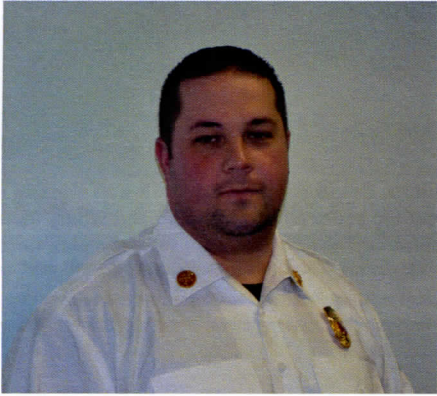


Seabrook Beach Civic Association



Bill Edwards- Seabrook's New Fire Chief

By Susan Spruce

Bill Edwards was a member of the Seabrook Fire Department for nine years and was just recently, in January, promoted to Fire Chief. Having grown up in Seabrook, and now living here with his wife, two children, three dogs and 3 cats. I would say he is more than well established!

I asked Bill why he was interested in becoming chief. He replied simply that he would like to move things forward; that he would like the opportunity to be a part of change rather than complain! His ambition and energy served him well also as he gained experience, communication skills and knowledge and as the union rep for 6 years while interacting and negotiating with Seabrook's town managers and the selectmen.

This personable young man with a ready smile also answered that he honestly enjoys helping people, that the schedule is awesome, especially for a man with growing children, the benefits are good and it's all around a great way of life! Bill Edwards is a happy man!

I also asked Bill what kinds of problems he might be facing with the addition of the recent building explosion here in town. He answered that they definitely did present challenges. He explained that new infrastructure was badly needed. GIS (geographic info system) foundation of infrastructure. Each truck equipped with an ipad... giving a "public eye" and the ability to respond more efficiently. What with 500 businesses in town, more emphasis needs to be placed on fire prevention and inspection, and follow ups and inspections. Much of this is done in coordination with the building department.

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Mrs. "Adie" Caruso received the Boston Post Cane as Seabrook's oldest citizen at 99 years and 3 days young!

Friends and family arrived early to pack the room, honor and watch as Adeline "Adie" Caruso accepted the prestigious Boston Post Cane.



Besides accomplishing her personal goals, Mrs. Caruso invested herself in her adopted town of Seabrook. Adie is one of the founding members of the Seabrook Women' Club.



Winter 2015 by Susan Spruce

Beautification is the major goal of the SBCA

Very few thought winter would ever end, but it has and the Seabrook Beach Civic Association volunteers are moving forward. Basically everything between the park on Route 286, along 1A north to the bridge leading into Hampton Beach and east to the high water mark are maintained either in part or solely by Seabrook Beach Civic Association' volunteers.

We would like to remind everyone:

To keep the district and beach clean everyone must do his part.

If you take "it" in to a common area, please take "it" out!

Beach Pathway Clean Up Day
May 23, 2015

9:00 am – 11:00 am

Meeting Place- the Hooksett Street entrance to the beach



(Bill Edwards Continued from page 1)

However, as there are more truck runs for smoke alarms, systems causing false alarms, other equipment failures, manpower is at times stretched thin.

There are 20 full time employees Working 4 five man shifts. He could use two more per shift. Ambulance calls require two men always accompanied by rescue truck #2 with two more men on board. If/when there are two or more calls at the same time, no one is manning the station! At the same time, however, I must add here that Bill was very happy with the generosity of the town this year as we voted to give the department a new platform truck, a tower truck and new power packs!

Bill, along with his 2 captains, is attending a class in Concord, New Hampshire to become a certified inspector. As inspectors they will be able to certify fire prevention systems, sprinklers, egress, etc. All the men are advanced life paramedics and CPR trained. Seth Coleman and *Kevin Janvrin are also qualified to both teach and certify firefighters and the general public in CPR.

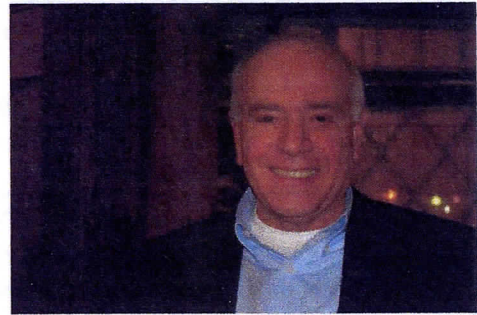
Recently Bill and the town manager, Bill Manzi, did an experimental interview on a new iphone interactive, 'Periscope app', which they are beside themselves excited about! It is pretty cool, I am not a techie so I'll leave the explanation to Bill Manzi who will be speaking at our Seabrook Beach Civic Association meeting on June 15 at 7:00 PM. I believe it will allow real time 360 degree viewing and interaction when the system is activated from the town manager's office. Bill Edwards finds the technology fun and a challenge, but is still a little nervous.

*Kevin Janvrin, has on numerous occasions volunteered and used his free the time to train & certify members of the beach community

DPW crew member Jason Brown, spent one of the warmest days in April cleaning the mess along the streets and around the sewers created by one of the coldest, wildest winters to hit the beach.



Joe Saluto, David Ritchie, Ed Wilk and Roland Jacques spent the better part of one cold and windy morning removing the damaged sign from the park on 286.



Seabrook Beach District's Commissioner, Joe Guiffre oversaw the roofers as they worked at times, in high wind replacing the roof on the Precinct Building.



Tip of the Day: Keep bugs out of kids' sandbox this summer with a simple, all-natural bug repellent: cinnamon! Just mix a cup of cinnamon in with the sand and it will repel ants, centipedes, flies, and even neighborhood cats

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Ten New Benches were added in 2014



Betsy Murphy worked with Greg, Rob and Jovin from Jovin Landscaping, to assemble the bench in memory of her grandfather, Raymond Lavin.

There are now 80 benches along the pathways to the beach-
Ten new benches were sponsored and put into place last fall.

