

# Belmont residents celebrate a favorite snack

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BELMONT – If one were to mix some juggling feats with a touch of comedy, add a little magic and some zany antics, then stir it all together to create a great family night out, that's just what was enjoyed by both young and old last Friday as part of Belmont's ongoing 150th Anniversary celebration.

Since April 12 was National Grilled Cheese Day, the evening kicked off with many different kinds of grilled cheese sandwiches prepared by Belmont's Special Events Coordinator, Gretta Olson-Wilder, and members of the Belmont Rotary. It was all free of charge and came with chips, drinks and dessert.

"I was looking up na-



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Maddie Scarponi looked amazed when she held up two spinning plates and a ball as part of comedic juggler Bryson Lang's performance last Friday.

tional days like that and saw National Grilled Cheese Day fell on a Friday night this year, and I thought that was perfect for a family night out," said Olson-Wilder.

When dinner was

over, comedic juggler Bryson Lang headed up on stage to cap the evening off with his fun filled style of entertainment.

After starting off by juggling six tennis balls,

Lang moved up to nine balls (actually three plastic containers with three tennis balls in each) then eight balls, which turned out to be a few rubber balls that actually ap-

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COURTESY

Pictured: Elaine Cartier, Hospice Administrator, NH State Senator Harold French, NH State Senator Bob Giuda and Tabitha Dowd, Executive Director.

of State Surveyors to every Home Health and Hospice agency in the country, every three years. Then they release those results on the Home Health Compare website, [www.medicare.gov/home-healthcompare](http://www.medicare.gov/home-healthcompare) or [www.medicare.gov/hospice-compare](http://www.medicare.gov/hospice-compare) for Home Hospice agencies.

On Tuesday, April 2, it was Franklin VNA & Hospice's turn for their Hospice survey. This survey was the first one under Hospice Administrator Elaine Cartier and Executive Director Tabitha Dowd, both of whom were

complimented by the CMS surveyors for the well-organized program and swift response to all the surveyors' requests.

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