

FRYE ISLAND NEWS SERVICE

Town of Frye Island

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NEW OFFICE HOURS
MONDAY THRU SATURDAY—9:00 TO 3:00
SUNDAY—closed

PLEASE NOTE: The office will be closed Tuesday , June 3rd, for training and computer updates.

NOTICE

SAD#6 Budget Referendum and State of Maine Referendum

Tuesday, June 10 - 10:00 am - 8:00 pm

Volunteers needed—Ballot Counters for morning and afternoon-evening shifts, and a warden...please call Conrad or Pat at the Town office if you can help.

2003 MEETING SCHEDULE

SELECTMENS MEETINGS

Saturdays, May 31, June 21, July 19, and August 23
9 AM—Community Center

FII BOARD OF DIRECTORS—

FRIDAY, June 13th-8:00 PM—Community Center

MARINA COMMITTEE

SATURDAY, May 31-9 AM— Community Center

YACHT CLUB MEETING

SATURDAY, May 31—9 AM—Community Center

GOLF COMMITTEE

3rd Sunday of each month following Scramble

RECREATION COMMISSION

SATURDAY, June 14— 1:00-Community Center

PLANNING BOARD

SATURDAY, June 7-9:00 AM—PUBLIC HEARING

APPEALS BOARD

Scheduled Meeting—Friday, June 27th—7:00 PM

GARDEN CLUB

2nd & 4th Saturday of each month—9 AM—Community Center

INDEPENDENCE DAY FIREWORKS CELEBRATION

SATURDAY, July 5th—DUSK—Long Beach Marina

MSAD #6 BUDGET REFERENDUM—(Vote for Town Residents)

Tuesday—June 10th—Community Center—Polls open @ 10 AM to 8 PM

Island Manager Comments



Long Beach Marina & Quail Circle Canal: The new docks have been installed at the Long Beech Marina. The final slip assignments will be completed this week. I will post them on the web site and also on the bulletin board outside the office.

FII Real Estate: The Real Estate bids that we have received have been presented to the FII Board of Directors. The Board members will now review the bids and walk the lots in preparation for making a determination on the bids at the June 13th meeting. At that meeting the Board can accept the bid, reject the bid, make a counter offer or request more information. Those bids that are accepted will be posted in accordance with the Real Estate Policy.

Septage Disposal: The Portland Water District charges a fee to dispose of septage at their facilities. In the past, the resident has paid the hauler and the dumping fee has been paid by the Town. At the March Selectmen's / Executive Board meeting it was voted to invoice the home owner for reimbursement of this dumping fee in the future. Periodically, the Water District invoices the Town for these fees. The invoice identifies the resident, the volume dumped, and the charges. We will be invoicing the home owner for these charges based on the information we receive from the Water District.

Ambulance Charges: The Raymond Rescue charges the Town \$200.00 per call when they are called to the Island. Last year there were 18 calls costing the Town \$3600.00. At the March Selectmen's / Executive Board meeting it was voted to invoice the user of these services for these charges in the future. In the situation where a renter requires these emergency services, the home owner will be invoiced. It will be the home owners responsibility to collect this fee from the renter.

Police Activity: We have received two vandalism complaints to date this year. An automobile was taken from a resident's driveway and driven around the Island and parked away from the owners home. No damage was reported to the vehicle. In a separate incident a rock was thrown through the car window of a resident's vehicle while the vehicle was parked in the owners driveway. The perpetrator has not been captured in either incident. YET.

In addition, the police officer on duty during the weekend reported the following:

- A female driver was operating a motor vehicle with a young child on her lap. It is a state law that young children are required to be secured in a child safety seat secured in a rear seat. A sudden stop or minor accident could cause the release of an air bag which could have resulted in a very serious injury.
- A minor was witnessed driving an unregistered golf cart. He was followed to his home and his father was informed of the infractions.
- A number of residents were detected speeding on Island roads. Some were clocked by radar going in excess of 40 miles per hour attempting to make the ferry.

