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Hoppy's Landing signs get spruced up



The signs at Hoppy's Landing got spruced up this week, including a brand-new sign on the building. Harbormaster David Darmofal used his expertise as a former sign maker to create the colorful sign (inset) with longitude and latitude and "Shorty" the lobster. The information sign was also replaced with a new one. The new sign on the building was donated by Mr. Darmofal. He used the old green sign that had been on the property while construction was being done on the new dock, and he used old paint and other materials from his former sign making business. *Photo by Beth David. See it in color at www.NeighbNews.com.*



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From The Editor

WEST ISLAND —
A day late and many dollars short.



Beth David, Publisher

I cannot believe we still need to address the unrivaled ignorance of total idiots like Rep. Todd Akin (R-MO) who said women can't get pregnant from rape — he called it "legitimate rape," presumably meaning she was really raped and not faked. The levels of insult are like an onion: they just go on and on.

When will the attacks on women stop? When will this crap be over? I can't believe we are still arguing this bullshit now in 2012. I had so much good, local stuff to rant about this week, yet here I am, forced to address the idiocy of someone who is in a position of power, real power, over women's lives. It cannot be ignored because this guy is on the SCIENCE Committee in Congress: That's Congress with a capital "C." The United States Congress. ARRHHH!!!! AND, he has a good chance of becoming a senator, of the U.S. Yes, THE U.S.

This omnipresent degrading of women is not new. It's just so disheartening that it still goes on. Hell, people, we had a serious contender for the presidential nomination for president, and a woman vice presidential candidate; we've had women in space, running big corporations, winning gold medals.

Yet society still has a million ways to try to make women feel just a little "less."

(SPOILER ALERT...PARANORMAN THE MOVIE)

In the movie "Paranorman," the gay reference at the end has people talking. That was okay in my book (but you knew that). What WAS disturbing, were the heterosexual interactions: the pretty cheerleader always having to push away the groping teenage boy. And everyone laughs.

Why do they laugh? Why do they think it's funny? Because it's against a girl, that's why. Well, it's not funny. This is the kind of stuff that sets the tone for women feeling they have less of a right to the integrity of their own bodies. Men are allowed to grab and we're supposed to laugh it off, just push them away, no big deal. But it is a big deal. Men need to cut the crap. Boys need to cut the crap. Just stop it. Why is that so hard? Because society helps them NOT stop, that's why.

As a Catholic, I grew up thinking that abortion was not an option. Period. And that it should not be an option for any woman anywhere, ever.

Then I got old enough to understand what that really meant, in a very personal way, for girls...not boys, of course. My political feminism started then, I think, although my feminist thinking probably started when I was five and told I shouldn't do something because I was a girl. It just wasn't fair. And that's all feminism is, really, just trying to make it fair.

It was still a few years, though, before I heard the word "feminist." "Women's libber" was the catch-phrase before that, but it wasn't serious enough to me. I knew I wasn't that. Everyone who used the term laughed as they said it. When they said "feminist," they sneered with contempt. That, at least, was serious.

Meanwhile, at my Catholic school, they were actively teaching us that women could not get pregnant from rape, and, at the same time, that rape was often used as a weapon of war to change ethnic make-ups in countries and in regions where civil war was raging among different sects.

I immediately latched onto the contradiction, but no one else seemed to notice. To be honest, I don't recall if I ever said

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Phew! Sneaked by last week with no boo-boos?

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anything in class about it. I suspect I didn't.

But just because I may have been silent about it, doesn't mean I was stupid. I suspected then that it might all just be a ploy; a ploy to keep women down; a ploy to make girls feel their aspirations did not count as much.

I started to figure out that it was just part and parcel of the methods used to make us believe that everything was always our fault.

The horror of rape or near-rape is so real, so difficult, so all-consuming, and so long term. To then think of the horror of getting pregnant from it and having no recourse whatsoever because the law now claims your body. And just for good measure, let's add the guilt of making it your fault for getting pregnant, not the rapist's, because you must've liked it or you wouldn't have gotten pregnant in the first place. So bear that child, no matter how young you are; the course of your life has changed, through no action of your own. It's your destiny. It's your biology. You must live with it. It's God's will.

How does one feel like a worthy human being when all that is being thrown at her? As if being an adolescent isn't tough enough.

Then I heard, or more likely read, the word "feminist." Thank you, "Ms. Magazine." Thank you, "Our Bodies, Ourselves." Thank you, Gloria Steinem. Thank you, Marlo Thomas.

They just made it so clear, what I had known but could not articulate. It is so simple, so fundamental, and so under attack: women cannot be equal if abortion is illegal. It's that simple. It's that clear. It's that necessary. It is step ONE. Anyone who does not acknowledge that is either being

dishonest or is just not thinking clearly. No one is saying a woman HAS to have an abortion, just that she can and that the reasons for it are no one's business but her own.

The Todd Akins of the world, if they had their way, would make it impossible for a woman to get an abortion, even to save her life. Because? Because women don't count as much as whatever a man has biologically placed inside of her, against her will or not. In 31 states, rapists have the same parental rights as real fathers. Can you believe that?

Men are not held back by their biology; humans have transcended their biology since the beginning of time. The only reason we are at the top of the food chain is because we did not accept our biological limitations. If we had to rely solely on our biological strength, the species would have disappeared a long time ago. If MEN had let biology define THEM and limit THEM, we could not speed along roads at untold miles per hour, fly in the air, or reach the moon.

God, or nature, did not give us wings, but that did not stop us from flying.

Biology won't stop women either; so step aside, Mr. Akin and those of your ilk, you've really pissed us off this time.

We are, simply put, tired of this crap. We want to get to the business of living life and aspiring to greater things, instead of constantly being dragged back to fight off laws attached to our bodies, making it impossible for us just to live life and aspire to greater things.

So keep your laws off our bodies. Get out of our vaginas.

Get out of our lives. Take your self-righteous, pompous idiocy and go fishing or something. Just get the hell out of the law-making business. You suck at it.

I can't believe we still have to protest this stuff.

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ConCom has new chair, Bella Vista can resume work

By Jean Perry

Neighb News Correspondent

After lifting the cease and desist order issued to Bella Vista Island owner Anwar Faisal, the Fairhaven Conservation Commission heard from a representative from the land trust that owns the salt marsh property over which Ann DeNardis drove her SUV. There was also a charge that a public official removed vegetation from coastal wetlands without a permit, and the commission voted in a new chairperson, to the delight of now former Chairperson Andrew Jones.

Mr. Faisal can again move ahead with his removal of wetlands on his property on Bella Vista Island as well as the restoration of wetlands behind near the recycling center off Arsene Street. Conservation Agent Wayne Fostin had issued a cease and desist order after he found Mr. Faisal in violation of the Order of Conditions of his permit. The ConCom lifted the C&D at its meeting on Monday, 8/20.

Work took place at both sites without the presence of a wetlands specialist, a requirement for Mr. Faisal's projects.

ConCom Member Cora Peirce recused herself and sat outside the room, in light of a discrimination complaint she filed against Mr. Fostin for allegedly calling Mr. Faisal a "towel head."

The ConCom voted to lift the cease and desist order after Mr. Faisal agreed to have the wetlands specialist on site daily, at the minimum each morning, at the end of the day, and during "critical points" in the project.

ConCom left the determination of so-called critical points up to the wetland specialist, with ConCom members agreeing that it is not the responsibility of ConCom to micro-manage Mr. Faisal's project.

"We're more interested in compliance than enforcement," Mr. Jones said. "We hope that there is compliance from here on out."

ConCom Member Jay Simmons told the commission he believed the cease and desist order was issued in a proper manner, but agreed that ConCom should lift the order and allow the project to move forward.

Since he bought the property in 2009, Mr. Faisal has been repeatedly cited for violations for work he has done on and around Bella Vista

Island, including fill being placed on the road and causeway, construction of concrete footings with steel rebar on the roadway, repairs on the walls, fencing, concrete stairway on a coastal beach/bank, landscaping in buffer zones, large boulders on a coastal beach/bank, placement of a float with gangway attached, removal of vegetation, etc.

In another matter, Fairhaven Acushnet Land Preservation Trust Board President John Darwin approached the board, after he received a violation letter from ConCom regarding the damage that Ms. DeNardis caused to the saltmarsh owned by the land trust. According to the bylaw, the owners of wetlands that have been altered or damaged are liable for the damages, which Mr. Darwin considered unfair.

"But, unfortunately, our law doesn't speak about fairness," said

People want to get to the water and we [the land trust] want them to get to the water [John Darwin]

Mr. Jones. "It is what it is."

Mr. Jones recommended all parties wait and see the results of an assessment to be completed by a Mass. Department of Environmental Protection technical specialist.

"I wouldn't know how to go about this," said Mr. Darwin. "I don't even know how to restore it."

Mr. Darwin said he has been monitoring the saltmarsh restoration project behind the Atlas Tack factory for years, and commented that, so far, it has been unsuccessful at restoring it.

"It's a disaster," Mr. Darwin said.

Talk about restricting access to the waterfront via Shaw Street, a paper street not recognized by the Town, ensued, with Mr. Jones tossing out the idea that boulders be placed at the end so automobiles cannot get through, as a result of the salt marsh damage, which ConCom acknowledged had been going on years.

"People want to get to the water

and we [the land trust] want them to get to the water," said Mr. Darwin.

"I think it's an attractive nuisance at this point," said Mr. Jones, adding that he believed that the type of damage will most likely happen again in the future.

He also said he was not in favor of "littering the area" with signs and boulders.

"It should be common sense that you don't drive over a marsh," added Mr. Jones.

