



Frye Island News Service

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A little piece of rock tranquility at 1283 Birch Rd.

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Important Information

Town of Frye Island

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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 – 3:00 PM

Fire, Medical, or Police Emergencies – Call 911

Non-emergencies

Frye Island Police: (207-893-2810)

Police Chief: Rod Beaulieu

Fire Department: (207-655-8618)

Fire Chief: Steve Persson

Executive Committee

James Kuiken..... First Selectman
John Nun Selectman
Mark Thomas..... Selectman
David Bond Executive Committee - Chair
Joe Potts
Bob Sutherland
Gary Donohue

Joe Potts Municipal Treasurer

Public Works Department

Phone: 207-655-7493
Director: John Crosby

Transfer Station Operating Hours

Saturday: 10 AM – 3 PM
Sunday: 12 noon – 5 PM
Holiday weekends: Monday, 12 noon - 5 PM
Closed Sunday

If you need access to the Transfer Station Monday through Friday (8 AM - 3 PM), please call the Public Works Garage and leave a message. (Advance notice is greatly appreciated.) We will need your name and Island phone number.

Frye Island News Service

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

Representative to Legislature

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Raymond, ME 04071
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Town News

Island Manager's Comments

Greetings everyone:

We are rapidly approaching the Annual Island Meeting / Town Meeting and the end of the season. It hardly seems possible that we are already into the middle of September.

The Annual Meeting has been scheduled for Saturday October 8th. The Executive Committee is comprised of four (4) elected members representing the Board of Island Trustees; and three (3) elected Selectmen. This year we will hold elections for 2 vacancies for Board of Island Trustee Representatives and one Selectman's position. David Bond is a candidate for re-election to the Executive Committee and Tim McCarthy is a candidate for the other open position. In addition, Brian Walker has indicated he will become a candidate for the vacant Selectman's position.

In addition to these elections, we will also be voting on the budget for 2012, an amendment to the Charter which clarifies the voting process on financial issues; an ordinance banning the sale and use of personal fireworks; a revision to the Golf Cart Ordinance holding an adult responsible when an unlicensed driver is allowed to drive a golf cart; an ordinance allowing the Town to restrict the use of the public water system when deemed necessary; plus other more generic articles. One warrant article is certain to generate discussion which is the question regarding the three vs. two tier ferry price schedule. I have included it below. All of the ordinance proposals have been posted on the Town bulletin board. As soon as the Executive Committee approves the warrant it will be posted on the web site and the bulletin boards also.

2 Tier Ticket Pricing System: (Draft)

- There will be 2 ticket prices...Full price and discount price.
- Frye Island property owners with an EZ Ride account will pay the approved discount price for ferry passage. (Automobile ticket currently \$15)
- In addition, property owners with EZ Ride account will be able to purchase discount tickets for their family and friends etc.
- Non - Property owners will be able to establish EZ Ride account but ticket purchases will cost full price. (Automobile ticket currently \$30).
- All ferry tickets sold in the office and on the mainland will cost the full price

3 Tier Ticket Pricing System: (Draft)

- There will be 3 ticket prices...Full price, discount price and full price plus an additional percentage.
- Frye Island property owners with an EZ Ride account will pay the approved discount price for ferry passage. (Automobile ticket currently \$15)
- In addition, property owners with EZ Ride account will be able to purchase discount tickets for their family and friends etc.
- Non - Property owners will be able to establish EZ Ride account but ticket purchases will cost full price. (Automobile ticket currently \$30).
- All ferry tickets sold in the office will cost the full price.
- All ferry tickets sold on the mainland will cost the full price plus an additional percentage. (This cost needs to be established).

Budget: I have continued to update the 2012 budget, primarily working on the year end projections. In the Governmental Fund, the fund supported by taxes, I anticipate non-tax revenue to be about \$12,000 over budget. Any excess revenue (revenue over the budget) will be automatically added to the surplus fund balance. However, the actual expenses appear to be running above the budget by about \$5000 at this time. The biggest factor contributing to this overage is the unexpected cost of the water filters which is estimated to be about \$15,000 over the budget. The fact that we have a bottom line budget allows us to make up some of this overage with savings in other department accounts. These figures are subject to change as the season winds down. I will continue to do the projections and keep you posted.

