



SPORTS PHOTOS BY RICK MCHALE



On Monday **Coach Mike Carrier** is surrounded with joyous hugs from the Bucksports Softball team after beating Dexter to win the 500th game in his career as softball coach.

## Coach Carrier wins #500!

BUCKSPORT – With a winning coaching career of over 40 years under his belt, Golden Bucks Coach Mike Carrier made another notch – beating out Dexter to win his 500th game.

He started his career here as an assistant coach, and with his dedication and love of fostering youth, he could fire up the players every

game.

Coach Carrier has said that he feels softball to be a “fast” game. He has been a coach with RSU 25 for the past 33 years and has been around for every State Championship. He also runs a softball camp each summer and enjoys coaching his grandson who plays little league.

— Let the momentum continue in the years to come!

See more sports on Pages 4 & 8.



Coach Carrier and Rich Rotella gather the team before the game.

## \$17 million RSU budget gains support

BUCKSPORT – The RSU 25 budget for 2022-2023 – a whisker under \$17 million, or 4.4 percent more than this year – appears headed for an easy series of ratification votes from the four member towns.

That’s because higher state and federal aid ranging from subsidies to buy the new fleet of RSU-owned school buses to left-over Covid cash has softened the blow substantially when it comes to how much each community must raise locally to support the schools.

Here’s the breakdown by town:

- Bucksport – \$26,700, or 0.61 of a percent.
- Orland – \$32,200, or 1.4 percent.
- Prospect – \$10,200, or 1.8 percent.
- Verona Island – \$1,700, or 0.32 of 1 percent.

As in recent years the RSU has the backing of local officials, and the budget passed the mandatory four-town public hearing and vote last night (5/29).

Now, the budget heads for referendum votes in each town, and based on recent history the recommended budget will emerge as the final one.

The budget includes 6 percent wages in each of the next three years for the teachers as part of an effort to keep the district competi-

tive with others in Maine.

The starting pay here for a new teacher with a bachelor’s degree currently is \$40,000 - the state minimum - while a teacher with a doctoral degree or two certificates of advanced study and more than 27 years of experience receives \$69,700. There are about eight at the top of the scale, a school spokesperson said.

Salaried administrators generally will receive an average of 4 percent more, starting in July.

The enrollment is being estimated at just over 1,000, plus another 100-or-so students attending the Reach School, attending the RSU schools as tuition students or studying elsewhere under the RSU 25 umbrella.

The number of pupils in each community are: Bucksport – 624; Orland – 237; Prospect – 90’ and Verona Island – 52.

School officials are predicting just over 100 seniors at the high school, but only 84 sophomores. The RSU 215 expects 236 of its students to qualify for special educational services.

This year’s graduation percentage was logged at 85 percent, within a fraction of a percent below the state average, but 5 to 7 percent below the state average in recent years. In 2015-2016, the local rate was 85.9 percent, right at the state average.

## Getting things going... Big projects in offing

BUCKSPORT – The Town Council tonight (5/29) is expected to make some headway on the stalled Bucksmillks Road culvert replacement project and, perhaps, kickstart another major downtown planning initiative.

• **DOWNTOWN** – The downtown plan, the latest of several conducted here, calls for taking a fresh look at the entire Main Street streetscape between the traf-

fic lights and Third Street. With strong support and financial backing from the state Department of Transportation, it is expected to recommend improvements ranging from many new sidewalks to where to place trees and signage. The town’s portion of the cost is expected to be \$30,000 to \$40,000. The results are needed to buttress a request for major state support to carry out the recom-

mendations.

• **BUCKSMILLS ROAD** – Town officials put a major culvert replacement project on hold because the low bid – \$828,000 from Wardwell Trucking and Construction of Orland - was more than was approved on a referendum. Now, it appears the town manager and state officials may have found money from another source to cover the \$80,000 shortfall.

## IN THE WORKS . . . Tidbits from week’s news

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**ON THE BUS** – Tom Crikelair, a consultant for DownEast Transportation, came to Bucksport on Wednesday, May 11, rode the bus, held a meeting with people at the Senior Center and later recommended ways to expand the local bus service this week. Those suggestions will be discussed by the Town Council tonight (5/28).

**SIGN OF TIMES?** – There’s a sign in this community that has some wording that some say they find objectionable and even possible profanity. However, the sign is on private property and, according to the state attorney general’s office, free speech is protected by the U.S. Constitution. A caller to the Town Offices asked if the Town Council would consider sending a letter to the signposter objecting to the sign. The councilors’ response: An immediate “No way.” They

moved on to the next item in their agenda.

