



Food drive at LHS football game this Friday

Laconia High School football captains Garret Whitney and Jakob Steele shop in preparation for this Friday's New Hampshire Tackles Hunger football game against Stevens High School at 7 p.m. All attendees will receive free admission to the game with a donation of a non-perishable food item. (Courtesy photo)

Visioning session on community makerspace scheduled for Oct. 9

WOLFEBORO — Global Awareness Local Action is looking to establish a community makerspace at 23 Bay St., the former site of Wolfeboro Power Equipment, which the local nonprofit group purchased last fall.

Working with a grant from the Northern Borders Regional Commission, matched by a successful grassroots fundraising campaign, the effort attracted more than 70 people to the Wolfeboro Town Hall for the first of two community-wide visioning nights. The next one, on Oct. 9, will summarize the comments generated for a follow-up session that will run from 5:30 to 8 p.m. at All Saint's Church in Wolfeboro.

Those who are brand new to the

concept of a makerspace will have an opportunity to learn about the initiative. Each makerspace is different, based on local residents' interests and needs.

A team of architects will generate floor plans based upon the visioning sessions. The design team comprises Leslie Benson, principal of Leslie Benson Designs; Steve Hoffman of d/b/A, and Scott Simons Architects, all based in Portland, Maine.

The session is open to the public, with light food and refreshments provided, as well as a supervised "kids' corner" to help make the event more accessible for families. Both year-round residents and visitors are encouraged to attend.

Community College to hold informational session today

LACONIA — Lakes Region Community College will offer an information session highlighting its liberal arts and fine arts programs on Thursday, Oct. 4, from 4:30-6 p.m.

Both programs are among the most popular majors at college campuses, allowing students who are undecided on their career path to explore different options. The programs also allow for easy transfer to four-year institutions for students looking to continue working toward a higher degree.

Prospective students will have the opportunity to learn more about the program, speak with faculty members, learn about the financial aid process, take a tour of the campus, and apply (and get accepted on the spot if accompanied by high school transcript).

Just walk in for the event, or register at www.lrcc.edu. Lakes Region Community College is part of the Community College System of New Hampshire. For more information, contact Joyce Larson at 603-366-5266.



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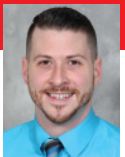
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