

# Vienna Record



Employees of the Maine Skewer and Dowel Mill in Vienna mid 1920s. Vienna Historical Society "Working Women exhibit"

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### SELECTMEN'S MINUTES MAY - JUNE - JULY

#### May 26, 2015

Present: Dodi Thompson, Chris Smith, Jeffrey Rackliff, Dan Onion, Pat Onion.

1. Reviewed and dispersed mail.
2. Read and accepted minutes from the previous meeting.
3. The selectmen met with the town's health officer Dr. Dan Onion. Dr. Onion reviewed the Health Communities of the Capital area report regarding Vienna. The report suggested that Vienna should develop bike ways and pedestrian walk ways. The report goes on to say that the town should promote the use of the Kennebec Highlands, BRCA, and the Parker Pond Headlands and the trails on the town website.
4. Dr. Onion also talked with the Selectmen about a project he is heading in the local area -

Neighbors Helping Neighbors. This is a project that will get volunteers to drive local people to appointments, shopping and other places. This will service the Vienna, Fayette, Mt.Vernon, Belgrade and Rome Areas. Dr. Onion went on to say that he is not and does not expect to ask the town for money to fund this project. If anyone has questions in regards to the Neighbors Helping Neighbors project they should contact Dr. Onion at 293-2076.

5. At the request of the Vienna Fire Department the Selectmen looked at the Mill Pond and Dam on the Kimball pond Road. The pond is lower than normal for this time of year. The selectmen determined the Dam is still in good condition and the low water is due to the lower rainfall this spring. The selectmen also looked at the dry hydrant located at the Mill Pond. The selectmen



**SELECTMEN'S MINUTES CONTINUED**

agreed that the hydrant appears to still have enough water covering the pipe. It was agreed to keep an eye on the situation and to revisit the Pond/Dam in the near future to see if the problem has changed.

6. The selectmen finalized the legal posting for the foreclosed properties that will be going up for bid. The listing will state the lot, location and minimum bid (taxes owed). The notice will be posted on the town web site and in local papers.

7. The selectmen reviewed and discussed the "Brief of the Defendant, Town of Vienna" in the Lawless v. Vienna case. This was prepared by the town's Attorney Stephen Langsdorf.

8. The Selectmen voted to adjourn this meeting until tomorrow, Wednesday 5/26/15 at 6:00 to commit the 2015 taxes.

9. The Selectmen then reconvened the meeting at 6:00 pm. The 2015 taxes were committed with a mil rate of .01815.

**June 2, 2015**

Present: Dodi Thompson, Chris Smith, Jeff Rackliff, Marti Gross, Dan Goucher, Ed Lawless

1. Reviewed and dispersed mail.
2. Read and accepted minutes from the previous meeting.
3. Selectmen received the 2015 tax commitment books from Annie Tibbetts.
4. Selectmen organized the paper work for the properties going up for bid.
5. Warrant # 11 (\$23,590.66) was reviewed and signed.
6. Road Commissioner Goucher talked of the work that he has been doing to the roads. He has started grading the town roads. He has graded the Stream Road and pre graded the Davis and the Bessey Roads. He is pulling in the sides and grading out the middle of the roads. Selectmen discussed with Danny about

putting up a new road sign - a "Dead End" sign at the base of the Davis Road.

7. Selectmen agreed that Jeff will make a return visit to the dam after the meeting and see if the Mill Pond has raised any with the recent rain fall.

**June 9, 2015**

Present: Chris Smith, Jeff Rackliff, Lenny Meader, Colleen Meader, Dan Goucher.

1. Reviewed and dispersed mail.
2. Read and accepted minutes from the previous meeting.
3. Selectmen opened bids for 2500 yards of sand. The town received two bids for the winter sand stock. Dave Steven bid \$4.25 per yard, Meader Construction bid \$4.40 per yard. The decision was put on hold until the mileage from each pit could be calculated. The decision will be made at the next selectmen meeting.

