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Back by popular demand, Comedian Bob Marley

Wednesday, August 15, 2012

8:00 pm @ the Community Center

Tickets now available at the Golf Clubhouse, $20.00 each.

Limited space; so plan on purchasing your tickets now.

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Important Information

Town of Frye Island

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Frye Island, ME 04071
Phone: 207-655-4551
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Email: office@fryeisland.com
Web site: www.fryeisland.com
Town Manager: Wayne Fournier

Office Hours

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

Code Enforcement Officer

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

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

Representative to Legislature

Michael D. McClellan (R-Raymond)
District 103
27 Pismire Mountain Road
Raymond, ME 04071
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RepMichael.McClellan@legislature.maine.gov

State Senator

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Town News

Island Manager's Comments

Greetings everyone:

Sebago Lake Level: Ever since the Island opened I have talked about the lake level and the Lake Level Management Plan (LLMP) proposed by SD Warren. I want to make sure everyone understands the seriousness of this issue to Frye Island. SD Warren plays the key role in the maintenance of the lake level because the license they have from the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) provides them with the authority to manage the flows from the Eel Weir Dam at the outlet of the Lake. The current LLMP requires SD Warren to control the dam so they maintain the lake level within a specified range without reaching the low level limit of 262.5 feet above mean sea level (MSL) until November 1st. This does become a bit tricky for SD Warren considering they must continually adjust the flows from the dam to maintain the permitted lake level while combating the affects of Mother Nature. The proposed LLMP would allow SD Warren to maintain a somewhat constant flow from the dam only requiring adjustments in flow when the lake level reaches high or low triggers. Hence the potential issues for Frye Island. The low trigger is at a level of 262 ft. MSL. At this water level we would be unable to operate the ferry and provide emergency services. To make matters worse this could happen as early in the season as June 15th. I guess if you own water front property it would really increase your beach area; but it probably wouldn't do much good if you aren't able to get there. The fix for Frye Island is not merely dredging the ferry terminal area either. At 262 MSL we have reached the lower limit of the gantry systems. Frye Island is not alone in this issue; a number of businesses and individuals around the lake would also be affected. Consequently these people have joined together to form "Save Our Sebago". Recognizing that there is "strength in numbers', the Town of Frye Island has also joined forces with Save Our Sebago in opposition to the proposed Lake Level Management Plan. I would urge you to visit the SaveourSebago.org web site for updated information and ways that you can help support this effort. We were fortunate this season. When we arrived at the Island in April, the water level was in the 263 MSL range which is about the level we normally see in October. If the proposed LLMP had been in affect, we could have been in serious trouble. Is it time to panic……not at all; but it is time to help support those that are taking action.

I have attached a letter that I wrote to our legislators in May. It will give you an idea of the issues as I see them.

Community Center Tennis Courts: I mentioned last week that we opened the new tennis courts on last Friday. I also listed some very brief rules for using the courts. Obviously, we want to protect the Town's investment while providing a great environment for the real tennis players…..which I am not. When we opened the gates Friday morning the courts were perfect. By Sunday morning some people were playing in black sneakers leaving scuff marks all over the courts. It also looked like some nit-wit rode a bicycle on the courts leaving black tire marks. We all know that the Frye Island is a recreational community and we do attempt to keep the Island and all of the amenities maintained so that everyone can enjoy them. But I must admit that it is really disappointing when people display such a lack of courtesy and respect for the facilities that belong to all of us.

We have purchased new signs which will be posted as soon as we get them but in the mean time please abide by the simple rules listed below.

1. The courts will be open from 8AM until 8PM. From 8PM until 8AM the gates will be locked.
2. These courts are to be used for tennis only.
3. Please wear only appropriate tennis shoes. Black soled shoes tend to scuff the courts and leave black marks.
4. The courts are for the use of Frye Island property owners, their guests and renters only.
5. There will be sign up sheets posted on the gate where you can reserve a court. There are 2 courts, the one on the right side is court #1, and the one on the left side is court #2. You can sign up 24 hours in advance of the time you want to play and no sooner.
6. You can reserve the courts for **one hour** if playing singles and **two hours** if playing doubles.
7. Absolutely no skateboards, roller blades or bicycles on the courts.