**DIGGING IT** – Ground was to be broken at a ceremony at the Blue Hill Hospital this morning (5/28), marking the start to construction of a new hospital to replace the one at 87 Water Street in Blue Hill. Northern Light is raising and spending millions of dollars to upgrade or replace its oldest sites, including the hospitals in Blue Hill and Greenville.

**CHEWING UP TREES?** – The town manager told the town councilors last week, “I hope you have all had a chance to see the work done with the mini- excavator/mulcher that we rented to do roadside work. I have had positive feedback from many people who have both seen it in action and seen the results. A couple of councilors responded that, no, they’d heard from some River Road

residents the town crew was “butchering trees” and leaving messes of chipped brush behind.

Town Manager Susan M. Lessdard said she’d look into it, and some clean-up would be done where warranted.

**SAVING NATURE** – The Great Pond Mountain Conservation Trust (GPMCT) is applying for money through the Land for Maine’s Future to purchase land in Orland and Bucksport. The purchase was made last year involving approximately 100 acres in Bucksport and a total of 360 acres overall.

GPMCT pays taxes on the properties it has in Bucksport and has indicated that if it ever stops doing that, the trust will make a payment-in-lieu of taxes. The Town of Bucksport is submitting a letter in support of the trust’s bid for the state cash.



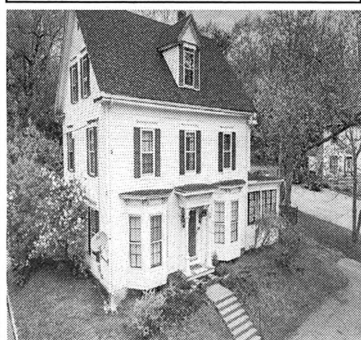


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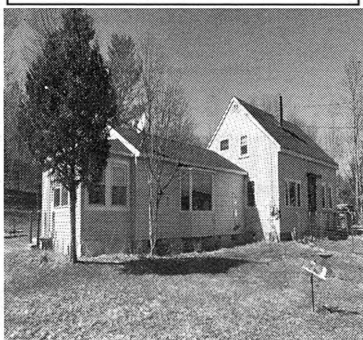
### New Listing



**Bucksport**— Charming 5BR/2BA Colonial w/ 2 separated in-law apartments & mixed use zoning, a rare find in today's market! Very well maintained, w/ 3 floors of living space w/ water views on the upper floors in the main house. Stained glass accents the early 1900s construction. Attached barn features 1 car garage and upstairs 1BR/5BA apartment. Enjoy afternoons under the pagoda on back deck, 2nd rental unit is 1BR/1BA with modern touches. Conveniently located on US-1 with easy access to Bangor, Ellsworth & Belfast.

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**Bucksport**

**\$230,000**  
**Dan Burpee**  
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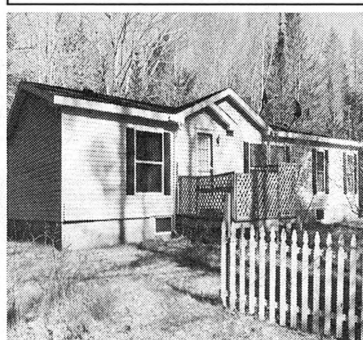
### New Listing



**Bucksport**— Custom built 3BR/4BA cape on 4.57 acre wooded lot w/ much privacy. This home offers a spacious interior w/ hardwood flooring, eat-in kitchen w/ bar, gas range & heat stove hookup w/ hearth, living room w/ wood stove & heat pump. A first-floor primary suite w/ bath, walk-in closet & heat pump. The second level has 2 oversized bedrooms, full bath & bonus room. That's not all, the lower level has a family room w/ bathroom, custom bar as well as utility room & workshop. Also find a covered porch, above-ground pool/deck area & a detached 1-car heated garage w/ additional storage.

**\$374,900**  
**Dan Burpee**  
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### Under Contract



**35 Georges Point**  
**Orland**

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**Kathy Coogan**  
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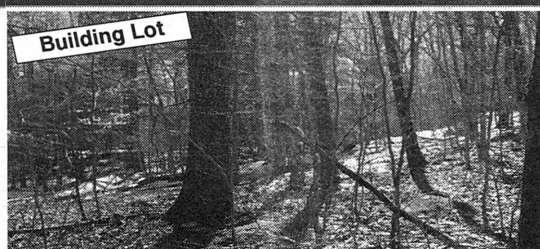
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**Bucksport**— Looking for a spot to build your dream home? This 7ac parcel has frontage on Route 46 and is located just down the road from Hancock Pond. It is possible that some gravel could exist on the property. Come take a look!

**Listing Agent: Mark Eastman**

**\$35,700**



**Bucksport**— This is a large, 24+ acre lot practically in town. It borders the Bucksport Middle School, and reaches down to Bayview Avenue. The lot has just been removed from tree growth. There is so much potential for this lot.

