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All Fire, Medical or Police Emergencies –
Call 911
Non-Emergency Number
Frye Island Police – 207-749-7614

TOWN OF FRYE ISLAND
OFFICE HOURS
TUESDAY THRU SATURDAY
9:00AM – 3:00PM
SUNDAY & MONDAY - CLOSED

ALL EMAIL FOR THE FINS SHOULD NOW BE ADDRESSED TO THE FOLLOWING: nmcenaney@fryeisland.com, DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION IS WEDNESDAY 3:00PM

Island Manager Comments

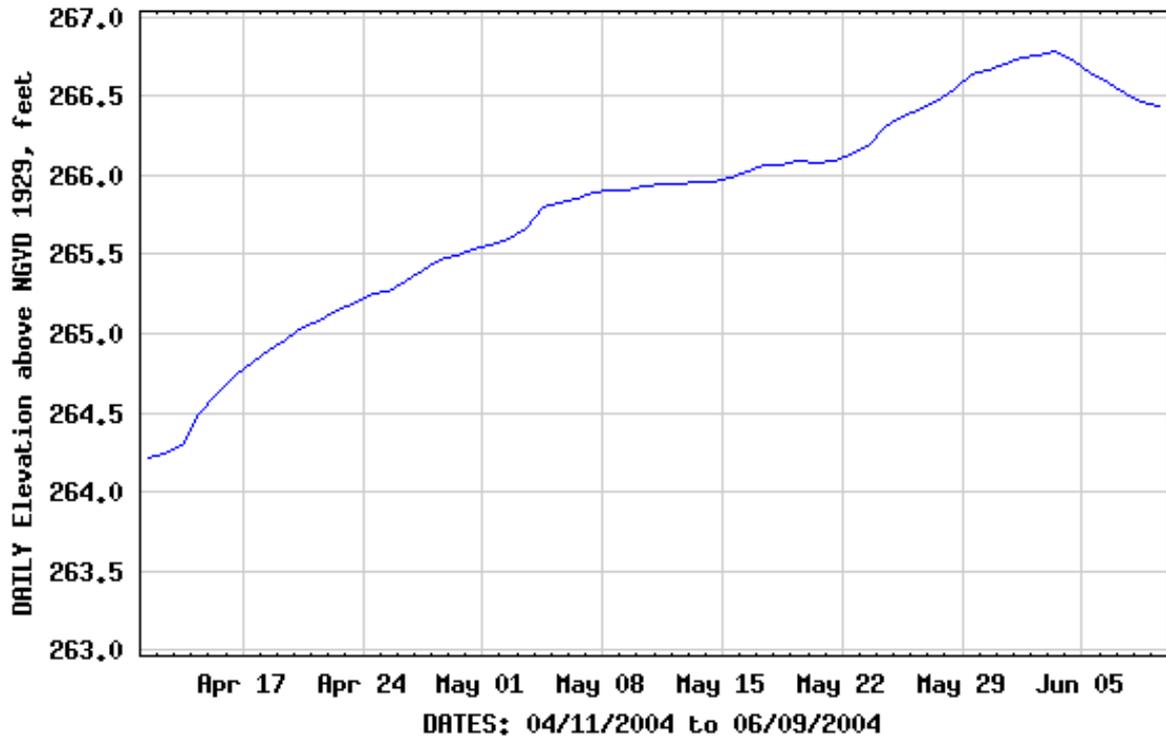
Greetings Everyone: It looks as though we are finally going to have good weather for a few days. I hope you all get an opportunity to enjoy Frye Island this weekend.

Lake Level: The lake level is still higher than we are used to but it is going down. I have included a graph, for your information, showing lake level that is maintained by the United States Geological Survey in cooperation with Sappi Fine Paper. This graph is daily. We have a link on our web-site that you can find by going to “About Frye Island-----Lake Level”. As I hear more on Sappi Fine Paper’s application for a new license to operate the Eel Weir Dam, I will let you know.





USGS 01063995 Sebago Lake near North Windham, Maine



Provisional Data Subject to Revision

Sebago Lake: I recently ran across these facts about Sebago Lake that I thought were very interesting. I have included them here for your information.