Then Mr. Jones told Mr. Darwin, "If additional damage occurs, then the land owners would be held for any enforcement and compliance."

"There is always going to be those kind people out there that just don't care," said Deborah Chormicle, assistant to the land trust board, who accompanied Mr. Darwin.

Ms. DeNardis was absent from the meeting due to a planned vacation, and her matter has been continued until 9/11.

Mr. Jones said he would prefer both parties attend.

"I prefer it this way," said Mr. Darwin, implying that he would prefer not to attend with Ms. DeNardis, causing a laugh.

Also at the meeting, Mr. Jones disclosed that he had to approach a man who he saw removing vegetation from the seawall at the corner of Main Street and Church Street. The man was later identified as Planning Board Member Francis Budryk, who also owns the Polish Manor Inn situated at that corner.

Although Mr. Budryk told Mr. Jones that he was finished removing the vegetation, Mr. Jones told Mr. Budryk that he still needed a permit and would have to go before ConCom after-the-fact for the permit.

Before adjourning, Mr. Jones pointed out that, according to the bylaw, it was long overdue for the commission to take a vote to elect a new chairperson and vice chairperson.

"I love being on this board. I hate being chairman. I'm not gonna lie," said Mr. Jones. He told the commission that he would not accept another nomination for chair.

"I believe I can be more effective as a member," he said. "It's a lot of work. It's a lot of phone calls. Everyone's got my number...It brings me no joy

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AROUND TOWN HAPPENINGS

Kids' Story Walk

On Tues., Aug. 28th, the P.A.C.E. Family Center will host a story walk through Fairhaven's Fort Phoenix. Children under 8 and their families are welcome to join in as we read Eric Carle's *From Head to Toe*. With each page, your child will learn animal names and parts, and practice gross motor movements as well. Your child will love wiggling, stomping, thumping, and bending from station to station as we mimic the body movements of the different animals. Please meet us at the Fort Phoenix Beach State Reservation. The walk will be held from 12:30-1:30, and will include hands-on activities, snack, a raffle, and a free book!

This is a great opportunity for both you and your child to connect with people and make new friends. This story walk is **free of charge**, and is made possible with funding from the Mass. Department of Early Education and Care through the Coordinated Family and Community Engagement Grant. For more information or to register, please contact P.A.C.E.'s Family Center, at (508) 979-1927. **Hurry: pre-registering is required and space is limited! See you there!**

Play at Town Hall

Sweet Apple Theatre Company is TOTALLY excited to present five-time Tony award nominee, THE WEDDING SINGER, at Fairhaven Town Hall. The mission of Sweet Apple Theatre is to bring to a new generation of theatre goers, a new generation of theatre; Contemporary musical theatre and theatre arts are constantly evolving with time, technological advances and social impact. Sweet Apple aims to create, educate and represent these changes in a conducive, productive and nurturing environment.

Based on the hilarious 1998 comedy by New Line Cinema, *The Wedding Singer* is the totally radical story of New Jersey's favorite wedding singer, Robbie Hart, whose life takes a turn for the worse after he is stood up at the altar at his own wedding. That is, until he meets the ever-sweet Julia, but alas, she's already engaged to Glen Guglia, a pompous Wall Street shark. With catchy tunes, 80's references galore, and energetic dancing, it's sure to be a party every night.

The Wedding Singer will be presented on August 23rd, 24th, and 25th at 8pm and August 26th at 2pm at The Fairhaven Town Hall at 40 Center St. in Fairhaven. Tickets are \$15. There is also a \$25 deal, offering a ticket to the show, preferred seating and a copy of Sweet Apple's CD "Never Gonna Happen." Tickets and information are available by calling 774-206-1096 or by e-mailing sweetappletheatre@gmail.com. Information is also available on Sweet Apple Theatre Company's Facebook.

Lobster Roll Dine-Out

Thursday, 7/30, 4:30-6:30 p.m., Our Lady's Haven, 71 Center St., Fairhaven. Lobster roll dinner includes chowder, lobster roll, French fries, coleslaw, dessert and beverage; \$14. **Tickets must be purchased in advance.** Proceeds benefit the residents of Our Lady's Haven. For information, call 508-999-4561.

Golden Agers

The Fairhaven Golden Agers Club will hold an open house on Wed., 8/29 in the Oxford Terrace Community Room, 275 Main St., Fairhaven, from 12:30-3:30 p.m. Accessible. All ages, 18+ are welcome to the Open House. Do come by to see how to spend a pleasant afternoon.

On Open House day, membership is not required to take part in club activities, including: Bingo, 25 cents/card; 10 different games including dogs (\$1/ball) and a chance to win \$5 if you're a dog winner.

Raffle of household items (tickets 4 for \$1), food, refreshments, coffee, cake and door prizes (free).

Call Dot for more information, 508-991-5936.

Farmers Market

The Fairhaven Farmers Market is held on the lawn of Fairhaven High School from 1-4pm Every Sunday.

Sponsored by The Fairhaven Sustainability Committee. For more information: ann.richard@gmail.com or 508-991-8315.

Cocktail Party F-R

The Fairhaven Youth Football Association is holdig a Kick-Off Cocktail Part on Friday August 24, at The Seaport Inn, Fairhaven, from

7 p.m.-Midnight, featuring the Freeze Pops. Come support your local Pop Warner Football & Cheer Athletes! Raffle, cash bar, hors d'oeuvres. **Admission: \$20.00.** Tickets available through your local Time Warner athlete or at the door.

Annual Bag Sale

Heavenly Treasures Thrift Shop First Congregational Church of Fairhaven, 34 Center Street is holding its annual summer bag sale.

Fill a bag with clothes for only \$3.00! Sale runs August 15th through August 25th.

Store hours are Wednesday and Saturdays from 10am to 1pm.

Texas Hold'em

The Fairhaven Gridiron Club is holding a Texas Holdem Tournament to help support Fairhaven Blue Devils football on September 8th at the Seaport Inn. Check in 12:30. Game starts at 2pm. **Tickets are \$50, includes a buffet at the break.** Tickets available at Fairhaven Recreation, or any of the Gridiron members. For information please call Rachel Martin 508-287-1563.

Yoga for Life at UU

Special Summer Sunday Service: "Yoga for Life: Ideas and Practices" Louise Barteau, August 26 at 9:30, Unitarian Memorial Church, 102 Green Street, Fairhaven. Accessible. Call 508-992-7081, or visit www.uufairhaven.org. Louise is a certified yoga instructor who offers yoga "tune-up" practices once a month on the fourth Wednesdays at 6 pm. This Sunday, she incorporates some practices into a worship service. Come experience this unique service with yoga at its center.

Save the date: Feast

Feast of Our Lady of Angels, September 1-3, at Our Lady of Angels Feast Grounds, 7 Jesse St., Sat. 5 p.m.-Midnight, Sun. Noon-Midnight, Mon. Noon-10:00 p.m. Procession on Main Street Monday at 1:00 p.m.

A traditional Portuguese "festa" with live music, game booths, Portuguese & American foods, auctions, kids' activities. Sponsored by Our Lady of Angels Catholic Association. For more info: 508-990-0502.

HAPPENINGS OVERTOWN

Volunteers Needed

Junior Achievement of Southern Massachusetts is seeking volunteers to teach classes in Bristol County and Southern Plymouth County during their fall session. Volunteers will educate students about free enterprise, financial literacy, workforce readiness and entrepreneurship.

JA provides new volunteers with training and all program materials needed to teach the course. Opportunities are available at the elementary, middle and high school levels. Volunteers will give one hour per week for five to seven sessions, depending on the program. For more information, call Patricia Diegel at 508-997-6536 or email Patricia.Diegel@ja.org.

Junior Achievement is a nonprofit organization dedicated to educating students about workforce readiness, entrepreneurship and financial literacy, ultimately empowering young people to own their economic success. Last year, JA of Southern Massachusetts impacted nearly 4,100 students throughout their service area. For more information about JA or to sign up as a volunteer, visit <http://southernmass.ja.org>

Boat race

On Saturday, August 25th, Low Tide Yacht Club is holding its annual Run, Row, Hops Sailboat Race.

Starting time is 12:00 noon at the Clubhouse at Fort Rodman. Skippers anchor off the beach and row ashore for your start time, this is a pursuit race to Weepeckets and back. Water balloons are encouraged. Awards, hamburgers and hotdogs will be at 4:00 pm at the Clubhouse. Interested Skippers should contact Fred Barreiros at events@lowtideyc.org. Shoreside spectators are welcome!

Call for Plays

Culture*Park is now accepting submissions of short original plays for the **11th Annual Short Plays Marathon**, taking place this year in downtown New Bedford on Saturday, November 24. **The deadline for submissions to reach Culture*Park is Monday, October 1, 2012.**

For submission guidelines email culturepark.ed@earthlink.net, or call 774-202-0588. Visit the web site at

www.culturepark.org for information about Culture*Park, and to view clips from previous Marathons. Follow the 11th Marathon on facebook!

Singers Invited

The Greater New Bedford Choral Society invites singers to join. Requirements: blend with your section, pay nominal dues for music, etc. No private audition. Rehearsals Tuesdays from 7:30-9:30 p.m. at the First Unitarian Church, New Bedford, corner of County and Union Streets.

Starting date, Sept. 4. Contact 508-644-2419.

Save the Date

Working Waterfront Fest

Welcome aboard as New Bedford, America's largest commercial fishing port, hosts the 9th Working Waterfront Festival. **The FREE event takes place September 29th and 30th on the working piers and waterfront parks of the historic Port of New Bedford.** Free parking is available at the Elm Street Garage with a free shuttle to the Festival.

