



**Authentic 4th of July PIZZA  
in November - perfect for  
football!**

We will be selling whole 16" cheese (\$15) or pepperoni (\$20) Sunday, the 14th of November from 11 - 12:30 (or until sold out).

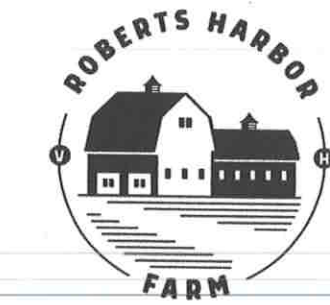
If you prefer, you can order an uncooked pizza and cook later that day or freeze!

Reserve your pizza by email: [Vinalhaven4th@gmail.com](mailto:Vinalhaven4th@gmail.com) OR

order that day at the freight building across from the Fish Plant Parking Lot. We have SOLD out every time so reserve your pizza early!!

**ADULT TRIVIA ANSWER**

Strong winds blowing across the Great Lakes in Autumn.



Thank you amazing Vinalhaven for an over-the-top 2021!

Our farm stand is officially closed for the season to give our soil (and staff) some well-deserved rest.

Stay tuned for pop-ups\* as we have produce and products to share.

You truly are the best.

144 Roberts Cemetery Road  
[www.rhfarmvh.com](http://www.rhfarmvh.com)  
[rhfarmvh@gmail.com](mailto:rhfarmvh@gmail.com)  
[@robertsharborfarm](https://www.instagram.com/robertsharborfarm)

\*(ps. Nov 13!)



**Kids' Trivia Answers**

1. Hens
2. Cranberries
3. Three days

**Vinalhaven Taxi  
207-720-0056**

Ferry/Airstrip connections. Here and there on Vinalhaven.

By reservation or by chance.

Jeanne Bineau-Ames

**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 is back!\***

Friday @ 7 pm

\*cancelled occasionally if short staffed, check our Facebook page for updates

**Order food online @**

[www.sandbarvinalhaven.com](http://www.sandbarvinalhaven.com)

**Cocktails to-go still available!**  
(Order in-person or by phone)

Looking ahead...

Bingo might be back in September...fingers crossed!

**Check our Facebook page for daily specials & slushie flavors**

Are you "game" to try this?

My grandfather Wendel's forehead would sweat when he ate this pudding because it's SO sweet.

**Recipe: "Sweat" Pudding**

1 can condensed milk (not evaporated milk)

Put can in large pot half full of boiling water. DO NOT BOIL DRY.

Boil 3 hours.

Cool. Put in fridge for several hours. Serve with whipped cream. Yummy. CD

P.O. BOX 194, VINALHAVEN, ME 04863

\$50 ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION



THE ISLAND NEWS WEEKLY

November 4 - November 10, 2021

E-MAIL: [vinalhavenwind@gmail.com](mailto:vinalhavenwind@gmail.com)



**Thank you**

I would like to say thank you to my husband Joe, daughter Abigail, Dad, and Mom for all their help and support during my surgery, hospital stay, and recovery that continues. To Megan for support and visits during my hospital stay and all her help when I got home and the many pep talks through it all. Thank you to Autumn and Colette for the hospital visits. Also, to Grammie Rain, Bunk, Kelly, Keel, Brianna, and Ivy for the calls to the hospital and all the help when I got home. To the nurses and Dr. Crosslin at PenBay who realized how serious my condition was and performed a complicated operation to save my life. Thank you to all who have helped along the way and donated to the GoFundMe page friends setup when I got home.

Thanks,  
Elizabeth Martin

**\* THANK YOU \*  
Veterans**

NOV.11

**VETERANS DAY  
SOCIAL GATHERING**  
THURSDAY NOVEMBER 11<sup>TH</sup>  
@ THE LEGION HALL  
4:00-6:00PM

All FULLY-VACCINATED  
veterans & guests are invited  
for cocktails & hors d'oeuvres

**Thank you!**

Many thanks to the EMS, fire department, and concerned bystanders for your help during my accident a couple of weeks ago. The brakes in our old car failed and I made a quick decision to turn right onto the lawn of the American Legion Hall where the granite steps stopped the rolling car. I did this to avoid driving into the Main Street intersection. We are sorry for the damage done to the hall and regret any inconvenience. It will be repaired. We are all grateful that no one was hurt. Vinalhaven is the best!!

Caroline Sontheimer

Place Mailing Label Here

Nov. 5, 1872

Susan B. Anthony was arrested for attempting to vote.

**Moving Sale!**

November 6 & 7

9 a.m.-2 p.m.

16 Clam Shell Alley

Housewares, art work, small wooden trunk, stools, Oaxaca blankets, rag rugs, shredder, CDs, vinyl records, tools, shop vac

**Masks required**

Limited parking-  
Best to walk from Main Street

**Benefit Bingo  
for Julie Haley**

1:00 Sunday Nov 14<sup>th</sup>

At the Legion Hall

Donations accepted and can be dropped off at Linda Oxtan's (703-6138) or at the Legion Hall

11:00 through part of the afternoon Saturday, Nov 13.

**SKÅL!**

A Vinalhaven Speakeasy  
6 Bodwell Lane

November 20  
**First Winter Pop-up!**

*In true speakeasy style, the band name is a secret and you will have to guess or learn on the street who they are. Tickets will sell fast so be a cool cat and buy your tickets now. If you wait it will be tough to get tickets.*

Tickets (\$15) available only online  
[www.islandspeakeasy.com](http://www.islandspeakeasy.com)

## Town of Vinalhaven Information

[www.townofvinalhaven.org](http://www.townofvinalhaven.org)

### Calendar

Select Board – Tuesday, November 9<sup>th</sup> – 5:30pm at the Town Office

Planning Board Meeting – Wednesday, November 10<sup>th</sup> – 7:00 pm at the Town Office

### Notices

**2021-2022 Property Taxes** -Tax bills were mailed out on Sept 1st, 2021. Tax bills are 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 now accruing on the November 1st payment. Please call the Town Office at 863-4471 or 863-4343 for an interest figure.

