Northeast Solar Cooperative

In an effort to share the benefits of solar power, Northeast Solar, a solar installer from Hatfield, is building the state’s very first community solar cooperative in the town of Wendell. Coop membership is available to anyone who pays a National Grid electric bill in Western MA. Solar power is not an option for many homeowners with shaded rooftops, so the solar coop is the best way to plug into the financial and environmental benefits of clean energy without installing anything on your home or property. Coop members receive the same benefits afforded to homeowners with typical roof-mounted solar arrays, including state-backed solar incentives, a thirty percent federal tax credit, and monthly savings on your home electric bill. Paying for membership is easy and you might qualify for a zero down loan, as well as state-backed income based loan support. Solar power supports the environment and the local economy by keeping your energy dollars right here in the community, not in the hands of out of state investors.
The Town of Erving Highway Department will begin leaf collection on
Thursday, November 1, 2018.

What: The leaf collection program is a free service for Erving residents. Leaves should be raked into piles along the curbside.

The Department begins collection on Erving-Side and will continue east through town. The Department works as quickly as possible, but depending on several factors, the collection could take up-to 2 weeks to complete.

Important: Please ensure that leaf piles do not include sticks, pet waste, glass, or any other household waste. Piles that include these waste items will not be collected.

This is because sticks and other items can clog the collection unit and damage the equipment. Pet waste is a biological hazard that should be disposed of through other means.

Thank you for your cooperation!
An Invitation To All Of Our Dedicated Veterans

The staff and students of Erving Elementary would like you to be our honored guest at our Veterans’ Day Program
On November 9, 2018 @ 8:30am

Breakfast will be served

Assembly will start at 9:30am

Our assembly will include students escorting our honored guests to the gym, Pledge of Allegiance, performance by our chorus, as well as, various other selections that honor our guests.

RSVP to Michelle Fisher at 413-423-3326 x222
Or email to fisher@erving.com

Please let us know if there are any special accommodations you may need

We thank you for your service.
Come experience the glitter and glamour of the 70s with ‘Dancing Dream’. On **Saturday, April 27, 2019 @ 7:00pm**. Of all the treasures Sweden has heaped upon the world -- from Volvos and tiny, fish-shaped candies to Björn Borg -- no gift has touched more people more profoundly than the music of ABBA. Now Dancing Dream brings the brilliance of the pop sensation to the Turners Falls High School Theater. Expect to hear hits like "Dancing Queen," "Take a Chance," "Fernando," "Mamma Mia" and many more at this high-energy concert filled with lush harmonies, elaborate costumes and iconic choreography.

**Advance tickets are $25, are available November 1st on the GMEF website – www.thegmef.org.**

Our collaborative effort with Underwriters, Corporate Sponsors, Advertisers, and Tier-givers have resulted not only in quality entertainment for our communities but also made available more than $119,480 of student enrichment grants.

Visit our website - [www.thegmef.org](http://www.thegmef.org) to watch a Dancing Dream video, and discover the depth and variety of our Student Enrichment Grants.
Holiday Bazaar

DECEMBER 1ST 8:30 – 2:00

Erving Senior Community Center

Raffle Prizes  Free Door Prizes  Food
Handcrafted Gifts  ★ Home Baked Goods
Auction Table  Home Décor  Jewelry

1 CARE DRIVE ERVING MA 01344
413-423-3649
**Your Library Construction Update**

October was a busy month for all of the people involved in the Library Construction process. Twenty townspeople plus the architects, engineers, the owner’s project managers and their employees all played a role in getting the project to bid stage. This included the Building Committee, Library Trustees, the Administrative Coordinator, the Town Secretary, the Selectmen, Conservation Commission and the Planning Board. Before going out to bid for construction, the construction documents needed to be accepted by the Massachusetts Board of Library Commissioners, the state agency that provides the largest financial support for the project ($2.7 million) and bid documents needed to be prepared and advertised. After bids are reviewed, and a contractor is chosen, a date for groundbreaking will be set. You can learn more about the Massachusetts construction process at: [https://www.mass.gov/files/documents/2016/11/sn/dcmanual.pdf](https://www.mass.gov/files/documents/2016/11/sn/dcmanual.pdf)

Still have questions? Call Library Director Barbara Friedman, 413-423-3348

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**Call 413-423-3348 or visit the Erving Public Library at 17 Moore Street**

