

# PITTSFIELD POST

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"Homecoming unites the past with the present." - *Author unknown*

SEPTEMBER 15, 2021

## **Pittsfield Celebrates Homecoming Friday, September 17, 5-7 pm**

Come to Dustin Park to enjoy a community fair, the PMHS Homecoming Parade, pizza, hot dogs and treats, and a movie!

Pittsfield community organizations, businesses, the school district, and town departments are working together to present a community fair to be held during the Homecoming Parade. You will be able to learn about businesses and organizations, play games, and make crafts. Covid vaccines will be available. Main Street will be closed near the park for viewing awesome public safety vehicles. Some items will be for sale, but all activities and food will be free. The end of the Homecoming Parade will be near the park so that students can easily attend. Community fair activities will be held from 5-7pm, then as soon as it is dark the Suncook Valley Rotary Club will present an outdoor showing (with popcorn!) of the *Emperor's New Groove*. If there is rain, this event will be cancelled. *Leslie Vogt*

## **Harvest Fest Save the Date October 23**

The Pittsfield Park and Recreation Commission is busy planning for the annual Harvest Fest to be held at the Town Beach area on October 23 from 12-3. There will be hot dogs and hamburgers for sale, pumpkins to carve, horse drawn wagon rides, pinatas, and much more. If your organization would like to participate in this celebration, call Minnie @ 603-290-4068. *Minnie Plante*

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## **Tour Sanborn Mills Farm**

The Pittsfield Historical Society is hosting a tour of Sanborn Mills Farm on Wednesday, September 22. The tour will begin at 6:00 p.m. at the farm, located at 7097 Sanborn Road, Loudon. Please meet us at the Farm for a very informational and entertaining tour. The tour is free and open to the public.

Sanborn Mills Farm is a traditional New Hampshire farm and nonprofit organization dedicated to sustaining and preserving folk-life and agricultural knowledge. The farm has over 390 acres of agricultural field and managed forests with buildings dating back to the mid-1800s. There are two water-powered mills—a sawmill and a grist mill—and a historic blacksmith shop! Other restored buildings include a large farmhouse, a cape, several timber-framed barns, and outbuildings. *Liz Dimmick*

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**Wednesday, September 15**, 6:15pm, The Suncook Valley Rotary Club will meet at Dominick's Restaurant

**Thursday, September 16**, 6-6:30pm, The Supervisors of the Checklist will be in session at the Town Hall to register new voters and to make necessary corrections for the Pittsfield School District public meeting on Sept. 23, 2021. Supervisors of the Checklist are Roberta J. Maxfield, Elizabeth A. Hast and Ammy L. Ramsey.

**Monday, September 20**, 6pm, The Pittsfield High School Alumni Association will meet at a location to be determined – We may meet at the High School or we may conduct the meeting via Zoom. If you attended or graduated from Pittsfield High School, you are automatically part of the Alumni Association! Please join us. For more information, please contact Tobi Chassie at [tchassie@gmail.com](mailto:tchassie@gmail.com) or Andi Riel at [pittsfieldtowncrier@hotmail.com](mailto:pittsfieldtowncrier@hotmail.com) or 435-6346.

**Tuesday, September 21**, 9-11am Infant Toddler Diaper Pantry at the First Congregational Church. Entrance is through the Chestnut Street parking lot.

**Thursday, September 23**, 5:30pm, School District Public Meeting at the Pittsfield Middle High School to vote to expend \$352,505.00 of unanticipated adequacy funds. The special public meeting will be held in accordance with RSA 197-a to see if the citizens of Pittsfield will vote to expend \$352,505.00 as designated in the **proposed warrant article**. An open discussion and vote will be taken by only those in attendance at the meeting.

