

PITTSFIELD POST

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"Give thanks for a little and you will find a lot." - *Hansa Proverb*

November 22, 2023



Pittsfield High School Accreditation Renewal

We are proud to announce that the Commission on Public Schools has reviewed the Decennial Accreditation Report from the recent visit to PMHS and voted to award the school continued accreditation in the New England Association of Schools and Colleges (NEASC).

PMHS has now continuously maintained accreditation through NEASC since 1955.

The final version of the *Decennial Accreditation Report* from March of 2023 is available on our school website sau51.org (see the *About Us* tab). The report was written by a visiting team of external educators following a comprehensive cycle of internal and external assessments and strategic planning.

NEASC requires that member schools demonstrate alignment with the Standards for Accreditation. The visiting team concluded that PMHS aligned with each of the *six foundational elements* (pages 16-22). PMHS met the standards for Learning Culture (1.1a), which included the completion of a Vision of the Learner, and Student Learning (2.2a), by establishing a written curriculum for all courses in all departments and grade levels. The visiting team and the Commission expressed high praise for our progress in the *priority areas for growth* (pages 23-28) and our increased alignment with principles of effective practice.

Other areas of significance in the final report include the *Reflection on Student Learning and Capacity for Continuous Growth* (pages 29-33). The visiting team noted the following: "Most importantly, there is a shared commitment amongst the staff to the well-being of students and to meeting their academic and social/emotional needs. Staff demonstrate a high level of collegiality in working with students, sharing the responsibility for extra help, vetting one another's work, and making sure that someone is available for student questions and support (page 32)."

The visiting team included a total of *10 commendations and one recommendation* in the final report (pages 35-37). The PMHS faculty and staff are particularly proud of the third commendation - the resilience of the staff in the face of challenges from all sides and their determination to do "whatever it takes" to meet student and school needs. The complete list of commendations and recommendations is on page 5.

The spirit of the accreditation process is to make continuous efforts to address recommendations for school growth and improvement. We have recently completed our School Improvement Plans that will guide our work during the 2023-2025 school years. *Derek Hamilton, PMHS*



Christmas Concert

The Chancel Choir and the JuBellation Handbell Choir of the First Congregational Church, 24 Main Street, are pleased to present a free Christmas concert entitled, "Joyful Christmas," Friday, December 15, 7 p.m. This special one-hour concert will feature many of your favorite Christmas songs and some new ones! De wear your favorite Christmas attire to the concert. Light refreshments will be served. Be sure to include this joyous evening of music in your holiday plans and invite your friends! Parking and wheelchair accessible entrance are located at rear of church. Call the church office for more information: 603 435-7471.



Town Crier

To have an event included in this column, email Andi Riel at pittsfieldtowncrier@hotmail.com or call 603-435-6346.

Wednesday, November 22, The Victory Workers 4-H Club's annual **Thanksgiving Pie Sale** will be from 9:30 - 3pm (or when Sold Out) at Dowboro Farmstand, 615 Dowboro Rd. Rolls and other desserts will also be available.

The 4-H Young Entrepreneurs Dowboro Farms now has Christmas trees, wreaths and kissing balls for sale! Stop in at 615 Dowboro Road here in Pittsfield! Our hours are Thurs, Fri & Sat 9:30-6 and Sun 10:30-4

Friday, November 24th and Saturday, the 25th - 9am-6pm and Sun, Nov. 26 9-4pm. **SAWYER'S HOLIDAY OPEN HOUSE**, 520 North Barnstead Rd., Barnstead, NH, 603-496-9086. Country Farm home filled with New Hampshire handmade items just in time for the Holiday Shopping! Credit card, cash and checks accepted. Featuring: wooden crafts, fresh holiday arrangements, kissing balls, wreaths, ornaments, knitted items, resin jewelry, soaps, essential oil sprays, primitive items, table runners, dog coats, soy candles/wax melts, dog treats, cocoa bombs/candy, air fresheners/car coasters, cutting boards, day planners, jams and jellies, braided items and much much more! Daily door prizes. Start your local Holiday shopping in our warm farm house.

Thursday, November 30 is the last day to sign-up for the 2023 **Secret Santa Program**. To apply, please call the fire station at 603-435-6807 between 9am-4pm. To be eligible, children must be ages birth-14 years. The person signing them up must be a resident of the town of Pittsfield, must have custody of the child, and must be the child's parent or legal guardian. Please have patience when calling as the duty crew may be out assisting with an emergency and unavailable to answer phones at that time. We are still accepting donations of new unwrapped toys, winter outerwear, and warm clothing. If you would like to make a donation, please call the fire station at the above number and we will arrange to meet up with you. Monetary donations are greatly appreciated and may be mailed to: Pittsfield Secret Santa, PO Box 372, Pittsfield, NH 03263.

