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863-4500 * Dine-In or Take-Out Open for Lunch, Dinner & Cocktails Kitchen open 11 am - 8 pm Closed Mondays

Trivia is back!*

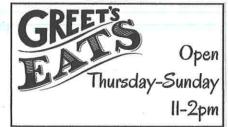
Friday @ 7 pm *cancelled occasionally if short staffed, check our Facebook page for updates

Order food online @ www.sandbarvinalhaven.com Cocktails to-go still available! (Order in-person or by phone)

Check our Facebook page for daily specials & slushie flavors

August 5th is National Oyster Day

"The month of August had turned into a griddle where the days just lay there and sizzled." Sue Monk Kidd



Sonya Rernice

Sonya: Thursday - Friday, no reservations needed Saturday - One seating at 6pm, reservations only

Bernice: Open Thursday - Saturday 10am-3pm





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July & August

open five nights a week Tuesday - Saturday beginning at 5:15pm by reservation

book online with resy or call 207-863-2300



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144 Roberts Cemetery Road rhfarmvh@gmail.com @robertsharborfarm





Adult Trivia Answers

- 1 Marcellus Gilmore Edson
- 2 Cooking
- 3 Blue Ribbon Burger
- 4 Fanta
- 5 Brooklyn, NY

Kids Trivia Answers

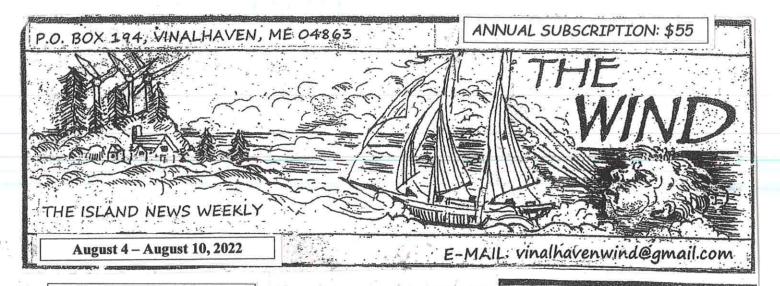
- 1 Cabbage
- 2 An apple
- 3 Nectarine
- 4 France
- 5 By adding molasses



Summer Schedule

RESTAURANT: Thursday thru Monday nights Kitchen open 5-9pm, Bar open until 10pm Pizza, salads, small plates, full-bar, island beer! Call for a thorofare boat ride reservation, day of, before 4pm

www.calderwoodhall.com // 207.867.4700



Fundraiser for Legion Markers - Thank You

I want to give a special thanks to everyone who donated baked goods, as well as everyone who donated money, and or brought baked goods.

Also, thanks to Joan Philbrook who donated a beautiful afghan, which raised an additional 200 dollars, to the grand total of 1,538 dollars. The money raised will buy 40 markers.

Thanks to all. Sincerely, Joseph Lazaro

Adult Trivia - "Food"

- 1 Who invented peanut butter?
- 2 Mageirocophobia is the fear of what?
- 3 Prior to being called the Big Mac, what was this McDonald's item's previous name?
- 4 Which soft drink was invented during WWII?
- 5 Where was the first macaroni factory established?

Kids Trivia - "Food"

- 1 Sauerkraut is composed of which vegetable?
- 2 What kind of fruit is a Pink Lady?
- 3 Peaches that have smooth & shiny skin are known as what? 4 Dijon mustard is a product of what country?
- 5 How is white sugar converted into brown sugar?

Food Pantry Friday, August 5th. Please bring your own bags. Union Church Vestry 1 - 3PM

meaningful, especially the Chilles

family, staff at the ferry terminal,

farmers and grocers, and many

generous friends. It was the best

possible way to end her more than 50

years of Vinalhaven summers. Emily

died at home in Auburndale MA on

November 9, 2021, after a vigorous

six-year battle with pancreatic

cancer. We miss her deeply but are

comforted to be here in this beautiful

place and community she loved so

August 7th - National Purple

Heart Day

A day for Americans to remember & honor the men and women for

their sacrifice, who bravely

represented their country and were

wounded or killed while serving.

much.

The family of Emily Dean would like to thank, belatedly, the ambu-**FLEA MARKET NEWS** lance department and the EMTs for On August 6, the Flea Market will their fast, highly professional, and be held from 1-3PM, Webster compassionate work in August 2020, Field. Call Kathy Morton for when Emily needed an emergency questions or info...863-2791 evacuation to Pen Bay. We would also like to thank everyone on the island who helped make her last two A Huge THANK YOU to the summers here so healthy and

Vinalhaven ambulance team for your quick, careful, and thoughtful response, and for the smooth flight to Pen Bay. Your kindness and calm assurances were amazing. THANK YOU also to the team at ICMS for their compassionate care, especially Jim and all the gentle nurses. THANK YOU to all the ladies on the phone, the folks who responded to our 911 call, to Dr. Kim, and to our friend Angie. The Evarts family is so grateful to all of you for your kindness and encouragement to all of us. Helen, Holly. Kate & Alice Evarts

Place Mailing Label Here

Hooray for Kid's Day! August 4th

Town of Vinalhaven Information

www.townofvinalhaven.org

Calendar

Pre-Planning Board Meeting – Wednesday, August 3 @ The Town Office at 7pm.

Planning Board Meeting - Wednesday, August 10 @ 5pm.

Select Board Meeting - Tuesday, August 16 @ 5pm.

