

February 9, 2018

Town News

Wescustogo Hall & Community Center Forums Design Presentation & Community Dialogue

Forum Dates & Times:

- February 15th at 10 a.m. & 7 p.m.
- March 10th at 10 a.m.
- March 15th at 7 p.m.

All Forums are held at the former Memorial School located at 120 Memorial Highway.



Need a ride? Members of the Living Well in North Yarmouth Committee will provide transportation to and from the Forum. Contact Ginny at (207) 829-3848 to arrange for a ride.

Want to know more? Click Here



- 2-12-2018 FY18/19 Budget Presentations 6pm
- 2-13-2018 Planning Board 7pm
- 2-14-2018 Select Board Budget Meeting 6pm
- 2-16-2018 Budget Committee Meeting 12:30pm
- 2-21-2018 Select Board 7pm
- 2-21-2018 Comprehensive Plan Committee 6:30pm
- 2-22-2018 Wescustogo Building & Design Comm. 7pm @ NYMS



Notice of Public Hearings

Planning Board Tuesday, February 13, 2018 At 7pm in the Town Office Meeting Room Apple Brook Subdivision

Select Board Tuesday, February 21, 2018 At 7pm in the Town Office Meeting Room Proposed Changes to the Town Charter



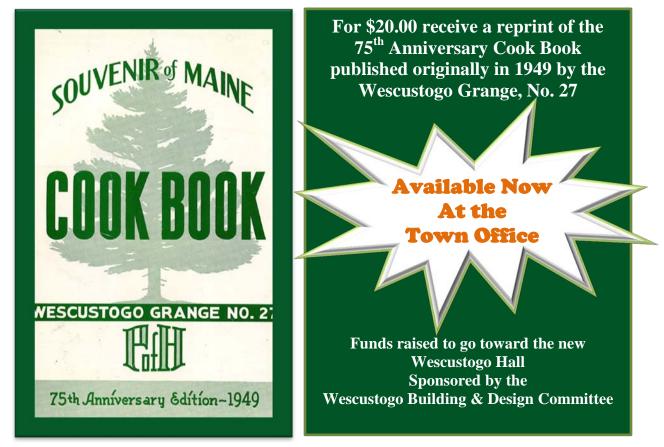
Municipal Offices Closed

Monday, February 19, 2018



Republican Caucus: Saturday, February 10th starting at 9am in Room 12 at the Memorial School. Registrar of Voters will be available for new voter registrations from 8:30am to 9:30am.

Democratic Caucus: Sunday, March 4th starting at 1pm in rooms 12 & 13 at the Memorial School. Registrar of Voters will be available for new voter registrations from 12:30pm to 1:30pm.



Get Your Copy Today!

Copies available at the Town Office or mail a check for \$23 (cookbook and postage) made payable to the Town of North Yarmouth to 10 Village Square Road, North Yarmouth, ME 04097 and a copy will be mailed to you.



Winter Sand for Residential Driveways

Winter sand is available for residents' personal use. Each residential dwelling is eligible for up to 20 gallons (four 5 gallon pails) of sand per storm. The use of municipal sand for the sanding of private roads is prohibited.

Sand pile is located at the entrance of the PWD facilities – 40 Parsonage Rd.





Volunteers are the heart of the community. Are you looking for a way to help your community?

Economic Development and Sustainability Committee Meets once a month

This committee works on the development and promotion of sustainable economic strategies supported by the community that will strengthen the local economy, utilize resources and meet the current and future needs of North Yarmouth.

The committee is currently working on the placement and setup of Tax Increment Financing districts within the Village Center.

3 members needed

Planning Board Meets once a month

The Planning Board is responsible for oversight and management of the North Yarmouth Land Use Ordinance. The Board works closely with the Code Enforcement Office to uphold and fulfill the town's ordinance as well as related state laws providing revisions recommendations or as needed or required.

2 alternate members needed

<u>Joint Standing Committee</u> <u>North Yarmouth &</u> <u>Cumberland</u> Meets as needed

The Joint Standing Committee members work together on the different community services and facilities that are shared between the two towns with the focus on Adult & Youth Recreation programs, Prince Memorial Library, and parks, i.e., Knight's Pond Preserve. Because the two towns share of management these. community leaders meet as to maintain services and provide for positive communications.

1 NY citizen member needed

Budget Committee Appointed Positions Meets January - April

It is the responsibly of this committee to review of the Town Manager's proposed town budget providing input or suggestions regarding proposed expenditures and revenues to the Town Manager and the Select Board.

2 members needed

<u>Living Well in North Yarmouth</u> Meets once a month

The Living Well in North Yarmouth assesses community catalogs needs. available services, and inventories the town for it's assets regarding issues of aging. The committee works to develop and implement strategies to respond to the needs/desires expressed by the townspeople. The committee sponsors community activities such as the Knox Box Program, Ice Cream Social, Ping Pong, the Kite Festival, and the First Greeter program.

2 alternate members needed

Zoning Board of Appeals Meets as needed

The Zoning Board of Appeals conducts its affairs in accordance with the provisions of the town's Land Use Ordinance and state laws. Upon request, this Board administers hearings of variance and similar types as described under Section 6.2 of the North Yarmouth Land Use Ordinance Section 6.2.

1 regular & 2 alternate members needed



Contact the Town Office 829-3705, register at online, or email the Town Manager - manager@northyarmouth.org today!

