

IN THE CLASSROOM

MMWEC Awards Scholarships to Ludlow High School students

LUDLOW – The Massachusetts Municipal Wholesale Electric Company (MMWEC) has awarded scholarships to two students from the Ludlow High School class of 2026.

The scholarships are awarded to deserving graduates pursuing a college education in engineering, environmental sciences, business, finance, accounting, or a related field. Since 1998, MMWEC has awarded \$74,000 in scholarships to help students defray the cost of higher education.

This year’s scholarship recipients are Katherine Anselmo and Alex Spurlock.

Anselmo plans to attend Bentley University and major in finance. In high school, she participated in Leading Lions and the French Club, taught Junior Achievement at Ludlow Middle School, and was a member of the National Honor Society. She was also deeply involved in the Ludlow community, serving on the 250th Celebration committee, the Rotary Club, as a Massachusetts Civic Learning



Katherine Anselmo

Coalition civic fellow, and volunteering for Our Lady of Fatima Festa, Girls on the Run, and Elementary School Field Day.

Spurlock will attend the University of Hartford and major in mechanical engineering. At Ludlow High School, he achieved High Honors, was a member of the Math and Baseball teams, and earned the Employee of the Month title at his job at Big Y. He also volunteered weekly at Lorraine’s Soup Kitchen.

“The 2026 scholarship recipients stood out to us as leaders in the classroom and in the greater Ludlow community,”



Alex Spurlock

says MMWEC Chief Executive Officer Tom Barry. “We look forward to their continued success as they move on to their next chapter.”

MMWEC is a not-for-profit, public corporation and political subdivision of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts created by an Act of the General

Court in 1975 and authorized to issue tax-exempt debt to finance a wide range of energy facilities. MMWEC is the operator and principal owner of the Stony Brook power plant on Moody Street and has been a corporate resident of Ludlow for nearly 50 years.

MMWEC provides a variety of power supply, financial, risk management and other services to the state’s consumer-owned, municipal utilities. It is the largest provider of asset-owned generation for municipal light departments in New England.

Dean’s List honors announced at Tufts University

MEDFORD – Tufts University recently announced the dean’s list for the spring 2026 semester. Dean’s list honors at Tufts University

require a semester grade point average of 3.4 or greater. The following students were named to the dean’s list:

Tommy Caproni, Class of 2027, of Ludlow
Torcato Zina, Class of 2027, of Ludlow

HOT CARS

help retain air conditioning or heating in all weathers. While this has a benefit, it also means they hold heat in the summer for longer than many older models.

“If you are going somewhere, you should leave [your kid] at home, if you can, or take the child with you,” Matuszczak said.

With the hot temperatures cars can reach, it is also important to be conscientious as a person gets into a hot car.

Many modern cars have ways of lowering the windows using a key fob, which Matuszczak recommends using to help lower internal temperatures before getting inside the car.

This is especially im-

portant as metal surfaces, such as seatbelts, can reach temperatures over 180 degrees, which can result in burns.

If a person’s car does not have the ability to lower the windows using the key fob, it will be best for them to open the car doors for a few minutes before getting inside.

HUBBARD

Dino Slime Lab, Monday, August 3, 1:30 p.m. For ages 5-17. Make slime and add baby dinos! Please register.

Junk Journal Making for Tweens and Teens (part 2), Tuesday, August 4, 5:30 p.m. For ages 10-17. Please register.

Friendship Bracelet Making, Tuesday, August 4, 6 p.m. For ages 8-17. Please register.

Ready 4 K, Wednesdays, August 5, 12, 10:30 a.m. For those entering kindergarten. Learn essential Kindergarten readiness skills. Sponsored by Pathways for Parents CFCE. Please register.

Make Shrinky Dinks for your Backpack, Friday, August 7, 11:00 a.m. For ages 5-17. Please register.

Dino Bingo, Monday, August 10, 2 p.m. For youth of all ages and families. Please register.

Youth Chess Club, Mon-

days (biweekly) August 10, 24, 3:30 p.m. Ages 9-17. Please register.

Youth Crochet Club, Tuesdays (biweekly), August 11, 25, 5:30 p.m. For ages 10-17. Please register.

Anime Club, Tuesdays (biweekly), August 11, 25, 3:30 p.m. For middle and high school. Registration recommended.

Dino-Mite Puzzle Art, Thursday, August 13, 4 p.m. For ages 8-17. Use old puzzle pieces to make art! Please register.

Teddy Bear Picnic, Friday, August 14, 11:30 a.m.

For ages 0-5 and families. On the library lawn. Bring your favorite stuffie and your picnic lunch. Please register.

Sing With Me, every Tuesday, 10:30 to 11 a.m. For 0-5s. Drop-in.

Pokemon Club, Wednesdays (weekly), 3:30 to 4:45 p.m. For gr. 3-8. Please register.

Lego Build Challenge, every Wednesday, noon to 5 p.m. Drop-in.

Online Gaming/Minecraft Club for YAs, Every Thursday, 3:30 - 5 p.m. For ages 10-15. Drop-in, first come first served.

