

Frye Island News Service

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Important Information

Town of Frye Island

1 Sunset Road
Frye Island, ME 04071
Phone: 207-655-4551
Fax: 207-655-3422
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

John Thompson
Tuesdays and Thursdays 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM

Fire, Medical, or Police Emergencies – Call 911

Non-emergencies

Frye Island Police: 207-893-2810
Email: fipd@fairpoint.net
Fire Department: 207-655-8618

Municipal Officers

John Nun First Selectman
Mark Thomas Selectman
Phil Perry Selectman
Joe Potts Treasurer

BIT Representatives

Bruce Nisula Chair
Bob Miner
Joe Potts
Debbie Anthony

Representative to Legislature

Hon. John C. Robinson
Residence: 207-655-8657
Business: 207-539-4481 Ext 1
E-mail: Repjohn.robinson@legislature.maine.gov

Public Works Department

Garage phone: 207-655-7493
Director: John Crosby

Transfer Station

High Season Operating Hours

Saturday: 10:00AM – 3:00PM
Sunday: 12 Noon – 5:00PM
Wednesday: 10:00AM – 3:00PM

Holiday weekends: Closed Sundays, open Mondays

During high 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 try to call the day before)**

Thank you, Your Public Works Department

Frye Island News Service

Editor: Lisa Kerrigan
Email: lkerrigan@fryeisland.com
Submission deadline:
Wednesday, 3:00 PM - **No Exceptions**

Frye Island Animal Control Officer

Don Alexander
655-7851
Email: dalexan1@maine.rr.com





Town News

Island Manager's Comments

Greetings Everyone,

- **Ferry Service:** The ferry service continues to be the hot topic because of the financial issues. However, before I get in to that I would like to reiterate my feelings about the ferry service. As I mentioned last year, I do think that Frye Island provides the best service of all of the ferry services around. Frye Island provides a minimum of one round trip every ½ hour beginning at 7:00 AM every morning, (Mondays we start at 6 AM for commuters), and runs until at least 7:00 PM every evening. We extend the service to 10:00 pm every evening through the high season and go to midnight and 1:00 AM on the weekends. We charge property owners \$12.00 for a passenger vehicle including all of the occupants. In addition, we extend this discount to immediate family members and guests. Contractors and other non-property owners are only charged \$24.00 for a vehicle and all of its occupants. If we leave anyone at either terminal, we “shuttle” until all of the traffic is cleared up.
- **Casco Bay Lines:** operates a number of ferries to the islands in Casco Bay from its mainland terminal on Commercial Street in Portland. Only one of these ferries carries vehicles on a regular schedule and that ferry only services Peaks Island. A different vehicle ferry will service a few of the other islands but that is not on a regular schedule, it does not provide same day round trip service and requires advance reservations. This ferry carries cars and light pick-ups only and, between mid-April and Columbus Day, costs \$120.00 one way. The Peaks Island vehicle ferry has varying rates on different days of the week. Thursday, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday until 5PM the rate is \$80.00 for the vehicle and the driver. All other passengers pay the passenger fee of \$7.75 each. There are varying rates for children under 9 years of age and for the family dog. On the other days of the week the rate for the vehicle and the driver is \$60.00. This is about a fifteen minute trip. The other islands in Casco Bay are served by passenger ferries only. The rates for these ferries vary from \$7.75 per person to \$11.50 per person. Children under 12 get a 50% discount. Peaks Island gets the most frequent service with the ferry running every hour between 5:45 AM to 11:30 PM. Not all of these are vehicle ferries. The other islands are serviced as few as 5 times per day and as many as 8 times per day. Commuter books containing 5 tickets are available at about 60% of the normal cost but they

expire 2 weeks after the issue date. I can tell you from experience that if you miss the last ferry they will not make a special run and they do not shuttle if there is more traffic than they can handle. These rates include a recently added \$0.50 fuel surcharge.

- **Maine Ferry Service:** operates a number of ferries to islands in the Penobscot Bay area. Their ferries are combination vehicle and passenger ferries. Their runs vary from as short as 6 miles which takes about 40 minutes, to 23 miles taking 2 hours and 15 minutes. These islands are serviced as infrequently as 3-4 times a month to 6 times a day. Like the Casco Bay Lines, the cost per vehicle includes the driver only. All passengers must pay the passenger rate. Round trip passenger rates vary from \$7.50 per person to \$29.00 per person. Vehicles vary from \$22.50 to \$77.00 per vehicle. The space on the ferries is limited so they do take advanced reservations. These rates reflect a recently added 12.5% rate increase.
- In addition, with both the Casco Bay Lines and the Maine Ferry Service, the majority of the trips are passenger trips which require the payment of parking fees.

