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Salem Fire Department Holds Annual Open House



The Salem Fire Department held our annual Open House in conjunction with the beginning of Fire Prevention Week on Saturday, October 7 at Fire Headquarters. We estimate that the attendance exceeded 2,000 visitors! In addition to live demonstrations of a car fire and a propane fire, the firefighters conducted a car extrication demonstration. Many outside agencies were on hand with information for the community, and the chili contest was won by Chief Paul Parisi, even though he couldn't be in attendance due to being on a deployment in the White Mountains with the Incident Management Team helping at a wildfire. Many off duty members volunteered their time to help, and we appreciate all of the folks that came out to make the day a great success. We look forward to seeing you again next year! Thank you to Dianne Paquette of [Paquette Photography](#) for the pictures!



OCTOBER 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

Schedule of Meetings

- } October 2 — Board of Selectmen, 7 PM
- } October 3 — Zoning Board, 7 PM
- } October 4 — Conservation Commission, 7 PM
- } October 4 — Board of Selectmen, 6:30 PM
(at the High School PAC)
- } October 10 — Planning Board, 7 PM
- } October 11 — Board of Selectmen, 6:30 PM
- } October 12 — Board of Selectmen, 6:30 PM
- } October 16 — Board of Selectmen, 6:30 PM
- } October 17 — Planning Board (Tuscan Village), 7 PM
- } October 23 — Board of Selectmen, 7 PM
- } October 24 — Planning Board, 7 pm



Planning Board Review



The Planning Board just reviewed a site plan for a new gas station/convenience store/coffee shop on South Broadway at the Lawrence Road intersection. The plan involves 2 driveways on South Broadway and 1 on Lawrence Road. The Board was concerned about traffic issues. The applicant will prepare a traffic study which will then be reviewed by the Town's traffic consultant.

Community Services

Recreation Division:

- Current programs taking place:
 - * Adaptive Bowling: Fridays from 3:45-5:00 PM at Park Place Lanes
 - * Adaptive Soccer: Thursdays from 5:30-7:00 PM at Michelle Memorial Park (ends October 28th)
 - * Dodgeball Session 1: Tuesdays from 4:00-5:30 PM at the Barron Elementary School (ends October 17th)
 - * Adult Dance Aerobics: Tuesdays from 6:00-7:00 PM at the Fisk Elementary School
 - * Karate: Fridays from 4:00-5:00PM at Salem Kenpo Academy
 - * Men's 18-39 Basketball: Tuesdays and Thursdays from 6:00-8:30 PM at the Barron Elementary School (FREE to residents)
 - * Men's 40+ Basketball: Sundays from 7:00-10:30 AM, Tuesdays and Thursdays from 5:30-8:30 PM at North Salem Elementary School (FREE to residents)
 - * The Palmer School still has one opening for the 2017-2018 school year. Please contact the Recreation Office at 890-2003 for more information or to request a registration form.
 - * Fall Flag Football: Wednesdays from 4:00-6:00 PM at the Michelle Memorial Park baseball fields.

Senior Division:

- 'LIKE' our new Facebook page: '[Salem NH Instagram Senior Center](#)' for all sorts of information:
 - * Program offerings
 - * Trip announcements
 - * Off Broadway Thrift Store items
 - * Open communication
- Our Annual Senior Health Fair will be October 18, 9-12
 - * The center will be closed for all other activities on October 18th
 - * Please join us for the health fair, local organizations and businesses bring you the latest information you will need to manage the Golden years.
- Essentrics for pain Relief (Wed. 3-3:30)
- Taking signups for new Stain glass class starting Sept. 25th
 - * Three, 2hr classes \$59 supplies included
- Looking for people to join a stress relief workshop starting September 23, *PR
- Video class 3rd Monday 2:00 Learn to video and edit
- Safety Awareness class Mondays 11:15, cost \$2 (Speaker October 16: Home Invasion)
- Essentrics (Stretching) Thurs. 1:45-2:45 Multi-purpose room



Salem Residents are encouraged to design and create Scarecrows to be displayed on their property all around the town! The Salem Recreation Division and Recreation Advisory Committee ask for picture submissions be sent to the Recreation Office via email to dcole@salemnh.gov. Emails should include participant names, address, and a contact phone number. Submissions will be displayed on Salem Recreation's Facebook page and updated weekly.

On Wednesday, October 18th, contest voting will open on the Facebook page and the picture with the most 'LIKES' by Monday, October 23rd will receive a \$25.00 Gift Card, Recreation Coupon vouchers, and a bag of candy!

Official Rules:

- One Scarecrow display submission per household.
- Contest voting will not open until Wednesday, October 18th. Any picture 'LIKES' prior to this date will not be counted.
- Inappropriate submissions of any kind will not be accepted.



