

Wistariahurst kid art classes offered

HOLYOKE— Every first Sunday of the month from 2 to 4 p.m. Wistariahurst will be hosting kid art classes, starting Feb. 2.

This series of art classes is geared towards children in grades K-12 to spark creativity and inspire a love for art history. Joycelin Raho, the talented instructor guiding these classes, will help children explore different mediums and artistic techniques to unlock their imaginations. These engaging activities will help kids create their own masterpieces through a hands-on approach to learning.

To make these classes accessible and available for all kids in the community, Wistariahurst offers a sliding scale for admission. Parents and/or guardians can choose admission pricing from \$10, \$15, or \$20, which will help cover the cost of materials and ensure a rewarding experience for everyone who participates.

To learn more, visit: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/wistariahurst-kids-art-classes-tickets-1104573572289?aff=oddtcreator>

PUBLIC NOTICES

Town of Belchertown Request for Proposals: Branding Belchertown Project

The Town of Belchertown is seeking proposals from qualified design professionals to create a cohesive and authentic visual identity that reflects the town's rich history, vibrancy, and aspirations for the future. This initiative includes updating the Town Seal for formal purposes, designing a new logo for everyday use, and creating a comprehensive brand guidelines document. The visual identity will be implemented across all areas of the municipality and serve as a cornerstone for the town's broader economic development and marketing strategies.

Successful proposals will demonstrate expertise in the intricacies of municipal design usage, community-

cused design processes, and branding as a tool to connect diverse audiences and bolster economies.

Interested designers can find the full RFP and submission details on the Town of Belchertown website.

The expected budget for this project is \$10,000.

Submission Deadline is January 24, 2025 at 5 p.m. EST. Proposals should be submitted as one PDF via email to team@artsequitygroup.com with "Branding Belchertown / Graphic Design Proposal" in the subject line.

Please submit questions to Danielle Amodeo at danielle@artsequitygroup.com by Monday, Friday, January 17, 2024 at 5pm EST 01/09/2025

OFFICE OF THE SELECT BOARD BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS TOWN OF BELCHERTOWN

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 138 of the General Laws that Dragonfly 0530, LLC, has applied for a Section 12 Restaurant All Alcoholic Beverages License at 330 Chauncey Walker Street, Belchertown, MA 01007.

A public hearing relative to the above referenced application will be held on **Tuesday, January 21, 2025, at 6:48 p.m.** in the Select Board's Meeting Room on the first floor of Lawrence Memorial Hall, 2 Jabish Street, Belchertown, Massachusetts.

BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS Edward G. Boscher, Chair

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up with the registered owner of the vehicle. They advised that they could not get into the driver's side of the truck. The truck next to them climbed the passenger side into it and scratched the truck next to it by using their key. They were advised that they could provide info to cover the cost and were willing to work with them.

Thursday, Dec. 19

5:51 p.m. – An officer responded to an accident. Two vehicles going eastbound, one vehicle was trying to break for a light. It struck a small patch of ice and slid into the back of a second vehicle. No tow was needed, and no injuries were reported.

Friday, Dec. 20

12:29 p.m. – An officer responded to a North Main Street residence for a possible breaking and entering incident. The person believed someone broke into the residence and heard someone walking. They reported they heard a dog barking upon arrival. The officer requested animal control. While speaking with the animal control officer, the homeowner arrived on the scene. They said they searched the apartment, and no one was inside. The slider was tampered with, but it could have been them. Then, another neighbor could have caused dog barking, and the situation was documented.

10:44 p.m. – An officer responded to an accident Ware Road. A vehicle traveling west on Ware Road lost control, went into the eastbound lane then into the westbound lane. There was heavy damage to the left front side flat tire and damage to the rim and left rear door and wheel well. There were wet and snowy conditions at the time of the crash.

Saturday, Dec. 21

9:40 a.m. – An officer took a report of a lost cell phone. It was found in a Main Street parking lot and appeared to

have been run over by a car. The office checked with the business to see if anyone reported it was missing. It was put into property for safekeeping.

