

PUBLIC MEALS

FAIRFIELD: Baked bean supper, Sat., Sept. 25, Fairfield Ctr. Methodist Church. 4:30-6 pm.
WATERVILLE: Bean/chop suer supper. Sat., Sept. 25, 4 - 6 p.m. Humane Society, 873-2430.
NORTHPORT: VFW all you can eat bean/veggie supper. Sat., Sept. 25, 4:30 - 6 p.m.
PALERMO: Branch Mills Grange potluck supper. Sat., Sept. 25, 5 - 6:30 p.m.
SKOWHEGAN: Bean/casserole supper. Centenary Methodist Church, Sat., Sept. 25, 5 - 6 p.m., Dr. Mann Rd.
SO. CHINA: Turkey pie supper, Sat., Oct. 2, 5 - 6:30 pm. So. China Comm. Church. 399-6359

FUNDRAISER

SKOWHEGAN: Gala, T&B Celebration Ctr. Sat., Oct. 2, 7 - 11p.m., Tony Boffa Band, for Humane Society. Tickets: 474-7210, 474-3324.

FAIRFIELD: SAL public auction and raffle to benefit veterans. Sun., Oct. 3, Amer. Legion Post, Main St. Seeking donations. 692-7410.

DANCE

MADISON: Sat., Sept. 25, 8:30pm - 12:30 am. American Legion. Paper Street Band, classic rock. smoke free. tickets: 696-5848.

OPEN HOUSE

BINGHAM: Bingham Area Health Ctr., Sat., Sept. 25, 10am-1pm, free health screenings.
WHITEFIELD: ME Alpaca Open Farm Day. Sat., Sept. 25, 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Blue Sky Farm.
RICHMOND: Alpaca Open Farm, Farm in the Meadow. 10 am-4 pm, Sat-Sun, Sept 25-26,
DAMARISCOTTA: Alpaca Open Farm Sat - Sun, Sept 25-26, 10am-4pm, Two Sons Alpacas

FARMERS MARKET

SKOWHEGAN: 1st & 3rd Sat. of mo., corner of Pleasant St. and Madison Ave.
UNITY: Farmers Market open every Saturday through Nov. 20, Unity Comm. Ctr. 948-9005.
LIBERTY: Liberty-Montville Farmers Market. Tues., 3:30-6pm. corner Rtes 3& 220. 993-2500
WATERVILLE: Farmers Market, Thursdays on Concourse and Main St. 2 p.m.
WASHINGTON: Farmers Mkt., Evening Star Grange. 10 am -1 pm, every Sat. 845-2140.
VASSALBORO: East Vassalboro Farmers Market at Grange, Rte. 32. Fridays, 2- 6 p.m.

CRAFT FAIRS/SALES

AUGUSTA: Lithgow Library bag sale. Fri., Sept. 24, 5-7:30 pm, Sat., Sept 25, 9 am-1 pm, at Musician's Choice, King's Court, cash only.
WATERVILLE: Salvation Army huge book, sale. Fri-Sat, Oct 1- 2, 9:30am- 4 pm. 680-2531.
FAIRFIELD: Historical Society History House barn/bake sale, Sat., Oct. 2, 8:30 a.m. - 2 p.m. 42 High St. Accepting items. 453-2998.
WINDSOR: No. Windsor Baptist Ladies Mission Group craft fair/bake sale/lunch at fairgrounds. Sat., Oct. 2. FMI: 485-2190
AUGUSTA: Rent table for Elks Lodge Holiday Fair, Sat., Oct. 30. FMI: 623-2485 or 485-4710.

SHOWS/FAIRS

MERCER: Tri-County Obedience Club, Responsible Dog Ownership Day and Doggie Fair, Sun., Sept. 26, 10 am- 3 pm., Mercer Comm. Ctr. Rte. 2, Free. www.tcoctmaine.com

MONTHLY MEETINGS

WATERVILLE: Widows/Widowers, 2nd/4th Thurs., 10 am. Hospice Volunt. Ctr, 873-3615.
PALERMO: Historical Society, fourth Tuesday of month, 7 p.m. at Worthing House.
PALERMO: Palermo Snowmobile Club, first Mon. of month, Oct. 4, 7 p.m., at Sheepscot Lake Fish & Game Clubhouse, Rte 3.
WASHINGTON: Gibbs Library Internet Cafe first Mon. of month, 4 - 7 p.m. All are welcome

WEEKLY MEETINGS

SKOWHEGAN: Skowhegan Rotary, Tues., 2:15 p.m., Heritage House, 182 Madison Ave.
SKOWHEGAN: Al-Anon, Tues. 7 - 8 pm. Federated Church, Island Ave. 800-498-1844.
VASSALBORO: Citizens Alliance of Vassalboro, Tues., 7 pm. 873-6515 or 872-6193
AUGUSTA: Al-Anon group, every

See the "Chomper" in action



Chuck Dinsmore, of Damariscotta, volunteers at the back end of the "Chomper." See it in action during the Hidden Valley Nature Center's open house, in Jefferson, on Sun., Oct. 3. FMI visit www.hvnc.org or contact Gary at 586-6752.

