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The Damariscotta region has been a beacon for millenia. From around 2,200 to 1,000 years ago, Wawenock families and other ancestors of the Wabanaki gathered along these tidal shores to harvest oysters, leaving behind shell middens so vast they were visible for miles to travelers approaching by canoe. The great Whaleback Shell Midden stood 15 feet deep and stretched 400 feet inland: a landmark of abundance, community, and a way of life intimately bound to this river and the bays surrounding the Pemaquid Peninsula.

Connection to the water still defines the region today. Oysters thrive in these waters, supporting countless livelihoods. Lobstermen still deliver their catch to local docks. And the economy runs on small businesses whose owners show up, do the work, and know their customers by name.

Alongside them are a vibrant network of local non-profit organizations and public services, powered by volunteers who keep the community healthy and the beaches pristine.

This Guide is your invitation to explore it all. Flip to the centerfold for a map of the region and get oriented among the communities that make up this stretch of Midcoast Maine. Then dive in: from the “Twin Villages” of Damariscotta and Newcastle to Bremen and Waldoboro on the Medomak River, and Wiscasset and Edgecomb on the Sheepscot; from the tip of the peninsula in Bristol and South Bristol to the offshore island community of Monhegan; then inland to the fields, forests, and waterways of Alna, Dresden, Jefferson, and Whitefield. Each corner of this region has unique character and hidden gems. Whether



(Photo courtesy Alex Zipparo)

you're browsing for gifts, a place to eat, a trail to walk, a gallery to wander, or a festival to plan around, we've got you covered.

The Damariscotta Region Chamber represents more than 250 partners across these towns and villages, all listed in the Membership Directory beginning on page 20. Our mission, detailed on the next page, is essentially to support our member businesses to grow and thrive together. And for all who choose to invest in this place – for a day, a week, or a lifetime – our job is to welcome you here.

The Damariscotta region has been drawing people in for thousands of years. Come see why – the world is your oyster.

*-Christa*

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## Join us!

Nearly 100 years since the Damariscotta Information Bureau first opened its doors in the summer of 1935, we continue to welcome visitors year-round in our renovated historic space and to serve as a hub for the 250 member businesses of the Damariscotta Region Chamber of Commerce. Give us a call, follow us on social media, sign up for our weekly newsletter, or stop by the little brick building at the top of Main Street to learn more about this special region!

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# HISTORY OF THE DAMARISCOTTA REGION

## A Journey Through Time in Midcoast Maine

The name "Damariscotta" is said to derive from an Abenaki word for "place of abundance of fish" — a fitting name for a region whose rivers have sustained countless generations. The Wawenock ("people of the bay country") were part of the Wabanaki confederacy and the original stewards of what is now Midcoast Maine. Wabanaki means "people of the first light," reflecting their enduring presence in this easternmost part of the continent.

As recently as 1610, Wawenock people flourished on the Pemaquid Peninsula until English colonization in the 1620s began gradually displacing them. In 1631, two merchants from Bristol, England, claimed patent rights to 12,000 acres at Pemaquid and were incentivized with an additional 100 acres for every settler they brought from England. By the early 1670s, the settler population had grown to an estimated 150–200 people. A century later in 1765, Bristol was formally incorporated as the 18th town in the Province of Maine, with nearby Newcastle incorporated in the next decade.

During the American Revolution, the Damariscotta region played an important role in coastal defense and maritime resistance. Local yards built vessels that challenged British naval power, while militia units defended the coast against raids. The War of 1812 brought similar tensions, with watch posts along the Pemaquid peninsula and renewed disruption to maritime trade pushing local merchants further toward the shipbuild-



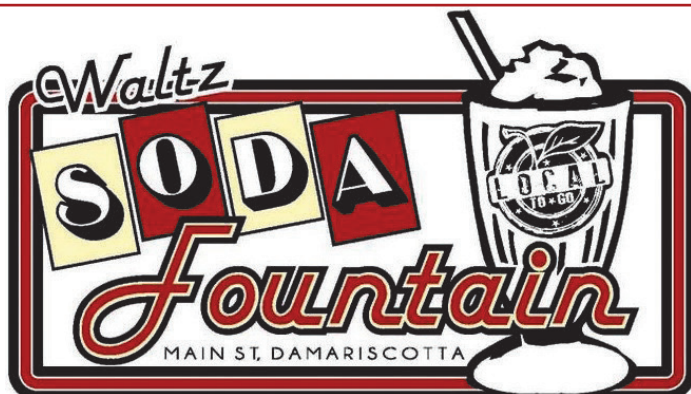
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ing and fishing industries that would define the 19th century.

In 1820, Maine separated from Massachusetts to become its own state, and the Damariscotta region's representatives played an active role in that transition. The decades that followed saw the river's banks lined with brick factories, as well as busy shipyards, drawing on the area's deep-water access and abundant inland timber to produce hundreds of vessels for Maine's growing maritime economy.

This rich historical tapestry continues to influence the character of the region, making it a fascinating destination for historical enthusiasts and recreational visitors alike.

To learn more about the region's rich history, connect with our local Historical Societies, and for a deeper dive into history of the Wawenock, read *Here First: Samoset and the Wawenock of Pemaquid, Maine*, by local author Jody Bachelder.



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# Damariscotta & Newcastle

## The Twin Villages

### Damariscotta

#### What to Do

- **Shopping and restaurant** choices abound along "Business Route 1" on a scenic walkable Main Street that connects the twin villages.
- **Coastal Rivers Conservation Trust** (page 26) works to conserve the lakes, ponds, rivers, and estuaries of the entire Damariscotta-Pemaquid region and has active programs in land conservation, environmental education, water quality protection, public access, and trails. Pick up trail maps at the Damariscotta Region Chamber of Commerce or the Coastal Rivers headquarters at Round Top Farm, which also hosts the Damariscotta Farmers Market on Fridays from 9am-12pm from Memorial Day through October and offers a rich array of fresh locally grown and produced foods just in time for weekend enjoyment.
- **Midcoast Kayak Rentals and Tours** (page 23) offers a variety of kayak, paddleboard, and canoe rentals as well lessons and tours.

### Fun Facts

- The name "Damariscotta (pronounced DAM-ris-COT-a)" could be an alteration of the term "Mada-mescontee," meaning "place of an abundance of alewives," referring to the small fish that spawn in Damariscotta Lake. Whatever the origin, it is unique in the world. There is no other Damariscotta!
- The Damariscotta River's terminus is the Great Salt Bay, the northernmost mating area in North America for horseshoe crabs. These bizarre creatures have existed for nearly 450 million years. In early June you can see hundreds of crabs skirting the shore looking for a mate!

### Hidden Gems

- **The Skidompha Secondhand Bookshop** (page) sits behind the Elm Street Plaza on Back Street Landing. In 1968, Mary Wallace Smith envisioned the Skidompha Secondhand Book Shop for the singular purpose of raising money for her beloved library.
- **Waltz's Soda Fountain** (page 29) next to the Post Office on Main Street is a step back in time to the days of soda fountains. Stop to sit at the counter and enjoy an egg cream or a root beer float.
- **Lincoln Theater** (page 26) is a not-so-hidden gem, as it's a Main Street institution having just celebrated its 150th anniversary! Built in 1875 as a community hall for meetings and gatherings, today, Lincoln Theater operates as a year-round entertainment venue with first-run films, HD broadcasts, in-house programming, and more.

### Newcastle

#### What to Do

- **Frances Perkins Center** (page 23) is a recently designated National Monument just a few minutes drive down River Road in Newcastle. Perkins was the first woman Secretary of Labor from 1933-1947 under President Franklin Roosevelt. She designed or influenced many of the most significant programs and policies of the New Deal, including Social Security. Having spent childhood summers visiting her



grandmother at the family homestead in Newcastle, Perkins always considered this her "true home." The museum is open during the summer and offers tours of the farm and 57 acres of trails.

- **Waterstruck Wellness** (page 26) on River Road, is the ultimate Midcoast retreat. The wooded sanctuary centers on a traditional Nordic thermal circuit: wood-fired saunas, hydrotherapy pool, invigorating cold plunges, and space to breathe, reset, and sink into the ritual of rest. During the summer months, move with nature during the outdoor yoga classes overlooking the forest. Book appointments online.

### Hidden Gems

- **Dodge Point Preserve**, just a little farther south on River Road is a wonderful hiking trail managed by Coastal Rivers Conservation Trust. There are more than 5 miles (8.0 km) of marked hiking trails, labeled as easy to moderate difficulty. Following the trails to the shoreline one can find Brickyard Beach named for the large number of bricks and brickmaking detritus found there, left from 18th and 19th-century brick-making operations.

### Fun Facts

- Newcastle's Great Salt Bay was the first marine shellfish area to be protected by Maine legislation.
- For those of us who remember the 1956 movie "Carousel," many parts were filmed in Newcastle.
- Saint Patrick's Catholic Church, on Academy Hill Road is the oldest Catholic Church in New England. One of the last bells cast by Paul Revere hangs inside.



*Wanderwood (Photo courtesy Fidelio Photography)*

## Fun Facts

- In August 1823, the first recorded meteorite fall occurred in Nobleboro. A witness mistook the sound of the meteorite's entry into Earth's atmosphere for musket fire. The meteorite is on display at Arizona State University.
- The original Diamond Match factory was built in Nobleboro. During World War II, Diamond developed a waterproof match for the military. By the end of the war, more than ten million matches a day were coming off Diamond production lines (Nobleboro Historical Society).

## What to Do

- **North Nobleboro Day** is a cherished summer tradition that brings the community together for a day filled with music and food. This free public event gathers a variety of booths, a silent auction and live entertainment at the North Nobleboro Community Hall, typically in August.
- **Applefest** is an annual fundraiser put on by the Nobleboro Historical Society and usually held on the 1st Saturday in October. Apples and all things apples are the life of the party along with music and games. Proceeds help keep the Historical Society up and running and give post-secondary scholarships to Nobleboro students. For more information: [nobleborohistoricalsociety.org](http://nobleborohistoricalsociety.org)

## Hidden Gems

- **Wanderwood** (page 29) is a farm and event venue tucked in the woods along Pemaquid Pond, offering up farm dinners, creative workshops, and authentic celebrations shaped by the seasonality of their organic farm. Extend your visit by staying overnight in their restored 1920s Farmhouse or in a cozy lean-to beneath the vast Maine sky. To see a current schedule of events, pop-up farm stands, and other happenings, visit [wanderwoodmaine.com](http://wanderwoodmaine.com).

# Bremen

## What to Do

- **Blue Claw Boat Tours** (page 22) offers cruises on Muscongus Bay. The tour leaves from Broad Cove Marine Services, where you can also pick up lobster rolls and other boat picnic essentials from Lusty's Catch.
- **Live from Love Center** (page 26), also on Rte 32 is a bright warm wellness and spiritual retreat center that offers yoga, meditation, reiki, and other holistic programs. They welcome drop-ins and charge on a sliding scale.

## Hidden Gems

- **The Todd Wildlife Sanctuary** includes beautiful trails along the shore, accessible from a public parking area at the end of Keene Neck Road. The campus, run by Maine Audubon, is home to the **Seabird Institute** (page 28), **Project Puffin**, and the **Hog Island Audubon Camp** which celebrates its 90th year in August 2026.
- **Brickhouse Baked** (page 30) on Waldoboro Road is a true hidden gem. Baker Liza Hall creates gluten-free and -full breads, pastries, cookies, and cakes to order but are also for sale at her home's outdoor shed open Fridays and Saturdays, June 19 until end of September.