**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. Otherwise, there is a \$25 late fee. **2022 Licenses can now be issued.**

**2020 Town Reports** are now available. Stop by the Town office to pick one up or contact Town Clerk, **Darlene Candage (207) 863-4343** [townclerk@townofvinalhaven.org](mailto:townclerk@townofvinalhaven.org)

**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](http://townofvinalhaven.org). Free Composting Pails available at the Town Office and Transfer Station.

### Hours of Operation & Contact Information

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

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

Mailing and physical address: 19 Washington School Rd., Vinalhaven, ME 04863

**Town Manager** – **Andrew J. Dorr** – 863-2042; 266-7806; [townmanager@townofvinalhaven.org](mailto:townmanager@townofvinalhaven.org)

**Town Clerk** – **Darlene M. Candage** – 863-4343; [townclerk@townofvinalhaven.org](mailto:townclerk@townofvinalhaven.org)

**Assessor** – **Wes Robinson** – Hours vary, contact 863-2168 or [vinalhavenassessor@gmail.com](mailto: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](mailto:vhceo@townofvinalhaven.org)

**Planning and Community Development** – Contact Town Manager, Andrew Dorr; 863-2042; 266-7806; [townmanager@townofvinalhaven.org](mailto: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** – 863-2063

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

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

**Fire Department** – **Marc Candage** – Emergency 911; Non-Emergency 863-4604 or [mcandage@townofvinalhaven.org](mailto:mcandage@townofvinalhaven.org)

**Ambulance Service** – **Pat Lundholm, Interim Ambulance Director** – Emergency 911; Non-Emergency 863-2119 or [plundholm@townofvinalhaven.org](mailto:plundholm@townofvinalhaven.org)

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

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

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



### Notice of Surveying and Engineering Activity

Surveyors and engineers will be on-island for a few weeks off and on starting this week to begin preparing for 2022-23 capital improvement projects at the Transfer Station (new layout and retaining wall) and on Main Street from the ferry terminal to Water Street (new sidewalks, drainage, water main, sewer system upgrades, and more). Crews will also be working to gather information for planning purposes at the Meadow, the Vinal Cove stream crossing by the Chapel and the Grange, and along the High Street sidewalk.

This surveying and engineering work may last a few weeks so you are likely to see crews around, and now you'll know why they are here! Please direct any questions or concerns to Town Manager Andrew Dorr (207) 863-2042 [townmanager@townofvinalhaven.org](mailto:townmanager@townofvinalhaven.org)

### COVID-19 FINANCIAL HELP

#### Unemployment Benefit for Self-employed People

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

[www.maine.gov/unemployment](http://www.maine.gov/unemployment)

#### General Assistance (GA)

A program to help cover costs for basic needs like food, housing, and utilities. Contact **Andrew Dorr, 207-863-2042** [townmanager@townofvinalhaven.org](mailto:townmanager@townofvinalhaven.org)

### At the Vinalhaven Fire Station! Little Food Pantry

The Little Free Pantry is now located at the Vinalhaven fire house. Groceries are available 24/7. For more information, call Pam 863-2022.

*Donations are welcomed.*

## Union Church

~ Welcomes You ~

**Service 11:00am**

**Rev. Jeffrey Lewis**

We are meeting in-person and on Zoom

Please contact **Betsy Walsh at 4124** for Zoom link information

If you would like to donate to Union Church, donations can be mailed to PO Box 249 or visit our website at [unionchurchvh.com](http://unionchurchvh.com)

**Pastoral Care**  
**Rev. Jeffrey Lewis**



*Ephesians 2:8-9*

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

### Silent Meditation

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



**Pastor Jeff Winters**

#### SUNDAY

**9:30—Sunday School**  
Children (Pre-K to 5<sup>th</sup>) 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 5<sup>th</sup>)

#### THURSDAY

**6-7 PM—Youth Group** (4<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup>)

**ALL ARE WELCOME!**

20 Fellowship Drive  
863-9944  
[www.obbc-vinalhaven.org](http://www.obbc-vinalhaven.org)



**Pleasant River Chapel**  
**Sunday, November 7<sup>th</sup>**

**Communion Sunday**  
**Sue O'Dell will deliver the message.**

**Service will be held on Zoom and in person at the chapel.**

**Fellowship time at 8:30, service at 9:00**

**All are welcome**

For Zoom log-in info, email [pleasantriverchapel@gmail.com](mailto:pleasantriverchapel@gmail.com)

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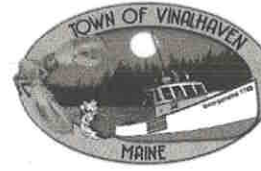
**For pastoral care:**  
**Bob Candage 863-4943**

### Jingle Bells

The forms are ready and available at the Union Church counter. Deadline is Nov 17. Donations to the Jingle Bells Fund can be sent to:

Jingle Bells  
c/o Union Church  
P. O. Box 249  
Vinalhaven, ME





# Town of Vinalhaven

19 Washington School Rd  
Vinalhaven, Maine 04863  
Phone - 207-863-2042  
Fax - 207-863-4393

[townmanager@townofvinalhaven.org](mailto:townmanager@townofvinalhaven.org)

# VH SCHOOL NEWS!



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**Friday, November 5** is an **early release day**, so students dismiss at **11:30 a.m.** Teachers will spend the afternoon in staff development trainings.

**Sunday** night is the beginning of Daylight Saving Time, so we all get an "extra" hour of sleep.

Since it's the end of the 1<sup>st</sup> quarter, Vinalhaven students and parents are welcome to enjoy that extra hour with a **movie** in the school auditorium. **6:00 p.m., Sunday, November 7.** Interested? Watch for details this week on the school facebook page.

