



# Frye Island News Service

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**Back by popular demand, Comedian Bob Marley**

**Sunday, July 8, 2012**

**7:00 pm @ the Community Center**

**Tickets \$20.00, sold at the Golf Pro Shop**

**Limited space; so plan on purchasing your tickets early.**

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# ***Important Information***

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## ***Town of Frye Island***

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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***

John Nun	First Selectman
Mark Thomas	Selectman
Brian Walker	Selectman
Dave Bond	Executive Committee - Chair
Bob Sutherland	
Gary Donohue	
Tim McCarthy	

Joe Potts                      Municipal Treasurer

## ***Public Works Department***

Phone: 207-655-7493  
**Director:** John Crosby

## ***Transfer Station Operating Hours***

Saturday: 10 AM - 6 PM  
Sunday: 10 AM - 6 PM  
Wednesday: 10 AM - 6 PM (during High Season)  
Holiday weekends: Saturday - Monday, 10 AM - 6 PM

## ***Frye Island News Service***

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

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# Town News

## Island Manager's Comments

### Greetings everyone:

**Water Distribution System:** The DPW crew is continuing the installation along the south end of Leisure Lane. The Island is getting very busy so please be very cautious when traveling in the work zone. There could be some soft areas where the crews have been digging.

**Lake Level:** There has been no change with the status of SD Warren's permit application, and the revised Lake Level Management Plan. However, the Bureau of Environmental Protection has agreed to consider the request to reopen the Water Quality Certification process on August 16. I would urge everyone to view the Save Our Sebago website at, [www.saveoursebago.com](http://www.saveoursebago.com), for information. I will let you know as soon as there is more to report.

**Ferry:** Well, it seems like we did fairly well Tuesday night getting everyone to the Island but Thursday was certainly a struggle. It looked like everyone that came on Tuesday left on Thursday. And, to make it worse, they all left during the period when we only had one ferry in service. We try to operate the second ferry when history indicates heavy traffic. During weekdays, that is first thing in the morning and last thing in the afternoon. Please review the schedule. If you can schedule your coming and going to coincide with the times we have two boats running it might be better for you.

**Fire Works:** The fire works are scheduled for Saturday, July 7<sup>th</sup>, and will begin as soon as the pyrotechnic technician feels it is dark enough. The State Fire Marshall has already been here and we are all set to go. Again this year, as is usual, a number of boats will have to be moved from their slips at the marina. Boats in slips 84 to 104 on the beach side and slips 67 to 131 on the road side plus the Jet Ski slips and boats on all of the slips on the southern end must be removed by 5:00 PM. If you have a boat in one of these slips please move it out before 5:00PM. If you don't, we will have it moved for you at your expense. The fire works display can not be set up with boats in those slips. If Mother nature rains on our display, we will do it on Sunday the 8<sup>th</sup>.

Speaking of fire works; we know that the State of Maine recently passed a law allowing personal fireworks. However, the State law also allowed municipalities to

establish ordinances to prohibit the sale and use of personal fire works and we did.

Not only can unauthorized fire works be a noise nuisance to friends and neighbors, but they can be extremely dangerous. A fire on this Island could be devastating to say nothing of the personal injury that could result. So there will be no warnings or second chances. If anyone is caught exploding unauthorized fire works on the Island they should expect to be fined which could be up to \$500.00.

**Beano / Bingo:** The Hodges, John & Theresa, have volunteered to run the BINGO this year. However, they have to do it on Sunday night instead of Monday. The first night will be Sunday July 15<sup>th</sup> so as not to interfere with the Bob Marley Comedy night.

**Saturday Office Hours:** Please note that the office will be opening at 8:00AM and closing at 12 noon on Saturday so plan your business accordingly.

**Golf Cart Operation:** It has been common practice on the Island to have golf carts pull over to the side of the road to allow automobiles to pass. Call this a reminder. Please, if you notice automobiles behind you just pull over to the side of the road and let the auto(s) pass and then continue on your way. Many frustrated drivers will thank you.

**Frye Island Inc. Board Meeting:** The meeting of the FII Board has been scheduled for 8:00AM on Saturday July 7<sup>th</sup> at the Community Center.

**Meeting Reminder: Executive Committee Meeting:** The next Board of Selectmen / Executive Committee meeting has been scheduled for Saturday July 14. The meeting will be held at the Community Center and will begin at 9 AM. This is an open meeting and everyone is invited to attend.

Have an enjoyable weekend and a very safe week.

Wayne

### Office Note

**EZ Ride:** If you are sending a check to the office for your EZ Ride Account, please include your name and lot #. We do not use your bar code number.

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**Frye Island Public Works  
Transfer Station  
207-655-7493**

**Transfer Station**

Transfer Station, we have had two illegal dumping(s) at the front of the gates, both times by the same people, they are heavy smokers, (Marlboro, Liggetts cigarettes), have a child in diapers, drink lots of beer and don't recycle. Trash contained a 6" piece of copper water pipe with a split in it from a winter freeze up. They ordered a pizza from the store in the name of Daniel; we also found a gift certificate from Marelli's Market in Hampton NH in the name of Aoife. We would love to find them, return their trash to them, with a ticket (fine).

