



Raymond Little League
Baseball, Softball & Tee Ball
REGISTRATIONS OPEN
FRIDAY, JANUARY 17, 2020

Tee Ball Baseball - \$40.00
Minors Player/Coach Pitch Baseball & Softball - \$50.00
Minors Player Pitch Baseball & Softball - \$60.00
Majors Baseball & Softball - \$75.00
SIGN UP BEFORE FEBRUARY 9TH
AND GET \$10 OFF REGISTRATION
FMI or to register visit www.raymondbaseballsoftball.com



FY2020/2021
BUDGET DEVELOPMENT
SCHEDULE

- **All meetings are Tuesday evenings at 6:30 PM at the Broadcast Studio unless noted****
- **December 10, 2019** - Board of Selectmen: Set budget goals and approve calendar
 - **January 17, 2020** - Deadline for Agency Requests to be submitted to Town Manager, Don Willard or Finance Director, Cathy Ricker
 - **February 25, 2020** - Board of Selectmen: Town Manager submits budget to Board of Selectmen and Budget-Finance Committee
 - **March 3, 2020** - Joint Meeting: Department Head Review #1 (CIP Requests will be included in the Department Reviews to which they belong)
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| County Tax Insurance | Technology Assessing |
| Code Enforcement Revenues | Raymond Village Library |
| Animal Control | Provider agencies |
| General Assistance | Recreation/Tassel Top TIF |
- **March 17, 2020** - Joint Meeting: Department Head Review #2
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| Public Works | Public Safety |
| Solid Waste | Cemeteries |
| Town Buildings | RSU Withdrawal Update |
| Solar Project | Administration |
- **March 31, 2020** - Joint Meeting: Budget Workshop
 - **April 21, 2020** - Board of Selectmen: Warrant Article review & approval
 - **April 28, 2020** - Budget-Finance Committee: Vote on recommendations for each budget warrant article.
 - **June 2, 2020 Tuesday 6:00 PM, Jordan-Small Middle School Annual Town Meeting**

Community Calendar


February

- ♥ **Wednesday, February 5**
• 6:30pm RSU #14 Board of Directors @ the Windham Town Council Chambers
- ♥ **Friday, February 7**
• 9:00am – 2:00pm Windham Raymond Adult Education Healthy Steps for Older Adults @ the Raymond Public Safety Building. Learn about fall risk and prevention. FMI or to register please visit <https://windham.maineadulted.org> or call 207-892-1819.
- ♥ **Saturday, February 8**
• 7:00pm (doors open at 6:30pm) Mollyocket Chorus Sweet Adelines Concert @ Raymond Village Community Church
- ♥ **Sunday, February 9**
• February 17-21 Winter Break for JSMS and Raymond Elementary
- ♥ **Wednesday, February 19**
• 6:00pm PTO meeting @ Jordan Small Middle School
- ♥ **Saturday, February 29**
• 7:00pm Raymond Recreation Red Claws night – A portion of ticket sales supports the Rec program. FMI go to <https://groupmatics.events/event/RaymondRecreation>

Answer to Where in Raymond... Beach

Raymond Fire & Rescue donates over \$1,300 to the Barbara Bush Children's Hospital

Every year, the Raymond Fire and Rescue Department members, in the spirit of Christmas, give back to our community with either a donation to a needed cause or by adopting a family for the holidays. This past year, members decided to donate to the Barbara Bush Children's Hospital to be used for children's activities. Department members generously donated over \$1,300. Thank-you to our dedicated firefighters and EMS providers for their donations.



- Cathy Gosselin, Deputy Chief


The Barbara Bush Children's Hospital
At Maine Medical Center

Windham-Raymond Adult Education: Healthy Steps for Older Adults

Healthy Steps for Older Adults is a free class offered Friday, February 7th, 2020 from 9:00am – 2:00pm (Snow date 03/06/2020) at the Raymond Public Safety Building, 1443 Roosevelt Trail, Raymond.

This workshop is centered around fall prevention and will help participants to understand their fall risks and introduce ways to stay active. Participants will also receive personalized balance screening, at home exercise demonstrations and free lunch.

FMI or to register for the class visit Windham Raymond Adult Education at <https://windham.maineadulted.org/course/healthy-steps-for-older-adults-raymond/> or call 892-1819.



SAVE THE DATE!

February 29th is Raymond Recreation Night at the Red Claws!

Saturday, February 29th
7:00pm (gates open at 6:00pm)

Watch the Red Claws face off with the Erie Bayhawks at the Portland Expo.
\$4 from each ticket sold goes to support Raymond Recreation.

Tickets must be purchased at: <https://groupmatics.events/event/RaymondRecreation>

Must be purchased by Feb. 15th

This link can also be found on the Raymond Recreation Facebook page.


