



# Community Calendar

**Deadline is  
Friday 4:00 p.m.**

**Down East Fairgrounds Association** meets the 1<sup>st</sup> Wed. of each month at the R. H. Foster Building in Machias at 6 p.m.

**Downeast Trail Riders Snowmobile & ATV Club, Inc.** meets at 7 p.m. on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tues. of the month at WA, East Machias. FMI 259-3996.

**Friends of the Whitneyville Library** meet the 2<sup>nd</sup> Mon. of each month at 6 p.m. in the Hillgrove Community Bldg. Everyone is welcome.

**Fundy Chapter of Maine Audubon** - first meeting on March 16th. David Finlay will discuss the Aquaponics Program at the Lubec Consolidated School. 7 p.m. Cobscook Community Learning Center, Commissary Point Rd., Lubec

**Machias Valley Civil Air Patrol** meets Thurs. 6:30-9 p.m. at the Machias Valley Airport on Route 1 in Machias. Adults & students grade 6 and up are invited. FMI please call 255-4978.

**Machias Valley Sportsmen's Club** meets the 1<sup>st</sup> Wed. of each month at 6:30 p.m. at Six Mile Lake Clubhouse off Rt. 192, Marshfield.

**M.A.N.E. Riders** (Mature Adult Networking Equestrian) meet 2<sup>nd</sup> Sun. of each month 2-4 p.m., at Raven Ridge Farm in Columbia. FMI 483-2718.

**Machias Rotary Club** - 3/9 - Dave and Sandy Perloff, eight years of educational grant making in Washington County, 3/16 - business/committee meeting, 3/23 - Judy East - Washington County Brownfields Assessment Program, 3/30 - Judy East - Scenic Inventory, 4/6 - Business/committee meeting, 4/13- Jen Lobley- Washington County Children's Chorus - 4/20 - Peter Martin on the Oxford Resort Casino, 4/27 - Tom Boutoureira on the Downeast Coastal Conservancy

**Maine Veterans Service Officer Michael Perkins - area office hours** - To assist veterans and dependents applying for State and Federal benefits. Lubec office - Tues. March 9 from 12:45 to 2:45. s Machias office, 7 Court St., Suite 2, every Monday thru Friday from 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. or he may be reached at 255-3306.

**Ridge Riders Trail Club** meets the 1<sup>st</sup> Thurs. of the month at Whitney's Tool Shed @ 7 p.m. All members & non-members are encouraged to attend. 255-3392.

**Technical Exploration Center of Bangor** will be at Machias Career Center on the 1<sup>st</sup> Wed of the month from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. FMI 941-2952 x227.

**Washington County Fish & Wildlife Conservation Association** meets the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wed. of each month at WA. FMI: Ed Renaud at 796-2777 or Jeff Geel at 255-0928.

**Whiting's Wind Ordinance Committee** - Thursday, March 4, 6:30 p.m.

## TOWN MEETINGS

**Addison Selectmen** meetings will be held at 6 p.m. at the **Addison Town Hall** on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Thursdays.

**Cutler Selectmen** meet the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Thurs. of each month at 4:30 p.m. at the Town Office.

**Cutler Planning Board** meets 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Wed. @ 6:30 p.m. at the Cutler Town Office. Applications must be received by the Thurs. before the meeting.

**Cutler Harbor Masters** meet 3<sup>rd</sup> Mon. each month @ 6 p.m. at that town office.

**East Machias Selectmen** meet 3<sup>rd</sup> Mon. of month @ 6 p.m. If a holiday falls on Monday, meeting is Tuesday. All invited.

**Jonesboro Planning Board** - meets 1<sup>st</sup> Tues. of each month at 6:30 p.m. in the Town Office.

**Jonesboro Board of Selectmen** meet

2<sup>nd</sup> Wed. of month at the Town Office Building @ 7 p.m.

**Jonesboro Clam Committee** meets 1<sup>st</sup> Sun. of month, 6 p.m., Town Office.

**Machias Selectmen** - (meet 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Wed. each month at 6 p.m.) at the Town Office.

