

# Camp Constitution Journal

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We welcome all our campers and Staff to our 17th camp at Singing Hills Christian Camp and Conference Center. ★



### Welcome to our 17th Annual Family Camp and thank you for being here.

Over the years, we have been blessed with instructors who are among the nation's top experts in their fields. And this year is no exception. We are pleased to have two first-time guest instructors, Mr. Kurt Hyde and Mrs. Michelle Gallagher. You can read their in this edition of the camp paper. Veteran campers please introduce yourselves to our new campers which include those from Alaska, Utah, and Wyoming.

A special thanks to all of those-many behind the scene-that make this camp possible with your time, influence and treasure. While many camp programs have a paid staff, our staff is all-volunteer. Not only do they volunteer their time, they have to take vacation time to attend. We have a full week which includes many optional events like marital arts, marksmanship, and a field trip to the Calvin Coolidge Homestead, and optional afternoon classes. Please take advantage of as many of these activities as you can.

May all of you have a blessed week. ★

### Camp Director



Mr. Hal Shurtleff

-- Mr. Harold Shurtleff, Camp Director

## Remembering Charlie Everett



Camp Constitution co-founder, friend and mentor Charlie Everett went home to be with the Lord July 31st of last year.

I first met Charlie at the John Birch Society's old headquarters in Belmont, MA back in the Spring of 1989. In 1990, I worked for him as a coordinator while he served as the National Director of Field Activities. He taught me some valuable things which served me well in my 26 years on the staff of the Society.

I had the pleasure of visiting the home of Charlie and his family on many occasions. In December of 2008, I got word that the Society's camp program was canceled. Charlie was the first I called after getting the news of the camp program's demise. I asked him if he would like to be a part of our own camp program. He immediately agreed. He was living in Rindge, NH at the time just a few miles from Toah Nipi where we held our camps from 2009 to 2017.

Charlie did all of the work necessary for our camp to become a New Hampshire charitable trust. Charlie served as Camp administrator. His duties included processing the camp applications, doing most of the camp banking, communicating with our donors and camp families throughout the year, and preparing the camp's annual report to the State of New Hampshire. If you attended our annual family camp, you were sure to get a birthday card from Charlie. He had help from his wife Linda and his daughter Elizabeth who serves as our treasurer. In 2011, Charlie and Linda relocated to Charlotte, NH but they would travel to New Hampshire to help with the camp's first few days.

Camp Constitution will always honor the memory of Charlie, and his valuable contributions he made to help make Camp Constitution possible and successful.★

- Hal Shurtleff

## Mrs. Sapphire Gimenez

Mrs. Gimenez is a mother of two and has been married for 27 years and is willing to serve the Lord. Her outlook: "Sometimes projects I do work out well and I am happy. Otherwise I rest in the peace that I've given it my best shot."

She has a master's degree in Curriculum Development and a Bachelor of Science in Technology Education. She is a Sunday School Superintendent and a Sunday School Teacher.★

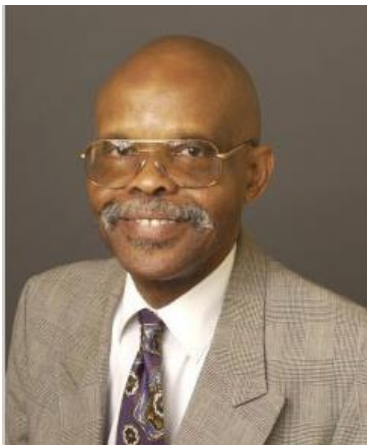


## Mr. Alex Newman

**Alex Newman** is an international journalist, educator, author, and consultant. In addition to serving as president of the small media and information consulting firm Liberty Sentinel Media, Inc., he writes for a wide array of publications in the United States and abroad. He currently serves as a foreign correspondent for The New American magazine, a contributor to World Net Daily, and more. He has also written for numerous newspapers and magazines such as The Gainesville Sun, Liberty magazine, Crisis magazine, The Diplomat magazine, and many more. In addition, he has co-authored two books, including a major exposé of the plot to dumb down American children using government schools, published by WND Books.