1. Andover Street (Coddair)
2. Haverhill Street (Shea)
3. Hudson Street (Sawyer)
4. Lawrence Street (Lavin)
5. Lowell Street (Shaheen)
6. Nashua Street (Devaney)
7. Newbury Street (M. Miller & Newbury Street friends)
8. Tilton Street (Amico)
9. Tyngsboro Street (LaRosa)
10. Andover Street (Seabrook Beach Civic Association)

Please enjoy and be respectful of all our benches. Do not adhere signs, place graffiti or move them. If you see a bench that is or has been tampered with, please contact Vickie at 339 222-7186.

*Seabrook Beach Village District Parking Policy 10/6/14

Adopted by the Board of Selectmen as a Selectmen's Policy

Definitions

Resident: is a property owner who registers a vehicle in the Town and/or on the voter checklist.

Non-resident: is a property owner but does not vote in town or register a vehicle in Town.

Parking Placards

Beach property owner resident- 1 placard

In-town property owner resident- 1 guest pass for a one **week

Beach property owner non-resident- 2 placards

In-town property owner non-resident- 1 placard

Meadowstone and Twin Brooks – 1 placard

Placard On-Street Parking Regulations- All colored ***stickers or placards can park anywhere there is designated permit parking

Placard Regulations-All placards will have the raised seal

There will be 2 colors- one for the placard and one for a guest pass

*the policy can change at any time by order of the Selectmen

**can return each week for a guest pass

***all vehicles registered in the Town of Seabrook

All property owners are required to show a photo ID and proof of residency. Duplication of placards is strictly forbidden and will result in the loss of placard for the season.



Congratulations, Theresa Kyle, Seabrook's Newest Selectwoman

Theresa Kyle's reasons for running for the office...

1. **The rapid growth of Seabrook and its impact on our infrastructure, citizens and Town economy, including, but not limited to, property taxes, diminishing public services;**
2. **to locate funding to update and maintain Town depts.;**
3. **to locate and provide continuing education and programs for Seabrook's Seniors and Veterans; and**
4. **to provide the best education for our children that will help them be prepared for future challenges.**

Theresa Kyle often stated with the fact that she could not promise anything except that she will look into everything presented thoroughly before making a decision.

Mrs. Kyle has a Bachelor of Science Degree and Doctorate in Law. She was the manager of a law firm for 35 plus years, the Principal and Chief of Operations in a corporation involved in construction projects and restoration of historical buildings, a small business owner and experienced in dealing with many Federal, State and Local departments and agencies.

Her civic involvement in Town includes the Seabrook Lions Club; Seabrook, Happy Seniors; (past/present), President of the Seabrook Women's Club, a members of the American Legion Ladies Auxiliary and the Seabrook Beach Civic Association. Prior to moving to Seabrook, she held positions in the local chapters of the American Heart Association, The Business and Professional Women's Club; and Credit Women International.

All of the above certainly qualified Theresa for the position she sought and won in our Town. **Congratulations, again, Mrs. Kyle.**



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Officer Justin Murphy, Awarded for Bravery



Police Officer Justin Murphy received well deserved praise and honors along with the Silver Star as Selectman Ray Smith on behalf of the Seabrook Board of Selectmen recognized his bravery for his actions on a *mutual aid call from Salisbury.

*May 15, 2014, Officer Murphy assisted Salisbury, Massachusetts, policemen as they faced a machete-wielding suspect that had already (allegedly) murdered two people.



Chief Lee Bitomske & Deputy Chief Michael Gallagher were on hand to add their praise for Officer Murphy.

Seabrook Police Department
State and Local Laws and Ordinances

1. Seabrook Beach is closed from 1:00am to sunrise
2. Fireworks are not permitted for display in the Seabrook Beach Village District
3. No open fires are allowed on the beach
4. No glass containers are allowed on the beach
5. No open containers of alcoholic beverages are allowed on public ways including the beach
6. Handicap parking will be enforced
7. No motor vehicles allowed on the beach or where posted.
8. No parking on sidewalks/crosswalks. Beach rights of way or blocking a driveway.
9. No parking within 15' hydrant, 20' intersection or 50' dead end
10. Parking regulations will be enforced as approved by Selectmen

There are more... to learn what they are, please visit the SBCA website www.seabrookbeachcivicsoc.org under services/police or call the police business line (603) 474-5200.

Want to know what is "going on" in Seabrook?
Spend the * 1st and 3rd Monday of the month at 10:00 at Town Hall.

Attend the Selectmen' meetings as Mr. Beckman does.



You'll hear what the Selectmen and Town Manager have to say and why.



Raymond Smith, Chairman

Theresa Kyle, Clerk



About Khan, Vice-Chairman



Bill Manzi, Manager

- In Seabrook, you can also watch the meeting live on Cable Channel 22
1. To find the Live Internet feed going to www.seabrooknh.info
 2. then to the tab "Town Departments"
 3. and then to the SCTV22 link

*Unless otherwise noted. Check the Town website

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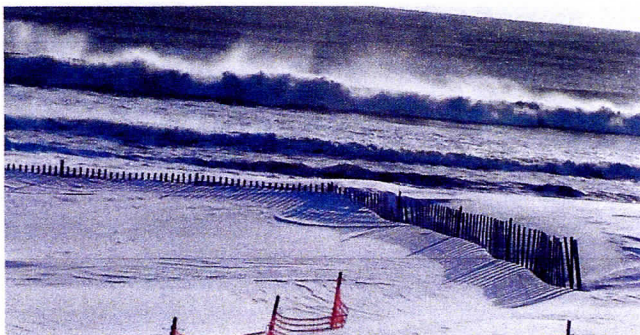
Dwight Souther

By Susan Spruce

The 35' white 'Lady Skye' moored in Seabrook Harbor belongs to Dwight Souther. He comes from a long line of fishermen and has shared a life on the water with great grandfather, grandfather, father, uncle. His cousin owns that orange 38' Novi hull lobster boat that also sits in the harbor. As a matter of fact he told me the Souther name has been in Seabrook since 1666!

