

April 30 - May 6, 2020

E-MAIL: vinalhavenwind@gmail.com

Vinalhaven Community Outreach

We need your help and we're here to help you

We have set up a COVID-19 fund to help islanders who have been directly, financially affected by this virus.

Donations may be mailed to VCO, PO Box 15, Vinalhaven.

Please mark Covid-19 in the memo

If you need help, and fit our criteria, please contact us by **email**

vhcommunityoutreach@gmail.com

Thank you.

We are a 501 (c) 3 organization

Community Lunch Box

Union Church will be looking at the best options for lunch box going forward. We will not have our sit down lunch at the church for the next couple of weeks.

We will contact our regular guests and ask them to send out the word when we will be preparing and delivering to make sure no one is excluded from their meal. If you have any questions, please contact Candi at 2001



Helping Friends In Need

supporting those who support others

Community Lunchbox

Union Church, attn: Lunchbox

PO Box 249

Checks payable to Union Church

Memo line: Lunchbox

Meals on Wheels

Vinalhaven Eldercare Services

attn: Meals on Wheels, PO Box 624

Checks payable to VES

Memo Line: Meals on Wheels

Open Bible Baptist Church Corona Virus Relief Fund (CVRF)

Open Bible Baptist Church

attn: CVRF

PO Box 465, Checks payable to Open Bible Baptist Church

Memo line: CVRF

Vinalhaven Community Outreach

PO Box 15, Checks payable to VCO

Memo line: Covid-19

Vinalhaven Fuel Fund

Sue Radley, attn: Vinalhaven Fuel Fund

14 Lawson's Quarry Rd, Checks payable to Vinalhaven Fuel Fund

The Brown Door at the Union Church

Union Church, attn: Food Pantry

PO Box 249

Checks payable to Union Church,

Memo line: Food Pantry

All addresses = Vinalhaven, ME 04863

Community Calendar

Email events to:

windnonprofitads@gmail.com

FOOD PANTRY NOTICE

The **FOOD PANTRY** is here for everyone.

Please contact **Candi 2001**

or **Holly 207.363.3423**

or stop by a Good Things Coffee House

Trivia Questions

1. What does a Snellen test evaluate?
2. What country has the highest life expectancy?
3. What condition did Monet suffer from?

Maine Trivia

What is the current population of the state of Maine?

Town of Vinalhaven Information

www.townofvinalhaven.org

Meetings

Town Buildings are closed to the public until further notice. All events and programs have been cancelled until further notice. The Town Office is closed. All committee meetings, other than Select Board meetings, have been postponed or will be held virtually. The Select Board will be meeting* regularly to discuss any necessary responses to COVID-19. *We will deliver meetings to you virtually from our Facebook page:

[facebook.com/townofvinalhaven](https://www.facebook.com/townofvinalhaven) and the recording will be posted to the Town's YouTube Channel. There is a link to the Channel on the website. Please visit the Town website and Facebook page for the most up-to-date information about Select Board Meetings.

Notices

Revised Property Tax Deadline Due to COVID-19 and to relieve what may be a financial burden at this time, the Select Board has voted to extend the May 1, 2020 Property Tax payment to July 1, 2020. While we encourage those that can pay to please do so, there will be no penalty for those who are unable to pay until July 1. Interest will still accrue on the unpaid November 1, 2019 balances. If you have any questions, please contact the Town Office.

Annual Town Meeting originally scheduled for May 13, 2020 has been postponed. New date TBD.

Single-Stream Recycling #1-7 rigid plastics, tin, aluminum, glass, paper, cardboard. \$10 Recycling Totes available at the Town Office.

Food Scrap Composting collection bin located near the household trash container at the Transfer Station. How-To Brochures available at townofvinalhaven.org. Free Composting Pails available at the Town Office and Transfer Station.

Hours of Operation & Contact Information*

*The phone numbers below are accurate, but due to the Covid-19 virus, the Town Office is closed to the public so the hours listed may be inaccurate. Services are still available over the phone—please see further information in the column to the right.

