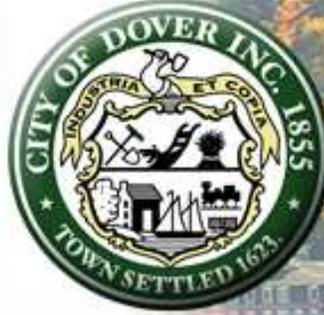


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### Meetings this week:

**City Council, April 6, 6 p.m.**

The City Council will hold a workshop session on Wednesday, April 6, 2016, at 6 p.m. in Council Chambers at City Hall.

To view the meeting agenda, [click here](#).

To view televised meetings online, on demand, visit

Friday, April 1, 2016



## Budget sessions continue

City Manager J. Michael Joyal, Jr. presented the Fiscal Year 2017 proposed budget to the City Council on March 23, 2016.

The City Council will meet next for a budget workshop on Wednesday, April 6, 2016, at 6 p.m. The workshop will focus on the following budget components: Education, the Executive Department, the Finance Department, the Public Library, and Welfare. The workshop agenda can be [accessed here](#).

The proposed budget can be [viewed online here](#), at the Dover Public Library and at City Hall.

The FY2017 budget summary can be [viewed online here](#).

More information about the FY2017 budget can be found at the [Budget Revealed online resource](#), which will be updated during the budget process, and by signing up for the Budget Revealed [newsletter here](#).

For more information, contact the City Manager's office at 603-516-6023.

[www.dover.nh.gov/dntv](http://www.dover.nh.gov/dntv).

For a complete list of upcoming meetings visit the [meeting calendar page](#).



**CITY OF DOVER, NH**  
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Dover, NH 03820  
603-516-6000

**City Hall hours:**  
**Monday-Thursday**  
8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.  
**Friday**  
8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

**Recycling Center hours:**  
Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday  
8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

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**Wednesday, April 20, 2016**  
**7:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.**

McConnell Center Cafe  
61 Locust Street, Dover



Registration fee is \$15.00.  
Event is open to the public.

**PRESENTERS**



**DR. ELAINE ARBOUR**  
*Superintendent of Schools*



**ANTHONY COLARUSSO**  
*Chief of Police*



**J. MICHAEL JOYAL, JR.**  
*City Manager*



**CHRIS PARKER**  
*Assistant City Manager  
Planning and Strategic Initiatives*

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## Dover Chamber to host annual State of the City April 20

The Greater Dover Chamber of Commerce will host the annual state of the city on Wednesday, April 20, from 7:30 to 9:30 a.m., at the McConnell Center Cafe.

Hear city leaders discuss their vision for the future and priorities for the upcoming year. This year's speakers are City Manager J. Michael Joyal, Jr., Police Chief Anthony Colarusso, Assistant City Manager of Planning and Strategic Initiatives Christopher Parker, and Superintendent of Schools Dr. Elaine Arbour.

A question-and-answer session will follow the remarks.

The cost of the event is \$15 and is open to the public.

The Chamber encourages those interested in attending to register in advance by [clicking here](#). Registration is required.

The program is sponsored by Eversource.

For more information, contact the Chamber at 603-742-2218, or visit [www.dovernh.org](http://www.dovernh.org).

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## Senior Center to host session on healthy living for the brain and body

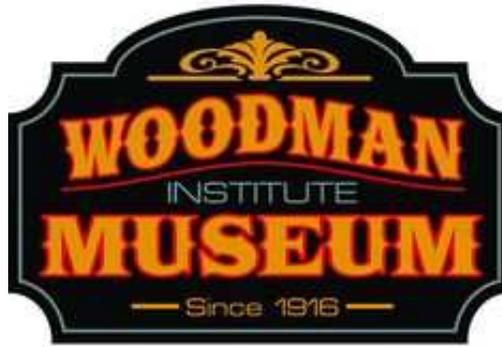
The Dover Community Senior Center will host an education program by the Alzheimer's Association titled, "Healthy Living for Your Brain and Body: Tips from the Latest Research." This free program will be held on Thursday, April 28, 2016, from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. at the Dover Community Senior Center, 61 Locust St., the McConnell Center.

For centuries, we've known that the health of the brain and the body are connected. But now, science is able to provide insights into how to make lifestyle choices that may help you keep your brain and body healthy as you age. At this session, you'll learn about research in the areas of diet and nutrition, exercise, cognitive activity and social engagement, and use hands-on tools to help you incorporate these recommendations into a plan for healthy aging.

The presenter is Melissa Grenier, program coordinator for the New Hampshire Alzheimer's Association.

To register for this free event, call 1-800-272-3900.

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## Woodman Museum opens for 100th season

Opening to the public on Friday, April 1, 2016, at 10 a.m., the Woodman Museum invites all audiences to celebrate its 100th anniversary year by honoring the past and looking ahead to the future.

The year's extensive list of exhibitions, programs, and events include presentations which explore both the region's collective history and the role that artistic, social, political, and economic changes play to impact our current and future views.