Hog Island Audubon (Photo courtesy Jean Hall)



Brickhouse Baked (Photo courtesy Liza Hall)



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## Fun Facts

- Unlike Bremen Germany, Bremen Maine is pronounced "Breemen." Pronounce it "wrong," and you will be corrected!
- Bremen is thought to be the inspiration for Crabapple Cove, the fictional hometown of Captain Hawkeye Pierce from the 1970's hit TV show M\*A\*S\*H.

# Waldoboro



## What to Do

• The town is home to the historic **Waldo Theatre** (page 26), a beautifully restored 1936 art deco theater hosting live performances and community events. The historic and well-designed performance venue with near perfect acoustics has state-of-the-art technology.

• **Delano's Seafood** (page 29) is a large market with fresh-off-the-boat seafood, beer, wine, souvenirs, plus a roadside restaurant featuring lobster rolls and other local delicacies.

• **Shelley's Flowers and Gifts** (page 38) is a woman-owned business with over thirty years' experience in creating stunning arrangements for weddings in Mid-Coast Maine.

## Hidden Gems

• **Morse's Sauerkraut** started in 1918 as a humble operation on the family farm and blossomed into a beloved culinary institution known for imported German specialty foods, a gourmet deli, and their signature pickles and sauerkraut ([Morsessaurkraut.com](http://Morsessaurkraut.com)).



*The Waldo Theatre*

• **Recycle Art** (483 Bremen Road/Rte 32) is an outdoor sculpture garden created by Nate Nicholls, who sadly passed away in 2014. His family has preserved the site and allows the public to walk through. Check out the 8-foot pinecone made from shovel heads, and the turtles whose shells are army helmets! Call (207) 832-4938 for more information.



*Recycle Art (Bisi Cameron Yee/ The Lincoln County News)*

## Fun Fact

• In the 1740's, approximately 1500 German immigrants were brought to Waldoboro by Samuel Waldo whose broken promises of 100 free acres, food and money, resulted in the immigrants having to fend for themselves through a harsh winter. Those who survived became hardy Mainers whose descendants are here today.

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# Edgecomb

## What to Do

- **Fort Edgecomb State Historic Site** is a great picnic spot on the highest point overlooking the Sheepscot River. Located on Davis Island in the Sheepscot River, Fort Edgecomb traces its origins to the early 19th century. The Blockhouse, the centerpiece of the fort, represents the nation's best-preserved blockhouse of this period (Maine.gov).
- **Sheepscot River Pottery** (page 38) was started in 1974 and is now a second-generation, women-owned and operated business. Their pottery, hand-painted with coastal Maine imagery, is all created in-house by their team of artists, and they also offer customized pieces such as tile backsplash.

## Hidden Gem

- **Glidden Point Oyster Farm** (page 29), located at 637 River Road stands out not just for its premium, slow-grown Maine oysters but for crafting a full, immersive coastal destination with tours of the farm offered daily through the summer. Savor some of Maine's best oysters on a sunlit patio while enjoying drinks and cornhole. One of Glidden Point's signature cooler season offerings is its sauna experience with a cold river plunge option.



Glidden Point Oyster Farm

## Fun Facts

The cannons at Fort Edgecomb were fired only once: to celebrate James Madison becoming president in 1809.



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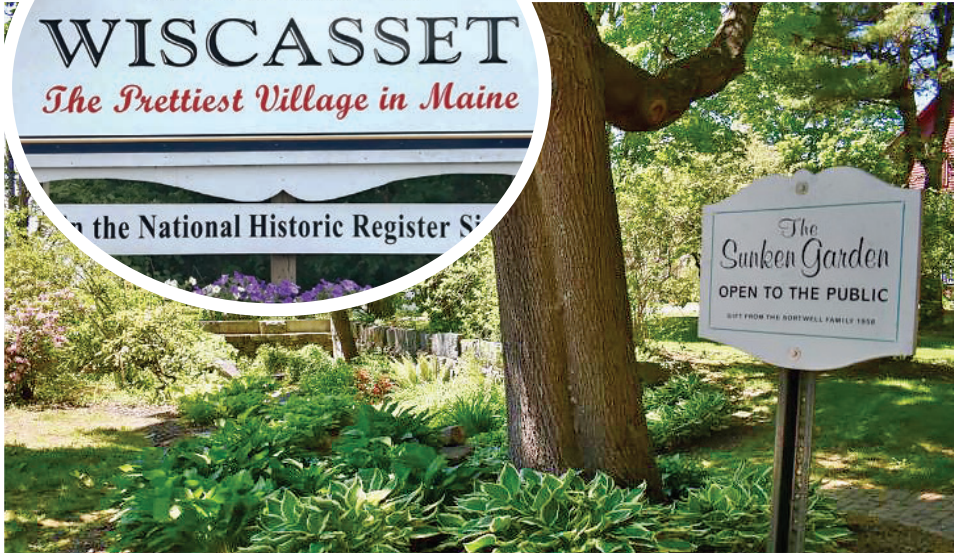
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# Wiscasset



The Sunken Garden (Photo courtesy Wiscasset Newspaper)

## What to Do

- Visit the **Wiscasset Chamber of Commerce** at 297 Bath Road to get a full listing of activities in the area.
- **Castle Tucker** is a 19th-century Wiscasset mansion overlooking the Sheepscot River that offers guided tours and insight into the life of a prominent shipping family's life on the coast of Maine over a period of 150 years.

## Hidden Gems

- **The Cultivated Thread** (page 38) is a small-batch weaving studio in north Wiscasset. Using natural fibers, Hilary creates durable, functional wearables and home goods. She makes products that can easily slide into people's day-to-day lives, such as handwoven towels. She works exclusively with natural fibers and strives to source organic and/or U.S. produced materials.

- **The Sunken Garden** at 10 Federal Street in downtown Wiscasset is a peaceful and beautifully landscaped garden tucked behind historic homes that feels like a hidden secret.



The Cultivated Thread

## Fun Fact

- Earning its nickname as the "worm capital," Wiscasset's worming industry is rooted in its maritime heritage and rich coastal ecosystem, and provides prized bait for anglers seeking to lure fish from the depths of the Atlantic Ocean.



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# Bristol - Pemaquid & New Harbor

## What to Do

- **Pemaquid Beach Park** and Pemaquid Point Lighthouse Park are recreational highlights of the peninsula, located within 10 minutes of each other and managed by Bristol Parks and Recreation department ([bristolmaine.org](http://bristolmaine.org)).
- **Colonial Pemaquid State Historic Site**, is managed by the Maine Bureau of Parks and Lands, represents one of the earliest English settlements on the continent and includes a replica of the 1692 stone bastions of Fort William Henry.
- **The Olde Bristol Historical Society Museum and Pemaquid Mill** (page 23) brings you stories and artifacts depicting life here over the centuries.
- **Maine Kayak** (page 23) offers kayak rentals to explore the area for both short excursions and overnight adventures. A two-hour rental will take paddlers up the Pemaquid river to see ospreys, blue heron, and the occasional seal.
- **Saltwater Artists Gallery** (page 27) is a fabulous art hub showcasing up to 25 local artists and offering various workshops (see Events section).

## Hidden Gems

- **The Good Supply** (page 38) is a lovingly restored 1850s barn selling a curated collection of home goods, arts, and unique gifts from over 100 local Maine artisans with whom the owners cultivate a vibrant and supportive community.
- **Starboard Café** (page 30) is a fantastic local breakfast or lunch option with excellent baked goods and sandwiches, plus pop-up dinners with music.
- **The Contented Sole** (page 30) could be considered a hidden gem based on its new location, but has been a favorite seasonal restaurant since it stood at Colonial Pemaquid on a pier washed away by the 2024 storms. Now in New Harbor, it provides diners with expansive views of a picturesque working waterfront.



*Pemaquid Point Lighthouse (Photo courtesy Old Bristol Historical Society)*



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## Fun Fact

- The Angel Gabriel was a ship that brought early English settlers to Pemaquid in August 1635, anchoring near what is now the Colonial Pemaquid Historical site. Most of the passengers and crew got off the ship before nightfall to rest on land. That night a sudden storm struck the area, tearing the Angel Gabriel from her anchors and destroying the ship, crew and cargo, never to be seen again. Over the years many have tried to locate the remains, to no avail. To learn more, visit Colonial Pemaquid website. (Maine.gov)

# Chamberlain & Round Pond



Granite Hall Store

## What to Do

- **The Rachel Carson Salt Pond Preserve** (State Rte 32, Chamberlain), preserved by The Nature Conservancy, is a beautiful spot to pull over for a picnic and explore colorful tide pools at low tide.
- **Granite Hall Store** (page 38) has been owned by the same family for 43 years. A local meeting house in the 1800's, the store takes visitors back in time with "penny candy," classic toys, local art, ice-cream, and gifts galore.

## Fun Facts

- The residential village of Chamberlain is named for the famed Maine general known for his leadership at the Battle of Gettysburg during the Civil War.
- Several houses in Round Pond village feature Mansard roofs, which were an architectural trend in the 1800's to make extra room for transient renters working in quarries.

- **The Anchor and Muscongus Bay Lobster** (page 29-30) are beloved dining destinations owned by the same local family. The Anchor offers upscale dining with fabulous harbor views and Muscongus Bay Lobster offers shore dinners "al fresco" with a full view of the working waterfront.
- **King Ro Market** (page 30) is a general store and pub that has existed as a store and year-round gathering spot for over 150 years, changing hands only a few times. The name refers to a section of Main Street where ship captains owned grand houses in the early 1800's.

## Hidden Gems

- **Art of Antiquing** (page 27) is a curated collection of antiques sourced personally by the owner from the UK and Europe. If you find what you are looking for, she can ship it to you!
- **Round Pond Coffee** (page 30), located on Rte 32, the Matel family serves coffee, espresso drinks, smoothies, and delicious baked treats.
- **The Lupine Field** off Back Shore Road is a breathtaking viewpoint overlooking Round Pond harbor. The field was saved from development by a passionate group of Round Pond-ers who raised the funds to conserve the land, ensuring a blooming lupine field every June.
- **The Old Rock Schoolhouse**, managed by Bristol Parks and Rec, is a one-room stone schoolhouse built in 1835 and open to visitors from July 1 until Labor Day on Wednesdays 1:00-5:00, and Saturdays 8:00-1:00.

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*where the community grows pumpkins and pumpkins grow a community*

The villages of Damariscotta and Newcastle come alive each October with vibrant colors, creativity, and an unmatched sense of community spirit as they host the annual Damariscotta Pumpkinfest & Regatta. Indigenous Peoples Weekend promises to continue the tradition with an event lineup that features spectacular pumpkin displays and delightful festivities for all ages.

The festival began as a local tradition in 2005, a friendly challenge among local farmers to grow pumpkins big enough to float on the Damariscotta River. Over the years, Pumpkinfest has evolved into a grand celebration that attracts thousands of visitors from all over the country.