**June 16, 2015**

Present: Dodi Thompson, Chris Smith, Jeff Rackliff, Brian Church, Marti Gross.

1. Reviewed and dispersed mail.
2. Read and accepted minutes from the previous meeting.
3. Warrant # 12 (\$128,958.47) was reviewed and signed.
4. Discussed the sand bid and mileage from the town pit to each of the bidders' pit. The mileage from the town sand pit to the Chesterville pit is 11.3 miles. The mileage to the Belgrade pit is 13.9 miles. Dave Steven and Meader construction were the two bidders. The selectmen decided it is better to go with the Meader Construction bid as it would save the town in the trucking expense. The winning bid was awarded to Meader for \$4.40 per yard - the total being \$11,000 for 2500.00 yards



**SELECTMEN'S MINUTES CONTINUED**

5. Discussed the RSU #9 school budget vote. The budget failed in all but two towns in the school district. A revised budget will go back to the voters later in the summer.

6. Reviewed Bank Reconciliation report.

7. Selectmen reviewed the Towns 2015-2016 insurance policies from Kyes Insurance. The total cost is \$500.00 more than last year. (2012-2013 - \$8,389.00; 2013-2014 - \$8,693.00, 2014-2015 - \$7,958.00, 2015-2016 - \$8,474.00).

**June 23, 2015**

Present: Dodi Thompson, Chris Smith, Jeff Rackliff, Peg Lang

1. Reviewed and dispersed mail.
2. Read and accepted minutes from the previous meeting.
3. Discussed looking for grants in regards to road work. The Klir beck Road will be receiving work to the ditches and replacement of two culverts along with rock dams and pools.
4. Talked with Peg Lang about brush cutting on the Cumner Road and the amount of brush that had been cut. The selectmen explained that we do not cut brush along a whole road but the most needed area due to the amount of money that is allowed for this. We also discussed the condition of the Bean Farm Road and the plan of grinding the road. In the next two years the road will receive gravel and be paved once the road is brought up in height. Currently the road is lower than the fields that run next to it.
5. Discussed getting the selectmen minutes on the Vienna web more quickly. The selectmen also received a request to post an agenda for the upcoming week's meeting.
6. The Town House committee is looking at changing the Kiosk in front of the Town House. The sign may be moved next to the ramp to the Town House. The Committee is also looking at putting out a sign identifying the Town House.

7. Selectmen worked on and signed property abatements.
8. Selectmen signed the Authorization form for town employees to be able to purchase equipment from the State Surplus program.
9. It was reported that the state may possibly be increasing the Homestead exemptions from \$10,000 to \$15,000.

**July 7, 2015**

Present: Dodi Thompson, Chris Smith, Jeff Rackliff, Marti Gross, Brian Church, Berry Emery, Mike Rogers

1. Reviewed and dispersed mail.
2. Read and accepted minutes from the previous meeting.
3. Reviewed and signed Warrant #13 (\$83,322.69)
4. Selectmen confirmed that CPA Stephen T. Hopkins is beginning the Town of Vienna audit for 2014.
5. Reviewed the Kennebec Emergency Mitigation plan survey. The Survey will be forwarded to the fire department for completion.
6. Finalized tax abatements.
7. Mike Rogers from Maine Revenue reviewed 2014 sales in Vienna for the Sales Ration Analysis. We are currently at 93% which allows us to use 100% when doing our taxes, exemptions, etc.
8. The court is scheduled to hear the verbal arguments on the cell tower decision lawsuit – Lawless vs. Vienna. This will be held at the Capital Judicial Center, Friday July 24th at 230 pm.