Notices

Want to Learn More about The Downtown Project? Go to www.townofvinalhaven.org/ government/pages/downtown-project or email downtownproject@townofvinalhaven.org

2021-2022 Property Taxes – Tax bills were mailed out on Sept 1st, 2021. Tax bills were sent to the owner of record on April 1st, 2021. If you sold your property after April 1st, 2021, it's up to you to forward the tax bill to the new owner. Payments are due on November 1st, 2021, and May 2nd, 2022. Interest is accruing on unpaid November 1st payments. Please call the Town Office at 863-4471 or 863-4343 for an interest figure. ALL BALANCES DUE ON JUNE 30, 2022, WILL BE PRINTED IN THE NEXT TOWN REPORT.

Dog Licenses - All dogs 6 months or older need to be licensed, including visiting dogs in town for 10 days or more. Please bring current rabies certificate and \$6 for spayed/neutered or \$11 for male/female. A new puppy must be vaccinated & licensed once reaching 6 months of age, and if adopting an older dog or if you are just arriving in town, you have ten days to register. There is no late fee for new or newly arriving puppies/dogs if these guidelines are followed. All dogs not licensed for 2022 will now have to pay \$25 late fee per dog.

Single-Stream Recycling #1-7 rigid plastics, tin, aluminum, glass, paper, cardboard.

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

Swap Shop used goods recycling at the former Public Works Garage (Net Factory Property). Open Saturdays 9am–1pm and occasional pop-ups.

Hours of Operation & Contact Information

The Town Office is open to the public. Services are also available over the phone, by email, or online-please contact the Town Office FMI.

Town Office - Mon - Fri: 8am-5pm - 863-4471 or 863-4343; Fax: 863-4393

Mailing and physical address: 19 Washington School Rd., Vinalhaven, ME

Town Manager - Marjorie Stratton - 863-2042; townmanager@townofvinalhaven.org

Town Clerk - Darlene M. Candage - 863-4343; townclerk@townofvinalahven.org

Deputy Town Clerk - Abby Proctor - 863-4471; deputytownclerk@townofvinalahven.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 – M-W, 9am-1pm 863-2168 or vhceo@townofvinalhaven.org

Planning and Community Development – Contact Interim Town Manager, Marjorie Stratton; 863-2042; 266-7806; townmanager@townofvinalhaven.org

Public Health Officer - Jen Desmond - Contact the Town Office - 863-2042

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

Public Works / Town Garage - Millie Martin - 863-2063

Library – Scott Candage – Tues & Thurs 1 - 5pm; Wed & Fri 9am - 5pm; Sat 9am - 4pm; Sun & Mon Closed – 863-4401 or librarian@vinalhavenpubliclibrary.org

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 – Pat Lundholm, Interim Ambulance Director – Emergency 911; Non-Emergency 863-2119 or plundholm@townofvinalhaven.org

Knox County Deputy - Emergency 911; Non-Emergency 594-0677

Animal Control Officer/Harbor Master - James Knowlton - 756-0209

Deputy Harbor Master - Peter Gasperini - 542-1992



Vinalhaven Town office is hiring:

Custodian

This position involves maintaining a clean and safe general presentation of town buildings. This may include general cleaning of all offices, vacuuming, dusting, washing floors, cleaning bathrooms, and emptying trash. Municipal buildings included in the duties of this position include the Town Office, Library, Public Safety Building, and the public restroom at the Old Fire Hall. It also involves maintaining an inventory of cleaning supplies, paper towels, and trash bags for each building as necessary. Please go to the town website for more information and the job description.

Help keep our Quarries Clean!

No Dogs** Allowed No Soap/Shampoo Please take your trash and belongings home "carry in/carry out" THANK YOU!

**dog quarry is across the road from Lawson's quarry

NOTICE:

The Indian Creek Foot Bridge will be <u>CLOSED</u>! Jun 16- Oct 14 Dec 16 – Apr 14

2021 Town Reports

are available at the Town Office, Library or online at www.townofvinalhaven.org



Pleasant River Chapel
Sunday, August 7
Communion Sunday
Jim Hogan, Speaking
Horace Hunt, Leading
Communion

Our doors will be open: Breakfast at 8:00 followed by the Service at 9:00

Service will also be held on Zoom starting at 8:30 All are welcome

For Zoom log-on info, email pleasantriverchapel @gmail.com

Donations to the Chapel may be sent to PRC, PO Box 147,
Vinalhaven 04863; or, to donate to the chapel without cost to you please use smile.amazon.com and designate the chapel as your recipient

"In summer, the song sings itself." William Carlos Williams

Union Church

~Welcomes You~

Sunday Services 11:00 am

Reverend Jeffery Lewis

We are meeting in-person and on Zoom Please contact Betsy Walsh at 4124 for Zoom link information

A light lunch will be served after the service in the vestry

If you would like to donate

to the Union Church, donations can be mailed to PO Box 249 or visit our website at-unionchurchyh.com

NOTICE
Choir Practice is now on
Fridays, at 3PM All are
welcome

Pastoral Care Reverend Jeffery Lewis

Silent Meditation

Non-denominational
Upstairs in The Union Church
Tuesdays and Saturdays
5:00-5:30pm
All are welcome.

