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Memorial Day events recognize the fallen



The big flag flutters in the wind on in front of Fairhaven High School on Memorial Day, 5/30/11. The flag is 30'x50' and was paid for by 50 FHS alumni who paid \$50 each for a star in 1990. Fairhaven observed Memorial Day with a flag raising and lowering at Ft. Phoenix, a parade, and ceremony at Riverside Cemetery. See page 12 for story. *Photo by Beth David. See it in color at www.NeighbNews.com. Find us on Facebook for more photos of this event.*

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From The Editor

WEST ISLAND —
A day late and many dollars short.



Beth David, Publisher

Wow, how about that big flag fluttering in the wind, huh? I tell you I'm getting old. I can positively get choked up seeing it in front of that big old high school building. What a cover shot (if I do say so myself, ahem).

Anyway, Fairhaven's Memorial Day events went off without a hitch.

Lots of people showed up to watch the parade go by and pay tribute to our veterans and military personnel.

Some youngsters literally jumped up and down as the parade approached.

It was a pretty hot day, but not raining for once, so people took advantage of the opportunity to be outside and do something patriotic.

The parade route was lined with flags and with people. It was a great thing to see.

See page 16 for a story on the speechmaking, and a few more pictures. I'm also going to put a couple of hundred up on Facebook, so be sure to find us there and see if you can see yourself.

Yes, ML, a couple of hundred, maybe even more. Mr. Baron thinks I put too many pictures up on Facebook. I think my readers love to find themselves in the crowd shots. What say you, readers?

We've got a little bit of meeting coverage for you this week. School Committee is on page 4.

It's that time of year, meetings are a bit slow. Appeals and Planning Boards have also been uncharacteristically quiet this year so far. The consensus seems to be that the economy is putting a damper on plans that would normally go before those boards. Let's hope it doesn't last much longer.

We have plenty of fun stuff in here, though, so be sure to thumb through and take a look. Be sure to notice who our advertisers are, too, so you can tell them you saw their ads in the Neighb News.

On another note, please sign your emails, it's just rude not to. Lots of people think it's okay not to put ANYTHING in an email. They just cram it all into the subject line.

Well, I'm not buying. I won't take the information from the subject line. And I won't try to figure out who you are from your email address, even if it does have your name on it.

Tell me who you are, or I'm not listing your event.

Hmph!

Until next week then.

See ya,

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CORRECTIONS

Nothing? Really?

HMS students clean beach as part of community service class

By Beth David
Editor

Eighth grade students in Hastings Middle School's Community Service class got a little sun, and even had some fun on Friday, 5/27. The class project, for the last class of the school year, was to clean up the little beach at the corner of Pilgrim and Cherry Streets, across from Joshua Slocum Park in Fairhaven.

The class works on various projects during the course, including planting and tending the school garden, and recycling at HMS.

The group first got a lesson in safety, and how to handle some of the items they might find. They walked to

the beach, did their clean-up, and then took lunch and played some ball in the little park across the street named after Joshua Slocum, the first man to circumnavigate the globe alone in a sailboat.

Students found mostly cans and

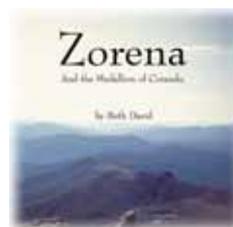
plastic grocery bags on the beach according to their teacher Ann Richard. They also picked up cigarette butts, rope, twine, wood and a lot of clear plastic bags.

"It was dirty and gross," said Morgan Dupont.



TOP LEFT: The bags of trash and debris that students from Hastings Middle School picked up on Friday, 5/27, from a Fairhaven beach sit on the sidewalk waiting for pick-up by the Fairhaven public works department. ABOVE: the beach at the corner of Pilgrim and Cherry Streets all cleaned up. TOP RIGHT: the group of HMS eighth graders who cleaned up the beach as part of their community service class. Photos by Beth David. See them in color at www.NeighbNews.com

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New “interactive” textbooks have online component

By Joyce Rowley

NeighborNews Correspondent

The Fairhaven School Committee heard presentations on new science textbooks at Hastings Middle School and on the school district athletics program at their regular meeting on Wednesday, May 25.

They also received notice of minor modifications to several job descriptions, gave letters of appreciation to donors of the HMS Fishing families fundraiser, and awarded two construction projects that were approved at Town Meeting.

Hastings Middle School Principal Wayne Miller and eighth grade science teacher Pamela Drouin presented a new concept in science textbooks that will help students and teachers keep up with rapidly changing technology and science.

The new texts are interactive and will be updated each year. Interactive features include an online learning component which can provide in-depth activities for students who want to learn more, or tutoring for students who need more time on a topic. Ms. Drouin said the last time the science text books were updated was in 2000.

Superintendent Robert N. Baldwin explained that the courses were set up to be “vertically aligned,” so that starting in 7th grade, students would be building a knowledge base that would help them reach ninth grade better prepared for MCAS testing.

