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Proposal for enhanced Fort Williams Amphitheater

By Kevin St. Jarre

The Fort Williams Advisory Commission, which advises the Town Council on policies and capital improvements in Fort Williams Park, is seeking input from the public regarding the concept of constructing amphitheater seating on the parade grounds.

For over a decade, the crumbling concrete bleachers on the parade grounds have been identified in the park's master plans as an area needing improvement. The commission has been focused on this area for many years. Since 2014, the commission has held a series of public meetings and workshops in order to develop an improvement concept. Early this year, as part of the effort, most of the bleachers were removed.

According to Mark Russell, chairman of the Fort Williams Advisory Committee, a portion of the bleachers was left in place "at the school's request," because Cape Elizabeth High School has traditionally held its graduation ceremony there each year.

The remaining concrete bleachers will be removed and, if the project is ultimately approved, they will be replaced.

The proposed Mitchell & Associates concept favored by the commission contemplates the installation of a 350-person capacity, semicircular amphitheater adjacent to the children's garden, consisting of grass and granite curbing.

The design is intended to complement existing uses of the Parade Grounds, to create a unique multipurpose performance space, and to serve as a gathering area for and a



Image provided by Fort Williams Advisory Commission, produced by Mitchell & Associates Landscape Architects of Portland

Fort Williams Advisory Commission is seeking input on a proposal to construct amphitheater seating on the parade grounds at Fort Williams Park. The commission currently favors a plan which would create seating capacity for 350 people, and the entire cost of construction would be covered by revenue generated from within the park.

gateway to the children's garden. It is expected that the amphitheater will provide a location for school graduations, community events, public gatherings, theatrical and musical performances, end-of-season ceremonies for community organizations, and other events. Under the design, town t-ball and softball leagues will continue to be able to use the adjacent fields. All uses of the amphitheater will be governed by applicable own ordinances, including the use of park

facilities by groups.

Revenue generated within the park from sources such as the bus and trolley permits is expected to cover the entire cost of the project. The project has been estimated to cost \$440,000, all of which has been allocated by the Commission in its annual budget.

-see AMPHITHEATER, page 14

Planning Board grants first-ever event permit, will hold hearing on new subdivision

By Wendy Derzawiec

The Planning Board will hold a public hearing July 19 on a proposal to create a new four-lot subdivision along Old Mill Road, off of Old Ocean House Road.

Mark Jordy, owner of the 23-acre lot at 41 Old Mill Road, is looking to divide it into three single family lots, with the fourth lot created from an existing meadow and preserved as open space, held by a homeowners' association.

Jordy, who bought the lot early in 2015, said the plan was inspired by the property itself. "If you drive into this property it's a beautiful private road, with forest on either sides after you get through, a meadow and open lawn area," he told board members at their meeting June 21. "I think (the plan) represents a good balance between development and preserving what I consider to be a very beautiful natural setting."

Plans include widening and improving the 10-foot-wide section of Old Mill Road, which is the northern boundary of the property. Jordy is asking the board to allow a width of 14 feet, with 2-foot grassed shoulders, rather than the 22-foot width required by the subdivision ordinance. He's also ask-

-see PLANNING BOARD, page 14

CELT holds 9th annual Paint for Preservation and Wet Paint Auction

USCG repairs at Portland Head Light



Photos by Stephen Lyons

Maintenance work provided a chance to glimpse the view of Casco Bay, looking out toward Ram Island Ledge Light, from within the Portland Head Light. The U.S. Coast Guard conducted the repairs while the light was in motion. Portland Head Light stands 80 feet above the ground and 101 feet above the water. Recently, the its tower and keeper's house/museum received much needed repairs and maintenance as well.



U.S. Coast Guard Electrician Mate 1st Class Tony Robb and Electrician Mate 3rd Class Alex Trade repairing light.



Jeanne Gross, director of Portland Head Light Museum at Portland Head Light, Jeanne Gross, discusses repairs with Robb and Trade.



Photo by Kim Case

Kevin Barber holds a painting by artist Philip Frey, auctioned last Sunday evening.

By Kevin St. Jarre

The Cape Elizabeth Land Trust (CELT) held its ninth Paint for Preservation and Wet Paint Auction benefit supporting local land preservation efforts.

The event is widely recognized as one of Maine's premiere art auctions. Throughout last weekend, preceding the event on Sunday, July 10, 31 participating artists were observed painting en plein air at designated public and private locations chosen to highlight Cape Elizabeth's natural beauty.

The newly created, and unframed artwork was auctioned at a cocktail reception hosted

at Spurwink Farm.

Proceeds benefit the Cape Elizabeth Land Trust's Saving Cape's Great Places initiative to permanently preserve local conservation lands.

Cindy Krum, executive director of CELT, highlighted the importance of the event's new and returning corporate sponsors. "We are very grateful to have the support of so many business partners who help us promote the Wet Paint Auction. It is a signature event that celebrates the importance of conservation lands in the Cape," she said.



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National Monument would bring protection and prosperity

My family owns a cabin in the White Mountains of New Hampshire, as do many Cape residents who love hiking.

Right behind our cabin, about 10 miles off Route 16, is the Sandwich Range Wilderness, declared by President Ronald Reagan in his last days in office the only Eastern Wilderness Area.

Because many in the neighborhood are outdoors people: mushers, fishermen, snowmobilers, hunting guides, etc., there were concerns that this protection would be destructive of access and use.

Similar fears abound about the proposed Maine Woods National Monument right now. The exact opposite has proved to be true.

Protection has made that neighborhood much more prosperous and secure.

As the years go by, more and more people are using all the woods for recreation and education.

These visits have enriched the local people, creating new businesses which do not cause damage to the land, water or animals there.

No clean-up is needed from this kind of human activity. All of us benefit, as we recreate there.

Many interests are sharing and defining who develops what, all locally controlled, dominated by economic realities for the future.

Real estate buyers want to be near these lands to hike, fish, camp, birdwatch, photograph, mineral collect, etc.

When we had the economic recession in 2007-8, properties near the protected lands lost the least value and rebounded the quickest. Some never lost value, the closest ones.

It's a new day.

Hope you join me in encouraging Pres. Obama and our Congressional delegation, especially Sens. King and Collins to embrace this Maine Woods National Monument, for northern Maine's future prosperity, and our grandchildren.

Walden S. Morton

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Thank you Rudy's, community members for fundraising help

I would like to publicly thank Rudy's of the Cape as well as the patrons and community members who came out to support my fundraising efforts for the Maine Cancer Foundation. On Monday, June 20, a portion of all pizza sales were donated to the Maine Cancer Foundation's Tri for a Cure.

This event is projected to raise over \$1.5 million dollars just this year.

I have been very blessed to be able to participate in this amazing event since it began in 2008. Unfortunately, this year due to an accident I will not be swimming, biking and running along with over twelve hundred of other female participants. I will however be cheering from the sidelines as they bike through Cape Elizabeth on Saturday, July 17th. I hope you join me in celebrating these determined women, strong athletes, and an amazing event that has raised over \$8.2 million dollars in the last 8 years.

These funds aid 85 different cancer initiatives in the state of Maine. They have funded over 280 patient programs. They have supported 77 research grants and positively impacted the lives of many thousands of Maine citizens with cancer.

Thank you again to Rudy's of the Cape for hosting this community night in honor of the Maine Cancer Foundation's Tri for a Cure.