**July 14, 2015**

Present: Dodi Thompson, Chris Smith, Jeff Rackliff, Carol Bassett and Richard Stake

1. Reviewed and dispersed mail.

**SELECTMEN'S MINUTES CONTINUED**

2. Read and accepted minutes from the previous meeting.  
3. Discussed Kimball Pond pertaining to the size motor that would be allowed to operate on the pond. The Pond Association would like to propose that nothing larger than a 10 H.P. engine would be allowed. They were told that a petition can be circulated to have an article put on the town warrant for the March 2016 town meeting. The issue is that larger motor boats going on the pond can cause harm to the wild life and property. (One property owner is currently running a 150 Horse Power motor on the Pond.

Transportation. The town will receive payment in the fall. Last year we received a little over \$24,000 which went to the paving account.



**FROM THE TOWN CLERK**

**Town Clerk**

Annie Tibbetts: 207-293-2915  
email: [ClerkTax@Viennamaine.org](mailto: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.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Annie Tibbetts

**July 21, 2015**

Present: Dodi Thompson, Chris Smith, Jeff Rackliff, Marti Gross, Wayne Russell, Annie Tibbetts, Burt Whittier.

1. Reviewed and dispersed mail.
2. Read and accepted minutes from the previous meeting.
3. Discussed the foreclosed property sales bid process with Mr. Russell and properties that he is interested in bidding on. Bids for all properties are due by 7:00 pm on August 4, 2015.
4. Bank Reconciliation Report was reviewed and signed.
5. Reviewed and signed Warrant 14 (\$11,144.11)
6. Discussed land on the Varney Road that will have timber harvesting done. Also discussed the Varney Road and the end of the town's right of way. The land owner will work with the town to take care of any damage their trucking may cause.
7. Austin Harrell has submitted a letter of resignation from the Planning Board. The town will need a new Planning Board member.
8. Signed the local road assistance program paper work for the Maine Department of

**ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER**

Animal Control Officer, Donald Tibbetts reports that rabies have been confirmed in Maine coy dogs. Please be sure to get your pets vaccinated for rabies and keep vaccinations up to date.





**PLANNING BOARD NEWS**

**MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF  
THE VIENNA PLANNING BOARD  
HELD APRIL 22, 2015**

The meeting convened at the Town House at 7:00 PM. Regular members present were Wayne Whittier, Ed Lawless, Austin Harrell, and Creston Gaither. Also present was Ridgeley Fuller. Minutes of the Feb. 25 & March 25 meetings were read and accepted.

Ridgeley presented a copy of the May 26, 2010 minutes regarding the proposal she had presented that night for construction on her island shown on tax **Map 10** as lot **101 - F.** She said that the non-residential screenhouse or "gazebo" was never built. She would like to build it now. Creston noted that the site plan reference in the May 2010 minutes is not in his records. Ridgeley would like to get the Shoreland Zoning Ordinance (SZO) permit issued in 2010 "renewed" as soon as possible.

No plumbing is involved and only minimal tree removal. Concrete pads on the ground will be used as a foundation. She presented a sketch showing two prospective sites for the structure. Both are at least 100 feet from high water mark.

The Board agreed to waive the usual site visit as 3 of those present tonight were present at the 2010 site visit.

Based on Ridgeley's sketch and verbal representations, The Board determined that the project:

- (1) Will maintain safe and healthful conditions;

- (2) Will not result in water pollution, erosion, or sedimentation to surface waters;
- (3) Will adequately provide for the disposal of all wastewater;
- (4) Will not have an adverse impact on spawning grounds, fish, aquatic life, bird or other wildlife habitat;
- (5) Will conserve shore cover and visual, as well as actual, points of access to inland waters;
- (6) Will protect archaeological and historic resources as designated in the comprehensive plan;
- (7) Will avoid problems associated with floodplain development and use; and
- (8) Is in conformance with the provisions of Section 15, Land Use Standards.

It was agreed that the new permit should stipulate size and setbacks and require minimal soil disturbance as required for pad placement. The Board then voted 5 - 0 to authorize Creston to issue the usual permit by letter for the project.

It was agreed that Creston should forward an attested copy of the recent changes to the SZO to D.E.P.

