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Spring Schedule

RESTAURANT: SATURDAY & SUNDAY nights
Opening May 28th & 29th
Kitchen open 5-8:30pm, 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

Please note, 1 cup of sugar (added to the rhubarb) was omitted from this recipe last week, so we are reprinting the corrected version of this delicious recipe!

Upside Down Rhubarb Cake

Grease a standard size fry pan
Place 3 cups chopped rhubarb in bottom of pan that has been mixed with 2 Tbs. of Flour, 1 cup of Sugar, ¼ tsp. Nutmeg, & ¼ cup of melted Butter

To make the cake, mix the following-

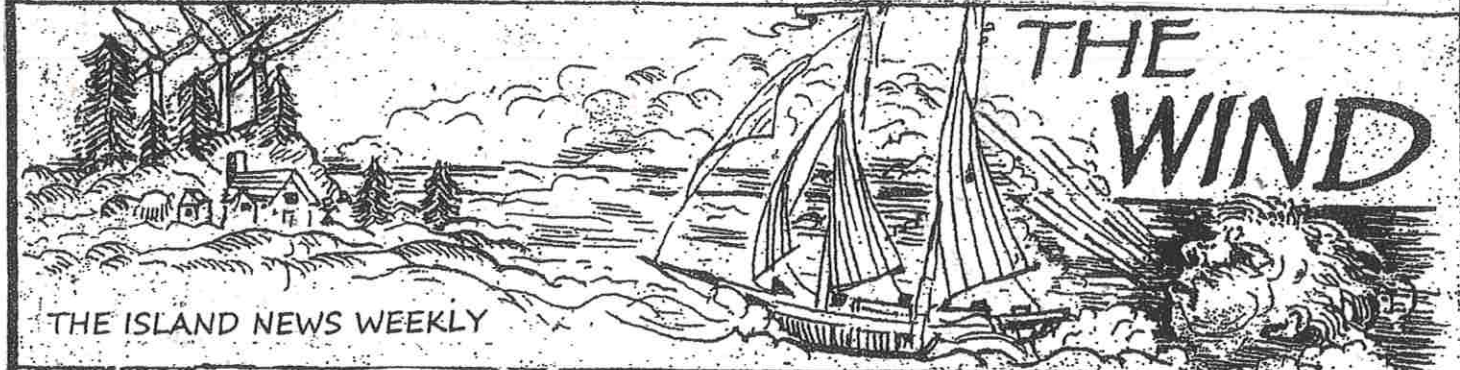
- 1 ½ cup Flour
- ¾ cup Sugar
- 2 tsp. Baking Powder
- ¼ tsp. Salt
- ¼ cup melted Butter
- 2/3 cup Milk
- 1 Egg

Bake at 350° for 35 minutes. Let the cake rest for about 20 minutes and then invert on the plate. Serve with whipped cream.

From the recipe collection of
Doris "Dyer" Duff

P.O. BOX 194, VINALHAVEN, ME 04863

ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION: \$55



THE ISLAND NEWS WEEKLY

June 23 - June 29, 2022

E-MAIL: vinalhavenwind@gmail.com

Julie Arey recently fell and broke her knee. She had surgery at Pen Bay and is now at Tall Pines Health Care in Belfast getting physical therapy. If you would like to send her a card, the address is:
34 Martin Lane
Room #203
Belfast, Maine 04915

HELP!

All bakers on the island...The Circle needs baked items for the cooked food table for the 4th of July! Please contact Candi at 863-2001

International Day of the Seafarer, June 25th

From Coast Guards, Navies, fishermen, marine biologists, and ship captains, if your job involves a large quantity of sea water, this day is dedicated to you!

The American Legion is having a Giant Yard Sale Saturday, July 2 from 9 am to Noon in the Legion Hall. We will be accepting clean, useable donations starting June 16th. No clothing or footwear please. To donate anything please contact Jeannie Conway, 248-1484, Alan Barker, 691-2943 or any Legion member. Thank you in advance for your support.

First Thursday Night Bean Supper June 30th, 6pm at the Union Church \$10, all you can eat

Dishwashers, Servers and Dessert Bakers Needed!
Call Candi FMI - 863-2001



Town Band rehearsals for the 4th of July will be held on June 21st and 28th, 6PM, in the school music room. All are welcome. Email: markhoffman8@gmail.com or call: 207-863-4202 for more information.

The American Legion is having a Yard Sale this Saturday, June 25, at Rosemary Anthony's house on East Main Street. Everything is being sold by donations to benefit the American Legion Post 18 and the Legion Auxiliary. Thank you in advance for your support.

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I don't even know how to begin to say THANK YOU for the overwhelming love and support that came my way from this astonishing Vinalhaven community when Abigail went missing. All of you who went looking for her, called me with offers of help and commiseration, posted on Facebook, and made sure I was able to get on the ferry to take her to the vet the next day. The crown of glory goes to the Oxtan family, Kelly and Fathom who found her, and Lee who extricated her from under the steps that she got herself stuck in. I am touched and so profoundly grateful to you all for your caring and help, and I love you all madly! Just for the record, Abigail is recovering well from her ordeal.
Penelope Lord

June 29th is International Fisherman's Day
...to show appreciation and recognize the men & women in the fishing industry.

dot & millie's

restaurant · bar · catering

June Schedule

Thursday - Saturday
beginning at 5:15pm
by reservation

book online with resy or call 207-863-2300

July Schedule - (5) nights Tuesday - Saturday & pop-up lunches

Town of Vinalhaven Information

www.townofvinalhaven.org

Calendar

Annual Town Meeting – 6pm, Tuesday, June 28 @ Vinalhaven School – SHMH, contact Marjorie Stratton FMI – 863-2042

4th of July - Monday, July 4th - The Town Office, Safety Building, Public Works, and Transfer Station will be CLOSED.

Select Board Meeting -Tuesday, July 5 @ The Town Office and Zoom at 5pm.

Pre-Planning Board Meeting – Wednesday, July 6 @ The Town Office at 7pm.

