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July & August

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Tuesday – Saturday
beginning at 5:15pm
by reservation

book online with resy or call 207-863-2300

ADAIR SCALLOPS – big,
local, frozen 1 lb. pkgs. In town
Saturday a.m. & Monday
afternoon or call 863-4926 for
pick-up. \$20/lb.



This week:
Open Thursday-Saturday
Closed Sunday to celebrate
the life of Connor Lazaro.

The Sand Bar

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

Trivia is back!*
Friday @ 7 pm

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

Order food online @
www.sandbarvinalhaven.com
Cocktails to-go still available!
(Order in-person or by phone)
Check our Facebook page for
daily specials & slushie flavors

Sonya & Bernice

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

Bernice: Open Thursday – Saturday 10am-3pm

P.O. BOX 194, VINALHAVEN, ME 04863

ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION: \$55



August 25 – August 31, 2022

E-MAIL: vinalhavenwind@gmail.com

*Bunny Sheppard would love
to hear from her friends.
She is at...*

Harbor Hill Nursing Care Center
2 Footbridge Lane
Belfast, ME 04915

**Thursday Night Bean
Supper at the Union
Church – this will be the
last one of the season!**

August 25th at 6PM
\$10, all you can eat!

The Restorative Justice Project – Maine

has released fall dates for
Volunteer Training. Please visit:
www.rjpmidcoast.org for more
information or call:
(207) 338-2742

FOUND: a 3/8-inch-wide
sterling silver or white
gold band. It may be a
wedding band. There is
an inscription inside the
band. Found on Sunday
8/21/22 on the Story Trail
in the Basin Preserve. Call
Marti at 207-863-4555 or
518-605-2015

National Park Service Founders Day – August 25th

Recognizing the amazing conserva-
tion and preservation efforts of the
National Park System, working hard
to provide natural outdoor resource
accessible to every American.

Community Lunch Box!

Starting Monday, Sept. 19th
Take-Out & Eat-IN
Please call Candi if planning on
eating at the church 863-2001
Donations welcomed

Free to a good home...

**1972 Cape Dory 28 Sloop
Wonderful Family Boat!**

At Brown's Boat Yard in North
Haven. Boat and Sails in good
condition. Engine needs work.

Call Rick @ 863-9369

Legion Yard Sale

The Legion is holding our final
yard sale on Saturday, August 27
from 9 – 1:00, at the legion hall.
This is a donation sale. Every-
thing must go. No reasonable
offers will be refused. Please
come support our veterans.

Place Mailing Label Here

*I am so happy to report
that knights in shining
armor helping damsels in
distress still exist in this
normally unchivalrous
world, as I found out a few
days ago when Brent
(don't know his last name)
materialized out of the
blue to help me change a
flat tire. I had no idea how
I was going to deal with
this crisis and there he
was. I am so grateful to
you, Brent. Hope to be
able to say it again in
person someday!*
Penelope Lord

*Shirley Orcutt has been in
several hospitals being
treated for lung issues for
two months and getting the
best of care. Cards and notes
from family and friends may
be sent to:*

Shirley Orcutt
C/O Mass General Hospital
55 Fruit Street
Blake Building, Room 70 MICU
Boston, MA 08114

*We all wish her a speedy
recovery so she can return
home.
Love, her bubble friends!*

Town of Vinalhaven Information

www.townofvinalhaven.org

Calendar

Select Board Meeting – Tuesday, August 30th @ 5pm.

Pre-Planning Board Meeting – Wednesday, September 7th @ 7pm.

Select Board Meeting – Tuesday, September 13th @ 5pm.

Notices

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

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

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

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

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

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

Hours of Operation & Contact Information

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

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

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

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

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

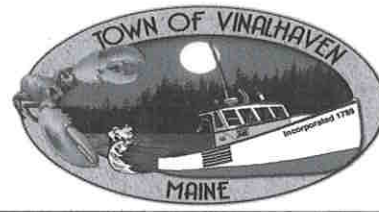
Fire Department – Marc Candage – Emergency 911; Non-Emergency 863-4604 or mcandage@townofvinalhaven.org

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



Vinalhaven Town office is hiring: Deputy Clerk

This position involves significant public contact and working with the 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. The position can be a F/T or P/T position, depending on the candidates' 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.