Transfer Station Hours;

Saturdays, 10 am to 6 pm

Sundays, 10 am to 6 pm

Wednesdays, 10 am to 6 pm

Holiday weekends, Saturdays, Sundays, Mondays,  
10 am to 6 pm

**Waterline Work**

Waterline work continues; we will shortly be at the Marina area, running the new line to the end of Leisure than up Birch to Highpoint, please travel slowly through the construction area.

This weeks Paraprodokian... are figures of speech in which the latter part of a sentence or phrase is surprising or unexpected; frequently humorous.

“You're never too old to learn something stupid”.

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**Surviving a Frye Island Fire Emergency Evacuation**

The large number of fires consuming homes in the western United States at the present time has caused me to consider how potentially dangerous it would be if we had a major fire on this Island. This is certainly a possibility and historically there was a huge fire on Frye Island in the 1940s that burned about two-thirds of the entire island.

Since most Americans are totally unprepared for emergencies in spite of the nightly news reporting daily on fires, floods, hurricanes, earthquakes, tornados, etc., it seemed that it would be a good time to communicate a few survival suggestions. Prevention is better than wise actions. To prevent damage to your home you should clear fallen leaves and branches and branches over-hanging your roof.

First, you must have a plan regarding how you will get off the Island and what you would do after you reach the mainland in case a major fire occurred. Secondly, set up a travel Kit (Go-Bag) with essential items for a transitional period. It should include medications, glasses, wallet/pocketbook, cash, cell-phone and charger, warm jacket, light raincoat etc. (See [www.dhss.mo.gov](http://www.dhss.mo.gov)). Allow yourself less than five minutes to add items to the bag before leaving your home. Thirdly, stay calm and DO NOT WAIT FOR INSTRUCTIONS or expect someone to solve your life-threatening problem. YOU MUST SAVE YOURSELF. A book called the “Survivors Club” by Ben Sherwood states that only 10% of people are natural survivors and another 80% are followers and 10% of people freeze and suffer the highest percentage of fatalities. While moving, call three friends and tell them about the fire, in case they are unaware of the danger. The ways to survive are to go into the water, with or without a boat, if escape is blocked. Otherwise, proceed to the ferry landing or Rec. Beach on foot or by golf-cart. Park in the Recreation Beach area because the ferry is not going to be transporting vehicles from the Island. Do not block the ferry landing area with your abandoned golf-cart. The ferry and one or two boats will shuttle passengers off the Island. If the water is not rough, go to Quail Circle or Long Beach Marina and hitch a ride with a boater.

Remember, you are responsible for your own survival, NOT any government entity. As a reminder, think of the Katrina experience in New Orleans.

Ed Charrette (edcharrette@gmail.com)

# Town of Frye Island



## Transfer Station Hours:

<b>Sunday:</b>	10am – 6pm
<b>Monday:</b>	Closed (Open 10am – 6pm During a Holiday Weekend)
<b>Tuesday:</b>	Closed
<b>Wednesday:</b>	Closed (Open 10am – 6pm During High Season)
<b>Thursday:</b>	Closed
<b>Friday:</b>	Closed



## HOW RECYCLING GETS DONE<sup>®</sup>

Zero-Sort is the single bin recycling service that puts more of your stuff back into the world and less of it into the landfill. No separation or sorting of materials needed – it all goes into the same bin – please make sure containers are rinsed and free of food.

### ACCEPTED MATERIALS

Labels and caps can be left on all containers.

- Newspapers
- Magazines
- Catalogs
- Telephone/Soft/Hard Cover Books
- Junk Mail/Envelopes (All Types), Staples/Paperclips are Ok
- Cereal & Shoe Boxes
- All Corrugated Boxes
- Milk & Juice Cartons
- Bottles/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
- Aluminum (Pie Plates/Trays/Foil)
- Metal Cans (Tin/Steel/Aluminum)
- Empty Aerosol Containers

### ACCEPTED RIGID PLASTICS

We also accept these “Rigid Plastics” as long as they have a little bit of bend in them.

- 1 and 5 Gallon Buckets with Handle Attached
- Milk/Soda Crates, Laundry Baskets
- Small Plastic Bins (Up to 5 Gallon)
- Plastic Toys
- Landscape Trays, Plastic Plant Pots
- Kitty Litter Buckets,
- Children’s Size Rigid Pools

### NOT ACCEPTED IN ZERO-SORT RECYCLING

The following items are not acceptable as recyclables, but they are accepted as waste and can be put into the designated waste container(s) located at the Transfer Station.

- Plastic Bags/Film
- Stretch Wrap
- Styrofoam
- Ceramics
- Window Glass
- Mirrors
- Light Bulbs
- Dishes
- Hard/Brittle Plastic (I.E. Monitors, Keyboards, Some Children’s Toys)

### The Zero-Sort Movie

Visit [zerosort.com](http://zerosort.com) to learn more about how Casella is making the most of your recycling.

### Electronics and Hazardous

Learn about recycling electronics or how to manage household hazardous wastes at [casella.com](http://casella.com)



# Frye's Leap

## General Store and Café

655-4256

As we have mentioned before, we have a number of new offerings at the café and store this season. We are selling pizza by the slice and serving espresso, latte and Frappuccino from the coffee bar (located in the bar area). We have also introduced over the last several weeks the sale of potted flowers and vegetables and a propane tank exchange. This week we also expanded our selection of fresh produce and now have a selection of both fruit and vegetables. Storage and display space are tight but we hope to continue to expand selection based upon interest from the community. In the near future we will be offering one pound packages of marinated beef tips and marinated chicken breasts.