The Town of Pittsfield is looking to create a **community power plan** for its residents. Please help our town define goals for the program by taking a short survey on the Town of Pittsfield website.

www.pittsfieldnh.gov Paper surveys are located at Town Hall, Danis Supermarket, Bell Brothers, the Post Office, and Josiah Carpenter Library.

The Pittsfield Food Pantry is accepting applications for **holiday gift vouchers** to Market Basket. Applicants must live in Pittsfield and have an active phone number and street address. Please visit the Food Pantry at 55 Barnstead Road on Mondays or Thursdays between 11am - 1:45pm to pick up an application.

Saturday, December 2, FUN HOLIDAY EVENTS HAPPENING: The PES PTO **BREAKFAST WITH SANTA** from 7:30-10am at the PMHS Café. Santa will be there from 8-9am. Breakfast menu is pancakes, sausage, and drink - \$4 each, 3 for \$7 and 4 for \$12, also from 9-2pm the PES PTO will sponsor a Holiday **CRAFT FAIR** at the PMHS Gym.

Saturday, December 2, The Annual **CHILDREN'S STORE** (sponsored by the PMHS Basketball teams & Suncook Valley Rotary Club) – Kids-only shopping at kid-friendly prices will be held on Sat, Dec. 2 from 9-11am at the PMHS Gym. Kids can shop with an "elf" helper and have presents wrapped for free. Donations of new and gently used items will be accepted. Items for Men are needed. Gift bags & tissue paper are needed also. Donation collection boxes will be placed at the Post Office, Town Hall, Northway Bank and Bell Brothers laundromat.

Saturday, December 2, from 4-6pm The Greater Pittsfield Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring the Annual **CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTING CELEBRATION** on at Dustin Park. There will be holiday music and caroling; horse & wagon rides; Holiday Story time at the Library, free cookies, hot cocoa, popcorn and candy canes. Inside PYW, Gingerbread Houses will be displayed and raffled off, visit and pictures with Santa will be held, and hot soups, stews and chili will be available for a non-perishable food donation for the food pantry (or for a few dollars). A decorated wreath contest will be held and there will be a chance to win a live Christmas tree. The night will end with the lighting of the two Christmas trees in the park. Come join the fun and kick off the holidays!

Saturday, December 2, 4-6pm The Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring a **Decorated Wreath Contest** at the Christmas Tree Lighting Celebration. Everyone is invited to bring a decorated wreath (any way you'd like). The wreaths will be displayed and the public will have a chance to vote for their favorite and select the winner. The winner will be announced

at 6pm after the Tree Lighting and will receive a \$50 CASH PRIZE. Please drop your wreath off by 3:45pm at PYW (Pittsfield Youth Workshop, 5 Park St.) and please pick up your wreath by 6:15pm. Any wreaths that are not picked up will be donated to local groups. The contest is open to everyone! Get in the holiday spirit and show off your creativity. For more information, contact Andi Riel at 435-6346 or pittsfieldtowncrier@hotmail.com

The Greater Pittsfield Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring a **House Decorating Contest** in the spirit of the season. All Pittsfield residents and businesses are encouraged to pull out those holiday lights and decorations and participate. NO Entry Fee and there is a \$100 Prize! For information and to register, please call or text Kathy at 603-833-1434. Judging will be held on **Dec. 13 at 7pm** (weather permitting). Let's "LIGHT UP PITTSFIELD!!" and get in the holiday spirit!

The town of Pittsfield's **Winter Parking Ban** on town roads is effective **November 15 through April 15**. This ban prohibits parking in or on the town's roads or right of way between the hours of 10pm and 7am. The purpose of this parking ban is to allow the winter or inclement weather maintenance crews unobstructed routes for snow removal and ice control, to maintain effectiveness of their routes.

Senior Center hours are Mondays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays, 8am -1pm. The current schedule is: Bingo on Monday & Thursday, 11:15am; Cribbage & Games on Monday and Thursday, 9:30am - 11am; Exercise on Wednesday 9am -10:30am; Sweatin' to the Oldies on Monday & Thursday, 8:15am-9am; Walking at the Center on Monday, Wednesday, & Thursday, 8am - 1pm. For more information or if you have questions, call 603-435-8482.