Town Office – Mon–Fri 7:30am–5pm – 863-4471 or 863-4343; Fax: 863-4393

*Please note that the Town Office now has a physical mailing address in place of the PO Box: Vinalhaven Town Office, 19 Washington School Rd., Vinalhaven, ME 04863

Town Manager – **Andrew J. Dorr** – 863-2042; 266-7806;
townmanager@townofvinalhaven.org

Town Clerk – **Darlene M. Candage** – 863-4343; townclerk@townofvinalhaven.org

Deputy Town Clerk – **Tanya Robishaw** – 863-4343; deputyclerk@townofvinalhaven.org

Assessor – **Wes Robinson** – Hours vary, contact 863-2168 or
vinalhavenassessor@gmail.com to set up an appointment

Code Enforcement Officer / Local Plumbing Inspector – **Faye Grant** – Hours vary, contact 863-2168 or vhceo@townofvinalhaven.org to set up an appointment

Planning and Community Development – **Gabe McPhail** – Hours vary, contact 863-2168 or gmcphail@townofvinalhaven.org to set up an appointment

Welfare Program – Call 863-2042 or 266-7806 to set up an appointment

Public Works / Town Garage – 863-2063

Library – **Scott Candage** – Tues & Thurs 1-5pm; Wed & Fri 9am-12pm, 1-5pm; Sat 9am-4pm; Sun & Mon Closed – 863-4401 or vpl@vhaven.lib.me.us

Transfer Station – **Kenny Martin** – Sun, Mon, Wed & Thurs – 7:30am-4pm – 863-4306

Fire Department – **Marc Candage** – Emergency 911; Non-Emergency 863-4604 or mcandage@townofvinalhaven.org

Ambulance Service – **Kerry McKee** – Emergency 911; Non-Emergency 863-2119 or kmckee@townofvinalhaven.org

Knox County Deputy – Emergency 911; Non-Emergency 593-9132

Animal Control Officer – **James Knowlton** – 756-0209

Harbor Master – **James Knowlton** – 756-0209

Deputy Harbor Master – **Peter Gasperini** – 542-1992



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Payments accepted by phone (for a fee), mailed, or left in the drop box next to the front door of the Town Office. If you'd like an emailed receipt, please include your email address with payment.

Questions? Contact the Town Office **863-4471, 864-4343**

COVID-19 INFORMATION

For the latest updates, visit our website **townofvinalhaven.org**. There is a link on the homepage to all Covid-19 information and resources. Also visit Facebook **[facebook.com/townofvinalhaven](https://www.facebook.com/townofvinalhaven)**

If you have Covid-19-related questions or need information about services, call **863-2168** or email **VHEOC@townofvinalhaven.org**

Subscribe to receive Town Daily Covid-19 Updates automatically sent to your inbox. Go to **Subscribe** on the Town's website and subscribe to "Town Alerts".

Please see the Town's **Emergency Operations Center Covid-19 Resource Guide** in this Wind.

Revised State & Federal Income Tax Dates

The deadline for **2019 Maine State and IRS Income Tax Returns** is now **Wednesday, July 15, 2020.**



Islands Community
Medical Services

Our Medical Center

WE ARE HERE TO HELP

The economy presents many challenges to us these days.
One of them shouldn't be your health care.

**ICMS has many programs available to help with your medical
and dental care costs.**

1. We offer a **sliding fee scale** for those who qualify based on income. The sliding scale offers discounts on medical, behavioral health, physical therapy and dental care.
2. We have a **pharmacy program** with Kennebec Pharmacy which offers discounted prescriptions for those without prescription coverage. Savings can be significant.
3. We can also assist patients without drug coverage in applying for **free medications or discount cards**. Some manufacturers also offer a free 30-day trial even if you do have drug coverage.
4. We can also help you with **applications for Mainecare** or other federal programs. In addition, Pen Bay Medical Center has a **program to help with medical bills**.

Please reach out to **Leslie Dyer** at lesliedyer@icmsvh.org or **207-863-4341, ext 1114** or **Carter Stanley** at **207-863-4348** or ecstanley@icmsvh.org for more information or with any questions.



