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Oscar Wilde

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EATS**

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Sunday (9/17)

Pop-ups through September,
watch the signboard for updates!

Lunchbox Mondays

Come join us to socialize and
get a great homecooked meal.

*Donations are always
welcomed, and we look
forward to seeing everyone!*

@ 11:30am...Union Church

Kids Trivia Answers

- 1 The end zone
- 2 Six points
- 3 AFC and NFC
- 4 100 yards
- 5 Three points
- Bonus: 24points (12+1+9+2)

Sept. 15 is Greenpeace Day

The Sand Bar

863-4500 * Dine-In or Take-Out
Open for Lunch, Dinner & Cocktails
11 am - 9 pm (8 pm Sunday)
Closed Mondays

Trivia Friday @ 7 pm

Order food online @
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Ferry/Airstrip connections.
Here and there on Vinalhaven.

By reservation or by chance.

Jeanne Bineau-Ames

Adult Trivia Answers

- 1 Denver Broncos
- 2 Superbowl MVP
- 3 Tom Brady
- 4 Miami Dolphins
- 5 Canton, Ohio

P.O. BOX 194, VINALHAVEN, ME 04863

ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION: \$55



THE ISLAND NEWS WEEKLY

September 14 - September 20, 2023

E-MAIL: vinalhavenwind@gmail.com

Place Mailing Label Here

Dear Families,
The bus is leaving this Friday on
the 8:45 ferry for required
repairs. We will update families
when we are able to run routes
again.
Thank you for understanding!

Jingle Bells

It is not too soon to think
about it! We need donations.
Last year we served a lot of
children, and we really need
your help. Donations can be
sent to the Union Church,
POBox 249, VH ME 04863 and
memo "Jingle Bells."
Questions, please call Candi at
863-2001

ATTN: American Legion, Auxiliary,
and any Veterans - We will be
having our annual lobster dinner
on Sept. 22, at the Legion Hall,
5:30 cocktails, 6:00 dinner. Space
is limited so please, to hold your
spot, let Betsy Walsh know at
863-4124 or 615-1951 (or
message me at this number).
Price will be determined by Sept.
19th, which will also be the
deadline to reserve your space.

\$10 Dollar Treasuahh!

Vinalhaven's Weekly \$10 Treasure Hunt for
everyone to enjoy! Each week a short new
riddle is published below that leads one
lucky person (or team) to a hidden \$10 bill
and secret map. The Treasuahh is always
hidden in a beautiful and safe public place.
Check out www.VH-TDT.com to see the
extra clue for this week's riddle!

Game Rules:

- 1 Solve the riddle
- 2 Find the treasure
- 3 Follow the secret instructions

Ahoy, Me Hearties, Week #32
just got re-found, Week #30
remains UNFOUND!

-Near a portal that eclectic wonders
enter, and find their debut
-I'm hiding on earth that's under
metal, in semi-plain view
-Also nearby are colored petals,
dirt, and a working crew
-To find me don't look high, and just
think, 'renew'!

~ Love, Captain Hook

Funeral Announcement

A Catholic Mass will be held for
Lee Nelson, wife of Greg Nelson,
on Sept. 23 at 9AM in the Union
Church. Immediately following
Mass, Lee will be laid to rest at
Brown's Head Cemetery. At this
time, Jane Nelson, sister-in-law
to Lee, will also be laid to rest. A
luncheon of lobster and burgers
will be offered at approximately
11:30/12:00. This will be at
Dennis Warren's wharf at the
end of Leo's Lane.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

Union Church Clean-up
Saturday, September 30,
9AM-2PM

*Lots to do and all are
welcome to come help!*

Last Yard Sale
at Sadie Dyer's!

Saturday, September 16th
10AM - 1PM

Come down the driveway
Everything will be in the shop!

National D.A.R.E. Day 9/15

*Bringing awareness to the
prevention and or drug abuse
and addiction.*

YARD SALE

Sat., Sept. 16, 8am to noon
Flea market field (Union Church)
Vintage furniture
Misc. household items

dot & millie's

restaurant · bar

fall schedule

thursday - saturday beginning at 5pm
friday nights - oysters on the half shell

tables (in both dining rooms) by reservation
bar seating first come, first serve

book online at resy.com

Town of Vinalhaven Information

www.townofvinalhaven.org

Calendar

Cemetery Committee - Tuesday, September 19 at 3:30pm
Board of Selectmen - Tuesday, October 3 at 5pm
Planning Board - Preplanning; Wednesday, October 4 at 7pm
Planning Board - Wednesday, October 11 at 7pm

Notices

The Town Manager will be out of the office September 18 through September 29.

