

Frye Island News Service

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Important Information

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Email: office@fryeisland.com
Web site: www.fryeisland.com
Town Manager: Wayne Fournier

Office Hours

Tuesday thru Saturday: 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM
Sunday & Monday: Closed

Code Enforcement Officer (Paul White)

Tuesday thru Fridays 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM.

Fire, Medical, or Police Emergencies – Call 911

Non-emergencies

Frye Island Police: 207-655-2600
Email: wilgetm@maine.rr.com

Fire Department: 207-655-8618
Email: fryeislandfiredept@yahoo.com

Frye Island News Service

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Submission deadline:
Wednesday, 3:00 PM - **No Exceptions**

Frye Island Animal Control Officer

Don Alexander
655-7851

Transfer Station

Post Season Operating Hours

Saturday: 10:00AM – 3:00PM

Sunday: 12 Noon – 5:00PM

Holiday weekends: Closed Sundays, open Mondays

During post season the Transfer Station can be open on closed days by appointment only, between 8am to 3pm.

To set up a Transfer Station opening please call the Public Works Garage at 655-7493 (**please call the day before**)

Thank you, Your Public Works Department

SINGLE STREAM

“Recycling Made Simple”

It ALL goes in together:

Newspapers, Magazines, Catalogs
Telephone/Soft Cover Books
Direct Mail/Envelopes (all types)
Paper (all colors, staples/paperclips are okay)
Paperboard (cereal/shoe boxes)
Milk/Juice Cartons
Plastic Bottles and Containers Numbered #1-7
Soda/Juice/Water Bottles (glass or plastic)
Milk Jugs, Bleach/Detergent, Shampoo Bottles
Food containers (cottage cheese/margarine/yogurt)
Glass Bottles/Jars (any color)
Aluminum (pie plates/trays/foil)
Metal Cans (tin/steel/aluminum)
All Cans Must be Empty and Non-Hazardous

What NOT to include:

No Plastic Bags*, No Food Liners
No Unmarked Plastics (laundry baskets/chairs/toys)
No Windows/Light Bulbs
No Dishes, No Pyrex, No Ceramics
No Foam Packaging, No Styrofoam
No Hazardous Material or Universal Waste
No Recyclables Containing Food Waste
*Recycling bins for plastic bags are
Located at your local grocery store.



Town News

Island Manager's Comments

Greetings Everyone,

Meetings: The following meetings have been scheduled:

- Annual Town Meeting – 9:00 AM Saturday October 6 at the Community Center. **Registration begins at 8:30 AM**

Selectmen: There will be two (2) vacant positions on the Board of Selectmen to fill at the October 6th Town Meeting. Candidates that have announced for the Selectmen's positions are:

- One Year Term (Replacement for Mr. Kuiken) – Phil Perry
- Three Year Term – Mark Thomas

Board of Island Trustees (BIT): There will be one (1) vacant position on the BIT Executive Committee to fill at the October 6th Town Meeting. Candidates that have announced for this position are:

- Bruce Nisula

SAD 6 School Board Representative: There will be one (1) vacant position for school board representative to fill at the October 6th Town Meeting. Candidates that have announced for this position are:

- Oleg Svetlichny

If you are interested in becoming a candidate for any of these positions, please contact the office.

The Candidates:

Mark Thomas—Mark lives at 505 Ridge Road and in Cumberland, RI. He is married with 2 daughters and one grandchild. He is an engineer in both private and public sectors currently working in construction management for the Narragansett Bay Commission. His prior experience includes vice president of Universal Engineering Corporation and has served as president of the Rhode Island Society of Professional Engineers and president of Rhode Island Consulting Engineers. Mark has been on Frye Island for 18 years and has served on the Charter Commission, Golf Committee, MSC Board, BIT Executive Committee and was President of FII.

