



Dan Patch NEWS

Work on depot mixes old with new

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There has been a lot of action on the outside of the depot. Perhaps you have noticed the stakes for the deck/ramp, sidewalk and brick walk. Final grading is happening and the footings will be going in for the deck/ramp. Next week, the painting will begin.

Now, let's move to the interior. As you know, Annette Grant signed a five-year lease to operate a coffee shop. Well, actually it is more than that as she plans to have soup, sandwiches, gelato, homemade candies, etc. Seating is planned for 44 and she is accepting donations of antique chairs to go with the tables. Members of the Savage Art Studios will be painting the donors names on the chairs. She is adding a fireplace to the freight room, where the floor timbers are being preserved, along with the "famous three steps" going into that room. Interior painting is commencing, too, along with some of the kitchen install. She has hired a manager and is taking applications for employment. Planned opening is late May or early June. Check her Web site at www.dpcoffeedepot.com for more up-to-date information.

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