More than simply a celebration, the Working Waterfront Festival is a unique opportunity for the public to get a firsthand look at the culture of fishing and for the commercial fishing community to tell its own story. The event presents all that goes into bringing seafood from the ocean to the table in a way that is hands-on, educational and fun. We encourage you to listen and watch, but also to taste, touch and converse.

The 2012 Festival theme, *Fishtales: Fact, Fiction and Narrative Tradition in Commercial Fishing Culture*, will explore enduring myths, local legends, and fact and fiction in contemporary fisheries issues.

Lots of new stuff this year. For more information, call 508-993-8894, or navigate to www.workingwaterfrontfestival.org;

At Whaling Park

Walking Tours, 7 days

New Bedford has a long and fascinating history, filled with stories of whalemens going to sea for years at a time, wives left to run businesses, escaped slaves seeking freedom, and a connection to the sea that spans

centuries. The public is invited to explore this history through free guided tours, offered seven days a week in July and August, at 10:30 AM and 2:30 PM. The park visitor center is located at 33 William Street in downtown New Bedford.

Music & Nets

Summertime is the best time to enjoy free entertainment in your local national park! Fleur de Lis will be performing French Canadian music in the garden area of New Bedford Whaling National Historical Park in downtown New Bedford on **Thursday evening, August 23 from 6:30 to 7:30 PM** as part of its Thursday evening summer concert series. Then, on **Saturday, August 25 from 12 noon-2 PM, Ron Tor Bendiksen will be demonstrating the art of net-making** in the garden, while Ruth and Abby, the national park's 1850s ladies, offer a fun hands-on activity for children. The Saturday afternoon activities are part of the park's Maritime Heritage series. The concerts and maritime crafts are offered free each week at the park during July and August.

For more information about the park call the visitor center at 508-996-4095, go to www.nps.gov/nebe, or visit the park's Facebook page at <http://www.facebook.com/NBWNHP>. All park venues are accessible.

Give Blood, Get YMCA

The Southcoast Blood Bank at St. Luke's Hospital has partnered with YMCA Southcoast to offer blood donors a healthy incentive. Anyone who donates blood at the Southcoast Blood Bank at St. Luke's Hospital, or at any of the community blood drives hosted by the Southcoast Blood Bank, will receive a complimentary family guest pass to any YMCA Southcoast facility, and the Y will waive the joiner fee for any donor interested in a new YMCA membership (up to a \$90 savings).

Next blood drive in NEW BEDFORD is Friday, Aug. 31, at Southeast Health & Rehabilitation Center, 4586 Acushnet Ave., 9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

The Southcoast Blood Bank is located at St. Luke's Hospital, 101 Page Street, New Bedford, off the main lobby. For more info or to make an appointment call 508-961-5320 or visit www.southcoast.org/bloodbank/

Golf Scramble Little League

The merged Fairhaven Acushnet Little League will be holding its first Golf Scramble at Allendale Country Club in Dartmouth on **Saturday August 25th. \$125 Entrance fee** per player includes Green Fees with a Cart, post-golf Dinner Party featuring a disc jockey, prizes, raffles, and fun. For those choosing Dinner only, the cost is \$37.50. Sign in is at Noon, Shotgun start at 1:00 pm, dinner at 6:00 PM. Early registration checks can be sent to FALL Golf Scramble c/o Mike Bourgault, PO Box D-8, Fairhaven, MA 02719. For further information, or to register, please contact either Mike Bourgault at 508-245-5757 or Eric Tveit at 508-965-5900 or tveit1@comcast.net

Golf Scramble Livesey Club

The Thomas Livesey Memorial Club will hold its 15th Annual Golf Scramble at the Back Nine Golf Club, 17 Heritage Hill Dr., Lakeville, MA on Sunday Sept. 9th at 8:00 AM.

Four person teams, \$95.00 per player. Price includes Steak Dinner at Back Nine. **DEADLINE: Sept. 1st.**

For information contact: Ken St. Pierre, 508-991-0266; Nick Curcio, 508-243-9380; Livesey Club, 774-202-6690

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Vets Golf Classic

The Southeastern Massachusetts Veterans Housing Program, Inc., the Veterans Transition House (VTH), is holding the 3rd Annual Veterans Golf Classic fundraising event. All proceeds will go directly toward the VTH.

The 3rd Annual Veterans Golf Classic is taking place at the Acushnet River Valley Golf Course 685 Main Street Acushnet, MA 02743. The fundraiser was originally set to take place on June 23, 2012 with a 1pm shotgun start, but has been changed to **Sunday, September 23, with a 1pm shotgun start.** Tickets for the event are being sold now at a cost of \$100. To purchase tickets or if you would like to sponsor a hole, please contact Sarah Dosenberg, executive assistant at the VTH, at 508-992-5313 ext. 25 or Sarah@VetsHouse.org.

Habitat meeting

Buzzards Bay Area Habitat for Humanity's (BBAHFH) Family Selection Committee is currently reviewing potential candidates for Habitat housing. The Committee will hold an informational meeting at **Elizabeth Tabor Library in Marion on Aug. 30 at 6pm.** The application deadline for consideration for the Marion home is September 28, 2012.

During the review process, the BBAHFH Family Selection committee will evaluate applications, meet with potential partner families, and make recommendations to the BBAHFH Board. **Families who would like to be considered for selection are invited to attend the informational meeting or send in an application.** The application form and further details regarding evaluation criteria can be found on the BBAHFH website at <http://buzzardsbayhabitat.org/blog/about>, or by calling the Habitat office at (508) 758-4517.

Penikese Island

Explore pristine waters and scenic nature trails, and learn about the colorful past, present and future of one of Buzzards Bay's most unique places on a day-long excursion to

Penikese Island on **Saturday, August 25**, hosted by the Buzzards Bay Coalition.

The trip departs from Woods Hole at 9 a.m. Once on the island, Bay Coalition staff will lead an ecological tour and coastal exploration activities for both children and adults. Other planned activities include a tour of Penikese Island School and an oyster farming demonstration by Cuttyhunk Oyster Farms. Participants will also have free time to roam the island's beautiful beaches and trails on their own. The boat will return to Woods Hole at approximately 3 p.m.

The trip costs \$60 for BBC members, \$75 for non-members and \$40 for children (up to age 12). The cost includes boat transportation to and from the island and all on-island activities. Participants must bring their own picnic lunch.

Space is limited, so reservations are required. To RSVP, contact Alicia Pimental at pimental@savebuzzardsbay.org or 508.999.6363, x226.

To learn more about this and other Bay Adventures, visit www.savebuzzardsbay.org/bayadventures.

Farmers Market

The Acushnet Farmers Market is held each **Saturday, rain or shine**, from 9 am to 1 pm at Stone Bridge Farm, 186 Leonard Street, Acushnet. We have ample off street parking and several vendors each week. For more information please call Joanne Harding at 508.951.1551 or email eventsonthefarm@gmail.com

Singers Wanted

The Sippican Choral Society welcomes singers for its 2012 holiday concert, *The Many Moods of Christmas*. Rehearsals begin Monday September 10, and are held every Monday, 7:30-9:30 PM at the Mattapoisett Congregational Church's Reynaud Hall, 27 Church Street, Mattapoisett. New members are welcomed to **join until September 24th.** Please arrive at least 15 minutes early to register. Semester dues are \$35. Concert dates: Friday November 30th and Sunday December 2nd. For more information: osuch1@aol.com. Visit www.sippicanchoral.org.



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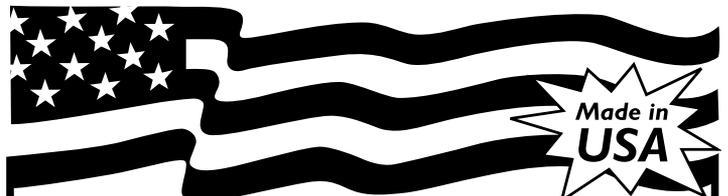
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Recipes of the Week

Lobster tails steamed in beer

2 whole lobster tails
1/2 (12 fluid ounce) can beer

In a med. saucepan, over med. to high heat, bring beer to a boil. If lobster tails are still in the shell, split the shell lengthwise first.

Place a steamer basket on top of saucepan. place thawed lobster tails in basket and cover. Reduce heat and simmer for 8 minutes.

Orange-scented grilled lobster tails

1/4 cup butter
2 teaspoons lemon juice
1 tablespoon grated orange zest
1/8 teaspoon ground ginger
1/8 teaspoon chili powder
1/8 teaspoon aromatic bitters
4 (6 ounce) lobster tails

Preheat an outdoor grill for medium heat, and lightly oil grate.

Melt the butter in a saucepan over medium heat, and stir in the lemon juice, orange zest, ginger, chili powder, and bitters. Simmer gently for 2 minutes, then set aside. Cut away the membrane on the underside of the lobster tails, and insert a metal skewer into each one. This will prevent them from curling up as they cook.

Cook the lobster tails shell-side up on the preheated grill for 10 mins, then turn the tails over, and spoon the butter sauce over the meat. Continue cooking until meat is no longer translucent in the middle, about 10 minutes more.

Both from www.allrecipes.com

ACE concerts celebrate history

Press Release

The Acushnet Classic Ensemble completed its 23rd season with a series of concerts in honor of the Fairhaven Bicentennial. The ACE, comprised of a full orchestra of 71 student musicians, ages 10 to 18 who are from Acushnet (where it all began), Dartmouth, Easton, Mattapoisett, New Bedford, Rochester, Westport and Fairhaven (where it is now located), met for three weeks in July. The conductors were Douglas Anderson, Daniela Chirigotis and Thomas Short.