Up to 75 decorated pumpkins showcase the creativity and artistic talent of our community. From whimsical

characters to intricate carvings, these pumpkins turn Main Street into a colorful open-air gallery. The festival offers activities tailored for young visitors, too. Kids can outfit pumpkins with axles for the Pumpkin Derby, compete in the pie eating contest, or win prizes at KidsZone.

The Pumpkinboat Regatta is the main draw for many weekend spectators – a unique and thrilling show where participants hollow out giant pumpkins to create makeshift boats. These boats are then raced on the Damariscotta River, with contestants paddling furiously to the finish line. Some boats, piloted by our most seasoned veteran racers, are even fitted with plywood decks and outboard motors!

For those planning to attend the Damariscotta Pumpkinfest & Regatta in 2026, be sure to book accommodations early. Ample parking (both free and pay-by-cash options) and shuttle services throughout the weekend ensure convenient access to festival sites. The decorated pumpkins remain on display for a full week after the festival for those who wish to visit at a more leisurely pace and soak in the final days of fall foliage across the whole region. [www.maine-pumpkinfest.com](http://www.maine-pumpkinfest.com)

# OCTOBER 9-12, 2026



### Pumpkinfest Main Events

- May 17: Seedling Sunday
- October 3-4: Pumpkin Weigh-Offs
- October 8: Pumpkin Deployment
- October 9-10: Artists at Work
- October 10: Parade @ 2:00 PM
- October 11: Regatta @ 12:00 PM
- October 12: 5K Tour de Gourd @ 8:00AM
- Pumpkin Drop @ 11:00 AM
- PLUS KidsZone, buskers, and more!

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*\*See website for details & updates*  

## [damariscottapumpkinfest.com](http://damariscottapumpkinfest.com)

# South Bristol

## What to Do

- **The Thompson Icehouse Museum** introduces visitors to the important tradition of ice harvesting which locals are helping keep alive through community events ([thompsonicehouse.com](http://thompsonicehouse.com)).
- **Wawenock Golf Club** (page 22) is a 9-hole, heathland style course with open fairways, strategically placed bunkers, and fair but not lenient greens. Enjoy lunch or happy hour at the restaurant.
- **South Bristol Fisherman's Co-op** (page 29) offers shore dinners and other seafood caught by Co-op fishermen that can be enjoyed on or off site.



South Bristol Fisherman's Co-op

- **Coveside Restaurant** (Coveside Road) on Sunday afternoons is known for great music. Arrive by land or boat!

## Hidden Gems

- **Clark's Cove Farm in Walpole** (page 21) is a magical getaway location with water views beyond its rolling meadow and apple orchard. Learn about their Summerthing concerts on our Events pages.
- **Steve Viega Woodworks** (page 27) is an artisan studio and shop where you can find custom turnings, including wooden bowls, platters, plates and urns.
- **The Christmas Cove Inn** (page 20) on Rutherford Island is a peaceful escape with beautiful ocean views, sauna, jacuzzis and gym.

## Fun Fact

- The well-known children's book, *Miss Rumphius* by Barbara Cooney was inspired by South Bristol resident Hilda Hamlin (c.1889-1989) – the real "Lupine Lady."



South Bristol Harbor (Photo courtesy Maine Boats Homes & Harbors)



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**Only accessible by boat**, Monhegan Island is about 10 miles offshore or a one-hour ferry ride from New Harbor. A fishing and seafaring hub for millenia and an artist's mecca for centuries, Monhegan is also a critical habitat and a key stopover for 200 species of migrating birds.

With fewer than 100 year-round residents on the island that brings thousands of guests each summer, resources and emergency services are extremely limited. Roads are unpaved and right of way is always given to island vehicles needing to pass. The island has a "Leave No Trace" or "Pack in, Pack out" policy – all trash must be taken home as there are no public trash receptacles on Monhegan. There is one public bathroom behind the Monhegan House. Camping, fires, and drone use are not permitted. These guidelines help ensure that future generations can enjoy this incredibly special place. ([monheganwelcome.com](http://monheganwelcome.com))

## What to Do

- **The Monhegan Association** manages 400 acres of protected wildlands and 9 miles of trails. While there are hikes for all abilities, some trails on the far side of the island are steep and rugged. Maine's highest ocean cliffs are on Monhegan. It is essential to have a printed map of the island, as phone signals/GPS are often lacking. It is possible to purchase a map on the ferry or from a kiosk box once on the island. Be safe, carry water, bug spray, sunscreen and wear sturdy shoes. Se-



(Photos courtesy Alicia Witham)

lect terrain that is suitable and allows plenty of time to catch the ferry home.

- **Fish Beach** is one of the island's two approved swimming spots. Enjoy a picnic provisioned by the **Monhegan Store**, order a pizza from **The Novelty**, or dine at the oceanside **Fish Shack**.

- **Monhegan Brewery** on the south end of the island is a fun spot with island-brewed beers, where you can also enjoy a haddock bahn mi or whole-belly clams at the Bait Shack before checking out Lobster Cove, home of the shipwreck of the DT Sheridan.

- **Art galleries** abound on this small island, often located inside artists' homes, offering the special opportunity to speak directly with the artists! An original work of art is a great way to remember this unique trip.

- Spend the night for an extra-special experience that most visitors miss: The island quiets down when

day-trippers depart, and the magical Monhegan evening emerges. **Shining Sails**, the **Trailing Yew**, the **The Island Inn**, **John Stirling Harbor House**, **The Cracked Mug**, and **Monhegan House** all offer top-notch lodgings. **The Inn at Fish & Maine** rents harborside apartments and there are also cottage and Airbnb rentals to choose from.

## Hidden Gems

- **The Monhegan House** roasts oysters on the porch in the late afternoons through summer. Stop by for some delicious shellfish and fun conversation.

- **The Cathedral Woods** trail is the only trail where the construction of fairy houses is permitted. Don't miss this mossy, sun-dappled wonderland that's a relatively easy walk from the village and a must for children.

## Fun Fact

- October 1st, known as Trap Day on Monhegan, marks the start of the lobster season and is deeply rooted in tradition. The community gathers ahead of Trap Day to haul, stack and load thousands of traps together from the town's wharf. No lobsterman leaves the harbor until everyone is ready. At first light, captains and crew wait quietly aboard their boats until the signal is given, and the fleet heads out together into a new season.



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# Alna & Dresden



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## What to Do

- **The WW&F Narrow Gauge Railway and Museum** (page 23) showcases steam trains from the 19th century that operate along a 3.5-mile-long rail track in Alna that has been rebuilt as a living history museum offering award-winning programming year-round.
- **Pownalborough Courthouse** (Cedar Grove Road, Dresden), maintained by the **Lincoln County Historical Association** (page 23), is the only pre-revolutionary courthouse in Maine. Now a museum, the Courthouse has also served as a tavern, a church, a dancing school, and post office. Visit on weekends, as well as Thursdays, from 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. June to October.
- **Dresden Coffee Shop and Gallery** (page 29) at 769 Gardiner Road (rte 27), is a new coffee shop, bakery and art gallery owned by the Bak family who are of Polish descent and make Eastern European-style baked goods. Stop by on a Saturday for fresh-made pierogies!

## Hidden Gem

- **The Alna Meetinghouse** is a historic meeting house on Maine State Route 218. Built in 1789, it is one of the oldest churches in the



state, with a virtually intact interior. The original box pews are still in place, as is the original pulpit. It is listed on the National Register of Historic Places.

- **Annie Nutbrown** (page 38) offers a curated collection of vintage clothing, fabrics, buttons, and more. The own-

ers, Marilyn and Bill Quinn hope to inspire shoppers. The store is open Saturdays and Sundays 10-3 from early June through late November. Find them on Facebook and Instagram.

- **Tandem Glass Gallery & Studio** (tandemglass.com) and **Fields Fields Blueberry Farm** (fieldsfieldsblueberries.com) are two more worthy stops along the scenic Eastern River that represent the best of Dresden!



Pownalborough Courthouse reenactment. (Photo Courtesy Dave Dostie)

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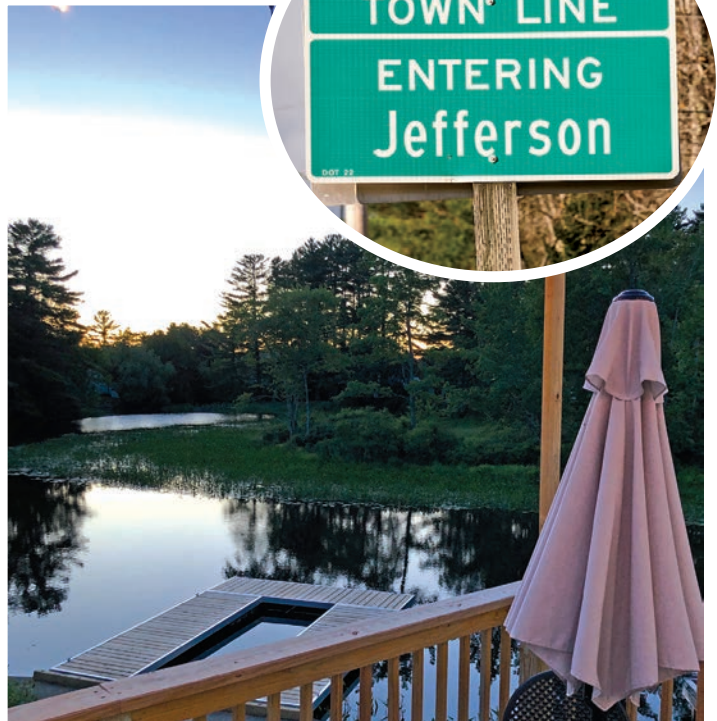
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# Jefferson & Whitefield



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Jefferson Market

## What to Do

- **Jefferson Market & General Store** (page 30) offers bountiful breakfasts, soups and sandwiches for lunch and many other groceries and picnic items for a day at the beach.
- **Damariscotta Lake State Park** on route 32 in Jefferson is a popular day-use park with a swimming beach, picnic tables and grills. Call (207) 549-7600 for fees and hours.

- **Hidden Valley Nature Center** in Jefferson is 1,000 acres of protected woodlands managed by Midcoast Conservancy that includes multi-use trails and access to Little Dyer Pond.
- **Sheepscot Links** in Whitefield is a family owned 9-hole golf course (Sheepscotlinks.com) and **Jefferson Park Golf** (page 22) is a brand new recreational offering introducing a unique version of the sport, fun for all ages and experience levels.