“There’s a lot of hard work to make that vertical alignment,” said Dr. Baldwin.

School Committee member David Gonsalves questioned Ms. Drouin about the number and type of books and whether the books would be retained or were disposable.

Ms. Drouin told the committee that there were four texts in seventh grade and three in eighth grade, which corresponded to the subjects currently taught. The students’ books can be written in, and they keep them for use in future grades. However, each year the grades would receive new texts to stay current with changes.

The online feature was a positive for SC member Brian Monroe, but he asked whether all students would have computer access. Ms. Drouin said that there were disks included with the package that students could

borrow. They could also use the school computer lab to access online activities. Another option is to print out paper copies of worksheets.

Mr. Gonsalves said that he supported the change as it provided a seven-year updated program, compared to using 11 year-old books.

“We’ve talked about using better technology,” said Chairperson Pamela Kuechler. “And this is a step in that direction.”

Scott Francis, athletic director for the district, presented an update on team standings by season. Last fall’s girl’s volleyball made state finalists for the first time since 1986 and only the third time in the high school’s history. All the winter teams made tournament for the third time in five years. This spring’s baseball and softball teams are headed for championship, he said.

Mr. Francis sought the School Committee’s signature on a co-

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[Pamela Kuechler]

operative agreement application with Old Rochester Regional (ORR) for ice hockey. Every other year FHS must apply to District D to be able to team up with ORR. However, that may not be an option in the future if District D goes ahead with a plan to declare ORR a stand-alone team. Currently, ORR has 18 players, almost enough for a team on its own. If so, FHS has been told it will have to find a new co-op partner.

The problem, said Mr. Francis, is that most of the other schools in the district already have co-ops except Bourne. Westport only has three ice hockey players, and FHS has only four. Combined, that is not enough to make a team.

In a follow-up interview, Mr. Francis explained that ice hockey is one of the most expensive sports for students to participate in, yet MIAA disallows forming a co-op for financial reasons. A full team is about 22

players, Mr. Francis said.

The six people on the ice need to be switched out frequently because of the intensity of the sport.

Ice time costs \$150 an hour, or \$300 per game, for 10 games in a season. ORR has an arrangement to use Tabor Academy’s ice rink, which helps. It is not a matter of creating a competitive edge, either. Bourne, the only stand-alone team, has taken the championship every year.

“It’s not fair,” Mr. Francis said. “It’s about losing the opportunity to play.”

He said the South Coast Conference has voted unanimously in favor of co-ops. Massachusetts Interscholastic Athletic Association backed down from the issue. But District D Athletic Committee, which regulates the policies of the Conference, has proposed the change. Mr. Gonsalves asked if a letter to District D would help.

“It wouldn’t hurt,” said Mr. Francis.

Mr. Francis also discussed revamping three of four HMS fields from clay to stone dust, which dries quicker, and resurfacing the Cushman Park track. The latter would require funding through Town Meeting.

In other business, the School Committee voted unanimously to approve awarding the \$239,450 HMS window project to Guido’s Plate Glass Service, Inc. and the \$115,000 FHS roofing project to Crocker Architectural Sheet Metal, Inc.

As part of the Superintendent’s updates and announcements, Dr. Baldwin said that the Massachusetts School Building Authority (MSBA) was meeting on June 8, 2011 to vote on its programs. MSBA would likely vote on allowing the preferred option for a model school at Wood School site to go to schematic design. Although the meeting is open to the public, the School Building Committee was not invited to attend.

After a short Executive Session, the School Committee voted unanimously to approve the Unit B and clerical union contracts. Unit B includes all three assistant principals and the Assistant for Student Services. There are 18 members of the clerical union.

Dr. Baldwin said the contracts follow Unit A union contracts in that they give a 0% increase for FY2011, a 1% increase for 2012, and 1% for 2013.

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AROUND TOWN HAPPENINGS

Fairhaven Resident Makes Dean's List



The Massachusetts College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences in Boston, Mass., has announced that Nicholas P. Comeau has been named to the dean's list for the fall 2010 semester. Dean's list honors are awarded to full-time students who earn a semester grade point average of 3.5 or better. Nicholas, child of Patrick and Ruthie Comeau, is a native of Fairhaven and is pursuing a Bachelor of Science in Nursing. Nicholas will graduate in 2013.

FHS Hall of Fame

The Fairhaven High School 2011 Hall of Fame banquet will be held Sunday, June 26, at the Century House in Acushnet. Accessible. Tickets can be obtained at FH or by call Athletic Director Scott Francis, 508-979-4051, ext. 3005.

This year's inductees are Paul Cieurzo, 1927, outstanding football and track star; Manny Cabral, 1955, 12-time letterman in football, basketball, track and baseball; Bob Gauvin, 1981, outstanding 4-year hockey player and football tight end; Kim Malanson, 1991, ST allstar in track and volleyball.