I have also heard that some "real" tennis players have set up a lending box which will include appropriate tennis shoes, rackets and tennis balls for people to use, and return, if they do not have the proper equipment. Check at the Community Center for these items.

Meeting Reminder: Executive Committee Meeting: The next Board of Selectmen / Executive Committee meeting has been scheduled for **Saturday August 18**. 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. **Please note that this meeting has been changed from the 11th to the 18th. The Public hearing to present the proposed amendment to the Town charter has also been changed to the 18th at the Community Center. The Public Hearing will begin at 9 AM and the Executive Committee meeting will begin immediately after.**

Have an enjoyable weekend and a very safe week.

Wayne

Office Note

No new registrations will be done on Saturday, August 11. We apologize for any inconvenience.

Thank you

Thank you to Steve Ciulla and John Atkinson for cleaning up and taking the brush from Beach 4 to the transfer station. Thank you to Ken and Brenda Davis for the lovely flowers planted in the driftwood stump and John Lubas, Ken Davis, Rick Martyn and Jackie Atkinson for raking the beach to make it a beautiful spot.

Happy Birthday Christine

From Skylar & Samantha

Windham Food & Clothes Pantry

Please drop all your non-perishable goods and clothing 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.

We are more fortunate than so many others and it can be our small way to give back to our fellow communities.

BOS / EC Meeting & Notice of Public Hearing

Saturday, August 18, 2012 at 9:00 A.M.
Community Center

To present a proposed amendment to the Town Charter clarifying the financial authority.

Zoning Board of Appeals

Friday, August 17, 2012 at 7:00 P.M.
Community Center
Agenda

- Minutes of last meeting
- Other business

This is a public meeting. All Frye Islanders are welcome to attend.

Planning Board

Saturday, August 18, 2012 at 8:30 a.m.
Community Center
Agenda

Read and approve

Minutes of July 21, 2012 meeting

Old Business:

Comp. Plan
Litter Ordinance
Future meeting date with Stephanie Carver

New Business:

Open

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

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Town Manager

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May 12, 2012

Senator Bill Diamond
10 Crown Point Road
Windham, Maine 04062

Rep. Michael D. McClellan
27 Pismire Mountain Road
Raymond, ME 04071

Dear Senator Diamond,
Dear Representative McClellan,

I am writing this letter on behalf of the Town of Frye Island. Frye Island is a unique community founded on July 1, 1998, after the State Legislature approved its secession from the Town of Standish. I dare say that we are the only municipality in Maine to be physically inhabited seasonally while providing year round administrative services. Frye Island is a 1000 acre island in Sebago Lake with 500 homes and approximately 1500 seasonal residents. We have a State property value in excess of $160,000,000. Needless to say, our residents contribute significantly to both State and local economies.

As you probably know, S.D. Warren, a subsidiary of Sappi Paper, has filed an application with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) regarding the 30 year relicensing of the Eel Weir Dam. Management of this dam has a major impact on the water levels in Sebago Lake. In the summer of 2011, S.D. Warren submitted a revised Lake Level Management Plan (LLMP) as part of the licensing process. The new plan represents a major change in the way the lake will be managed, with substantial negative implications for the lake's ecology, as well as recreational and navigational uses.

For the most part, Frye Island has watched this license renewal process from the sidelines. The Lake Level Management Plan (LLMP) as it presently exists has not proven to be detrimental to the operation of the Island. However, the 2011 amendment to the proposed LLMP, if approved, could prove to be devastating to our Island.

