

SCHOOLS & YOUTH

Eden Burke receives 2023 College of Engineering Senior Awards

SPRINGFIELD – Eden Burke of Easthampton received the Biomedical Engineering Department Award for Outstanding Senior at the 2023 College of Engineering Senior Awards Ceremony. He graduated with a Bachelor of Science in biomedical engineering.

This award is presented to a senior

biomedical engineering student who has demonstrated academic success with an outstanding grade point average and has demonstrated professionalism in their studies. Per University requirement the student must have a minimum of a 3.30 grade point average and has at least 60 Western New England University credits.

Waverly KaneLong Named to East Stroudsburg University Dean's List

EAST STROUDSBURG, PA – East Stroudsburg University of Pennsylvania announces the Dean's List for the 2023 spring semester.

Local student making the Dean's List is Waverly KaneLong of Easthampton.

Students eligible for the Dean's List are those who have attained a 3.50 quality point average or better and are enrolled full-time. The letter grade "B" earns three quality points per credit and the grade "A" earns four quality points per credit.

University of Wisconsin–Madison announces Dean's List

MADISON, WIS –The University of Wisconsin–Madison announces the Dean's List for the spring semester of the 2022-2023 academic year.

Lenah Helmke of Great Barrington, School of Human Ecology, earns Dean's

Honor List and Patrick Yeung of Great Barrington, College of Letters and Science, earns Dean's List.

Students who achieve at a high level academically are recognized by the dean at the close of each semester. To

be eligible for the Dean's List, students must complete a minimum of 12 graded degree credits in that semester. Each university school or college sets its own GPA requirements for students to be eligible to receive the distinction.

Coscia makes Bucknell Dean's List

LEWISBURG, PA – Bucknell University announces the Dean's List for outstanding academic achievement during the spring semester of the 2022-23 academic year.

Local student making the Dean's

List is Kieran Coscia of Pittsfield and member of the Class of 2026.

A student must earn a grade point average of 3.5 or higher on a scale of 4.0 to receive dean's list recognition.

Adianez Colombani receives honor graduate award at WNEU

SPRINGFIELD – Western New England University held its College of Arts and Sciences Senior Awards Ceremony on May 20 in Rivers Memorial Hall.

The University honored 19 graduating seniors, who were selected based on their academic achievement in the major or based on their overall class standing.

Adianez Colombani of Westfield received the Honor Graduate in Psychology Award.

This award is for the graduating senior in psychology, who demonstrates the highest ideals in Psychology by virtue of their academic performance, contribution, service and commitment to the Department and/or field of Psychology.

Clark named to President's List

LOUDONVILLE, NY – Meghan Clark of Westfield was named to the Siena College President's List for the spring 2023 semester.

The President's List requires a 3.9 grade point average or higher.

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After college she entered an intense certificate program at the International Center of Photography in New York where she worked in both black and white and color photography.

The more her experience and ability became known, friends approached her for wedding pictures or friends involved in fashion asked for her work. "They felt more comfortable working with someone they knew," she said.

She began visiting Sandisfield with friends from New York and got

to know the town and community. The dramatic change from city to country, the "freedom and space" brought her and Douglas back time and again.

Both appreciated the proximity to nature and "cultivating that relationship just felt good," she said.

The Arts Center Gallery is open before and after all programs. The program schedule is available on the website and appointments to view the gallery display can be made by contacting Jess Cofrin at gallery@sandisfieldartscenter.org.

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As Principal, she will be working directly for Smidy, who has also been very supportive of this new role. "All of the administrators have been very supportive. They, along with her fellow teachers, really helped her make the decision to accept the job."

McCaul also had personal considerations to take into account. She has served on the Board of the Gateway Youth Athletic Association and coached for GYAA for a number of years, which she will be giving up. She also returned to coach-

ing high school girls basketball two years ago and will be giving up her job as JV Coach because she won't be able to leave work in time for practice. Together with husband and fellow Gateway alumnus Andrew, McCaul has three school-aged children in the Gateway system: daughter Rylan is entering grade 10 in the fall; Landon is moving into grade 7 and Donovan will be a second grader this fall.

Littleville Elementary School serves approximately 300 students in grades PreK – 5.

PUBLIC NOTICES

Huntington Conservation Commission Notice of Public Meeting

The Huntington Conservation Commission will hold a public meeting on **Wednesday, June 28 at 7:15 pm** at Stanton Hall in Huntington, MA to review a Request for Determination of Applicability submitted by Mark Liimatainen. The proposed activity is for repair of an existing driveway and drainage swale at 234 Lake Shore Dr. This hearing is in accordance with M.G. L. Chapter 131 Section 40 of the Wetlands Protection Act. 06/22/2023

Legal Notice: NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Middlefield Planning Board will hold a Public Hearing on **Saturday, July 8, 2023 at 11:00 a.m.** at the Middlefield Town Hall, 188 Skyline Trail, Middlefield MA to present bylaw changes.

Article 1: Changes to bylaw 3.2 Discontinuance, Alteration or Extension, Reconstruction.

Article 2: Definition for Accessory Building.

Article 3: Definition

Conforming Residence. 06/22, 06/29/2023

Chester Water Commission Public Hearing

The Chester Water Commission will hold a public hearing on **July 21, 2023 at 5PM** in the Town Hall, COA room, 15 Middlefield Rd., Chester, to discuss the water rate for FY2024 as well as the status of the water enterprise fund and provide an update on current and future projects to improve water plant and distribution system operations. 06/15, 06/22/2023

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Hampden Probate and Family Court 50 State Street Springfield, MA 01103 (413)748-7758 Docket No. HD23C0175CA

In the matter of: Ryan Joseph Lister CITATION ON PETITION TO CHANGE NAME A Petition to Change Name of Adult has been filed by **Ryan Joseph Lister of Chester, MA** requesting that the court enter a Decree changing their name to:

Ryan Joseph Badillo IMPORTANT NOTICE

Any person may appear for purposes of objecting to the petition by filing an appearance at: **Hampden Probate and Family Court before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of 07/11/2023.**

This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance if you object to this proceeding.

WITNESS, Hon. **Barbara M Hyland**, First Justice of this Court.

Date: June 13, 2023

Rosemary A Saccomani Register of Probate 06/22/2023

Town of Blandford Conservation Commission Public Notice

At its regularly scheduled meeting on **Monday, June 26, 2023 at 6:00 PM** at the Blandford Town Hall, 1 Russell Stage Road, the Blandford Conservation Commission will consider a Request for Determination of Applicability (RDA) received from the Town of Russell. The RDA is related to the proposed replacement of a culvert at Martin Phelps Road in the Town of

Blandford within the Town of Russell Watershed. The Commission will make its determination in accordance with the provisions of the Wetlands Protection Act, M.G.L. c 131, Sec. 40 (as amended).

Plans and additional information are on record in the Office of the Conservation Commission. 06/22/2023

EARLY DEADLINES

In observance of July 4th,
PUBLIC NOTICES
EARLY AD DEADLINE
Place your public notice
no later than **NOON**
Thursday, June 29
– Thank you!

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