

From Milly

I want to thank the Town Affairs for naming the new street by the Fire House Stafford Lane. I only wish George could have seen it. I'm sure he would have been pleased, even though he probably would have said "You shouldn't have done it." Anyway, thank you, it's quite a tribute.

Milly Safford

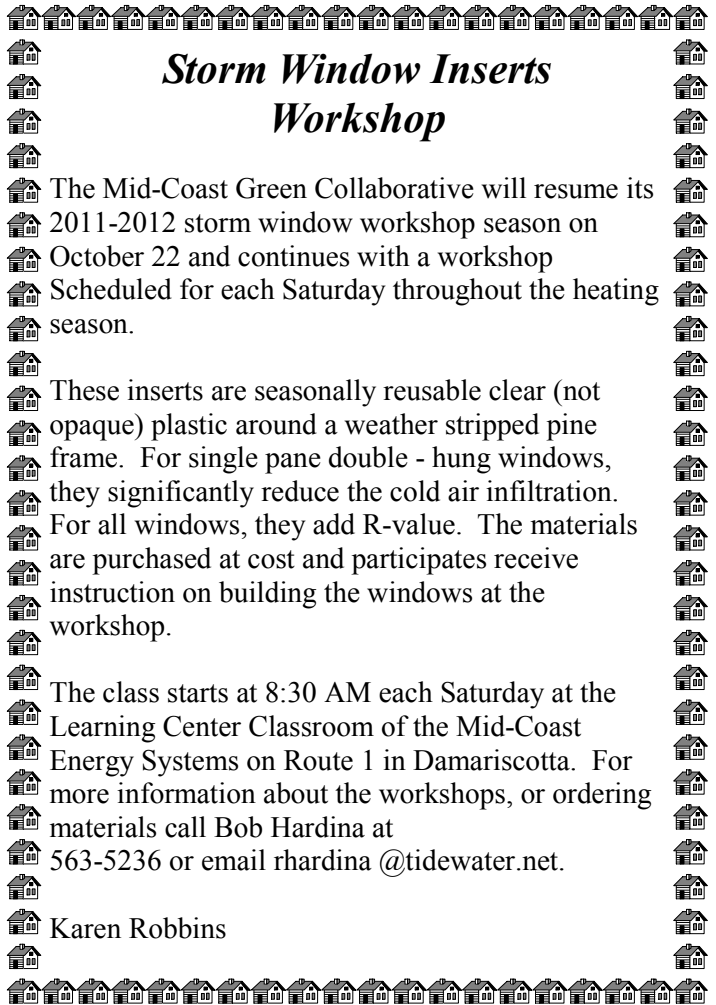
Water

Water is fundamental to life and although 70% of our planet surface is covered with the stuff only one half of one percent is accessible and fit for consumption – the equivalent of one tablespoon in a gallon jug. The rest is oceanic and salty, or locked up in glacial icecaps and deep underground aquifers. That single tablespoon of water continually moves across the globe in a cycle of evaporation and rainfall. It traverses the landscape through rivers, lakes and aquifers, and is held in an environment most efficiently by plants, grasses and trees. The uneven distribution of water around the world gives rise to radically diverse ecosystems from monsoon soaked tropics to arid deserts and creates unique challenges and opportunities for humans.

Humanity's health, peace and prosperity are most deeply tied to the access and efficient use of this most precious resource. Technologic advances that have harnessed the power of water have been the key factors in the rise of civilizations and standards of living (Roman aqueducts, Chinese canals, European waterwheels, and today's massive dams creating hydroelectric power). Ineffective management of water resources has resulted in war, famine, environmental disasters and empire collapse.

Today's technological advances have created both the opportunity to distribute water resources globally and a widening gap between the water "haves" and have-nots". Globally one in five (1.1 BILLION) people have access to less than one gallon of drinkable water daily. Twice that

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Storm Window Inserts Workshop

The Mid-Coast Green Collaborative will resume its 2011-2012 storm window workshop season on October 22 and continues with a workshop Scheduled for each Saturday throughout the heating season.

These inserts are seasonally reusable clear (not opaque) plastic around a weather stripped pine frame. For single pane double - hung windows, they significantly reduce the cold air infiltration. For all windows, they add R-value. The materials are purchased at cost and participants receive instruction on building the windows at the workshop.