## Hidden Gems:

- **Darrowby Farm Sanctuary** (page 28) is a family-run non-profit organization providing a forever home for farm animals in need and hosting tours and events for animal lovers of all ages.
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## Fun Facts

- Jefferson was incorporated in 1807, named after President Thomas Jefferson.
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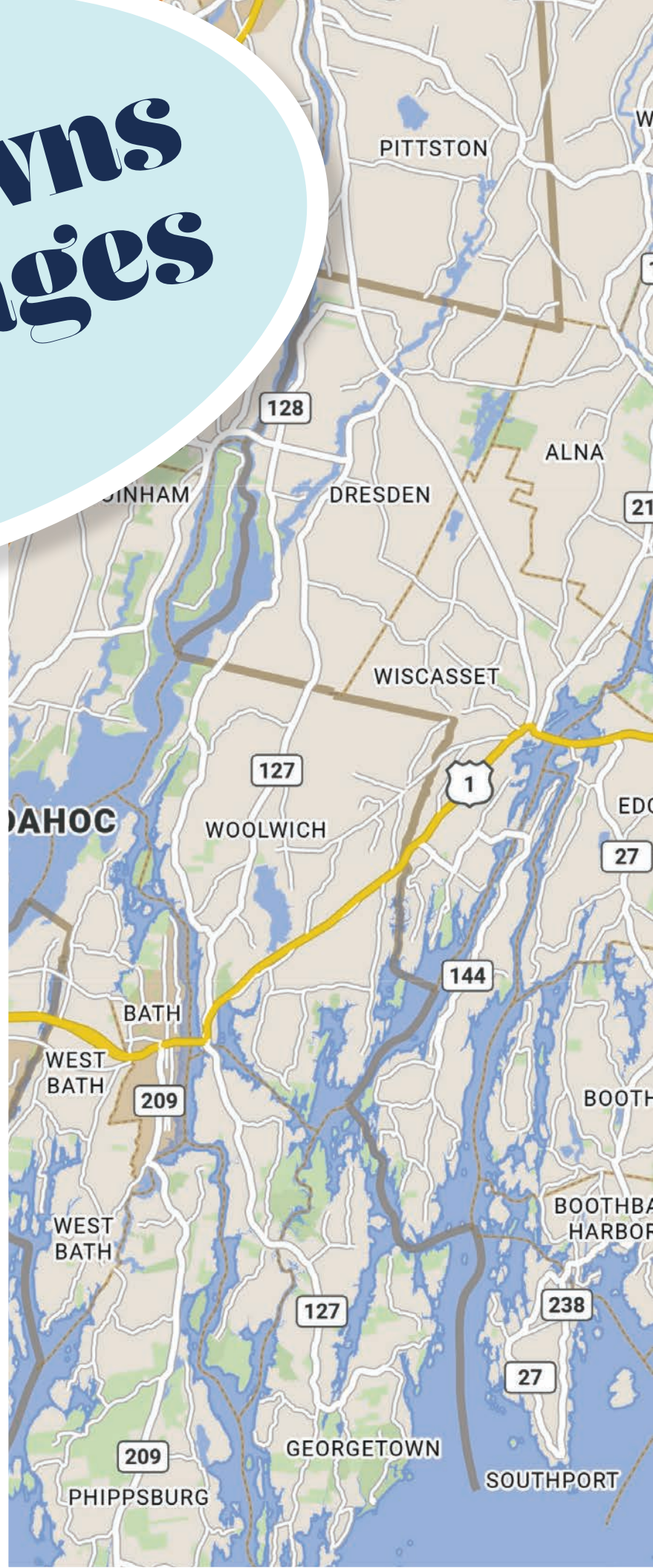
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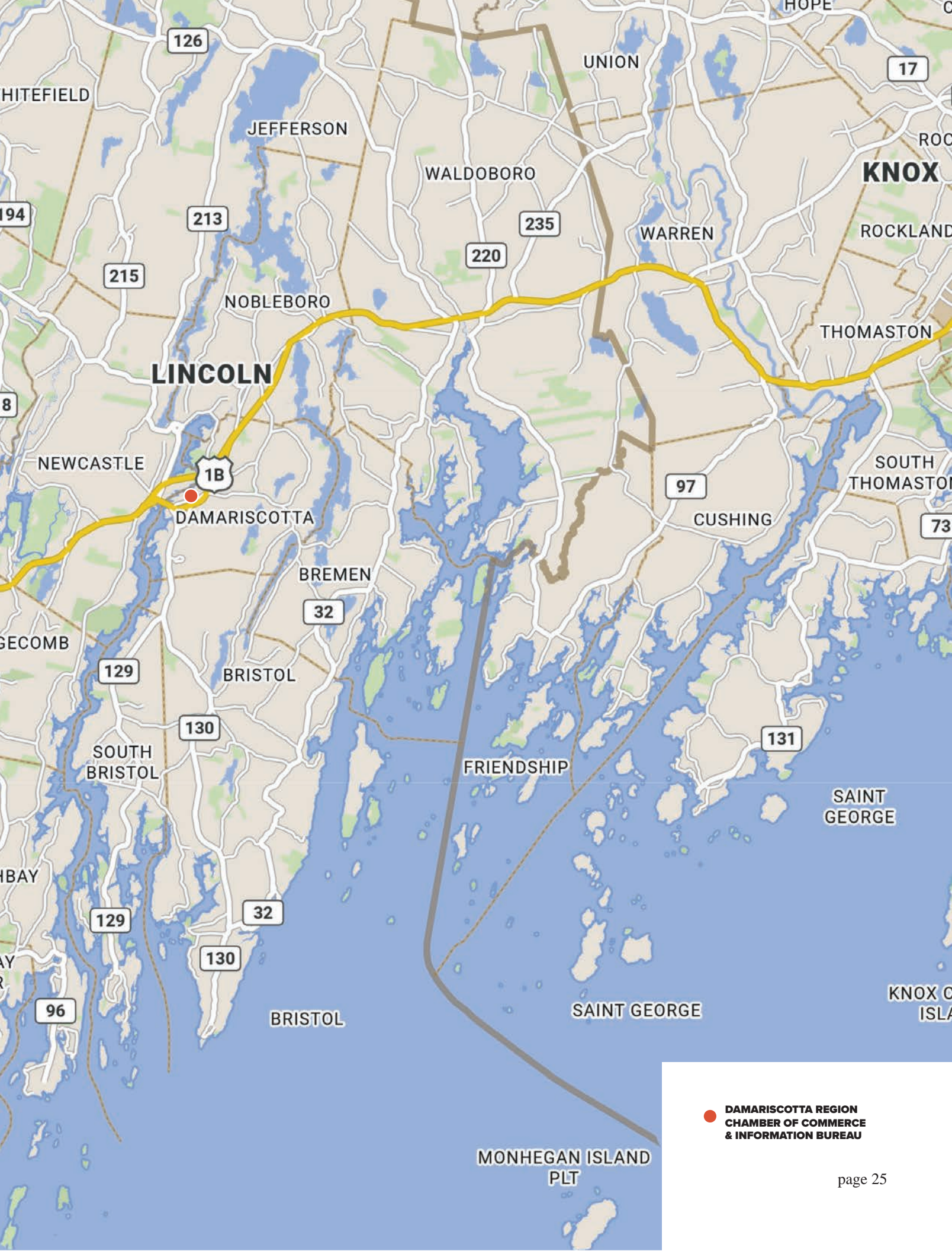
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## Membership Directory

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(207) 248-2606 (See our ad page 29)

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whistlepigrescue.com  
Jamie@whistlepigrescue.com  
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info@chipinc.org  
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281 Main St., Damariscotta, ME 04543  
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info@healthylincolncounty.org  
(207) 563-1330

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3 Hall Street, Newcastle, Maine 04553  
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(207) 563-6374

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297 Bath Rd., Wiscasset ME 04578  
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azipparo@lcrpc.org  
(207) 885-5985

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dnmrotary@gmail.com  
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#### LINCOLN COUNTY EMA

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rue77@gmail.com

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(207) 523-9158

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#### AUTOMOTIVE SERVICES

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hammondlumber.com  
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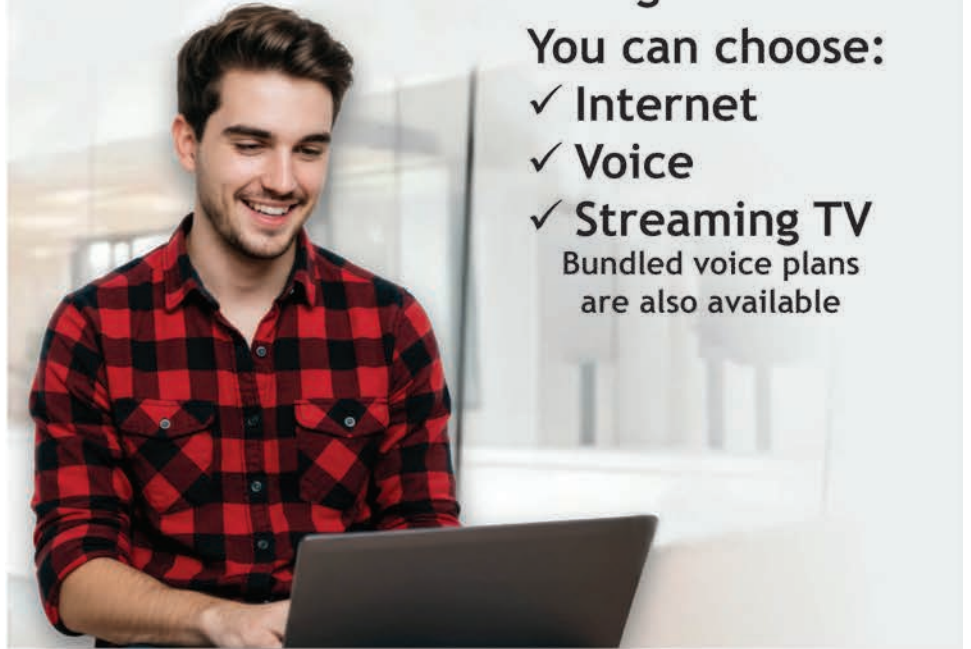
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## RECURRING EVENTS

### COASTAL RIVERS CONSERVATION TRUST

Coastal Rivers offers walks and talks, workshops, events, and family programs in the MidCoast area. Visit [coastalrivers.org](http://coastalrivers.org) for calendars.

### TRAIL TAMERS

Occurs monthly on the 3rd Thursday through November and some Saturdays 1-3 pm. A monthly volunteer opportunity with Coastal Rivers. Help work on nature trails in the Midcoast area. To be added to the Trail Tamers contact list, email [bmoroney@coastalrivers.org](mailto:bmoroney@coastalrivers.org).

### CAMP MUMMICHOG - NATURE- ADVENTURE DAY CAMP

Held at Coastal Rivers' Salt Bay Farm from July through August, for children ages 5 and up. Each 3 to 10-day program has a different theme, and camper age varies by week. Call 207-563-1393 or [coastalrivers.org](http://coastalrivers.org).

### CLARKS COVE FARM & INN

SummerThing concerts most Friday and Saturday evenings in the summer with proceeds donated to local charities. Reservations are encouraged at the Event links on our Facebook page in advance of the event. Clark's Cove Farm 107 Ridge Rd., Walpole, [facebook.com/ClarksCoveFarmInn](http://facebook.com/ClarksCoveFarmInn) 772-321-0622.

### DAMARISCOTTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

3 Chapman Street, Damariscotta, ME  
[info@damariscottahistorical.org](mailto:info@damariscottahistorical.org). Open Thursdays, June 25 thru October 8, 2026, 11am-3pm. Friendly cribbage games first and third Wednesdays 1-3pm.

### GLIDDEN POINT OYSTER FARMS TOURS

11:30am and 1:30pm daily, 637 River Rd., Edgecomb, [gliddenpoint.com](http://gliddenpoint.com).

### SEABIRD INSTITUTE

Free Friday Community Bird Walks with the Seabird Institute - 12 Audubon Road, Bremen. May 22, June 26, July 24, August 21, September 25, October 23, November 13, and December 18  
[audubon.org/seabird-institute](http://audubon.org/seabird-institute).