For the last several years, Alex has been teaching advanced economics to high-school seniors through FreedomProject Education, an accredited K-12 school offering a classical education. Prior, he worked for the Leadership Institute and also worked in marketing and branding. Alex has a B.S. degree in journalism from the University of Florida with an emphasis on economics and international relations, as well as an A.A. degree in foreign languages from Miami-Dade College. Alex has lived in seven countries (US, Mexico, Brazil, Switzerland, France, South Africa and Sweden) on four continents and speaks multiple languages fluently.★

## Reverend Steven Craft



**Rev. Craft** holds a Master of Divinity Degree from Harvard Divinity School in Cambridge, MA and a Bachelor of Arts in Bible and Pastoral Counseling from Central Bible College in Springfield, MO. He has completed Clinical Pastoral Education at Boone Hospital Center, Columbia, MO. Rev. Craft is a member of the American Correctional Chaplains Association and is ordained as a Correctional Chaplain with the American Baptist Churches, U.S.A. He formerly served as Correctional Chaplain at the Pine Prairie Correctional Center, the Missouri State Penitentiary and the Moshannon Valley Correctional Center in Central PA.

Reverend Craft is the Executive Director of Christian Citizenship Ministries, Inc. He is co-author of "Virtue and Vice": A fascinating Journey into Spiritual Transformation. He is also the author of "Morality and Freedom: America's Dynamic Duo". Steven is also a motivational and inspirational speaker on issues involving race, religion, politics, and culture from a Christian, Black American and conservative perspective. As a flexible, multi-faceted speaker, Rev. Craft can compose his message to meet a variety of audiences, always promising an insightful and power-packed presentation.★





Mr. Chris Kalis

**Recreational Director & Head Counselor-** Mr. Chris Kalis has been a staff member with Camp Constitution since its inception in 2008. He has seven children and nine grandchildren so far, and counting... The Kalis' have been homeschooling for almost 25 years. Chris owns a commercial cleaning business in southeastern Michigan which he has operated as a family business for over 20 years. He is passionate about his faith, his liberty, and yours too! God willing, he looks forward to coming back to camp for many years to come. ★



**Mr. Kurt Hyde** was born in Texas in 1945, and raised in Connecticut. He joined The John Birch Society in March 1965 during his sophomore year in college. After graduating from college with a degree in Physics in 1967, he went to Air Force Officer Training School and was commissioned as a second lieutenant. He earned a master's degree in Systems Management while on active duty.

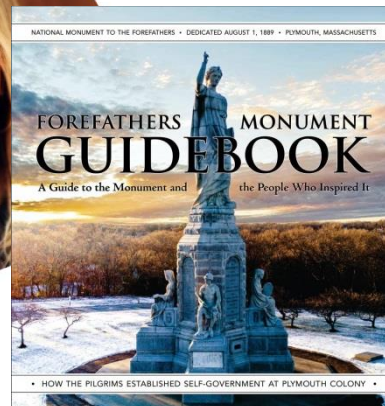
He left the active-duty Air Force in 1976 and joined the Air Force Reserves in 1977 and retired in 1990 at the rank of lieutenant colonel. His primary duties were as a navigator, but he also served as Missile Launch Officer and as an Aircraft Maintenance Officer.

In civilian life, he became a computer professional. He started as a programmer and worked his way up to becoming a systems analyst and a database administrator. He occasionally taught computer science courses as an adjunct faculty member. In that capacity, he led his systems-analysis students in a study of a computerized voting booth in 1985 and 1986. He presented his findings at a symposium in Boston on August 14, 1986, where he recommended that computerized voting equipment should have a voter-verified paper trail to ensure the computer did as the voter instructed. In October 2000, he co-wrote an article for The New American similarly warning of the dangers of Internet voting.