COVID-19 Vinalhaven Emergency Operations Center (EOC)

Andrew Dorr
Town Manager

Marc Candage
EMA Director

Kerry McKee
EMS Director

Jen Desmond
Public Health Officer

Pat Lundholm
Public Information Officer

Gabrian McPhail
Community Outreach Coordinator

Tanya Robishaw
EOC Support Staff

Janica Barrows
EOC Support Staff

EOC Contact

VHEOC@townofvinalhaven.org

207-863-2168

Town of Vinalhaven

19 Washington School Rd
Vinalhaven, Maine 04863

Phone: 207-863-2042

Cell: 207-266-7806

Fax: 207-863-4393

www.townofvinalhaven.org

COVID-19 GUIDE FOR HELPING OTHERS

During this time of uncertainty, many folks are reaching out, asking what they can do to help. To address those inquiries, the Town's Emergency Operations Center has compiled this Vinalhaven-specific Guide for Helping Others.

Please visit the Town's website for the most up-to-date information including changes in the ferry schedule and changes in how businesses are operating. **townofvinalhaven.org** Call or email for help and more information.

1-207-863-2168

VHEOC@townofvinalhaven.org

Go to "Subscribe" at townofvinalhaven.org and subscribe to "Town Alerts" to receive Daily Updates in your email inbox. Updates are also available on our Facebook Home Page by 7pm daily.

facebook.com/townofvinalhaven

How You Can Help

Focus on Facts Not Fear by getting reliable and credible information from trusted sources:

Maine's 2-1-1 Resource List for Covid-19 help. **211maine.org**

Office of Governor Janet T. Mills **maine.gov/governor/mills/covid-19**

Maine Center for Disease Control & Prevention **1-207-287-8016**
maine.gov/dhhs/mecdc/infectious-disease/epi/airborne/coronavirus.shtml

United States Centers for Disease Control and Prevention **1-800-CDC-INFO**
(1-800-232-4686) **cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html?s_cid=bb-coronavirus-2019-ncov-NCIRD**

Maine Health and Human Services Hotline: Dial **2-1-1** or **1-866-811-5695**, Get answers about COVID-19 by calling or texting your zipcode to 898-211, or emailing **info@211maine.org**

Maine Public Radio (90.5 FM WMEP) offers reliable Covid-19 information **mainepublic.org**

Stay Home. Governor Mills' mandate limits in-state travel except for essential businesses and essential needs. The Town has asked those whose primary residence is not on Vinalhaven to avoid traveling to the island at this time.

Practice Physical Distancing. Stay at least 6 feet away from others not in your household.

Wear a Mask or Cloth Face Covering when coming within 6 feet of others.

Wash Your Hands and clean surfaces well and often.

Volunteer in a Safe Way by reaching out to community groups and individuals to see if they need help. Follow all safety guidelines provided by the CDC and the Town of Vinalhaven.

Connect with Others using video conferencing tools like Zoom. The Island Institute's Covid-19 resource page includes information about online video conferencing tools islandinstitute.org/coronavirus

Reach Out by calling friends, relatives, and neighbors. Do especially kind things, and thank people for all that they are doing.

Pay-It-Forward by supporting businesses that have been required to close their doors to the public. Utilize take-out and curbside to-go services. Purchase merchandise from businesses' websites. Buy a gift card or gift certificate and pass it along to someone in need.

Donate to Groups and Organizations directly providing for basic needs (several are listed here), as well as your favorite nonprofits and other organizations working to support our community.

Community Lunchbox

makes and delivers prepared meals.

Mail donations to:

Union Church

Attn: Lunchbox

PO Box 249

Vinalhaven, ME 04863

Checks payable to Union Church

Memo line: Lunchbox

Meals on Wheels

makes and delivers prepared meals to those unable to leave their homes. Mail donations to:

Vinalhaven Eldercare Services

attn: Meals on Wheels

PO Box 624

Vinalhaven, ME 04863

Checks payable to VES

Memo Line: Meals on Wheels

Open Bible Baptist Church Corona Virus Relief Fund (CVRF)

provides food for anyone in need.