"Fanfare for Fairhaven" was the title of the program this summer and featured music listened to and enjoyed by audiences over the last two hundred years, in celebration of Fairhaven's bicentennial this year.

The concerts opened with the "Radetsky March" by Johann Strauss, accompanied by spirited clapping by the audience, a tradition with this

piece from Austria. "Warrior Legacy," originally titled "A Score for ACE" in honor of the group's twentieth anniversary in 2009, is a work commissioned for full orchestra written by Soon Hee Newbold. It "commemorates the rich past events that have helped shape our country and also the pioneers of the future that still continue to influence the world." The piece brought a standing ovation from the audience.

"Ragtime Dance" by Scott Joplin, "The Chimes of Liberty" by Edwin Franco Goldman and "Go Daddy-O" by Scotty Morris were some of the selections played that represented music across the two hundred years.

The stirring finale to this already exciting program was the performance of Tchaikovsky's "1812 Overture," which brought a second standing ovation from the audience. Eagerly anticipated was the encore,

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The full orchestra of the Acushnet Classic Ensemble performs their favorite encore, "The Stars and Stripes Forever," conducted by Douglas Anderson at the Friday, 7/27 concert. The brass had risen to bring out the stirring melody, and the flag artwork, created by Alden Court staff and residents, had just been lowered from the above. It was very beautiful, very patriotic moment and a fitting conclusion to the evening's program, "Fanfare for Fairhaven." Submitted photo by Jim Mahaney

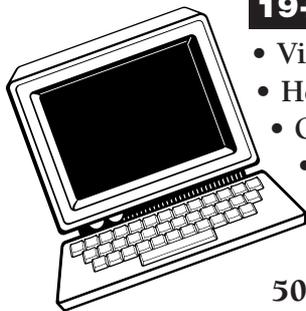
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Another historic property registered in Acushnet

By Diane Kozak

Neighb News Correspondent

The chairperson of the Acushnet selectboard, David Wojnar, opened the August 20th meeting with congratulations to the Historical Commission for their successful efforts in having the Long Plain School accepted by the National Park Service, Department of the Interior, for listing in the National Register of Historic Places. The listing was official as of July 17, 2012. According to Pauline Teixeira, Historical Commission Chairperson, the school will join three other town owned properties on the register: the Friends Meeting House, Parting Ways School and the Head of the River district.

"Having a property on the National Register allows us to apply for grants from the Mass. Historical Commission. These monies can be used to make improvements on the property. This is a great benefit to the town," Ms. Teixeira said. "All of us on the commission are excited to receive the recognition for the Long Plain School, after all it took over two years for us to get it."

Joyce Reynolds, a member of the Historical Commission, explained that the process to have a historic property listed on the National Register starts with a lengthy and involved application. She stated that submitted information includes the history of the building, many photographs and building architec-

tural information. Only if the Mass. Historic Commission nominates the property for national recognition is the package sent to Washington for approval.

"Only worthy properties are approved for this designation," said Ms. Reynolds. "The process is quite involved and is a lot of work, but it is well worth the effort."

Both Ms. Teixeira and Ms. Reynolds stated that the town's Historical Commission has three other properties they would like to obtain national recognition for. The town's recently purchased Severance House on Main Street and Perry Hill Church are the first two on their list followed by the White's Factory on Hamlin Street. Ms. Teixeira could not commit to when the work on the application for these properties would be started as there is no funding available at the present time.

"We need to get the historical designation bronze plaques for the Parting Ways and Long Plain School buildings first. That's going to cost about \$740.00. That's all the funding our committee is asking the town for right now," Ms. Teixeira said.

Town Administrator, Alan Coutinho, updated the board on the findings of the Safety Committee in regard to the car speeding problem on Nye's Lane that was discussed at the last selectboard meeting. The committee contacted the Department of Public Works to replace the worn

out speed limit signs on the street. They also have coordinated with the Chief of Police to increase patrols and to have the speed trailer displayed in the area. The board approved of those steps.

The selectboard received a letter of concern from a resident in the Holly Avenue and Mendall Road area about the recent number of house break-ins that have taken place in the neighborhood. The resident requested that the town put a crime watch sign on the intersection of these streets to make the residents aware that they should be on the alert to help the police identify suspicious people. The selectboard took no action at the meeting, but rather referred the matter to the Safety Committee.

"We should have the Safety Committee take a look at it to get a sense of the situation," Mr. Wojnar said. "They're the experts on it and I'd really like to give it our full attention."

The selectboard reviewed a letter submitted by Kristen Leotti, Chairperson of the Board of Trustees of the Russel Memorial Library, in regard to a delay in future funding to construct a new library in Acushnet. She reminded the board that the state is expected to fund 50% of the town's new library/community center when the building is constructed.

In her letter Ms. Leotti explained that the Massachusetts Board of

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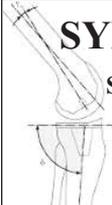
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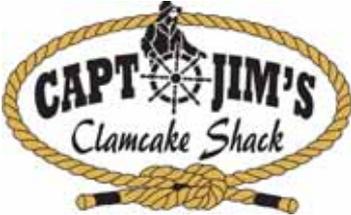


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Library Commissioners (MBLC) is considering ending funding caps on new library constructions projects. She stated that Acushnet is currently on the state's waiting list for new library construction with a projected funding date of 2014. The elimination of the funding caps on the state level will push the projected funding date to 2017. She asked the selectboard to notify Acushnet state legislators that such a delay would be detrimental to the town and its residents.

The selectboard agreed to notify Senator Mark Montigny and Representative Robert Koczera to ask for their help.

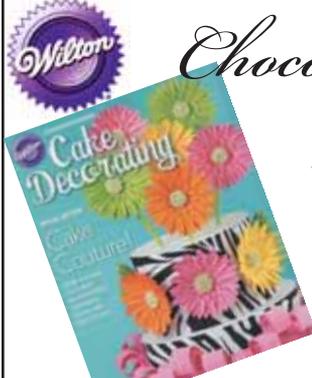
In other matters the board:

- Approved, pending final review by town counsel, a contract in the amount of \$9,750 for J. M. B.A & Architects of New Bedford for the design of the carriage house to be constructed on the historic Friends Meeting House property.
- Awarded the contract to repair the roof on the Council on Aging building to Mark Trahan for the amount of \$19,600. Mr. Trahan was the lowest of several bids submitted as part of the open bid process.

WIIA holds annual clambake



The West Island Improvement Association held its annual clambake on Sunday, 8/19. Included in the feast was clam chowder, a pile of steamers and mussels, both white and swett potatoes, spiced-up fish, corn on the cob, a generous chunk of linquica and lobster on top. Dessert was watermelon and birthday cake. A raffle and door prizes also added to the festivities. The annual event is a fund-raiser for the association. LEFT: Pat Counsel shows off the bright red lobsters at the West Island Improvement Association's annual clambake on Sunday, 8/19. RIGHT: Bakemaster Paul Innis hands over a plate from the WWIA clambake. Photo by Beth David. See it in color at www.NeighbNews.com. Visit us at www.Facebook.com/NeighbNews for more photos of this and other events. Individual photos are available for purchase.



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Butterfly Release

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Mad Scientist intrigues and informs

By Jim Mahaney

Special to the Neighb News

“Jolting Jonathan” Breindel, the Mad Scientist, put on a wonderful demonstration of everyday science to the delight of approximately 50+ children and adults on Monday 8/13 at the Fairhaven Recreation Center. Everyone had a great time and all were enthralled with the presentation

so much that most folks did not even realize how much they learned during this one hour presentation. The Mad Scientist taught his audience about high and low pressure using a hard boiled egg (sans shell) and a glass flask. Ping pong balls, a hair dryer, a beach ball and a leaf blower were also used to demonstrate the effects of high and low pressure. The three

states of matter (solid, liquid and gas) and their characteristics were demonstrated using “dry ice” to create some crowd pleasing fog, suds and mist.

For information on an upcoming after-school program with the Mad Scientist, see page 14.

To learn more about Mad Science, visit www.MadScience.org



“Jolting Jonathan” Breindel, the Mad Scientist, entertains children and adults alike at the Fairhaven Recreation Center on Monday, 8/13. The Rec Center will be offering an after-school program featuring “Mad Science” in the fall. *Photos courtesy of Jim Mahaney. See them in color at www.NeighbNews.com Find Jim’s photography at JimMahaneyPhotography.Smugmug.com*

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anymore.”

Mr. Jones said it was time to “pass the torch to someone else.”

According to Ms. Peirce, it would be inappropriate for her to take the position, after she said she consulted with town council and the state ethics board.

“With my relationship with the chairman and the conservation commissioner...at this point I would feel uncomfortable,” said Ms. Peirce, who is the vice chair.

The Commission voted Joseph Taylor to chairperson, with new member John Dallen taking vice-chair.

“I’m outta here,” said Mr. Jones, and the meeting was over.

In other matters:

- John and Dolores Doyle of 66 Balsam Street received a Negative 3 Determination for an after-the-fact filing to remove bittersweet and

poison ivy within the buffer zone. ConCom concurred that the wetlands would be unaffected by the removal of the invasive species.

- Paul Whewell of 7 Misty Bay Road was given a Negative 3 for his L-shaped driveway within the buffer zone, after-the-fact filing.
- Luis Pacheco of 307R Scoticut Neck Road will have to remove an unpermitted wall constructed within a flood zone, and within 100 feet from of a coastal bank. Engineer Rich Rheume, the same engineer working for Mr. Faisal, will have to oversee the hand-removal of the unpermitted wall prior to the lawn stabilization for which Mr. Pacheco was granted permission by ConCom.
- Michael Ristuccia finally received a Negative 3 and can now move on to verify the wetland line and conduct

a percolation test within a buffer zone on his property located on Bass Creek Road.