After retiring in 2011 he became a full-time John Birch Society volunteer and has written numerous articles for The New American, many of them dealing with election integrity. He accepted an appointment to the JBS Council in October 2016. ★

## Mrs. Catherine White

**Instructor-** A Massachusetts native - born in Worcester, raised in Quincy, Mrs. White is a graduate of MIT. Many years ago she started a book club to read W. Cleon Skousen's "The 5,000 Year Leap." Out of that grew a monthly US Constitution study group. She also coordinates a schedule of lectures, talks, study groups, and events - all centered on teaching the Constitution. You can contact her, read her articles and watch videos at her web site: [www.constitutiondecoded.com](http://www.constitutiondecoded.com) ★



**Michelle Gallagher** is an author, designer, and book publisher. Her first book, the "Forefathers Monument Guidebook," uses a colorful tour of this iconic national monument in Plymouth, Massachusetts, to present the Pilgrim story in a fresh way to a modern generation.

Released in 2021 to strong sales, the Forefathers Monument Guidebook has received glowing endorsements and is now in its third printing as a hardcover book. Her second project, "Monumental Prayers: 14 Days of Prayer Inspired by the Faith of the Pilgrims," was released in May 2023 in partnership with Intercessors for America (IFA). Both projects were published through Proclamation House, Inc., an independent publishing company she co-founded with her husband in 2019 to create quality books and teaching materials that herald faith and freedom to the generations. ([www.proclamationhouse.org](http://www.proclamationhouse.org))

In 2023, they published their first outside project for IFA entitled "Inspired Stories" to a national audience. ★

**Keith Hanson** is a staunch right-wing conservative Federalist, Keith is an uninhibitedly-outspoken, God-fearing, gun-toting, America-loving Patriot who is not afraid to stand up and speak out for the causes of Liberty, Personal Responsibility, Limited Government, Freedom, and American Exceptionalism. He is NH & VT's conservative voice and host of heritage FM morning talk show "First Look" and "The Keith Hanson Show," on FOX News affiliates 99.7 FM WNTK and 98.9 FM & 1490 AM WUVR. He is an entrepreneur, professional trainer, public speaker, and talented chef. Keith leads Critical Dynamics that provides expert firearms training for law enforcement officers around the United States. ★



Keith Hanson

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**Mrs. Jessica Whitworth**

Mrs. Jessica Whitworth is a mother of two and has been married for 20 years. She is a self-described concerned citizen advocating for our youth and working to fight for their freedom and ours by teaching an after school civics program. A resident of Appleton, Maine her prayer is that there will be more civics programs taught to our younger generation. ★

**WELCOME TO JR. PATRIOT CAMP****AT CAMP CONSTITUTION**

Singing Hills Christian Camp

**Families and Friends!**

Welcome to Jr. Patriot Camp at **Camp Constitution 2025!!** The instructors, special Guests, and Volunteers are excited to work and interact with the youngest campers! We have planned with your children in mind for enrichment and exciting activities related to our Great Country -- **America!!**

**Jr. Patriots 5-8 and Jr. Patriots 9-12** will begin each day together for "Opening." After that, the groups will separate by age group for different lessons and activities, according to their group schedule. We will strive to adhere to the planned schedules. If changes occur, we will inform you as necessary. Copies of each group's schedule are available for Parents or Guardians.

**Please Note: Junior Campers Parade on Thursday, July 17 at Lunchtime!**

**Parents/Guardians**, if your Junior Camper has some dietary restrictions or allergies, please provide an adequate snack that is suitable. The Application and Release form also makes requests for allergies and/or special food requirements.

**Please be aware we will be responsible for your young campers at the scheduled times.** All other times, Parents and Guardians are responsible for the whereabouts of young campers, including Recreation time, unless we have a special, scheduled afternoon activity. On field trips, at "free time," Campfire, etc., please know the whereabouts of your young campers. **Thank you for your understanding and cooperation!**

**Mrs. Edith Craft****Mr. Mark Affleck**

**Editor** - An IT professional, a graduate of Drexel University with a BS in Information Systems, Mark is a husband and father of 4 children. In his youth, he and five brothers all attended Birch Camp. His youngest son is here at Camp. Mark enjoys genealogy and numismatics and donates his skills in archiving and web development to CampConstitution. Mark is online as FederalExpression. ★

[federalexpression.wordpress.com/](http://federalexpression.wordpress.com/)