CEO/LPI, Faye Grant will not be in the Office 6/27/2022 to 7/18/2022

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, Wed & Thurs 8am-5pm, Tues & Fri 8am-12pm – 863-4471 or 863-4343; Fax: 863-4393 Mailing and physical address: 19 Washington School Rd., Vinalhaven, ME

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

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

Deputy Town Clerk – Abby Proctor – 863-4471; deputytownclerk@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 – 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



Town of Vinalhaven
Request for Proposal
Certified Assessor

The Board of Selectmen of the Town of Vinalhaven is seeking a Maine Certified Assessor to provide services approximately one day per week at the Vinalhaven Town Office, 19 Washington School Road, Vinalhaven, Maine. Employee of this class is responsible for the evaluation and assessment of all taxable property within the Town and the administration of all department functions. Work involves extensive field work, reviewing assessments, ensuring department operations are up-to-date, and maintaining the tax rolls. Work is performed under the general supervision of the Town Manager and is carried out with considerable technical independence in accordance with applicable laws.

The individual must have thorough knowledge of the principles, methods, and techniques of real and personal property assessment and valuation as well as knowledge of town ordinances and general law pertaining to tax assessment. This person must have the ability to analyze factors which may influence the value of property and to exercise judgment in determining property values and changes in town structure and physical properties. They must have the ability to plan and organize the preparation of varied assessment reports. Island Community experience is a plus. Computer skills and working knowledge of TRIO Software is required.

Please send cover letter and resume or Proposal to: Town Manager, Town of Vinalhaven, 19 Washington School Road, Vinalhaven, ME 04863.

The Town of Vinalhaven is an equal opportunity employer

NOTICE:

The Indian Creek Foot Bridge will be **CLOSED!**
Jun 16- Oct 14
Dec 16 - Apr 14

Annual Town Meeting June 28th, 2022

6pm at Smith Hokanson Memorial Hall

More details, Annual Warrant, and 2021 Annual Report Coming Soon!



Pleasant River Chapel

Sunday, June 26

Sharing Sunday

**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
pleasandrivchapel@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

"We might think we are nurturing our garden, but of course it's our garden that is really nurturing us." *Jenny Uglow*

Union Church

~Welcomes You~

**Sunday Services
11:00 am**

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**Reverend
Jeff Lewis**

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

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

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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.com

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

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Pastoral Care
Reverend Jeffery Lewis

Our Lady of Peace Catholic Community
Masses will begin on **SATURDAY, JULY 2, 2022, 9AM** in the Union Church. *Please note that the time is a change for previous years!*
Hope to see you there!

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



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 School's New Art Show Collaboration

By Joe Lazaro

This year's art show at Vinalhaven School was Monday, May 23rd. It was Vinalhaven's first-ever joint music concert and art show.

Heather White, the Vinalhaven School art teacher, was in charge of the organization and presentation of the art show. "You have to sort through 1000 pieces of artwork and narrow it down to 400 pieces," said White. "Every kid has to pick what they want to have in the art show and name it. You have to start preparing a month before the show."

There were a couple of unique things about this year's art show. First, this is the first regular art show since COVID-19. "We were lucky enough to display work at The Star of Hope for two years, but this was the first back to normal art show, and it's been a fun transition," said White.

The second unique thing about this art show was the fact that it's the first joint art show and music concert collaboration. White and Music Teacher William Trevaskis were the ones responsible for the idea. "It was just an idea, and just sort of happened, we weren't even sure if we could have a show," said White. "It was later in the year than we would've liked, so combining it helped with the timing."

Myra Mills, a Vinalhaven School senior, had a few pieces in the art show. "My favorite was the picture I took that was for the photography show. It was of a gravestone," said Mills.

Riley Anthony, a Vinalhaven School senior, had a particularly interesting piece of art in the show, called a ghost guitar. "It was an acoustic guitar that I wrapped in saran wrap, then meticulously put packing tape on, then I slipped the guitar out to make a ghost guitar," said Anthony.

This show was Mill's last art show. "I'm happy and sad because I'll never do an art show again, but at the same time I'm moving onto the real world, so I'm excited," said Mills. One of Mill's favorite things about the art show didn't have to do with art at all.

"I always remember wanting and trying to sign the book every-one signs at the art show, each year," said Mills.

Anthony is new to high school art class, and this was his first art show, where he had multiple pieces on display. "It was great having that experience, we didn't have something like that at my old schools," said Anthony.

Adult Trivia-entertainment

- 1 Who was SNL's first celebrity host?
- 2 How many seasons did the "Oprah Winfrey Show" run?
- 3 Which group wrote & recorded so many successful songs in 1978 that their sales accounted for 2% of the entire music industry?
- 4 Who holds the record for most appearances on the cover of the *Rolling Stone* magazine?

Word of the Week

Garrulous (adj) GAIR-uh-lus: Can mean chatty or excessively talkative (referring to people, even birds) or wordy (referring to language)

Vinalhaven School Spring Concert

By Kyr Day

Vinalhaven School held its annual spring concert in the Smith Hokanson Memorial Hall on Monday, May 23. Students from elementary, middle, and high school performed that night.

Music Teacher Bill Trevaskis had a few goals he wanted to achieve with the concert.

"The first goal is to get the kids on the stage; give them the chance to shine," said Traveskis. "The other goal is to show what the kids are learning."

This year the concert was held on the same night as the art show, taking place before and after it.

"Ms. White and I had talked about doing a combined event," said Trevaskis. "We wanted it to be a festival of art, both visual and performance, give people the opportunity to experience both at the same time." He believes that hosting the events in tandem improved attendance to both events, and hopes to do so again in the future.

"I love performing in front of large crowds," said senior Riley Anthony. "It's always been something I really liked ever since middle school."

Some of the students got to pick the songs they wanted to perform. "I played 'School's Out' and 'Mama Mia'," said Anthony. "We did have a little bit of a say in the songs, but usually Bill decides and we just go with it."

Some songs were done as a collaboration between multiple classes, such as 'School's Out' by Alice Cooper, performed by kindergarten, first grade, and some high school students.

Kids Trivia-Famous shoes?

- 1 What color are Mickey Mouse's shoes?
- 2 What material are Cinderella's slippers made of?
- 3 In the *Wizard of Oz*, who gifted Dorothy the ruby slippers?
- 4 What was so cool about Marty's sneakers in *Back to the Future part II*? (Bonus, what brand were they?)

