

Sports

Coach Bill Dod Honored with 500th Win



TWO MEMBERS OF THE 500 Win Club
On Thursday, Souhegan defeated John Stark and Bill Dod became the third member of the New Hampshire Baseball Coaches 500 wins club. Tom Underwood, Plymouth Head Coach, leads the state with his recent win and a 514 win total. The third member of the club is Bob Burns, retired Kennett head coach, with 513 wins.



At the conclusion of Thursday's game brought all the players, parents, coaches and coach dod's family to thank them, as they represent all the players, parents and coaches who have been part of all of Bill Dod's 500 wins.

Date	Away	Home	Away	Home	Result
4/13/15	Milford	Souhegan	5	11	W
4/15/15	ConVal	Souhegan	2	12	W
4/17/15	Windham	Souhegan	4	2	L
4/22/15	Souhegan	Hollis Brookline	17	6	W
4/29/15	Souhegan	Coe-Brown	0	4	L
4/30/15	John Stark	Souhegan	4	5	W
5/4/15	St. Thomas Aquinas	Souhegan	11	12	W
5/6/15	Souhegan	Pembroke	14	1	W
5/8/15	Souhegan	Portsmouth	1	8	L
5/11/15	Lebanon	Souhegan	4	5	W
5/13/15	Souhegan	Hanover	--	--	NP
5/15/15	Souhegan	Milford	--	--	NP
5/18/15	Souhegan	ConVal	--	--	NP
5/20/15	Souhegan	Windham	--	--	NP
5/26/15	Hollis Brookline	Souhegan	--	--	NP
5/27/15	Manchester West	Souhegan	--	--	NP

Wins: 7 Losses: 3 Ties: 0 Total Points: 28.00 Rating: 2.8000

SHS Baseball Team Traveled to Pembroke Academy – Came Home With 14 to 1 Victory

MAY 6 – Senior, lefty Ian Towle threw a complete game three hitter, allowed one earned run while striking out six and walking three batters.

The Souhegan defense was led by Sam Bannon (Catcher), Mike Mancini (second) and Bryce Reagan (third).

Souhegan scored three in the first inning on a one run rbi single from Mike Mancini and two rbis from a single off Bryce Reagan's bat.

In the second inning Max Benevides doubled and scored on a Thomas Bennett rbi single.

Three runs scored in the fifth with a pair of rbi singles off the bats of Owen Batchelder and Alec Burns.

The Sabers scored seven runs in the sixth as Souhegan sent thirteen batters to the plate with seven hits ... rbi hitters from Stevie Upton (two rbi), Alec Burn, Kees Grondstra (triple cleaning the bases for three rbi) and Thomas Bennett.

Thomas Bennett (3 for 4 and 2 rbi), Seth Learned (3 for 4) and Alec Burns (3 for 3 and 2 rbi) were multiple hitters.

Amherst's Jax Donohue Selected to Play in 2015 Brine National Lacrosse Academy



Jax Donohue of Amherst in front of the goal.

Jaclyn (Jax) Donohue an 8th grader at Amherst Middle School has been named as a 2015 Brine National All-Star. She has been selected to represent the New England region at the 2015 Brine National Lacrosse Academy and Brine National Lacrosse Classic to be held in Virginia, June 29-July 2, 2015.

The Brine National Lacrosse Academy brings the top middle school lacrosse players in the country to one venue, where regional teams are coached by NCAA lacrosse coaches and compete to become national champions.

Jaclyn is the sister to Jocelyn (Freshman lacrosse player at George Washington Univ.) and Juliane (Souhegan junior and an Iona College lacrosse commit). Jax will be attending St. Paul's School in the fall.

The Souhegan Sabers Defeated the John Stark Generals 5 to 4.

APRIL 30 – The Sabers opened the scoring in the fourth inning. With two outs, Ian Towle singled, his second hit of the day and Alec Burns hit a two run Home Run to left field.