Tara Bucci

Funding medical research saves money and lives

My husband, Dan Wartenberg, who is only 64, will die from Alzheimer's before there is a treatment. Dan, formerly an internationally renowned professor of public health, now has trouble answering his phone. I grieve that Congress failed to allocate enough money for research that might have helped him.

Alzheimer's is the only cause of death among the top ten in America that cannot be prevented, cured, or even slowed. Dan will die from this disease because our country has not made Alzheimer's research a priority. For every \$100 the National Institutes of Health spends on research, Medicare and Medicaid spend \$16,000 to care for Dan and more than five million others with Alzheimer's.

You as a taxpayer should share my distress about this spending imbalance. In 2016 your tax dollars contributed to more than \$100 billion spent by Medicare and Medicaid caring for Dan and others with the disease.

Maine Congresswoman Chellie Pingree successfully advocated for more funding for Alzheimer's research. Despite their efforts, the National Institutes of Health does not receive nearly enough funding to achieve the goal of a cure by 2025.

What can you do? Write or call your government representatives to support more research funding Alzheimer's. Even a one-line letter will count. Five minutes of your time might lead to a cure in time for someone you love.

Caron Chess

More from CELT's 2016 Wet Paint Auction

Margaret Gerding's painting, at right, sold for the second highest price at CELT's Wet Paint Auction. Some of Gerding's other work has been included in the book "100 Artists of New England" by E. Ashley Rooney, and published by Schiffer Publishing.




Photo by Kim Case

Emily Trenholm's painting of Maiden Cove, at left, was one of 30 freshly painted pieces auctioned to raise money during CELT's 2016 Paint for Preservation.




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Watch out for critters

By Kevin St. Jarre

People walking their dogs in off-leash areas around Cape Elizabeth have had to do so with additional diligence lately. Recent reported sightings of turtles, ground-nesting birds, snakes and even a bear have locals keeping a closer eye on their four-legged friends.



Stock photo

Last week, dogs discovered a living juvenile porcupine at Fort Williams, near the dog waste station above the soccer field, in the middle of the day. One of the dogs came away from the incident with a few quills in his nose and in one paw, and the porcupine went on its way unharmed. This happened while people were attentive, and the situation was diffused as quickly as possible.

By staying alert and aware of where your dog is and what it is doing, as virtually every off-leash dog walker does, folks will ensure that local wildlife, dogs and people have an enjoyable and safe experience.

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Turtles get safer crossing thanks to local resident

By Kevin St. Jarre

Thanks to the thoughtfulness of a local resident and the responsiveness of a town employee, turtles near Pond Cove have a marked crossing.

Theresa Fox noticed that turtles were in danger crossing the busy stretch of Shore Road near the cove.

Fox said, "The turtles are laying their eggs by Pond Cove. They are very close to the road."

Fox asked that drivers slow down in that area, and said that turtles have been hurt. She spoke to Robert Malley, director of Public Works about her concern.

"He ordered signs last year to post in the area at our request," Fox said. Within a couple of days the signs were up and the turtles safer.



Photo by Theresa Fox

A turtle crossing sign has been erected in the area of Pond Cove on Shore Road. Drivers are asked to slow down and be observant.



Photo by Ann Lessard

Shore Road northbound to be closed July 17

Shore Road from Route 77 north to Preble Street will be closed to northbound traffic (residents only) for the Maine Cancer Foundation's seventh annual "Tri for a Cure" triathlon race from 8:30 to 10:30 a.m. on Sunday, July 17, 2016.

Cape Elizabeth police are asking motorists to avoid Shore Road and to seek alternate routes.

The "Tri for a Cure" race will begin at Southern Maine Community College in South Portland at 8 a.m., when 950 racers will complete a swim-bike-run triathlon that includes a 15-mile bike course through South Portland and Cape Elizabeth. Heavy traffic and delays are expected along Route 77 in South Portland and Cape Elizabeth until 10 a.m. on July 17.

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Artist in the median drawing attention to art, Cape Elizabeth

By Kevin St. Jarre

Cape Elizabeth residents driving through the intersection of Ocean House Road and Shore Road will see a visual and performance artist hard at work. Erin McGee Ferrell will spend the month of July painting from the median at the intersection. It's Ferrell's ongoing solo show, presented by Ocean House Gallery & Frame, titled Erin McGee Ferrell Paints Cape Elizabeth Live!

Ferrell is a nationally shown artist, and she is painting in the unlikely spot for several reasons. "I want to bring art to the public, rather than always asking the public to go to a gallery," Ferrell said. Still, another aim of the show is to recognize Ocean House Gallery as a Cape Elizabeth business representing established contemporary Maine artists.

"Graham Wood, the owner of Ocean House, is a fabulous artist," Ferrell said, "and the combination of working career artist and gallery owner is unique and should be appreciated. At times, Graham and I will be out painting in the median together."

Wood said, "The paintings will hang in the gallery while she works so people can see them develop as she paints."

The public is invited to come out to the median and talk to Ferrell. "Please stop by and watch her work, chat with her or pull up an easel and paint with her!" Wood said. "We are hoping people will catch a glimpse of the creative activity going on in Cape."

Ferrell said, "I know artists who come from out of state and drive all the way to Acadia. I'm hoping more artists will realize that Cape Elizabeth has a lot to offer, and they can save themselves the additional 3-hour drive." She said Cape Elizabeth should be "recognized as an artist painting destination."

She said she's also interested in the public's reaction to her show on one of the busiest intersections in Cape Elizabeth. "How do perceptions of the corner change when live artists are out painting in the median? Will the public begin to look for the artists? Will the corner become part of a tourism



Photo by Kevin St. Jarre

Erin McGee Ferrell paints from the median at the intersection of Ocean House Road and Shore Road drawing attention to art and to Cape Elizabeth as a destination for visual artists. The public is invited to stop by and chat with Ferrell, or even to "pull up an easel." Presented by Ocean House Gallery, a reception for Ferrell will be held on Friday, July 22nd, from 5 to 8pm at the gallery. All are invited to see the completed work.

route?"

Ferrell said she looked forward to participating in Cape Elizabeth Land Trust's 2016 Paint for Preservation last weekend, noting it would provide added exposure for me as a "relatively new Maine artist" coming from Philadelphia.

In fact, 31 artists were scheduled to participate in the 9th annual Paint for Preser-

vation event and its Wet Paint Auction and reception held July 10. During the weekend of the event, selected artists painted en plein air at designated public and private locations chosen to highlight Cape Elizabeth's natural beauty.

A live auction and cocktail reception was held and the newly painted pieces were sold in competitive bidding for the unique and beautiful depictions of the natural world. The proceeds benefit the Cape Elizabeth Land Trust's initiative, Saving Cape's Great Places, to permanently preserve local strategic conservation land.

At the conclusion of Ferrell's solo show, Ocean House Gallery will host a reception for her on Friday, July 22, from 5 to 8 p.m.. Wood said, "People can come see the completed work!"



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Reported by Debbie Butterworth

COMPLAINTS

6-13 An officer met with a resident of the Spurwink Avenue area regarding a motor vehicle burglary. Money was missing from the vehicle.

6-15 An officer responded to a location on Old Ocean House Road for report of an abandoned bicycle. The bike is described as a blue Alpina mountain bike. Bike was returned to the police station for safekeeping

6-16 An officer located a wallet and contents on Shore Road. The owner was identified and property returned.

6-17 An officer met with a resident of the Ocean View area who reported a coin bank missing from the residence. The bank contained about \$75.