The Transfer Station is accepting electronics (TVs or computers) and hazardous waste (oil or paint)! Please contact Kenny or Luther if you have any questions! 863-4306

Information on the new Transfer Station layout, Single-Stream Recycling, and Food Scrap Composting is available from a transfer station attendant, at the Town Office, or on the Town's website townofvinalhaven.org

Dog Licenses - \$25 late fee is now in place for all unregistered dogs. 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 dog 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 dogs to Vinalhaven if these guidelines are followed.

Swap Shop - Used-goods recycling at the former Public Works Garage. Open Sat 9am-1 pm and occasional pop-ups.

Hours of Operation & Contact Information

Town Office - Mon-Thurs 8am-5pm, Fridays 8am-12pm, 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

Bookkeeper - Deborah Young, 863-4471, dyoung@townofvinalhaven.org

Town Clerk - Darlene M. Candage, 863-4343, townclerk@townofvinalhaven.org

Deputy Clerk - Elizabeth Bunker, 863-4343, deputyclerk@townofvinalhaven.org

Assessor - Travis Gould, 863-2168, vinalhavenassessor@gmail.com; hours vary

Code Enforcement Officer / Local Plumbing Inspector - Faye Grant, Mon-Wed 9am-1 pm, 863-2168, vhceo@townofvinalhaven.org

Public Health Officer - Jen Desmond, Contact the Medical Center at 863-4341

Welfare Program - Call 863-2042 to set up an appointment with the Town Manager

Director of Public Works/Town Garage - Millie Martin, 863-2063, vhdpw@townofvinalhaven.org

Library - Summer hours as of April 1: Tuesday/Thursday 1-7pm, Wednesday/Friday 9am-5pm, and Saturday 9am-Noon; 863-4401, librarian@vinalhavenpubliclibrary.org

Transfer Station - Open Sun, Mon, Wed, and Thur 7:30-4pm; Not accepting waste gasoline at this time. Kenny Martin or Luther Tolman, 863-4306

Fire Department - Marc Candage, Fire Chief, Emergency 911, Non-Emergency 863-4604, mcandage@townofvinalhaven.org

Ambulance - Ryan Nizolek, Ambulance Director, Emergency 911, Non-Emergency 863-2119 ambulancedirector@townofvinalhaven.org

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

Animal Control Officer and Harbor Master - James Knowlton, 701-2018

Deputy Harbor Master - Peter Gasperini, 542-1992



By law, vehicles **must** yield to pedestrians in a crosswalk.



NO PARKING ON SIDEWALKS!

2023-24 TAX BILLS have been mailed! If you do not receive yours, or you need to change your address PLEASE LET US KNOW!

30-DAY LIEN NOTICES for 2022-23 taxes were mailed August 8, and the balance was due by September 8, 2023. A lien will be filed at the Knox County Registry of Deeds.

Property owners: If your property abuts a roadway, please help drivers and pedestrians by trimming back bushes and overhanging limbs for better visibility and safety! Thank you!

Town Committee Vacancies!
There are many opportunities for you to serve your community:

- 1 vacancy - Appeals Board
- 1 vacancy - Cemetery Committee
- 1 vacancy - Ferry Tariff Advisory (1yr)
- 2 full/2 alternate vacancies - Harbor Committee
- 1 vacancy - Parks Commission
- 2 alternate vacancies - Planning Board
- 1 vacancy - Planning Commission
- 1 vacancy - Sewer Commission (1yr)
- 2 vacancies - "Waste Watchers"

all are 3-year terms unless otherwise noted

If you are interested in any of these committees please call 863-4343 or email deputyclerk@townofvinalhaven.org



Pleasant River Chapel Sunday Service will be held on Sunday, September 17, 2023. Vannesa and Ben Henneke will be our guest speakers. This service will be held via ZOOM and in person at the Chapel. Rhoda and Pete are working to activate a new ZOOM account for the Sunday service. Rhoda will send a new invitation for the service.

Breakfast at 8, Fellowship time at 8:30, service at 9. ALL are welcome. Having extra food is always greatly appreciated.

If you want to use the Pleasant River Chapel, please get in touch with Pete Pedersen at 863-2272 or by email at pedersen1842@gmail.com

The chapel is planning a ham dinner for September 30th. There is a ham ad in this WIND.