It's a busy time but we are excited about the arrival of summer and (hopefully) lots of sunny weather!

Our current schedule for hours during the high season are:

Store:

Monday thru Thursday	7:00am	9:00pm
Friday and Saturday	7:00am	10:00pm
Sunday	7:00am	9:00pm

Cafe:

Monday thru Thursday	11:00am	9:00pm
Friday	11:00am	10:00pm
Saturday	8:00am	10:00pm
Sunday	8:00am	9:00pm

The bar will remain open later based on sports schedules and demand.

Thanks and we look forward to seeing you.

Amy and Dave Wagner

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# ***The 2012 Fireworks***

The 2012 fireworks are scheduled for Saturday evening, July 7<sup>th</sup> at dusk.

**Reminder: This year, like all others, we will have to move some of the boats out of the Marina for the fire works. The boats to be removed are slip numbers:**

**SLIP(S) #84 THROUGH #130 LAKE SIDE  
AND SLIP(S) #67 THROUGH #131 ROAD SIDE**



## ***FIREWORKS PARKING AND ROAD SIGNS***

No parking signs will be posted going to the Marina *working back from the Marina road* along Leisure and Birch. So depending on where you are coming from the postings will be on the left side. The small marina parking lot will only be used for Handicapped parking!



# Fire Department

Fire Barn: 207-655-8618

## ANNUAL FIRE DEPARTMENT OPEN HOUSE

On Saturday, July 7th, Noon to 2:00pm the Fire Department will be holding an Open House at the Fire Barn. There will be **FREE HOT DOGS AND SODA**. Bring the kids, family and neighbors to visit with your Fire Department and have lunch on us. **SEE YOU THERE --- AFTER THE PARADE!**

All activities and functions held by the Fire Department are paid for with the proceeds from the redeemable (**ME 5 and ME 15 cent**) cans and bottles collected at the transfer station and donations from all events. Thank you for contributing.

## TO REPORT A FIRE OR MEDICAL EMERGENCY

**DIAL 9-1-1**



## MEDICAL EMERGENCY PROCEDURE DIAL 9-1-1

Your 9-1-1 call will be received at the Raymond Dispatch Center

Dialing 9-1-1 will dispatch the Frye Island Fire Department Medical First Responders and the Raymond Rescue. The Raymond Dispatch Center will also notify the Ferry Captain for the emergency run. This will occur during normal operating hours and during off hours

State your name, your location and the nature of the emergency

Stay at your location until help arrives. Medical personnel are responding to your location. If you leave that location you may bypass responding rescue personnel. Time is critical in an emergency!



# Marina News

## Safe Boating Tips

- Boating Supplies: The following boating supplies checklist, may be used as a guide for the items that you should have with you on all boating trips. For boats 16 feet and over, you must have an additional throw-able device:
  - ❖ U.S. Coast Guard approved PFDs (personal flotation devices)
  - ❖ visual distress signaling device
  - ❖ anchor and line
  - ❖ bail bucket
  - ❖ flashlight
  - ❖ approved boating fire extinguishers
  - ❖ bell or whistle
  - ❖ paddle or oars
  - ❖ tool kit, spare parts
  - ❖ navigation charts & navigation equipment
- Boating Operation-Safe operation of a watercraft depends on proper maintenance and preparation before, during and after use. The following items will assist you, the boater, and help assure you and your passengers of a safe trip:
  - ❖ full fuel tank
  - ❖ lights and horn working
  - ❖ weather & water conditions suitable
  - ❖ PFDs checked for proper fit
  - ❖ operator alert, ready, and sober
  - ❖ transom plug in, bilge bailed out/dry
  - ❖ fuel lines and tanks checked for leaks
  - ❖ all gear properly stowed and secured
  - ❖ propeller and lower unit free of debris
  - ❖ passengers briefed on emergencies

**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](mailto:police@fryeisland.com)

### ***Fireworks are illegal on Frye Island***

During the October, 2011 Town Meeting, the Town voted to adopt a Town Ordinance making the use of fireworks illegal within the Town. This was done for several reasons, personal injury, and annoyance as well as protecting the community of Frye Island from excessive fire danger. Just a heads up, if anyone is caught illegally blowing up fireworks, there will be no warning.

### ***Happy Ending***

Shortly after the FINS came out last Friday where I wrote about the theft of a tackle box from one of the islands popular fishing locations, the alleged thief apparently returned to the location, and tossed the tackle box into the tall grass. Luckily, two island residents on their way to work saw the tackle box in the grass and did the right thing by reporting the discovery to the police.....thanks Bob and Debbie Defelice. As of this writing, tackle box and owner are doing fine.

### ***Boats on Public Beaches***

This time of year we get several calls about boats on some of the island beaches. The Town does have an ordinance that addresses this issue, so let me give you the basics of the ordinance as it pertains to boats on the beach. The ordinance states "No powered watercraft is to be left tied up on Frye Island Public beaches" What this means is if a boat is pulled out of the water onto a beach or tied to a tree or stump it violated the Towns ordinance. On the other hand, if a boat pulls up to a public beach, remains surrounded by water and drop anchor into the lake, the boat is still within the lake and does not violate the ordinance.

