



FRYE ISLAND NEWS SERVICE

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Call 911
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TOWN OF FRYE ISLAND
OFFICE HOURS
TUESDAY THRU SATURDAY
9:00AM – 3:00PM
SUNDAY & MONDAY - CLOSED

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

Island Manager Comments

Manager Comments: Greetings everyone.

Water System: The construction of the new treated water pump house is in process. The footings have been poured and the frost walls are done. The 8" main from the new building to Independence Way has been laid and buried and the yard piping has been started. Next week the contractor plans to pour the floor in the new building and start assembling the panelized walls and the roof.



Budget: The budget as revised was approved by the Board of Selectmen / Executive Committee at their meeting on Saturday September 25th. I have e-mailed a copy to Joe Potts to include on the Frye Island web site. The version approved by the BoS / EC proposes that we raise, through taxes, \$669,090 for municipal services and \$837,360 for non-municipal services. If the total assessed value for the Town remains at \$84,769,450, the estimated tax rate will be \$17.77 per \$1000 of assessed value for each property

Ferry Issues: The painting of the hull of the Ellie Corliss is complete. We launched it on Saturday and pulled the Leisure Lady. The 10 day weather forecast calls for good weather so we plan to paint the hull of the Leisure Lady as well. We will probably be finishing out the rest of the year with one ferry.. I have seen some ferry lines but it is very important that we get these hulls painted now while the weather is cooperating. We appreciate your patience

Boat Ramp: While the ferry is being painted, the boat ramp adjacent to the haul out will be out of service. If you plan to launch a boat or remove your boat from the water, you will have to use the ramp at the marina.

Beach 10: The erosion mitigation work on beach 10 is complete. I think the contractor did an excellent job. If you haven't been there, you might want to check it out.

Meetings: The Board of Directors of Frye Island Inc. will hold a meeting on Friday October 8th at 8:00 PM in the Administration Building.

Town Meeting: The Town meeting will be held Saturday October 9th. Registration will begin at 8:15 AM and the meeting will start at 9:00 AM. The warrant for the meeting is on the web-site and is posted on the bulletin boards at the office and at the golf course.

Water System: It has been recommended by the DPW that when you drain your water system to winterize your home, you disconnect the supply pipe to your home at the valve in the road. When the DPW drains the main lines, they have to blow them out with compressed air. If your line remains connected, this process could force water back into your system. When you disconnect this line you should tape over the open end to keep dirt and contamination out during the winter.

Milfoil: We have had Milfoil in both the Marina and at Quail Circle. A certified diver has been in this week to pull the Milfoil plants from these areas. He feels that he has removed most of it. We will have to take another look next year.

Marina: We have made arrangements to have the docks removed from the marina on Saturday October 30th. Please make sure your boat is out of the Marina by that date

Lake Level: The lake level is down to 263.40. When it gets down to 263' we will have to prohibit large vehicles from using the ferry. If you have work to be done, you'd better get it done soon.

Island Closing: The Island will close for the season on Monday November 1st this year. The last ferry will run at 7:00PM that day. We hope everyone had an enjoyable season.

Have a great weekend and enjoy this weather. It will not last forever. Drive Safely!!
Wayne

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS
NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

October 8, 2004, at 7:00 P.M. at the Community Center

AGENDA

Call meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

1. Lot 1684 & 1876 Ridge Road. Dean Palli is requesting to overturn a decision by the Code Enforcement Officer regarding the denial of a building permit.
2. Approval of the minutes of the September 24th and October 8th, 2004 meetings.

Adjourn Meeting.

Town of Frye Island
Planning Board

Saturday, October 9, 2004 at 8:00 a.m.
Community Center
Agenda

1. Minutes and Correspondence
2. Old Business
 - Presentation of Warrant Articles
 - Other Old Business
3. New Business
 - Division of Lots 1941 / 1942 for merger with Lot 1110

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

ANNUAL BARN DANCE

**A THANK YOU TO ALL FRYE ISLANDERS FOR SUPPORT OF
THE FRYE ISLAND FIRE DEPARTMENT**

**SATURDAY OCTOBER 9th
FIRE BARN**

**POT LUCK SUPPER BEGINNING AT 6 PM
DANCING 8 - 10 PM**

**SQUARE DANCES, ROUND DANCES, LINE DANCES
all called by
RAY HILTON**

**BRING A DISH TO SHARE & YOUR FAVORITE BEVERAGE
(Hot & Cold Cider provided.)**

YA'LL COME!!