Community Calendar

6/23: Blueberry Lecture by David Yarborough, TG, 7
 6/26: Farm & Garden Tour, TG, 1-4
 6/28: VLT Forest Management, SP, 9:30 am
 6/30: Bean Supper, UC, 6 pm
 7/5: PIE - Janann Sherman: *Up in the Air*, Book talk, SHMH, 7
 7/7: VLT Bird Walk, SP, 8 am
 7/8: VLT Tour at Robert's Harbor Farm, 9:30 am
 7/10: PIE - Cassatt Quartet Concert, UC, 7
 7/13: Wild Flower Walk, 9:30 am
 7/14: VLT Bird Walk, SP, 8 am
 7/14: Bean Supper, UC, 6
 7/16: Eldercare Vintage Vinalhaven, WF, 5
 7/17: VLT Low Tide Walk, LI, 9 am
 7/17: Henneke Africa Reforestation Lecture, TG, 7-8:30
 7/19: VLT Tour at FIEC Wind Turbines, 9:30 am
 7/20: Fox Islands Concerts: Portland Piano Trio 7:30, SMHM

7/21: VLT Bird Walk, SP, 8 am
 7/24: Pet Show, TG, 2
 7/19: PIE - Bill Trevaskis, Photo talk, SHMH, 7
 7/26: VLT Hurricane Island Trip, meet at Ferry Dock, 8:30 am
 7/26: PIE - Steve Costanza, *Scott Joplin, King of Ragtime*, SHMH, 7
 7/28: VLT Bird Walk, SP, 8 am
 7/28: Bean Supper, UC, 6
 7/29: VLT Annual Meeting, SP, 4
 7/30: Castlebay Concert, UC, TBD
 7/31: Castlebay during service, UC, 11 am

LI: Lanes' Island
 SMHM: Smith Hokanson Memorial Hall
 SP: Skoog Park
 TG: The Grange
 UC: Union Church
 WF: Webster Field

Email events to: windnonprofitads@gmail.com

The Wind AD Box (located near the Swap Shop) will be available beginning April. The cut off time for submissions (ads removed from box) is Sunday, 6PM. Please include billing address and/or payment with ad.

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For subscriptions and questions about billing/payments, contact

Sue Radley at: islandlife1950@gmail.com

Ad/article submissions go to Torry Pratt at: vinalhavenwind@gmail.com

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Fun Games Camp

\$100 fee
 July 5-8
 Tues & Thurs noon-3
 Wed & Friday noon-2
 Grades prek-6
 (grade that you are entering in the fall of 2022)

Registration Form

Name:

Address

Phone #

Emergency #

Grade entering in the fall

Parents signature

**Please provide proof of insurance

Providers Name:

Policy Number

Make checks payable to:

Vinalhaven School

Forms can be returned to Amanda, mailed to school at 22 Arcola Lane, or brought to the first day of camp.

Questions?

Call Tracie at 266-3668 or email at

tracie.martin51@gmail.com

Dr. Caron will hold the next Veterinary Clinic

July 7 & 28

Upstairs at the Old Fire Hall.

Please call the Rockland Animal Hospital for an appointment at [594-5850](tel:594-5850).

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We've come a long way in a year! Support from the community helped us find, secure, build, and open at our new childcare facility at 13 Arcola Lane. Stage two of IVC's development is expanding to double our maximum capacity. Expanding will support more Vinalhaven families and allow our program to be available to summer visitors. IVC has secured \$75,000 in federal funds to complete this project but needs to raise a matching amount of \$25,000. Our goal is to raise the full amount by the Duck Race on the 4th of July. Donations can be sent directly to IVC, 13 Arcola Ln. Donations can also be accepted via our PayPal link, which is located at the top of our Facebook page. Now, without further ado...

The IVC Annual Duck Race is happening Monday, July 4th around 2:30pm. Following the little duck division will be the Kenturby Ducky—the big inflatable ducks raced by jockeys. Come on down and cheer for your ducks or sit back and watch the fun! You don't want to miss out!

IVC is extraordinarily grateful for the incredible support from the community during the past year. Help us reach our fundraising goal and make use of federal funds to provide even better service to the community.



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!

Nans Case
Barb Davidson
Ethelyn Day
Marie Dempster
June Martin
Joan Mitchell
Virginia Olney
Priscilla Rosen

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

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

Star of Hope Update



The Star of Hope Foundation is pleased to host a photo exhibition from the Vinalhaven Historical Society's collection depicting the Lane & Libby fish processing facilities, which in the early 1900's rivaled the island's granite industry as one of Vinalhaven's most important employers.

The photos on display in the Star of Hope windows, alongside an historical explanation, show the Vinalhaven Fish Company facility, the cold storage plant, and some of people who worked in the industry.



The Star of Hope Foundation's mission is to promote education of the visual arts in Maine.

www.starofhopefoundation.org

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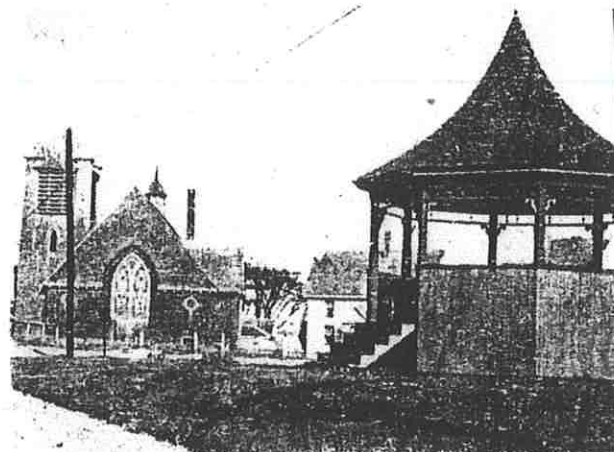


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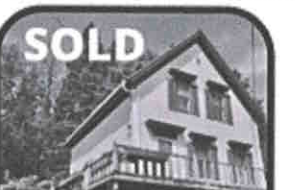


