

Vienna Record



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On Saturday, May 14, members of Mill Stream Grange in Vienna helped Gordon Webber (pictured on right) in placing American flags on the graves of U.S. veterans in the Franklin Cemetery on Tower Road. Over 70 flags were placed, some dating back to the Civil War. This is the second year that the Grange has helped with the flags as one of their community service projects.

SELECTMEN'S MINUTES - APRIL - MAY

No meeting was held on March 29, 2016

April 5, 2016

Present: Dodi Thompson, Chris Smith, Jeff Rackliff, Dan Goucher, Tim Bickford, Marti Gross, Carole O'Connell.

1. Reviewed and dispersed mail.
2. Read and accepted minutes from the previous meeting.
3. Reviewed and signed Warrant #7 (\$88,495.46)
4. Discussed town roads with the Road Commissioner, and talked about plans for Road Maintenance for the 2016 year. Tower road and Bean Farm road have had some maintenance at this time involving removal of potentially dangerous trees. The Tower Road has been addressed from end to end.

5. Carole O'Connell from the Historical Society asked if the town could repair the shoulder of the section of the Kimball Pond Road in front of the spring and repair the edge of the road. This has been forwarded to the Road commissioner. Selectmen suggested the historical society could put up a "seasonal fence" to keep automobiles off the shoulder.

6. Discussed the new Building Ordinance with Tim Bickford. He wishes to have it repealed. The selectmen explained he could submit a citizen's petition to have an article put on the warrant for the town meeting in 2017.

7. Selectmen discussed the increased use of electricity at the sand shed. Chris is going to call CMP to check the situation (and the equipment).

SELECTMEN'S MINUTES CONTINUED

April 12, 2016

Present: Dodi Thompson, Chris Smith, Jeff Rackliff, Nathaniel Rackliff, Norah Mulachy, Caleb Mulachy, Dawn Mulachy

1. Reviewed and dispersed mail.
2. Read and accepted minutes from the previous meeting.
3. Discussed the sand and gravel issue.
4. Dodi spoke with MMA about the Building Ordinance to verify procedure of submitting a petition. Tim Sent Dodi a sample of the wording he plans on using.
5. Jeff is going to look further into tarping the sand pile. He will check prices, etc.
6. The selectmen will be purchasing a game cam to watch the sand pile.
7. The Road Commissioner continues to remove potentially dangerous trees from the side of the town roads.

Present: Dodi Thompson, Chris Smith, Jeff Rackliff,

1. Reviewed and dispersed mail.
2. Read and accepted minutes from the previous meeting.
3. Received a request from Annie Tibbetts for proof of Town Insurance for equipment. Signed the 2016 user agreement governing the accessible voting system. This is Mandatory equipment and the State will be paying the lease (\$800+) for the town's use of the equipment.
4. Read the minutes from the recent Town House Committee meeting. They reported that the balance of the Dorothy Waugh Account is \$42911.17. The Town House sign and bulletin board projects have been completed. They are looking into installing a metal grate on the ramp in front of the door.
5. Discussed the proposed RSU #9 budget for 2016-2017.
6. Met with town resident about the improper use of sand/salt and crushed stone belonging to the Town. A payment plan has been made.

April 19, 2016

Present: Dodi Thompson, Chris Smith, Jeff Rackliff, Muffy Floyd, Jim Floyd.

1. Reviewed and dispersed mail.
2. Read and accepted minutes from the previous meeting.
3. Reviewed and signed Warrant #8 (\$20,152.16).
4. Selectmen agreed to purchase a 100'x100' tarp to cover the sand/salt pile. This should arrive next week and put up soon thereafter; this will help protect the salt/sand pile during spring and summer rains.
5. Received a check for \$126.00 from Maine Municipal after our Workers Comp audit.
6. The Road Commissioner has been continuing the tree and brush cutting along roadsides. He is also filling soft spots and pot holes on all town roads.

May 3, 2016

Present: Dodi Thompson, Jeff Rackliff, Brian Church, Paul LeBlond

1. Reviewed and dispersed mail.
2. Read and accepted minutes from the previous meeting.
3. Reviewed and signed Warrant # 09 (\$70,726.05)
4. Discussed putting an addition onto the Fire Station with Chief Brian Church and Deputy Chief Paul LeBlond. Chief Church presented an estimated cost of the project. The project is still in the planning stages; it is unclear at this time how the project will be funded.
5. The Vienna fire department received a \$50

April 26, 2016

SELECTMEN'S MINUTES CONTINUED

donation from Lesley Cowenhoven for their help in rescuing his dog from Echo Lake in March. Mr. Cowenhoven sent a \$300 check to the Lakes Region Mutual Aid Group and \$50 to all individual fire departments who participated in the successful rescue.