**Machias Planning Board** meets 1<sup>st</sup> Wed. each month at 7 p.m. at the Town Office.

**Machiasport Selectmen** meet every other Mon. at 7 p.m. at the Machiasport Municipal Complex except when the Monday falls on a holiday.

**Machiasport Clam Committee** meets last Mon. of month at the Machiasport Municipal Complex at 7 p.m.

**Machiasport Planning Board** meets the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thurs. each month at 7 p.m. at the Machiasport Town Office. The Working Group is reviewing and revising the town ordinances and comprehensive plan. The public is welcome to attend.

**Machiasport Comprehensive Planning Committee** meets the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thurs. of each month @ 6 p.m. at the Machiasport Town Office.

**Machiasport Harbor Committee** meets last Thurs. of month @ 6:30 p.m. at the Machiasport Town Office.

**Marshfield Selectmen** meet the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thurs. of the month @ 4:30 p.m. at the Marshfield Town Hall.

**Wesley Selectman** meet every 2<sup>nd</sup> Mon. of the month 2-7 p.m., Wesley Town Office.

**Whiting Selectmen** meet the 2<sup>nd</sup> Mon. of month at 6:30 p.m. in the Whiting Community Building.

**Whiting Planning Board** meets the last Mon. of month @ 7 p.m. in the Whiting Community Building.

**Whitneyville Assessors** will continue to meet the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Wed. at 6 p.m.

**Whitneyville Selectman** - 2nd and 4th Thursday at 6 p.m.

**Whitneyville Outreach Group** meets every Mon. @ 1p.m. in the Fellowship House, next to the church to work on various projects for the community, nursing home and Veterans' Home; this is for anyone interested.

## SCHOOL MEETINGS

**Cutler School Committee** will meet the 1<sup>st</sup> Wed. of the month at 3:30 p.m. at Bay Ridge School.

## BREAKFASTS, SUPPERS, BENEFITS

**Centre Street Congregational Church Food Pantry** is open Mon.-Fri. from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m., except on holidays. The pantry closes when schools are closed for inclement weather. FMI 255-6665.

**Almost-Spring Fling & Community Potluck** - , Sat. March 6, 5 - 10 p.m., Steuben Parish House ( across from the Ella Lewis Elementary on Rt. #1), two live bands followed by a DJ spinning Latin American hits. \$3 a person or \$10 a family/ Benefits Mano en Mano's scholarship fund.

**Corned Beef Supper** - Christian Temple Church, Lubec, March 6, 5 p.m.

**MEALS FOR ME** - For Washington County Seniors age 60 plus. Donations are accepted. Eat at our dining rooms or at your own home. For reservations or info, call us toll free at 800-462-9899 or in Machias at 255-3701. For **TRANSPORTATION** to and from meals, call: 546-7547.

**Bread of Life Soup Kitchen** - Free Supper, every Thursday from 5 -6 at Lifespring Chapel, Rt. 1, East Machias. FMI- 271-7159.

**Public Buffet Supper** - 4:30- 6:30 -Sat. March 6, Beals Elementary School, fundraiser for Beals Wesleyan Church steeple repair. Clam chowder, casseroles, baked beans, pies, UMM Ukulele Band , adults - \$7, children - \$4.

**Public Supper** - Friday, March 5, 5 - 7 p.m. Columbia Falls Community Building. Baked beans, chop suey, dessert.

Adults- \$6, children under 12 - \$3, Benefits NHS FCCLA

ALSO -

**Amateur Server Night** - Wednesday March 17, St. Patrick's Day, 4 - 8 p.m. at Scovill's Millside Dining, Harrington, benefits NHS FCCLA

**Spaghetti Supper**- 5 p.m., March 20, Whiting Town Hall. Adults- \$6, Seniors - \$5, Kids - \$4. Dessert auction and many raffles. Sponsored by the Whiting Village School Parent-Teacher Committee.

**Whiting Community Food Pantry** - Located at Three Angels Seventh Day Adventist Church on Route 1. Open 3<sup>rd</sup> Wed. of the month from 12-7 p.m. Call Bill Sawtelle at 726-4722 in case of food emergency.