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Open Bible Baptist Church

attn: CVRF

PO Box 465

Vinalhaven, ME 04863

Checks payable to Open Bible Baptist Church

Memo line: CVRF

Vinalhaven Community Outreach Covid-19 Fund

helps islanders who have been directly, financially affected by COVID-19. Mail donations to:

Vinalhaven Community Outreach

PO Box 15

Vinalhaven, ME 04863

Checks payable to VCO

Memo line: Covid-19

Vinalhaven Fuel Fund

helps pay for up to 100 gallons of fuel. Mail donations to:

Sue Radley

attn: Vinalhaven Fuel Fund

14 Lawson's Quarry Rd

Vinalhaven, ME 04863

Checks payable to Vinalhaven Fuel Fund

The Brown Door

at the Union Church offers free grocery staples to those in need. Mail donations to:

Union Church

Attn: Food Pantry

PO Box 249

Vinalhaven, ME 04863

Checks payable to Union Church

Memo line: Food Pantry

*If you have information that ought to be included in this guide, please contact **1-207-863-2168** or VHEOC@townofvinalhaven.org This information was last revised on 4/20/20*

You can email questions to VHEOC@townofvinalhaven.org. This community is a special place and together we will get through this!



Happy Birthday Sue!

Happiest of Birthdays to one of the most wonderful and special people in our lives! Hope you have a wonderful day, and we can't wait until we can celebrate all together!!! XOXO Gus, Britt, and Myles



Sue! Working with you on The Wind has always been so much fun! It's been a great project to look forward to every Tuesday throughout the winter. Your compassion, thoughtfulness and kindness has been an inspiration to me and inspired me to be a better person. I wish I'd had you for a teacher! Happy Birthday and wishing you many more to come! xo Carla



To my forever friend,
Love you Sue. Cynthia

Sue,
I was going to write you a poem or tell a story but was then reminded of the WIND's family friendly policy. So here's hoping you have a prodigious Birthday.
Bill



Dear Sue,
Thinking of you on your birthday and remembering all the laughs and giggles we had at the museum together! You're a special friend to me!
-Love, Laurretta

Sue,
Your patience, compassion, and sense of humor always brighten my day. I hope your birthday is the joyful celebration you deserve. Xo Carly

Happy Birthday Sue!
Very best wishes for a very happy birthday to a very dear person!
And many happy returns of the day!
Cheers!
-Lizzie

Happy Happy Birthday, Sue! I will celebrate your life sending you good thoughts. I miss you!!
XxxOoo Kay.

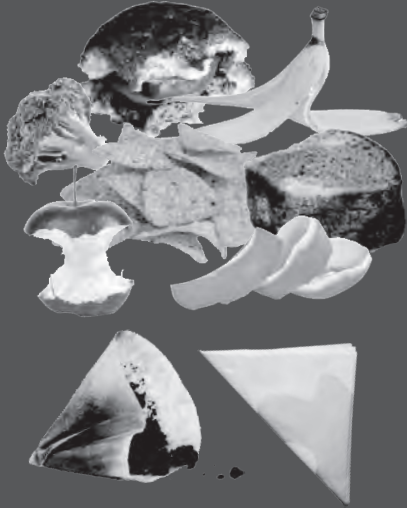


Happy Birthday to you
We love you, we do
You're still a sweet young thing
And your mind's still on cue!
Love,
Pam J

HOW-TO GUIDE for Food Scrap COMPOSTING



Vinalhaven Community Compost at the Transfer Station



Yes ✓

FOOD SCRAPS

vegetables, fruit, peels, grains, coffee grounds
eggshells, fish, spoiled and leftover foods

UNCOATED FOOD PAPERS

tea bags, coffee filters, soiled napkins



No ✕

MEAT, BONES, DAIRY

no meats and dairy, no large quantities of oil

COMPOSTABLE “PLASTICS”

no bags/pail liners, no cups, no cutlery

PRODUCE STICKERS

remove produce stickers

How VH Community Compost Works

1. Collect food scraps at home and at work
2. Dump food scraps into the collection bin at the Transfer Station
3. We mix all the food scraps into an active manure pile
4. The pile cures until it becomes nutrient-rich compost
5. Our community uses the compost to enrich garden soils

For more information about VH Community Compost visit the **WasteWatchers** page at www.townofvinalhaven.org


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From Dr. Falcheck

It is with heavy hearts that we inform the Vinalhaven community that the Vinalhaven Veterinary Clinic will suspend all services effective 5/1/20.