In the fifth inning, Mike Mancini walked and Seth Learned singled. With two outs, Stevie Upton single drove in two runs and upped the score to 4 to 0.

John Stark reached the Saber pitcher Owen Batchelder as the Generals scored four in the sixth. Owen Batchelder threw five and two thirds, allowed five hits, struck out three, walked five and hit a pair

of batters. Joey Grasset entered and got out of the sixth inning jam, pitched the seventh and allowed no runson one hit and struck out one.

Entering the bottom of the seventh, tied 4 to 4, Seth Learned opened the inning with a walk and Owen Batchelder followed with a single. Bryce Reagan walk off double down the right field line plated the winning run for a 5 to 4 Souhegan win.

Joey Grasset is credited with the win.

The victory is the 500 career victory for head coach Bill Dod.

School	W	L	T	Points	Rating
Coe-Brown	9	1	0	36.00	3.6000
Oyster River	9	1	0	36.00	3.6000
Windham	8	1	0	32.00	3.5556
Goffstown	9	2	0	36.00	3.2727
Portsmouth	7	2	0	28.00	3.1111
St. Thomas Aquinas	6	2	0	24.00	3.0000
Souhegan	7	3	0	28.00	2.8000
Lebanon	6	5	0	24.00	2.1818
Sanborn	5	5	0	20.00	2.0000
Plymouth	4	4	0	16.00	2.0000
John Stark	5	6	0	20.00	1.8182
Kingswood	4	5	0	16.00	1.7778
Milford	3	6	0	12.00	1.3333
Pembroke	3	7	0	12.00	1.2000
Kennett	2	7	0	8.00	0.8889
Hollis Brookline	2	8	0	8.00	0.8000
Manchester West	2	8	0	8.00	0.8000
Merrimack Valley	2	8	0	8.00	0.8000
ConVal	2	9	0	8.00	0.7273
Hanover	1	5	0	4.00	0.6667

The Souhegan Sabers Hosted St Thomas of Dover and Came Away With Eighth Inning Walk Off Victory

Seth Learned, hit a WALK OFF, THREE RUN HOME RUN OVER THE CENTER FIELD WALL and a 12-11 victory for the Sabers.

MAY 4 – Joey Grasset was the starting pitcher. He pitched 4.2 innings departing after allowing four runs on six hits, two walks and a strike out. Travis Woods entered the game in the sixth inning, pitched 2.1 innings, allowing three runs on three hits, three walks and struck out the final batter in the top of the eighth and came away with his first varsity win.

The Souhegan defense played excellently was led by Sam Bannon (catcher), Max Benevides (right field) and Thomas Bennett (shortstop), Mike Mancini (secondbase) and Bryce Reagan (thirdbase).

Stevie Upton opened the Saber scoring in the second inning as he walked, stole second and third and after Alec Burn walked combined on a run scoring first and third.

In the fourth, two outs and bases loaded Alec Burns two run rbi sin-

gle closed the score to 4 to 3.

A four run fifth saw Seth Learned double to left scoring two runners and Owen Batchelder two run home run to right gave Souhegan a 7 to 4 lead.

Down 8 to 7 in the bottom of the sixth, Alec Burn tied the game with a home run to right field.

Down 9-8 in the bottom of the seventh, Seth Learned singled, stole second and third and scored on a Owen Batchelder single.

St Thomas scored two in the top of the eight. Max Benevides led the inning off with a single down the left field line, with one out, Thomas Bennett reached on an error. Seth Learned, hit a WALK OFF, THREE RUN HOME RUN OVER THE CENTER FIELD WALL and a 12-11 victory for the Sabers.

Congratulations to Coach Dod on his 500th Win!

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Thursday, May 14
Morning Book Group
10 a.m.

Our selection for this month is The Unlikely Pilgrimage of Harold Fry by Rachel Joyce. Copies are available at the Main Desk. Newcomers welcome.

