



The Andover Lions Club has been cleaning, painting, and fitting out the upstairs room at The Lions Den – the old fire station at the end of Poplar Street in the village. The room is now suitably appointed for the club's meetings; pictured at a recent one are Bill Leber (foreground) and Howard George, Ellie George, Pat Cutter, and Jim Danforth. Photo: Charlie Darling

## Andover High School Reunion Moves to Winslow State Park

Anyone who attended AHS is welcome on July 9

Judy Perreault, AHS '53

The Andover High School Reunion will be held this year on Saturday, July 9, starting at 10 AM. This year there will be a change of venue – instead of South Danbury, reunion attendees should gather at the northwest picnic area in Winslow State Park on the side of Mount Kearsarge in Wilmot.

The official meeting and pictures

will begin at 11 AM, with a pot-luck picnic at 12:30 PM. Please bring food to share, drinks, a chair, and AHS memorabilia. All Andover High School attendees are welcome!

If there's rain on July 9, the festivities will move to Andover Elementary/Middle School (the former Andover High School) in the village.

I hope to see you all there. We have a lot of memories to share. For more information, contact Shirley Currier at [Clyde.Shirley@tds.net](mailto:Clyde.Shirley@tds.net).



### The Andover After-School Program is Hiring a Program Director.

Seeking an energetic, creative individual to provide high quality after-school child care for youth grades K-5.

Duties include:

- Facilitating group activities
- Promoting safe and happy learning environment
- Management of staff
- Strong leadership and communication skills
- Administrative and bookkeeping skills

The 30 hour week position begins in August for the 2016-2017 school year. Early childhood/teaching degree or 12 ECE credits with 1000 documented hours of experience with children required.

Please submit resumes to [andoverkids5@gmail.com](mailto:andoverkids5@gmail.com).

## New London Barn Playhouse Kicks Off Its 84th Season

“Brigadoon” opens June 15

Press release

For its 84th consecutive season, the Barn will be offering a mix of classic and contemporary musicals and plays, presented with the extraordinary performances and production values that the community has come to expect.

The summer kicks off with the gorgeous romance *Brigadoon*. Running June 15 through 26, this bewitching musical tells the tale of two American tourists who stumble upon a mysterious Scottish village that magically appears out of the Highland mists only one day every 100 years.

Next comes an uproarious send-up of big business in the era of highballs and chain-smoking. *How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying*, a classic musical and the winner of both a Pulitzer and multiple Tony Awards, will run June 29 through July 17.

Based on the Oscar-winning film and nominated for eight Tony Awards, the ingeniously clever *Shrek the Musical* is an utterly zany musical adventure that will delight adults and children alike. It will run July 20 through 30 and will be followed by the lightning-paced Hitchcockian whodunit *The 39 Steps*. Playing August 3 through 7 only, this comedy *tour de force* packs in murder, secret organizations, speeding trains, missing fingers, and much more.

From August 10 through 21, the Barn will present *Crazy for You*, a mad-cap romantic comedy featuring jaw-dropping dancing and a cavalcade of immortal Gershwin melodies including *I Got Rhythm*, *Embraceable You*, and *Someone to Watch Over Me*.

And to send you into the fall laughing, the season-closer will be *Don't Dress for Dinner*, a deliciously naughty bedroom farce about marital treachery, mistaken identity, and gourmet

French cooking that will run August 24 through September 4.

**Monday Night Series**

The Barn's hugely popular New London Barn Intern Idols will return for a sixth season. The Acting Intern Company will split into competing teams on select Monday nights, with members of each team singing their hearts out to earn the audience's votes. Each Idols evening offers two curtain times, at 5 and at 7:30 PM.

**Children's Theater Series**

The Barn's Junior Intern (JI) Company is comprised of approximately 25 dedicated young performers, ages 12 through 18, who produce and perform the Children's Theater Series productions. The Series includes five shows; four appear on the Barn stage, with one additional free outdoor production.

This summer, the JIs will present *Opening Night* on July 2, *Humpty Dumpty is Missing!* on July 16, *The Tempest* on July 23 in a free outdoor performance, *Sleeping Beauty* on July 28, and *The Wizard of Oz* on August 18 and 20. All performances are at 11 AM and at 2 PM.

**Flex Passes**

The best deal of the summer, Barn flex passes offer the ultimate in flexibility and savings. The four-pack passes can be redeemed in any combination and at any point, offering savings of up to 18% over single-ticket prices. But they must be purchased by June 14! More information is at [NLBarn.org/subscriptions](http://NLBarn.org/subscriptions).

**Summer Camps**

The Barn is proud to offer five weeks of theater camps this summer from July 11 to August 12, with options each week for ages six through 16. Each weekly camp runs either in the morning or the afternoon; camps are taught by Barn staff, members of the Acting Intern Company, and professional guest artists. Information and camp descriptions are available at [NLBarn.org/summer-camps](http://NLBarn.org/summer-camps).

Tickets to Barn events are available at [NLBarn.org](http://NLBarn.org) or 526-6710.



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## Andover Historical Society

Donate your salable items to the Andover Old Time Fair Auction & Flea Market!

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