Please leave a cell number with the instructors (on the Jr. Roster page in the classroom) if you have one, so you can be reached if your young camper would need to be picked up from a class or activity. ★

**Let's have a GREAT Camp Constitution – 2025 experience!**

Respectfully yours and in His service, Junior Patriot Camp Instructors:

Mrs. Edith M. Craft  
Ms. Donna DeSantis

Mrs. Jessica Whitworth  
Mrs. Kathy Mickle

Mrs. Roberta Stewart  
& Volunteers

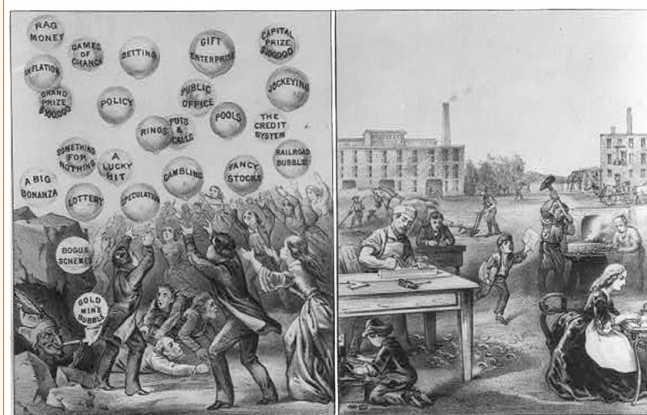
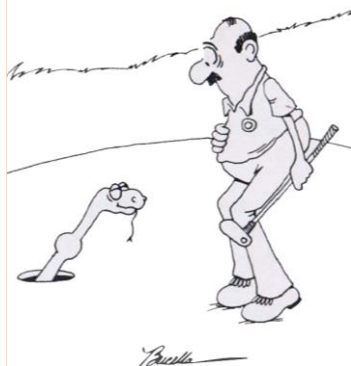
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## CABIN ★ INSPECTIONS

### Did I read that right?

Yes there are daily cabin inspections. Obviously, the inspectors are looking for clean and tidy quarters, however, the returning campers will show you how to really rack up the points. Traditionally, the campers who most creatively capture the spirit of our camp through theme based decorations, tasteful humor, and patriotism score **big** in the contest. Make it fun! **Hint:** The inspectors are not above the occasional bribery attempt. ☺ Points from 0-10 are awarded each day for your participation in this contest. At the end of the week the cabin with the most points will get **"FREE PIZZA"** during the pizza party.

### Newspaper Participation

The newspaper is looking for lecture reviews, free-time fun stories, campfire tidbits, lake-front occurrences etc. Who, what, where, how, why and when are the concepts to keep in mind as you write your stories. The newspaper always needs details on the following recurring events: Flag participants including Scripture reading and grace before meals. Also, don't forget polar bear, morning run, and campfire participants. We also want to see direct quotes from our speakers. Your team should have **at least** one per day.

Your cabin will earn 0-2.5 points each day for your submissions during the week. Your participation will require submissions from multiple campers on multiple topics. Quality, quantity, number of submitters and diversity of topics are the four criterion on which your bonus will be awarded each day. If multiple cabins cover the same topics, the Editor of the newspaper may combine the stories and weave the details but credit will be awarded whether the story is used or not. The bonus is 20% of your total points. Make sure all newspaper submissions have your name and cabin number on them so your team gets credit for the contribution. The bonus will be a running total updated daily and disclosed at the end of the week.

**The newspaper bonus is often a difference maker.**

Visit the news office for a list of story options or create your own. ★

## ★ 2025 PIZZA PARTY RACE ★

Standings	M	T	W	Thu	News	Total
Cabin #1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cabin #2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cabin #3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cabin #4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cabin #5	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cabin #6	0	0	0	0	0	0



### George Dewhurst

**Mr. Dewhurst** was an engineer at General Electric in Lynn, MA. He retired at the age of 51 to pursue work in the Ministry. He has been involved in Kempo Karate Kung Fu for 32 years and teaches courses in self-defense. He resides in Alton, NH. ★

## Pastor David Whitney

For the last 30 years, **David** has pastored churches in New Jersey, Colorado, Florida and Maryland. He is currently the Pastor of Cornerstone Evangelical Free Church in Pasadena, Maryland. For the past ten years he has been teaching with Institute on the Constitution.