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PUBLIC NOTICES

LUDLOW PLANNING BOARD LEGAL NOTICE SPECIAL PERMIT HOME OCCUPATION

The Ludlow Planning Board will hold a public hearing in Ludlow Town Hall, Select Board’s Conference Room on **Thursday, August 13, 2026, at 7:05 p.m.** on the application of Ursula Knolton of **115 Prospect Street**, Ludlow, MA (Assessors’ Map 15A, Parcel 355) for: **interior design office.**

If for any reason this hearing is cancelled, it will be rescheduled to Thursday, August 27, 2026.

Raymond Phoenix, Chairman
07/29, 08/05/2026

LUDLOW PLANNING BOARD LEGAL NOTICE SITE PLAN

The Ludlow Planning Board will hold a public hearing in Ludlow Town Hall, Select Board’s Conference Room on **Thursday, August 13, 2026, at 7:10 p.m.** on the application of Sewall & Hubbard LLC for the property located at **120 Hubbard Street**, Ludlow, MA (Assessors’ Map 14B, Parcel 20) for the purpose of: **update existing site plan.**

If for any reason this hearing is cancelled, it will be rescheduled to Thursday, August 27, 2026.

Raymond Phoenix, Chairman
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LUDLOW PLANNING BOARD LEGAL NOTICE SPECIAL PERMIT HOME OCCUPATION

The Ludlow Planning Board will hold a public hearing in Ludlow Town Hall, Select Board’s Conference Room on **Thursday, August 13, 2026, at 7:00 p.m.** on the application of Michael Modzelewski of **147 Kendall Street**, Ludlow, MA (Assessors’ Map 11B, Parcel 108) for: **landscaping business.**

If for any reason this hearing is cancelled, it will be rescheduled to Thursday, August 27, 2026.

Raymond Phoenix, Chairman
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Ludlow Public Schools Destruction of Special Education Records

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Please be advised that the SPECIAL EDUCATION RECORDS from the Ludlow High School Class of 2019, along with the records of students released from special education services during the 2018-2019 school year, will be destroyed the week of August 3, 2026. If you wish to obtain your records, please contact the Special Education office at (413) 583-8372, ext 1216 prior to Friday, July 31, 2026, in order to make arrangements for pick up. Please note that identification will be required at the time of record retrieval.

07/08, 07/15, 07/22, 07/29/2026

Town of Ludlow Request for Proposals Fire Department Dormitory Mini-Split HVAC Installation

The Town of Ludlow is soliciting sealed bids from qualified HVAC contractors for the installation of a supplemental ductless mini-split heat pump system at the Ludlow Fire Department Safety Complex.

Project Description:

The project includes a complete turnkey installation of a ductless minisplit heat pump system for the men’s and women’s dormitory areas. The contractor will provide all labor, materials, equipment, and components needed for a fully operational system, including indoor units, outdoor condensers, piping, electrical work, controls, startup, and commissioning. All equipment must be new, commercialgrade, and installed according to manufacturer guidelines and applicable codes

Bid Documents Available:

Friday, July 24, 2026
10:00 AM

Mandatory Site Visit:

Friday, July 31, 2026
11:00 AM
Ludlow Safety Complex
574 Center Street
Ludlow, MA 01056

Questions Due:

Friday, August 7, 2026
10:00 AM

Questions shall be submitted by email to:bbeaumier@ludlow.ma.us

Responses/Addendum Issued By:

Friday, August 14, 2026
2:00 PM

Bid Opening:

Friday, August 21, 2026
10:00 AM

Bid Submission:

Sealed bids shall be delivered no later than **10:00 AM on Friday, August 21, 2026** to:

Town of Ludlow
Select Board’s Office (3rd Floor)
488 Chapin Street
Ludlow, MA 01056

Late submissions will not be accepted.
07/29/2026

Town of Ludlow LEGAL NOTICE

The Select Board opened the Warrant on July 7, 2026, for the October 5, 2026, Special Town Meeting to be held at 7:30 P.M. at Ludlow High School. All Articles should be submitted to the Select Board’s Office, select board@ludlow.ma.us, **no later than Friday**, August 21, 2026, at 12:00 P.M. The Select Board will close the Warrant on Tuesday, September 15, 2026, at their regular meeting.

07/22, 07/29/2026

TOWN OF LUDLOW LEGAL NOTICE

Ludlow Annual Town Meeting of May 11, 2026 – Case #12252

Warrant Article 29 (General) was approved by the Attorney General’s office. “Such Bylaws have been posted according to the Bylaws and copies are available at the Town Clerk’s Office”. **see full context of text in Town Clerk’s office.

Posted in all 6 polling locations and at the Ludlow Town Hall.

Precinct 1: Harris Brook Elementary School
Precinct 2: Paul R. Baird Middle School
Precinct 3: Ludlow High School
Precinct 4: East Street School
Precinct 5: First Church in Ludlow
Precinct 6: Paul R. Baird Middle School

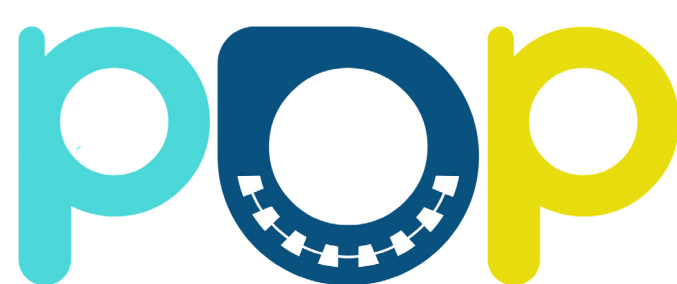
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