6. The town received a certification - The 2015 Silver Award-from the Maine State Legislators for Vienna's continued participation in the Spirit of America program.

May 10, 2016

Present: Dodi Thompson, Chris Smith, Jeff Rackliff

1. Reviewed and dispersed mail.
2. Read and accepted minutes from the previous meeting.
3. Discussed the possibility of committing the taxes on May 24th. John Sexton and Dodi are continuing to work on all the property changes for 2016.
4. Discussed the proposed Fire Department addition and possible time line for it for it to be presented to the residents of Vienna. The possibilities are either wait till the next town meeting (March) or have a special town meeting to take the money out of surplus. The selectmen voted unanimously that this should be presented at the annual town meeting in March.
5. The USDA, who holds the note for the Fire Truck, has informed the town that we are not required to have a reserve account in the amount of one payment (\$14,141) as we had previously been told.
6. The recent bulky pick up day is complete. Several items were not picked up as they are not on the list of authorized items for pickup. Items that are not picked up on bulky pick up day: motor oil, construction debris (doors, plywood, windows, used lumber, drywall, etc.), paint that is not dried or has not had sand/cat litter applied. No more than three tires per household (tires can not be on rims).

7. Reviewed property cards with changes.

May 17, 2016

Present: Dodi Thompson, Chris Smith, Jeff Rackliff, Muffy Floyd

1. Reviewed and dispersed mail.
2. Read and accepted minutes from the previous meeting.
3. Reviewed and signed Warrant #10 (\$12,464.36)
4. Graffiti found on the Davis road has been removed. Driveway sealer was applied to cover up the graffiti which was done with spray paint. The Police have been notified and an investigating is ongoing.
5. The road side mowing is going out to bid. All bids will be opened on Tuesday, July 26th. The selectmen reserve the right to refuse any and all bids.
6. Faxed property cards to realtors.

May 24, 2016

Present: Dodi Thompson, Chris Smith, Jeff Rackliff, Bonnie Currier.

1. Reviewed and dispersed mail.
2. Read and accepted minutes from the previous meeting.
3. Discussed Sand and gravel issue from this last winter/spring with property owner. The party has been given a 30 day extension due to family issues.
4. Selectmen Committed Taxes for 2016, the mil rate will be .01845.
5. Kennebec County Taxes are \$67,635 for 2016. Revenue sharing went up \$2500.00 from last year.
6. The new Homestead Exemption is \$15,000 (up from the previous \$10,000). This year we added 24 homeowners to the list. In total we have a value of \$3,352,900 of homestead exemptions. The Town will receive a reimbursement based on a value of \$1,676,450.

SELECTMEN'S MINUTES CONTINUED

7. The Vienna portion of the proposed RSU #9 budget is up by \$13,000. The town currently has 56 students attending RSU 9.

8. Selectmen discussed the damage done to the Kimball Pond Road. It was reported that someone loaded an Excavator onto a load bed and caused damage to the pavement. The selectmen will contact the person who is believed to have been responsible for the damage.



Vienna Historical Society...
 "because every day becomes history".
 Meetings held 1st Sunday of each month, 1:00 at the Mill Stream Grange.
 Yearly Dues: \$1.00

Notice - Town of Vienna

Roadside Mowing and Mowing of Town Dump Site

Bids are now being accepted for **roadside mowing** (two passes where possible, approx 22 miles) and **mowing of the former town dump site on Tower Road**. For more information, please call Dan Goucher, 293-2833 or Chris Smith, 293-3383. **Proof of insurance must accompany bid.** Sealed bids marked "Mowing" are due by 6:30 PM, July 26, 2016. At that time they will be publicly opened and read during our regular Selectmen's Meeting at Vienna Town House. The town reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids.

Your bids may be mailed to Selectmen, P.O.Box 38, Vienna, Maine, 04360 or given directly to a selectman.