## SUPPORT GROUPS

**A.C.T.S.** - a program for Alcohol-Chemical Treatment Series which helps people on chemicals to turn their lives around. 12 weeks, all types of dependency & how to cope with life's problems. 302 B Kennebec Road, Machias Thursdays @ 7 p.m. FMI - Bob Johnston, 255-8375.

**Aspergers/Autism Support Group** meets the 4<sup>th</sup> Wed. of each month at 6:30 p.m., Blue Hill Memorial Hospital In-Service Room (lower level). For parents, grandparents & caregivers. FMI 374-3472.

**Brain Injury Support Group** meets on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wed. of each month at 6:30 p.m. at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Beechland Rd., Ellsworth. FMI Dodie Sullivan at 667-8680.

**INTIMATE PARTNER Violence/ Abuse 24/7 HOTLINE- 888-604-8692.**

- The Next Step Domestic Violence Project offers help, resources, answers to questions, legal assistance & more. DOMESTIC VIOLENCE IS A CRIME!

**also :**

- **Film and discussion- Breaking Out of the Man Box-** Thurs. March 18, 5 p.m., Machias Savings Bank Community Room - refreshments. FMI- Liz-255-4934

- **Animal Safe Houses** - shelter a dog or cat for individuals in transitional living situations due to domestic violence for a short period of time. FMI-Carrie- 255-4934

- **Divas and Desserts** - looking for speakers, survivors, writers, musicians, artists, auction items for event to be held in May, 2010 in Machias. FMI-Next Step - 255-4934

- **Beads & Baubles-** 2nd annual show, April 16 & 17 in the Maine Grind Bldg. in Ellsworth, 2nd floor. Come meet the bead artists and/or work with beads

**Downeast Sexual Assault Services** is offering self-help support groups to sexual assault survivors. The group will meet once a week in Machias from 6:30-8 p.m. There is no cost to attend. If interested, please call 1-800-492-5550, ext. 258, FMI.

**NAMI Family Support** meets the 1<sup>st</sup> Monday of the month at 6:30 p.m. at the Kay Parker Building, Hadley Lake Road, Machias. **NAMI Peer Support** meets every Tuesday at Harrington Family Health Center at 6 p.m. FMI call Joanne at 483-6040. **Peer Support** also on the 1<sup>st</sup> Monday on the month at the Kay Parker Bldg. FMI Richard at 733-2982.

**PROBLEMS** with drug or alcohol addiction in a loved one? Don't know where to turn for help? Contact Drug Rehab Resource for a free confidential consultation to find the help you need. Call 1-866-649-1594 or find out more at www.drugrehabresource.net.

**The Down East Group of Alcoholics Anonymous** meetings will be held at the Community of Christ Church on North Street in Machias. Meetings are held EVERY Fri. & Sun., 7:30-8:30 p.m. FMI about AA or for contact information, call the toll free AA hotline at 1-800-737-6237.

**Free Reiki Clinic** in Machias 2<sup>nd</sup> Sun. of every month. 3 p.m. at St. Aidan

Church Community Room. For appointments call Gillyin, 255-4515 or bobcatpath@207me.com

**Road to Recovery** - American Cancer Society needs volunteers to drive cancer patients to their doctors' appointments. FMI 1-800-227-2345.

**TOPS Chapter, Machias, ME # 366** meets at 4:30 ( weigh-in), 5-6 meeting at Kay Parker Bldg, Hadley Lake Rd, visitors and new members welcome. 255-8596

## MISCELLANEOUS

**Machias Family History Center** open for genealogical research Wed. (appointments only), & Sat. 1-5 p.m. Microfilm-/microfiche readers, IGI/regional genealogy CDs internet genealogy access at no charge. 100 Court St., Machias. FMI 497-5450 or www.family-search.org. John & Sheila Look, Directors.

**We Care Community Baby Center** every Tues. 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. only. 1<sup>st</sup> Tues. of month - 9 a.m - 2 p.m. If no school due to bad weather we're not open. Also closed on 5<sup>th</sup> Tues. of month. FMI, call Joyce, 255-8903.

**Pine Tree Quilter's Guild Inc., Downeast Chapter**, meets at Centre Street Congregational Church in Machias on Fri. at 3 p.m. For specific date ask at Gingham Fabrics or call 255-8238.