### ROTARY CLUB OF DAMARISCOTTA-NEWCASTLE

7:15 - 8:30am Twice monthly meetings on 1st and 3rd Tuesday of every month at the Central Lincoln County YMCA 525 Main St. in Damariscotta \$10 Cash or Check [dmrotary.org](http://dmrotary.org).

### WISCASSET

Alive on the Common - Free live music Thursday nights throughout the summer on Wiscasset's Common [wiscassetchamber.com](http://wiscassetchamber.com).

### WISCASSET ART WALK -

Monthly on Thursday evenings in the summer [wiscassetartwalk.org](http://wiscassetartwalk.org).

### WW&F RAILWAY MUSEUM

Railroad trips, concerts and special events throughout the summer and fall. WW&F Railway Museum, 97 Cross Rd., Alna [info@wwfry.org](mailto:info@wwfry.org) 207-882-4193 [wwfry.org](http://wwfry.org)

## MAY

**25 (Monday) - Memorial Day at the Pownalborough Court House:** 11am-12pm Observe Memorial Day at the Court House with historic reenactors! Free. 23 Court House Rd., Dresden, ME [Ichamaine1954@gmail.com](mailto:Ichamaine1954@gmail.com).

**26 (Tuesday) - Veggies to Table Farm Tour:** 3:30pm- 5pm - 27 Bailey Lane, Newcastle, ME, [info@veggiestotable.com](mailto:info@veggiestotable.com).

**29 (Friday) - Wanderwood Farm Dinner:** 6pm Experience the freshest our fields have to offer at a Wanderwood farm dinner!

Advanced tickets required; visit [wanderwoodmaine.com](http://wanderwoodmaine.com).


**30 (Saturday) - SummerThing Concert: Tommy O'Connell & The Juke Joint Devils:** 6-9pm. See Recurring Events above for details.

**31 (Sunday) - Model T Railcar Ramble:** 9am-4pm Climb aboard a rare, rail-riding Model T for an intimate journey down the narrow gauge. \$19.75 WW&F. WW&F Railway Museum, 97 Cross Rd., Alna [wwfry.org/model-t](http://wwfry.org/model-t) [info@wwfry.org](mailto:info@wwfry.org) 207-882-4193.

  
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## JUNE

**2 (Tuesday) - An Evening Of Compassion At Pascal Hall:** 5-7pm - Hosted by Darrowby Farm Sanctuary, this first-time immersive event held at beautiful Pascal Hall, Rockport includes speakers, a film screening and our regionally famous vegan cupcakes. To register, contact [amanda@darrowbyfarmsanctuary.org](mailto:amanda@darrowbyfarmsanctuary.org), (207) 248-2606, or visit [darrowbyfarmsanctuary.org](http://darrowbyfarmsanctuary.org).

**5 (Friday) - SummerThing Concert: Boneheads:** 6:30-9:30pm. See Recurring Events above for details.

**6 (Saturday) - Old Bristol Garden Club Plant Sale -** Inn along the Way, 741 Main St., Damariscotta, [innalongtheway.org](http://innalongtheway.org).

**6 (Saturday) - Lincoln County Historical Association Community Day:** Come tour three historic buildings for free. 10am-4pm Pownalborough Court House, 23 Court House Rd., Dresden, ME; Chapman-Hall House, 270 Main St., Damariscotta, ME; Wiscasset Old Jail, 133 Federal St., Wiscasset, ME. [lchamaine1954@gmail.com](mailto:lchamaine1954@gmail.com).

**6 (Saturday) - Annual OPEN HOUSE-Castle Tucker, Nickels-Sortwell House, Bowman House:** 11am-3pm - Free Castle Tucker, Nickels- Sortwell House and Bowman House will be open from 11am - 3pm. Last tours leave at 3pm. No ticket purchase required. [HistoricNewEngland.org](http://HistoricNewEngland.org), 207-882-7169.

**6 (Saturday) - Ride the Rails to Hike the Trails:** 11am-2pm Ride a historic steam train deep into the Maine woods, then step off for a guided hike through Midcoast Conservancy's scenic Trout Brook Preserve. \$24.50 WW&F Railway Museum, 97 Cross Rd., Alna [wwfry.org/hike](http://wwfry.org/hike) info@wwfry.org 207-882-4193.

**6 (Saturday) - SummerThing Concert: Mid Life Crisis:** 6-9pm. See Recurring Events above for details.

**7 (Sunday) - Celebrating the 250th at the Chapman-Hall House:** 12am-4pm Learn about the Richard Lee Resolution, an important event in the history of the Declaration of Independence! Included with cost of admission (\$10 for adults, free for children, members, and active-

duty military through the Blue Star Museum program) 270 Main St., Damariscotta, [MElchamaine1954@gmail.com](mailto:MElchamaine1954@gmail.com).

**13 (Saturday) - Hearty Roots Paddle for a Purpose - Glidden Point Oyster Farm 637 River Rd., Edgecomb:** Paddle for a Purpose is a one-of-a-kind, family-friendly fundraising event where kayaks, canoes, and paddleboards take to the river for a scenic 3-mile cruise (hello, incoming tide!) followed by a shore-side celebration. [heartyroots.org](http://heartyroots.org).

**13 (Saturday) - Historical Theater:** 10am-4pm Interact with first-person reenactors when you visit the Pownalborough Court House! Included with cost of admission (\$15 for adults, free for children, members, and active-duty military through the Blue Star Museum program) 23 Court House Rd., Dresden, ME [lchamaine1954@gmail.com](mailto:lchamaine1954@gmail.com).

**13 (Saturday) - Wiscasset Wormfest:** Music, food, games, vendors and more. Wormfest honors the town's rich tradition of harvesting sand and blood worms from the mudflats of the Sheepscot River area for sale as bait to fishermen around the world. An article in the April 2004 National Geographic declared Wiscasset the worm capital of the world. [wiscassetwormfest.com](http://wiscassetwormfest.com).

**13 (Saturday) - Pig Roast Express to SeaLyon Farm:** 11:00AM-4:30PM Savor the ultimate steam-powered feast as your train carries you to a lively farm celebration and pig roast.\$60.50 WW&F Railway Museum, 97 Cross Rd., Alna [wwfry.org/pig-roast](http://wwfry.org/pig-roast) info@wwfry.org 207-882-4193.

**14 (Sunday) - Mixed Train Sunday:** 10am-12pm Step into the rhythm of rural railroading as a working mixed train carries you through the countryside. \$19.50 WW&F Railway Museum 97 Cross Rd., Alna [wwfry.org/mixed](http://wwfry.org/mixed) info@wwfry.org 207-882-4193.

**14 (Sunday) - A-No.1 Hobo Experience:** 10am-12pm Climb aboard for a one-of-a-kind journey back to the rails' rough-and-tumble past, where you'll ride like a hobo seated in a vintage boxcar. \$19.50 WW&F Railway Museum, 97 Cross Rd., Alna [wwfry.org/hobo](http://wwfry.org/hobo) info@wwfry.org 207-882-4193.

**14 (Sunday) - Music on the Railway featuring Sandy River Ramblers:** 2pm-4:45pm Step into the rhythm of rural railroading as a working mixed train carries you through the countryside, and concert by Sandy River Ramblers. \$28.75 WW&F Railway Museum 97 Cross Rd., Alna [wwfry.org/music](http://wwfry.org/music) info@wwfry.org 207-882-4193.

**20 (Saturday) - Rummage Sale:** 7am-1pm - Miles Thrift drop off center, 3 Alewife Lane, Damariscotta.

**20 (Saturday) - Rotary of Damariscotta - Newcastle SummerFest:** 10am-5pm Games, food, live music, crafts, dunk tank, auctions and more. 12 Round Top Lane, Damariscotta.

**20 (Saturday) - The Road to Togus Remembered:** Civil War Reenactment: 11am-4:30pm Ride a historic steam train to a unique living history encampment where veterans and civilians of the post-Civil War era are portrayed by dedicated reenactors. \$21.50 WW&F Railway Museum 97 Cross Rd., Alna [wwfry.org/civil-war](http://wwfry.org/civil-war) info@wwfry.org 207-882-4193.

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**20 (Saturday) - "Ropes, Rigging and Reflection" Juried Art Show Opening:** 1-4pm with guest speaker on life as a working fisherman. Saltwater Artists Gallery, 3056 Bristol Rd., New Harbor. [Saltwaterartists.com](http://Saltwaterartists.com).

**20 Saturday - Summer Solstice Celebration:** 4- 6pm Shop our guest vendors, enjoy a private Tarot Reading, & refresh yourself with Herbal Cocktails & Zero-Proofs. Free of Charge, but free advanced ticket needed. Du Jardin, 127 Elm St, Damariscotta 207-563-6256.

**20 (Saturday) - Third Annual Solstice at the Sanctuary:** 6:30pm-8pm - Help celebrate the arrival of summer and fund hay expenses by enjoying music, the company of rescued animals, and our regionally famous vegan cupcakes, our hay expenses

for the year ahead. For tickets, [amanda@darrowbyfarmsanctuary.org](mailto:amanda@darrowbyfarmsanctuary.org), [darrowbyfarmsanctuary.org](http://darrowbyfarmsanctuary.org) (207) 248-2606.

**20 (Saturday) - SummerThing Concert:** River Bottom Funk: 6-9pm. See Recurring Events above for details.

**21 (Sunday) - Mixed Train Sunday:** 10am-3pm Step into the rhythm of rural railroading as a working mixed train carries you through the countryside. \$19.50 WW&F Railway Museum 97 Cross Rd., Alna [wwfry.org/mixed](http://wwfry.org/mixed) info@wwfry.org 207-882-4193.

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**26 (Friday) - 28 (Sunday) - Open Art Gallery Tour:** - Organized by the Damariscotta Region Chamber of Commerce. Join the Artists Reception Friday night at Inn Along the Way (741 Main St, Damariscotta) or stop by the Chamber at 276 Main St. to pick up a map of all participating studios and galleries. [damariscottaregion.com](http://damariscottaregion.com), 207-563-8340.

**27 (Saturday) - The Gardens of Lincoln County:** A Westport Island Adventure: Come tour some beautiful private gardens in the Westport Island area! Tickets are \$35 for members, \$40 for non-members in advance, \$45 day of. [lincolncountyhistory.org](http://lincolncountyhistory.org) [lchamaine1954@gmail.com](mailto:lchamaine1954@gmail.com).

**27 (Saturday) - St. Philip Church's 72nd Annual Strawberry Festival:** 10am-2pm. Strawberry shortcake, plant sale, silent auction, craft vendors and more. 12 Hodge St., Wiscasset. [stphilipswiscasset.org](http://stphilipswiscasset.org) 207-882-7184.

**27 (Saturday) - Ride the Rails to Hike the Trails:** 11am-2pm Ride a historic steam train deep into the Maine woods, then step off for a guided hike through Midcoast Conservancy's scenic Trout Brook Preserve. \$24.50 WW&F Railway Museum, 97 Cross Rd., Alna [wwfry.org/hike](http://wwfry.org/hike) info@wwfry.org 207-882-4193.

**27 (Saturday) - 28 (Sunday) - Studio/Gallery Tour (free) and Scarf Dyeing (\$20) -** Saltwater Artists Gallery 3056 Bristol Rd., New Harbor. [Saltwaterartists.com](http://Saltwaterartists.com).

