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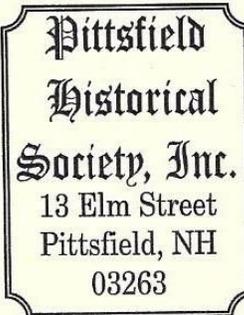
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Please Join Us!

The Pittsfield Historical Society is conducting its annual membership drive, and we would like you to join us! Your membership dues will help the society continue with its mission: **"...to educate the public about the significance of Pittsfield's past and its relevance and relationship to the lives of the citizens of Pittsfield today."** Membership dues support the infrastructure of the Society. They pay for the office supplies, heat, water, insurance, and to keep the lights on. Dues also ensure that we have the funds to participate in programs such as NH Humanities to Go, which provides speakers on wonderful topics that sometimes make up a portion of our annual programs, which are offered free to the public.

Members will receive our quarterly newsletters which contain delightful topics of historical significance, descriptions of newly donated artifacts, announcements of future programs, and timely news. Members also receive the Annual Report, which highlights the yearly events.

To ensure membership is open to everyone, there is a seven-tiered dues structure. Just complete the membership card and return it to us. Or you can review the information and our activities on our website: www.pittsfieldhistory.com *Liz Dimmick*

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Tuesday, April 14 9-11am Infant Toddler Diaper Pantry, through the First Congregational Church. We ask that you please call 435-7471 when you arrive in the Chestnut Street parking lot, and we will bring diapers and wipes outside for pickup. The Diaper Pantry sends a heartfelt thank you for all of your support. We are able to continue assisting young families because of your generous financial and product contributions. We are open twice monthly giving out over 600 sets of diapers/pull ups/overnights, and 200 packages of wipes. If you have any diapers (including open packages) which are no longer needed, we could use them! If you are able to purchase a package or two, we so thank you. To arrange for drop off please give the church a call at 435-7471. If you are able to help financially, please make any checks out to: FCC-Pittsfield and please note in the memo that it is for Diaper Pantry, then mail to: First Congregational Church- Diaper Pantry, 24 Main Street, Pittsfield, NH 03263.

Sunday, April 18 11:00pm to Monday, April 19 9:00am It's that time of year. Time to sweep the streets of all the sand from the winter months. No on-street parking.

Pittsfield Flower Power – the beautiful hanging flower baskets are coming. Each year generous product discounts and donations to help cover the cost of the soil, fertilizer, and watering buggy upkeep are received. If you would like to contribute, please make checks payable to Pittsfield Hanging Basket Flower Fund and mail to Donna Keeley, c/o Citizen Bank Flower Fund, 256 True Rd. Pittsfield 03263. Thank you for your support!

PES Book Fair - The Pittsfield PTO is sponsoring the Scholastic Book Fair at the Pittsfield Elementary School through Thursday, April 15 for students. The fair will be open on Wednesday, April 14 from 9-2 for families.

4-H Community Service Project, led by Jeremiah Chapman, is requesting donations that benefit folks who utilize Meals on Wheels. Items requested are: size 9 or 10 manila envelopes, books, birthday cards, stamps, puzzle books (preferably word searches and crosswords), individually wrapped snacks, coffee, tea baskets of any size and small gift items (for example pens and pads of paper). Donations may be dropped off at the Josiah Carpenter Library until June. 1.

2021 Dog Licenses are available. Please register your dogs by April 30th. We offer a number of options to register your dogs: online through the "dog

licenses" link on the town website home page; in person at the town hall; by mail; or by the drop box located to the right of the town hall door. More information may be found on the town clerk/tax collector page on the town website.
www.pittsfieldnh.gov

PHS All-Class Reunion: Sadly, it has been decided to postpone the reunion until the summer of 2022. Although we are making great gains in conquering the pandemic, it was thought that most people would be reluctant to make plans for travel and it would limit the number of people attending. We would rather wait one more year and look forward to everyone coming for a wonderful gathering. See you in 2022!

Happy Birthday wishes to Rick Chase on Thursday, enjoy your special day! **Congratulations** to Addison Clark on receiving the PMHS Varsity Girls Basketball Coaches Award and to Parker Clark on receiving the PMHS JV Boys Basketball MVP Award!



