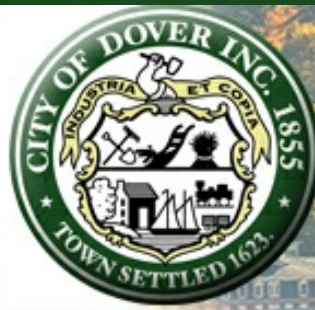


# DOVER DOWNLOAD



News from the City of Dover, New Hampshire



September 27, 2024



**CITY OF  
DOVER, NH**

288 Central  
Avenue  
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,

## Planning Board votes to eliminate impact fees

**Board sets developer impact fees to zero  
effective immediately**

The Planning Board voted unanimously on Tuesday to set developer impact fees to \$0 effective immediately and directed city staff to draft an ordinance revision that would remove the language of impact fees from the city code. The Planning Board has been discussing impact fees off and on since February of this year.

The City of Dover has previously assessed impact fees for new residential and non-residential developments to support the expansion of capital facilities to meet increased demands for public services generated by the developments as a way to mitigate the unintended consequences of growth. The city can only use impact fees in specific ways as set by state law.

In addition to the Planning Board's review, the City Council's Ad-hoc Committee to Address Community Housing Needs has also discussed impact fees and their effect on housing prices.

City Councilor Fergus Cullen, the Council's Planning Board representative, made the motion to set fees at \$0. In his update to the City Council on Wednesday, Cullen said, "This is a significant signal to developers that Dover is taking a real

Saturday:  
8:30 a.m. to  
3:30 p.m.

serious step to making it easier for developers to add housing to our community and lowering the cost thereof.”

[Click here](#) to watch the Planning Board’s Sept. 24 meeting.



The U.S. Navy Band Northeast’s Jack Tar Brass Band will perform at this year’s Apple Harvest Day festival.

## Annual Apple Harvest Day returns to downtown Dover Oct. 5

The 40th annual Apple Harvest Day festival takes over downtown Dover on Saturday, Oct. 5, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. The day-long family-friendly event features 300 different vendors, two different entertainment stages, children’s entertainment, two food courts, and much more.



Organized by the Greater Dover Chamber of Commerce (GDCC) and sponsored by First Seacoast Bank, Apple Harvest Day draws over 60,000 attendees each year, making it one of the most popular regional festivals. To see which vendors have signed up for Apple Harvest Day, visit [appleharvestday.com](http://appleharvestday.com).

“First Seacoast Bank has been committed to making a positive impact right here in Dover, our hometown, for over 130 years,” said First Seacoast Bank Assistant Vice President and Dover Branch Manager Amanda Gagne. “We are incredibly proud to sponsor the 40th Annual Apple Harvest Day. As a Committee Member and Chamber Board Member, I have witnessed firsthand how this amazing event brings our community together and supports local businesses.”

In addition to these event favorites, the festival also offers the 15th Annual Apple Harvest Day 5k, underwritten by Portsmouth Regional Hospital. The race will take place on Saturday, Oct. 5 at 8:30 a.m., beginning and ending on St. Thomas Street in front of the Dover District Courthouse. Registration for this race is now open, with fees of \$30 for adults 21 and over and \$20 for runners under the age of 21. To register for the Apple

Harvest Day 5k Road Race, go to [dovernh.org/AHD5k](https://dovernh.org/AHD5k).

“Our Apple Harvest Day Committee has been working hard to plan for this milestone year,” says GDCC President Margaret Joyce. “As part of our 40th anniversary celebration, we are excited to announce that the U.S. Navy Band Northeast’s Jack Tar Brass Band will be performing at the festival.”

The Greater Dover Chamber of Commerce is a not-for-profit association of businesses, professionals, individuals, and organizations working together to advance the economic well-being of its members and the community. For details on Dover Chamber membership and other programs or for a schedule of activities, call (603) 742-2218 or visit [dovernh.org](https://dovernh.org).

Tune in to next week’s [Dover Download podcast](#) to learn more about this year’s Apple Harvest Day.