As such, we will be unable to provide any exams, vaccinations, blood tests, pharmaceuticals, surgeries, consultations, or approve any medications or treatments.

We want everyone to know what a pleasure it has been to serve the island and be amongst its wonderful residents and guests since 2006.

We encourage all of our clients to establish a good relationship with a new veterinarian of your choice. With regards to medical records, everyone should have their rabies certificate (a second copy was sent to the town as a backup). Please message us for other vaccination dates should they be relevant. For long standing medical cases, we can fax your pet's records to your new vet. Many records without a yearly visit are considered inactive.

COVID-19 has taken a heavy toll upon our lives. May you all please stay healthy and well, and we look forward to a time when we can all get together again.

Yours, Will and Michelle





Islands Community
Medical Services

Our Medical Center

Medical Center Information

www.icmsvh.org

Medical Services: 863-4341

Dental Services: 863-2533

Counseling: 863-9959

Billing: 863-4348

Hours of Operation

Medical Services

**Mon, Wed, Fri: 8:30 am – 12 noon,
1 pm – 4 pm**

Tues: 1 pm – 4 pm

Thurs: 8:30 am – 12 noon

Closed Tues. AM and Thurs. PM

Dental Services

Dentist:

Hygienist:

Office:

Physical Therapy

To schedule an appointment,
please call 863-4341

Counseling

Dan Keniston, LCSW

Jeff Wilber, LCSW

To schedule an appointment,
Please call 863-9959

Osteopathic Manipulative Treatment &

Acupuncture

To schedule an appointment, please call
863-4341.

Stuart Damon, DO

Women's Health

To schedule an appointment,
please call 863-4341.

**To reach the provider on call dial 863-4341
and your call will be forwarded to the
answering services. They will take your call
and page the provider on call for you.**

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ICMS receives HHS funding & has federal PHS
deemed status with respect to certain health or
health-related claims, including medical malpractice
claims, for itself and covered individuals.

ICMS is a 501(c) 3 and contributions to ICMS are tax
exempt. This health center is a Health Center
Program grantee under 42 USC 254b, and a
deemed Public Health Service employee under 42
USC 233(g)-(n).



Class of 2032



What is your name? Alden

Who is in your family? Mom,
Dad, Jacob, and me, and Heidi
(Heidi Guilford)

**Do you have any pets? Tell me
about them.** Raven and Fanny;
they're cats. Sometimes they hiss
at each other.

**How old are you and when is
your birthday?** I'm six. My
birthday is April 25th.

Where do you live? I live in
Dog Town, next to Gram.
(Shirley Guilford).

**What do your parents do for
work?** My Dad mows lawns. My
Mom takes care of me, and it's a
full-time job.

Who are your best friends?
Finn, but he lives in another
different town.

What is your favorite color?
Usually red.

**Name three of your favorite
foods.** Cake, ice cream, and
bacon.

What do you like about school?
Fresh air break.

**What do you like to do after
school?** Listen to music. My
favorite songs are "The Middle"
and "Welcome to the Panic
Room."

**Tell us something special about
you.** I'm six years old, finally!

**What do you want to do when
you are grown up?** Get a bigger
Echo Dot and Alexa, and spend
time with my family.

Son of Rob and Maria Potter

Get the Help You Need

ICMS offers behavioral health services. Contact Dan Keniston at
ICMS at **1-207-863-9959, Option 3**

Maine Statewide Crisis Hotline 24/7 for immediate crisis-
oriented help **1-888-568-1112**

Maine Warm Line 24/7 for connecting with someone if you
need mental and emotional support **1-866-771-9276**

Online Anonymous Peer Recovery Programs:

Narcotics Anonymous – namaine.org

Alcoholics Anonymous – csoaamaine.org

Nar-Anon – nar-anon.org

Al-Anon – maineafg.org



Nature is Open!

VLT preserves are open and a great way to get outside and enjoy the fresh spring air.

