

County collects data for extra pay for first responders

ELLSWORTH — The Hancock County commissioners are seeking to determine what it would cost to offer extra stipends to local first responders for their service during the Covid pandemic.

Meanwhile, the commission has moved ahead with \$3,750 payments to county sheriff's personnel including the deputies, corrections workers and others.

The money is coming from the county's some \$10 million in Covid relief money from the federal government.

When the plan first was cir-

culated to give some county employees from \$1,800 to \$5,000 apiece, several local officials, including Bucksport Town Manager Susan M. Lessard responded that wasn't fair to local first responders who did much of the same work and risked the same hazards during the past 18 months-or-so.

Now the county is circulating a survey to each of the local communities, asking what it would cost to make up to \$3,750 to those who have met certain county-imposed requirements.

SEE RESPONDER ON PAGE 7.



Rising to the occasion

Colin Simpson, a senior, goes high in the air to block this shot. The Bucks beat Sumner 4-2, and now the team is 11-1 on the season. More on Page 4.

Greenhead recalls lobster-based items

BUCKSPORT — The Greenhead Lobster Products plant here has recalled 5,749 pounds of frozen cooked lobster meat because of a potential contamination with bacteria, specifically *Listeria monocytogenes*, an organism which can cause serious and sometimes fatal infections in young children, frail or elderly people and others with weakened immune systems.

Healthy individuals may show only short-term symptoms such as high fever, severe headache, stiffness, nausea, abdominal pain, and diarrhea. *Listeria* infection can cause miscarriages and stillbirths among pregnant women.

The recalled foods were distributed in Maine and New Hampshire, and are being recalled out of "an abundance of caution" for the company

has heard of no illnesses resulting from their consumption.

Some of the lobster-based products were distributed to Maine and New Hampshire who distributed nationwide through wholesalers.

The company acted after a routine sampling program by the company revealed the presence of *Listeria monocytogenes*.

The company issued a list of the products that might be of concern, but said none of its other products are suspected of harboring the bacteria. Many of the frozen products have a "best if used by 6/25/23" date. No other Greenhead Lobster retail products are impacted by this recall.

PLEASE SEE LOBSTER ON PAGE 7.

Pool problems persist

New filter system being suggested

BUCKSPORT — The recent overhaul of the Tim Emery Municipal Pool apparently has stopped the massive leaking, but a new issue has surfaced.

Mike's Pool Service of Bangor, which has been serving the pool systems for a while now, reports the 40-year sand-based filtration system is plugging up. Mike Sulinski, owner of the firm, reported that two seasons ago the filter needed to be "backwashed" every week instead of the more-normal two to four weeks.

This season, the maintenance was done about every three days.

Sulinski's suggestion: Replace the system with a Fiberglass Pentair filter. Add in the costs of taking out the old one and installing the new unit and the town can expect to pay \$58,000, Sulinski wrote. He suggested the town move "ASAP" because of pandemic supply chain issues.

At the urging of town officials, voters agreed to an up to \$1 million bond issue to replace the pool, but a citizens' panel got the pool repaired and overhauled for about \$135,000.

American Legion Hall: not improving with age

BUCKSPORT — It's still standing, but . . . — Bucksport's American Legion Post 93 has been serving veterans for 102 years, and it's building on Elm Street has been around even longer.

It once housed the Grand Army of the Republic - survivors of the Civil War - before it was hauled to its present site, perhaps, by oxen.

Efforts to upgrade the structure - it needs new windows, a front door, some new roofing, some plumbing and heating and more.

The post's membership has dwindled, and its members now ride in the occasional

parade, not march in them.

They did what they could. They got the building repainted, put down new flooring in the kitchen, did some fixes to the roof, but frankly there's not a lot of money to go around.

Bingo and bars - two cash cow mainstays of Legion posts - are ancient history here. Aside from an annual yard sale, which is getting more difficult to organize each year, many younger veterans have found other social outlets; but that, too, may change as they grow older.

There's been lots of talk in recent years about doing something about the situation.