FII Stockholder Listing

On October 9th the stockholders of Frye Island Incorporated will be meeting at the Community Center on the Island. The Capital Stock Ledger has been recently updated to show who is the voting party for each share of stock. Please go to the Frye Island website and check out this list. Look to see if your name is listed correctly, and if you own more than one lot on the Island that the correct number of shares are listed. If there are any corrections needed, please follow instructions on website. Thanks...

Residency Status for Maine

A very informative document has been developed by the Maine Revenue Services providing guidance for individual income tax purposes. That document is on the State of Maine website (in PDF format) and is entitled "Maine Revenue Services Guidance to Residency Status". It can be found at the following address:

<http://www.maine.gov/revenue/incomeestate/ResPamphletWeb.pdf>.

As you read the document please note, May 1 to October 31 is 183 days. This information may help you in the decision to become a voter in the Town of Frye Island. There is a Town meeting coming up on October 9th.

Frye Island Incorporated Meetings

The FII Board will be meeting on Friday night October 8th at 8 PM in the Administration Building. It is the goal of the Board that this will be the last Board meeting until May 27, 2005. If something urgent comes up during the winter months, the Board may have one or more special meetings.

The FII Stockholders will be meeting on Saturday morning October 9th; come early to beat the lines ... registration starts shortly after 8 AM. We look forward to a good turn-out of FII Stockholders. The primary agenda item at that meeting will be the 2005 Annual Budget. A copy of the budget will be distributed at the meeting, and is also available on the Frye Island website for those who would like to get an advance look.

NOVEMBER 2ND ELECTION

November 2, 2004 is the date of the General & Referendum Election. If you are registered to vote in the Town of Frye Island, the polls will be open at our winter office from 10:00 am to 8:00 pm or you may come in to the Town Office (Tuesday – Saturday 9:00 am – 3:00 pm) and pick up your absentee ballot for this election.

For those voters that have access to the web, the following website would be a good place to go for voting results: www.bangordailynews.com

VIC RICHARDS MEMORIAL

If you would like to participate in the Vic Richards Memorial, please remember that contributions should be received in the Town office by the end of October.

We have received a preliminary sketch of the memorial granite bench, which is being provided at a discount by fellow Islanders, Theresa & Bruce Lane, proprietors of Mt. Pleasant Memorials.

Please make your check – in an amount appropriate to your circumstances – payable to “The Vic Richards Memorial Fund.”

Vic’s bench will be dedicated during the Independence Day celebrations in 2005.

ATTENTION ALL PROPERTY OWNERS ON FRYE ISLAND

As we quickly approach the end of our season here on the Island, this reminder goes out to all while closing up your properties for the season - **BE SURE to DISCONNECT** your waterline from the Town System **AND LEAVE IT DISCONNECTED** to avoid getting water in your piping when lines are purged.

ATTENTION ALL YACHT CLUB MEMBERS

The Marina Committee is attempting to set up an email distribution list of all members of the Frye Island Yacht Club. If you have a boat slip in either the Long Beach Marina or Quail Circle Marina, then you are a Yacht Club member. The purpose of the list is to attempt to keep all Yacht Club members informed when issues arise or other timely notifications need to be made. If you would like to be on the email list please email Dave Bond at dbond@topsfeldpublicworks.org

FRYE ISLAND BOOK CLUB

The following books were elected by our island readers for 2005.

THE SECRET LIFE OF BEES by Sue Monk Kidd
A runaway white girl seeks refuge with a black family

THE ISLAND AT THE CENTER OF THE EARTH
Recently discovered documents are the basis for this non-fiction about the pre-Revolutionary Dutch in Manhattan

THE LIFE OF PI
The story of a shipwrecked boy and his adventure with a tiger

ATONEMENT by McEwan
Winner of Nat. Bks. Circle award

MANY THANKS

The Department of Public Works would like to thank Dave Marcioneck for his generous donation of a Mazda Pickup Truck. Thanks so much Dave!!!

MARINA BATHROOM FACILITIES

The Marina bathrooms will be closing after this weekend.

LABOR DAY REMEMBRANCE

A memorial plaque is being planned, in recognition of the following ferry captains and mates, for their years of dedicated service on our Frye Island ferries. This list may not be complete.

Captains

Ellie Corliss
Roy Norton
Dave McLeod
Bud Nute
Ed LeFebure
Dave Dorey

Mates

Ken McColl
Mary Dresser

The plaque will hang inside the ferry trailer, and include the individual's title, and years of service. If you wish to contribute a small sum towards this effort, or simply assist us in the process of completing this list, please contact Jeanne Sullivan-Toomey at 655-2454 or 978-948-7821. Thanks!