For a more detailed job description, please look on your website.

To apply, please submit a cover letter, resume, and contact information for three references to:

Marjorie Stratton, Town Manager
19 Washington School Road, Vinalhaven, ME 04863

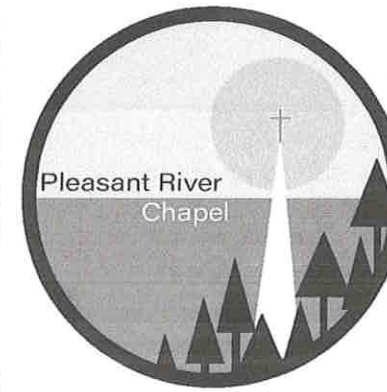
(207) 863-2042 Office | (207) 266-7806 Cell | (207) 863-4393 Fax

townmanager@townofvinalhaven.org
Website: www.townofvinalhaven.org

The Town of Vinalhaven is in search of an electrician and a carpenter to take care of repairs on the Public Works building. Work will entail moving electrical conduits, rebuilding a door frame, ordering and installing a new door, and some siding replacement.

Please see, call or email
Millie (863-2063) or
email vhdpw@townofvinalhaven.org.

The Board would like to announce the hiring of Marjorie Stratton as the new town manager. Marjorie filled in on an interim basis while we conducted a search for a new town manager and thankfully decided to apply for the full time role. Marjorie has done a great job in both as the interim and now town manager and we all look forward to working with her on current and future projects for Vinalhaven. Please join us in congratulating Marjorie on her new (old) role. The Board would also like to apologize for the delay of this



Pleasant River Chapel

Sunday, August 28

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
pleasanriverchapel@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

Silent Meditation

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

Union Church

~Welcomes You~

Sunday Services
11:00 am

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Sue O'Dell
~

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 Jeffrey Lewis



Our Lady of Peace Catholic Mass

Saturdays at 9AM
Union Church

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



Pastor Jeff Winters

SUNDAY

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

10:30—Fellowship Time

11:00—Worship Service
Nursery Available

WEDNESDAY

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

THURSDAY

6-7 PM—Youth Group
(4th to 12th)

ALL ARE WELCOME!

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

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

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



ISLAND TICKS

pest control
• 837-7011 •

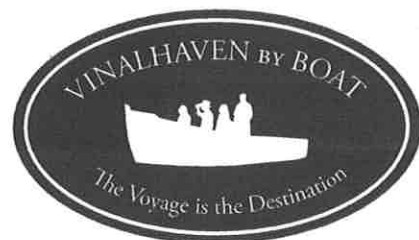
- Ticks (*organic treatments into October*)
- Ants
- Wasps
- Mice & More

If you have a pest, we have a solution!

Charlie & Erica Simpson
islandticks@gmail.com

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Harbor 20 Sailboat for Sale

Harbor 20 hull #244 purchased in 2006. Seasonally used in Maine, shrink wrapped, and well maintained by JO Brown's boat yard in North Haven, Maine off season. Sails replaced in last three years, original solar, 3hp engine still operating well. Currently in the water and available for viewing in Vinalhaven, Maine. \$15,000
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Mollycashin@gmail.com
Tel. 207-368-2342

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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.

Submit to the Wind!

We are looking for stories, anecdotes, recipes, images, shout outs, etc. to include in *THE WIND*. If you have something to share, we would love to include it in future WINDs. Please send to: vinalhavenwind@gmail.com

SECOND HAND PROSE

OPEN

Monday-Saturday
10-4

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

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

All sales support
Friends of the Vinalhaven Public Library

Vinalhaven Eldercare Services presents: LABOR DAY LOBSTER DINNER

Sunday, September 4th
starting at 5PM

Celebrate the end of summer with a yummy lobster dinner while supporting an essential local organization!

\$25 per dinner

Includes a cooked lobster, ear of corn and side of potato salad

PRE-ORDER only

Pick up or dine in on the wharf

Call Shelby at 603-724-5803

to reserve your dinner

(orders must be placed by Saturday, Sept. 3rd)

"WHAT'S GOING ON AT UNION CHURCH?"