I also heard what many Frye Islanders would call “horror” stories about one person that accidentally stepped out of the ticket line and then wasn’t able to get a ticket for the ferry that day. Or about the young man that had a \$150.00 water ferry bill to get off an island and catch up to his luggage on the mainland. To these islanders it was unpleasant but it was considered part of life on an island.

Sometimes, when I hear the criticism about the ferry service, I think we forget that we chose to live and vacation on an Island.

Now, to a subject near and dear to everyone’s hearts and wallets.....the ferry budget. I was hesitant to include the chart shown below because charts can sometimes be more confusing than beneficial but hopefully it will give you a reasonable snapshot of where we have been and where we are financially with the ferry service.

Last August, when we prepared the budget for the 2008 season, we were paying \$2.30 per gallon for diesel fuel and the revenues from both discount and full price tickets were strong. I didn’t dare budget the revenues for 2008 as much as they were running in ’07 but I felt quite comfortable with the budget as it was presented.

As the lower chart section shows, the sale of discount tickets has increased quite steadily since 2005 which makes sense considering the increase in new homes on the Island. In addition, the sale of full price tickets has held quite steady as well and, in fact, has provided more than half of the ferry revenue. Through the past few years, as we have discussed long term plans for the ferry service, we have discussed the impact on the ferry revenue stream when the contractor traffic dried up. Admittedly, we were considered years down the road but I think the difficulties we are facing now are just a precursor of things to come. The days of the ferry operation being subsidized by the contractors and renters seems to be gone, at least for now.

As the first two chart sections below show, assuming that the sale of tickets remains at the current pace, the sale of discount tickets will fall a little short of plan. But, the sale of full price tickets will fall considerably short of plan. The '08 revenue chart projects a \$53K dollar revenue short fall.

In addition, I think the cost of fuel is really adding to the problems. I believe the higher cost of gasoline is causing weekenders to reconsider their trips to the Island contributing to the reduction in revenues. And, the higher cost of diesel fuel for the ferries projects to be about \$15,000 over plan.

2008 REVENUE					
	Budget	YTD (07/15/08)	YE Projections	Diff	
Discount Tix Sales	\$165,614	\$82,731	\$156,242	-\$9,372	-5.66%
Reg. Tix Sales	\$152,925	\$48,200	\$109,172	-\$43,753	-28.61%
Other Sales	\$18,115	\$4,062	\$18,207	\$92	0.51%
Total	\$336,654	\$134,993	\$283,621	-\$53,033	-15.75%

2008 EXPENSES					
	Budget	YTD (07/15/08)	YE Projections	Diff	
Fuel Costs	\$29,240	\$16,249	\$44,603	-\$15,363	-52.54%
All other Expenses	\$307,194	\$128,600	\$306,703	\$491	0.16%
Total	\$336,434	\$144,850	\$351,307	-\$14,873	-52.38%

2008 TICKETS					
	Budget	YTD (07/15/08)	YE Projections	Diff	%
Discount Tickets	18402	7,033	17,360	-1,041	-5.66%
Full price Tickets	7646	1734	5,459	-2,188	-28.61%
Heavy Equipment	4136	799	2,579	-1,557	-37.64%
Regular Sales	3510	935	2,879	-631	-17.96%

	Discount Sales	Reg. Sales	Other Sales	Total
2005 Actual	\$128,303	\$188,268		\$316,571
2006 Actual	\$146,210	\$163,459	\$6,784	\$316,453
2007 Actual	\$164,085	\$171,673	\$22,015	\$357,773

The net result of all of this has caused the Executive Committee to call a public hearing on Saturday to discuss the need to take action now which could result in the need to increase the cost of a ticket to help cover the projected shortfall. The hearing has been scheduled for 8:00AM, Saturday 19 July at the Community Center. Please try to attend. It is important that as many people as possible provide input to help resolve this issue that is important to all Islanders.

Memorabilia: Wini Rogers, Joan Rivard and others have gathered some interesting memorabilia and have it on displaying it in the Town Office. Please feel free to drop by to see it.

Bingo: Diana Luchor has volunteered to run Bingo at the Community Center this year. We have the license and have scheduled the first session for Monday July 21st beginning at 7:00PM at the Community Center.

Public Hearing: Saturday 19 July, 8:00 AM at the Community Center to discuss raising ferry ticket prices to overcome the projected revenue shortfall and the high cost of fuel oil.

Special Board of Island Trustee Meeting: Saturday 26 July, 9:00AM at the Community Center to approve warrant developed from Public Hearing to increase ferry ticket pricing.

Board Meeting: The next regular Board of Selectmen / Executive Committee meeting has been scheduled for 9AM on August 9 at the Community Center.