Sam Galvan will be inducted as coach. Mr. Soccer at FHS, Sam started the program for boys and girls, had great success for 20 years.

Memorable Season: 1961 basketball team, coached by Mel Entin and Dick Norman, became Bristol County Champs. Norm Tate, John Kidd, Mike Fitzgerald, Skip Hall and Bobby Lebeau.

Road Construction

The Fairhaven Police Department would like to inform the motoring public of the following construction sites throughout Fairhaven:

- Middle Street from Pease Street to Washington Street

- Alden Road at Bridge Street
- Various locations along Howland Road
- Route 240 at Bridge Street

These construction sites will be active for the entire week from 7am to approximately 4pm. Motorists are encouraged to seek alternate routes.

Spaghetti Dinner

To benefit Melissa Chartier's "Road to Recovery," June 5, from 2-6 p.m. at the Church of the Good Shepherd in Fairhaven. Not accessible. Melissa, 24, was diagnosed with stage 4 cancer in February. She travels to Boston for treatments 10-12 days/month and has a three-year-old daughter. She had to resign her job as a CNA because of her illness. The benefit will not only help her financially, but will also give her moral support and inspiration

Used Book Sale

On **Fri. & Sat., 6/17 & 18**, there will be a Used Book Sale at the Unitarian Church, 102 Green Street, Fairhaven. Accessible. Preview sale is Friday night from 6-8pm and admission is \$5. Dealers are welcome.

On Saturday June 18th from 9-1 pm admission is free with great deals after noon. All books will be very reasonably priced with proceeds going directly to the church.

Donations of books will be accepted up to the sale day.

For more information please contact the church office at 508-992-7081 or Judith Downing at 774-202-4474.

Car Wash

Fairhaven's Boy Scout Troop 52 will be holding a Car Wash on Saturday, June 4, at St. Mary's Parish, 440 Main St. Fairhaven, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Donation is \$5.00 for cars; \$7.00 vans and trucks. Proceeds to benefit scouts attending summer camp.

Tennis Lessons

The Fairhaven Tennis Association is offering tennis lessons for adults. Our staff is highly trained and dedicated. There are two clinics lasting four weeks each and the fee is only 15 dollars. You may register by going to our web site at www.fairhaventennis.org and downloading the registration form.

We offer two clinics. One for beginners and one for Intermediate level players. Clinic one is from June 6th -June 30th; Clinic two is from June 27th -July 22nd.

Beach Clean-up

On Wednesday, June 8, a Cleaning Day is scheduled to take place from 10AM-2PM at Fort Phoenix Beach in conjunction with celebrating World Oceans Day. Sponsors of this event include TowBoatU.S. New Bedford, West Marine Fairhaven, Buzzards Bay Coalition and the newly formed Fairhaven Business Association.

World Oceans Day is an opportunity to honor the world's oceans, celebrate products provided by the ocean such as seafood and appreciate its beauty and value. The Ocean Project and the World Ocean Network have been promoting World Oceans Day every June 8 since 2003. The goal is to build greater awareness of the crucial role of the ocean in our lives and the important ways people can help preserve it.

West Marine Fairhaven is donating \$250.00 to the Coalition on behalf of World Oceans Day and the beach cleaning efforts.

Everyone is invited to participate in the beach cleanup efforts ultimately helping Fairhaven to be a better place for all to enjoy. Trash bags and gloves will be provided free for anyone wishing to help out. And, the first fifty people who show up will receive a free T-shirt.

In the event of rain, Beach Cleaning Day will take place on June 9. For additional information, please contact Capt. Clint Allen of TowBoatU.S. New Bedford at 508-990-3997.

Plant Sale

On Saturday, 6/4 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., at Our Lady's Haven, 71 Center St., Fairhaven.

Proceeds benefit residents of OLH.

Free Fishing Days

Fish for free on June 4 and 5. You won't need a fishing permit to fish any waterbody statewide for these two days including both freshwater and saltwater (state waters only). It is time well spent with family and

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STILL IN TOWN

friends.

By law, the director of the Division of Marine Fisheries may establish up to two free saltwater fishing days per year, and the Panel recently recommended selection of the same two days that the Division of Fish and Wildlife sets for free freshwater fishing days.

Those wishing to recreationally fish in state marine waters beyond June 4 and 5 are required to possess a Mass. Recreational Saltwater Fishing Permit, unless fishing under the authority of a recreational license from New Hampshire, Rhode Island or Connecticut, or are otherwise exempt. Your purchase of a Recreational Saltwater Fishing Permit directly funds improvements to

saltwater fishing access projects and other programs that support marine recreational fishing in the state.

For more information on free fishing in saltwater, contact Matt Ayer (Division of Marine Fisheries) at 978-282-0308 ext 107 or matt.ayer@state.ma.us; for freshwater, contact Jim Lagacy (Division of Fish and Wildlife) at (508) 389-6309 or jim.lagacy@state.ma.us.