However, progress has been more a patchwork of temporary solutions. Some paint, a new kitchen floor, some stopping of leaks. The water now is shut off to prevent wintertime freeze-ups.

The Town Council has asked for a detailed list of what's needed and what those repairs would cost.

Several years ago, the public responded and underwrote the emergency repairs needed to demonstrate that saving Wilson Hall was financially viable. The majority of the then-councilors reversed themselves and approved a

public-private partnership with local real estate operator Lawrence Wahl. Wahl now has stabilized and begun beautifying that venerable structure.

At one point, only one councilor's support kept the council from voting to tear down the venerable building, which once again has begun to host public events and gatherings - including an historical society meeting last month and a "Spooky Stories" night this month.

The lights are back on, and Wilson Hall remains a Bucksport landmark.

IN THE WORKS . . . Weekly tidbits from week's news

ATTN: VERONA — There will be a special Town Meeting at 6 p.m. next Thursday (10/21) to approve the issuing of up to \$570,000 in bonds to pay for upgrading the town's pump station. The session will be at the Verona Island Town Hall. Immediately after the Town Meeting, the selectmen will meet to consider resolutions relating to the issuance of the bond and appropriations for the pump project.

The public is invited to attend both meetings, and written comments received before the

meetings will be considered.

PRESERVING HISTORY — Because of continuing moisture, mold and mildew issues under the former train depot on Main Street - the home of the Bucksport Historical Society Museum, the group is asking for a one-time \$25,000 contribution toward the installation of a proper vapor barrier under the building.

Two dehumidifiers, installed as a

stop-gap measure, have proved too expensive to operate, Ed Buck, the president of the society reported.

STAFF SWAP? — With the retirement of Michael Jackson, the long-time wastewater treatment operator here, the Maine Water Co., and the town appear poised to fold the vacancy into the staffing agreement Bucksport already has with the firm.

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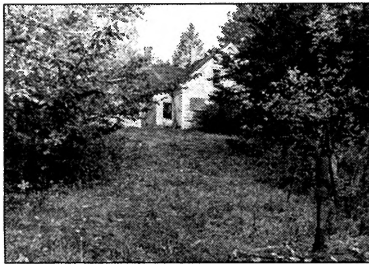


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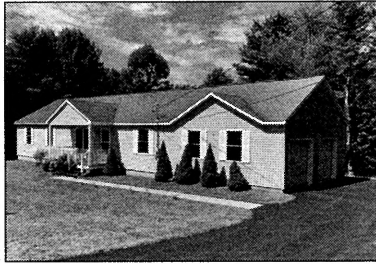
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Doug Burpee
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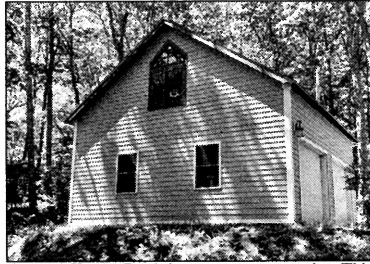
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Bucksport

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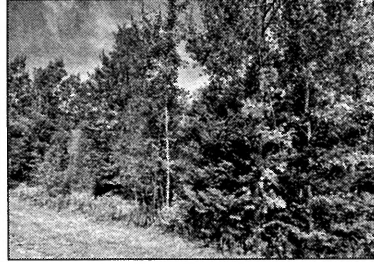
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Orland-Toddy Pond investment opportunity. This modern 24'x24' cape style cottage offers living space above a two car garage. Built with composite siding & trim, this well built cottage sits on a spacious 3.56AC waterfront lot in a cove on 2nd Toddy. Step inside & find an efficient 1BR/1BA living space w/ kitchen, living room/bedroom area overlooking the lake. Lower level features laundry & is piped for radiant in-floor heat. Property includes a large clearing, well, septic & over 500' +/- of lake frontage.