In September Union Church will start a project of preserving and sprucing up the historic community space we love so well. This will involve inspecting and securing the roof, repairing damaged plaster in the walls and ceiling, and applying fresh paint to the sanctuary. We expect the work to take a few weeks and will involve some temporary disruption, including the moving of pews, deploying staging, and relocating some historic paintings to other safe, but prominent spaces as we complete the work. We are not planning changes to our worship times, Bible study or other meetings or events already scheduled. We do not want anyone to be surprised or alarmed when the work starts, and things look different for a while. Thanks in advance for your understanding. If you would like to learn more - or financially support this important project, please contact us at: (207) 863-2598

Faithfully yours,

The Union Church Council



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"The foliage has been losing its freshness through the month of August, and here and there a yellow leaf shows itself like the first gray hair amidst the locks of a beauty who has seen one season too many."

Oliver Wendell Holmes Jr.

AL-ANON

Recovery For Family and
Friends of Alcoholics

12 Step Meetings

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

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

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



Visit the Story Trail and read *Big Truck Little Island* by Chris Van Dusen. This fun tale of island resourcefulness and community is inspired by an incident that happened on Vinalhaven, and is the featured book on our story trail this month. The Story Trail is a joint project of Vinalhaven Reads and Vinalhaven Land Trust and is on VLT's Granite Island Preserve.

Take a hike, read a book!



Adult Trivia - Mysteries

- 1 What is the first name of Agatha Christie's Miss Marple?
- 2 In which book does Sherlock Holmes first appear?
- 3 Which crusading Swedish journalist died in 2004, leaving behind the manuscripts of three now-famous thrillers?
- 4 Who created Inspector Wexford?
- 5 Raymond Chandler forgets to tell us who murdered the chauffeur in *The Big Sleep*. True or False?

Kids Trivia - Outer Space

- 1 Which galaxy are we in?
- 2 What do planets in the solar system orbit around?
- 3 Is the Starfish a constellation?
- 4 Which planet is completely covered by clouds?
- 5 What does "ISS" stand for?



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.



Bird Walks

*Thursdays, June 16 - Sept 15
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.

Salt Marsh Walk

*Friday, September 2nd
Meet at Skoog Park at 9:30am*

Join us to learn more about Vinalhaven's ecologically unique and valuable salt marshes. Please wear appropriate shoes or boots for walking on damp, possibly muddy or slippery terrain, and bring a water bottle and insect repellent, if desired.

Events are **FREE!**

vinalhavenlandtrust.org

Kids Trivia Answers
1 Milky Way Galaxy
2 The Sun
3 No
4 Venus
5 International Space Station

Adult Trivia Answers
1 Jane
2 *A Study in Scarlett*
3 Stieg Larsson
4 Ruth Rendell
5 True

Pickup Soccer

Wednesday & Saturday
5:30pm
At the school field
Through August

High school age and up



TO ALL OUR SUBSCRIBERS AND ADVERTISERS

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

"August is the last flicker of fun and heat before everything fades and dies. The final moments of fun before the freeze. In the winter, everything changes."

Rasmeria Massoud

Community Calendar

- 25: Bean Supper, UC, 6
- 9/4: Hopeful: The Story of MaineWorks, SHMH, 7
- 9/1: VLT Bird walk, SP, 8 am
- 9/2: VLT Salt Marsh Walk, SP, 9:30 am
- 9/8: VLT Bird Walk, SP, 8 am
- 9/15: VLT Bird Walk, SP, 8 am
- 9/24: Drive Through Bean Supper, PRC, 4-6
- 10/1: VLT Coastal Cleanup, SP, 9 am
- 10/22: Harvest Festival, TG, 12-4
- 10/22: Drive Through Bean Supper, PRC, 4-6

Community Lunch Box, UC,
Mondays starting September 19th, eat-in and take-out

PRC: Pleasant River Chapel
SHMH: Smith Hokanson Memorial Hall
SP: Skoog Park
TG: The Grange
UC: Union Church