### ***Congratulations***

Congrats are in order to Bob "Package Boy" Southerland on your 5,000th package delivery. You must be very proud of this accomplishment; I know we are all very proud of you.

Thought for the week;

"Liberty is always dangerous,  
But it is the safest thing we have"

## *Dear Rod the Cop*



Dear Rod the Cop,

I've been a resident of Frye Island for a number of years and I must confess that I am still searching for tranquility and inner peace. Please help.

Tranquility without tranquilizers

Dear T squared

I too wondered about the meaning of it all and therefore set out on a worldwide search for true communal happiness. After months of searching and contemplating, I found myself on a mountain top in tribal Tibet. As I sat there contemplating the meaning of the universe and our place within, I noticed a Monk herding goats up a narrow mountainous pass. The Monk made his way to me, and sat, as we both shared the same view of the valley below. As we both stared into the abyss, I quietly inquired, what's the true meaning of communal bliss? After what seemed like an eternity, the monk gently replied as I hung on every word. The true meaning of communal contentment contains 9 factors of individual deeds. As he silently sat there, I begged him to continue.

The astute Monk agreed and gifted to me the awareness of true communal happiness. They are as follows;

1. Always keep your golf carts registered and insured.
2. Never allow an unlicensed person to operate a golf cart.
3. Never allow dogs on a public beach after 10:00am.
4. Keep all noise at a reasonable level, especially after 10:00pm
5. Never ever have an uncovered campfire.
6. Always drive at island speed, 20 MPH.
7. Never tie your boat to a tree.
8. Never try to convince anyone that fireworks on an island is a good thing.
9. And lastly the most important, never throw your garbage over the fence at closed transfer station.

At that moment the universe all made sense to me. I thanked the Monk for sharing his wisdom, climbed off the mountaintop and returned to Frye Island to spread the teachings that were bestowed onto me.

Hope this helps, RTC



# Leisure Lounge

Fairway Lane (next to the golf pro shop)

655-3551

Air Conditioned

Open to the Public

## Hours:

**Friday – Saturday: 8:00 AM – Midnight**

*Last call on Friday & Saturday 11:50 PM*

**Sunday: 7:30 AM – 6:00 PM**

**6:00 pm – end of the show at the  
Community Center (Ticket holders only  
will be admitted)**

**Monday – Thursday: 8:00 AM – 8:00 PM**



Enjoy satellite reception  
on two flat screen TVs.



Now available 16 oz. draft beer



At the lounge we offer a full bar including beer and wine.

Wine by the bottle and by the glass

Rootbeer floats \$4.00

Snacks are also available:

Pizza \$5.00

Hot Dogs \$2.00

Popcorn \$1.00

Candy \$1.00

We now sell wine by the bottle.



**NO CHILDREN UNDER 16  
AFTER 9:00 PM**

Greg Norman Estates  
Chardonnay or Cabernet



**Bob Marley**

**Back by popular demand, Comedian Bob Marley**

**Sunday, July 8, 2012**

**7:00 pm @ the Community Center**

**Tickets \$20.00, sold at the Golf Pro Shop**

**Doors will open @ 6:00 pm; there will be a full cash bar**

**Limited space; so plan on purchasing your tickets early.**

**All net proceeds will be designated to fund the kitchen  
remodel and heat/ac of the meeting room in the Community  
Center.**



One More Time!  
USS Michael Murphy Day on Frye Island  
July 28, 2012



We've done USS Jason Dunham Day and then USS Spruance Day with great success. Sailors from these guided missile destroyers, under construction at the Bath Iron Works, enjoyed their day of R&R on Frye Island and loved it, as did the Islanders who hosted them.

Now, the last of the Arleigh Burke guided missile destroyers being built at the Bath Iron Works, the USS Michael Murphy, is nearing completion and scheduled to leave in early September. We would again like to host a day for its sailors, all of whom are now in Bath. And we're looking for Islanders who want to help out.

As we have done before, we will start with a welcoming ceremony and ballgame in the late morning, followed by a barbecue lunch and informal recreation in the afternoon, including swimming, boating and kayaking, golf, basketball, soccer, volleyball, and tennis. We plan to close the day by inviting groups of two to four sailors to the homes of Island families for supper and relaxation. This has been the high point for many of the sailors, who were missing their own homes and families while on temporary duty in Bath.

We would like to hear from those interested in participating, through offering boat rides, partnering in golf or tennis, contributing a pot luck dish for the noon lunch or, especially, in taking some sailors home for supper. Also, let us know if you have any ideas for the conduct of the day, or if you would like to help organize an event. Please contact Dick Norris by e-mail at RichardCNorris@gmail.com, by telephone at 617-489-6997, or by using the sign-up sheets at the office.