### Basketball is approaching

If you are interested in helping coach basketball at Vinalhaven School, please send an email to Sandy Nelson at [Sandy.Nelson@VinalhavenSchool.org](mailto:Sandy.Nelson@VinalhavenSchool.org). Coaches are required to fill out a simple application and have current fingerprinting. Questions about coaching requirements or job opportunities at Vinalhaven School go to Tina Davidson at [Tina.Davidson@VinalhavenSchool.org](mailto:Tina.Davidson@VinalhavenSchool.org)

Thank you,

Dr. Monte Selby, Principal

November Dates
<b>Friday, Nov 5</b> Early release at 11:30. Teacher workshop in afternoon.
<b>Friday, Nov 5</b> Quarter 1 ends
<b>Thursday, Nov 11</b> Veterans Day, no school
<b>Wednesday, Nov 17</b> School Board meeting
<b>Thursday Nov 18</b> Parent/teacher conferences
<b>Friday Nov 19</b> End of Fall Trimester (prek-3)
<b>Monday, Nov 22</b> Varsity basketball practices begin
<b>Monday, Nov 22</b> Scholastic Book Fair
<b>Tuesday, Nov 23</b> Scholastic Book Fair
<b>Wednesday Nov 24</b> No school
<b>Thursday, Nov 25</b> Thanksgiving
<b>Fri, Nov 26</b> No school

**Kids' Trivia**

1. What are female turkeys called?
2. What famous Thanksgiving fruit bounces?
3. How long did the first Thanksgiving feast last?

**ADULT TRIVIA**

What is the Witch November or November Witch?

**Nov. 10, 1915**

In central Kansas, the sky rained ducks after a tornado killed hundreds of them.

## Job Opportunities

### Ambulance Director (FT)

The Town of Vinalhaven EMS squad is a Basic Service, licensed to the paramedic level. Currently, there are three advanced EMTs on the squad. Our service averages approximately 200 calls per year, with 65% transported to the mainland. We pride ourselves on offering the same quality of care that one would expect on the mainland, despite our remoteness. We are looking for a director who can support our good work and improve on it while balancing the administrative responsibilities and emergency calls.

Our community is seeking someone that is committed to serving others, willing to embrace challenges, and able to enhance our service. This is a full-time position that offers paid vacation and sick time, health, dental and retirement contributions, and a salary range of \$44,720 to \$50,960, commensurate with experience.

### Deputy Clerk (FT or PT)

This position involves significant public contact and working with town staff and volunteers. The Town Office is often the first phone call made to figure out what resources or agencies can assist with the public's questions/concerns. This position can be a F/T or P/T position, depending on the candidate's qualifications and desired workload. Work includes assisting committees to maintain public records and assisting with the town's communications. Work is performed under the supervision of the Town Manager subject to applicable State laws and regulation and annual financial audits.

### Public Works Foreman (FT)

The town is looking for someone to lead our public works department. As the Foreman, you will work with the Road Commissioner and alongside our dedicated crew to help maintain our 35+ miles of public roads and sidewalks as well as other town property related maintenance needs. We expect the Foreman to be someone who can lead by example, provide technical training to our department, collaborate with management, and engage with the community relating to projects, ideas, or concerns.

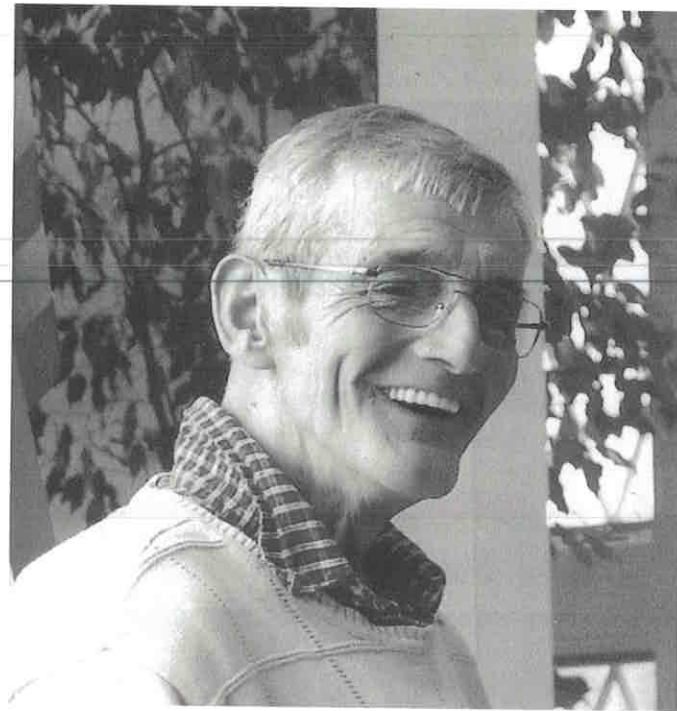
Minimum qualifications include Class II license, 3 years supervisory/management position, and 5 years' experience in paved/gravel road system maintenance/construction. For a full job description, see below, or visit the town's website at [www.townofvinalhaven.org](http://www.townofvinalhaven.org). This position is a F/T, non-exempt, benefited position that will require seasonal/weather-dependent overtime. Compensation is commensurate with experience starting at \$20/hour.

## Volunteer Opportunities

<b>BUDGET COMMITTEE</b> 3 – Members 06/2022	<b>HOUSING COMMITTEE</b> 2 – Members 06/2022	<b>SOLID WASTE, COMPOSTING AND RECYCLING ORDINANCE COMMITTEE</b> 1 – Member 06/2023 2 – Members 06/2024
<b>CEMETERY TRUSTEES</b> 1 - Member 06/2022	<b>LANES ISLAND STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE</b> 4 – Members 06/2022	Please send a letter of interest to the Board of Selectmen if you are interested in serving on any of these Boards or Committees. <b>We need people to step up and serve.</b> Please call Town Manager, Andy Dorr (863-2042) or Town Clerk, Darlene M. Candage (863-4343) if you have questions about any particular committee
<b>DOWNTOWN REVITALIZATION COMMITTEE</b> 3 – Members 06/2024 1 - Member 06/2023	<b>PARK COMMISSION</b> 1 – Member 06/2023	
<b>FERRY TARIFF ADVISORY COMMITTEE</b> 1 – Member 06/2022	<b>PLANNING BOARD</b> 1 - Member 06/2022 1 – Alt. 06/2023	
<b>HARBOR COMMITTEE</b> 1 - Member 06/2022 2 – Alt 06/2023		



Years ago, a certain local taxi driver was paid to pick up the mail and deliver it to the post office. At the same time, as a favor, he grabbed the newspapers for Carlene at The Paper Store. After a while, Carlene decided that, as a way of showing her appreciation, she would give him a copy of the TV Guide free each week. This worked out well for both parties involved; free delivery of newspapers equaled a free TV Guide. Each week, after delivering the papers, our guy scooped up his Guide and out the door he went. One TV Guide morning, however, our driver, who was in a hurry, realized, as he got back into his car, that he had forgotten to grab his freebie. Out of the taxi he ran, up the stairs he bolted, but immediately began to lose his footing. What does one do to prevent a fall? Impulsively, he grabbed the closest thing he could reach! Unfortunately, there was a woman ahead of him. He roughly put his arm around her waist - and with this quick action, proceeded to pull down her pants! (Names withheld to protect the innocent.) L.P.