6-17 An officer noticed a subject looking into one of the recycle bins behind town hall. Having had complaints of subjects stealing from the bins, the officer pulled into the area and made contact with the subject who is a resident of South Portland. Subject was issued a criminal trespass order to stay off town hall property, including the recycle bins.

6-17 An officer met with a resident of the Shore Road area who had listed a recliner on Craigslist for \$300. An interested party sent him a check for six times that amount to cover the chair and shipping. Suspecting a scam, the subject contacted the police.

6-18 An officer responded to a residence in the Broad Cove area to keep peace while an unwanted guest was asked to leave.

6-18 An officer met with a resident of the Peabbles Cove area who reported that a man wearing a black hoodie and black pants entered her residence while her teenage son was there alone. The subject fled the residence when he saw her son.

6-19 An officer met with a resident of the Sawyer Road area, who reported a bicycle had been stolen from a shed. The bike is described as an olive green Trek mountain bike.

6-20 An officer met with a resident of the Wells Road area regarding an ID theft complaint. He had been contacted and advised that credit cards had been opened using his personal information.

6-21 An officer met with a resident of the Oakhurst area who reported that someone had entered the residence and stolen money and prescription medication from a purse during the night while the occupants were sleeping.

6-22 Two officers responded to a residence in the Ocean House Road area for a well-being check.

6-24 An officer met with a resident of the Broad Cove area regarding a harassment complaint.

6-25 An officer met with a resident of the Ocean House Road area regarding a

harassment complaint.

6-25 An officer met with a resident of the Mitchell Road area who advised that she had posted on an online forum regarding several troubleshooting questions. She heard back from someone claiming to be from AOL Tech Support and was asked for her phone number. Subject called the victim and after a short conversation claimed to have found the problem and needed the victim's credit card information for a \$5 processing fee. Shortly after her computer was locked out and she discovered a \$950 charge on her credit card. The victim canceled all credit cards and the \$950 charge was caught before money was transferred.

6-25 An officer met with a resident of the Mitchell Road area regarding an issue with his neighbor.

6-26 An officer met with a resident of the Mitchell Road area regarding a criminal threatening complaint.

6-28 An officer responded to a location in the Ocean House Road area for well-being check.

06-28 An officer met with a resident of the Mitchell Road area regarding a theft of prescription medication.

6-29 An officer met with a resident of the Broad Cove area who reported that his bank card was skimmed while abroad and it was used in several locations and money was withdrawn from his account.

7-1 An officer met with a resident of the Shore Road area who reported the theft of a Rough & Tumble handbag.

7-2 An officer met with a resident of the Mitchell Road area who showed this officer where a large tree limb had fallen and damaged his car. A report was taken for insurance purposes.

7-2 An officer while on routine patrol found a walking cane in the roadway. Owner was identified and located and property returned.

7-3 An officer met with a resident who turned over a ladies change purse found on Old Ocean House Road. Owner has been identified and property returned.

7-5 An officer responded to a domestic disturbance in a parking lot on Rt 77.

ACCIDENTS

6-15 Richard Brennan, accident on Shore Road

6-16 Derek Bishop, Christopher Gebhart, accident on Route 77

6-18 Kyle McKenna, Ingrid Libby, accident at Fort Williams Park

6-21 Davy Palmer, accident on Kildeer Road

6-24 Carola Zimmerman, accident on Elmwood Road

6-25 Sam Sisakhti, Alan Atkins, accident on Todd Road

07-01 Peter Rand, accident on Ocean House Road

07-04 Ahmen Al Neemi, accident on Ocean House Road

SUMMONSES

6-15 Portland resident, failure to produce insurance, uninspected vehicle, Scott Dyer Road, \$304

6-17 Gorham resident, failure to produce insurance, Mitchell Road, \$171

6-17 South Portland resident, uninspected vehicle, Shore Road, \$133

6-17 New York resident, operating without a license, Kettle Cove Road

6-18 Bath resident, operating after license suspension, Shore Road

6-18 Portland resident, uninspected vehicle, Route 77, \$133

6-19 South Portland resident, speeding (39/30 zone), Mitchell Road, \$119

6-21 Cape Elizabeth resident, uninspected vehicle, Route 77, \$133

6-21 Scarborough resident, speeding (48/30 zone), Sawyer Road, \$185

6-21 Cape Elizabeth resident, uninspected vehicle, Shore Road, \$133

6-22 York resident, uninspected vehicle, Route 77, \$133

6-22 Cape Elizabeth resident, uninspected vehicle, Route 77, \$133

6-23 Cape Elizabeth resident, underage possession of alcohol, violation of conditions of release, Wabun Road

6-25 Augusta resident, uninspected vehicle, Shore Road, \$133

6-21 Portland resident, uninspected vehicle, Shore Road, \$133

6-25 Buxton resident, operating with expired license, Shore Road, \$137

6-25 South Portland resident, speeding (57/30 zone), Shore Road, \$263

06-29 No address listed, violation of interim license, no lights, Shore Road

07-05 Scarborough resident, speeding (67/45 zone), Route 77, \$215

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06-29 No address listed, violation of interim license, no lights, Shore Road

07-05 Scarborough resident, speeding (67/45 zone), Route 77, \$215

ARRESTS

6-15 Raymond resident, Shore Road, warrant

6-26 Portland resident, Highland Avenue, warrant

07-04 Oxford resident, Bowery Beach Road, domestic violence assault

FIRE CALLS

6-16 Two Lights Road, fire alarm

6-16 Fowler Road, investigation

6-17 Shore Road, lawn mower fire

6-17 South Portland Mutual Aid

6-17 Shore Road, furnace problem

6-17 Fox Hill Road, investigation

6-18 Shore Road, furnace problem

6-18 Shore Road, watercraft rescue

6-19 Shore Road, investigation

6-19 Birch Knolls, investigation

6-20 South Portland Mutual Aid

6-21 Kildeer Road, utility pole and wires down

6-22 Elizabeth Road, investigation

6-24 Kettle Cove Road, fire alarm

6-24 Cottage Lane, investigation

6-24 Bowery Beach Road, fire alarm

6-25 Bowery Beach Road, fire alarm

6-26 South Portland Mutual Aid

6-27 South Portland Mutual Aid

RESCUE CALLS

There were 31 runs to Maine Medical Center.

There were 9 patients treated by rescue personnel but not transported.

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Colleen Howard graduates cum laude



Colleen Howard, center, with her parents, Cape Elizabeth residents Tricia and Dan Howard, graduated cum laude this spring from Bentley University in Waltham, Mass., with a Bachelor of Science degree in accounting. Colleen, who graduated from Cape Elizabeth High School in 2012, is working as a territory support specialist at MFS Investment Management in Boston.

Shannon Howard was named to the spring-semester dean's list at High Point University in High Point, N.C. She graduated from Cape Elizabeth High School in 2014.

Maggie Camille Rabasca, a 2012 graduate of Cape Elizabeth High School, received a Bachelor of Science degree in engineering from Harvey Mudd College in Claremont, Calif., this spring.

Scarborough resident **Kathleen Scott**, a broker at **Coldwell Banker Residential Brokerage** in Cape Elizabeth, was named "Broker of the Month" for superior sales in May at the office.

Thomas Feenstra, a 2014 Cape Elizabeth High School graduate was named to the spring-semester dean's list at Rensselaer Polytechnic University in Troy, N.Y. He is majoring in mechanical engineering.