STATE OF MAINE
NOTICE OF GENERAL/REFERENDUM ELECTION
Tuesday, November 2, 2004

Municipality Frye Island Voting District _____
Voting Place Name Town of Frye Island Winter Office, Sebago Commons
Voting Place Location 32 Tandberg Trail, Suite #7, Windham, ME
Polls Open At 10:00 A.M. Polls Close At 8:00 P.M.

A person may register to vote and/or enroll in a political party on or before Election Day.

Pursuant to Title 21-A, Section 759(7), absentee ballots will be processed centrally/at the polls at the following times: 2:00 pm

State Offices To Be Voted On:

President and Vice President of the United States
Representative to Congress (U.S.), District 1
State Senate, District(s) 12
State Representative, District(s) 103

County Offices (Please list):

Register of Probate
County Commissioner

Questions To Be Voted On:

Question 1: Do you want to limit property taxes to 1% of the assessed value of the property?

Question 2: Do you want to make it a crime to hunt bears with bait, traps or dogs, except to protect property, public safety or for research?

A True Copy
Attested

Dancey McEnaney/Deputy Clerk
(Signature of Municipal Clerk)

Date 10/7/04

Ferry News

Columbus weekend is upon us – the last hurrah for many. The ferry will be running only one boat as the other is on the haul out for painting. We appreciate your patience and be assured – we will shuttle whenever necessary to keep waiting times as brief as possible. We ask also that you move slowly on and off the boats and **WATCH THE MATES**. They have been trained to get you on and off safely. As of 10/4, we have moved 60,087 vehicles with only 6 minor incidents each of which was due to driver inattention and some due to drivers trying to load themselves. Please let's all work together to have a safe weekend and enjoyable end to the season. If you are leaving for the season, please let the Captains and crews know that you have appreciated their services. The Island is very fortunate to have some magnificent Captains, and we have been blessed with some outstanding Mates as well.

As you may or may not know, the ferry crew has had quite an assortment of wild “pets” over the summer. Waldo, the Great Blue Heron amuses everyone with his fish catching capabilities along with his “toss and gulp” eating style. We had mallard ducks, (Maude, Mildred, Minnie) and Chip the chipmunk who would actually come into the ferry office and eat from our hands. Our favorites have been a fox family; the mom (Hildi) and her two pups Horatio and Hattie. The mom has moved on probably to start her family for next year. Horatio and Hattie have been constant, twice daily visitors at the ferry office. They are beautiful, healthy and quite friendly though still plenty wild.

We hope you all have a wonderful fall and winter.
The Ferry Crew



Phil Cody

I moved to Maine in the summer of 2004 after graduating from high school down in New York State. I plan on going to college to study history. I also plan on learning to play the banjo some time in the near future. I enjoy writing short stories - though I have never been published.

Frye Island Ferry Service



Maude, Mildred & Minnie



Horatio



Waldo

REVISED TRANSFER STATION HOURS

Effective immediately, the Transfer Station will now be closed on Wednesdays. Residents needing access on Wednesdays to the Transfer Station need to contact the office at 655-4551 to make arrangements.

Schedule for Saturdays 8:30 am – 2:30 pm, Sundays 10:00 am – 4:00 pm and Holidays (closed Sundays open Mondays 10:00 am – 4:00 pm) will remain the same.

THANKS, GARDEN CLUB!

Take a moment to look around.... things sure look better than they did a few years ago, don't they? Frye Island is a prettier place: there are lovely gardens at the ferry landing, and beautiful landscaping, flower beds, grass, and a new rose hedge at the Community Center.

These things didn't just "happen." A group of our fellow Islanders have worked hard -- and had fun -- creating, funding, and maintaining our public gardens; and they've inspired many of us to plant a few flowers in our yards.

We tip our hats to our Garden Club for their inspiration and perspiration and service to Frye Island! Many thanks, Garden Club!

