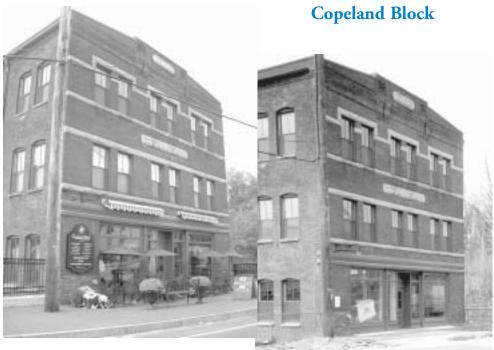


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Good Things Happen When a Community Works Together!



This issue of *Enfield Village News* celebrates the fifth anniversary of our Main Street program. And it celebrates the many good things that have happened in that time. The photos and the words of volunteers, contributors, visitors, and longtime residents tell the story. Join us as we look back. To-

gether we can make the next five years even

better.

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Congratulations, Enfield and the Enfield Village Association, on completing five successful years in the Main Street program! Your success is evidenced by outstanding community support, extremely dedicated volunteers, and a committed municipal government, who are all working to make Enfield even more special than it already is. The entire town, and especially the wonderful Main Street volunteers, deserves a huge round of applause!

Kathy La Plante,
New Hampshire Main Street
Center Director

Main Street Sidewalk



Enfield Village Association

The Enfield Main Street Program is administered by the Enfield Village Association (EVA), a nonprofit corporation whose mission is to promote and facilitate ideas and projects that will provide community pride in our historical, cultural, commercial, recreational, and natural resources for residents of and visitors to the Enfield Village.

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I feel that my standard of 'Don't tell me how good you are—show me,' has come full circle with the hard work and improvements that EVA has done on Main Street.

Dwight Marchetti, Enfield resident

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It is very exciting to see Enfield come alive again, especially in the downtown area. It is a welcoming place to be.

> Jean Patten, Enfield resident

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Bridge by Copeland Block





Five years! It's been five years since EVA became a NH Main Street community, providing us with the framework and organization for revitalizing, reinventing, and reenergizing our Main Street. Enfield has much to celebrate, and the photos in this issue say it more eloquently than I can. Our village is becoming the heart of our community—the place to go for good food or an invigorating walk on the Rail Trail, to enjoy interesting art exhibits or purchase a unique, handcrafted gift. Five years ago, we didn't have as many choices because there were just five businesses in our program area. Now, there are seventeen businesses and offices. Main Street property owners have made major investments in their buildings, and the village is looking attractive and cared for today. Our little village is becoming a very special place.

So, what has EVA been up to lately?

- Work on EVA's property at 78 Main Street continues to move ahead, thanks to the generous contributions of our skilled tradesmen and efforts of our volunteers. EVA applied for and recently received a \$50,000 HUD grant, administered through the NH Main Street program. The matching grant will help us move this project forward to completion. We are anxious to find just the right commercial business that will complement the existing businesses in the village and contribute to the developing image of a place for good food, fun, and relaxation.
- NH Main Street conducted its yearend assessment of EVA and recertified

The Director's Take

Enfield as an official NH Main Street community. At the NH Main Street Annual Awards for Excellence in May, Twigs Bakery in the Copeland Block was chosen for the Best Interior Rehab. All NH Main Street communities compete in a number of categories, and we are pleased and proud that this impressive and quality project was selected as the winner in its category!

- EVA has again awarded \$1,500 in façade grants to our program-area residents, dividing the total among three new recipients.
- Working jointly with the Enfield Heritage Commission, EVA's Design Committee created eight historic markers that were installed this fall on various properties along Main Street as the first eight sites of Enfield's historic walking tour. This project was made possible in large part by a grant from the Mascoma Savings Bank Foundation.
- The Shaker Seven Road Race, Fun Run, and Dog Walk took place on June 25, with more than 100 runners, 30 kids, and 25 dogs and their owners. Everyone enjoyed the post-race brunch on the beach, courtesy of the Enfield Shaker Museum. Our thanks to our sponsors and more than 40 volunteers who made this annual event and fundraiser a success.
- All Enfield residents and businesses should receive their new copy of the *Enfield Business Directory* this fall. The Economic Restructuring Committee provides this wonderful resource of businesses and services.
- The Enfield Farmers Market, which just completed its fourth year, continued to provide a variety of produce,

- meat, eggs, cheese, baked and prepared foods, and great crafts. Rain or shine, it was the place to gather on a Wednesday afternoon, enjoy good music (provided in part by a grant from the New Hampshire State Council on the Arts), shop for local goods, and meet with friends and neighbors.
- Plans are under way for this winter's Hometown Holidays, a project of the Promotion Committee. Watch for some new events and holiday activities for children and adults at this year's event on Saturday, December 2.

All this couldn't happen without the dedication, hard work, and strong community support of our volunteers and supporters. In preparing for this newsletter, we went back five years to assemble, as best we could, the names of everyone who has helped in any way, and the result is an impressive list of almost 900 names! The beauty of EVA's Main Street program is that it doesn't rely on the vision or inspiration of one person but draws from the energy, ideas, and participation of all volunteers and supporters. As we move forward, we need your financial support more than ever to support our growing list of projects and to keep the EVA engine running. We also need your input and efforts. I encourage you to join us as a committee member or a project worker—to share with us your ideas and vision for a vibrant and welcoming community. Together we can continue to make amazing things happen. Enfield Village, embraced by the river and bordered by the Rail Trail, is a little jewel, and it's starting to shine.

Sharon Carr, Executive Director

Contributors to the Enfield Village Association Main Street Program 2001-06

The people and businesses listed below have contributed their time, talent, and dollars to our downtown. Many of them have contributed in all three ways. Their generosity has made possible all the good things happening in downtown Enfield.

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Being a member of the Promotion Committee has made me feel like I can finally give something back.

> Molly Finger, Enfield resident

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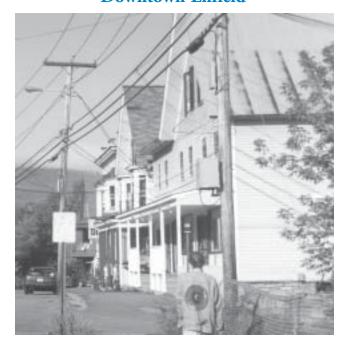
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Downtown Enfield



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We have been so encouraged by the way the Enfield community has joined together to create what is rapidly becoming a lovely downtown area.

> Albert and Suzanne Evans, Enfield residents



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It's my hope that others like me, who are now understanding what EVA does, will join me in supporting this worthwhile organization.

> Dominic C. Albanese, Enfield resident

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Hardworking EVA **Volunteers**

78 Main Street

Thanks to EVA and the Enfield Community Gardeners, the Village is now a place we can be proud of.

> Janice Staggs, Enfield resident

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