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Kids Trivia Answers
1 Yellow
2 Glass
3 Glinda
4 Self-lacing (Nike)



Adult Trivia Answers
1 George Carlin
2 25 seasons
3 The Bee Gees
4 The Beatles, as a group and individually, over 30 times

Answers to Kennections: Colt-45, Carpenters, John Henry, The Soviet Flag, Thor
They all have hammers

"Kennections"
(Solve the puzzles and then solve how the answers connect)
1 To avoid any associations with crime or violence, what brand of malt liquor now claims to be named after an NFL Baltimore star?
2 What eponymous 1971 album included the hits "For all we know" and "Rainy Day and Mondays"?
3 According to one historian, what American folk hero's legend originates with the 1872 digging of West Virginia's Big Bend Tunnel?
4 Meliton Kantaria, who died in 1993, was the last surviving soldier who raised what item over the Reichstag on 5-1-1945?
5 In Norse mythology, who rides in a chariot pulled by goats Teeth-barer & Teeth-grinder?



Feeling ARTISTIC?

Contact Kachina Watt at 207-863-2109 to decorate a pot buoy which will be auctioned off at the upcoming **Vintage Vinalhaven** fundraising event to benefit your local Vinalhaven Eldercare Services!

New Era Gallery





Early Summer

featuring
John Brown
Stephanie Crossman
Joseph S. Lieber

Opening
Saturday, June 25
5:00—7:00

Artists' Talk 4:30

60 Main Street 207-863-9351 neweragallery.com director@neweragallery.com
Summer Hours: Monday—Saturday 10:00—5:00, Sunday by appointment

Pleasant River Grange Self-Guided Farm & Garden Tour Saturday, July 17th, 1-4 PM



To participate in this Pleasant River Grange fundraising event, come to the Grange from 12:30-1 pm to purchase a map (\$15) and tour our historic building. Take a self-guided tour of the participating farms and gardens from 1-4 pm. Share your knowledge and learn from others.

For the safety of all visitors & participants, please leave your pets at home.

Art to Change the Paradigm
2-day ecoart master class
July 20, 21
with Aviva Rahmani, PhD

Pleased to announce limited registration has been reopened.

Details:
<https://www.avivarahmani.com/blog/ecoart-workshop>

Contact to join us:
ghostnets@ghostnets.com

Attention ALL veterans! Do you know that you are now eligible to join the American Legion if you have served in the US Armed Forces at any time since Dec 7, 1941, and received an Honorable Discharge? Our AL Post 18 invites you to join our organization. Come to our meetings to get current information on benefits and services available to veterans from the VA, VFW, DAV, VA Maine Health Care and more. Need help getting enrolled in the VA, getting copies of your Military Records, or applying for any of the various services offered? Please consider joining us on the 3rd Wednesday of every month for camaraderie, refreshments, dinner, and conversation. Our next meeting will be held on Wednesday, July 20th. We welcome and encourage all veterans to come meet with us to see what we can do to make our Post a stronger and more vital organization. We strive for excellence in service to our community.

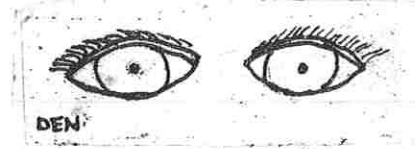
Janann Sherman Up in the Air:

The Aerial Adventures of Phoebe Omlie

Vinalhaven author Janann Sherman, will share her adventures tracking down & writing a book about the mysterious Phoebe Omlie, who, in her lifetime, was more famous than Amelia Earhart!

Tue 7/5, 7pm
SHMH-VHS

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The Observer

The opportunity exists for our fairies—excuse me—ferries to join the rest of the world in responding to the threat that is climate change. In other parts of the world, most parts for that matter, you can board a ferry whose hull is not rusting away with each day it remains in the water, a hull of composite material, not steel. Neither are most of those boats emitting the pollutants otherwise strewn to the atmosphere and to our detriment. Rather these other vessels employ alternative & often harmless propulsion. The process that will carry us in that direction, while not all it might have been, has begun in the form of a survey: www.surveymonkey.com/r/maineferries. Unfortunately, the surveys will only be available until the first week of July, meaning fewer seasonal residents will be exposed than might otherwise be the case. If you're one of them & can access the survey, please take the time to engage with this process. I've promised a meaningful response from Vinalhaven. Please, everyone who cares, fill out the survey. Paper copies will also hopefully be available at MSFS terminals before long. pc

How You Can Help

Donate to local service groups

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| <p>Community Lunchbox
Union Church attn: Lunchbox
PO Box 249
Checks payable to Union Church
Memo line: Lunchbox</p> | <p>Vinalhaven Fuel Fund
Sue Radley attn: Vinalhaven Fuel Fund
14 Lawson's Quarry Rd
Checks payable to Vinalhaven Fuel Fund</p> |
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VES attn: Meals on Wheels
PO Box 624
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Union Church attn: Food Pantry
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| <p>Vinalhaven Community Outreach
PO Box 15
Checks payable to VCO</p> | <p>Vinalhaven Eldercare
18 Beaver Dam Road
Checks payable to Vinalhaven Eldercare</p> |
| <p>Open Bible Baptist Church
Coronavirus Relief Fund (CVRF)
Open Bible Baptist Church attn: CVRF
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Memo line: CVRF</p> | <p>Medical Alert Devices
Available through Eldercare
18 Beaver Dam Road
Checks payable to Vinalhaven Eldercare</p> |
- Add to all addresses:
Vinalhaven, ME 04863**

2022
PIE SCAMPS
at Vinalhaven School

Robotics SCAMP w/ Vt teacher Emily Cohn
Art SCAMP w/ Art Teacher Matt Charland
Dance SCAMP w/ North Atlantic Ballet
Theater SCAMP w/ Vt teacher Taylor Leach
Outdoor Adventure SCAMP w/ Maisie Richards
in partnership with Vinalhaven School

