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From left to right, the family dog, Emily (age 9), Molly (the Mom), and Azalea (age 7), gather at AE/MS as their starting point for the trip to New York City on September 17. Photo and caption: Beacon staff

## Andover Family Bikes to NYC for Climate Change Cause

Beacon staff

The Morgan family of Andover, or rather the Morgan women, spurred on by daughter Azalea's reaction to a documentary about the effects of Climate Change on polar bears, decided to take action by taking a bike trip (partly by bike; partly by public transportation) to New York City. Their goal was to arrive in time for the United Nations Climate Summit held on September 23.

Azalea said that she and her sister were "striking from school", and her mother, Molly, explained that the action was being done in conjunction with the Global Youth Climate Strike. Addition-

ally, they set up a Facebook page Kids-Care4PolarBears, where there are many posts of their adventures. They are also collecting money to fund solar panels for their school, AE/MS. The idea was to collect donations on their journey.

From Andover, the group biked up to New London on September 17, caught a ride on the Dartmouth Coach to Boston, and then made their way to the Greenway, finding many friendly faces and help along the way. The two girls were even interviewed for an article on Climate Change and activism by "Curbed." Stay tuned to their Facebook page for updates.

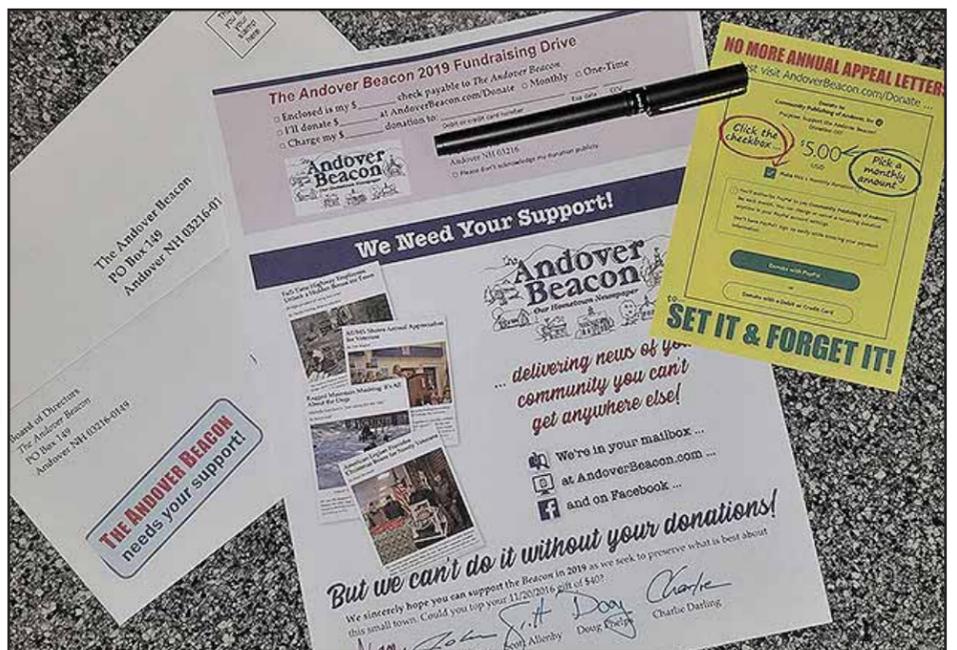
## Time to Put Up Scarecrows and Pumpkin People

Janet Moore

Get those scarecrows and pumpkin people out in front of your Main Street businesses and schools *now!*

October 18 is the deadline if you want your picture in *The Andover Beacon* in November, and you *do* want your picture there!

Check out last year's November *Beacon* for ideas – or just ask the kids! Let's show some community spirit!



If you haven't donated to *The Andover Beacon* yet this year, watch your mail in mid-October for a letter like the one pictured here. Your annual (or monthly) donation is a vital part of the *Beacon* being able to deliver 11 issues per year to every Andover mailing address, plus hosting all its articles and photos at [AndoverBeacon.com](http://AndoverBeacon.com), plus featuring the most important articles and photos at [Facebook.com/Andover-Beacon/](https://www.facebook.com/Andover-Beacon/). Your support makes a world of difference to the whole community ... thanks!  
*The Andover Beacon* Board of Directors

## Andover Hub to be Beneficiary of Thursday's Child Event

Thursday, October 17,  
Coach House Restaurant

Press release

The Andover Community Hub will be a beneficiary of the October 17 "Thursday's Child" event at The Coach House Restaurant in the New London Inn. On that date, the restaurant will di-

vide 50 percent of its net profits from dinners served between The Hub and the Kearsarge Athletic Boosters Club of New London.

Said Andover resident Gisela Darling, a member of The Hub's board of directors: "On behalf of the growing number of participants in Hub activities, we're  
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On a rainy September 11 morning, about a hundred Andover elementary and middle-school students, teachers, and townspeople gathered near the school to attend a ceremony in memory of those New Hampshire residents who lost their lives in the terrorist attacks against the United States on the morning of Tuesday, September 11, 2001. The attacks leveled the World Trade Center in New York City, killing 2,996. The ceremony was organized by the town's American Legion Crosby-Gilbert Post 101.  
Caption and Photo: Larry Chase

## Transfer Station Guidelines for Andover Residents

Press release

The Transfer Station asks users to please remember the following:

1. Remove doors from refrigerators.
2. Stop at the office first to get prices, estimates, or to ask questions, before dropping off items.
3. Please read all signs carefully.

**No Longer Accepting Motor Oil**

Also, the Transfer Station will no longer be accepting motor oil, and as usual, hazardous wastes, including all anti-freeze liquids.

Thank you for your cooperation.

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