

# THE ARROWSIC ARROW

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## Dear Reader,

Have you been thinking it's time for something new in your life? Have you been feeling more and more frustrated with the way things are, and wishing you could do something to make the world a better place? Would you like to make a difference? Change starts with a decision, and is sustained with commitment. The world begins with where we live. Join your friends and neighbors in their efforts to make our world a better place. Become part of Town Government- if you don't like how it is, come help change it. Tell us what you think might work. The Selectmen are looking for members for the Planning Board, the Recycling Committee, the Conservation Commission, and other town officers. Or join the chorus and sing (443-6174). Or come and dance (article following). Or pick up litter off the roadways (article following). Or plant tulips and daffodils somewhere secret this fall and surprise someone next spring. Whatever you do, have a safe and healthy autumn.

**Coastal Cleanup week is October 3rd through October 10th.** Since our Annual Spring Roadside pickup was rained out both days this year, we thought this would be a great opportunity to pickup where we left off (pun intended). This time will be very informal: we will have trash bags provided by the State available at the Town Hall on Saturday and Sunday, October 3 and 4. You can grab a bag (or several) and mark the map where you are going to work, so others won't redo what you do. You can either leave the bags along the side of the road and someone will pick them up, or bring them back to the town hall. T&R will come out Monday the 5th and haul away the trash. For other area activities, see the poster on the bulletin board at the Town Hall.

**And speaking of garbage...we can now recycle metal cans,** but before rushing to the Town Hall and dumping them in the barrels, PLEASE: 1) rinse all cans, 2) remove labels, 3) flatten as much as possible (those unibody cans can be pounded to death with a sledge hammer by some angry member of the family) 4) separate aluminum from steel, a magnet will quickly tell you which is which- little kids love to go through and sort them out. 5) take them to the town hall- the tin cans go into the appropriate barrel, and the aluminum cans go into the little white building in a bag. Thanks.

-Also, HDPE or #2 plastic must now be separated into 2 types: the clear (but not transparent) kind, i.e. milk jugs; and the colored kind, i.e. ricotta cheese and yogurt containers. Crush the plastics as flat as possible.

There is a dumpster at the town hall for each type, please make sure to use the proper bin.

-Engine oil containers are no longer acceptable because the oil is a contaminant. Vegetable oil containers are fine.

-Those plastic bags that are officially #2 plastic should not be put in bins with other #2 plastic...they are considered "film" and should be recycled by taking them back to Shaw's, which recycles them.

**The Road Commission** wants you to know they will be paving the South end of the Old Stage Road, the Mill Island Road, and the Indian Rest Road in the weeks to come. Please forgive the temporary inconvenience.

## **From Eloise Vitelli, school committee chairperson:**

The Arrowsic School Committee would like to welcome the town to an "open house" informal coffee with Superintendent Laura Hickey on Tuesday, September 29, at 7:00 p.m. at the Town Hall. Refreshments will be served.

**The Tax Collector will not have office hours on Friday, October 2.** She will, however, be at the Town Hall Thursday, October 1st from 9-10 am for your convenience.

**HUNTING SEASON OPENS SOON...PLEASE BE CAREFUL.** Duck season is Oct 5-17 and Nov 26-Dec 12. Deer season opens Halloween Day (October 31) and closes Thanksgiving weekend. Ann Carlton, Town Clerk, has Duck and Deer regulation books available during Town Hall Hours.

**VOTE VOTE VOTE** Tuesday, November 3 is election day. exercise your right to opinion and vote. Polls will be open from 10 AM to 8 PM. Dottie Doyle, Registrar of Voters, will be at her house on Saturday, October 31 from 8 til noon to register voters, but you can register to vote anytime (including November 3). If you are not able to get to the polls on the 3rd. call Dottie Doyle, 443-3850. and request an absentee ballot- these must be returned to her by the closing of polls on Tuesday.

**Come and stretch and jump around with us.** Dance/Movement classes at the Town Hall every Monday beginning October 5, Noon to 1:30. FREE. Wear comfortable clothing. Time and Day are negotiable. For more information, call Manli Ho at 443-3874.

**Are you or someone you know in 1st through 4th grade?** Want to have some fun? come join Al Miller at the Arrowsic Town Hall on Fridays from 3:30 to 5:00. Classes run from November 20- December 18 with a public performance at the Town Hall on Sunday, December 20. Young actors in the area will turn holiday stories, including an original Arrowsic tale into a holiday performance. \$45. for 5 weeks. scholarship help is available. Call 442-8270 for more information.

The following is a complete list of re-registrations due in September and October for Arrowsic. Many of these have already been paid.

SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER
APPEL, CHERYL	AMES, SYLVIA M
BRAWN, CHARLES W	ATER, ANN
BRYANT, BARBARA	BLAIKLOCK, JEREMY
CAMPBELL, ELIZABE	BROOKS, DAVID M
CAMPBELL, SONIA M	COOMBS, JAMES L
CHAFFEE, JOHN	DAVIS, SHELDON
CHAPIN, E BARTON	DUBE, MICHAEL D
COOMBS, JAMES L JI	ELWELL, RICHARD
DRESSER, ARTHUR E	ELWELL, SUSAN D
DURRELL, DAVID A	FRYE, WARREN
ELWELL, SUSAN	GALUZA, JAMES J
FRYE, EUGENE	GILES, SAMUEL D
GOWEN, LILLIAN L	HALL, E VICTOR
GREENE, DOROTHY S	JORGENSEN, JENNY
GUCKENBURG, MARY I	KAHRL, FRED J
HAINES, BRUCE	KINGSBURY, BEVERLY
HAINES, BRUCE O	MCCARTHY-STONE, PAT
HOLBROOK, KIMBERLY	MCLAUGHLIN, JOHN
JONES, JODY J	MCLUER, JOHN
	NELSON, BONNIE R
KIMBALL, WILLIAM A	NIEMEIER, DEBBIE A
KNIGHT, RICHARD A	NOYES, JEAN BREDA
LEWIS, LAWRENCE II	PETERSON, GERTRUDE
MYERS, ERIC R	PHINNEY, WILHELMINA
NEAL, ABIGAIL R	PORTER, EDWARD
NELSON, ROBERT H	ROOT, MARY J
OCONNOR, JAMIE R	SHUFELT, LESLIE A
PINKHAM, TERESA	SIMMONS, COLLIS D
PROCTOR, NANCY	SLOAN, JEFFREY R
PUFF, DAVID	STAFFORD, MILDRED
RON ELWELLS PLUMBI	SULLIVAN, ELAINE
SCOTT, BRIAN E	SULLIVAN, ROSALIE A
STAFFORD, GEORGE F	WASILEWSKI, ERICA M
SULLIVAN, ELAINE M	
SULLIVAN, ROSALIE	
TEXTOR, MELISSA	
TOLAN, JAMES J	
WILLIAMS, SETH	
WILLIAMS, SETH	
WISEMAN, KENNETH	
WISEMAN, KENNETH W	
WITHAM, JACK W	

Gertrude Peterson and her daughter Louise Forsleff would like to thank everyone for Gertrude's wonderful 90th birthday party. The chorus sang a song written especially for her, Judy Kenney made a terrific cake, and Gertrude handed out bookmarks with her picture and a poem. One hundred and seventy people signed the guest book!!



Gertrude M. Peterson  
September 9, 1902

Beyond the candles and the cake, there are birthday wishes I must make on this wonderful day you have shared with me.

Like sunshine on a garden path, down through the years I've held in my heart the warmth and comfort of family and friends.

And, like strong arms around me, I've felt your support when doubts seemed to find me and leave me distraught.

The love and happiness you've brought to me are rare gifts to cherish in memory —for all of my days.

My birthday wish, like a circle of gold, is returning your love a hundredfold, wrapped in bright wishes for happiness —for all of your days.

August 29, 1992

HERE'S TO A SEASON OF GOOD FORTUNE

THERE IS A PROSPECT OF A THRILLING TIME AHEAD FOR YOU.

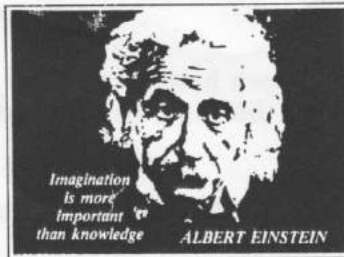
You will be fortunate in everything you put your hands to. ☺

You will conquer all obstacles and achieve success.

YOUR PATH IS ARDUOUS BUT WILL BE AMPLY REWARDING.

☺ Your dearest wish will come true.

YOU ARE HEADING FOR A LAND OF SUNSHINE.



It will a great day, when our schools get all the money they need and the Air Force has to hold a bake sale to buy a Bomber.



TOWN HALL HOURS: WEDNESDAY 3-5:30,  
FRIDAY 8:30-11AM phone: 443-4609

The Arrowsic Arrow is published as often as we have news to fill it. Any submissions, letters, or donations can be dropped in the mail slot at the Town Hall, mailed to The Arrow, Arrowsic Maine 04530, or called in to Patty Olds 442-8270.