Have a very enjoyable and safe weekend!
Wayne

Notice of Public Hearing

Saturday July 19th at 8:00 AM
Community Center

Board of Island Trustees

Discuss addition of Surcharge to Ferry Ticket price

Marina Committee Meeting

Saturday, July. 26, 2008 at 8:00 a.m.
Community Center

Notice of Special Town Meeting

Saturday July 26th at 9:00 AM
Community Center

Board of Island Trustees

Approve addition of Surcharge to Ferry Ticket price

Zoning Board of Appeals

Friday, July 25, 2008 at 7:00 P.M.

Community Center

Agenda

1. Call meeting to order at 7:00 P.M.
2. Approval of minutes
3. Public Hearing
 - a. Catherine Kane – Variance request; reduction of the front setback from 50’ to 41’ and reduction of the front setback from 30’ to 24’. Relevant sections of the ordinance are Article I Zoning Ordinance Section 101-1-3 (7) District Regulations and 101-I-4 General Standards D. (1) Corner Lots
 - b. Alison Zea – Administrative Appeal; error was made in the issuance of a notice of violation.
 - c. Variance request; reduction in the shore setback of 100’ to 97’ and a reduction of the side setback of 15’ to 11.42’ and a reduction in the road setback of 50’ to 48.35’. Relevant sections of the ordinance are Article I Zoning Ordinance Section 101-I-3 (7) District Regulations and Article III Shoreland Zoning Ordinance Section 101-III-15 Land Use Standards Subsection B. Principal and Accessory Structures (1) “All new principal and accessory structures shall have a shore setback of at least one hundred (100) feet, horizontal distance, from the normal high water line of Sebago Lake”.
4. Other business
5. Adjourn meeting

Town of Frye Island Planning Board

Saturday, August. 2, 2008 at 8:30 a.m.

Community Center

Agenda

1. **Public Hearing**
 - a. Presentation of Utility Vehicle Ordinance
 - b. Presentation of Public Beach Ordinance
2. **Regular Meeting**
 - a. Minutes and Correspondence
 - b. New business

Please send any request for additional agenda items to Steve Kaplan.

All Planning Board Meetings are open to the public.

Approved Planning Board Minutes are available on Frye Island.Com Web Site.

Maureen G Purtell, age 57, of 39 Leisure Lane, passed away on July 9th 2008 suddenly at her home, in Chelmsford MA. She was the wife of Richard N. Purtell. Maureen G. (Cody) (Grenham) Purtell, PhD, ARNP, BC, a resident of South Chelmsford, received her early education in Lowell schools and was a graduate of Lowell High School, class of 1969. Among her many activities there were Girl Officers, and writing a Lowell Sun column, Teen Talk. She continued her education, graduating from Lowell State College with a Bachelor of Science degree in Nursing, Boston College with a Master of Science degree. She then earned her proudest achievement, a PhD in Psychopharmacology from Columbus University. She worked at the E.N. Rogers VA Hospital in Bedford, MA for over 25 years. While there she earned awards for her unstinting devotion to our military veterans. She founded the Lowell Veterans Community Center outreach program and later served as nurse practitioner at the New England Shelter for Homeless Veterans in Boston. After retiring from the VA, she was Nurse Practitioner at Greater Lowell Psychiatric Associates in Chelmsford and Staffier Associates in Westboro. Subsequently, she started her own practice, Nashua Psychological Associates in Nashua, NH until her illness forced her retirement in 2006. Those who wish may make memorial contributions in her name to the E.N. Rogers VA Hospital, C/O Volunteer Service, 200 Springs Rd., Bedford, MA 01730.

Our thoughts and condolences go to the Purtell family.

Town of Frye Island Public Works Department – Transfer Station

Because of after hours illegal dumping inside and outside of the Transfer Station, the Public Works Department will be restricting after hours access to the transfer station.

Residents have been leaving televisions, computers, lawn chairs, used motor oil, paint, insecticides, tires, boat, automobile and jet ski batteries, wood, furniture etc. all so that they can avoid transfer station fees.

This illegal dumping is not fair to those taxpayers who go by the rules and pay their fair share. We all end up paying for your illegal dumping.

Starting this weekend (6-21-08) anyone caught inside the transfer station fence with anything other than bagged household trash shall be fined the maximum penalty allowed by state law.

The Public Works Department and the Frye Island Police Department will be aggressively monitoring the transfer station.

Failure to pay any fees or fines may affect you or your guests right to use or purchase discounted ferry tickets.

When the Transfer Station is closed, you may walk around the fence only with bagged household trash and deposit it in the back of the truck.