HHR Walking Tours

The story of Standard Oil Company millionaire Henry H. Rogers and the magnificent architectural gifts he gave to his hometown are the subjects of H. H. Rogers Walking Tours presented on Tuesday and Thursday mornings by the Fairhaven

Office of Tourism, beginning June 2. The tours start at 10:00 a.m. at the Fairhaven Visitors Center, 43 Center Street, weather permitting. They will be held twice a week through Sept.

The walking tour explores the center of town where most of Rogers' gifts stand, tracing a route that includes his boyhood home and seven other places associated with him. Also viewed are the interiors of two buildings, the Town Hall and Millicent Library. Along the way you'll hear about Rogers' life, family and career.

Tour lasts about 90 minutes and is presented free of charge by the Fairhaven Office of Tourism.

For more info, call 508-979-4085 or email FairhavenTours@aol.com.

HAPPENINGS OVERTOWN

Row for the Bay

The Buzzards Bay Rowing Club will host its sixth annual "Buzzards Bay Open Water Challenge" (formerly known as Row for the Bay) on **Saturday, June 4th at 10:00 AM.**

Registration for the three-mile race, which will begin and end at beautiful Fort Taber Park in New Bedford, begins at 8:30 AM, the day of the race. To pre-register, visit the Buzzards Bay Rowing Club web site at www.buzzardsbayrowing.org or call 508-961-5955. The entry fee is \$20.00.

Summer Day Prog

Applications are now available for parents to register their children to participate in the New Bedford Recreation Department's Kennedy Summer Day Program. This summer program is an opportunity for children to engage in a variety of sports, games, crafts, and outdoor fun while making new friends. Activities include beach and swim time, special visitor programs from the National Park Service, bike safety instruction. The program operates out of Fort Taber Park and includes breakfast, lunch and transportation. The program is open to children who are eligible for kindergarten through the age of fourteen. For New Bedford residents, each session is \$120 and financial aid is available. If space allows, non-residents may register for \$140 per session.

Session 1: 7/5-15; Session 2: 7/18-29; Session 3: 8/1-12; Session 4: 8/15-26

The registration deadline for all sessions is June 21st. Space is limited, so parents are encouraged to complete and submit an application as soon as possible. Registration packets are available at the New Bedford Recreation Department Office located in the Buttonwood Park Warming House, 1 Oneida Street or at City Hall in Room 301.

Contact the New Bedford Recreation Department for more information at (508) 991-6295.

Hire-A-Youth

Mayor Scott W. Lang, the Greater New Bedford Workforce Investment Board (WIB), and the New Bedford Chamber of Commerce joined together recently to ask area employers to commit to hiring a young person this summer or to make a contribution to support a summer youth position. The press conference preceded the annual Hire a Youth phone-a-thon, during which local leaders from all sectors placed calls to businesses across the city to ask for their assistance in the initiative.

To pledge a job, or for more information, please contact Jean Fox, Youth Council Director at the GNBWIB, at (508) 979-1504 x17.

Auditions

Your Theatre is holding open

auditions on **Thursday, June 2 at 7:30pm at the Theatre, 136 Rivet Street, New Bedford, MA**, for Paul Rudnick's comedy "I Hate Hamlet." The production is scheduled to run September 15-25, 2011. Rehearsals will begin in July.

All roles, three men, one - 30 - 40's; one 30's; one 40 - 60's and three women one - 30's; one - 40's and one - 50 - 60's (German accent).

Audition will be a cold reading from the script.

For further information call Director Larry Houbre, 508-993-0772 or email ytinc@verizon.net.

Green Jobs FR

On June 2, from 6-8pm the Green Jobs, Green Economy Initiative and P.O.W.E.R. will be hosting a fund-raising event called Community Ecology: Moving from Competition to Co-Creation.

In keeping with the organization's commitment to diversity and creating a truly inclusive movement, the event tickets are "Pay What You Can." Rather than set a ticket price; the organization is asking attendees to give whatever is within their means.

Community Ecology will be held in a historic mill building at 689 Belleville Avenue, currently home to the Joseph Abboud Factory, one of the largest employers in the City. The Abboud Factory is known for its commitment to keeping its products

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AHA! Night highlights include:

- Day of Portugal Festivities @ NB City Hall & NB Whaling Museum
- Underground Railroad Walking Tour with Lee Blake of the NB Historical Society
- Tour the Seamen's Bethel with Port Society volunteer, Chris Berry
- Architectural Preservation Walking Tour with the Waterfront Historic Area League
- Curator's Tour of the new NBAM Exhibit New Bedford Through the Lens with Diane Gilbert
- Sanctuary & Stained Glass Tour @ Pilgrim UCC
- 19th Century Neighborhood Architectural Walking Tour with Bruce Barnes of the NB

Preservation Society • Working Waterfront Dock Walk with Tove Bendiksen of the NB Whaling National Historical Park • History & Collections Tour of the NB Public Library • Tour the Buzzards Bay Coalition's Historic Green Building • We Art NB! NEW SHOWS @ Artworks!, Crowell's Fine Art, Judith Klein Art Gallery, Gallery X, Pour Farm, UMass Dartmouth CVPA Star Store & more! • Centre Street Sessions is back! Enjoy the music of McCarthy, Legge & Friends.