<p>Sign Up!</p> <p>Cost: Robotics SCAMP - VH: \$95, NonVH: \$135 (10% sibling discount)</p> <p>ALL OTHER SCAMPS: VH students: \$75, Non-VH: \$110 (10% sibling discount or for 2+ sessions)</p> <p>Registration opens June 6 for VH students & June 20 for non-VH students</p> <p>FMI or to register: Alice Bissell, (207) 841-4908 or email PartnersInIslandEducation@gmail.com Visit the PIE table at the Saturday Flea Market or PIE's FB page</p> <p>Priority to VH students Register early, space is limited!</p>	<p>LEGO Robotics SCAMP July 25-29 Ages 9-14: 9 am-12 pm</p> <p>Art SCAMP August 1-4 & August 8-11 Ages 5-7: 9 am-12 pm Ages 8-12: 1-4 pm</p> <p>Dance SCAMP August 1-4 Ages 8-12: 9 am-12 pm Ages 5-7: 1-4 pm</p> <p>Theater SCAMP August 8-11 Ages 8-12: 9 am-12 pm</p> <p>Outdoor Adventure August 8-11 Ages 6-7: 1-4 pm</p>
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A TRIBUTE

Norma Jean Kruger, November 16, 1940-June 10, 2022

Many years ago, probably over a Mother's Day, Norma Jean wanted a solitary seacoast vacation-somewhere her husband (me) had never been.

She started out at The Keeper's House on Isle au Haut and had a couple of lovely days and then she got to Vinalhaven, got a room at The Tidewater and somehow bumped into Carlene and Jerry Michael at The Haven, I believe. Never the same after that!

She forced me to visit. We rented rooms at The Tidewater. We rented cottages at least a couple of times. One winter she stayed alone (I think) an entire month at The Tidewater. But that was not good enough. "Couldn't we please, please get a place on the island, please?"

I never wanted a damned second home, finally after some years I caved, surrendered, capitulated, and told her to go find one. She found one she loved, signed a contract and we met in Rockland for the closing, me coming from home in Windham, she from the island. Almost done. Sign a few papers, hand over the check. Might as well look over the deed. Whoops! Where's my name? With that little item corrected the money changed hands.

A few years before the purchase of the cottage, Norma Jean was spending some time on the island in mid-December 2001. Our youngest son Kurt died December 15 of that year. I rushed to the island with her sister to break the news and was met by Bob and Lois Candage and Carlene Michael, there to offer support.

We had a memorial service for Kurt about a month later at a church in North Windham. Attending, which required an overnight stay, were Bob, Lois, and Carlene. That's the kind of people you are, and I will never forget.

Norman Jean loved the island, loved the people, some of you who are now gone. From the time she discovered Vinalhaven it was her favorite place on Earth.

She passed away peacefully and without pain at home in Windham at 7:00PM, Friday, June 10. And we love her.

John Kruger



Do you have a leak?

- ? 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.**



Vinalhaven Eldercare Services Presents:
VINTAGE VINALHAVEN

When: July 16th, 2022

Where: Flea Market Field

What: Parade of vintage cars at 5:30pm
 Food, drinks, music, an artistic buoy auction, and of course vintage cars to check out!

FMI or to volunteer: contact Kachina Watt 863-2109 OR Shelby Smith 603-724-5803



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

MODIFIED HOURS FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 27TH:

Monday, 6/27: Open from 11-5

Tuesday, 6/28: CLOSED

Wednesday, 6/29: Open from 11-5

Thursday, 6/30: Open from 11-5

Friday, 7/1: Open from 11-6!

Saturday, 7/2: Open from 11-6!

Sunday, 7/3: CLOSED

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Bird Walks

Thursdays, June 23, 30, July 7
 Meet at Skoog Park at 8am

Each Thursday this summer, VLT will offer a bird walk with a local knowledgeable and enthusiastic birder. They will show you where to find the most interesting birds, and tips on how to identify them. Bring binoculars if you have them.

Forest Management

Tuesday, June 28, 9:30 am
 Meet at Skoog Park

Come learn about managing an island forest - especially one with plenty of blowdowns - from Chuck Gadzik. Chuck has over 40 years of experience in public policy and managing commercial forests in eastern and northern Maine. Hope to see you there!

Roberts Harbor Farm Tour

Wednesday, July 8, 9:30am
 Meet at RHF

Join Roberts Harbor Farm manager, Kate Ritz, on a walking tour of the buildings and grounds at this Vinalhaven farm. Meet at the farm to learn about its history and how the farm operates today. To get there, follow Robert's Cemetery Rd. until you see the big yellow farmhouse, barn, and three greenhouses. Extra parking is available along Balance Rock and Roberts Cemetery Rd.

Events are **FREE!**
vinalhavenlandtrust.org

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.



All about Blueberries with local wild blueberry specialist, David Yarborough

At The Grange

TONIGHT!!

Thursday, June 23rd 7-8PM
 (Originally scheduled 6/21)

Please join us at **The Pleasant River Grange**, as David shares the history of blueberries in Maine, why they grow here, how the high bush compares, how to manage for higher production and why they are so good for us! There will be time for questions following his presentation. And of course, the Grangers will be showing up with blueberry treats to share.

David Yarborough, Emeritus Wild Blueberry Specialist & Emeritus Professor of Horticulture University of Maine

AL-ANON

Recovery For Family and Friends of Alcoholics

12 Step Recovery Meetings Online

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 meetings online OR by phone, please email vinalhavenalanon@gmail.com or call (207)952-1817

Help is also available from Maine Al-Anon maineafg.org (207)284-1844 and al-anon.org

We are here for you. Newcomers welcome.



Boyden Farm/VLT Community Garden

VLT is excited to be partnering with the Boyden family to offer five garden plots to members of the community (preference given to gardeners who will utilize their plot from early spring until killing frost in fall). Each plot is approximately 9' x 17', tilled and ready to plant.

The garden handbook and application are up on our website, under the resources tab: vinalhavenlandtrust.org

For more information, please contact the land trust at info@vinalhavenlandtrust.org



Open Bible Baptist Church's
**Annual
Vacation Bible School**

**July 19-22 (Tue-Fri)
9 am to 12 noon**

**Free for all ages
Pre-K thru Grade 8**

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When someone else interprets
my life for me I got some options
go along with it peacefully
or get a new life

In the long run I gotta ask
how important is it?
Misrepresentation doesn't need
to upset me when I know
who I am.