**Listing Agent: Wendy Carpenter**

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## BUSINESS BRIEF

**BUCKSPORT**— Christy Lewis, a partner at Fellows, Kee, Tymoczko & Lewis, LLC in Bucksport just celebrated her seventh year with the firm.

Christy specializes in residential and commercial real estate transactions and social security disability law.

In 2020 Christy was selected by the Publication Super Lawyers to the New England Rising Star List, an honor reserved for those lawyers who exhibit an excellence in practice.

The selection is based on an evaluation of twelve criteria, including peer recognition and professional achievement. Only 2.5% of attorneys in New England receive this distinction.

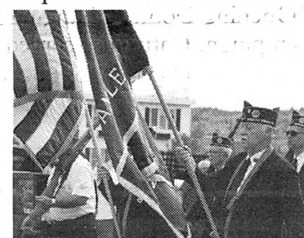
Christy lives in Belfast with her husband Nathaniel and daughter Emme.

## Prospect Memorial Day Parade

is scheduled for Monday, May 30, at 12 Noon south of the intersection of Rte 174 & 1A, Prospect. The Grand Marshall, will be Navy Veteran's widow, of Paul Tilley, Barbara Tilley in convertible driven by Veteran Chuck Boynton.

On the same day, the Marsh School Museum will be open to visitors between 11 AM and 1 PM

Bangor and Ellsworth have listed the Monday, May 30 parades are still at noon.



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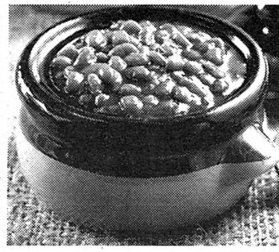
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## FRIENDS & FAMILY

**NEW POST** – The Ellsworth-based Downeast Community Partners has hired Sharon Catus as its director of development.

Catus formerly worked at the Maine Maritime Academy in Castine, where she held several positions over her years there, including raising money to refurbish the schooner Bowdoin and helping to launch the academy's \$20 million "Opening Doors, Changing Lives" scholarship campaign. Catus also served as the faculty/staff liaison to the academy's swim team.

### **VOLUNTEERS' VOLUNTEER**

Nearly a half century ago, before there was a Bucksport Regional Health Center, there was Valerie Sulya and a few of her friends who had come together because they firmly believed that what this area needed was a health clinic.

That clinic, begun in the darkness of a closed movie theater on Main Street is today the thriving multi-million dollar medical and dental center off Broadway.

It's now a major employer in the town, second only to RSU 25.

Last week the board of directors and some of the staff gathered to honor one of the key mem-

bers of the board, Sulya, for her lifetime of service to the health and welfare of this community.

A plaque will be placed on the wall of the education room at the center recognizing Sulya's 48 years of service on the board, and she received a second plaque to take home.

Through the years Sulya has served as a volunteer at the child care center, worked as the town's public health nurse, aided hospice patients and even ridden herd on downtown business owners to encourage them to shovel their sidewalk and ways for the safety of all.

She's collected sickroom supplies, taught generations of health care workers in the school's adult education program and generally just been there whenever and wherever someone needed a hand.

### **CALL OUT FOR CLASSMATES**

Can anyone provide contact information for any of these people from Bucksport High School Class of '72: Patsy Thibodeau, Bonnie Bowden, Patricia Bennett, Toni Gilbert, June Peasley, June Simpson, Jeff Bowden, Dexter Kimball, Kevin Riley, Al Smart? Mailing address, email and/or phone please? Thank you.  
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**Valerie Sulya** is recognized with flowers, gifts and a plaque for her 48 years of service to the health and welfare of this community last week at a ceremony at Bucksport Regional Health Center.

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# A new Bucksport?

The Town Council and the beautification arm of Main Street Bucksport appear to be on to something, namely a new downtown Bucksport.

As introduced publicly this month a program based on using a very large chunk of state and federal money is out there. The cash is just waiting to be used to spiff up the central cores of communities like ours. While we revel in our long and colorful history, Bucksport - like so many other small towns has slowly, almost imperceptibly, become a mite worn and tired around the edges.

While most prosperous communities have forgone their utility poles and the many cables and wires they support, Bucksport's poles and wires hang over us, remainders of the early 1900s when they were a symbol of great progress.

Want a throwback to history? Install gas lights. After all, natural gas runs right down the street, just a few inches below the pavement.

## EDITORIALS

Instead of spiffing up Main Street with dibs and dabs like pedestrian bump outs to cut crossing times at walkways and a small scattering of sidewalk repairs or replacement here and another there, the new plan would provide a comprehensive series of actions to make the entire Main Street from the traffic lights to the entrance to the new Maine Maritime Academy campus on River Road.