Austin noted that he will be moving out of state in July and will have to leave the Board.

The meeting adjourned at 7:45 PM.  
Creston Gaither, secretary

**PLANNING BOARD NEWS - CONTINUED**

**MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING  
OF THE VIENNA PLANNING BOARD  
HELD MAY 27, 2015**

The meeting convened at the Town House at 7:00 PM. Regular members present were Waine Whittier, Ed Lawless, and Creston Gaither. Minutes of the prior meeting were not yet available.

Creston will check with D.E.P. as they have as yet not reacted to the changes to the Shoreland Zoning Ordinance he has sent them.

Creston will see which of our Land Use Ordinances are in Word format.

Creston will locate Ridgeley Fuller's recent SZO permit and turn it in.

Some recent permits were reviewed.

The meeting adjourned at 7:25 PM.  
Creston Gaither, secretary

**MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING  
OF THE VIENNA  
PLANNING BOARD HELD JUNE 24, 2015**

The meeting convened at the Town House at 7:00 PM. Regular members present were Waine Whittier, Alan Williams, Ed Lawless, Austin Harrell, and Creston Gaither. Steve Richardson was also present. Minutes of the May 27 and April 22 meetings were read and accepted.

Steve said he is removing the attached barn on his village house lot, Map 10 Lot 95. He would like to build a 27' x 35' garage in its footprint. It appears that it is neither in the Shoreland Zone nor in a flood zone, so he

was issued a Notification of Construction permit.

Recent permits were briefly reviewed. Creston presented a letter from D.E.P. approving the change to the Shoreland Zoning Ordinance (SZO) adopted at the March Town Meeting.

Waine outlined a new D.E.P. guideline that encourages towns to base expansion of non-conforming structures within the shoreland zone on the structure's footprint and not on square feet of living space as Vienna's SZO currently does. It was agreed that we should present this change to the Town for approval at the next Town Meeting.

Creston advised Austin, who is moving away, to send a letter of resignation to the selectmen.

The meeting adjourned at 7:30 PM.  
Creston Gaither, secretary



*Photo by Jane Naliboff - Egypt Pond*

**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](mailto: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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**Deadline**

All Item or articles for the October/November issue of the *Vienna Record* must be received by me by **September 25, 2015.**

**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.**

**FROM THE HEALTH OFFICER**

**A New State Epidemiologist for Maine!**

By Dan Onion, MD, MPH  
Mt. Vernon/Vienna Health Officer  
293-2076; [dkonion@gmail.com](mailto:dkonion@gmail.com)

August, 2015

After several years of devastating cuts to the Maine public health systems and over 25% reductions in the Maine public health work force, I found the announcement below in the Maine Medical Association June 15 newsletter particularly encouraging. That a public health physician with these credentials would move across the country to help us is wonderful at anytime, but even more so in these trying times. As I've pointed out in these columns before, strong clinical care access and public health strategies can and do save lives and money, as we have demonstrated in Franklin County over the years (*J Am Med Assoc*, 2015; 313(2):147-155). So here is some good news!

"In a letter dated June 10th to Public Health Partners of the Maine CDC, the agency announced that Siiri Bennett, M.D. has accepted the position of State Epidemiologist. Dr. Bennett is a graduate of Radcliffe College, Harvard University. She obtained her medical degree from the

**FROM THE HEALTH OFFICER CONTINUED**

University of Washington School of Medicine in Seattle, Washington and completed her residency in Internal Medicine at Mt. Auburn Hospital in Cambridge, Massachusetts.

Dr. Bennett currently is a senior research scientist and medical data consultant in the Department of Biostatistics at the University of Washington in Seattle where she is co-principal investigator for an NIH-funded Data Coordinating Center for a multi-study collaboration looking at tuberculosis latency and reactivation and also serves as project director for a multi-study consortium looking at cardiovascular disease in patients with HIV.