Dwight fishes for green crabs and lobsters. Using his smaller 20' boat, he sets his crab traps in the creeks behind Brown's lobster pound, near the nuclear plant or behind the Hampton marina. Before speaking with Dwight, I had nary a clue about the world of these indigenous crabs! He explained the green crabs are an invasive species. Our forefathers, the early settlers, came from Europe in wooden ships to Newfoundland in the late 1600's attracted by the plentiful codfish. When the bilges were bailed out, these small green crabs, indigenous to Europe, had hitched the ride! They invaded our shallow waters and in no way is the catch restricted or regulated. Dwight gathers and sells them in 35 pound bags to dealers along the eastern seaboard who use them for bait. He said he has caught as many as 70 pounds in one trap! The demand in the spring and the fall thru Christmas depends on how actively they are fishing in the mid-Atlantic states.

I asked Dwight when or if he ever felt fearful on the water. He said that he had been on the water all his life and knew his boat and felt comfortable especially in the back creeks. However, he did recount one time when the weather suddenly changed. The wind came up, the water got very choppy, the situation was bad and dangerous and on board his 20' skiff he had collected 62 bags of crabs (remember, at 35 lbs. each...so "you can do the math"!))! ...not a situation for the uninitiated or faint-hearted from my perspective!



Photography by Susan Spruce

At this time, Dwight's boat the Lady Skye is broken down so he's not lobstering. However, when he gets back out, he says he's pulling his 300-400 traps about 3 days a week. That sounded like a lot to me but is not as many as one might find on a larger boat which might go further out or along the coast of Maine which is rocky and dotted with thousands of islands. New Hampshire, Dwight explained, is an 'odyssey of the ocean floor'. It also has only 13 miles of coastline and the state boundary is 3 miles out...a small area for 120 lobstering licenses!

The creeks are protected and may feel safe but I asked about being in the open ocean. Dwight explained that he just doesn't put himself in dangerous situations. However, he told me possibly one of the toughest times he experienced was on his brother-in-law's 32' boat, 20 miles from the mainland tuna fishing on Jeffrey's Ledge, 17 yrs. old and supposedly out from Friday night due in Sunday 6 PM. It stormed and they were 6 miles from the fleet when their boat broke down. It had something to do with the drive shaft and axle (sorry, Dwight, I didn't understand that part) coming close to putting a hole in the boat and it would have sunk. Because of the lightning and a possible power surge they had to turn off anything electric. So, unfazed, he said they read and played cards (this was before cell phones which they would have had to turn off anyway) while awaiting help. They did not get back until Monday at 9:30!

When I asked what was the most nerve-wracking part of all that? Dwight's response

"Not having control over my situation or my surroundings!"
I'm with you on that one!!



Cooking Demonstration

"One Meal, 3 Ways"

Bill Turner, Food Service Director, *Partridge House

June 9th

1:00 pm – 2:00 pm

Seabrook Community Center

311 Lafayette Road Seabrook, New Hampshire

Each demonstration will take "ONE" meal and turn it into 3 different entrees,

making cooking for one or two people more practical.

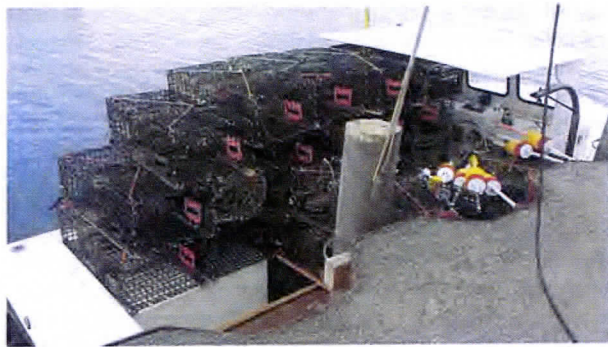
Each month focus will be on a staple ingredient.

RSVP by signing up at the Seabrook Community Center or by calling 603 929-3032

*Partridge House Senior Living- 777 Lafayette Road
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Hampton,

The Marshall Brothers, a well-oiled and time testing machine!
 photography and story by Susan Spruce



I found Greg and Charles Marshall loading the 24' "Dixie Lyn" (early on nicknamed the 'Banana Boat' by other fishermen) with lobster traps and buoys, using every inch of space in order to fit as many as possible while leaving just enough room for the two men to maneuver the wheel. They informed me it was their 2nd trip that day.

Greg started lobstering in 1981 just after high school. He said he was too young to marry so he named his boat after his niece. His brother Charles fished with him. While watching Charles pass traps from the dock to Greg on the boat, it was clear that the two had worked in tandem and in concert for many years.

They have a commercial license, set out 600 traps and in spring, summer and fall Greg and Charles will pull their pots every day. They pull them out around Christmas as the winter weather wreaks havoc on the traps and they lose too many during the cold months to make fishing worthwhile. At this time, the lobstering should be good as the water is still cold and they will keep their hard shells longer. When the water warms they will shed and we will be buying the less expensive soft shells.

I was surprised to learn anybody, that is, every NH resident can get a 100 trap limited license. Greg said that within the NH state waters there could be many boats vying for lobsters and since the regulations have become so numerous, there are many more guys who usually go after fish who are now lobstering. In Maine and Massachusetts a commercial license requires a minimum 800 traps or a limited 5-10 trap license for eating

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The Lake
 By Guest Contributor, Alina

On a sunny beautiful day after my dad came out of work my sister, me and my dad went to a lake that we drove past before.

"Quack" went a duck. "Peep" went a little frog. The water was shining. It was beautiful.

We went into the woods. On the far end of the lake there were rocks. And we could see more of the trail but we did not cross. It might have been slippery and dangerous.

We turned back leaving no foot prints.

We had a busy long day that we enjoyed.

I can't wait til next time. |

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The Marshall Brothers (continued).

I asked them about tuna fishing. Greg said that his boat was too small to go out far enough to find tuna as the warmer water has driven them further out. In 2010, 2011, and 2012, 82 tuna were caught by local fishermen while the last two years produced 1 each year. He felt pretty sure that because of the cold winter and the fact that the water had stayed colder longer, the tuna catch would be more plentiful.



The Marshall brothers, are friendly, hardworking, very focused men. What truly amazed me? The entire time they were answering questions and speaking to me, not once did they break the rhythm they had established.

The brothers are...

Truly a well oiled and time tested machine!!