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Cook's Corner **Spicy Nacho Bake**

Warning, your family and friends will ask you to make this all the time. You can easily double this recipe, and either use a large disposable aluminum roasting pan, or use two 13x9-inch casseroles. Also, it's easy to dial down the heat if that's your preference, by using mild chili beans and regular Doritos or tortilla chips. Plan to serve this with your favorite Mexi fixin's on the side, sour cream, guac, jalapenos, fresh chopped cilantro, chopped scallions. Ole amigos!

2 lbs ground beef
1 large onion, chopped
1 large green pepper, chopped
1 (28 oz) can diced tomatoes, undrained
1 can (16 oz) spicy (hot) chili beans, undrained
1 can (15 oz) black beans, drained & rinsed
1 can (11 oz) whole kernel corn, drained
1 can (8 oz) tomato sauce
1 envelope taco seasoning
1 (13 oz) package spicy nacho-flavored tortilla chips (such as Doritos)
2 cups shredded Cheddar cheese

Heat oven to 350.

In a Dutch oven, cook the ground beef, onions and green peppers over medium heat until beef is cooked through. Drain the mixture and return to the pot. Stir in tomatoes, beans, corn, tomato sauce and taco seasoning. Bring to a boil, reduce heat and simmer for 30 minutes (mixture will be thin, that's okay).

Lightly spray a 13 x 9-inch baking dish. Layer 5 cups of tortilla chips in the bottom and some of the meat / bean mixture, then repeat the chips and meat layers until you've used all ingredients. Top the entire casserole with extra tortilla chips and the shredded cheese.

Bake casserole, uncovered, for 20 to 25 minutes.



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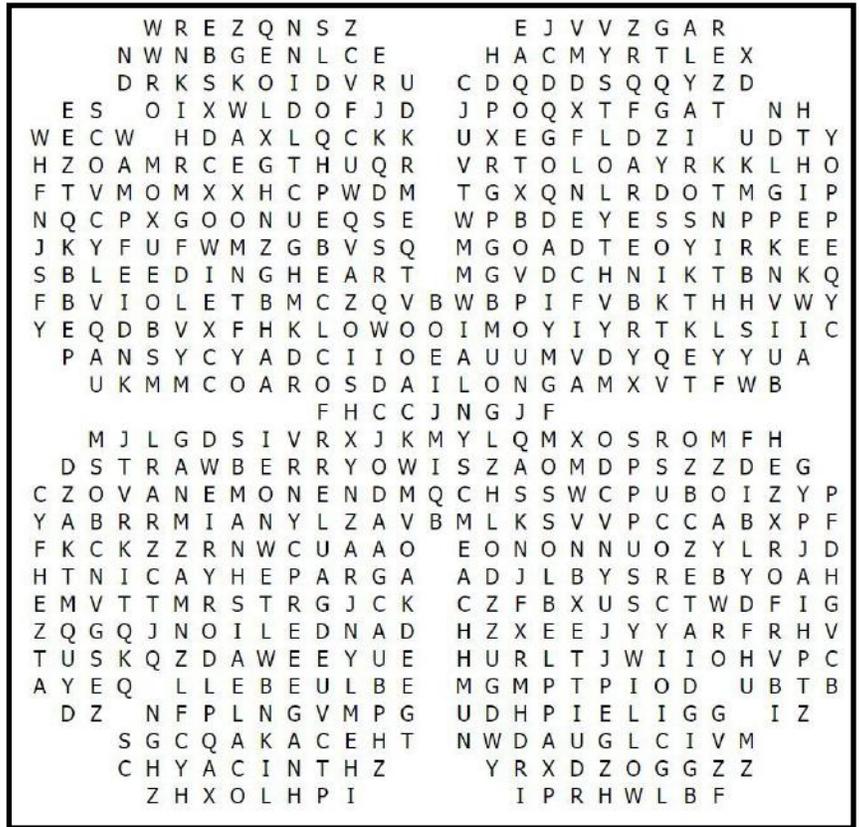
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