Dallas Anthony

**PIE** Partners in Island Education's  
Travel & Education Scholarships for  
High School AND Middle School

*It's not too early to start thinking about travel  
and education opportunities!*

The next application deadline for **PIE's** Travel & Education  
Scholarship is **December 15<sup>th</sup>, 2021**

- The scholarships are one-time gifts in the amount of up to \$2500 for high school and up to \$1500 for middle school!
- Awards will vary depending on numerous factors, including strength of the application and number of applicants.
- Scholarship application deadlines are December 15 and May 15 of each year.
- Eligibility – Students currently enrolled at Vinalhaven High School and Middle School are eligible to apply.

For more information, see **PIE's** webpage:

[www.partnersinislandeducation.org/travel-scholarships/](http://www.partnersinislandeducation.org/travel-scholarships/)

[PartnersInIslandEducation@gmail.com](mailto:PartnersInIslandEducation@gmail.com)

Or Emily Davis at school: [emily.davis@vinalhavenschool.org](mailto:emily.davis@vinalhavenschool.org)



**A Moment in Time**

By Richard Flagg

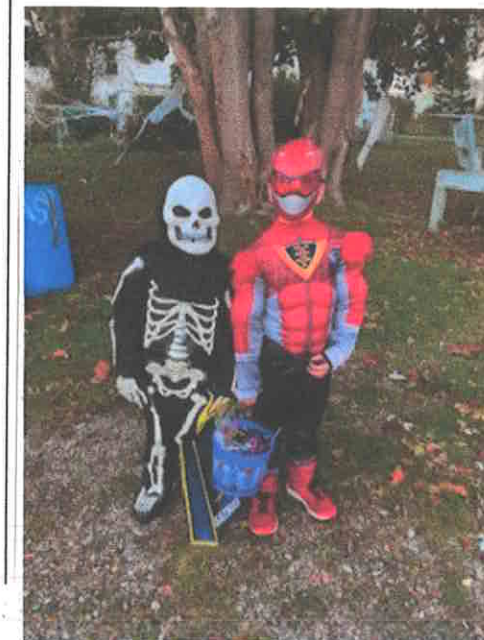
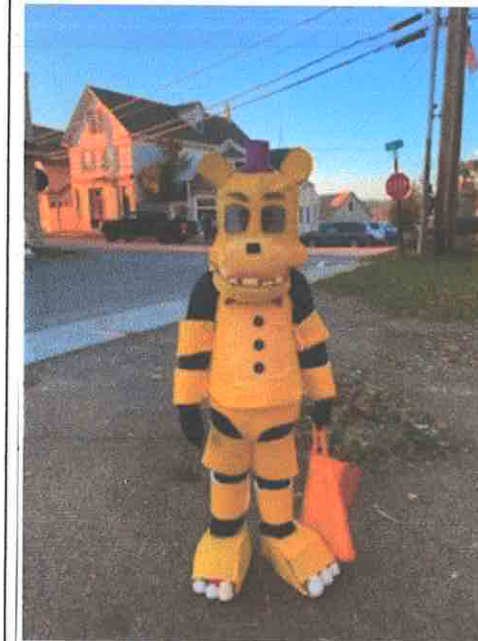
When my two wonderful nieces were young it was a hamburger, french fries, and a coke. When my two wonderful children were young it was Mickey D's, Wendy's, or Captain Crunch with choc milk. Both generations had their "Go To's." Now that they're older, taste buds have changed and the foods they would have laughed and yucked at are a staple of their diet. In time, layered and subtle flavors will truly rule the day. So, it is with music.

Whenever I walked into Mom's kitchen a barely audible but always present stream of Mom's music could be heard over her cooking. "Frank Sinatra," she would swoon. "Did you just hear how he sang that note? Now that was a great singer." As her eyes closed for just a moment, I could see she was free and lost in Frankie's crooner nuances. It affected her emotionally and with a slight shimmer of goose bumps on her arms, physically too. Changing the radio station in HER kitchen was a class B felony.

The kids loved Barney, Raffi, New Kids on the Block, Punk, and now rappers whom I have no idea of the who's who. Each generation has their hamburger, french fries, and a coke music. All filled the void at the time and all if not most have slipped away into memories and yesterdays. The next step in the comfort food of music will be delicate transitional melodic themes and understated textures. This type of music will not be thrown in your face but will allow you to hear new layers within its

melody every time the composition is played. Great music allows you to lose yourself in the crafter's moment. This type of music has no expiration date, no life span, and if it's true, art will stand the test of time. So later in life don't be surprised if you become lost in the music of Beethoven, Mozart, or Rachmaninoff. That style is Classical for a reason.

Carroll Gardens, Brooklyn



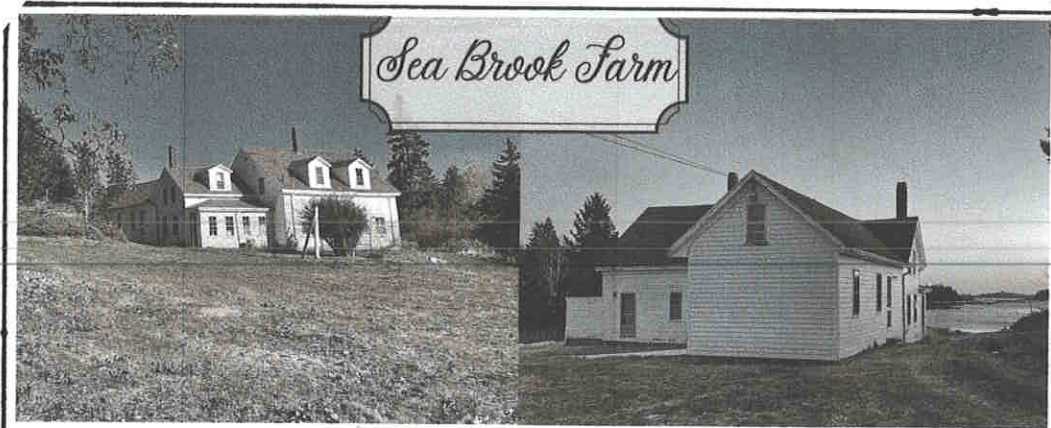
BOO!