You may bid on one or both jobs:

Road side mowing - two passes where possible of approximately 22 miles.

Mowing of former town dump site on Tower Road.

Proof of insurance must accompany bid.

FROM THE TOWN CLERK

Mount Blue Budget meeting is June 1 @ 7pm at the Mount Blue High School.

June 14 - State of Maine Primary Election/ School Budget Validation Election - 8 am - 8 pm at the Community Center. Absentee ballots are available at my office.

I have the new ATV stickers in.

I will be sending out 2016 bills by June 1. If you do not receive one soon after that, please let me know. The due dates that were voted on in our March town meeting are June 30 and September 30.

I hope everyone enjoys a well deserved summer.

Town Clerk

Annie Tibbetts: 207-293-2915
email: ClerkTax@Viennamaine.org
346 Town House Rd. Vienna, Maine

Hours

Tuesdays and Thursdays - 5 pm - 7 pm
Wednesdays - 9 am -12 and 12:30-5 pm.
On the last Saturday of the month 9-12
and by appointment.

PLANNING BOARD NEWS

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE VIENNA PLANNING BOARD HELD MARCH 23, 2016

The Board did not hold a formal meeting in February as no quorum was available. Regular members Creston Gaither and Ed Lawless met with Jim Meader informally at the Town House on February 24 but took no formal action on the Board's behalf.

On February 28 Creston, Ed and Waine Whittier met with Jim at his Flying Pond property (tax map 10 lot 104) to consider his proposal to construct a frost wall under the existing camp on the parcel (see permit subsequently issued for details).

The March meeting convened at 7:00 PM at the Town House. Regular members present were Creston Gaither, Ed Lawless, Waine Whittier, and Alan Williams.

Minutes of the January 27 meeting were read

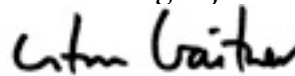
and accepted.

Waine has responded to an email from Russ Burt regarding a Code Enforcement action in progress regarding Mr. Burt's property depicted on tax map 7 as lot 27; Waine advised Mr. Burt to come to the Board's March meeting; however, he did not appear.

Code Enforcement Officer John Archard's email regarding the former Austin property on Flying Pond shown on tax map 11 as lot 13 - H was briefly discussed. The Board having received no permit application for this lot no formal action was taken.

Recently issued permits were briefly reviewed and discussed.

The meeting adjourned at 7:30 PM



Creston Gaither, secretary

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE VIENNA PLANNING BOARD HELD APRIL 27, 2016

The meeting convened at 7:00 PM at the Town House. Regular members present were Waine Whittier, Alan Williams, Creston Gaither and Ed Lawless. Also present were Russ Burttt and his father, Vaughn Burttt.

Minutes of the March 23 meeting were read and accepted.

Russ Burttt would like an after-the fact permit for a camp and a bridge on his property depicted on tax map 7 as Lot 27 (See also minutes of the March 23 meeting). These structures lie within the Stream Protection District in the Shoreland Zone. The bridge is critical to the entire project so it is his priority. He has applied to D.E.P. for a permit but has not received one, it being a Permit By Rule situation. He believes that D.E.P.'s non-response constitutes a Permit By Rule, as they have not sent any sort of refusal of the project.

Alan said that his experience is that a non-response constituting a Permit By Rule is quite typical of D.E.P. Waine noted that the application Russ presented said that D.E.P. would notify the Town of the application.

At 7:35 the Board went with the Burtttts to the site. On site they indicated an intent to replace the wooden ramp they've built at the bridge with stone. Creston was authorized to issue the usual permit by letter for the bridge on these conditions:

1). Russ will provide evidence that D.E.P. did in fact receive his permit application;

2). he will provide evidence that his soil erosion plan is acceptable to Code Enforcement Officer John Archard.

As daylight was waning the Board did not visit the camp itself and thus has not formally deliberated on the issuance of a permit for it.

The meeting adjourned at 8:00

Creston Gaither, secretary

Mount Vernon Summer
Arts & Crafts Fair
Saturday, July 9th
On the Mount Vernon
Town Beach & Inside the
Community Center
9 am to 2 pm

Spaces still available for
\$25



Contact Tom Ward at
293-1016

EDITOR'S NOTES

Send us your photos of Vienna!!

If you would like to see your photographs of Vienna, Maine published in *The Record* please email them to me as a .jpeg. Send them to:



viennarecord@gmail.com

I may not be able to include all the photos sent but will determine what fits and what works!

