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Services will be available in person and livestreamed on Facebook every Sunday morning at 9:30. If you are unable to join us at that time, the recorded service will remain on Facebook for you to watch at your convenience. Just look for Wayne Community Church on Facebook or go to www.wayneumc.com to find the link. On the church website, you can also listen to our sermon podcast, check out the Worship Duty Schedule, as well as find

THE WAYNE MESSENGER

Carol Steck, Editor

Dec. Messenger news is due by 5 pm,
Nov. 15th at editorwcc@gmail.com.

WAYNE MAINE EVENTS CALENDAR

All in one event platform designed to strengthen and connect our community. **SEARCH** for an event or **SUBMIT** an event with the click of a button.

Check back often,
there's always something new!

www.waynemaineevents.com



Dear Friends and Neighbors,

Do you ever find yourself taking simple things for granted? You might have heard that Dan and I recently returned from a one-week trip to the four corners states (New Mexico, Arizona, Utah, and Colorado). We hiked our way through 5 national parks, one national monument and visited the Four Corners Monument which is located within the borders of Navajo Nation. We spent the week “oohing” and “ahhhing” over the beauty and diversity of nature in that area of the world only to return to Maine at the peak of our leaf-peeping season. Now, it’s not like I don’t notice the beauty in the colors of the leaves this time each year, but I do certainly take it for granted. I expect there to be fiery oranges and deep merlots; multi-colored leaves with a little green, a patch of yellow and peachy tips. What would I do if Mother Nature decided NOT to show off every autumn in Maine?!

Often, we find ourselves taking the people who are closest to us for granted as well. That simply makes us human. Maybe they are the people who raised us – who we saw day in and day out for at least 18 years of our lives. Maybe they are our neighbors who let us know when our teenagers were causing mischief or watched our pets while we were away on vacation. Maybe we take our kids for granted, forgetting that they will not always want that snuggle in front of the tv or the backrub and story before bed. Maybe we take our spouses or partners for granted, trusting that they will always be there when we need them and that they will always forgive our bad habits and behaviors. Why is it so easy to focus on their flaws and mistakes and so easy to forget the simple, thoughtful gestures of love and care?

November 6 this year is All Saints Sunday. It’s a time for us to remember those who have left us in this life. And honoring them is an important part of the grieving and healing process because it gives us the intentional opportunity to remember all those dear little moments. Over the last two years, we have not had that chance as a community to celebrate the lives of many who meant so much to us. For a whole host of reasons, health and safety being at the forefront, we have had to mourn neighbors and friends on our own. We haven’t had the chance to make up for all the times we took them for granted and really celebrate the impact they had on our lives. Wayne Community Church wants to invite all our friends and neighbors, in person or on Facebook Live, for a special All Saints Celebration of Life service. Be sure to call Hannah at the church office (207-685-3505) to get your loved one’s name on the list and then be prepared to bring a token of remembrance with you, perhaps be ready to share a sentence or two about the person you would like to honor, and we will sing our gratitude to God for giving us such precious gifts.

My hope and prayer for us this season is that we all take a moment to give thanks to God for those people and places in our lives that we take for granted AND take a moment to show that love and gratitude to those people and to our Mother Earth. O come, let us sing to the LORD;

let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!

Let us come into [God’s] presence with thanksgiving;

let us make a joyful noise to [God] with songs of praise! Psalm 95: 1-2

In deepest gratitude for you,
Rev. Angela



CHURCH CALENDAR

(Hybrid meetings are held in Fellowship Hall and simultaneously on ZOOM.)

- 11/02 7:00 pm – Finance (hybrid)
- 11/03 5:30 pm – Trustees (hybrid)
6:30 pm – Choir (sanctuary)
- 11/06 9:30 am – All Saints Sunday Celebration
Daylight Savings Time ends
- 11/08 Election Day!
- 11/09 6:30 pm – Bishop Day on the District, Pleasant Street
UMC, Waterville
- 11/10 6:30 pm – Choir (sanctuary)
- 11/17 6:30 pm – Choir (sanctuary)
- 11/20 9:30 am – Thanksgiving Sunday
4:00 pm – SPRC meets with DS Rev. Arlene Tully
5:00 pm – Church Conference (sanctuary)
- 11/23 Trustees Bake Sale
- 11/24 Thanksgiving Day
- 11/27 9:30am – First Sunday of Advent

