

On the Town with Andrew and Bob...

With the traditional Memorial Day Cookout, summer is finally here! And there are many town activities coming up over the summer months!

One of the best is the **Annual Summer Concerts on the Common** sponsored by the Friends of Billerica Recreation, Inc. These **FREE** concerts are great fun for the whole family! Bring dinner, a blanket or your lawn chair and your dancing shoes! The concerts start July 4th and run through the end of August. Another great event is the Independence Day Celebration on July 4th which runs from 10:00 am through 2:00 PM, on the Town Common, with a BBQ, Music and activities sponsored by the Billerica Lions Club. This celebration is a wonderful event for the whole family.

There are many other activities such as full and half day youth Summer Camps, discounts on area theatre tickets, sport events - you can easily check out what's available by going to the Town's website www.town.billerica.ma.us and clicking on "Departments" then clicking on "Recreation".

While you're checking out the Recreation News, navigate around the Town's website. You can pay your tax bills, water bills and motor vehicle excise tax bills online. Each town department has a section on the town website. The website is chock full of useful and important information - agendas, meeting minutes, notices, phone numbers, office hours, even email addresses for town officials.

Over the summer months there are many programs offered by our vibrant and active Council on Aging - find new friends or reconnect with former friends and neighbors. The COA has something for everyone! For more information on COA programs, contact the Billerica Council on Aging at 978-671-0916. For a listing of all COA activities, look for the COA's monthly newsletter, **The Outlook**, that can be found at the Senior Center, Town Hall, the Library and other locations in Town.

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