The Library is open 1 to 7 p.m. Sunday through Thursday

*The Library is closed the Monday after Veterans Day & Thanksgiving Day*

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**ERVING PUBLIC LIBRARY’S MISSION IS TO HELP MAKE ERVING A GREAT PLACE TO LIVE!!!**

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If you are receiving this newsletter in October, don’t forget these two special Library programs

**October 28th Hands-On Help Filing out FAFSA**

**October 31st Halloween Open House**

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**November Programs at Your Library**

**Craft Day with Maggie**

November 4th at 1:30 pm

**Once-A-Month Science for Elementary School Children with Jean Daley**

November 7th at 2:15 pm

**Crazy 8s Math Club**

November 11th, 18th, 25th at 2:15 pm

**What’s All the Hoopla About?**

*Hoopla Digital is a Free Service from Your Library*

Book a private lesson on how to use Hoopla Digital to download ebooks and audiobooks and stream movies using almost any wi-fi enabled device. Call Barbara Friedman to make an appointment, 413-423-3348.

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**CRAZY 8s MATH CLUB**

Continues on Wednesdays in November (except November 7th Once-A-Month Science):

**An Afterschool Program Starting at 2:15 pm**

[![CRAZY 8s](image-url)](image-url)

**What Is Crazy 8s?**

Crazy 8s is a recreational after-school math club that helps children in grades 2 through 6 enjoy the math behind their favorite activities. Want to know more? Call Jean Daley at the Library 413-423-3348.
Dear Families and Friends of Erving Elementary School,

I wanted to share a picture of Team Violet – our granddaughter. Our family walked in the Buddy Walk in support of the Down Syndrome Resource Group of Western Massachusetts on Saturday September 29th. It was a beautiful day, filled with so much love and caring. Quite a few members of the EES staff took the time out of their weekend to come along and participate in the day's activities, which speaks volumes for just how special our school is, and how much love and care is projected each and every day towards all of the students who attend EES. Thank you to Mary Glabach who raised money, and also participated in this year’s Western Mass Buddy Walk. The Buddy Walk® was established in 1995 by the National Down Syndrome Society to celebrate Down Syndrome Awareness Month in October and to promote acceptance and inclusion of people with Down syndrome. Established in 1999, the Down Syndrome Resource Group of Western Massachusetts has helped countless families and educators discover and embrace the potential of raising a child with Down syndrome. Their mission is to discover, encourage, and embrace the potential of ALL individuals with Down syndrome. They will accomplish this through outreach, unity, resources, community involvement and education. It is a goal of Erving Elementary School to help educate all of our families about the ‘Spectrum of Variability’ of all people. How each person can contribute to our society and help make our world a better place to live. Our thanks to Jen Johnson (parent) who has supported (paid for) our educators to attend the Massachusetts Down Syndrome Conference.

Recently, I had the pleasure of getting together with our Grade 6 students at Nature’s Classroom. If you have not been to Nature’s Classroom, let me assure you, it is a wonderful place that provides our students with an unforgettable learning experience. Nature’s Classroom provides the very best in environmental education, working closely with students and staff from international and national schools to strengthen peer cooperation and expand student-teacher relationships. Learning opportunities accommodate all levels, allowing every student to overcome their struggles and achieve success. On Monday evening we ventured out for a moonlit hike in the woods. Towards the end of our 90-minute hike we came upon an amazing sight. Tucked away out of sight is a 260-ton, 82-foot diameter antenna. It is one of 10 antennae that make up the Very Long Baseline Array, or VLBA. Together the technology has been used to find galaxies 450 million light years away. You can imagine this jaw-dropping moment for our students. I myself was stunned that this gigantic piece of machinery was hidden away on a piece of Nature’s Classroom property. I had never seen it during my previous 6 visits. When we set off on our return
to the main campus, Emma shared her interest in space and a desire to be an astronaut. She was able to tell me so much about constellations, how to recognize different planets and her favorite—Saturn. Maybe Emma will be one of the first female astronauts on Mars. I missed Tuesday nights Contra-Dance, which is so much fun, and quite the fitness check! Overall, our students were a credit to the school and their families. I am sure they will return with a ton of pictures and plenty of incredible memories. My thanks to Mark Burnett and Jessica Galvin (Grade 6 educators) for making this trip possible.