Phil Perry—Phil lives at 276 Leisure Lane and lived in Cumberland Foreside, ME for 30 years prior to moving to Washington, DC and Alexandria, VA. He is married with 4 children and 8 grandchildren. He served as a line officer in the US Navy and is a retired senior executive from Digital Equipment Corp and earlier from Fairchild Semiconductor Corp. He has served 4 years on the FII Board, the last as Treasurer, and for 3 years on the FI Recreation Commission. Phil has lived on Frye Island for 17 years and is willing to devote his energy to making FI a better place to live.

Bruce Nisula—Bruce lives at 16 Leisure Lane, in one of the original cottages built on the Island by his parents, and in Plantation Florida. Bruce is a retired physician. He has served on the Executive Committee and on the Golf Committee.

Oleg Svetlichny—Oleg lives at 13 Leisure Lane and has been on the Island since it was opened for development. Oleg was in the United States Air Force and has thirty plus years in the aerospace industry. He has served on the FII Board of Directors, Board of Selectmen, Planning Board and has been involved in various other committees.

Lake Level: If you haven't heard, SAPPI (formerly S.D. Warren), is going to attempt to lower the lake level again this year. They were unable to reach their goal last year so they will be trying again this fall. Their plan is to reduce the lake level to an elevation of 261.5 feet mean sea level (msl) by the first of November and to 261.0 feet msl by the end of November. They plan to increase the drawdown around October 1st to reach their November 1st goal. The lake level is about 263.3 now and continues to decrease about one half inch per day. If it continues at this rate we will be at a level of 263.18 by the end of September and 261.94 by the end of October. We watch the level constantly and will keep you informed as best we can. We do not intend to close the Island early but we will have to watch it closely as we approach the 262 level. Our primary concern is with heavy vehicles, especially emergency vehicles (fire trucks & ambulances). We have to insure that we can get those vehicles to and from the Island safely.

We just received the permit from the Department of Environmental Protection to dredge the entrance to the Marina. We will be talking to the contractor to set up the details to perform the work. We are going to try to do this work without interfering with the use of the Marina.

Town Meeting: The annual Town Meeting is scheduled for Saturday October 6th. The meeting will begin at 9:00 AM. However, at 8:30 we have arranged to have an engineer from Camp Dresser & McKee, Inc. (CDM) for a short presentation and to answer questions on the water system study they performed for the Island. this summer. If you have an interest in this project, please come to the meeting a little early.

The Warrant for the meeting and the proposed municipal budget for 2008 have been posted on our website. We also have paper copies of the warrant and the budget available in the office.

Memorial Fund: In response to many requests, the Nisula Family has established a memorial fund for Sue Nisula. To accommodate this, the Town has established an account to collect contributions to this fund. Everyone interesting in contributing can make checks payable to the Town of Frye Island – Sue Nisula Memorial Fund, and send them to The Town of Frye Island, One Sunset Road, Frye Island Maine 04071. Proceeds will be used to construct a permanent memorial in Sue’s name at the golf course. If you have questions or would like additional information, please contact Kaitlin Nisula Tel: 655-4900, Cell: 516-512-6725, or at kcnisula@yahoo.com.

Winter Meetings: The following winter BOS/EC meetings have been scheduled by teleconference.

- Dec 15
- Feb 16
- Apr 5

If interested in participating, please e-mail Wayne Fournier at wfournier@fryeisland.com

Have a safe and enjoyable week!
Wayne

A Note from the Office

Please make sure we have your current e-mail address (before the island closes) so that you may receive any important correspondence as well as the winter newsletter.

Attention All Property Owners

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 abandoned.

Frye Island Winter Watch

Copies of the Frye Island Winter Watch are available in the office.

Town Wide Assessment Review:

The review of all real property on the Island will take place during the months of July, August, September and part of October. The review will require access to the property for an exterior and interior analysis. To accomplish this task the plan is to divide the Island by Tax Maps. The Island has three tax maps (60, 61 and 62). You can identify your tax map by either checking the wall map in the Assessor’s Office or by checking your tax bill. Property/Lots appearing on: Tax map 60 will be reviewed in July, Tax Map 61 will be reviewed in August, Tax Map 62 will be reviewed in September.