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Speaker: Shane Bradt, University of NH/Cooperative Extension

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The Humane Society & Shelter SouthCoast is sponsoring the 4th Annual "Walk Your Paws Off" dog walk **Sunday June 5th from 10:00 AM to 3:00PM at the Freetown State Forrest on Slab Bridge Road, in Assonet, Mass.** Sponsorships are an important part of the walk and involve people of all ages to participate in the walk. In the past this event has been very successful but the walk depends on pledges to

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1/2 cup pine nuts, toasted

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Cook pasta as directed on package; drain. Place in large bowl.

Add tomato mixture and pine nuts; mix lightly.

Submitted by Christine Stewart

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A Little Bit of Sports

By Bob Hobbs

Special to the Neighbor News

FHS Girls going to finals

See team photo on page 13

FHS 1, Case 0

In another outstanding defensive game by both teams, FHS downed Case 1-0. Scoring their only run on passed ball in the 7th. Courtney pitched an amazing game.

FHS 13, Diman Voke 2

Kim Mortella pitched a super game in FHS's win. Kelsey Perron-Sovik, Kiyana Alfaiate and Kelsey Rapoza were big sticks for Lady Blues.

FHS 11, Wareham 1

Ashley Brown pitched the Lady Blues to victory to avenge a previous loss to Wareham.

FHS 3, OR 2

The Lady Blues of FHS won the South Coast Conference championship for the first time. Their overall record was 16-4, and 13-3 in SCC, making them tri champs, with D-R and Case.

Big hits by Ashley Brown and Kayli Moniz, plus super pitching of Courtney Girouard led to 3-2 win over OR.

Congratulations to Coach Cathy Silva and the team.

FHS JV's Softball

Coach Glenn Gardner is having a banner year with his girls winning 14 games. Pitchers Madison Maniatis and Courtney Tarvares have been super. Serena Vega, Delaney Corchran and Nicki Avila have been outstanding all year. Also, Vanesa Lugren, and Kasey Carvalho.

FHS Tennis

Boys

The Bluemen of FHS rolled over Connolly in a double header 4-1 & 5-0.

Kevin DiBiasio and Alex McGannon won big singles matches.

Girls

The Lady Blues got another big win over Apponequet 3-2. Christina Pottel won her single set while Farah Gillette, Sylvia Pacheco, Kara Charette and Emma Sherman won doubles.

Both boys and girls teams have had great seasons and will do well in state playoffs.

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Baseball

Billy Lessa had two big hits along with Ryan Baldwin's run scoring hit. Adam Mullen pitched 5 hitter for win.

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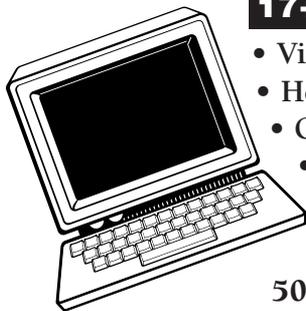
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Memorial Day events both solemn and celebratory

By Beth David
Editor

Hundreds of people lined Main Street for Fairhaven's Memorial Day Parade from South Street to Riverside Cemetery on Monday, 5/30. US Flags also lined the route on lawns, fences, and porches.

Stepping off from South Street just after 8:30 a.m., the parade proceeded to Fairhaven High School for the raising of the big flag, which is 30x50 feet. This massive Old Glory makes a striking impression against the architecture of the high school's unique Elizabethan-influenced design by Charles Brigham.

People of all ages stood quietly as the Fairhaven High School band



played The Star Spangled Banner while members of the FHS Class of 1961 raised the flag.

After that the mood jumped up to celebratory as children literally hopped up and down while the parade passed by.

Marchers included veterans and color guards from all branches of the

Fairhaven Village Militia, Scout units, and local organizations.

The parade proceeded to Riverside Cemetery for a short ceremony.

Roy Brown, Commander of American Legion Post #166, emceed the proceedings, telling the crowd that Memorial Day is a celebration, but also somber. He said it is a day to recognize the men and women "who made the ultimate sacrifice."

"America's heroes must never be forgotten," said Cdr. Brown. "All veterans must tend the flames of freedom. They are honor bound to do so. It is an unspoken oath sealed with blood."

Fr. Patrick Killilea of St. Mary's Church gave opening and closing prayers. He said people should honor the dead, who gave "the most precious gift they had, life itself."

Fairhaven Selectboard chair Michael Silvia read General Logan's Orders, which created Memorial Day in 1868. In the order, the General called upon the nation to remember the fallen, but also to remember their families and take care of them.