For pastoral care: Bob Candage, 863-4943 or Pam Kittredge, 863-2022

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

Union Church

~ Welcomes You ~

Sunday Services
11:00 am

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Guest Speakers
Faye Grant and
Jim Verostek

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We are meeting in-person and on Zoom
Please visit unionchurchvh.org for link and more information

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Sunday School Starts this Sunday, September 10th, 9:30am-10:30am

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Needed, a Sunday School Teacher, K-3 9:30-10:30am Curriculum provided Call Betsy Walsch 863-4124

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If you would like to donate to the Union Church, donations can be mailed to PO Box 249 or visit our website at: unionchurchvh.org

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

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Pastoral Care
Reverend Jeffrey Lewis



Pastor Jeff Winters

SUNDAY

9:30—Sunday School
Children in the Parsonage
Adults in the Church

10:30—Fellowship Time

11:00—Worship Service

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!

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Non-denominational

Upstairs in The Union Church
Tuesdays and Saturdays
5:00-5:30PM

All are Welcome.



COVID-19 INFORMATION UPDATE

- There has been news recently about new strains of the Covid virus. The data from the CDC (Center for Disease Control) shows that this newest variant has changed from recent version of the virus, it is still rare, and as of August 23, there have been 9 total cases of this strain isolated worldwide (and only 2 in the US).
- It is not yet known if the current Covid vaccine will be effective, but it is presumed that it will. Also, it is expected that current medications used for Covid (including Paxlovid, Veklury, and Lagevrio) should still be effective in helping lessen the severity of the acute illness with Covid. It is also expected that the current tests we use for Covid (including home tests) should be effective in identifying if someone has an acute Covid infection.
- Current recommendation for being up to date with your Covid vaccine is to have at least one dose of the updated or "bivalent" vaccine since July of this summer.
- ICMS should have the bivalent Covid vaccine available this fall.

ICMS IS HIRING!

ICMS is looking for a highly motivated individual with excellent customer service skills to fill the part-time front desk role.

The position includes but is not limited to answering phones, relaying messages and scheduling & checking in patients.

For more information please contact Jess Sanborn at 863-9076 or jsanborn@icmsvh.org

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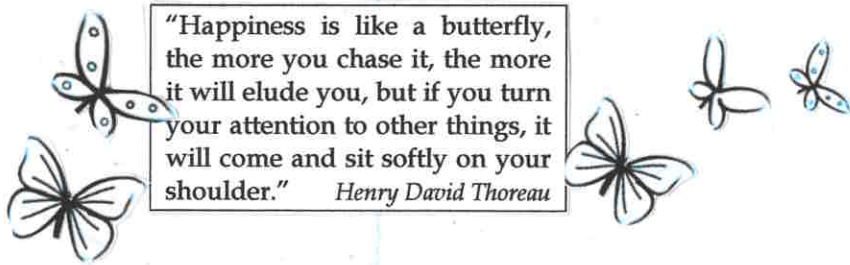
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<u>Community</u>	<u>Calendar</u>
9/15: VLT Tracking Fungus, 9:30 am, SP 9/23: VLT Coastal Cleanup, 9:30 am, SP 9/30: Drive Through Ham Dinner, 4-6, PRC <i>deliveries available</i> 10/28: Drive Through Ham Dinner, 4-6, PRC <i>deliveries available</i>	11/30: FREE Thanksgiving Dinner for All, PRC, <i>deliveries only</i> Mondays: Community Lunch Box, 11:30am, UC *** PRC: Pleasant River Chapel SP: Skoog Park UC: Union Church VLT: Vinalhaven Land Trust Email events to: windnonprofitads@gmail.com




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Cynthia Newbold Obituary

Cynthia Ester Burdick Newbold, age 89, of Acton, MA, formerly of Concord, MA and Vinalhaven, passed away on Monday, September 4, 2023 following a brief illness. She was the wife of the late H. Leroy Newbold.

Cynthia was born in Boston, MA, on April 9, 1934. Her mother, Esther Young, immigrated from Sweden. Her father, Lester Lewellyn Burdick, grew up in Hope Valley, RI.

In 1980, Cynthia married the love of her life, LeRoy Newbold. Cynthia and LeRoy spent summers in Vinalhaven, ME. She loved gardening, sailing, and exploring the Maine coast in her Downeast style boat, Magic. While in Vinalhaven, she enjoyed spending time visiting downtown and catching up on the latest gossip and politics.

Cynthia was a proud member of the Concord Garden Club, Concord Country Club, and the Antiquarian Society, an active participant at 51 Walden Street, and a patron of Emerson Hospital.