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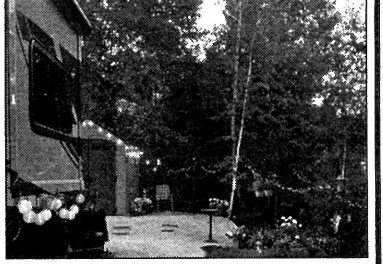
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Bucksport - Looking for a house with character in a village setting? This 3 Bedroom 2 Bath New Englander is filled with charm, big 6' windows on the south side, wood floors, a bath tub for those Sunday soaks and a master with attached laundry and walk-in closet. Looking for space to create? The detached barn provides space that is has reworked underpinning, proper electrical and a new metal roof? Enjoy summer afternoons on the porch appreciating the lovely garden space!

Listing Agent: Mark Eastman

\$231,000

Pending



Orland - Classic Cape with updates! This 3/4 Bedroom 1.5 Bath Cape Cod style home is set on a nearly 2ac lot, just minutes from Castine or Bucksport. Recent improvements include a new kitchen, furnace and roof! Additionally, the home is painted inside and out! Great kitchen for entertaining or family meals with new appliances in addition to new cabinets and butcher block countertops. Great yard for the kids and a deck for entertaining in the warmer months. Enjoy modern updates combined with the character of a colonial home. Come take a look!

Listing Agent: Mark Eastman

\$169,900

Building Lot



Bucksport - Looking for privacy with great western views? This 43.2 acre parcel is set on the southwesterly side of Orcutt Mountain with good potential for solar options. Only a few residents reside on the road affording excellent privacy. Power is on the road. Mixed land of overgrown pasture, some blueberries as well as wooded sections. Just minutes to the village of Bucksport.

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Building Lot



Bucksport - Build your new home nestled in the woods on this conveniently located building lot where a home once stood only a short distance from downtown Bucksport. This wooded 1.00 acre lot offers 168' of road frontage with a drilled well and septic on site. There is also a dug well for your gardening needs as well as a shed. This lot is less than 3 miles from either the Jacob Buck Pond Boat Landing, Williams Pond or Silver Lake. Commute to Belfast, Ellsworth or Bangor in only a 1/2 hour. Come take a look at this lot for your new home today!

Listing Agent: Lorrinda Connolly

\$29,000

Grand jury indictments listed

ELLSWORTH - Among those indicted by the latest Hancock County Grand Jury were:

- Christopher Dupuis, 36, of Hampden, three counts of unlawfully possessing a scheduled drug. The case stems from an incident in Orland on June 30. The charges are filed by the Hancock County sheriff's office.
- Justin Lee Fulcher, 45, of 146 Powers Drive, Orland, charged by Bucksport police on June 6 with operating after

revocation.

- Shane Jacobs, 34, of Bucksport, charged in Bucksport on May 5, 2020 with aggravated unlawful furnishing of a Schedule B drug, unlawful possession of a Schedule C drug on the same date and illegally possessing a hypodermic apparatus.

- Roberts-Watson Gage, of Bradford, charged by the county sheriff's office with eluding an officer, allegedly driving on April 29 after a license suspension and criminal speeding.

Town's marketing on agenda

BUCKSPORT - The Community & Economic Development Committee will meet on Monday at 6 p.m. at the Town Offices

Much of the session will be devoted to the town's marketing efforts.

On the agenda is:

- A Review of Bucktown

Heritage Park taxable information

- A review of 2 new brochures (MSB & named publisher)

- A review of marketing firm submissions. The town is preparing to hire more outside marketing expertise.

- An update on the CEDC ordinance.



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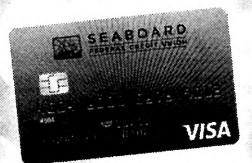
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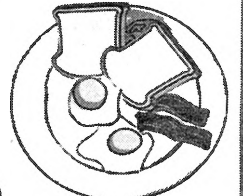
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FRIENDS & FAMILY

SAFETY FIRST – The Orland Fire Department has earned two grants – totalling over \$3,600 - from the Maine Municipal Association (MMA).

The volunteer firefighters got a MacDonald safety Enhancement grant that will provide Orland Fire with up to \$1,238.69 for the purchase of LED-illuminated Stop/Slow paddles and reflective safety vests.

