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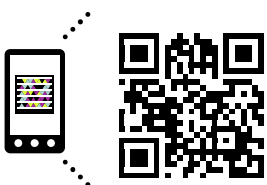
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Teeming with information you need.
(And some you don't need, but will be glad you have anyway.)

USPS picks up two tons of food in Fairhaven



Volunteers of the Shepherd's Pantry in Acushnet pose next to some of the 4680 pounds of food collected on 5/11/24 during the annual food drive by the National Association of Letter Carriers. L-R: Arlene Hansmann, Paul Roberts, Bob Rocha, Rachel and Mike Thomas, Ed Bouchard, Gerry Payette. (Not pictured: Don Collasius, Carolyn Nunez, Donald Ryle, Sarah Ryle.) See page 12. *Photo by Beth David.*



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Judge Murray Gurfein, Pentagon Papers case, June 17, 1971:

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From The Editor

WEST ISLAND —
A day late and many dollars short.



Publisher Beth David with
Charlie, aka Evil Dog

The calendar is ready for the warm weather events, but the temperature hasn't gotten the memo. The events, however, are on.

See page three for Huttleston Marketplace opening day on Saturday.

And the Blessing of the Bikes is on Sunday (page 3).

And....a few other things. See pages 3, 5, 6, 7 for a good variety of stuff indoors and outside.

Then, next weekend, it's Memorial Day. So, save the date for the parade (page 5).

We have a Select Board story for you this week. See page 4 for what that board is up to. It sounds like the Commission on Disability has been busy.

Our cover story puts a spotlight on the need in our communities (page 12). The food pantries need food all year round, not just around the holidays. This food drive helps, but that food won't last. Keep in mind there are bins at the Millicent Library and at Stop & Shop for the Shepherd's Pantry. And there's a food pantry at the First Congregational Church in Fairhaven. Donating to any of them will help someone who needs it.

We also had a ribbon cutting at Nasketucket Vineyard this week (page 13). Fun event, cool place. Check it out.

Acushnet's election is Saturday (see page 14). It's largely a ho-hum affair since there are no contested races at all. Terrible. Just terrible.

And last, but certainly not least, see page 11 to learn about Sport and Frieta, two German Shepherd siblings who are "completely bonded," so the shelter wants to keep them together. There must be someone out there who wants a couple of Shepherds. They are fine looking, that's for sure.

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CORRECTIONS/CLARIFICATIONS

Fairhaven Marketplace, Townwide yard sale this Saturday

The outdoor events are kicking into high gear. This weekend the Huttleston Marketplace starts its season; there's a townwide yard sale; and the Blessing of the Bikes. See pages 5, 6, 7 for more happenings.

Huttleston Marketplace

Saturdays, May 18 through September 28, 2024 (except last Saturday in June), 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Fairhaven Visitors Center Lawn/Fairhaven High School Lawn, 141 Main Street, at Route 6, Fairhaven

Huttleston Marketplace is an outdoor bazaar featuring as many as 90 or more vendors selling select hand made arts and crafts, quality antiques and vintage collectibles, upcycled items, fresh farm produce, and locally prepared foods.

On the first Saturday of June, July, August, and September, we are scheduling special Kids Day activities including MR. ViNNY's Giant Puppets, the Millicent Library's Book Bike with story times, and more.

Find scheduled vendors at <https://fairhaventours.com/huttleston-marketplace-2024-vendors/>

Fairhaven Town-Wide Yard Sale Day

Saturday, May 18, 2024, times of yard sales vary (Rain Date, Sunday, May 19. Throughout Fairhaven, MA

This annual community yard sale day is being sponsored and organized by the Old Town Fairhaven group on Facebook for the fourth year. Yard sales will be set up throughout the town.

For a printable list of participating yards, visit <https://tinyurl.com/yz9u3n9u>. For the Google Map: <https://tinyurl.com/2mke3ut3>

Blessing of the Bikes

The 23rd annual Blessing of the Bikes by St. Joseph School in Fairhaven is this Sun., 5/19, beginning at Fort Phoenix State Reservation in Fairhaven, rear parking lot.

Registration begins at 9:30 a.m. Kickstands up at noon. From Ft. Phoenix, ride to St. Joseph Church for the blessing, then a two-hour ride through scenic backroads, ending at Knuckleheads Bar & Grill, 85 MacArthur Dr., New Bedford, for a BBQ and live music. Rain Date 5/26.

\$20 per bike.

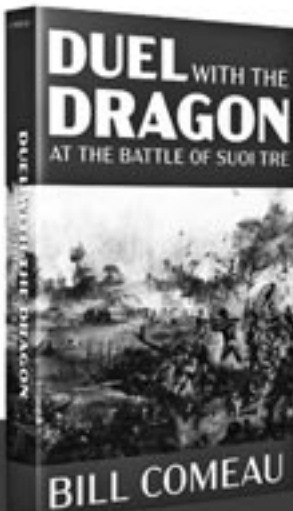
Proceeds benefit St. Joseph School.

Bike & Brew: Little Free Library Tour

Sat., 5/18, 10:30 a.m. Meet at Millicent Library, 45 Center St., Fairhaven. Join the Fairhaven Livable Streets Committee as we take a tour of Fairhaven's Little Free Libraries! We'll meet at Millicent Library for a welcome talk and tour led by Allison Thiel, Millicent's Youth Librarian, and Laura Gardner, Librarian at Dartmouth Public Schools, and whose family hosts one of Fairhaven's Little Free Libraries. As always, this is a slower cruise designed for all ages & abilities.