Meetings: Executive Committee: Saturday, September 17th, 9:00 AM at the Community Center.
Board of Appeals: Friday September 16th, 7:00PM at the Community Center

Have a great weekend and stay safe.

Wayne

Town Charter Amendment

At the July Board of Selectmen / Executive Committee meeting, it was unanimously passed to consider an amendment to the *Frye Island Town Charter*. A Public Hearing on the Charter Amendment was held on August 13th in the Community Center. A copy of the **Town Charter amendment** is posted on the bulletin board and is available on the Frye Island website. This Charter Amendment will be voted on at the October Town Meeting.

Article for October Town Meeting Warrant

Draft 4

Article XX. To see if the Voters of the Town of Frye Island will vote to amend the Town Charter Article VII by adding the following words as a new Section 9:

Section 9. Approval Requirements. The approval requirements for financial actions related to operational expenses and the expenditure of Reserve Fund monies for the Town of Frye Island, including the Town's Enterprise Operations, are as follows:

1. Any commitment of Unreserved Undesignated Fund Balance assets requires first a majority vote of the Board of Island Trustees, and if approved by that body, a subsequent approval by a majority vote of the Town Voters at a Regular or Special Town Meeting.
2. Any commitment of Designated Reserve Fund Balance assets of \$100,000 and over requires first a majority vote of the Board of Island Trustees, and if approved by that body, a subsequent approval by a majority vote of the Town Voters at a Regular or Special Town Meeting, unless the funds have already been approved by the Town Voters by specific Article on a prior Town Meeting Warrant.
3. Any commitment of Designated Reserve Fund Balance assets under \$100,000 requires first a minimum four vote approval of the seven person Town Executive Committee, and if approved by that body, an approval by a majority vote of the Board of Selectman.
4. Approval of the regular Check Warrant will be the responsibility of a majority of the Board of Selectmen. A majority vote of the Executive Committee and the Board of Selectmen is the approval requirement for all other financial items included on their meeting agenda.

Zoning Board of Appeals

Setback Reduction: The following property owner has applied to the Board of Appeals for a setback reduction.

- Edward Chalmers 216 Lookout Ln / Leisure Ln

Administrative Appeal: The following property owner has applied to the Board of Appeals for an administrative appeal.

- Christopher Gruner 93 Leisure Lane

A meeting has been scheduled for Friday, September 16th at 7:00 PM at the Community Center

Details of these requests are available in the Town Office. This is an open meeting and the general public is invited to attend.

Board of Selectmen / EC Meeting

Saturday, September 17, 2011 at 9:00 AM

Community Center

Planning Board

Saturday, September 17, 2011 at 9:00 a.m.

Administration Office

Agenda

Read and approve

Minutes of August 27, 2011 meeting

Old Business:

Comp. Plan

New Business:

Comp. Plan Writer / Coordinator

Please send any request for additional agenda items to Steve Kaplan skaplan34@yahoo.com

**All Planning Board Meetings are open to the public
APPROVED PLANNING BOARD MINUTES ARE
AVAILABLE ON *Frye Island. Com* WEB SITE**

Recreation Committee Meeting

Saturday, September 17, 2011 at 9:00 AM

Community Center Teen Room

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.

A Hard Lesson Learned

I hope that people will learn from my experience and that they won't make the same mistake as me....

I have not slept since I arrived at our cottage at 154 Leisure Lane on Friday night for I am certain I have made the biggest mistake of my life.

You see, a tree fell on our cottage last winter. Though we were fortunate it didn't cause too much damage, it gave us quite a scare because we couldn't get to the island to assess the damage. We also knew it had fallen on our power line and we were very concerned that a fire could start. We were fortunate that Chief of Police Rod Beaulieu spotted the tree and arranged to have CMP cut it down. And then of course, several trees on the island fell during the tropical storm...adding to our anxiety about trees falling on our home. Subsequently, we thought it would be wise to cut some trees that were leaning toward the cottage and, that were simply not healthy. Last week, we hired a company and marked the trees to be cut. We love our trees and this was a very difficult decision for my wife and me but, we thought we could leave enough trees so as not to impact the landscape.