No tickets were issued for these infractions. However, this will not always be the case. These and other infractions could become costly for those who do not heed the warnings.

Have a safe week!
Wayne

DEADLIINE FOR ARTICLES TO BE PRINTED IN THE FINS IS WEDNESDAY AT 3:00 P.M. ANYTHING RECEIVED AFTER THIS TIME IS NOT GUARANTEED IN THE CURRENT WEEKS IS-SUE.....ANY QUESTION CALL PAT AT 655-4551..



SIGN UP NOW!

**COMMUNITY YARD SALE
Community Center
Saturday, June 21 9-12**

A sign-up sheet to reserve a table for the Community Yard Sale is now available in the office. Each table (approximately 4') is \$10. There will also be space available in the parking lot for large items (cars, golf carts, boats, furniture, etc.) Each large item will be \$10. All proceeds from table and space rentals will go to the Fireworks Fund. You will keep all proceeds from your sales.

SIGN-UP A.S.A.P. as the number of tables is limited.

Questions? Call Nancy Perry, 655-5221.

Children's Fair:

Wanted: Island Crafters to come and display and sell their crafts at the Children's Fair at the site of the old rec hall on July 4th. For more details, please call Maria Charrette at 655 4714. Your calls will be returned.

In preparation for the Children's Country Fair on July 4th, I am gathering items to include at the "White Elephant" Children's table. Items may be "gently used" or new and must appeal to children and will be purchased for a small fee! (Books are also fine - they will be included at another table.) If you have any items you wish to contribute, please contact Andrea Sansonetti (655-7832, weekends or 207-883-0788, weekdays) so we may work out a pick-up time. Thanks for your help. Hope you'll join us at the Fair!



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**FRYE ISLAND GARDEN CLUB
INVITES YOU**

June 14 GARDEN CLUB MEETING 9 AM at Community Center

Everyone on Frye Island can be a Garden Club member. And everyone is especially invited to come to this June 14 meeting.

This is the topic: SHADE GARDENS - - - NATURALIZED LANDSCAPES

The speaker will be Ellen Klain. Ellen says she is especially interested in speaking about woodland gardens.



June 21 POT LUCK SUPPER and SLIDE SHOW ON PUFFINS

The Garden Club will be host to for what has become an annual get-together for all Frye Island families. It will start with a pot luck supper at 6 PM at the Community Center .Following the meal, there will be a program on one of Maine's favorite birds, the PUFFIN.Speaker will be Karen Lin, from the Maine Audubon Society. We remember her excellent presentations on Loons and Owls in past years.

Families are asked to sign up in the office and let us know how many in your family will be coming and whether you will bring: maine dish, salad, or dessert. Beverages will be provided.!

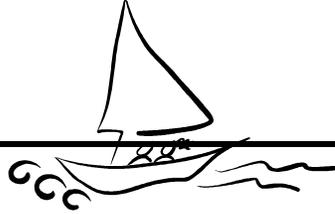
A GOOD TIME FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY and GUESTS!! Mark your calendar!!!!

**PROBLEMS WITH ANIMALS EATING YOUR BEAUTIFUL GARDENS
BOBBEX ALWAYS AVAILABLE AT 17 LEISURE LANE.....OR CALL CLAIRE LA DOW AT
655-7730**



The Frye Island Fire Department would like to remind everyone that there are no OPEN FIRES allowed on the Island.

For all emergencies, either fire or medical, dial 911, which is Raymond Emergency/Rescue Service.



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BOAT BUILDING CONTEST

Registration for the Children's Fair Boat Building Contest ends Sat. June 7. Teams of Frye Island families (one on the team must be 16 or younger) may enter and receive their building materials, free of charge, donated by Hancock and Red Mill lumber companies.

Materials for the boat will be picked up Saturday, June 28 on the island. Teams will have six days to complete their boats. They will have them ready for judging and a parade at the Children's Fair July 4.