Email events to:
windnonprofitads@gmail.com

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renata@thelahnergroupp.com

www.thelahnergroupp.com



THE
LAHNER GROUP
LLC

Tidbits from the Vinalhaven Historical Society

Forrest W. Sprague, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sprague celebrated his 3rd birthday by entertaining a group of friends. Those present: Karen Lloyd, Roseanne Greenlaw, Billy and Bonnie Jo Mills, Larry and Sharon Oakes, Cheryl Headley, Larry Coombs, Brenda, Blanche and John Beckman, Sandra Webster, Ivan Olson, Deborah Renna, Leanette Guptill, Roberta and Robert Sprague, Jr., Linda Lou Whittington and their mothers. Also present were Mrs. Elsie MacDonald, Mrs. Ruth Gray, Mrs. Verna Newbold; Forrest's grandmother, Albra Whittington and great-grandmother Mrs. Forrest Oakes. Refreshments of birthday cake, made by his grandmother Mrs. Albra Whittington, and ice cream were served. *Aug. 28, 1952*

Mrs. C. E. Bowman entertained the "Soap Club" at her home Wednesday afternoon and evening. Supper was on the lawn under the trees. The menu included cold meats, salads, rolls, assorted cake, pies, pickles, tea, coffee, and fruit besides other dainties. Croquet was a favorite game. The phonograph selections were also much enjoyed and altogether it was one of the most enjoyable meetings the club has had. *Aug. 21 1906*

A picnic was held Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George R. Poole. In the company were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Raymond, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Brown, Maurice & Frank Brown, Phyllis, Carolyn & Harold Alley, Jr., Kenneth, Donald & Thelma Hildings. A clam chowder was served. *Aug. 31, 1943*

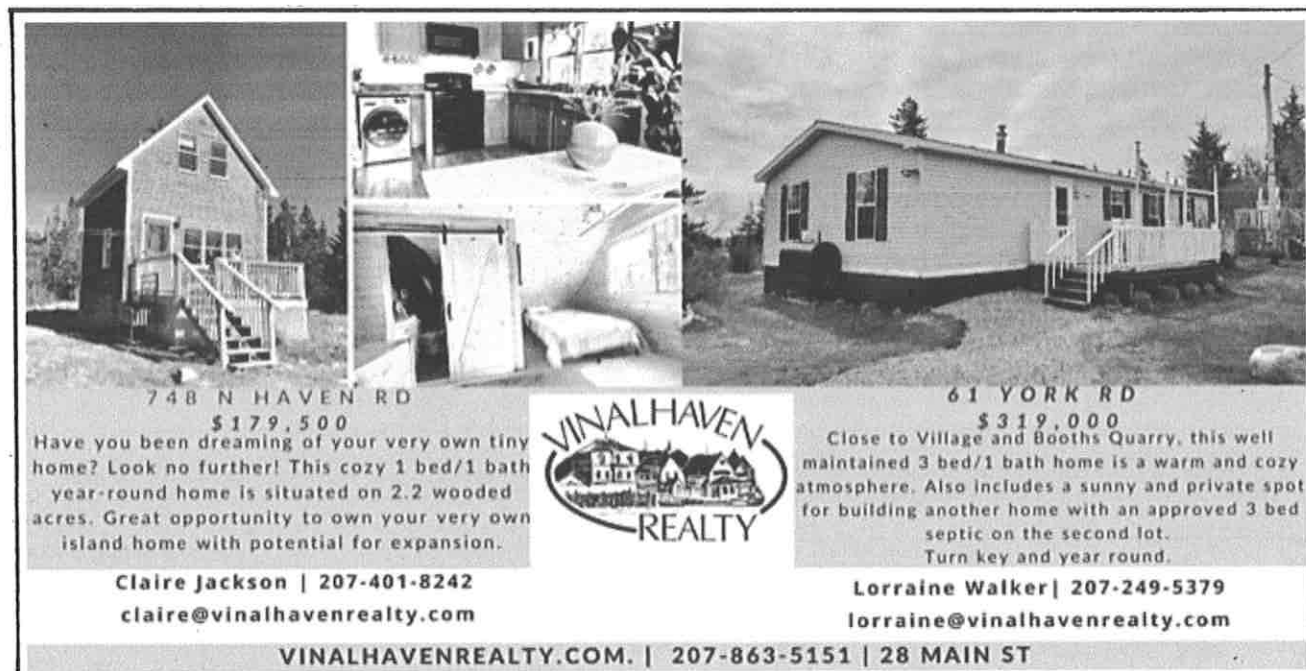
Thursday afternoon at 2 Miss Dorothy Thomas celebrated her 1st birthday at her home on Carver St. The dining room decorations were pink and blue with cupids at each place. Refreshments, including a large birthday cake decorated with pink candles were served. She is the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Llewellyn Thomas. The little guests were Frances McIntosh, Ernest Tolman, Keith Carver, Neil Calderwood, Max White, Malcolm Williams, Catherine Littlefield and Frances Folsom *Aug. 12, 1911*