Community News



Locations:

North Yarmouth Memorial School

120 Memorial Highway North Yarmouth

& Greely High School 303 Main St. Cumberland Center

FRIENDS STAY FIT INDOOR WALKING CLUB

Friends In-Home Care is proud to sponsor indoor walking at the North Yarmouth Memorial School and at Greely High School. The program runs from January 2018 to April 2018. It provides seniors a warm, safe environment for walking and keeping fit. For more information, call us at 846-5525 **Dates & Time are**

Tuesday & Thursday at North Yarmouth Memorial School Starting January 30th 9-10am

Saturday at Greely High School

Starting February 3rd 9-10am

Cost:

FREE! (donations accepted)



Garbage to Garden Buckets Available at the Town Office

Use a bucket to collect your scrap food items and transport them to the Garbage to Garden Kiosk Located in the parking lot at the Fire Rescue Station (463 Walnut Hill Road)

Acceptable Items Include:

- Vegetables, fruit, citrus, bread
- Cooked & raw food
- Pits, peels, shells, bones & seeds
- Meat, dairy & bread
- Coffee grounds, filters and tea bags (without the staple)
- Clean, non-glossy paper
- Napkins, food-soiled paper
- products, wax paper, muffin liners
- Hair & laundry lint)

For more information about *Garbage to Garden* log on to their website at garbagetogarden.org

Mornings with Friends – Artistic Flair!

Wednesday, February 21st at 10am (Tuttle RD United Methodist Church, Cumberland)



Eleanor Hunter has choreographed a variety of artistic dance moves that can be performed while seated comfortably. Come learn how chair dancing can tone the body, reduce stress, and improve your posture, balance and flexibility!

FMI: Deborah.gray48@gmail.com or **AIPCumberland.org AIP:** 207-829-2205 **For Rides:** 829-3367 *Free and Open to the Public*

The **Cumberland County Sheriff's Office** is holding a **Citizen's Police Academy** on Tuesday evenings from March 13 to May 8, 2018.

The Academy gives attendees a firsthand look at what law enforcement and correctional professionals do every day. It is an opportunity to open the door to communication between us and our community.

We welcome members of your town office to join us to get a better idea of how we work together. As well, we ask that you post this informational for your community to access, so that they can join us too.

The Citizens Police Academy is free and open to Cumberland County residents.



Become a Foster Grandparent or Senior Companion!



The <u>Opportunity Alliance</u> has meaningful volunteer opportunities available for adults 55 and older in Southern Maine. <u>Foster Grandparents</u> are placed in schools and child development centers to support school readiness and academic achievement of children. <u>Senior Companions</u> make independence a reality for isolated elders by visiting clients in their homes and providing transportation assistance for doctor's appointments and/or grocery shopping.

Volunteers, who commit to a minimum of 15 hours/week and meet generous income guidelines, receive a tax-free stipend, mileage and meal reimbursement. All volunteers receive ongoing training, recognition, and supervision.

We are also accepting referrals for individuals interested in having a Senior Companion provide socialization and local transportation.

To learn more about becoming a volunteer or client, please call **207-773-0202** or toll-free at 1-800-698-4959.





At the NYMS facility 6:30pm to 8pm

Everyone is Welcome It's Free and Fun Paddles & Balls Provided

FMI – Contact Steve Palmer shpalmer@maine.rr.com

Living Well in North Yarmouth





Sand Buckets for Seniors

Are you a senior citizen living at home that needs some help getting sand to spread on your snow-covered steps and walkways?

Here are the details:

Open to Senior Citizens (70+) living in a single home in Cumberland County (the program currently excludes Portland and So. Portland)

A Volunteer in Police Services will deliver a 5 gallon bucket of sand to your home.

You contact us via phone/email when you need more.

At the end of the season, we pick up the buckets.

That's how easy it is!

Don't get stuck in your house due to messy walk ways. Contact us right away to schedule your delivery.

Call: 800-266-1444 x 2176 email: schnupp@cumberlandcounty.org



Community Yoga Classes

Mondays: 11:00am – Seniors Tuesdays: 5:30 – 6:45pm Fridays: 1:00 – 2:15pm

The Memorial School North Yarmouth, ME



NOTE: There are no classes on holidays.



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The winner of Greely Middle School's 2018 geography bee is 7th grader Ben Marchessault. Runner up is Lucie Noonan. Congratulations to both of these students and to all of our competitors!

6th Annual Comedy Night & Silent Auction for GHS Lacrosse Wednesday, March 14th at Rachel's 6 – 8:30pm

by Greely High School Boys and Girls Lacrosse Boosters

NOTE- THIS IS AN ADULT ONLY EVENT

- 6-7pm: Happy Hour with Cash Bar and Silent Auction
- 7-7:30pm: Buffet Dinner
- 7:30-8:30pm: Comedy Show with Dan Crohn

Dan Crohn has been performing stand-up comedy in and around Boston for years. His jokes can be heard on XM Radio and he has been a guest on the popular podcast WTF with Marc Maron.

A semi-finalist in the Boston Comedy Festival and the Laughing Skull Festival, Dan's stories of family and friends have entertained audiences from all over the country. Dan was named one of the top 100 comics for Season 9 of Last Comic Standing. His former day job of teaching 4th graders has provided him with endless amount of material. He has wanted to be a comedian since the age of eight when he stumbled upon his Father's Henny Youngman records.

Here is the link to purchase tickets: <u>https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/6th-annual-comedy-night-and-silent-auction-for-greely-high-school-lacrosse-tickets-41924913545</u>

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