WAYNE COMMUNITY CHURCH ANNUAL SCHOLARSHIP

Those students in their second year of a higher education program may apply for the Wayne Community Church Annual Scholarship, in memory of Perry A. Pettengill, Peter Mercier, C. Robert and Marylin Foster, T. Douglas O. Stevenson, Lila and Waldo “Tink” Lincoln, Honor O. and Eleazer “Lee” Williams, Muriel Nurdin, Arline Lovejoy, Richard W. and Elinor H. Ault, Ann C. Fossett and Richard A. Lincoln. Applications must be returned to the church by December 1, 2022. This scholarship will be awarded at the end of December or early in January. To receive information, forms, and instructions to apply for this scholarship, please contact the church office at 685-3505 or wayneumc@roadrunner.com.

DUTY SCHEDULE

- 11/6 **Liturgist:** Margaret Lane; **Usher:** Lloyd Irland; **Greeter:** Holly Stevenson ; **Flowers:** Holly Stevenson
- 11/13 **Liturgist:** Paul Bright; **Usher:** Doug Stevenson; **Greeter:** Rita Bright; **Flowers:** Amy Black
- 11/20 **Liturgist:** Wendy Allen; **Usher & Greeter:** Anna & Perry Ryerson; **Altar arrangement:** Christina Rao
- 11/27 **Liturgist:** Barb Rothe; **Usher:** Sid Rao; **Greeter:** Kim King; **Flowers:** Hazel Stevenson

Thanksgiving Baskets / Food Needed

The Wayne church will be continuing our tradition of offering Thanksgiving food baskets to community members who would appreciate help feeding their families.

Please call Hannah at the church office (685-3505), if you can use help or know someone who does. All requests will be confidential. We will also be donating food items to the Maranacook Community School food pantry.

If you can donate items, please bring your non-perishable donations to the gray “wish box” on the church vestry steps. We will put the box out on November 1 and it will remain outside the sanctuary doors until November 20. Donations of food will be blessed at our church service on that date. Either Hannah or Rev. Angela will empty the wish box each day. If you wish to donate a turkey, please call Hannah @ 685-3505. Please be sure items are not outdated.

Thank you for your generosity.

Joan Sandidge and Sue Spalding
Missions and Outreach

November

Birthdays & Anniversaries

December

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|-----------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| 2--Kevin Wellenius | 15--Lisa Lincoln | 1--Diana Snow | 10--Woody Thompson | 26--Debbie Buzzell |
| 3--Cheryl Wheeler | 15--Leo Behrendt | 2- Rev. Angela Rotherham | 12--Lisa Van Cott | 27--Eric Gardner |
| 3--Nancy Smith | 15--Anna Ryerson | 2--Taylor Stevenson | 12--Lynn Murray | 27--W.A.P. John |
| 3--Nancy Lyman | 15--Perry Ryerson | 3--Frank Smith | 12--Bill Moore | 27--Bill Branagan |
| 4--Lloyd Irland | 17--Rich Rothe | 3--Rich Harding | 12--Mark Lindberg | 27--Joseph Bauer IV |
| 5--Peter Castonguay | 19--Amy Black | 4--Joseph Bauer, Jr. | 13--Ed Jackson | 30--Buddy Seymour |
| 5--Matt Crane | 19--Martha Hoddinott | 4--Greg Black | 13--Karen Bryant | 30--Margaret Lane |
| 6--Misty Favreau | 20 - Ken Gould | 4--Ken Foss | 13--Kim King | 31--Julie Ritter |
| 7--Joan Stiehler | 20--Jim Perkins | 5--Larry Fossett | 18--Joshua Penrod | 31--Dallas Folk |
| 9--Jan Folk | 21--Muffy Ireland | 5--Lou-Anne Parker | 19--Tena Hinds | 31--Connie Irland |
| 9--Laura Smith | 21--Susan Banden | 6--Tom Fylstra | 20--Ken Martin | 31--Thomas Snow |
| 10--Kathryn Soderberg | 21--Jason Stevenson | 7--Rita Bright | 21--Gladys Harding | 31--Mark St. John |
| 11--Chris Ireland | 22--Laurie Lambertson | 7--Donald Welsh | 23--Holly Stevenson | |
| 11--Julie Lyn Baker | 22--Robbin Mullen | 8--Margot Gyorgy | 24--Dennis Farnham | |
| 12--Mike Murray | 23--Jerry Freeman | 8--Gary Kenny | 25--Deric Tripp | |
| 15--Paul Bright | 25--Patrick Mullen | 10--Neetie Lovejoy | 25--Chase Morrill | |
| 15--Fred Hurley | 25--Susan Webbert | 10--Paula Norton | 25--Brian Cook | |
| 15--Ed Larson | 28--Bryan Laliberty | 10--John Harris | 25--Jay Franzel | |