These materials will be supplied: 2 sheets of 1/4 inch lauan plywood, 4' x 8' 4 8 foot long 2 x 4's
1 pound 3 penny galvanized nails
4 tubes construction adhesive

Your own paint may be added, if desired. No other materials to be used.

Everyone is a winner in at least one category - best construction, originality, creativity, speed, seaworthiness, attractiveness, most amazing, sleekest, etc . . .

Call Mary Deming, 655-4133 no later than June 7 to enter.



COMMUNITY CENTER NEWS: A SUNDAY TO REMEMBER

The memory bench dedication ceremony, on May 25th, was attended by close to 100 people. It began with a delicious breakfast, followed by an opening prayer led by Rev. Dr. Gordon Talbot. As the crowd moved outdoors, the skies cleared a bit, and endearing tributes were spoken by families and friends, as each bench was dedicated. Family members described what Frye Island has meant to them, and to their loved ones, over the years. I would like to thank everyone who participated in this very special day, from those who provided food and beverages, to those who brought and shared their stories and memories. A special thanks goes out to Ernest "Ozzie" Osborne, who not only made and set up the benches, but who also, along with his wife Karen, donated a large picnic table for the area. The Hadley, Aronson, Hall, Stafford, Donovan, Welter, Amato, and Molloy families and friends, not only provided us all with beautiful benches for the playground, tennis courts, basketball court, and community center, but they also provided everyone present with a renewed appreciation of how lucky we all are to have our own Frye Island memories, including this one.

Sincerely,
Jeanne Sullivan-Toomey



FRYE ISLAND CHAPEL

Weekly Non-Denominational Religious services are held at the Community Center every Sunday Morning from 9:00 to 9:30 AM

ALL ARE WELCOME

DRESS IS CASUAL.

Chaplain: Rev. Dr. Gordon Talbot
Season: Sunday May 25, through Sunday, October 12, 2003.

Established 1988

RUBBISH WILL BE PICKED UP ON SUNDAY AT 1:00. Please have rubbish ready...

THE BRUSH DUMP WILL BE OPEN WEDNESDAYDAYS, FRIDAYS, SATURDAYS AND SUNDAYS FROM 10:00 AM TO 1:00 PM

CERAMIC CLASSES

**Tuesday—June 24—6-8 PM
and Beginning on Monday, June 30 the following schedule each week through the summer.....**

Monday—10-12 AM

Tues.—6-8 PM

Friday—6-8 PM

A NEW SHEPHERD FOR OUR CHAPEL

FRYE ISLAND CHAPEL Welcomes the Rev. Dr. Gordon Talbot to his first full season as the Chaplain for our Sunday services. Regular attendees will remember Rev. Talbot who began this duties as Chaplain on FRYE ISLAND the two services at the end of last season and proved to be a dynamic speaker as well as an accomplished musician.

BEND IT LIKE BECKHAM AT FRYE ISLAND!!!

We are hoping to purchase soccer goals for our new ball field. I've done some research and determined it will cost ~\$2000 to get goals that are sturdy and portable. Last year we raised \$700.

Please consider donating money towards this worthwhile project! Send your tax deductible donations to the Town of Frye Island, earmarked soccer goals. Thank you!

Pick-up and other soccer activities will resume in mid-June. Annie Charrette



MARINA NEWS:

On Sat., May 31st, at 9am, a Yacht Club Membership/Marina Committee "working" meeting, is scheduled, at the Community Center. Those who plan to attend, should bring copies of the 1996 and 2003 versions of the Frye Island Yacht Club Policy Operations Handbooks, from which to work and reference. These documents are available on the Frye Island web page and in the town office. Those without computer access, may request these documents, in advance, from the town office. The public is welcome to attend.

ATTENTION BOATERS: Grandfathering hearings will be held on Saturday, May 31st, at the Yacht Club Membership/Marina Committee meeting. Although it is not mandatory that boaters seeking grandfathering present their cases before the Marina Committee, it is an opportunity to do so, prior to the Marina Committee submitting their recommendations regarding grandfathering to the FII Board. If you have any questions, contact Jeanne at 978-948-7821 or 655-2454.



