

THE GOULDSBORO NEWSLETTER

JULY 2010

SELECTMEN/TOWN MANAGER

On June 8th, four hundred fifty registered voters cast ballots and re-elected Susan Bagley and James McLean to the five member Board of Selectmen. Also, Raymond Jones, Thomasina Watson and William Zoellick were re-elected to the Planning Board. Voters approved the referendum accepting the RSU #24 budget of \$2,203,963.

Special thanks to Glenna Ellis for volunteering at the polls! We appreciate your help!

On June 9th, seventy seven residents attended the Annual Town Meeting at the Peninsula School. All forty three articles passed a municipal budget of \$1,338,630. That amount provides funds for the administration, town property, public services, public works and public safety departmental budgets. It also includes \$92,500 for reserve accounts and \$68,820 for special projects. The County budget was approved for \$161,128 and amendments to three ordinances were approved. Budget Committee members Charles Davis, Dwight Rodgers, and Andrew Sankey were re-elected for three year terms.

We are looking for a "handy" person who can do occasional odd jobs for our municipality. Some jobs may include but not limited to: re-screening a screen, delivering items to the transfer station, maintaining the veteran's flags, light painting, small carpentry repairs, etc. The position will receive a yearly stipend of \$600. For more information please contact Town Manager, Eve Wilkinson – 963-5589 or town.manager@gouldsborotown.com on or before July 16th.

A couple of years have passed and we are so thankful for the service and help Gary Grovogel has given to our community as Fire Chief. We recognize and appreciate his dedication and leadership to the Fire Department. Thank you to the officers and members for their support and strength in keeping this department viable! We are pleased to welcome Bob Harmon as our new Fire Chief. Mr. Harmon comes to our community with twenty-five years prior experience as an officer in the Cumberland Fire Department

Gouldsboro is the host community for the award of the Community Development Block Grant for housing assistance relating to well and septic tank replacement for qualifying households. The \$250,000 grant is available to all towns within Hancock County. For more information please call Carol Lingle at Washington Hancock Community Agency at 546-7544, ext. 3383.

Thank you Barbara Rice for another wonderful Memorial Day Parade. Also, appreciation goes to Martha Metzler, Maureen Hall and Roni Saul for brewing up and serving tasty refreshments after the ceremony and to Annie Perry who donated a beautiful handmade balsam wreath to place at the Veteran's Memorial. Come in to the town office and admire the best photos of that day captured and shared by Larry Peterson.

CODE ENFORCEMENT

Permit Activity



D. Smith	55 Old Route 1	Shed
J. Rinehart	14 Corea Road	Shed
D. Kotula	173 Main Street	Building
T. Civera	195 Paul Bunyan	Shed
J. Maren	55 Chicken Mill Pond Road	Shed

TOWN CLERK

July 1st is the day for new clam licenses. As of July 12th, the State of Maine is raising the certified record fees. Birth, marriage and death certificates will be \$15 and marriage licenses will be \$40.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

The Gouldsboro Fire Department has a new chief as of July 1st. Robert Harmon has accepted the position so Gary Grovogel can step down to concentrate on his business. Robert has been a firefighter for over twenty years with the Cumberland Fire Department. He has been an assistant chief with the Gouldsboro Department for the past year. All members of our volunteer department stand behind Robert and wish him well in his new position.

RECYCLING NOTE

Just a reminder that it is important to put your recycling out where it is clearly visible from both sides of the road and that it is distinguishable as recycling—let's all work to make recycling a way of life in our community.

RECYCLING WILL BE PICKED UP WEDNESDAY AM
TRASH WILL BE PICKED UP THURSDAY AM—Please have both curbside by 7:00 AM

DORCAS LIBRARY

Remember our Book and Bake sale on Saturday, July 24th from 8:00 AM to 2:00 PM at the Women's Club. Plan to have lunch at our outside Lunch Grille, which will feature sausage with peppers and onions, hamburgers, hot dogs and soft drinks. It's not too late to donate books for the sale. Just drop them off at the library during open hours. As part of our 2010 Children's Summer Program, L. A. Meyer, author of the "Bloody Jack" series, will visit the library to discuss the adventures of Jackie Faber on July 19th at 1:30 PM. For a complete listing of other special events, as well as the schedule of lap time story hours and programs for older kids, visit our web site at www.dorcass.lib.me.us.

FOR SALE – 2006 FORD CROWN VICTORIA –FORMER POLICE CRUISER - 153,500 MILES - \$3000



CONTACT TOWN MANAGER FOR MORE INFORMATION AT 963-5589



SHORE CLEAN UP coming August 22nd, more information in the next newsletter.

GOULDSBORO HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The July meeting will be held on Monday, July 5th at 7:30 PM in the Historical Society Museum, (452 US Route 1). Helen and Dick Morris and Tom Allen will present a program about Fred Ashe and his property on Jones Pond. All are welcome. FMI 963-5530. The Museum will be open on Saturdays from 2:00 PM until 4:00 PM and during July the villages of Gouldsboro will be highlighted as follows: July 3rd, South Gouldsboro; July 10th, Birch Harbor; July 17th Corea and on July 24th and 31st Prospect Harbor.

SCHOODIC EDUCATION AND RESEARCH CENTER

On Saturday, July 10th at 7:00 PM, Acadia Partners for Science and Learning will host a lecture at the Moore Auditorium on the SERC campus. Rebecca Cole-Will, the Cultural Resources Program Manager for Acadia National Park, will give a talk on the history of the Schoodic District of ANP, the Moore Auditorium, the Rockefeller building and the "apartment building".

