



On Saturday, June 4, in the NHIAA Meet of Champions, Sophia Reynolds of Andover and Merrimack Valley High School ended her high school track career winning the 1600 meters in 5:13.05. Sophia will continue her running career at Worcester Polytechnic Institute and study Biomedical Engineering and Computer Science. You can watch the race video at youtu.be/qrdJ00T8jxPI.
Caption: Brian Reynolds
Photo: Marsha Kavanaugh and New Hampshire Track and Field



On this beautiful sunny day at preschool, the children are working in the sand area, building sand castles, digging up treasures, and using their imagination in so many ways.
Caption: Stephanie D'Amour. Photo: Robyn Boisvert

EAVP Says Goodbye to Graduates, Welcomes Summer Campers

Andover's Stephanie Mitchell joins staff

Stephanie D'Amour
East Andover Village Preschool

June was a fun month for preschool as we wrapped up our school year. We went on walks on the rail trail, practiced for graduation, spent lots of time outside and prepared our garden.

Although we were sad to say goodbye to the school year and the 11 children off to kindergarten, we looked forward to welcoming many of the children back for summer camp, as well as some alumni students and new students. It has been a while since EAVP has offered a summer camp, so we are so excited to have the children in the school and having fun in the sun.

We recently welcomed a new staff member to our teaching team. Step-

nie Mitchell has joined us and is also an Andover community member.

With help and support from the Andover Community Church, EAVP has made some improvements recently. One of our current parents, Ryan, took his personal time to remodel our bathroom and will continue construction in the hallway and utility closet. We love our old, historic building, but some enhancements sure have made our school a little bit brighter and more aesthetically pleasing.

This summer we also have plans for some new playground equipment and activities, since we like to spend so much time outdoors. We love to bring learning to nature!

Enrollment is still available for the 2022/2023 school year. Email EAVP@tds.net to learn more about us or to schedule a tour.

Proctor Dedicates the Dave Pilla Memorial Forest

Pilla was Woodlands Manager and teacher

Scott Allenby
Proctor Academy

On Sunday, June 5, Proctor Academy held a dedication ceremony for the Dave Pilla Memorial Forest. A granite marker about a half mile down Elbow Pond Road at the entrance to the Hopkins Pond Trail Network honors Dave and his nearly 40 years of land stewardship and management while working at Proctor Academy.

In his role as woodlands manager and wildlife science/forestry teacher, Dave inspired thousands of Proctor students and many in the local community to get out on Proctor's 2,500 acres of woodlands and trails.

Inspired by Proctor's partner in woodland management, Jack Bronnberg of Bronnberg Logging and Trucking, the granite bench and marker provide a beautiful entrance into Proctor's woodlands for all who are able to enjoy it. More than 200 alumni, employees, former employees, and friends of Dave's from the local forestry industry were in attendance for the event.





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