Thanks for your help.
Marianne Archard, editor

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Or mail to: 197 Davis Rd. Vienna, ME 04360

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Deadline

All Item or articles for the August/September issue of the *Vienna Record* must be received by me by **July 29, 2016.**

Format

Please send items online as rich text format (.rtf) or as a word document (.doc) or as a .jpg. **Please no .pdf or other formats.**

Marianne Archard

FROM THE HEALTH OFFICER

Bites, Big and Small
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Mt. Vernon/Vienna Health Officer
293-2076; dkonion@gmail.com
May, 2016

Spring is here, when bugs, dogs and people are out and interact more. So let's talk about how to avoid and/or handle the plague of dog, tick, and mosquito bites.

Dogs: The two most common victims of dog bites are little children and runners, kids because they don't have dog manners and put their hands on places dogs don't like, and runners because as they run by houses, in a dog's view, they are invading the dog's territory.

There are two sets of issues with a dog bite. First, could the dog have rabies? Unlikely but possible. If the dog's owner can assure you that the dog has had a rabies vaccination recently, then there is little concern about this rare disease. But if it is a stray dog and can't be captured (could it be a coyote?) to quarantine for a couple weeks, or if the dog and/or the owner are not around, then the victim may need the 8-shot rabies vaccine series.

Shots are paid for by the state Center for Disease Control, though you may have to pay for a clinic to



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administer the shot. And by the way, bats in Maine, can carry rabies and transmit it in saliva wiped to your mouth or eyes, without a bite.

The second problem is treatment of the bite wound. Most animals, like humans, carry germs in their mouths that can cause bad wound infections. So a short course of antibiotics needs to be given at the time of initial treatment to decrease this likelihood. And bite wounds often require some tricky stitching to prevent too much scarring, if a chunk of tissue is bitten out. At the same time, neat, tight wound closure can lead to a higher chance of infection; so often some open areas are left. In short, get thee to a doctor for repair and antibiotics.

Ticks: I've written about deer ticks before, but their increasing prevalence after this mild winter, and the Lyme disease germ they carry (as well as other rarer, exotically named disease: ehrlichiosis, babesiosis, and anaplasmosis) warrant repetition.

There are two common types of ticks here, the benign common dog tick (apple seed-sized), and deer ticks, which are sometimes (not always) carriers of these diseases. Deer ticks are half the size of dog ticks, and lack the latter's white "racing stripes" down the back. Deer tick nymphs (babies), more common this time of year, are as small as poppy seeds. Ticks attach to people or animals and fill with blood to 10 times their size over several days. If a tick carries Lyme (fewer than 10% do), the longer it stays on a person, the more likely it is to transmit it. If the tick is attached for less than 24 hours, disease rarely follows; most patients with Lyme disease have had a tick on for over a week.

The disease itself causes a circular (usually over 3 inches in diameter), non-tender rash in 90%, called erythema chronicum migrans, which resembles a red "ringworm" rash around a red bite site or a bull's eye, and follows the bite one to several weeks later. Fever, aching body and joints, and headache also occur as the rash reaches its peak and begins to fade. If not treated, later complications involving heart, nerves, brain, and joints can occur weeks and months later. Don't be alarmed by the small mosquito bite-like red spot appearing at the site of the bite itself within a day or two; it just reflects the bite injury, not a Lyme infection.



So how can you avoid these troubles? First, the most important thing is to use DEET-containing bug dope to discourage ticks from climbing on you. Secondly, you should check yourself and your children for ticks every day in the spring through early fall, after being outside. This can be hard in places difficult to see, like the back sides of your knees or trunk. I thought I'd grown a big skin tag behind my knee for several days until I looked with a mirror and saw it was an engorged (swollen) tick. And wash, or at least heat in a dryer, clothes worn outside that may or do have ticks on them. If you find a tick buried in your skin, it isn't swollen, and you are pretty sure it hasn't been on for more than a couple days, just remove it; your chances of developing disease are very small. Slow steady pressure to pull it off usually works. Don't try to burn it off. Use tweezers, a leatherman, or very effective, inexpensive "tick spoons" (available at local stores), to pull steadily but gently for the

FROM THE HEALTH OFFICER CONTINUED

several minutes it takes to get the tick to release. Breaking the body off, leaving the head, has some small residual risk of infection. If the tick is engorged and/or may have been on for several days, taking a single preventive dose of prescription doxycycline, will reduce your chances of getting Lyme from 3% to 0.6%.