The **Pittsfield Historical Society 2024 Calendar** is now available for purchase at the town hall, library and the museum, and the cost is \$15. The theme for the 2024 calendar is "Hotels, Boarding Houses, Resorts, Retreats and Summer Camps."

Saturday, December 9 from 5:30-7:30pm at PMHS Cafe – **A Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser** for Cully Troughton will be held to help Cully with expenses while he undergoes treatment and is out of work. Menu will be: spaghetti with homemade sauce, salad, rolls, drink, and cookies. We will also have many great raffle items! \$10 Cash only please.

Pittsfield School District will be closed Wed-Fri, Nov. 22-24 for the Thanksgiving break.

I'd like to wish everyone a Happy Thanksgiving Day holiday and hope you can spend time with family and friends.



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Select Board Review

November 14, 2023

A public hearing regarding implementing Community Power was held with an explanation of the mechanics of changing over from Eversource/NHEC as the default electricity supplier for the town. Eversource would continue to deliver that energy. It's hoped that this plan will be on the ballot for voters to decide in March.

The NH Dept of Revenue announced Pittsfield's 2023 assessment to sales ratio of 64%. Simplified, this means if you take the total value on your tax bill (assessment) and divide that number by .64, the resulting amount is approximately your property's present market value which is considerably higher than the assessed value.

Mark and Andrea Riel's resignation from the Old Home Day Committee was accepted with regret, and with many thanks for OVER 20 YEARS donating their time and effort to making Pittsfield's celebration a huge success every summer. It was stated by an audience member that 6 other longtime Committee members have also moved on to other things, but we have had no confirmation of that by those individuals. When or if they do contact us, we'll appreciatively recognize their contributions as well. Going forward, the Old Home Day Committee could use additional new volunteers, so if you'd like to help with one of Pittsfield's fun celebrations, please contact the Selectman's office.

A new 3-year employment contract was signed with Public Works Director Noel Gourley. We unanimously entered into the contract with a very good man who does a very difficult job. In other employee news, select board members Jim Adams and Jim Allard announced that they have arrived at a mutually agreeable union contract with BOTH the Teamsters and the AFT. Neither side got everything they wanted but both sides got everything they needed, which tells me this final product is fair. The fact that Pittsfield has exceptional employees whom we're smart to retain AND taxpayers who strive and succeed to support what's necessary to keep our town a good, safe place to live is not lost on anyone involved in these negotiations and our team did a great job 'bringing it home.' *Carl Anderson*

CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION

PRESENTED BY THE GREATER
PITTSFIELD CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Sat., December 2

PTO Breakfast with Santa at PMHS

7:30-10:00 am • PMHS Café • \$4 ea. - 2 for \$7 - 4 for \$12
Includes: Breakfast (Pancakes, Sausage & a Drink) Visit with Santa from 8-9 am

PTO Holiday Craft Fair 9-2pm • PMHS Gym

Youngsters up to 16 years of age can shop at the

CHILDREN'S STORE • 9-11 am • PMHS GYM

Dustin Park Main St. • 4-6 PM

Holiday Music • Caroling • Horse & Wagon Rides • Candy Canes • Cookies • Hot Cocoa • Popcorn
VISIT WITH SANTA AT PYW • PYW GINGERBREAD HOUSE DISPLAY AND RAFFLE

Holiday Storytime at the Library from 4-6pm.

Come listen to your favorite Holiday stories and enjoy cookies and cocoa!

HOT SOUPS, CHILI, STEW WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR A DONATION OF A NON-PERISHABLE FOOD ITEM OR A FEW DOLLARS DONATION

TREE LIGHTING ~ 6:00 PM

Sponsored by the Greater Pittsfield Chamber of Commerce • www.pittsfieldchamber.org
Made Possible By Donations and Support from the Pittsfield Community, Local Businesses and Members of:
Pittsfield Parks & Rec • Park St. Baptist Church • Pittsfield Fire Department • Pittsfield Firefighter's Association • SV Rotary • PYW • Town Hall
Pittsfield Police Department • Victory Workers 4-H Club • Corinthian Lodge • Circle of Home & Family • The Joyco Family
Pittsfield Players • Pittsfield Clothes Closet • South Pittsfield Community Club • Pittsfield Post Office • Main St. Variety • Epping Well Co.