CHILDREN'S FAIR—JULY 4TH 2003
11:00 AM—3:00 PM

A CHILDREN'S FAIR IS BEING PLANNED FOR FRIDAY, JULY 4TH. IT WILL BE HELD ON THE GROUNDS OF THE OLD REC HALL. SOME MAY WONDER WHY THIS LOCATION WAS CHOSEN OVER OTHER SEEMINGLY "BETTER SPOTS" ON THE ISLAND. THIS SITE WAS PICKED FOR SEVERAL REASONS BY THE CONSERVATION COMMISSION, SINCE ONE OF THEIR RESPONSIBILITIES IS PROPER OR GOOD USE OF COMMUNITY LANDS. THE FAIR WILL BE OUR WAY OF RE-INTRODUCING THIS AREA TO ISLANDERS. ALSO, SINCE THIS DATE WILL BE THE 20TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE ORIGINAL COUNTRY FAIR, IT SEEMS APPROPRIATE. IF YOU WERE NOT HERE AT THAT AT THAT TIME, OUR ISLAND WAS A FLEDGLING COMMUNITY AND WE WERE IN NEED OF FUNDS FOR VARIOUS AMENITY IMPROVEMENTS. (SOME THINGS NEVER CHANGE!!!!) SO, I VOLUNTEERED TO BE CHAIRPERSON OF A COUNTRY FAIR AT THE REC HALL AND GROUNDS. IT WAS VERY SUCCESSFUL AND ISLANDERS PITCHED IN, WORKED HARD AND HAD A LOT OF FUN DOING SO. THE FAIR WAS HELD FOR SIX YEARS IN A ROW, AND RAN IT'S COURSE, SO TO SPEAK. AS YOU ALL KNOW, OUR REC HALL BURNED TO THE GROUND A FEW YEARS AGO, AND THE LAND HAS BECOME RATHER OVERGROWN. HENCE, THE IDEA OF HAVING ANOTHER FAIR ON THAT PROPERTY, CLEAN UP THE LAND AND BEACH, AND MAKE IT MORE USEFUL. THE FOLLOWING IS A LIST OF THE ACTIVITIES PLANNED, WITH THE PERSON RESPONSIBLE AND THEIR ISLAND TELEPHONE NUMBER. IF YOU WISH TO HELP IN ANY WAY, YOU MAY CONTACT THE PROPER PERSON, OR CALL ME, CLAIR LA DOW 655-7730.

BAKE SALE	KATHY HOLGERSON	655- 7619
BOOK TABLE		
CHILDREN'S BOOKS ONLY	ANNIE CHARRETTE	3331
MOON WALK	JOAN SHAUGHNESSY	2690
CHILDREN'S GAMES	MARIE TEDFORD	4611
FACE PAINTING (ANY VOLUNTEERS)	WE STILL NEED SOMEONE	
BOAT BUILDING CONTEST	MARY DEMING	4133
FERRY BOAT KITS	JEAN SULLIVAN-TOOMEY	2454
ISLAND CRAFTERS	MARIA CHARRETTE	4714
PONY RIDES	JOAN SHAUGHNESSY	2690
RAFFLE	LOIS TREACY	2653
WHITE ELEPHANT (CHILDREN'S ONLY)	ANDREA SANSONETTI	7832
TICKET SALES	SUE NISULA	7294
DECORATIONS	RUTH BOURQUE	3593
PENNY CANDY	SUSAN GARDNER	4247
POPCORN/PUBLICITY	KATHY POTTS	3044
FOOD	JOYCE KUIKEN	7461
SODA	DEBBIE ANTHONY	2419

WITHOUT THE REC HALL BUILDING, WE FACE MANY CHALLENGES SUCH AS ELECTRICITY, TOILET FACILITIES ETC. HOWEVER, JOHN CROSBY HAS AGREED TO HELP WITH THE ELECTRICITY PROBLEM AND WE ARE IN HOPES OF IRONING OUT THE OTHERS AS THE TIME APPROACHES. PLEASE, IF YOU CAN HELP IN ANY WAY, KNOW OF A SOURCE FOR US OR WHATEVER, CALL US. IT'S A GREAT WAY TO MEET YOUR NEIGHBORS AND HAVE FUN. THIS FAIR IS FOR CHILDREN OF ALL AGES FROM THE VERY YOUNG TO THE NOT SO YOUNG AND EVERYONE IN BETWEEN.