"Let no vandalism of avarice or neglect, no ravages of time testify to the present or to the coming generations that we have forgotten as a people the cost of a free and undivided republic," reads the order.

Keynote speaker Gerald Stabel, former Commander of Post #166, started by telling the crowd that Memorial Day is a "somber day for all Americans," a time to pay "special tribute" to those who died in defense of their country.

Cdr. Stabel paid special tribute to Frank Buckles, the last surviving veteran of World War I, who died in February.

"He now belongs to Arlington, where every day is Memorial Day," said Cdr. Stabel.

He said those being honored on Memorial Day met the challenge, made the sacrifice, and paid the highest price



when called to serve their country.

"They fought to achieve the triumph of good over evil that we may live in peace as a free people," he said. "Their sacrifices were one of honor and personal courage, their love of God and country, as well as their love of family and the American way of life."

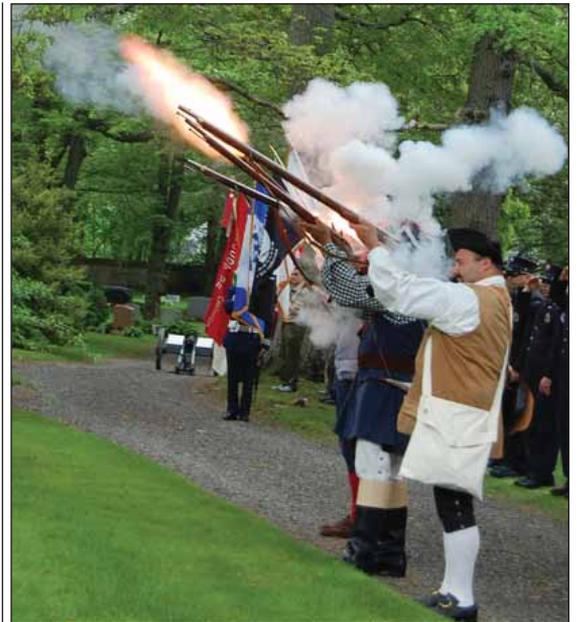
He said they will never be forgotten and the nation should remember and take care of their families.

"The importance of Memorial Day must be instilled in the minds of our young people," said Cdr. Stabel. "Future generations will be called

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It is a time of somber tribute, as well as a time to reaffirm our faith in God and country and in each and every one of us [Gerald Stabel]

military, Ladies Auxiliaries, Police and fire department color guards, town officials, including all three selectboard members, State Rep. William Straus, antique fire trucks, military vehicles, the Young Marines, student bands, cheerleaders, the



ABOVE: The Fairhaven Village Militia fires a salute to the dead at Riverside Cemetery after the Fairhaven Memorial Day parade on 5/30/11. TOP: Former Commander of American Legion Post #166 Gerald Stabel gives the keynote address. MIDDLE: Commander of Post 166, Roy Brown, emceed the proceedings. Photos by Beth David. See them in color at www.NeighbNews.com. Find us on Facebook to see more pictures of this event.

Encampment delights and educates



The Fairhaven Village Militia held an encampment at Fort Phoenix on Saturday and Sunday, 5/28 & 29. Colonial men, women and children re-enacted life in 1778. Members of the public were able to ask questions about life in Colonial times and to try their hands at tomahawk throwing and children's games of the period. Militia members demonstrated cookfire cooking, gun care, musket firing, firing of the small cannon, sewing and spinning, dental and medical car. For more information about the Fairhaven Village Militia and to find out about future encampments, call the Fairhaven Office of Tourism, 508-979-4085. TOP LEFT: hunk of beef cooks over an open fire. BOTTOM LEFT: Chris Richard shows how one would amputate a wounded arm in 1778 RIGHT: Ellie Silveria (left), Amy Sylvia-Smith (lighting) and Wayne Oliveria fire the cannon for their visitors. *Photos by Heidi Winnett. See them in color at www.NeighbNews.com. Find us on Facebook for more photos of this event.*

FHS softball team makes South Coast Conference for first time



Fairhaven High School's Lady Blue Devils won the South Coast Conference championship for the first time in the school's history. Their overall record was 16-4, and 13-3 in SCC, making them tri champs, with D-R and Case. BACK ROW, L-R: Coach Cathy Silva, Madison Maniatis, Kim Montella, Rebecca Larson, Morgan Howland. MIDDLE ROW, L-R: Nicole Avila, Kay Mullen, Tori Brown, Kaylie Moniz, Kelsey Perron-Sovick. FIRST ROW, L-R: Ashley Brown, Kelsey Rapoza, Britney Texiera, Britney Ramairo, Kiyana Alfaiate and Courtney Girouard. *Photo by Heidi Winnett. See it in color at www.NeighbNews.com*

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Superstars: July 11-July 14 Monday
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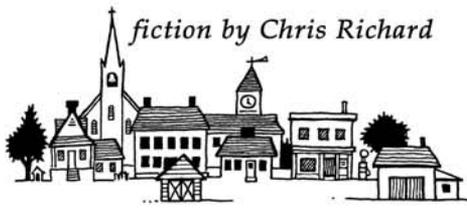


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The report from Potter's Point

fiction by Chris Richard



Well, not an awful lot went on in Potter's Point last month. That's pretty good news considering a Christian radio broadcaster's prediction that the end of the world was going to happen. It is now rather obvious that the event did not occur as scheduled.