**27 (Saturday) - SummerThing Concert: Misspent Youth:** 6-9pm. See Recurring Events above for details.

**27 (Saturday) - Wanderwood Farm Dinner -** Experience the freshest our fields have to offer at a Wanderwood farm dinner! Advance tickets required [wanderwoodmaine.com](http://wanderwoodmaine.com).

**28 (Sunday) - Model T Railcar Ramble:** 9am-4pm Climb aboard a rare, rail-riding Model T for an intimate journey down the narrow gauge. \$19.75 WW&F Railway Museum, 97 Cross Rd., Alna [wwfry.org/model-tinfo](http://wwfry.org/model-tinfo) info@wwfry.org 207-882-4193.

## JULY

**2 (Thursday) - Behind Closed Doors Tour of Castle Tucker:** 10am-11:30am - There is something new to see whether you are a first-time or repeat visitor on this in-depth tour including rooms and stories not included on the general tour. Advance ticket purchase is required. \$15 for Historic New England members, \$25 nonmembers. [HistoricNewEngland.org](http://HistoricNewEngland.org) 207-882-7169.

**3 (Friday) - SummerThing Concert:** Stoneheads: 6:30-9:30pm. See Recurring Events (page 39) for details.

**4 (Saturday) - Lawn Party to Celebrate July 4 at The Lincoln Home:** 4:30-8:30pm, then Fireworks Display. - Family Fun, Games, Live Band, Barbecue, Strawberry Shortcake, Bar Cart followed by Fireworks on the Damariscotta River. Bring lawn chairs/blankets. No coolers or pets allowed. \$5 per person, 22 River Rd., Newcastle, [lincoln-home.org](http://lincoln-home.org) 207-563-3350.

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**4 (Saturday) - Lavender Pickin' Trains to SeaLyon Farm:** 10am-4pm Breathe in the beauty of summer as a historic steam train carries you to a blooming lavender farm. \$32.50 WW&F Railway Museum 97 Cross Rd. Alna wwfry.org/lavender info@wwfry.org 207-882-4193.

**4 (Saturday) - SummerThing Concert: Pickled Beats:** 6-9pm. See Recurring Events above for details.

**9 (Thursday) - Cocktails at the Castle:** 5:00 - 7:30 p.m. Celebrate summer and join the party at Cocktails at the Castle, Historic New England's fundraiser for Castle Tucker, 2 Lee St., Wiscasset. Advance tickets required \$50. HistoricNewEngland.org 207-882-7169.

**10 (Friday) - SummerThing Concert: Cryin' Out Loud:** 6:30-9:30pm. See Recurring Events above for details.

**11 (Saturday) - 21st Annual Shortcake Shuffle 5k and Wellness Walk:** 7:30am - 5k Run and Fitness Walk with prizes. All ages! healthykidsmaine.org.

**11 (Saturday) - Lavender Pickin' Trains to SeaLyon Farm:** 10am-4pm Breathe in the beauty of summer as a historic steam train carries you to a blooming lavender farm. \$32.50 WW&F Railway Museum 97 Cross Rd. Alna wwfry.org/lavender info@wwfry.org 207-882-4193.

**11 (Saturday) - Darrowby Farm Animal Sanctuary Tour:** 12pm - Tour Darrowby Farm in Jefferson and meet the animals. darrowbyfarmsanctuary.org, amanda@darrowbyfarmsanctuary.org, (207) 248-2606.

**11 (Saturday) - Forging Now: Summer Workshop:** 2-4 pm Foraging in Summer in Midcoast Maine is unbelievable! Advance Tickets required \$50 Local Batch Kitchen, 127 Elm St. Damariscotta, dujardinbeauty.com/store/p3178/Foraging-Now-Summer-Workshop.html#/.

**12 (Sunday) - Music on the Railway featuring Half Moon Jug Band:** 2pm-4:45pm Step into the rhythm of rural railroading as a working mixed train carries you through the countryside and concert by Half Moon Jug Band. \$28.75 WW&F Railway Museum 97 Cross Rd., Alna wwfry.org/music info@wwfry.org 207-882-4193.

**18 (Saturday) - Rummage Sale:** 7am-1pm - Miles Thrift drop off center, 3 Alewife Lane in Damariscotta. milesmemorialthriftshop.org

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**18 (Saturday) - 4th Annual "Paint the Point" Plein Air Event:** 10am-4 pm - Pemaquid Point Lighthouse Park. Painter registration 8:30am (\$135 to register), Awards 4:30pm at 3056 Bristol Rd, New Harbor, saltwaterartists.com (rain date Sun. July 19).

**18 (Saturday) - SummerThing Concert: High Road:** 6-9pm. See Recurring Events above for details.

**19 (Sunday) - Summerfest:** 11am-2pm Come enjoy Dresden's Summerfest event at the Pownalborough Court House! Summerfest is free, tours of the Court House cost \$15 for adults and are free for children, members, and active-duty military through

the Blue Star Museum program. 23 Court House Rd., Dresden, ME lchamaine1954@gmail.com.

**23 (Thursday) - Take More Time Tour of 1762 Bowman House:** 10am-12pm - Join us for a leisurely guided tour of Bowman House. Advance ticket required \$15 Historic New England members, \$25 nonmembers. HistoricNewEngland.org 207- 882-7169.

**23 (Thursday) - Wanderwood Farm Dinner:** 6pm Experience the freshest our fields have to offer at a Wanderwood farm dinner! Advanced tickets required wanderwoodmaine.com.

**24(Friday)-25(Saturday)-Declaration of Independence on Display:** The Maine Historical Society presents the Dunlap Broadside of the Declaration of Independence for public viewing and enjoyment. Bigelow Laboratory for Ocean Sciences, 60 Bigelow Dr, East Boothbay mainehistory.org/revolutionary-maine/declaration-of-independence-tour-schedule.

**24 (Friday) - SummerThing Concert: Downeast Dead:** 6:30-9:30pm. See Recurring Events above for details.

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**25 (Saturday) - Darrowby Farm Animal Sanctuary Tour:** 12pm - Tour Darrowby Farm in Jefferson and meet the animals. darrowbyfarmsanctuary.org, amanda@darrowbyfarmsanctuary.org, (207) 248-2606.

**25 (Saturday) - Origami Journal Class w/Artist Kay Miller:** 2-4pm - Learn the traditional Japanese art of paperfolding and leave with a home-made journal, \$20 fee, 3056 Bristol Rd., New Harbor, saltwaterartists.com.

**30 (Thursday) - Artists Reception: Plein Air Painters of Maine:** 4-7pm - The Plein Air Painters of Maine display their summer exhibit in the original Nickels-Sortwell Barn, now a Visitor Center and Gallery. Free. historicnewengland.org 207-882-7169.

**31 (Friday) - SummerThing Concert: The Gulch:** 6:30-9:30pm. See Recurring Events above for details.

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## AUGUST

**1 (Saturday) - Ride the Rails to Hike the Trails:** 11am-2pm Ride a historic steam train deep into the Maine woods, then step off for a guided hike through Midcoast Conservancy's scenic Trout Brook Preserve. \$24.50 WW&F Railway Museum, 97 Cross Rd., Alna [wwfry.org/hike](http://wwfry.org/hike) [info@wwfry.org](mailto:info@wwfry.org) 207-882-4193.

**2 (Sunday) - Celebrating the 250th at the Chapman-Hall House:** 12pm-4pm Celebrate the anniversary of the second signing of the Declaration of Independence! Included with cost of admission (\$10 for adults, free for children, members, and active-duty military through the Blue Star Museum program) 270 Main St., Damariscotta [lchamaine1954@gmail.com](mailto:lchamaine1954@gmail.com).

**7 (Friday) - 9 (Sunday) - Maine Boat & Home Show:** 10am-5pm on Friday & Saturday; 10am-4pm on Sunday. Annual boat show in Rockland Harbor Park featuring Boats displayed in water and on land, fine art, marine gear, and home goods and services \$15 general admission, children 12 & under free, \$10 veteran or active duty military. No pets allowed; service animals only.

Rockland Harbor Park, 1 Pleasant St, Rockland [maineboats.com/boatshow](http://maineboats.com/boatshow).

**7 (Friday) - 9 (Sunday) - Olde Bristol Days Weekend** - This community celebration features a parade, live music, food trucks, fireworks, lobster boat races, a vintage car show, and a free children's area with games and inflatables at Pemaquid Beach Park and fireworks at sunset. FMI, visit [Oldebristoldays.com](http://Oldebristoldays.com), or call Sabrina Beach 207-578-0212.

**7 (Friday) - LINACA Alumni Music Festival:** 5-10pm - 4th Annual Linaca Festival. The Linaca Alumni Music Festival is open to the public and features Lincoln Academy alumni musicians performing a wide range of musical genres to raise support for the school's performing arts programs. Donations accepted. Schooner Landing, 47 Main St., Damariscotta. [lincolnacademy.org](http://lincolnacademy.org).

**7 (Friday) - Wanderwood Farm Dinner:** 6pm - Experience the freshest our fields have to offer at a Wanderwood farm dinner! Advance tickets required [wanderwoodmaine.com](http://wanderwoodmaine.com).

**7 (Friday) - SummerThing Concert:** George Massengill & Boneheads: 6:30-9:30pm. See Recurring Events above for details.

**8 (Saturday) - Darrowby Farm Animal Sanctuary Tour:** 12pm - Tour Darrowby Farm in Jefferson and meet the animals. [darrowbyfarmsanctuary.org](http://darrowbyfarmsanctuary.org), [amanda@darrowbyfarmsanctuary.org](mailto:amanda@darrowbyfarmsanctuary.org), (207) 248-2606.

**8 (Saturday) - Comfort Bird Wood Carving Workshop w/Artist Jonathan Leach:** 1-5pm - Build new skills through sculpting your own comfort bird for \$250 including all materials and carving knife/glove, 3056 Bristol Rd, New Harbor, [saltwaterartists.com](http://saltwaterartists.com).

**8 (Saturday) - Behind Closed Doors Tour of Castle Tucker:** 10am-11:30am In-depth tour including rooms and stories not included on the general tour. Advance ticket purchase required \$15 Historic New England members, \$25 nonmembers [HistoricNewEngland.org](http://HistoricNewEngland.org) 207-882-7169.

**8 (Saturday) - Annual Picnic:** 11am-4:30pm WW&F's Annual Picnic is a must-do tradition on the narrow gauge. \$28.75 WW&F Railway Museum 97 Cross Rd., Alna [wwfry.org/picnic](http://wwfry.org/picnic) [info@wwfry.org](mailto:info@wwfry.org) 207-882-4193.

**8 (Saturday) - Jailhouse Rock:** 5pm-8pm Enjoy an evening of music by the Leopard Girls, lawn games, dancing, food, and tours of the historic jail! \$5 per ticket for adults, free for children. Wiscasset Old Jail, 133 Federal St., Wiscasset [lchamaine1954@gmail.com](mailto:lchamaine1954@gmail.com).

**8 (Saturday) - SummerThing Concert: Poor Boys:** 6-9pm. See Recurring Events above for details.

**9 (Sunday) - Music on the Railway featuring Half Moon Jug Band:** 2pm-4:45pm Step into the rhythm of rural railroading as a working mixed train carries you through the countryside and concert by Half Moon Jug Band. \$28.75 WW&F Railway Museum 97 Cross Rd., Alna [wwfry.org/music](http://wwfry.org/music) [info@wwfry.org](mailto:info@wwfry.org) 207-882-4193.

