



GOULDSBORO NEWSLETTER



NOVEMBER 2016

SELECTMEN/TOWN MANAGER- The town has closed on the lot located at 33 Main Street with funds gifted from Jeremy Strater. The intended goal with the property is the development of a park that could be used for various functions. A citizens' committee has been established to assist in the planning and development of the project. The remaining balance of Jeremy's gift will be used to provide needed renovations to the Prospect Harbor Women's Club building and the remaining funds will be invested with Maine Community Foundation.

Our SS Queen Victoria bell will be leaving us again later this month. It will be traveling to the Canadian Museum for Human Rights in Winnipeg, Manitoba where it will stay for an exhibit until the spring. The town is being paid a generous rental fee from the museum and the cost of all shipping.

A reminder that all Veterans are invited to our annual dinner on Veteran's Day, November 11th. A brief program will be held at Peninsula School at 4:00pm prior to the dinner at the Prospect Harbor Women's Club building starting at 5:00pm.

TOWN CLERK- **Absentee voting** ends at the close of business at 4:00pm on Nov. 3rd. After that date absentee voting can only be done by "special circumstance". Voting will be held at the Gouldsboro Community Center on the Pond Road on Tues., Nov. 8th from 8:00am-8:00pm. Voter registration can only be done in person at this time. If you wish to register you show proof of residency.

A Rabies Clinic for dogs and cats will be held at the Fire Station in Prospect Harbor on Wed., Nov. 2, from 4:00-6:00pm. You may also register your dog at this time. **ALL DOGS MUST BE REGISTERED BY DEC. 31st.**

PENINSULA SCHOOL AND PTC- We are still in need of local veterans willing to participate in our Take-A-Vet to School event on November 10th for our middle school students. The event begins at 11:45am; please contact Mrs. Norwood at snorwood@rsu24.org if you are a Veteran and interested in sharing your stories (and photos and memorabilia) with small groups of students for an afternoon.

The Peninsula PTC is hosting a "Fall Festival" with free children's games, face painting, a pie walk, popcorn bar, hot cocoa bar and raffles: Sunday November 6th from 2 to 4 pm at the Gouldsboro Rec Center on the Pond Road. This event is open to all~ let's make this a yearly community event!

Our yearly Yankee Candle fundraiser starts Friday Oct. 31st. If you don't know a child at the Peninsula School there will be a catalog and order forms at the Town Office for anyone interested in placing an order. Thank you in advance for helping us meet our goals.

As always please collect your Box Tops for Education~ Give them to a student, a parent, or dropped them off at the town office.

HARDY'S FRIENDS - There is still time to purchase raffle tickets for our "Prepare for Winter Raffle." Choose to enter drawings for heating oil, propane, cord wood, a \$200 EBS gift card, or \$200 toward your power bill. Tickets are \$5 each or 6 for \$25. Contact Glenn at 266-9699 or Susan at 963-7444 to purchase tickets. Join us on November 11th at The Pickled Wrinkle for the drawing. **Spay/Neuter Opportunity**- Thanks to a grant from the Schoodic Community Fund and a partnership with Dr. Lydia Pryor at Bay View Animal Hospital in South Gouldsboro, Hardy's Friends is offering Gouldsboro and Winter Harbor residents an opportunity to spay/neuter their family cats and dogs at a much reduced rate. Under the grant an owner could expect to pay \$30 for a cat and \$65-\$85 for a dog up to 70 pounds. Larger dogs must be examined first to determine cost savings. Rabies shots will also be available at the time of the surgery. Call Susan at 963-7444 for more information.

VETERANS PARADE/DINNER- Gouldsboro Veterans Committee invites area veterans to join us walking in the Brewer-Bangor Veteran's Day parade at 10 am. on November 11th. There will be a pancake breakfast free to veterans held at the Brewer Armory from 7-10 am. prior to the parade. Parade formation is at the Brewer Shopping Plaza on Wilson Street. Veterans do not have to be in uniform and rides will be provided for those who cannot walk. Stickers will be available for personal walking sticks. This year the Veteran's Day ceremony will be held at 4 p.m. on November 11th at the Peninsula School gymnasium. The Veteran's Day free dinner will be held as usual at the Prospect Harbor Women's Club building beside the Gouldsboro Town Office at 5 pm. All Gouldsboro and Winter Harbor veterans are invited. Please join us for the monthly meeting of the Gouldsboro Veterans Committee on November 1 at 1 pm. Veterans, spouses and friends are encouraged to attend.

TRASH WILL BE PICKED UP AS SCHEDULED ON THANKSGIVING DAY!

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DORAS LIBRARY – PROGRAMS AND EVENTS-

All programs and events are free and open to the public. *The library will be closed on Thanksgiving Day.*

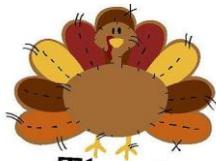
Tuesday, Nov 2 from 6-8pm: FIX IT: Healthcare at the Tipping Point... a powerful new documentary that reaches across the political and ideological divide to expand support for major healthcare reform. This documentary takes an in-depth look into how our dysfunctional health care system is damaging our economy, suffocating our businesses, discouraging physicians, and negatively impacting on the nation's health, while remaining un-affordable for a third of our citizens.

