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Announcing Startup Nashua: Launch, Grow, Prosper – Greater Nashua Small Business Week

(Nashua, NH April 2, 2018-) **Startup Nashua** is a celebration of Greater Nashua’s small businesses and will take place Monday, April 30, 2018, through Friday, May 4, 2018. The theme this year is, *Startup Nashua: Launch, Grow, Prosper*. Throughout the week, programs will be offered in all areas of business entrepreneurship with community leaders and business constituents. Startup Nashua will coincide with National Small Business Week, which began in 1963 when the President of the United States began the small business movement to highlight the programs and services available to entrepreneurs throughout the Small Business Administration and other local agencies.

In keeping with this spirit, a collaborative effort by local Nashua groups, institutions and business leaders will promote innovation, entrepreneurship and business growth by offering free programs to attendees throughout the week. The programs are tailored for individuals that are nurturing a business idea, have launched a small business, or who are growing a business in the greater Nashua area. The Greater Nashua community offers an expansive network of resources to support entrepreneurs and startup businesses. With Startup Nashua, attendees can get insight into all the available resources at their disposal as they begin or build their ventures.

Leading these efforts during small business week are: the Office of Mayor Jim Donchess, the Greater Nashua Chamber of Commerce, Rivier University, the Center for Women & Enterprise, Makelt Labs and the Nashua Innovation Center.

Seminars, classes, and tours will be offered throughout the week, which will begin with an Opening Reception on Monday, April 30th at Rivier University and will include the Greater Nashua Chamber of Commerce’s 2018 EXPO Nashua on May 3, 2018, at Sky Meadow Country Club. For more information on exhibiting at the 2018 EXPO Nashua, please contact Patrick O’Mara at the Chamber at (603) 881-8333 or visit www.nashuachamber.com

For a full calendar of the week’s events, visit: www.startupnashua.com

The Nashua Innovation Center (NIC), a NH Non-Profit organization, is a friendly expert community for entrepreneurs that fosters learning from mentors, advisors and fellow entrepreneurs. For more information regarding NIC, go to: www.nashuainnovation.com

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