Almost half of the department's approximately 120 emergency calls per year involve traffic control and other work in and along our roads," reported Assistant Chief **Julia Gray**. "Many of these roads have posted speed limits at or above 45 miles per hour, and at certain times of the year are extremely busy with both local and tourist traffic.

The risk to personnel is very high, and it is vital that they be seen, and that their instructions- (Stop or Slow) - be clearly visible.

The Risk Reduction Enhancement Grant, which is intended to reduce risks

and exposures in the workplace, will provide up to \$2,382 toward the full cost of purchasing back-up cameras with night vision for four of the department's fire apparatus.

Backing up fire apparatus is a high-risk activity that has resulted in at least three deaths nationwide this year alone

Aside from initial emergency response, backing of a fire apparatus is the most high-risk operation carried out by our driver/operators," Gray said.

"The nature of these large trucks creates extensive blind spots, which can present a significant hazard to everyone on the fire ground or at an accident scene. We can mitigate that hazard—and potentially even save lives—by installing new back-up cameras."

YOU'RE INVITED to visit one of the little historic treasures in Bucksport: The Old Yellow Schoolhouse by the side of State Route 46.

The Duck Cove Association is going to welcome any and all to a free open house inside at the last remaining one-room schoolhouse in Bucksport. The event will be held at noon next Thursday (10/21), and new members or those who want to experience the neighborliness of Duck Cove are most-welcome

The walls don't talk, but some of those who attended classes or events there sure do. They have some neat tales to share.

DUCK COVE FOLKS – The Duck Cove group of MEHC will host the Hancock County meeting this month. Instead of the regular meeting, the session will be at the Bucksport Senior Center on Tuesday.

Registration begins at 9 a.m. and the meeting starts at 10. Muffins will be for sale, lunch dessert and coffee, tea and water will be provided.

There will be a program on making fruit leather. Those attending are asked to bring dollar grab bags, and silent

auction items. Also, everyone is being asked to bring \$1 to donate to the center for the use of the hall

HAUNTING THE HILL – A series of spooky stories will be told outside historic **Wilson Hall** at 24 Middle Street on Friday, Oct. 29, beginning at 6 p.m.

Everyone's invited to bring their scariest story about ghosts, spirits, extra-terrestrial, or whatever. There will be several scheduled storytellers, but this is also an open mic event.

There will be free snacks. While entrance is free, donations will be accepted to aid the Buck Memorial Library.

Bring a blanket and chairs.

Limited parking at Wilson Hall is reserved for those with limited mobility.

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EDITORIAL choices, not ones based on party affiliation or single issues or any of the other factors that distinguish one person from another.

We believe that to be especially true when it comes to candidates running for local non-partisan positions such as town councilor or school board member.

In small communities like those this weekly serves it's easy to find out more about a candidate. Just call them, ask them a question when encountering them on the street, read or listen to what they have to say.

An enlightened voter tends to be a good voter. An unenlightened voter who fails to do their homework is a danger to our republic. This nation ought not to be guided by polls, sound bites, slick salesmanship or idle rumors you may have heard.

That's why for some years now the *Enterprise* has regularly sponsored forums at which candidates can present themselves, answer the same questions and not get chewed up by the buzz saws of controversy or innuendo in the process. **See the rules for submitting questions in the announcement on Page 5.**

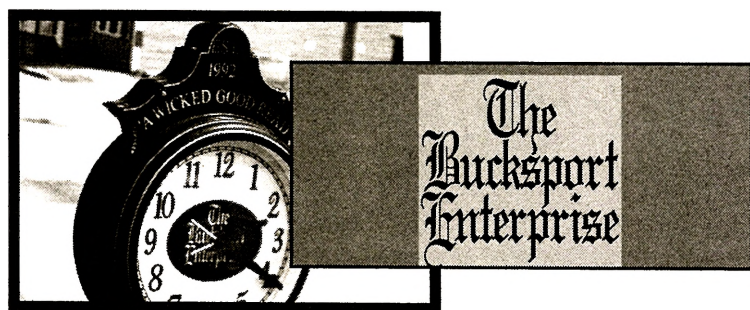
This year's six Town Council candidates vying for three open three-year seats will be at the forum in Brown Hall on Elm Street for all to see and hear. The session starts at 7:15 p.m. and will end exactly 90 minutes later.