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CAPE CALENDAR

By Wendy Derzawiec

Tuesday, July 19

Planning Board, 7 p.m., town hall chamber.

Thursday, July 21

Thomas Memorial Library Board of Trustees, 6:30 p.m., Thomas Memorial Library

Fort Williams Advisory Commission, 7 p.m., Public Works

Tuesday, July 26

Zoning Board of Appeals, 7 p.m., town hall chamber

Ongoing each week

Al-Anon, Regular meeting 7 p.m., Thursdays at United Methodist Church, 280 Ocean House Road. Regular meeting 7 p.m. Fridays at St. Alban's Church.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 2 p.m., Saturdays, First Congregational Church, 301 Cottage Road, South Portland; 7 p.m., Wednesdays, St. Bartholomew Church; 7 p.m. Fridays, St. Alban's Church.

Cape Elizabeth Historical Preservation Society, 9 a.m.-noon, Thursdays, public safety building

Cape Elizabeth Lions Club, 6:39 p.m., first and third Tuesdays at the Bowery Beach Schoolhouse (except July and August), Two Lights Road

Cape Farm Alliance, third Wednesday, 7 p.m., Community Center

South Portland/Cape Elizabeth Rotary Club, each Wednesday at 6:15 p.m. Purpodock Club, Spurwink Avenue. 767-7388.

CABLE GUIDE

CHANNEL 3

Cape Elizabeth Church of the Nazarene
July 16, 17, 23 & 24 - 9 a.m.
Town Council replay
July 16 - 10:30 a.m.
Planning Board (live)
July 19 - 7 p.m.

Planning Board replay
July 20 & 21 - 2 p.m. & 9 p.m.
July 23 - 10:30 a.m.
Zoning Board of Appeals (live)
July 26 - 7 p.m.
Zoning Board replay
July 27 & 28 - 2 p.m. & 8 p.m.

Free lecture about pet first aid planned July 19

A free lecture about pet first aid is scheduled at 6:30 p.m. on Tuesday, July 19, at the Veterinary and Rehabilitation Center of Cape Elizabeth. Cupcakes and drinks will be served at the event.

The talk is one of a series of Tuesday night lectures being offered at the center through the end of the year.

"Oh, Behave!" is set for 6:30 p.m. Oct.

18. "Ears, Nails and Tales," scheduled at 6:30 p.m. on Dec. 6, will include information about what is safe to put in pets' ears, how to trim nails, and trimming hair to prevent snowballs and mats.

The center is located at 207 Ocean House Road.

Call 799-6952, email info@vrcce.com or go to vrcce.com for information.

South Portland/Cape Elizabeth Rotary Club gives VA about \$5500 for homeless veterans

The South Portland/Cape Elizabeth Rotary Club, which has emphasized assistance to Maine's homeless veterans for several years, raised \$5500 during the past year to purchase items for the Maine Veteran's Affairs in Augusta to provide for homeless veterans in Maine. With the funds, the VA has been able to buy Hannaford food cards, gasoline cards, toasters, coffee makers, cookware sets, bedding sets and trac phones for homeless veterans.

At any given time, there are numerous homeless veterans in Maine suffering from lack of a place to live and other basic necessities.

In 2015, emergency shelter was provided to 201 homeless Maine veterans across the state, according to the Maine Veteran's Affairs office.

"Sadly, many of the patriotic men and women of Maine who served our country are now suffering homelessness and have numerous needs. Rotarians are pleased to be able help," said Scott Irving, president of the Rotary Club of South Portland/Cape Elizabeth.

Contact the South Portland/Cape Elizabeth Rotary Club's homeless veterans chair Dan Davidson at danprpro@gwi.net or 767-4682 for more information.

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Decked in Roaring '20s jewelry, Village Crossings resident Toni Rau, left, gets a hug from Kindred Assisted Living - Village Crossings Executive Director Karen Swasey Jones.



Village Crossings residents Frank Leavitt and Alicia Keene display their Prom King and Queen "crowns."

Annual Senior Prom!



Kindred Assisted Living - Village Crossings residents Alicia Keene and Frank Leavitt kick up their feet last month at the annual Senior Prom hosted and organized by Cape Elizabeth High School seniors. The two were crowned Prom King and Prom Queen after a vote by residents. Students in the Senior to Senior group provide free community service to Cape Elizabeth senior citizens and host the event each year.

'Great Starts' program, 911 topics of forum for seniors on July 21

Information about 911 and the Cape Elizabeth Great Starts program will be the topic of a Triad forum on Thursday, July 21, from 2-3 p.m. at the Thomas Memorial Library.

"How the Great Starts program works is as a kind of daily check-in," Cape Elizabeth Community Liaison Officer David Galvan said. "Every day a person has to call [the police] at, say, 10 a.m. If we don't hear from them, then dispatch automatically will call them. If they fail to get a hold of them, they will send a police officer to the residence."

Galvan will present the program with South Portland police officer Robert Libby, who helps coordinate a similar program in South Portland.

Contact Galvan at 767-3323, ext. 208, for more information about South Portland/Cape Elizabeth Triad. The group is made up of Cape Elizabeth and South Portland senior citizens, police, and community members who work together to address problems faced by older citizens.

The deadline for the July 29 issue is July 15 at noon.





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Cape Elizabeth's high school graduates announce their plans

Sierra Hewitt Aceto, the daughter of Holly Aceto and Robert Aceto, will attend the University of South Carolina in Columbia, S.C.

Sophie Avantaggio, the daughter of William and Joey Avantaggio, will attend the University of Vermont in Burlington.

Lexie Bakke, the daughter of Trudi and Mark Bakke, will attend Stony Brook University in Stony Brook, N.Y.

Anni Ball, the daughter of Nancy Ball and Michelle Schwab, will attend Wellesley College in Wellesley, Mass.

Stephen Bennett, the son of Elizabeth and Steve Bennett, will attend Connecticut College in New London.

James Bottomley, the son of Marlene and Peter Bottomley, will attend the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

Madeleine Bowe, the daughter of Stephanie and Christopher Bowe, will attend the University of Vermont in Burlington.

Montana Braxton, the daughter of Deborah and John Braxton, entered the United States Naval Academy in Annapolis, Md., on June 30.

Kate Breed, the daughter of Heather Corey and Rob Breed, will attend the University of San Diego in California.

Lydia Brenneman, the daughter of Elizabeth and Kyle Brenneman, will attend the University of North Carolina in Wilmington.

Thomas Brett, the son of Mary and Craig Brett, will attend Bucknell University in Lewisburg, Pa.

Katherine Briggs, the daughter of Laura and Wyman Briggs, will attend Colby College in Waterville, Maine.

Hadley Britt, the daughter of James and Gillian Britt, will attend Bard College in Annandale-on-Hudson, N.Y.

Joe Carignan, the son of Mary Ellen and Peter Carignan, will attend Xavier University in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Phoebe Coburn, the daughter of Mollie and Greg Coburn, will attend Roanoke College in Salem, Va.

Taylor Connell, the daughter of Kim and Michael Connell, will attend Stetson University in Deland, Fla.



Alex Narvaez

Madolyn Connolly, the daughter of Mike and Lisa Connolly, will attend McGill University in Montreal, Canada.

Greg Corsello, the son of Marie and Andrew Corsello, will attend Northeastern University in Boston, Mass.

Tim Corsello, the son of Marie and Andrew Corsello, will attend American University in Washington, D.C.

Brayden Crosta, the son of Linda Carlin and Timothy Crosta, will attend the University of California in San Diego.