Wednesday, May 20
History Book Club
6:30 – 8 p.m.

Our selection this month is River of Doubt: Theodore Roosevelt's Darkest Journey by Candice Millard. Copies are available at the Main Desk. Newcomers welcome.

Thursday, May 21
Jigsaw Puzzle Exchange
7 p.m.

Got extra jigsaw puzzles? Want new ones? Swap out your old ones in good condition for new ones.

This is a swap -- please do not bring your old puzzles to donate unless you are going to take an equal number of puzzles away!

Retired Library staff member Judy Hohenadel has a collection of puzzles to get us started. Bring yours to trade.

Tuesday, May 26
Evening Book Club
7 p.m.

This month we will be discussing Beautiful Child by Torey Hayden. Copies are available at the Main Desk. Newcomers welcome.

Wednesday, May 27
Buffalo and Tough Cookie
7 p.m.

Dan Szczeny is a long-time journalist and author living in New Hampshire. The Adventures of Buffalo and Tough Cookie is an exploration of one of New Hampshire's least known mountain lists, the 52 With a View. It's a hiking story unlike any other, as Dan takes on the task of turning a determined, urban elementary child into an experienced back-woods hiker, and in the process finds that sometimes the most important lessons are the ones that she teaches him. Through snow, storms, slugs and long miles over the state's beautiful and challenging terrain, The Adventures of Buffalo and Tough Cookie is a journey and meditation on the transformative power of friendship, commitment and the meaning of family.

ONGOING PROGRAMS

Mondays
Teen Tech Squad
3 – 5 p.m.

Did you get a new gadget over the holidays? Don't know how to use your iPhone or Android? Drop in at the Wadleigh Library on Mondays from 3-5 p.m. to get help from students from the Milford High School Technology program.

1st and 3rd Monday of the month
Knit 1, Crochet 2
6:30 – 8:30 p.m.

Are you looking for other yarn addicts? Do your Monday nights seem dull? Look no further! Don't have a project in mind? Can't seem to finish that scarf for Grandma? Or are you a complete beginner with an itch to stitch? Bring your project in & be inspired; if you're a beginner, your local craft store can help you select a project & requisite supplies. There will be no formal in-

struction but 'knitwits' are a helpful bunch and love to indoctrinate the uninitiated into the cult of knitting.

Tuesdays
Spanish Conversation Group
7 – 8 p.m.

Do you want to practice your Spanish? Here's your opportunity with this new, drop-in group that is just starting up. Join Sandra Pleisch to brush up on your Spanish language skills or have a chance to use your Spanish. If you have an interest in using the Spanish language, you're just the person we're looking for, so come on down!

Wednesdays
Social Networking Workshop
6 – 8 p.m.

A Free Workshop only at the Wadleigh Library in Milford. Learn more about Social Networking, its trends, cyber security, how to sell yourself, and the hardware that makes it all happen. Class instruction will be free form and driven by participants. Topics include: Introduction to Social Networking, LinkedIn, Basic Cyber-Security, Know Your Service Provider ... and More. Get informed in a fun atmosphere. Ask questions in person with an educated instructor who knows the issues. Walk out smarter, more savvy and with information you can use.

TEENS & TWEENS

For more information on teen programs, email wadleighya@gmail.com

Wednesday, May 13
Wii Wednesday
3:30 p.m.

Relax after school with an afternoon of gaming. There will be a Wii set up, as well as other wireless (board) games. Bring your PSP, DS, Wii or other controllers or games, or just yourself for an afternoon of gaming fun! Snacks provided.

Thursday, May 21
Pizza and Pages
3:30 p.m.

This month's selection: The Search for WondLa by Tony DiTerlizzi

Summary: Living in isolation with a robot on what appears to be an alien world populated with bizarre life forms, a twelve-year-old human girl called Eva Nine sets out on a journey to find others like her. Features "augmented reality" pages, in which readers with a webcam can access additional information about Eva Nine's world.