Frye Island owns and operates two ferries which transport passengers and vehicles from the ferry terminal on Raymond Cape Road in the Town of Raymond to the Island. These ferries provide the only access to the Island for personal, commercial and emergency vehicles. We operate these ferries from the end of April until the first of November for the general public, plus a few weeks on each end for Town employees to start-up and shut-down the Island.

The current Lake Level Management Plan requires SD Warren to maintain the lake level within a specific range from a high of 266.5 Mean Sea Level (MSL) in the spring to a low of 262 MSL in the fall. They would typically vary the flow from the Eel Weir dam in an effort to maintain the level within this required range.

As I understand it, the proposed LLMP allows SD Warren to maintain a somewhat constant flow throughout the year. They would need to "take action" only when the level reaches a high of 266MSL or a low of 262 MSL. It is the low level trigger, as proposed, that creates a problem for Frye Island. At this low level trigger (262MSL) SD Warren would "take action" to reduce the flow to a minimum rate. However, by the time action is taken and the lake level rebounds, it is almost certain that the lake will go well below the 262MSL. What makes this even worse is that, according to the proposed LLMP, this could happen anytime after June 15th.

As I stated earlier, Frye Island is serviced by two ferries. The loading and unloading of these ferries is facilitated by gantry systems located at the mainland and island terminals. Because of the physical limitations of these gantries, 262MSL is the absolute lowest level that we can tolerate and still provide emergency services to the island. In truth, once the level reaches 262.5MSL we are approaching unsafe conditions for some vehicles to access the ferries. I think it goes without saying that when we can no longer provide emergency services to residents and guests on the Island we would have to shut the Island down. If this were to occur during the summer and early fall months, which it could if the proposed LLMP were approved, it would be devastating to the Island.

For that reason, we are joining with "Save Our Sebago" (saveoursebago.org) and a number of other affected parties around the lake in opposing the latest LLMP as proposed. We can understand the difficulties SD Warren had while attempting to operate within the range established by the existing LLMP. However, there has to be a more reasonable limit set on the low level trigger than the latest proposed by SD Warren.

We all know that Sebago Lake is a tremendous resource for all of the Lakes Region both physically and economically. While the LLMP as proposed could definitely be devastating for Frye Island, we are not alone. This letter may sound a bit selfish toward Frye Island but that is not intended. There are many more commercial entities in many communities around the Lake that rely on the activities that the Lake supports for survival. The unintended consequences that this plan would have on property values / tax revenues and all facets of the economy must be considered. Surely reasonable people can reach a reasonable solution to this Lake Level Management Plan.

We are more than willing to discuss this with any and all interested parties and would appreciate anything you can do in your position as our State Representatives to make this happen.

Sincerely,

Wayne M. Fournier

Frye Island Public Works
Transfer Station
207-655-7493

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

Marina Parking Lot Planters

We have noticed that one of our island nitwits has been taking rocks from around the marina parking lot planters. As you all know we have plenty of rocks to pick from here on the island, there is no need to take rocks that had been placed around planters to hold in the dirt. If you need rocks contact the DPW at 655-7493 and we will point you in the right direction, or perhaps the "nitwit" can use some of the rocks inside his head instead.

Community Center Tennis Courts

The courts will be locked at dusk every night and opened around 7:30 am. PLEASE, no hockey, no bicycles, and proper footwear only.

Waterline Work

The Trench Monkey's have reached the intersection of Leisure and Birch with the new waterline. They will now be heading up Birch to the Highpoint intersection.

Bob Marley

BOB MARLEY RETURNS! August 15th, 8 pm, with an all new show! At the Community Center, all proceeds for the Community Center, Kitchen remodel, and heat and air conditioning. Tickets on sale at the Golf Course.

This weeks Paraprosdoian:
"To steal ideas from one person is plagiarism.
To steal from many is research".

