PITTSFIELD POST

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"Believe you can and you're halfway there." - Theodore Roosevelt

September 21, 2022

Save the Date - Harvest Fest - October 22, 2022

The Pittsfield Parks and Recreation Commission is busily planning for **Harvest Fest 2022**. Harvest Fest will take place on October 22(rain date October 29) at the FB Argue Recreation Area (Town Beach) on Clark Street. Again this year, there will be wagon rides, pumpkin carving and decorating, as well as other familiar activities, and a cookout where you can buy hotdogs or hamburgers. New this year, there will be a chili cook-off, Journey's End Farm products, and hopefully many more. If your group or small business would like to take part in the festivities, you can let us know by calling 603 290-4068. We will also be awarding some prizes for best costumes this year, so wear



your costume to join in the fun. Watch the *Post* for information on how to sign up for the Chili Cook-off. We hope to see lots of you there to celebrate fall!

Jackie Arey Thank You



Jackie Arey wishes to thank her wide circle of friends for all the cards, prayers, well wishes, and visits in particular, on her September 8th birthday. Jackie continues to make gains at Pleasant View following her stroke in January. The visits, cards, and prayers are the best medicine she could have. Thank you again, for all your acts of kindness. *The family of Jackie Arey*

What's Up at Pittsfield Youth Workshop

Our fall calendar is out and we have a lot of new and exciting activities to share with you all! Our first of the school year, High School Only Night is this Friday, September 23rd from 6-8pm, and a highly requested bread baking club begins Wednesday, 9/21 from 3-5pm. We have several fun trips planned in October and November, so come visit PYW to grab a membership packet, our new calendar, and to meet our staff.

We are open Mon-Tues-Thurs-Fri from 3-6pm, and on early-release Wednesday we are open 1-6pm. There are also lots of volunteer opportunities if you or someone you know may be interested.



This picture is from one of our many trips this summer: The Flume. Come on by to visit us at 5 Park Street to grab a calendar and make sure that you don't miss out on any of our adventures!



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The **PES PTO** is continuing to collect used/good condition and new clothing (specifically looking for children's size 2T-18). Please email PTO@pittsfieldnhschools.org to arrange for drop off.

The **Pittsfield Historical Society's** new museum at 4 Oak Street is now officially open!. If you were unable to attend the Open House, please check out our video of the ceremonies, which is posted in the society's website: https://pittsfieldhistory.com The Museum is currently open Tuesday mornings between 9am and noon, or call the museum at 603-435-8004 to arrange a time to visit.

At the **Senior Center,** 55 Barnstead Road, Pittsfield. Hours of Operation: Mon, Wed thru Fri 8am – 1pm, Tues 9am-12pm. Office hours only. No events are occurring at the center unless stated otherwise. Activity Schedule - Senior Community Lunch: Mon & Thurs 11:30am, Bingo: Mon and Thurs 9:30am - 11am, Cribbage & Board Games: Wed 9:30am - 11am, Quilting Bee: Wed 11am, Silver Walkers: Wed 11:30am, Exercise Walking at Center: Mon & Thurs 8:00 - 10am & 11:30am - 1pm, Wed & Fri 8am - 1pm. For Info, call Anne at 603-435-8482.

In celebration of **Senior Center Month**, some community members will be visiting the Senior Center. Please join us on Monday, September 26, at 11am: The Pittsfield Food Pantry will visit.

The Senior Center will hold an Open House on Thursday, September 22 from 9am - 1pm. The Pittsfield Senior Center would like to invite you to come in and see what the center has to offer our community. There will be displays and information available to anyone who is interested. We are also open to new ideas so if there is something that you would like to see, please share the ideas. Schedule of Events: 9am Coffee and Chit Chat, 9:30-11am Bingo at \$.05 a card, 11am-noon Community meal and free taste testing (The meals are free today, so come in and try the food if you are 60 and above!) Noon-1pm Bill Parker - Come in for free music. Bill Parker sings a wide variety of music from the Great American songbook while playing the keyboard and harmonica. For info, call Anne at 603-435-8482.

The **PHS Alumni Association** will be meeting on Monday, September 26 at 6pm at PMHS Media Center. New members are always welcome - please join us. We will be starting to plan the All Class Reunion for next summer!

The Victory Workers 4-H group and The Dowboro Farm have created a farm stand at 615 Dowboro Road in Pittsfield! The Young Entrepreneurs Program gave 4-Hers the opportunity to apply for grant money to start our own businesses. The farm stand is a great place for us to be able to sell our products. We have an abundance of homemade items and fresh vegetables for sale. The participants of the program are helping run the farm stand, and we are open Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday from 9:30am-6pm.