Our ride will end at the recently-reopened Ice Cream Cottage at 12 Ferry Street for a sweet treat. And they do sell both coffee ice cream & iced coffee if you'd like to stay true to the "Brew" in our event name!


Reminders: Riders under 17 must wear a helmet. Riders are responsible for their own bikes. Please bring some water & sunscreen.



DUEL WITH THE DRAGON
AT THE BATTLE OF SUOI TRE
BILL COMEAU

BOOK TALK

with author
Bill Comeau
Vietnam Veteran



Wednesday
May 22nd
at 6:30pm

Millicent Library Auditorium
45 Center St., Fairhaven, MA
Sponsored by the
Friends of Millicent Library

Join New Bedford native Bill Comeau as he presents his book 'Duel with the Dragon,' detailing his heroic service in Vietnam, including the Battle of Suoi Tre, which saw the highest enemy casualties in a single day of the Vietnam War. Presentation followed by book sale & signing.

Author Bill Comeau in 1967 when he served in Vietnam.

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Fhvn SB approves events, Commission on Disability requests

By Beth David
Editor

The Fairhaven Select Board made quick work of a long agenda at Monday's meeting, 5/13/24.

The board approved three requests by the Commission on Disability. COD chairperson Eleanor Chew asked the board to accept the donation of a \$5,000 adaptive bicycle. The bike, which is being donated by Rare Riders, will allow children with physical disabilities to ride a bicycle. It is a three-wheeler that allows the rider to sit back and pedal or be pushed.

The bicycle will be kept at the Recreation Center, which is near the bike path. It will be available to the public on a sign-out basis.

Ms. Chew told the board that the logistics had not been worked out, but the vendor needed to get the bike out of their warehouse. She asked the board to approve the donation, and said the bike will not be lent out until all the "nitty gritty details" are worked out and the board has a chance to approve them.

Ms. Chew also said that a lot of

children who would benefit from the bike cannot afford the hefty price tag and also have no place to store it.

"It's an amazing gift," she said.

The board approved the request unanimously. SB member Andrew Saunders was absent from the meeting, citing a work commitment.

Ms. Chew also asked the board to authorize the COD to send an application to the Flutie Foundation for a Communication Board for Livesey Park. The board is a large sign with pictures and words that will help non-verbal children, and adults, communicate. They can simply point to the pictures to show what they want to do next.

Ms. Chew told the board that the East Fairhaven School has one at its playground. The board makes the playground more inclusive.

Doug Flutie has a son with autism, she said, so he created his foundation, which donates the boards. Ms. Chew said she already spoke with the public works department, which will have to install the board.

SB member Andrew Romano said it was a "wonderful idea," but asked

why they chose Livesey Park.

Ms. Chew said her committee felt it was more accessible to everyone.

"My thought is to have it at all three playgrounds," said Ms. Chew.

The board voted unanimously to authorize the application.

Ms. Chew also told the board that the committee received a gift of \$90.00, but they need a gift account to accept it. The board voted unanimously to create a gift account for the Commission on Disability.

Ms. Chew also informed the board that the terms for the appointments on her committee got skewed somewhere along the way. They should be for three years, with set number of members up for reappointment each year.

There was some discussion and confusion on how many members the committee is supposed to have.

The board is handling annual reappointments in the next month or two, and will readjust the terms then.

In another matter, the board voted to approve and accept a conservation restriction (CR) on two properties

SELECT: cont'd on page 8

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Congratulate Your Grads

Congratulate Fairhaven High School Graduating Seniors. The community is invited to join in the fun of giving the class of 2024 a special send-off into the world, by running an ad in our 6/6/23 issue. Special rates apply.

DEADLINE: 5/31/24. Please contact Beth David at NeighbNews@comcast.net (preferred) or call 508-979-5593.



**UU Society of Fairhaven
welcomes all!**

Worship at 10 a.m. Sundays
May 19: "Echoes of Faith"

Nursery care in Harrop Center starting at
9:45 a.m. Children welcome at service.

Yoga with Stephanie Lawrence, RYT, 4:30 Wednesdays.
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AROUND TOWN HAPPENINGS

Help With Flags On Veterans Graves

Fairhaven's Veterans Services Office will be placing flags on the graves of veterans at Riverside Cemetery on May 18 at 10 a.m. (rain date 5/19). We are looking for volunteers to help us honor all or fallen veterans.

For details contact Mike or Jane at VSO, 508-202-4603

Congratulate Grads

Congratulate Fairhaven High School Graduating Seniors. The community is invited to join in the fun of giving the class of 2024 a special send-off into the world. Our regular issue covering the graduation is 6/6/24. Run an ad letting your grad know how proud you are.

1/8 page: \$32 B&W, \$47 Color; 1/4 page: \$54 B&W, \$84 Color; 1/2 page: \$107 B&W, \$157 Color; Full page: \$180 B&W, \$240 Color.

DEADLINE: 5/31/24. Please contact Beth David at NeighbNews@comcast.net (preferred) or call 508-979-5593. (This issue will have our regular, annual coverage, with no school-sponsored content.)

Free Concert

Free concert, Sat., 5/18, 12:30 p.m., Millicent Library, 45 Center St. (Walnut Street entrance), Fairhaven. FREE. Join us at the Millicent Library auditorium for an enchanting afternoon filled with live jazz music and captivating historical anecdotes. This free concert will showcase the NO3 Organ Trio featuring the exceptional talent of Nina Ott on the Hammond B3 organ.

