN KING		1	0	1	
PHIL LAWLER		0	1	1	
JEAN SYRIA		0	1	1	
SHAWN BAILEY		0	1	1	
DEB D'ERAMO		0	2	2	
TOTAL		204	179	383	100.00%
SCHOOL COMMITTEE					
BLANKS		42	30	72	
JOSEPH MATTHEW GLEASON		161	147	308	
JEAN SYRIA		1	0	1	
JOHN SCHUMACHER		0	2	2	
TOTAL		204	179	383	100.00%
BOARD OF HEALTH					
BLANKS		117	103	220	
KATHERINE HOLDEN		67	65	132	
STEVE PIAZZA		3	0	3	
PAUL JOYCE		1	0	1	
SHAWN WINSOR		2	1	3	
MIKE FAVREAU		5	0	5	
CAROL JACKSON		1	1	2	
SUSAN SMILEY		2	1	3	
WIN CLARK		1	0	1	
DAVE MCNALLY		1	0	1	
JOAN MITCHELL		1	0	1	
CHRISTOPHER FIORE		1	0	1	
JOHN SCHUMACHER		1	0	1	
SUSAN REARDON		1	0	1	
NATHANIEL HAWKINS III		0	1	1	
JOE D'ERAMO		0	2	2	
JOE FARRAGHER		0	1	1	
JAMES WEHTJA		0	1	1	
JEAN SYRIA		0	2	2	
DARRYL BLANEY		0	1	1	
TOTAL		204	179	383	100.00%

<i>LIBRARY TRUSTEES</i>					
BLANKS		108	92	200	
FRANK S. STREETER		154	130	284	
RICHARD R. BIANCHI, JR.		142	131	273	
JOHN SCHUMACHER		4	2	6	
SUSAN SMILEY		0	1	1	
KAREN DAVIS		0	2	2	
TOTAL		408	358	766	100.00%

Sterling-Lancaster Community TV
Broadcast Schedule May 18 - May 24 2019
Comcast Channel 8

Saturday	Genre
12:00 AM Guest in the House	Entertainment
4:00 AM Guest in the House	Entertainment
6:30 AM Kamla Show - Hannah Kuchler	Interview
8:00 AM Village Church Service	Religion
10:00 AM College Church Service	Religion
12:00 PM Opioids RX Drugs & Youth NRHS Talk	Local
1:30 PM Focus on Europe - Rubbish Crisis in Rome	Documentaries
2:00 PM Nashoba Spring Band Concert 2019	Local Music
4:00 PM The Boink Show - Firefighter	Children
5:00 PM Nashoba Spring Band Concert 2019	Local Music
6:30 PM Baby Blue Arts - Gilded Lily	Music
7:00 PM Focus on Europe - Rubbish Crisis in Rome	Documentaries
7:30 PM Opioids RX Drugs & Youth NRHS Talk	Local
9:00 PM Garden Thyme - Locavore Tour	Hobby
10:00 PM Kamla Show - Hannah Kuchler	Interview

Sunday	Genre
12:00 AM Guest in the House	Entertainment
4:00 AM Guest in the House	Entertainment
7:00 AM Trinity Bolton Church Service	Religion
9:00 AM ECC Church Service	Religion
11:00 AM Trinity Lutheran Church Service	Religion
12:00 PM Opioids RX Drugs & Youth NRHS Talk	Local
1:30 PM Focus on Europe - Rubbish Crisis in Rome	Documentaries
2:00 PM Nashoba Spring Band Concert 2019	Local Music
4:00 PM The Boink Show - Firefighter	Children
5:00 PM Nashoba Spring Band Concert 2019	Local Music
6:30 PM Baby Blue Arts - Gilded Lily	Music
7:00 PM Focus on Europe - Rubbish Crisis in Rome	Documentaries
7:30 PM Opioids RX Drugs & Youth NRHS Talk	Local
9:00 PM Garden Thyme - Locavore Tour	Hobby
10:00 PM Kamla Show - Hannah Kuchler	Interview

Monday - Friday	Genre
12:00 AM Comedy Corner - Jerry Caruso	Entertainment
4:00 AM Comedy Corner - Jerry Caruso	Entertainment