If you develop a ring rash around the bite site weeks later, or in a place where you weren't aware you'd been bitten, then you should be given a course of antibiotics for 2-3 weeks, doxycycline/tetracycline for most, amoxicillin or cefuroxime for pregnant women and children. The downside of the latter alternative antibiotics is that they don't also cover the rare co-infections with ehrlichiosis and babesiosis. You will need to see a doctor to evaluate the rash; ask for an urgent appointment. The rare late complications are also treated with antibiotics if proven due to Lyme by blood tests.



Mosquitos: Risks from mosquitos, beside their bother-someness, are very small. But we do have Eastern Equine Encephalitis virus in many local birds (like crows), which can be transmitted to horses (hence “equine) and humans. Encephalitis is, like meningitis, a brain infection, and can be very serious. Everybody is now hearing about the Zika virus in Brazil; it could come to the Southern US soon carried by anopheles mosquitos, which we

don't have but may, if global warming gets worse. That mosquito also carries malaria. Let's hope they stay where they are. Still, getting used to long sleeves and using DEET regularly would be wise.

**Flying Pond
Improvement
Association
Annual Meeting,**

Saturday, July 9, 7 P.M.
Vienna Grange Hall,
Vienna, Maine





**VIENNA FIRE DEPARTMENT'S
ANNUAL CHICKEN BBQ**

JULY 31, 2016

11:30 am -1:30 pm

Adults \$8.00
Children 12 and under \$4.00

UNION HALL GETS A FACELIFT



The Vienna Union Hall is undergoing a big transition this year, thanks to a grant from the Davis Family Foundation. Bullen painters have been hired to paint the building, including the metal roof. The entire building has not been painted since the early 50's! Many of the clapboards on the front of the building were replaced by carpenter, Jim Wachter. Meanwhile, the new toilet house is still in progress. It is hoped that most of this work will be finished by early July!

NEWS FROM THE 30 MILE RIVER WATERSHED

**News from the 30 Mile River Watershed Association**

30MRWA is gearing up for its busiest summer yet! This season will be an exciting one, with an expanded water quality monitoring program, our first-ever intern, and lots of new events (as well as all the old favorites). Read on to find out more about what's in store this season.

Courtesy Boat Inspections Underway

We've hired five staff for our Courtesy Boat Inspection (CBI) program this summer. Look for our CBIs at the Parker Pond and Flying Pond boat launches, as well as down on Androscoggin Lake. Although we have paid staff, they aren't on duty all the time. As such, volunteer CBIs play an important role in educating boaters and protecting our lakes from invasive aquatic plants. If you are interested in volunteering as a CBI this summer, please contact katie@30mileriver.org.

Youth Conservation Corps

Our Youth Conservation Corps (YCC) projects are quickly lining up for summer! We already have two booked on Flying Pond and one on Parker Pond, along with seven others throughout the watershed. We still have room to accommodate new requests, so if you are interested in learning more about our YCC program, which helps landowners reduce erosion and make their properties more lake-friendly, visit the YCC page on our website or call 860-4043.

Water Quality Monitoring

The biggest addition to our programs this season is our newly expanded water quality monitoring program. In addition to coordinating Invasive Plant Patrol (IPP) teams throughout the watershed, we are now the Regional Coordinator for water quality monitoring as well. Both of these programs work in partnership with the Maine Volunteer Lake Monitoring Program (VLMP). The goal for this season is to support the dedicated volunteer monitors of the region, fill in the gaps of missing data collection, and to recruit volunteers for lakes that don't yet have volunteer monitors.

Upcoming Summer Events:

July 3rd, 6th Annual Classical Meets Pop concert, 7:30 PM in Mt. Vernon, to benefit 30MRWA and the Parker Pond Association. Fireworks to follow.

July 8th, Invasive Plant Patrol 101. This free workshop, presented by the Volunteer Lake Monitoring Program, will provide all the basics for new volunteers and a great refresher for experienced ones. For more information, contact katie@30mileriver.org.

July 12th, Camp Road Maintenance Workshop at the Maine Lakes Resource Center in Belgrade. Details coming soon.