Each lot may not require an interior review, but in the event a review is necessary and not made a card will be left on the property, usually on the door knob. Contact information will be on the card. Otherwise feel free to call the Assessor’s office and leave times that are good for you. If your property is rented please leave word with the renter for permitting access.

Paul White - Town of Frye Island Assessor’s Office

ATTENTION ALL FRYE ISLAND BOATERS

The water depth of the channel connecting the Long Beach Marina to the lake is now at 2 feet deep in the center of the channel. As the lake continues to drop, all boaters should exercise extreme caution when in this area. The channel is scheduled to be dredged after the Island closes and all boats are removed. Please pass the word to your fellow boaters. Thank you.

Frye Island Marina Committee



Congratulations

Congratulations to both Carl & Marge Hommel and Bob & Barbara Hannah who are celebrating their 50th Anniversaries today.

BATS

It’s that time of year – it’s getting cold and bats {flying mice} are trying to find a warm place for winter. If you find one in a bed room in the morning (sun up), it must be caught and tested for rabies in accordance with State Law). 1 in a 1000 are rabid.

Call your Animal Control Officer 655 7851.

Rabies information sheets are available in the office.

Frye's Leap General Store & Café

655-4256



Frye's Leap General Store & Café is operating on our off season hours. Check for updates to our hours weekly in the FINS or stop by the store.

Remember – even though the restaurant is closed, our takeout menu is always available through the store!

General Store Hours

| | |
|-----------|---------|
| Monday | 9A – 2P |
| Tuesday | 9A – 2P |
| Wednesday | Closed |
| Thursday | 9A – 2P |
| Friday | 9A – 9P |
| Saturday | 8A – 9P |
| Sunday | 8A – 5P |



Leisure Lounge

Fairway Lane (next to the golf pro shop)

655-3551

Air Conditioned

Open to the Public

Hours:

Friday & Saturday 9:00 AM - Midnight

Sunday: 8:30 AM – 5:00 PM

Monday – Thursday: (weather permitting)
9:00 AM – 5:00 PM



Enjoy satellite reception on our 42" plasma TV.

Full Bar

Beer, Wine, Hard Lemonade, Hard Ice Tea, & Mixed Drinks

\$3.00 Root Beer Floats

Complimentary Coffee

Snacks

\$5.00 Pizza

\$1.00 Hot Dogs

2008 Season

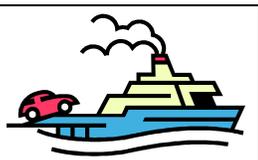
The Frye Island Golf Club is now taking applications for the "2008" season. The job consists of working the pro shop and lounge. Applicants must be at least 21 years old. If interested you may fill out an application at the golf club, or e-mail me @ fryeislandgolf@yahoo.com.

Laura Crosby

Christmas in October



Saturday, October 6th Pot Luck Dinner & Yankee Gift Swap
Starts @ 6:00 pm. Bring your favorite dish to share with others and a wrapped gift (\$15.00). Tag the gift male, female, or unisex. Sign up sheet is posted at the clubhouse.



Ferry News

655-4258

This Week's Ferry Schedule

| | First Ferry | Second Ferry |
|-----------|---------------|--------------|
| Saturday | 7 AM – 11 PM | |
| Sunday | 7 AM - 9 PM | 12 PM - 8 PM |
| Monday | 7 AM - 7 PM | |
| Tuesday | 7 AM - 9 PM | |
| Wednesday | 7 AM - 7 PM | |
| Thursday | 7 AM - 11 PM | |
| Friday | 7 AM - 12 Mid | 2 PM–8 PM |

Ferry Tickets

We have been asking all our residents to please include on the back portion of your tickets (the section the cashier collects) – Property Owner Name and Lot #.

Thank you

Thank you Winnie for the dog bones.



Fire Department

Fire Barn: 207-655-8618

ROAD, FIRE LANE AND LOT NUMBERS

All owners and renters should know the road, fire lane and lot number where they are located in the event of a fire, medical or police emergency.

This information will greatly expedite the response time for the emergency service that is answering your call. Time is critical!