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## **Dover Energy Commission to host sustainability expo at this year's festival**

### **Event at City Hall to showcase energy savings and environmental initiatives**

The Dover Energy Commission is hosting the sustainability event, “Dover Saves” at Dover City Hall during Apple Harvest Day on Saturday, Oct. 5 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., where numerous

organizations and experts in the environmental and energy-saving fields will be on hand to educate, answer questions and provide insights. There will also be a treasure hunt for environmental jewels.

**Dover Saves!**

*Save Money, Energy, & the Environment*

Learn about:

- Energy-saving strategies and potential cost savings;
- Available grants and credits to finance energy-efficient projects;
- Local environmental efforts and the organizations working to protect our community.

Connect with experts:

- Energy experts from the NH Department of Environmental Services, Clean Energy NH, Community Power Coalition of NH, Solid Waste Advisory Committee and Dover Energy Commission;
- Environmental organizations like Conservation Law Foundation’s Great Bay Waterkeeper, Gundalow Company, and Southeast Land Trust;
- Local grassroots organizations, including Dover Plastic Reduction Group, Don’t Trash Dover, and Seacoast Climate Action Now.

For more information, contact William Baber of the Dover Energy Commission at [w.baber@dover.nh.gov](mailto:w.baber@dover.nh.gov).

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## **Voter registration event to be held at City Hall Oct. 19**

The city's Supervisors of the Checklist will host a voter registration event on Saturday, Oct. 19, 2024 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the auditorium of Dover City Hall, 288 Central Ave.

During this session, supervisors will register new voters, record address changes, and make necessary corrections to the voter checklist.

Residents may also register at the City Clerk's Office at City Hall during regular hours, Monday through Thursday, 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., and Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. The last date to register before the Nov. 5, 2024 election is Monday, Oct. 28. After that date, any voter registration will occur on Election Day at the resident's designated polling place. The city's online [interactive ward map](#) helps voters determine the voter's ward and provides its polling location. Voters who have moved from one ward to another in Dover should also update their voter registration.

In New Hampshire, there is no time requirement to live in the state before being allowed to register. Residents may register to vote upon moving into Dover or between city wards. Eligible voters must be at least 18 years old on Election Day, a United States citizen, and domiciled in the Dover ward where they seek to vote. Registering to vote requires proof of identity, age, citizenship, and domicile. This proof can be by presenting documents or signing an affidavit under oath with an election official. Documents that prove identity, age, citizenship, and domicile include a driver's license or non-driver ID from any state that provides proof of identity and age, a birth certificate, a U.S. Passport/Passcard, or a naturalization document that satisfies proof of citizenship.

For more information, contact the City Clerk's office at 603-516-6018.

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## **Election officers needed in all wards for General Election**

The City of Dover seeks election officers to assist at polling places at the General Election on Tuesday, Nov. 5, 2024. Election workers are needed in all of the city's six political wards.

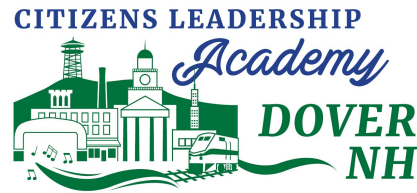
Election officers are paid positions working under the direction of the Ward Moderator who oversees the election process. Duties include aiding voters, maintaining order, opening and closing the polls, and processing the vote counts. The Ward Moderator will provide any necessary training for election officers who must be at least 18 years old and live in Dover.

Interested? Contact the City Clerk's Office at 603-516-6018 or email City Clerk Jerrica Vansylvong-Bizier at [CityClerk@dover.nh.gov](mailto:CityClerk@dover.nh.gov) who will forward your information to the moderator in the ward where you reside.

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# Citizens Leadership Academy offers behind-the-scenes look at local government

The Greater Dover Chamber of Commerce, in partnership with the City of Dover, will once again offer the Citizens Leadership Academy this October. The free program provides Dover residents a unique opportunity to learn about local government operations and explore ways to contribute to the city's future.