Dorothea Woodcock, 5 y.o. daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Woodcock broke her arm Thursday and was taken for treatment to Dr. Shields at North Haven *Aug. 27, 1943*

Miss Gail Glavin celebrated her 6th birthday Aug. 9 at the Norton Bungalow, Old Harbor. Refreshments were served. Those present were Lorraine Glavin, Sonny Ames, Kendall Young, Bruce Walls, Raymond Walls, Doris Dyer and Gary McLaughlin. *Aug. 11, 1944*

Seven bushels of potatoes were taken Thursday night from the Town Farm garden and the marauders destroyed other vegetables by trampling vines, etc. This was one of the best gardens the farm had produced for years. *Aug. 5, 1941*

John V. Marshall, born in 1865 has just completed the job of painting his house using a ladder. *Aug. 11, 1944*



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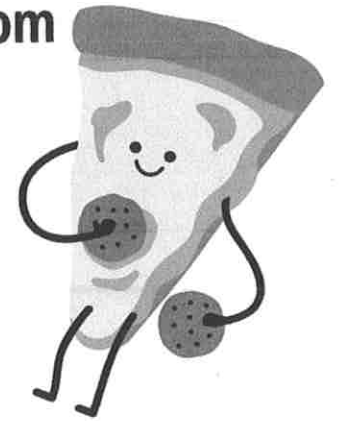
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1. On left hand side, click "Shop for Kits"
2. Select "Ship My Order to=to the Group"
3. Enter IVC Fundraiser ID: **411043**
4. Create Username
5. ORDER!



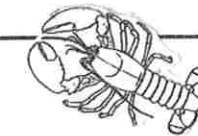
To order directly online, click the 'order link' on our Facebook page.
For more info or if you'd prefer an order catalog, send us a Facebook message or email:
islandvillagechildcare100@gmail.com
Support IVC and stock your freezer for fall with delicious pizza kits!
Fundraiser ends August 26th

Students or parents, looking for help navigating the college process? Former college admissions representative providing private college counseling services on a sliding scale.
Email:
simkocollegecounseling@gmail.com
for more information.



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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, kitchen, electric & shower.
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candgre@yahoo.com



Help Wanted

Bean Maine Lobster is looking to hire a float worker. Duties include buying/shipping lobster. Apply at the first lobster buying facility near the ferry terminal, or call 863-2082

Island Spirits



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

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Friday, 9/2 from 4-6!

32 Main Street
863.2192



ICMS MEDICAL ASSISTANT

ICMS is hiring for the Medical Assistant role. This position is responsible for providing clinical support for medical practitioners, conducting follow up with the patients concerning lab and other tests results, triaging patient calls as needed and managing patient records. The Medical Assistant role acts as a liaison between patient, hospital, other providers, and the practitioners. Job duties include but are not limited to preparing patients to be seen by providers, assisting practitioners in medical procedures, performing in office testing and treatment, and assisting in after hour care as needed. Applicant must have a high school diploma or equivalent, computer literacy, effective telephone skills and a strong level of confidentiality. Competitive wages and excellent benefits. Contact Jess Sanborn at 863-4341 or jsanborn@icmsvh.org for more information.

