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Photo by Cathy MacNeill

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On the Cover:

The cover photo by Cathy MacNeill shows "Bayview Cottage" off East Shore Drive. Formerly part of the Orchard Cottage complex and used as a guest house. This was part of the main dining room of the Orchard Cottage and was moved to its present location. It is owned by Jane Hahn's son, Robert Flynn.

This House History was provided by Deb Bowman, Island Council President.



About the Calendar

The Calendar is a monthly publication of the Chebeague Island Council, delivered to every occupied residence on the island. Members of the Island Council who are off-island at the time of publication may choose to view it online or, for a few dollars more, receive it by first class mail.

Payment is required at the time of submission. Please mail your payment to the Chebeague Island Council at P.O. Box 12 or place your addressed envelope in the Library Drop Box.

Always welcome: news, stories, art, photos or anything else you would like to share with our community!

! The deadline for the June issue #6 is noon on Thursday, May 21st.

Preferred delivery method is via email attachment (**ads:** .jpeg or .jpg or .pdf **submissions:** .doc). If email is not possible, you can also drop off or mail your submission to the Hill Residence, 13 South Road. We are happy to help you with the creation of your ad.



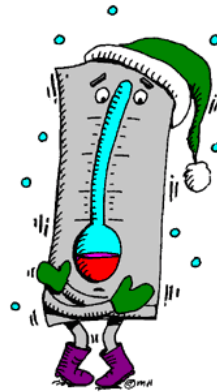
Notes from the Chebeague Island Council

May

As we transition from the long winter into Spring, let's watch for the changes that Nature brings us and our own responses to that change. I look forward to the daffodils that pop up at all the intersections and remind me of Lewis Ross. I listen for the peepers and then say the word beepers because that is what Cooper called them when he was a little guy. I watch every day on my way to the Library the buoys, floats and boats that start to appear in the water at the Boatyard. I start to wash windows and prepare bags of rummage for either the Grange or Goodwill. The clothespins go back on the line and tentative trips to the beach are made. We all breathe new air.

Deb Bowman, Council President

If you need **Emergency Fuel Assistance** or know someone who does, please ring Gin Ballard at **653 5651**. All calls are confidential. The Emergency Fuel Assistance program is to help get you through a rough financial spot. The program will put money towards WHATEVER your heat source is.



Food Assistance is available from the **Church's year around Food Pantry**. It supplies food/ household items/personal hygiene items. **Contact Lola Armstrong at 846 4106 or 846 4737**. Additional Food Assistance can be obtained through the **Samaritan Fund**. Please ring **Gin Ballard at 653 5651**.

Health Center

The Council is restructuring how the Health Center operates and it will remain closed until that restructuring is completed. We know this is a hardship for those patients who received care on Tuesday mornings and for that, we are truly sorry. If you had been receiving services and need to go to town for those services, the Council would like to help. Please contact Ginny Ballard at 653-5651 or me at 846-0609 for more information.

Deborah A. Bowman, President
Chebeague Island Council

Thank you notes

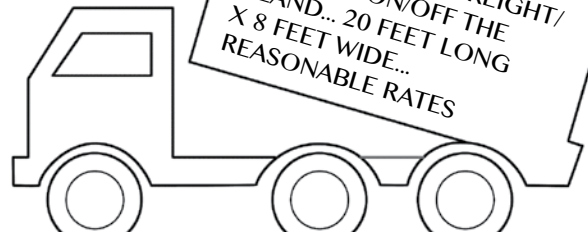
How can I possibly thank you all enough? Please know that the cards, letters, emails, and phone calls were all so appreciated and enjoyed by Leon, and me.

They helped make us feel closer to our beloved Island community even though we were in Florida for the duration of Leon's illness. Leon was deeply moved by your thoughtfulness. Chebeague is home, and it is a very special place. My family, the extended Hamilton family, and I are so touched by the outpouring of affection and kindness we have been experiencing. Thanks so much! You're the best!

Love, Jen

Thank you to the people of Chebeague. I have been overwhelmed by the kindness being shown to me by everyone since coming to live at the Island Commons. I especially want to thank the staff of The Commons, the volunteers, and the friendship of my fellow residents. I appreciate all the help everyone has given me. The CTC staff is always friendly and happy. The Chebeague Island Rescue has saved me more than once with kindness and professionalism. I am blessed to be here. From the bottom of my heart, thank you. Joan Kendall Deming

Island Electric



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VEHICLES ON/OFF THE
ISLAND... 20 FEET LONG
X 8 FEET WIDE...
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Please call **Kim Boehm, 846-2468**
or email **isldelt@juno.com**

From the editors

It seems the weather has finally turned, and the promise of warmer, sunny days is here! With the busy, summer season approaching, we are preparing for an even fuller Calendar.