- Roger and Anna Larocque of 10 Cove Street received a permit to move sand away from their house and level the beach, after the commission determined that a dune did not exist there.
- Mary Andrade and Barbara Valliere of 17 Wampanoag seeking to rebuild an existing seawall is continued until 9/11, after a site visit planned for 9/10. The commission said they needed a more specific plan.
- Also continued until 9/10: Richard Gomes of 14 Sylvia Street seeking to build an above-ground swimming pool, and Luis and Mary Martins, trustees of the Martin Family Living Trust, seeking to perform a percolation test. •••

Morra resigns from Planning, or tries to

By Jean Perry

Neighb News Correspondent

In light of the Fairhaven Selectboard's call for Joseph Morra to resign from the Zoning Board of Appeals and the Planning Board because of his frequent absences, Mr. Morra sent an angry email to the Selectboard announcing "with great pleasure" his resignation from both boards.

The Fairhaven Planning Board briefly mentioned Mr. Morra's email, but did not discuss the details contained within the email during the 8/14 meeting. Town Planner Bill Roth called the email "interesting, to say the least."

"It is an embarrassment to say I served on any board in the town of Fairhaven," wrote Mr. Morra.

Using the email as an opportunity to take shots at several town officials, most notably Building Inspector Wayne Fostin, Mr. Morra said the Town "allows [Mr. Fostin] to continuously enforce the town by laws on whom he wants and when he wants and keep a blind eye on business's (sic) who continually refuse to follow town ordinances."

In the email, Mr. Morra accused Mr. Fostin of receiving painting services for his wife's car from Artistic Auto Body free of charge, and ignoring the 25 violations Mr. Morra claimed he reported to Mr. Fostin about unauthorized construction activities Mr. Morra said were taking place at the Seaport Inn.

During a phone interview, Ruy DaSilva, owner of Artistic Auto Body, denied that Mr. Fostin's wife had her automobile painted at his shop for free. Mr. DaSilva laughed off the accusation.

"No way. I don't work for free," said Mr. DaSilva. "That's bullshit."

Mr. Morra also commented on "the out of control police chief," saying that he "dictates to his officers to

target people in town."

The Selectboard members "pull back door deals and tell you something totally different," Mr. Morra wrote, and ZBA Chairperson Peter DeTerra, in Mr. Morra's opinion, "needs a lesson on Roberts (sic) Rules and how to run a proper meeting."

Praised within the email, however, was Planning Chairperson Wayne Hayward, who Mr. Morra said has to put up with "political nonsense from the town of Fairhaven."

Mr. Morra's email resignation was sufficient enough to relieve him of his

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resignation letter

duties as a member of the ZBA, but, since his position on the Planning Board is an elected position, he will have to go through a more formal resignation process with the Town in order to make it official.

In another email sent to Town Administrator Jeffrey Osuch, Mr. Morra acknowledged that the email was insufficient to resign from the Planning Board, and told Mr. Osuch, "If I decide to resign from the planning board a letter will be submitted to the town clerk."

In other matters, the board granted a special permit to Paul Tassopoulos, owner of 200 Huttleston Avenue, currently the location of the former Lukoil gas station in a hearing continued from 7/10.

Mr. Tassopoulos originally

intended to open a restaurant with seating, but has changed his plan to a take-out restaurant with outdoor picnic tables. The board also approved a Phase Two plan that would allow for an expansion to the restrooms to accommodate disability access, in the future.

Some residents that live in the vicinity attended the meeting to view the plans and voice their concerns about parking and street access, before the board voted 7-0 in favor of the permit.

Also at the meeting, Nathan Tynan, an Owner and President of Windward Power Systems, Inc., presented the board with plans for the old Delta Electric Motor Company property on 379 Alden Road. Mr. Tynan plans to fix up the existing metal building, construct an additional metal building with a canopy cover, and add more landscaping to the existing impervious areas.

Mr. Tynan still requires ZBA approval, so the board decided not to grant a special permit until after the 9/4 ZBA meeting.

Several neighbors attended the meeting with concerns about noise and diesel fumes, but were reassured by Mr. Tynan that the marine diesel engine business does not conduct industrial activities, and in their six years at their current Wareham location, no one has ever complained of any noise or smells.

At the end of the meeting, Bill Roth told the board he would soon be drafting the new wind turbine bylaw for the board to review and revise. He said that he would start by putting in numbers pertaining to height, for example, at the current height of the two existing Arsene Street wind turbines. He stressed, however, that it was just a jumping off point for the board as they work toward a final draft for submission to the Selectboard. ●●●

Morra letter takes aim at town officials

By Beth David

Editor

Joseph Morra sent an email letter to resign from both the Fairhaven Planning Board and the Zoning Board of Appeals, however, resigning from the elected Planning Board requires sending a letter to the town clerk. It is

unclear if he has sent that letter.

Mr. Morra's letter came after the ZBA, a board appointed by the Selectboard, sent a letter to the Selectboard asking for permission to replace Mr. Morra because the ZBA has been unable to make a quorum due to Mr. Morra's frequent absences.

In the email, full of vitriol aimed at town officials, Mr. Morra said it was "an embarrassment to say I served on any board in the town of Fairhaven."

He accuses building inspector Wayne Fostin of selectively enforcing town bylaws and getting special

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FinCom subcommittee mostly an intellectual exercise

By Jean Perry

Neighb News Correspondent

We should wait and see. And by the end of the meeting, John Roderiques is never wrong. These were the consensus points of the Fairhaven Finance Committee budget process sub-committee held on 8/16, in light of a technical assistance "audit" being conducted by the Massachusetts Department of Revenue's Information Technology Unit.

The so-called audit is not like a standard tax audit. Instead, it will assess the Town's current system's weaknesses and strengths, and give constructive criticism while recommending ways the Town can increase its efficiency in finance-related processes.

Chairperson John Roderiques said making recommendations pertaining to the budget process at this point would be inappropriate, since he expects the DOR to make their own recommendations to the Town.

"I think I get a good read from people about what's coming down the line," said Mr. Roderiques. "Something is going to come down the road. It's not going to be a secret."

Stating that it should have been done years ago, Mr. Roderiques said he was happy to see the audit taking place, since "nothing seems to be changing," and "there is always room for improvement."

He added that the town's current financial systems are "inadequate," and if the town started utilizing more information technology, Fairhaven would save money.

Mr. Roderiques did say, however, that in the interim, FinCom will still offer some recommendations while they wait for the results from the DOR, and "muddle through another year," as he put it.

Sub-committee members looked on and listened as Mr. Roderiques praised the FinCom for maintaining the support of Fairhaven residents,

commenting that he was proud committee members were amicable and respectful toward one another.

"I like what I see go on here. Debates, friendliness...it shouldn't be personal," said Mr. Roderiques.

Speaking to the sub-committee members, and alluding to members of other town boards and committees, Mr. Roderiques advised, "Don't take it personally...Too many things get taken personally."

The sub-committee members chuckled as Mr. Roderiques added, "It doesn't have to be my way or the highway — although it should be."

Turning their focus back to the budget process, Mr. Roderiques led the sub-committee in a brief discus-

you give to someone, someone else outside is unhappy. It's always an adventure walking down the aisle of some store or supermarket."

But Mr. Roderiques is never wrong, according to Mr. Roderiques himself, before sub-committee member Theresa Szala spoke out, saying, "Not always." She proceeded to recount how one time she thought to herself, "Boy, is he wrong!"

Ms. Szala brought up an incident when the BPW went on to purchase a \$160,000 street sweeper, against the advisement of FinCom, as a result of a technicality in the wording of an article approved by Town Meeting. Mr. Roderiques accepted the challenge to a debate, but called for a brief recess to come up with his rebuttal.

After the five minute recess that lasted 10 minutes, Mr. Roderiques dug in his heels and explained why he was not wrong in that particular case. As the conversation got heated, Mr. Roderiques told Ms. Szala to "shhh" as her voice-level increased, while some sub-committee members bit their fingernails and made prolonged eye contact with each other, among the smells from the wastewater treatment plant beginning to permeate the BPW conference room.

Before closing the friendly debate with Ms. Szala, Mr. Roderiques told her that he was simply "playing half-devil's advocate," and compared his method of argument to that of Socrates, as all the other sub-committee members watched with their hands folded neatly in front of them. Luckily, there was no hemlock involved.

The sub-committee decided to later set-up a date to reconvene one more time in mid-September, before inviting department heads to join them in October to discuss instituting a five-year heads-up policy to alert FinCom of forecasted expenditures ahead of time. •••

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sion about next year's budget, saying that they needed to "set the tone" about town employee pay raises.

"If people thought last year was bad...it's gonna be worse next year," said Mr. Roderiques.

He then stated that if he had to estimate a pay raise rate that very moment, it would be zero.

A soliloquy characteristic of Mr. Roderiques ensued, beginning with how a FinCom member's job is a thankless job, and ending with the principle that FinCom members "are not doing it for a pat on the back."

"No matter what you do, you're wrong," Mr. Roderiques stated. "If you say no, they're not happy with you. If

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favors from businesses (see story above).

Mr. Morra also calls the police chief "out of control" and claims he "dictates to his officers to target people in the town."

According to several sources, the letter was sent to the wrong department, so there was some confusion as to who had the letter. The *Neighb News* acquired a copy of the letter after contacting several officials, while Selectboard's office said it

could not locate the letter.