Sebago Lake Facts

Length	12 miles
Great Basin Width	5 miles
Jordan Bay Width	2 miles
Sebago Lake Basin Width	1 mile
Shoreline Length	105 miles
Maximum Depth	316 feet
Mean Depth	101 feet
Volume	995 billion gallons
Residence Time	5.1 years
Orientation of Main Axis	NNW

Water Inflow (estimated)

Direct Precipitation (42"/year)	94 million gallons/day
Tributary Total	450 million gallons/day

TOTAL **544 MILLION GALLONS/DAY**

Water Outflow (estimated)

Evaporation (22"/year)	49 million gallons/day
Presumscot River	425 million gallons/day
Portland Water District	24 million gallons/day
TOTAL	498 MILLION GALLONS/DAY

TOTAL

Lake Level	Ranges from 260.5 feet to 266.6 feet above sea level, depending on snow melt, rainfall and the opening and closing of dams.
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Taxes, Taxes, Taxes: Don't forget, the second half of the property taxes are due JULY 1st. After that date property owners with outstanding taxes will be expected to pay the full fare to use the ferries.

Special Selectmen's Meeting: There will be a special meeting on Saturday, June 12th at 9:00 AM in the Community Center to discuss a proposed user fee schedule for the transfer station. The public hearing for this fee schedule will be held prior to the June 19th Selectmen's meeting. It is not the intent to implement these fees until the 2005 season but because of the implications it may have on budget preparations for 2005; we will be putting this on the July warrant.

Ferry Meeting: We will have our discussion on the ferry schedule and other ferry issues immediately following the Board of Selectmen's meeting.

Community Center: The dry wall application and taping in the meeting room has been completed. We hope to get it painted next week so the room will be habitable for the July third meeting. We also have an engineers plan to complete the structural work around the fireplace on both levels as well as some work in the Teen Room. I am talking to contractors now so that we can get this work done as soon as possible.

Elections: Elections for Town and FII officers will be held at the July 3rd town meeting. The following vacancies will be on the ballot:

- **Selectman:** In accordance with the town charter, the Selectmen must be elected, at large, by the Voters of the Town. There are three selectmen; each elected to fill a three year term. These terms are staggered so that each year a Selectman's position becomes open. To be eligible to run for the Board of Selectmen, an individual must be a Town of Frye Island Voter and remain a voter throughout the term of office. All candidates interested in running for the open position of Selectman should give notice at least 14 days before the Annual Town Meeting so that the candidates name can appear on the Warrant. If you are interested please notify the town office no later than June 20th.

- **Board of Island Trustees:** We will be voting to fill one three year term at this year's Town meeting. To be eligible for this position, the candidate "must be a citizen of the United States, at least 18 years of age, and an owner of real property located within the Town of Frye Island with a fixed home currently occupied by the person". To be eligible to vote, an individual must meet the same qualifications.
- **Frye Island Inc, Board of Directors:** There are 9 one year terms on the Board elected each year at the Stockholders meeting held concurrently with the town meeting. To be eligible to run for this office, a candidate must be a stockholder (lot owner) in FII. Only stockholders are eligible to vote for the candidates.
- **Representative to School board on SAD #6:**

These are all very important positions in the operation of our Town. We have been extremely fortunate to have had many very qualified and dedicated people in these positions. Don't underestimate the commitment required to fill these positions. These are not "figure head" positions. They require a considerable amount of time and effort to execute them effectively. If you want to take on this challenge please let us know in the office as soon as possible and no later than June 20th so that we can post the candidates names in the FINS and on our web site. If you are not ready to run for elected office at this time, at least attend the meeting and vote for the candidates of your choice. I look forward to seeing you at the meeting. The candidates that have indicated an interest so far are as follows:

- **Selectman (Vote for 1) :** Robert Roberts
- **Board of Island Trustees Executive Committee (Vote for I) :** Bruce Nisula
Richard Giggey
- **Board of Directors Frye Island Inc (Vote for 9) :**
Carl Hommel Diane Babineau
Jan Roberts Nancy Fournier
Phil Perry Richard Giggey
Richard Norris

We need at least two more candidates.

Board Vacancies: We currently have openings on both the Planning Board and the Board of Appeals. Appointments will be made at the June 19th Selectman's meeting. If you are interested, please notify the office as soon as possible.

Primary Elections: Primary elections were held on Tuesday June 8th. In our districts there were no contested seats. We had 27 Islanders cast ballots in this election.

The results of the referendum vote which requires the State to fund 55% of the costs for education passed on Frye Island 22 for, 5 opposed and also passed statewide by a margin of 55% for and 45% opposed. With this result, the state is required to fund 55% of the cost of education. Everyone should be aware however that the 55% is an aggregate number meaning basically it is an average of the funding provided throughout the State. The funding in some communities will increase while some may even go down. The

bigger question is where will the State get this money? Only time will tell how this decision will impact Frye Island.