### ***Good Guys and Not So Good Guys***

It's a fact, of course, that in this world there are people who would seize upon an opportunity to engage in a self-serving behavior, no matter it be knowingly wrong or at the expense of others. Let's refer to these individuals as "bad guys" or at best "not- so- good guys". Unfortunately, these individuals are not confined to the world outside of Frye Island. As residents of this beautiful place, we are not exempt from "migration" of this sort. My wife and I were the recent victims of such bold wrong-doing when our fishing gear was snatched away---dare I say, stolen. This experience obviously left us quite upset and disheartened. It was not so much the monetary value of the fishing box and its contents (although I don't easily come by several hundred dollars). No, much more than this, as is often the case with missing possessions, is the sentimental value and the memories associated with those possessions. And this fact is very applicable here----fishing gear, much of it accumulated as gifts from the children over more than 15 years and not unlike the emotions and memories stimulated for many of us as we hang ornaments on a tree.

But that's not the end of the story, because in this world there are also "good guys". Upon realizing that we had been victimized, a subsequent shout out to Police Chief, Rod Beaulieu, was met with immediate response. Chief Beaulieu's professionalism and determination to help was noteworthy. Indeed, while this incident may not have been of the "grand theft" variety, Chief Beaulieu tuned in to it's personal meaning for us. He made the extra effort, put in the extra time and went the extra mile. He did the leg work and followed up with a notice in the FINS. This made it possible for another "good guy" islander (thank you so much other "good guy"! ) to contact Chief Beaulieu after finding the missing gear in the bushes near where it had been taken. When mentioning our sincere appreciation for his efforts, Chief Beaulieu simply stated: "It's my job". And that's what GOOD GUYS do!

Jack



# Ferry News

655-4258

## This Week's Ferry Schedule

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

## Happy 4<sup>th</sup> of July

The Frye Island Ferry Crew wishes everyone a fun-filled, safe and happy 4<sup>th</sup> of July weekend.

Thought for the week;

"There are good days and there are bad days, and this is one of them."

~ *Lawrence Welk*

## Septic Service

### Do Checklist

- **Inspect** your tank for signs of sludge buildup and make sure the baffles or tees are in working order.
- **Pump** your tank as needed (every 2-3 years for year-round residences, and every 4-5 years for seasonal residences), and keep a written record for yourself or for a future owner.
- **Compost** food garbage or put it in the trash.
- Keep a **grease can** handy.
- **Mark** your septic system so you can protect it from vehicles and encroaching trees and shrubs.
- **Conserve** water; install water saving devices, such as low-flow faucet and shower heads.
- **Use non-toxic cleaning products** such as baking soda to scrub toilets, or boiling water to clear clogged drains.
- **Contact** a site evaluator if your septic system shows signs of failure; contact your local plumbing inspector if you see evidence of other malfunctioning septic systems.
- Request that your site evaluator design a **loam liner** for your leaching field if the site has sandy soil.
- Plant shrubs, trees, and grasses downhill from your system to act as a sponge (it will tie up excess nutrients and water as well as prevent soil erosion).

### For Clogged Drains

- Use a plunger or mechanical snake.
- Or pour 1 handful baking soda and ½ cup white vinegar down drainpipe and cover tightly for 1 minute. Repeat process as needed.

- Or pour ½ cup salt and ½ cup baking soda down the drain, followed by 6 cups boiling water. Let sit for several hours or overnight, then flush with water.

**Out of sight, out of mind. That's what many people think after the toilet flushes or the sink drains. But that wastewater may be seen again if the household's septic system fails. Some very simple measure can prevent septic system failure and protect Maine's lakes, streams, and groundwater from pollution.**

### DON'T Checklist

- Don't use a garbage disposal-it adds 50% more solids to your system.
- Don't pour automotive oil, cooking oil, or grease down the drain.
- Don't drive vehicles over the septic system or leach field.
- Don't plant bushes or trees over the leach field.
- Don't use phosphorus detergents.
- Don't use too much water, especially during rainy, wet seasons when the ground is saturated.
- Don't pour paint or paint thinner into your sink (let it air dry and throw it out in the trash).
- Don't use drain cleaners or other toxic chemical products.
- Don't use chemical or biological septic system cleaners which can plug up leach fields and ruin your system.
- Don't wait-if your septic systems shows signs of problems, act immediately.



# Frye Island Golf Club

655-3551

Open to the Public

Fairway Lane

## Hours

Friday & Saturday: 8:00 AM – Dusk  
Sunday: 7:30 AM – 8:00 PM  
Monday – Thursday: 8:00 AM – 8:00 PM

## Greens Fees

Weekday: \$24.00  
Weekend and Holidays: \$34.00  
Twilight (after 5 PM)  
Weekdays \$17.00  
Weekends \$20.00  
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: \$135.00

## 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 2012 Tournament Schedule

<u>Date</u>	<u>Tournament</u>	<u>Organizers</u>
July 1 – Labor Day	Club Championship	Bruce Nisula
Sat, Jul 21	Night Golf	John K/Mike H
Sat, Aug 4	President's Cup	Vic S/Laura D
Sat/Sun, Aug 18-19	Member-Guest	Jim Hodge
Sun, Aug 26	Recreation Committee	
Sat/Sun, Sep 8-9	Sebago Lake Escape	Mark Thomas
Sat, Sep 22	TKE Fall Classic	Hodge(s)
Sat, Oct 14	Big Break	Various