Chapter of **TOPS** (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) in Milbridge meets Mon. 6 p.m. at Narraguagus Estates, Cherryfield. 2<sup>nd</sup> left as you enter the estates, in white meeting building. FMI, Coreen Burt at 546-2979.

**Knitting/craft/fiber night @ Jonesboro Union Church Comm. Center** on Looks Point Rd. every Wed. 6-8 p.m. Please bring a heat/elec donation if you can, since we are not being charged to use the space. All are WELCOME!!! FMI, Kim 434-5089.

**Mom's Bible Study & Play Group** Every Thurs., 9-10:30 a.m., at Centre Street Congregational Church, Machias. Bible discussion, sharing joys & concerns of family life, activities for young children & babies. All welcome. FMI 255-6665.

**Dennysville's Lincoln Library** reinstates Wed. hours from 4 to 7 p.m. Also open Tues. & Fri. from 1:30 to 4 p.m.

**Monthly Cancer Support and Resource Meetings** - Everyone Welcome If you currently have a cancer diagnosis, are in remission, or are currently providing help and emotional support for someone with a cancer diagnosis - you are invited to come to these meetings to get support and to learn about cancer resources available in the community. Barbara Barnett from Down East Hospice volunteer services of Washington County and Michael Reisman of the Beth Wright Center will be present to facilitate these groups. Light refreshments will be served. These meetings are FREE. Everyone is welcome. Confidential, safe and friendly environment. Drop in and join us. For more info. call 726-5087 or 664-0339. All meetings are 1:00 to 2:30.

- **First Friday of each month** - Lubec Medical Center in Lubec

- **Second Friday of each month** - St. Aidan's Church (day room) in Machias

- **Third Thursday of the month** - Eastport Medical Center in Eastport

- **Fourth Thursday of the month** - Harrington Health Center in Harrington

**Robert and Mary's Place**, an adult day care program for people with **Memory Loss**, is at St. Aidan's Church on Dublin Street in Machias. They will be open on Tues. & Thurs. from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. The first day is free. This is a needed service but one in jeopardy of closing if it isn't used. FMI - Tanya Berry 483-2718, Ida at 667-5449, or www.robertandmarys-place.com

**Surrendering to Christ Together** - Sundays, 4 p.m., First Baptist Church of East Machias, 567 Main St. The public is invited to attend. Info: Bob Simpson, 259-3473 or http://mainechurches.org/fbcm

**The ARK Indoor Yard Sale** - Saturday, March 6, 9 a.m. - NO EARLY BIRDS PLEASE - volunteers needed. All this to help support our animal friends FMI call Pam - 546-3484

**FREE-Quit Smoking :** Harrington Family Health Center, 6 p.m. - third Thursday of February, March & April.

FMI: Joe or Barbara 483-4502 ext. 244

## MACHIAS AREA

### JOB FAIR -

**Tuesday, March 16**

( snow date - 3/17)

**12:30 - 3:00 p.m.**

at **University of Maine Machias Reynolds Center Gymnasium** -

**FMI - Brenda - 255-1439**

or **Dodi - 255-1933**

## UMM Spring Alternative Film Series:

- **March 3 - In the Loop** - by Armando Iannucci ( British - 2009) A political satire on the British and American entrance into the Iraq war. Incisive and hilarious. (106 min.)

- **March 10 - Divided We Fall** -by Jan Hrebek ( Czechoslovakian, 2001) In World War II Nazi-occupied Czechoslovakia, a family chooses to harbor a Jew, bringing themselves perilously under the scrutiny of the Germans and their Czech collaborators. The tangled plot that emerges is surprisingly both harrowing and comical. ( 123 min)

## Free Confidential HEP C

**Test for High Risk Individuals** - March 19, 10a.m.-2 p.m.

Down East Aids Network

5 Water Street, Machias

High Risk means:

- past or present IV users
- any blood contact of concern

- past or present HEP C positive sexual partner

Come get your free test every 3rd Friday of each month.