Cynthia is survived by her sons, Stuart and Steven; her grandsons, Alec and Nick; her stepchildren, Beth and her husband, Pat Winkler; David and his wife, Max and their children, Bryan and Jane; Stephen and his wife, Jennifer and their children Jordan and Paul, and Wendy and her husband, Mark Rovelli and their sons, Breton and Evan.

Donations in her memory may be made to Emerson Hospital Cancer Center, 57 ORNAC, Concord, MA 01742

Bert and Amby –

“Tidbit from the Vinalhaven Historical Society, “The Wind,” September 10, 2019”

Dana was surprised by a retirement party at this cousins' home on Blueberry Lane this week, having been lured there thinking he was attending a senior member in the firm's belated birthday party. In attendance were Dave, Cyn, Faran, Herb, Jeff, Teen, Susan, Ann, Tom, Ali, Alan, Resa, Dick, Kathy, Jo, Ann Marie, Marjet, Ethan, and Finn, the family dog. Crabs, corn, oysters, brats, crab dip, and gourmet fish tins were served. There was also a cake and a blackberry pie made with berries from the family's granite vineyard. After dinner, there was a fireworks display. All had a wonderful time.

The evening's only kerfuffle occurred in the nightcap “squeakah” when the honoree curiously and erroneously employed the word “keen” without prefacing it the word “some” which created an awkward silence of collective befuddlement. Soon, however, family linguists recalibrated the lexicon and comprehension was attained; all had a good laugh about it.

“Some ol' keen!”

September 9, 2023

Long may the Tidbits publish!



ICMS IS HIRING: Building & Grounds Supervisor

Unique opportunity for a full or part-time position with flexible hours!

It is the responsibility of the Building and Grounds Supervisor to ensure that the facilities are maintained in a condition of operating excellence, cleanliness, and safety.

Responsibilities:

- Lead facility maintenance and repairs.
- Manage outdoor spaces.
- Ensure safety compliance.
- Budget oversight and vendor coordination.
- Supervision of custodians

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- Facility management experience.
- Maintenance knowledge.
- Basic computer skills.

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- Growth opportunities.
- Contribute to community well-being.

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For more information please contact Jess Sanborn at 863-9076 or jsanborn@icmsvh.org

CONGRATULATIONS!

**Congratulations to
Aamber Hufsey
for winning the
Client of the Year Award
through Goodwill and
Workforce Solutions!**



THANK YOU DAVID WOOD!

**ICMS' summer-long 50/50 raffle
was drawn and the winner was
David Wood.
David generously donated his
winnings back to ICMS!**

THANK YOU LIONS!

**This past Saturday the Lions hosted
ICMS for a staff appreciation night.
We all would like to thank them for a
wonderful evening!**

Vinalhaven School Soccer Schedule 2023

08/08

**PUBLIC NOTICE:
NOTICE OF INTENT TO FILE**

Please take notice that

Dyer Harbor North LLC
P.O. Box 706
Vinalhaven, ME 04863

Phone #: 207-863-4202

(Name, Address and Phone # of Applicant)

is intending to file a Natural Resources Protection Act permit application with the Maine Department of Environmental Protection pursuant to the provisions of 38 M.R.S.A. §§ 480-A thru 480-BB on or about

October 5, 2023

(anticipated filing date)

The application is for

5' x 65' pier, 4' x 35' ramp, and a 12' x 25' float

(description of the project)

at the following location:

Dyers Island Road

(project location)

A request for a public hearing or a request that the Board of Environmental Protection assume jurisdiction over this application must be received by the Department in writing, no later than 20 days after the application is found by the Department to be complete and is accepted for processing. A public hearing may or may not be held at the discretion of the Commissioner or Board of Environmental Protection. Public comment on the application will be accepted throughout the processing of the application.

For Federally licensed, permitted, or funded activities in the Coastal Zone, review of this application shall also constitute the State's consistency review in accordance with the Maine Coastal Program pursuant to Section 307 of the federal Coastal Zone Management Act, 16 U.S.C. § 1456. (Delete if not applicable.)