Need access during the week? Call ahead! Need help? Call ahead! Need to speak to me? I can be reached at Public Works (655-7493), Office (655-4551), and Ferry (655-4258)

Thank you, John Crosby

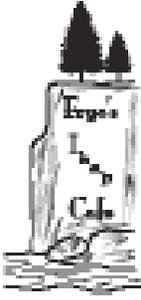


Marina News

Safe Boating Tips

- Watercraft towing a person or persons on water-skis, surfboards, aquaplanes, or similar devices shall not operate within water safety zones (area of water within 200 feet of any shoreline, mainland or island). Exception: to drop-off or pickup passengers, while ensuring that persons and property are not endangered in the process.
- No person shall operate any watercraft for the purpose of towing a person on water-skis, surfboards, or similar devices on any waterway between the hours of ½ hour after sunset until ½ hour before sunrise.
- Any person being towed on water skis, surfboards, or similar devices must wear a life jacket, life belt, or similar life saving device. No watercraft operator shall tow anyone involved in the aforementioned activities unless the person being towed has complied with this requirement.
- Watercraft towing a person on water skis, surfboard, or other similar devices must have a person in the watercraft who is at least 12 years of age, in addition to the operator, who is in a position to continually observe the person/s being towed.





Frye's Leap

General Store and Café

655-4256

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Candy - Coffee - Clothing - Muffins - Bagels - Newspapers - ATM - Video Rentals - Ice
/ine - Café - Beer and Wine Bar - Toys

High Season Store Hours are as follows...

Mon – Friday: 8:00AM – 9:00PM

Saturday: 8:00 AM – 10:00 PM

Sunday: 8:00 AM – 9:00 PM

High Season CAFÉ Hours are as follows...

Mon – Friday: 11:00 AM – 9:00 PM

Saturday: 8:00 AM – 10:00 PM

Sunday: 8:00 AM – 9:00 PM





Leisure Lounge

Fairway Lane (next to the golf pro shop)

655-3551

Air Conditioned

Open to the Public

Hours:

Thursday – Saturday: 8:00 AM – Midnight

Sunday: 7:30 AM – 8:00 PM

Monday – Wednesday: 8:00 AM – 8:00 PM



Enjoy satellite reception on our 42" plasma TV.

Full Bar

Beer, Wine, Hard Lemonade, & Mixed Drinks

\$3.00 Root Beer Floats

Complimentary Coffee

Snacks

\$5.00 Pizza

\$1.00 Hot Dogs



Come One Come All

Chinese Raffle-Mini Auction

Saturday, August 16th @ Leisure Lounge

Time to be announced

We are soliciting (new) items to be donated to raise money In memory of *Sue Nisula*

All of the proceeds will be given to the building of *Sue's Kitchen* (a new addition to the clubhouse). If you would like to make a donation, please bring items to Leisure Lounge before August 14th.

Thank you,

Terry Kett & Judy Burgess





Ferry News

655-4258

This Week's Ferry Schedule

	First Ferry	Second Ferry
Saturday	7 AM – 1 AM	10 AM – 6 PM
Sunday	7 AM – 10 PM	12 PM – 8 PM
Monday	6 AM – 10 PM	8:30 AM – 10:30 AM 3 PM – 5 PM
Tuesday	7 AM – 10 PM	8:30 AM – 10:30 AM 3 PM – 5 PM
Wednesday	7 AM – 10 PM	8:30 AM – 10:30 AM 3 PM – 5 PM
Thursday	7 AM – 11 PM	8:30 AM – 10:30 AM 3 PM – 5 PM
Friday	7 AM – 12 Mid	8:30 AM – 10:30 AM 2 PM – 10 PM

Thank you

Thank you to Dan & Holly Amato for the cookies, Deb Anthony for the raspberry squares, Pam Manning for the pastries & dog treats, Jim Reali for the carrot cake, Winnie Rogers for the dog treats, and Jean Russo for the muffins.

Thank you to the ferry crew and my fellow Islanders for letting my family cut in the long line on Monday, July 7th, my grandson was sick and we were rushing him to Maine Medical Center.

Deborah Bloom & family



Fire Department

Fire Barn: 207-655-8618

Fire Department Notice

Rules pertaining to the use of open fires in screened enclosures and chimeneas.

Open fires in a screened enclosure designed for such use or chimenea are permitted under the following conditions:

- The device must be used only on an acceptable permit-required burn day within the state. (A permit will not be necessary to use the device, but it can only be used on a day on which burning is allowed.)
- The device must stand on sand or dirt in a wide-open area to prevent any spread of fire.
- The device must be placed away from any structure and **cannot** be situated on a porch, deck, or other similar area.
- The device must be continuously monitored by an adult.
- A fire hose or bucket of water must be nearby.