For about half an hour on the appointed day, though, Bill Worthy thought that Prudence had been Raptured up to the eternal kingdom. When Bill woke up, Prudence's side of the bed was empty. She wasn't anywhere in the house, in fact.

Bill had not for a moment thought the end was really near, or not for him at least. But he wasn't so sure about Prudence. For several weeks she'd had the choir at Point Methodist brushing up on a few of the hymns they hadn't sung in awhile just to be on the safe side. She wouldn't want anyone to get turned away at the pearly gates for not knowing "Come, Thou Almighty King" or "Savior Like a Shepherd Lead Us."

Prudence also used her Horticultural League clout to get the Public Works fellas to clean up the town square and to weed around the Monument of the Patriotic Quahogger because one never knows when Jesus might happen to make a personal visit.

Bill figured if anyone in town were to be called to Heaven on Judgment Day, it would be Prudence.

After so many years of marriage to Prudence, Bill thought this Rapture might be a good thing. Of course he noted that wishing for Prudence to be taken up while he got left behind was not a particularly moral thought. Harboring such feelings would, in fact, guarantee that very result. She'd go. He'd stay.

He thought about it some more.

He thought about it four or five times a day as the Judgment grew nearer.

Then he woke up and Prudence was nowhere to be found. It almost gave him faith.

But it turned out Prudence had only gotten up early and run down to Millie's Market for a dozen eggs. She was back in about ten minutes and the rest of the

day progressed without incident.

Bill learned a few days later that a new Judgment date has been set for October. He's not holding out a lot of hope.

With the world's end canceled, or at least postponed, lots of folks have been preparing for Sidewalk Sale Days, an annual event that takes place downtown every June.

It started years ago when Chester Small noticed that if you took products that had been sitting unsold and gathering dust on the shelf forever and you stuck them on a table on the sidewalk, people snapped them up like crazy. Didn't really matter what they were — those odd looking glass birds that bob up and down when they're put near a glass of water, a case of oxblood colored shoe polish, lint brushes, rubber gaskets for Ball canning jars, butter dishes, ash trays shaped like open-mouthed whales — they sold when Chester put them outdoors, marked them down a bit and hung a string of colorful pennants over them.

Soon other merchants took notice and the annual custom of unloading surplus inventory grew into the popular and festive Sidewalk Sale Days.

Now all the businesses along Main Street and Bayside Avenue between Earl's Garage and the Portside Pub take part in the big sale and groups like the Horticultural League, Save The Point, and the Future Fishermen's Wives set up tables to raise funds and drum up business for their causes.

Ellen Marie Spooner had been looking forward to writing about Sidewalk Sale Days for the Hope Falls Daily Crier when her editor first assigned the story to her.

Ellen Marie grew up in Potter's Point and always enjoyed the festive atmosphere of people looking for bargains along the crowded sidewalks. Somewhere in her odds and ends drawer she still had a combination shoe horn and cork screw she'd bought one year from Chester's for those occasions when one wishes to drink wine while changing footwear. She thought it would be fun to see Sidewalk Sale Days again after a few years away from town.

But then there was Alf Arbutus.

Alf was a member of Save The Point, a new group that was working to keep the natural undeveloped side of The Point out of the hands of condominium builders and soccer moms. Alf and Ellen Marie had also been "an item" from about fourth grade until college. They had almost, sort of, maybe gone

steady until Ellen Marie went off to journalism school. Then the two had fallen out of touch during recent years and had not spoken since Ellen Marie got back in town.

Now the news editor of the Daily Crier wanted Ellen Marie to write specifically about Save The Point and Alf Arbutus was the contact person she had to call. She put off phoning until the last possible moment before her deadline. Unable to put it off any longer, she picked up the phone and entered the number.

"Hello?"

"Hi...it's Ellen Marie...uh... Spooner..."

Well, that was stupid, she thought. Did she actually tell Alf her last name? How many Ellen Maries would he know?

"Hi," said Alf.

There was a pause. It was her turn to talk. Right.

"I'm writing for the Hope Falls Daily Crier."

"I know."

All right then. Alf did not add anything more to that statement.

"How...how are you?"

"Okay," he said. "And how are you?"

How was she? She wasn't sure. Fine? Not bad? Fair? Happy?

"I'm...partly cloudy," she said. "With a chance of sunshine."

"Nice."

"Yes." She should have rehearsed this better. "I... we... my editor wants a story about Save The Point...for tomorrow's paper."