Pua DeGrandis, the daughter of Victoria Kalaiheana Kaupiko DeGrandis, plans to take core courses at the University of Southern Maine in Gorham and then move back to Hawaii to pursue athletic training.

Victoria Diaz, the daughter of Barbi and Marco Diaz, will attend Northeastern University in Boston, Mass.

Marcus Donnelly, the son of Mary Townsend and Jon Donnelly, will attend the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor.

Nolan Dorrance, the son of Lorie and Scott Dorrance, will attend the University of Denver in Colorado.



Recent Cape Elizabeth High School graduates Logan Hansen and Anna Doherty kneel in front of "Elon," after chalking the name of the college they will attend on the sidewalk in front of CEHS on May 9. CEHS seniors started the tradition last year.

Anna Doherty, the daughter of Jane Anderson and John Doherty, will attend Elon University in Elon, N.C.

Dana Dufresne-Bonoff, the daughter of Ruth Dufresne and Wayne Bonoff, who is deceased, will attend Boston University in Massachusetts.

Emma Dvorozniak, the daughter of Kathy Barber and Mark Dvorozniak, will attend Boston College in Chestnut Hill, Mass.

Rachel Epstein, the daughter of Jill and Michael Epstein, will attend Northwestern University in Evanston, Ill.

Brett Eubanks, the son of Ron and Gise-

la Eubanks, will attend Wheaton College in Norton, Mass.

Haley Fawcett, the daughter of Amy and Sean Fawcett, will attend Boston University College of Engineering, in Massachusetts.

Samantha Feenstra, the daughter of Kath and Mark Feenstra, will attend Trinity College in Hartford, Conn.

Matthew Fishbein, the son of Dan Fishbein and Ilene Schuchman, will attend Bentley University in Waltham, Mass.

Jahanara Freedman, the daughter of Sabina and Daniel Freedman, will attend Wellesley College in Wellesley, Mass.

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William Gent, the son of Lisa and Steve Gent will attend Champlain College in Burlington, Vt.

William Gibson, the son of Tony and Linda Gibson, will attend the University of California at Santa Barbara.

Chloe Gillian, the daughter of Kelly Gillian and Richard Gillian, will attend Trinity College in Hartford, Conn.

Federico Giovine, the son of Mariagrazia Zanardi and Donato Giovine, will attend Florida Institute of Technology in Melbourne.

Hannah Glazier, the daughter of Andrea Glazier and Burt Glazier, will attend Tulane University in New Orleans, La.

Tessa Goldstein, the daughter of Betsy and Mark Goldstein, will attend the University of North Carolina in Wilmington.

Adara Graessle, the daughter of Theresa and George Graessle, will take a gap year to work with the Action Pogram in Portland, advocating for mental illness awareness.

Lauren Grey, the daughter of Chris and Kim Grey, will attend the University of Maine at Orono.

Justin Guerette, the son of Joe and Sue Guerette, will attend Babson College in Wellesley, Mass.

Tess Haller, the daughter of Sharon Elizabeth and James Haller, will attend Assumption College in Worcester, Mass.

Jasper Hansel, the son of Anne Rossi and Gregory Hansel, will attend the University of California in Los Angeles.

Katherine Hansen, the daughter of Jennifer Hansen and Robert Hansen, will attend

the College of William and Mary in Williamsburg, Va.

Logan Hansen, the son of Lisa and Eric Hansen, will attend Elon University in Elon, N.C.

Taylor Hansen, the daughter of Lisa and Eric Hansen, will attend Boston College in Chestnut Hill, Mass.

Carter Harvey, the daughter of Laurie Fisher and Jim Harvey, will attend California Polytechnic State University in San Luis Obispo.

Michael Heggie, the son of Bill Heggie and Kathleen Frati, will take a gap year to do computer programming in Seattle, Wash., and will attend the University of Washington in Seattle in 2017.

Bryce Hewitt, the son of Joni and Bill Hewitt, will attend Hobart and William Smith Colleges in Geneva, N.Y.

Sophie Hewitt, the daughter of Joni and Bill Hewitt, and a graduate of Gould Academy in Bethel, Maine, will attend Montana State University in Bozeman.

Olivia Hintlian, the daughter of Molly MacAuslan and Varney Hintlian and a graduate of Waynflete School in Portland, will attend Tufts University in Medford, Mass.

Mya Hodgdon, the daughter of Katie Wilkinson, will attend the University of Vermont in Burlington.

Lauren Holmes, the daughter of Karen and Scott Holmes, will attend Villanova University in Villanova, Pa.

Lydia Ingalls, the daughter of Anne and Andrew Ingalls, will attend Lesley University in Cambridge, Mass.



Peter Tarling and Madi Connolly have fun in a bouncy house on "Senior Day," CEHS seniors' last day of classes, when they celebrate on campus with amusements, pizza and a visit by an ice cream truck.

Nate Ingalls, the son of Anne and Andrew Ingalls, will attend the College of the Holy Cross in Worcester, Mass.

Joseph Inhorn, the son of Roger Inhorn and Victoria Masakowski, will attend George Washington University in Washington, D.C.

Gabe Jacobson, the son of David Jacobson and Erica Heinrich, will attend Hobart

and William Smith Colleges in Geveva, N.Y.

Anya Kohan, the daughter of Aimee and Tom Kohan, will attend Clark University in Worcester, Mass.

Mo Lavallee, the daughter of Steve and Jean Lavallee, will attend Syracuse University in Syracuse, N.Y.

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sity in Syracuse, N.Y.

Caroline Lengyel, the daughter of Jillian Lengyel and David Lengyel, will attend University of Southern Maine in Gorham.

Michael S. Mangravito, the son of Karen Mangravito and the late Michael P. Mangravito, will attend the University of Southern Maine in Gorham.

Tully Matusko, the son of Joanne and Daniel Matusko, will work at Mega Industries LLC in Gorham.

Roman Medina, the son of Sonia and Helio Medina, will attend St. Joseph's College in Standish, Maine.

Sarah Merriam, the daughter of Aaron and Julie Merriam, and Karen and Rob Anderson, will attend St. Michael's College in Colchester, Vt.

Isaac Messerschmidt, the son of Lucinda St. Laurent and Michael Messerschmidt, will attend Dickinson College in Carlisle, Pa.

Noah Messerschmidt, the son of Lucinda St. Laurent and Michael Messerschmidt, will attend Dickinson College in Carlisle, Pa.

Michael Mills, the son of Bruce and Rob-in Mills, will attend Gettysburg College in Gettysburg, Pa.

Andrew Mitchell, the son of Denise and Timothy Mitchell, will attend Providence College in Providence, R.I.

Eileen Misterovich, the daughter of Ann and Stephen Misterovich, will attend the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor, Mich.

Alex Mukai, the son of Laurie Small and Eric Mukai, will attend Brown University in

Providence, R.I.

Madeleine Murphy, the daughter of John and Suzanne Murphy, will attend the University of Tampa in Florida.

Alex Narvaez, the son of Lisa Fisher, will attend Bentley University in Waltham, Mass.

Megan Nicholson, the daughter of Diane and BJ Nicholson, will attend Boston University in Massachusetts.

Lily Norris, the daughter of Cathy Houlihan and Bo Norris, will attend St. Michael's College in Colchester, Vt.

Katie Oberholtzer, the daughter of Eileen and Chris Oberholtzer, will attend the University of Southern Maine School of Music in Gorham.