The application will be filed for public inspection at the Department of Environmental Protection's office in *(Portland, Augusta or Bangor)* (circle one) during normal working hours. A copy of the application may also be seen at the municipal offices in Vinalhaven, Maine.
(town)

Written public comments may be sent to the regional office in Portland, Augusta, or Bangor where the application is filed for public inspection:

MDEP, Central Maine Regional Office, 17 State House Station, Augusta, Maine 04333
MDEP, Southern Maine Regional Office, 312 Canco Road, Portland, Maine 04103
MDEP, Eastern Maine Regional Office, 106 Hogan Road, Bangor, Maine 04401

(pink)

High School

Date	Opponent	Girl's Start	Boy's Start	Ferry Times
16 Sep (Sat)	AWAY Searsport	1 PM	11 AM	7 AM/4:30 PM
18 Sep (Mon)	AWAY Telstar		11:30 AM	7 AM/4:30 PM
23 Sep (Sat)	AWAY Rangeley	12:30 PM	2 PM	7 AM/Lobster Boat
26 Sep (Tue)	HOME Buckfield	12:30 PM	2 PM	
29 Sep (Fri)	AWAY Shead	3 PM	4:30 PM	8:45 AM
30 Sep (Sat)	AWAY Shead	8:30 AM	10 AM	4:30 PM
06 Oct (Fri)	HOME Wiscasset	2:45 PM		
07 Oct (Sat)	HOME Temple	11 AM	1 PM	
09 Oct (Mon)	HOME Lisbon	11 AM		
09 Oct (Mon)	HOME Spruce Mountain		1 PM	
17 Oct (Tue)	HOME Pine Tree	12:30 PM	2:30 PM	



Busline (Grades 5-8)

Date	Opponent	Start Time	Ferry Times
18 Sep (Mon)	AWAY Boothbay	1:30 PM	10:30 AM/4:30 PM
20 Sep (Wed)	HOME Bristol	2:45 PM	
25 Sep (Mon)	AWAY South Bristol	1:30 PM	10:30 AM/4:30 PM
27 Sep (Wed)	AWAY Wiscasset	1:30 PM	10:30 AM/4:30 PM
02 Oct (Mon)	AWAY Nobleboro	1:30 PM	10:30 AM/4:30 PM
04 Oct (Wed)	HOME Boothbay	2:45 PM	
11 Oct (Wed)	HOME Wiscasset	2:45 PM	

Kids Trivia - NFL

- 1 What area of the field must you touch to score a touchdown?
 - 2 How many points does a team get for a touchdown?
 - 3 What are the two conferences in the NFL?
 - 4 How long is a football field without the end zones?
 - 5 How many points is a field goal worth?
- Bonus: How many points would you have if you made 2 touchdowns, but missed 1 extra point, made 3 field goals and a safety?

National Concussion Awareness Day 9/15

September 20 - National School Backpack Awareness Day
Promotes wearing backpacks safely

Adult Trivia - NFL

- 1 What NFL team has never had the #1 pick in the overall draft?
- 2 Pete Rozell's trophy is given to the winner of what award?
- 3 Which player has been awarded the highest number of Superbowl MVPs?
- 4 What 1972 NFL team had "a perfect" season?
- 5 Where was the NFL founded?

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How do I apply?

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Questions?

Contact Alice or Julie at:
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September spider has moved
into my dresser drawer
to spin while I sleep
leave its gauze everywhere
then wait
an eye in the center of
the world
Its touch surprises me
that feel of lightness
before the bite

Later, I watch geese make
giant footprints on the sky
they both lie deep in my skull
as something remembered
but only just.

Paddy Noble

Submit to The Wind!

We are looking for stories,
anecdotes, recipes, images,
SHOUT OUTS, etc. to include in
THE WIND. If you have some-
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we would love to include it in
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vinalhavenwind@gmail.com

The Box in the Barn

Over dinner one evening, my teen age grandchildren, Ezra and Eli worriedly discussed the sorry state of the large sail storage box at Island Sail. They were instructors at the school and were responsible for storing the sails at seasons end. The old box was made of plywood. It leaked badly and they said it would lead to moldy sails. I don't recall the flow of the discussion but suddenly they decided that they needed to build a new indestructible box.

Over the course of the summer, an eight foot long by three foot wide by four-foot-high box took shape in the barn. It was constructed of wood planks. Its lid was lined with rubber to keep the rain out and handles attached to make it easy to carry. The problem was that even with the help of their father and me, the box was too heavy to lift.

All I could think of was to call Randy Farnham, that gentle giant of a man to add another hand in the effort. Instead, he came with his son Arthur, who was just as big and strong as Randy. We stood aside while one...two...three, they easily lifted this three-hundred-pound box off the worktable and into Randy's old pickup truck to be deposited at Island Sail.

Randy died recently and his son two years before, but I like to remember that day of my grandchildren's achievement and Randy and Arthur's good humor and strength in making it happen.

