

James Jolicoeur named to Assumption University’s Fall 2025 Dean’s List

WORCESTER - Assumption University has announced that James Jolicoeur, of Hampden, Class of 2026, has been named to the University’s Dean’s List for the fall 2025 semester. Students named to the Dean’s List must achieve a grade point average of 3.5 for a five-class, 15-credit semester to be included on the prestigious list, which is announced at the completion of the fall and spring semesters.

Paige Coite named to SNHU Dean’s List

MANCHESTER, NH - Paige Coite of Wilbraham has been named to Southern New Hampshire University’s Fall 2025 Dean’s List. The fall terms run from September to December. Full-time undergraduate students who have earned a minimum grade-point average of 3.500 to 3.699 for the reporting term are named to the Dean’s List. Full-time status is achieved by earning 12 credits over each 16-week term or paired 8-week terms grouped in fall, winter/spring, and summer.

Owen Perry achieves Fall 2025 Dean’s List at Carthage College

KENOSHA, WI - Carthage College recognizes Owen Perry from Wilbraham for their academic achievement and being named to the Fall 2025 Dean’s List. Dean’s List honors are accorded to Carthage students who achieve a minimum 3.5 grade-point average while carrying at least 12 letter-graded credits in a given semester.

Local student earns place on Furman University Dean’s List

GREENVILLE, S.C. -Allison Shayna Kandel of Wilbraham earned a place on Furman University’s dean’s list for the 2025 fall semester. Furman’s dean’s list is composed of full-time undergraduate students who earn a grade point average of 3.4 or higher on a four-point system. Kandel’s parents and/or guardians are Anthony Kandel and Anne Kandel.

Conor O’Brien earned President’s List honors during the Fall 2025 semester

CANTON, NY - Conor O’Brien, a SUNY Canton Information Technology major from Wilbraham earned President’s List honors during the fall 2025 semester. “Your academic achievements during the fall semester reflect your dedication, perseverance and commitment to excellence,” said SUNY Canton President Zvi Szafran. “We are proud of all you have accomplished and applaud your success on behalf of the faculty, staff and administration at SUNY Canton.”

To earn a spot on the President’s List, full-time students must earn a 3.75 or greater GPA during a single semester of study.

HCC announces Fall 2025 Dean’s List

HOLYOKE - Each semester Holyoke Community College recognizes superior scholarship through the Dean’s List. A student is placed on the Dean’s List if their G.P.A. is 3.2 or higher. The students listed below have earned Dean’s List honors for the Fall 2025 term: **Hampden:** Adelaide Fay, Adison Oliveras, Adam Edward Poulin. **Wilbraham:** Liam George Colclough, Kayla Ann Coolbeth, Mia Yareisha Figueroa, Khaliyah Jordan Gagner, Celia M. Labarbera, Daniel Patrick Loomis, Jeramie Joseph Marquez, James George Martine, Madison Elizabeth Meunier, Alek Milov, Olivia Catherine Picard, Jason Nicholas Sutter, Aaron Treat.

WPI announces Fall 2025 Dean’s List

WORCESTER - Worcester Polytechnic Institute (WPI) has announced its Dean’s List for academic excellence for the Fall 2025 semester. The criteria for the WPI Dean’s List differ from that of most other universities as WPI does not compute a grade point average (GPA). Instead, WPI students are named to the Dean’s List based on the amount of work completed at the A level in courses and hands-on projects. “WPI’s academic programs are rigorous and require a level of independence beyond what is required in traditional courses. WPI students work on real-world, open-ended problems on campus and in communities around the globe. Far from being simple academic exercises, the projects students complete have genuine and lasting impacts in our partner communities,» said Provost Andrew Sears. “Some of this nation’s best and brightest students come to WPI to study engineering, science, business, and the humanities. Those named to the Dean’s List have excelled in all of their work, and we are exceptionally proud of these outstanding students.” The following students were named to the Fall 2025 Dean’s List: William Bao of Wilbraham, class of 2029, majoring in Electrical and Computer Engineering Siena Dansereau of Wilbraham, class of 2028, majoring in Chemical Engineering Samuel Manteria of Wilbraham, class of 2027, majoring in Chemical Engineering Maggie Michels of Wilbraham, class of 2029, majoring in Computer Science Molly Olsen of Wilbraham, class of 2027, majoring in Computer Science and Data Science

Alexa Patrakis named to Hartwick College’s Fall 2025 Dean’s List

ONEONTA, NY - Alexa Patrakis of Wilbraham was named to Hartwick College’s Fall 2025 Dean’s List. Patrakis, who is pursuing a major in Biology with a minor in Healthcare Administration, was among the approximately 400 students who were named to the Fall 2025 Dean’s List. Making the Dean’s List is an indication of excellence in academic work. To qualify, students must complete at least 12 academic credits during a term with a grade point average of at least 3.50 and no incompletes.

Lasell University’s Lucas, Stogner receives Collaboration Recognition Award

NEWTON - Lucas Stogner [Wilbraham) was selected to receive the Collaboration Recognition Award at Lasell University for the Fall 2025 semester. This peer-nominated award recognizes students who demonstrate excellence in collaboration through effective communication, idea-sharing, and teamwork. The award reflects Lasell’s emphasis on collaboration as a core learning outcome and a key career readiness competency identified by the National Association of Colleges & Employers.

Jaidan Kertenis named to SUNY Potsdam President’s List

POTSDAM, NY - Jaidan Kertenis of Hampden was recently named to the President’s List at The State University of New York at Potsdam. Kertenis, whose major is Business Administration, was among 738 students who were honored for academic excellence in the Fall 2025 semester. SUNY Potsdam President Dr. Suzanne Smith recognized the students for earning top marks. To achieve the honor of being on the President’s List, each student must have satisfactorily completed 12 numerically-graded semester hours, with a grade point average of 3.5 or higher.