Paddy Noble



National Day of Joy-June 29th
Celebrating the little things and
moments, seeing the good in a day,
being king, smile!

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**...AN OLD WOODEN PUNT.
IT DOESN'T HAVE TO BE
SEAWORTHY.
PLEASE CALL 863-2721**

**Windjammer Days
Celebrated June 27-July 3**

All of us here at The Island's Closet
want to congratulate the Senior
Class of 2022. Welcome to the
future of freedom, responsibilities,
and newly gained independence.
Speaking of independence, July 4th is
just a week or so away. Come into
the Island's Closet and see all the
new summer items along with your
old favorites. We have T-shirts, hats
and hoodies in all sizes. Going
swimming? We have noodles,
goggles, floats and pool toys;
Towels, sun block, tanning lotion
and of course insect repellent.
Grilling supplies, outdoor games,
picnic supplies and lot more. Didn't
see what you are looking for? Just
ask and we will get it for you. Want
it delivered? No problem. Come on
down to the Closet and see our full
line of gifts and necessities we have
just for you!

**June is Men's
Health Month**

...encouraging them to get
regular check-ups and be
aware of the risks for their
age, ethnicity, and lifestyle.

Oceanside Getaway

Take a digital break. Relax off-
screen. Watch the osprey nesting
and the eagle soar. Catch the
changing tide & lobstermen
pulling their pots. Beach and
coastline to explore. 3 Bdrms,
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At your knit's end?

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J is for *Junk Shop*. At the
turn of the 20th century,
Oliver H. Lewis ran a junk shop
on the western side of town (64
High Street). Neighborhood kids
scoured every nook and cranny
for copper, zinc, rope, rags, or
bones. (It was a common belief
amongst the youngsters that the
bones were used to make false
teeth, but in fact the bones were
converted into bone meal.)
Lewis was born in North Haven
and was a tin peddler and junk
dealer there for many years.
Sidney Winslow recalled just
how the junk shop looked: "On
the first floor at the left was huge
heap of rubber footwear and
scattered all around on the floor
were piles of junk, boxes,
barrels, and bags filled with
bones. On the right side of the
building was a little room where
the candy was kept with plenty
of evidence of the previous
night's visitors...chewed boxes
and mouse dropping. Hanging
from a nail was a cluster of
nickel covers with tiny chains
used by pipe smokers on windy
days to prevent the tobacco from
blowing out of their TD pipes."
Oliver Lewis's horse, Jim, stood
in high repute as one of the
island's outstanding trotters, and
won many races on ice in the
winter, and on the racing track in
summer. It is reported that Mr.
Lewis never used a whip on Jim,
but when the raced was at a
critical stage, he would simply
say "Proceed James," a
command which seemed to spur
the animal to its best efforts!
*Sourced from Horse Nets,
Holliwoggers, and Littlefield Blue (VH
Historical Society)*

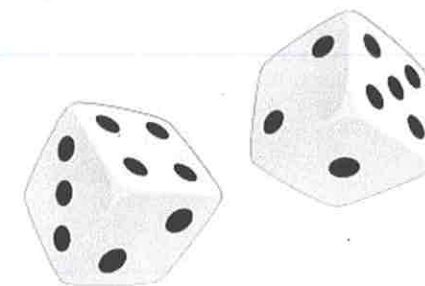
"Friends, sun, sand, and sea, that
sounds like summer to me."
Unknown

**Peaceful
Harbor Farm
Your Source For
Spring Bloomers!
We will not be at
the Flea this week,
but the greenhouse
will be open
9am-3pm Saturday**

The weather is finally
turning mild!
Time to plant those window
boxes and barrels:
Million Bells, Petunias,
Pansies, Begonias, Bacopas,
Margarites, Verbena,
Osteopermum, Impatiens,
Sunpatiens, Lobelia,
Gerbera, Geraniums,
Dusty Miller,
AND Favorite
Cutting Garden Flowers:
Lizzies!, Cosmos, Salvia,
Snapdragons, Sunflowers,
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"Games We Like to Play"

is this year's 4th of July theme!
Less than 2 weeks until the
4th of July...
Sign up for your booth in the
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Lynn @ 863-2733.
We have the fryer available if
someone would like to use it.
Fun theme for floats - to sign one
up, call Sarah at 863-9968

SECOND HAND PROSE

OPEN
Monday 10-2
Tuesday-Saturday
10-4

We have LOTS of Young
Adult books/series to
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We can take up to 3 boxes
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The Vinalhaven Lions Club and 4th of July Committee



would like to thank the people and businesses listed here for their generous sponsorship of the Annual Golf Charity Event at The North Haven Golf Club.

Also, a shout out to the club, volunteers, and participants for keeping this event going!

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Thank you again!

VINALHAVEN SCHOOL CHALLENGE!

Dear VH Community,

Becoming good at shooting a basketball, playing guitar, and reading are all similar. With **20 minutes a day**, you can really improve in only a few months. Practicing for a long time, but only once per week doesn't help nearly as much.

If you help a young kid become a better reader, you help them **for a lifetime**. School, jobs, and vacations are all better when a person can read well. Parents, grandparents, neighbors, friends and siblings call all look for 20-minute opportunities to grab a book and read. Let a kid watch you read. They'll get curious. Read out loud, even when kids don't seem to be paying attention (they are picking up vocabulary). Read a story before bed. Read a story at breakfast rather than picking up your phone. Let kids look at the picture and guess where the story will go – then read the page. Traveling? Point to road signs and say the letters and words. **Make reading a game**, not punishment. "If we can finish reading this book by Saturday, I'm going to take you for ice cream!" Or swimming or fishing or to shoot baskets or to play music. By the way, singing songs helps with learning to read, and so does sounding out the names of all the players for the Celtics. Or, read about the 10 pro basketball players who were also musicians!

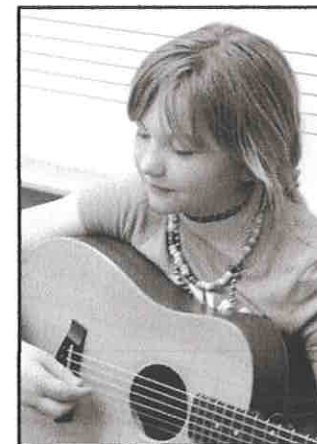
Did you know the Vinalhaven School Library has summer book check-outs???