The referendum for the school budget for SAD 6 also passed. I have posted a copy of the results for each article on the town bulletin board for those of you that are interested.

Asset Transfer: We are resending copies of the proxy ballot and the letter describing the asset transfer from Frye Island to the Town. This is a very important vote for all property owners on Frye Island. If you haven't voted and will not be attending the July 3rd meeting where you can vote in person please stop by the office where you can complete the proxy ballot or complete the ballot at home and send it in to the office. We need everyone to participate in this vote.

Fire Works: The fire works have been scheduled for Saturday evening, July 3rd. We need everyone's help with donations to accomplish this.

Water System: We continue to work with the State to get all of the documentation for the Water System upgrade in place. This past week an engineer was here to Spec. the new water pump that will draw water from the lake. We hope to put that out for bid by the end of next week. I will keep you posted on our progress.

Police Activity: This was a quite week on the Island. Let's hope the rest of the summer follows suit.

Have a great weekend and a safe week!
Wayne

PLANNING BOARD MEETINGS

June 26th, 8:30 a.m. @ Community Center

July 17th, 8:30 a.m. @ Community Center

FRYE ISLAND DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

ATTENTION

CURBSIDE TRASH PICK UP HAS BEEN DISCONTINUED, YOU MUST BRING YOUR TRASH TO THE TRANSFER STATION
TRANSFER STATION IS FOR FRYE ISLAND PROPERTY OWNERS ONLY
GUESTS AND RENTERS OF PROPERTY OWNERS MAY BRING THEIR BAGGED HOUSEHOLD TRASH AND RECYCLABLES TO THE TRANSFER STATION (NO CONTRACTORS)

OPERATING HOURS

OPEN 24 HOURS, ONLY FOR BAGGED HOUSEHOLD TRASH, FLATTENED CARDBOARD AND SEPARATED RECYCLABLES.

ATTENDANT ON DUTY, WEDNESDAYS & SUNDAYS, 10AM - 4PM
SATURDAYS, 8:30AM - 2:30PM

THE FRYE ISLAND PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT WILL ASSIST ELDERLY AND HANDICAPPED RESIDENTS WITH THEIR TRASH AND RECYCLABLES.
FOR ASSISTANCE PLEASE CALL THE PWD GARAGE AT 655-7493

RECYCLING BINS FOR THE FOLLOWING;

METALS

CORRUGATED CARDBOARD AND BROWN PAPER BAGS

NEWSPAPERS, PAPERBACK BOOKS, TELEPHONE BOOKS AND MAGAZINES GLASS, ALL COLORS OF BOTTLES AND JARS PLASTIC, #2 PLASTIC ONLY CANS , TIN, ALUMINUM AND ALUMINUM FOIL ALSO WE WILL ACCEPT THE FOLLOWING; LIGHT CONSTRUCTION DEBRIS, PAINT, WASTE OIL BRUSH AND LEAVES APPLIANCES NO ASBESTOS, NO TIRES

*NOTE, TO TRASHY LADY CUSTOMERS YOU ARE REQUIRED TO PLACE YOUR TRASH IN A COVERED RECEPTACLE WHILE IT IS AWAITING ROADSIDE PICKUP.

FRYE ISLAND BOOK GROUP

All islanders and their guests are invited to join in discussions of the following books at 7:30 PM in the Community Center Library.

June 28 THE DA VINCI CODE
July 19 BEL CANTO
August 9 UNDAUNTED COURAGE
August 30 FIRST MOTHERS

**FRYE ISLAND GOLF CLUB
OPEN TO THE PUBLIC
1 FAIRWAY LANE
655-3551**

HOURS OF OPERATION

Sunday – Thursday 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Friday & Saturday 8:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.

RATES

Greens Fee:

Weekend \$28.00

Weekday \$18.00

Weekday Youth \$10.00

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

3 Day Weekday Pass \$45.00

Don't forget Father's Day, Sunday June 20th.

Shop at the pro shop for great Father's Day gifts. We have an assortment of new merchandise. Take Dad out for a round of golf. Don't have clubs? We can rent Dad a set.

REMINDER: Memberships have to be renewed. If you are not a member and would like to be call or visit the pro shop for information.