## St. Croix Bowling Club

**AUCTION** - Saturday,

March 6, 1 p.m. at the club

on Main Street, Calais

to benefit local charities.

## St. Patrick's Day Bingo

Wed. March 17, 2010, Elm Street School, East Machias, 6 p.m., doors open at 4:30. Sponsored by the Elm Street School PTC and the Machias Bay Area Chamber of Commerce.

## Songs of Irish Sailors of the Great

**Age of Sail** - Wed. March 17, 7 p.m., Pembroke Library, 221 Old County Road, Pembroke. Performers: Jim Sherman, Susan Sanfilippo, Stephen Sanfilippo. Free. Refreshments. FMI- 207-726-4747 or 207-726-4745, seasons@207me.com

## Friends of the Peabody Memorial

**Library, Jonesport** - bi-monthly meeting at 2p.m., Thursday March 11 in the library's Community Room.

## Packages for Troops Needs Your Help

Packages have been collected and are ready to go, with a kind and generous sponsor paying for the shipping, but there is one remaining BIG problem.

Packages must have a real live person to go to... no generic shipping allowed.

So, if you have a family member, friend or neighbor in a war zone, please contact Linda Albee with their name, address, and military number overseas so that the boxes can be sent. Call Linda at 255-4473 and leave a message on her answering machine, including how to contact you. She will get back to you for the information.

Please support our troops and those who are working to help them.

# Church Services

**St. Aidan's Episcopal Church,** Dublin Hill, Machias. Sun., 9 a.m. Info 259-3328.

**Beals Wesleyan Church.** Elm St., Beals. Order of service: 10 a.m. Sunday School; 11 a.m. morning worship; 6 p.m. Evangelistic hour. Wed. 6 p.m. Prayer time. Pastor Rev. Jesse Merchant. 497-2262 or 497-2706. "Experience the difference."

**Bucks Harbor Baptist Church,** 33 Ridge Rd., Bucks Harbor, 9:45 a.m. Sunday School; 11 a.m. Worship & Bible Study; Wed. 6:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting. FMI Donny Wood 255-6708.

**Calvary Chapel Outreach** of Machias, 88 Roque Bluffs Rd., 1/2 mile south of Rt 1. Worship Services 10 a.m. Sun.; Bible Study, Thurs. 6:30 p.m. Child care & ministry (infants to 10 yrs.) available all services. A non-denominational Christian Church teaching from the Bible, all welcome. Info Pastor Aaron Dudley, 255-8287.

**Centre Street Congregational Church,** United Church of Christ, Machias  
• Interim visiting pastors. Nursery available & church school for K-High School- 10:45 a.m. Cherub Choir, Bell Choir, Chancel Choir. Handicapped Accessible. Worship Service 10:30 a.m.; Info 255-6665.

**Cherryfield Congregational Church,** River Road. Pastor Joseph S. Palmer, 10:30 a.m. Worship Celebration, Mobile 266-3915.

**Christian Science Society** of Calais holds Sun. services at the St. Croix Masonic Lodge, Calais Ave., all are invited. Info 454-2352 or 255-8635.

**Christian Temple Church,** 41 Main St, Lubec, Worship Sun. 11 a.m. Rev. Alan Andreas. 733-2887.

**Cobscook Friends Meeting (Quakers)** - Rt. 189, Whiting, Sun. Meeting for Worship 10 a.m. All welcome.

**Columbia Falls United Methodist Church** at 16 Church Hill Circle, Sun. Services at 10:30 a.m. and Sun. School for all ages at 9:30 a.m. Pastor Janice Rhenow. 483-2787.

**Community of Christ,** Sun., 11 a.m. Services at Beals Island Church 50 Bayview Dr., Pastor Terry Feeney 497-2186. Jonesport Church, Main St., Pastor Sharon Church 497-2117; Machias Church, 54 North St., Pastor Loverne Strassburg 259-2027; So. Addison Church, 316 Mooseneck Rd, Pastor Harold Tyler 483-2374.

**Cutler United Methodist Church,** Rt. 191 South, Cutler, worship service Sun. 10:45 a.m. except 1st Sun. of month @ 6 p.m. Pastor Patti Sears. All welcome. Child care provided. Info 259-2097, or Pastor Patti 214-9026, available for consultations on Thurs. at church or for home visits.