- 22--Josh & Becca Reynolds (26 years)
- 28--Michael & Karen Kaberle (54 years)

Have a
WONDER-FILLED
Celebration

- 13-- Bernard & Callie Cambell(23 years)
- 14--Dan and Rev. Angela Rotherham (7 years)
- 19-- Mike & Carol Ladd (45 years)
- 22--Greg & Rachel Jellison (19 years)
- 28-- Rob & Denise Boothby (14 years))



CHURCH NEWS

2022 POINSETTIA ORDER FORM—to purchase for yourself/friend, OR to donate to the church for arranging around the altar during Advent. This church fundraiser, led by Holly Stevenson and Hannah Faulkner, offers top quality plants from Longfellow's Greenhouses. Please use the order form below. Feel free to call Holly at 685-9005 with questions, or if you believe you can't meet the deadline of **Thursday, November 3**.

If you are local, the church office door has a mail slot where you can drop off your order form and check. Easy pick-up at the church, **Saturday, December 3**, between 11 a.m. and noon, or **Sunday, December 4** after church (about 10:30 a.m.) or call 685-9005 to arrange another time. We thank you for your support.

ORDER FORM

I am donating plants for the Sanctuary _____ (Your donation will be acknowledged in the Messenger, unless you advise us otherwise)

OR

I will pick up my plants _____.

I want to order:

6 ½" pots (5-7 blooms) \$13.00 each

Please indicate how many of each you are ordering.

red _____ white _____ pink _____

7" pots (10-14 blooms) \$19.00 each

red _____ white _____ pink _____



Please attach a check to Wayne Community Church, with the word "Poinsettias" in the memo space. Mail to POB 300 Wayne ME 04284

TOWN NEWS

Friendly, reminder the Town Office hours of operation are Tuesday through Friday from 9 AM to 5 PM.

The Town Office will be moving temporarily to the North Wayne Fire Station at 14 Kents Hill Road this month. Town Staff is trying to minimize the disruption in Town Office operations by doing the move on the weekend. Stay tuned for more information.

Reminder, the filing deadline is December 1, 2022, for Property Tax Stabilization Program, which is a state program that allows certain senior-citizen residents to stabilize, or freeze, the property taxes on their homestead. As long as you qualify and file a timely application each year, the tax billed to you for your homestead will be frozen at the amount you were billed in the prior tax year. Eligible residents who move may transfer the fixed tax amount to a new homestead, even if that new homestead is in a different Maine municipality. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact the Town Office and/or visit <https://www.maine.gov/revenue/taxes/tax-relief-credits-programs/property-tax-relief-programs/stabilization-program>

This month the **Selectboard** will be meeting on **November 1** and **November 15** at **6:30 PM** at Ladd Recreation Center and remote.

This month the **Conservation Commission** will be meeting on **November 2** at **5:30 PM** at Cary Memorial Library.

This month the **Planning Board** will be meeting on **November 3** at **6:30 PM** at Ladd Recreation Center.

Absentee ballots will be available in October for the **General Election on Tuesday, November 8, 2022**, at the Ladd Recreation Center; the polls will be open from 8:00 AM to 8:00 PM. If you cannot attend the polls you may vote by absentee ballot by calling or visiting the Town Office or going online at: <https://www1.maine.gov/cgi-bin/online/AbsenteeBallot/index.pl>

In observance of **Veterans Day, Friday, November 11, 2022**, the Town Offices will be closed.

The Town's **Assessor Agent** Matt Caldwell from RJD Appraisal will be available by appointment on **Wednesday, November 16, 2022**, from **8:00 AM** to **3:00 PM** to answer any questions you might have about your assessment or tax bill. To schedule an appointment, please hesitate to contact the Town Office at (207) 685-4983.

Dog tags are available. Contact the Town Office for details. For busy residents on the go, who cannot make it to the Town Office to register their dog. You may go online to register your dog. Go to our website: www.waynemaine.org, click on: "Online Services", then click on: dog image with the caption "Online Dog Licensing."