Sarah O'Connor, the daughter of Anna O'Connor and Mike O'Connor, will attend Villanova University in Villanova, Pa.

Jack O'Rourke, the son of Jim and Cindy O'Rourke, will attend Maine Maritime Academy in Castine, Maine.

Caitlin O'Sullivan, the daughter of Nancy and John O'Sullivan, will attend Colby College in Waterville, Maine.

Nikko Pappas, the son of Kathy and Johnny Pappas, will attend Maine Maritime Academy in Castine, Maine.

Catherine Pellegrini, the daughter of Beth and Carl Pellegrini, will attend the University of Vermont in Burlington.

Lily Pillsbury, the daughter of Suzanne Lacognata and Winslow Pillsbury, will attend Clark University in Worcester, Mass.

Riley Pillsbury, the son of Suzanne and Marshall Pillsbury, will attend Ithaca College in Ithaca, N.Y.

Harry Queeney, the son of Wendy Keeler and Tim Queeney, will attend Tufts University in Medford, Mass.



J Bottomley, Tessa Goldstein and Morgan Wight

Gabrielle Raymond, the daughter of Caroline and Ben Raymond, will attend Rollins College in Winter Park, Fla.

Matthew Riggle, the son of Blaine and Jennifer Riggle, will attend Avon Old Farms in Avon, Conn., for a postgraduate year.

Dylan Roberts, the son of Daniel and Laurie Roberts, will attend Marion Military Institute in Marion Ala., and enter the United States Coast Guard Academy in New London, Conn., in fall 2017.

Isaiah Robichaud, the son of Christopher Robichaud, will take a gap year to work with Sellers Publishing Co. in South Portland.

Grant Rusk, the son of Scott Rusk and Ann Lindsey, will attend Union College in Schenectady, N.Y.

James Salerno, the son of Pam and Gregory Salerno, will attend the College of Charleston in Charleston, S.C.

RJ Sarka, the son of Sue and Greg Sarka, will attend Bates College in Lewiston, Maine.

Monika Scheindel, the daughter of Marilyns and Robert Scheindel, will attend Colby-Sawyer College in New London, Conn.

Cooper Siepert, the son of Michael and Mary Siepert, will attend the United States Merchant Marine Academy in Kings Point, N.Y.

William Steidl, the son of Mary and Scott Steidl, will attend Princeton University in

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Scholarships, awards go to members of Cape Elizabeth High School Class of 2016

Members of Cape Elizabeth High School's Class of 2016 received the following awards and scholarships on June 9 during the senior celebration banquet at the Italian Heritage Center in Portland:

- Kevin Brady Spirit Award:** Montana Braxton, Matthew Riggle
- Cape Business Alliance:** Roman Medina, Sarah O'Connor
- Cape Elizabeth Baseball Boosters:** Dylan Roberts
- Cape Elizabeth Field Hockey Boosters:** Rosalie Stevens
- Cape Elizabeth Football Boosters:** Justin Guerette, Guillermo Narvaez
- Cape Elizabeth Garden Club:** Megan Nicholson
- Cape Elizabeth Girls' Basketball Boosters:** Madeleine Bowe, Montana Braxton, Carter Harvey, Maureen Lavallee, Jillian Petersen
- Cape Elizabeth Girls' Volleyball:** Madeleine Bowe, Katherine Connelly, Puamaeóle DeGrandis, Haley Fawcett, Eileen Misterovich
- Cape Elizabeth High School Parents Association:** Miles Dorrance
- Cape Elizabeth High School Student Advisory Council:** Maureen Lavallee
- Cape Elizabeth Lions Club:** Eden Divney, Abaseen Shir
- Cape Elizabeth Music Boosters:** Samuel Moran
- Cape Elizabeth Music Boosters H. Hanson:** Kathleen Oberholtzer
- Cape Elizabeth Softball Boosters:** Samantha Feenstra, Teresa Haller, Megan Nicholson
- College Club of Greater Portland:** Hannah Glazier
- Joseph Doane Cross Country Award:** Jared DuPerre, Samantha Feenstra
- Wentworth Files Memorial:** Sarah Merriam
- Kenneth Jordan Higgins Memorial:** Katherine Briggs, Dana Dufresne-Bonoff, Rachel Epstein, Jahanara Freedman, Brynne Kennedy, Lily Pillsbury
- Fred Hilse Memorial:** William Steidl
- Andrew Ward Holland Memorial:** Henry Shroder
- Melissa Hyland Memorial:** Matthew O'Neill
- Marian P. Johnson Memorial:** Allison Stewart
- Pomeroy Wells Jordan Memorial:** Katherine Hansen
- Betty King Memorial:** Nicole Penley
- Joshua Kuck Memorial:** Samantha Feenstra
- MacWhinnie Memorial:** Cooper Siepert
- Maine Princi pals' Scholarship:** Chloe Gillian
- Michelle Legere Memorial:** Alexandria Bakke
- Michelle Legere Recognition:** Logan Hansen, Gabrielle Raymond
- Sen. George Mitchell Institute:** Haley Fawcett
- Reynold E. Moulton Student/Athlete Award:** James Bottomley, Madeleine Bowe, Teresa Haller
- Pomarico Memorial:** Nicholas Pappas
- Inez Raymond Memorial:** Caroline Lengyel
- Roy E. Raymond Memorial:** Brandon Ledoux
- Keith Sleeper Memorial:** Anya Kohan, Remy Dickinson
- South Portland/Cape Elizabeth Buy Local:** Patrick Winker
- South Portland/Cape Elizabeth Dollars for Scholars:** Nicholas Pappas
- South Portland/Cape Elizabeth Rotary Club:** Alexandria Bakke, Stephen Bennett, Madolyn Connolly, Andrew Mitchell, Morgan Wight
- Jim Spaulding Memorial:** Justin Guerette
- Southwestern Swim Officials:** Alexander Mukai
- Phineas W. Sprague Promise Award:** Brayden Crosta, Chloe Gillian, Taylor Hansen, Evangeline Miele, Caitlin O'Sullivan, Erin Whitcomb
- Phineas W. Sprague Scholars:** Sierra Aceto, Anna Ball, Lydia Brenneman, Thomas Brett, Victoria Diaz, Marcus Donnelly, Emma Dvorozniak, Jasper Hansel, Lauren Holmes, Eileen Misterovich, Robert Sarka, Natalie Vaughan, Portia Wilson, McKenna Wood, Randy Zhou
- Robotics and Engineering:** Federico Giovine
- Timberlake/Sherman Scholarship:** Joseph Inhorn
- Unsung Hero:** Harrison Queeney
- Waecker Technology Scholarship:** Madolyn Connolly
- John Wilbur Memorial:** Timothy Corsello

Graduates' plans

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Lily Norris, Phoebe Coburn and Pua Degrandis

Princeton, N.J.

Allison Stewart, the daughter of Greg and Kate Stewart, will attend Barnard College in New York City, N.Y.

Peter Tarling, the son of Maryellen and Charlie Tarling, will attend the Strive Transition Outcomes Program for Students in South Portland while continuing to attend Cape Elizabeth High School.

Vince Tarpo, the son of Kathy Tarpo, will attend Purdue University in West Lafayette, Ind.

Natalie Vaughan, the daughter of Carol and Tom Vaughan, will attend Dartmouth College in Hanover, N.H.

Hannah Walsh, the daughter of John and Cathy Walsh, will attend the University of New Hampshire in Durham.