The Selectboard sent the letter to Town Counsel first and then sent a heavily redacted letter to the *Neighb News*. However, the paper had already received the full letter, with all the allegations against Mr. Fostin and police chief Michael Myers.

The letter also accuses the ZBA of granting "permits on a favor for other town officials and a chairman who needs a lesson on Roberts Rules and how to run a proper meeting."

Selectboard Executive Secretary Jeff Osuch said the letter was redacted to protect the people who had allegations made against them.

However, the letter was written by a town official in the course of his duties as a town official, and is, therefore a public record.

Both emails sent by Mr. Morra, as well as the redacted letter sent by the Selectboard's office are available on our website: www.NeighbNews.com

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Legal Notices/ Public Hearings

Board of Appeals

The Fairhaven Board of Appeals will hold a Public Hearing on Tuesday, September 4, 2012, at 6:00 PM in the Town Hall to consider the following petitions:

1. **Petitioner: Paul Kennedy**, 22 Fishermans Road, Plat 43A, Lot 246, Certificate #21252; 198-18: Short 11' of the required 30' front setback on a corner lot and 12% over the maximum allowed building coverage of 15% in a RR District.
2. **Petitioner: Windward Power Systems, Inc. for Rapoza Realty Trust**, 379 Alden Road, Plat 37, Lot 1-A, Book 1893 and Page 1009; 198-18: 16% over the maximum allowed lot coverage of 70% and 7% over the maximum allowed building coverage of 25% in a Business District.
3. **Petitioner: Keith Silvia for Lisa Esten & Marc Dunn**, 25 Littleneck Road, Plat 43A, Lot 163, Certificate #21827; 198-18: Short 23' of the required 30' front setback on a corner lot, short 8' of the required 20' west side setback and 4% over the maximum allowed lot coverage of 15% in a RR District.
4. **Petitioner: Matthew Brodo for William Nolan**, 168 Cottonwood Street, Plat 43B, Lot 116, Certificate #22649; 198-18: Short 11' of the required 20' south side setback in a RR District.

Very Truly, Peter DeTerra, Chairman

Conservation Commission

The Fairhaven Conservation Commission will hold a Public Hearing on September 10, 2012, at 6:30 P.M. In the Fairhaven Town Hall, Purpose is for Request for Determination of the following matters as required By Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 131 Section 40 as amended.

- Notice of Intent Applicant Steven Block Location 624 Sconticut Neck Road Plot 41 Lot 2 Purpose Salt Marsh Restoration.

*Respectfully Submitted
Andrew Jones Chairman*

Fairhaven Conservation Commission

FAIRHAVEN PLANNING BOARD

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Fairhaven Planning Board will conduct a Public Hearing at **6:30 P.M. on September 11, 2012**, in the Banquet Room, Town Hall, 40 Center St., Fairhaven, MA.

The purpose of the hearing will be to receive information and public comment on the following application. The applicant, *Fairhaven Planning Board*, is proposing to amend the Subdivision Regulations. The proposal is to amend Chapter 322-30, add a new drawing detail to Appendix C and add Appendix E - Triple Stone Seal Specifications.

A copy of the application is on file for public review at the Planning Board Office, Town Hall from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. For more information or to schedule an appointment to review the application call the Planning Department at (508) 979-4082.

*Wayne Hayward, Chairman of the
Planning Board*

People never lie so much
as after a hunt, during a
war or before an election.

Otto von Bismarck

Another fox attacks on Birchfield

A bicycle rider on Birchfield Street was "aggressively chased by a fox," according to Fairhaven Health agent Patricia Fowle. The board sent a reverse 911 call to residents within a quarter-mile radius. Neither the Animal Control Officer nor the Fairhaven Police could find the fox after that attack.

This is the message that went out to residents.

"This is a message from the Fairhaven Board of Health and Animal Control Officer.

"Today, Tuesday, August 21, 2012, an early morning bicycle rider on Birchfield Street was aggressively chased by a fox. Although there is no direct evidence that the fox was rabid, it is important for area residents to be aware of the situation.

"If you or your pets have been in contact with a fox, you should speak with your medical provider. RABIES is 100% preventable with timely treatment, but rabies is 100% fatal if not treated properly.

"Call the Board of Health if you have questions, 508-979-4022."

Later in the day, two bicycle riders on Long Road reported at the police station that they were chased by a fox that "was acting crazy, running in

circles, blood shot eyes," according to an additional email from Ms. Fowle.

The police were again dispatched to locate the animal and this time had more luck. Officer Philip Lacerda killed the animal. According to Ms. Fowle, another reverse 911 was planned to go to the neighborhood to inform residents that the animal had been killed, but that they should still remain cautious.

According to Officer Lacerda, he went to the neighborhood and asked the neighbors who were outside to keep an eye out for the fox and notify him. He said "not 15 minutes later" the fox was spotted at 11 Birchfield Street.

"It came at me," said Officer Lacerda, adding that it was showing its teeth and possibly foaming at the mouth. "And one eye was all messed up. You could see he was definitely sick."

Officer Lacerda fired one beanbag round from a shotgun and killed it.

Because the fox did not have any direct contact with humans or pets, it does not have to be tested for rabies, although Fairhaven's Animal Control Officer may opt to have it tested at her discretion. ACO Cat Mindlin was unavailable for comment.

Open meeting law forums scheduled

Open to the public and free Press Release

Attorney General Martha Coakley's Office will hold four educational forums on the Open Meeting Law throughout the state during the months of September and October. On July 1, 2010, the Attorney General's Office assumed responsibility for enforcement of the Open Meeting Law from the state's District Attorneys, who previously enforced the law as it pertains to municipal and regional public bodies.

The forums are part of a broad effort by the Attorney General's Office to assist public bodies in understanding and complying with the requirements of the Open Meeting Law. State, local, regional, and county public bodies are required to comply with the Open Meeting Law. The Open Meeting Law educational forums will be conducted by attorneys and staff from the Attorney General's Division of Open

Government and are **open to the public**.

The regional educational forums on the Open Meeting Law will be held at the following dates and times:

Lenox: Wednesday, September 12, from 6-8 p.m., Lenox Town Hall, 6 Walker Street, Lenox, MA

Barre: Thursday, September 20, from 6-8 p.m., Quabbin Regional High School, 800 South Street, Barre, MA

Taunton: Wed., October 3, from 6-8 p.m., Taunton Superior Court House, 9 Court Street, Taunton, MA

Barnstable: Wed., Oct. 17, from 6-8 p.m., Barnstable High School, 744 West Main Street, Hyannis, MA

The educational forums are being offered free of charge. All members of public bodies, municipal employees, and members of the general public are encouraged to attend. Individuals interested in attending an educational forum are asked to **register in advance** by calling 617-963-2925 or by emailing OMLTraining@state.ma.us,

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Happy Anniversary, Fairhaven!

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and providing: 1) their first and last names; 2) town of residence; 3) the public body/organization they represent, if appropriate; and 4) the location of the educational forum they will attend.

Since assuming responsibility for enforcement of the Open Meeting Law, AG Coakley's Division of Open Government has responded to thousands of inquiries about the law's requirements, conducted or participated in 65 trainings across the state, and issued more than 130 determinations.

In October 2011, in an effort to provide greater transparency and access to the office's decisions, all of the Attorney General's Open Meeting Law determinations became available online through an interactive database, the Open Meeting Law Determination Lookup.

For more information on the Open Meeting Law, visit the Attorney Generals website at www.mass.gov/ago/openmeeting.

Fairhaven Meetings

Bike Path Committee

Wed., 8/29, Town Hall, 7 p.m.

Board of Appeals

Tues., 9/4, Town Hall, 6:00 p.m.

Board of Public Works

Mon., 8/27, Arsene St., 6:30 p.m.

Community Preservation

Wed., 9/12, Town Hall, 6:30 p.m.

Conservation Commission

Mon., 9/10, Town Hall, 6:30 p.m.

Planning Board

Tues., 9/11, Town Hall, 6:30 p.m.

Selectboard

Mon., 8/27, Town Hall, 6:30 p.m.

Acushnet Meetings

Board of Appeals

Mon., 9/10, Community Ctr., 6:30 p.m.

Board of Health

Tues., 8/28, Parting Ways Sch., 6:30 p.m.

Board of Public Works

Mon., 8/27, BPW Bldg., 6:30 p.m.

School Committee

Tues., 9/18, Ford Middle Sch., 5 p.m.

Selectboard

Wed., 9/10, Friends Mtg. House, 4 p.m.

TIDE TABLE

US Army Corps of Engineers, Cape Cod
Canal/Wing's Neck

	August 2012	HIGH		LOW	
		a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.
Thursday	23	0032	1307	0546	1844
Friday	24	0129	1405	0640	2010
Saturday	25	0229	1508	0747	2159
Sunday	26	0334	1615	0911	2305
Monday	27	0441	1720	1032	2356
Tuesday	28	0545	1820	1136	----
Wednesday	29	0642	1912	0038	1230
Thursday	30	0732	1959	0115	1318
Friday	31	0819	2043	0147*	1401
	Sept 2012				
		HIGH		LOW	
		a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.
Saturday	1	0903	2126	0219*	1442
Sunday	2	0945	2208	0252*	1521
Monday	3	1027	2249	0326	1559

*= Predicted minus tides from -0.1 ft. to -1.0 ft.
**Predicted minus tides from -1.1 ft to -2.0 ft or more

A lie gets halfway around
the world before the truth
has a chance to get
its pants on.