We welcome all submissions, ads, and thank you notes. When contributing to the Calendar, please remember to always include contact information to accompany the ad/article/notice. It is also important to double check for typos and formatting.

To ensure that your ad looks exactly the way you want, it is best to mail as a .pdf. If desktop publishing is not your forte, we would be glad to help. All you have to do is ask. Creating an attractive, enjoyable, and easy-to-read publication is always our goal. The more people contribute, the better the Calendar is for everybody. Don't forget to let us know about events that need to be added to the Calendar, too!

Tom & Elizabeth Schutte

SEW GOOD

The Sew Good Sewers are meeting May 27th & June 24, at the Parish House anytime after 10 a.m. until the last person turns out the lights & closes the door. Bring lunch & a pot luck dish for dinner. We will continue our projects of providing table napkins & runners for the Commons & other community based projects. Plus, remember to bring your own projects, or come learn new techniques or get refreshed in the fun of sewing & sewing with a machine or just share time with sewers.

For more information call Karen Corson; 846-0938 or Lola Armstrong; 846-4737

The Recompense Fund

We are pleased to see that donations to our very successful 2014 fundraising campaign continue to arrive, including our first-ever memorial gift. We have not promoted this type of giving, but it is certainly welcomed.

We have received a number of inquiries asking if it is too late to contribute to the 2014 campaign, and the answer is no! We are happy to receive donations at any time, large or small. It's simple. Write a check to The Maine Community Foundation, note RECO in the memo line, and mail it to us at P.O. Box 42, Chebeague Island, ME 04017.

The 2014 campaign marked our transition to a foundation funded by a large number of Chebeaguers for the benefit of Chebeague nonprofits. We now operate like what might be viewed as a Chebeague-only United Way.

We hope to broaden our base of member support this year and begin to discuss additional bequests as appropriate. Our financial goal is to grow our grantmaking capacity every year, allowing us to continue strengthening Chebeague nonprofits.

Leila Bisharat	Betts Mayer	Scott Searway
Justin Doughty	Eldon Mayer	Jim Van Fleet
Caitlin Gerber	Manny Morgan	Linda White
Beverly Johnson	Ralph Munroe	

For more information about Recompense, please contact islandlife@chebeague.net.

THE FOOT DOCTOR, RUSSELL RYBKA,

is coming to Chebeague on **Wednesday, May 27th at 9:00 AM.** Call **829 6463** for an appointment.

Walk-ins welcome too.



Chebeague Recreation Center

207-846-5068
www.chebeaguerec.com

Current Events

Adult Programs

Bellyfit—Mon, Thurs & Sat
Breath Meditation—Fridays
Paint Nite—May 9
Pottery, *stay tuned for details*
Personal Training—*by appointment*
Music Lessons—*by appointment*

Youth Programs

Spring Running
Creative Corner
Music Lessons
T-Ball in June
Teen Center
Friday and Saturday nights

LAWN PARTY
CROQUET
TOURNAMENT
& **BOCCI BALL**

ART AUCTION

August 1, 2015

Kids :: 3-4:00
Adults :: 4-6:00
Auction :: 6-7:30

Wine
Hors d'oeuvres
Competition
& Art

Call to Register!

June

Paint Party at The Hall
Clown College

July

July 4th Picnic
—*Order Lobster Rolls now before they sell out!*
Clown College
Farm Camp
Tennis Camp
British Soccer Camp
Dance Camp
Summer Theater
—*Performances are July 24 & 25*

August

Lawn Party and Croquet
Tournament, August 1.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Certified Lifeguards :: for shifts in June & September and some hours in July & August

Teen Center Leaders :: Tues-Sat, 7-10 PM

Island Electric would like to remind everyone we provide the following services:

- Repairs and service for electric appliances, water heaters, water pump systems, septic pump systems, sump pumps, and lamp and light fixture repairs
- Installation and repair of electrical systems and components, including generator sales and service
- Installation and repair of wiring for telephones, computer, television and sound systems
- Boat and marine wiring (docks, piers, etc)
- Service to other islands via our own boat

Feel free to contact me at 846-2468 or islandelt@juno.com

Thanks, and remember to support your local Island businesses... Kim

Pete Pellerin of "Island Services" is now:

Maine Island Energy



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- Bulk propane deliveries & tank installation
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Additional fee for weekend and holiday service



Chebeague Island Library

846-4351 phone 846-4358 fax

cheplib@hotmail.com

<http://chebeague.chebeague.lib.me.us/winnebago/search/search.asp>



Spring 1990! The new library building was up and the freshly planted garden was in full bloom.