**WARRANT ARTICLE TO EXPEND ADDITIONAL FUNDS RECEIVED FROM THE NEW HAMPSHIRE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION** - 'To see if the Pittsfield School District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$352,505.00 for the purpose of supporting the operational budget of the Pittsfield School District. Such funds to come from the State of New Hampshire and not from taxation. If this article is defeated, the sum of \$352,505.00 will be used to decrease the tax rate for the Pittsfield School District for the 2021-2022 school year. Tax impact: \$0.00

**Pittsfield Senior Center** - We are open and following the Covid protocols for distancing and sanitization. We do not require reservations for activities except for the community lunches, but we will require you to sign in to all activities

#### **Special Events:**

\* **September 15**, Wednesday, 10am, Corn Hole

Tournament. Come in, play a game, have some fun and win a gift.

\* **September 20**, Monday, 12pm, the last cookout of the year! If interested, please call and RSVP by Tuesday, September 14.

\* **September 21**, Tuesday, 10:30am, Live Music with Bill Parker - Join us while Bill sings a wide variety of music from the Great American songbook and plays the keyboard and harmonica. Stay for a spaghetti lunch, it's FREE. RSVP by September 14.

**Meals to Go?** Pick up a menu, circle what you would like, and give it to Carol. Pick up is between 11am and 12pm on Mondays and Thursdays.

Volunteers are needed at the Pittsfield Senior Center! We will need volunteers for different days of the week, at different times, depending on the task being done. Training is provided. Call 435-8482 for all things Senior Center :)

**The Pittsfield Historical Society** continues to raise funds for the new Museum and Headquarters. A commemorative garden on the Museum grounds is being worked on. A "BUY-A-BRICK" project affords an opportunity for people to buy a brick to honor yourself, loved ones past or present, or whomever you wish to remember. The bricks will be sold for \$100 each and may be engraved with 3 lines of 18 characters each for a 4"x8" brick. Please visit [www.pittsfieldhistory.com](http://www.pittsfieldhistory.com) for a donation form and instructions. For more information, please call 798-3984.

**Josiah Carpenter Library** celebrates Library Card Sign-up Month this September. If you don't have a card, come on in for a tour and sign up for a card while you're here! If your card has expired, come on in to renew it and take a look at our new book selections!

**B.C.E.P.** Solid Waste Facility Seasonal hours are in effect through September 30th: \*\*Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday - 7:30am - 4:00pm Scale closes at 3:45pm; \*\*Saturday 7:00am - 2:00pm Scale closes at 1:45pm. \*\*Thursday 7:30am - 6:00pm Scale closes at 5:45pm. Closed Sundays and Mondays

**Happy Birthday** wishes to Owen Chase today; Tara Ash and Paula Martel on Thursday. I hope you all enjoy your special day.

**Happy Anniversary** wishes to Dave & Donna Jonhonnott on Wednesday, and to my sister and brother-in-law, Robin & Fred Blais, on Friday.

## Double Word Puzzle #31 by Diana Westgate

Find the word that satisfies both definitions.

1. Herbaceous entity \_\_\_\_\_ Factory
2. Dental deposit \_\_\_\_\_  
Commemorative item
3. Dinnerware \_\_\_\_\_ Batter's stand
4. Theatre piece \_\_\_\_\_ Opposite of work
5. Pull out \_\_\_\_\_ Courage
6. Tobacco twist \_\_\_\_\_ Recommend
7. Layer \_\_\_\_\_ Exercise something
8. Cook over water \_\_\_\_\_ Steal
9. Steal \_\_\_\_\_ Place for a  
handkerchief
10. Sharp end \_\_\_\_\_ Finger motion

The answers are on p.4

## Cook's Corner

### Biscuit Chicken Bake

Here's an easy riff on Chicken Pot Pie. It's quick & simple to put together and provides all the great flavors of the classic and beloved pot pie. I've done this with boneless chicken that I boil and then chop or shred; and I've also done this with a deboned and shredded rotisserie chicken. I have to say, the rotisserie provides a lot more delicious flavor. Your call; use what you have on hand. Enjoy!