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

SUNDAY MORNING SCRAMBLE RESULTS 6/6/04

1ST Place - \$20.00 each:

Bruce Nisula

Bill Gately

Roger Stenz

Dave Decker

Closest to the pin - \$16.00:

Roger Stenz

INDEPENDENCE DAY TOURNAMENT

Saturday, July 3, 2004

Rules Overview 1:00PM

Tee Times 1:15-2:15PM

Hors d'oeuvres 4:30-5:00PM

Dinner and Prizes 5:00PM

Format: Each player has a flag with his/her name and stroke allowance

Golfers stop play and put flags in the ground when they reach their allowance

The players who go furthest eat steak for dinner; the others eat hot dogs (and cook and clean!)

Cost: Members - \$15.00
Non-members - \$15.00 plus green fee
Dinner only - \$8 steak, \$2 hot dog
Food: Steak or hot dog, potato salad, rolls, baked beans, cole slaw

Please bring an hors d'oeuvres or dessert with you

Sign-up by Thursday, July 1 in person or call the clubhouse @ (207)655-3551

Attention Golf Club Members - VOLUNTEERS WANTED

The year's first *Ice Cream Social* sponsored by the Golf Club is being held July 4th at the Community Center and we are in need of volunteers to help organize and staff the event. This is an important fundraising opportunity for the Club and is always a fun time! So, grab your ice cream scoop and join in!

If you are willing to lend a hand, please contact Maura Sullivan at (508)787-8482 or maura.sullivan@fmr.com.

TENTATIVE TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE FOR 2004:

July 17 or 24	East vs. West
August 7	Member-Guest
August 14	Rally for a Cure
September 4	President's Cup
September 11&12	Outside
September 25	Shoot out
October 9	October's Best

LEISURE LOUNGE
1 FAIRWAY LANE
(adjacent to the golf pro shop)
655-3551

Lounge Hours

Sunday – Thursday 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Friday & Saturday 8:00 a.m. - Midnight

Come to Leisure Lounge to meet old and new friends. We offer a full bar, complimentary coffee and popcorn. \$1.00 hot dogs, \$5.00 pizza's, \$3.00 root beer floats, and other snacks are also available.

Sports fans, we do have satellite television.

Roast Pork Dinner

Saturday, June 26th
5:00 p.m. Cocktails
6:00 p.m. Dinner
Cost: \$12.00 per person
Space is limited; sign up at the clubhouse.

NEED GOLF LESSONS

Ron Vaillancourt, PGA Golf Professional, will be giving golf lessons on Mondays here at the Golf Course.

Ron is a resident here on Frye Island and has been a Golf Professional for over 35 years. His specialties are as a teaching pro.

Lessons will be by appointment. Call 655-2313.

Rates: ½ hr lesson \$35.00

1 hr lesson \$50.00

FROM THE FERRY

Greetings from the Ferry Crew. We want to say thank you to all of you who have been so supportive and patient with the changes on the ferry. People have, for the most part, been great about calling in their "guest reservations," having their tickets ready and obeying the rules. We ask, as we head into high season, that you remain alert while loading and unloading and enjoy your trip across the lake. We are happy to serve you.

The Ferry Crew

You may notice in the late afternoon a truck or 2 "jumping the line." These are town employees, who have put in a full day, getting off island; some in order to make it to a second job. These employees have a yellow placard with a fancy black E on it in their window. Cement trucks, the mailman, police, rescue or fire responding to a call and last but not least, town employees, are permitted priority loading on and off the island.

Once again we are looking for donations of dog bones. Mates give these to dogs who ride the boat and most of our dogs know when they are around at the ferry and expect their treat. We are also looking for donations of bird houses (for the "barn swallows") as a natural approach to pest (mosquito) control around the ferry landing / trailer.

A special thanks to Ms. Braley and Reba (her dog) for their donation of dog bones. Thank you also to Otis the black lab for his donation of cookies.

FRYE ISLAND CHAPEL

Weekly Non-Denominational Religious services are held at the Community Center every Sunday Morning from 9:00am to 9:30am. ALL ARE WELCOME. DRESS IS CASUAL.

Chaplain: Rev. Dr. Gordon Talbot

Season: Sunday May 30th through Sunday October 10th, 2004

LADIES OF THE LAKE LUAU LUNCHEON
WED., JUNE 30, NOON

All Frye Island women and their guests are invited to join us at the Cafe in beautiful downtown Frye Island for lunch. Sign up in the office and indicated your choice of the three tasty menu items.

A prize will be awarded to the person wearing the most "Aloha" outfit.