FEE STRUCTURE - 2012

BAGGED HOUSEHOLD TRASH	NO CHARGE
CORRUGATED CARDBOARD	NO CHARGE
RECYCLABLES, #2 PLASTIC, GLASS, CANS, NEWSPAPER	NO CHARGE

DEMOLITION DEBRIS: DEMO-DEBRIS INCLUDES SHEET ROCK, ASPHALT SHINGLES, MASONRY DEBRIS,LUMBER, PLYWOOD, PRESSURE TREATED LUMBER, PARTICLE BOARD, ETC	$30.00 PER CUBIC YARD

FULL SIZE PICKUP BED (FULL) IS 2 CU. YARDS	$60.00
ECONOMY SIZE PICKUP / SHORT BED 1.25 CU. YDS	$40.00
MINIMUM CHARGE	$5.00
TWIN MATTRESS OR BOX SPRING	$6.00 / EA.
FULL, QUEEN, KING, MATTRESS OR BOX SPRING	$9.00 / EA.
LAWN/LOUNGE CHAIR (AVOID CHARGE BY SEPARATING NONMETAL AND CUTTING OFF WEBBING)	$1.00 / MIN.
TV 16 – 19"	$15.00 / EA.
TV LARGER THAN 19"	$30.00 / EA.
LARGE COUCH	$22.00 / EA.
LOVE SEAT OR SHORT SOFA	$17.00 / EA.
STUFFED CHAIR OR RECLINER	$10.00 / EA.
STEREO COMPONENT/TURNTABLE,FURNITURE, DRESSERS	$5.00 / EA.
REFRIGERATORS & FREEZERS (DOORS MUST BE REMOVED). DEHUMIDIFIERS & AIR CONDITIONERS. (INCLUDES FEE TO REMOVE AND DISPOSE OF REFRIGERANT)	$25.00 / EA.
WASTE OIL / ANTIFREEZE (NO CONTAINERS LARGERTHAN 5 GALLONS ALLOWED)	$1.00 / GAL.
FLUORESCENT BULBS	$0.15 PER FT.
MERCURY, THERMOMETERS, THERMOSTATS, BILGESWITCHES, ETC.	MARKET COST
PROPANE TANKS 20#	$10.00
LARGE PROPANE TANKS (GREATER THAN 20 #)	$20.00 / EA.
SCRAP METALS (MUST BE STRIPED OF NON-METAL PARTS)	$1.00 / EA.
WHITE GOODS	$5.00 / EA.
PAINT, PESTICIDES,HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS MATERIALS	MARKET COST.

BRUSH PER PICKUP TRUCK LOAD NO LOADS LARGER THAN ONE TON TRUCKS NO WOOD LONGER THAN 4 FEET NO WOOD LARGER THAN 6 INCH DIAMETER	$5.00

Town of Frye Island

Transfer Station Hours:

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

PINE TREE WASTE SERVICES
A Casella Company

ZERO-SORT®
RECYCLING
a casella service

HOW RECYCLING GETS DONE®

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 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

Frye's Leap

General Store and Café

655-4256

The good weather keeps on coming as we move thru August and so do the good times at the store and café. If you have not had a chance to participate in our Tuesday night Trivia or Wednesday night Karaoke we encourage you to do so before the summer is over. It's great fun for the whole family! We continue to introduce different daily specials, depending upon availability from our suppliers. We recently served marinated sirloin tip kebobs over a bed of rice, featuring the packaged marinated meats that can be purchased in the store. Yummy! We should be getting more inventory of this item in the store in the coming week.

Our new produce cooler has been delivered and has enabled us to carry a larger selection of fresh fruit and vegetables. We have strawberries, blackberries, grapes, oranges, limes and lemons as well as heads of lettuce, tomatoes, peppers, onions and potatoes.

With regards to other events, on the afternoon of Saturday August 18 we will be hosting a book signing event with Jason Graham, creator of the Travelin Bug'z action figures and books. The Travlin Bug'z are a set of fun, collectible figurines designed to promote interaction with other children, creativity, reading and learning about the world. Travlin Bug'z figurines and books are available for purchase at the store.