The class starts at 8:30 AM each Saturday at the Learning Center Classroom of the Mid-Coast Energy Systems on Route 1 in Damariscotta. For more information about the workshops, or ordering materials call Bob Hardina at 563-5236 or email rhardina @tidewater.net.

Karen Robbins

November 5: Arrowsic Artworks Town Hall 10am-3pm

Arrowsic Artworks is coming back **Saturday, November 5**. Come see local artists, and enjoy the creativity of our town. For more information, please contact Sukey Heard (443-6768) or Phine Ewing (443-9795).

November 5: Arrowsic Fall Festival Rescheduled Fire Station 1pm-3pm

Cider pressing, Bike Parade, Fall Gathering! Rescheduled on account of snow, come to the Fire Station **Saturday, November 5th from 1:00– 3:00**. Bring yourself and a cup!

November 8: Get out and Vote!

The easiest way to exercise (your rights) is on **Tuesday, November 8th**. The Town Hall will be open **10am-8pm** to accommodate your work day. Thank all the volunteers for their dedication! Remember, you can't complain about the system unless you do your part to change it.

*From the
Solid Waste & Recycling Committee:*

Our thanks to Mark Geiger. Mark volunteered and promptly completed the cleaning and painting of the town recycling shed.

Please consider visiting <https://www.catalogchoice.org> as an effective way of reducing unwanted "junk mail." A member of this committee has enrolled with terrific outcome.

Another recycling opportunity is now available at town shed: electronics such as stereo components, radios, DVD players, VCRs, CB radios, etc. You can now place these items on the lower shelf in the shed.

Note: TVs and computer monitors still are not allowed. They are considered "universal waste" and should be delivered to an attendant at the Bath Landfill or Pine Tree waste. There is a handout further explaining universal waste in the shed.

Reminders of other recycling opportunities at the town shed: rechargeable and single use batteries, CD'S/ DVD's, scrap metal.

Curbside reminders:

Separate your recycling bins from your trash piles by at least 3 feet.

Apply yellow recycling sticker to bin. (Find sticker in town shed.)

Flatten cardboard because cardboard not flattened will be trashed.

No plastic bags allowed in single stream recycling, not even to contain recyclables.

Recycling is mandatory in Arrowsic.

Many of the above points are repeated from one Arrow to the next because we do see recurring mistakes and some cases of complete refusal to recycle. We also have many residents who are avid recyclers and who work hard to manage their waste appropriately.

The committee chair cleaned up and sorted several litter and dump sites over the summer. **The largest dump pile weighed out at close to 800 lbs.** Of the 800 lbs, 60 lbs were recycled, 80 lbs of clothes and toys were donated properly, and 660 lbs of bathroom demolition debris were trucked to West Bath drop off. We found the proof in this pile against the dumping offender. The case is not yet resolved. Please note: Your vigilance to witness dumpers, check for identifying items, and report the incident is our best tool to enable prosecution.

Please reuse, reduce, recycle, repair. Respectfully,
ASWC
Liz Ware



*COME TO ARROWSIC
TOWN GAME NIGHT*

Come have fun at the 9th monthly game night at the Arrowsic town hall. We always have tons of fun with all ages from wee ones to adults.

Games include everything from Bananagrams to the ever popular Carcassonne.

Bring your friends and family - everybody's invited. Also bring your favorite games and snacks to share to the

Arrowsic town hall on November 11th from 6:30 to ????. We hope you'll be there.
Sebastian Blaiklock

2012 Dog Licenses Available:

Your dog's current license will expire on December 31, 2011.

Late fee is February 1, 2012
\$25.00 by 2010 law.

Beat the rush!

From the Editor ...

It has come to my attention that there has been confusion about articles in the Arrow. From now on, all articles will include an author's name. If no signature is provided at the end of the article, the sender's name will be added.