July 14th, Loons, Eagles and Osprey on Androscoggin Lake, 5-7:30 PM, presented in partnership with the Kennebec Land Trust and MDIFW. This is a popular boat trip, so register early!

THE 30 MILE RIVER WATERSHED -CONTINUED

July 30th, 8th Annual Paddle Trek. Join for all or part of this paddle from Minnehonk Lake to Wayne Village. Registration opens in June.

For event details and more news, visit www.30mileriver.org or call 860-4043.



MILL STREAM GRANGE



Members of Mill Stream Grange in Vienna attended services at the N. Vienna United Methodist Church for Grange Sunday on April 17. Afterward, they all enjoyed a lovely potluck brunch at the home of members Ray and Gay Anderson.

DR. SHAW MEMORIAL LIBRARY NEWS - JUNE 2016

“To learn to read is to light a fire.” Victor Hugo

Ready, Set, Read! Get into the action and join the summer reading program at the library. This year’s theme, **Ready, Set, Read**, will be filled with hands-on activities that include stories, movement, making healthy snacks, and creative crafts. Read for fun while working towards a personal goal, and receive rewards along the way. Everyone who signs up to read will be given a certificate for a free ice cream cone at Flying Pond Variety (thanks, as always, Matt), as well as a pass to a Sea Dogs game. Prizes for reading will be based on pages or time read (your choice). Prizes will be given in increments of 200 up to 1,000. Just track your time or pages, bring your reading log up to the library to show us, then pick from the appropriate basket. If a reader goes past 1,000, he or she can simply start all over!



The first program will begin on Saturday, July 2nd, at 10am at the library. All other programs are Mondays at 4pm throughout July (the 11th, 18th, and 25th). Programs last about an hour, are free, and registration is not required.

Here’s the schedule:

July 2, Saturday, 10AM. Yoga with Leah Hayes. Come learn the tree, cat, cow, and dog. Creep and crawl and bend and stretch as Leah teaches many fun poses and moves throughout the library. If weather permits, we may do this outside, so dress accordingly.

July 11, Monday, 4pm. Bonnets, bubbles, and baseball caps with Alice. Create a cap and then everybody gets to blow bubbles!

July 18, Monday, 4pm. Alice Olson and Linda Smith. Create healthy snacks! Make and eat your own great snacks. Bring an apron if you have one!

July 25, Monday, 4pm. Make and decorate your own hula hoop, see a demonstration, learn some moves, and play some hula hoop games (bring your hula hoop to decorate if you have one). With Megan and Karen Woodcock.

Sign-up for reading will begin June 20, and children may continue reading towards their goal until September 1st. For more information, call the library at 293-2565, or email us at

DrShaw@shaw.lib.me.us

Thank you, Dona and Linda, for leading our annual Bird Walk. It was a blustery day, but we had some intrepid participants! And thanks to the Vienna Union Hall for co-sponsoring the Carolyn Locke poetry reading. One of her books was donated to the library. We are slowly building a nice (small) collection of work by Maine poets!

DR. SHAW MEMORIAL LIBRARY NEWS - CONTINUED

So you can plan your summer beyond the children's programming, our annual Book Sale will be held at the Mt. Vernon Community Center on Saturday, July 23. Please come by all the books (and movies and whatever else we have)! If you'd like to volunteer to help us with moving books and set up or break down, please let us know.

And in early August, we'll host the annual Community Poetry Reading at the Community Center. Please set aside Thursday, August 4th at 7pm, and join us for one of our favorite evenings. I hope Pat Onion brings her cookies. Nothing like enjoying a cranberry oatmeal cookie whilst listening to a neighbor recite Emily Dickinson.

We're still planning for how we can provide services throughout the construction project next fall. We'll keep you posted on what's happening as we go. If there are particular services or materials you feel should be offered during that period, please let us know.

I just finished Annie Barrows' new novel, The Truth According to Us, about a young woman who joins the Federal Writers Project in the 1930s, moves to a town in West Virginia, and becomes acquainted with the various characters and their own struggles. Much of the story is told from the point of view of a young girl, Willa, who is trying to figure out her family's past. Now, as Roald Dahl's character, Matilda, said: "I'm wondering what to read next." -Mary Anne Libby

RECURRING COMMUNITY EVENTS

Mill Stream Grange - Every Thursday 10:00 AM - 3 PM -Games Galore - cribbage, dominoes, card and board games, jigsaw puzzles etc. Refreshments and coffee - Lots of fun for all! Free!