**9 (Sunday) - Music on the Railway featuring Stillwater:** 2pm-4:45pm Step into the rhythm of rural railroading as a working mixed train carries you through the countryside and concert by the Stillwater \$28.75 WW&F Railway Museum 97 Cross Rd., Alna [wwfry.org/music](http://wwfry.org/music) [info@wwfry.org](mailto:info@wwfry.org) 207-882-4193.

**9 (Sunday) - Dress to The Nines 3rd Annual Gala & Auction:** 5-7:30pm - Join Veggies to Table for a glamorous summer evening dressed To the Nines Bigelow Laboratory for Ocean Sciences: 60 Bigelow Drive, East Boothbay, ME. Tickets: [info@veggiestotable.org](mailto:info@veggiestotable.org).

**9 (Sunday) - Merritt-Brackett Lobsterboat Race:** 10am - Lobster boat races from Colonial Pemaquid. [bristolmaine.org](http://bristolmaine.org).



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# 2nd Annual Art Tour

**Fri. June 26 (reception)**  
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**13 (Thursday) - Take More Time Tour of 1762 Bowman House:** 10am-12pm - In-depth experience gives you extra time in each room to look around, ask questions, and take in the details of the house. Advance ticket purchase required \$15 Historic New England member, \$25 nonmembers [HistoricNewEngland.org](http://HistoricNewEngland.org) 207-882-7169.

**15 (Saturday) - Rummage Sale:** 7am-1pm - Miles Thrift drop off center, 3 Alewife Lane in Damariscotta. [milesmemorialthriftshop.org](http://milesmemorialthriftshop.org)

**15 (Saturday) - Ride the Rails to Hike the Trails:** 11am-2pm Ride a historic steam train deep into the Maine woods, then step off for a guided hike through Midcoast Conservancy's scenic Trout Brook Preserve. \$24.50 WW&F Railway Museum, 97 Cross Rd., Alna [wwfry.org/hike](http://wwfry.org/hike) info@wwfry.org 207-882-4193.

**15 (Saturday) - SummerThing Concert: Misspent Youth:** 6-9pm. See Recurring Events above for details.

**22 (Saturday) - Celebrate the 2nd year anniversary of the Stepping Stone Housing Thrift Shop:** 9am-1pm - hot dogs, lemonade, homemade treats, door prizes & special discounts at 53 Biscay Rd, Damariscotta. (207) 380-7058.

**22 (Saturday) - Behind Closed Doors Tour of Castle Tucker:** 10am-11:30am - In-depth tour including rooms and stories not included on the general tour. Advance ticket purchase required \$15 Historic New England members, \$25 nonmembers [HistoricNewEngland.org](http://HistoricNewEngland.org) 207-882-7169.

**22 (Saturday) - Seahawks and Mt. Rainier Scenic RR Day:** 11am-4:30pm All aboard for a steam-powered celebration as the WW&F pays off a

Super Bowl bet in spectacular style \$19.50 WW&F Railway Museum, 97 Cross Rd., Alna [wwfry.org/seahawks](http://wwfry.org/seahawks) info@wwfry.org 207-882-4193.

**22 (Saturday) - "Wildflowers" Juried Art Show opening reception:** 1-4pm with guest speaker lecture on Maine Wildflowers, exhibit runs through Sept. 18, 3056 Bristol Rd, New Harbor, [saltwaterartists.com](http://saltwaterartists.com).

**22 (Saturday) - Darrowby Farm Animal Sanctuary Tour:** 12pm - Tour Darrowby Farm in Jefferson and meet the animals. [darrowbyfarmsanctuary.org](http://darrowbyfarmsanctuary.org), amanda@darrowbyfarmsanctuary.org, (207) 248-2606.

**23 (Sunday) - Pemaquid Beach Triathlon** -Hosted by Bristol Parks & Recreation and Coastal Rivers Conservation Trust [runsignup.com/Race/ME/NewHarbor/PemaquidBeachSprintTriathlon](http://runsignup.com/Race/ME/NewHarbor/PemaquidBeachSprintTriathlon).

**27 (Thursday) - Wanderwood Farm Dinner:** 6pm - Experience the freshest our fields have to offer at a Wanderwood farm dinner! Advance tickets required [wanderwoodmaine.com](http://wanderwoodmaine.com).

**28 (Friday) - SummerThing Concert: Cryin' Out Loud:** 6:30-9:30pm. See Recurring Events above for details.

**29 (Saturday) - SummerThing Concert: Fiasco Brothers:** 6-9pm. See Recurring Events above for details.

**30 (Sunday) - "Itty Bitty Treasure Box" Zentangle Class:** 1-4pm - Artist/Instructor Martha Brooks will guide participants thorough the "ZEN" tangle process designing and creating TWO small gift boxes, \$55 3056 Bristol Rd, New Harbor, [saltwaterartists.com](http://saltwaterartists.com).

## SEPTEMBER

**1 (Tuesday) - 11 (Friday) - Damariscotta Historical Society Silent Auction:** Auction items available for viewing and bidding at at Skidompha Library when library is open.

**5 (Saturday) - Sunflower Special to SeaLyon Farm:** 10am-4pm Soak in the golden glow of late summer as a historic steam train carries you to a vibrant sunflower field. \$32.50 WW&F Railway Museum, 97 Cross Rd., Alna [wwfry.org/sunflower](http://wwfry.org/sunflower) info@wwfry.org 207-882-4193

**6 (Sunday) - Celebrating the 250th at the Chapman-Hall House:** 12pm-4pm Included with cost of admission (\$10

for adults, free for children, members, and active-duty military through the Blue Star Museum program). 270 Main St., Damariscotta [lchamaine1954@gmail.com](mailto:lchamaine1954@gmail.com).

**9 (Wednesday) - Damariscotta Chamber of Commerce Annual Celebration & Auction:** 5-8pm at Crawford Farm Weddings & Events in Warren, enjoy a great meal, drinks, music and yard games in the company of our chamber community, and applaud this year's business award winners. For tickets and more information [info@damariscottaregion.com](mailto:info@damariscottaregion.com), 207-563-8340.

**11 (Friday) - SummerThing Concert: Mid Life Crisis:** 6:30-9:30pm. See Recurring Events above for details.

**12 (Saturday) - Community Cares Day:** 7:30am-3pm All ages and abilities come together annually in September to build ramps, repair steps, clean up and more for neighbors who need help with essential home repairs and maintenance. [caresday@chipinc.org](mailto:caresday@chipinc.org) 207-380-9276. Sign up at [chipinc.org](http://chipinc.org).

**12 (Saturday) - Maine Lighthouse Day** - Pemaquid Point Lighthouse. Bristol Parks and Recreation, Free admission.

**12 (Saturday) - Behind Closed Doors Tour of Castle Tucker:** 10am-11:30am - In-depth tour including rooms and stories not included on the general tour. Advance ticket purchase required \$15 Historic New England members, \$25 nonmembers [HistoricNewEngland.org](http://HistoricNewEngland.org) 207-882-7169.

**12 (Saturday) - Forging Now: Early Autumn Workshop:** 2-4 pm Foraging in mid-coast Maine in Fall is a veritable smorgasbord! Advance tickets required \$50 Local Batch Kitchen, 127 Elm Street Damariscotta. [dujardinbeauty.com/store/p3179/Foraging-Now-Early-Autumn-Workshop.html#](http://dujardinbeauty.com/store/p3179/Foraging-Now-Early-Autumn-Workshop.html#).

**13 (Sunday) - A-No.1 Hobo Experience:** 10am-12pm Climb aboard for a one-of-a-kind journey back to the rails' rough-and-tumble past, where you'll ride like a hobo seated in a vintage boxcar. \$19.50 WW&F Railway Museum, 97 Cross Rd., Alna [wwfry.org/hobo](http://wwfry.org/hobo) info@wwfry.org 207-882-4193.

**13 (Sunday) - Mixed Train Sunday:** 10am-12pm Step into the rhythm of rural railroading as a working mixed train carries you through the countryside. \$19.50 WW&F Railway

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**13 (Sunday) - Music on the Railway featuring Toby:** 2pm-4:45pm Step into the rhythm of rural railroading as a working mixed train carries you through the countryside and concert by Toby. \$28.75 WW&F Railway Museum 97 Cross Rd., Alna [wwfry.org/](http://wwfry.org/) music info@wwfry.org 207-882-4193.

**13 (Sunday) - Preservation Party:** 4pm Lincoln County Historical Association's annual fundraiser to help preserve the association's three historic sites! Pownalborough Court House, 23 Court House Rd., Dresden. [Ichamaine1954@gmail.com](mailto:Ichamaine1954@gmail.com) [lincolncountyhistory.org](http://lincolncountyhistory.org).

**19 (Saturday) - Rummage Sale:** 7am-1pm - Miles Thrift drop off center, 3 Alewife Lane in Damariscotta. [milesmemorialthriftshop.org](http://milesmemorialthriftshop.org).

**19 (Saturday) - 19 (Saturday) - Wellfest Maine** - From Right Here Wellness, a day to reconnect with yourself and meet local wellness practitioners. Downeast School of Massage, Waldoboro. [wellfestmaine.com](http://wellfestmaine.com).

**19 (Saturday) - Holiday by the Harbor:** 10-5 am daily thru Oct 16th - Saltwater Artists fill our flex space with unique gift items they have created to help you start your holiday shopping early! 3056 Bristol Rd., New Harbor, [saltwaterartists.com](http://saltwaterartists.com).

**19 (Saturday) - Historical Theater:** 10am-4pm Interact with first-person reenactors when you visit the Pownalborough Court House! Included with cost of admission (\$15 for adults, free for children, members, and active duty military through the Blue Star Museum program) 23 Court House Rd., Dresden [Ichamaine1954@gmail.com](mailto:Ichamaine1954@gmail.com).

**19 (Saturday) - Equinox CLOTHING SWAP & DONATE DRIVE Party:** 4pm-6:30pm. Shop, Swap, & Support Crucial Local Charities. Free. Du Jardin, 127 Elm St, Damariscotta 207-563-6256 [dujardinbeauty.com](http://dujardinbeauty.com)

**19 (Saturday) - SummerThing Concert:** Downeast Dead: 6-9pm. See Recurring Events above for details.

**24 (Thursday) - Life Along the River - A Landscape Tour of Bowman House:** 10am-2pm - Join us for a walking tour of the landscape surrounding Bowman House. Hear stories of how

life along the Kennebec changed from the 17th to the 21st centuries. Advance ticket purchase required \$15 Historic New England members, \$25 nonmembers. Additional house tour available call 207-882-7169. 22 Bowman Lane, Dresden.

**24 (Thursday) - Wanderwood Farm Dinner:** 6pm - Experience the freshest our fields have to offer at a Wanderwood farm dinner! Advance tickets required [wanderwoodmaine.com](http://wanderwoodmaine.com).

**25 (Friday) - Lincoln Academy Homecoming Parade 5:30-6pm** - Starts at the corner of Church and Main St. in Damariscotta and proceeds up Academy Hill Road to Lincoln Academy.