Tues. 7 - 8:30 p.m. St. Mark's Episcopal Church basement, 9 Summer St. Enter on Pleasant St.
AUGUSTA: WISDUM, for adults experiencing life changes. Monday. 7-9:30 pm; St. Paul Center, 136 State St. Newcomers welcome.
WINDSOR: Capital Carvers, Thurs., 6-8 pm. Gunning's workshop off Legion Park Rd. FMI: George, 445-2078 or Lloyd, 445-2688.

CLUB MEETINGS

CHINA: Weight Watchers, Mondays, 5:45 pm. China Reg. Church of the Nazarene. 445-3661.
ALBION: TOPS weigh-in/meeting, Mondays, 8:30 a.m. Lovejoy Health Ctr. FMI: 445-2425.
OAKLAND: TOPS#Me96, Tues., 5-7:30 p.m., United Baptist. 45 Church St., 465-3465.
SKOWHEGAN: TOPS#351, Thurs., 9:30 am, Skowhegan Grange, 474-2568. #248 Mon., 4:30 pm., Notre Dame De Lourdes.
FAIRFIELD: TOPS#134 - Mon. 4:45 pm, First Baptist., 238-8618. #179 - Wed. 5 pm, Methodist Church (Rte. 201). #348 - Wed., 5:30 pm, Lawrence HS Library, 314-9057. #118 - Thurs. 5:30 pm, Nazarene Church, 238-6115.
WATERVILLE: TOPS #91, Thurs. 5:30 pm., Salvation Army. FMI: 453-2550.
UNITY: The Senior Citizens Club, 2nd Wed. of month, 12-2:30 p.m., Leisure Home. 568-3878.
AUGUSTA: Augusta Nature Club lunch meeting. noon, Wed., Sept. 29, CATC. Prog: Nature in 3-D photography. RSVP: 622-2419.

ORGANIZATIONS

PALERMO: Branch Mills Grange meets on the first and third Thursday of each month.

WATERVILLE: Kennebec Valley Tea Party Patriots. 1st/3rd Thurs. 6 pm, Hafford's, KMD.
SKOWHEGAN: Class of 1963 lunch meeting. Charrier's Restaurant, Sat., Sept. 25, 11:30 am. FMI: Cindy, 858-0946.
WATERVILLE: Sustain MidMe transportation team. KVCOG, 4 p.m. Thurs., Sept. 30.

SUPPORT GROUPS

WATERVILLE: Widows Group: 1st & 3rd Mon, 6-8 pm.; Hospice Comm. Ctr., 873-3615.
WATERVILLE: Hospice Anticipatory Grief group, Wed., 3 - 4:30 p.m., 873-3615 x 15.
AUGUSTA: Hospice men's grief group, 1st/3rd Mon, 5:30-7p.m. MaineGeneral. Free. FMI: 626-1780.
PALERMO: GriefShare, Palermo Christian Church, Sundays, 10:30 a.m. FMI: 993-2636.
WATERVILLE: Breastfeeding support group, Babies welcome. Fri, 1 p.m., Inland. 861-3100.
WATERVILLE: Food Addicts in Recovery Anon., Inland Hosp., Fri., 6:30 p.m., 397-5711.
AUGUSTA: Food Addicts in Recovery Anon. Me. General Hosp. Sun., 6:30 p.m. & Tues. 7 p.m. FMI: Joe 623-1924 or Darlene, 397-5711.
WALDOBORO: Food Addicts in Recovery Anon, Thurs, 6:30pm., Am. Legion, 832-0478.
WATERVILLE: Spectrum Generations sponsored Alzheimer's group, last Thurs. of mo., Sept. 30, 6 pm, Muskie Center. 873-4745.
UNITY: Celebrate Recovery potluck/mtg for all. Fri., 6 - 9 pm. Unity Comm. Ctr. 557-1625.
SKOWHEGAN: NAMI Somerset adult peer support for mental illness, 1st/3rd Tues., 5:30-7pm., Comm.

