Video Streaming Comes to Town!



This week, North Yarmouth launched its new video streaming service. This service will be trialed during December.

For those not familiar with video streaming, it provides for an alternative means, using an internet connection, to watch town meetings LIVE. It is an effective tool for those who cannot access television at the time of a meeting, or for those who do not have cable.

As with Vimeo, you can even watch the meeting at your convenience. Streaming takes place simultaneously with the regular broadcast.

Because this is a trial, town officials want to hear from users. It will be this feedback that they will help make the decision if the service should be continued.

It is very simple to access and the link is: http://www.townhallstreams.com/locations/north-varmouth-me

Fight Hunger Support Cumberland/North Yarmouth Food Bank

Some say that the best way to support hunger-relief is by donating money to a local food bank and encouraging friends to do the same. Therefore, I am asking you to help me raise funds for the Cumberland/North Yarmouth Food Bank.

We could simply write checks, but I thought it would be fun to enhance the giving experience by including a raffle for a prefilled Christmas stocking. I have a stocking for a boy and a girl between the ages of three and eight. Each stocking is valued at \$135. The actual stockings are on display at the town offices of Cumberland and North Yarmouth. Stop by, make a donation, and enter the raffle. No time to go to the town office. No problem. Simply click to make your pledge online and mail in your check.

Anyone who donates between December 1 and December 19th will be given a raffle ticket. Only one stocking per raffle/donation. Multiple donations per individual is acceptable. Recommended donation \$20 or more.

You do not have to have children to qualify for the raffle. If your name is drawn, we will be happy to give the stocking to a child in need in your honor or in honor/memory of a loved one.

You have three ways to DONATE:

- Make a donation in person at the Cumberland Town Office
- Make a donation in person at the North Yarmouth Town Office
- Pledge online and mail your check to the address provided in the confirmation email you receive.

Lastly, I would like to thank Town Managers Bill Shane and Rosemary Roy for their support and help.

Should you have any questions, you may reach me at 831-0160 or by email at darla@softtrac.com.

Christmas Tree Lighting Party Starring Santa Claus!



Gather around the big tree in front of F.O. Bailey Real Estate at the corner of Routes 9 and 115 on Sunday, December 6th at 6pm! After some caroling, the new/old town Christmas tree will be lit for the first time in years. Afterwards, join Santa at the Fire Station and enjoy cookies and cocoa.

The NYEC would like to thank:

North Yarmouth Public Works for stringing the lights.

Rob Dransfield for reaching out to Santa.

F.O. Bailey Real Estate for providing power and letting us use their tree.

Walnut Hill Garden Club for providing goodies.

The North Yarmouth Community Band for providing the soundtrack.

All of our sponsors for their support

(it took a lot of lights to decorate that tree!)

A+ Garage Doors
Ames Farm Center
F.O. Bailey Real Estate
Bowdoin Excavation
Casco Bay Paving & Construction
Cedar Springs Technologies
Law Offices of Thaddeus V. Day, PLLC
Michael A. Frost, DMD
Hansel's Orchard
North Yarmouth Business Association
North Yarmouth Memorial Park Corporation
North Yarmouth Variety
Patriot Insurance Company
Soft Trac

Video Broadcast Technician Needed

The Town of North Yarmouth is seeking someone to video and record board and committee meetings on our local cable access channel 2.

This is a permanent part time position. The experienced applicant will operate video cameras and digital recording equipment. Applicant will perform his/her duties on most Tuesday nights for a minimum of two hours.

Additional nights may be requested, with advance notice given.

Please send your resume to:

Town Manager 10 Village Square Road North Yarmouth, ME 04097

or email to manager@northyarmouth.org

Donations to the North Yarmouth Heating Fuel Fund Welcome

During harsh winters in the northeast, older and vulnerable people are at greater risk of poor health, even death, due to excessive cold temperatures. Many people live in fuel poverty, and many of these are over age 60. Some of these people live in our town.

Donations to your local Keep North Yarmouth Warm Heating Fuel Fund will help to support those most in need of help, making sure they can afford to stay warm and stay healthy throughout the winter.



100% of all your donations go to the Fund

No administrative costs – ever

Donations to the Keep North Yarmouth Warm Heating Fuel Fund may be made by contacting Town Clerk, Debbie Grover at 829-3705 or

email: townclerk@northyarmouth.org



Town of North Yarmouth Winter Parking Ban



Parking on any public town roadway is prohibited between the hours of 12:00 - 6 am from November 15, 2013, through April 15, 2014.

Any vehicle parked in violation of this ordinance may be towed away at the owner's expense in accordance with the provisions of MRSA Title 29 Sec. 4.

Broadcast Issues!

In the past year, due to problems with Time Warner equipment, the audio portion of two broadcasts of Select Board meetings has been missing. The problem has since been corrected, according to Time Warner.

The video equipment used by the town has recorded those meetings and they may be seen (and heard) online at the town website http://www.northyarmouth.org.

All Select Board meetings are available online on the day following the meeting. They are also re-broadcast on Channel 2.

More Community News From RFTH!

Look here for news of other events in our community

MSAD 51

Skyline Farm

Casco Bay CAN

Cooperative Extension

Lyme Disease Support Group

MSAD 51 Ranger Connection

Royal River Conservation Trust

North Yarmouth Historical Society

Cumberland/North Yarmouth Recreation









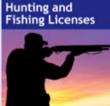
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Looking for a meeting date? Click here. <u>Meeting Calendar >></u> Looking for an agenda or minutes? Click here. <u>Agendas & Minutes >></u>

Online Services













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