SOFIA AND BRYCE: A SUCCESSFUL CO-OP
by Elizabeth Flood, Marketing & Communications Manager

From January until the end of June, NewTV was lucky to have two co-ops from Northeastern University, Sofia Cianca and Bryce Dearden. In their time at NewTV, they worked on a variety of projects (in all kinds of weather).

They helped film PSAs, the Mayor’s Community Breakfast, and the graduations at Newton South and Newton North. They filmed events at the Newton Free Library and acted as PAs for Another Age Productions.

Both Sofia and Bryce study media at Northeastern. Sofia is a Media, Arts & Communication major with a minor in Psychology. Bryce is a Media, Screen Studies & Communication major with a minor in Film Production.

The co-op helped them gain practical experience in media, they each said. Bryce had wanted to study film since high school and interning at NewTV allowed him to access high-tech equipment. “I’m a lot more confident and comfortable with this kind of equipment now,” Bryce said at the end of the co-op. (Continued on page 3)

(END OF) SUMMER SOCIAL RECAP
by Elizabeth Flood, Marketing & Communications Manager

The end of summer can sometimes be met with signs and groans. At NewTV though, we decided to celebrate it with ice cream and live music.

On August 21, over 60 guests joined us to attend NewTV’s (End of) Summer Social, including Mayor Ruthanne Fuller. Though the day was rainy, we had a blast, enjoying ice cream and a performance from Livingston Taylor inside.

Ice cream was provided by Cabot’s, JP Licks, and the RCN Ice Cream Truck. Bakers’ Best donated cupcakes and other desserts.

To cap off the evening, Livingston Taylor sang. With a microphone and guitar, Livingston treated NewTV’s guests to a live performance in our soundstage. Special thanks to High Output for providing us with audio equipment for the night.

Thank you also to our sponsors for the event: Rockland Trust, Village Bank, and the Newton-Needham Chamber. We hope everyone who came had a great time. To view photos of the event, please check out our Facebook album.
MISSION STATEMENT

NewTV is an Emmy® Award-winning, state-of-the-art media center dedicated to providing quality local programming and training to the diverse Newton community. As a non-profit organization, NewTV’s three channels (Community, Education and Government) provide an accessible platform for expression and innovation — an alternative voice to mainstream media.
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Sofia was less sure about whether video would play a role in her future, but her time at NewTV gave her hands-on opportunities to get comfortable with filming. “I learned everything I know here,” she said, in reference to her new shooting capabilities.

Their most extensive project was their final one, a 30-minute documentary completely produced and edited by them. The documentary, titled “The International Dream,” explores the lives of international students at Northeastern University and the steps they took to study here.

For Sofia and Bryce, the topic was important to them because many of their friends are international students. In 2018, Northeastern had the third largest international student population for any university in the US.

Sofia herself is from Italy so she went through her own experience of travelling miles away from home for university. She says her experience though was easier than many of her peers because she is also an American citizen through her mother.

The documentary focuses on three of their peers, all international students, and includes an interview with the Northeastern President. On June 27, NewTV hosted a screening for the documentary, attended by friends of Sofia and Bryce and NewTV members.

The screening gave Sofia and Bryce the chance to talk about the project and how the filming process went. Overall, the film gives a clear picture of what it is like to be an international student in the US, navigating a different culture and being so far from home.

Thank you to the members and guests who attended the screening! We can’t wait to see what Sofia and Bryce do in the future.
Summer Volunteer Spotlight

NewTV would like to recognize Howie Kaufman for his contributions to the station. Howie is a new member at NewTV but has hit the ground running. He started by volunteering on several shows to gain experience in the studio and has since started his own show, MoneyWise. Howie is a hardworking individual who has taken all the challenges that a new show brings head-on and has been able to create an interesting program that is also informative for all viewers. For his hard work and effort at the station, Howie will receive a gift card. Be on the lookout in the winter newsletter for our fall Volunteer Spotlight.

New Member Orientation

Orientations are held on Mondays at 7:00pm. The four different orientations are Studio Production Orientation, Field Production Orientation, Post-Production Orientation, and Podcasting Orientation.

Calling all Volunteers!