"And you put off writing it in hopes the world would end first."

"No. That's why I put off doing laundry."

"Me too. Good thing this interview's over the phone because we've got nothing decent to wear."

"I put off calling you because..."

"You thought you would be unable to control your lust."

"Shut up! Right now! Or...or I'm coming over there!"

"See! Told ya!"

That's the Report from Potter's Point for this month. Hope to see you soon!

EDITORS'S NOTE: The imaginary town of Potter's Point is located in the southeastern part of Massachusetts, on the shore of Butler's Bay. Its primary industries are cranberry growing, boat building and quahogging.

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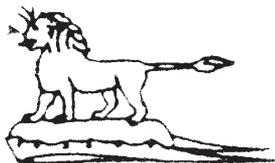
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West Island's WW II Lookout Tower May Have Had a Secret Gun Emplacement

Although gun emplacements were a standard part of the design type and layout of US Army observation towers like the one at West Island, no confirmation of a gun battery has been found.

However, evidence suggests that on the northeast corner of the island, an existing man-made 6x6 ft concrete foundation "deep in the woods out of no-where" very well could have been part of a gun emplacement.

Its strategic location close to shore in thick brush and trees would certainly have made for an ideal spot. The lack of any reference to this location from a military stand point during the war is probably because it would have been classified.

This also could explain the origin of the trail-path carved out of the brush headed towards the site from Fir Street. Keep in mind that the island wasn't developed until the late 40's and early 50's, but a trail is clearly visible in a 1946 aerial

photograph taken just after the war. This path would later be referred to as the "dump road" for the "new" island inhabitants who needed a place to discard their trash, including broken down household appliances, tires, etc.

As the population increased, so did the trash. At one point a small bulldozer was used to pack in the refuse into what became a deepening cavity of about a 100 foot circumference down the bend in the trail on the right side.

The bulldozer was stored in a garage next to the oldest house on the island at 38 Causeway Road on the corner of Fir Street. The town began trash pick-up to the island in the late 60's, but some dumping continued into the late 70's. The cavity of this site is visible by satellite to this day.

Note: Fort Phoenix also had a civilian observation post (sponsored by The American Legion Post 166) during the war. In January of 1942, Eldred E. Besse, Fairhaven's chief air raid warden, was recognized for his efforts along with other volunteers who had constructed an enclosed tower at no cost for its spotters.

Forecast

Friday: Clear. Lows in the lower 50s. Highs in the lower 70s. **Friday Night:** Cloudy. Lows in the upper 50s. Highs in the mid 70s.

Sat.: Sunny. Highs in the lower 70s. **Saturday Night:** Partly cloudy. Lows in the upper 50s. Highs in the mid 70s.

Sunday: Partly cloudy. Lows in the upper 50s. Highs in the mid 70s. **Sunday Night:** Mostly cloudy. Lows in the upper 50s. Highs in the lower 70s.

Monday: Partly cloudy. Lows in the upper 50s. Highs in the mid 70s. **Monday Night:** Clearing. Lows in the upper 50s. Highs in the lower 70s

Tuesday: Clear. High: 66° **Tuesday Night:** Partly Cloudy. Low: 60°

Wednesday: Mostly Cloudy With Scattered Light Showers Possible. High: 66° **Wednesday Night:** Mostly Cloudy. Low: 62°

The island ocean temp is 65 Degrees. Summer begins in 19 days.

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Satellite photo of West Island. "A" is a possible gun battery location; "B" is the old dump site. RIGHT: a piece of concrete foundation that ML Baron thinks might be part of a gun emplacement from World War II. Photos submitted by ML Baron. See them in color at www.NeighNews.com Visit westislandweather.com for more details on this, and other ML Baron theories.



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upon to serve their country and make similar sacrifices to preserve our freedom and the American way of life unless we pursue a more peaceful solution to our national and international differences."

Memorial Day is more than decorating grave, joining parades, or observing celebrations, he said. "It is a time of somber tribute, as well as a time to reaffirm our faith in God and country and in each and every one of us."

Cdr. Stabel also read the poems "Safely Home" and "Freedom Is Not Free," which begins "I watched the flag pass by one day."

Cdr. Stabel listed every war and conflict from the American Revolution to the wars going on now in Iraq and Afghanistan, stating the number of Americans killed in each war, including the victims of the 911 attacks. The total

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is more than 1,301,451 and still counting.

In his closing prayer, Fr. Killilea asked God to give soldiers the "courage to face the perils that may beset them," and to "protect them as they protect us."

Amanda Katan and Doug Braley, Co-Presidents of the FHS Class of 2011, read Lincoln's Gettysburg Address. The ceremony also included the reading of the honor rolls of the American Legion Post 166, VFW Post 2892, and the town of Fairhaven; music by the FHS band and the First Congregational Church Choir; a salute to the dead by the Fairhaven Village Militia, the playing of taps by Tim DesRoches of the Fairhaven High School Band.

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