Thank you to Mr. Starkey and his staff for never letting us down and always doing everything with a smile



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Stop by to say hi to Frank Lanzillo and his nephew at Antonio's on Lafayette Road Salisbury, MA



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The Seabrook Women's Club

The Seabrook Women's Club is a social club and has a wonderful membership of ladies who enjoy each other's company while accomplishing charitable and educational goals for the Town. The club meets on the 2nd Thursday of the month April - November at 7:00PM unless otherwise noted ahead in the beach' Precinct Building 210 Ocean Blvd.



Louise Ferris, Treasurer and Theresa Kyle, President

One man's legacy to provide homes for birds continues- that is amazing unto itself. But to drive through Cross Beach Road and see them is incredible! And at the end look to the right and watch the Osprey.



photography by Maria Crocker



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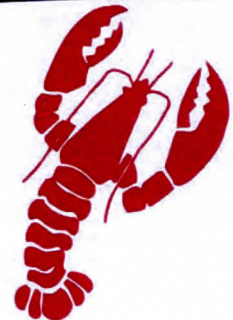
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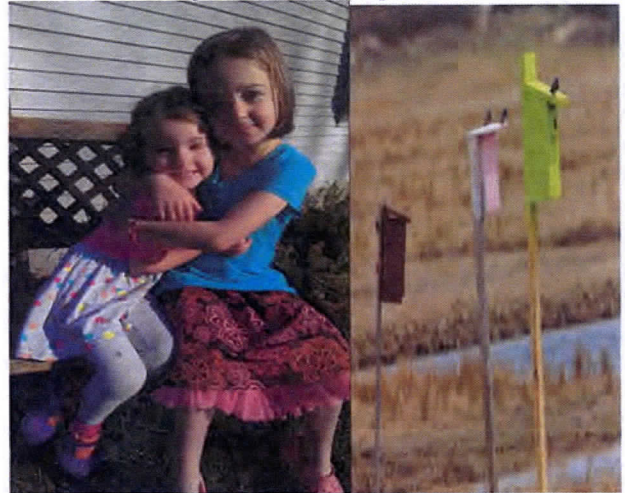
Tim and Susan (Coddair) Doddridge from Vermont enjoyed their morning coffee while waiting for Susan's Aunt Ann and Uncle John's second sponsored bench was being delivered and installed.

Personalized bench plaques will be placed this spring. Sponsoring a bench is a wonderful way to honor a loved one or simply share a friendly message with beach visitors. At this time there is one bench installed between Merrimack and Groveland streets available. Anyone interested in sponsoring a bench contact Vickie Sawyer, the Bench Program Coordinator, by calling (617) 529 - 6939 or by e-mailing duckgal7@msn.com.

While we are looking forward to a wonderful summer, we need to remember the winter that just passed. We know Queen Audrey will- her waves brought smiles to many shoveling the winter away.



Please remember; if you bring it to the beach- take it home. That doesn't mean just the trash! Octopus was someone's treasure



Our guest writer, Alina, and her sister Scarlet along with all the birds are ready to share summer in Seabrook with you!

Define Your Body... Define Yourself! By Vickie Sawyer

Jeanie Rocco is a leading Seacoast NH personal trainer who specializes in both private and small group training. The Fitness Jeanie creates and implements individualized fitness programs designed to achieve the fitness goals of each and every client. Offering a comprehensive selection of both traditional and cutting-edge training techniques, her customized fitness regimes will boost your strength, increase your stamina and improve your overall health - regardless of your current fitness level.

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It happened on December 31, 2014- a vehicle crossed over the guard rail and continued into the park causing nearly \$6000 in damages to the Seabrook Beach Civic Association's Welcome sign, shrubbery and lighting located in the 286 park.

Through the efforts of the Seabrook-Police Department the driver was located and charged with driving while intoxicated. In March 2015, the defendant negotiated a plea-- restitution is expected monthly-damages paid in full by March 24, 2016.

The Association would like to thank all the officers involved, especially Scott Mendes who negotiated in their behalf. ***The Seabrook Beach Civic Association will decide whether to replace the sign immediately or wait until restitution is made.**

Scott Mendes- Seabrook's Prosecutor/Detective

by Susan Spruce

Scott Mendes began work as a police officer in 1989 in Hampton, NH and subsequently drawn in 1996 to the Seabrook police department. Why? In the early 90's Seabrook was the small but growing town with a well-run department which attracted him, although, frankly, he admitted, it was in the end a financial decision. It was "a good financial contract"

Once his foot was in the door with a 2 year stint as dispatcher and part time patrolman, he was hired as a full time patrolman. Twelve years ago, the prosecutor/detective position was posted internally. Scott interviewed with the administration and was chosen to do the job. To complete training for this position he attended prosecutor school for 2 weeks at the police academy.

As I listened to Scott, I began to realize why the title prosecutor/ detective isn't separated into two job descriptions. He prosecutes all cases for the police involving violations and misdemeanors such as arrests, DWI's, thefts (similarly to a DA in MA). He handles arraignments, pleas and, if going to trial, interviewing the officers and any witnesses involved, reviewing the rules of evidence, reviewing the elements of every offense, then preparing for the actual trial. Scott assists at all crime scenes and is responsible for taking all crime scene photos! He also handles all police media relations, rides mountain bike patrols, and in his spare time does occasional overtime shifts while wearing the hats of husband and father!

While on his way to the station this morning a burglary call came in. He headed to that. After speaking with me he was headed to court!

I found Scott to be energetic, positive, affable, and in the SBCA's experience very capable. His job is fascinating, multi-faceted, demanding and busy, busy, busy!

Even though he's in a serious business, he loves his job, loves helping people and most of all says "It's fun"!!

New Hampshire House seat in Rockingham District 20
(Seabrook & Hampton Falls).
The date of the primary is July 7, final election August 25.



Rainbow over Seabrook's Dunes by Vickie Sawyer



It Might Be... by the Ciarletta Family

*It might be the sand or the shore or the sun
It might be the smiles, the laughter or fun
It might be the cool breeze, blue sky or sea
It might be the glitter, the seaweed or glee
It might be the digging or watching the sand castles rise
It might be the hot dogs, cold drinks or prize
It might be the challenge, teamwork or creativity
It might just be being involved in all the festivity
Whatever the reason people come to the
Seabrook Amateur Sand Castle Competition,
they always are glad they did.*

Please join us this year on July 11th from 11:00 to 2:00 on the sand just below Hooksett Street on Seabrook's beach!