We applaud the councilors for seeking more information, and encourage their strong support of moving the request forward. The town's share of the initial planning, \$35,000 to \$40,000, amounts to about the price of a police cruiser. If successful, the actual construction would only cost the town only 10 percent of a multi-million dollar investment in our collective future.

# For the dogs and cats!

Five town councilors took a brief field trip one evening recently. The other five had made the trek previously. Each councilor wanted to see for him - or herself what conditions are like at the municipal animal shelter out behind the recycling yard off Central Street.

What they found is that the animals are in fairly decent quarters, and certainly in a much better place than before the recent improvements.

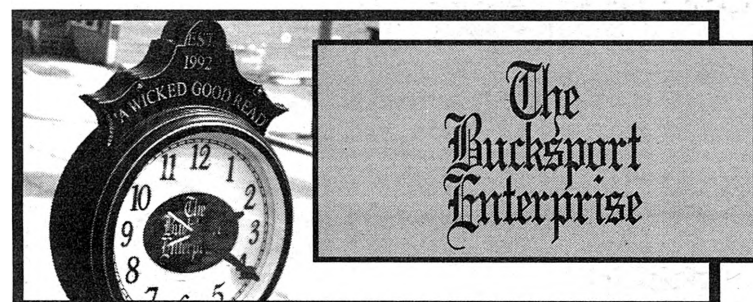
Still, the animal control officer and her assistant and the many volunteers who keep the place clean, comfortable and welcoming to cats, dogs and other critters have few creature comforts for themselves: No restrooms, no place to do paperwork, no place to take a break.

The big needs: a place to do the paperwork and more room to store supplies, including pet food and clean bedding.

The councilors' response: Build a new 3,000 square-foot shelter, perhaps nearby on land way out behind the Town Garage and, perhaps adjacent to a new dog park near the town's conservation area at Silver Lake.

The cost: Probably \$300,000 or more, estimated Town Manager Susan M. Lessard. She wants the council to make a go/no go decision, perhaps as soon as next Thursday (5/26). That's because any spending at that level requires voter approval on a referendum question.

The issue may be rushed to get it on the next local referendum ballot. However, if there was a firm design and a more definite price tag, it might be easier for the voters to evaluate. We all remember when the town's leadership asked for - and got - voter approval to spend up to \$1 million to solve problems at the municipal pool only to learn later the situation was solved for a tiny fraction of that sum. Similarly making the suggested remote site easily accessible in the winter could require some major paving expenses. There also will be a need to extend power to the site, drill a well and install a septic system.



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# LETTERS . . . to the editor

## "Beautify Bucksport?"

To the Editor,  
To continue to make Bucksport a visually attractive town to residents and visitors alike, it baffles me as to why the town has chosen to butcher the trees on the side of our roads with this "grinding, chopping machine." The trees are a complete eyesore now and will remain that way for years. If the trimming was necessary, it should have been done by a professional tree service to do a clean, neat job. I am sorry to see my tax dollars spent this way.

Carl Black  
Bucksport

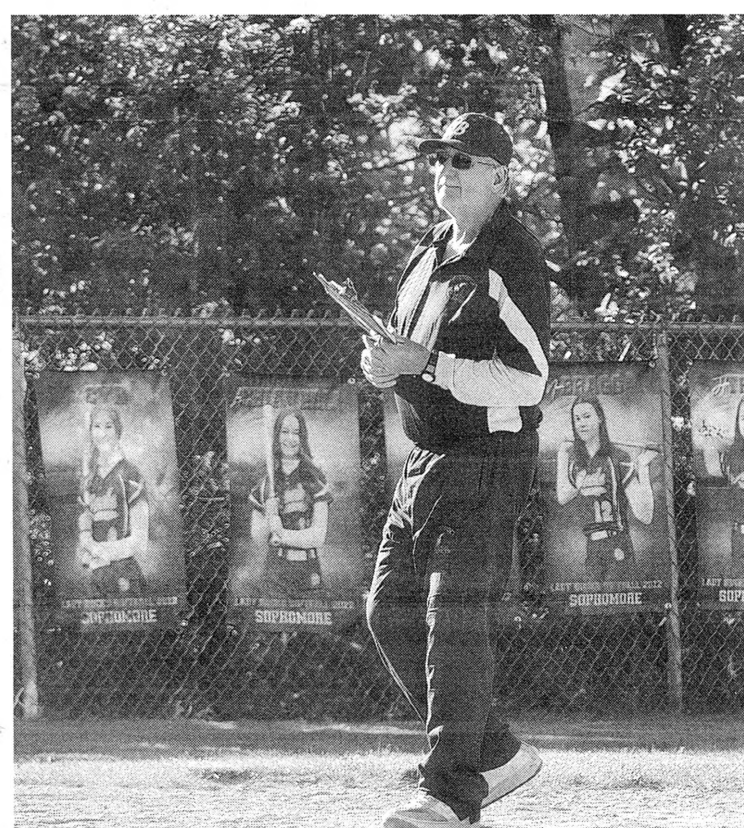
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# Bucks win #500!