**FOR INFORMATION CALL ANDREA 435-6346 or
email pittsfieldtowncrier@hotmail.com**
This is an OUTDOOR Event – Dress Warmly

Decorated Holiday Wreath Contest & Display
\$50 Cash Prize
CHRISTMAS TREE RAFFLE
One Free Entry Per Person

Pittsfield High School Commendations & Recommendations

Commendations

1. The staff takes a consistently collaborative approach to supporting students and employs the motto that "all students are everyone's students."
2. The flexibility and creativity of the staff in meeting individual student needs, as evidenced by the many options for individualized learning, including independent studies, online courses, and dual enrollment programs.
3. The resilience of the staff in the face of challenges from all sides and their determination to do "whatever it takes" to meet student and school needs.
4. The efforts to ensure that students feel known and supported by all staff.
5. The school schedule that includes professional learning and collaboration (shared planning blocks, early release Wednesdays) which are effectively used to enhance staff capacity to meet school goals and student needs.
6. The student-led conferences which are a meaningful opportunity for students to reflect on their learning and share it with others.
7. The efforts of teachers to provide students with choice in projects and allow them to get extra help and revise to meet competency benchmarks.
8. The feeling among students that they are in control of their grades and know that they can meet competency benchmarks with effort; most students are not anxious about grades.
9. The learning studios that provide student voice and choice in their learning as well as opportunities for leadership roles.
10. The physical spaces of the school which are welcoming and comfortable for students and the decor which includes many examples of student work.

Recommendations

1. Create structures that enable school personnel to frequently and sustainably engage in dialogue with the School Board and community to build greater understanding of the practices within the school, receive feedback, and develop supportive and collaborative relationships. *NEASC Report*

Help wanted
First Congregational Church
Childcare Attendant on Sundays from 9:45 to 11:45am.

Must be 18 yrs. old. Background check required. Pay is \$30 for the two hours. Please call 603-333-5290 or email: keysman02@aol.com

Happy Thanksgiving from BCEP

In observance of the Thanksgiving Holiday BCEP will be **Closed Thursday 11/23 and Friday 11/24.**

The Transfer Station and Recycling Center will **Re-Open Saturday 11/25: 7:00 am to 2:00 pm.**

Have a safe and Happy Holiday!!



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from the volunteers
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Cook's Corner Italian Sausage Manicotti

I realize you may be reading this right before Thanksgiving, but I also think that by the end of this week you'll be

looking for something tasty that doesn't involve turkey and leftovers. You've come to the right place. These Italian Sausage Manicotti are so fine! They look fancy, but are very easy. Put out some garlic bread and a nice big salad and you're all set.

According to my husband, these are also great, cold, for breakfast. You be the judge.

My very best wishes to you and your family for a lovely Thanksgiving. My husband and I are grateful for the wonderful friends we've made in Pittsfield and thankful for the opportunity to be part of this very special community. Mangia! *MP Christakos*

- 1 lb bulk sausage
- ½ sweet onion, chopped
- 3 garlic cloves, minced
- 1 & ½ tsp Italian seasoning (or a mix of dried oregano and dried basil)
- ½ tsp crushed red pepper flakes
- 8 oz chive & onion cream cheese
- 1 cup ricotta cheese
- ½ tsp black pepper
- 1 & ¼ cup shredded Mozzarella cheese, divided
- 10 manicotti tubes, cooked per package directions
- 1 (24 oz) jar marinara sauce
- 1/3 cup grated Parmesan cheese

Heat oven to 350. Grease a 9x13-inch baking dish. Cook and crumble the sausage in a large skillet. Add onion and cook until sausage is no longer pink. Add garlic, Italian seasoning and crushed red pepper; cook 1 more minute.

Turn heat to low and add cream cheese. Stir well until melted, remove from heat. Let cook slightly, then stir in ¾ cup of the Mozzarella, all of the ricotta, and the pepper.

Using a small spoon, stuff the mixture into the cooked manicotti tubes. Pour about ½ cup of the marinara sauce into the bottom of the baking dish. Place filled tubes on top, then pour remaining marinara all over the manicotti.

Cover with foil and bake for 25 to 30 minutes. Remove from oven, sprinkle the rest of the Mozzarella and all of the Parmesan over the top, and return to the oven for 10 more minutes.



FREE Preschool for ages 3-5 years old!

Pittsfield Head Start is located next to the middle school and serves surrounding towns.

Hours are Monday-Friday 8:30 am to 12:30 pm.

Two meals provided daily at no cost to families.

Enrolling now for the 2023-2024 school year.