Our Lady of Peace Catholic Mass

Saturdays at 9AM Union Church

Any questions contact Jeannie Curtiss 863-9006 or cjcurtiss@sbcglobal.net



Pastor Jeff Winters

SUNDAY

9:30—Sunday School Children (Pre-K to 5th) in Parsonage Adults in Church

10:30-Fellowship Time

11:00—Worship Service Nursery Available

WEDNESDAY

6-7 PM—Prayer Meeting and Bible Study

6-7 PM—Children's Bible Study (Pre-K to 5th)

THURSDAY

6-7 PM—Youth Group (4th to 12th)

ALL ARE WELCOME!

20 Fellowship Drive 863-9944 www.obbc-vinalhaven.org

If interested in using the space at The Union Church, please contact Candi Barton at 863-2001 for more information.

The Little Food Pantry... is now located at The Union Church on East Main Street. Enter via the ramp door on the left side of the building. Pantry is open 24/7. This food is available to anyone on Vinalhaven experiencing a need. No questions asked. Please call Candi 863-2001 with questions

VINALHAVEN PLANNING BOARD PRELIMINARY AGENDA August 10th, 2022 Town Office, 7 pm

I. PERMIT APPLICATIONS

A. NEW:

1. Applicant and Owner: William Foote

Roberts Harbor

TM 26 L 006A

Addition to existing structure/Other

Reorient house

Previous "front porch" now replaced by "living/dining room" Change in location of porch

2. Applicant and Owner: Kilian Walsh and Grandentia Orwa 55 Calderwood Neck Road (Goats Hill Subdivision)

New building/structure: Accessory structure 8' W x 12' L x 14' H Well House

3. Applicant and Owner: Kilian Walsh and Grandentia Orwa 55 Calderwood Neck Road (Goats Hill Subdivision) New building/structure: Accessory structure TM 9 L 004

Shed 12' L x 16' W x 15' H

4. Applicant and Owner: Kilian Walsh and Grandentia Orwa 55 Calderwood Neck Road (Goats Hill Subdivision)

New building/structure: Other

TM 9 L004

Temporary tent platform for private

5. Applicant and Owner: Kilian Walsh and Grandentia Orwa 55 Calderwood Neck Road (Goats Hill Subdivision) TM 9 L004 New building/structure: Other

Composting toilet outhouse 6' W x 10' L x 16' H

6. Applicant: Matthew and Danielle Crosier Owner: Daniel and Lucy Bickford

694 North Haven Road

TM 9 L14

New building/structure: Single family

Four bedrooms and 2 floors 28' W x 36' L x <30' H

7. Applicant: C & C Construction

Owner: Ry Cavanaugh

TM 8 L 25D 75 Middle Mountain Road

New building/structure: Accessory 24'W x 26'L x 20'H

B. TABLED:

Owner: Brady Smith Green's Island New building/structure: Accessory structure

1. Applicant: Bowen Smith

TM 2A L B

18' W x 18'L x 18.5' H 0 bedroom and 2 floor Motioned by Brendan, seconded by Jeanne VOTED: To TABLE permit application, 3-0

Finding of Facts: Application is incomplete. Location of I. proposed structure on the property needs to be clearly shownII. 2. Applicant: Bowen Smith

Owner: Brady Smith

Green's Island New building/structure: Accessory structure

24' W x 24'L x 22' 0 bedroom and 2 floor Motioned by Brendan, seconded by Jeanne VOTED: To TABLE permit application, 3-0

Finding of Facts: Application is incomplete. Location of proposed structure on the property needs to be clearly shown.

3. Applicant: Sarah Lazaro

Owner: Eric and Rhoda Silverberg

261 Pequot Road Staircase: 6' x 10' TM 30 L 014

TM 06 L0

TM 2A L B

Pier: 5' x 35'

Ramp: 3' x 25'

Float: 10' x 20'

Motioned by Bryan, seconded by Brendan VOTED: To TABLE permit application, 3-0

Finding of Facts: Application is incomplete. Images of proposed structure location must be clearly shown.

4. Applicant: Sarah Lazaro

Owner: Richard and Elaine Ruback

Seal Cove

Pier: 5' x 95'

Ramp: 3' x 35' Float: 14' x 20'

Motioned by Bryan, seconded by Brendan

VOTED: To TABLE permit application, 3-0 Finding of Facts: Application is incomplete. Images of proposed

structure location must be clearly shown.

5. Applicant: Anthony Merrill

Owner: Derek Jeffers

Perry's Corner Rd., off Round the Island Rd. TM 7 L 16-19

New Building/Structure: Single family use 8' W x 25' L x 13' H

1 floor and 1 bedroom

Motioned by Banner and seconded by Jeanne

VOTED (on 6.8.2022): To TABLE permit application, 5-0

Finding of Facts: Lot lines of this lot and neighboring lot need to be defined.

Finding of Facts: If the owner of lot is going to change lot lines for the sake of the septic location, that must be done before this permit can be approved.

Finding of Facts: Location of septic system must be defined.

Motioned by Brendan, seconded by Bryan

VOTED (on 7.13.2022): To TABLE permit application, 3-0 Finding of Facts: Lot lines of this lot and neighboring lot need to

Finding of Facts: If the owner of lot is going to change lot lines for the sake of the septic location, that must be done before this permit can be approved.

Finding of Facts: Location of septic system must be defined.

I. OTHER BUSINESS

be defined.

II. MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS MEETINGS

III. DATE OF NEXT MEETINGS:

Tidbits from the Vinalhaven Historical Society

Steamer Blonde of Camden was in the harbor, Sunday. She had been on a chase after a man, who stole two boats from Camden the night previous. They captured the thief with his booty in the vicinity of Brimstone Island and carried him to Vinalhaven Wind Aug. 1, 1884

Dora Landers a young miss of School St, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Landers, sat on the doorstep of her home and wished that she could do something to help the soldiers. Then she confided her desire to a playmate or two and they told older friends about it. This was the beginning of the small army of Willing Workers for the Red Cross campaign which resulted in a parade Tuesday afternoon of a dozen and one children of the neighborhood. They made an excellent canvass of the nearby streets, including the Main St. stores. With the Star-Spangled Banner and flags of the Allies it was a cheery sight to behold as funds were solicited for Red Cross work. The anticipated response was made and the children, even the 3 year old's, rejoiced to see the money come in, until the sum amounted to a dozen and one dollars. Then, somewhat weary of the day's march, they returned to the headquarters with \$13 added to the yarn fund and their willingness to do their bit well demonstrated. Those "in service" Dora Landers, Dorothy, Marion and Walter Lyford, Jr., June Dudley, Elizabeth and Catherine Littlefield, Gertrude, Emma and Calvin Vinal, Phyllis Black, Frances McIntosh, Kenneth and Vinal Daily

Courier-Gazette Aug. 9, 1918

An impressive sunrise ceremony took place Friday at the Soldier's Monument Flagstaff when Walter Robbins of Pratt, Kansas, presented a 12x18' American Flag to Woodcock-Cassie-Coombs Post, American Legion. The presentation speech was made by Mr. Robbins and the flag accepted by Post Commander Clinton Smith and raise by Bruce Grindle and Carl Williams in the presence of member of Legion Post, neighbors and friends. The flag is to be flown day and night and by courtesy of A. A. Peterson a spotlight will be placed on it. After the ceremony those present were invited to the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. Robbins where coffee and doughnuts were served. Courier-Gazette Aug. 8, 1950

The Mardi Gras Fair and ball was a most successful affair for the combined organizations of Lafayette Carver Corps and Smith's Vinalhaven Band and for everyone who attended. The articles on sale in the afternoon found such a ready sale that many wished they had come earlier. The confetti and fancy caps added much to the gaiety of the dance and made the scene attractive to the spectators. The clarinet selections played by R. Month Arey of the Detroit Symphony Orchestra proved without a doubt to be the feature of the evening and the audience was glad of the opportunity to listen to such a rare treat. Dancing lasted into the wee small hours of the morning. Music was by the Arion Orchestra and about \$180 was netted Courier-Gazette Aug. 9, 1920

Bathing parties are the feature of the season

Courier-Gazette Aug. 16, 1918



I'd like to express my deep gratitude to the community of Vinalhaven for six and a half years of support during my time as library director at the Vinalhaven Public Library. First, and foremost, I am indebted to my assistant librarian, Linda Whittington who works tirelessly on behalf of the patrons. Her enthusiasm, goodwill, and work ethic represent the person she truly is and I can't really begin to share how lucky I have been to have worked with this woman and to have developed a strong friendship. Likewise, I want to thank Sue Dempster and Allan Hayes for their dedication as volunteers at the library. Under Sue's leadership, the children's programming is blossoming, and Allan's afternoons shelving books and sharing his laughter made Tuesdays so much fun.

The Friends of the Library deserve tremendous praise! I am so thankful for this group's fundraising for library programs and special needs. They do such important work so please continue to support them by becoming a member and by donating your gently-used books to Second Hand Prose.

Finally, I want to thank the patrons of the Vinalhaven Public Library. Your visits and loyalty to the library meant so much to me, and I hope you know how much I appreciate each and every one of you! It has truly been a privilege to serve as your librarian. Best.

Scott Candage



Hand-selected wine, cheese, a large selection of Maine craft beer, locally roasted coffee beans, Maine raised meats, gluten free pasta & crackers, lots of chocolate...and more!

Summer Hours: Tuesday-Saturday from 11-6!

32 Main Street 863,2192



Write to Friends

Our shut-in community members always appreciate hearing from friends. Take a moment to write a note and bring a smile to someone's face!

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Calderwood Homestead 18 Beaver Dam Road Vinalhaven, ME 04863

Ann Anthony **Dottie Knowlton** Windward Gardens 105 Mechanic Street Camden, ME 04843