The Millicent Library's auditorium will be transformed into an intimate night club café atmosphere, complete with complimentary snacks and beverages courtesy of the Friends of the Millicent Library.

While seating will be provided space may be limited. Registration is encouraged at <https://millicentlibrary.org/MillicentLibraryConcert>

GOP Meeting

Please consider joining the Fairhaven Republican Town committee May 21 at 6pm. We will meet at usual location, 32 Abbey Street.

Accessible to all, and all are warmly welcome.

The results of annual Town meeting will be discussed as well as upcoming State office campaigns. Lots of news and lots to share. Call Committee Chair Bob McConnell at 508-863-0416 or email usat.fairhavenrtc@gmail.com

Book/Puzzle/Bake/Plant

The West Island Improvement Association is holding a Book, Puzzle, Bake and Plant Sale on Sat., 5/25, from 10:00-2:00 at the Association Hall, 41 Causeway Rd., Fairhaven. Proceeds go towards the Scholarship fund.

Mark Twain

Mark Twain's "Life on the Mississippi," Sat., 5/18, 7:00 pm, The Shepherd Center for the Performing Arts, 34 Center Street (William Street Entrance) Fairhaven, MA. Accessible.

In his one-man adaptation of Twain's work, "Life on the Mississippi," actor and comedian Ken Teutsch goes back to the roots of America's favorite storyteller. There is no white suit or white hair, no clever aphorisms delivered from a rocking chair. Here is a man in the prime of life recalling the glory days of steamboating on the mighty Mississippi, and recounting the unlikely story (sometimes harrowing and sometimes hilarious) of how a young, inexperienced and naïve Sam Clemens from Hannibal, Missouri came to realize the grandest dream of every boy on the River: becoming a steamboat pilot.

Tickets are \$20 online: <https://theshepherdcenter.ticketspice.com/mark-twains-life-on-the-mississippi>. Doors open at 6:30 pm. For more information visit <https://theshepherdcenter.org/mark-twains-life-on-the-mississippi/>.

SAVE THE DATE: Memorial Day Parade

Fairhaven will hold its annual Memorial Day Parade on Mon., 5/27, meet at 9:30 a.m., step off at 10 a.m. All veterans are invited to march.

Parade route: From Union and Main Streets north along Main to Fairhaven High School for the raising of the big flag, and continue to

Riverside Cemetery for a short ceremony. There will be a gathering at the VFW, 109 Middle Street, after the activities.

Proudly sponsored by VFW Post 2892, Fairhaven Lions Club, and Fairhaven Veterans Service Office.

For info contact Mike or Jane at VSO, 508-202-4603.

Veterans who want to ride in the van, contact the Fairhaven COA, 508-979-4029

INCLEMENT WEATHER: If it rains on Memorial Day, a service will be held at 10 a.m. at the VFW.

Rec Fishing Regs Public Comment

The Division of Marine Fisheries (DMF) is taking public comment on a series of recently adopted emergency regulations and draft regulatory proposals to adjust recreational fishing rules at 322 CMR 6.00.

Regulations include changes to Scup for size and bag limits; Striped Bass fillet at sea regs; Summer Flounder size and bag limits.

A public hearing has been scheduled for Monday, May 20, 2024 at 6PM via Zoom. Please register at <https://tinyurl.com/yck7zjj5>.

DMF will accept written public comment through 8PM on 5/20. Please submit written comments to Director Daniel McKiernan by e-mail (marine.fish@mass.gov). For more information, please visit our proposed regulations website (<https://www.mass.gov/info-details/proposed-amendments-to-division-of-marine-fisheries-regulations>).

Pickleball Clinics

The Fairhaven Pickleball Association is holding clinics at Livesey Park on Sat. & Sun., 6/8 & 9, Beginners, 11 a.m.-1 p.m.; Wed., & Thurs., 6/12 & 13, Beginners, 5-7 p.m.; Wed., 6/19, Next Step, 11 a.m.-1 p.m.; Thurs., 6/20, Next Step, 5-7 p.m.

If you are interested, please send a check for \$30 payable Fairhaven Pickleball Association to Dan Ferreira at 12 Grant St., Acushnet, MA 02743. You can also use Venmo. Fairhaven Pickleball Association, if it is your first time phone code is 7190. You can call Dan at 508-728-7190.

HAPPENINGS OVERTOWN

Cleanup

South End NB, HQ at Orpheum Theatre, Rte. 18, So. Water St. Sat., 5/18, 9 am.–noon. Register at <https://operationcleansweep.net//>

Free t-shirts to all volunteers; Gloves and tools provided; Wear closed-toe shoes; Review the safety notes; Walkins Welcome; Free pizza from Dominos; Coffee & Donuts provided by BASK

DAV Clamboil

Second annual clamboil to benefit the New Bedford DAV # 7 (Disabled American Veterans) Regional Chapter. At Danny's Seafood, 574 N. Front St., New Bedford, Mon., 5/20, from 5–8 p.m.

Tickets \$50, available at the Chapter, 19 Willis St., New Bedford. Call 508-992-3766. Includes all-you-can-eat clamboil, door prize. Drawing at end of night, you do not have to be there to win.

YTI Production

THE PLAY THAT GOES WRONG: An unconscious leading lady, a corpse who can't play dead, a ruffled detective, and a word-mangling butler (among others) must battle technical blunders, forgotten lines, and accident-prone scenery in their hilarious quest to arrive in one piece at the final curtain call.