The 2024 Citizens Leadership Academy will meet on Oct. 10, 17, 24, 26 and 31, and Nov. 7. Each session brings together a diverse group of residents who want to deepen their knowledge of Dover's municipal structure and actively participate in civic life. Attendees will gain insights into the key issues impacting the city and learn how they can get involved in maintaining and improving Dover's quality of life.

This year's program will include presentations from city officials, offering an inside look at how various departments contribute to the community. Topics and dates for the 2024 Citizens Leadership Academy are as follows:

- Oct. 10 – Getting to Know City Government with City Manager J. Michael Joyal, Jr.
- Oct. 17 – Public Safety, the Police Department, with Police Chief William Breault
- Oct. 24 – Public Safety, Fire and Rescue, with Fire Chief Perry Plummer
- Oct. 26 – Community Services Bus Tour with Community Services Director John Storer
- Oct. 31 – Culture, Recreation and Quality of Life with Deputy City Manager Christopher Parker, Recreation Director Kevin Hebert, Planning Director Donna Benton, and Library Director Denise Lafrance
- Nov. 7 – Dover's Education System and CLA Graduation with Superintendent of Schools Dr. William Harbron, City Manager J. Michael Joyal, Jr., Dover Mayor Robert Carrier, and members of the City Council and School Board

Participants are encouraged to attend as many sessions as possible to get the full benefit of the program, but attendance is not mandatory at every session. The program is free of charge and open to all Dover residents.

For more information or to sponsor this program, visit [www.dovernh.org/citizens-leadership-academy](http://www.dovernh.org/citizens-leadership-academy), call the Greater Dover Chamber of Commerce at 603-742-2218, or email [events@dovernh.org](mailto:events@dovernh.org).

The Greater Dover Chamber of Commerce is a not-for-profit organization dedicated to advancing the economic well-being of its members and the community.

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## Don't Trash Dover to hold Litter Collection Walk on Saturday

Join Don't Trash Dover on Saturday, Sept. 28, for a one-hour Litter Collection Walk, beginning at 9:30 a.m. Participants will meet at the Garrison Hill Tower. The group departs at 9:30 a.m. sharp and returns to the same location at 10:30 a.m. sharp with litter collected for a group photo.

The Litter Collection Walk is open to all and is a great way to get some exercise, meet new people, and help out the community.

Don't Trash Dover provides the bags and has litter grabbers and safety vests available to loan if needed. Those with their own litter grabbers are encouraged to bring them. Gloves are recommended.

For more information, including a decision to postpone the event due to the weather, visit <https://bit.ly/3N29GYY>.

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### Upcoming Meetings:

#### **Joint Building Committee, High School Athletic Complex, Sept. 30, 6:15 p.m.**

The Joint Building Committee for the High School Athletic Complex will hold a regular meeting on Monday, Sept. 30, 2024, beginning at 6:15 p.m., in Room 306 at the McConnell Center. The purpose of the meeting is to conduct construction manager interviews.

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

#### **Dover Business and Industrial Development Authority, Oct. 1, 4:15 p.m.**

The Dover Business and Industrial Development Authority will hold a

### Trick-or-Treat in Dover is Oct. 30

Trick-or-Treat in Dover is scheduled for Wednesday, Oct. 30, 2024, from 5 to 8 p.m., the day before Halloween, as is the tradition in Dover.

For more information, contact the Recreation Department at 603-516-6401.

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### Current bid opportunities with the City of Dover

The City of Dover is currently accepting bids for the following projects:

- [REBID: Municipal Security System](#)
- [Indoor Pool Filter Replacement](#)
- [Snow Plowing and Hauling Services for City Streets and Parking Lots](#)

regular meeting on Tuesday, Oct. 1, 2024, beginning at 4:15 p.m., in the Council Conference Room, at City Hall.

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

### **Community Trail Advisory Subcommittee, Oct. 1, 5:30 p.m.**

The Planning Board Ad-hoc Community Trail Advisory Subcommittee will hold a regular meeting on Tuesday, Oct. 1, 2024, beginning at 5:30 p.m., in the First Floor Conference Room, at City Hall.

