

Petersham Art Center presents exhibit Stephanie Vignone

PETERSHAM – The Petersham Art Center is pleased to present a new exhibition, “Familiar Places: Landscapes by Stephanie Vignone” on display through Nov. 23.

Petersham Art Center exhibition coordinator Ken Levine notes, “This is the first exhibition of Stephanie’s work in the Art Center gallery and we are delighted to have her. Her beautiful landscape paintings will resonate with visitors. We hope the public joins us on November 2 for the opening reception to meet Stephanie and enjoy fine art and refreshments.”

Working in pastel and oils, Vignone is inspired by familiar places of

Massachusetts and New England. Natural landscapes are transformed by her critical eye; skillful use of color, light, and texture; and clear-eyed imagination creating images of classical realism while at times verging on another worldliness.

Vignone shows her work regularly, including exhibitions at the Oxbow Gallery in Easthampton, the Burnett Gallery-Jones Library in Amherst, the Hosmer Gallery-Forbes Library in Northampton, and the Connecticut Pastel Society.

Vignone explains, “As far back as I can remember, I have spent lots of time walking outdoors. I love to be outside in the woods, hiking with my dogs, in

the gardens by my house. Painting the places I see has given me another deep way in which I can connect with them. I love light and texture, but what really makes me want to paint a scene is the way in which I am able to compose it.”

Regular Art Center hours are Thursdays through Sundays, noon-4 p.m. For more information about the exhibition and the Center, please call 978-724-3415.

Since 1912, the Petersham Art Center located at 8 North St. near Petersham Common, has been home to regional fine art and craft through its shop, gallery, classes, and special events.

Ware resident started at Lasell University

NEWTON – Jason Mumper, a student from Ware began their first semester in the fall of 2025 at Lasell University.



Job Connection

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TOWN OF WARREN, MA Senior Center Custodian Job Opportunity

15hrs -Part-Time – Custodian
Monday to Friday

The Town of Warren is actively seeking a qualified professional to fill the position of **Part Time Custodian at our Senior Center.**

The Town is seeking a dedicated and enthusiastic custodian to join our team. Strong organizational skills, excellent customer service skills, responsible for all aspects of cleaning, light maintenance at the Senior Center and grounds.

A complete job description can be found on the Town’s website www.warren-ma.gov.

Please email or mail your resume and cover letter to the Town Administrator, Jim Ferrera, townadministrator@warren-ma.gov or 48 High Street, P.O. Box 609, Warren, MA 01083.

Hourly wage ranges \$17.70 to \$18.59 based on relevant work experience, certifications, and educational background. Position open until filled.

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Location: Three Rivers (Palmer)

Hours: 35 hours/week – Monday – Friday 8:30am – 3:30pm, no weekends, no overtime

Job requirements: Ability to lift 25 lbs. comfortably, valid driver’s license, high school diploma or equivalent (preferred)

Job Summary: Provide training and support to individuals with Intellectual and Developmental disabilities and Autism to promote successful outcomes while engaging in purposeful activities. The ideal candidate will be a positive role model with good communication skills who can work alone and as a team.

Salary: \$21.00/hour

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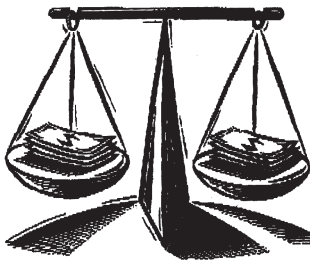
Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Hampshire Probate and Family Court
15 Atwood Drive
Northampton, MA 01060
(413)586-8500
Docket No. HS25P0730EA
Estate of:
Sophie Constance Pawlowski
Also known as:
Sophie C. Pawlowski
Date of Death: 06/24/1985
CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION
To all interested persons:
A Petition for **Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative** has been filed by **Lori-Ann Reitsma of Laconia, NH** requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that: **Lori-Ann Reitsma of Laconia, NH** be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve **Without Surety** on the bond in **unsupervised administration**.