Fri. & Sat., 5/ 17, 18 at 7:30 p.m.; and Sat. & Sun., 5/17, 18 at 2 p.m. at Your Theatre Inc's Steeple Playhouse, 159 William St., NB. Accessible.

Tickets are General Admission \$25; Seniors, Students and Military \$22. Open seating; call 508-993-0772 or email boxoffice@yourtheatre.org.

Family Fest

A day of family-friendly fun and exploration at the annual Family Fest, scheduled for Sat., 5/18, from 10am to 1 pm at the Andrea McCoy Recreation Center, 181 Hillman St., New Bedford.

Presented by PACE Child Care Works, Greater New Bedford Youth Alliance, New Bedford Birth to 3rd Partnership, and New Bedford Parks, Recreation & Beaches, this free event promises a memorable experience for families in the greater New Bedford region, designed to bring families together for a day of enjoyment and to connect them with valuable resources. The event will feature a

diverse range of activities that cater to all ages and interests.

Zoo2You: Get up close and personal with fascinating animals and learn something new about wildlife conservation from staff from the Buttonwood Park Zoo.

Family Yoga: Relax and rejuvenate with family-friendly bilingual yoga sessions by Yoga es Vida, perfect for all skill levels.

Eric Carle Storywalk: Embark on a short family stroll while enjoying the beloved stories of Eric Carle in multiple languages in a unique outdoor setting.

In addition to these activities, attendees can explore a resource fair featuring over 30 organizations, including Mass Audubon, Community Boating Center, Zeiterion Performing Arts Center, and many more.

But that's not all! Family Fest offers a plethora of free activities for families to enjoy together, including:

Big Ryan's Tall Tales: Immerse yourself in the enchanting world of storytelling with captivating tales for all ages.

DJ and Entertainment: Groove to the beats of a live DJ from 3rd Eye and enjoy lively entertainment throughout the day.

Prize Giveaways: Don't miss your chance to win exciting prizes, including gift baskets, games, gift certificates, and passes.

Free admission, and all are welcome to attend. For more information, visit Family Fest 2024 (<https://tinyurl.com/9bbrks8f>). Join us at Family Fest for a day of fun, connection, and community spirit!

Open Studios

Explore and experience artists' studios this spring! Sat., 5/18, 10:00AM – 5:00 PM and Sun., 5/18, 11:00AM – 5:00 PM Hatch Street Studios Spring Open Studios, 88/90 Hatch Street, New Bedford, MA 02745

Hatch Street Spring Open Studios and Sale is a festive annual event where more than 65 creatives open their workspaces, studios, and gallery doors to the public. Resident artists and invited guests show and sell creations inspired by the vibrancy of the spring season. Visitors are invited to tour the artists' studios, watch demonstrations, participate in workshops, listen to

live music, and purchase unique gifts and fine art. Artwork is fresh and wide-ranging including paintings, pottery, prints, photographs, textile art, sculpture, jewelry, fine furniture, crafts, and glass, as well as installation art and live music.

Studios are bright with soaring windows and some of the best views of the river in the area. These are the same spaces where, a hundred years ago, textile workers produced products that enriched the city of New Bedford. Open Studios and Sale is a joyous annual community event that's entertaining and educational for adults and children of all ages. A large elevator with wheelchair access with an experienced operator is available throughout the event.

For more information, visit: <http://www.hatchstreetstudios.com>

Free Open Rehearsal

New Bedford Symphony Orchestra invites you to a free open rehearsal on Fri., 5/17, 4–6:30 p.m., Bronsiegel Auditorium, New Bedford High School, 230 Hathaway Boulevard, New Bedford, featuring The Way of Passion that will be performed on Sat., 5/18, at 7:30 p.m.

Visit <https://nbsymphony.org/>

Stars & Stripes

Join us on Armed Forces Day for a musical salute to the troops. Be transported back to the USO clubs of yesteryear, where servicemen got a ham sandwich, a cup of coffee and a dance with a pretty girl before shipping off to war. Enjoy patriotic songs and dance hall favorites from "Boogie Woogie Bugle Boy" to "God Bless America" to "The Sound of Silence" with a live band and singers... it's an event not to be missed!

Meet the stellar cast of Seaglass Theater Company's Stars & Stripes, A Musical Salute to the Troops, on Sat., 5/18, at 1 & 4 p.m., Gallery X, 169 William St., New Bedford, MA. Starring Marcus Huber, Chris Hunter, Kristin Lawler, Anthony Pilcher, and Kaileigh Riess, with Paul Soper as the Emcee, and Alexander Breault and Patrice Tiedemann.

Tickets are \$25-40. For reservations, visit www.seaglasstheater.com or call 508-951-7187.

HAPPENINGS OTHER LATITUDES

SE Mass Fest Chorus THIS WEEKEND

MUSIC, MUSIC, MUSIC. THIS WEEKEND! Southeastern Massachusetts Festival Chorus – We will “Raise You Up”

At Taunton High School – Saturday, May 18th at 7pm – Sunday, May 19th at 2pm. 100 Voices, 30 piece orchestra from over 44 towns and cities. See our ad on page 14.