2 cans cream of chicken soup, undiluted

4 cups chopped, cooked chicken (you could use Rotisserie chicken)

2 cans (4 oz) mushroom stems & pieces, drained

2 cups frozen mixed vegetables, your choice

1 cup milk

1tsp poultry seasoning

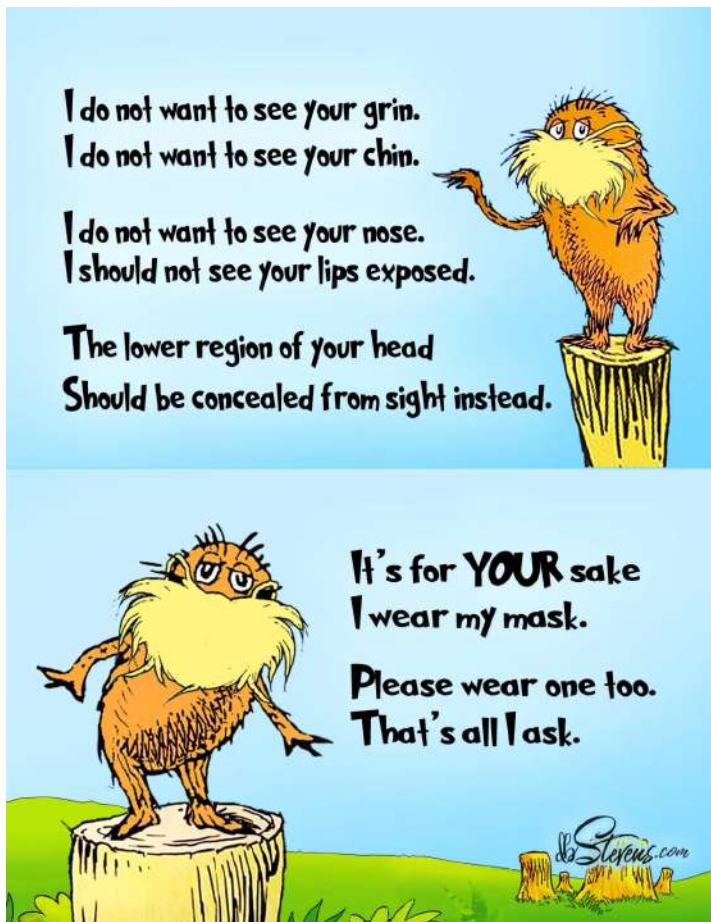
2 tubes (12 oz) refrigerated buttermilk biscuits

Heat oven to 350. In a large bowl, combine all ingredients up to the biscuits and stir well to combine.

Pour into a lightly greased 13x9 inch baking dish (use cooking spray). Arrange the uncooked biscuits on top.

Bake, uncovered, for 25 minutes or until biscuits are golden brown and the sauce is bubbling.