Bucksport — The Lady Bucks softball team took care of business on Monday afternoon in a 5 inning mercy ruled game by shutting out the Dexter Lady Tigers 10-0 at John Wardwell Field. With the win, Head Coach Mike Carrier picked up career win # 500 and his Lady Bucks improved to 13-1 on the season. Ella Hosford, the junior pitcher, held the Lady Tigers to 2 hits while striking out 10 and issuing no walks in route to her 13 victory of the season. The Bucks were led offensively by Hosford and Faith Vincent who each had 2 hits and 2 runs batted in. Bucksport will travel to Washington Academy this Friday and then will host the Searsport on Senior Day, which will be played on Tuesday, May 31st with a 4:30 first pitch. Coach Carrier will be further recognized for his 500th victory prior to the first home playoff game for the Lady Bucks with a date and time to be determined. — Rich Rotella  
JV Coach Girls Softball

# Bucksport SPORTS



On May 23, 2022, Coach Mike Carrier picks up career win # 500 and the Lady Bucks improve to 13-1.

— More sports and highlights on page 8.

# Town receives grant to purchase Public Safety equipment

BUCKSPORT — Officials of the Town of Bucksport are pleased to announce that they have been awarded a Safety Enhancement Grant by the Maine Municipal Association Workers Compensation Fund in the amount of \$2,799.72.

The Ed MacDonald Safety Enhancement Grants and Scholarship Grants provide financial assistance to members of the MMA Workers Compensation Fund to purchase safety equipment or services to assist in reducing the frequency and severity of workplace injuries. The grant programs are designed to prevent injuries and improve workplace safety for our Maine employees. The reduction in employee injuries also benefits the taxpayers by lessening lost hours at work, cost of claims and potential overtime expenses for employees who might have to fill in

for injured co-workers.

The Maine Municipal Association has been awarding Safety Grants to members of the Workers' Compensation fund since 1999. The Ed MacDonald Safety Enhancement Grants and Scholarships are an example of a successful partnership that has been preventing workplace injuries by bestowing more than \$5.7 million in the funding of 4,345 Safety Enhancement Grants and 505 Scholarship Grants.

Deputy Chief Winchester said that "the money here will be put to purchase strobe lights for all full time members of the Public Safety Departments, and there will also be funding for extra devices for Reserve members when working their extra shifts."

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## OBITUARY

### Frank M. Juric • 1950 - 2022

Bucksport – Frank M. Juric, age 72, died May 15, 2022, with his wife and sister by his side in Bucksport Maine. He was born on February 7, 1950, in San Diego, California, to Frank and Martha Juric.

Frank studied Mechanical Engineering at West Point Military Academy (Class of 1972) and Education Administration at Pepperdine Graduate School of Education and Psychology, MA (1978-1979). He studied Mathematics at the University of Alabama Huntsville, MA (Class of 1980).

Frank will be sadly missed within the Bucksport community. He was devoted to the church and his family. Frank was an exceptional caregiver to his father-in-law Lionel Veilleux. He was a great gourmet cook, loved working with wood and could fix/build just about anything.

Frank is survived by his wife of 4-1/2

years, Alba Veilleux-Juric; his daughter Ellen Swift; grandchildren Frank, Bella, Dan, Liam and Ricci; bonus children Shelly and David; bonus grandchildren Egypt and Aidan; and

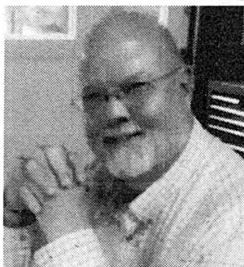
siblings Candice Juric, Barbara (Mark) Steinberg, Martha (David) Beck, Cherise (Ken) Magnan, Matt (Perry) Juric, Tom (Kathy) Juric, Gloria (Larry) Davis along with several nieces and nephews.

Frank was preceded in death by his wife of 42 years Mary Juric, his sons Frank and Thomas Juric, his parents Frank and Martha Juric and 2 siblings.

A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. Vincent De Paul Catholic Church in Bucksport on Tuesday May 24, 2022, at 11:00 AM.

Arrangements by Mitchell Tweedie Funeral Home and Cremation

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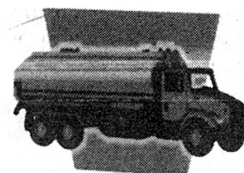
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# Public Safety LOGS

The information in the Public Safety Log is taken from official law enforcement agency records or comments from the spokespersons for those agencies.