Well, the trees were cut last week while we were not on the Island and when we arrived on Friday evening, we were both in shock to find that our property looked as if it didn't have a single tree remaining. You see, the company we hired, uses an excavator to fall the trees as opposed to using a bucket truck or, climbing to remove the trees from the top down. And so, they removed extra trees just to move the excavator to the trees we wanted removed. I know that they were doing their job the best they could but, in hindsight, I would have closely supervised the project. I also would have been explicit regarding the trees I absolutely did not want removed. Subsequently, the contractor has been very sympathetic and has waved fees for removal of stumps and has added mulch and gravel at no extra cost to us.

We bought our place on Leisure Lane 3 years ago and we have felt so fortunate to be part of such a wonderful community. I'm hoping over time, we can grow new trees and recover the landscape but for us, it will never be the same. I'm so very sorry if I have offended anyone by what we've done with this project. If I could have possibly seen the outcome in advance, I wouldn't have cut a single tree. I just hope that by writing this, it will prevent someone from making the same mistake.

Sincerely, Jay and Evey

Home Energy Saving Tips - Turn Down the Thermostat

Turning down the thermostat by 1 degree F, can save 25-30 gallons of heating oil per year. That's up to 3% of an average homes yearly consumption, or between \$79-\$95 per year at the current average rate of heating oil (\$3.17/gallon). Turn down your thermostat to 55 degrees when the house is unoccupied. It takes about 1 hour to heat the average house to a desired temperature. It is a common myth that turning the thermostat down makes you burn more heating oil in warming up the house again. When at home during the day, setting your thermostat to 68 degrees is a comfortable maximum temperature. At night when you are sleeping, around 60 degrees should be comfortable.

- Seal any leaks in your heating or cooling system ducts. Also fix leaks in water/steam heat pipes. Savings: 5-25 percent of heating/cooling costs.
- Insulate attic access and basement trap doors with R-19 insulation. Savings: 1-3 percent of heating/cooling costs.
- You can cut your heating costs up to 25% simply by installing proper ceiling insulation to at least R-30 standards. Insulate walls, floors and heating ducts, too. This insulation will not only keep heat from escaping, but will also make your home more comfortable.
- By caulking and weather-stripping, you can cut your heating bills up to 10%. Weather-strip doors and windows, and caulk air leaks around windows, doorframes, pipes and ducts.
- Use clear plastic sheets to insulate windows during the heating season. Savings: 2-7 percent of heating/cooling costs.

- Repair any holes in your roof, walls, doors, ceilings, windows and floors. Savings: Up to 10 percent of heating/cooling costs.
- Seal off electric receptacles and switch boxes with foam gaskets or fiberglass insulation. Savings: 1-3 percent of heating/cooling costs.
- Install storm or thermal (replacement) windows. These tightly fitting windows give the benefit of double-pane glass. Air trapped between the two panes acts as a thermal insulator, keeping your heated air inside where it belongs. Be sure to get windows that have the new super-efficient low-emissivity glazing.
- Install storm doors to prevent warm air from escaping to the outside and remove window air conditioners in the winter, if possible. If not possible, use an insulated cover. This tip could save you up to 15% on your heating costs.
- Adjust window treatments. During the day, let sunlight in by opening curtains, blinds and shades over the windows facing the sun to keep your home warm and reduce heating needs. At night or when the sky is overcast, keep drapes and curtains closed to keep warmth indoors.
- Insulate hot water pipes that provide heat to the rooms in your home. This will reduce heat loss in un-insulated areas and will help your heating system work more efficiently.
- Make sure the boiler or furnace is cleaned and serviced by qualified personnel for optimum efficiency. Cleaning substantially extends the life of your heating system while ensuring that it's operating safely. Plus it can save you up to 10% on fuel costs.



655-4256

Groceries - Gifts - Candy - Coffee - Clothing - Muffins - Bagels - Newspapers - Ice Cream - Beer and Wine - Café - Beer and Wine Bar - Toys

Post Season Schedule...

This Week's Schedule

- **Friday & Saturday**
- **Sunday**
- **Monday & Tuesday**
- **Wednesday**
- **Thursday**

Store

Store 8am – 9pm

Store 8am – 6pm

Store 8am – 2pm

Closed (Newspapers sold Upstairs)

Store 8am – 2pm

Cafe

Take Out Available

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Take Out Available



All Clothing 30% Off



Dart Sale

BIG SALE

Put your order in now at the Store

Dart Board \$30.00

Dart Board Kit including Cabinet \$60.00
(Board, Cabinet, Throw Line & Darts)

Great Christmas Gift!!