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Dr. Caron
will hold the next
Veterinary Clinic
Sept. 28th & Oct. 26th
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National Care for Kids Day
September 20th
...an effort to leave a positive
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PLEASANT RIVER CHAPEL HAM DINNER will be on September 30th.
Kathi Morton, Ethel Jones, and Pete Pedersen will prepare 100 ham dinners. The menu will consist of Baked Ham, Mashed Potato, Green Peas, a Dinner Roll, and a Piece of Homemade Pie. This dinner will cost \$15. We will do 4 and 5 PM deliveries. Drive Through Orders can be picked up at 4:15, 4:30, 5:15, 5:30, 5:45, and 6 PM.

Pete will start to take dinner orders on Thursday, September 14th. You can contact him at 551-4483 or by email at ppedersen1842@gmail.com.

If you want to order a dinner for an island neighbor, please get in touch with Pete to make those arrangements. You can specifically name a person, or we can take one from our list. Pete can help.

If you would like to drive and deliver meals, please get in touch with Pete. Pies are always welcome.

Help Wanted

Bean Maine Lobster has an opening for a full-time position. Duties include buying/shipping lobster, working in the bait areas. Forklift experience helpful. Paid sick/personal days, paid holidays, and health insurance. Apply at the first lobster buying facility near the ferry terminal, or call 863-2082



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-Anonymous

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National Clean Up Day
September 16th

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~Library News~

HOURS

Tues, Thurs 1-7

Wed, Fri 9-5

Sat 9-12

*Congrats to our raffle winners,
Pam Kittredge and Eryk Silver!*

Story Time

Saturdays 10am!

*Kate Lupin will be here Sat. Sep
23 at 10am to read her new kids*

*book, Learning Lots About
Lobsters!*

LEGO Club

*We will be taking a break for the
month of September for
cleaning/reorganizing.*

Game Time

2nd and 4th Tuesdays @5

*We have a large selection of
games, bring a couple of friends
and have some fun!*

Toddler Time

Wednesdays 10am!

www.vinalhavenpubliclibrary.org

In search of Owen "Pete" Dyer's
mandolin. I just want to know if
it is still on Vinalhaven. I have
been told it is! I am not looking
to buy it; it would be nice to
know if it is still being used. I
have lots of wonderful memories
listening to him play it for us
kids. Susan Dyer Radley

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Counseling: 837-4057

Billing: (603) 782-8374

Hours of Operation

Medical Services

Mon, Tues, Weds, Fri: 8am-12noon
1pm-4pm

Thurs: 8am-12noon,
closed Thurs afternoons

Dental Services

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Hygienist: Tues, Weds, Fri

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Vanessa Shields-Haas, FNP-BC

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fearing to be wrong."

Peter T. McIntyre

Our Lady of Peace Catholic Community News:

Sat., Sept 16th—Liturgy Service
at Union Church, 9AM

Sat., Sept. 23rd – Father will be
coming to do a funeral at 9AM.
All are welcome to attend Mass,
at this time.

Sat., Sept. 30th – Clean up at
Union Church. We will not meet,
but all are welcome to help
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Any questions? Call Jeannie:
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We are a 501 (c) (3) organization

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Monday through Friday
8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

September - October

Saturday: 7:30am - 4:00pm
Sunday: 10:00am - 2:00pm

SKÅL!

A Vinalhaven Speakeasy
6 Bodwell Lane

*Open Saturdays in September
5-closing*

September 16

Small plates and specialty cocktails

September 23

Big Al's Glizzy Grill Out!

*Guest chef Ali Ramee is grilling sausages with
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(Rain date Friday, September 22)

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OBSERVER

I so miss the Gawker and the remarkable folks that made it what it was. A memory:

If you have a weak stomach or a penchant for ducklings I suggest you forego the Observer this week.

We waited eagerly as did many others for the Gawker to open again this year. We were not alone, however. Unbeknownst to us and to the dozen Mallards gathered in the lee afforded by the juncture of the dining room and the extension that was the old bowling alley, our national symbol circled overhead. He, a mature male was, like us (not the mature part) eagerly considering his options. She chose the corn chowder, I the shrimp basket, and the eagle chose an adorable but unsuspecting mature female duck that was preening shamelessly for attendant suitors.

We were sitting in the corner, Elaine next to the monitor and I at the adjacent window. There were other diners, all deep in conversation but I, we having nothing more to discuss, was looking out at the adorable ducks just below the window.