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**some of the 2014 contestants*

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Treasurer Mike Rurak Clerk Don Hawkins
Moderator Theresa Kyle Auditor Jack Lannan

Zoning Board

meetings 3rd Wednesday of the month as needed

Chairman: Henry Therriault
Members: Mary Durant, Joe Giuffre, Doris Sweet, Bob Weisner
Alternate: Joan Lawson

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Steve Keaney

Seabrook Beach Village District Annual Meeting
was held On April 28th a 7:00 PM
at the Seabrook Recreation/Community Center

- Article 1: Elected Joseph Guiffre commissioner (3 yrs)
- Article 2: Elected Donald Hawkins clerk (1 yr)
- Article 3: Elected Theresa Kyle moderator (1 yr)
- Article 4: Elected Michael Rurak treasurer (1 yr)
- Article 5: Elected Jack Lannan auditor (1 yr)
- Article 6: To raise and appropriate \$85,000 to be used for general expenses and legal fees of the District.
- Article 7: To act separately on *two proposed amendments recommended by the SBVD Commissioners.
- Article 8: To see if the District will vote to authorize the SBVD Commissioners to borrow in anticipation of tax revenue. Article
- 9: To transact any and all business that may legally come before the meeting.

* Ordinance #1 Are you in favor of amending the entire Section X1 Flood Control Regulations...

Ordinance #2 Are you in favor of amending Section VI: Authorization and Enforcement, Paragraph A Section 1...

Articles 7- 9 Passed. For a full report, call (603) 474-7029

Want to shop and don't want to leave the beach? Don't!



Shop at Catalano's Market 207 Ocean Boulevard
(603) 474-9944

What you can see IF you have patience



Just when it seemed winter was over,
April winds destroyed SBCA's sign on Hooksett Street/1A



Not wanting the area to be left without a sign,
the Beautification Committee members installed another



Ed Wilk, Chuck Defrancesco, David Ritchie,
Ed McColgan, Roland Jacques

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**Seabrook Beach Civic Association
2013 – 2015 Officers**

President Phyllis Farfaras (617) 908-0780 (603) 760-2899
Seabrookbeachcivicsoc@hotmail.com

Vice President Doris Sweet
Seabrookbeachcivicsoc@hotmail.com

Secretary Janet Labrecque (603) 474-5159
Seacoastjan@aol.com

Treasurer Roland Jacques (603) 474-5593
rgjacques33@comcast.net

Membership Secretary Peter Volpe Jr. (978) 771-5439
Peter@CommonwealthScaffold.com

2013 – 2015 Board of Directors

American Flag Program- Chuck DeFrancesco (603) 474-2544

Beautification- David Ritchie (603) 474-8845

Bench Program- Vickie Sawyer (617) 529-6939

By Law Committee- 3 open positions

Correspondence- Doris Sweet

Newsletter 2015-Susan Spruce and Phyllis Farfaras
Seabrookbeachcivicsoc@hotmail.com

Newsletter Ads- 2 open position

Newsletter articles – 2 open positions

Police & Fire Correspondent- Frank Leone Jr (603) 474-2319

Sand Castle/Family Day- July 11, 2015

Seabrook Beach Civic Association Website- Helen Rose

To volunteer call: (617) 908-0780 or email: pfarfaras@aol.com

Seabrook Beach Civic Association Meetings
3rd Monday of month April – October

Seabrook Beach Civic Association Email
Seabrookbeachcivicsoc@hotmail.com

Seabrook Beach Civic Association Website
www.seabrookbeachcivicsoc.org

Adopt - A - Highway Program (May –October)
Scheduled at the volunteer's convenience 1st week of the month

Adopt – A – Pathway/Flower Pot Program (May – October)
volunteers will work out their personal schedule
coordinating with David Ritchie, Beautification Chair

**Come One, Come All
FAMILY DAY
AMATEUR
SAND SCULPTURE CONTEST**

Plus National Night Out with A Twist

July 11, 2015

***11:00 AM - 2:00 PM**

10:30 AM Sand Sculpture Registration

12:00 noon Nat'l Night Out with a Twist
(Seabrook Police and Fire departments)

Refreshment Stand
hot dogs – water - soda

Where: on the beach just below Hooksett Street

***registration begins at 10:30 am**

Volunteers needed
Please call: 617 908-0780
or email: Seabrookbeachcivicsoc@hotmail.com

Seabrook Beach Civic Association
210 Ocean Blvd Seabrook, NH

Meeting Time 7:00 PM
Guest Speakers

May 18... Personal Safety & Home Security

June 15... Town Manager & Selectmen

July 20... Seabrook Fire Chief Bill Edwards

August 17... Police Chief Lee Bitomske

September 21... Election of Officers

October 19... 2015 - 2017 Newly elected officers preside

**The Seabrook Beach Civic Association will
use the calendar year for membership purposes.**

***Yearly membership will begin
January 1 and end December 31 (same year).**

***SBCA Bylaws will be revised to reflect the change**

BY-LAWS SEABROOK BEACH CIVIC ASSOCIATION

ARTICLE 1. NAME

The organization shall be known as the Seabrook Beach Civic Association.

ARTICLE 2. PURPOSE

The purpose of the organization shall be to promote betterment issues that would enhance the livability of Seabrook Beach.

ARTICLE 3. MEMBERSHIP

SECTION 1.

Membership shall be open to any resident of the general area known as Seabrook Beach, including, but not limited to, property and business owners and seasonal residents.

SECTION 2.

Any member who moves from the general area can continue membership as long as the annual dues are paid.

ARTICLE 4. DUES

SECTION 1.

The annual dues of the organization shall commence October 1 in line with the organization's fiscal year of October 1 through September 30.

SECTION 2.

Members are required to pay their annual dues by September in order to vote at the annual election.

ARTICLE 5. MEETINGS

SECTION 1.

Stated meetings of the organization shall be held every month from May through October.

SECTION 2.

Special meetings may be called by the president at the request of the board of directors or at the request of at least 10 members of the body.

SECTION 3.