Update from Jordon-Small MS Principal, Randy Crockett

Jordan-Small Middle School in Raymond has developed a new program led by Guidance Counselor Lynn Davis and 8th grade teachers, Patricia Valley and Kellie Ouellette.

The purpose of this program is to connect 8th graders with 5th graders. These 8th grade "Ambassadors" act as role models for our fifth-grade students by serving as both helpers and leaders in the fifth-grade classes.

The featured picture is a collaborative art project developed by Art Teacher Christina Warren and was created over a 4-week period, led with 8th graders Noah Mains and D.J. Vella. They are working with 5th grade students Sawyer Stone, Jacob Millet, Emma Fletcher and Ellamae Allen.

Submitted photo



RECURRING Events

MONDAYS:

- **Baby Time 10:30am-11:30am** @ the Raymond Village Library. Stories, songs and crafts aimed for babies and toddlers
- **Silver Sneakers Classic 11:00am-11:45am** @ Saint Joseph's College. Improve muscular endurance & flexibility. FMI email: Jenna Chase at jchase@sjcme.edu or visit: www.sjcme.edu/life-and-community/health-wellness/silver-sneakers
- **Cub Scouts Pack 800 (The Dens) 6:30pm-7:30pm** @ Jordan Small Middle School. The Pack meets last Monday of every month 6:30-8:30pm @ Jordan Small Middle School. FMI visit www.raymondscouts.org

TUESDAYS:

- **Senior Library Hours 9:00am-12:00pm** @ the Raymond Village Library.
- **Silver Sneakers Stability 9:00am-9:45am** @ Saint Joseph's College. Improve balance for fall prevention. FMI email: Jenna Chase at jchase@sjcme.edu or visit: www.sjcme.edu/life-and-community/health-wellness/silver-sneakers
- **Boy Scouts Troop 800/Scouts BSA Troop 851 6:30pm – 8:00pm** @ Raymond Village Community Church

WEDNESDAYS:

- **Preschool Story Time 10:30am – 11:30am** @ Raymond Village Library. Stories, songs and crafts for children preschool age.
- **Silver Sneakers Muscle Class 11:00am – 11:45am** @ Saint Joseph's College. Improve strength and functional skill. FMI email Jenna Chase at jchase@sjhcmc.edu or visit www.sjcme.edu/life-and-community/health-wellness/silver-sneakers

THURSDAYS:

- **Silver Sneakers Classic 9:00am-9:45am** @ Saint Joseph's College. Improve muscular endurance and flexibility. FMI email Jenna Chase at jchase@sjhcmc.edu or visit www.sjcme.edu/life-and-community/health-wellness/silver-sneakers
- **Raymond Lions Club 6:30pm Meets** @ Public Safety Building first Thursday of each month

FRIDAYS:

- **Silver Sneakers Walking Group 10:30am-11:30am** @ Saint Joseph's College. FMI www.sjcme.edu/life-and-community/health-wellness/silver-sneakers
- **Hatha Yoga 5:30pm** @ the Raymond Village Library. Space is limited. FMI contact the library at 655-4283

SATURDAYS:

- **Qigong 8:00am - 9:00am** @ the Raymond Village Community Church. Qigong is the ancient Chinese practice of mindful movement. A new session starting Jan. 11th through Feb. 29th. Participants of all levels welcome. Suggested donation \$5 per class. Drop-ins welcome. Weather cancellations will be posted on Raymond Arts Alliance Facebook page.

Where IN RAYMOND?



This spot in Raymond is a popular place in the summer for residents and tourists alike. See symbol above with answer in calendar section.

Picture by Cindy Davenport

RSU Withdrawal Committee: COMMUNITY SURVEY

In 2018, the Town of Raymond voted to begin the process of withdrawing from RSU#14. As part of that process, the RSU Withdrawal Committee was formed. The Committee is now seeking feedback from community members on the perceived challenges/drawbacks and potential benefits from withdrawing from the RSU.

By completing this survey, you are providing critical feedback that will help to inform the process as we move forward. Please visit www.raymondmaine.org and look for the link to the survey on the home page.



Legal Services for the Elderly
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Services are free and confidential

To get free help for limited-income Mainers of any age who are having trouble getting or affording their medications through Medicare.

Call LSE's Medicare Part D Appeals Unit Toll Free at 1-877-774-7772



COMMUNITY WINDOW BUILD VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

JANUARY 27TH - JANUARY 31ST RAYMOND VILLAGE COMMUNITY CHURCH
27 Main Street, Raymond

VOLUNTEER SHIFTS:

MORNING: 9AM-NOON
AFTERNOON: 1PM-4PM
EVENING: 5PM-8PM

Lunch and Dinner Breaks with Food Provided!

Help your community stay warm this winter! And learn to build window inserts while having a fun-filled community day! FMI or to sign up call Elissa Kane 893-7783 or email: ekane@sjcme.edu