**Our Own Extravaganza**

The indomitable Kelly Oxtan held a wonderful Halloween Party for the children of Vinalhaven Sunday evening. It was heartily enjoyed by kids of all ages and their parents. The children received treats, saw a pirate ship, a spooky cemetery with Ghouls included, and lights galore on walkways and in the trees. Many carved pumpkins, and they also entered their own Halloween Raffle for fabulous prizes and played games for prizes as well, all with live music in the background. They were such a hoot to watch! Kelly would like to thank Rachel Noyes, Joanne Hall Brodt, Veronica Ames, Chris Sawyer, Phil Noble, Andy Nelson, and more! What a treat for all!!!!

Paddy Noble



*Sea Brook Farm*

A rare opportunity to own a piece of Vinalhaven history. Sea Brook Farm, once a working dairy farm was built pre 1900's and maintains all of its original charm. Situated with South facing views of Arey Cove, Sheep Island, and beyond this piece of property enjoys walking paths, grazing fields, water access and a granite pier. Superior location, great for year round or summer living. **\$789,000 13 Pooles Hill rd.**



Congratulations to Claire Jackson on earning her Associate Broker license!



Lorraine Walker, Des. Broker  
 Claire Jackson, Assoc. Broker  
 28 W Main St  
 207-863-5151  
**vinalhavenrealty.com**



**Thinking of selling? We'd love to help!**

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 Lisa Shields, Associate Broker ~ Alex Young, Sales Agent  
 207.863.2200 ~ info@davidson-realty.com  
**www.maineislandliving.com**



**Sale Pending!**

**Contemporary Cape.** 1998 3 bdrm year-round home Private wooded setting. Vinyl siding, well insulated. Add your finishing touches. **\$259,000**



**Lot # 4 SOLD!**

**Lot #4 Eastside Woods Subdivision.** Wooded building lot off Poole's Hill Rd. Soil tested, shared right of way. 4.2 acres. Nice location, excellent value! **SOLD!**



**Lot # 5 SOLD!**

**Lot #5 Eastside Woods Subdivision.** Wooded building lot off Poole's Hill Rd. Soil tested, shared right of way. 4.4 acres. Nice location, excellent value! **SOLD!**



**Waterfront Home.** Architect designed one level, 3-bdrm cottage on 55 acres. Granite fireplace, exposed beams, Ramp, float, mooring on Mill River. **\$1,475,000**



**Chestnut Street Classic.** Wonderful year-round home with classic details & waterfront on Carver's Pond. Spacious lot and a very desirable street. **\$550,000**



**Log Home w/ 4.6 acres.** 2001 year-round log home located at the end of a private road. Open concept, 3 bedrooms, 1 bath. Excellent value! **\$295,000**



**Winter Harbor.** 14+ acres w/shared deep-water dock on Calderwood Neck. Soil tested, surveyed, driveway in place. CE in place. Beautiful land. **\$579,000**



**The Privilege.** 32 acres with waterfront on the Privilege. Existing roadbed, soil tested, & surveyed. Potential for multiple cabins. Many possibilities! **\$429,000**



**SENIOR PROFILE CLASS OF 2022**

**Name:** Kyra (Kyr) Day

**Age/Birthday:** 17/August 22nd

**Parents/siblings:** Megan and Kenneth Day, Douglas and Jackson Day

**Hobbies:** Creating Characters, Playing the Sims 4

**Favorite book/movie/TV show:** Floor is Lava

**Favorite game:** The Sims 4

**A favorite childhood memory:** Halloween Night, all of them.

**If you could spend one year after school doing anything you want, where and what would it be?** I wanna be a child again.

**Favorite athlete(s) / sports team(s):** N/A

**If you could visit one place in the world, where would it be and why?** Florida, because it was fun.

**Favorite song/band:** Dandelions by Ruth B

**Favorite animal(s):** Fox

**Favorite food:** Cookies and Cream Ice Cream

**Just for fun, I:** get a lot of stuffed animals.

**Favorite high school course:** Art

**Best school memory:** The holiday stations in elementary school.

**In school, what would you be voted most likely to do?** Working on personal projects in between assignments.

**If you could spend one day with someone living or dead, who would it be and why?** MaryAnn; I like MaryAnn.

**Future plans:** N/A



**With Appreciation**

Thank you to all who came out on a drizzly Saturday to celebrate the publication of Avrum's new book, *Hidden in Plain Sight: How Men's Fears of Women Shape Their Intimate Relationships*. Your many book purchases will help us donate a tidy sum to the *Friends of Vinalhaven Library*. Thank you to Elaine Crossman for the use of the Windy Way Barn at New Era Gallery, to Cocina 68 for the seamless catering with delicious hors d'oeuvres, and to Island Spirits for excellent wine choices. Lots of fun, lively discussion, and community support. We thank you!

Avrum Weiss & Michelle Tullier



**Deer Hunting Season**

**Archery/Crossbow:** Sept. 11-Dec. 11  
**Firearms:** Nov. 1-27  
**Muzzleloaders:** Nov. 29-Dec. 11  
**Youth Day:** Oct. 23  
**Maine Resident Only Day:** Oct. 30 (firearms)

Hikers, please be aware that hunting season with firearms is here! Hunters are welcome on all Vinalhaven Land Trust and Maine Coast Heritage Trust preserves. Hikers and hunters both: please be safe! Wear blaze orange when in the woods during hunting season, and make sure your dog has an orange scarf or vest as well.