Tucker Wanzer, the son of Bill and Liz Wanzer, will take a gap year to do volunteer work in the town of Rivas, Nicaragua and

then teach Optimist and 420 sailing in Australia. He will attend Maine Maritime Academy, in Castine, Maine, in fall 2017.

Erin Whitcomb, the daughter of TJ and Patty Whitcomb, will attend Connecticut College in New London.

Morgan Wight, the daughter of Joe and Ann Wight, will attend Washington University in St. Louis, Mo.

Portia Wilson, the daughter of Mike and the late Lee Wilson, will attend Lafayette College in Easton, Pa.

Patrick Winker, the son of Linda and Michael Winker, will attend Southern Maine Community College in South Portland.

McKenna Wood, the daughter of Rosemary and Michael Wood, will attend Tufts University in Medford, Mass.

Randy Zhou, the son of Nancy Chen and Eric Zhou, will attend Lafayette College in Easton, Pa.

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Library's summer programs continue

Thomas Memorial Library's busy summer of programs for all ages continues in the second half of this month. One highlight is the second concert in its Outdoor Summer Concert Series, sponsored by the Thomas Memorial Library Foundation. On Tuesday, July 26, the Maine Marimba Ensemble will perform on the library's front lawn from 6:30 to 8 p.m. A special after-hours Celtic music concert will feature "The Ladies of the Lake," on Saturday, July 30 at 6:30 p.m. There will be more sessions in the teen Guerilla Art Club, another DIY Craft Night for Adults, and more! Check the list below:

Guerilla Art Club, for ages 12 and up

Work with the library's resident artist, staffer Kiah Gardner, to create anonymous artistic surprises to leave for unsuspecting members of the public to find- from yarn bombing to moss painting, to wish trees, and more. No need to attend every session- come to as many as you like! No registration necessary. Dates and times in July are: Monday, July 18 from 2:30 - 4 p.m.; and Wednesday, July 27 from 11:30 - 1 p.m.

DIY Craft Night for Adults

Thursday, July 21, 6:30 - 8:00 p.m.
Make ornamental mini-books out of a variety of discarded library books. Check the library's website for photos of examples. No registration necessary.

Fairy Garden Workshop, for ages 4 and up

Friday, July 22, 10:30 - 11:30 a.m.
Author Liza Gardner Walsh returns for a workshop in which kids get to make their own fairy garden to take home. Registration required.

Intro to Weaving, for ages 12 and up

Monday, July 25, 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
Local weaver Melian Mulherin will guide participants in making their own loom and starting their first weaving project. No registration necessary.

Maine Marimba Ensemble, Outdoor Summer Concert

Tuesday, July 26, 6:30 - 8 p.m.
Maine Marimba Ensemble plays captivating polyrhythmic arrangements of traditional and contemporary Zimbabwean Shona music that gets everyone dancing and drum-

ming. Hailing from Portland, they bring African music to all of New England.

Ladies of the Lake, Celtic music concert

Saturday, July 30, 6:30 - 8 p.m.
"Ladies of the Lake" trio specializes in lilting Celtic tunes and heartfelt ballads. They have performed for many years in groups or individually, in their home state of Maine and beyond. The trio's name is inspired not only by the magical women in medieval legend, but also by a country dance done in New England since colonial times.

Pollinator Garden Workshop set for July 30

The library is establishing its own pollinator garden this summer behind the new library building. Learn how to attract beneficial pollinating birds, butterflies, and other insects to your garden in a free workshop later this month. Katelyn Buttler, an environmental educator from the Rachel Carson National Wildlife Refuge, will lead an all-ages workshop on creating your own pollinator garden on Saturday, July 30 from 10 to 11:30 a.m. Drop in and meet Katelyn, find out how to establish a garden that supports important beneficial pollinators, and pick up a free pollinator garden kit. There will also be children's activities, so bring the whole family to get your kit and learn about gardens.

Weekly children's programs continue

Weekly story times for summer continue, as do weekly programs for older kids. The popular Creativity Lab, for elementary and middle school-aged kids, is back on Wednesdays from 2:30 - 4:00 p.m. (drop in any time, no registration required.) The library's two therapy dogs visit weekly, Winston on Wednesdays from 3:15 - 5:00 p.m., and Maddie on Thursdays for the summer from 3:30 - 5:15 (register in advance on the library's website.) For the complete story time schedule, and details on all the library's summer programs, please visit the library's website.

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Summer Children's Program Schedule

Art Adventures

For ages 3 to 5
Fun art experiences for preschoolers
Mondays, 9:30 to 10:15 a.m.

Story Explorers

For ages 3 to 5
Story-based activities for preschoolers
Tuesdays, 9:30 to 10:15 a.m.

Family Story Time

For all ages
Stories, songs, and movement geared toward the ages of the children in attendance
Wednesdays, 9:30 to 10:15 a.m.
Saturdays, 10:30 to 11 a.m.

Mother Goose Time

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Rhymes, songs, and lap games for babies
Wednesdays, 11:00 to 11:20 a.m.
Saturdays, 9:30 to 9:50 a.m.

Baby Doll Story Time

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Fridays, 9:30 to 10 a.m.

Creativity Lab

For elementary and middle school students
Wednesdays, drop in between 2:30 and 4 p.m.

Read to a Dog

For K to grade 8
Wednesdays with Winston, 3:15 to 5 p.m.
Thursdays with Maddie, 3:30 to 5:15 p.m. (new day!)
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Baseball players earn honors at end of season

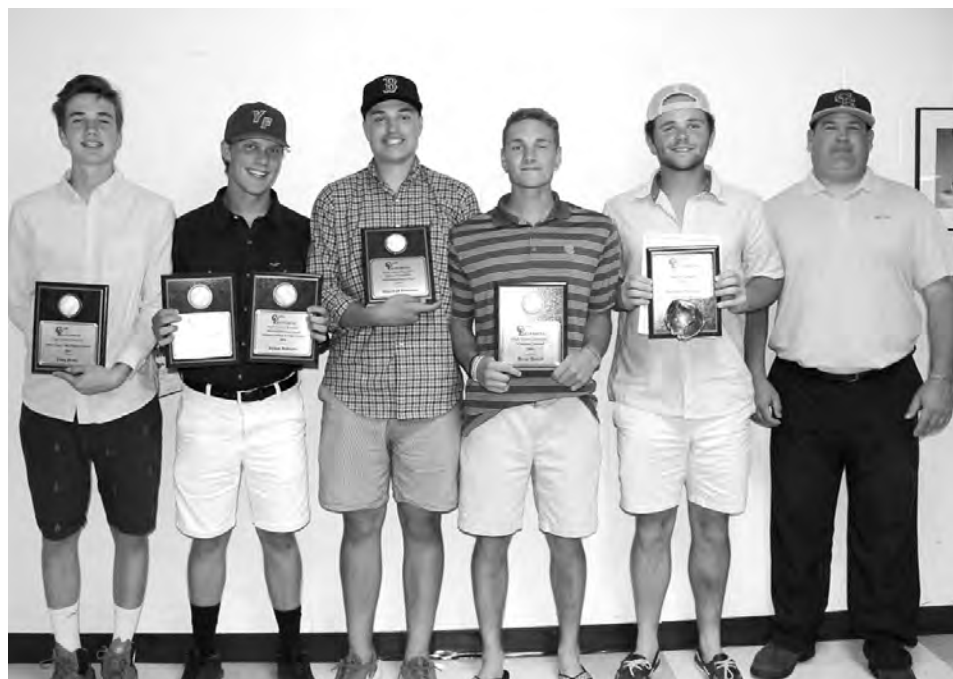


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Cape Elizabeth High School varsity baseball players who received awards at a team banquet in June are, from left, Finn Bowe, who won the John Casey 10th Player Award; Dylan Roberts, the recipient of the Durwood Holman and Vic Woodbury awards; Marshall Peterson, who earned the Outstanding Junior Award; Bryce Hewitt, winner of the Coaches' Award; and Brendan Tinsman received the Mr. Leather Award. The team is coached by Andrew Wood.