LEISURE LOUNGE

Open to the Public

Friday - Sunday 9:00 am - Midnight

Monday 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

We will only be open Friday - Sunday after Columbus Day Weekend

Fairway Lane

(Adjacent to the golf pro shop)

655-3551



WE OFFER A FULL BAR

Beer, Wine, Mixed Drinks

Try one of our cool summer cocktails:

Refreshing Martinis: Sour Apple,
Watermelon, & Island Blue

Frozen Drinks: Pina Coladas,
Daiquiris, & Margaritas

\$3.00 Root Beer Floats

Complimentary Coffee

SNACKS

\$5.00 Pizza

\$1.00 Hot Dogs

Boneless Chicken Wingz (Buffalo or Teriyaki)

Chicken or Pork Egg Rolls

Soft Pretzels Stuffed with Cheese

Chips, Candy, Pretzels

Complimentary Popcorn



**SATELITE T.V. for your viewing
pleasure**

CHRISTMAS IN OCTOBER



Sunday, October 10th

5:00 pm – 6:00 pm cocktails

6:00 pm Potluck Supper

Old Fashion Yankee Gift Swap following dinner

Bring your favorite dish to share with others to the potluck supper and a \$10.00 wrapped gift for an old fashion Yankee Gift Swap. Please tag the gift male, female, or unisex.

There will be a list at the clubhouse to sign up and let us know what you would like to bring to the potluck supper.



Another delicious dinner prepared by Paul Lyons and his assistant chef Jimmy Kuiken. Great job on the grill! And lets not forget Lorraine Lyons, Sue Nisula, and Deb Anthony who prepared the rest of the meal.

THANK YOU AGAIN!!!! This was the last one for this season. Until next season...

TOWN OF FRYE ISLAND RECYCLING

GLASS, ALL COLORS	BOTTLES, JARS, DISHES, WINDOW GLASS, MIRRORS, DRINKING GLASSES, ETC. CERAMICS, PORCELAIN	NO LIGHT BULBS NO TVs NO FLUORESCENT TUBES NO AUTO WINDSHIELDS
#2 PLASTIC ONLY!!!!	MILK JUGS, LAUNDRY DETERGENT, SPRING WATER, BLEACH, SHAMPOO, ETC.	NO PLASTIC BAGS! NO MOTOR OIL CONTAINERS, NO MARGARINE TUBS, NO COVERS, NO YOGURT (INJECTION MOLDED)
TIN CANS	TIN CANS, AEROSOL CANS, CLEAN PAINT CANS, EMPTY ALUMINUM CANS	NO CANS WITH FOOD WASTE
NEWSPAPERS AND MAGAZINES	NEWSPAPERS, ADVERTISEMENTS, MAGAZINES, TELEPHONE BOOKS, PAPERBACK BOOKS, CATALOGS	NO PLASTIC BAGS OR MIXED PAPER
CARDBOARD	CORRUGATED CARDBOARD, BROWN PAPER BAGS	NO PAPERBOARD

WE NOW ACCEPT SHOPPING BAGS FROM HANNAFORD AND OTHER STORES
PLEASE PLACE THEM IN THE PROVIDED CONTAINER

PLEASE NOTE A CHANGE AT THE TRANSFER STATION RECYCLING DUMPSTER: #2 PLASTIC MUST NOW BE SEPERATED, ONE BIN FOR NATURAL #2 PLASTIC AND ONE BIN FOR COLORED #2 PLASTIC.

FOR CLEAR PLASTIC PLEASE USE THE BARREL CONTAINERS IN FRONT OF THE RECYCLING DUMPSTER.

FOR GLASS, PLEASE REMOVE ALL METAL LIDS AND COVERS, PLACE THEM IN THE TIN CAN BIN.

RENTERS PLEASE NOTE

THERE IS NO LONGER CURBSIDE TRASH PICK UP, BAGGED HOUSEHOLD TRASH AND RECYCLABLES CAN BE BROUGHT TO THE TRANSFER STATION ON INDEPENDENCE WAY, 24 HOURS A DAY. FOR LARGER ITEMS THE TRANSFER STATION IS OPEN AND MANNED SATURDAYS AND SUNDAYS.

THANK YOU,
FRYE ISLAND PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

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

Hours:

Friday - Sunday 9:00 am-dusk

Monday 9:00 am-5:00 pm

After Columbus Day Weekend we will only be open Friday-Sunday.



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

Club Rental: \$12.00

SALE!!! ALL MERCHANDISE 20% OFF. We have an assortment of shirts, fleece jackets, socks, and hats. For your golf game we have balls, tees, gloves, etc.