In observation of the **Thanksgiving Day holiday**, the following closures will take place. The Town Office will be open during regularly scheduled hours on Wednesday, November 23, 2022. The Town Office and Transfer Station will be closed on **Thursday, November 24, 2022**, and **Friday, November 25, 2022**. The Transfer Station will re-open on Saturday, November 26, 2022, during our regularly scheduled hours. The Town Office will re-open on Tuesday, November 29, 2022, during our regularly scheduled hours.

Transfer Station Update

You may not know there are a number of companies utilized to remove everything disposed of at the Readfield Transfer Station as needed. Most of these vendors charge fees for their services. That's why customers need to pay for certain items brought in, including construction debris, furniture, mattresses, TVs, computers and refrigerators, to name a few.

Recently, the vendors have had to increase their fees to keep pace with operational costs such as fuel, labor and overall inflation. What this means to residents is that the costs to operate the Readfield Transfer Station have increased.

The current fee schedule has been in effect since 2016. Simply put, these fees no longer cover the vendor removal costs. As a result, a new fee schedule with increased prices will be implemented on January 1, 2023.

Residents of Fayette, Wayne and Readfield will not be individually charged for household trash, recycling, brush, metal, batteries or compost. Your taxes already pay for disposing of these items and will continue to do so.

“Books are a uniquely portable magic.” – Stephen King



Hours Effective Nov 1, 2022

Monday: 9-1
 Tuesday: 3-5
 Wednesday: 1-6 (note change)
 Thursday: 3-5
 Saturday: 9-3

New Books:

Fiction: Endless Summer (Hildebrand); Our Missing Hearts (Ng); Long Shadows (Baldacci); Mad Honey (Piccolotto); Maze (DeMille); Righteous Prey (Sandford); Desperation on Death (Robb); Night of the Living Rez (Talty); The Winners (Backman); Carrie Soto is Back (Reid); Treasure State (Box); Shrines of Gaiety (Atkinson); Fall Guy (Mayor); Lucy by the Sea (Strout); The Bullet That Missed (Osman); The Suspect (Turow); and more.

Non-Fiction: Broken Horses: A Memoir (Carlisle); Life on the Mississippi (Buck); Dinners with Ruth (Totenberg); Growing Under Cover (Jabbour) and more

Brown Bag Book Discussion: Monday, Nov. 14, 1:15. We will be discussing Downeast: Five Maine Girls and the Unseen Story of Rural America by Gigi Georges. All Welcome. In person, at the library.

2023 Loon Calendars: We are excited to be selling 2023 Loon Calendars. Sending a big thank you to Lauren and Michael O'Malley, who photographed these gorgeous birds on Pocasset this summer and then created calendars to use as a library fundraiser. Calendars will be 12.00 each or 2 for 20.00. Thank you Lauren and Michael for this generous donation. If you need yours mailed and will cover the postage, we are happy to arrange that. Connect with Janet.

Drop-in Story & Social Time For Kids: Mondays 9:30 am -10:30 am and Wednesdays 4:00-5:00 pm

Holiday Hours: The library will close at 5 pm on the evening before Thanksgiving, and will be closed on Thanksgiving, Nov. 24.



Quilt Tickets are available in person or via email or snail mail. 2.00/each or 3 for 5.00. Tickets will be sold until 1 pm on First Stroll Saturday, Dec. 3.

AND

**Friends of the Library Fall Homemade Soup Sale
 Saturday, Nov. 12, 10 am - Noon (or Sold Out) at the Williams House**

Warm up with delicious homemade soups made by FOL members. Choose from 8+ soups including: Curried Squash (Vegetarian) Seafood Chowder, Potato and Leek (GF & Vegetarian), Italian Wedding Soup, Broccoli Cheddar, Beef Chili, Leek/Lentil/Kielbasa and several more. **Sold in To-Go** containers (16 oz and 32 oz) including oyster crackers and a side of delicious homemade bread or dinner roll. **6.00/12.00** Proceeds from the sale benefit the Friends of the Library. Hope to see you on Nov.12. (Please note: this is a to-go sale. We will not be set up for indoor dining.)

FOL Holiday Pop-Up Sale Happening in December: The Friends will have a pop-up holiday sale (like the past two years) at the library during December. Small homemade gifts will be available in a changing display, donated by members. Be sure to stop by.



FIRST SATURDAY at the Cary Library's Williams House November 5, 9 am until noon. Come by for coffee and conversation, catching up with friends and maybe making some new ones. Enjoy the delicious baked goods that our talented, dedicated, generous bakers provide such as scones and quiche.