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

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

### **City Council Appointments Committee, Oct. 2, 5:30 p.m.**

The City Council Appointments Committee will hold a regular meeting on Wednesday, Oct. 2, 2024, beginning at 5:30 p.m., in the Council Conference Room at City Hall.

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

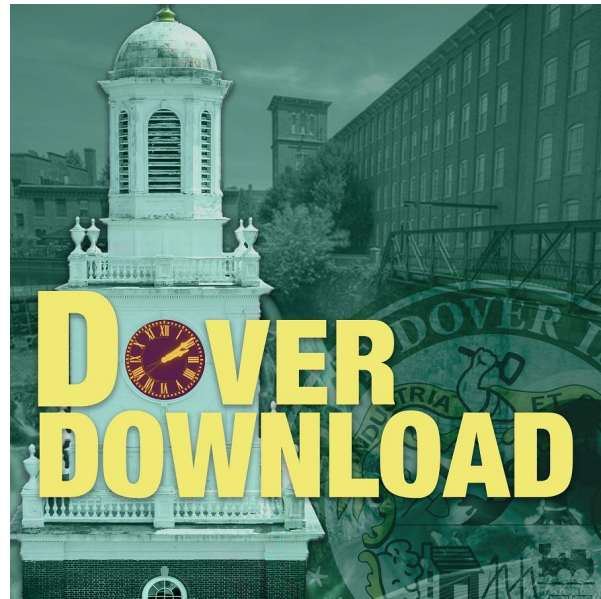
### **Planning Board, Planning Technical Review Committee, Oct. 3, 10:30 a.m.**

The Planning Board's Planning Technical Review Committee will hold a regular meeting on Thursday, Oct. 3, 2024, beginning at 10:30 a.m., in the Council Conference Room, City Hall.

- [Replacement Evaluation of County Farm Road Culvert](#)
- [Replacement Evaluation of County Farm Road Culvert](#)
- [Waterfront Pavilion](#)
- [Sixth Street Bridge Replacement](#)

Current bid documents can be accessed on the Finance Department's [bid page](#). Vendors can also join the City's bid list by visiting the site.

For more information, contact the Finance and Purchasing Office at 603-516-6030.



## **Amanda Russell Reflects on Decade of School Board Service**

In the latest episode of the Dover Download podcast, the final in a three-part series, Deputy City Manager Christopher Parker chats with Amanda Russell, a former Dover School Board member who served for 10 years from 2012 to 2022. Listen wherever you get your podcasts or at <https://bit.ly/3zuGbvY>.

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

## **Library Board of Trustees, Oct. 3, 4 p.m.**

The Library Board of Trustees will hold a regular meeting on Thursday, Oct. 3, 2024, beginning at 4 p.m., at the Dover Public Library.

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

For a complete list of upcoming meetings, visit <https://www.dover.nh.gov/government/open-government/public-meetings/>.

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## **Dover Download 'Question of the Week'**

We want to hear from you! In each edition of Dover Download, we're looking for your response to our question of the week. A new poll will appear each week in Dover Download, along with the results for the previous week. Participating is easy – click on the link below to cast your vote.

This week's question:

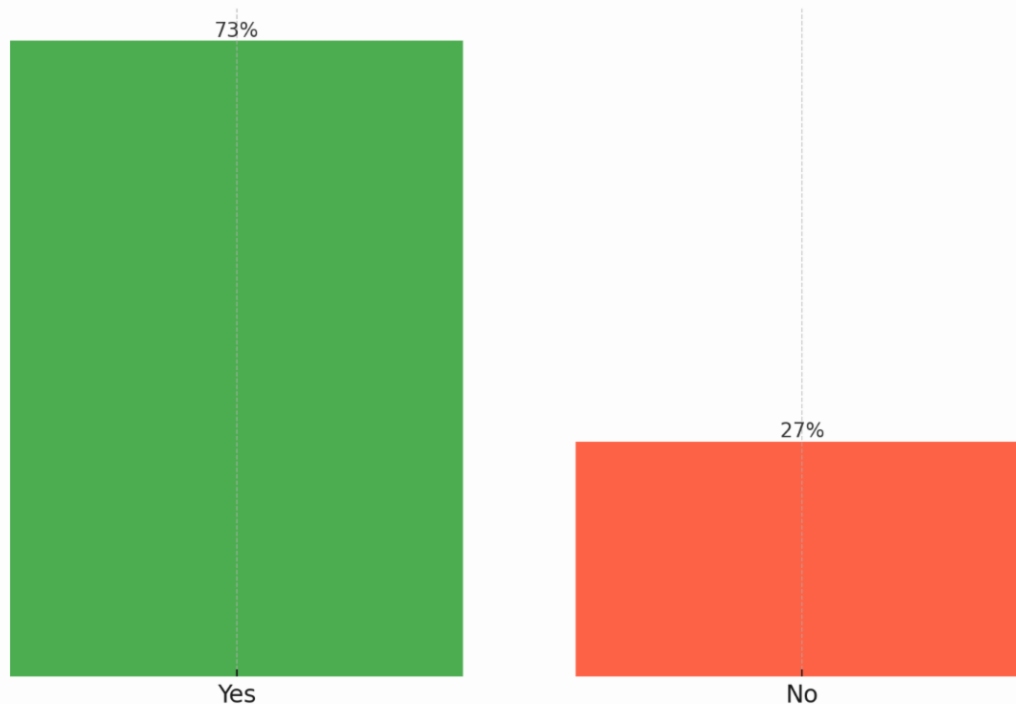
**"Do you feel Dover has adequate public transportation options?"**

Let us know here: <https://polco.us/mfmuyw>.

*Please note that if you don't already have an account with Polco, the city's polling system, you will be asked to create one. Responses are anonymous.*

Here are the results from last week's poll, which asked, "Have you visited the Woodman Museum in Dover?"

Have you visited the Woodman Museum in Dover?



The following events are from various historical records, sources, and texts about the history of Dover.

For more on the history of Dover, visit the Dover Public Library, Locust Street, and the Woodman Museum on Central Avenue. The Public Library also maintains an online collection of historical information [located here](#).

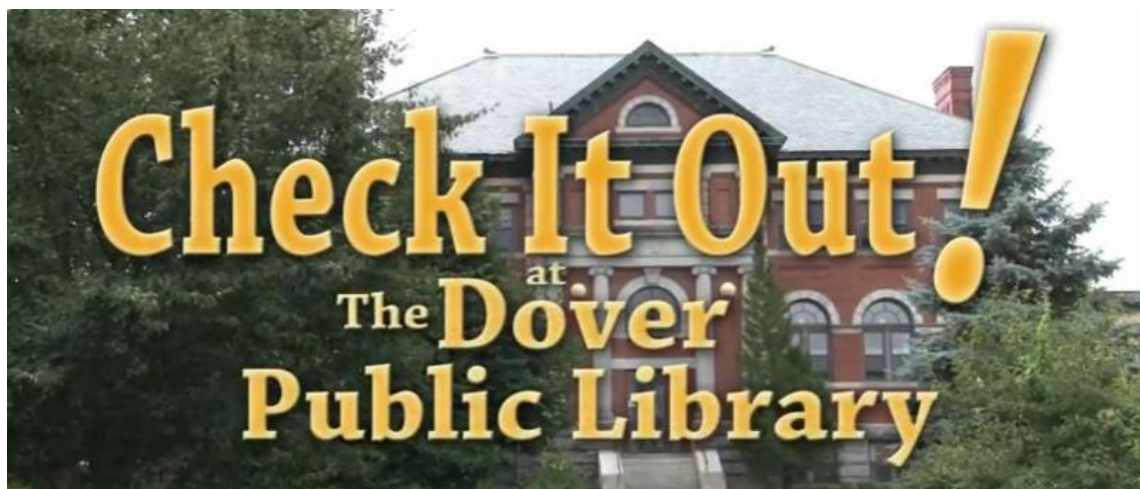
**Oct. 4, 1841** — A severe storm with heavy snow causes significant disruptions and damage.