Vinalhaven Community Outreach

Are you experiencing
unusual expenses, loss of
income, or unexpected
medical bills or other
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If you need help, and fit our
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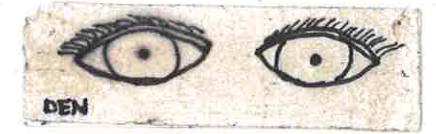
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The Observer

A friend recently borrowed a ladder from and presented it to his grown daughter, expecting her to then paint the second story windows. Instead, she tripped over a questionable obstacle we've all known about and been avoiding for years, and broke her ankle, making it more likely that if her Dad wants the windows painted he will be doing it himself. It reminded me of a story from my childhood.

A ten-year-old, I broke my wrist when long ago I lived on Lane's Island. It was a bad break. My Dad took me, crying and horrified at my painful, misshapen arm, up the stairs (over WindHorse Arts & Creelman's Farm Store) to Dr. Earle's office. Just inside the entrance sat Dot Sutcliffe, Dr. Earle's receptionist. Dr. Earle sat forty feet away at the end of the room. He got up immediately and came right toward Dad & me but, at the last minute, veered off to Dot's desk & whispered to her. She got up quickly & left. Then he guided me back to his desk, talking softly to me & inquiring about the accident, as I calmed down a little, all the while surreptitiously & gently stoking my broken arm with both hands. Suddenly he yanked the fractured ulna in opposite directions, snapping the bone back into alignment just as the door opened and Dot hustled in to present me with an ice cream cone....chocolate. pc



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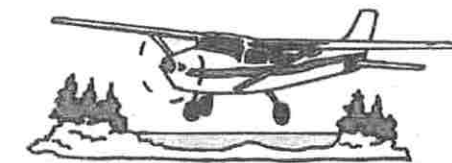
It's not too late to share your thoughts!

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Riposte - n. rih-POHSTE: A
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Hopeful

THE STORY OF MAINEWORKS



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FEATURING MARGO WALSH

The screening is set for Sunday, September 4th @ 7PM at the Vinalhaven School (SHMH). It is free to attend but donations are welcomed and benefit the Vinalhaven School. The documentary was made by the same producer/director team that made "Islander" and "Child of Grace". Producer, Thomas Hildreth, will conduct a 10-15 minute Q & A session directly following the screening.

This documentary is an uplifting portrait of a female American entrepreneur with a social conscience, who gives individuals a second chance to rebuild their lives, and a pathway back to the community and redemption through hard work.

Hopeful premiered at The Maine International Film Festival in July and won the Audience Favorite Award.



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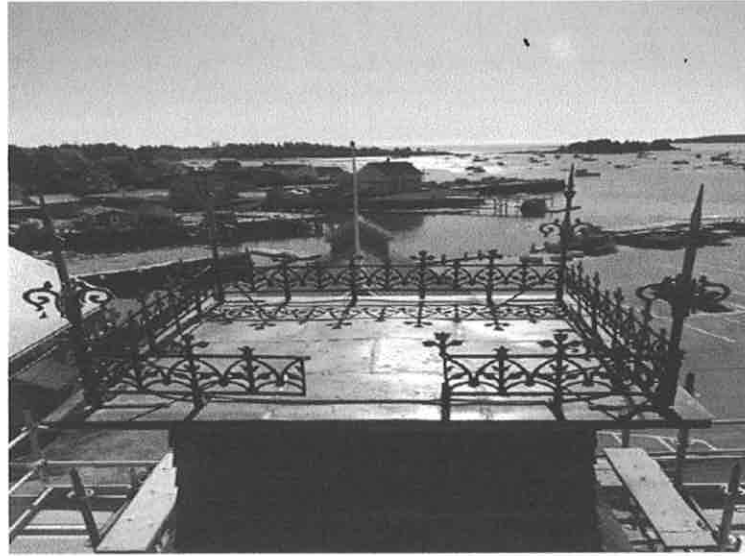
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Star of Hope Update