## Accidents - Deer

BUCKSPORT – Police reported these car/deer accidents this week:

- At approximately 2:20 a.m. on the Millvale Road, Monday, Sydney Howard, hit a deer while driving a Chevy Equinox. The deer needed to be dispatched. The vehicle had minimal damage.

- On Tues. at approximately 5:45 a.m. Olivia Gray, 19 of Sedgwick was driving a 2017 Subaru when she struck a deer while driving on Route 46. The deer could not be located but the vehicle had reported damage estimated at \$1,200.

- On Thurs. at approximately 8:30 a.m. an encounter with a deer was reported on the River Road. There was no damage and apparently the deer ran off.

- At approximately 7:40 p.m. on Thurs. a deer ran into the road in front of Carolyn T. Horth, 69 of Orland at the intersection of Route 46 and the Church Road. There was no injury reported.

- On Sat. Chad Coombs, 39 of Bucksport at approximately 3 a.m. was driving a 2015 Kia when he was forced to go off the road to avoid a herd of deer while driving on the Bucks Mills Road. He went into a ditch and hit a mailbox.

## Accidents -

BUCKSPORT – Police reported these accidents here this past week.

- On Sunday at approximately 11 a.m. police received a call about a three vehicle crash at the parking lot of St. Vincent de Paul Church on Franklin Street. James Sohns, 75 of Bucksport, parked his 2018 Toyota and as he was walking away he heard a noise. His vehicle had rolled backward into two already parked cars. There were no injuries and only minor damage.

- On Sunday Courtney Allen, 29 of Orland reported a crash at the intersection of Town Farm and Silver Lake



Roads at approximately 1:56 p.m. There were apparently no injuries and no report was filed.

## Arrest -

BUCKSPORT – These arrests were made by officers last week:

- Christopher Mitchell, 31 of Verona Island was arrested Tues. at approximately 9:50 p.m. on Route 1 for operating a vehicle while under the influence and for violation for condition of release.

## Summonses -

BUCKSPORT – These summonses were processed by officers last week:

- A summons was issued to Sean Eastman, 46, of Bucksport at approximately 10:30 a.m. Mon. for permitting unlawful use of a motor vehicle.

- At approximately 12:55 p.m. on Mon. a summons was issued to Lance Roberts, 27 of Lubec for operating an unregistered vehicle while driving on Main Street. Also he received a citation for an insurance violation.

- At approximately 6:30 a.m. Carlos Maibeth-Mortimer, 32 of Brooklin was cited for a registration violation on Main Street on Wed.

- A citation was issued for speeding 14 to 19 mph over the posted limit to Derek Whalen, 28 of Bucksport while driving on the Bucks Mills Road at approximately 7:29 a.m. on Wed.

- On Wed. at approximately 5:20 p.m. Jason Lenor, 34 of Bucksport was issued a summons for an inspection violation.

- A summons was issued to Deborah Grindle, 33 of Bucksport for Criminal Registration violation while driving on Route 1 on Wed. at approximately 8:50 p.m.

- Eric Warman, 33 of Bangor received a summons for a registration violation. He was pulled over on the River Road approximately 5 p.m. on Thurs.

- At approximately 5:37 p.m. on Thurs. James Darragh, 28 of Bucksport was issued a summons for insurance violation while driving on Broadway.

- Derek Dunbar, 32 of Bucksport was summoned for operating after suspension and received a citation for operating an unregistered motor vehicle on Main Street at Approximately 5:30 a.m. Fri.

## Theft - BUCKSPORT -

At approximately 6 a.m. Thurs. Shelby Freilino, 30 of Bucksport was charged with unauthorized use of property on the Willins Orchard Road.

## Other - BUCKSPORT -

At approximately 2:49 p.m. a report of an individual passed out on the ground came in. Police checked and the person was transported to the hospital.

## SENIOR CENTER EVENTS & MENU

**Fri. May 27** - Senior Chorus will perform at noon. **Sun. 1** - 4 p.m. classic country music. **Tues** - Super Bingo 4:45pm **Wed. June 1** - All invited to hear Deputy Winchester talk at the Center on Scam Safety.

## Luncheon menus

Meals are \$6 and can be ordered by anyone, regardless of age or income. For reservations or delivery call in advance: 469-3632 before 9 a.m. on the day of the luncheon. Please mail checks to: 125 Broadway, Box 200, Bucksport ME 04416.

- Friday, May 20 - Chop suey, garlic bread, salad and fresh fruit.

- Monday, May 23 - Mild chili, corn muffins and a cookie.

