

Profile

Logout

Subscribe

Get News Updates

Print Edition

# THE Landmark

HOLDEN, PAXTON, PRINCETON, RUTLAND, STERLING

Shopping

Real Estate

Services

Automotive

Home & Garden

Classifieds

Photo Galleries

Holden News August 21, 2008

Search

Archives:

Go

House HOME magazine



### News

Front Page

Holden News

Paxton News

Princeton News

Sterling News

Rutland News

Regional News

Editorials & Opinions

Letters

Sports & Recreation

Schools

Obituaries

Clubs & Church

People

Fire & Police

### Special Sections

## THE HOLDEN ROUNDUP

**THESE GUYS CAN RUN:** Kudos to Officer Todd Ventris and Sgt. Timothy Sherblom, who ran down two suspects in a foot chase on August 4, and to Sgt. Timothy Regele who assisted. Their names were inadvertently left out of a Landmark story about the chase.

**HOT TOPIC:** The town of Holden has created a community outreach committee to address what selectman Joseph Sullivan said is a coming crisis related to high oil prices this winter. The group has already met to hear the director of energy resources at Worcester Community Action Council speak, and plans future meetings to brainstorm about what can be done for residents who will be affected by high energy and other associated costs this winter. "High oil prices are going to be devastating to somebody someplace in this community," Sullivan said. The group's next meeting is planned for August 21 at 10 a.m.

**MAKING YOUR KIDS SAFE:** The Holden Police Department has received a \$10,000 grant from the Massachusetts Executive Office of Public Safety's Highway Safety Division to use to improve the safety of children by increasing their use of safety belts, booster

Click ads below for larger version

HELP WANTED

## REPORTER

We're growing again, and need a general assignment reporter to cover meetings, write hard news and features. Please send resume and writing samples to editor@thelandmark.com

**THE Landmark**

1650 Main Street, Holden, MA 01520  
508-829-5981

**Don't Let your Financial Plan Take a Vacation.**

*It needs to work 24/7, all year.*

*A few weeks at the beach are great for you. But your financial plan cannot afford any days off.*

And because we're Fee-Only, there are no commissions, no conflicts.



Jessie Swaine, CFP®

**Langtree ASSOCIATES**

Financial Planning Services

(978) 874-0885

www.LangtreeAssociates.com

Westborough, MA 01581

**LEICESTER DENTAL ASSOCIATES**

119 South Main St. (Rt 9), Leicester, MA (508) 892-4882

www.leicester-dental.com



Special Section Archive



**Links**

Contact Info

Email us

Advertising

Questions

Advertising Rates

Home Delivery

Questions

North Central Homes

Leominster Champ

Fitchburg Pride

Community Journal

Millbury Sutton

**Services**

Advertiser Index

Subscribe

View Current

Classifieds

Place a Classified

News Archive

**Poll**

What has been your favorite Olympic moment?

- Michael Phelps wins 8 golds
- U.S. girls gymnasts' performances
- U.S. men's basketball dominance

Water flow violations at a construction site in Reading, according to a press release from the Environmental Protection Agency. TLT and the district are involved in several lawsuits over the construction of the Wachusett Regional High School renovation project.

**FLY AWAY:** The Holden Police Department participated in the U.S. Marshall's Service FALCON 2008 Operation recently, which coordinates local public safety officials to follow up on outstanding arrest warrants. The regional effort resulted in more than 200 arrests, with the help of Holden Detective Al Bourget and Officer Jon Santimore.

**SEE YOU IN SEPTEMBER:** Holden children - and their parents - might be said to like their pool, and the summer recreation programs there. More than 560 children enrolled in 48 classes there this summer, while all-day programs continued through the nine-week summer period. All classes were at capacity. The Holden Harpoons swim team had 93 swimmers this year and finished the season with six wins, one loss and one tie to place them second in the championships.

**LOVE THAT TENNIS:** The new tennis and basketball courts at Mountview School are finished, complete with netting. The effort, due primarily to the concerted efforts of Mountview's Student Council members, started last spring with students speaking to convince both the select board and town meeting voters of the need for the courts. The courts are that group's gift to the school. Selectmen hope to re-dedicate the courts, with those students, many of whom have now moved on to the high school.

**WHAT ABOUT TOMORROW?:** Holden Tomorrow, the town's Master Plan committee, will present to the Board of Selectmen at their September 2 meeting at 7:15 p.m. The theme is, "Where do we go from here?," according to Selectman Kimberly Ferguson, who represents the board on Holden Tomorrow. While Master Plan received the necessary Planning Board approval this summer (which is all that is required), Ferguson left the door open to requesting a town meeting vote as well when she updated selectmen on August 11.

Call Melissa McKeon at (508) 829-5981, ext. 14 or email at [mmckeon@holdenlandmark.com](mailto:mmckeon@holdenlandmark.com) with any news for The Holden Roundup.

- Bolt's 100M world record
- The opening ceremony

[View votes](#)

Copyright©  
2005-2008  
Landmark  
All Rights  
Reserved

Real Estate



Newspaper web site  
content management  
software and services

[DMCA Notices](#)