David is also a blogger for The American View, and author of the DVD, "Why Churches Must not Incorporate or Become 501(c)(3) Organizations." He is the Chaplain

of the Southern National Congress where he is also the Chairman of the Maryland State Delegation to the Congress. David graduated from Rutgers University with an Honors in History. He received his Masters Degree from Denver Seminary. He and his wife and daughters reside in Annapolis, Maryland. ★



<http://www.cefcmd.org/>

## Miss Donna DeSantis

**Donna DeSantis** is a dedicated educator with over fifteen years of experience, and holds a Masters degree in Early Childhood Education. A classically trained dancer, she successfully owned and operated The Millis School of Dance from 1992 to 2006. Donna's passions extend beyond the classroom—she enjoys walking and hiking, engaging in Bible studies, and actively participates in events that support and raise awareness for Veterans and Veteran services. Though officially retired, Donna remains deeply committed to the field of education, continuing to share her love for teaching and inspiring the next generation of learners. ★



## Dr. Willie Soon

**Dr. Soon** earned his bachelor's and master's degrees in science and his Ph.D. in aerospace engineering from the University of Southern California. He was a speaker at the Heartland Institute's 9th International Conference on Climate Change, a gathering of many of the world's top climate scientists and researchers who challenge the IPCC's increasingly discredited claim that human activity is causing a global crisis that demands draconian global regulations under an increasingly powerful United Nations.

Born in Malaysia, Dr. Soon immigrated to the US in 1980. In 2004, he received the Petr Beckmann Award for outstanding contributions to the defense of scientific truth. ★



## ★ Camp Constitution Schedule ★

When	Required *	What	Where/Notes
4:00PM		<b>Registration</b> - Mrs. Roberta Stewart (+Volunteers)	Lakewood Lodge (Blue Building)
5:00PM	×	Dinner	Outside Cafeteria for Grace
6:30PM	×	Staff Orientation	Maple Ridge Chapel
7:20PM	×	Flag Lowering	Flag Pole (Mtn View Lodge)
7:45PM	×	<b>Camper Orientation</b> -- Mr. Shurtleff & Staff	Maple Ridge Chapel
8:35PM		<b>Break (Long Sleeves, Mosquito Repellant, Song Book, Flashlight)</b>	
9:00PM	×	Campfire(Flashlight & Songbook)- Staff	Fire Pit( <b>Optional For Juniors</b> )
10:00PM		<b>Break: Snacks &amp; Camp Newspaper</b>	Cafeteria
10:30PM	×	Report to Cabin	Assigned Cabin
11:00PM	×	Lights Out	Good Night

★Sunday, July 13, 2025★

## Tomorrow's Schedule

## ★ Camp Constitution Schedule ★

When	What	Where/Notes
6:30AM	Polar Bear Swim / Morning Run (Nathaniel Shurtleff)	Pond / Trail
7:00AM	Wake Up !!! <u>Optional</u> Prayer Walk	Outside Maple Ridge
7:50AM	Flag Raising: Devotions & Announcements	Flag Pole (Mtn View Lodge)
8:00AM	Breakfast	Outside Cafeteria for Grace
8:30AM	Staff Meeting (Students Cabin Prep)	Mtn View Lodge
9:00AM	Presuppositions of our Constitutional Republic	Pastor David Whitney
	<b>Short-Break</b>	
10:00AM	America's Godly Heritage	Reverend Steve Craft
	<b>Short-Break</b>	
11:00AM	Intentions: Constitution through the Founders' Eyes	Mrs. Catherine White
	<b>Short-Break</b>	
12:00PM	Lunch	Outside Cafeteria for Grace
1:00PM	Group Photo	<b>LAKEFRONT/POOL USE REQUIRES LIFEGUARD</b>
	<b>Recreation Time</b>	
2:30PM	<b>Optional: Swimming</b>	
3:00PM	<b>Optional Class:</b> Christian Self-Defense: Mr. George Dewhurst	
5:00PM	Dinner	Outside Cafeteria for Grace
6:30PM	Climate Change: Political, Economic & Religious...	Mr. Alex Newman
7:20PM	Flag Lowering	Flag Pole
7:45PM	Doctrines of Demons in Government Schools	Mr. Alex Newman
8:35PM	<b>Break (Long Sleeves, Mosquito Repellant, Song Book, Flashlight)</b>	
9:00PM	Campfire(Flashlight & Songbook)- Staff	Fire Pit( <b>Optional For Juniors</b> )
10:00PM	<b>Break: Snacks &amp; Camp Newspaper (hopefully)</b>	
10:30PM	Report to Cabin	Your Cabin
11:00PM	Lights Out	Good Night