PYW is back to its school year Drop-In Hours! Mon-Tues-Thurs-Fri Drop-In is from 3-6pm and Wednesday is from 1-6pm. PYW is open to youth grades 6th-12th. Stop in and check it out – there are lots of great activities and fun trips! For more information, contact Laurie Sweeney or Zach Powers at (call) 435-8272, (text) 234-9788 or email at info@pittsfieldyouthworkshop.org

American Legion is in need of someone to sing the National Anthem at the Veteran's Day ceremony on November 12, 2022. Please contact Mickey Vien 603-540-0293, Mike Cabral 603-866-1742, or Gerard LeDuc 603-470-6942.

Happy Birthday wishes to Louie Houle and Dana Tuttle on Monday, to my brother-in-law, Tim Riel on Tuesday, and to my niece, Tracey Riel on Thursday. I hope you all enjoy your special day.

Happy Anniversary wishes to my niece & her husband, Nicole & Nick Semales on Tuesday, to Sherry & Leon Simoneau on Thursday, and Stephanie & Norman Tuttle on Friday!

Please support the **Pittsfield Post**. Checks may be made out to Pittsfield Center Development Corporation, P.O. Box 253, Pittsfield, NH 03263. Donations are tax-deductible. Donations above \$50.00 may be acknowledged as Sponsor of the Week. Go to www.pittsfieldpost.org to download a donation form.



Cook's Corner

Apple & Pear Crisp (Slow Cooker)

The joys of Autumn are upon us – cool evenings, brisk mornings, bright afternoons, sweater weather, pumpkins and apples! Here's a lovely, elegant dessert, a little 'old school' and so delicious.



Serve this with fresh whipped cream or your favorite vanilla ice cream. This crisp is also really great, warmed up in the microwave, for a tasty breakfast treat.

4 cups peeled & sliced apples (mix of Granny Smith & McIntosh)

2 pears, cored, peeled & sliced

1 cup sugar

1 tsp cinnamon

½ tsp ground ginger

½ tsp coarse ground salt

2 TBSP lemon juice

1 cup regular, uncooked oats

2 TBSP flour

1 cup sliced almonds, toasted

¼ cup brown sugar

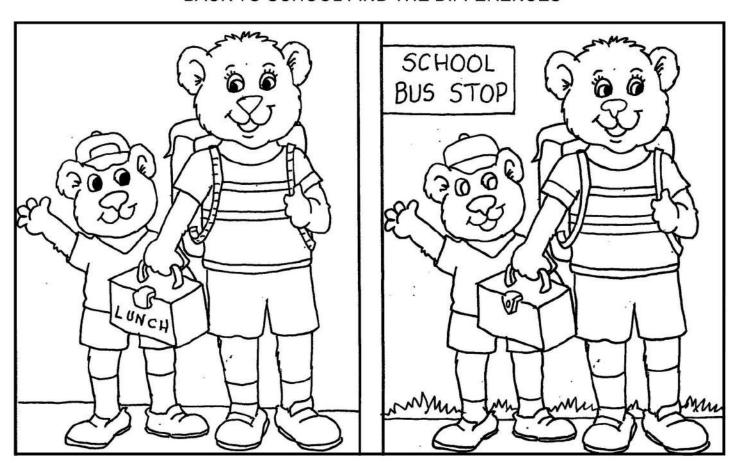
¼ tsp ground ginger

½ cup melted butter

Lightly grease the slow cooker bowl with cooking spray. Place fruit in the bowl. Toss with sugar, cinnamon, ½ tsp ground ginger, salt and lemon juice. Stir to combine.

Stir together oats and next 5 ingredients. Spoon over the fruit mixture. Cover the slow cooker and cook on HIGH for 3 to 4 hours. Enjoy! *MP Christakos*

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Puzzle answer on page four.

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Wednesday: MUSIC BINGO: Entry ticket \$10 goes to Make A Wish Foundation. Every ticket entered into the grand prize to be selected in a few months for 3000 miles on American Airlines. Other prizes every week. Sundays: 5:30 pm Trivia - prizes

September 24: End of Summer Night's Dream Dinner & Music - 6:30 pm -10 pm \$35 pp, \$60 per couple includes 4 course dinner paired with mead, beer and cider.

October 1 and 2, Noon - 4 pm Oktoberfest - OPEN ADMISSION German Beer, Bavarian Pretzels, Bratwurst available as long as supplies last. Pay as you go.

Donations appreciated to defray the cost of the band.

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