



[From the May 2010 Beacon] Shawna Barton, Brianna Keniston, and Mariah Haley were inducted into the National Art Honor Society. Photo: Becca Lance

A Look Back: Five and Ten Years Ago in The Andover Beacon

Beacon needs volunteers to make this feature monthly.

Charlie Darling, Beacon staff

I'd like to see this become a regular feature, but I can't do it every month. Would you volunteer to do this a few times each year? It's fun and easy, and I'm sure our readers will enjoy it a lot. Call or e-mail the Beacon if you'd like to help!

Five Years Ago: May 2010

Selectmen work to cut town budget by 5%: Town Meeting voted an across-the-board reduction, so now the Selectmen have to figure out how to spread \$63,000 in budget cuts.

Cable Channel 8 Programs are Now on the Web: And they still are, though they've moved to the new Town Web site at Andover.NH.us. And in a re- See Look Back on page 22



Bob Hurlbutt and a helper split wood during the 2014 We Build It Forward event.

Belletetes Announces "We Build It Forward" on Sept. 26

Who in the community can use some help?

Press release

Belletetes announces its second annual We Build It Forward (WBIF) community service event, to be held on Saturday, September 26. WBIF is enlisting the support of area businesses, community leaders, and anyone who wants to volunteer.

Belletetes held its first WBIF event in 2014 in the communities surrounding its Jaffrey, Ashland, and Andover/Sunapee locations, following in the footsteps of RP Johnson and Son, which Belletetes purchased in July 2013. The first WBIF program was so well received that it opened the program to all seven of its locations this year, including Jaffrey, Peterborough, Nashua, Andover, Sunapee, and Ashland, New Hampshire, as well as Winchendon, Massachusetts.

Community members can sign up for the event during the company's Customer Appreciation Event on Saturday, August 22, or contact Sue Johnson at

SJohnson@Belletetes.com or 735-2116.

In 2014, Belletetes worked on seven projects in the communities surrounding its Andover and Sunapee locations. Projects included window replacements in Sunapee; exterior painting, ramps to a barn, and stacking firewood for three families in Danbury; a new roof on the playground equipment at AE/MS; a new metal roof and firewood cut, split, and stacked for a woman in Sutton, and replacing some exterior trim for a woman in Sutton on her garage.

Do you know any group, person, or organization that is in need of some help? Help us make a list. Does someone need a handicap ramp? What about a small roof repair? We're calling on leaders and community members to join us in this mission.

Community service is important! Belletetes is on a mission to raise awareness of how everyone can serve each other and serve our communities with our We Build it Forward event. It's time for radical gratitude and commitment to service!



Cruise-In Night Car Show
May 15th 5:30 - 7:30 pm
 24 Ten Penny Lane, Andover, NH

Rain or Shine (if it rains, cars will be on display inside Drive Thru)



Vendor Displays
 Free Food
 Car Nutz 50/50 Raffle to benefit David's House
 Raffle to benefit WBIF



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On a perfect Sunday in April, Andover's Peter Zak, longtime local apple grower and cider maker, offered a tree-pruning demonstration on the Beech Hill property of Jimmy Sferes and Jennifer White. The two-hour hands-on presentation, sponsored by the Andover Community Association, drew nearly a score of local tree-owners. Photo: Larry Chase

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