Health & Counseling, 431-0021.
WINSLOW: MS support group, last Wed. of month, Winslow Library, Halifax St. 6 p.m.
SKOWHEGAN: Tobacco Cessation, 1st & 3rd Thurs. 5:30 pm, RFGH, register: 858-2318.
SKOWHEGAN: Cancer Support, last Tues. of month, 5 p.m. RFGH, free. FMI: 858-2119.

LIBRARY NEWS

VASSALBORO: Vassalboro Public Library, Weds., 2-4 pm. Children's Story Hour.
OAKLAND: Storytime Fri., 10:30 a.m. Book Club, second Tues. of month, 6-8 p.m.
WINSLOW: Public Library, Knitting Circle - Sept. Fridays 1 - 3 pm. Tues., Sept. 28, 10 a.m. Story Time and craft. FMI: 872-1978.
PALERMO: Public Library, Weds. through Oct. 6, 9:30 a.m., Story hour with Irene Mortko. Mondays, through Oct. 18, 7 p.m., Peter Cates, "Voyages in Recorded Music."

HEALTH and FITNESS

UNION and FRANKFORT: Fire Stations are drops for medication collection day. Sat., Sept. 25. FMI: 1-800-339-0819.
WATERVILLE: Inland sponsors Prenatal Yoga class, Champions Fitness Club, Wed., through Oct. 13, 5:15 - 6:30 p.m. 873-0571.
WATERVILLE: Inland. 8 Weeks to Wellness, Wed, Sept 29 - Nov. 17, 6 p.m. 861-3392.

EDUCATION

AUGUSTA: Viles Arboretum aster identification walk. Sat., Sept. 25, 1 p.m. 626-7989.
FAIRFIELD: Elder caregiving series, sponsored by Council of Churches at Church of Nazarene. Mon. through Oct. 4, 6:30 -9 p.m.
CHINA: "Voyages in Recorded Music" with Peter Cates. China Baptist Church. Tuesdays through Oct. 18, 7 p.m. By donation.
FAIRFIELD: Gubernatorial Debate, Wed., Sept. 29, 7 p.m., Comm. Ctr. 61 Water St. Free.
WASHINGTON: "Edible and Medicinal Mushrooms" by David Spahr, Thurs., Sept. 30, 6:30 p.m.,

Gibbs Library, 845-2663.
WATERVILLE: Free square dance lessons, Tues, Oct 5, 12, 19, 26; 6:30 - 8 p.m. WtvJ Jr. High, casual dress, West River Rd. 649-8693

RECREATION

WATERVILLE: Explore Inland's new trails, Guided tours and mountain bike rides for all abilities 9-11 a.m., Sat., Sept. 25, FMI: inlandhospital.org. 861-3292.
WARREN: K-LSWCD Knox County fall bus tour, meet at USDA Service Ctr. Rte 90, 8:30 am, Thurs., Oct. 7, tour winery, herb apothecary; lunch. tickets: 273-2005, x 101
WATERVILLE: Pickleball at Pine Ridge tennis courts, 6 p.m., Tuesdays. FMI: 465-2565.
SKOWHEGAN: Morning Bingo, Thurs. 10-11a.m. Free, bring small gift for prize. Register to play: Skow. Parks and Rec., 474-6901.
SKOWHEGAN: Friday Bingo, American Legion, open 3:30pm. game 6:30pm. 474-2090.

EXHIBITIONS

VASSALBORO: Historical Society Museum, Open 1 - 4 pm, 2nd & 4th Sun. through Nov.
WATERVILLE: Colby Museum of Art. Free. See www.colby.edu/museum. FMI: 859-5600.

PERFORMANCES

UNITY: Buxter Hoot'n concert, Sat., Sept. 25, 8 p.m., Ctr. for Perf. Arts. Tickets: 948-7469
HINCKLEY: Bryan Duncan concert, GWH Moody Chapel, Fri., Oct. 1, 7 p.m., 238-4000.
UNITY: Community chorus to start rehearsals for Christmas concert. Tues., Oct. 5, Ctr. for Perf. Arts. 7 p.m. no audition, ages 13 and up.

MUSKIE CENTER

WATERVILLE: 38 Gold St. Call for daily programs. RSVP required on events at least 48 hrs. in advance: 873-4745. Fri., Sept. 24, 11:30 a.m., End of summer beach party; Mon., Sept. 27, 12:30 p.m., Women's Health Issues; Tues., Sept. 28, 1 p.m., Genealogy; Wed., Sept. 29, Putting garden to bed wrkshp. 10am.

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