CLAIR LA DOW, CHAIRPERSON & CONSERVATION COMMISSION



**LADIES OF THE LAKE LUNCHEON - JULY 1ST—12:00 Noon
FRYE'S LEAP CAFÉ**

Attention all islanders and their guests, save the date for our annual kick off of high season on our beautiful island retreat. Sign up in the Administrative Office for your choice of delicious menu offerings. Newcomers, this is a great way to make new friends. Regulars, it is a chance to catch up with the news. You don't want to miss this.

Show off your culinary creations



We need your help in making the bake sale at the Children's Fair on July 4th a success.

Please call Kathy Holgerson at 655-7619 or 617-846-0437 or call Carol Stenz at 203-846-1114 if you would like to help bake.

Thanks for your support!



FRYE ISLAND FERRY SERVICE

PLEASE NOTE THAT THE FERRY WILL BE LOADING BEFORE THE SCHEDULED TIMES AND LEAVING ON THE APPOINTED TIME. ONCE THE FERRY HAS LEFT THE LANDING, THEY WILL NOT BE RETURNING FOR LATE ARRIVALS. PLEASE PLAN ACCORDINGLY.

Contractors \$16.00 discounted tickets may ONLY be purchased in the Town Office. Please make arrangements for your contractors to have their tickets, otherwise the cost will be \$20.00 per ticket. Deliveries with no tickets or money will be turned away.

The 2003 Ferry Schedule is now on-line. You may also pick up a copy at the landing or in the office.

NOTE; ANY PROPERTY OWNERS HAVING OVERSIZED OR DUAL WHEEL TRUCKS MUST DISPLAY A PROPERTY OWNERS STICKER, WHICH IS AVAILABLE AT THE TOWN OFFICE. IF YOU DO NOT HAVE THIS STICKER YOU WILL BE CHARGED AS A NON-OWNER...



Our deepest sympathy goes out to Shirley Noble and family for the loss of Bob who passed away in April. Bob always greeted you with a nice smile. He was a great golfer and loved the game. We will miss seeing Bob on his golf cart riding around with Jetter.

From all his friends on the Island



BINGO BINGO BINGO
PRE-SEASON BINGO
SATURDAY, JUNE 7TH AND JUNE 14TH, 2003
COMMUNITY CENTER
.25 CENTS PER CARD OR 5 CARD FOR \$1.00
(PER GAME)
*******NO LARGE BILLS PLEASE*******

FRYE ISLAND BOOK GROUP SELECTIONS AND DATES

June 23 - LOVELY BONES by A.Siebold
 July 14 - LOVE IN THE TIME OF CHOLERS by G.Garcia Marquez
 August 4 - FOUNDING BROTHERS by J.J.Ellis
 August 25 - EMPIRE FALLS by R.Russo



All islanders and their guests are welcome to share conversation about these selections voted on last season. You need to have read at least half the book to enjoy the low key and lively discussions. We meet at the Community Center Library at 7:30 P.M.



Frye Island Recycling Program

The Town has a recycling bin located at the brush dump for the reception of some recycled items. The following items may be deposited in the *designated compartments. Newspapers (and magazines), #2 Plastic, Clear Glass, Metal Cans.* Please **DO NOT MIX ITEMS** in the compartments. Mixing causes contamination and the item lot is rejected and the town won't get any credit towards the tonnage of recyclables. Please help in making Frye Island a good example of recycling. If a compartment is full, as they sometimes are, do not overfill that compartment, or deposit in another compartment. *Only you can help to prevent contamination of the recycling dumpster compartments by depositing in proper designed compartments.* If you are not sure where to put items, ask the attendant or any Public Works employee. Please don't leave materials outside the dumpster, as the wind can blow them around and into the woods causing unsightly littering. Thank you for your cooperation! Let's make 2003 a great year for recycling!