Dr. Bennett is trained in applied epidemiology and research, preventive medicine and public health with well-developed skills in project planning, collaboration and project and team management. She completed the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's (CDC) Epidemic Intelligence Service (EIS) program and the CDC's Preventive Medicine Residency Program in the Hospital Infections Program and went on to work as a medical epidemiologist for US CDC and the Institute of Environmental Sciences and Research (ESR) in New Zealand. During her time with CDC, she gained experience in infectious disease outbreak investigation and control of communicable disease. Dr. Bennett also worked as a staff medical epidemiologist in the National Immunization Program where she was responsible for coordinating the division's vaccine-preventable disease surveillance activities. While in New Zealand, she served as project lead for a number of projects including the design and management of a national sexually transmitted infection surveillance system and provided infection control expertise and guidance to ESR on nosocomial infection surveillance.

Dr. Bennett has published in peer review journals, presented at national and international meetings and conducted training workshops and courses in both the US and overseas. She has collaborated with public health leaders across the world and brings with her the ability to work with people from diverse backgrounds and agencies.

Dr. Bennett's broad skill set and enthusiasm will serve the Maine Department of Health and Human Services well. She and her husband will be relocating to Maine from Seattle. Dr. Bennett will begin her new role as State Epidemiologist for Maine CDC on July 20, 2015.”

I am looking forward to meeting Dr. Bennett.

## Flying Pond Watershed Survey Results Now Available



In 2014, the 30 Mile River Watershed Association conducted a watershed survey of Flying Pond, in partnership with the Flying Pond Improvement Association, the Maine Department of Environmental Protection, the towns of Mount Vernon and Vienna, and many trained volunteers. The purpose of the survey was to protect and improve water quality by (1) identifying and documenting potential sources of pollution from erosion and runoff and (2) recommending solutions to fix the problems. Polluted runoff carries nutrients that degrade water quality and is one of the biggest threats to our lakes.

Survey teams of trained volunteers and technical leaders visited all developed properties and roads of participating landowners within Flying Pond's watershed, collecting data on the type of land use, a description of the problem, and the level of impact. **Thank you to all Vienna volunteers and landowners who participated.**

In total, teams identified 84 erosion sites that are impacting or have the potential to impact water quality, and made specific recommendations for how each site could be mitigated. Thirty-seven sites were found in residential areas, and many of these could be fixed easily at low cost. Nine sites were associated with private roads. Twenty-three sites were associated with town roads, mostly in Vienna, and these sites tended to be larger erosion problems with greater impacts on water quality. Many of the problems are the result of winter (deicing) sand migrating into ditches or directly into streams, and from erosion of exposed soil along road shoulders and in roadside ditches. Many of the town road sites will require substantial work by the towns to correct existing problems, including removing loose winter sand, re-grading the road shoulders and ditches, and stabilizing ditches.

Fixing the erosion sites identified in this survey will require efforts by individuals, road associations, town officials, the lake association and the 30 Mile River Watershed Association. Paying attention to run-off problems and identifying sites in need of work should be continual activities of those interested in protecting these lakes. This survey provided a snapshot of the situation of the surveyed areas at a particular time; new erosion sites develop, especially after heavy rain or snowmelt.

Part of our mission at the 30 Mile River Watershed Association is to provide support to landowners in addressing erosion problems that are having an impact on water quality. One service we offer is our **Youth Conservation Corps**, which provides reduced cost technical assistance and labor to landowners to prevent erosion and polluted runoff. We are still accepting requests for this year's season and are already scheduling ahead for next year. We also offer camp road maintenance workshops and planning assistance to road associations and other private road owners. We hope you'll visit our website and sign up for our e-newsletter to stay informed of upcoming opportunities.