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Amphitheater

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Russell said, "We've spent a portion of the [\$440,000] on demolition of the old bleachers," and the rest would be used to cover the remaining demolition and construction.

By comparison, a more bare-bones linear design similar to the prior bleachers was estimated to cost \$200,000.

"They anticipate the approval process will take several months," Russell said. "The Town Council has ultimate approval; we're simply an advisory committee."

If the project is ultimately approved, Russell anticipates they may go to bid next spring, with work to begin sometime next year.

Russell points out that everything depends upon feedback and approval. It is not possible to estimate a completion date, for example, without knowing which design the Town Council will ultimately approve.

The Fort Williams Advisory Commission is holding a meeting on August 17 at 7 p.m. at the Town Council chambers to explain the concept and solicit community feedback. Feedback can also be sent to Public Works Director Bob Malley via email to robert.malley@capeelizabeth.org.

Planning Board

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ing to keep the road's alignment to avoid damage to an outcrop of ledge.

Jordy currently resides in the oceanfront home at the eastern end of the property. Two new single-family lots would be created to the west, and the 12.5-acre common area would be to the south, bounded on the south by Alewife Brook.

Major package of minor ordinance amendments

After nearly a year of work, the Planning Board on June 21 also recommended a series of technical ordinance amendments go to the Town Council for consideration.

"We do this every once in a while," said Town Planner Maureen O'Meara. "The intent is to clean up provisions, to clarify provisions and to do updates."

The proposed amendments affect the zoning ordinance, subdivision ordinance and conservation ordinance, and also propose creating a new ordinance governing stormwater. They can be viewed on the town website, www.capeelizabeth.com.

The board worked on the amendments over the course of 11 meetings, O'Meara said, and she thanked myriad town staff for

their help. "This is truly a major package of minor amendments," she said.

Fine-tune findings for 2015 'Summer Oven' approval

Board members spent the first hour of their June 21 meeting reiterating findings from their May, 2015 approval of a plan for mixed retail uses at 541 Ocean House Road, including a pizza restaurant to be called "The Summer Oven."

The approval was remanded by Superior Court on complaint from the owner of the neighboring Rudy's restaurant, whose plan was approved by Planning Board in 2011 and amended in 2012-14. The complaint was "motivated by what Rudy's perceives as a major difference in the treatment that 541 Ocean House received compared to the treatment that Rudy's received when it applied for site plan approval 2012-14 ...," Justice Thomas Warren wrote in his decision dated May 10.

The remand calls for the board to more completely state reasons for approving the Summer Oven's plans for lighting, screening and stormwater management. Board members worked to restate their findings on June 21, and will vote to approve them in final form next month.

Wentworth Lodge special-events approved

In the town's first approval of a residential special-events facility, the Planning Board granted Wentworth Lodge a permit to hold events on its property off of Charles E. Jordan Road.

The lodge is located on Sprague Corp. land, in a residential zone that up until last year was not allowed to host commercial events. An ordinance change approved by the Town Council in November, however, created a coexisting "overlay" zone that allows events on large residential properties.

The board's approval restricts events to temporary, tented areas on the property, and requires at least one portable toilet to be on site for every 40 people attending. The ordinance limits events to 12 a year, but John Greene, property manager for the Sprague Corp., said last month he anticipates the lodge will hold only two this season.

Pad approved for High School generator

In other matters, the board approved an application from the town of Cape Elizabeth to construct a pad to hold a generator at Cape Elizabeth High School. The approval is an update to the site plan for the school campus.

B2B signs going up...leading to Beacon



Photo by Ann Kaplan

The traditional countdown to the Aug. 6 TD Beach to Beacon 10K Road Race got underway July 6 with the placement of the mile markers along the coastal course in Cape Elizabeth. Public Works employees Harold Young, at left, and Josh Dennison installed the markers along the route. This is the 19th year for the classic American road race, which is viewed by many Mainers as an annual celebration of health and fitness. The race, which attracts the world's top road racers, begins near Crescent Beach and ends in Fort Williams Park at the historic Portland Head Light, seen below. The event's lead sponsor is TD Bank, one of the 10 largest banks in the U.S. with nearly 8 million customers at more than 1,300 locations. The 2016 race beneficiary is My Place Teen Center.



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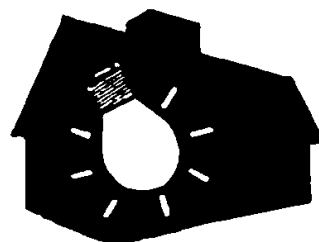
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Meritorious month for the Munsons



With the new World Trade Center in New York City behind them, Kayne Munson and his mother Dawn Munson stand on the flight deck of the USS Bainbridge, where Kayne spent a month participating in an NROTC Second Class Midshipman cruise. A 2014 Cape Elizabeth High School graduate, Kayne was named to the spring-semester dean's list at Villanova University in Pennsylvania, where he just completed his sophomore year. On the ship, Kayne shadowed and participated in training exercises with enlisted and officer personnel and participated in Fleet Weeks in New York City and Fort Lauderdale, Fla. Dawn, a registered nurse, was recognized in June by her employer, COR Health of Portland, as a "valued caregiver for five years."

Courier climbs Grand Teton with the Dorrances



Cape Elizabeth father and son, Scott and Miles Dorrance read *The Cape Courier* atop the Grand Teton, the highest mountain in Wyoming's Grand Teton National Park, on June 20 after an ascent that started at 4 a.m. under a full moon. During an 8-day trip, the two also fished for Snake River cutthroat trout and took in a rodeo. Miles just graduated from Cape Elizabeth High School and soon will enter the University of Denver in Colorado.



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Cameron Wilson, the son of **Mike Wilson** and the late **Lee Wilson**, was named to the spring-semester president's list at Bentley University in Waltham, Mass. The honor is the school's highest distinction for academic excellence. A 2013 Cape Elizabeth graduate, Cam just finished his junior year and is majoring in economics and finance.

Charlotte Rutty earns Bowdoin degree

Charlotte Rutty, a 2012 graduate of Cape Elizabeth High School, graduated magna cum laude and Phi Beta Kappa this spring from Bowdoin College in Brunswick. Charlotte's major was English, and her minor was environmental studies. She is the daughter of **Alison Morton** and **Lee Rutty**.

Charlotte has a summer internship with "Living on Earth," a weekly environmental news program distributed by Public Radio International. Every week about 250 PRI stations broadcast Living on Earth's news, features, interviews and commentary on a broad range of ecological issues. The offices are located at the School for the Environment at the University of Massachusetts in Boston.



Charlotte Rutty

Two Cape Elizabeth High School graduates were named to the spring-semester dean's list at Endicott College in Beverly, Mass.

Julianne Nicole Ayers, the daughter of **Mark and Cynthia Ayers**, is majoring in marketing communication. She is a 2013 graduate of Cape Elizabeth High School.

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