This year it's especially important to be enlightened about your choices for the large unusual number of candidates - three incumbents and three challengers could yield a status quo on the council, a sea change in the viewpoints represented or a result somewhere in between. A recent council election was decided by a single vote., underlying the importance of each citizen's participation. Be informed, and then vote.



NOTICE to letter-writers

In keeping with a long-standing policy, The Bucksport Enterprise will cease publishing candidate endorsement letters with the Oct. 21 edition. This also includes letters regarding the three state ballot questions on the Nov. 2 ballot.



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GOLDEN BUCK SPORTS

Coaches' coach!

BUCKSPORT — David G. Keene, the former mayor here, received an award at last Friday's (10/8) football game. He was honored for his decades as a valued member of the Golden Bucks coaching staff. While the award recognized more than 30 years of coaching the varsity football squad, Keene's coaching ties to all things Bucksport go back much longer than that. He began coaching Pop Warner football after graduating from Maine Maritime Academy in 1973.

On Friday, Keene posed for the obligatory photographs with his family and fellow coaches (Many Bucks games were decided over the years by those coaches' pre-game strategizing on the golf course.) Keene, as usual, had little to say Friday night. There was a sincere, "Thank you!", but the 1968 Bucksport High grad would prefer to run through a wall of young, rugged linemen than give a speech in public. (He often and effectively delivered his thoughts equally succinctly inside the locker room!)



DAVID G. KEENE, left, receives an award for his long football coaching career. Presenting the honor is Bucksport High School athletic director Aaron Ward. (Rick McHale photo)



You can run, but you can't catch him!

Gavyn Holyoke makes a great catch and brings the ball to the 2 yard line. The catch and run set up Bucksport's only touchdown of the night. The Golden Bucks lost to Freeport 26-7 last Friday (10/8).

Photo by Rick McHale

Runners run into medal territory

COACH CHRIS JONES

ORONO — Going into Saturday's meet here the Bucks had no expectations. It was the first time the Bucks had gone to the Red Riot Challenge and even though they knew it was only Class C teams their coach still was unsure who would be there, other than the host Orono. Not knowing made it difficult to assign specific goals for the runners. On top of that, the boys' team for the second week in a row was missing their number one runner and the girls were one runner short as their number two runner had a foot injury.

One advantage to the race was the course was only 2.4 miles long and although short, still was challenging with three decent hills. The shorter course would offer the runners a little reprieve before the Penobscot Valley Conference (PVC) championship in Bucksport. (The Bucksport course on Saturday will be a 5k.).

The girls raced first and like the Bucksport Invitational it was a combined varsity-junior varsity race. Since the girls were one short of a full team Coach Chris Jones ran only one runner, Bekah Ireland in the varsity race and the other three girls in the junior varsity race. There is one advantage to that combined race for all get to run in a bigger field and no one knows whether you are in which of the races.

In the varsity race Ireland got off to a fast start and was third after the first quarter mile and would only fall back two spots, finishing in fifth place. She held off a fast-closing runner from Houlton and finished in a junior varsity of 18:03.

The three girls in the junior varsity race turned out a great performance as two of them brought home medals. Abby Farricker would finish runner-up in the race in a time of 22:19, surprising her coach. Christina Degiso also earned a medal as well with her fifth place finish. She also held off a closing runner to finish with a time of 23:38. Jacey Frederico ran just her second race,

put in a great effort finishing 14th in 27:08.

The boys team did something that now has only happened twice in 33 years and that was bring home a runner-up trophy. In a close race, the boys would eke out their second place finish by just two points 68 to 70 point.

Gage Bruns back after missing the last two races, followed up his good performance in Blue Hill with a sixth place finish and a time of 14:52.

Michael Johnson who just missed out on a medal with an 11th place finish was just two seconds from the 10th spot. Johnson who has had some great runs this season put in a time of 15:36. Just 6 spots behind him in 17th place was freshman Collin McDougal. That spot earned him a time of 16:56.