For more information on the Woodman Museum, visit [www.woodmanmuseum.org](http://www.woodmanmuseum.org) or contact Wes LaFountain, executive director, at 603. 970.0227, or email at [director@woodmanmuseum.org](mailto:director@woodmanmuseum.org).

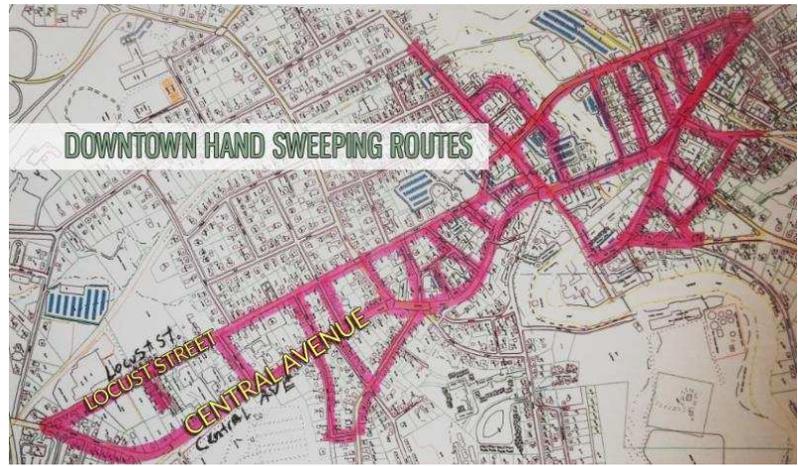


## Spring street sweeping under way

City of Dover Community Services crews have started spring street sweeping operations, weather permitting. Work begins in the downtown area with hand sweeping, and then proceed with citywide street sweeping. Work is expected to be complete prior to Memorial Day weekend.

Street sweeping operations begin at 3 a.m. and continue for two consecutive eight-hour shifts throughout the day.

For more information, contact Community Services at 516-6450.



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## Time to renew dog licenses

Dog licenses for 2016 are now available. All dogs must be licensed by April 30 to avoid a late fee. The cost for a male or female dog is \$10, a neutered male or spayed female dog is \$7.50 and puppies (3-7 months) are \$7.50 for first licensing.

Residents 65 years of age or older may license one dog for \$3. Additional licenses require regular fees.

The City Clerk's office requires proof of rabies information and a certificate of spaying or neutering.

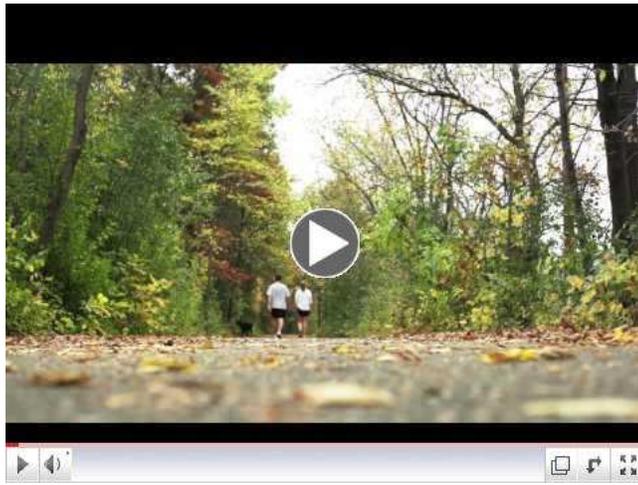
Late fees of \$1 a month begin June 1.

Dog licenses can be renewed at the City Clerk's office at City Hall, by mail or online.

In addition to online licensing, rabies information can also be updated online and the certificate mailed to the City Clerk's office. A checking account is required for online dog license registration. To ensure privacy, dog owners must provide the dog's tag number.

To renew online, [click here](#).

For more information, contact the City Clerk's office at 516-6018.



## This week in **DOVER HISTORY**

The following events are recorded in "Notable Events in the History of Dover, New Hampshire: From the First Settlement in 1623 to 1865," by George Wadleigh, "Historic Rambles About Dover," by Robert A. Whitehouse, "Port of Dover: Two Centuries of Shipping on the Cochecho" by Robert A. Whitehouse and Cathleen C. Beaudoin, and several other historical sources.

For more on the history of Dover, settled in 1623 and the oldest permanent settlement in New Hampshire and seventh oldest in the country, visit the Dover Public Library, Locust Street; and the Woodman Institute Museum, Central Avenue. The Public Library also maintains an online collection of historical information, located at <http://www.dover.lib.nh.us/DoverHistory/cityof.htm>.