Shop our many new items, some of which arrived in original packaging. We have unique gifts for the holidays and Christmas decorations, Christmas books, tablecloths, glass and dinnerware, art, interesting frames, and jewelry. Drop in: First Saturday 11/05/22.

The Alice Room will be open.





Please join us for our annual **Holiday Stroll**

Several businesses will be hosting artisans and crafters, the Church, Library and Williams House will have special offerings on Saturday, Sparky will be at the Fire Station with special treats, and there will be a horse drawn wagon at Cobbie's on Saturday giving rides from 11-2, taking you to the center of the village where you can stop, shop, and enjoy lunch at Tubby's, Wayne General Store, Church luncheon, and we will have a Food Truck! Our cardboard snow person contest will be on display at the Market Village Green on Main Street (start constructing!!) and we hope you will participate in "Sparkle up Wayne" again this year, decorating your homes and business with lots of Christmas lights! We will end the weekend in Memorial Park with Santa, caroling and treats provided by A Small Town Bakery. We hope to make this a special weekend for all!

2022 **Holiday Stroll** Vendors

Wayne Village Pottery & Guests (SATURDAY/SUNDAY)

540 Main Street

- Pickles Potions & Lotions S'Mittens
- Milkweed Pottery Cindy Townsend Nutrition
- Maine Fly Fishing Guide – Jeff Ireland

Good Post Refill Shop & Guests (SATURDAY/SUNDAY)

508 Main Street

- Birtwell Farm Goods PT Designs
- Moonglow Lavender (products available)
- Wrap Me Up Beeswax wraps (products available)

Grey Goose Gourmet Culinary Open House & Guests (SATURDAY/SUNDAY)

536 Main Street

- The French Confection Sgraffito Studios
- Bragg's Maple Products More than a Cookie
- Cosmic Goat Creamery Root Fire Farm w/ Coffee

Tubby's Ice Cream, Gift Shop & Guests (SATURDAY/SUNDAY)

512 Main Street

- LOBSTER STEW and more..
- Wayne T-Shirts, Sweatshirts, Souvenirs & Gifts
- Tuck's Toys Ollie Likes it!!! All natural homemade dog treats

A Lakeside Studio Pottery & Guests (SATURDAY/SUNDAY)

12 Cedar Point Road

- Farm meets Lake knit goods KLT Trail maps/Guides

Wayne Fire Department & Guests (SATURDAY/SUNDAY)

486 Main Street

- 30 Mile Snowmobile Club Raffle
- Wayne Home & School Association Fundraiser (soups, stews) SAT ONLY
- Sparky w/ treats

Geez Louise, That's a Wrap Food Truck (SATURDAY/SUNDAY)

Parked on Main Street

- Wraps Dough Boys Chicken Wings and much more!!!

"CHRISTMAS CAROLING AND SANTA"

Sunday 12/04/22 in Memorial Park

Santa will make his arrival at 3:30 pm

Christmas Caroling at 4:00 pm

Bring the kids and gather around the Christmas tree, singing, visiting with Santa while sipping on Hot Chocolate and enjoying treats provided by A Small Town Bakery!!! This will be a great way to end a wonderful weekend!!

Wayne General Store and A Small Town Bakery & Guests (SATURDAY/SUNDAY)

506 Main Street

- The Blue Collar Painter Hazel Hill Orchards
- Peg's Kitchen Broad Cove Woodworking
- Beech Hill Design Imperfect Perfections-Fused Glass
- Body by Design Massage Upcycled Gifts
- Deborah Emery, Children's Book Author
- Amy Cushman Black w/ Handmade Christmas Stockings

Cobbie's Corner Store (SATURDAY/SUNDAY)

672 Main Street

- Horse Drawn Wagon Rides on SATURDAY from 11-2
- In-Store Specials, Fuel and more...