All road signs and fire lanes signs on the island are clearly marked.

Every house, by town ordinance, shall have a lot number in large, contrasting colors that can be seen by emergency responders approaching from either direction.

If possible, a person should meet the emergency responders on the street and at night turn on all outdoor lighting.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding your road, fire lane or lot number, they can be addressed by members of the fire department at the central station on Sundays, between 10:30 and 12:30, or at the island office during business hours.

TO REPORT A FIRE OR MEDICAL EMERGENCY

DIAL 9-1-1



HOME CANDLE FIRES

Do you use candles in your home to decorate?

According to the National Candle Association, candles are used in seven out of ten households in the United States.

Most people don't view candles as a fire hazard, but the numbers of home candle fires is steadily increasing. The National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) reports from 1983 through 1997 candles in the home caused an annual average of:

- 8,690 fires
- 104 civilian deaths
- 947 injured
- Estimated direct property damage of \$126 million

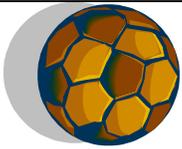
Nearly half of home candle fires started in the bedroom, with 19 percent starting in living rooms, family rooms or dens. Thirty-six percent occurred because candles were left unattended, abandoned or inadequately controlled.

A candle is an open flame that can easily ignite nearby combustible materials. The NFPA offers the following safety tips:

- Use candles only with constant adult supervision
- Extinguish all candles when leaving a room or going to sleep
- Keep candles away from items that can catch fire, such as Christmas trees, clothing, paper or curtains
- Place candles and candle holders on a secure piece of furniture
- Make sure candleholders are non-combustible and large enough to collect dripping wax
- Do not place lighted candles in windows, where blinds or curtains can close over them
- Keep wicks trimmed to ¼ inch, and extinguish candles when they burn to within two inches of the holder
- Keep candles and all open flames away from flammable liquids
- Do not use candles in places where they can be knocked over by children or pets

During Power Outages

- Use flashlights or battery generated lights
- Avoid carrying a lighted candle
- Don't use a candle when looking for items in a closet
- Never use a candle for light near a kerosene heater or lantern
- Extinguish all candles when leaving the home or when going to sleep



Activities & Recreation

Recreation Chairperson: Andrea Sansonetti

Garden Club

The Garden Club has scheduled a business meeting for Saturday, October 6th, immediately following the Town Meeting. All interested are invited to attend.

No formal work session has been scheduled for September. It would be appreciated if members would find time on their own to weed the beds and dead head the flowers at the Community Center and at the Ferry.

ANNUAL HALLOWEEN PARTY FOR CHILDREN



The Recreation Commission will again be sponsoring a Halloween costume party for children on Sunday, October 7, in the Community Center. There will be treats for all, activities for the children and prizes for costumes. Plan now!

Halloween Party
Sunday, October 7
2-4 p.m.
Community Center

Frye Island Chapel

Established 1988

You are cordially invited to attend our weekly non-denominational services, which are held every Sunday morning from 9:00 to 9:30AM. Communion is offered on the 1st and 3rd Sunday of every month. There is a coffee and snack hour following the service on the 2nd and 4th Sunday of each month. **All are welcome.** Dress is casual.

Presiding Chaplains: Rev. Richard Peterson, Ph.D
Rev. Theodore Ekholm

Annual Barn Dance

Saturday, October 6, 6:00 PM

Fire Barn

A Thank You To All Frye Islanders For Support Of The Frye Island Volunteer Fire Department

Pot Luck Supper Beginning At 6 PM

Dancing 8 - 10 PM

Square Dances, Round Dances, Line Dances All called by Ray Hilton

Bring A **MAIN DISH** To Share & Your Favorite Beverage. **DESSERT will be provided** by the Frye's Leap General Store & Cafe' (Ice Cream) and FIFD (Cake, Hot & Cold Cider).

YA'LL COME!!

Frye Island's 10 Anniversary as a Town Celebration Update

These plans are still evolving so watch the FINS for updates.

