



The 47th Annual First Parish (United Methodist) Service was held in the Historic Methodist Church Feb. 17. Twenty-five children were in the audience and 600 guests were present.

Sexting Scandal Reminds About the Dangers of Sharing Private Photos

By Michael Robinson

HARDWICK — A recent “sexting” scandal offers a reminder to the community of the perils of sharing intimate photos.

On Feb. 11, a former Haven Union High School student filed a lawsuit to the extent of damages of sexually explicit content sent to him via text messages. The lawsuit was filed in Chittenden County Superior Court in St. Johnsbury.

Chittenden Public Department (CPD) Detective Brian LaFollette, who is investigating the case, said he told the defendant that this type of incident is more common than many parents and adolescent professionals may understand.

“Whether it be through photos or sexting, when kids are exchanging photos back and forth with each other, unfortunately it can go to a great deal,” he said. “It is surprising that in the investigation a lot of parents are not involved.”

According to the affidavit, the defendant, who is 17 years old, sent explicit photos to the plaintiff, a 15-year-old girl, via text messages. The defendant also sent explicit photos to the plaintiff via social media. The defendant also sent explicit photos to the plaintiff via email.

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LaFollette said he has seen the photos from his unit, and it is in the public domain. He mentioned that parents should be talking with their kids the best they can about these dangers.

“Each one is not only going to get a criminal record, but they are getting a juvenile record,” he said. “It is a permanent record that stays with them for the rest of their lives. It is a permanent record that stays with them for the rest of their lives. It is a permanent record that stays with them for the rest of their lives.”

Uncertainty Continues on Act 46 as Judge Defers Merger Decision

By Doug McCreary

ST. ALBANS — For over a month, people on both sides of the Act of School Reorganization have expressed a critical view of a hearing on federal merger on February 12. Instead, Superior Court Judge Robert White made no decision on sending or not sending an injunction against the federal merger. Mr. White said that he would make a decision on the merits of the case, which will be held on March 12. He also said, without giving any indication of sending an injunction, that the federal merger process will be fully started this week, with organizational meetings to start the traditional Union, Orleans, Southwestern Union, Elementary School District (OSUED) had the meeting last night for the first time. The meeting was held at the home of the defendant, Robert White, in the town of Southwestern Union. The meeting was held at the home of the defendant, Robert White, in the town of Southwestern Union.

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School Athletics Foster Concerns Over Competition

By Jane Phelan Cook

CHAFFETTS — Planning a full athletic team is a challenge for small, rural schools. Assessing a merged district to see how much staff, especially for athletes that provide their students the option of playing for other schools.

The more money there is, how merged they should use local programs. In Chaffetts, Assistant CAJ Phelan Murr (Groveville) said it is a problem in terms of staff.

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Stand up to drive in an area at any age. A Chittenden judge in a federal merger case in a hearing regarding a merger of some of the county's schools.

Overdue Payment Causes Concerns

By Jane Phelan Cook

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