**The full report, containing all findings and recommendations, is available at [www.30mileriver.org](http://www.30mileriver.org). If you suspect an erosion problem on your property, please contact us at [dave@30mileriver.org](mailto:dave@30mileriver.org) or 860-4043.**

**DR. SHAW MEMORIAL LIBRARY NEWS - AUGUST 2014**

*"When I was about eight, I decided that the most wonderful thing, next to a human being, was a book."* - Margaret Walker

Our children's programs are finished for the summer. We ended our "Be a Hero" series with music by Dan Simons. The kids love listening to him, and singing along. We are so grateful to all of our program heroes – we had a teacher, fire department and rescue people, a Maine author, and of course our musician, who read to us and presented so much great information and engaged our young patrons in beautiful conversations. We also thank the parents and grandparents who helped put together our craft projects – and we would have been lost without our summer program volunteer, Remi! Thanks also to Matt Dunn, as always, for providing ice cream certificates for the young patrons who signed up for summer reading and are working toward their goals of number of pages read.

The annual book sale was busy, and we got to visit with lots of people. Again, our volunteers made it all possible: everyone worked so hard, set-up was completed in record time! Thanks to all who helped load and unload innumerable boxes of books. We also want to thank the girls who set up a table to sell bouquets of wildflowers and homemade jewelry to benefit the library. In our book, all of our library volunteers are Super Heroes.

Monday, August 3<sup>rd</sup> at 7pm we will be at the Mt. Vernon Community Center for an information session on the proposed addition to the library building. The head of our board of trustees, George Smith, will be on hand to talk about the process and answer questions, and we'll have the architectural drawings on display.



Then Thursday night that week, August 6, also at 7pm at the Community Center, we'll have our annual Community Poetry Reading! We've lost track of how long we've been doing this, but we guess it's been about 15 or 16 years. Join us for one of our most beloved programs. Bring a favorite poem to read, and listen to friends & neighbors recite Frost or Stevenson or Millay (or Silverstein). We'll have some anthologies there if you are inspired to read also, but forgot to bring a poem with you. Join us for a truly

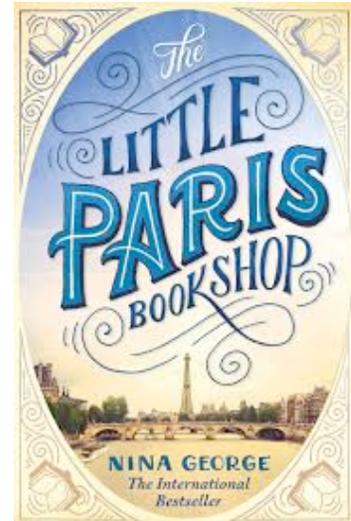
beautiful evening, and stay for light refreshments at the end.

To end the summer, respected Maine poet Stuart Kestenbaum will be reading his own work at the Vienna Union Hall on Wednesday, August 26 at 7pm. I've been reading poems from his book Prayers & Run-on Sentences during quiet moments all summer. His writing is exquisite. It should be a fine night, please be with us.

My favorite novel this summer was Nina George's A Little Paris Bookshop. A good story, quick read, and it is about a bookseller who recommends books to his customers based on the healing properties those books will hold in the person's life. Books as medicine! How could that not be a great read? Another beautiful novel, by Sena Jeter Naslund (author of Ahab's Wife), is Four Spirits, about a cast of characters as they make their way through the Civil Rights Movement in 1960s Birmingham. Well-written, and moving. What have you been reading when you aren't canning green beans, drying

herbs, or sitting at the edge of the pond?

\* Mary Anne Libby



### RECURRING COMMUNITY EVENTS

**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 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.



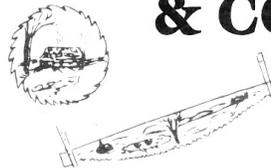
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Find items here that Vienna residents want to sell, swap or barter. Send a description of your item to [viennarecord@gmail.com](mailto:viennarecord@gmail.com).