Friday, July 4

- Boat Parade - Marina Committee, Tim McCarthy, Capt. Paul Bourque
- Trail Tours - Conservation Commission Chairman, Ed Charrette
- Ice Cream Social - Golf Course, Mark Thomas
- Silent Auction - Emy Adams and Raini Andronaco
- Musical event ?

Saturday, July 5

- Island Parade - Led by a fire truck or trucks carrying lucky children who won a seat in an island raffle
- Brief Town Ceremony at the ferry landing
- Traditional hot dogs at the Fire Barn - Chief Steve Persson
- Scavenger Hunt - Lenore Rosenthal and Linda Tabris
- Fireworks

Sunday, July 6

- Annual Road Race - Ted Charrette
- Family Field Day at the Ball Field from 2-4 PM - Pam LaCerte and hopefully lots of volunteer game leaders
- Progressive Beach Party - Beach Committee - Nancy Donio - donations and help welcomed
- Appetizers at Beach 1 (from 4-5 PM), hot dogs at Beach 4 (5-6 PM), S'mores at Beach 5, (6-7 PM)

The next meeting of the Steering Committee for this special weekend is Sunday, October 7 at 1 PM in the Community Center Library. We welcome all suggestions, donations and volunteers.



655-3551

Frye Island Golf Club

Open to the Public

Fairway Lane

Hours

Friday & Saturday 9:00 AM - Dusk
Sunday: 8:30 AM – Dusk
Monday – Thursday: 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM
(Weather permitting)

Greens Fees

Weekday: \$18.00
Weekend and Holidays: \$30.00
Twilight (after 5 PM): \$13.00
Weekday Youth (16 and under): \$10.00
Weekend Youth (16 and under): \$20.00
3-day weekday pass: \$45.00
Week-long unlimited golf pass: \$100.00

Cart Rentals

Gas Cart:
9 Holes: \$16.00
18 Holes: \$26.00
Pull Cart:
9 or 18 Holes: \$4.00
Club Rentals: \$12.00

Reminder:

All pro shop credits must be used before the end of the season.

Pro Shop

The pro shop is now ordering the GPS SkyCaddie, if interested place your order at the pro shop. Frye Island has already been added to their system.

Tournament Schedule for 2007

October 7 October's Best
October 13 Cross Country

OCTOBER'S BEST GOLF TOURNAMENT



October's Best Golf Tournament is a tradition that boasts the most beautiful tournament of the year. The fairways and greens are at their finest, and the woods are ablaze with wonderful fall colors. So, join us for a SCRAMBLE WITH SURPRISES on Saturday, October 6, 2007, with tee times starting around 11:00 am. Sign up in the pro shop by September 30, so we can make up the teams.

Do we have your updated e-mail address? If not, you may forward it to fryeislandgolf@yahoo.com. This will allow us to keep you updated on any new information or upcoming events.

Sunday Morning Scramble

This Sunday morning, tee off at 9:00am, sign up starting at 8:30am.

Sunday, September 23rd Scramble Results

1st Place Team- (-6) \$24.00 each:

John Kett
Bill Gately
Mike Morrill
Norm Brown
Andrew Morrill

Closest to the Pin #8 \$23.00:

Bill Gately

Shoot Out Golf Tournament Results \$80.00 each:

Group A-John Kett
Group B-Mark Thomas

September 2007

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|-------------------------|--------|---------|-----------|----------|--------|----------|
| 23 9:00a Chapel @ CC | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 |

October 2007

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|--|--------|---------|-----------|----------|---|--|
| 30 9:00a Chapel @ CC | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 9:00a Annual Town Mtg Garden Club Mtg 6:00p Annual Barn Dance @ Fire Barn 6:00p Christmas in October |
| 7 October's Best 9:00a Chapel @ CC 1:00p Frye Island 10 th Anniversary Mtg @ CC 2:00p Annual Halloween Party @ CC | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 7:00p Zoning Board of Appeals @ CC | 13 Cross Country 9:00a BOS/ECMtg @ CC |
| 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 |