Wanderer Model

The Mattapoisett Museum, 5 Church Street invites the public on Sunday, May 19, from 2-4PM to view the Unveiling of the Wanderer Model created by Master model shipbuilder George Lowery. Mr. Lowery will be in attendance and will give a brief presentation about the model and how he built it. The Wanderer model took over 2,000 hours of painstaking labor to complete and is authentic down to the smallest detail. Worth over \$90,000, the Museum is grateful to be able to add it to its collections and to share it with the public. It will be the centerpiece of this summer's exhibit.

In celebration of this event, the Museum will host a group of Sea Shanty Chorus singers who will perform songs that were sung in 1924 at the “Sea Service” on board the Wanderer the day she departed on her last voyage.

Johnny Cash/Free

We are thrilled to announce Matt York will be visiting us at the Mattapoisett Free Public Library, 7 Barstow St., on Saturday, May 4th at 2PM to present *Johnny Cash-Songs and Stories*.

A longtime New England musician/author Matt York will perform the songs of Johnny Cash and tell stories about Cash's career, spanning from his early beginnings in the 1950's to his passing in 2003. York was recently nominated for the Boston Music Award for Best Country Artist and his album *Gently Used* was named one of Patriot Ledger's best albums of 2022. This program is supported in part by a grant from the Mattapoisett Cultural Council, a local agency, which is supported by the Massachusetts Cultural Council, a state agency.

No registration required. All

programs are free and open to the public. Contact Michelle Skaar at mkskaar@sailsinc.org or visit MattapoisettLibrary.org.

Acushnet Library

The following events are being held at the Acushnet Public Library, 232 Middle Road, Acushnet. All events are free and open to the public. Visit <https://acupl.org> or call 508-998-0270.

Monday, 5/20 - Music for a Spring Evening with the Ford Middle School Chorus, 6 pm

Wednesday, 5/22 - Author Talk: Ann B. Parson 6 pm. The Acushnet Public Library welcomes Ann B. Parson to share her latest book *The Birds of Dog: An Historical Novel Based on Mostly True Events*. The *Birds of Dog* opens in the early days of the Boston Society of Natural History and simmers with remarkable lost stories about America's emerging fields of science and its first scientists. Catharine Pickering, a curator's assistant, finds herself increasingly drawn to Nature's treasures, especially birds, and more and more opposed to the “kill-and-collect” methods of hunters.

When she meets James Cutting, a brilliant inventor whose discovery leads to the world's first public aquarium, she finds a kindred soul.

The Boston Society of Natural History eventually evolved into Boston's Museum of Science.

GOP Meeting

The Mattapoisett Republican Party invites everyone interested to join us on Thurs., 5/16, from 6:30–8:30 PM at the Knights of Columbus, 57 Fairhaven Road, Mattapoisett, MA 02739. Our guest speaker this month is Jackie Eckert, spokesperson for the new local organization called Tri Town for Protecting Children. The topic of discussion will be preserving and protecting the innocence of our children in our public schools and in our community. Speaker to begin at 7:00 PM.

There will be light snacks, cash bar and good conversation. Please join us or if you have any questions contact Paul Criscuolo, Chairperson, Mattapoisett Republican Town Committee. PCMattyGOP@proton.me; 82 County Road PMB #17, Mattapoisett,

MA02739. Website: MattapoisettGOP.com or find us on Facebook and Twitter.

Auditions

The Marion Art Center, 80 Pleasant St., Marion, announces open auditions on Sat., 5/18 from 10 a.m.–noon, and Sun., 5/19, from 5–7 p.m. for the August production of *Baskerville: A Sherlock Holmes Mystery*, written by Ken Ludwig and directed by Kate Fishman. Nine performance dates are scheduled August 9-25, 2024.

The MAC Theater is looking for five daring actors to take on multiple (nearly 40 – be brave!) roles. Roles will include the famous Sherlock Holmes, the elementary Watson, and several others both male and female.

To learn more or contact the director for an advance copy of the sides, please visit marionartcenter.org/auditions.

Writers Workshop

Writers Workshop, Redux. Next meeting May 24. This is a place to share ideas and your work, whether you are a writer or just have stories that want to be told. We meet every fourth Friday, from 10:15am until 12:15pm, at the Mattapoisett Library, 7 Barstow Street, Mattapoisett, in the basement Community Room. Bring a piece of writing to share aloud, or just come to listen at first...memoir, poetry, fiction, essay. Bring what moves you. No need to bring copies. Share your voice in a supportive setting. If you have a story inside you, we want to hear. Need more info? Contact artslandlady@gmail.com

Cemetery Open Day

The Crossman Cemetery Open Day, at the intersection of Briggs Road, Kim Drive, and Tickle Road, Westport MA; 10 AM – 12 PMSat., 5/18, (rain date 5/19)

In 2023, the Westport Gravestone Cleaning and Restoration Group cleared the cemetery of chest high thickets, braving orb-weaving spiders, and began to piece together the broken fragments of the gravestones.

Learn more about the history of North Westport and this cemetery and those buried there.

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owned by the Buzzards Bay Coalition.

Allen Decker, Director of Land Protection for the BBC, told the board that the first CR, for Carvalho Woods, was a follow-up from the vote at Town Meeting on 5/4. He said the BBC owns the property and is required by the grant to make it accessible to the public. His request was for the board to authorize the Conservation Commission to hold the CR.

He said the new acquisition is an opportunity to connect the bike path to Indian Rock, from another route. The Carvalho Farm is on Shaw Road and the Shaw Farm Trail borders the property.

He noted that the arrangement is the same as with other properties the town has partnered with the BBC on, such as Salt Winds Reserve on Sciticut Neck Road.