- Wednesday, May 25 - Chicken alfredo, snap peas, dinner roll and pie.

- Friday, May 27 - Baked haddock, rice pilaf, peas and lemon tart.

- Monday, May 30 - no meal Memorial Day

- Wednesday, June 1 - Chicken tenders, potato salad, green beans and lemon cake.

- Friday, June 3 - Cabbage rolls, mashed potato, peas and ice cream.

- Monday, June 6 - Chop suey, garlic bread, sliced cucumbers and strudel stick.

## Orland news

ORLAND – Orland will hold voting for the State primary, local municipal officers, a municipal local option liquor referendum, and the RSU 25 budget validation referendum on Tuesday, June 14, from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.

The **Orland Town Meeting** will be Wednesday, June 15, at 7 p.m. The election and the Town Meeting will be at the Orland Community Center at 21 School House Road.

The **liquor referendum** is a repeat of one passed by the town's voters years ago that allows full liquor license holders to serve alcohol on Sundays. The paperwork for the earlier vote has been rejected by state liquor license regulators so the voters will have to take another "shot" this year. Town officials need a paper ballot vote tally to please the state regulators, but

no action ever has been taken in recent years to curb their pouring of liquor on the Sabbath.

The **RSU 25** vote is an annual requirement for the budget and must be accepted by the majority of the voters in the four member towns.

The candidates for the local posts on this year's ballot are running uncontested.

Absentee balloting, and In-person absentee balloting will be available on Tuesday, May 17, through Thursday, June 9, at the Orland Town Office during regular business hours. A drop box is to the left of the front door, and is checked at least daily during the absentee balloting period.

Information, links and sample ballots are on the town's website: <https://townoforland.org/election-information/>



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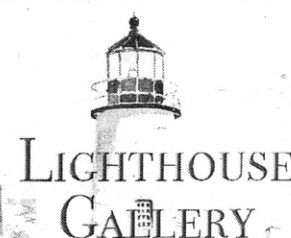
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Bucks beat Dexter 10-0 for their 500th win and now are 13-1 on the season.

PHOTOS BY RICK MCHALE

### BUCKSPORT BASEBALL SCORES/HIGHLIGHTS

#### May 18 Bucks at Sunner 22-0

The Bucks used 4 different pitchers in the 5 inning shutout with Gavyn Holyoke, Cam Rich, Gunny Cyr, and Ayden Maguire doing their jobs on the mound. At the plate, Ty Giberson and Brandon Elden each contributed with 3 hits and RBIs apiece. Jake Guty and Cam Rich also added in multiple hits with the team totaling 15 hits on the day to go along with their 9 walks.

#### May 20 Bucks at GSA 6-1 Win

Another solid 6-1 win for the Bucks tonight down at GSA!

Jake Guty led us on the mound going 7 innings with 17Ks no walks, 2

hits and 1 unearned run.

At the plate Ayden Maguire led the way with 3 hits, Ty Giberson and Gavyn Holyoke added two each while the Bucks totaled 11 hits on the day!

#### May 23 Bucks home vs Dexter 8-0 win

The Bucks beat Dexter tonight 8-0!

Ty Giberson led us on the mound giving up just 1 hit and 1 walk to go with his 13 Ks over 7 shutout innings!

Brandon Elden led the team offensively with 2 hits and 2 RBIs. Jake Guty added our other hit, the team worked 9 walks and stole 4 bases.

**Coach Joshua Jackson**



— See page 1 and 4 for more sports pictures and highlights.

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### Events/Meetings

#### — Saturday, May 28

**Bucksport Garden Club's Annual Plant & Pie Sale** will be held on May 28th at 74 Main Street, Bucksport, across from the Community Pharmacy from 9-12. Lots of annuals, perennials, used books and bake goods on offer.

#### — Saturday, June 11

**Public Breakfast**  
The Bucksport United Methodist Church at 3 River Road in Bucksport will host a Public Breakfast on Saturday June 11th. Seating is from 6:30 am-9:30 am. This is All-You-Care-to-Eat meal which features many delicious entrees, beverages and homemade baked goods. \$10.00 for adults and \$ 4.00 for young children. For more information call 469-3622 or Email bucksportumc@aol.com.

#### Every Monday Bucksport Area Gamblers Anonymous

- BAGA will meet at 123 Main Street (River of Hope Church. 469-3410

#### — Saturday, June 18

**LGBTQIA+** - A local group is sponsoring its second annual Pride Festival at the Town Dock on the waterfront beginning at 2 p.m. Free admission Musicians, speakers, activities and free pizza. Also vendors and artists. Donations to the local Pride group are welcome. A portion of the proceeds will be donated to Bucksport's LGBTQIA+ youth organizations at the Reach School and Bucksport High School.