★Monday, July 14, 2025★

## Meet Our Counselors

The back bone of any successful camp are the volunteer counselors. They room with the campers and provided guidance. They coordinate directly with the head counselor and the Camp Director. In addition, they keep the campers on schedule and smooth out any rough spots along the way. This year's counselors include: **Miss Mariam Westrick**, **Miss Maryja Westrick**, and **Mr. Caleb Quintanilla**. **Joshua Vileniskis** is an assistant counselor and **Jonathan Larson** is a Junior Counselor. Perhaps a testimony to the success of the Camp Constitution program, several of our counselors are previous campers. Many thanks for your dedication to the program. ★

## ★ Camp Constitution Jr. Patriot Schedule ★

Start	Program	Where/Notes
6:30 AM	Polar Bear Swim / Morning Run	Pond / Trail
7:00 AM	Wake Up !!!	
7:50 AM	Flag Raising: Devotions & Announcements	Flag Pole
8:00 AM	Breakfast	Outside Cafeteria for Grace
9:00 AM	Opening Welcome Morning Prayer & Songs	Mrs. Edith Craft / Mrs. Jessica Whitworth
<b>Ages 5-8 Mrs. Edith Craft/Ms. DeSantis</b>		<b>Ages 9-12 Mrs. Jessica Whitworth</b>
9:25 AM	Prayer! Songs!	9:30 AM Revolutionary War
<b>Quick Break</b>		George Washington - Leadership
9:40 AM	Lesson A: The American Revolution	10:00 AM Declaration of Independence Signing
<b>Morning Snack</b>		
10:30 AM	Lesson B: Declaration of Independence	10:30 AM Snack: Prayer Pretzels and Water
11:05 AM	Craft Time: Red, White & Blue	11:00 AM Tri-Corn Hat Activity
11:45 AM	Clean-Up	11:30 AM Clean-Up
12:00 AM	Lunch	Outside Cafeteria for Grace
1:15 PM	<b>(Camp Photo) Recreation Time</b>	
5:00 PM	Dinner	Outside Cafeteria for Grace
7:20 PM	Flag Lowering	Flag Pole (Mtn View Lodge)
9:00 PM	Campfire (Flashlight & Songbook) - Staff	Fire Pit <b>(Optional For Juniors)</b>

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<b>MENU</b>	
<b>Breakfast</b>	
Cheese Omelets ★ Tater Tots	
★ Ham Slices ★ Danish	
★ Fresh fruit ★ Cold Cereal	
★ Yogurts & Hot Cereal	
★ Boiled Eggs ★ ★ Toast ★	
<b>Lunch</b>	
Chicken Bacon Ranch ★ Philly	
Sandwich ★ Potato Wedges	
★ Minestrone Soup ★	
Fresh fruit ★ Salad Bar	
<b>Dinner</b>	
St. Louis BBQ Pork Ribs ★	
Roasted Red Potatoes ★	
Corn on the Cob ★	
Penne Broccoli Alfredo ★	
Corn bread ★ Salad Bar	
★ Black Forest Cake	



## Singing Hills Camp



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<b>MENU</b>	
<b>Dinner</b>	
★ Baked Ham ★ Baked Potato ★	
★ Mac & Cheese ★ Glazed Ginger Carrots ★	
★ Dinner Rolls ★	
★ Fresh Salad Bar ★ Pineapple Upside Down ★	



## Mr. Alan Belanger

For nearly 30 years, **Spunky the Clown** has been entertaining audiences all over the world from local birthday parties, restaurants, corporate and other events in New England to international circuses, trade shows, cruise ships, festivals and theme parks. Get Spunky for juggling, unicycling, mime, magic, stilts, balancing, plate spinning, hat tricks, silliness, world class balloon animation, fun and more!