Tuesdays! July 5, July 12 & July 19 **1:30-3:30 p.m.**

Fridays! August 5, Aug. 12 & Aug 19 **9:00-11:00 a.m.**

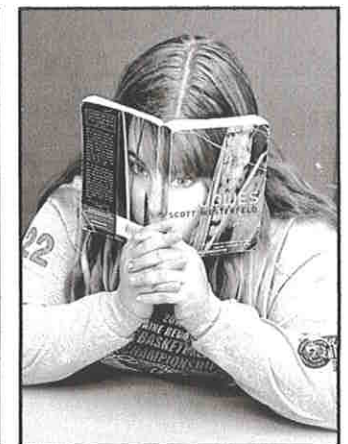
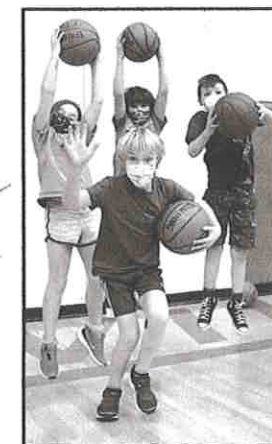
If you find a school library book during your summer cleaning, bring it back so the next kid can check it out! Drop found library books back in our book return bin anytime. The bin will be placed outside the school by the front door to collect all books.

Did you know? Any student with an "@vinalhavenschool.org" email can access **books for free** all summer long using the SORA Reading App. Available on desktop and mobile apps, students have access to ebooks and audiobooks all summer long! **Need help logging on?** Email Miss L at Taylor.Leach@VinalhavenSchool.org!



All the best,

Monte Selby
Dr. Monte Selby
Principal



SKÅL!

A Vinalhaven Speakeasy
6 Bodwell Lane

5-11 p.m.

June 24

Small Plates and Cocktails

June 25

Monte and Morgan Selby

Acoustic originals and dance tunes

Music at 7:30 p.m.

\$10/tickets available at the door

June 30

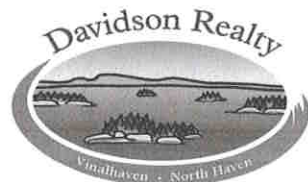
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Ry Cavanaugh and Ellie Buckland

Music at 7:30 p.m.

Information and tickets online.

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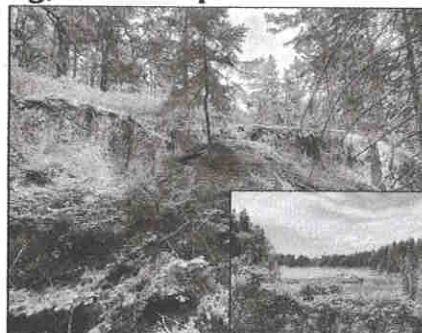


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Submitted by Ed Movitz

GO FISH



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MERCHANDISE ONLINE IS LIMITED AT THIS TIME. IF YOU SEE SOMETHING IN OUR POSTS THAT YOU LIKE, WE ARE HAPPY TO TAKE PHONE ORDERS AND SHIP TO YOU!

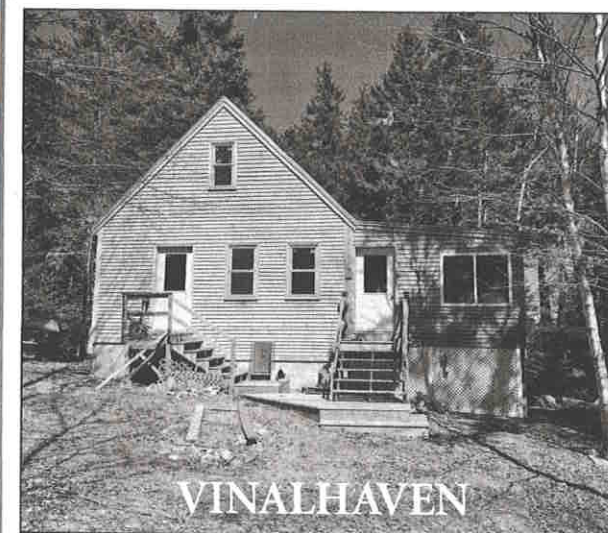
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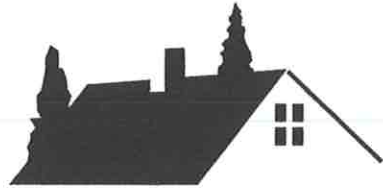
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VINALHAVEN *Housing Committee*

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The amount of assistance you may get from HEAP is based on your household size and income, energy costs, and other factors.

If your heat is included in your rent, you may still apply for HEAP.

At the time of application, you should provide:

- Names and social security numbers of all people living in your household.
- Proof of gross household income for the last 30 day/1 month or 12 months.
(Household income includes, but is not limited to:
wages, social security, unemployment, pension, and disability payments.)
- Proof of present address (for example, a rent receipt, lease, deed, or property tax bill).
- Recent copies of your energy and utility bills
- The type of fuel used to heat your home
(natural gas, heating oil, propane, wood, wood pellets, kerosene or electricity)

If you qualify for HEAP you may be able to receive assistance for:

Home Accessibility and Repair
MaineHousing's Central Heating Improvement Program (CHIP)

VINALHAVEN FOOD PANTRY

FUNDS URGENTLY NEEDED

To supplement the monthly delivery of food and toiletry items

The Food Panty is an all-volunteer nonprofit organization

Approximately 90 low-income members of our community depend on Food Pantry assistance

Many are children and older residents

As demand increased in these trying times, we need to ask you to help our neighbors by donating whatever amount you can.