Frye Island Public Works Dept.

Roads:

We will be picking up your Hurricane Irene brush/trees late next week. Please be sure to neatly stack your storm related brush/trees by the side of the road. This will be a one time only pickup, if you miss the pickup you will need to bring your brush/trees to the Transfer Station. Brush and tree debris must not any longer than 6 feet.

This week's quote;

"Luck is the residue of design"

Branch Rickey

Waterline Work

Please travel slowly and carefully on the island roads. Since Hurricane Irene we have had several heavy rain storms, we have been patching and potholing when possible. The road shoulders are particularly soft, with much running water. Waterline work is continuing along Leisure Lane in the Beach 8 area, the road in this area is extremely soft, please go slowly. Our waterline crew is near their goal of reaching the Leisure/Birch split.



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	3 PM – 9 PM

Please Take Note:

We understand that many vehicles are now being manufactured with the headlights/parking lights to remain on at all times due to safety. The downside is that this feature inhibits the visibility of the captain while docking the ferry at night. If you own a vehicle with this safety feature, please remove the key from your ignition while waiting to board the ferry, and insert and start your vehicle when it is time to board. This will help ensure the safety of your fellow islanders as well as that of our crew.

Thanks for your co-operation!

Ferry Thank You's

Ferry Thank You's to Tom Burgess for pizza, Tony & Josie Kurgan for coffee, Kim Peters for the munchkins, Deb Edwards for pound cake, Bob Travis for chocolate chip cookies, and Ted Eckholm for donuts.

Road Work

Please be aware the DPW is working on the north end of the island on Leisure Lane. You may have to go around the island to get to the ferry landing. We have had several people ask us to hold the ferry or to squeeze them on. Please plan accordingly and remember there is only one boat during the week.

FI Ferry Crew

Camera

"Camera's Not Working" sign. If you are the first one in line and the yellow Camera's Not Working sign is up please call us. In fact, you should call regardless as the Ferry does not run empty from the Mainland. Last week there was no one to bring over from the mainland and no calls from the island so we did not make the run. When we finally got one car to bring over to the island there were 14 cars in line to get off. So please "take note" and call.

Rod Beaulieu
Chief of Police



Non-Emergency
Dispatch (207) 893-2810

Office (207) 655-2600
Fax (207) 655-3422

1 Sunset Road Frye Island, ME 04071

police@fryeisland.com

Secure Your Stuff

This is the time of year we all pack up and move our stuff off the island. It's not uncommon to see vehicles leaving the island with grills, lawn furniture, canoes and kayaks. Every year I take reports of theft involving these items. All have a common theme, they were left unsecured and the owner does not have identifying model and serial numbers. Please write down the make, model and identifying serial numbers to your most valuable items. This includes items inside your home as well. A lot of people visit the island long after the ferry stops running. They are out here snowmobiling and basically nosing around. A wide screen TV still left on the wall is a tempting target as well as other valuables left out in the open. Pack up and leave your property as if there is nothing of value inside. Crooks are basically lazy people who do not want to work very hard, even when it comes to stealing. Expect people to be walking around your home; do not give them a tempting target.

Thought for the week;

"It ain't what they call you,
it's what you answer to."

~ W.C. Fields

Recovered Bike

A bike has been found and turned into the police. This bike would have come up missing sometime in mid-July. If you are missing a bike and can provide proof of ownership, or at least give a detailed description, call 893-2810.

Snowmobile wanted

I am still looking for a reliable, reasonably priced snowmobile to replace our 22 year old snowmobile. If you have a sled you are willing to part with or know of someone that wants to sell theirs, stop by the office or email me with the details.

As Always, call 893-2810 for the police services

Respectfully,
Rod Beaulieu
Chief of Police



Fire Department

Fire Barn: 207-655-8618

ANNUAL BARN DANCE

Saturday, October 8, 2011 6:00 PM at the Fire Barn

To All Frye Islanders For Their **Support** Of The Frye Island Volunteer Fire Department **We Thank You!**

Please Come Join In The Fun

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.

Y'ALL COME!!

Leave Your Firewood At Home!