GARDEN CLUB PLANT SALE

Last weekend's plant sale was a huge success despite the uncooperative weather. We had very little experience and had to depend on the knowledge and expertise of others to guide us. We marveled at how preparations appeared to run like clockwork with everyone knowing exactly what to do.

Thanks to everyone who helped us: Wayne and Pat in the office, John Crosby for readying the fire barn, all of the husbands who flexed their muscles to put up tents, and the Garden Club members who shopped, priced, and sold plants and baked goods. Maria Charette, Claire LaDow, Judy Comley, Sue Nisula, Mary Deming, Barbara Hannah, Nancy Perry, Susan Gardner, Sylvia O'Connor, Pat Karpacz, and Rita Lapati were there when needed, despite the damp and cold conditions. Our apologies and our thanks to anyone we might have forgotten to list.

Special thanks to all of the islanders who donated delicious cakes, cookies, pies and plants and who left the warmth and comfort of their cottages to support our sale.

Linda Thibodeau was the lucky winner of the painted Adirondack chair and Andy Broaddus won the dish garden.

Our profits, as always, will be used to beautify Frye Island. This year's project will be the completion of the Community Center walkway and the addition of a walkway to the new playground.

Debbi Anthony & Mary Ann Niles
Frye Island Garden Club Co-Presidents

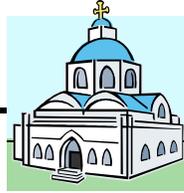
Revaluation Update

By Bob Tripp, Assessor

The field inspection phase of the Frye Island revaluation will start up again on Saturday May, 10, 2003. Over the next few weeks myself and three professional assessors will be visiting the cottages on the island that weren't inspected in the fall. In order to expedite the project I have enlisted the aid of Richard Main, former Freeport Assessor, Pat Dow, Windham Assistant Assessor, and Matt Sturgis, Cape Elizabeth Assessor. All three are Certified Maine Assessors and have many years of experience between them.

They will be reviewing the current information in the assessing records on each cottage and verifying the dimensions. Any changes will be noted on the new property record cards. Digital pictures will also be collected. If the cottage is vacant they will inspect the exterior and note if a later interior inspection is necessary. They will also make note of land details of importance. If we are unable to view the interior of your cottage you may make an appointment at a later date when you may be on the island.

The goal is to complete all inspections by mid to late June to allow valuation notices to be available in late July. At that time I will be available on Saturdays to discuss the new values and conduct any re-inspections that are necessary. I will be posting a list of recent sales, both on the website and the bulletin board at town hall. The final valuations will have to be ready for the fall town meeting. You should remember that although the property valuations will increase substantially, the tax rate will drop. Your tax may not increase, depending on several factors.



Proposed Town Office

At the July 6, 2002 Town Meeting, the island voters requested that the Boards look into replacing the existing Town Office for reasons described later in this document. After discussion between the FII Board and the BIT Executive Committee (BIT-EC), it was decided that the Town through the BIT-EC would be best to take on this task since the Town is the end user. The BIT-EC has been examining a potential off island property for the past several months as a potential winter office and possible partial summer office. This land was deemed not suitable after it was determined that a deed restriction would not be removed. At the March BIT-EC meeting, a committee was formed to review the status of existing facilities and to make recommendations for what the island's needs are for the foreseeable future. It was determined that this committee would be small and would rely heavily on open forum public hearings to gather islander's input and explain in detail the progress that the committee was making.

The existing winter office is located in rented space in N. Windham and currently serves most of our winter needs. The space is relatively low cost. This space requires moving the office twice a year.