Winston Churchill

Oxford School spruced up for Wood School students

Fairhaven's Wood School students will be relocated to the old Oxford School this school year while the new Wood School is being built. In preparation for that, the Oxford has been getting spruced up for months now.

On Friday, 8/17, a crew from Lowe's was at the Oxford doing some community service work by putting to

good use \$1500 worth of donated products from Lowe's.

A former Wood School parent and Lowe's employee, Mark Carvalho, submitted Oxford School as a possible recipient of the Lowe's Hero Award and it was chosen. Lowe's donated \$1500 worth of paint, wall board, plexiglass, a dehumidifier, ceiling fans, garden tools and more,

along with the Lowe's volunteers to work at the site.

"What a great last two days! The tour was amazing, rave reviews, and the Lowe's crew made the front of Oxford school look gorgeous today!" wrote Wood School principal Amy Hartley-Matteson in an email last Friday. "It sure has been a community wide effort!"



ABOVE: Volunteers from Lowe's pose on Friday, 8/17, with their handiwork at the old Oxford School in North Fairhaven which will house the Wood School students this school year while the new Wood School is being built. Lowe's chose Oxford for its Hero Award and gave the school \$1500 worth of products and the volunteers to install them. RIGHT TOP: The front of the school before the planting. BELOW, L-R: Mark Carvalho, a former Wood parent and the Lowe's employee who submitted the Oxford for the award, with Superintendent of Schools Robert N. Baldwin. Photos submitted. See them in color at www.NeighbNews.com





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Letters to the editor

Noise law “completely obsolete”

In an article in the Standard-Times dated August 14th, Ariel Wittenberg reported on the recent noise compliance testing being conducted by the DEP on the turbines in Fairhaven. The testing is little more than a bit of performance art, designed to appease those who are ignorant about the ill health effects caused by these industrial monstrosities. The most these noise measurements can show is that turbines comply with a law which was crafted in 1962 for the purpose of measuring things like the noise created by cars rushing past a residential neighborhood on a new highway.

This law is completely obsolete and utterly irrelevant for turbines because it does not measure infrasound and low frequency noise (ILFN), one of the principal causes of damaging health effects from turbines in humans and animals.

It is as though someone asked the DEP to test for potential damaging health effects from sunlight and they tested only the visible light, ignoring ultraviolet light altogether. It is a meaningless exercise designed only to fool people who don't know about infrasound.

Wittenberg also notes concerns that the wind developer, Sumul Shah, was present during testing. This issue is especially concerning because it provides the opportunity for tampering. The Fairhaven turbines are variable pitch. This means they can be de-tuned by feathering the blades back to make them run quieter during testing. The idea of inviting the owner of the turbine to be present while measuring noise flies in the face of every principal of scientific measurement.

If a scientist submitted a paper for peer review describing a testing process where his measurements could be tampered with by an interested party, he or she would be laughed out of the profession. In clinical drug trials, for example, everyone involved in the testing process must provide an affidavit that they have no financial interest in the outcome. If the FDA learns that someone from the drug company was present during testing, the trials would be immediately declared invalid. End of story. Unlike the MA-DEP, the FDA places public health and safety above the profits of private industry.

Putting this bit of theatre aside for a moment, according to Wittenberg, the excuse given by the DEP spokesman, Edmund Colleta, for this obvious breach of protocol is that Sumul Shah must “coordinate turning the turbines on and off as needed.” This is a lame excuse. Turning the turbines on and off can be done by remote control, there is no reason that the DEP could not turn them on and off without help. Shah possesses no special engineering skills or credentials that make his presence required for this. One would think that the DEP would be more concerned about the appearance of collusion with the wind developer it pretends to regulate.

Wittenberg noted Shah's protest of innocence. She wrote “If the turbine is on for testing, he said, its speed cannot be controlled.” This is equally lame because nothing prevents him from changing the angle of the blades before turning them on. This is theatre of the absurd.

Unfortunately, Wittenberg did not report the fact that Shah has access to information that might show that he did not rig the test. Every industrial turbine is controlled by a supervisory control and data acquisition (SCADA) system. This system also records the position of the turbine blades, direction, speed and power output, to name only a few. If Shah were to release these data since the operation of the turbines began, he could prove he did not tamper. The blades would be in the same position they usually are under the test conditions of wind speed and direction. So why doesn't he release it?

Several weeks ago, Shah submitted a report to the Fairhaven Board of Health stating that there is no discernible pattern between turbine operation and the avalanche of adverse health reports submitted to the BoH by residents living near them. Releasing the SCADA data to public scrutiny could also provide evidence that this claim is true as well. So why doesn't Shah release it?

Of course, the SCADA data could also show there is, in fact, an obvious pattern between health complaints and turbine operation. If so, it would not only show that Shah's report was false; it might also be construed as evidence of an attempt to defraud the BoH and the people of Fairhaven. That would place Mr. Shah in a very compromising situation indeed. He would rightfully be

hoisted upon his own petard. If there truly is no pattern, and he truly did not rig the test; then he has nothing to fear and everything to gain by releasing the SCADA data. Is anyone taking bets?

Curt Devlin, Fairhaven

Editor's Note: We asked Mr. Shah to respond to the allegation that he might tamper with the wind turbines during testing. We did not let him read Mr. Devlin's letter; we simply asked Mr. Shah to respond to the charge of manipulation. His response follows.

Shah responds

It is technologically impossible to manipulate the blades during the DEP sound testing. The position of the blades are controlled by sophisticated software that measures the force on the blades and optimizes the position of the blades to achieve maximum power under particular wind conditions. To allow manual control over the blades would override an important safety protocol — inappropriate adjustment of the blades could cause an over speed condition of the rotor which could lead to a catastrophic failure of the turbine. The remote software that I operate during the testing simply does not allow for this kind of control.

It is possible to adjust the blades at the base and top of the turbine when the turbine is in service mode. However the turbine would not be operating under these conditions.

This turbine does not have a built in noise reduction mode. While it may be theoretically possible to re-write the software to slow the rotor down to reduce the noise, neither I nor any of our local maintenance personnel have the expertise to perform this software change. Furthermore, if the software was changed, a reduced rotor speed would result in lower power production which would be evident in the turbine data that is being provided to the DEP.

Finally, if Mr. Devlin is suggesting that I would somehow tamper with the data that we are providing to the DEP, this is just not something that we would do. We have committed our full cooperation with the DEP and will continue to do so. If the DEP has any question about the data being provided, we would be willing to grant the DEP direct access to the turbine itself to ensure that data provided is accurate.

Sumul Shah, Fairhaven Wind, LLC

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F-1: FAIRHAVEN HIGH SCHOOL

TIME: STOP:

6:50 FISHERMAN RD. & BALSAM STREET
 6:52 COTTONWOOD STREET & CAUSEWAY ROAD
 7:00 LITTLE BAY MARKET
 7:02 ALDEN ROAD AND SHIRLEY STREET
 7:04 BRIDGE STREET AND ROY STREET
 7:06 FAIRHAVEN HIGH SCHOOL

F2: FAIRHAVEN HIGH SCHOOL

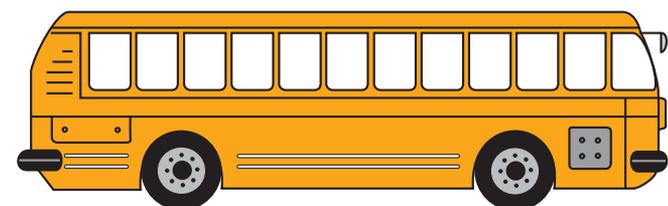
6:50 NEW BOSTON RD. & TANNER LN.
 6:52 BRIDGE ST. & NEW BOSTON RD.
 6:53 356 NEW BOSTON RD.
 6:55 297/299 NEW BOSTON RD.
 6:57 SHADY DR. & MILL RD.
 7:03 FAIRHAVEN HIGH SCHOOL

F3: FAIRHAVEN HIGH SCHOOL

6:50 SCONTICUT NECK ROAD & GOLF ST.
 6:51 SCONTICUT NECK RD. & BONNEY ST.
 6:52 SCONTICUT NECK ROAD & RESERVATION ROAD
 6:53 SCONTICUT NECK ROAD & SMITH ST.
 6:54 SCONTICUT NECK RD. & BRIARCLIFFE
 6:57 SCONTICUT NECK ROAD AND WINONA
 6:59 SCONTICUT NECK ROAD & GOULART MEMORIAL DR.
 7:01 SCONTICUT NECK ROAD & CAMEL ST.
 7:03 SCONTICUT NECK RD. & SEAVIEW AVE
 7:05 SCONTICUT NECK RD. & RAYMOND ST.
 7:06 SCONTICUT NECK RD. & DELMONT ST.
 7:10 FAIRHAVEN HIGH SCHOOL

F-4: FAIRHAVEN HIGH SCHOOL

6:55 ROUTE 6 & PIERCE POINT
 6:57 WEEDEN RD. & BABBITT ST.
 6:58 HILL ST. & BROOK DR.
 6:59 ROUTE 6 & SHAW RD.