Posting is free. Also post it on the Vienna website by emailing to the Vienna webmaster: [webmaster@viennamaine.org](mailto:webmaster@viennamaine.org)



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**SPECIAL EVENTS - MARK YOUR CALENDAR!**

- ✓ **August 1 - Vienna Union Hall - 7:30**  
Dance performance "Leaps of Faith".
- ✓ **August 3 - Mt Vernon Community Center** Meeting about the addition to the Dr. Shaw Memorial Library.
- ✓ **August 6 - Mt. Vernon Community Center - 7:00 PM - Community Poetry Reading.**
- ✓ **August 8 - Vienna Historical Society 4th Annual Vienna/Mt. Vernon *Antique Fair and Flea Market* and the Villages Farmers Market.**
- ✓ **August 8 - Vienna Union Hall - 7:00PM**  
*T-Acadie* music. \$10.00 at the door.
- ✓ **August 15 - Mt. Vernon Community Center -5:30 PM - *International Dinner***  
\$8.00 Adult - \$3.00 children 5 and under.

- ✓ **August 16 - Mt. Vernon Community Center - Loon Lap 5K 10AM - Noon**  
Registration 9:00 - 10:30 AM.
- ✓ **August 22 - Mill Stream Grange - 2:00 PM - Historical Society Program on the Daughters of the American Revolution.**
- ✓ **August 26 - Vienna Union Hall -7:00 PM - poet, Stuart Kestenbaum.**
- ✓ **August 30 - Vienna Union Hall - Bearstow resident dancers end of year performance. 7:30 PM.**
- ✓ **September 12 - Vienna Union Hall - 7:00 PM - *The Sunday Project* - Brass Band.**



UPCOMING EVENTS

# Our Up and Coming Summer Camp!!

RSU 38 Maranacook Adult Education in Readfield has a new course lineup for Summer 2015

## AUGUST

Little Kickers Soccer Camp - Ages 5-8 August 10-13, 2015

For details or to register with debit/credit card, please visit <http://maranacook.maineadulted.org>

For more information, email us at [adulted@maranacook.org](mailto:adulted@maranacook.org) or call 685-4923, x 1065.




Join us  
at the Mount Vernon  
Community Center

for our

**International Dinner**

on Saturday, August 15th  
5:30 p.m.

Cost is \$8 per adult,  
Children 5 and younger are \$3  
All funds benefit the Community Center

## MOUNT VERNON 5K



### JOIN US!

- Walk/run around beautiful Minnehonk Lake and Hopkins Pond
- Lap once for a 5k or be bold and do a few laps!
- Healthy and educational

- After your lap, enjoy
- A swim at the beach
  - Dining
  - Local shops

## THE LOON LAP

Sunday, August 16th  
10 am-Noon

9:00 am-10:30am Registration at the  
Mount Vernon Community Center  
\$10 for Adults  
Children under 12 free  
[www.mtvernonme.org](http://www.mtvernonme.org)

A local event to support the Greater Minnehonk Lake Association and the Mount Vernon Community Partnership Corporation's efforts to protect and improve the community of Mount Vernon and its lakes.



SUGAR  
BROOK  
MAPLE  
FARM

UPCOMING EVENTS

4th Annual  
Vienna/Mount Vernon Community  
*Antique Fair* and **Flea Market**



Saturday, August 8, 9 am to 2 pm  
At the Vienna Historical Society Grounds  
Hwy 41 in Vienna  
Antiques, Collectibles and Junque  
Lots of Treasures – Lots of Parking  
FREE SPACE FOR SELLERS

**Vienna Union Hall offering  
four shows in August**

The Vienna Union Hall and Camp Bearstow will host The Almanac Dance Circus Theater presenting *Leaps of Faith and Other Mistakes - Dangerous Certainty in a time of Doubt!* on **Saturday, August 1, 2015 at 7:30PM.**

Coming on **Saturday, August 8 at 7:00 PM** is **T-Acadie**, a folk trio and dance band from central Maine. "T-Acadie" is Cajun French slang for "a little Acadia". T-Acadie offers a huge variety of music including traditional French Canadian dance music from North America, Quebecois, Acadian and Cajun tunes, as well as New England dance tunes; Cajun waltzes, two steps, Cajun blues and Zydeco tune

**Wednesday, August 26<sup>th</sup>** at 7 PM. An evening with Maine Poet Stuart Kestenbaum, reading from his four collections of poems (*Pilgrimage, Prayers and Run-on Sentences, Only Now, and House of Thanksgiving*).