4:33 p.m. – An officer responded to an accident George Hannum Road. A vehicle going west on George Hannum Road failed to stay in their lane, went off to the left side, and struck an embankment. The vehicle was towed from the scene.

Sunday, Dec. 22

7:38 a.m. – Officers responded to assist Belchertown Fire and paramedics.

Monday, Dec. 23

3:24 p.m. – An officer responded to a report of a person banging on a person's door. The matter was investigated, and it was unfounded.

11:27 a.m. – An officer took a report of fraud. There was a message left in the department dropbox by the reporting party. The person was contacted by an unknown person who purchased a gift card and was told how to use it. They realized it was a scam, contacted their banks and wanted the report to be on file.

Tuesday, Dec. 24

9:55 a.m. – An officer responded to North Main Street with the Department of Public Works with a snow removal complaint. The snow was blocking the sidewalk from being cleared post-snow. The DPW employee said they would clean it and remove the vehicle, but a resident disagreed with the equipment used to do it and that they would do it. They were dispatched back to speak with the person. While shoveling, another person came out and told them not to. They had a verbal exchange. Later, the suspect went to the courthouse to talk with the person who wanted a report done by the department.

2:18 p.m. – An office responded to an accident on North Main Street. A vehicle parked in a lot on North Main Street backed out of a space and into the rear of another vehicle. No injuries were report-

ed, and no tow was needed.

5:13 p.m. – An officer took a report of fraud. A person got an email demanding money, and they gained access to different accounts. The person noticed that someone was logged into their accounts and called to report the matter. There is no further information at this time.

10:12 p.m. – An officer responded to an accident on Turkey Hill Road. A vehicle traveling south on Turkey Hill Road struck a deer that ran into the roadway. No injuries were reported, and no tow was needed.

Granby Police Log

Editor's Note: The Granby Police Department responded to 237 calls from Dec. 20 through Jan. 2, 2025. Those arrested are presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law. The Granby Police Department provides all the information.

Friday, Dec. 20

7:07 p.m. – A motorist reported sliding off the road and into a field. There were no injuries.

7:26 p.m. – A motorist reported spinning out and striking a guardrail. There were no injuries.

Saturday, Dec. 21

9:26 p.m. – While on patrol, an officer observed a motor vehicle traveling at a high rate of speed. Radar confirmed that the vehicle was traveling at 52MPH in 35MPH zone. The vehicle was stopped and the operator was issued a written warning for speeding.

Sunday, Dec. 22

4:44 p.m. – An employee at Dollar General reported that someone stole some items about an hour and a half ago. An incident report was completed.

Monday, Dec. 23

9 a.m. – A vehicle backed out of a

driveway and struck a Granby Highway Department employee that was working in the roadway. There were no injuries.

10:36 a.m. – Several motorists reported a three-car accident. Granby Police and Fire responded. There were no injuries.

Wednesday, Dec. 25

12:43 a.m. – An officer on patrol observed a suspicious vehicle parked near the entrance to Phins Hill Manor. The vehicle was running and the operator was asleep in the driver's seat. The operator was arrested for operating under the influence of alcohol.

1 a.m. – Nicholas Strange, 26, of Ludlow, was placed under arrest for operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of alcohol.

Friday, Dec. 27

8:07 a.m. – A motorist reported that a vehicle struck a pole. The pole and wires are blocking the road. Granby Police and Fire responded. There were no injuries.

1:28 p.m. – A resident reported that someone fraudulently opened an account in their name. An incident report was completed.

Saturday, Dec. 28

8:22 a.m. – A motorist reported sliding off an icy road and striking a large rock. There were no injuries.

10:29 p.m. – A resident reported that a vehicle struck a guardrail. Granby Police and Fire responded. There were no injuries.

Monday, Dec. 30

1:06 p.m. – A motorist reported a minor two-car accident in the parking lot of the Post Office. There were no injuries.

6:35 p.m. – A motorist reported that a vehicle drove off the road, struck a utility pole, and is now in a ditch. The utility pole and power lines are blocking the road. Granby Police and Fire responded. There were no injuries. The operator was issued a citation for crossing marked lanes.

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