Senior Liam Swift got a solid start and finished in 28th place in 18:09, beating several runners from other teams that have beaten him in previous weeks. The fifth place runner can be just as important as the number one and the Bucks found that out as Cameron Evans moved up from the back of the pack to finish in 39th place in a time of 20:25. His finish may have been the deciding factor for the Bucks to garner the second-place finish.

Only one Bucksport boy would compete in the junior varsity race. Ron Bishop, who had been battling a calf issue and had only run one race so far this season, earned the last medal for the Bucks. His fifth place was a pleasant surprise for both him and Coach Jones, again because there was no way to distinguish between varsity and junior varsity runners during the race.

This week the Bucks will host the Penobscot Valley Conference Championship on Saturday. The varsity girls will start at noon and the varsity boys' race at 12:40. For just the second time this season the Bucks are expected to field full teams at this meet and therefore will not have any junior varsity runners on the course.

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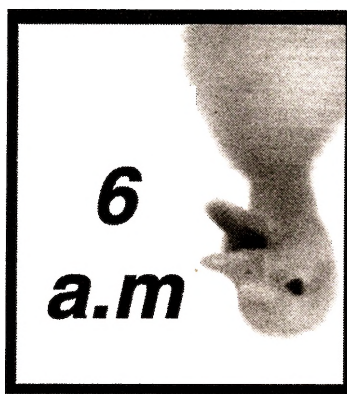
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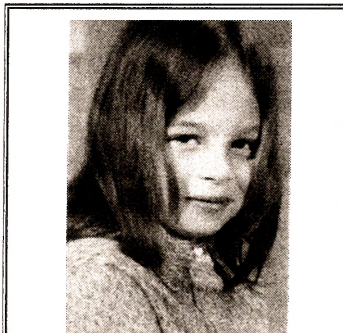
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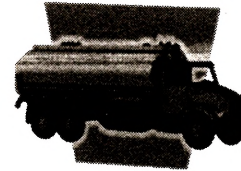
Injured owl aided
 BUCKSPORT – An injured baby owl was brought to the police station last Thursday (10/7) morning. It was turned over to a game warden for delivery to a game rehabilitation center.



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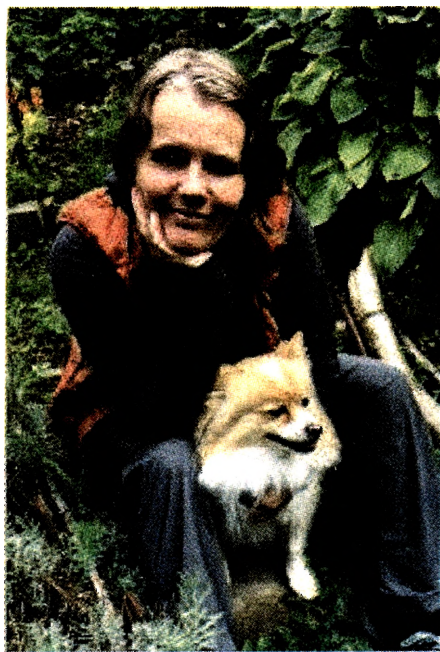
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We the undersigned strongly encourage a vote for Tracey Hair in Bucksport's upcoming election for Town Council. Tracey has already served our community diligently for the past sixteen years.

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We thank you, Tracey Hair, for your willingness to serve our community.

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FORUM

You're invited to

Meet the Candidates

Tuesday, Oct. 19

Starts promptly at 7:15 p.m.

Brown Hall on Elm Street

Dr. Stephen York will moderate. The session which will be live-streamed on YouTube and taped for later use on the town's cable-TV system.