Anyone using one of these devices accepts **full responsibility** for their actions if a mishap occurs.

The fire department has the authority to extinguish any fire that constitutes a hazard.

Violators of these rules will be reported to the Maine Forest Service, Forest Protection Division, for disciplinary action.

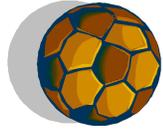
If there are any questions or concerns regarding the use of a screened enclosure or a chimenea, please contact the Town Fire Warden or Frye Island Fire Department.

Thank you

The Frye Island Fire Department would like to thank Dick Vande Hei, Steve Aranyi and Tara Fitzpatrick for their assistance in serving and cooking the 500 hot dogs for our open house. They came to the "rescue" so we could participate in the parade with all of the fire/rescue apparatus. That would have been impossible without their help. Thanks again.

We would also like to thank Arlene Kirschenbaum for her contribution to FIFD after we assisted her with her vehicle problem.

Also, Jim Kuiken has completed the alarm system and installed all the electrical lights in the office of the fire department. He has volunteered his time and also purchased many of the electrical parts needed to complete the alarm system and would not take any money. He made a large donation to the fire department on top of all the work he did for us. We greatly appreciate your help and donation. Thank you so much!!



Activities & Recreation

Recreation Chairperson: Andrea Sansonetti

F.I.'s 10th Anniversary Celebration

PICTURES OF OUR TENTH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

Literally, hundreds of pictures were taken by our "official" photographers, Captain Ross Graham, Bob Desfosses, Steve Aranyi and Helen McKee. We are going to feature them in chronological order, one event per weekend in the FINS. This week we will share the Anniversary Parade.

10TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION THANKS TO OUR BENEFACTORS

Winnie Rogers of Kranin Real Estate
Linda and Mike Tabris

THANKS TO THE FOLLOWING PEOPLE WHO WORKED HARD TO PROVIDE FRYE ISLAND WITH A MEMORABLE AND EXCITING TENTH BIRTHDAY

What would we have done without the interest and cheerful cooperation of Lisa Kerrigan and the FI office staff? Lisa played a tremendous role in publishing the information about events. Without her, many islanders would never have known about or been able to enjoy the dozens of different events going on around the island. Hundreds of children might have missed Family Field Day. Tim McCarthy would never have given out every hot dog in sight at Beach Five during the Progressive Beach Party. Thanks a million, Lisa. You are a treasure. A huge thank you goes to the following fun-loving, public spirited islanders and guests. They stepped up to home plate, ready to perform and hit a grand slam every time.

- Rep. John Robinson for being our guest
- Rev. Theodore Eckholm for leading us in prayer
- All who contributed financially whose names have been and will be in the FINS
- Paul and Ruth Bourque for organizing the Boat Parade and being EMTs at Field Day
- Tim McCarthy and Mike Hurley for preparing and printing the program
- Conservation Commission Chairman, Ed Charrette for the informative Trail Walk
- The Golf Committee for the Ice Cream Social
- Emy Adams and Raini Andronaco for running the Silent Auction & the Fire Truck Raffle

- The members of the Book Group especially, Maura Bullock and Maria Charrette for the Book Sale to benefit these festivities
- Nancy & Phil Perry for organizing and advertising a great parade, helping with advertising, and helping at Field Day.
- Phil Perry, Judy Comley and Kathy Huchthausen for decorating the Town buildings
- Kathy Potts for getting the Bonny Eagle High School Band to play in our parade
- FI Fire Dept, for their annual lunch and letting us raffle two rides on the trucks
- Amy, Nicole, Lianne, Maggie and Dave Wagner: Linda, Ken, Patti and Mike Tabris, Lenore and Dave Rosenthal for an exciting Scavenger Hunt
- Ted Charrette for his annual and popular Road Race on Sunday
- Organizer, Pam Lacerte and Theresa Bates, Richard & Jeannine LaCerte, Linda & Paul Flahive, Sylvia & Jim O'Connor, Diana Luchor, Eileen Sullivan, Bill & Nancy Keup, Bryna & Alan Klevan, Anna Donio and Pat Karpacz for the gigantic job of running Family Field Day
- Nancy & Anna Donio, Beth & Haley Hirsch, Nancy & Tom Bishop, Betsy & Eric Gleysteen, Mary & Tim McCarthy and the Beach Five community for the Beach Parties
- Bob Desfosses and Steve Aranyi for being our "official" photographers
- All donors and buyers at the Silent Auction, Fire Truck Raffle, and Book Sale
- John Crosby and his crew for helping with the logistics of so much activity

Thanks for making our Birthday Bash so special.
Patricia Karpacz, chairperson, FI Tenth Anniversary Celebration Committee



Recreation Dept. Schedule

Recreation Director: Nancy Bishop

Game room and library hours

Tuesday-Sunday Morning 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

All ages Tues., Wed., Thurs., 6:00-8:00 p.m.