THE SCHOODIC COMMITTEE OF FRIENDS OF ACADIA

Tuesday, July 13th, 7:00 PM, at the Schooner Commons of the Schoodic Education and Research Center – The Schoodic Committee of Friends of Acadia will meet to discuss upcoming volunteer projects, events, ideas for lectures, etc. The meetings are open to everyone. Contact Stephanie Clement at stephanie@friendsofacadia.org or 288-3340 FMI.

HOUSE/GARDEN OPEN HOUSE

The bi-annual Corea Artist Studio and House/Garden open house will be held on July 31st. Tickets are \$15 and benefit the Seaside Grange. A variety of artists living in the seaside fishing village of Corea will be opening their studios and homes between 10:00 AM and 4:00 PM for tours. See how artists work and develop their art. Also some of the wonderful gardens will be open for tours, including the Black Duck Inn with its collection of art and antiques.

FMI Gary or Rosemary at 207-963-7269 or e mail, chapttwo@aol.com.

SEASIDE GRANGE OF COREA RUMMAGE/BAKE SALE

The members of the Seaside Grange of Corea will hold their annual rummage/bake sale on Saturday, July 17th, 2010 from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM at the Grange Hall, 64 Crowley Island Road, Corea, Maine. We will offer lots of great household items, clothes and furniture for sale along with the most delicious baked goods. All proceeds from the sale will help to cover Grange budgeted expenses and charitable contributions. The Seaside Quilters will offer a gorgeous quilt for a raffle prize. For info contact Gail Ruland 963-7849 or ruland64@myfairpoint.net

WINTER HARBOR PUBLIC LIBRARY INVITES GOULDSBORO TO ATTEND

SUMMER PROGRAMS 2010 – AUTHORS AND ILLUSTRATORS - ALL PROGRAMS FREE: WEDNESDAYS 2-3:00 PM; SNACKS FOLLOW 3-3:30 PM: **July 7th - Angeli Perrow**, “Many Hands (Penobscot Indian Story)”, weaving activity; **July 14th - Leila Saad**, “Maude Magazine” creator/publisher, styling activity; **July 21st - Sharon Lovejoy**, “Toad Cottages & Shooting Stars,” author/illustrator, Plus: Reading from Manuscript, work-in-progress (for middle grades); **July 28th - Margy Burns Knight** “Africa Is Not a Country”; *Discover Your World* program; **Aug 4th - Julie Paschkis**, illustrator/Fabric Designer; “Albert the Fix-it Man” etc. and **Aug 25th - Gail Page** “How to Be a Good Dog” & “Bobo & the New Neighbor” author/illustrator. Funding from: Rose & Samuel Rudman Library Trust; Maine Community Foundation. Call WH Library (963-7556) or Mary Lou Weaver (963-2640) for info/questions, or: CHECK LIBRARY WEB SITE: www.winterharbor.lib.me.us **Note: Use Island Explorer Bus....Will pickup/return anywhere along scheduled route (raise both arms!)**

THANK YOU

Work day at the Bunker Memorial Cemetery in South Gouldsboro, May 22nd, was a tremendous success. Thank you to everyone for your generous donations of money, labor, land and equipment. Your contributions made dramatic improvements in the road and cemetery. We hope this will become an annual event and look forward to seeing you next year. We welcome all who would like to become involved with this ongoing project. With great appreciation, thank you.

LAST FRIDAY COFFEEHOUSE

Friday, July 30th: Winter Harbor - The Mainely Country Band and the Higgins Family - Country Music - Last Friday Coffeehouse in Hammond Hall, presented by Schoodic Arts for All. 7:30 PM. Suggested donation for this event is twelve dollars - Kids under twelve admitted free - Great desserts!! No reservations, doors open at 6:30. For further info, call 963-7670, 963-2569, or go to www.schoodicarts.org & www.katahdinvalleyboys.com

CALENDAR OF EVENTS & MEETINGS FOR JULY 2010

Monday	5 th	Town Office Closed	All Day
Monday	5 th	Historical Society Meeting – Historical Museum	7:30 PM
Tuesday	6 th	Planning Board – Town Office	7:00 PM
Thursday	8 th	Selectmens Meeting – Town Office	6:00 PM
Saturday	10 th	History of Schoodic District - SERC	7:00 PM
Tuesday	13 th	Schoodic Friends of Acadia - SERC	7:00 PM
Wednesday	14 th	Shellfish Meeting – Town Office	7:00 PM
Saturday	17 th	Corea Seaside Grange Rummage Sale	11 AM- 3:00 PM
Monday	19 th	Solid Waste Meeting – Town Office	6:00 PM
Tuesday	20 th	Planning Board – Town Office	7:00 PM
Thursday	22 nd	Selectmens Meeting – Town Office	6:00 PM
Saturday	24 th	Dorcas Library Book Sale – PHWC	8:00 AM-2:00 PM
Saturday	24 th	Prospect Harbor Methodist Church Yard Sale	8:00 AM-2:00 PM
Friday	30 th	Last Friday Coffee House – Hammond Hall	7:30 PM
Saturday	31 st	Corea Artist Studio/Gardens Tour	10 AM – 4 PM

“If you don't like something change it; if you can't change it, change the way you think about it. “
~Mary Engelbreit

**GOULDSBORO NEWS
POST OFFICE BOX 68
PROSPECT HARBOR, ME 04669**

**PRST STD
U.S. POSTAGE PAID
PERMIT #4**

POSTAL PATRON