Thank you! MCHT and VLT  
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## Obituary

Charles Harrison Miller, Sr., passed away October 14, 2021. He was born January 13, 1929 in Norwell, Massachusetts to the late Spencer and Lillian Miller.

Charles served in the US Navy and came to Sarasota, Florida in 1954 from Norwell, Massachusetts. He was a Christian and a gifted entrepreneur and contractor in the glass and aluminum business. He owned Miller Glass Service for 30 years and at one time held the world record for the largest gray glass ever installed in the United States. He was a founding member of the Sarasota Sheriff's Mounted Horse Posse and he ran for Sarasota County Sheriff back in the day. His passion was his family, but he enjoyed boating and his horses as well. He was an avid pilot of both single engine land aircraft and helicopters. He brought aviation to the Sarasota and Manatee Sheriffs' departments. Charles leased and operated his helicopters to both law enforcement offices. He had two helicopters configured as air ambulances for their use as well. The helicopters were housed in the Miller family front yard in Sarasota.

Charles and Patricia had a deep love of the island of Vinalhaven, Maine and all the people on the island. They bought and operated the E. G. Carver & Son grocery store and also the Candlepin Bowling Alley, which they ran for a few years and then turned the lanes into apartments because they felt there was a need for rental housing on the island. They are missed dearly by the people on the island.

Left to cherish his memory are: his sons, Charlie Miller, Jr. and his wife Betty and James Miller; his sister Nancy Bennett; his brother Nelson Miller; his grandchildren Shannon Young, Joshua Carter, Jessica and her husband Matt DeLoach, and Caitlyn Miller. Charles leaves behind seven great-grandchildren: Amanda McConnell; Lily, Ansley, and Claire DeLoach; Ellie Rogers; and Kenzie and Bryson Miller.

In addition to his parents, Charles was predeceased by his wife Patricia, his daughter Susan, his brother Spencer, Jr., his brother Avery, his granddaughter Christy, and his grandson Christopher Miller, Jr.

There will be a graveside service with Military Honors to be held on Monday, November 1, 2021 at 1:00pm at Sarasota National Cemetery, 9810 SR 72, Sarasota, Florida 34241. Memories and condolences may be left online at [www.MFHcares.com](http://www.MFHcares.com).



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**Tuesday 7:00PM**

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Hey everyone! Our season wrapped up a few weeks ago so I just want to take some time to thank everyone that was involved. I want to thank all the parents for all they did this season. I know the schedule can be crazy at times but thanks again for your patience. I want to thank the staff and admin that helped make this season run as smooth as it did. Lastly, but most importantly I would like to thank the players! We were such a young team but we played with so much heart! I feel like all of you as players grew so much this year! Thanks for making this a season to remember! I'm excited to see what the future has in store for soccer here on Vinalhaven!

Thanks, RJ & Sarah James

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VINALHAVEN – Patricia Ann Pierce Nick was born on December 28, 1928 in Bedford MA. She died on September 29, 2021 at the age of 92 at the Ivan Calderwood Homestead on Vinalhaven.

Pat was the wife of Don Nick, an architect for Public Works in New York City. Pat also attended the Boston Museum School of Fine Arts and graduated as a Graphic Arts History major in 1958.

She would go on to work at M.I.T in publications, and the Ringling Museum of Art Education through the mid-sixties before going on to the Directorship of the Cedar Rapids Art Museum from 1965 to 1967. She was also the Executive Director of the New England Association of Museums and Director of the International Graphic Arts Foundation.

In 1985, Pat became the founder and Director of the Vinalhaven Press. The Press published over 80 editioned works, many of which were collected and exhibited in major museums throughout the world.

Pat was a dynamic person who knew how to make things happen. She was a mentor and friend to fledging artists, printers, and printmakers.

Pat loved to travel and went all over the world “just to see it.” She also loved to party and entertain. Her porch on Lanes Island was a favorite place to view July 4<sup>th</sup> fireworks.

She was much loved and will be missed.

Predeceased by her parents, her husband Don, her sister Lori Pierce, her nephew Ethan Adair, and her niece Elizabeth Teal, she is survived by her brother, Robin Adair, and his wife Cheryl, her sister, Linda Pierce, her nieces, Tiffanie Conchola and her husband Roman, Autumn Hwang and her husband Chris, her nephews, Ian Adair and his wife, Julia, Hiram Adair, Owen Adair, and eight great nieces and nephews.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Vinalhaven Elder Care Services, P.O. Box 624, Vinalhaven, ME 04863 or online at <https://vinalhaveneldercare.org>.

There will be a celebration of Pat’s life at a later date that will be announced.

To share a memory or condolence with Pat’s family, please visit their Book of Memories at [bchfh.com](http://bchfh.com)

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





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### UPDATES

The swap shop reopened Saturday, October 30th at the old Net Factory, following a considerable effort headed by Amy Lear.

Banner Moffat constructed the center piece that divides the massive cavern into smaller, shelved units. Craig Lear took on multiple tasks – cleaning, building racks for clothes, and doing a multitude of other tasks. Heather Swears joined Amy for many hours receiving goods, weighing them, sorting them, and setting them in an organized and attractive display.

On opening day, 54 people visited, not counting children. All wore masks, and patiently waited to go in when the 10 person limit had been reached. Some folks left with armloads of goods, others with an item or two. All were pleased and appreciative of the opportunity to give a second home to their lightly used items or to find a treasure or simple need among the goods. Some have volunteered to take a shift now and then as shopkeeper. Altogether 4500 pounds of items were dropped off for the Swap Shop opening!

### DONATION GUIDELINES

Donation Drop Off Saturdays 9am-1pm or by Appointment Only

#### CURRENTLY ACCEPTING

clothing, household items (in working order), books and puzzles, toys, tools, small pieces of furniture

#### NOT ACCEPTING

electronics (TVs, computers, phones), large stuffed furniture (sofas, recliners), construction leftovers (doors, tiles, shingles, pipe, etc.) large appliances such as washing machines, broken or dirty items

**GOT QUESTIONS? NEED TO MAKE AN APPOINTMENT?**  
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For more info, contact:  
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Phone: (207) 863-4341 x.1122  
Email: [adebow@icmsvh.org](mailto:adebow@icmsvh.org)

#### Notice

*The WINDS* are now available online and at local businesses, and *The WIND* boxes at the ferry terminal, Todd's Garage, and in front of the post office. Thanks to the ladies at the Town Office for their help!