Library Hours

Monday	CLOSED
Tuesday	4 PM – 8:00 PM
Wednesday	10 AM – 1:00 PM
Thursday	4 PM – 8:00 PM
Friday	10 AM – 1:00 PM
Saturday	10 AM – 1 PM
Sunday	CLOSED

Reminder: after Memorial Day, summer hours go into effect.

The Library's high speed, unfiltered Internet access is provided through the Maine School Library Network.

During any power outage, the wireless router is hooked into the Community Center generator and is accessible 24/7.

NEW BOOKS

Return to Mataguas Island by Linda Watkins
Bettyville by George Hodgman **Epitaph** by Mary Doria Russell
The Lady in Gold by Anne-Marie O'Connor
The Mechanical by Ian Tregillis

LIBRARY/COMMUNITY CENTER LANDSCAPING PROJECT

The snow is melting at last; it's finally warming up and the ground is gradually drying. Soon we will be able to start working on the **Library/Community Center Garden Project**. We have budgeted \$12,000 and, *thanks to generous donors*, so far have reached \$4100, approximately 34% of that goal. Some of the money will be set aside to cover future maintenance of the gardens. If you wish to contribute, please send your donation to Chebeague Island Library and designate it "landscaping project." *Thank you!*



The Library is 50 !

Saturday, July 25th --
 Join the Grand
 Celebration!



Memorial Day Service

Chebeague Island Methodist Church
 May 25, 1:00 P M

Please join us to honor our Veterans
 both Past and Present

Island Friends and Family Participating

WITH SPECIAL GUESTS
 The School Children of Chebeague

Ice Cream Social to Follow at the Parish Hall

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132 Littlefield Rd - Chebeague Island ME 04017 - 207-846-5610 Amy Rich, Administrator

ISLAND COMMONS

Residential Care ~ Adult Day Program ~ Respite Care ~ In-Home Care
 islandcommonsresourcecenter.org

GIVE THE GIFT OF TIME....VOLUNTEER!

ACTIVITIES
 Polly Wentworth is our new Activities Coordinator and has brought great new activities into the schedule! See our website activities calendar or give a call...come join in the fun!

JOBS! JOBS!
 Are you interested in working 1 overnight shift per week?
 Contact Amy Rich
 icadmin@chebeague.net

JOIN OUR WAIT LIST TODAY!
 No obligation; we will simply contact you when an opening occurs...



Spring Cleanup & Barbecue

Sat. May 16th 10-1:30
 Help spruce up the Commons!
 (rain date Sun 17th)

Bake & Plant Sale

Sat. May 23, 10-1 at the Hall
Bakers Needed!!!! Call 846-5610
 or email commons@chebeague.net ~ Thank You!

SAVE THE DATES!

Sun. June 28th 2-4:30: **Wine Tasting** at the Inn
 Sat Aug 1st **Yard Sale** 10-12:30 at the Hall

We're excited to announce our latest Home Improvement Project:
KITCHEN REMODEL

Special thanks to Pete Pellerin & Jon Rich for their donated hours during phase one

Births

- 3/22/15 Caitlin & Andrew Layng welcomed Oliver Andrew
- 4/13/15 Kyle & Katie Khasigian welcomed Hadley Jeanne
- 4/20/15 Larkin & Jason Gibas welcomed Bailey Nathaniel

Deaths

- 3/28/15 Leon Hamilton, 67
- 4/11/15 Margery Howard, 94
- 4/14/15 Reverend Birger T Johnson, 88
- 4/23/15 Elizabeth "Betty" Duff Shute, 99



CHEBEAGUE TRANSPORTATION COMPANY

May 2015

What's New at CTC?

Summer Ferry Fare Increase

Effective May 1st, summer ferry fares will increase according to the schedule below. CTC will accept credit cards as a payment method on the ferry and Route One parking lot. Customers who pay with cash or checks will receive a discount.

