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## Wolfeboro Gears Up for Eighth Annual Gingerbread House Jubilee

Harmony Coffee House will host the popular holiday season event

WOLFEBORO, N.H. — The Gingerbread House Jubilee will return for its eighth annual celebration. This unique event will take place at Harmony Coffee House, located at 21 Central Avenue in Wolfeboro, NH, from 10 am-12 pm on Saturday, November 30.

Several gingerbread cottages made by visitors to the workshop of <u>Gingerbread Amy</u> will be on display and offered free of charge on a first-come, first-served basis. Gingerbread Amy recommends arriving early to take advantage of the best selection, and she will also offer free gift wrapping if attendees desire. "This year is extra special. Wolfeboro has been so good to me and I'm seeing our beautiful borough with fresh eyes and a renewed heart."

The Gingerbread House Jubilee grew out of three of Knapp's great passions: the town of Wolfeboro, the Christmas season and the art of making gingerbread houses. Knapp's great grandparents built a house in town, around the corner from the Yum Yum Shop, establishing her lifelong connection to the community. Her mother was born on Christmas Day and instilled in her daughter a love of all things Christmas.

In several years of spectacular surprises, Knapp was named "Maker of the Month" by Surebonder, a manufacturer of high-quality adhesives, fasteners, glue guns and related accessories. She likes to say "it's not a sin to use hot glue; it's sin to lie about it" but she prefers using royal icing as her only adhesive, practicing the craft in the traditional way.

Also, in a more recent surprise, Gingerbread Amy was named the president of the gingerbread house division by <u>The Property Sisters</u> of Chautauqua in Jamestown, New York. The Property Sisters are the super hosts who manage <u>Gingerbread Amy's vacation rental</u> which is just around the corner from the National Comedy Center.

Gingerbread Amy travels all around for events and demonstrations, spending December in a sweet hotel for an unusual residency. She drives across country in her car of gingerbread, dreaming mostly of peace and quiet and being able to work creatively as much as possible while investing in primary relationships until her dying day.

"I love how this gig is," she says. "It's simple, sweet, engaging and organic."

To learn more about Gingerbread Amy and the Gingerbread House Jubilee, visit GingerbreadAmy.com or send her an email at GgProductionsInc@mac.com (put "GINGERBREAD" in the subject line).