McKenna Hatch earns Fall 2025 Dean’s List honors at Roger Williams University

BRISTOL, RI - McKenna Hatch, of Wilbraham has been named to the Fall 2025 Dean’s List at Roger Williams University, in Bristol, R.I. Full-time students who complete 12 or more credits per semester and earn a grade point average of 3.4 or higher are placed on the Dean’s List that semester.

Wilbraham native named to SRU dean’s list for Fall 2025 semester

SLIPPERY ROCK, PA - In recognition of outstanding academic achievement, Jacob Ferri from Wilbraham was named to the dean’s list for the Fall 2025 semester at Slippery Rock University. The dean’s list consists of SRU undergraduate students who earned an adjusted semester grade-point average of 3.5 or higher, based on a schedule of at least 12 newly attempted and earned credits.

PUBLIC NOTICES

WILBRAHAM PLANNING BOARD PUBLIC HEARING

In accordance with M.G.L. Chapter 40A, Section 5, the Wilbraham Planning Board will hold a Public Hearing on Wednesday, March 4, 2026 at 5:45PM in the Town Office Building, 240 Springfield Street, to give interested parties the opportunity to comment on proposed amendments to the Wilbraham Zoning By-Law described below:

1) To amend Section 4.10 of the Zoning Bylaw, Accessory Dwelling Unit (ADU) Regulations, to require 1 off-street parking space for all ADUs, except for ADUs within a 1/2 mile radius of a transit station.

2) To renumber and recaption the Zoning Bylaw by (a) designating the Zoning Bylaw as Chapter 250 of the Code of the Town of Wilbraham; (b) renumbering each section and subsection of the bylaw accordingly; (c) inserting article, section and subsection titles; and (d) updating internal references to reflect the new numbering system

3) To make the following changes to the renumbered and recaptioned Zoning Bylaw (Chapter 250):

a. General revisions to ensure consistency of terms and correction of typographical errors

b. Amend Section 250-1.3 to modify the following definitions: assisted living residence, building envelope, clearing envelope, family day care home, hazardous material, registered marijuana dispensary and sign

c. Amend Section 250-3.5B(14) to remove the special permit requirement for a family day care home consistent with recent changes to state law

d. Delete blank Section 3.9.4 “Accessory uses: industrial”

e. Amend Section 250-4.11.G, to remove a duplication of the word “snowplowing”

f. Amend Section 250-5.1 to clarify language in the Residential Multiple Dwelling District

g. Amend Section 250-6.5 to clarify applicable zoning districts for new vehicle sales

h. Amend Sections 250-6.5.I & 250-7.2G to change “American Standards Association” to “American National Standards Institute”

i. Amend Section 250-7.6 to reflect changes in state law and regulations related to Registered Marijuana Facilities

j. Amend Section 250-9.1 to correct and update legal and map references applicable to the Floodplain Overlay District

k. Amend Section 250-10.4 to make grammatical corrections and to change “Federal Aeronau-

tics Administration” to “Federal Aviation Administration”

l. Amend Section 250-10.5 to correct terms related to civil engineers and land surveyors and to delete a reference to the MA Department of Environmental Protection “Division of Air Quality”

m. Amend Section 250-10.7 to correct scrivener errors

n. Amend Section 250-15.3 to increase the fine for violations from \$100 to \$300 for each offense.

o. Amend the appendix related to scenic roads to include the entirety of the language in MGL c. 40, Section 15C

The complete text of the proposed amendments is available for review in the Town Clerk’s Office and the Planning Office during normal business hours and posted for public viewing on the Planning Board page of the Town of Wilbraham website at www.wilbraham-ma.gov/123/Planning-Board. All persons interested or wishing to be heard on this matter are urged to attend the public hearing. Both in person and virtual participation are available. To participate virtually go to <https://meet.goto.com/684280605> or call 866-899-4679 (Access Code: 684-280-605).

James Rooney, Chair
02/12, 02/19/2026

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Hampden Probate and Family Court 50 State Street Springfield, MA 01103 Docket No. HD13P0241GD In the matter of: Christopher M Tubbs Of: Hampden, MA RESPONDENT Incapacitated Person/ Protected Person CITATION GIVING NOTICE OF PETITION FOR TERMINATION OF A GUARDIAN OF AN INCAPACITATED PERSON

To the named Respondent and all other interested persons, a petition has been filed by: **Dept of Developmental Services** of Springfield, MA in the above captioned matter requesting that the court: Terminate the Guardianship of the Respondent

The petition asks the court to make a determination that the Guardian and/or Conservator should be allowed to resign; or should be removed for good cause; or that the Guardianship and/or Conservatorship is no longer necessary and therefore should be terminated. The original petition is on file with the

court.

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 **03/17/2026**. 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. **Claudine T. Stoudemire**, First Justice of this Court.

Date: February 10, 2026
Rosemary A. Saccomani
Register of Probate
02/19/2026

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS Probate and Family Court Department HAMPDEN, Division Docket No. HD25P2271PM

To all persons interested in the estate of Barbara A. Vickery, of Wilbraham in said County, a person under Conservatorship, single.

A petition has been presented to said Court for license to sell at private sale - certain real estate of said Barbara A. Vickery, for her maintenance.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at 50 State Street, Springfield, MA, before 10:00 a.m. on the **9th day of March 2026**, the return day of this petition.

Witness, **CLAUDINE T. STOUDEMIRE**, Esquire, First Justice of said Court this second day of February 2026.

Rosemary A. Saccomani
Register
02/19/2026

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Wilbraham-Hampden Times

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