One highly dangerous insect – the Asian longhorned beetle – already is too close to Maine. This beetle, which kills maples, birches, poplars, willows and other tree species, already has been found in Worcester, MA, as well as in New York, New Jersey and Toronto, Canada.

"If this nasty bug ever gets established in Maine, it could destroy our maple sugar industry and our foliage tourism industry.

One more serious invasive bug is the emerald ash borer, which has the potential to kill all ash trees in North America. Ash wood, in particular, is used to make baseball bats.

If you've already transported firewood, don't leave it or bring it home – burn it!



655-3551

Leisure Lounge

Fairway Lane (next to the golf pro shop)

Open to the Public

Hours:

Friday & Saturday: 9:00 AM – Midnight (Last call 11:50 pm)

Sunday: 7:30 AM – 5:00 PM

Monday – Thursday: 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM



Sports Fans:

Enjoy satellite reception on our 42” plasma TV.

Full Bar

Beer, Wine, & Mixed Drinks
(We also now offer wine by the bottle)

\$3.50 Root Beer Floats

\$2.00 Hot Dogs

\$5.00 Pizza

Children under the age of 16 will no longer be allowed in the Lounge after 9:00 PM



Christmas In October

Sunday, October 9 (Columbus Day Weekend)

Cocktails 5-6 pm

Pot Luck Supper 6 pm

Yankee Swap following dinner

Bring a \$15 gift, wrapped and tagged (male/female/unisex) for the swap.

The clubhouse will be decorated for Christmas, tree and all.

(Anyone wanting to donate decorations, please bring to the clubhouse)



Marina News

Safe Boating Tips

- During and after refueling operations, your vessel’s power ventilation system should be activated for at least 4 minutes after refueling to remove all gasoline/fuel vapors from the engine compartment, **BEFORE STARTING** your engine. A fully charged fire extinguisher should be readily available for emergency use. After fueling, open the door of the engine compartment and sniff to check for evidence of gas fumes. Do this before starting the engine.
- Turn-off all electrical equipment when docking your watercraft after a days activities. When accidentally left in the “on” position, they could drain your battery. “Lock” your battery switch in the off position to avoid theft and as another way in which to save your battery life.
- Secure your watercraft covers tightly and with “pitch” to allow for rapid water run-off. This will prevent sagging and pooling of water and leaves, etc.; the primary cause for canvas wear and tears.



Frye Island Golf Club

655-3551

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

Greens Fees

Weekday: \$22.00
Weekend and Holidays: \$32.00
Twilight (after 4 PM)
Weekdays \$15.00
Weekends \$17.00
Weekday Youth (16 or younger): \$10.00
Weekend Youth (16 or younger): \$20.00
3-day weekday pass: \$50.00
Week-long unlimited golf pass: \$120.00

Cart Rentals

Gas Cart:
9 Holes: \$16.00
18 Holes: \$26.00
Pull Cart:
9 or 18 Holes: \$4.00
Club Rentals: \$12.00
Own Cart (no trail fee)
9 Holes: \$10.00
18 Holes: \$20.00

Tentative 2011 Tournament Schedule

<u>Date</u>	<u>Tournament</u>	<u>Organizers</u>
Sat, Sep 24	TKE Fall Classic	Hodge(s)
Sat, Oct 1	Big Break	Various

Sunday Morning Scramble

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

Sunday, September 11th Scramble Results

1st Place Team (-5) \$59.50 each:

Don Amaral
Paul Crowley
Tim Tinsman
Sean Kilburn

2nd Place Team (-4) \$25.50 each:

Paul Murphy
Dick Harback
Tom Bishop
Mike Morrill

Closest to the Pin \$22.00 each:

Mike Hurley & Mike Conroy



Thank you Don and Evan Davis for digging the posts and installing the gate.



Activities & Recreation

Recreation Chairperson: Tom Bishop

UPCOMING EVENTS – MARK YOUR CALENDARS NOW!