SUMMER: May 1st - September 30th

Type	Fare	Cash Discount	Cash Price
Individual Tickets			
Round Trip			
Adult	\$ 16.00	\$ (1.00)	\$ 15.00
Child (Age 6-11)	\$ 3.50	\$ (0.50)	\$ 3.00
Pet	\$ 3.50	\$ (0.50)	\$ 3.00
One Way			
Adult	\$ 8.00	\$ (0.50)	\$ 7.50
Child (Age 6-11)	\$ 1.75	\$ (0.25)	\$ 1.50
Pet	\$ 1.75	\$ (0.25)	\$ 1.50
Ticket Books			
Commuters (10 tickets)	\$ 29.50	\$ (1.00)	\$ 28.50
Commuters - Holiday week (8 tickets)	\$ 24.00	\$ (1.00)	\$ 23.00
Resident/Parking Permit Holder - Adult (10 tickets)	\$ 38.50	\$ (1.50)	\$ 37.00
Adult (Age 12 and up) (10 tickets)	\$ 57.00	\$ (2.00)	\$ 55.00
Child (Age 6-11) (20 tickets)	\$ 25.00	\$ (1.00)	\$ 24.00
Pet (20 tickets)	\$ 28.00	\$ (1.00)	\$ 27.00

Annual Parking Fees

Payment in full for annual parking passes was due March 31st. Please remember to affix your 2015 parking permit to your windshield. Parking permits are issued by vehicle. Only "loaners" can be used in place of the permitted vehicle, and the office should be notified that you have a loaner. Customers who have not paid in full their annual parking permits by April 30th will not be allowed to defer any portion of the parking fee the following year.

Gift Certificates

Need a gift for a birthday or another special occasion? How about a Pied Piper cruise, ferry tickets, or other items? Contact the office and order your certificate in any denomination.

Business Office:

(207) 846-5227/846-3700
 16 North Road, PO Box 27
 Chebeague Island, ME 04017
 chebeaguetrans@gmail.com
 chebeaguetrans.com

Barging Has Begun!

The barge and Dovekie returned to the island on 4/17 with fresh coats of paint and many updates to the boat. Thanks to our crew and Royal River Boatyard for such excellent work. We are now open for barging business. Call the office to schedule your barging trips.

Having an Event?

Please let the CTC Office know if you are having a group (more than 15 people) travel on our ferry or bus service.

Congratulations to the Historical Society!

A number of island organizations entered our second annual contest for a free two hour Pied Piper cruise. We are pleased to announce that the Historical Society was this year's winner! Last year the Library had a wonderful fundraising cruise. We're sure the Historical Society will plan a great event this summer!

Summer Office Hours

Start May 1st
 Monday - Friday
 9am-4pm

Cruises & Charters

We are excited that we have booked several 2015 charters already. If you think you may want a charter for a wedding, family reunion, birthday, or any event - please contact us to reserve the date! We are also busy planning our cruise calendar for the season. More information will be provided in our June newsletter. The first three customers who email or call the office and say "Let Summer Begin" will receive two free cruise tickets.

Welcome to our new employees!

CTC welcomes a new part time Captain, Phil See to our team. Phil lives on Cousins Island. Our new summer deckhand is Lucas Phipps - a senior at Greely High School. Lucas lives on Chebeague. Welcome to CTC!

The annual CTC Member Meeting will be held on July 18th at 9AM at the Island Hall.

1 FRIDAY	• Paint Night	Hall	7:00 PM - 9:00 PM
4 MONDAY	• Sunset Committee - Ad Hoc	Historical Society	5:30 PM
5 TUESDAY	• School Committee	School	6:00 PM
12 TUESDAY	• Budget Hearing	Hall	6:00 PM
13 WEDNESDAY	• Board of Selectman	Hall	6:00 PM
16 SATURDAY	• Spring Cleanup & BBQ	Island Commons	10:00 AM - 1:30 PM
18 MONDAY	• Sunset Committee - Ad Hoc	Historical Society	5:30 PM
19 TUESDAY	• School Committee	School	6:00 PM
20 WEDNESDAY	• Community Luncheon	Hall	12:00 PM
	• Board of Selectman	Hall	6:00 PM
21 THURSDAY	• Planning Board Meeting		7:00 PM
23 SATURDAY	• Commons Plant & Bake Sale	Hall	10:00 AM - 1:00 PM
25 MONDAY	• Memorial Day Service	Church/Parish	1:00 PM
	• Cemetary Committee Meeting	Hall	4:30 AM
27 WEDNESDAY	• Sew Good	Parish Hall	10:00 AM
28 THURSDAY	• Coastal Waters Commision		6:00 AM

- Church services are every Sunday at 10:00 AM
- Wednesdays: Soup & Coffee at the Hall From 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM
- Ladies Aid meets every Thursday

JUNE	AUGUST
6 Town Meeting	1 Commons Annual Yard Sale
9 Election Day	1 CRC Lawn Party
27 Whaler's Concert	6 Ladies Aid Summer Fair
JULY	8 Island Music Night
24 Summer Theater Performance	11 CIHS House Tour: Transformations
25 Library's 50th Anniversary	12 CCLT Monarchs and Milkweed Workshop
25 Summer Theater Performance	22 Island Music Night

If you have any important upcoming dates you want to have listed in the calendar, please send an email to island.calendar@chebeague.net with: title of the event, location and time. Thank you.