## Sunday Morning Scramble

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

### Sunday, July 1<sup>st</sup> Scramble Results

1<sup>st</sup> Place (-6) \$28.00 each:    2<sup>nd</sup> Place (-4) \$12.00 each:

Paul Murphy	Tom Higgins
Paul Osborn	Pat Gray
Curt Farnsworth	Mike Gray
Kent Anson	Scott Andrea
Todd McKee	Bruce Hickie

Closest to the Pin \$40.00:

Curt Farnsworth

## Club Championship

Now is the time to seize your opportunity to become a Frye Island Golf Club Champion. There will be both Men's and Women's Champions. The top eight scorers in the Qualifying Round will play each other in a single elimination match play tournament. To play in the Qualifying Round, you must check in at the Pro Shop and announce to the Staff that the round you are playing is your Qualifying Round (the Staff will initial your card). You must play your round with at least one Member in accord with the USGA rules of golf with local rules included. You may play the two 9-hole rounds separately, but each round must be initialed by the Staff and accompanied by a Member. Upon completion of the 18-hole round, return the score card to the Staff. Good luck to all participating golfers.

Qualifying Round must be completed by July 9.  
Quarterfinal Match must be completed by July 30.  
Semifinal Match must be completed by August 20.  
Final Match must be completed by September 3 (Labor Day).



# Activities & Recreation

Recreation Chairperson: Tom Bishop

## **Frye Island Book Group Selections for 2012**

All islanders are invited to join us to discuss the following books Monday evenings at 7:30 PM in the Community Center Library.

- July 16     **HOTEL ON THE CORNER OF BITTER AND SWEET** by Jamie Ford
- August 6   **CALEB'S CROSSING** by Geraldine Brooks
- August 27  **JERUSALEM, JERUSALEM** by James Carroll

## **4th of July Golf Cart Parade**

Decorated golf carts will be assembling at the Community Center for the annual 4th of July Parade. Viewing of the carts will take place until 11:00 when the parade will begin. Bikes and walkers are welcome but we will be moving at golf cart speed. We plan to reach the fire station at noon when the Open House will begin. Parade route: We will go north on High Point to Sunset where we will turn right (east). East on Sunset to Leisure Lane. Left on Leisure around the north and west sides of the island until it meets Ridge Rd. Go down Ridge Road (east side of the island) to Independence Dr. and then to Fire Station.

Flag wavers are encouraged. Support those who are participating in our parade.

## **Mah Jongg Anyone?**

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

- Mondays @ 9:30am and
  - Thursdays @ 12:30pm\* Please note change of day
- Please bring your game – if you have one.

## **CULINARY CUTIES NEEDED, JULY 28**

The sailors of the USS Murphy who will be having lunch at the golf course lounge need some nice side salads like their mothers make. Can you whip up a batch of your world class potato salad, cole slaw, bean salad, tossed salad or cold drinks to go with the hamburgers the burger meisters at the club will be serving? Please call

Pat Karpacz at 655-3339 or email her at [skarpacz@aol.com](mailto:skarpacz@aol.com) to show your support for these patriotic kids.



## **Frye Island Chapel**

Services every Sunday 9:00 AM  
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.

Communion is offered on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of every month and a coffee and snack hour following the service on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of each month.

Chaplains: Rev. Richard Petersen, Ph.D and Rev. Theodore Ekholm

## **Ladies Golf Scramble**



We're back for another fun season of ladies golf. Come join us and bring a friend. ALL LEVELS ARE WELCOME!

Every Tuesday; Tee time: 9:00 a.m.  
Be there by 8:45 to register.

In case of doubtful weather, the Golf Club will be notified by 8:30 a.m. as to the status of the Scramble. Questions, call Nancy Perry 655-5221.

Winners 7/3: Linda Young, Pat Crosby, Rita Lapati

## **Zumba**

Back by popular demand: Zumba on Frye! This Latin dance-inspired workout, the most popular world-wide, will have you movin' and shakin' to the hot beat in no time! Simple yet effective steps are perfect for veterans AND beginners, so come join us to get your work-out on or before you hit the beach! Monday and Wednesdays from 9:10 – 10:00 at the Community Center. All you need is light clothing, good sneakers and a water bottle. \$10 drop-in fee. \$5 students / seniors. If there is enough interest there will be a Kids' Class added!

## **Wine Tasting Event**

Saturday, July 14  
4:00 PM  
Community Center



Price is \$20.00 per person. Tickets may be purchased at the Community Center Office.

## Ice Cream Social



Saturday, July 7<sup>th</sup> 5:00 PM – 7:30 PM

*Make your own Sundae*

**\$4 per person**

@ the Community Center

## 4th of July Frye Island Road Race 1 mile, 5 mile & Marathon

The Recreation Department will be hosting its annual walk/run at the Frye Island Community Center on July 8th. Start time for the 1 and 5 mile races is 10am, but please arrive at least 30min early to allow time to register, select a T-shirt and stretch. Please contact me, if you'd like to run the marathon distance.

Race registration is \$5 and commemorative t-shirts will be available for \$10. New this year, we will accept credit card payments for a small surcharge to cover processing fees.

Pre-registration is available online at <http://tinyurl.com/FryeRace> or in front of the Post Office from 1 – 5pm on Saturday, July 7. If you pre-register before July 7th, you can pick-up your event packet either at the Post Office on July 7th or the express checkout line on event day.