**Dennysville-Edmunds Congregational Church,** Rev. Ronald Windhorst, Pastor, Dr. Colin Windhorst, Assistant Pastor 726-3905; services at 11 a.m.- starting Sept. 13. Sunday School- 10 a.m. (starting Sept. 20)

**Faith United Methodist Church,** 444 Rt. 1, Columbia: Sun. Worship

10:45 a.m., Sunday School 10:45 a.m. Rev. R. Daniel Blevins, 483-4094. All welcome.

**First Baptist Church of Cherryfield** Sun. School at 9 a.m., Services Sun. 10:30 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.; Wed. 6:30 p.m.

**First Baptist Church of East Machias** (next to the fire station) Are you Growing- Spiritually? Experiencing Christ Together in Bible study, prayer & ministry. Please join us Sun. @ 4 p.m. Info Bob Simpson, 259-3473.

**First Congregational Church** of East Machias. Ed Randall at 9:30 a.m. Everyone welcome. 255-3728.

**Holmes Bay Baptist Church** - Cutler Rd, Machiasport. Sunday School & Service 9 a.m. Rev. Greg Schors

**Holy Name Catholic Church** - see St. Peter the Fisherman's Parish

**Jacksonville United Methodist Church** service 9 a.m. Rev. Patti Sears. FMI 214-9026, 255-6282, or www.jacksonvilleumchurch.com

**Jonesboro Union Church** Sun. School will be from 9-10 a.m.; Church Service 10 a.m. Family & individual counseling offered free of charge, Mon. evenings by appointment. FMI: pastorpam@gonowmail.com or http://jonesborounionchurch.blogspot.com

**Lifespring Chapel Church of God,** Rt 1, East Machias. Sun. School 9:15 a.m.; Service - 10:30 a.m., & 6 p.m.; Wed. Prayer 6 p.m. All are welcome. Pastor Doug 733-2923.

**Lighthouse Bible Church** Ridge Road, Addison. Sun. School 9 a.m.; Services 10 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Prayer Meeting Thurs. 7 p.m. 483-2210.

**Machias Branch - Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints** Sacrament Service Sun. 10 a.m., 100 Court St., Machias, 255-0707. Branch President - Peter Marshall. All welcome.

**Machias Valley Baptist Church,** Broadway, Machias. Sun. School 9 a.m., Service 10:30 a.m. Pastor Henderson 255-4476.

**Machiasport Congregational Church** Rt 92. Music 10:20 a.m., Sun. Worship 10:30 a.m. All welcome. Pastor Francois Akoa 255-0772 (parsonage).

**Marshfield Congregational Church** Church Ln., Marshfield, Pastor John Sprague. Sun. Worship 8 a.m. Info 255-3660. All are welcome.

**Milbridge/Wyman United Methodist Churches.** Wyman Rd., Milbridge Services 9 a.m. alternating between locations; Sunday School when services are in Wyman. Pastor Steven W. Smith.

**New Dawn Fellowship,** Rt. 1, Columbia, Wed. prayer and bible study, 10 a.m., coffee hour 9:30, Sunday service-10 a.m., coffee & fellowship 9:30, FMI-Pastor Chip- 207-259-1197, pastorchip57@yahoo.com

**Pentecostal Lighthouse** Kennebec Rd. Machias. Sun. School & Worship 10 a.m. & Wed. 6 p.m.; Sat. Prayer

6 p.m. & Sun. Prayer 6 p.m. Pastor Denizl Channell, 255-3577.

**River of God** Sun. 10 a.m. worship; group sharing 11 a.m. in The Barn at 12 Fremont St., Machias. Bible study & intercessory prayer Thurs. 6:30 p.m. in The Eagles Nest in church Parsonage. Info Pastor Ralph Ackley 255-6369 or email: manystreamsonriver@yahoo.com.

**Sacred Heart Church,** 19 Church St., Lubec. Mass Sat. 4:30 p.m., Weekday Liturgy Mon., Wed. & Fri. 8 a.m. Youth, Teen & Adult Religious Education Classes. Adult & Infant Baptism Sessions begin soon. FMI Fr. Gene Gaffey, pastor 733-2214 or 255-3731. All welcome!