This week I spent time visiting our preschool classes. The children are such great fun. No sooner had I stepped through the door I was invited to sit down and order breakfast. I was served a variety of breakfast items :) Broccoli, corn on toast, coffee, eggs, snakes??? and so much more!! We sat in circle and shared exciting stories, read a book about ‘Mouse and Minka in the forest, discussed what students would find during their time out in the forest, and tried to work out how I would travel to see my mom in England. A great adventure!

We continue to recognize students and members of the community who are making a difference in the lives of others. At a recent All-School-Sing I had the pleasure of recognizing 2 students. Both happen to be in grade 3! Sophie has launched a website that focuses on saving the planet from a litter problem. You can visit Sophie’s site, located at www.cleanearthclub.wordpress.com

Ava spends her time visiting Christian, a seven year-old boy who has Muscular Dystrophy, and is supported 24/7 by a ventilator. Ava brings books and her upbeat humor to Christian, who loves to greet her with his ‘dancing eyes’. Together they spend nights reading stories, listening to music and sharing special moments. When we talk about the power of reading, here is an amazing lesson for us all. Thank you Ava for using reading to brighten up a day.

I love seeing our children gather for a family-style breakfast and lunch. It often reminds me of the days when our own family gets together to celebrate. Gathering the whole family around a big table for a family meal is such an incredible moment. Many would say that such a meal is food for the spirit and welfare of the family. When our family gets together, the table is dressed, the food is served, and the conversation begins. Laughter fills the air as we reminisce over times gone by; grandchildren call for quiet while they deliver their story to all of the adults who stare intently at them, and then burst into applause and laughter. Sitting back and admiring the scene brings immense pleasure. Dinner seems to last forever, which is not all that bad, when you consider they are few and far between these days. When was the last time your whole family sat down together for a family meal? I realize that family time can prove impossible with our modern, diverse lives. Dr. Anne K. Fishel, co-founder of The Family Dinner Project wrote, “Time is certainly one of the biggest obstacles to families gathering for dinner. If you think of family dinner as a time to nourish your family, prevent all kinds of problems, increase your children’s cognitive abilities, and provide pleasure and fun that they can build on for the rest of their lives, a nightly meal is an efficient use of time.” We often found ourselves asking how to get the children invested in family dinnertime. One strategy we used in our home was to serve simple dishes that our children wanted to cook, or at least help prepare. Dr. Fishel explains, “Most children like to help and should be encouraged to do so. The trick is figuring out which tasks are developmentally right for your child. Even young children can be asked to sprinkle a seasoning, stir a stew, or rinse vegetables. Elementary-aged kids can set and clear the table, pour the drinks and
be involved in some food preparation. Many adolescents view cooking as an avenue of self-expression and may relish the idea of making a meal or a portion of a meal. Sharing in all the tasks of dinner—grocery shopping, menu planning, cooking, serving and cleaning up—only makes this more of a family event. If someone is feeling overburdened, the roles and tasks should be reexamined and distributed more equitably. Everyone’s dinner will be enhanced by more members contributing and by no single member feeling resentful.” EES is looking into how our students can experience cooking and preparing meals. We are developing an Experiential Learning Program, where students will examine many of the tasks listed by Dr. Fishel. I hope that one day we may be able to have more family-style lunches, resembling our Thanksgiving meal.

Thank you to all of our families and friends for taking the time to celebrate student achievement at our Open House on Wednesday, October 3. It was wonderful walking from room to room; noticing the pride in our students, and watching them present their work to admiring parents and grandparents. As you already know, your support is so meaningful, and inspires our children to reach beyond their potential. I loved the Class Dojo photo gallery and will begin using that platform as a means to send out additional information every now and then. I will of course use standard means of communication (phone calls, newsletters, and formal invitations), however the electronic format does provide a quick glimpse into a special moment. During the evening I talked briefly about the changes happening in the cafeteria. I am extremely grateful to a number of people who stepped forward to voice their support of more locally produced, healthy foods. We are looking at ways to offer breakfast samples to members of the community who stop by the school during the morning drop off. Stay tuned for this exciting step!

The following are just some of the many school-wide events where you can see our school in action. We hope to see you soon.

Nov 9 - Veterans Day Assembly @ 9am
Nov 13/14/15 - Parent Teacher Conferences
Nov 15 - Annual Thanksgiving Dinner @ 12:00pm
Nov 20 - School Council Meeting
Nov 20 - School Committee Meeting
Nov 21 - Thanksgiving Recess 21-25th
Nov 29 - All School Sing @ 9:30am
Dec 21 - Holiday Concert and Cookie Exchange @ 10am
Dec 22 – Jan1 - Winter Break

Respectfully submitted on behalf of our staff and students.