**25 (Friday) - Homecoming Field Hockey Game:** 7pm - Lincoln Academy, 89 Academy Hill Rd., Newcastle. [KJAnastasio, kj@lincolnacademy.org](mailto:KJAnastasio@lincolnacademy.org).

**26 (Saturday) - 27 (Sunday) - Pemaquid Oysterfest:** Oyster Dinner Extravaganza Saturday, September 26th. Boothbay. [pemaquidoysterfestival.com](http://pemaquidoysterfestival.com).

**26 (Saturday) - Homecoming Hustle 5K:** 9am - The public is invited to join this fun free 5k run. Coach Martin, [garrett@lincolnacademy.org](mailto:garrett@lincolnacademy.org).

**26 (Saturday) - Homecoming Soccer Games 1-8:30pm.** Lincoln Academy, 89 Academy Hill Rd. in Newcastle [KJAnastasio, kj@lincolnacademy.org](mailto:KJAnastasio@lincolnacademy.org)

**26 (Saturday) - SummerThing Concert: High Road:** 6-9pm. See Recurring Events above for details.

**26 (Saturday) - "It's the Great Pumpkin Wall Hanging" Rug Hooking:** 1-5pm Artist Elizabeth Miller will again be teaching the history behind rug hooking in this wonderful class for all levels, \$125 incl. all materials. 3056 Bristol Rd, New Harbor, [saltwaterartists.com](http://saltwaterartists.com).

**26 (Saturday) - 3rd Annual Stepping Stone, Inc. Souper Fundraiser:** 4:30-6:30pm. Damariscotta Baptist Church. \$30 suggested donation at the door. (207) 380-7058.

**27 (Sunday) - LA Alumni Golf Scramble and Cookout:** 8:30am - 2:00pm. Advance registration required \$35 Alumni Council Members, \$70 non-members, Wawenock Country Club, 685 ME-129, Walpole, ME [Phil Page, page@lincolnacademy.org](mailto:PhilPage@lincolnacademy.org).

## OCTOBER

**October 1 - Sign up opens for Firewood Bank volunteers:** Get on the email list to join the Wood CHiPs for a season of sawing, splitting, stacking and deliveries of firewood to neighbors in need. [info@chipinc.org](mailto:info@chipinc.org) 207-380-9276.

**3 (Saturday) - Scarecrowfest** - Craft fair, scarecrow making, chili, chowder & pumpkin dessert competition. Wiscasset Town Office [wiscassetchamber.com](http://wiscassetchamber.com).

**3 (Saturday) - "Three Labs and a Loon Visit the Midcoast"** - Meet the Artist Kathleen Harte Gilsean: 11am-1:30pm. - See Kathleen's new 2027 calendar illustrations depicting Labrador Retrievers and a local Loon as they join other Maine animals to explore 12 fun spots in Midcoast Maine. Skidompha Library, Damariscotta. [maddielabstudio@gmail.com](mailto:maddielabstudio@gmail.com) [maddielabstudio.com](http://maddielabstudio.com).

**3 (Saturday) - 4 (Sunday) - Maine Craft Weekend** - Discover Maine through its Makers: Annual statewide tour of craft artist open studios and events. FMI: [simonne@mainecrafts.org](mailto:simonne@mainecrafts.org) [mainecraftweekend.org](http://mainecraftweekend.org) (207) 205-0791.

**3 (Saturday) - 4 (Sunday) - Pumpkinfest Weigh-Offs** - Louis Doe Home Center, 92 Mills Rd., Newcastle. [mainepumpkinfest.com](http://mainepumpkinfest.com).

**3 (Saturday) - Pumpkin Pickin' Trains to Sealyon Farm:** 10am-4pm Celebrate the best of fall as a historic steam train carries you through the countryside to a lively farm. \$32.50 WW&F Railway Museum 97 Cross Rd., Alna [wwfry.org/pumpkin](http://wwfry.org/pumpkin) info@wwfry.org 207-882-4193.

**3 (Saturday) - SummerThing Concert: River Bottom:** 6-9pm. See Recurring Events above for details.

**8 (Thursday) - Pumpkinfest Pumpkin Deployment:** 5pm - Downtown Damariscotta and Newcastle. [mainepumpkinfest.com](http://mainepumpkinfest.com).

**9 (Friday) - 10 (Saturday) - Pumpkinfest Artists at Work** - Artists painting Pumpkins on Main St., Damariscotta and Newcastle [mainepumpkinfest.org](http://mainepumpkinfest.org).

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**9 (Friday) - 11 (Sunday) - Fall Work Weekend:** 8am-6pm Join fellow volunteers for a crisp autumn weekend of hands-on railroad work. Free. WW&F Railway Museum 97 Cross Rd., Alna [wwfry.org/volunteer](http://wwfry.org/volunteer) info@wwfry.org 207-882-4193.

**10 (Saturday) - Pumpkinfest at Du Jardin Beauty:** 11 am - 3 pm Special local Guest Vendors. 127 Elm St., Damariscotta [dujardinbeauty.com](http://dujardinbeauty.com), 207-563-6256.

**10 (Saturday) - Pumpkinfest Parade:** 2pm - On Main St., Damariscotta. [mainepumpkinfest.org](http://mainepumpkinfest.org).

**10 (Saturday) - Wanderwood Farm Dinner:** 6pm- Experience the freshest our fields have to offer at a Wanderwood farm dinner! Advance tickets required [wanderwoodmaine.com](http://wanderwoodmaine.com).

**11 (Sunday) - Pumpkin Derby:** 9am (registration 8am). [mainepumpkinfest.org](http://mainepumpkinfest.org).

**11 (Sunday) - Pumpkinfest Regatta:** 12noon - Damariscotta Harbor. [mainepumpkinfest.org](http://mainepumpkinfest.org).

**11 (Sunday) - SummerThing Concert: Cryin' Out Loud:** 6-9pm. See Recurring Events above for details.

**12 (Monday) - Tour de Gourd 5K:** 8am - [mainepumpkinfest.org](http://mainepumpkinfest.org).

**12 (Monday) - Pumpkin Drop:** 11am - Great Salt Bay School. [mainepumpkinfest.org](http://mainepumpkinfest.org).

**12 (Monday) - Pumpkin Pickin' Trains to SeaLyon Farm:** 10am-4pm Celebrate the best of fall as a historic steam train carries you through the countryside to a lively farm. \$32.50 WW&F Railway Museum 97 Cross Rd., Alna [wwfry.org/pumpkin](http://wwfry.org/pumpkin) info@wwfry.org 207-882-4193.

**17 (Saturday) - Wiscasset Homes on Tour:** Features a collection of private homes and gardens in historic Wiscasset Village and the surrounding area. [wiscassetcreativealliance.org/houseandgardentour](http://wiscassetcreativealliance.org/houseandgardentour).

**17 (Saturday) - Pumpkin Pickin' Trains to SeaLyon Farm:** 10am-4pm Celebrate the best of fall as a historic steam train carries you through the countryside to a lively farm. \$32.50 WW&F Railway Museum 97 Cross Rd., Alna [wwfry.org/pumpkin](http://wwfry.org/pumpkin) info@wwfry.org 207-882-4193.

**17 (Saturday) - Celebrate Local:** 5-7pm - Join us for a community meal under the tent. Meet Maine vendors and sample products. Beer and Wine tasting inside. FREE all are welcome. Rain or Shine. Rising Tide Co-op, 323 Main St., Damariscotta. [risingtide.coop](http://risingtide.coop)

**18 (Sunday) - Annual Karl's Kids Family Fun Day - Damariscotta-Newcastle Rotary:** 12-6pm - Helping local youth with sports related expenses. Play, Feast, Dance, Cornhole Tourney. Round Top Farm 12 Round Top Lane, Damariscotta. [dnmrotary.org](http://dnmrotary.org).

**22 (Thursday) - Wanderwood Farm Dinner:** 6pm Experience the freshest our fields have to offer at a Wanderwood farm dinner! Advance tickets required [wanderwoodmaine.com](http://wanderwoodmaine.com).

**31 (Saturday) - Tie and Dine:** 8am-6pm Rewarding day of hands-on railroad work, then a relaxing, steam-powered dinner train and cookout. Free. WW&F Railway Museum 97 Cross Rd., Alna [wwfry.org/volunteer](http://wwfry.org/volunteer) info@wwfry.org 207-882-4193.

**31 (Saturday) - Pumpkin Pickin' Trains to SeaLyon Farm:** 10am-4pm Celebrate the best of fall as a historic steam train carries you through the countryside to a lively farm. \$32.50 WW&F Railway Museum 97 Cross Rd., Alna [wwfry.org/pumpkin](http://wwfry.org/pumpkin) info@wwfry.org 207-882-4193.

## NOVEMBER

**7 (Saturday) - Early Bird Shopping** - Shops and restaurants throughout the Damariscotta Region open early (some as early at 6am) to offer shoppers special discounts and offers. [damariscottaregion.com](http://damariscottaregion.com).

**7 (Saturday) - 'Not-So-Early' Bird at Du Jardin Beauty:** 11 am-3 pm 127 Elm St, Damariscotta [dujardinbeauty.com](http://dujardinbeauty.com), 207-563-6256.

**28 (Saturday) - Villages of Light & Parade of Lights:** The spirit of the holidays arrives at the Twin Villages of Damariscotta and Newcastle with decorated Christmas trees lining Main Street in the Twin Villages. Shop and eat local for Small Business Saturday and then join all the festivities! Come to Lincoln Theater to meet Santa, enjoy cocoa and cookies, and watch a free movie. At 4:30pm the Parade of Lights comes down Main Street. [facebook.com/VillagesOfLight](https://facebook.com/VillagesOfLight).

## DECEMBER

**4 (Friday) - 6 (Sunday) - Christmas at Nickels- Sortwell House:** 10:30am - 3pm - Come see Nickels-Sortwell House in holiday splendor, including a stunning tree decorated with hundreds of vintage ornaments and a solarium transformed into a fantasy space filled with wonders. \$10 general admission, \$5 Wiscasset residents and Historic New England members. [HistoricNewEngland.org](http://HistoricNewEngland.org) 207-882-7169.

**5 (Saturday) - 6 (Sunday) - Wiscasset Holiday Marketfest:** The charming historic Village is festooned for the season, events include Friday night light parade and Santa's block party, tree lighting on Saturday, ice carving, horse drawn wagon rides, and a pop-up Holiday Gift Shop offering one-of-a-kind artisan-made selections. [wiscassetholidaymarketfest.com](http://wiscassetholidaymarketfest.com).

**5 (Saturday) - Victorian Christmas Train and Market:** 10am-4pm Celebrate Christmas with a magical steam train ride through the winter woods to a farmstand-inspired marketplace \$21.50 WW&F Railway Museum 97 Cross Rd., Alna [wwfry.org/christmas](http://wwfry.org/christmas) info@wwfry.org 207-882-4193.

**12 (Saturday) - Victorian Christmas Train and Market:** 10am-4pm See above.

**19 (Saturday) - Winter Solstice Celebration:** 4- 6pm, Shop our guest vendors, enjoy free, eco-friendly gift wrapping, & finish up your Holiday shopping. Free with required RSVP. Du Jardin, 127 Elm St, Damariscotta, [dujardinbeauty.com](http://dujardinbeauty.com), 207-563-6256.



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