He said most of the six-acre parcel is developable, but the CR will protect it.

The board voted unanimously to sign the CR.

Mr. Decker also asked the board to accept a new CR on the Douglass Farm property, which the BBC acquired in the fall. Mr. Decker noted that an existing CR had originally been owned by the BBC, but had to be reassigned to the town, which happened some months ago, because they cannot own the property and the CR at the same time. That CR is about 16.5 acres.

The new CR, he said, includes the tree farm part of the property and is just under six acres. He said the Douglass family did not restrict that part of the property because they wanted to be able to operate the farm.

The property does have a house, he noted, and that part of the property is not part of the CR.

Mr. Decker told the board that the BBC's goal is to make the property, with the house, some sort of nature center.

He said that part of Sciticut Neck has a lot of protected property, and a lot of that is already accessible.

"What it lacks, essentially, is a front door," said Mr. Decker. "This is an opportunity to do that."

He noted that the six acres could have five houses built on it.

"But that's not going to occur now

The board accepted the donation of a \$5,000 adaptive bike, which will allow children with physical disabilities to ride a bicycle.

down there," he said.

The BBC is holding onto the ability to perform agricultural activities, and may even bring back the Christmas trees, he said. In any case, they want some sort of agriculture.

"This property has phenomenal soil," said Mr. Decker.

The board approved the CR, so that the Conservation Commission will hold two Conservation Restrictions, one is 16.45 acres, the other 5.7 acres, protecting all the open space outside of the house.

The board also approved a number of events/road closures, including the Blessing of the Bikes this Sunday (see page 5); the North Fairhaven Improve-

ment Association's Music Night on 7/21; the NFIA holiday lighting on 12/6; the LCpl Matthew Rodriguez 5K on 10/20; the Buzzards Bay Watershed Ride on 10/6. The board did not vote on the Fairhaven Improvement Association's request for Concerts Under the Stars in July and August because they needed more information. It will be on the next meeting's agenda.

The board did not discuss Broad-based Municipal Goals, which was on the agenda. Ms. Powers said They were still accumulating data. Each board member submitted goals they would like to see the town pursue and ranked them. They will be put into a document and discussed at the next meeting.

At the end of the meeting Board Member Keith Silvia requested that they schedule an executive session because, "One of the Select Board members has privileged information that I think the whole board should have."

In her report, Town Administrator, Angie Lopes Ellison, told the board that the town was in the process of the self-evaluation study for compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act. She said the study will show the vulnerabilities in each building and the town will then be able to apply for grants to work to close the gaps.

Ms. Ellison also said that they present a financial report overview and audit report overview in June. She said that balancing the budget with cuts this year was just a bandaid. With the limitations of Proposition 2 1/2 and the increases in spending, the town is looking at a shortfall for next year and into the future.

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Fairhaven Council on Aging

Social Day Program

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For more information, please call 508-993-9455 and ask for Sally Bourke.

Mall Trips

Reservations accepted for mall trips at beginning the 15th of the prior month. There is a \$6 charge unless otherwise noted. Please bring exact amount. The van leaves the Fairhaven Senior Center promptly at 9:5/22, Plymouth Shopping; 5/29, Wrentham Village; 6/5, Tiverton Casino; 6/12, Hyannis Mall, Trader Joe's, Whole Foods; 6/19, So. Shore Plaza.

Monday Movie Matinee

Free. Mon., 5/20, 1 p.m. If you would like lunch before the movie at 11:30 a.m., please call the center the day before to reserve a meal. \$2 donation towards the meal. The movie is free.

Featuring *The Miracle Club*. Set in 1967, *The Miracle Club* follows the story of three generations of close friends, Lily (Maggie Smith), Eileen (Kathy Bates), and Dolly (Agnes O'Casey) of Ballygar, outside Dublin, who win a pilgrimage to the sacred French town of Lourdes, that place of

miracles that draws millions of visitors each year. Just before their trip, their old friend Chrissie (Laura Linney) arrives in Ballygar for her mother's funeral. The women set out on the journey that they hope will change their lives, with Chrissie, a skeptical traveler, joining in place of her mother. Along the way, old wounds are reopened, forcing the women to confront their pasts even as they travel in search of a miracle.

Wellness Excursion

Borderland State Park, May 23.

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Recipe of the Week

Spicy Salmon Rice Bowls

- 3 Tbsp. low-sodium soy sauce, plus more for drizzling
- 2 Tbsp. rice wine vinegar
- 1 Tbsp. honey
- 1 Tbsp. toasted sesame oil
- 1 Tbsp. grated fresh ginger
- 2 garlic cloves, minced
- 1 1/2 Tbsp. sriracha
- 4 6-ounce skinless salmon fillets
- 1/4 c. mayonnaise
- 3 c. white rice, cooked
- 3 mini cucumbers, thinly sliced
- 1 avocado, sliced
- Sesame seeds, for garnish

Preheat the oven to 425 . Coat a baking sheet with cooking spray. Stir together the soy sauce, vinegar, honey, sesame oil, ginger, garlic and 1 tablespoon sriracha in a small bowl.

Place the salmon on the prepared baking sheet, pat dry with paper towels and brush with the soy sauce mixture. Bake until just cooked through, 10 to 12 minutes.

Meanwhile, combine the remaining 1/2 tablespoon sriracha with the mayonnaise in a small bowl.