Wayne Community Church & Guests (SATURDAY ONLY)

22 Old Winthrop Road

- Soups, Chili & Drinks Local Cookbook RADA Cutlery
- Tigress Training Trish Hanley Goodwin w/ Information and Demonstrations
- Nancy Martin Yoga w/ Demonstrations
- Karen Toothaker, Book Author
- Froggy Meadow Friends- Ceramic sculptures

William's House (SATURDAY ONLY)

14 Old Winthrop Road

- Brunch Vintage, new and unique boutique items
- Gently used books with Children's section
- The delightful Alice in Wonderland room will be open

Cary Memorial Library (SATURDAY ONLY)

17 Old Winthrop Road

- Friends of the Library Quilt Raffle -SATURDAY AT 1:00
- Make sure you buy your Raffle ticket!!
- Take and Make Children's craft

"SNOWPERSON CONTEST"

Create a cardboard snowperson to be displayed at the Wayne Farmer's Market location for all to see during the stroll weekend! Open to all ages. Sign up through Linda Gatti-Fyler by emailing lgfyler@gmail.com

"SPARKLE UP WAYNE"

Join the festivities decorating and stringing Christmas lights at your homes and businesses!

THANK YOU FOR ALL YOUR SUPPORT

While supporting small businesses, you're also supporting our Local Community!! Please try and stop by our neighboring towns while you are at our Holiday Stroll.



Sponsored by Sustain Wayne



The Watson's of ROOT FIRE FARM



We are Root Fire Farm, also known as the Watson family. John, Emily, our girls Maggie, Phoebe and our dogs Bailey and Bodhi. John, Emily and the dogs have moved around here, there and everywhere, adventured high and low, and moved back to Maine to lay roots almost five years ago. Since that time we have been able to establish a thriving vegetable farm and start roasting small-batch coffee.

John and I have often used the analogy of roots and wings to summarize our strengths and our differences. John has always come alive when he gets to play in the earth, cook a meal, and create a beautiful space around him. Sowing seeds, and laying roots, fuels him. I, on the other hand, have always needed a taller glass of water to quench my thirst. Putting my hands in the dirt fills me on one side and quiets my mind, but I've always had a fire, a restlessness that is only satiated when I can see a new part of the world or climb a new mountain.

We wanted that balance to be represented in our farm; dig deep but never stop looking up, settle in but always stay curious, feel sturdy on the earth but jump when life gives you wings, and no matter where you are never stop growing. And thus emerged 'Root Fire Farm'.

This is how we want to live, how we want to raise our girls and how we want to serve our community. Our vision is to create a space that will be welcoming to all, provide opportunities for the community and local farm enthusiasts, and cultivate ideas that can help move us forward together. Three years ago, we started building our farm's infrastructure, soil health, and setting our goals. In 2021 we teamed up with Freckles Salvage Company (Winthrop) at their monthly Vintage sale (the Vault) and hosted a pop-up Farmer's Market. In 2022 that market evolved into a multi-vendor market and an outdoor cafe' where we served up our fresh roasted coffee in all sorts of fancy ways.

We are currently evaluating our sales outlets for the 2023 farming season, but we will have freshly roasted coffee available year-round! Our coffee is available in whole bean or pre-ground bags and can be purchased at the upcoming Wayne Holiday Stroll. You can also find us on Saturdays at the monthly Vault Vintage Market in Winthrop, or you can reach out to us directly by email or Instagram to place an order.

We are so lucky to be part of this community!

John and Emily Watson
Rootfirefarm@gmail.com
Instagram @root_fire_farm



Beloved former long-time Wayne resident Jackie Hanley (81 years old) was recently literally in the eye of Hurricane Ian and is suffering serious distress in its aftermath. Although she was able to safely shelter nearby during the hit, her home in North Fort Myers was severely damaged by the storm surge, which brought 15 inches of flood water into her house. As her home is not in a flood zone, she had hurricane insurance but no flood coverage from surges. Her house is presently uninhabitable, all flooring/carpeting and most of her furniture had to be removed/discarded along with some appliances, as well as 2 feet of perimeter drywall/insulation cut out for mold mitigation. Her FEMA assistance application has been filed and is pending. She has places to stay temporarily with friends and relatives in FL while awaiting feasible restorations to her home. The next steps include preparation for flooring and new walls, painting, cabinetry, and furniture/appliance replacements. Total restoration costs are estimated at >\$50,000. This will be a long process, with her children, Trish, Mary, and Joe, coordinating and facilitating remotely and making trips. They are so fortunate to have other extended family and friends in FL doing a lot to help to stabilize the situation and support Jackie in being able to return to her home and wellbeing.