Quinn Blaiklock
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Car and Truck Registrations

September 2011

ATER, ROBERT
 BARNES, ANNE
 BLAIKLOCK, WILLIAM (2)
 BOYCE, STEVEN
 BRIGGS ADVERTISING INC
 BRIGGS, JANE
 BIRGGS, WALTER
 BROOKS, CRYSTAL
 BROWN, MICHAEL
 BRYANT, SARAH
 BURKE, JOANNE
 CAMPBELL, SHERMAN (2)
 CARLETON, JAMES
 CARLTON, ANN
 CATON, ROBERT
 CHAFFEE, JOHN
 DAVIS, SHAWN
 DRESSER, ARTHUR
 DUNN, FLOYD
 ELWELL, NORMA
 GEIGER, MARK
 GEIGER, MARK C (2)
 GUCKENBURG, GREGORY
 HANSON, JUNE
 HEWLETT, LOIS
 JORGENSEN LANDSCPNG
 MAGGIED, SANDY
 MORSE, RICHARD (2)
 NEILSON, WILLIAM
 PENDERGRASS, CASSANDRA
 PENDERGRASS, NANCY
 PIEH, JEROME
 PIEH, LUCY
 PINETTE, JAMES
 PINETTE, REBECCA
 ROOT, DONALD
 SAMUEL, GILES
 SCHLEIN, MONA I
 SEWALL, EDWARD III
 STAHL-MACLEOD,
 GRETCHEN

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Sept. continued ...

STARBIRD, JAYNE (2)
 STEPHENSON, MARK
 STONE, JOHN JR
 WARE, DOUGLAS
 WARE, ELIZABETH
 WEISS, DAVID
 WELSH, JOSEPH (2)
 WILSON, LAWRENCE
 WISEMAN, KENNETH

October 2011

BAKER, KENNETH
 BLANCHARD, HAROLD
 BROWN, ANITA
 CATON, ROBERT
 CRABTREE, R CHRISTIAN
 CREPEAU, KATE-LORENA
 DEMERS, THOMAS
 ELWELL, NORMA
 ELWELL, ROBERT
 FAVRO, PHILIP (2)
 GILES, SAMUEL
 GRILL, MARIA
 HEWLETT, HERBERT
 JORGENSEN LANDSCPNG (2)
 KING, STANLEY
 KNIGHT, MILDRED
 KREINDLER, MICHAEL
 LEBRUN, LEONARD
 MACLEOD, GRECHEN
 MARTIN, SANDRA
 MOUNT, PAMELA
 NELSON, ROBERT
 ORR, EDWARD
 PACKARD, PHILLIP
 PINETTE, CRAIG
 ROBINSON, HELEN
 STAFFORD, MILDRED
 TARBOX, CHARLES
 WELSH, JOSEPH

November 2011

AMES, SYLVIA
 ATER, JESSICA
 ATER, MATTHEW
 BERTSCHY, MELANE
 BRUMMER, KATHLEEN
 CARLTON, DALE
 COBB, LESLIE
 DETWILER, BRIAN
 ELWELL, RICHARD
 FOYE, JUSTIN
 GOODSPEED, GEORGE
 GRILL, CHRISTOPHER
 HARKINS, EILEEN
 JEWETT, KARLA
 JORGENSEN LANDSCPNG
 KAHRL, JULIA (2)
 KING, KATHY
 LEE, DARYL
 MALEY, DOROTHY
 MILLER, ELAINE
 ORR, WANDA
 PIEH, JEROME
 PINETTE, ANTHONY
 PUFF, STEPHAN
 ROGERS, JANICE
 ROGERS, ROBERT
 ROY, SHARON
 SCHUMAKER, WILLIAM
 STARBIRD, JOHN
 THOMAS, KATHRYN
 TTEE, UTD
 WEISS, DAVID
 WELSH, JOSEPH
 WOODRUFF, MARGARET

December 2011

BRAWN, PAMELA
 BROWN, CHARLOTTE
 BROWN, PAUL
 BRYANT, ELIZABETH
 CAMPBELL, SHERMAN
 CHAPIN, BARTON III
 DAVIS, SHAWN
 ELWELL, ROBERT
 ELWELL, ROBERT A
 BILES, SAMUEL
 GILLIAM, BRET
 GOWELL, R RANDALL II
 HARKINS, TIMOTHY III
 KALISH, ROBERT
 KANE, JEAN
 KNOWLES, ROBERT JR
 LAKIN, BARBARA
 LEVESQUE, REBECCA
 LOGAN, LUCY
 MCLUER, PAULINE
 PATZLAFF, GARY
 PUFF, DAVID
 ROLLINS, ELIZABETH
 SHAW, JOY
 SKILLINGS COLEMAN,
 ELIZABETH
 SULLIVAN, MICHAEL
 THEODORE, STEVEN
 WARNER, KEVIN
 WELCH, RACHEL
 WOODRUFF, PETER



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