TOWN OF FRYE ISLAND BOARD OPENINGS

We have the following openings:

PLANNING BOARD

- 1 - Three Year Term (Regular Member)**
- 1 - One Year Term (Alternative Member)**

BOARD OF APPEALS

- 1 - One Year Term (Alternate Member)**

If interested, please notify the office before June 19th 2004.

The tentative 2004 Frye Island recreation schedule includes:

June 30: Ladies of the Lake Luncheon at cafe, organized by Pat Karpacz.

July 4: Boat Building and Recreational Food 9:00-12:00, coordinated by Mary Deming

July 3: Fireworks, coordinated by Maria Charrette

July 4: 1 and 5 mile Walk/ Run to begin at 10:00 AM, organized by Ted Charrette

July 4: Ice Cream Social, organized by the Golf Committee

July 17: Dinner/Dance/Golf Auction

Labor Day Dinner dance: Nancy Fournier has agreed to organize

Labor Day Ice Cream Social: whatever night the Dinner Dance is not

Other Events:

Wednesday and possibly Saturday pick-up soccer at the ballfield coordinated by Annie Charrette and Christine Phillips

Major League Soccer Camp for kids and possibly adults: Annie Charrette to coordinate

Pick-up basketball at the courts, **Looking for a coordinator**

Pick-up softball at the ballfield, softball committee to organize

5K, 10K, triathlon series, TBA organized by Bob Sansonetti

Family Dance in July

Labor Day Tennis Tournament: Dennis Stafford and the Giggeys (?)

Children's Theatre: if group from last year does not return, look into having Portland Children's Theatre come to the island (Andrea Sansonetti)

Progressive Beach Party: Dick Giggey

Sea Dogs Trip: Dick Giggey

Guided Trail Walk: Ed Charrette

FRYE ISLAND FAMILY BOAT BUILDING 2004

We're looking forward to another fabulous (the 2nd annual one) Boat Building contest here on the Island!!! And the date has been set to mesh with other activities on the July 4th weekend. It will be SUNDAY JULY 4TH 1 to 4 P.M. at Recreation Beach

So it's time to gather the family clan and finalize your plans and send your entry form in.

Hancock Lumber company and Red Mill have generously offered to again provide the building materials. All together, there will be materials for 14 families to build boats.

These are the materials that each family will receive. These are the only materials that will be allowed to be used in the contest, other than paint or non-constructive decorations.

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

You also may add cloth if you choose to make a sailboat.

The boat building is open to residents of Frye Island and their extended families. At least one of the boat builders must be a child 16 years of age or under. Supplies are to be picked up at the old Fire Barn at the ferry landing on Saturday, June 26 from 2 to 4 PM. This allows a week to build the boat and try it out in water, if desired, before the July 4th judging.

Judges will make awards for such things as best construction, seaworthiness, originality, most decorative, most patriotic, most unique, most amazing, most fun, sleekest, speediest, most historic, best over-all appearance, etc.

EVERY TEAM IS A WINNER ! ! ! ! !

This year there will be more races. Each family building team must have 2 of its members in the boat for each race. All drivers must be swimmers and wear life jackets. Contestants must use paddles, oars, etc. made from their materials supplied.

These are the races that may be held: for teams of 2 under the age of 16; family teams of 2 adult drivers; a race for all-female drivers; for all-male drivers; a race for 1 adult - 1 child. Other races may be added.

A deposit of \$30 will be required of each team when they register. \$5 of this fee will be used for certificate frames, pictures for contestants, etc.

The remaining \$25 will be returned to the registered contestants when they present their finished boat July 4. Registration forms available from Mary Deming at 655-4133 or at the F I office. June 18 deadline for registering. Materials will be given to the first 14 teams registering.

COMMITTEE: Ruth Ann Bourque, Al Schmidt, John Schutz, Mary Deming

New Docks To Be Installed At The Long Beach Marina

Due to the recent bad weather the contractor installing the new docks at the Long Beach Marina is behind schedule. He estimates the docks will be installed by the weekend of June 19th.



Frye's Leap General Store and Café W E E K L Y U P D A T E

General Store Hours

- Friday, June 11th 10A - 9P
- Saturday, June 12th 8A - 9P
- Sunday, June 13th 8A - 5P
- Monday, June 14th 9A - 2P
- Tuesday, June 15th 9A - 2P
- Wednesday, June 16th 9A - 2P
- Thursday, June 17th 9A - 2P

Café Hours

- Friday, June 11th 4P - 9P
- Saturday, June 12th 11A - 9P
- Sunday, June 13th 11A - 5P