**Oct. 6, 1842** — The cornerstone of the new Town Hall was laid this day. Speakers included Dover's John Parker Hale, who served as a United States senator. A variety of pamphlets, papers, coins, and other matters were deposited in a box under the cornerstone, including a sketch of Dover, a map of the village, a list of Town Officers, newspapers published in town, and other items. The Town Hall was originally located at the corner of Washington Street and Central Avenue, where the former Masonic building stands today.

**Oct. 5, 1858** — The State Fair was held this year for the second time in Dover, on Ricker Field. The fair attracted record crowds, generating receipts of "\$6,000, a larger sum than ever before taken."

**Oct. 6, 1925** — Foster's Daily Democrat in Dover announced it would publish a play-by-play account of the World Series between the Pittsburgh Pirates and Washington Senators, which it began at 2 p.m. that day, announcing the game through a megaphone.

**Oct. 2, 2004** — Comcast customers in Dover and throughout the region were able to use the cable company's newly unveiled technical marvel on this day: the DVR. The company told customers the DVR (digital video recorder), which allowed the recording of broadcast television without a VCR and tapes, was the "latest product innovation." DVR use



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## This Week at the Library

**Monday, Sept. 30, 6 to 8 p.m.**  
**Teen Dungeons & Dragons**

Do you love the idea of exploring fantastical worlds? Do you have a love of collaborative gameplay and an active imagination? Then Dungeons and Dragons is for you! Join Dungeon Master Michael for this beginner series, where you will create your own character, play a one-shot story campaign, and learn the basics of D&D 5th Edition. This program is for teens entering grades 6-12 only, and all supplies will be provided.

**Monday, Sept. 30, 6:30 to 8 p.m.**  
**A Return Trip to Africa: Nearly 60 years after being a Peace Corp Volunteer**  
After almost 60 years, Dover resident Jack Mettee returned to Kenya East Africa to visit where he taught secondary school for two years as a Peace Corps volunteer. Jack's presentation recounts the two-week visit, sharing experiences from cosmopolitan Nairobi, the Swahili Coast, Masai Mara Game Park, and visits with former students.

**Tuesday, Oct. 1, 10 to 10:30 a.m.**  
**Baby Storytime**  
For babies 0-24 months with caregiver. A joyful, half-hour lap sit story time with books, songs, and movement.

**Tuesday, Oct. 1, 6:30 to 8 p.m.**  
**Genealogy Group**  
Whether you're new to genealogical research or a seasoned pro, this group is a great way to meet others who share the same passion, can give you advice in

**Wednesday, Oct. 2, 6:30 to 8 p.m.**  
**Chess Group**

Adults and teens are invited to drop in to play a game or two and meet other folks interested in all things chess. Please bring a chess set if you have one!

**Thursday, Oct. 3, 10 to 11 a.m.**  
**Cover 2 Cover Book Group**  
Join us on the first Thursday of every month to discuss a book. October's selection is *Other Birds* by Sarah Addison Allen. Copies of the book can be borrowed at the Adult Circulation Desk. New members welcome.

**Thursday, Oct. 3, 10 to 10:45 a.m.**  
**Arts and Crafts Storytime**  
Arts and Crafts Storytime is for children ages 3-5 who are ready to attend storytime independently, without a caregiver. Each session will focus on a different theme. Books, songs, rhymes, and an art activity will all be part of the fun. *Registration required.*

**Thursday, Oct. 3, 5:30 to 7 pm**  
**Pizza and Politics with Secretary of State David Scanlan**  
Enjoy some pizza donated by La Festa while you get your questions about voting in NH answered by NH's Secretary of State David Scanlan during this informal event. Bring a non-alcoholic beverage to enjoy with your pizza. Pizza while supplies last.

**Thursday, Sept. 5, 6:30 to 8:15 p.m.**  
**Two Eyed Cyclops: Sci-Fi and Fantasy**

your research, and listen to your newly-discovered family histories.

**Wednesday, Oct. 2, 9:30 to 11:30 am  
Adult Knitting Group**

Knitters and crocheters are welcome to join us with their projects for an in-person crafting circle. All levels welcome.