The annual meeting for the election of officers shall be held at the stated meeting in September.

SECTION 4.

A quorum for the approval of any business shall consist of not less than three members of the Board of Directors and ten percent of the membership.

SECTION 5.

In order to plan for the meeting and programs for the ensuing year, there shall be a joint meeting of the retiring officers and the Board of Director Members with the newly elected officers and newly appointed Board of Director Members during the month of September.

SECTION 6.

A Board of Directors' meetings shall be held once a month to prepare for a general meeting.

The meeting may be canceled by a majority of those members comprising of the officers and Board of Directors.

ARTICLE 6. OFFICERS AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS

SECTION 1.

The officers of the organization shall consist of a President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer and Membership Secretary.

SECTION 2.

The officers shall be elected at the annual meeting in September and assume their respective duties on October 1st for a term of two years.

SECTION 3.

The Board of Directors shall consist of the above five officers and the chairman of all standing committees and the retiring president who may serve for a term of one year.

SECTION 4.

The Board of Directors shall have the authority to fill any vacancy or vacancies on the board including any officers who will then fill out the term and in general, plan and carry out such measures as shall best promote the services and welfare of the organization.

ARTICLE 7. DUTIES OF OFFICERS

SECTION 1.

The President shall preside at all meetings of the organization as well as Board of Director

He /she shall also serve as ex-officio of all committees.

SECTION 2.

The Vice-President shall assume the duties of the president in his or her absence or any other duty in the capacity of the office..

SECTION 3.

The Secretary shall keep a record of all meetings of the organization and Board of Directors. In case of absence of the President and Vice-President, he/she shall assume the duties of the President if and when deemed necessary.

SECTION 4.

The Treasurer shall receive all monies of the organization, make all deposits of receipts at the designated bank, pay all bills for which he/she must have a bill indicating merchandise or service purchased and the amount due. He/she shall submit a financial statement at each meeting.

SECTION 5.

The Membership Secretary shall maintain a record of all members, collect the annual dues (turning monies over to the Treasurer) and pursue members to maintain membership.

ARTICLE 8. STANDING COMMITTEES

SECTION 1.

There shall be such standing committees chosen by the President and the Board of Directors as may be necessary for the organization to fulfill its mission. Each committee shall consist of a chairman and a minimum of two members. The chairman shall be selected by the current President and the chairman of each committee will select or solicit its remaining members.

SECTION 2.

The Nominating and Auditing Committees shall be permanent standing committees.

The President and the Board of Directors shall appoint a Nominating Committee Chairman and an Auditing Committee Chairman.

SECTION 3.

The Nominating Committee shall consist of three members. One to be chosen by the Board of Directors who will be chairman and two members from the membership. This committee is to be selected prior to the annual meeting in order for them to submit a slate of officers for the election at the September meeting., Nominations may be made from the floor after the chairman has submitted the slate selected by the Nominating Committee. This must be done before nominations are closed. The Nominating Committee is also responsible for conducting the election and furnishing all materials required.

SECTION 4.

The Auditing Committee duties shall be, though not limited to, the examination of the Treasurer's books prior to the annual meeting. A report is to be submitted to the membership by the chairman at the annual meeting.

ARTICLE 9. AMENDMENTS

SECTION 1.

The By-Laws may be amended at any regular meeting by a two-thirds vote of the quorum, providing that the proposed change has been submitted in writing at the previous meeting.

ARTICLE 10. PARLIAMENTARY

SECTION 1.

The rules contained in Roberts Rules of Order Revised" shall govern the organization.

Enacted November 4, 1997

Last Revision October 21, 2009

The Seabrook Beach Civic Associations By Laws are to be reviewed and update in 2015. A By Law Committee shall be formed by June 2015.

2015 - 2017 Elected Officers

*President

The President is accountable to and responsible for ensuring that the Board of Directors and its members are aware of and fulfill their responsibilities; comply with bylaws; conduct board business effectively and efficiently. He/she presides over meetings, proposes policies and practices, sits on various committees, proposes the creation of committees; appoints members to such committees; and performs other duties as the need arises and/or as defined in the bylaws.

The President ensures that an agenda is planned for and presides over board and community open meetings. She/he serves as an ex-officio member of board committees specified in the bylaws. In this capacity, the President's role is to serve as a voting member of the committee (as specified in the bylaws).

He ensures that the organization maintains positive and productive relationships with media, donors, and other organizations. The President is one of the signing officers for certain documents. In this capacity, the President may be authorized or be required to sign or countersign checks, contracts, correspondence, applications, reports, or other documents on behalf of the association.

*Vice President

The Vice President is the second person in command and steps in when the President is not available or cannot serve. He/She supports the association's mission, vision and values and keeps the President informed of all actions taken. The vice president's role bears significant responsibility, accountability, and authority within an association, having these additional responsibilities oversees the complete operation of the association in accordance with the direction established in the strategic plans. He/She is the lead board member in determining the context of the public monthly meetings, overseeing other officers and performs other responsibilities as needed.

For additional information, revert to the role of the President as he/she shares those responsibilities during the term in office.

*Secretary

The secretary maintains records for several purposes: accurate recollection of decisions; determination of eligibility to vote; continuity of policies and practices; and accountability of directors and officers.

In order to fulfill those responsibilities, and subject to the association's bylaws, the Secretary records the minutes of all meetings, ensures their accuracy, and availability. The minutes should include at a minimum: date, time, location of meeting; maintains a list of those present and absent; list of items discussed; list of reports presented; text of motions presented and description of their disposition. The Secretary signs a copy of the final, approved minutes and ensures that this copy is maintained in the corporate records. proposes policies and practices, submits various reports to the board, oversees the Membership Secretary's records maintains, fulfills any other requirements of an Officer, and performs other duties as the need arises and/or as defined in the bylaws.

The Secretary participates in Board meetings as a voting member. He/she provides items for the agenda as appropriate. In the absence of the President (and Vice-President), the Secretary calls the meeting to order, presiding until a temporary chairperson is elected. The secretary records meeting minutes as described above Depending upon the bylaws and practices of the organization, the Secretary may perform these duties for Member meetings, General Meeting and/or for an executive committee.