Scan below, visit www.capbm.org, or call 603-225-3295 ext. 1127 for more information



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www.pittsfieldnhcommunitycenter.org

BINGO SUNDAYS 2:30PM

To Benefit **IBEW Local 490**

KIDS PYBA FIRST 48 Airport Road

Pittsfield Youth Baseball Association Concord

DOORS OPEN AT 12:00PM

www.facebook.com/pybabingo

What's up at PYW?

We are currently accepting donations of items for Holiday Meals on Wheels bags.

Youth have worked hard to decorate the bags and are excited to put a smile on the recipients faces!

We are looking for practical and fun items to stuff these bags, including but not limited to:

Crossword puzzles and brain teasers

Travel sized toiletries (shampoo, conditioner, toothbrushes, toothpaste, deodorant)

Tissues

Prepackaged snacks and candies

If you have any questions, please reach out to us via email info@pittsfieldyouthworkshop.org.

We will be collecting donations until Friday, Dec. 8.
Ashley Perron, PYW

PMHS Drama Club to Present *Discovering Rogue*

The PMHS Drama Club is beginning work on their production of *Discovering Rogue* by Christian Kiley for NH Educational Theater Guild's one-act festival. The show is a one-act play about a girl who runs away from home and discovers herself in some "wacky" dream sequences. Auditions were held November 20 at 3:00 pm and November 21 from 5:00-7:00 pm. The Theater Festival for this area will be held at PMHS in March 2024. *Derek Hamilton, PMHS*

BCEP Solid Waste District Towns of Barnstead, Chichester, Epsom and Pittsfield

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

There will be a Public Hearing for the purpose of receiving comments on the 2024 proposed budget of the BCEP Solid Waste District on Thursday December 7, 2023 at the BCEP Facility 115 Laconia Road, Pittsfield, NH 03263 at 5:30 P.M.

The Public is encouraged to attend and participate In the event of inclement weather, the meeting will be rescheduled to Friday, December 8, 2023



Important Dates to Remember:

TUESDAY, 11/21 4PM:
PYW THANKSGIVING CELEBRATION
HERE AT PYW

WEDNESDAY, 11/22-FRIDAY, 11/24:
PYW IS CLOSED, HAPPY THANKSGIVING!

WEDNESDAY, 11/29-FRIDAY, 12/1:
YOUTH GINGERBREAD HOUSE
DECORATING CONTEST...
BAKE, BUILD, AND DECORATE!
SIGN UP SHEET FOR TEAMS POSTED AT
PYW!

SATURDAY, 12/2 4PM-6PM:
TREE LIGHTING AND
GINGERBREAD HOUSE RAFFLE
RAFFLE TICKETS ARE AVAILABLE AT PYW:
1 TICKET FOR \$1 OR 6 TICKETS FOR \$5

Freedom Foods – Update on Our Hours

We continue to receive a lot of questions and comments about our hours of operation. Unfortunately, the information on Google is not correct.

Freedom Foods Hours:

Sunday 9:00 am to 3:00 pm

Monday 9:00 am to 5:00 pm

Tuesday CLOSED

Wednesday 9:00 am to 5:00 pm

Thursday 11:00 am to 7:00 pm

Friday 11:00 am to 7:00 pm

Saturday 9:00 am to 6:00 pm

We deeply appreciate your patronage and look forward to seeing again soon!

The Freedom Foods Team



Victory Workers 4-H Fall Festival

A great day was had by over 300 people at the Victory Workers Annual Fall Festival at Dowboro Farm, October 14. 4-H members presented Fashion Shows, demonstrations, public speeches, action exhibits, and pet rock showmanship. The event was planned and carried out by the Victory Workers 4-H club members, leaders, and parents. There were many showcases, projects and accomplishments shown to the public.

People participated in activities such as make it and take it crafts, shooting sports (archery and marksmanship), bubble gum blowing contest, face painting, sack race, egg and spoon race, wheelbarrow race, three-legged race, pony rides, doughnuts on a string, as well as a pie eating contest. The pie eating contest drew quite a crowd and close to 30 people participated.

A large part of our event was all of the animals in attendance: we had goats, chickens, alpacas, pigs, bunnies, oxen, and cows. A lot of people loved our animals, kids and adults alike. Some animals could be pet, too! The pony rides went well, and kids enjoyed a ride on a miniature pony. Many people also enjoyed a horse-drawn hayride down the road.