DATE	TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
Friday, 9/16	7PM	Zoning Board of Appeals	Community Center
Saturday, 9/17	9:00 AM	BOS/EC Meeting	Community Center
Saturday, 9/17	9:00 AM	Planning Board Meeting	Administration Office
Saturday, 9/17	9:00 AM	Recreation Committee Meeting	Community Center – Teen Room
Saturday, 9/24	TBD	TKE Fall Classic (Private Event)	Golf Course
Saturday, 9/24		Tennis Tournament	Community Center Courts
Saturday, 10/1	1:00PM	Big Break Golf Tournament	Golf Course
Wednesday, 10/5	8:30-1:30	CCRCC/FIPD Golf Tournament	Golf Course
Saturday, 10/8	9:00AM	Town Meeting	Community Center
Sunday, 10/9	2:00PM	Annual Halloween Party for Children	Community Center



Frye Island Chapel

Services every Sunday 9:00 to 9:30 AM
 May 29th thru October 9th, 2011
 In the Upper Room of the Community Center
All are welcome. Dress is casual.

You are cordially invited to attend our weekly **non-denominational** services, which are held every Sunday morning from 9:00 to 9:30 AM in the **upper room at the Community Center.**

Ladies Golf Scramble -- Come Join The Fun!

Get out your clubs and join the ladies of the island for fun-filled, non-pressure, golf scrambles. We will meet at 8:50 a.m. every Tuesday at the golf club house. Tee off time will be 9:00 a.m. All levels are welcomed. Teams will be organized to assure parity. If the weather is questionable, I will notify the golf club by 8:30 a.m. Don't miss this opportunity to socialize around a golf ball!

Winners 9/13: Dianne Gleeson, Kathy Molloy and Lorna Priestley. Dianne Gleeson had the fewest putts. If you have any questions, call Nancy Perry at 655-5221.

TIME FOR BRIDGE

It's time for Bridge! - Tuesdays at 1:30 At the Golf Club All Frye Islanders and their guests are invited to come and have a good leisurely game of Bridge. We're really not too serious.

Golf Tournament Rec Center Fundraiser



The Rec. Center thanks you for the support.

Winners: Paul Crowley and Tom Bishop
 Runner Ups: Joe Bishop and Bob Bullock

Also thanks to Ken Hanchett, Roger Stenz, Mike Morrill, and Scott Leeman.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT



New Dates
September 24 & 25

Are you ready for some great competitive tennis?

Doubles / Championship

Tennis fans are invited to watch. This event will be held at the Community Center Court.

Contact Tom Bishop (781) 983-1180

Mah Jongg Anyone?

We will resume our Mah Jongg games at the Leisure Lounge July thru August. The times will be:

Mondays @ 9:30am and
 Fridays @ 12:30pm

Please bring your game – if you have one.

Garden Club News

There will be no meeting for September. This is the last call for Bobbex. Call Talli Sutherland 655-3621 to purchase either concentrate (which can be left uninsulated for the winter) or the ready-mixed spray bottle (which cannot be frozen). Remember the deer are eating even after we have left the Island and a boost of the fertilizer action doesn't hurt now!

The 2011 Season was busy with the Plant and Bake Sale, Herb vinegars and mustards, trip to the Coastal Maine Botanical Gardens, Island Hidden Gardens Tour, Deer-resistant plants for Island sandy soil, Mushroom Walk, and Fairy Houses programs and maintenance mornings by our faithful gardeners. Thanks to all for your participation and support.

The 2012 Season will start with the Plant and Bake Sale. Please keep us in mind for your plant divisions. Any baked goods will be popular for that first official week-end of summer.

Enjoy the last days of the summer season. See you next year!

The Great Frye Canoe/Kayak Races

Late start but, fun was had by all.

Overall winner: Julie Cuoco.

Runner up: Chris Cuoco, Greg Cuoco and Rachel Kane.

Thanks to the Kanes for the use of their racing kayaks and all the fans who cheered them on.



Windham Food & Clothes Pantry

Since this is such a vacation paradise, we would like to reach out to our fellow communities.

Please drop all your non-perishable goods before leaving the Island at the bin located next to the Post Office near the ferry landing. All donations will be appreciated and taken over to Windham on Monday mornings.

ANNUAL HALLOWEEN PARTY FOR CHILDREN

CALLING ALL WITCHES AND GOBLINS

The Recreation Commission will again be sponsoring a Halloween costume party for children on Sunday, October 9, in the Community Center. There will be treats for all, activities for the children and prizes for all. Plan now!



Halloween Party
Sunday, October 9
2:00 p.m
Community Center