### Concerts

#### Thursday, May 26

at 7:00 PM, the **Bucksport High School Music Department** will present its annual Spring Concert at the Clain Auditorium in the Bucksport Performing Arts Center. The concert will feature the BHS Band, Jazz Band, and Jazz Combo. The eclectic program is

sure to offer something for everyone.

#### Tuesday, May 31

Flash in the Pans Waterfront Concert - Watch for further information in this column. (tentatively set 7:30 p.m.)

### BEAN SUPPERS

#### Saturday, June 4

**AUCTION/ BEAN SUPPER**-The **Elm Street Congregational Church** will sponsor a fundraising Baked Bean Supper and silent auction for Barbara Perry's grandson, Lucas Graychase, diagnosed with terminal cancer. Sat., June 4 from 5 - 6:30 p.m. Tickets are \$10. Donations are welcome. For information or to help call: 469-3333.

#### Saturday, Aug. 13 -Concert

**JUST FOR FUN Trombone Concert** — featuring the finest trombone players from all over the U.S. East Coast of the s and Canada. The 35<sup>th</sup> edition will be held at 7 p.m. in the Elm Street Congregational Church.

### In Brown Hall

#### Monday, May 30 -

**TARTAN TUNES** - Scottish dancing has resumed in Brown Hall 5 to 7 p.m. For details, call Dawn Little at 469-8747. New participants and observers are most welcome.

#### Monday, May 30 -

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#### Tuesday, May 31 -

**BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP** - Wendell Berry book "Misery 1943". New participants and observers are most welcome. 7 - 8:30pm.

Book group will participate in the Flash in the Pan concert on the waterfront Tues. June 7.

#### Wednesday, June 1 -

**GRACE** 10:30 a.m. to noon. (Grass Roots Arts & Community Education) meets in the Community Meeting room. Newcomers are welcome. FMI: 469-3333.

• AAA & Al-Anon meetings at 7p.m.

#### Friday, June 3 - BROWN BAG LUNCH WITH THE MINISTER, 12 - 1PM

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#### Friday, June 3 -

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**Saturday, June 4 -FUNDRAISING BAKED BEAN SUPPER** - for Barbara Perry's grandson, Lucas Graychase, diagnosed with terminal cancer. Sat., June 4 from 5 - 6:30 p.m. Tickets are \$10. Donations are welcome. For information or to help call: 469-3333.

#### Saturdays

• **BAKED BEAN SUPPERS** - 5-6 p.m. on the third Saturday of the month.

### In the libraries

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#### Wednesday and Thursdays

• **STORY TIMES** - Children explore the world of books and stories each Wednesday at 11:30 a.m. and each Thursday at 4 p.m.

#### Blue Hill Public Library

**June 11 3pm Art Show: At Home Abroad** - Presentation and tour of the art show the Watercolors of David D. Pearce, paintings of Maine and various foreign postings by a retired diplomat. The artist will be available to answer questions until 5 pm. Blue Hill Library, 374-5515.

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#### June 1 Wednesday, 3:30 - 5pm

**Heartstopper Viewing Party for Teens** - 3 episodes of the live-action show based on the graphic novel series, Blue Hill Library, 374-5515.

**June 2 Thursday, 6 pm Reading by playwright Laura Emack** of her new play Hind Sight, Blue Hill Library.

• **FIX IT CLINIC!** - **Saturday June 4**, at 3 p.m. Bring broken electronics, toys, small appliances, etc. To register visit the library's calendar at [www.bhpl.net](http://www.bhpl.net) or call 374-5515.

• **JUST FOR KIDS** - Online Storytime Children of all ages can participate on Tuesdays any time after 10:30 a.m. YouTube channel (get link at <https://bhpl.libcal.com>)

#### Wednesdays

• **PLAYIN' IN THE PARK** - A preschool play group at the Blue Hill Town Park every Wednesday from 11 to noon, weather permitting Those up to five years of age and their caregivers are welcome.

• **CHECK IT OUT** - The Youth Chess Club each Thurs. at 3 p.m. Kids of all ages are invited to the Howard room to play chess. Learn, or just play the game.

#### Stockton Springs Community Library

#### Saturday, June 4

**Annual Book, Bake, and Plant Sale** 9 am to 1 pm the Stockton Springs Community Library will host its at the library in Stockton Springs. Time to come out of hibernation and join in the fun as you find bargains to read, eat, or plant. The sale starts promptly at 9:00 so no early birds please.

#### Thursdays

• **CHILDREN'S STORY HOUR** - Preschoolers and Homeschoolers are invited to join us at 6 Station St. every Thurs 10 - 11 a.m. for a take-home craft and a snack-together. 567-4147.