Jaquelyn Ames c/o Goodwill-Kendall Lane House Freeport, ME 04032

Rosemary Anthony 7 North Shore Drive Owls Head, ME 04854

Ricki Soaring Dove 1825 Clifton Road NE #805 Atlanta, GA 30329

Vicky Edelen Woodlands Memory Care 201 Camden St. Rockland, ME 04841

Walter Haskell c/o Madison House 93 Military Street Houlton, ME 04730

Bruce Kelwick Coastal Manor 20 West Main Street Yarmouth, ME 04096

Frances Philbrook **Washington Manor** 276 Razorville Road Washington, ME 04574

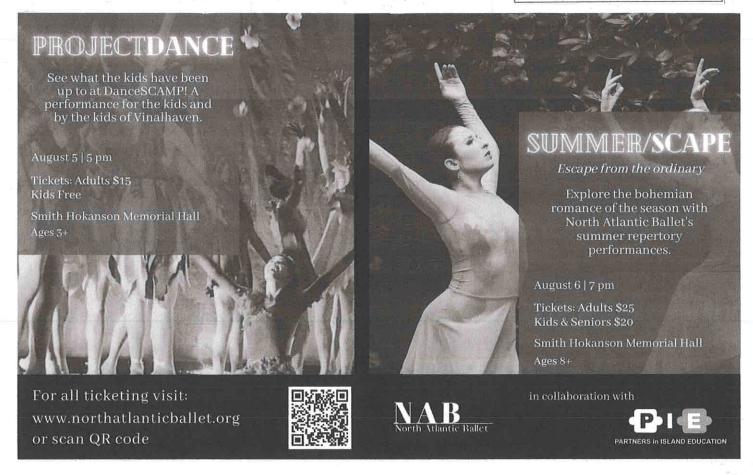
Lucy Wadsworth 30 Community Drive Camden, ME 04843

Gladys Walls 354 Augusta Road Washington, ME 04574

August 6th - Balloons to Heaven Day ... a day to remember the countless lives lost to gun violence

"Remember to be gentle with vourself and others. We are all children of chance, and none can say why some fields will blossom while others lay brown beneath the August sun."

Kent Nerburn





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Are you experiencing unusual expenses, loss of income, or unexpected medical bills or other crises in your life?

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

vhcommunityoutreach@gmail .com

Or at PO Box 15, Vinalhaven, ME 04863 We are a 501 (c) (3) organization



Having a hard time? Not sure who to talk to?

Remember, the Medical Center is here for you with trained therapists available to help you through difficult times.

You can reach Dan Keniston, LCSW at (207) 837-4057.

We have appointments available by telemedicine through Zoom. We are offering a free visit for anyone who is struggling during challenging times. You can call Dan directly.

Discover our shop brimming with table linens & tea towels, candles & holders, cozy throws & pillows, lamps & small furnishings, serving pieces & trays, soaps & lotions, and ... SO MUCH MORE!

THURSDAY, AUGUST 4TH 10-4PM *CLOSED* FRIDAY AUGUST 5TH SATURDAY, AUGUST 6TH 11-3PM

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Flea Market: August 6, 2022, 1-3pm

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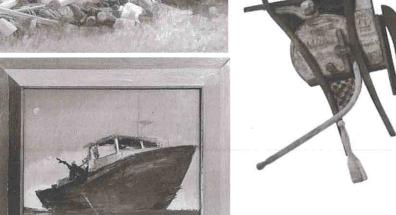


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August 6-30

Opening Saturday August 6 5:00-7:00

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Summer Hours: Monday—Saturday 10:00—5:00, Sunday by appointment

Vinalhaven Eldercare Services Annual Auction!!

Join us on Sunday, August 7th at 1pm for the auction, food, beverages, entertainment and a great cause

All proceeds to benefit Eldercare!

Auction items will include: items from local businesses, furniture, artwork and so much more.

FMI // to donate // to volunteer: Contact Shelby (603-724-5803) or Kachina (207-691-2466)



Anne Molson (Morgan) Beck Obituary

The children of Anne Molson (Morgan) Beck are saddened to announce the passing of their mother on July 25, 2022, in her 96th year. Anne died peacefully in the Southwestern Vermont Medical Center surrounded by loving family. Anne was born on October 12, 1926, in Montreal Quebec, the eldest child of Theodore Gold Morgan and Margaret Molson Morgan.

Anne met the love of her life on a blind date, Alfred E. Beck, a WWII veteren studying at the M.I.T., while she was attending the Chamberlain School of Retailing in Boston, MA. They married after Al graduated and soon started their family. They moved to Utah, New Jersey, New Hampshire, and settled in their later years on Vinalhaven, Maine which had

been their favorite sailing destination aboard their Friendship Sloop, Phoenix. Five years after Al's death, September 2005, Anne made her final move to Equinox Village in Manchester Center, Vermont.

Family was very important to Anne. She enjoyed visiting her relatives near and far and took great pride in gathering her family for special occasions. She hosted wonderful Christmases in New Hampshire, Maine, and Vermont.

Anne played bridge most of her life and was quite competitive until the arrival of COVID interrupted such gatherings. Over the years she skunked most of her children and grandchildren playing cribbage.

She enjoyed guilting, flower arranging and knitting (especially Christmas stocking for her growing family).

Anne volunteered with both Cub Scouts and Girl Scouts. Family and Children Services in NJ, The League of Woman Voters, The League of New Hampshire Craftsmen, and both the Exeter and Vinalhaven Garden Clubs.

She is survived by her two siblings, Martha McKenna and John Morgan of Montreal. She leaves behind her 5 children, Bill Beck (Gina Durfee) or Citra, Florida, Margot Beck of Braeshore, Nova Scotia, Barbie Beck-Wilczek (Bill Wilczek) of Littleton, New Hampshire, Kathy Moses of Eagle Bridge, New York and Tad Beck (Grant Wahlquist) of Vinalhaven, Maine, eight grandchildren (Erica, Nicole, Peter, Adrian, Katie, Lauren, Mallory, and Seth) and twelve great grandchildren (Charlie, Anica, Danny, Makenzie, Mo, Sawyer, Nova, Jade, Evan, Emmitt, Kira, and Ashton).

She was predeceased by her husband, Al, of 50 years and two sons-in-law Jim Oliver and Richard Moses.