A honey extracting workshop was put on and you could see the honey harvested in front of you. From the hive to your mouth, you could experience it all, as well as ask questions of the beekeeper. There were a of couple demonstrations shown by adults throughout the day, including wool spinning and arboring. You could learn about spinning and weaving, how the fibers work, and the process to turn it into yarn. You could also learn about how to identify leaves, bark, and trees, from a 4-H alumni arborist. There was a delicious luncheon with soups and sandwiches, with the ingredients being donated by club members, leaders, and parents. The Dowboro Farmstand was open all day, selling a variety of products made by our young entrepreneurs from Victory Workers as well. Thank you to everyone who helped make the fall festival possible and enjoyable to all! Save the date on your calendar for next year's 3rd Annual Festival on October 19th, 2024. Addison Babcock, Co-Reporter of Victory Workers 4-H Club





Post-It in the Post

Do you have an interesting story to share with your friends and neighbors? Are you part of a community group that has big news? Email: pittsfieldnews@pnhcc.org by noon on Friday.

Guidelines: www.PittsfieldPost.org

A Very Pittsfield Players Christmas

Show Dates

December 9th at 2pm & 7:00pm & December 10th at 2pm

Directed By Jane Cormier

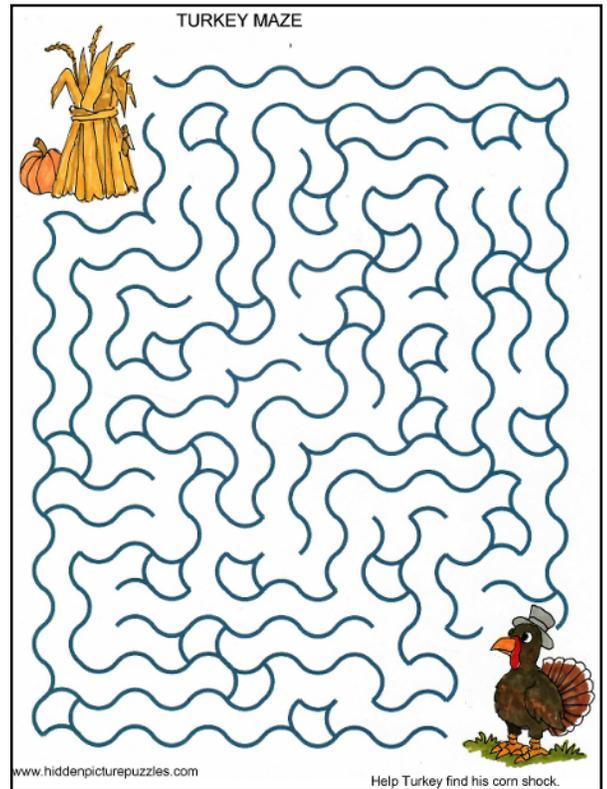
It's time to get into the Christmas Spirit at the Scenic Theater!

This year's "Holiday Production" features a fully staged Two Act production of "The Little Match Girl" in First Act, and a Christmas themed Second Act production!

Immerse yourself in a spectacular Christmas-themed production that will leave you laughing, singing, and feeling merry all around. Tickets may be purchased at www.pittsfieldplayers.org



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22 SINGING

Play favorite songs. Bounce, tap, clap to the rhythm.



December



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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3	4 6:30pm American Legion, Town Hall	5 9-11am , Diaper Pantry, First Congregational Church 6pm Select Board, Town Hall	6:30pm Suncook Valley Rotary Club, Historical Society 7 pm Snow Riders Meeting, Fire Station	5:30pm , BCEP Budget Hearing & Meeting at BCEP 5:30pm School Board, PMHS 6pm ZBA , Town Hall	8	8:30am Breakfast, Joy Church 2 pm and 7pm Pittsfield Players, "A Very Pittsfield Players Christmas"
1-4pm , Museum Open , Historical Society 2pm Pittsfield Players, "A Very Pittsfield Players Christmas"	11 6:30pm J Carpenter Library, Book Club, Over the Moon Farmstead	12 6pm Select Board, Town Hall 5pm Girls Basketball 6:30pm Boys vs Wilton -Lyndeborough, PMHS 6:15pm Parks and Rec Meeting, Community Center	13 3pm , Community Develop. Committee, Town Hall 6pm Budget Committee, Town Hall	14 7pm Planning Board, Town Hall	15 5pm Girls Basketball 6:30pm Boys Basketball vs Groveton 7pm Joyful Christmas Concert, Congregational Church	16
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