**April 5, 1661** - Captain Richard Waldron and Mr. Edward Hilton were chosen "Associates for the Court," and Elder Nutter, Williaim Pomfrett and John Dam, senior, "Commissioners for small cases." Other town officers were chosen and Thomas Hanson and Thomas Humphreys took the oath of fidelity. The following inhabitants had right of commonage to the ox pasture and calves pasture on Dover Neck, where they were land owners, though all of them did not live there: Thomas Kimball, Job Clements, Thomas Downes, Thomas Roberts, The Minister's House, Charles Buckner, William Pomfret, Thomas Beard, John Tuttle, Senior Deacon John Hall, Thomas Leighton, John Dam, Senior Lt. Ralph Hall, Elder Nutter, Joseph Austin, Philip Cromwell, William Furber, Jeremiah Tebets, Humphrey Varney, James Nute, Richard Pinkham, Thomas Canney,

John Roberts, Thomas Roberts, Jr., Jedediah Andrews, Henry Tebets, Thomas Nock.



**April 2, 1666** - The selectmen were requested to "take any opportunity to treat with the selectmen of Portsmouth about the affairs of the country, and what they shall see useful for us, to present at the next town meeting." The selectmen with a committee of citizens were also requested to "draw up something in writing to present at the next town meeting concerning the right of commonage and other things concerning the town affairs." William Pomfrett was requested to give Rev. Mr. Rayner an order for the rents due from the mills towards his salary, and also to Elder Wentworth an order for "15 pounds for his pains at Cochecho the last winter."



**April 3, 1695** - The inhabitants of Dover and Oyster river having been at the charge of subsisting the soldiers sent from Massachusetts for the protection of the frontiers, the Provincial Council directed the Treasurer to give orders to the respective constables of those places to forbear collecting taxes from such persons as had been thus charged.



**April 6, 1805** - The following notice appeared in the Dover Sun: **IMPORTANT DISCOVERY** - A number of men digging up the earth, in this town, for the purpose of making an aqueduct through Mr. Daniel Waldron's land, discovered a vein of dark brown sand running from east to west, much impregnated with Quick-silver of the best quality. Upon close inspection globules of this metal were found dispersed through this vein from the size of the smallest grain of sand to that of a duck shot - which leaves no room for doubt, but upon further attention, larger quantities may be discovered, and prove beneficial to the owner of the land.



**April 5, 1852** - Nearly a foot of snow, much drifted, detaining the cars on the railroad four hours. It was nearly six months between the first and last snow of this winter - one of the longest and severest ever remembered.

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## City of Dover employment opportunities

Want to work for the City of Dover? The City's website offers an updated list of open positions, including job descriptions and a downloadable application for employment.

The City of Dover is now hiring the following positions:

- **Lifeguards**
- **Swim instructor**
- **Custodian: Indoor Pool**
- **Gym attendant**

For more information about these positions or employment opportunities with the City of Dover, [click here](#).

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## Your City needs you!

### City boards and commissions seek to fill several vacancies

The City of Dover is a vibrant community due in large part to the energy and talent of citizen participation on boards and commissions.

The City's boards and commissions encourage public participation and are seeking new members to fill several vacant positions.

Joining one of the City's numerous boards commissions not only offers a chance to give back to the community, it can be a rewarding and valuable experience, and helps shape the City's future.

For more information about the important role of the City's boards and commissions, please view the video below. Click on the image to view.



**City of Dover Boards and Commissions**

For a complete list of the City's boards and commissions, as well as more information about vacancies and how to apply, [click here](#).

To download an application for board and commissions, [click here](#). Completed forms should be returned to the City Clerk's Office. Committee application forms are kept on file for one year from date of submission.

For more information, contact the City Clerk's office at 516-

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CITY OF DOVER  SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Stay informed with City of Dover special announcements

Want up-to-date information about road work, emergencies, special projects, and other important information? [Sign up now](#) to receive special announcements via email.

In addition to Dover Download, the City of Dover offers a variety of e-mail updates, including emergency and road closure information, Police Facility and Parking Garage updates, Silver Street reconstruction news, news from the Public Library, waterfront development, and more.

To sign up for one or all of the City's updates, [click here](#). An e-mail address is required to access the special announcement mailing lists.

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## MUNICIPAL MATTERS

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### Time to register your vehicle? Save time, register online

Did you know you can save yourself time and a trip to City Hall by registering your vehicle online?

Online vehicle registration renewal is easy, safe and secure. You can register online by providing a PIN number or your license plate number. Your PIN number is provided by the City of Dover and can be found on your renewal notice.

For your convenience, you can now pay for motor vehicle registration by credit card.

For more information on the E-registration process, [click here](#).

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### Missed the meeting? Catch it again online

Don't forget: If you missed the live City Council, School Board or Planning Board on Channels 22 and 95, you can

catch it again, online and on demand.

Simply visit [www.dovernh.viebit.com](http://www.dovernh.viebit.com) to begin watching meetings on demand. Online meetings are organized by agenda item for convenience.

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## COMMUNITY CALENDAR

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Want to stay up to speed on exciting events and activities in Dover? Sign up for the Greater Dover Chamber of Commerce's weekly newsletter, Peek at the Week, for up-to-date information on what's happening in Dover.

Whether it's the schedule for the Cochecho Arts Festival, art exhibits or where to shop for local products, sign up for Peek at the Week, and you'll be ready for the week ahead.

You can sign up to receive the Chamber's Peek at the Week by e-mail [here](#).

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