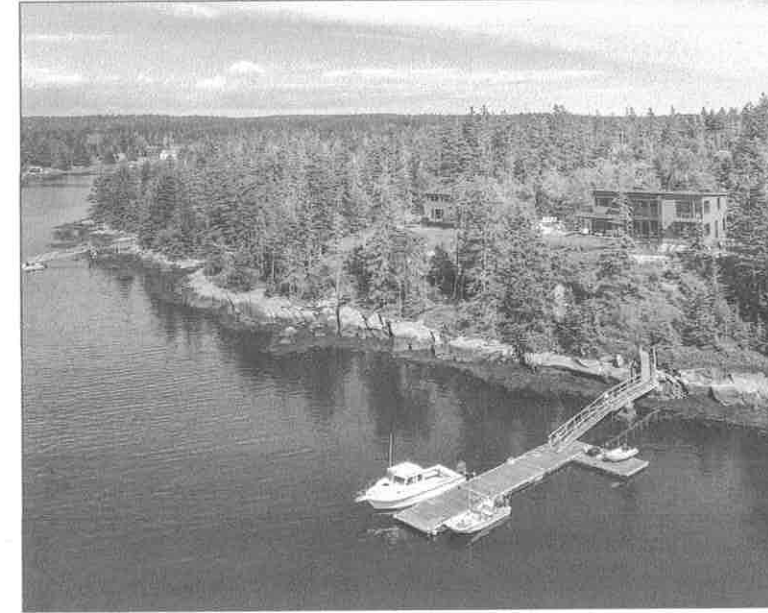
The Star of Hope Foundation continues its work, meeting every month to tackle a number of issues and continue the strategic planning process. We have recently updated our website with information about the status of the four properties we own, our strategic planning process, and the Foundation's future leadership.

While our work has been underway, we have been proud and pleased to present exhibitions, over the past 18 months, featuring Vinalhaven's talented student artists, and photo displays by the Vinalhaven Historical Society. Our relationship with these other non-profit, community organizations is important to us, and we appreciate that they allow us the opportunity to keep our street-front windows dynamic and interesting.

Please visit our website to learn more. www.starofhopefoundation.org

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

Dyers Island Vinalhaven \$1,975,000



- Sited to enjoy commanding and unrivaled views over the famous sailing grounds of Hurricane Sound, this 3.43± acre waterfront compound is located on the island's coveted and rarely available west side.
- The property has a total of 8 bedrooms and a newly designed contemporary house. Walls of glass capture the never-ending views and spectacular sunsets over the Camden Hills.
- Thoughtfully designed gathering spaces are ideal for large-scale entertaining or relaxed everyday living.
- The main house and guest house open to paths and seaside hardscapes to connect the lawn, decks and heated saltwater swimming pool.
- A charming cocktail house sitting on water's edge and a deep-water dock complement the estate's 520± feet of direct deep-water shoreline.

Bay Point Vinalhaven \$2,875,000



- Spectacular waterfront estate occupying a 5.6± acre point of land with 1,500± feet of deep-water frontage on the Fox Islands Thorofare and views to the west.
- Classic Shingle-style cottage built in 1890 that has been sensitively renovated and well maintained. Period architectural details add character and charm while a central great room appeals to today's standards of living.
- The landscape is typical of a grand coastal estate with rolling fields, established gardens and a stone patio that together offer a variety of outdoor recreational areas.
- The property includes a charming water's edge guest cottage, two boathouses and a historic tennis court in need of restoration.
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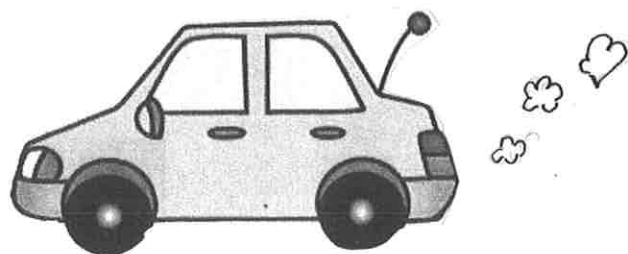
Cruising down route 1 from Belfast, I noticed a flicker on the dashboard. It was one of those things you see from the corner of your eye, not sure it was real or just another aberration of the universe. Unfortunately, it reappeared a few times attesting to its reality. Then it became constant. An arbitrary set of waning lights came on – not all but 3 of the 6. Although not versed in the art of automotive mechanics, I did appreciate that this was a bad omen. Only half believing I hoped that turning the car off and then restarting might reboot the system and rectify the problem. This approach occasionally works on my old computer but so far not so much with my old car. I dread mechanic problems. I have a limited history of successfully diagnosing problems and absolutely no ability to fix any malfunction. So, my best hope was to keep moving until I got some place where I could get help or leave the car in a place where we could get to the ferry and our cottage.