Members of our Wayne Community have expressed interest in helping Jackie. If you would like to contribute financially to this private fundraising campaign, we have set up a separate account to receive donations and track expenses. Jackie and family profusely thank you for your consideration of the below listed options:

1. Cards (with checks enclosed, optionally) can be sent to Jackie's mailing address: **5640 Long Leaf Drive, North Fort Myers, FL 33917.**
2. Donation boxes are set up at both **A Small Town Bakery** (Wayne General Store) and **Cobbie's.**
3. You can find Jackie Hanley on **Venmo** (look for her picture on profile, which is also linked to her phone number and email below).
4. Alternatively, contact daughter Trish Hanley-Goodwin (local Wayne resident) at 207.441.5641 to make a private cash or check donation to be directly deposited to her FL account.
5. Jackie can be reached at **239.731.8367** or jackiehanley80@icloud.com and would greatly benefit from any encouraging words and moral support.

AAH Hours
Tuesday 9:00 am - 1:00 pm
Wednesday 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Friday 9:00 am - 12:30 pm



Dear Friends,
I hope this newsletter finds you safe and well. The AAH Center located at the Methodist Church on Old Winthrop Road is providing wonderful opportunities for folks to get together. I hope to see you there soon.
Pam Chenea, our AAH coordinator is recovering quickly from her recent knee replacement surgery. She hopes to be back within the next couple weeks.
My best always,
 Deborah Emery, Interim Coordinator
 207-592-9421

Here are some of the activities at the Center:

Tuesday 9-12
 Come talk with others in our beautiful center, furnished with comfortable seating. The coffee and snacks are always ready. Some folks are bringing handwork, knitting or sewing while others come to chat. This passed week, one of our folks brought some amazing antique coins from England. What a treat to learn about all the coin values and see the various sizes.

Tuesday 10:30
 Anyone interested in meeting for a 30 minute walk around town, please come to the Center parking lot. As long as the weather cooperates, folks will be walking.

Wednesday 1:00-4:00
 Do you like to play bridge? Each Wednesday, folks gather to play. Please call Joan Sandidge 207-303-5521 to reserve your place. Everyone is welcome. Refreshments are available.

2nd and 4th Thursdays 11:00
 Everyone is welcome to join the group going to the Cohen Center on Town Farm Road in Hallowell for lunch. Carpools will meet in the Church parking lot. The cost is a recommended \$5 donation.

Friday 11:00
 Tai Chi classes are continuing for one and all. When weather permits we will meet in the parking lot and enjoy the fall days. If not, the class will be in the AAH Center. Tai Chi is a wonderful exercise to improve strength, balance and flexibility. Classes are about one hour.

Upcoming events:
Tuesday November 15th at 10:00
Randy from Hallowell Antiques will join us to talk about some interesting pieces she has in her shop. Randy also would like to have you bring some of your own antiques and share stories and history. She is willing to come monthly if enough folks are interested.

Mt. Pisgah Full Moon Hike
Monday, November 7, 5:30 PM
Mt. Pisgah Conservation Area, Winthrop



Join KLT staff and the Winthrop Conservation Commission to take advantage of the full moon for a hike at the Mt. Pisgah Conservation Area on Monday, November 7 at 5:30 PM. Please bring what you need to be comfortable for a night walk, including a headlamp or flashlight, warm clothes, water, snacks etc. The family-friendly hike will be approximately two miles long. RSVP required. For more information or to RSVP, contact Marie at mring@tklt.org or 207-377-2848



Directions: From Route 133 in Wayne turn south onto Fairbanks Road. At the end, turn left onto the Mt. Pisgah Road. Travel south about 1.7 miles – the parking lot is on the left. From Route 202, turn onto North Main Street and go into North Monmouth. After about 0.7 mile, turn right on New Road, which becomes Mt. Pisgah Road. Continue for approximately 1.6 miles – the parking lot is on the right.

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Wayne Community Church welcomes everyone to park at the church while they **Trick or Treat in the Wayne village on Monday, October 31st**. We will have bathrooms open to the public and treats to give away from 4-6pm!



The Ladd Recreation Center is hosting a Halloween party for kids of all ages at the Ladd Center on Saturday, October 29th at 10:00 AM. The party will be held outside in the field. There will be games and prizes. We will also be having a pumpkin decorating contest. Check www.waynemaineevents.com for more info about this contest.



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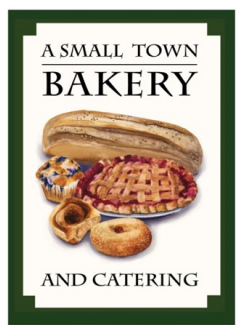
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