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### "Ossipee Valley News"

Happy January, everyone!

#### **A yak and a yeti**

Tamworth Learning Circles has rescheduled its play "The Search for the Dalai Lama" for Jan. 30 at 5:30 p.m. at the Brass Heart Inn in Chocorua. In addition to yaks, yetis, and a snow leopard on stage, there will be food for sale afterward. For more information, call 323-7477. The play is a fundraiser for the school's scholarship fund and for Buddhist fundraisers, as well.

#### **Concert with a cause**

The Ossipee Historical Societies Capital Campaign Committee is hard at work to raise funds to fulfill their dreams of revitalizing the Historic Courthouse in Ossipee, and making it a center for cultural and historical events, yet they are a long way away from making their goal of \$500,000 with a first priority of roof repairs.

In addition to making personal calls for donations, the historical society is also hosting a Capital Campaign Concert on Saturday, Feb. 9 from 12 to 5:30 p.m. with a snow date of March 8. The concert will be held in Ossipee at the Old Courthouse in Courthouse Square (On Route 171 in the village) in the town of Ossipee, and is open to the public, donations suggested at the door and through out the event, audience members please bring something for the Pot luck intermission. Music Genre will be all different styles, including but not limited to Classical, R&B, Blues, Pop, Light Rock, Native American and others you will surely recognise. The Expected Artists include David Searching Owl and Janet Quiet Dove (Confirmed), Richard Soaring Owl (Confirmed), Jesse RedHorse (Confirmed), Dail Dragonfly Martin (Confirmed), Kim White Feather (Confirmed), and any other Guest Artists that may be invited.

#### **Storytelling at the Corner House Inn**

Peter Brodeur, aka Bearded Turtle, appears at the Corner House Inn's Storytelling Dinner Program on Thursday, January 24<sup>th</sup>. Peter is not an American Indian Storyteller, but rather a teller of American Indian stories, mostly stories from the Northeast Woodlands. With permission and even encouragement from the Native storytellers he has met Peter does his part to keep alive an oral tradition over 10,000 years old (some of the stories he tells have never been written down).

Storytelling Dinners are held every Thursday evening at the Corner House in Center Sandwich from late October through May. The Dinner begins at 6:30 PM and the cost is only \$16.95 per person. For more information and reservations contact the Corner House Inn at 284-6219 or online at [info@cornerhouseinn.com](mailto:info@cornerhouseinn.com).

#### **Mental Illness, homelessness, and housing issues**

On behalf of Executive Councilor Ray Burton and the Department of Health and Human Services Acting Commissioner Nicholas Toumpas, the state will be holding a

Lakes Region District Council meeting on Friday, Feb. 1 from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. at the Moultonborough Town Hall at 6 Holland St. The focus of the meeting will be mental illness, homeless, and housing issues and will include brief introductions and presentations by many state officials, followed by a Q&A session.

### **Our Town Energy Alliance**

We thought that you might like to know that the alliance might put out an early bid. Also, go to their site because it seems that they might not be requiring people to sign up each year unless the amount of fuel changes, your address changes etc. They want to go to bid at the end of January, and they are interested in setting up a program for car fuel, too. For more information, visit [www.otchoice.com](http://www.otchoice.com) or call 776-5322.

See you next week!

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