The island office is located on the second floor of a FII owned building at the ferry landing and is leased to the Town. The building has a problem with the foundations (leaning), the second floor leans toward the lake, it is not handicap accessible, and sits above a restaurant in a wood frame building exposing town records to a higher than normal risk of destruction. The foundation problem can be fixed but at a cost of over \$75,000 (there is a plan to stabilize, not fix the foundations which does need to be implemented). The handicap accessible requirement can be met but at a cost of at least \$10,000 and the fire issue can really not be readily solved. There is also a significant parking issue especially during high season. It appears that a different space needs to be found or constructed to meet the Town needs.

There are three options that are currently being discussed which are as follows:

1. Find land off island or a suitable existing space as close to the island as possible and use this as both a summer and winter town office with a satellite office located on island which would sell ferry tickets and could provide some other island services as is deemed appropriate. This solution has the advantages of not having to move the office and all the records twice a year. This process costs about three weeks of office staff time due to setting up the records, computers etc.
2. Retain existing rental space off island for the winter office and build a new free standing office building somewhere on the island.
3. Retain existing rental space off island and construct an addition to the existing community center to house the town office. This solution has a number of cost benefits over solution number 2 as a number of requirements could be shared such as parking, electric service, septic system and
4. several more.

Please plan to attend the first public hearing on June 7th at 9:00 AM at the community center to provide your input on this issue.

PLEASE CONSIDER PARTICIPATING ON THE FII BOARD

What is the Board? – The Board consists of nine members who are elected by the stockholders each July to serve for a one year term. The Board then represents the stockholders on the various issues that come up during the course of the year.

What are the major issues the Board will be dealing with? – While there are several matters the Board will consider, the two big items for next year will be managing the real estate policy and considering the possible transfer of FII assets to the Town.

Real Estate Policy – FII owns hundreds of lots on the Island. Last year an updated Real Estate Policy was passed by the stockholders. This policy provides guidelines on selling and purchasing lots. As the real estate market is currently very active, there will be several proposed transactions that will come before the Board.

Transfer of Assets – FII owns a large majority of the assets on the Island. Almost everything that is not owned by a private individual is owned by FII. Most of these assets are leased to the Town. For a number of years there have been discussions regarding the possible transfer of assets to the Town. This may result in cost savings and reduced liability. In recent years the Board recommended that the water system be turned over to the Town. This was approved by a stockholder vote. The Board will continue evaluating the possible benefit of additional transfers. No transfer will occur without a full vote of the stockholders, but the Board will be very active in collecting information to present to the stockholders.

What is the Commitment? – Good question. There is a very important commitment – your time! Last year, in addition to the July and October stockholder meetings, the Board met eight times during the summer and two times during the winter. The average meeting during the summer lasts 2 to 3 hours. During the winter the meetings last 6 or 7 hours. It is not a problem if you live away from Maine during the winter. You are telephonically connected to the meetings through the wonders of modern technology.

A great candidate – All it takes to be a great candidate is your willingness to donate your time and to represent the stockholders to the best of your ability.

Real Estate Steering Committee – A wonderful alternative to serving on the Board would be serving on the Real Estate Steering Committee. This Committee will be formed in July to assist the Board in long and short term real estate planning.

If you are interested – If you are interested in the Board or Steering Committee, please submit your name to Wayne at the Office. This is a very good year to participate. Generally, between seven and nine incumbents run for re-election to the Board. This year at least five current members of the Board are “retiring”. There is plenty of room for new blood!!

Fireworks Celebration:

We are hoping to once again have our traditional fireworks on the July 4th weekend. We need your help. Please make a \$25.00 tax deductible donation payable to the town of Frye Island to help pay for the display. Make a note on the check that it is for the fireworks. Cash is also accepted. We need your help if we are to celebrate the Fourth of July the Frye Island way. Thank you.

STORE HOURS

MON-THURS 10AM-2PM
FRI 10AM-9PM
SAT 8AM-9PM
SUN 8AM-8PM

CAFÉ HOURS

FRI 5PM-9PM
SAT 8AM-9PM
SUN 8AM-9PM



We are keeping our fingers crossed that the sun will be shining and we can finally begin to dine outdoors. Rain or shine, we are still serving indoors at the Café. Come and visit the store and check out our new items that are arriving daily. Have a great weekend.