**Mr. Alan Belanger**, a graduate of the renowned **Ringling Bros and Barnum and Bailey Clown College**, began his career as a performer, at the age of 11, juggling, riding unicycles, sculpting balloon animals.... He has spent his entire life in the entertainment industry, as a performer, a circus skills instructor, an event manager and a student of the performing arts. He is an accomplished entertainer, who has performed at the White House, for three different presidents and has performed in festivals, cruise ships, theme parks, circuses, trade shows and other venues, nationally and internationally. **Mr. Belanger** has studied puppet movement at the Rafi Peer Puppet Theatre, in Karachi, Pakistan, where he also performed and taught circus arts. He also studied dance at the Boston Ballet School of Dance, in Boston, Massachusetts, and the Leon Collins School of Dance, in Brookline, Massachusetts. Additionally, Alan has attended numerous conventions and workshops throughout

North America and abroad, on topics such as ventriloquism, juggling, unicycling, mime, movement, balloon sculpture, magic, dance.... His philosophy: "Keep 'em laughing!!" ★ [getspunky@hotmail.com](mailto:getspunky@hotmail.com) ☎ [207-385-0129 in ME ★ 617-701-3243 in MA ★ 617-913-0514]



## Felicia Nace



**Dr. Nace** is the author of several books including book: *Top Down Confusion: Is Gray the New Pink in Education?* Her presentation explores mixed messages in education that filters down from the government which leaves educators Dr. Nace is a former language arts teacher of the Montclair Public School District, NJ. She was also employed as an Education Specialist for 13 years at the New Jersey Department of Education, worked for five years as an adjunct professor at Mercer County Community College, English Department and is currently the Executive Director of Partners 4 Educational Change, an education consulting firm. ★

## Mrs. Kathy Mickle

**Mrs. Mickle** was born in Pittsfield MA and graduated from Cooley Dickinson Hospital School of Nursing in 1967. She worked in the hospital for many years as a staff charge & respiratory care nurse.



Her passion is camp nursing. She volunteered for over 15 years as camp nurse at NE Keswick Christian camp and now at Camp Constitution. She and Roberta Stewart introduced the Jr camper program to Camp Constitution several years ago. They produced a "patriot camp" for a full week long program in the Berkshires and saw a real opportunity at Camp Constitution to continue the mission of introducing our youngest to the basics. ★

## Charmaine Rondon



**Charmaine Rondon** was born on the island of Trinidad (Republic of Trinidad and Tobago). The first of four children born to Felix and Pearl Rondon she was raised Catholic, she learned of Almighty God, Jesus Christ and many other sundries. She was interested in how things work and why they were how they were.

She was born again in her 18<sup>th</sup> year of life. She is an Analytical Chemist by trade but an on fire, born again believer in our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ! Her motto: Believe Almighty God and take Him at His Word. She is now passionate about teaching that to all whom she meets! ★

## Mr. Chris Burke

**Chris Burke** is a retired electrical engineer with over a decade of dedication to preparedness and emergency communications. His career began as a radio technician, followed by service in the US Naval Reserve. While earning his Master's in Electrical Engineering from UMass Lowell, Chris worked as a technician, blending hands-on and academic expertise. He holds the highest-level FCC Amateur Extra Class license, is a certified EMT, and actively participates in national radio organizations like the ARRL and ARES, sharing knowledge through workshops and drills. Passionate about empowering others, Chris is excited to teach radio and emergency communications to equip students with life-saving skills. In his free time, he enjoys home farming, food preservation, and target sports, reflecting his commitment to self-reliance. Chris lives with Tracy, his wife of 31 years, and their dog Bacon. He has two grown children. ★