

## People in the News

### ENGAGEMENT



Schleker – Evans

Bob and Carolyn Evans of Amherst are pleased to announce the engagement of their son Mark John Evans to Lauren Mara Schleker, daughter of Lance and Joanne Schleker of Barkhamsted, CT.

Mark, a 2003 graduate of Souhegan High School, earned a bachelor's degree from Keene State College in 2007 and a master's degree from the University of Maine in Orono in 2009. He is currently a science teacher at Milford Middle School in Milford, NH. Lauren is a 2004 graduate of Northwestern Regional High School in Winsted, CT and a graduate of Keene State College in 2008 where she earned a bachelor's degree in education. She is currently a fourth grade teacher at Heron Pond Elementary School in Milford. A July 2015 wedding is planned at the Simsbury Inn in Simsbury, CT.

Please send Engagement and Wedding announcements (forms available at [www.amherstcitizen.com](http://www.amherstcitizen.com)) to Editor: The Amherst Citizen, PO Box 291, Amherst, NH 03031. Also, enclose a S.A.S.E. for return of color or B&W photos. Emailed photos must be 700kb or larger

### Newcomers Breakfast With Santa

The Amherst Area Newcomers Club would like to thank the following businesses for their generous donations and support of our Breakfast with Santa event.

**Gold Level:**  
A&E Coffee Roastery  
Amherst Village Dental

**Silver:**  
Lull Farms  
Moulton's Market  
Walmart

**Bronze:**  
Christmas Tree Shops  
Dunkin Donuts  
Shaw's Market  
Toadstool Bookstore

**Generous Sponsors:**  
Bass Pro Shops  
Bedford Fields  
Black Forest Cafe  
Blue Seal of Milford  
Grenon Trading Company  
The Good Loaf  
Trombly Gardens

### Chappell to Serve on Kubota's National Dealer Advisory Board

TORRANCE, CA – Corey Chappell, President of Chappell Tractor Sales in Milford, has been elected to represent the Northern Division, East District, and serve on the 2014-2015 National Dealer Advisory Board for Kubota Tractor Corporation. Comprised of ten members representing all regions of the U.S., this Board is a critical link in the dealer-manufacturer relationship with Kubota.

Established in 1955, the Chappell family dealership started out by selling Ford tractors to the farming industry. Chappell says as Boston expanded north, Milford was right in the path of that growth. This has now developed into an area where construction, landscaping and homeowner equipment is readily needed. Kubota offered a good solution for the marketplace, so they began selling the brand in 1984.

Each year, Kubota Dealer Advisory Board members are elected by their peers in their respective divisions to serve for a two-year term. Kubota's senior leadership team works closely with National Dealer Advisory Board members to main-



Corey Chappell

tain a direct line of communication with its 1,100-strong dealer network in order to gain a thorough understanding of Kubota dealers' and customers' needs across the country.

"As a first-time member of the board, I want to ensure Kubota continues to focus on excellent product quality while continuing to grow the good working relationship that dealers and Kubota have enjoyed," Chappell says. "As the fourth generation in the family business, I've seen other manufacturers fumble, so hopefully I can bring some of that experience to the board."



### Souhegan High School Girls Soccer All State Winners

On Sunday, December 7th, two Souhegan Girls Soccer players were honored at the annual All State ceremony.

Rachael Facey, pictured above on the left, was recognized as a First Team All State player as a back. Rachel is an impact player who has the ability to win the ball, and play it accurately into forward players as they begin their transition. She consistently closes down key attacking players by reading the game. Rachael was also named as a captain for next season.

Emma Estabrook, pictured above on the right, was recognized as a Second Team All State player as a forward. Emma was our team leader for assists. She has a killer cross and is lightning fast, especially with the ball at her feet. She tracks back well, pressures defenders consistently, wins the ball, and ignites the attack.

Hannah Chick was also recognized as an Honorable Mention All State player. Hannah is powerful in the box which resulted in her as the team's leading goal scorer.



Girl Scouts from troop 20910 leading the girl scout holiday singing at the Tree Lighting: Kelly Sileo, Alison Daniel, Amanda Jordan, Evmorria Alton, Alexa Leary, Rebecca Benjamin & Katie Rosse'



### Food Drive at Country Village Montessori

For 12 years Country Village Montessori School has conducted a food drive to commence with the season of giving - Thanksgiving through the Holidays. Each year we set out a "Basket of Hope" to encourage our children and families to reflect on our many blessings. We offer dry and canned goods to local food banks. This year's recipient was SHARE. WE topped our goal of 3 baskets full and have a total of five already! Our campaign ends right before the holiday break. Pictured are many of our students from preschool through sixth grade prior to the first delivery being made.

### Cookies in a Jar

Amherst Girl Scout troop 20202 made Cookies in a Jar to accompany holiday food basket donations in cooperation with the Amherst Junior Womens Club Holiday Home-Life Project. Several area Girl Scout troops participated in this annual service project benefitting local families in need.

Annie Raduazzo, Catherine Nino, Samantha Koitzsch, Norah Clancy, Anya Merriman, Autumn Fichera, Lizzie Earley, Julia Dowd, Maggie Kunish, Nora Lin, Violet Biskovich and Elizabeth Bryson. Leaders Julie Koitzsch and Stephanie Grund.



### Girl Scout Craft Fair and Cookie Sale



On Saturday, Dec 13th at the Amherst Fire Station, Girl Scout Troops 20910, 10695 and 20687 sponsored the Annual Girl Scout Craft Fair and Cookie Sale! All crafts and cookies were homemade and even Santa came to visit to take pictures with all that came!

### St. Joseph Healthcare Welcomes New Gynecologic Practitioners

NASHUA – St. Joseph Healthcare welcomes board-certified gynecologic oncologist Elizabeth Munro, MD, and Lisa Krikorian, APRN to its medical staff. Through a partnership with Lahey Hospital & Medical Center, in Burlington, MA, Dr. Munro and Ms. Krikorian will provide gynecology and oncology care at St. Joseph Hospital.

Dr. Munro received her medical degree from Columbia University, New York, NY. She completed her residency in obstetrics and gynecology at Stanford University Medical Center in Stanford, CA, and her fellowship in gynecologic oncology at Massachusetts General Hospital. Additionally, Dr. Munro spent five years as an assistant professor in the division of gynecologic oncology at the Oregon Health and Science University in Portland, OR. While there, she also served as a gynecologic oncology consultant for Salem Hospital, and was named one of



Dr. Elizabeth Munro



Lisa Krikorian, APRN

Lisa Krikorian received both her BS and MS degrees in nursing from Regis College in Weston, MA, and also received a BS in medical technology from the University of New Hampshire in Durham, NH. She is a certified family nurse practitioner and a licensed member of the American Society of Clinical Pathologists. Lisa has been a gynecologic nurse practitioner at Lahey Hospital & Medical Center in Burlington, MA since 2000, and an associate professor of nursing at her alma mater since 2012.

Dr. Munro and Ms. Krikorian are welcoming new patients for gynecologic and oncology care at St. Joseph Hospital.

To learn more about these clinicians, or to make an appointment, please visit [www.stjosephhospital.com](http://www.stjosephhospital.com) or call (781) 744-8560.

Portland Monthly's "Top Doctors" in both 2012 and 2013.