Monday closed

(Children under age 8 must be accompanied by an adult)

Schedule is subject to change due to rain

Rain hours 11:00-3:00 p.m.

Friday July 18 th :	7:00 PM – 9:00 PM Capture the Flag at ball field
Saturday July 19 th :	6:00 PM Pickup Softball at ballfield. 8:00 PM – 10:30 PM Teen Night
Sunday July 20 th :	2:00 PM – 4:00 PM Tie Dye
Monday July 21 st	Closed
Tuesday July 22 nd	10:00 AM – 10:30 AM (Toddler Time) 10:30 AM – 11:00 AM (Small Frye)
Wednesday July 23 rd	6:00 PM Family Craft Night
Thursday July 24 th	5:00 PM – 6:00 PM Kids Soaps 7:00 PM Smores – Come join us at the old Rec. Center fireplace.
Friday July 25 th :	5:00 – 6:00 PM Lanyards 7:00 PM – 9:00 PM Capture the Flag at ball field
Saturday July 26 th :	8:00 AM – 9:00 AM ESP Class 4:00 PM – 5:00 PM Bookmarking 6:00 PM Pickup Softball at ballfield. 8:00 PM – 10:30 PM Teen Night
Sunday July 27 th :	10:00 AM Beach 6 Pickup Volleyball 2:00 PM – 4:00 PM Tie Dye

Please if you borrow anything from teen-room or supply office please put back in proper place, thank you.

Rec Center is in need of a changing table for our tiny tots.

Swimming anyone? Looking for anyone who is willing to teach swimming lessons. Call Nancy 655-3893

Rec. Schedule is subject to change.

Pokemon! Yu-gi-oh!

Want to trade or play!?! If you have them, bring your cards, mats, damage counters, etc. to the Community Center on Sat., Jul 19, 10:30am, to play or trade. Or just come to meet others who enjoy this hobby.

Tennis

Hi! My name is Anne Archer-Johnson and I teach TENNIS. What a wonderful opportunity we have on Frye Island with four tennis courts and wonderful weather for tennis lessons. I have played tennis since a young child learning on clay courts in Portland. I play on five different teams in the Atlanta, Ga. area throughout the year where I currently reside with my family. I play in two doubles tournaments a year. I teach pre-school during the year and started a tennis camp at the school for the first two weeks of June this year. I teach children from 5 years old and older as well as adults. If you are interested (for yourself or your children) in learning tennis, improving your strokes, or doing drills, then please contact me at either number: 655-7393 or 770-238-2728. I will be available until July 30th.

Yoga is Coming

Attention Yogis and Yoginis!

Amy Wagner, RYT, is back on the Island and looking forward to starting Yoga classes again. Please check the community center for updates this week. If you have any questions, call Amy at 655-4543.

Thank you!

Tie-Dye

Come Tie-Dye With Us!

Tie-Dye is back! And the dyes are better than ever!! We offer Tie-Dye at the Community Center Sundays from 2:00 pm-4:00 pm. You can purchase shirts, socks, bandanas or pillowcases, or you can bring your own whites. Costs are as follows:
Shirts, Pillowcases: \$10.00
Bandanas, Socks: \$8.00
Bring your own whites: \$5.00/person, \$2.00/each additional item.

Remember, if you bring items, whites work best. See you there!

Nicole and Amy Wagner

Questions? Call 655-4543 or (480) 329-5488.

Garden Club

On Saturday, July 26th, the Garden Club program will be held at the home of Pirjo and George Amato at 1221 Chestnut Circle. The Amato's beautiful hidden garden is perched atop one of the high points of the island. This garden is a showcase for the imagination and industry of its owners. All interested islanders are invited to join us at this garden tour which will begin at 9:00 AM.

Now the deer are bringing their children to our gardens.

Need help?

Phone Claire Ladow, 655-7730, to order BOBBEX.

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 in the upper room at the Community Center. 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 Chaplain: Rev. Richard Peterson, Ph.D
Rev. A. Theodore Ekholm

Canoe Skills & Safety Class taught by licensed Maine Guide, Ron St. Saviour.

This class will give you hands-on experience to build your self-confidence and increase your ability to truly enjoy the sport of canoeing. Topics will include safety, rescue and paddle skills such as onside/offside spins, eddy turns, backpaddling and much more. This course is designed for paddlers 12 yrs. and up and is great for parents, grandparents and children!