At the bar we the beer experimentation continues. We have tapped Hop Swap and Bass Ackwards Blueberry from Sebago Brewing and XXXX IPA from Shipyard. And it won't be long before we will also be tapping Shipyard's Pumpkinhead Ale, possibly the best pumpkin ale in the country. Be on the lookout!

On weekends we offer our breakfast buffet for Saturday and Sunday mornings. The breakfast buffet includes a selection of foods ranging from eggs to breakfast meats to fresh fruit salad. Get your weekend morning off to a great start with breakfast here at the café. During the week you can satisfy your breakfast hunger with a fresh baked muffin or slice of breakfast pizza.

Our schedule continues to be as follows below.

Store:

Monday thru Thursday	7:30am	9:00pm
Friday and Saturday	7:30am	10:00pm
Sunday	7:30am	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

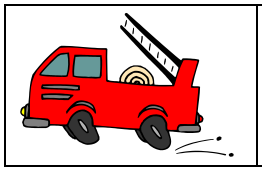
The bar will remain open later based on sports schedules and demand.

Thanks for all of your support and we look forward to seeing you.

Amy and Dave Wagner

Check out our…

Expanded Produce Selection!
New refrigerator items!
Flowers for sale!
Rotating draft beers!
Specialty coffee drinks!
Frozen drinks!
…and more!!!



Fire Department

Fire Barn: 207-655-8618

HOME CANDLE SAFETY TIPS

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

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

Did you know that….

Code Enforcement Officer: John Thompson
Signs - Permit required

Signs are specifically prohibited except as herein provided:

1. **Materials and maintenance**

   All signs must be constructed of durable materials and shall be maintained in good condition and repair at all times.

2. **Residential identification signs** [amended October 6, 2001; WA 12]

   In any district, a sign not exceeding four (4) square feet in surface is permitted without permit which announces the 911 designation number and/or the name of the street, owner, occupant, and/or house on which said sign is located. A sign that also announces the profession or home occupation of the occupant is also permitted but requires a permit as specified in ¶ O.5.

3. **Bulletin boards**

   A bulletin board not exceeding twenty-four (24) square feet is permitted in connection with any church, school, or similar public structure. A bulletin board for a business is permitted provided that other provisions of this Ordinance are met. Any bulletin board for a business shall be counted towards the business's total sign area.

4. **Temporary real estate and construction signs**

   A temporary real estate or construction sign not exceeding six (6) square feet is permitted on the property being sold, leased, or developed. Such sign shall be removed promptly when it has fulfilled its function.

5. **Permit required** [amended October 6, 2001; WA 12]

   Except as provided for in ¶ O.2, Residential Identification Signs, each new sign must receive a permit before erection from the municipal officers or their duly appointed agent.

6. **Signs in disrepair**

   Any sign which is or becomes in disrepair shall be removed upon order of the municipal officer is not repaired after thirty (30) days' notice. Any new sign must conform to all regulations

   No permit for a portable sign shall be granted for a period in excess of 120 days for any particular property, business, or location in any twelve-month period. Portable signs shall not be placed on a lot such that sight distance along a public way is constricted, either for vehicles exiting the premises or for vehicles traveling along the public way.

   Ground signs shall be at least fifteen (15) feet from any street or from any lot line of the premises. Such signs shall have a maximum height of ten (10) feet.

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

Free Concert Tickets

I have several free concert tickets for a "Day In The Park", featuring Rustic Overtones with special guest VELOUROSAURUS. The concert will be held in Deering Oaks Park in Portland beginning on August 25 at 2:00pm with Rustic Overtones beginning at 4:00pm. These tickets are free to anyone who wants them. See Lisa at the Town Hall.

Golf Cart Registrations

Several carts on the island expire in June and July 2012. Please check out your carts and come in for a visit if this applies to you, don't forget your insurance card and the $12.00.

Thought for the week;

"One can pay back the loan of gold,
but one dies forever in debt to those who are kind."