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**Job Opening Vinalhaven Land Trust**

VLT is seeking a part-time Programs & Communications Coordinator. The job is currently 20-24 hours per week, and could increase depending on experience and interest. There is some scheduling flexibility.

The Coordinator oversees our programming and communication activities including Environmental Education and Outreach, and VLT's newsletter and Facebook page.

We are seeking a detail-oriented team member who enjoys interacting with the public and values Vinalhaven's natural heritage. You should be comfortable with computers, especially MS Office. Experience with Dropbox, and social media is desired, but training can be provided.

See the full description on our website [vinalhavenlandtrust.org](http://vinalhavenlandtrust.org), or FMI reach out to Linnell Mather, at 863-2543 or [linnell.mather@vinalhavenlandtrust.org](mailto:linnell.mather@vinalhavenlandtrust.org)

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**Meals on Wheels**  
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**WIND INFORMATION AD SUBMISSIONS**

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**Prayer for a niece's All Hallow's Eve Viking Wedding officiated by my brother Bill Morrissey**

**Hear Me Vikings All**

We have not come riding in with Odin to pillage or to plunder but to pray that he will open all our hearts on this most glorious day

May he let son Thor rain upon you the thunder of hearts beating fast as when lovers grow near, and steal only pain and sorrow from your eyes

And no one here will trample or spread fear, none draw a sword for war or shout the battle cry, for this day was made for loving and the sharing of a meal, we gather here to praise love not to die

So let us not cross swords today, but lend our strength to these two standing here before us, that they may feel the love we offer and carry it with them to the end of days.

Paddy Noble



**THE OBSERVER**

We used to rent the little cape down by the old ball ground. It was called 'The Bucket', short for 'The Bucket of Blood', something about an ancient murder or suicide, a sobering but constant and compelling reflection for a twelve-year-old at any rate. The house only had five little rooms. At any moment I was likely standing in the very spot where something terrifying had happened. Not long after we moved in, we gathered around the little wooden table in the small dining area off the kitchen—me, little brother Dick, littler brother Dave & much littler brother Matt, for Saturday night baked beans, cole slaw, rolls and hot dogs, as was our custom. The table backed up against a white door of vertical boards, with a black thumb latch. The door opened to cramped wooden stairs leading up to the little attic overhead. On this, our first Saturday in 'The Bucket', we settled in to enjoy dinner and I had just slathered a hot dog with mustard & relish.

But then we all heard footsteps in the attic. The footsteps began to come down the stairs. My chair was right next to the door.

The latch lifted and the door opened. A form appeared and settled on the stairs.

After a minute Dad got up, came over to the steps and asked, "Would you like a hot dog?" The form seemed to chuckle but didn't move. It didn't seem threatening so we ate our dinner and eventually it faded away but joined us again the following week and for weeks after. We named him Uncle Tim. pc



Islands Community Medical Services

*Our Medical Center*

**Medical Center Information**  
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 Dental Services: 863-2533  
 Counseling: 837-4057  
 Billing: (603) 782-8374

**Hours of Operation**

**Medical Services**

Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri: 8am – 12noon, 1pm – 4pm  
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**Dental Services**

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**Counseling**

Dan Keniston, LCSW  
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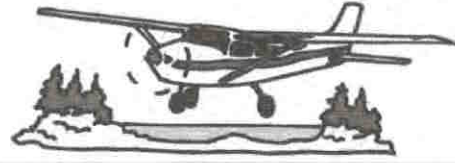
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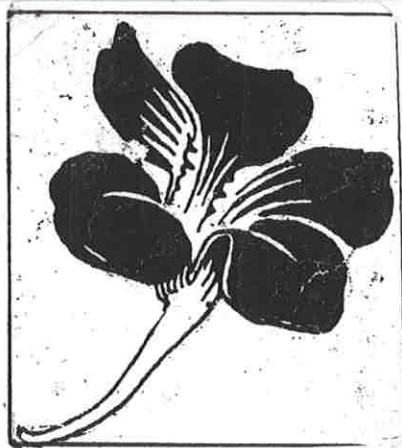
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## Tidbits from the Vinalhaven Historical Society

The first meeting in the new American Legion Home will be held Nov. 10. The Auxiliary Housekeepers who will serve the supper at 5:30 are Mary Duncan, Ada Creed and Estelle Brown.  
*Courier-Gazette Nov. 5, 1938*

**Armistice Day program** under the auspices of the American Legion will include a picture at the Memorial Hall both afternoon and evening featuring Gloria Swanson, preceded by a two-reel comedy. Dancing will follow with music by the Fakers Prizes will be given. The committee: H. L. Coombs, Chairman, assisted by Walker Fifield. Assistance from the auxiliary provided by Mrs. Ada Creed, Mrs. Hazel Roberts and Mrs. Elvie Teele  
*Courier-Gazette Nov. 10, 1931*

**Capt. L. B. Dyer**, 1st Lieut. Roy Ames and 2nd Lieut. William Chilles returned Thursday from New York where they attended the National Guard School of Instruction.  
*June 21, 1924*

**Dr. Spear** was in town Wednesday to perform an operation upon Joseph Doane, son of William Doane, for appendicitis.  
*Courier-Gazette Nov. 19, 1912*

**Bream trawler Billow** arrived Friday with 200,000 lbs. of fish, which was unloaded at Lane & Libby's Fisheries Co. in 28hrs. This was the first craft of its kind to enter our harbor as was shown by demonstration of whistles, however a much larger fare of fish has been landed which make it seem a common occurrence  
*October 1919*