7:30 AM Barbara and You	Interview
9:00 AM Cathy Neptune's Kitchen - Nacho Chicken	Cooking
10:00 AM Talk Me Healthy - Work is for Everyone!	Health
11:00 AM The Best Pictures - Where Are They Now P1	Hobby
12:00 PM Channel 8 Community Updates	News
12:30 PM Lusmore and the Faeries	Local
1:00 PM Euromaxx - Underwater Restaurant	Documentaries
2:00 PM Church Services	Religion
4:00 PM Childrens Corner - Sausage Adventure	Children
5:00 PM LBMS Spring Concert 2019	Local Music
6:30 PM Baby Blue Arts Presents - Larry McDonough Quartet	Music
7:00 PM Euromaxx - Underwater Restaurant	Documentaries
8:00 PM Channel 8 Community Updates	News
8:30 PM Lusmore and the Faeries	Local
9:00 PM The Best Pictures - Where Are They Now P1	Hobby
10:00 PM Barbara and You	Interview

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Sterling-Lancaster Community TV
Broadcast Schedule May 25 - May 31, 2019
Comcast Channel 8

Saturday	Genre
12:00 AM Comedy Corner - Jerry Caruso	Entertainment
4:00 AM Comedy Corner - Jerry Caruso	Entertainment
6:30 AM Barbara and You	Interview
8:00 AM Village Church Service	Religion
10:00 AM College Church Service	Religion
12:00 PM Channel 8 Community Updates	News
12:30 PM Lusmore and the Faeries	Local
1:00 PM Euromaxx - Underwater Restaurant	Documentaries
2:00 PM Channel 8 Community Updates	News
2:30 PM Lusmore and the Faeries	Local
3:00 PM Cathy Neptune's Kitchen - Nacho Chicken	Cooking
4:00 PM Childrens Corner - Sausage Adventure	Children
5:00 PM LBMS Spring Concert 2019	Local Music
6:30 PM Baby Blue Arts Presents - Larry McDonough Quartet	Music
7:00 PM Euromaxx - Underwater Restaurant	Documentaries
8:00 PM Channel 8 Community Updates	News
8:30 PM Lusmore and the Faeries	Local
9:00 PM The Best Pictures - Where Are They Now P1	Hobby
10:00 PM Barbara and You	Interview

Sunday	Genre
12:00 AM Comedy Corner - Jerry Caruso	Entertainment
4:00 AM Comedy Corner - Jerry Caruso	Entertainment
7:00 AM Trinity Bolton Church Service	Religion
9:00 AM ECC Church Service	Religion
11:00 AM Trinity Lutheran Church Service	Religion
12:00 PM Channel 8 Community Updates	News
12:30 PM Lusmore and the Faeries	Local
1:00 PM Euromaxx - Underwater Restaurant	Documentaries
2:00 PM Channel 8 Community Updates	News
2:30 PM Lusmore and the Faeries	Local
3:00 PM Cathy Neptune's Kitchen - Nacho Chicken	Cooking
4:00 PM Childrens Corner - Sausage Adventure	Children
5:00 PM LBMS Spring Concert 2019	Local Music
6:30 PM Baby Blue Arts Presents - Larry McDonough Quartet	Music
7:00 PM Euromaxx - Underwater Restaurant	Documentaries
8:00 PM Channel 8 Community Updates	News
8:30 PM Lusmore and the Faeries	Local

9:00 PM The Best Pictures - Where Are They Now P1	Hobby
10:00 PM Barbara and You	Interview

Monday - Friday	Genre
12:00 AM Comedy Corner - Mark Scallia	Entertainment
4:00 AM Comedy Corner - Mark Scallia	Entertainment
7:30 AM Barbara and You	Interview
9:00 AM Fork in the Road - Dario's Pizza and Brew	Cooking
10:00 AM In Good Shape - The Healing Power of Meditation	Health
11:00 AM The Best Pictures - Where Are They Now P2	Hobby
12:00 PM LBMS Play - A Connecticut Yankee (Cast A)	Local
1:30 PM Shift - How Green is our Digital Lifestyle?	Documentaries
2:00 PM Church Services	Religion
4:00 PM Childrens Corner - Doggone Day	Children
5:00 PM 2019 Madrigal Dinner	Local Music
7:00 PM Shift - How Green is our Digital Lifestyle?	Documentaries
7:30 PM LBMS Play - A Connecticut Yankee (Cast A)	Local
9:00 PM The Best Pictures - Where Are They Now P2	Hobby
10:00 PM Barbara and You	Interview

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