**Wednesday, Oct. 2, 10 to 10:30 a.m.  
Family Storytime**

Children of all ages with caregivers are invited to attend this program which includes stories, fingerplays, songs, and puppets.

**Wednesday, Oct. 2, 11 a.m. to 12 p.m.  
All Abilities Chapter Book Club**

Join the All Abilities Club! These weekly programs are geared towards adults with intellectual/developmental disabilities and their caregivers. At each session, we will read several chapters from a popular book. We will end with activities and crafts related to the book and some time for socializing.

**Book Club**

Join for a lively discussion of *The Day of the Triffids* by John Wyndham. Copies of the book are available at the Adult Services Desk.

**Friday, Oct. 4, 10 to 11 a.m.  
Family Place Workshop**

Spend time together, play, make friends and talk one-on-one with specialists on child development during this enjoyable five-week workshop series. For caregivers and children one to four years old. Topics include early literacy, child development, speech, hearing and language, nutrition, and music, play and health. *Register once for the entire five week series.*

**Saturday, Oct. 5, Library Closed  
Apple Harvest Day**



**'Voices From the Cemetery' returns to Pine Hill  
Cemetery this October**

The Woodman Museum will host its annual "Voices From the Cemetery" re-enactment

event at Pine Hill Cemetery from Oct. 12 to 13, 2024.

Guided tours will feature over a dozen actors portraying notable Dover citizens from the past, sharing their stories at their gravesites. Characters include sea captains, Dover's first hanged man, a former Native American captive, and New Hampshire's first female railway company president.

Tours depart every 30 minutes from 10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. on both days. Tickets are \$20 for adults and \$10 for ages 17 and under when purchased in advance [online](#). Same-day tickets will be available at the cemetery.

The event aims to bring local history to life, featuring stories of adventure, tragedy, and triumph spanning several centuries of Dover's past.

For more information or to purchase tickets, visit the Woodman Museum's [website](#).

## **Volunteers still needed for event**

The Woodman Museum is still seeking volunteer actors, tour guides, and ticket takers for its annual "Voices from the Cemetery" fundraiser.

For more information or to volunteer, contact the museum at [director@woodmanmuseum.org](mailto:director@woodmanmuseum.org) or 603-742-1038.

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## **Dover Fire Toy Bank seeking donations**

The Dover Fire Toy Bank continues to seek donations after losing its entire toy supply to flooding in August.

The Toy Bank is requesting new, unwrapped toys and games for children from newborn to age 12. Donations can be dropped off at:

- Any Dover fire station
- City Hall, 288 Central Ave.
- Community Services, 271 Mast Road

Community Services will also accept donations at its Apple Harvest Day booth on Oct. 5.

Monetary donations are welcome. Checks should be made payable to Dover Firefighters Charitable Association with "Toy Bank" in the memo line and mailed to:

DPFFA  
PO Box 1004  
Dover, NH 03821

The Dover Fire Toy Bank, run by the Dover Firefighters Charitable Association (501(c)(3), EIN 99-2710043), has assisted thousands of families over the years and distributes gifts to over 100 families annually.

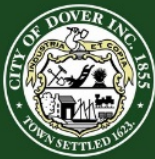
For questions, call the Toy Bank Hotline at (603) 516-TOYS (8697).

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## Exactly How Clean??



Bottles, cans and containers should be clean, dry and free of MOST food waste before you place them in your recycling bin.



**Brought to you by the Solid Waste Advisory Committee**

Bottles, cans and containers should be clean, dry and free of MOST food waste before you place them in your recycling bin. They do NOT need to be spotless, just clean enough to avoid contaminating other recyclables, like paper. Rinsing them in your dishwater to remove residue is enough.

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**Protect yourself  
and others from  
viruses like RSV**



## **Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV) and older adults**

Respiratory syncytial virus, or RSV, is a common respiratory virus that infects the nose, throat, and lungs. RSV symptoms make it difficult to distinguish it from the common cold or other respiratory viruses (like the flu or COVID-19). RSV spreads in the fall and winter along with other respiratory viruses and can be dangerous for older adults.