BETSY BATES PET PANTRY Also needs your help

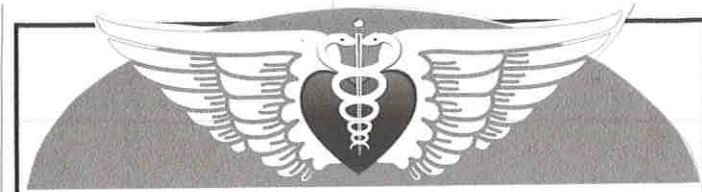
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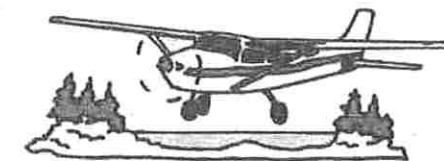
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Tidbits from the Vinalhaven Historical Society

Capt. Eubertus Andrews of the good ship *Gladys D. Rose* still continues to bring in bumper loads of pollock. Last Wednesday he arrived with a catch of 22,000 lbs. among which was a 14 lb. salmon. He was paid \$4 for each one thousand pounds of the pollock, but the salmon brought him 30¢ per pound, therefore he received 20¢ more for the salmon than he did for one thousand pounds of pollock. Personally, we'd rather have a meal of baked pollock than all the salmon concoctions we've ever seen, but it's, of course, all a matter of taste.

Vinalhaven Neighbor June 29, 1938

The pupils of the Reach School, District 8, with teacher Miss Sara Bunker and their parents, held a picnic at Shore Acres Friday. A shore dinner of clams and lobsters was the feature of the day.

Courier-Gazette June 21, 1918

The Security Trust Co. bank has recently installed its toilet facilities which completes the improvements the bank has been undergoing the past few months. With the additional room acquired in the banking room and with its new and elegant counters and furnishings the banking facilities will be as fine as they are commodious. A private office equipped with new furniture is a decided acquisition. The bank, under the efficient management of L. W. Sanborn, has proved a great convenience to our people and we are glad to note this evidence of its prosperity.

Courier-Gazette June 4, 1915

The blackout Wednesday was 100% satisfactory. All wardens were on duty and at their posts. After the all clear signal was sounded, hot coffee and doughnuts were served in the Grand Army rooms by Ann Carver, chairman, assisted by Cora Peterson, Frances Gilchrist and Beulah Drew.

Courier-Gazette June 23, 1942

F. M. White, Edward White and son Walter, Andrew Gilchrist, Fred Chilles, Jack Carlsen and son Jackie, Maurice Teele, Henry Anderson and son Harold, Victor Shields, Donald Poole, Carl Williams, Colon Winslow and Vernard Warren made the trip Sunday to Rockland in Mr. Carlsen's motor boat and then by plane from Rockland to Boston, where they attended the double-header ballgame between the Boston Braves and Pittsburg Pirates. They returned Monday.

Courier-Gazette June 6, 1947

A town meeting was held in Library Hall in North Haven Friday evening to vote on two articles. First: to see if the town would vote to have the Main street a one-way street. The vote was carried "No." Second: to see if a certain tree close to the Post Office should be cut down for the purpose of widening the street. This vote was also carried "No."

Courier-Gazette June 26, 1928

The members of the Rockland High School baseball team arrived this morning from Vinalhaven, anything but pleased with their "excursion." The attempt to return after yesterday's game was a failure for the smack in which they had engaged passage was forced to put back, as it was leaking. The trip across the gale tossed bay this morning was not calculated to assist in the proper digestion of the good food which the boys ate on the island.

Courier-Gazette June 13, 1922

Charles Dyer returned to his home Monday, having been under Dr. W. F. Lyford's care for the last few days at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Pearl Dyer. While riding from his home at the northern end of the island his horse ran away, throwing him into the ditch, where he remained unconscious for several hours. He was found by C. E. Bowman and brought to town.

Courier-Gazette June 21, 1918

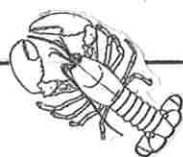
The Big Hide

One of the great pleasures of a cottage on Vinalhaven is sharing this good fortune with others. An evening or shared drinks or a pleasant meal fills one with warmth and a sense of belonging. I do deeply value these moments and hope to share many more. However, like all things in life there are several sides to these events. Nothing comes without side effects or unintended consequences. The cooking takes time and energy but for me, at least, this is more of a hobby and an intriguing endeavor to see what a new recipe yields or whether a new twist will enhance an old favorite even more. For me the hitch of these gatherings is the household preparation. I appreciate that a semblance of order is desirable. My wife perceives this with much greater intensity. No doubt she doesn't wish us to be perceived as improper, uncaring, or slovenly. Consequently, this necessitates a storm of tidying up.

The part that troubles me most is the reorganization of the household. For over time all flat surfaces, empty chairs and out of the way corners accumulate "stuff." Boxes emptied of groceries or Apple deliveries gather here and there. New papers and magazines are sorted into piles for immediate read, later perusal, or future filing for permanent reference. Then too, projects seem to go unfinished to a surprising degree. They need to be kept at hand so that they can be worked on at idle moments or that every lasting period between "Ready" and actual departure time. These projects have to be visible and easily accessed or they disappear into the land of eternal good intentions. The result of all of this is an active, enriching environment to be in. Yet it is not one for company. It might raise too many uncomfortable comments: "I didn't know you still kept your children's grade school art projects? How endearing" or there is a long discourse over repurposing. "You know if you cut and repaint that, you can turn it into a gorgeous planter, flower vase or craft you could sell on eBay." These are all ways that friendships can be strained, and relatives banned from any future visits.

It is so much more pleasant to remove evidence of our "clutter." The solution is "The Big Hide." Take all of these treasures and place them in out of the way storage. Problem solved until the day after. While a small cottage might seem to offer limited opportunities to lose track of things, we have developed an amazing ability to hide beyond our capacity to locate much of our household. This is a rare talent developed from genetic predisposition and a life of practice. Large items are less vulnerable but anything small or of paper that can be mixed with other papers is at high risk. Keys bring panic. A check book can be catastrophic. Desperation can be so extreme that repurchase is less time consuming, less costly, and less stressful. Some items that we don't need immediately go unlocated or disappear entirely like that package of nuts. At least I assume that is what that mouse ravaged package represented. For some items we just assume that we had taken them home last season. Every grand gathering consequently offers several rewards - enjoyable company and the prospect of a future treasure hunt. Call before you drop by.

...submitted by Lindsey Grandison



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