Please contact me if you can host a water stop or volunteer to help with course preparation, registration or timing.

Even if you are not participating, come out to cheer for the walkers and runners and follow the event on facebook (Search for Frye Island Walk/Run)

Thanks.

Ted Charrette - [runswoods@gmail.com](mailto:runswoods@gmail.com)

## IF IT'S TUESDAY - IT'S BRIDGE

Come join us for a couple hours of friendly bridge playing on Tuesdays at the Golf Club building. Play starts about 2 P.M. All are welcome - you don't have to be an expert to play, but there are some players who know the rules of the game enough to be able and willing to guide us.

We have had as few as one table of players and as many as three tables.

Tuesdays at 2 P.M. at the Golf Club Building

## FAIRY GARDENS OF FRYE ISLAND, Sat., July 21 (Rain date Sun., July 22)

Once again the FI Garden Club is sponsoring a "Build A Famous Maine Fairy Garden" event.

Fun seekers of all ages are invited on Saturday, July 21 to assemble at the Community Center at 9AM for this popular "Maine" passtime. In the meantime, start collecting!

Anything you can find on the Island works... tree bark, branches, leaves, grasses, stones, acorns, pine cones, sand. It can be built against a tree, in the hollow of a tree, or a stump.

## One Pitch Softball Tournament

Single Elimination at ball field

**Saturday August 11<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 AM**  
**(Sunday rain date)**

\$50.00 per Team (get your teams organized now for this fun event).

**Defending champs "Frye Island Fire Dept. 2011"**

Winners receive Frye tee shirts.

Contact Tom Bishop – Recreation Commission

(781) 983-1180 or [tom.bishop@ge.com](mailto:tom.bishop@ge.com)

## BINGO

This year, there is a change to the day. BINGO will be held on Sunday evenings beginning July 15, 2012 thru August. Join in every Sunday evening 7:00 PM at the Community Center.

## Frye Island Fitness

Group Workouts By Marilyn Sullivan, R.N., P.T.



Stay in shape this summer and have fun too while exercising with other islanders! All skill levels are welcome, ages 16 and up. Exercises will include cardiovascular and strength training, circuit training, boot camp and kickboxing sessions all set to music!

Come join us on Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings at 9am at the Community Center beginning July 9th! Please arrive 10 minutes early to register for your first class. Classes will be \$8.00/class, please bring a water bottle, towel or workout mat.

Questions: Call Marilyn (603) 548-7978



# **FRYE ISLAND FAMILY FUN FIELD DAY**

**Saturday, July 14, 2012** (rain date July 15) at the ball field from 12:00 - 2:30.

## **3-6 year olds**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Event</b>
12:00	Shoe Toss
12:15	Bubble Gum Blowing
12:20	Three Legged Race
12:50	Cracker Whistling
1:00	Sac Race
1:15	Pie Eating
1:45	Water Balloon Relay
2:00	Watermelon Eating Contest



## **7-10 year olds**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Event</b>
12:00	Three Legged Race
12:15	Cracker Whistling
12:20	Pie Eating
12:50	Sac Race
1:10	Shoe Toss
1:20	Watermelon Eating Contest
1:45	Bubble Gum Blowing
2:00	Water Balloon Relay

## **11-14 year olds**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Event</b>
12:00	Watermelon Eating
12:15	Shoe Toss
12:50	Pie Eating
1:00	Cracker Whistling
1:10	Bubble Gum Blowing
1:15	Water Balloon Relay
1:45	Three Legged Race
2:00	Sac Race

## **15+ year olds**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Event</b>
12:00	Sac Race
12:15	Water Balloon Relay
12:50	Watermelon Eating
1:00	Pie Eating
1:15	Cracker Whistling
1:45	Shoe Toss
1:55	Bubble Gum Blowing
2:00	Three Legged Race

### **All Ages Welcome:**

**12:30 - Water Balloon Toss**

**1:30 - Tug o War**

**Old-fashioned fun for the whole family is happening at the Frye Island Family (Ball Field) Park.**

### **Volunteer to help.....**

- 1. Sign up at the Recreation Center, or**
- 2. Call Pam LaCerte (978-771-0333), or**
- 3. Send an email to: [FryeIslandRec@gmail.com](mailto:FryeIslandRec@gmail.com)**



# Activities & Recreation

Recreation Chairperson: Tom Bishop

## Recreation Dept. Schedule:

The Community Center will be open every day  
10:00am – 4:00pm during the month of July