LEISURE LOUNGE

Lounge Hours

Monday - Thursday 8:00 am - 5:00 pm

Friday & Saturday 8:00 am - Midnight

Sunday 7:30 am - 6:00 pm

Phone number 655-3551

Leisure Lounge is located on Fairway Lane (adjacent to the golf pro-shop)



Looking for somewhere to go without leaving the island? Leisure Lounge is a great place to gather with friends and other islanders. We are open till midnight on the weekends. Every weekend we have \$3.00 drink specials. This weekend: **Rum & Coke**. Everyday, \$1.00 hotdogs, \$5.00 pizzas, \$3.00 root beer floats, and free popcorn & complimentary coffee.

Sports fans, we do have satellite.

SATURDAY, JUNE 21st...

♣♦♥♠ CRAZY CARDS

6:30 pm - 7:30 pm social hour

7:30 pm - 9:30 pm Games & Prizes

\$2.00 fee to cover prizes.

Thank You, Paul Lyons & Joe Bragga for a delicious turkey dinner this past Sunday. The turkeys were cooked on our new rotisserie grill. Also thank you to everyone else that helped in making it a successful event. Plans are being made for another dinner in the near future. We will keep you posted.

FRYE ISLAND GOLF CLUB

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

1 FAIRWAY LANE

655-3551

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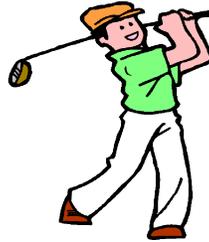
HOURS OF OPERATION

8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Monday through Thursday

8:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m. Friday

7:30 a.m. - 8:00 p.m. Saturday

7:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Sunday



RATES

Greens Fee:

Weekend \$28.00

Weekday \$18.00

Weekday Youth \$10.00

Twilight (after 5 p.m.) \$13.00

REMINDER: Memberships have to be renewed. If you are not a member and would like to be call for more information @ the clubhouse.

SUNDAY MORNING SCRAMBLE - Shotgun Start at 8:00 AM. Sign in by 7:45 a.m. or call 655-3551 to let us know that you will be playing.

Sunday Morning Scramble Results - 5/25/03

Cancelled due to weather conditions

Upcoming Tournaments

Saturday, May 31st @ 1:00 pm.

MEMBER/MEMBER RYDER CUP

2 person/ 18 holes (pick your own partner, net)

Saturday, June 14th

MIXED CHALLENGE

9 hole alternating shot

RALLY FOR A CURE will also be included (1 hole)

Sunday June 15th @ Noon

PARENT/CHILD

2 person scramble, 2 tee shots each

Results- KICK-OFF CLASSIC

1st Place Team

Kathy Lyons

Bill Gately

George Greenwich

Maura Sullivan

Tom Burgess

2nd Place Team

Bruce Nisula

Tom Bishop

Bob Thurston

Judy Burgess

Vic Solomini

3rd Place Team

Paul Lyons

Bill Tessier

Mike Hurley

Patty Meyer

Tom Canty

**Town of Frye Island
Planning Board**

Notice of Public Hearing

Saturday, June 7, 2003 at 9:00 am

This hearing will start immediately following the Public Hearing
on Town Office proposals

Community Center

1. Change to the Zoning Map

Rezone lot 509 (approximately 12 acres at the southern end of
Frye Island) from Rural to Residential

2. Change in Land Use Ordinance

Revise language of Requirements for Non-conforming Lots,
§ 101-1-4, ¶ D.2.

This is a public meeting. The public is urged to attend.

WORK PARTY FOR QUAIL CIRCLE

**A WORK PARTY FOR QUAIL CIRCLE CANAL CLEAN-UP HAS BEEN
SCHEDULED FOR SATURDAY, JUNE 28TH (RAIN DATE JUNE 29TH)
FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT CHARLES AREY OR JOHN
ATKINSON.**