

# KNP Konnections



## From Our Editor, Nancy Allenby

**IN MARCH, winter is holding back and spring is pulling forward. ~ Jean Hersey**

We just had two weeks of spring, and now we're back to winter! But whether snow or sleet or mud, March gives us a fresh month to move forward, helping folks travel through the challenging 'seasons' of their lives. Thank you for walking beside our Neighbors in the Kearsarge region!



## Love in an Envelope

**EIGHTY-SEVEN KNP NEIGHBORS** received a special card and message this Valentine's Day, letting them know how honored we are to have them in our lives. Many thanks to 16 caring KNP volunteers who took the time and effort (and in some cases, creativity!) to spread some love in the Kearsarge Neighborhood!



## KNP 2022 Annual Report and Meeting

**KNP'S 2022 ANNUAL REPORT** went out on Feb. 20. Please take an opportunity to [read the report](#) to learn more about our statistics for the year, the community partners with whom we collaborate, and our various programs and efforts. Thanks to all of YOU for making 2022 a successful year!

**KNP'S 2022 ANNUAL MEETING** on Feb. 21 gave us an opportunity to look back and to look forward, as well as a chance to honor a few of our star volunteers. Gene Lindsey received the *Greta Roberts Above and Beyond* award, and Paul Currier and Sandi Brownell each received *American Volunteer Bead* awards for their outstanding service. Our *Community Angel* recognition thanks George Collier at the Lamplighter Motel for repeatedly providing much-needed emergency housing to KNP Neighbors.

## Workforce Housing Hearing

**FEB. 28 AT 6:30 AT WHIPPLE HALL** a hearing about the proposed Long Meadow Commons workforce housing project in New London will take place. We invite you to attend to support affordable housing in our community.



## Kearsarge Food Hub Honored

**HEARTY APPLAUSE TO OUR PARTNER** for their nomination in every category, and being voted the 2022 Lake Sunapee Chamber of Commerce Business of the Year! Kudos to KFH in their efforts to create a resilient and

connected community where everyone has healthy food available, farmers are supported, the land is celebrated, and every neighbor has access to resources. As your Community Partner, we're extremely proud to work together to serve the Kearsarge region.

## And Speaking of Healthy Food and its Production...

**A VICTORY GARDEN TOOLKIT** is hot off the press to help share gardening education, as TOGETHER we grow and distribute food to help feed our neighbors. To get inspired to grow healthy food this summer--all while building a sense of community and belonging-- [check out the toolkit!](#)

## Check-In's Are Very Important

**PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU [check in](#)** when you interact with a neighbor or community partner, attend a KNP meeting, etc. Thank you for finding a substitute if you can't fulfill a recurring commitment with one of our partners.

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