Date: Sat., July 19

Time: 9 am - 2 pm

Cost: \$60 per participant (includes lunch & all equipment)

Island location: Beach 1

Please **sign up and pay** at the town office **or** call Andrea Sansonetti @ 655-7832 (please leave your name and phone number).

Heart Saver CPR, Heimlich Maneuver & Heart Saver First Aid

taught by Susan Dunn, Nurse and certified American Heart Assoc. instructor.

Susan was on our island a few years ago and has agreed to return this summer to teach another outstanding course. This is a great opportunity to tune-up your skills and /or learn new lifesaving techniques. Course is limited to 15 participants and is open to anyone 12 yrs. and older.

Date: Tuesday, July 29

Time: 9:30 am - 1:00 pm

Cost: \$32 per participant (includes Am. Heart Assoc. booklet and certification card)

Location: Community Center

Please **sign up and pay** at the town office **by July 22** or call Andrea Sansonetti @ 655-7832 to reserve your spot.

An Evening with eBay!

EBay has become the internet's most popular shopping destination. Authorized eBay Trainer, Michael Mills is coming to our island to give a presentation. Whether you are looking for a unique item or you need to sell items in the attic (or cottage!) or you wish to start an internet business, eBay may be for you. Come join your fellow islanders for an informative evening with Michael Mills.

Date: Thurs., July 31

Time: 6:30 - 8:30 pm

Cost: \$7.00 (There will also be a very useful handbook available for purchase at a price of \$21.00.)

Location: Community Center

Please **sign up and pay** at the town office or call Andrea Sansonetti at 655-7832.

FRYE ISLAND BOOK GROUP 2008

The following titles will be discussed on these dates.

*July 21 **TEAM OF RIVALS** by D.K. Goodwin

Aug. 4 **THE LIGHTHOUSE** by P.D. James

Aug. 25 **WATER FOR ELEPHANTS** by S. Gruen

Meetings are at 7:30 PM in the Community Center.

* Addition, We're revisiting Lincoln's political genius in this political year. All are welcome

Party Bridge Players

If you like to play non-threatening Bridge, meet us at the Golf Course Lounge on Wednesdays at 1 PM. For details, call Pat Karpacz





655-3551

Frye Island Golf Club

Open to the Public

Fairway Lane

Hours

Monday - Saturday: 8:00 AM – 8:00 PM
Sunday: 7:30 AM – 8:00 PM

Greens Fees

Weekday: \$20.00
Weekend and Holidays: \$30.00
Twilight (after 5 PM):
 Weekdays \$13.00
 Weekends \$15.00
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: \$110.00

Cart Rentals

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

Pro Shop

Come by the pro shop, we carry *Frye Island Golf Club* logo shirts, hats, jackets and balls. All putters on sale \$40 each.

Tentative 2008 Tournament Schedule

June-August	Club Championship
July 19	President's Cup
July 26	Night Golf
August 2	Rally for a Cure
August 12	MGCSA (Superintendents)
August 16-17	Member/Guest
September 5-7	Sebago Lake Escape
September 20	Shoot Out
October 11	TKE Fall Classic
October 18	Cross Country

Saturday Mid-Morning Ladies Scramble

Back by popular request is the ladies' scramble. If you are a beginner through intermediate golfer, this is for you. Though there is some prize money, the game is really intended to be fun. By establishing a scramble format, all levels of ability are able to contribute, so please consider participating in this weekly event.

Time: 11:00 on Saturday morning
Please sign in by 10:45 so we can determine teams
Contact Laura Davis at 655-7267 if you have questions.

July 12th winner: Kathy Spangler

Congratulations – Bruce Nisula

On July 17th Bruce became a member of the Hole in One Club on #4.

Sunday Morning Scramble

Every Sunday morning, tee off at 8:00am, sign up starting at 7:30am.

Sunday, July 13th Scramble Results

1st Place Team (-6) \$21.50 each:

George Greenwich
Don Davis
Ron Cedrone
Jim Hirsch
Bob Garceau

2nd Place Team (-5) \$12.00 each:

Earl Daniels
Greg Tedford
Bill Callahan
Mark Thomas

Closest to the Pin \$30.00:

Roger Stenz

NIGHT GOLF



July 26th
\$20 per person + any applicable green fees
(includes glow balls)
Hor' douvers @ 7pm
Tee off @ dark

Fee to be made at time of sign up -
Space is limited
Bring an hor' douver to share

Rally for a Cure Luncheon/Golf Tournament

Saturday, August 2, 2008 - More details to follow
Sign up at the clubhouse

Frye Island Junior's Golf Tournament

This past Saturday the F.I. Golf Club sponsored its first Junior Golf Tournament. There were eighteen junior participants. Thank you to Paul Lyons and Ron Vaillancourt for coordinating this event and providing trophies for the winners. The winners also shared \$100 from the "***George Taylor – Junior Golf Tournament Award***", generously donated by Frances Taylor in memory of her late husband George.