**August 30 - 7:30 PM**  
Bearstow Resident Dancers  
- end of year performance

**Community Meeting  
about our plans for an  
Addition to the Dr. Shaw Memorial  
Library  
Monday, August 3<sup>rd</sup>, 7pm  
at the  
Mt. Vernon Community Center**



Join us for a discussion of what the addition will look like, and get a look at the architect's plans. George Smith & other members of the board of trustees will be on hand to talk with us. See you there!

UPCOMING EVENTS

*Community Poetry Reading  
sponsored by the  
Dr. Shaw Memorial Library  
at the  
Mt. Vernon Community Center  
7:00pm, Thursday, August 6*

Join us for an evening of readings of favorite poems and poets, given by community members of all ages. You might hear Robert Frost, Shakespeare, Jane Kenyon, Shel Silverstein, or brief readings from local poets. Bring your favorite book of poetry (& we'll have some books there), read a poem to us, or just listen. We'll have some refreshments, too.

How do you like to go up in a swing?  
Up in the sky so blue?  
Oh, I do think it the pleasantest thing  
Ever a child can do



Was your ancestor a Revolutionary War patriot?



Vienna Historical Society Special Program  
*Daughters of the American Revolution*

Learn more about the amazing history of the DAR's dedication to historical preservation, promotion of education, and encouragement of patriotic endeavor. See what members are doing today to continue that legacy, and learn if you qualify to join. Program will be presented by Colonial Daughters Chapter of Farmington.

Saturday, August 22 at 2:00 at Mill Stream Grange

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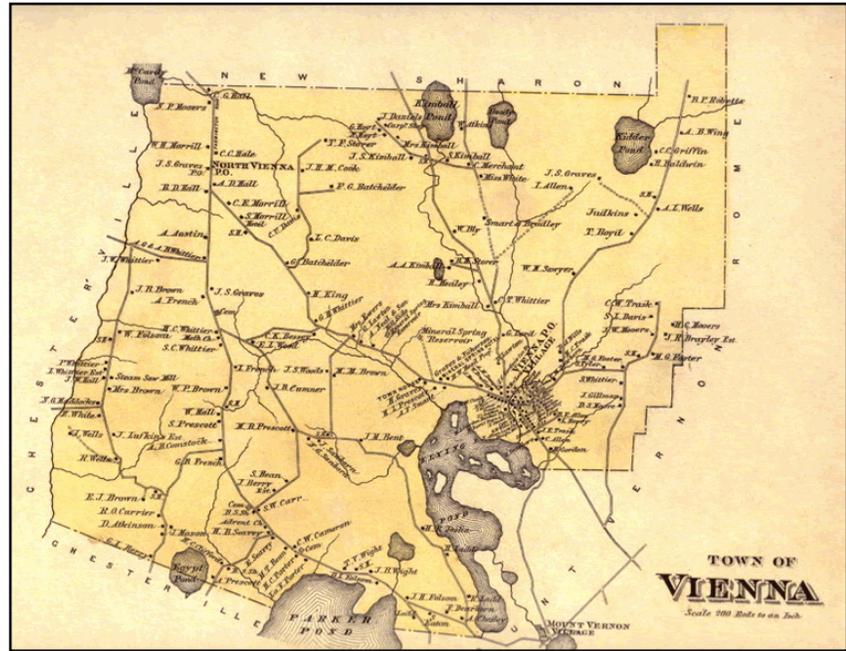
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1879 Map of Vienna

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