7:00 GILLETTE RD. & JUDSON DR.
 7:01 FORESTVIEW DR. & SHAW RD.
 7:02 ROUTE 6 & FLORENCE ST.
 7:03 ROUTE 6 & MILL RD.
 7:10 FAIRHAVEN HIGH SCHOOL



F-1: HASTINGS MIDDLE SCHOOL

7:15 FISHERMAN RD. & BALSAM STREET
 7:16 COTTONWOOD STREET & GOULART MEMORIAL DRIVE
 7:24 LITTLE BAY MARKET
 7:27 ALDEN ROAD AND SHIRLEY STREET
 7:29 BRIDGE STREET AND ROY STREET
 7:32 HASTINGS MIDDLE SCHOOL

F-2: HASTINGS MIDDLE SCHOOL

7:13 SHAW RD. & RTE. 6 (AM ONLY)
 7:14 FORESTVIEW DR. & SHAW RD. (AM ONLY)
 7:16 RTE 6 & FLORENCE ST.
 7:17 NEW BOSTON RD. & TANNER LN.
 7:18 124 NEW BOSTON RD.
 7:19 CHARITY STEVENS LN. & NEW BOSTON RD.
 7:20 FRANCES FARM & NEW BOSTON RD.
 7:22 BRIDGE ST. & NEW BOSTON RD.
 7:25 SHADY DR. & MILL RD.
 7:28 MILL RD. & PRINCE ST.
 7:29 NARRAGANSETT BLVD. & ELMWOOD AVE.
 7:35 HASTINGS MIDDLE SCH.

F-5: HASTINGS MIDDLE SCHOOL

7:11 DEANE STREET AND SYCAMORE ST.
 7:12 DOVER STREET AND SYCAMORE ST.
 7:13 MAGNOLIA AND SYCAMORE STREET
 7:14 HARDING ROAD AND MAIN STREET
 7:15 ALDEN ROAD AND DEERFIELD STREET
 7:16 ALDEN ROAD AND OLIVER STREET
 7:17 HOWLAND ROAD AND HOPKINS ST.
 7:20 HASTINGS MIDDLE SCH.

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FAIRHAVEN PUBLIC SCHOOLS 2012-2013 BUS ROUTES

F-4: HASTINGS MIDDLE SCHOOL

7:15ROUTE 6 & PIERCE POINT
 7:17WEEDEN RD. & BABBITT ST.
 7:19HILL ST. & BROOK DR.
 7:21ROUTE 6 & SHAW RD.
 7:25GELLETE RD. & JUDSON DR.
 7:26FORESTVIEW DR. & SHAW RD. (PM ONLY)
 7:27ROUTE 6 & FLORENCE ST. (PM ONLY)
 7:30HASTINGS MIDDLE SCHOOL

F-3: HASTINGS MIDDLE SCHOOL

7:21SCONTICUT NECK ROAD & GOLF ST.
 7:22SCONTICUT NECK RD. & BONNEY ST.
 7:23SCONTICUT NECK ROAD & RESERVATION ROAD
 7:24SCONTICUT NECK ROAD & SMITH ST.
 7:25SCONTICUT NECK ROAD & BRIARCLIFFE
 7:28SCONTICUT NECK ROAD AND WINONA
 7:29SCONTICUT NECK ROAD & GOULART MEMORIAL DR.
 7:32SCONTICUT NECK ROAD & CAMEL ST.
 7:33SCONTICUT NECK RD. & SEAVIEW AVE.
 7:34SCONTICUT NECK RD. & RAYMOND ST.
 7:36SCONTICUT NECK RD. & DELMONT ST.
 7:38HASTINGS MIDDLE SCHOOL

EAST FAIRHAVEN SCHOOL — ORANGE BUS

TIME: STOP:
 8:05COURTLYN WAY
 8:07OLIVER ST.
 8:10MINA & NANCY ST.
 8:13ALDEN & HOWLAND
 8:14HOWLAND & JORDAN
 8:15HOWLAND & CENTRAL AVE.
 8:16HOWLAND & HOPKINS
 8:17HOWLAND & HOULE
 8:19HOULE & BROWN
 8:24NARRAGANSETT BLVD. & ELMWOOD
 8:28EAST FAIRHAVEN SCHOOL

EAST FAIRHAVEN SCHOOL — GREEN BUS

TIME: STOP:
 8:10LINDEN ST. & FRANCIS ST.
 8:12MAIN ST. & NORTH ST.

8:14MAIN ST. & HEDGE ST.
 8:16MAIN ST. & TABER ST.
 8:18MAIN ST. & WILDING ST.
 8:20GLENHAVEN (HOCKEY RINK)
 8:22MAIN ST. & DOVER ST.
 8:24MAIN ST. & HAWTHORNE ST.
 8:26MAIN ST. & DANIEL ST.
 8:27MAIN ST. & NICHOLAS ST.
 8:28ALDEN RD & DEERFIELD ST.
 8:30ALDEN RD. & HAWTHORNE ST.
 8:32ALDEN RD. & RIVARD ST.
 8:34EAST FAIRHAVEN SCHOOL



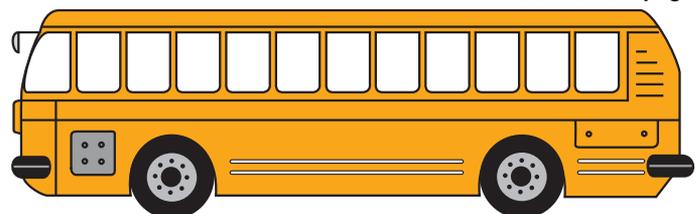
EAST FAIRHAVEN SCHOOL — RED BUS

TIME: STOP:
 8:15RTE 6 + GELLETE RD
 8:1646 GELLETE RD.
 8:18GELLETE RD + JUDSON
 8:19GELLETE RD + SUVENCHY
 8:20GELLETE RD & JOANNES WAY
 8:23SHAW RD + STONEY COVE
 8:2587 SHAW RD
 8:2680 SHAW RD.
 8:27FORESTVIEW DR & SHAW RD
 8:30RTE 6 + PERRY
 8:32RTE 6 + JEANNETTE ST
 8:37EAST FAIRHAVEN SCHOOL

EAST FAIRHAVEN SCHOOL — BLUE BUS 5

TIME: STOP:
 7:57BEACH & SERVICE RD.
 8:00OAK & HOWLAND RD.
 8:01SYCAMORE & DEAN
 8:02SYCAMORE & MORGAN ST.
 8:03SYCAMORE & MAGNOLIA ST.

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FAIRHAVEN PUBLIC SCHOOLS 2012-2013 BUS ROUTES

8:04SYCAMORE & ST. MARY ST.
 8:06HARDING & CLARK ST.
 8:07HARDING & PHILIP ST.
 8:08HARDING & SARATOGA ST.
 8:13GLENHAVEN ST. & HOPKINS ST.
 8:20EAST FAIRHAVEN SCHOOL

EAST FAIRHAVEN SCHOOL — BLUE BUS 5A

TIME: STOP:
 8:30WEEDEN & DARTMOUTH
 8:31WEEDEN & SHAWMUT
 8:32WEEDEN & MARK DR.
 8:36BABBIT & STUDLEY
 8:37HILL & BROOK DR.
 8:40EAST FAIRHAVEN SCHOOL

EAST FAIRHAVEN SCHOOL — YELLOW BUS

7:45ADAMS + LONG
 7:47ADAMS + JARVIS
 7:50ADAMS + CENTURY DR
 7:52ADAMS + WILDING
 8:00MILL RD.& EDDY ST.
 8:01211 MILL RD
 8:02270 MILL RD
 8:05MILL RD. & SHADY DR.
 8:06MILL RD. & HIDDEN DR.
 *****CHARITY STEVENS LN. & NEW BOSTON RD.
 (PM ONLY)
 8:07317 NEW BOSTON RD.
 8:18362 NEW BOSTON RD.
 8:19300 NEW BOSTON RD.
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 8:19140 NEW BOSTON RD.
 8:19126 NEW BOSTON RD.
 8:25EAST FAIRHAVEN SCHOOL

F-1: OXFORD

7:50 MISTY BAY ROAD & BALSAM ST.
 7:53COTTONWOOD ST. & CAUSEWAY RD.

7:57CAMEL ST. &
 SCONTICUT
 NECK RD.
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 8:01SEAVIEW AVE. &
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 NECK RD.
 8:06WIGWAM RD. & SCONTICUT NECK RD.
 8:08DELMONT ST. & SCONTICUT NECK RD.
 8:11DAY ST. & SCONTICUT NECK RD.
 8:20LAURA LANE & ALDEN ROAD
 8:23BOTON HILL ROAD & ALDEN ROAD

F-5: OXFORD

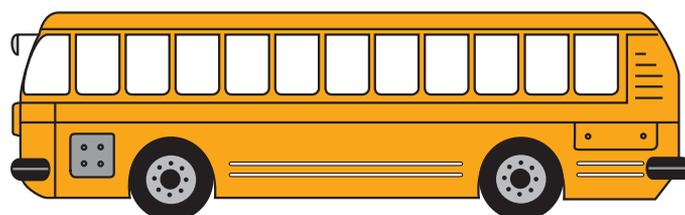
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 8:18ADAMS ST. & ASH ST.
 8:20LINDEN AVE. & CASTLE AVE.
 8:23NORTH ST. & CASTLE AVE.
 8:26ADAMS ST. & LONG ROAD

F-3: OXFORD

7:44MANHATTAN AVE. & HIGHLAND AVE.
 7:46MANHATTAN AVE. & GROVE ST.
 7:50HATHAWAY ST. & SCONTICUT NECK RD.
 7:54BONNEY ST. & SCONTICUT NECK RD.
 7:55BUIST AVE. & SCONTICUT NECK RD.
 7:59SMITH ST. & SCONTICUT NECK RD.
 8:03514 SCONTICUT NECK RD.
 8:07CHAMBERS AVE. & SCONTICUT NECK
 RD.
 8:10WINSEGANSETT & SCONTICUT NECK
 RD.
 8:20NAKATA AVE. & SCONTICUT NECK RD.



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