Chebeague United Methodist Church News

Mary Jane O'Connor-Ropp, Pastor
 Ariette Scott, Secretary
chebeaguechurch@chebeague.net
 846-4106



Thank You

to everyone who filled out our recent survey! We received close to one hundred responses, and we are so grateful to have your input. Your thoughtfulness, time and effort are very appreciated.

A Reminder

that both the Food Pantry and the Samaritan Fund are available to assist your family with food and other necessities and all inquiries are confidential.

For the Food Pantry,
 call Lola Armstrong at 846-4737
 For the Samaritan Fund,
 call Ginny Ballard at 653-5651

Don't Miss The Whalers' June Concert What's In A Name



Saturday, June 27

7:30 p.m. Chebeague Island Hall



Chebeague Island Historical Society notes

The Slate of Nominations for the Historical Society will be posted on the Islander, at the Store & on the Chebeague Island News page.

Anyone wishing to nominate a member for an Officer or Board position may submit a written petition signed by seven [7] or more members of the Society to the recording secretary at least ten [10] days before the Annual Meeting & posted not fewer than seven [7] days before the meeting. The Annual Meeting is routinely held the third Saturday of June.

All communications can be addressed to Donna Damon, President; [c/o publicservantone@gmail.com](mailto:publicservantone@gmail.com) or 846-5140 or Karen Corson, Recording Secretary; c/o kwcorson@gmail.com or 846-0938.

DID YOU KNOW

Orange is the national color of the Netherlands because orange is the color of the Dutch Royal Family, which hails from the House of Orange?



The King's official birthday (King's Day, Koningsdag) in the Netherlands is celebrated each year with parties, street markets, concerts and special events for the royal family on April 27?



"The Netherlands" and "Holland" are used to describe the same country?



One quarter of the Netherlands is below sea level?



When your plane arrives at Schiphol, it lands 4.5 metres below sea level?



The Netherlands was one of the European Union's founding nations?



About 30% of all Dutch babies are born at home?



The Netherlands' highest point is 323 metres high and is therefore called a "mountain"?



Amsterdam is the capital of the Netherlands, but The Hague is the seat of government?



The International Court of Justice is at the Peace Palace in The Hague?



People in Holland eat raw herring with onions on top?



'Aardvark' is actually a Dutch word, and literally translates to 'earth pig'?



Many English words are derivative from Dutch?



The editors of the Calendar are Dutch?

Where can a patient get lab work done?

Anywhere they want to. It is the patient's choice, and all labs have high standards. There is a federal law that prohibits a doctor, clinic, or insurance company from requiring patients to use specific labs. The only requirement is that the lab be "Medicare Approved." All the labs in Maine are Medicare Approved and serve all patients.

If a doctor at Maine Medical Center orders lab work, it can be drawn and processed at any hospital, clinic, or lab office. Most have a much shorter wait line than Maine Medical Center. All that is required is an order for the lab work. Remember: this rule is in effect even if the patient is in an HMO.

The law came about in the 1980s when a congressman named Pete Stark discovered that some doctors were building their own labs so they could get a bigger piece of the pie. It was then discovered that when doctors had their own labs, they ordered more lab work. Some HMOs set up their own labs so they did not need to pay out to other labs. These practices were costly, did not benefit the patients, and prevented competition.

This law continues to evolve. It now includes physical therapy, home health agencies, X-Rays, medical equipment, colonoscopies, and more. It is called the Stark Law. It has saved patients money and inconvenience. However, it does not prevent a doctor or insurance company from specifying which hospital may be used for surgery.

Our medical system is complicated; it's important to know what your rights are.

Nancy L. Hill, R.N., C. EMT-Paramedic, 846-4126



Fire Fighter Footnotes

Burn Permits and Parking

A Burning Permit is an absolute must if you are planning any type of outside burning. The permit is FREE. The permit lists the items that can and cannot be burned. Please read the permit PRIOR to starting the fire.