SUNDAY MORNING SCRAMBLE - Shotgun start at 9:00am, sign in by 8:45am or call 655-3551 to let us know that you will be playing. **ALL ARE WELCOME.**

SUNDAY MORNING SCRAMBLE RESULTS – 10/03/04

1st Place - \$21.25 each

Bruce Nisula

Bill Gately

Mark Thomas

Scott Thomas

Closest to the Pin - \$17.00:

Dave Conrad

DATE CHANGE

October's Best Golf Tournament

Saturday, October 9

1:00 PM

18 hole, mixed scramble

Hamburgers, hotdogs, & sausages follow tournament

\$10.00 entry fee + any applicable green fee

Sign up at the clubhouse

SOFTBALL GAME – SUNDAY, OCTOBER 10th @ 1:00 PM

The Golfer's vs. The World

Come to the clubhouse and sign up, anyone can play.



All are welcomed to play. Sign up at the clubhouse. Bring your glove with you to the baseball field. Come and watch if you can't play. If you saw last year's game you know how entertaining it was.

SALE – 20% OFF ALL MERCHANDISE IN THE PRO SHOP

Thank You

As another season comes to a close, I would like to thank the golf club members, our patrons and staff for another great year. Thank you to the Golf Committee Members for all of their help and time. Paul Lyons for those wonderful dinners, thank you. Wishing you all a warm and healthy winter. Till next year...

Thank you, Bruce & Scott Nisula for the work you two have done this past week on the old shed.

Laura Crosby

Kenny Thurston (Public Works Department) will be doing monthly property inspections after the close of the island for those interested in signing up. Please make a note of his number or you can drop off the application to the office. As you know, Kenny is well acquainted with the Island.

KEN'S WINTER WATCH



KEN THURSTON

HOME PHONE (207) 539-8870

CELL # (207) 515-2362



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MONTHLY CAMP SURVEILLANCE

E-MAIL CORRESPONDENCE WITH
UP TO DATE PHOTOS



ROOF SHOVELING EXTRA



SIGN UP HERE

NAME: _____

ISLAND ADDRESS: _____

WINTER ADDRESS: _____

PHONE NUMBER: _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____

A MESSAGE FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

We are looking to acquire a trailer for a 20' or longer pontoon boat. If you have one you don't use or are selling, please call the Department of Public Works Dept. at 655-7493.

BOAT BUILDING 2005

The 3rd annual Frye Island Family Boat Building contest is shaping up for the Fourth of July 2005 weekend. We're hoping many families will enroll next year. It will be very helpful for the committee to have an indication now if your family will be one of those entering.

Just write Mary Deming at:

9 Sunrise Rd., Danbury, Ct 06810 or email at demingmary@hotmail.com.

Hancock and Red Mill lumber companies will be supplying the building materials:

- 2 sheets of 1/4 inch lauan plywood 4' x 8'
- 4 8 foot long 2 x 4's
- 1 pound 1 1/2 inch galvanized nails
- 4 tubes exterior construction adhesive

You may add paint and decorations and cloth if you make a sailboat.

EVERY TEAM IS A WINNER!! Judges will make awards for such things as: Construction, Decoration, Originality, Sleekness, Most Patriotic, Historic, etc. Races for various categories of 2 family members will determine speed and seaworthiness! At least one of the team must be a child 16 or under.

Committee: Ruth Ann Bourque, Al Schmidt, John Schutz, Dave Lowe, Mary Deming

SOCCER ON FRYE ISLAND

Pick-up soccer game Saturday at 4:00 PM on October 9th weather permitting. No cleats or shin guards which keeps the game recreational. Come join us!

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

Please note – “A coffee-hour is planned following the last service of the season, Sunday, October 10.”

October 2004

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
3	4	5	6	7	<p>8 Board of Appeals 7:00 pm at C.C.</p> <p>Board of Directors / FII Inc. Mtg. 8:00 pm at Administration Bldg.</p>	<p>9 Planning Board Mtg. 8:00 am at C.C.</p> <p>Town Mtg. (Stockholders) 9:00 am at C.C. Registration begins shortly after 8:00 am</p> <p>Garden Club 9:00 am at C.C.</p> <p>Adult Soccer Pick- up 4:00 pm at ball field</p> <p>Annual Barn Dance 6:00 pm Pot Luck Supper, 8-10 pm dancing at Fire Barn</p>
<p>10 Chapel 9:00 am – 9:30 am at C.C.</p> <p>Softball Game 1:00 pm at Baseball Field</p> <p>Recreation Committee Mtg 1:00 at C.C.</p> <p>Christmas in October 5-6 pm cocktails, 6:00 pm Pot Luck Supper</p>	11	12	13	14	15	<p>16 Selectmen's Mtg. 9:00 am at C.C.</p>

October 2004

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29 .	30
31						