The eagle dropped like a meteor from the sky, wings straight up, talons extended and the eruption of death (it could not have been described otherwise), of brown and white and of wings exploding in an instant recovery five feet wide, was so sudden and unexpected I couldn't find words (no, really!). By the time I'd leapt to my feet and called it to the attention of the others it was airborne with its 'duck to go', (adorable little dead webbed feet dangling beneath him). He landed on the stone wall in front of Jane Duell's. There, in view, next to and oblivious to its storm door banging in the wind, he disemboweled and then enjoyed his still (for the first few seconds (adorable) dinner. pc

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Word of the Week

Dongle - dāNGəl (n): small electronic device that you can connect to another device, especially one that give you access to the internet.

**September 18th is...
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**Constitution and Citizenship
Day - September 17th**

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AL-ANON

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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

AA

Tuesday 7PM
Zoom Meeting ID:
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Please contact
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for password or any other questions.

Wednesday 7PM
Union Church Downstairs

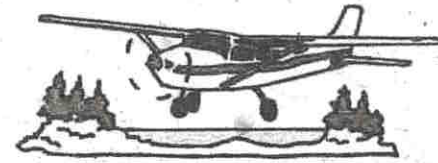
The only requirement for membership is a desire to stop drinking.

Overeaters Anonymous Meeting

6 PM Tuesday
Downstairs at the Union Church

Compulsive over or under-eating, food addiction, anorexia, bulimia, binge eating or over-exercising...no matter your challenge with food or body image, you will be welcome here and find support for your recovery.

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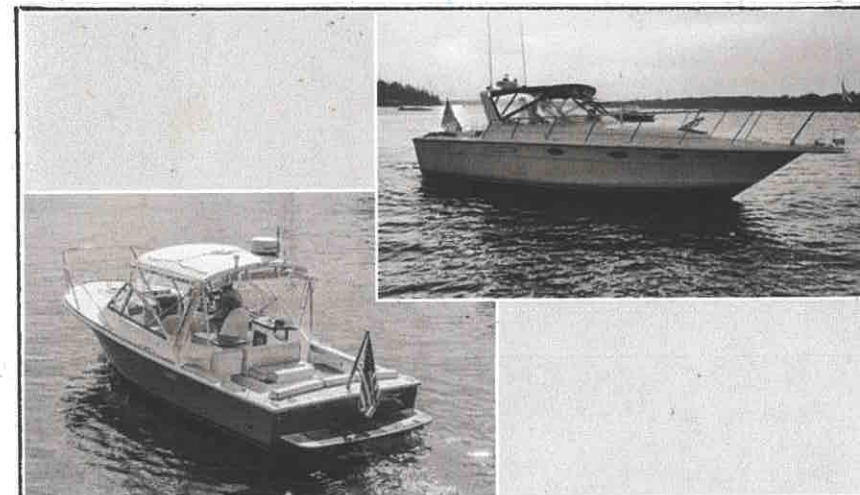
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Walks & Talks

Upcoming Events

Tracking Fungus Through Mushroom Photography, Natural History & Stories Fri, September 15, 9:30am @ Skoog Park
Join us as Kirk Gentalen shares with us his knowledge on all things fungus. He will point out different types of fungus and share stories as we explore the natural landscape around us.

Coastal Cleanup Saturday, September 23, 9:30am @ Skoog Park
The island has been the perfect backdrop to all our summer adventures, show your love for Vinalhaven by joining VLT as we pick up trash and debris from along our shores. After the cleanup head back to Skoog Park for a cookout celebrating all our Volunteers.

Volunteer Appreciation Cookout Saturday, September 23, 12:00pm @ Skoog Park
We love all our volunteers who help keep VLT running, so we are hosting a volunteer appreciation cookout. Join us for food, beverages and good conversation as we celebrate the end of a successful summer.

For More Information On Upcoming Events Visit:
www.vinalhavenlandtrust.org/calendar-of-events

North Haven Golf

The Tillinghast course often spoke to him while he played "Kerplunk." It would whisper to him as his ball yipped into the water hazard or sand trap. He would turn and stare at his ever-changing set of golf clubs, warning them of their demise if things didn't change. Unc knew these links and every inch of ground on every hole as his ball visited there frequently. When Unc hit a good shot, he would turn to his foursome and smile with pride and exuberance. When his shot wiggled and waggled like a lame duck, he would turn to his foursome and say, "Just one more lesson."

For 60-plus years, he tried to conquer the 6,350-yard course built in 1916, but that was a dream. He left that legacy for his boys and their boys... and now, incredibly, their boys.