~ Malayan Proverb

New Tennis Court

Well the new tennis courts at the Recreation Center are barely a week old and already some Nit Wit has left his mark, literally. As you can imagine one of our islanders went down to the tennis court only to find someone playing tennis with black soled footwear. This of course was leaving black scuff marks all over the new court.

The islander in question asked that the tennis player to change his footwear to something other than black only to be blown off with an arrogant response of "I pay my way".

Whatever the Nit Wit meant by that is unclear, taxes, rent, who knows. Well you made your mark and impressed everyone along the way; you must be a trip to hang with.

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Dear Rod the Cop

Dear Rod the Cop,

I'm at my wits end, let me explain. Last Sunday I was travelling to the ferry and as I pulled up in line I began counting the cars in front of me. As I was counting, I realize that I was the 10th car in line. I had had enough, I could feel my blood pressure expanding, the veins on my forehead pulsating, my ears ringing. I could actually feel myself levitating as I began speaking in tongues. The stress of being left behind had finally popped my emotional wellbeing. I have one question, what kind of Town buys a 9 passenger ferry. Why not an even number, like 10 or 12?

Stranded emotionally

Dear Stranded,

This is a tough one, being the 10th car in line, not to mention the emotional implications. I have to admit that an answer to this dilemma did not come easy. I have spent several sleepless nights searching for a palpable answer to our common quandary. Then after tossing and turning during a restless night of worry, the answer came to me in a dream, I sat up in bed and sighed in relief……the ferry caboose. Yes, that was it, a caboose. The island pontoon boat could serve as a tow behind for the 10th car. The 10th car could be loaded onto the pontoon boat and then tethered and towed by the ferry. This could be easily done, just call John Crosby to make arrangements.

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 – 8:00 PM

Monday – Thursday: 8:00 AM – 8:00 PM

Enjoy satellite reception on two flat screen TVs.

Leisure Lounge will be moved Wednesday, August 15th at 7:00 pm to the Community Center for the Bob Marley Show. Only ticket holders will be admitted, advance tickets available at the clubhouse, $20 each

Now available 16 oz. draft beer

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

We now sell wine by the bottle.

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

Greg Norman Estates
Chardonnay or Cabernet

NO CHILDREN UNDER 16
AFTER 9:OO PM

Bob Marley

Mark your calendars:

Bob Marley will be back for another performance.

Wednesday, August 15, 2012

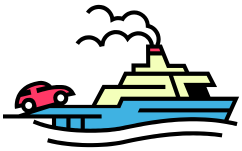
8:00 pm @ the Community Center

All net proceeds will be designated to fund the kitchen remodel and heat/ac of the meeting room in the Community Center. The first show on July 8th made a net profit of $747.00 for this fund.

The last show was a sell-out, so if you would like to see Bob Marley plan on getting your tickets soon.

Tickets now available at the Golf Clubhouse, $20.00 each.

Laura Crosby - Clubhouse Manager



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 Noon – 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 – 10 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

Frye Island Package Delivery Procedures and Information:

The ferry crews are responsible for the safe and efficient transportation of vehicles and passengers to and from the Island, and can only address freight issues as time allows.

- Both UPS and FEDEX deliver ONLY to the ferry trailer, and not to addresses on Frye Island.
- Since there is no set delivery time, packages arrive (up to 6 different deliveries) throughout the day. They are stored at the Ferry landing, until they are moved to the Island Post Office for pick up by recipients.
- A non-paid Island volunteer transports the packages to Frye Island Post Office, and the packages are usually available for pick up by 6PM.
- If you are a renter expecting a package delivery, you will need to request a post office key from the town office the following day, during normal business hours, to pick up your package in the Island Post Office.

If you are expecting a time-sensitive delivery, and you have personally verified its arrival with the delivery company, you may travel across on the ferry as a pedestrian at no charge to pick up your delivery.
DO NOT call the ferry landing for package delivery information. We handle thousands of packages each season, and cannot possibly manage to go searching for every individual's arrival.