*MP Christakos*



### Please Support the *Pittsfield Post*

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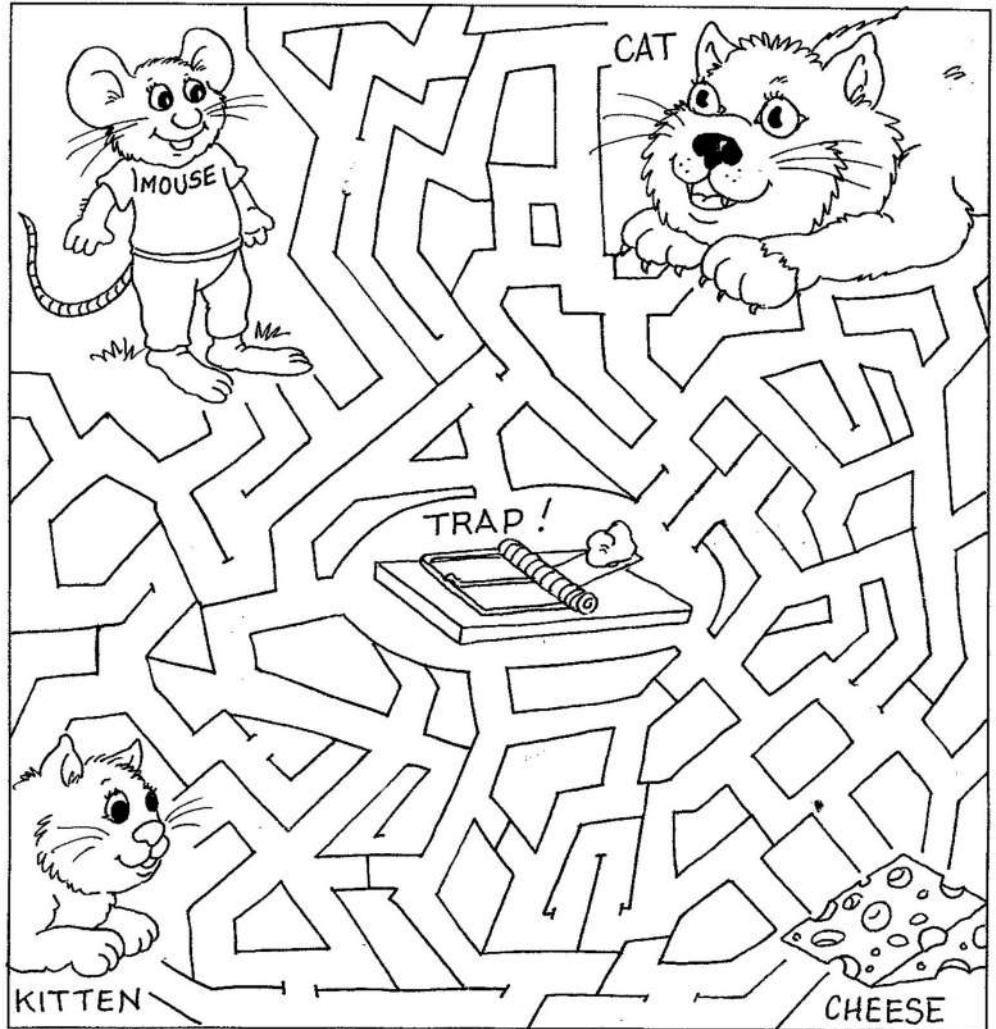
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**Answers to Double  
Word Puzzle #31**

1. Herbaceous entity – **plant** – Factory
2. Dental deposit – **plaque** – Commemorative item
3. Dinnerware – **plate** – Batter’s stand
4. Theatre piece – **play** – Opposite of work
5. Pull out – **pluck** – Courage
6. Tobacco twist – **plug** – Recommend
7. Layer – **ply** – Exercise something
8. Cook over water – **poach** – Steal
9. Steal – **pocket** – Clothing bag
10. Sharp end – **point** – Finger motion

**Liz’s Mazes**

Can you help Mouse get his cheese?



 **Post-It in the Post**  
 Community groups, businesses, and individuals, please send us your news, opinions, and creative work!  
 Deadline is noon on Friday.  
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 3½ cords of seasoned, mixed hardwood. Delivery available within a 10-mile radius of Pittsfield.  
 \$300/cord, \$25/cord delivery.  
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##### Special Knowledge, Skills and Abilities Required:

- Able to speak, read and write English
- Have basic knowledge of computers or tablets
- Willing to learn
- Enjoy working with your hands
- Able to sit and/or stand for long periods of time
- Able to lift approximately 30 pounds
- Strong organization skills and high attention to detail

Candidates with experience in the following areas are encouraged to apply:

- Quality Control and Inspection
- Machine Operation
- Assembly / Crafting / Knitting
- Stitching / Quilting

##### Cutting Room Associate

- Work in a fast paced environment preparing materials and fabrics used to create the firesuits / turnout gear
- Will spread fabric on one hundred foot table, perform quality inspection, and measure and mark fabric to be cut to specification
- Cut fabric into pieces using a Gerber Cutter
- Place cut goods on rolling racks
- Prepare material for other areas of production
- Bag goods

##### Special Knowledge, Skills and Abilities Required:

- Able to speak, read and write English
- Have basic knowledge of computers or tablets
- Able to use and understand a ruler and measurements
- Must be able to stand/walk, bend, reach and work with your hands for full shift
- Able to assist in team lifting of approximately 30 pounds
- Strong organization skills and high attention to detail
- Previous experience in Quality Control and Inspection desirable
- ANSI rated safety shoes (composite, steel or alloy toe) and safety glasses required

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