Who woulda thunk it?

About 30 years ago, one summer, around 20 family members went to play golf. We rang the bell, and Mr. Brown graciously taxied us to North Haven (he charged a buck a head). We then all hoofed it from his dock to the club. When you arrive at the course, you must cross a long par 4 to the clubhouse. We stopped to watch an elderly couple playing that hole. The couple were thin and fragile, being in their early 90's.

The gentleman struck the ball, which travelled 20 or so yards. He then shuffled his feet to the ball; what seemed like an eternity later, he hit his next shot, shanking it another 20 yards. His wife was his caddy, small stepping his bag from shot to shot. They zigzagged the fairway chasing the ball. There was such determination and strength in their partnership; It was heartwarming to see. He smiled and waved at us, and we stood and applauded in response. They then continued on.

"Why am I using a new putter? Because the old one didn't float too well." - Craig Stadler, 1982 Masters Champion

Richard Flagg

Tidbits from the Vinalhaven Historical Society

Timmy Dyer, son of Mr. & Mrs. Leslie B. Dyer, Jr., celebrated his 6th birthday with a party at his home on High Street, recently. Refreshments of ice cream, sandwiches, cookies, and punch were served including two beautifully decorated birthday cakes. Many nice gifts were received by Timmy. Entertainment featured "Television," and games. Favors were bright colored balloons, color books, and crayons. Those who enjoyed the jolly party were Ruth Ellen and Richard Williams, Vicky Lou Dyer, Mary Adele and Cheryl Jean Tolman, Debbie and Katie Hamilton. Special guests were Timmy's grandmothers Mrs. Hazel Dyer and Mrs. Hilda Kelwick and his aunt Miss Betsy Kelwick. *Sept. 24, 1953*

The living room of the home of Mrs. Helen Webb was the setting Monday at 7.30 for the wedding of her daughter Ethelyn Louise Webb to Henley Calvin Day, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Henley Day, Sr., of Monhegan. The ceremony was read by Elder Donald E. Harvey of Jonesport. The double ring service was used. The couple were attended by Mr. & Mrs. Robert Tolman as best man and matron of honor. The bride wore a turquoise blue dress with corsage of pink roses. Her matron of honor wore a dress of navy blue crepe with corsage of American Beauty roses. The couple will reside here. *Sept. 16, 1950*

To celebrate her 12th birthday, Valerie Orcutt, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Alfred Orcutt, was given a surprise party Saturday evening by her mother at their home on East Main Street. A variety of games were played and refreshments served which included two large birthday cakes beautifully decorated, the work of Mrs. Orcutt and Mrs. Donald Kalloch, who also took pictures of this group: Susan Webster, Georgianna Hansen, Nancy Adams, Lucy Bickford, Mary Chandler, Steven Kalloch, Kenneth Webster, and Clyde Orcutt. Valerie received many nice gifts. *Sept. 1, 1953*

Matinicus Old Clothes Dance. On Wednesday evening Sept. 21, there will be a special dance given in the K of P Hall on Matinicus Island. This will be a lively evening, for the committee has planned many special events and dances. Among them will be the balloon dance, the lucky number dance, the spot dance and many, many others, which will bring an evening of great fun. To make the evening a festive one, everyone is asked to wear old clothes, the oldest they have, no matter what condition. For this, there will be a special prize for the man and woman in the worst clothes. There will be a grand door prize and special prizes for the novelty dances. This is the last of the Wednesday night dances for the season and a large attendance is anticipated. *Sept. 17, 1949*

William Calderwood left Monday for California where he will spend the winter with his daughter, Mrs. Walter Polk, who crossed the country by auto last July. Mr. Calderwood will travel by way of Panama. *Sept. 25, 1925*

A party enjoyed a motor sail to North Haven Sunday just in time to see Col. Lindbergh and his bride make their start toward the West in their plane. *Sept. 17, 1929*

Ira Peterson is stationed at the Sampson Air Force Base in New York. *Sept. 10, 1955*

Mr. & Mrs. W. Y. Fossett returned Thursday from Boston where Mr. Fossett has recently learned the embalmer's trade. *Sept. 26, 1905*

At The Gem Theatre: Fri & Sat Sept 16 & 17 "Shopworn Angel" with Margaret Sullivan and James Stewart. Mon & Tues Sept. 19 & 20 "Bar 20 Justice" with William Boyd and Russell Hayden *Vinalhaven Neighbor Sept. 1938*