Are you looking for an opportunity to learn television production? Have you ever wondered what it’s like to work on a studio crew? Once you’ve taken our studio production classes, you can begin shadowing other crew members or jump right in and volunteer on some of our shows, including Museum Open House, Innovation Showcase, Living in the 21st Century, Boston Media Theory, Trailblazers, and more! Most programs are produced once a month while others are produced weekly during the day and at night. There are always opportunities to get involved so you’ll be able to find something that fits into your schedule. To learn more, contact info@newtv.org.

UPCOMING EVENTS

NewTV’s Election Night Coverage
Tuesday, November 5, 7:30pm
NewTV’s Government Channel
Tune in online or to our Government Channel on November 5 to watch our live election night coverage. We’ll be delivering election results directly from our studio, covering both School Committee and City Council races. Be sure to also follow along on social media with #NewTVDecision2019.

SUMMER PHOTO CONTEST: WINNERS ANNOUNCED

We had so many great submissions this year! Congrats to Aidan Vahey, winner of the Best Overall Photo with “Bridge to Knowledge.” View the other winning photos on our website.

SPECIALTY WORKSHOPS

Introduction to Adobe Photoshop and Illustrator
Instructor: Matt Freund
In this class we’ll go over the basics of Photoshop and Illustrator, which will set you up for success. Topics we’ll cover in PS will include: the interface, layers, working with text, essential tools like the magic wand, quick selection tools, and masks. Topics we’ll cover in Illustrator will include: creating different shapes, drawing with the pen tool, and working with text, colors and gradients. Prerequisite: Orientation; Minimum enrollment: 4; Fee: $40
Date: TBD (see newtv.org/classes for update)

Advanced Adobe Premiere
Instructor: Matt Freund
Are you looking to improve your editing skills in Premiere? Dive deeper into the program and learn two essential skills to bring your editing to the next level: color correction and multi-cam editing. Prerequisite: Basic Adobe Premiere; Minimum enrollment: 4; Fee: $40
Date: TBD (see newtv.org/classes for update)
COMMUNITY CHANNEL UPDATE
by Brian Hebert, Director of Member Services

This summer has seen several new beginnings within the Community Channel. Two new shows, VAC Sports and MoneyWise, have started, and several members have begun podcasting. Helping with these new shows have been the bevy of interns that have been working with the Community Channel this summer. These interns have tried out every role, from director to teleprompter, which has been a huge help with shows and event coverage. Looking ahead, the Community Channel will be steering members down more specific paths in order for them to accomplish their goals at NewTV. Starting this fall, members will be able follow certain “tracks.” Whether you are interested in volunteering, producing a show, filming in the field, podcasts, or editing techniques, we have a track for you.

EDUCATION CHANNEL UPDATE
by Stephen M. Kessinger, Director of Government & Educational Media

School is back in session! We hope everyone had a fun and exciting summer. Our staff was busy covering all of the Arts in the Parks concerts; this series of diverse music performances will be a great way to relive the warmer months. The transition into the new school year will bring fresh perspectives from our students, who get to share what they are learning in the classroom and beyond. NewTV is a great place for high school and college students to learn video production through hands-on experience and produce an independent project from start to finish. Our Education Channel internships offer flexibility throughout the year with for credit or non-credit tracks; apply by visiting newtv.org/internships.

GOVERNMENT CHANNEL UPDATE
by Stephen M. Kessinger, Director of Government & Educational Media

Newton has important elections coming up this fall, and NewTV will be airing its live election coverage at 7:30pm on November 5. Races for School Committee and City Council will be covered. NewTV will broadcast its coverage on multiple platforms: on the Government Channel and live streaming on the NewTV website and Facebook Live. RCN subscribers can watch in HD on channel 581. NewTV is partnering again with the League of Women Voters for the debate pre-production. Candidates’ messages will be recorded in the studio and uploaded to Vimeo. NewTV will also air the messages on the Government Channel every day for two to three weeks until the election. Newton News Director Jenn Adams will also be hosting coverage with in-studio guests, interviews, and field reports from candidates’ parties. On election night, the results will be delivered live from the studio.

UPDATE
by Jenn Adams, News Director

Get ready! It’s election season. There is one preliminary race for Ward Councilor in Ward 5 on September 10. Only registered voters from Ward 5 may vote in this preliminary election. Newton News will showcase the highlights of this debate before September 10 and highlights from the rest of the contested races afterwards to help you get to know your candidates. Make sure you tune in on November 5 for our Decision 2019 election night coverage. Newton News also wishes good luck to interns Jason Seigel, Geena Levine, and Helen Kim as they return to school. And best of luck to Ryan Keaveney in his new job as production assistant at Wayland TV. Of course, if you have a story idea or an aspiring journalist in need of an internship, please send them our way.
Most NewTV programs are produced by member volunteers. Members’ programs are on the Community Channel (C). Shows produced by local schools & colleges are shown on the Education Channel (E). Newton City programs are on the Government Channel (G). Additional programs are produced by NewTV Staff.