Tuesday, Nov 29 from 5-7pm: Gathering Gouldsboro... A celebration of Gratitude and Hope. Join us as we celebrate our local community & local history at the Dorcas Library. The Prospect Harbor Historical sign will be revealed, followed by the Community Tree Lighting Ceremony. Reception inside with warm beverages and goodies for all!

NEW WINTER HOURS: Monday 1-4pm, Tuesday 1-7pm, Thursday 1-7pm, Saturday 10-4pm. Effective November 6th.

2016 MITTEN TREE- Little hands and hearts in our community will be warmed by those who knit and crochet for the mitten tree. We hope to offer mittens to the children in December, so if you can make a pair or two to contribute, we would be most appreciative. Have fun with mixing colors of odds and ends of yarn and make mittens or hats, which we were also able to offer last year, before the holiday pace quickens. Mittens may always be delivered to the Gouldsboro Town Office or you may arrange for pickup by Nancy Hill. Call 963-2623 with inquiries or if you need yarn.

SCHOODIC INSTITUTE- Free Public Events: Brown Bag Lunch- Learn about the bats of Mount Desert Island and surrounding areas. Bruce Connery, Acadia National Park biologist shares how the new information is guiding current investigations and management activities. Moore Auditorium, Institute campus. November 20, 2016 12-1pm No registration needed. Bring your lunch. **Register for:** Adventure in Music with Venture Outside. There is Adventure and Yoga in this retreat, but this truly unique experience highlights MUSIC! Schoodic Institute campus November 4, 2016 Info at: www.venture-outside.com **Visit our Campus:** Stop by Rockefeller Hall and explore the exhibits. Winter hours: Mon-Fri 10am- 4 pm. Welcome Center hours: Mon-Fri 8am- 4pm. Learn more about programs and opportunities on campus by visiting our website: www.schoodicinstitute.org/events or join the conversation by connecting with us on Facebook at Schoodic Institute, and on Instagram and Twitter@ Schoodic Institute.



Happy Thanksgiving

CALENDAR OF EVENTS & MEETINGS (November 2016)

Tuesday	1st	Veteran's Committee – Town Office	1:00pm
Tuesday	1st	Planning Board Meeting – Town Office	6:00pm
Wednesday	2 nd	Rabies Clinic- Fire Station 1 – Prospect Harbor	4-6:00pm
Thursday	3rd	Board of Selectmen Meeting – Town Office	6:00pm
Sunday	6th	Fall Festival- Rec Center	2-4:00pm
Tuesday	8 th	Election Day Voting - Rec Center – Pond Road	8:00am-8:00pm
Wednesday	9th	Shellfish Meeting – Town Office	6:00pm
Friday	11 th	Town Office Closed for Veteran's Day	ALL DAY
Friday	11 th	Veteran's Day Celebration at the Peninsula School	4:00pm
Friday	11 th	Free Veterans Dinner at Prospect Harbor Women's Club Building following Celebration	5:00pm
Tuesday	15th	Planning Board Meeting – Town Office	6:00pm
Wednesday	16th	Harbor Committee – Town Office	6:00pm
Wednesday	16 th	PTC Meeting at Peninsula School	6:00 pm
Thursday	17 th	Board of Selectmen – Town Office	6:00pm
Thursday	24th	Town Office Closed- Thanksgiving Recess	ALL DAY
Friday	25th	Town Office Closed- Thanksgiving Recess	ALL DAY
Tuesday	29th	Road Committee	6:00pm

CODE ENFORCEMENT PERMITS ISSUED SEPTEMBER 27th THROUGH OCTOBER 20th

09/27/16	Osborn Family property-Schieffelin Pt.	Renovation
09/29/16	Ethan Whitaker – Guzzle Road	Residence w/decks
10/03/16	John Gerlock – 185 Paul Bunyan Road	Driveway
10/04/16	Mike Walsh - 2 Society Rd	Residence * Driveway
10/04/16	Eugenio Bertin – 46 Youngs Farm Road	Residence
10/06/16	Joe Merkel – 152 Guzzle Road	Shed
10/06/16	Eric Johnson – 480 Main Street	Addition

10/06/16	David Brundage – 238 Main Street	Addition
10/11/16	Randy Scott – 13 Rice Road	New mobile home
10/11/16	Steve Dwyre – 461 Paul Bunyan Road	Rip-rap Repair
10/3/16	Jason Follette – 417 Pond Road	Garage
10/15/16	Betty Lou Faulkingham – 218 Main Street	Ramp
10/20/16	Adam Colson – 107 Cranberry Point Road	Barn
10/20/16	Michael Newenham – 225 Gouldsboro Point Road	Modular Home