The Secretary may be designated by the Board of Directors and/or bylaws as one of the signing officers for certain documents. Includes checks, applications, correspondence, reports, contracts or other documents on behalf of association.

*Treasurer

As an officer, the Treasurer handles all the funds. He/She takes a lead in safeguarding the assets, data (donations, American flag and personalized bench requests) and personal information. are acknowledged. While no official budget is prepared, the treasurer provides information regarding the previous years' costs and assures that there are funds available for the upcoming year's needs.

-Membership Secretary

The Membership Secretary serves as the first official representative of the Association. She/he contacts individuals and businessmen through personal and written contact outlining the Seabrook Beach Civic Association's goals and needs. The Membership Secretary actively contacts homeowners, residents and businesses in the Village Beach District for the purpose of promoting the association and recruiting members. Supplies a list of members to the Newsletter Staff for publication, membership forms to the Data Administrator for recording purposes and is responsible for forwarding volunteer information to the Board Members and Committee Chairs.

** 2015 Nominating Committee

It is the responsibility of the Nominating Committee to secure candidates and present a slate of qualified, potential officers to the board for approval and to the membership for a vote in September, 2015, is an election year and all the current officers must be either re-elected or someone new be voted into their position for the Seabrook Beach Civic Association to continue.

All members of the Seabrook Beach Civic Association are eligible to serve on the Nominating Committee except the current President. All members shall have an opportunity to nominate or be nominated for the committee.

Members of the Nominating Committee should

- be fair, ethical and impartial in their judgment
- understand Seabrook Beach Civic Association's Mission, Purposes, and plans
- be able to listen and ask penetrating questions

Election of Nominating Committee:

- The membership elects the Nominating Committee
- The Committee includes three regular members and one alternate member
- The Committee elects its own chairperson
- The Committee should hold first meetings early to allow for additional meetings

Conducting Nominating Committee meetings:

- The Committee should hold the first meeting early to allow for added meetings
- Bring the bylaws, membership lists, job descriptions, Seabrook Beach Civic Association, current board membership list, phone book, ballots and pens/pencils
 - If possible, contact prospective nominees while the committee is meeting. Fully outline the duties of office when contacting potential nominees and give them a clear understanding of responsibilities and time commitment.
 - If possible, all committee members should be present at the meeting. Contact the alternate if a committee member cannot attend the meeting. When the committee meets with an alternate serving, the alternate will be the member of the committee until the conclusion of the process..
 - Allow sufficient time to interview and discuss candidates.
 - A majority of the committee must agree on the nominees.

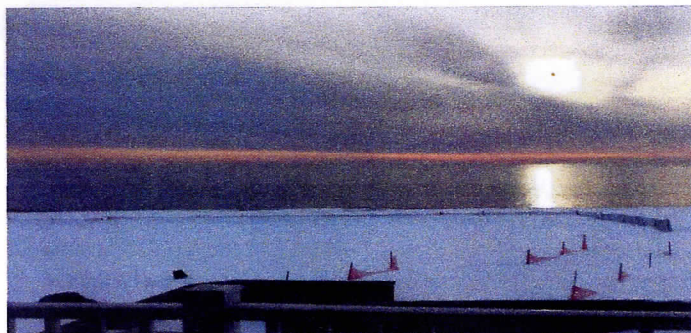
Members wishing to be considered for any of the above positions, contact Susan at (603) 474-2529 or Seabrookbeachcivicassoc@hotmail.com

- Elected positions ** Assigned positions

IMPORTANT SEABROOK NUMBERS

For emergencies, dial 3434 when in Seabrook

*Police Emergency	474-2666
Police Non-Emergency	474-5200
Police Fax	474-7242
Crime Line	474-2640
Fire Emergency	474-3434
Fire Non-Emergency	474-2611
Fire Chief	474-3880
Deputy Fire Chief/Fire Prevention	474-5300
Seabrook Beach Village District	474-7029
Seabrook Town Manager	474-3252
Seabrook Town Selectmen	474-3311
Seabrook Town Clerk	474-3152
Seabrook Tax Collector	474-9881
Seabrook Highway	474-9771
Seabrook Water/Sewer	474-9921
Seabrook Finance Office	474-8025
Seabrook Assessors Office	474-2966
Seabrook Emergency Management	474-5772
Seabrook Library	474-2044
Seabrook Elementary School	474-3822
Seabrook Welfare Office	474-8931



MAY IS NATIONAL STROKE MONTH
Know the signs of a stroke, help save a life

STROKE WARNING SIGNS

Face drooping

Ask the person to smile, does one side of the mouth droop?

Arm weakness

Raise both arms, does one arm drift down?

Speech difficulty

Ask the person to repeat a simple sentence such as
"the dog jups over the fence."

Are they slurring the words or unable to repeat the sentence?

Time to call 911- in Seabrook call 3434 or (603) 474-2666
If you answered yes to any of the questions above, call for help.

By calling 911 while in Seabrook, you will be connected to Concord, they will relay you information. Calling local emergency numbers, the calls go directly to Seabrook and you may receive help sooner.



Seabrook Beach Civic Association

2015 - Membership Application - 2015

To join the Seabrook Beach Civic Association, please complete this form, enclose your check and mail both to:
Membership c/o Seabrook Beach Civic Association - P.O. Box 1601 - Seabrook, New Hampshire 03874

Name: _____

Primary Address: _____ Primary Telephone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Seabrook Address: _____ Primary Telephone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email(s): _____

SBCA Membership Dues (January 1, 2015 – December 31, 2015) \$ **20.00**

American Flag Sponsorship (2 years for \$50.00- new flags to be raised in June) \$ _____

Optional Donation to the General Fund \$ _____

Check Number _____ **Total** \$ _____

Please initial on the line to allow your name (not the amount) to be listed on the Website and Newsletter as a member of SBCA _____

The Seabrook Beach Civic Association does not "belong" to any person or group of people.

It is an association of volunteers that was developed to enhance living conditions within the Seabrook Beach District and it remains the same today. It is a collaboration of the time, energy and ideas of volunteers who enjoy and want to preserve the Seabrook Beach District and its community atmosphere. Public meetings of the Association are held at 210 Ocean Boulevard Seabrook, New Hampshire on the 3rd Monday of the month from May through October, unless otherwise noted.