The family would like to thank the caring nurses at the Southwestern Vermont Medical Center, the staff at Equinox Village, and Melissa Morrison along with her wonderful caregivers at Home Senior Care. Thank you to all who enabled our mother to live a full life to the end.

Cremation will take place.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks you to make a donation to a charity of your choice.

A private celebration of Anne's life will take place at Equinox Village on October 1, 2022.



VINALHAVEN ELDERCARE SERVICES PRESENTS:

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- Is your yard or basement always wet even in dry weather?
- ? Have you noticed a sudden change in pressure or flow?
- ? Toilet always running?

These may indicate a leak at or nearby your home.

Leaks don't sleep! Even a small leak of less than a gallon per minute can add up to 1,000 gallons per day!

Conservation and leak detection is more important than ever as we head into the summer season.

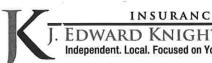
If you see any signs of a leak, please contact the Vinalhaven Water District at 207-975-2189.



With building costs soaring, it's time to review your home insurance.

Houses come in many shapes and sizes – and so does homeowners insurance. With homebuilding costs on the rise, it is vital for you to make sure that your house has replacement cost coverage so that you can rebuild as it was before it was destroyed or purchase brand new items if your old ones are damaged or stolen.

Contact us for a free review of your home insurance.



800.898.4423

Vinalhaven Rockland Bath Wiscasset



Annual Summer Cookout

August 13, 2022 5pm @ Leo's Lane



Pig Roast with cornbread, beans, coleslaw, and watermelon. Soda and beer.

\$30/adult \$15 (12 yrs + under)

Advanced tickets strongly encouraged. Available at Island Closet

Lydia Sparrow Art Show & Sale







Sunday, August 7th, 5-7 PM at the Pleasant River Grange

Please join us for a very special opportunity to purchase colorful, unique watercolors by Lydia Sparrow in support of the Grange.

Lydia was a long time seasonal resident of the Sparrow Farm next door to the Grange. She enjoyed painting watercolors of her beloved Vinalhaven, its people, and places.

We look forward to seeing you on Sunday, August 7th.

Refreshments will be served.

The **Pleasant River Grange** is located on Round The Island Road beside Vinal Cove. Please carpool if possible.



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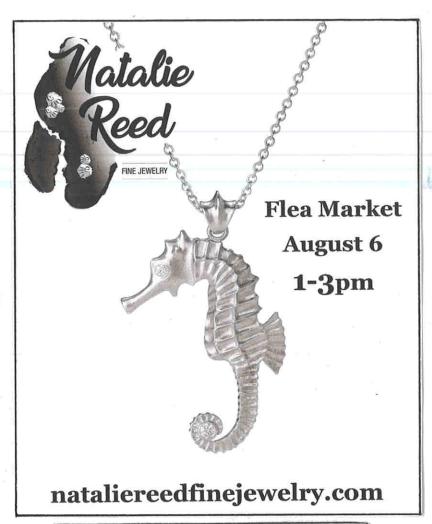
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Muriel Louise (Baum) Kelly Obituary

Muriel Louise (Baum) Kelly passed away on Friday, July 15, 2022. She was predeceased by Russell, her loving husband, in 2006, and her brother, Charles Baum. Her interment will be on September 24, 2022, where she will be reunited with Russ at Brown's Head Cemetery.

Muriel "Tunky Baum" was born, in the family home, in Vinalhaven on September 19, 1923, to Violet, a multi-generation islander, and Thomas Baum a quarryman from Wales. Due to the slowdown of the quarry industry on the island, at the age of 16 she and her family moved to Massachusetts where she attended Belmont High School and met Russ. They married in 1945. She was a member of the USO in Boston during WWII

and worked as a personal secretary at Raytheon Company. She stopped working when their son Richard (Carolyn) Kelly was born, then Donna (Jim) Doucette 8 years later. Muriel and Russ lived in MA, PA, MI, and finally settled in Avon, CT where they enjoyed their retirement and all the activities, holiday gatherings with family that included 6 grandchildren: Susannah Kelly Carter, Adam Kelly, Jim Doucette Jr., Wayne Doucette, Jason Doucette, Matt Doucette, and their spouses. They blessed her with 15 great grandchildren and two great- great grandchildren. She loved all of the family activities and keeping in touch with each of them to know what was happening in their daily lives.

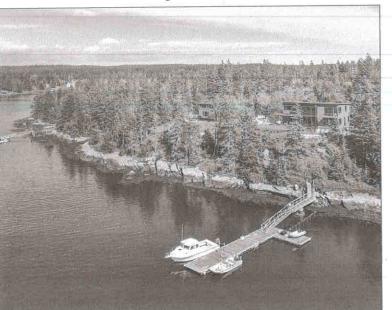
She was a member of The Order of the Eastern Star, the United Memorial Methodist Church in Avon, CT where she enjoyed game nights, Bible Study, progressive dinners, and women's groups. She delivered meals as a member of Meals on Wheels and loved working with a friend who managed a store at Avon Old Farms School where she met boys from many different countries.

She never truly left "her little island." She returned every summer to her family home beside the Union Church and maintained closed friendships with so many of her childhood friends and their families. Her father Tom Baum sang in the Union Church choir and was Town Constable in the 30's (how embarrassing for a young teenager!) and she was so proud of her older brother, Charles, who was a Vinalhaven baseball catcher: also, in the 30's. Two of her grandchildren proposed to their spouses at Starboard Rock and Brown's Head. Several family members return each summer to continue to fill her home with laughter and joy.