IMPORTANT NOTICE
You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before: 10:00 a.m. on the return day of 12/24/2025. This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION UNDER THE MASSACHUSETTS UNIFORM PROBATE CODE (MUPC)
A **Personal Representative appointed under the MUPC in an unsupervised administration is not required to file an inventory or annual accounts with the Court. Persons interested in the estate are entitled to notice regarding the administration directly from the Personal Representative and may petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including the distribution of assets and expenses of administration.**

WITNESS, Hon. **Diana S. Velez Harris**, First Justice of this Court.
Date: November 17, 2025
Mark S Ames,
Register of Probate
12/20/2025



Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Hampshire Probate and Family Court
15 Atwood Drive
Northampton MA, 01060
Docket No. HS25P0688GD
In the matter of:
Zachary R. Labroad
Of: Ware, MA
RESPONDENT
Alleged Incapacitated Person
CITATION GIVING NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF GUARDIAN FOR INCAPACITATED PERSON PURSUANT TO G.L. c. 190B, §5-304
To the named Respondent and all other interested persons, a petition has been filed by **Eric M. Volz-Benoit of Ware, MA** in the above captioned matter alleging that **Zachary R. Labroad** is in need of a Guardian and requesting that **Eric M. Volz-Benoit of Ware, MA** (or some other suitable person) be appointed as Guardian to serve **Without Surety** on the bond.

The petition asks the court to determine that the Respondent is incapacitated, that the appointment of a Guardian is necessary, and that the proposed Guardian is appropriate. The petition is on file with this court and may contain a request for certain specific authority.

You have the right to object to this proceeding. If you wish to do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance at this court on or before 10:00 a.m. on the return date of **11/28/2025**.

This day is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline date by which you have to file the written appearance if you object to the petition. If you fail to file the written appearance by the return date, action may be taken in this matter without further notice to you. In addition to filing the written appearance, you or your attorney must file a written affidavit stating the specific facts and grounds of your objection within 30 days after the return date.

IMPORTANT NOTICE
The outcome of this proceeding may limit or completely take away the above-named person’s right to make decisions about personal affairs or financial affairs or both. The above-named person has the right to ask for a lawyer. Anyone may make this request on behalf of the above-named person. If the above-named

person cannot afford a lawyer, one may be appointed at State expense.
WITNESS, Hon. **Diana S. Velez Harris**, First Justice of this Court.
Date: November 03, 2025
Mark S Ames,
Register of Probate
11/20/2025

Notice of Sale of Motor Vehicle Under G.L. c. 255, Section 39A
Notice is hereby given by **REGIN’S REPAIR 19 CHURCH ST GILBERTVILLE, MA 01031** Pursuant to the provisions of G.L. c. 255, Section 39A, that on **December 01, 2025 at 10:00am** at: Regin’s Repair 19 Church St Gilbertville, MA 01031 by private sale, the following Motor Vehicle will be sold to satisfy the garage keepers lien thereon for storage, towing charges, care and expenses of notices and sale of said vehicle
2019 Mitsubishi Mirage
Registration/sate: 29A6EV/AZ
VIN: ML32A5HJ6KH015433
Name and address of owner:
James Sarson
51 Hatfield St., Apt A
Northampton, MA 01060
By: James M. Regin
Dated: 11/10/25
This notice has been given under the provisions of G.L. c. 255, Section 39A
11/13, 11/20, 11/27/2025

Town of Warren Tax Classification Public Hearing
The Warren Board of Selectmen will hold a public hearing on **Thursday, December 4, 2025, at 6:00pm** at the Warren Senior Center, 2252 Main Street, West Warren, MA, on the issue of tax classification. The purpose of the hearing is to determine the tax allocation among the property classes for fiscal year 2026.

The hearing will include a presentation by the Board of Assessors outlining the options available under Chapter 40, Section 56 of the Massachusetts General Laws, a brief real estate market update, and a general discussion around assessment changes year over year.

The public is invited to present oral comments at the hearing. Written comments must be submitted to the Board of Selectmen by no later than Noon on Monday, December 1, 2025 by either mail to 48 High Street, P.O. Box 609, Warren, MA 01083 or via email to selectmen@warren-ma.gov.
11/20, 11/27/2025

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