

COMMUNITY BUSINESSES AND ORGANIZATIONS

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AUTOMOTIVE		HELP WANTED	
Lauridsen Auto Body	11	Comfort Keepers	26
Marshall's Garage	21	House Cleaner	29
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Walker Automotive	4	Andover Community Church	27
DINING, LODGING, & HOSPITALITY		Appletree Opticians	28
Andover Barn Function Hall	23	Dan Bezon, Chiropractor	28
Pizza Chef	28	Chadwick Funeral Service	26
The Refinery	19	Colonial Pharmacy	26
EVENTS & FUNDRAISERS		Kearsarge Unitarian Universalist	27
Andover Beacon Subscriptions	16	Lake Sunapee VNA & Hospice	26
Andover Community Coffeehouse	20	New London Hospital	23
Andover Community Church		Peabody Place	17
Rummage and Bake Sales	25	Ragged Mountain Physical Therapy	29
Andover Community Hub	20	Woodcrest Village	2
Andover Garden Club Plant Sale	13	PERSONAL SERVICES	
Andover Historical Society		Mane Street Salon	28
Calendar Sales	21	PETS & ANIMALS	
Tucker Mountain Schoolhouse	21	At Your Paws Pet Services	27
Diane Boisvert Celebration of Life	26	Pleasant Lake Veterinary Hospital	27
Danbury Winter Farmers Market	25	Tack Room for Becky's Gift	7
Franklin Opera House	24	POLITICAL ADS	
Wilmot Historical Society	24	Andover Democrats	10
Wilmot Public Library	25	The Coup	15
HOME & GARDEN PRODUCTS		Louise Andrus	9
Champagne Quality Aggregates	7	Lorna Carlisle	11
FloorCraft	6	Ken Wells	3
Gimpy's Furniture	16	PROFESSIONAL SERVICES	
Grevior Furniture	18	AW Frost Agency	21
Huckleberry Heating Oil	29	Gale Insurance Agency	28
Spring Ledge Farm	21	Kearsarge Area	
HOME & GARDEN SERVICES		Chamber of Commerce	6
All & Awl Repair	13	Seufert Law Offices	23
Braley Standing Seam Roofing	12	Sugar River Bank	22
Carroll Paint Company	2	REAL ESTATE	
Clarke & Co. Earthworks	3	Angeli & Associates	8
Dumpster Depot	16	BHG Milestone Real Estate	7
Easy Wind Property Maintenance	18	Coldwell Banker Lifestyles, Ty Morris	31
Fenton's Construction	23	Equine Homes	19
Frost Building Construction	19	Legacy Mortgage	14
J&B Landscaping	24	SCHOOLS & LESSONS	
Kearsarge Concrete & Sweeping	9	Imagination Inn	29
LaVorgna Roofing	8	SHOPS & ITEMS FOR SALE	
J Mac's Service and Repair	6	Andover Service Club	
Clayton A. Miller Plumbing	7	Thrifty & Gift Shop	19
Mark Thompson Excavating	23	JJ's Market & Deli	10
Valle Professional Home & Chimney	10		

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Andover Service Club	19	Andover Historical Society	13
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		Ken Wells Campaign	10

For a much longer list of businesses and organizations, visit the **Businesses and Resources Directory** at Andover-NH.gov/welcome-andover-nh/files/business-resource-directory.

Thank You, Volunteers!


We couldn't publish the *Beacon* without you.

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EMS vehicles, we will have the Andover Police Department, the Merrimack County Sheriff's Department, the New Hampshire Fish and Game Department, and other cool trucks for everyone to see!

Since this year is our first annual open house as well as the 100th annual Fire

Prevention Week, we decided to invite local resources to showcase their services. Representatives will be present from Crisis Center of Central New Hampshire, American Red Cross, Twin Rivers Food Bank, and others that Andover residents are able to access in times of need.


It is sure to be a great time with our local heroes! Be sure to stop by. 

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In addition to lunch, the event also welcomes local residents who would like to set up a table to display or sell their goods and crafts, including any local farmers and gardeners who might like to sell or share some of their fall harvest. Anyone interested is asked to contact Ty for details and to reserve a spot. Vendors will need to provide their own tables and display set-up; nothing

will be provided.

The Hub is located at 157 Main Street, next to Pizza Chef. Parking is limited and is also available at the Post Office across the street and in the AE/MS parking lot behind the Town Office.

Everyone is invited! RSVPs are encouraged – even at the last-minute – although not required, in order to give Ty an idea of how many to expect. He can be reached at Ty@TheCBLife.com or text or phone at 603 237-2060. 

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ing light onto a small, flat mirror back at the top of the tube.


Positioned at a 45-degree angle to the tube, this second mirror sends the sharpened image to the viewer's eyepiece, where the real magnification and final focusing takes place. The eyepiece is the only lens, and the viewer can switch eyepieces for greater or lesser magnification. The function could not be simpler.

As the Earth rotates on its axis, the night sky appears to spin overhead, making it necessary for a telescope to move in order to track an object and keep it in view. Tracking is easy with the Starblast. Instead of standing on a wobbly tripod with complicated controls, this scope sits on a "Dobsonian" mount, which is a rotating wooden disk or plate. Place it on a backyard table. Nudge the scope with your hands to track objects; up-and-down motion is also directly manual. You just push it where you want it. It could not be simpler.

What is there to see? Start with the moon. Not when it's full and flooded with sunlight, but when its spectacular craters, mountain ranges and lava plains are illuminated and dramatized by the direct

low-angle light of the sun from the lunar perspective. A "half moon" is ideal, but anything other than a full moon is good.

Mercury, Venus, Mars, Jupiter and its four largest moons, Saturn and its rings, and the outer planets all can be enjoyed with the Starblast, as well as stars, star clusters, and several deep-space nebulae. A star chart that comes with the scope can help you navigate the skies, and the telescope's excellent viewfinder makes locating precise objects relatively easy. If you're motivated and patient, you can find the Andromeda Galaxy, and view light that has been traveling for two-and-a-half million years to reach your eye.

This exciting addition to the Bachelder Library's holdings is available to be borrowed for week-long loans on a first-come basis. Call 603 735-5076 (Bachelder Library where the telescope is stored) or 603 735-5333 (the Andover Library) and the two librarians can work together to reserve it for you. When you come to pick it up, a librarian will provide simple instructions to get you started. Fall and winter typically provide the driest atmospheres of the year, ideal for amateur astronomy. Enjoy your new hobby! 


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nequins, class size will be limited to 15 people. Advance registration by October 15 is required and can be made by calling 603 735-5509 or by emailing TheAndoverHub@gmail.com. Those registering should indicate which class segment(s) they wish to attend. Financial assistance is available to those with limited resources.

The course will be taught by Andover resident Kelly Griffin-Brown, Proctor Academy's head athletic trainer and anatomy and physiology teacher. She is also an adjunct instructor who provides medical emergency simulation for the National Football League sports-med-

icine teams. She holds bachelor's and master's degrees from SUNY Buffalo.

Who should attend? A wide range of individuals, according to Mrs. Griffin-Brown: "Anyone age 14 or older, especially kids trying to break into babysitting, people who have family members who are at high risk for medical emergencies, or anyone with small children."

What to wear? "Clothing that you're comfortable working on the floor in. You must be able to perform CPR in the clothes you happen to be wearing at the time. Physically, you should also be able to perform CPR on the floor on adults, children, and infants. If you cannot perform the physical skills, you will not be able to get certified." 

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