She was "From Here" and will be a part of Vinalhaven forever.

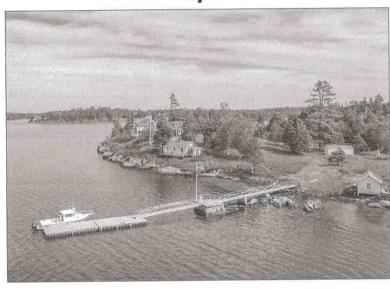


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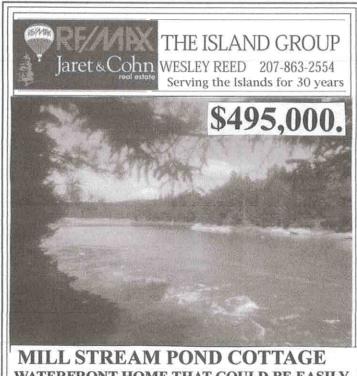
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The Observer

There are only two places, Here, this island off the coast of Maine, & Away. There is a big difference between those who live Here & those who live Away. There is no less a distinction between those who live Here & who the rest of us acknowledge are really from Here & those who live Here but who the rest of us know are really from Away. Each of us is firmly cast one way or the other. We're either from Here or, one way or another, we are from Away. These distinctions, some subtle some not, are laboriously learned & clear to most of us, certainly those who've been here a couple of generations or more. The ununderstanding of newcomers is, for a while, muddied; some cases clearer than others. A lady who moves Here from Boston in June is still from Away in September. Simple enough. The following year, however, she thinks she's from Here. We all know she's from Away. A few years later she & we are again in agreement. She is from Away. At some point she settles down, sends some kids through school & starts thinking she's from Here again, until she succumbs to the temptation to speak up at a school board meeting & discovers she's still from Away. Other circumstances are less clear. A couple; one from Here & the other from Away, settle down & have a child, Ruth. Ruth grows up Here, marries a local (different than from Here) guy, & they raise a family. Eventually Ruth passes on, having never left. She wasn't from Here. She only was Here. One can only be from Here if you & your ancestors have never lived anywhere else. One cannot become from Here. A person can, however, become from Away & such a stigma is for keeps. There is no redemption, no getting back on the wagon. Away happens. But like many unhappy circumstances, being from Away can be improved upon. A person from Away could, for example, marry one of us; & some have, with no more noble goal than to improve their situation, or our quality of life. Either maneuver can be dicey. pc



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Cancelled: **Burnt Island Tour**

Friday, August 5

NOTE: This walk has been cancelled. Check our website for the full schedule of other events.



Annual Dog Walk

Tuesday, August 9, 9:30 a.m. Meet at Eleanor L. Campbell Preserve Bring your dog for our yearly group dog walk, this time at the Eleanor L. Camp-

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Wednesday, August 10, 9:30 a.m. Meet at Skoog Park

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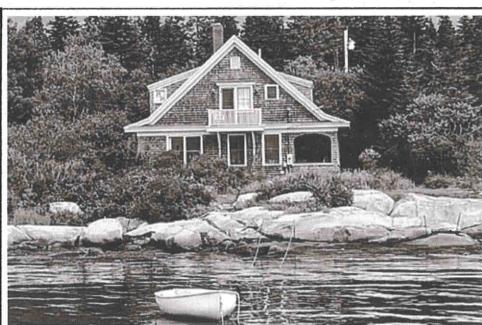
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- 8/7: Lydia Sparrow Original Watercolors Sale, TG, 5-7
- 8/9: VLT Annual Dog Walk, Eleanor L. Campbell Preserve, 9:30 am
- 8/10: VLT Grasses and Sedge Walk, SP, 9:30 am
- 8/11: VLT Bird Walk, SP, 8 am 8/11: Bean Supper, UC, 6
- 8/11: Thomas Urguhart Book Talk, "Up for Grabs!," VPL, 7
- 8/14: Music, Dance, & Picnic, TG, 2-6
- 8/15: VLT Hands-On Learning About Local Fisheries and Aquaculture, SP, 9:30 am
- 8/17: Fox Island Concerts: Winsor Music, NH, 7:30

Calendar

- 8/18: VLT Bird Walk, SP, 8 am 8/18: Jan Schreiber Poetry Talk, "Sparring With the Sun," VPL, 7
- 8/19: Geology Walk, SP, 9:30
- 8/23: VLT Animal Tracking Walk, SP, 9:30 am
- 8/23: Chris Van Dusen Book Talk "Big Truck, Little Island," TBD, 10:30 am
- 8/24: PIE Pairings Event, RHF,
- 8/25: VLT Bird Walk, SP, 8 am 8/25: Bean Supper, UC, 6
- FF: Flea Market Field
- NH: North Haven
- PRC: Pleasant River Chapel
- RHF: Roberts' Harbor Farm SHMH: Smith Hokanson
- Memorial Hall SP: Skoog Park
- TG: The Grange
- UC: Union Church

Email events to:windnonprofitads@gmail.com

Happy 232nd Birthday to The U.S.

AL-ANON

Recovery For Family and Friends of Alcoholics

12 Step Meetings

Al-Anon is for anyone impacted by a relative or friend's alcohol dependency, either currently or in the past. Support is provided through literature and meetings, where everything shared remains confidential, as well as the identity of those attending.