Jim Trill
Principal
TALK, READ, & PLAY

Help build the foundation for your child’s learning with this FREE home visiting program.

Families with young children newborn - 2 years of age are invited to take part in this program.

Participants will receive-

FREE books, toys and learning materials

• Help your child be ready for school
• Share this information with a friend in Erving, Leverett, New Salem, Wendell, or Shutesbury who has a child under 2 years-of-age.

When Children Talk, Read, & Play they build skills that prepare them for a lifetime of success.

Questions??

Call 978-544-5157 and ask about the Talk, Read, & Play Program.

This program is made possible with the support and special thanks to the Friends and Family of Frank “Michael” Sokolosky and with collaboration from the CFCE grant through the Department of Early Education and Care, the Union #28 Community Network for Children Program and community donations.
**Community Network for Children Programs**

**ERVING – FREE WEEKLY PLAYGROUP**
Come and enjoy time with your child(ren) and other families and caregivers from your community at the Erving Elementary School gym. For the 2018-2019 school year, playgroup will continue on Wednesdays, from 10:00-11:30am. This Playgroup is facilitated by Emily Joseph and is intended for children 0-5 years of age. Playgroup is sponsored by the Erving Elementary School and Union #28 Community Network for Children. Program not held during school closures. For more information please contact Gillian Budine, (978) 544-5157 or email budine@erving.com.

**ERVING – FREE WEEKEND FAMILY PLAYTIME**
Held once a month on the following Sundays:
- November 4, 2018
- December 2, 2018
- January 20, 2019
- February 10, 2019
- March 17, 2019
- April 28, 2019
- May 19, 2019
Join Gillian Budine at the Erving Elementary School Gym, 28 Northfield Road, Erving (please enter through the front door and meet in the gymnasium) from 10:00-11:30am.
- This is a parent/caregiver and child program.
- Adults will need to supervise their children at all times and participate in the fun!
- Please dress in comfortable clothing to move in.

QUESTIONS: Contact the Community Network for Children program at (978) 544-5157 or budine@erving.com.
Just show up! No pre-registration required. FREE!

“The Community Network for Children program is supported by the CFCE grant from the Massachusetts Department of Early Education and Care.”

**SAVE THE DATE!!**
The Community Network for Children Program is hosting a Benefit Community Dinner night at the Shutesbury Athletic Club, 282 Wendell Road, Shutesbury Friday, November 9, 2018
6:00-7:30pm
Adults $10, kids and seniors $5.

**Menu:**
- TACOS (meat, bean)
- Sautéed peppers and onions
- Rice
- Quesadillas
- Mac & Cheese
- Desserts, AND MORE!

Support the Union #28 Community Network for Children Program and enjoy a delicious dinner with friends and neighbors! FAMILY FRIENDLY!
Contact the CNC Program at 978-544-5157 or Budine@erving.com for more information.
Erving Community Blood Drive
Thursday December 6th 1:00 am - 6:00 pm

“In the Holiday Spirit of giving”
Consider giving the gift of life!

For an appointment please call
1-800-RED Cross or visit redcrossblood.org.

Erving Senior Community Center
One Care Drive Erving 01344 Call Paula
To book an appointment 413-423-3649
Walk-ins welcome! Appointments preferred!
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**Don't miss our Holiday Bazaar**
December 1st
8:30 to 2:00

Information
On any program
Call Paula
413-423-3649

Come take a chance on our handmade quilt. donated for the Holiday Bazaar From: Fridays Quilting Workshop

**American Red Cross**

**November**

**Erving Senior Community Center**
The Crooked Tap Cafe

7 West Main Street
Erving, MA 01344
(978) 633-2014

Wednesday-Saturday
11:00am - 8:00pm
Sunday 12:00pm - 8:00pm

Featuring
Soup
BOAR’S HEAD Brand Meats & Cheeses
And BBC Beer

HAVE A BUSINESS/COMMUNITY EVENT IN ERVING?
We will put in the Around Town for Free!
Please send your ad photo ready by the 10th of the month before publication to
ervingaroundtown@comcast.net

POPLAR MOUNTAIN MAPLE SYRUP FOR SALE! MADE HERE IN ERVING!
SUGARMAKERS: WARREN, DANIEL AND JACQUIE BOYDEN
SIZES AVAILABLE: ½ PINTS, PINTS, QUARTS & HALF GALLONS.
CALL 413-423-3242 FOR MORE INFO!
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WE STILL HAVE BUTTERNUT AND ACORN SQUASH FOR SALE! POTATOES TOO!