Enjoy some pizza while discussing the book! Copies available on the teen display. Pizza & Pages is for 6th grade and up.

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

Wednesday, May 13
Wadleigh Writer Wednesday
4:30 – 5:30 p.m.

Do you like to write? Do you dream of becoming a published author some day? I do! Are you curious about the publishing world? Would you like to share your mad writing skills with other young writers? Are you in the fourth grade or above? Then come join our very own writer Tanya T. Roberts and our awesome writing group every second Wednesday of the month from 4:30-5:30!

Friday, May 15
Art Afternoon
3:30 – 4:30 p.m.

Come join Miss Trina for some art fun!

Saturday, May 16
Craft Day
9-noon

Join us for a fun craft day! All ages welcome. No registration required.

Sunday, May 17
Read to Your Librarian
2 – 4 p.m.

On the 3rd Sunday of every month join us from 2-3:30pm to practice reading to your librarian! This event is open to beginning readers and those who wish to share their reading milestones. Bring a favorite book of your own to share or

pick out a new find here at the library. We can't wait to see you!

Monday, May 18
Story Dance
1 – 2 p.m.

Would your little reader love to dance like Angelina Ballerina? Or hop into Mr. McGregor's garden like Peter Rabbit? Or perhaps turn into a beautiful butterfly like the very hungry caterpillar? Then join Miss Tanya (librarian and dancer extraordinaire!) for Story Dance each month where ballet and books come to life through dance, props, play and the imagination! Ages 4-7 REGISTRATION REQUIRED.

Grades 2 -5 Book Group
6 - 7 p.m.

Want to have your child meet some interesting characters? They should open a book! Want to have them meet some real-life interesting characters, too? Then join our book group! Book clubs are a great way to communicate with friends and meet new people while exploring and discussing good books. What's more, membership in a book group can help children stay motivated to read if they otherwise have difficulty finding time to pick up a book. We often play fun games or make a creative project, and we always have yummy snacks and a fun time together!

Thursday, May 21
Lego Party
4 - 6 p.m.

Join us for a Lego party! We provide the Legos, you provide the imagination! All ages welcome. No registration required.

Storytimes

Wednesdays
Baby Lapsit - For newborns to 18 months
10 – 11 a.m.

Join us for tickles, giggles, stories and fun! Then stay and play with all of your friends!

No Registration Required.

Mondays

Toddler Tales
9:45 – 11 a.m.

Join Miss Tanya for the magic of books! Come listen to fantastic stories, felt tales and music! Dance with feathers, flowers and scarves; sing and tap out rhythm with tambourines, sticks and bells! Children will learn colors, sounds, letters and words all through the wonders of literature and the imagination. Afterwards it's "stay & play" from 10:30-11:00am. For ages 18-24 months. Older and younger siblings are welcome.

NO REGISTRATION NECESSARY.

Little Listeners

10:30 – 11 a.m.
Join Miss Tanya for the magic of books! Come listen to fantastic stories, felt tales and music! Dance with feathers, flowers and scarves; sing and tap out rhythm with tambourines, sticks and bells! Children will learn colors, sounds, letters and words all through the wonders of literature and the imagination. For ages 2-4 years. Older and younger siblings are welcome. NO REGISTRATION NECESSARY.

Wednesdays
Storytime Stars
1 p.m.

A storytime for ages 4 to 6 years old. A fun filled hour of stories, songs, and dancing, followed by an amazingly awesome craft! REGISTRATION REQUIRED. An adult will need to be present in the building throughout the duration of the program. Storytimes are for Wadleigh cardholders only.

Thursdays
Storytime Stars
10 a.m.

A storytime for ages 4 to 6 years old. A fun filled hour of stories, songs, and dancing, followed by an amazingly awesome craft! REGISTRATION REQUIRED. An adult will need to be present in the building throughout the duration of the program. Storytimes are for Wadleigh cardholders only.