We had to stop at Maine Sport so that my son could purchase a backpack for an upcoming trip. He winced at my offer of my 20-year-old, perfectly usable backpack and instead opting for something more trendy and perhaps less embarrassing to his colleagues. We pulled into the lot. I shut the car off and then attempted to restart. All I got was that annoying clicking sound of the starter but no roar of the engine. I went into Maine Sport intending to locate a nearby garage. The kind woman at the entry register upon hearing of my issue, offered to find a staff member who might know a bit about cars. A person promptly came out and jump started my car. I learned that he was a bearded outdoor man with a jeep packed with gear for an imminent trip. Problem solved. I kept the car running to recharge the battery as an intense and prolonged downpour followed. Wife and son finished depleting the family resources and requested a pickup at the door. I drove close but when I turned on the wipers, they moved at quarter speed. I got as far as the exit drive before everything shut down. I returned to the Maine Sport building and informed them that I was blocking their exit. Out rushed four stalwart young men to push us into their parking area. The knowledgeable staff member who helped us before came out and diagnosed a defective alternator and indicated that we could leave the car there. At this point we were miles from the ferry with no transport. We could get a ride with AAA tow truck but by the time it would arrive the last ferry would be long gone. Unfortunately, the Maine Sport van was gone and our hero with a packed jeep was unable to transport us. A couple leaving Maine Sport saw us, three people on cell phones and opened car doors. They offered help and despite it being out of their way to Monroe drove us to the ferry.

We got the last ferry and got home. Next morning in another vehicle we returned to Rockland. We got the 7AM ferry from the standby line. When I told the ferry staff my predicament, they expressed sympathy and hope for a resolution of our problems. Empathy makes your plight much more bearable. In Rockland we got a dozen Ruckus donuts for the kind staff at Maine Sport. We were able to have the car towed to a dealership for repair.

Things I learned: The kindness of those we encountered was most generous and gracious. Thanks to
Maine Sport and the couple from Monroe.
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Vinalhaven School Support

Dear Parents and Students,



The teachers and staff at Vinalhaven School continue to look for ways to provide support for local students and families. Below, you will find a combination of school, community, county and state supports that might fit your family needs.

1. For students or parents wishing to speak with someone at school, please contact Jenn Feezor, school social worker, at jenn.feezor@vinalhavenschool.org. Jenn is working with our school counselors, Emily Davis and Allie Heckerd to provide a place to talk, or to provide useful resources. Additionally, Emily has reached out to the Mid-coast Maine Therapy Providers requesting additional supports for those who would prefer to speak with someone who is off-island. Contact Emily at Emily.davis@vinalhavenschool.org
2. Locally, there are supports being offered through ICMS. Please note the free sessions being provided at <https://www.facebook.com/islandscommunitymedicalservices>
3. Also, Yvonne Thomas, a former counselor at Vinalhaven School can be reached to help locate helpful resources. YThomas@islandinstitute.org
4. If you prefer to read articles, such as "*Helping Teenagers Cope with Grief*", consider Maine's Center for Grieving Children: CGCMaine.org. Click on "resources" and "additional articles". They also offer a virtual bereavement peer support group (Monday nights, with two trained volunteer facilitators).
5. In addition to personalized support, the Maine support hotline number is (888) 568-1112 or simply text the word "hello" to 741741.

All VH School staff will meet together on August 31st for planning to offer continued supports for students when the school year begins on Tuesday, September 6th.

Note to Vinalhaven School Parents: This year teachers have requested the basic supplies that your student will need for school, and we've placed those orders. As the result of writing several grants, there will be **no cost to you for back-to-school supplies**. This includes markers, pencils, notebooks, erasers, scissors, etc. If students come to school with a favorite backpack, we'll make sure other items are on the desk and ready to use.

Please feel free to contact me personally if I can be of assistance.

Sincerely,

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