ALL FIRES MUST BE ATTENDED AT ALL TIMES

To get a burning permit during office hours, contact the **Town Office** at 846-3148, otherwise contact:

Ralph Munroe 712-3827	Tom Calder 272-2488
Lisa Israel 274-0716	(available after 3:30 during the week and anytime during the weekend)

For more information, go to www.townofchebeagueisland.org

Important resource numbers

AA 24hr hotline	774-4335/800-737-6237
Al Anon/Alateen to help family/friends of alcoholics.....	284-1844/800-498-1844
NA hotline.....	800-974-0062
24 hr Crisis Intervention and Suicide Prevention Hotline.....	888-568-1112
Statewide Sexual Assault Crisis Hotline.....	800-871-7741
Family Crisis Services.....	800-537-6066

Island Electric

In my quest to rid the island of junk cars and unsightly scrap, I am again **collecting** any and all **metals**, including old outboards, lawnmowers, etc. **Junk or unwanted vehicles** will be removed for **free**, even if they need to be towed.

All proceeds are donated to Island organisations. Thank you for your kind words and support!

Help keep the island clean and green!
Please call **Kim Boehm, 846-2468**
or email islandelt@juno.com

Fire/Rescue needs your help.

Please be sure to pull off the road as much as you can when visiting a friend's house. If you have a meeting or party, have everyone park on the same side of the road. This will allow Fire/Rescue vehicles to respond to a call quickly.

Thanks!



Property Maintenance

Lawn Mowing, Bush hogging, Wood chipping, Stump grinding, Brush removal, Rototilling, driveway grading, snow removal, and more....

Call Nathan Doughty
712-4017 or 846-4133



Cemetery cleaning

Perhaps, when you visit your cemetery plot to plant flowers for Memorial Day and clear the area of winter's twigs and branches -- and last year's vases, as well -- you discover that the stone itself has suffered during the fall and winter. Some soil may be from dirt and mud left by the snow, or air pollution; some lichens or mosses may have begun to grow on the stone. Bird droppings and tree sap may have adhered to its surface. What to do, and how to do it?

- First, use the gentlest available method: a soft brush, like a toothbrush, or vegetable brush, and enough clear water both for cleaning and rinsing -- you'll need more water than you think. Be prepared with at least a pail full.
- Soak the stone thoroughly with water first. The stone will absorb the water and you will be able to brush



minerals, salts, and some algae from the stone more easily.

- Brush carefully over a small area, starting from the bottom up, then rinse that area before moving to the next one. Treat the areas on the entire stone that way.
- If you see no difference, it may be that you will need some mild cleaner to add to the water treatment.

Members of the Town's Cemetery Committee are researching the best kind of cleaning agent to use on gravestones. We'll have more information for you next month in this space. (Landscape Subcommittee members are Jane Frizzell, Gloria Brown, Cathy MacNeill, and Marianne Durgin).

FMI: Gloria Brown, 846-3491, gjbrown58a@gmail.com

Classified ads



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Notes From the Hall

The Chebeague Island Hall Community Center is continuing her facelift. After insulating the attic and front wall, installing a vent fan in the kitchen to reduce moisture buildup, and preparing the crawlspace, Jon Riley and his crew are waiting for Bo to work his excavating magic and place twenty new posts and regrade the outside perimeter to help promote drainage away from the building. (FYI, that's a laywoman's perception of what the crew is doing.) Once Bo is done, Jon will finish insulating and protecting the underpinnings of the building and apply new skirting. The end result will be a whole new tighter, greener Hall. There are also more projects in the works. As a result of donations in Martha Hamilton's memory, the stage area is receiving necessary updates, which we hope will be done in time for the library's fiftieth anniversary party.



The Roast Beef Community Lunch, held April 22 and underwritten by Mark Dyer, was the biggest hit of the season, with sixty attendees! What a fitting way to end this community service until next fall. We want to thank Mark once again for his generosity and support of the Hall. We board members continue to be humbled by and grateful for all those who give to the Hall, whether it is their valuable time or a monetary contribution. It reminds all of us how lucky we are to be part of this community.



And speaking of community, we want to remind everyone that the Hall is just one part of the building known as the community center. The other partners are, of course, the Library and

the Island Council, and this triumvirate represents three island nonprofits that work many hours, largely unpaid, to benefit the town of Chebeague Island. Hats off to our other partners--to the Library for giving us fifty years of literary and creative joy and to the Island Council for helping ensure the well-being of all islanders. We are proud to share space with such organizations.

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