- Do not visit preserves if you are exhibiting symptoms of Covid-19.
- Please practice good hygiene and do not touch railings or surfaces unnecessarily.
- Be safe, practice social distancing when with friends outside, stay six feet apart and wear a mask.
- Not all hikers are comfortable with dogs, please keep your dog on a leash or under voice command, and please do not pet dogs per CDC recommendations.
- Don't forget to perform frequent tick checks on yourself, your family and your pets.

(207) 863-2543
info@vinalhavenlandtrust.org

COVID-19 FINANCIAL HELP

Unemployment Benefits for Self-employed People

Go to the Maine Department of Labor Bureau of Unemployment Compensation webpage to apply.

General Assistance (GA)

A program to help cover costs for basic needs like food, housing, and utilities. Contact **Andrew Dorr**, Town Manager **207-863-2042**
townmanager@townofvinalhaven.org

Vinalhaven Community Outreach (VCO)

VCO has a COVID-19 fund to help islanders who have been directly, financially affected by COVID-19. Contact **vhcommunityoutreach@gmail.com**

FMI Contact Gabe McPhail,
Town of Vinalhaven Community Outreach Coordinator **gmcphail@townofvinalhaven.org** or call **207-863-2168**

Trivia Answers

1. Sight
2. Japan 84.5
3. Cataracts

Maine Trivia

1.3 Million

Ocean View

6:00 a.m. I walk into the kitchen to get a cup of coffee. I see the binoculars on the table and decide to look. I get them up to my eyes and immediately the female wood duck flies directly into the duck house. What luck is that??

Yesterday there was a dispute between a couple male wood ducks. There was also a female there. This morning there were three males and one female in the yard and two males in the water. How many are there? Wouldn't it be wonderful to have two houses with babies.

We haven't had anything unusual so far, but it's wonderful to see herons and a kingfisher fishing. The mallards are fewer, but we have a pair who come into the yard for corn. I know she must be sitting on eggs and hope she brings the babies up. They get so tame they don't listen to their mother and come waddling up as soon as they know I'm bringing corn. They were in there all summer last year and it was fun to watch them grow.

I've seen a tree creeper and there are chicks, nuthatches, gold finches, juncos, white throated sparrows, blue jays, and a pair of cardinals in the feeder and hairy and downy woodpeckers on the suet.

Go for a walk in the woods and listen to the birds singing and the frogs peeping and the chaotic world of right now fades away.
C.D.

"Whether you come from a council estate or a country estate, your success will be determined by your own confidence and fortitude."

—Michelle Obama

Water District Flushing Notice

The Vinalhaven Water Division of Maine Water will be flushing the water mains beginning 4/27/20. Due to the flushing you may experience changes in your tap water such as discoloration or low water pressure. You may want to check the water quality before washing your laundry. These flushing activities are a vital part of our maintenance program that enables us to supply high quality water service. We apologize for any inconvenience this might cause you. If you have any questions or if discoloration persists, please contact a Customer Service Specialist at 1-800-287-1643.

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—Chinese Proverb

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VINALHAVEN STRONG!



Village Home. Circa 1880s 3 bedroom, 2 bath house on Pleasant St. 1600+ sq. ft. Well-maintained, many updates. Great location in the village! **\$210,000**



Roberts Harbor. Well-maintained 4 bdrm waterfront home w/ 3 bdrm guest apartment. Buy alone or invest w/ another family. Great value! **\$595,000**



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Blackberry Point. Contemporary post and beam on Mill River w/ 20 acres and 2400'+on Mill River. Attached guest house. Deepwater dock. **\$975,000**



The Point. 1700' of waterfront and 7 + acres w/ expansive views of Penobscot Bay. Multiple bldg. sites w/ option for dock. A rare opportunity! **\$749,000**



Building Lot on Coombs Neck. 3+ acres with extraordinary elevated views of E. Penobscot Bay. HOA dock, common land and road. Stunning! **\$495,000**



Elevated Building Lot. 1.4 acres with sweeping views of the eastern bay. Soil tested with power nearby. Quiet location yet close to town. **\$185,900**



Ten Acre Building Lot Near Village. Lovely lot adjacent to a VLT preserve. 3 bdrm soil test, 30' ROW has been partially cleared. Great value! **\$84,000**



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"I wondered why somebody didn't do something. Then I realized, I am somebody."