Please visit our website at newtv.org for a complete schedule with airtimes.

**COMMUNITY CHANNEL**
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**Animal Communication with Rachel Selikoff**
Series helping us to understand our animals. (Rachel Selikoff) Wed, 9:00pm

**Boston Media Theory**
Monthly discussion on topics involving various fields of media. (Marcus Breen) Mon, 9:00pm

**Cognitum**
Interviews with scientists and technologists regarding the state and future of their fields. (Mariya Gershteyn) Wed, 7:30pm

**Common Ground**
Monthly political roundtable discussion. (Ken Parker) Thurs, 7:30pm

**From Where I Sit**
Opens the doors to the world of disability. (George Donahue) Wed, 7:00pm

**Innovation Showcase**
Weekly series featuring inventors and entrepreneurs. (Jay Sugarman) Wed, 7:00pm

**The League Presents . . .**
Roundtable discussion with League of Women Voters members. (Maureen Reilly Meagher) Thurs, 7:30pm

**Legal Angle**
A legal perspective on current news. (Ken Parker & Matthew Yospin) Tues, 7:00pm

**Living in the 21st Century**
Series focusing on the concerns people face in the 21st century. (Errol Forde) Mon, 6:30pm

**MoneyWise**
Monthly show focusing on smart spending habits. (Howie Kaufman) Tues, 5:00pm

**Museum Open House**
Weekly series featuring upcoming events at local museums. (Jay Sugarman) Thurs, 9:30pm

**Newton News**
Weekly local news produced by NewTV. Daily, 6:00pm (C); Daily, 8:30am, 1:00pm, 6:00pm & 10:00pm (E)

**Newton Nomadic Theater Story Slam**
Open mic community storytelling. (Jerry Reilly) Sat, 10:00pm

**New World Wrestling Extreme**
Quarterly wrestling program. (Robert Santonastaso) T-F, midnight

**On the Sunny Side of the Street**
Monthly show on life concerns. (Tod Gross) Tues, 6:30pm

**Podcasts**
A variety of podcasts on different topics. (Multiple producers) Thurs, 10:00am

**Poetic Lines**
An in-depth discussion with local poets. (Elizabeth Lund) Tues, 9:00pm

**Setting Our Course in Newton**
Public forums covering best strategies for the future of Newton. (Christopher Pitts) Sun, 10pm

**Taxpayer Talk**
Monthly discussion on smarter ways for the city of Newton to spend taxpayers’ money. (Sande Young) Tues, 8:30pm

**That’s the Law! With Attorney B. J. Krintzman**
Monthly, live discussion on legal issues. (B. J. Krintzman) Tues, 7:30pm

**VAC Sports Show**
Monthly series on mainly Boston sports. (Michael Procaccini) Wed, 1:30pm

**Virginia’s Views and Vibes**
Bi-weekly series on local and state affairs. (Ginny Gardner & Rebecca Johnson) Mon, 7:30pm

**What’s Your Story?**
Compelling life stories from local community members. (Sara Cohen) Wed, 8:30pm

**EDUCATION CHANNEL**
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**Animal Adventures**
Learn about reptiles and exotic animals in this dynamic show taking place at the Animal Adventures Family Zoo in Bolton, MA. M-F, 10:30am

**Arts in the Parks**
Be entertained by a range of musical acts and performances as part of the City of Newton’s Arts in the Parks series. T/Th/Sat/Sun, 6:00am

**Children’s Corner**
Children’s show produced by Slouch & Friends. M-F, 3:30pm

**Create a TV Show!**
Series of original programs produced by Newton Community Education’s TV classes. M-F, 4:30pm & Sat, 9:30am

**Educational Documentaries**
Various educational topics from different producers. Sun, 1:30pm

**The Folklorist**
NewTV’s Emmy Award-winning show. Hidden history revealed! T/Th, 7pm & Sun, 9:30pm

**High Five Fitness**
Weekly series of jazz aerobic exercise. Daily, 9:00am

**I Can Be Me . . . Better Than Anyone**
Musical kids’ show produced in Maine. M-F, 10:00am

**Mindfulness Series**
Series of lectures produced by Newton Community Education. M-F, 11:00am
Newton School Productions
Performances and projects from all public schools. T/Th, 10:30pm; Sat, 6:30pm; Sun, 9:30am