**Kenneth A. Polk, 20**, of Vinalhaven, re-enlisted in the U. S. Army, 2d Engr. Brig., with rank of Private. He was sworn in on Aug 18, 1948 and will report to Fort Worden, WA as his initial assignment. Private Polk is a son of Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Polk. He is a veteran of Troop "D" 22d Constabulary Squadron in Germany and is entitled to wear the Army of Occupation Medal & WWII Victory Medal. **Ralph O. Knowlton, 20**, gets the same assignment. He is a son of Mr. & Mrs. Llewellyn Knowlton and a veteran of USS Mattaponi in the U. S. Navy.  
*Aug. 27, 1948*

**The skating rink** at the Town Hall, under the management of Messrs. Landers, Vinal and Billings, opened Thursday evening. Music was furnished by the Vinalhaven Band. The rink will be open Monday and Thursday evening and on Saturday afternoon and evenings.  
*Courier-Gazette Nov. 9, 1915*



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**Q: When does enrollment start?**

**A:** Open enrollment begins November 1, 2021 and ends January 15, 2022.

If you enroll by 12/15/21, your new policy will be effective on 1/1/22. If you enroll by 1/15/22, your new policy will be effective on 2/1/22.

As of October 15, you can begin looking at plan options without actually creating an account, and the information won't be saved. On November 1, you will need to create an account and complete the application to have plan options appear.

**Q: What if I do nothing?**

**A:** You will automatically be enrolled in a plan that closest matches your current plan. If you are automatically enrolled, it **DOES NOT** guarantee that your current provider is covered. We strongly encourage all to go in and shop for plans that cover your provider as well as prescriptions.

**Q: Do I need to make an account, even if I have one through healthcare.gov?**

**A:** Yes, you do. This is a new system that will need you to create a new account with your current information.

**Q: What if my application results say I qualify for MaineCare?**

**A:** You should fill it out and it will automatically be sent to DHHS for review. If they deny MaineCare coverage you can go back to CoverME.gov and complete your application.

**Q: What if I have questions about CoverME.gov?**

**A:** You can call Leslie Dyer at ICMS for help enrolling in CoverME.gov at 863-4341 ext. 1114 or 466-5089.

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Quarry Temperatures  
Booth's Quarry - 59° (P.R.)  
Lawson's Quarry - 59° (M.R.)

### Community Calendar

**MONDAYS:** Community Lunch  
Box, 11 am, UC Delivery  
*Only, will post if canceled*  
**WEDNESDAYS:** Meals on  
Wheels, *Delivery Only, will  
post if canceled*

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UC: Union Church

Email events  
to: [windnonprofitads@gmail.com](mailto:windnonprofitads@gmail.com)

### Word of the Year!

Oxford English  
Dictionary's 2021 Word  
of the Year is:

**Vax**

"a colloquialism  
meaning either vaccine  
or vaccination as a  
noun and vaccinate as  
a verb."

### Christmas Bazaar

Nov 27, 10-2  
Union Church Vestry



## Vinalhaven Girls Varsity Soccer

The 2021 Girls Varsity season ended with a play-off game loss to a strong Buckfield team on Oct. 22. The team ended the season with a record of 2-8, but what the record does not reflect is the amount of growth exhibited by each individual player and the team as a whole.

Our four returning seniors, Myra Mills, Ingrid Stockman, Anastacia Simpson, and Jazmyn Robishaw stepped up and led the team with a strong example of hard work, poise, and perseverance. Jazmyn was a monster at goalie, with several games where she marked more than 20 saves! Myra at sweeper, with a short stint at striker which earned her 5 goals this season, led our defense with experience and confidence. Both Myra and Jazmyn earned a spot on the East-West All Star team, voted in by the other coaches in our league. Ingrid dominated the center midfield position, running the whole field in every game. Ana started the season helping us fill in our defensive deficit and then moved back to her more familiar position of midfield where she marked a couple of goals this season. Emilie Osgood and Bella Tolman bravely joined the team this year as juniors, proving it's never too late in high school to try something new. We relied on them consistently up top and at outside midfield, both proving they could hold their own. Their classmate Callie Warren joined us late in the season to give us a much-needed substitute and to reclaim her spot at striker from several years ago. Audrey Anthony started strong for us at fullback but was sidelined with a knee injury for the second half of the season. While our other 10th grader, Makayla Boody was another new addition to the team (and soccer) who showed a natural talent for ball control right off the bat. Our sole 9th grader, Kailyn Hufsey, may have been hesitant to join us, but certainly showed she could push her way to that ball and protect it for all she was worth! Lastly our three 8th graders, Becca Osgood, Amy Rickers, and Lydia Wentworth ended up being our defensive line, led by Myra. They had their work cut out for them, but the learning curve was steep and they were so fun to watch back there!

Small school sports can't always be about winning, and these girls proved that it is so much more! They worked hard, groaned at me for making them run, laughed with and encouraged each other, and they never gave up! Thank you so much for coming out and supporting them. There is nothing more "fall" to me than seeing the islanders at the field on a Saturday morning for some Vinalhaven soccer. It was so fun to see that again this year. Looking forward to next fall!



## Vinalhaven Boys Soccer Report

This past Monday the Vinalhaven High School Boys' Soccer Team finished their season with a tournament loss to Searsport. The team ended with a regular season record of 3-5-1 with two victories over Valley, a victory over Greater Portland Christian, and an end of the season overtime tie with Temple in the pouring rain.

The team was captained by Lincoln Dennison (senior), Von Jones (senior), and Colby Beverage (senior). The leading scorer this year was Ira Stockman (freshman) with Robbie Swears (junior) just one goal behind but leading the team with shots on goal. The team's goalkeeper was Tanner Lazaro (sophomore) who amassed an amazing 150 saves throughout the season. The heart and soul of the team were midfielder Kyle Grant (junior) and defender Sam Wentworth (junior) who always found themselves in the middle of the action. Defender Parker Dickinson (sophomore) played every minute of every game which is a testament to his value to the team. Striker Trey Goodrich (junior) was a force to be reckoned with despite having an injury riddled season. Newcomers Payton Warren (sophomore) and Chad Lazaro (freshman) made awesome contributions to the team, improved greatly, and are on the right track to become great soccer players.

The team was coached by Richie Carlsen and Dan Ganoza who would like to thank the island for their support and give a special thanks to those parents and fans who cheered us on each game and made the trip to support us when we played away.