Mt. Vernon Community Center Café - Saturdays From 9:30-11:30 AM. Coffee, food and Conversation.

Men's Breakfast - Tuesdays from 6:30-7:30 at the Mt. Vernon Community Center. Small donation appreciated.

Women's Breakfast "JULIET" - Third Tuesday of each month at the Mill Stream Grange 8-9 AM. Pot luck breakfast plus \$2.00 per person.

McGaffey Mountain Woodcarvers - 1st and 3rd Wednesday of each Month from 6:00-8:30 PM at the Vienna Community Center. New and experienced carvers welcome. For more information call Norma Wing at 293-3725 or Ed Beach at 685-4779.

Creation Station - Faith-based, arts-based after school program of the North Vienna UMC. Meets Thursday during the school year. Open to all children grades K-6. For more information call Laura Church at 293-3892.

The Youth Group at North Vienna United Methodist Church - Most Sunday afternoons during the school year. Open to youth grades 6 and up. For more information call Laura Church 293-3892.

Vienna Historical Society - Meetings are held the first Sunday of each month at the Mill Stream Grange Hall at 1:00.

Vienna Union Hall Association - Second Wednesday of each month. 7:00 at the Vienna Community Center (Nov.- March.) at the Union Hall (April - Oct.) Welcome new members.



COMMUNITY SWAP AND SHOP

Find items here that Vienna residents want to sell, swap or barter. Send a description of your item to viennarecord@gmail.com.

Posting is free. Also post it on the Vienna website by emailing to the Vienna webmaster: webmaster@viennamaine.org



TWO GREAT SHOWS IN JUNE AT THE UNION HALL

On **Saturday, June 11, at 7:00 PM**, Kyle Knuppel and Matt Davis will return to the Union Hall for the third time with the **American Songbook Continues**. For this performance, they will be joined by friend, Peter Gaudio, a vocalist, composer and arranger who has worked with Kyle and Matt since the late 90's. This show is always very popular. Get tickets early.

Next, a special treat for blues fans happens on **Friday, June 24, 2016 at 7:00 PM** at the hall. "Poor Howard" Stith and Mike "Bullfrog" Rogers will take the stage. Poor Howard has been performing 12-string barrelhouse blues for over forty years. Over the years, Poor Howard has performed across the U.S., Europe and Japan, entertaining audiences in coffeehouses, bars and at festivals with his dazzling guitar, heartfelt voice, and seemingly



endless supply of anecdotes, puns and shaggy dog stories.

Mike "Bullfrog" Rogers has been a professional musician most of his life.

Heavily influenced by the great Sonny Terry, Bullfrog has his own blend of Country and Blues harp that translates to both electric and acoustic styles.

Vienna Historical Society Annual Plays
July 28, 29, 30—7:00pm at Union Hall
Good times —Good food—
Good laughs!

SPECIAL EVENTS

✓ **June 1 - Mount Blue High School -**
Mount Blue Budget meeting - 7pm

✓ **June 11 - Vienna Union Hall -**Kyle Knuppel and Friends - 7:00 PM - The American Songbook Continues - \$8.00 prepaid - \$\$10.00 at the door. Tickets call Libby 293-2362

✓ **June 14 - Vienna Community Center -** State of Maine Primary Election/ School Budget Validation Election - 8 am - 8 pm

✓ **June 24 - Vienna Union Hall -** Poor Howard Stith and Mike "Bullfrog" Rogers - 7:00PM -\$8.00 prepaid - \$\$10.00 at the door. Tickets call 293-2674

✓ **July 9 -Mt Vernon Community Center -** Summer Arts & Crafts Fair- 9:00-2:00

✓ **July 9 - Vienna Grange Hall -**Flying Pond Improvement Association Annual Meeting 7 P.M.

✓ **July 28,29,30 - Vienna Union Hall -** 7:00 PM - Vienna Historical Society Plays.

✓ **July 30th, 8th Annual Paddle Trek.** Join for all or part of this paddle from Minnehonk Lake to Wayne Village. 30-Mile watershed event

✓ **July 31 - Vienna Fire Department** Annual Chicken Bar-B-Q - 11:30-1:30



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