**St. Peter the Fisherman's Parish,** 8 Free Street, Machias, 255-3731

**Saturday evening:** St. Timothy's, Welshpool, Campobello, 4 p.m. Atlantic time, Sacred Heart, Lubec, 4:30 p.m. **Sunday morning:** Holy Name, Machias, 8:30 a.m., St. Michaels, Cherryfield, 10:30 a.m., **Weekdays:** Monday, Holy Name, Machias, 9 a.m., Tues. Sacred Heart, Lubec, 4:30 p.m., Friday, St. Michaels, Cherryfield, 9 a.m.

**Three Angels Seventh-Day Adventist Community Church** Rt. 1, Whiting. Sat. Services 10 a.m. All welcome. Info Pastor Ed Fleish, 454-0075. In emergency, go to www.threeangelsdda.com.

**St. Michaels** in Cherryfield. Sun. Mass 11 a.m. Sacrament of Reconciliation before Mass.

**Unionville Church of God,** Steuben, Sun. services 9:45 a.m., 10:50 a.m., 6 p.m. Pastor Charles Kelley, 546-2668. Bible study & youth group Wed. 6:30 p.m.

**United Pentecostal Church,** Hwy 187, Indian River Rd., Jonesport. Sun. services 10 a.m. & 6 p.m., & Tues. 6:30 p.m.

**Victory Baptist Church** - 86 Epping Rd., Columbia. You may put your shoes on in the morning, but the undertaker may be the one to remove them at night. Come join us to find a personal relationship with Christ., Sunday Services: 10:30a.m. & 3 p.m.-Pastor Colin Haag, Jr. 598-8423

**Wesley Community Church** A Friendly Bible Believing Church, Pastor Rev. Duane Waite & wife, Joan - Serving under Village Missions. Sun. School 9:15 a.m.; Sun. Service 10:30 a.m.; Wed. 7 p.m. Prayer & Bible Study (in various homes). Ladies Bible Studies at Parsonage. Info 255-0140 or wcc@pwless.net. Everyone Welcome.

**West Lubec United Methodist Church** Rt. 189, West Lubec. Sun. Morning Worship Service 11 a.m.; Communion Services, 2nd Sunday of month. Sun. School for all ages, September through June 9:45 a.m.; Choir rehearsal Tues. 6:30 p.m. Pastor Bernie Hammond 733-2426; 483-4052.

**Whitneyville Congregational Church,** Main St., Whitneyville, Sun. Service 9 a.m., Pastor Betty Duzen 259-2088 or 255-8640.

**Weald Bethel Chapel of the Maine Sea Coast Mission in Cherryfield** - Rt. #1 and Weald Bethel Lane - Two services - Saturday - 4:30 p.m. Holy Communion and Sunday 10:30 a.m. - Holy Communion in Ellsworth at the St. Andrew Lutheran, 175 Downeast Highway, Ellsworth. All are welcome for a time of fellowship after the service. Check our website : www.lutheransonline.com/standrewmaine for schedules and announcements. Pastor Priscilla Hukke, 667-7641

## News with VIEWS

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in our woods, waters, and poisoned farmland will take decades to dissipate (some never will). It is against federal law to claim any pesticide is safe, ever.

Noticed the price of food lately? We need many more farmers to grow food locally for local consumption.

If you or anyone you know is interested in learning practical, survival skills, including organic farming, please contact me and we can talk. Organic farming, growing diverse crops for you and your neighbors, is an independent, satisfying, and secure way of life. I highly recommend it.

Nancy Oden's email is cleaneearth@acadia.net, website www.cleaneearth.net.

## Eastern Agency Menu of the Week

**Eastern Agency on Aging's Meals for Me** program deliver noontime meals through Meals on Wheels to those who qualify and serves at Community Cafes where all are welcome. Cost is \$5 under age 60. Suggested donation for seniors age 60 or older is \$3. Additional donations are appreciated. For a reservation or more information, call (800) 432-7812 Or 207- 733-4555.

