

SPORTS

Falcons suffer tough loss to Agawam



Kevin Harvey shoots for the legs.

Turley photos by Gregory A. Scibelli



Gavin French tries to avoid a takedown.



Logan Richard locks up at 175 pounds.



Yusuf Gunaydin grapples in the 215-pound matchup.



Christopher Duby locks up at 106.



Liam Maher tries to counter a takedown.

Thunderbirds stunned by Lehigh Valley Phantoms

SPRINGFIELD — The Springfield Thunderbirds (13-15-4-2) were snakebitten by a three-goal third period rally as the Lehigh Valley Phantoms (19-11-2-2) came away with a 3-2 win on Saturday night before a sellout crowd of 6,793 inside the MassMutual Center on Indians Throwback Night.

Entering the game having allowed only two total goals in their prior three victories, the Phantoms and their netminder, Carson Bjarnason, made it clear goals would not come easily for the T-Birds, as the rookie backstop turned away all 10 first period attempts

from the home side.

At the other end of the rink, Georgi Romanov had a relatively quiet first period, making all seven saves asked of him in the Springfield crease. Neither team could connect on a power play chance, and each goalie came up with a timely save off an odd-man attack, with Romanov stoning a Phil Tomasino 2-on-1 bid and Bjarnason rejecting a Juraj Pekarik breakaway.

The T-Birds’ power play wasted little time getting to the lead in the opening minute of the second, as Calle Rosen gathered a pass from Matthew

Peca at the top of the left circle and picked the top corner over Bjarnason’s glove to make it a 1-0 Springfield lead just 52 seconds into the frame.

That same man-up unit added to their tally at 16:53 on a gorgeous three-man passing play, as Alek Kaskimaki slid a pass to Chris Wagner at the left post. From there, Wagner stuffed a perfect between-the-leg pass over to Matt Luff, who fired home his team-leading 12th goal to make it a 2-0 game into the intermission.

The third period began at 4-on-4, and the Phantoms finally got on the board as Lane

Pederson curled to the middle of the ice before snapping a perfect shot upstairs over Romanov at the 27-second mark, cutting the Springfield lead to 2-1. On a power play just 2:40 later, Christian Kyrou dissected the T-Birds’ defense and chipped a forehand over Romanov’s glove, bringing Lehigh to a rapid tie, 2-2.

The 2-2 tie made it all the way to the game’s final seconds, but a bad-angle shot from Anthony Richard at the bottom of the left circle somehow found its way home with 11.9 remaining, and Lehigh Valley escaped with the victory.

Card Game Party & Luncheon set for Jan. 29

WILBRAHAM - The Saint Cecilia Women’s Club is holding its annual winter Card & Game Party & Luncheon, Thursday, Jan. 29, in the St. Cecilia Parish Center, 42 Main St., Wilbraham. Check in begins at 11:30 a.m. with lunch served at Noon.

Donation is \$10. There will also be a raffle for prizes and gift certifi-

icates.

Come with friends to play any game of your choice (mahjong, bridge, dominoes, canasta, Scrabble, etc.) Proceeds help to fund the club’s scholarships and donations to area charitable organizations.

For reservations, please call Sue Agnew, 596-9480.

PUBLIC NOTICES

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Hampden Probate and Family Court
50 State Street
Springfield, MA 01103
(413)748-7758
Docket No. HD25P2099EA
Estate of:
Allan M Coolong, Jr.
Date of Death: 09/10/2025
CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION**

To all interested persons:
A Petition for S/A - Formal Adjudication of Intestacy and Appointment of Personal Representative has been filed by Linette Coolong of Ballston Spa, NY requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that Linette Coolong of Ballston Spa, NY 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 02/05/2026. 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 ACT
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 ad-

ministration 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. Barbara M Hyland, First Justice of this Court.
Date: January 07, 2026
Rosemary A Saccomani,
Register of Probate
01/15/2026

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Ludlow MA 01056

2006 Volkswagen Passat

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LKO: Rosa Fraga
37 Essex St., Ludlow MA 01056

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VIN: 3N1BC11E48L363404
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Thorndike MA 01079
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Wilbraham MA 01095
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01/01, 01/08, 01/15/2026

WILBRAHAM CONSERVATION COMMISSION LEGAL NOTICE
The Wilbraham Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing **Wednesday, January 28, 2026 at 7:15 PM** in Conference Room 1 at the Wilbraham Town Hall, 240 Springfield Street, on the Notice of Intent filed by Tonya Capparello on behalf of the Town of Wilbraham under the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act and the Wilbraham Wetlands Bylaw. The proposed project includes intersection improvements at Springfield Street and Stony Hill Road. The project proposed is to

construct new ADA-compliant concrete sidewalks and curb ramps and will take place within areas subject to protection and jurisdiction under the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act, Regulations and the Wilbraham Wetland Bylaw. Information relating to this application is on file with the Conservation Commission.

Christopher Brown,
Chairman
01/15/2026

on plans on file in the Planning Office and posted for public viewing on the Planning Board page of the Town of Wilbraham website at www.wilbraham-ma.gov/123/Planning-Board. This meeting will be conducted in person and virtually (see meeting agenda for details).

James Rooney, Chair
1/08, 01/15/2026

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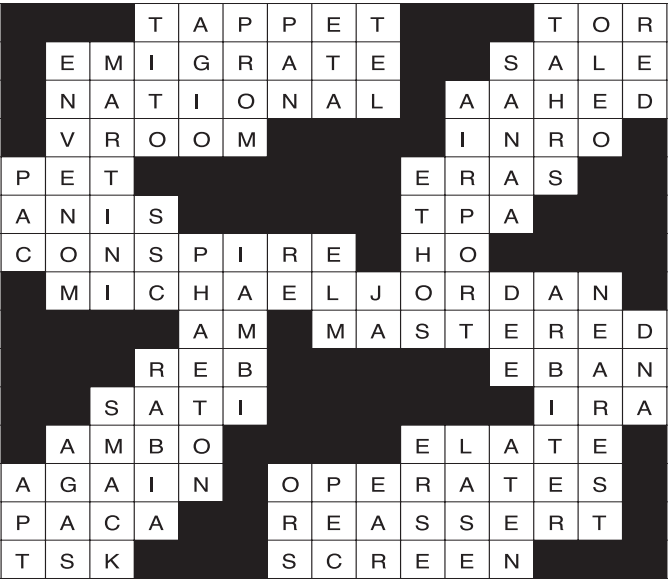
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