CDC recommends a single dose of an RSV vaccine for everyone ages 75 and older and for people ages 60–74 who are at increased risk of severe RSV. Adults ages 60–74 are considered at increased risk if they have one or more of the following risk factors:

- Chronic heart or lung disease
- A weakened immune system
- Certain other medical conditions\*, including diabetes with complications and severe obesity
- Live in a nursing home

If you have already gotten an RSV vaccine, you do not need to get another one at this time.

Real-world data gathered during the 2023–2024 RSV season show that RSV vaccines reduced the risk of RSV-associated hospitalization or emergency department visits by 75%–80%. Importantly, these data include populations that are at highest risk for severe RSV, including those ages 75 and older, those who are immunocompromised, and those who live in nursing homes.

Talk to your healthcare provider to find out if the RSV vaccine is right for you.

# COAST expanding Route 7

The Cooperative Alliance for Seacoast Transportation (COAST), more commonly known as COAST, will be adding an additional day of service to its Route 7 On Demand service that operates in Exeter, Stratham, and Newmarket.

Beginning Friday, Oct. 4, the advanced reservation service, which currently runs on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Saturday from 9:30 a.m.- 5:15 p.m., will add Fridays to its regular schedule. The additional day of service is being funded by a grant from a local foundation and will continue until Sept. 26, 2025.

For more information about COAST's Route 7 On Demand service can be found at [coastbus.org/routes/route-7](https://coastbus.org/routes/route-7) and the Common Application can be found at [communityrides.org](https://communityrides.org).

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## Volunteer boards help keep Dover vibrant

The City of Dover is a vibrant community due in large part to the significant energy and talent of citizen participation on the city's many boards, committees, and commissions. Input from these boards, committees, and commissions helps guide Dover's policy decisions.

Want to get involved? There are currently committees seeking members to fill regular and alternate member vacancies, including:

- Arena Commission
- Arts Commission
- Ethics Commission
- Heritage Commission
- McConnell Center Advisory Committee
- Planning Board
- Racial Equity and Inclusion Committee
- Solid Waste Advisory Committee
- Utilities Commission
- Zoning Board of Adjustment

The complete list of boards and committees can be found at [www.dover.nh.gov/government/boards-and-commissions/](https://www.dover.nh.gov/government/boards-and-commissions/)

To apply, complete an application, [available here](#) and at the City Clerk's Office, and either drop it off at the Clerk's Office or email it to City Clerk Jerrica Vansylyvong-Bizier at [j.bizier@dover.nh.gov](mailto:j.bizier@dover.nh.gov). Applicants are welcome to apply to any board or commission. Applications are kept on file for one year.

The City Council appoints citizens to boards and commissions from recommendations of its Appointments Committee, which meets regularly to review applications.

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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 seeking applications for the following positions:

- **Utility Systems IT Technician**
- **Laborer - Public Works Streets & Stormwater**
- **Truck Driver - Streets**
- **Fleet Inventory Coordinator**
- **Police Officer**

- Public Safety Dispatcher
- FireFighter / AEMT
- Fire/Life Safety Inspector
- Water Exercise Instructor II, Part-Time
- Swim Instructor, Part-Time
- Lifeguard I, Part-Time
- Lead Mechanic - Fleet
- Heavy Equipment Mechanic
- Working Foreman - Utilities
- Diesel Mechanic
- Seasonal Maintenance Worker
- Resilience Coordinator
- Children's Room Circulation Desk Assistant, Part-Time

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

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## Dover School District employment opportunities

Want to work for the Dover School District? The District's website offers an updated list of open positions, including job descriptions and online applications. The District is now seeking applications for the following positions:

- DALC Childcare Coordinator
- Noon Aide/Recess Monitor
- Noon Supervisor
- Occupational Therapist
- Paraprofessional
- Paraprofessional - Special Education
- Parking Lot Supervisor
- Special Education Para
- Special Education Teacher Case Manager
- Substitute Teacher

For more information about these positions, [click here](#).

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