To join Vinalhaven meetings online or by phone, 4:30pm Mondays and Thursdays, please email vinalhavenalanon@gmail.com

Help is also available from Maine Al-Anon maineafg.org (207)284-1844 and al-anon.org **Coast Guard on August 4th**

AA

Monday 8:00AM Women's Meeting Union Church Upstairs

Tuesday 7:00 PM Zoom meeting ID: 907 085 8272 Please contact VinalhavenAA@gmail.com for password

Wednesday 7:00 PM Union Church Vestry

The only requirement for membership is a desire to stop drinking.

George's Woodshop 323 North Haven Rd

Look for the bigfoot family!

For Sale: adult and children's
Adirondack chairs
Wheelbarrow Planters
Wishing Wells
6', 8' & children's picnic tables

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SAILBOAT FOR SALE

Cape Dory Typhoon. Weekender 19ft., main & jib sails, cushions & anchor, w. heavy duty trailer. Transom motor mount. Sound condition; needs beautifying. At Hopkins boatyard. \$3000.00. Call or text: 314-583-3719

SECOND HAND PROSE

OPEN Monday-Saturday 10-4

Accepting donations of GENTLY USED BOOKS during our open hours only (please do not leave items on the porch)

We can take up to 3 boxes of books/day. For more than that, please contact Colleen, 867-9978, to make arrangements.

All sales support Friends of the Vinalhaven Public Library

Limerick #18

Here's to the "group" who breakfast at Surfside They meet on Sundays, at low or high tide.

They talk while they eat,

And it's really a treat -When they're able to sit at the tables outside.

Submitted by Ed Movitz

is for Pleasant River. Local historian Sidney Wins low wrote in The Vinalhaven Neighbor (1939), that Pleasant River "extends from Fox Island Thoroughfare at the north and its southern extremity is at the old trotting park...near the Grange at Vinal's Cove. This river meets Mill River at the site of Carrying Place Bridge." Captain A. M. Webster owned and managed a quarry on the northern shore of Pleasant River. Stone from this quarry was sent to Boston and New York. In the early 1900s, he donated his boarding house to the Grange which was then skidded by horses over the ice to its current location. In 1904, the three-masted schooner Margaret M. Ford was built near this site. At one time, according to Winslow, small fish could be procured from the waters: flounder, pollock, smelts, and mackerel. Today the Pleasant River Church, Pleasant River Grange and several homes dot all sides of this area.

Sourced from Horse Nets, Holliwoggers, and Littlefield Blue (VH Historical Society)





DID YOU MISS OUR FOCUS GROUPS?

It's not too late to share your thoughts!

The Community Health Needs Assessment Survey will be available until the end of August at:

surveymonkey.com/r/2022ICMSNeedsAssessment

Questions? Call Janica at 863-4341 ext. 1112



Joan Phyllis (Guptill) Mitchell Obituary

Joan Phyllis Michell, nee Guptill, 94, died peacefully at Vinalhaven Eldercare on July 24, 2022, with her daughters by her side.

Born on April 2, 1928, in Rockland, she was the daughter of Albert and Ruth Guptill. When Joan was 4 years old, she moved with her family to the island of Criehaven where she attended school in a one room schoolhouse. The love she had for Criehaven and the experiences she had there were forever etched in her mind. In 1945, Joan moved to Vinalhaven with her family where she graduated high school in 1947. She met Charles "Bud" Mitchell

who she married on June 14, 1949, and together they raised three daughters.

Joan was a hard worker and held many jobs throughout her life. She worked in fish factories and grocery stores. She also assisted many women as a labor and delivery support person during the time Ralph Earle was the island physician. Joan was hired as Librarian at the Vinalhaven School in 1983 where she would work for 15 years. Four of her grandchildren attended school during her time there. Since they called her "Gram," other kids began to do the same. Even after her retirement in 1997, she was affectionately referred to as "Gram" by people in the community.

Joan had a zest for life and was talented in many areas. She was most known for her sewing, handiwork, and cake decorating, bus also had a love of poetry, reading, singing, and dancing. Always up for a challenge, she continued learning new skills, even when it was out of her comfort zone. Her greatest love, however, was for her children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and great-grandchildren.

Joan was an active member of the Union Church of Vinalhaven, where she sang in the choir, served on the board of trustees, and was a member of the circle. Joan was always on the lookout for those in need and gave so much of herself to others. She was an eternal optimist who will be forever missed by her loving family.

Besides her parents, Joan was predeceased by her husband, Charles "Bud" Mitchell; daughter, Katherine M. Geary; sisters, Virginia and Vera; brothers, Bill and Albert Lester. She is survived by two daughters, Ellen L. Mitchell, and her husband, Kevin Hopkins, and Lucy M. Bickford and her husband Dan, both of Vinalhaven; son-in-law, William Geary Sr. of Rockland; grandchildren, Michael, Suzette, William Jr., Jeffrey, Joanna, Alexandra, Danielle, Samuel, and Joseph; 19 great-grandchildren; 6 great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Family and friends are invited to join Joan's family on August 6, 2022, at 11 a.m. for a memorial service at the Union Church, 25 East Main Street, Vinalhaven. The Reverend Jeffery Lewis will officiate. To share a memory or story with Joan's family, visit her online Book of Memories at bchfh.com.

Arrangements are in the care of Burpee, Carpenter & Hutchins Funeral Home, 110 Limerock Street, Rockland.