School Committee Meetings
Replays every Wednesday at 10:30pm (E); W/Sat, 7:30pm & T/Th/Sun, 8:00am (G)

School Matters
Education topics with Margie Ross Decter M-F, 5:30pm and S/S, 7:30pm

Scientifically Speaking
Daily variety of science programming. M-F, 2:00pm

Student Productions
A variety of productions and short films made by Newton students and interns. M/W/F, 7:30pm and T/Th, 10:30pm

TeenTV
Teen news program produced by Home, Inc. in Cambridge. M-F, 4:00pm

Tiger Vision
Monthly magazine show produced by NNTV students. M-F, 6:30pm

ZooTube TV
Program about the animals at the Staten Island Zoo. M-F, 10:30am

GOVERNMENT CHANNEL
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Beyond the Badge
Hosted by Middlesex Sheriff Peter J. Koutoujian. Daily, 3:00pm

City Council Meetings
Sun/T/Th, 7:30pm; M/W/Sat, 8:00am

Events at the Newton Free Library
Series of lectures by experts on diverse topics. Daily, 1:00pm

Historic Newton Presents
Lectures and tours devoted to the history of Newton. Daily, 4:00pm

The Newton Free Library Presents
Books and Beyond
Monthly interviews with local authors, artists and performers. Daily, 7:30am & 5:00pm

School Committee Meetings
W/Sat, 7:30pm & T/Th/Sun, 8:00am

Senior Scene
Covering relevant topics for Massachusetts seniors. Daily, 5:30pm

GET INVOLVED

MEMBERSHIP
It’s easy to become a NewTV member. Any Newton resident, non-profit organization, or business can join NewTV for a small annual membership fee. Once you’ve signed up, you are eligible to take any classes or workshops offered by NewTV, use any of NewTV’s equipment, and book the conference room or studio, all free of charge with your membership. For more information, visit newtv.org/membership.

COMMUNITY PARTNERS
NewTV offers partnership opportunities to businesses and non-profit organizations alike, in the form of program sponsor, event sponsor, newsletter sponsor and web-related sponsorship. As a state-of-the-art media center in the Greater Boston region, NewTV can provide your business with maximum exposure for a minimal cost. By becoming a Community Partner you will increase your company’s visibility through our cable channels, active website, widely-read newsletter and other event materials distributed regularly to our viewers and members.

Your partnership with NewTV will help to support our successful Lipof internship program—a newly created scholarship fund for aspiring college-bound students—and new informational and educational programs for our ever-growing viewership. Our menu includes three-year commitments for each of the levels of sponsorship. NewTV will also entertain an in-kind service partnership if it benefits both parties. For more information, visit newtv.org/support.

INTERNSHIPS
NewTV offers interns unique opportunities that aren’t available elsewhere. Instead of answering phones and working at an assignment desk, you could cover a community event for Newton News, edit a documentary for the Government Channel, work on your own project with the Education Channel, or even design marketing and promotional materials for the station. At NewTV, you get the hands-on experience that you won’t get anywhere else. For more information, visit newtv.org/internships.

CLASSES
NewTV features over 20 classes each quarter and also hosts several additional workshops throughout the year focusing on a range of topics. To use NewTV’s equipment, you must be a Newton resident, be a member in good standing, and have attended an orientation session. You can then choose to take any classes within our four production tracks: Studio Production, Field Production, Post-Production, and Podcasting. You may also take any of our other computer-based or continuing education classes. For more information visit newtv.org/classes.
New Members
NewTV welcomes the following new members:

Anthony Aninno  Samuel Danis  Kate Pride
Isaac Bates  Scott Dunlop  Marisa Ray
Joe Bates  Jennifer Fillingame  Jason Rosenblum
Sasha Bates  Kathryn Franz  Celina Bliss Siegel
James Becker  George Goetz  Elaine Smollin
Andy Chen  Joannes Leatham  Flannery Sockwell
Alexandra Danis  Kristin Loeffler  Maeve Sockwell
Marijo Danis  Elizabeth Murphy  Rowan Sockwell
Peter Danis  Emily Norton

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