Town Halloween Party

The Recreation Division and Recreation Advisory Committee would like to encourage residents attending the Town Halloween Party on Tuesday, October 24th to submit a pumpkin that is either carved or painted to be displayed at the event. For Salem residents ages 10 and under. Participants will enjoy refreshments, games, and a costume parade with prizes being awarded in each age group and costume category.

Our judges will select a winner, who will receive a gift card to Target, a gift card for a Recreation Division program, as well as a picture of their pumpkin displayed on our Facebook page and in the Town Hall Times.

Submissions should be brought to the Salem High School Cafeteria by 6:15 PM on October 24th. Volunteers will take down everyone's information and the judges' decision will be announced at 7:45 PM following the costume contest parade.



Town Halloween Party
Tuesday, October 24th
beginning at 5:45 PM at the
Salem High School.

Salem Bike-Ped Corridor

The Friends of Salem Bike-Ped Corridor have been busy with fall planting, weeding, and trail cleaning in preparation for fall enjoyment and winter rest. In the spring, be sure to keep an eye out for the 24 dozen daffodils just planted! They will certainly brighten up the trail.

The Lion's Club recently installed a granite marker in front of the tree they planted in commemoration of the Lion's Club 100 year anniversary.

Be sure to get out on the trail and enjoy some beautiful fall weather!



Salem Fire Department



The Salem Fire Department took delivery of a new Paramedic intercept vehicle this week. This frontline emergency response vehicle replaces a 2012 vehicle that has been reassigned to administrative duties in Fire Prevention. This vehicle responds town wide to medical calls, fires, and other emergencies as assigned. Paramedic I carries Advanced Life Support equipment as well as personal protective firefighting equipment, as the paramedic assigned to this vehicle each shift is also a firefighter. This vehicle will typically be in front-line service as a primary emergency vehicle for 5 years and/or 100,000 miles, at which time it will be replaced and reassigned to an administrative function. We thank the voters for their support, and look forward to serving the community with this vehicle for years to come!



The Salem Fire Department was visited by members of the Mall at Rockingham Park who brought homemade cookies to Headquarters last week to celebrate Fire Prevention Week! Thank you to the Mall at Rockingham Park, we appreciate you thinking of us!

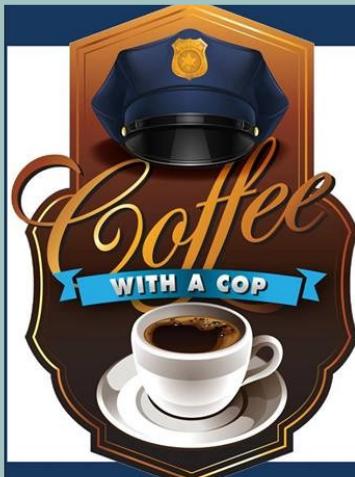


Salem Police Department

JOIN YOUR NEIGHBORS AND POLICE OFFICERS FOR COFFEE AND CONVERSATION!

No agenda or speeches, just a chance to ask questions, voice concerns, and get to know the officers in your neighborhood!

Questions? Contact Officer Michael McCarthy at mmccarthy@salempd.com



**Thursday
October 19, 2017**

**10:00 AM to
12:00 PM**

Starbucks

at

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**THE MALL AT
ROCKINGHAM PARK**

A SIMON MALL

(LOWER LEVEL by Lord & Taylor)



**with Salem Police
Department**



SALEM MUNICIPAL SERVICES

Roy E. Sorenson - *Director*

ENGINEERING DIVISION

Work continues on Meadow Lane and Sylvan Drive, with Carriage Lane to follow in late October. Fall crack sealing operations are underway, starting with Shore Drive. Decorative traffic signal equipment is up and operational at the Post Office intersection on South Broadway. Once the Tuscan Village intersection approach is finished, and fiber optic lines are run, the new signal will be integrated into the Town's coordinated traffic signal system. Pleasant Street will remain closed for culvert replacement into November, due to unanticipated permitting delays and construction complications. However, construction has progressed with water relocation around the culvert, installation of new sewer (in a steel sleeve) under the new box, and setting of box sections.



Pleasant Street sewer



Shore Drive crack sealing



Tuscan townhomes construction



Pleasant Street box culvert



A Public Hearing for the Main St./ N. and S. Broadway intersection (the "Depot") project is scheduled for Thursday, October 19th at 7:00 P.M. in the Auditorium at Salem High School. We encourage the public to attend to learn more about the project and provide any comments or concerns to the project team.

Click [here](#) to view the full-size image.



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Trick-or-Treat!

The Town has set Trick-or-Treat hours in Salem for Tuesday, October 31, 2017 from 6:00 to 8:00 P.M. Please drive carefully and watch for children so that everyone is safe.