Send questions you'd like the six candidates for three Town Council seats to answer to Dr. York at stpyo@aol.com.
**QUESTIONS MUST BE RECEIVED
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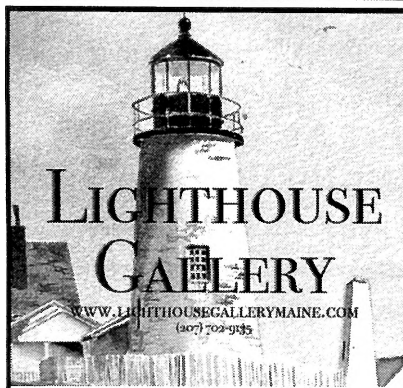
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Events

Tuesday, Oct 12

• The Duck Cove group of
MEHC will host the Hancock
County meeting on Tuesday.
See details in Friends &
Family column on Page 3..

Thursday, Oct. 14

• The Hancock County
Republicans will meet at 7
p.m. at their headquarters in
the Maine Coast Mall. The
speakers will be Lauren
LePage regarding NRA;
Paula Sutton talking about
"rowing our county" and Thia
Embers on "Maine stands up
to lawsuit". *Sandi Blanchette*
of *Orland* at 944-8444.

Thursday, October 21

• The Hancock
Democratic Committee will
host a panel from Deer Isle-
Stonington to discuss how
coastal communities are work-
ing to preserve sustainability on
both an environmental and
community level. The meeting
will be via Zoom starting at 7
p.m. The panelists will be Rep.
Genevieve McDonald, Dr.
Carla Guenther, and Jim
Fisher, Deer Isle Town
Manager.

The public can access the
Zoom link at www.hancock-dems.org until Oct. 20.

At Brown Hall

Sunday, October 17,

Annual Congregational
Meeting, after worship, in the
fellowship room in Brown Hall.
A light lunch is available.

Monday, October 18

A Scottish dancing group
meets in the large meeting
room in Brown Hall from 5 to
7 p.m. Participants cover a
broad range of experience.

Tuesday, October 19,

From 7:15 to 8:45 p.m. *The*
Bucksport Enterprise is sponsor-
ing a non-partisan Candidates'
Forum for Town Council aspi-
rants in the Meeting Room. Dr.
Stephen York will moderate.

Tuesday, Oct. 26

• From 7:15 to 8:15 p.m.,
Dr. Stephen York will offer a
one-session-only, free public
discussion of *Hannah Coulter*
by Wendell Berry. Please reg-
ister by 5 p.m. by Friday, Oct.
22 by signing up in Brown
Hall or call the church 469-
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In the libraries

Buck Memorial

Storyhour every Wednesday
at 10:30 a.m and Thursday at
4:00 p.m.

Saturday October 23

Spooky stories and crafts
from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Friday
October 29

Haunted Stories on the
Hill 6 p.m Wilson Hall. Rain
date: Oct.30.

Tuesday November 2

At 6:30 p.m. the Maine
Humanities book discussion
series continues with an exami-
nation of *Wild Seed* by Octavia
Butler.

Blue Hill Library

• Art show: Ball of
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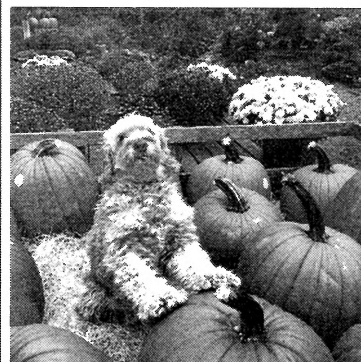
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PUBLIC SAFETY REPORTS

Major arrest made

BUCKSPORT – A routine traffic stop on State Highway 46 last Saturday ended in the arrest of a 35-year-old Penobscot man on a variety of charges, including possessing nearly 69 grams of heroin and being a fugitive from justice wanted by Florida authorities.

Christopher Beaucage was encountered about 6 p.m. by Officer Ryan Welch, who determined Beaucage was sought to face a felony charge in Florida. He also faces two Maine warrants and was alleged to have had the heroin and was charged with trafficking in a controlled substance, and violating the terms of his release in an earlier case.

He was taken to the county jail in

Arrest listed

BUCKSPORT – Naomi Thomas, 32, of Bucksport was arrested about 6:30 p.m. on Oct. 3. Officer Tyler Adams recognized Thomas walking along the road, and knew she was wanted on a warrant.