— *Unknown*

The Dress

(On the occasion of buying a dress)

It was the dress, really,
that I was thinking of.

How could I leave it
hanging shapeless or,
more unsettling,

live with the prospect that
it might one day struggle
to languidly accommodate
a figure less inviting
to its alluring folds?

It deserved only the dearest curves
to caress,

the warmest flesh
to brush against,
and the most intoxicating beauty
with which to blend
and become
irresistible.

It was the dress, really,
that I was thinking of. pc

PRE-K REGISTRATION

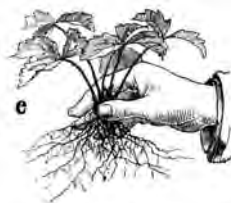
If your child is eligible for Pre-K (turning 4 years of age on or before October 15, 2020) please contact Vinalhaven School to give your child's name and birthdate, along with your phone number and mailing address. (Call 863-4800 X2, between the hours of 8-11am.) A registration form will be sent to you to fill out and mail back in. You will also need copies of your child's birth certificate and immunization record to mail in with the completed registration. Pre-K Screening will take place at a later, undetermined date. Please contact Cherie Doughty at cdoughty@vinalhavenschool.org with questions.

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Reading Online Wind on a Kindle

Norbert Leser shared his steps for converting the online Wind into a more easily readable version on a Kindle.

1. Download the wind to your computer/device
2. Create an email message addressed to your Kindle account
3. Subject of the email is the word "Convert"
4. Attach the wind PDF to the email body (no other text)
5. Send email
6. After a short while open your Kindle app and synchronize - the Wind should appear in your library!

To find the Kindle email account mentioned above, you need to open the Kindle app and go to 'App Settings' in your menu at Kindle's home page. It lists 'Send to Kindle Email Address' - copy/paste that address and you're all set.

We will open for the season
Friday May 1st

10:30am-4pm

Please wear a mask and practice
social distancing!

Check (preferred) or cash
No Credit Cards

Seedlings of all kinds,
veggies, herbs, perennials, flowers,
including

Everything you need to create your
own window boxes and hanging baskets

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pea netting, potting soil, stakes, fish
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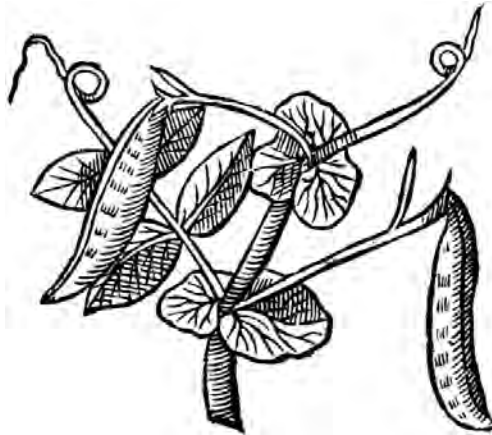


@ Home or the Transfer Station

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Sunday, May 3

Communion Sunday

Led by Bob Candage

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or email pleasanriverchapel@gmail.com for log-on
information**

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are taking care of so many.**

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Rosanne Wallace 863-4846

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**"It is not the strength of the
body that counts, but the
strength of the spirit."**

—J.R.R. Tolkien

AL-ANON **MEETING CHANGE**

Until further notice,
Al-Anon meetings will
be held virtually.

To join the meeting by internet
OR phone, please email
vinalhavenalananon@gmail.com
or call **207-952-1817**

Help is also available from Maine
Al-Anon maineafg.org
and World Al-Anon al-anon.org

We are here for you! Newcomers welcome!



SUNDAY

Worship Service Live Feed
Streaming at 11:15 @ Open Bible Baptist
live on Facebook

Open Bible Baptist Church Corona
Virus Relief Fund (CVRF) will purchase
and deliver food for anyone in need.

Donations for the Corona Virus Relief
Fund can be made out to Open Bible
Baptist Church with CVRF in the memo
line. All financial or item donations will
go directly to help those in need.

FMI Contact Cathy 286-2550
Kate 409-2969 or Maggie 863-2185

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temporarily gone online,
for URL and times
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4. Orders will be assembled and I will call when ready to review order and take payment.

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