July 2012						
Sun July 8	Mon July 9	Tues July 10	Wed July 11	Thurs July 12	Fri July 13	Sat July 7
9:00a Chapel 10:00 Road Race @ CC 7:00pm Bob Marley @ CC	9:30a Mah Jongg @ Leisure Lounge  10:00-11:00a Games @ Ballfield ages 6-12	8:45a Ladies Golf Scramble 9:00a-10:00a Basketball ages 6-8  10:00a-11:00a Basketball ages 9-12  2:00p-3:00p Soccer ages 6-8  2:00p Bridge @ Leisure Lounge  3:00-4:00p Soccer ages 9-12  7:00p-8:00p Candy Bar Bingo up to age 12 @ CC	9:00am Garden club Business Meeting @ CC 10:00a-11:00a Games at Ballfield all ages  7:00p-8:00p Craft Night all ages 7:00pm-8:00pm Capture the Flag @ ballfield ages 6-12	9:00a-10:00a Basketball ages 6-8  10:00a-11:00a Basketball ages 9-12  12:30p Mah Jongg @ Leisure Lounge  2:00p-3:00p Soccer ages 6-8 @ Ballfield  3:00p-4:00p Soccer ages 9-12 @ Ballfield	10:00a-11:00a Games ages 6-12  9:00p-10:00p Candy Bar Bingo for teens @ CC  10:00-12:00am CC Open for Teens	8:00a FII Board of Directors  11:00a 4 <sup>th</sup> of July Golf Cart Parade  Noon Annual Fire Dept Open House    4:00p-5:00p Softball all ages @ Ballfield  5:00p Ice Cream Social @ CC  Dusk Fireworks @ Long beach

**Softball** – Join in the fun for a “pick up” game of softball. This is for ages 13-adults. Bring your glove and your game to the Ballfield every Saturday (weather permitting) from 4:00p-5:30p.

**Basketball** – Be at the Basketball Courts Tuesdays and Thursdays for summer fun. Ages 6-8 and ages 9-12 will meet for games and skill work if desired. Times are 9:00a-10:00a for younger group and 10:00a-11:00a for older group. Sneakers are a must!

**Soccer** – Learn to play or increase your skill at the Ballfield. Play games with other kids your age. Ages 6-8 will meet at the Ballfield from 2:00p-3:00p on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Ages 9-12 will meet at the Ballfield from 3:00p-4:00p on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Sneakers are a must! Bring your shin guards if you wish.

**Field Games** – Join at the Ballfield on Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings from 10:00a-11:00a. Various games will be played depending on the group. Ages 6-12.

**Candy Bar Bingo** – Kids up to age 12 can play Candy Bar Bingo on Tuesdays 7:00p-8:00p. Admission is one candy bar for the pot. If you do not have a candy bar they may be purchased at the door for 65¢. The doors open at 6:45 – 1<sup>st</sup> game begins at 7:00p.

Teens only can play Candy Bar Bingo on Fridays 9:00p-10:00p. Admission is one candy bar for the pot. If you do not have a candy bar they may be purchased at the door for 65¢. The doors open at 6:45 – 1<sup>st</sup> game begins at 9:00p. The center will remain open until Midnight for Teens.

**Craft Night** – This week’s craft will be making a fleece pillow. You can choose from many designs. The cost for this craft is \$3.50.

**Wine Tasting Event** – “Wines of the World”. Join Bill Callahan (Director of wine for Horizon Beverage Co.) and Bobbie Thomas (Director of Recreation and Wine Lover) on Saturday, July 14<sup>th</sup> at 4:00p. We will compare six white and six red wines from around the world. Wines from Argentina, Chile, Italy, New Zealand, Australia, Germany and the United States will be showcased. Price is \$20.00 per person. Maximum of 30 people. Tickets may be purchased at the Community Center Office. Adults ages 21 and up only. This will be a tasting event, no wine will be sold.

Bobbie Thomas Recreation Director

## UPCOMING EVENTS – MARK YOUR CALENDARS NOW!

DATE	TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
Sat. July 7 <sup>th</sup>	8:00a	FII Board of Directors Meeting	Community Center
Sat. July 7 <sup>th</sup>	11:00a	4 <sup>th</sup> of July Golf Cart Parade	Community Center
Sat. July 7 <sup>th</sup>	Noon	Annual Fire Dept. Open House	Fire Barn
Sat. July 7 <sup>th</sup>	5:00p	Ice Cream Social	Community Center
Sat. July 7 <sup>th</sup>	Dusk	Fireworks	Longbeach Marina
Sun. July 8 <sup>th</sup>	10:00a	4 <sup>th</sup> of July Road Race	Community Center
Sun. July 8 <sup>th</sup>	7:00p	Bob Marley	Community Center
Sat. July 14 <sup>th</sup>	9:00a	Board of Selectman/Exec Committee	Community Center
Sat. July 14 <sup>th</sup>	Noon	Field Day Event	Ballfield
Sat. July 14 <sup>th</sup>	4:00p	Wine Tasting Event	Community Center
Fri. July 20 <sup>th</sup>	7:00p	Zoning Board of Appeals	Community Center
Sat. July 21 <sup>st</sup>	8:30a	Planning Board	Community Center
Sat. July 21 <sup>st</sup>	9:00a	Fairy Gardens of Frye Island	Community Center
Sun. July 22 <sup>nd</sup>	9:00a-12:00p	Garden Club	Community Center
Sat. July 28 <sup>th</sup>	ALL DAY	USS Michael Murphy Day	
Sat. Aug. 4 <sup>th</sup>	12:00p-3:00p	Private Kickball	Ballfield
Wed. Aug. 8 <sup>th</sup>	9:00a-12:00p	Garden Club Chapel	
Sat. Aug. 11 <sup>th</sup>	9:00a	BOS / EC Mtg	Community Center
Sat. Aug. 11 <sup>th</sup>	9:00a	One Pitch Softball Tournament	Ball Field