The maintained, landscaped areas from Route 286 all along 1A to the Hampton Bridge, the many flower containers on the island on route 286, at the entrances to the beach, in front of the precinct building and beyond, the flags honoring our servicemen and women and our country along 1A, an annual and sometimes more often newsletter, the Neighborhood Crime Watch Program, the Adopt-A-Highway project, well used benches along Atlantic Avenue and Ocean Drive at and on the walkways to the beach, the annual Amateur Sand Sculpture Competition, the Flag Day event, and the monthly meetings with guest speakers for members and guests are just a few of the projects the Seabrook Beach Civic Association provides.

To accomplish all we do, we need volunteers. We need you.

Please consider volunteering.

You can choose to volunteer for an hour or one hundred hours!

You may specify a project or a committee. You can be a general volunteer, a one-timer, or be listed as "call when you need help".

You can even be creative and suggest a project (we like ideas...one example of a suggestion is the American Flag Program).

Adopt -A- Corner (specify which) _____ **Adopt- A -Highway** _____ **Adopt-A -Pathway to the Beach** (specify which) _____

You schedule yourself during the third week/weekend of each month beginning in June ending in September. You may choose a specific month or months from May - September or all.

American Flag Program _____ **Beautification** _____ **Bench Program** _____

By Law Committee (revise/current copy is available on our website) _____ **CPR Training/Certification** (attend) _____

Membership Committee _____ **New Officer Nominating Committee** (election is September 2015) _____

Memorial Bench _____ Year Sponsored _____ Location _____ Name/Inscription on nameplate _____

Newsletter 2016 (specify) writer _____ photographer _____ editor or co-editor _____ other (tell your idea) _____

Newsletter 2016 Ads - \$50 for business card size ad, \$75.00 for double size business card, \$100 for ½ page (Business cards or camera ready ad must be sent) _____

Nominating Committee Member (meeting dates and times will be coordinated with the other members) _____

Programs (suggest a guest speaker or topic for 2015 or 2016) _____

Sand Sculpture Event (July 11th) concession stand _____ judge _____ registration committee _____ set up/break down _____ solicit donations _____

Seabrook Beach District Watchdog Liaison (include the name of the street(s) you are interested in) _____

Website (specify) webmaster _____ writer _____ photographer _____ editor _____ other _____

2015 - 2017 Seabrook Beach Civic Association Officer (Elections in September 2015)

President _____ **Vice-President** _____ **Treasurer** _____ **Secretary** _____ **Membership Chairperson** _____

Should you have a question or suggestion, call (617) 908-0780 or email SeabrookBeachCivicAssoc@hotmail.com

Our website is www.seabrookbeachcivicassociation.com it is constantly updated, check back often.

You may also submit photos, articles, recipes, stories, poems. Publication is at the discretion of the webmaster.

**TOWN OF SEABROOK
SELECTMEN'S POLICY**

Adopted by the Board of Selectmen as a pilot program on May 5, 2014 to be in effect from midnight the Thursday before Memorial Day until midnight the Sunday after Labor Day. Adopted by the Board of Selectmen as a Selectmen's Policy in full force and effect on October 6, 2014.

Definitions

Resident: is a property owner who registers a vehicle in the Town and/or on the voter checklist

Non-resident: is a property owner but does not vote in town or register a vehicle in town

Parking Placards

Beach property owner **resident** – 1 placard

In-town property owner **resident** – 1 guest pass for a one week period

Beach Property owner **non-resident** – 2 placards

In-town property owner **non-resident** – 1 placard

Meadowstone and Twin Brooks - 1 placard

Placard On-Street Parking Regulations

All colored stickers or placards can park anywhere there is designated permit parking.

Placard Regulations

All placards will have the raised seal on the placard

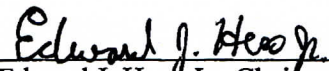
There will be 2 colors one for the placard and one for the guest pass


Issuance of Placards


All property owners will be required to show photo id and proof of residency. Duplication of placards is strictly prohibited and will result in loss of placard(s) for the season.

Town Manager's office will issue placards Monday through Friday from 8AM to 4PM

BOARD OF SELECTMEN:


Edward J. Hess, Jr., Chairman


Raymond Smith


Aboul B. Khan

The Seabrook Police Department

State and Local Laws and Ordinances



- The beach is closed from 01:00am until sunrise for all public use.
- Fireworks are **NOT** permissible for **display** in the Seabrook Beach Village District on private or public property. (Purchasing of Fireworks is legal)
- Dogs are **ONLY** allowed on the beach after 6pm and before 8am from Memorial Day to Labor Day. All dogs **MUST** be on a leash and under control of their pet owner. All animal waste **MUST** be cleaned up immediately.
- There are **NO** open containers of alcoholic beverages allowed on any public way to include the beach.
- There are **NO** glass containers allowed on the beach.
- Please observe the "Carry In-Carry Out" ordinance; any trash is to be removed by owner.
- There are **NO** open fires allowed on the beach.
- There are **NO** motor vehicles allowed on the beach or where otherwise posted.
- Parking is designated by posted signs and **WILL** be enforced for residents and non residents.
- There is **NO** parking within 15 feet of a fire hydrant, 20 feet of an intersection or 50 feet of a dead end road.
- There is **NO** parking on a sidewalk/crosswalk, Beach Right of Way or blocking a driveway.
- Handicap parking **WILL** be enforced.
- Sleeping in vehicles during nighttime hours is **NOT** permitted.
- All violations of Seabrook Town Ordinances are a "**MUST** appear in court" summons. The penalty is a monetary fine of \$124.00-\$1,000.
- Parking violation fines are "between" \$50-\$100 per violation and must be paid within 5 days by mail or appearance at the Seabrook Police Dept. Do not mail cash, pay only by a Postal Note, Money Order or by Check made payable to: Seabrook Police Department 7 Liberty Lane Seabrook NH 03874

Thank you for your cooperation,
Lee Bitomske
Chief of Police

Business Line (603)474-5200
Crime Line (603)474-2640
Emergency Line (603)474-2666 or 911