It is very important to have current and accurate contact information regarding phone numbers and Email addresses in the Frye Island directory, in the event that you must be contacted regarding package delivery issues.

Thought for the week;

"Stop living for what's around the corner,
and start enjoying the walk down the street."

~ Grant L. Miller

Marina News

Safe Boating Tips

- Ensure that all hose clamps and hoses are attached and hose clamps secured tightly. Check same periodically during the boating season. Vibrations will loosen those hoses and clamps.
- 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.
- Registration-All motorboats of any size, including airboats and personal watercraft, must be registered in Maine or reciprocal state. State of Maine registrations may be processed at the Town Office, here on Frye Island. Any boat principally used in Maine should be registered in Maine. Out of State reciprocity is only good for 60 calendar days. This is a problem here on Frye Island and the Maine Wardens Service will be checking.

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

Pro Shop

The pro shop has an assortment of hats, shirts, and jackets. For a great gift idea we have Yankee Candles with the Frye Island Logo.

Tentative 2012 Tournament Schedule

Date	Tournament	Organizers
July 1 – Labor Day	Club Championship	Bruce Nisula
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, August 5th Scramble Results

1st Place (-9) $24.50 each:	2nd Place (-4) $13.00 each:
George Greenwich	Bruce Nisula
Vic Solimini	Paul Osborn
Mike Daigle	Bob Thurston
Rod Beaulieu	Bill Francis
Ron Melanson	

Closest to the Pin $16.50 each:

#8 Roger Stenz #4 Ron Melanson

President's Cup Results

Men:	Women:
1st Bob Giggey - $70.00	1st Laura Davis - $70.00
2nd Bob Bullock - $22.00	2nd Kathy Hingston- $22.00

Closest to the Pin: Jim Hirsch - $46.00

Club Championship

Semifinal Match must be completed by August 20. Final Match must be completed by September 3 (Labor Day).

Congratulations to those who have qualified to play the semi-final match.

Women

Kathy Hingston – Laura Davis
Josie Auger – Theresa Hodge

Men

Paul Murphy – Mike Morrill

2012 Member-Guest Tournament

Date	August 18th and 19th, 2012
Entry Fee:	$200 per team ($100 per player) Sign-up Deadline is August 13th.
Meals:	Saturday continental breakfast, Saturday lunch, Saturday Lobsta Bake dinner (spouses are welcome--$20), and Sunday lunch.
Format:	Nine hole match play, best ball, 2 person teams.
Matches:	Two matches on Saturday and one Match on Sunday to settle Flight winners. (Four teams in a flight or three teams, playing one match against par.) On Sunday afternoon, Flight winners will participate in a Shoot Out; all others will participate in the Team Consolation Round.
Handicaps:	Guests shall submit evidence of USGA/GHIN Handicap Index or at least 5 recent 18 hole cards (slope and rating required for each).

Thank you Laura & Don Davis, Alicia Vesperini, and Bruce Nisula for all of your help with preparing, cooking, & cleaning up for the President's Cup Dinner

Activities & Recreation

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.

August 27 **JERUSALEM, JERUSALEM** by James Carroll

Mah Jongg Anyone?

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

Mondays @ 9:30am and
Thurdays @ 12:30pm* Please note change of day

Please bring your game – if you have one.

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

Kayak Flotilla...Fantastic!

Calm waters and blue skies greeted the early risers that arrived at Beach 6 for the 8AM start of the inaugural Frye Island Kayak Flotilla on August 4th. Twenty five boats made their way along the lake shore to Long Beach accompanied by lively conversation, as many boaters made new acquaintances. The midpoint of the voyage featured snacks, drinks and swimming off of Long Beach. Following a group photo, everyone casually made their way back to their own cottages. Anyone interested in photos from the event can contact me at: dr.sansonetti@gmail.com.

The high level of enthusiasm for this type of event has insured that The Kayak Flotilla will return in 2013!