1st Place \$15.00 + trophy:

A Flight- Will Bouchard B Flight- Ethan Bedell

2nd Place \$10.00+ trophy:

A Flight- Ben Parks B Flight- Andrew Morrill

Closest to the Pin \$10.00 each:

#4 Ethan Bedell

#8 Brandon Murphy

Special Awards \$10.00 each:

Tommy Bishop

Jimmy Snow

Luke Davison

NEED GOLF LESSONS

Ron Vallancourt, PGA Golf Professional, will be giving golf lessons, on Monday and Tuesday mornings at the Golf Course.

Ron has been a Golf Professional for over 35 years, and is a resident of Frye Island. One of his specialties is that of a teaching pro. Lessons will be by appointment. Call 655-2313.



Club Championship

Quarterfinal Match must be completed by July 28.

Semifinal Match must be completed by August 18.

Final Match must be completed by September 1 (Labor Day).

Congratulations to the following golfers who qualified for the quarterfinal Match:

Womens

Laura Davis – Bye

Nancy Donio – Bobbie Thomas

Judy Burgess – Bye

Theresa Hodge – Bye

Mens

Brian Nisula – Don Davis or Greg Tedford (*sudden death playoff)

Steve Daigle – John Kett

Tom Bishop – John Hodge

George Greenwich – Harry Zea

Good Luck.

Frye Island G.C. - 2008 Member Guest

The season is in full swing and is going by fast! I hate to say it but Fall will be here before we know it. So we wanted to remind all of the members that the Member/Guest Tournament is just around the corner, August 16th & 17th. We would love to see you there. For those that have participated in the past it is a lot of fun. For those of you who haven't we would love to see you and a guest here that weekend. It is match play, always a good time! Two person teams, 4 teams per flight, flights based on handicaps. Price of \$200 per team(\$100 per person) includes Golf, food, prizes and fun contests. This tournament is for men and women. We would love to have a couple of flights or more for the women this year and have a women's member/guest champion. In the past it has been only one overall champion, which is fine, but if we can get more women to play it might be more fun to crown a separate champion (this is open for discussion!). It all depends on the number of participants entered. The point is that this is a weekend for the members to share their course with a friend. Have some laughs and some friendly competition.

So please give playing in this years member/guest some serious consideration. We guarantee you will have fun! And maybe you could be matched in a flight with one of us, if you win you have bragging rights for a whole year!! Remember the date is August 16th & 17th. The sign up sheet is located in the pro shop!!

Sincerely,

JIM & JOHN HODGE

Member/Guest Tournament Chairmen

July 2008

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
13 9:00a Chapel @ CC 10:00a Rec Mtg @ CC 2:00 Tie Dye	14 7:30p Book Group @ CC	15 10:00a Toddler Time @ CC 10:30a Small Frye Island @ CC 4:00p Make your own Earrings @ CC	16 9:00a Garden Club Work Hour @ CC 4:00p Beach Stone Frames @ CC 6:00p Family Craft Night @ CC	17 6:00p Family Candy Bar Bingo @ CC	18 7:00p Capture the Flag @ ball field	19 President's Cup 8:00a Public Hearing @ CC 9:00a Canoe Skill & Safety Class 6:00p Pickup Softball @ ball field 8:00p Teen Night @ CC
20 9:00a Chapel @ CC 2:00p Tie Dye @ CC	21 7:30p Book Group @ CC 7:00p BINGO @ CC	22 10:00a Toddler Time @ CC 10:30a Small Frye Island @ CC	23 6:00p Family Craft Night @ CC	24 5:00p Kids Soaps@ CC 7:00p Smores @ CC	25 5:00p Lanyards @ CC 7:00p Board of Appeals @ CC 7:00p Capture the Flag @ ball field	26 8:00a Marina Committee Mtg @ CC 8:00a ESP @ CC 9:00a Special Town Mtg @ CC Night Golf 4:00p Bookmarking @ CC 6:00p Pickup Softball @ ball field 8:00p Teen Night @ CC
27 9:00a Chapel @ CC 10:00a Pickup Volleyball @ Beach 6 2:00p Tie Dye @ CC	28 7:00p BINGO @ CC	29 9:30a Heart Saver CPR @ CC	30	31 6:30p An Evening with eBay @ CC		

August 2008

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1	2 Rally for a Cure 8:30a Planning Board Mtg @ CC
3 9:00a Chapel @ CC	4 7:00p BINGO @ CC 7:30p Book Group @ CC	5	6	7	8	9 9:00a BOS/EC Mtg @ CC