### Meals for ME

**March 3 - March 9**  
**Wednesday, March 3** -Sloppy Joe, green salad, blueberry cake  
**Thursday, March 4** - Roast pork & gravy, mashed potato, peas & carrots, wheat roll, pumpkin cake  
**Friday, March 5** - Sliced ham, scalloped potatoes, steamed broccoli, dinner roll, pudding & topping  
**Monday, March 8** - Macaroni & cheese, hot dogs, spinach, roll, fruited jello  
**Tues. March 9** - Tomato Florentine soup, egg salad sandwich, cucumber salad, coffee bar.

## UMM

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"The University of Maine at Machias is a great place to be a student," said Dollins. "The Environmental Liberal Arts approach, coupled with stellar faculty and staff, a great coastal location, and an amazingly personalized education allow students to really learn and grow into scholars and professionals in their respective areas of study."

Dollins holds a master's degree in college student personnel from the University of Central Missouri and a bachelor's degree in journalism from Northern Arizona University.

He will begin his duties on the Machias campus on March 22. ■

## Veterans

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and Thursdays. Bereavement (Gold Star Parents or spouse), couple and family counseling, Military Sexual Trauma (MST), Post Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD), and substance abuse problems are some of the issues Dale helps veterans deal with.

The St Aidan's group that meets on Monday mornings do not sit around telling war stories. They talk about their daily experiences and management of their lives. Confidentiality is an important requirement of the group and the age differences seem to help also. Dale states that the younger individuals relate well with the older men.

If this sounds like a program you might be interested in, and you meet the eligibility requirements, contact Dale for additional information. ■



## Machiasport

by Myra DeLorenzo 255-4287

How strange the weather has been in February. I can't remember a day when the ground wasn't covered in a blanket of snow this time of year. I really felt like spring had arrived early.

I'm sure March will bring us more snow and cold weather, so don't put away your gloves and boots just yet. We can close our eyes and imagine the beautiful warm and sunny days of spring that will be here very soon.

Route 1 was lined with signs supporting the fantastic Raiders of Washington Academy. The team and their coaches traveled to Augusta on Saturday. They were determined to bring home the gold and that's just what they did. All their hard work and dedication really paid off. Their fans are proud of them, I know,

because I am one of them.

Sunday afternoon, a wonderful lady and good friend had a surprise birthday party at Helen's restaurant. Her name is Eileen M. Herrick and she is celebrating her 87th birthday this month.

Those who enjoyed the party were Rev. Francois Akoa and Kathy Akoa, Carrie and John Gardner, Mary and Joe Drouin, Jim and Lois Bezanson, Barbara Maloy, Alice Edgecomb, Lucille Parker and me, too.

Eileen has been a wonderful friend to me since I was blessed to move here and I really wish her many more happy years in our special part of Maine.

May we walk with the Lord each day and truly know we are blessed.

'Til next time!



## Harrington

by Hulda Peterson

There will be a spaghetti supper held at the Columbia Town Hall on March 6th at 5 p.m. This is a benefit supper to help Chester and Desiree Grant. Heather Grant passed away, and this will help with expenses. So come and enjoy a delicious meal and talking with friends.

It seems that one day we enjoy spring weather, and the next day it is snowing. What will the summer be like?

Chuck and Bonnie Peterson, Christina and Chad Fenton, Steve and Heather Berry, and Linda and Duke Labrano enjoyed celebrating all their birth-

days at The Texas Roadhouse in Bangor. They had a wonderful time and a delicious meal.

Marie Ramsdell has had the old trailer removed from her yard. It was her family's home for many years. It will take time to get used to not seeing it there.

Bob Hammond is recovering from the surgery that was done to repair a rip in his rotator cuff. It is a slow and painful recovery.

Frances Worcester had supper with the Petersons. It was a very pleasant visit.

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### 20 on 20 Initiative

**Spend \$20 on March 20<sup>th</sup>!**

**Business After Hours**

**Thursday, March 25, 5 - 7 p.m.**

**Open House at the Downeast Coastal Conservancy**

**6 Colonial Way (next to Whole Life Mkt.)**

**light refreshments served**