BINGO

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

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 1st and 3rd Sunday of every month and a coffee and snack hour following the service on the 2nd and 4th 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 8/7: Lorna Priestley, Nancy Fournier, Rita Lapati, and Nancy Perry.
Winner of fewest putts: Lorna Priestley.

Glass Fusing Class

Come make a project approximately 4" x 4" out of glass (tile, sun catcher, jewelry, etc). Tools and supplies will be provided. Project will be fired in a kiln after class and returned to you the following weekend.

Class: Saturday August 18th from 1:00 to 2:30 pm at the Community Center.

Fee is $30 per person. Class limited to 8 students.

Instructor: Tara Lenharth

Please email tara@lenharth.com to sign up.

FRYE PARK
One Pitch Softball Tournament
Single Elimination at Frye Park

Saturday August 11th at 9:30 AM

WE DON'T PLAY HARDBALL BUT WE PLAY HARD SOFTBALL

Defending champs "Fire Extinguishers"

9:30a Frye's Leap Cafe
FLC Has-beens

12:30p Fire Extinguishers

10:15a Islanders
Ferry Phenoms

2:15p

3:00p "CHAMP"

11:00a DPW Trench Monkeys
Beach # 8 Bums

11:45a Beach #5 Grillers
MB #6 Knights

1:15p

Frye Family Park
First Pitch – National Anthem 9:30 AM
Wanted: **Spectators**

Garden Club News

DON'T FORGET the date - Saturday, August 25th at 9:00 AM at the Community Center. Come to our wreath making workshop with our own Helen McKee, professional floral designer. Decorate your grapevine wreath with an autumn theme If you have a glue gun, please bring it. Consider any plant material like pine cones, moss, acorns, bird's nests, etc to put on it. Helen will have some things available to use as well like grapes, silk flowers, and whatever else she finds! The cost of the workshop will be $15.00 for materials. There is a sign-up sheet at the Town Office. Please sign up if you are interested to ensure there are enough supplies available.

Bobbex is available from Claire LaDow. It needs to be sprayed more often this year, but works for most of us. Call her at 655-7730.

Saturday, August 4, Beach to Beacon road race in Cape Elizabeth. Left to right, Sherri Wier, Celeste Beaulieu, Heidi Bond and Andy DiSalvo.

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

Activities & Recreation

Recreation Dept. Schedule: The Community Center will be open every day 10:00am – 4:00pm.

August 2012						
Sat Aug 11	**Sun Aug 12**	**Mon Aug 13**	**Tues Aug 14**	**Wed Aug 15**	**Thurs Aug 16**	**Fri Aug 17**
9:30a. One pitch Softball Tournament @ballfield 7-8pm Capture the flag ages 6-12 @ ballfield	9:00a Chapel 7:00pm Bingo for adults@ CC	9:00 Cardio Fitness and Conditioning @ 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	9:00 Cardio Fitness and Conditioning @ CC 10:00a-11:00a Games at Ballfield ages 6-12 7:00-8:00 Capture the Flag ages 6-12 @ ballfield 8:00 pm Bob Marley @ CC	9:00a-10:00a Basketball ages 6-8 9:00a-10:00a Zumba 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	9:00 Cardio Fitness and Conditioning @ CC 10:00a-11:00a Games ages 6-12 @ ballfield 7:00pm Zoning Boards of appeals @ CC 9:00p-11:00p Open for Teens

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 – 1st game begins at 7:00p.

UPCOMING EVENTS – MARK YOUR CALENDARS NOW!

DATE	TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
Sat. Aug. 11th	9:00a	One Pitch Softball Tournament	Ball Field
Wed. Aug 15th	8:00pm	Bob Marley	CC
Fri. Aug 17th	7:00p	Zoning Board of Appeals	CC
Sat. Aug. 18th	9:00a	BOS / EC Mtg	Community Center
Wed. Sept. 8th	9:00a-12:00p	Garden Club	Chapel