Divide rice among bowls. Flake the salmon into chunks and arrange on top of the rice. Top with cucumber slices and avocado and drizzle with soy sauce. Sprinkle with sesame seeds and serve with the spicy mayo.

From thepioneerwoman.com



Dear Frankie

Dance Debacle

Dear Frankie, Miranda, the “it” girl at my doggie daycare, invited me to a party she was giving next month. It took me less than a second to say, “Sounds good to me. Count me in.”

I thought saying something casual like that would make her think I was cool.

I told Humph about the party, and he said, “I hope you know how to dance. Miranda is a great dancer. She always has a DJ who plays Latin music at her parties.”

I thought to myself, how hard could it be to learn a few cha-cha steps? I watched a few YouTube videos on Latin dancing. When I realized they were no help, I asked my sister if she would teach me a few Latin dance steps. She tried, and believe me, so did I, but I am no

dancer for whatever reason.

Now that I have decided not to go to the party, I need to tell Miranda, but I don’t want her to think I’m a loser. I forgot that my family had planned a trip out of town the weekend of the party. I could also call her the day of the party and say I was sick.

Otis

Dear Otis,

Not knowing how to dance, especially to Latin Music, is not a personal flaw. Lots of people can’t dance. Some think they can and make fools of themselves on the dance floor. Better to know your limits. Honesty is the best policy. Lying is not an option.

Tell Miranda that Humph was surprised you were invited because you are not a dancer. Then, see what she says. She might say it is a Latin dance party and didn’t realize you weren’t a dancer. Then tell her you don’t know how to dance and thank her for the invitation.

She might also say Humph was misinformed. Not all of her parties

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NALC food drive nets 4680 pounds

By Beth David
Editor

The annual food drive by the National Association of Letter Carriers held on 5/11/24 netted 4,680 pounds in Fairhaven. All donations went to the Shepherd's Pantry in Acushnet.

Pantry director Gerry Payette said the total was about average when compared to recent years. Donations have been down as a whole he said, in recent years.

"It's all food we didn't have before," said Mr. Payette. He thanked the volunteers and said the letter carriers worked hard.

Mr. Payette noted that collecting the food and getting it to the pantry was just step one. Next, each food

needs to be checked to make sure it is not expired. Then it needs to be sorted and bagged for distribution.

The pantry distributes food on Saturday mornings from 9 to 11 a.m., 1215 Main Street, Acushnet, at the Long Plain United Methodist Church.

It is staffed completely by volunteers. If you would like to donate your time as a volunteer, you can call the pantry at 508-763-9289. If you would like to donate funds, send to P.O. 760, Fairhaven, MA 02719. There is a bin at the Millicent Library (Walnut Street entrance) and at Stop & Shop in Fairhaven, to drop off food.

The NALC Food Drive started more than 30 years ago. Since it began, the food drive has collected approximately 1.9 billion pounds of food for

those in need.

Each year, letter carriers across the country head out on their routes on the second Saturday in May to collect donations of non-perishable food items to benefit local food pantries.

USPS patrons are asked to leave the food in or by their mailboxes for pickup by their regular letter carriers. Since launching in 1993, the National Association of Letter Carriers' annual Stamp Out Hunger Food Drive has grown into the nation's largest one-day food drive, helping to fill the shelves of food banks in cities and towns throughout the United States.

Learn more at <https://www.nalc.org/community-service/food-drive>



ABOVE LEFT: Sarah Ryle takes boxes of food from a Post Office truck to make its way to the Shepherd's Pantry food pantry in Acushnet, during the annual Stamp Out Hunger campaign by the National Association of Letter Carriers, on 5/11/24. MIDDLE: Don Ryle hands a box to Gerry Payette. ABOVE RIGHT: A letter carrier hands a box of food to Gerry Payette. BELOW LEFT: Bob Bouchard (TOP) gets ready to slide a box of food down the makeshift ramp for Mike Thomas to guide onto a table. BELOW RIGHT: Food is beginning to pile up. Photos by Beth David.



Ribbon cutting officially opens Nasketucket Bay Vineyard

By Beth David
Editor

Peace, love, vino! What more can one ask of life? How about some sunshine, a place to kick back with that wine, and maybe a little music and food, too? That's what Nasketucket Bay Vineyard, 237 New Boston Road, Fairhaven, offers this summer.

Owner Nick Christy, Marketing Manager and chief bottle washer, Angelique "Angel" Castriano; and Tasting Room Server, Russ, welcomed members of the Fairhaven Select Board and Economic Development Committee for a ribbon cutting on Friday, 5/10/24.

"We are very excited...to have this wonderful business in our town," said EDC chairperson Cathy Melanson, and encouraged everyone to visit.

Select Board chairperson Stasia Powers said encouraging new businesses is a "real priority" for the SB. She encouraged everyone to visit the beautiful spot.

"They've done an amazing job," said Ms. Powers.

"We really appreciate the support from the town," said Ms. Castriano,

adding it was "daunting," and they learned a lot along the way. "You don't know what you don't know."

She said when in doubt, they went with their gut. They love good food, good wine, and, being musicians, a good space.

"It's been really gratifying," said Mr. Christy, noting that they have actually been open for about a month.

He said people love the wine and the spot.

The main tasting room features several areas with cozy seating for sipping wine and munching on gourmet foods. Outside, a seating area allows for dining and enjoying a large fireplace.

While the back of the property is all vineyard, the front has an orchard with cherry, pear, apple, plum and peach trees. Look for future wine offerings, and more, that use those fruits.