THE STAND IS CLOSING NOVEMBER 10TH!
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PREP YOUR BOAT AND LAWN MOWERS FOR WINTER AND GET THEM COVERED FOR BAD WEATHER.

READY YOUR CAR OR TRUCK FOR FOUL WEATHER

GET YOUR SNOWMOBILE READY FOR THE UPCOMING WINTER

ALSO DOING SNOW PLOWING
WE CAN DO IT ALL AT JOHNSON’S

CARS, TRUCKS, BOATS, SMALL ENGINE REPAIR

WELDING AND LIGHT FABRICATION

AND BRUSH HOGGING
413-325-7850
97 MOUNTAIN ROAD ERVING MA 01344
TRASH AND RECYCLABLES MUST BE OUT BAGGED AND TIED BY 7:00AM

RECYCLING COLLECTION SCHEDULE: Paper and Containers are collected on alternating weeks. Containers are collected on weeks highlighted in gray and mixed paper in white. TRASH AND RECYCLING ARE COLLECTED ON FRIDAY.

PICK-UP TIMES: Pickup times may vary from one week to another due to weather, trash volume, traffic, etc. We ask that you have your trash and recyclables out by 7am every week regardless of what time the drivers “usually” come.

HOLIDAY SCHEDULE: Holidays observed are outlined in squares on the calendar. Collections will be one day late if your pickup day falls on or after any of these holidays and therefore pickup will be on SATURDAY.

NOTICES: If service is delayed due to a holiday or bad weather, notices go out by email and will be posted on the Town’s website at www.erving-ma.org and on Facebook. The Town will also notify residents via the Reverse 911 System about trash schedule changes as soon as we are notified of such.

2018 TRASH SCHEDULE BELOW

### PAPER (WHITE)
- Paperbacks & Phone Books
- Junk Mail
- Boxboard – cereal, shoe, cracker boxes, etc.
- No waxed paper.
- Newspapers/inserts/Magazines/catalogues
- Clean pizza boxes
- Brown Paper Bag
- White & Colored Paper
- Computer Paper
- Corrugated Cardboard
- Flatten, remove tape and string. No waxed Cardboard.

### CONTAINERS (GRAY)
- Glass Bottles/Jars
  - No broken or other glass
  - Such as light bulbs, window or auto glass, Pyrex.
- All plastic bottles, jars, tubes and plastic microwave trays/Containers
  - Remove pumps. No plastic
  - Bags, containers over 2 gal, Motor oil, chemical or foam
  - Containers or flower pots.

CANNOT TAKE:
- Egg cartons, gift wrap, Styrofoam, packing material. Was paper or Wax Cardboard
- Brown Paper Bag

- Milk & Juice Cartons
  - Remove straws and caps, flatten, place in bin with other containers.
- Drink Boxes
- Aluminum, Tin/Steel cans/lids/aluminum foil
  - No paint or aerosol cans or other metal items.

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The Highway Garage can accept bulky items year round by appointment for all Erving residents.

The following items can be accepted for **FREE**

- Brush
- Leaves or Grass Clippings
- Motor Oil
- Batteries
- Computers, Printers, & Monitors
- Fax Machine
- Televisions
- DVD/VCR Players
- Gaming Consoles
- Radios & Stereos
- Electronics
- Microwave

The following items can be accepted, but Residents must pay an additional **FEE**

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**Need to pay for an item? It’s as easy as 1, 2, 3!**

1. **Stop by Town Hall to pay for your items**
   Town Hall is open Monday through Friday and will provide you with proof of payment

2. **Call the Highway Garage to schedule your drop off:** (413) 423-3354

3. **Bring your items to the Highway Garage and bring your proof of payment**
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Upper Pioneer Valley Veterans Services: (413) 772-1571
U.S. Post Office- Erving, Ma Branch: (413) 423-3600
### ERVING OFFICE CONTACT INFORMATION

**Town Hall Office Number and Extensions**

(413) 422-2800

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Or on the web @

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