Summons

BUCKSPORT – Lucretia Dieter, 25, of Orland got a ticket for allegedly speeding on the Bucks Mills Road about 2:30 p.m. on Saturday.

Accidents - Deer

BUCKSPORT – It continued to be open season for local deer, at least those crossing the town's roads:
• Christopher Cassum, 56, of Clifton

encountered a deer on the River Road about 6 a.m. last Thursday (10/7).

• John Zachary, 65, of Brewer hit one with a truck on State Route 46 about 3:30 p.m. on Oct. 5

• Michelle Pickoski, 33, of Prospect hit a deer on the River Road about 6 a.m. on Oct. 5.

• Chelly Thibodeau, 26, of Brewer hit one on State Route 36 about 6:15 a.m. on Oct. 5.

Crash, theft reported

ORLAND – Shortly after noon on Oct. 3 James Robertson, 85, of Orland was stopped on Narramissic Drive preparing to turn onto Acadia Highway while Alona Winters, 35, of Penobscot was driving east on the highway. Robertson pulled out onto the highway

and the two vehicles collided. No one was hurt.

Winters' vehicle was towed. In an unrelated incident a sheriff's deputy investigated a report last Thursday (10/7) of a theft in Orland.

An Orland person reported his property was broken into sometime between late-September and early-October.

Medical issue listed

BUCKSPORT – A person experiencing what first appeared to be a drug overdose walked in to the Public Safety Building about 3:45 p.m., on Friday (10/8).

The person was seen immediately by EMTs and taken by ambulance to a hospital for treatment.

– First responders

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Specifically, they are trying to determine how many communities would pay a portion of the \$3,750 to full-time first responders and \$1,800 to qualifying part-time personnel. Each community would put up \$1,500 per full-time responder and \$600 for each part-time responder. Lessard has no problem with rewarding the first responders for their extra effort

but she believes some parts of the commissioners' plans are being implemented in an arbitrary manner and ignore the sacrifices of those doing the same work and incurring the same risks at the local municipal level.

The Bucksport Town Council has received copies of the correspondence involved, and the town has until the end of the month to reply with the local data and any comments.

– Lobster recall

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Those who have purchased products listed by the company have been urged to return the item to the place of purchase for a full refund.

The firm's customer service desk can be reached at t (207) 367-0950 between 8 am. and 4 p.m.

What's the danger of *Listeria monocytogenes*? Greenhead officials described it as "an organism which can cause serious and sometimes fatal infections in young children, frail or elderly people, and others with weakened immune systems. Although healthy individuals may suffer only short-term symptoms such as high fever, severe headache, stiffness, nausea, abdominal pain, and diarrhea. *Listeria* infection can cause miscarriages and stillbirths."

These products are being recalled:

• Greenhead Lobster Frozen Cooked Claw and Knuckle Meat 2lbs. clear bags - 5/10/23, 6/8/23, 6/9/23, 6/10/23, 6/15/23, 6/17/23, 6/23/23, 6/28/23, 8/3/23

• Greenhead Lobster Frozen Cooked Claw and Knuckle Meat 11lb clear bag 6/22/23

• Greenhead Lobster Frozen Cooked Broken Meat 2 lbs. clear bag - 5/10/23, 6/17/23, 6/22/23, 6/23/23, 8/3/23, 8/24/23, 8/25/23

• Greenhead Lobster Frozen Cooked Tail Meat 2lbs clear bag 6/17/23, 6/22/23, 6/23/23

• Greenhead Lobster Frozen Cooked Claw and Knuckle Meat 10.3 oz printed bag - 5/10/23, 6/9/23, 6/10/23

• Greenhead Lobster Frozen Cooked Scored Claws 3 lbs clear bag - , 6/8/23, 6/15/23

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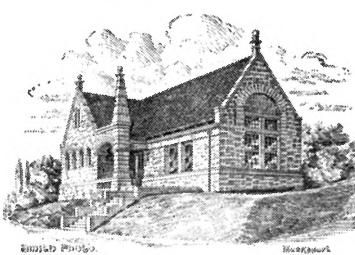
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10/14/21

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