The vineyard also has a store featuring gourmet specialty foods, locally sourced cheeses, meats and handmade sweet treats to complement the wine.

The vineyard is open Thursday



through Sunday starting at 11 a.m., and features live music on Sundays, 2-5 p.m.; food truck Friday through Sunday; Fido Fridays starting at 1:30 p.m., when you can bring your well-behaved, leashed dog. Other special events include maker sessions. For details on upcoming events and to learn more about the vineyard, visit <https://peacelovevino.net>, email info@peacelovevino.net, or call 774-425-2123.



TOP: Nasketucket Bay Vineyard owner, Nick, and Marketing Director, Angel, pose for the local free sheet in the tasting room during the official ribbon cutting at the Fairhaven vineyard on 5/10/24. ABOVE LEFT: Angel and Nick (CENTER), and members of the Fairhaven Select Board and Economic Development Committee celebrate after Angel and Nick cut the ribbon ABOVE RIGHT: Tasting Room Server, Russ, discusses wine choices with Fairhaven town officials. LEFT: The large outdoor fireplace with cushioned seating creates a welcoming spot. RIGHT: The archway at the entrance to the tasting barn walkway welcomes visitors.

Photos by Beth David.



Acushnet election is Saturday

By Beth David
Editor

Acushnet's elections will be held on Saturday, 5/18/24, from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m., the shorter hour reflecting that there are no contested races on the ballot. All precincts vote at Acushnet Elementary School, 800 Middle Road. Voters will vote on all townwide offices.

Longtime Selectboard member Kevin Gaspar is running for re-election to his seat; and long time School Committee member John

Howcroft will also be on the ballot for his seat.

Other races are: Assessor, with Francis Mello running for one seat; Board of Health with incumbent David Davignon on the ballot; Commissioner of Trust Funds with Tommy Lipsitt running for a full term, and a vacant, unexpired term also on the ballot; Planning Commissioner, with incumbent Richard Ellis running for a full term, and a vacant, unexpired term also on the ballot; Cemetery

Board, with incumbent Paul Fortin running for his seat; Library Trustee, with two seats up, and two candidates, Jennifer Alves and Diane Ferreira; Park Commissioner, with incumbent Chad Leclair running for re-election; and incumbent Andrew Gomes running for his seat on the Housing Authority.

If you have any questions about the election or your voting status, contact the town clerk's office at 508-998-0215.



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Acushnet Zoning Board of Appeals

The Zoning Board of Appeals is hereby giving notice that a meeting will be held by the Board on Tuesday, May 28th, at 6:30 P.M. in the Selectmen's Meeting Room located at 122 Main Street. The following hearing will be heard.

1. **Case #2024.05.28A** A case of Wendy and Alexander Barros, of 23 Morse's Lane, who are petitioning the Board to convert a one-family house to a two-family

dwelling on a lot with minimum 30,000 square foot area. This request is being made under the provisions of Section 3.3.4.B.5.

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CONDEMNATION HEARING

6 EVERGREEN STREET FAIRHAVEN, MA 02719
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have dancing — the party you are invited to is a dinner party with games afterward. It is always best to have your facts straight before deciding on a course of action.

Best, Frankie

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Comments and letters can be sent to Frankie at dearfrankiecolumn@gmail.com. The Fairhaven Neighborhood News publishes the Dear Frankie column. To receive a free online subscription, readers can email neighbnews@comcast.net, request their name be added to the email list or visit www.neighbnews.com to read the paper online or to download the latest issue.

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Upcoming Meetings

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Board of Public Works

Mon., 5/20, Arsene St., 6 p.m.

Broadband Study Comm

Thurs., 5/16, Remote, 7:30 p.m.

Conservation Commission

Mon., 6/3, Town Hall, 6 p.m.

Cultural Council

Wed., 5/29, Town Hall, 6:30 p.m.

Economic Development

Thurs., 5/16, Town Hall, 6:30 p.m.

Livable Streets Comm

Thurs., 5/16, Remote, 6:30 p.m.

School Committee

Wed., 5/22, Media Ctr/Lib., 6:30 p.m.

Select Board

Tues., 5/28, Town Hall, 6:30 p.m.

Acushnet ELECTION

Sat. 5/18, Acushnet Elementary School/all precincts, 8 a.m.–6 p.m.

Board of Appeals

Tues., 5/28, Town Hall, 6:30 p.m.

Historical Commission

Tues., 5/14, Town Hall, 6:30 p.m.

Selectboard

Tues. 5/21, Town Hall, 4 p.m.

TIDE TABLE

US Army Corps of Engineers, Cape Cod Canal/Piney Point

	May 2024	HIGH		LOW	
		a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.
Thursday	16	0308	1542	1036	2320
Friday	17	0403	1639	1124	---
Saturday	18	0503	1733	0009	1147
Sunday	19	0556	1818	0047	1126
Monday	20	0638	1856	0109	1153
Tuesday	21	0716	1932	0055	1224
Wednesday	22	0753	2009	0116	1258
Thursday	23	0833	2050	0149	1336
Friday	24	0916	2134	0231	1421
Saturday	25	1001	2220	0316	1511
Sunday	26	1048	2308	0400	1559
Monday	27	1139	---	0442*	1647
Tuesday	28	0000	1236	0527*	1738
Wednesday	29	0059	1336	0620	1844
Thursday	30	0157	1433	0727	2006
Friday	31	0254	1529	0834	2121

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