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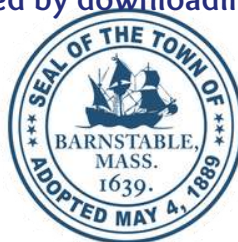
Barnstable eNEWS



Centerville River

In this issue of eNews

- The last Household Hazardous Waste Collection of the year is this Saturday;
- Also this Saturday is the Keep Barnstable Beautiful's Fall Community Litter Cleanup;
- The 3rd Annual Community Safety Day takes place on Wednesday, September 25th from 1:00-5:00 PM at the Barnstable Adult Community Center;
- The Barnstable County Sheriff's Office is hosting a presentation by former Boston Celtic and recovery advocate Chris Herren on Wednesday, September 25th at Barnstable High School's Performing Arts Center;
- Cape Cod Gateway Airport will be hosting a full-scale emergency exercise on Thursday, September 26 at 5:00 PM at the airport grounds in Hyannis;
- Information regarding Vineyard Wind debris;
- The Health Division's flu shot clinics have been scheduled; and
- A Friendly Reminder to stay informed by downloading the MyBarnstable app.





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The Town has a number of newsletters to keep you up to date and informed! Click [here](#) to learn more and sign up today!

Stay Connected

www.TownofBarnstable.us
www.BarnstableWaterResources.com
www.BarnstableEnews.com
www.BarnstableLCP.com

TOWN COUNCIL MEETING

DUE TO AN ERROR WITH THE POSTING OF THE SEPTEMBER 19TH MEETING AGENDA, THE TOWN COUNCIL MEETING WAS POSTPONED. WE WILL SHARE DETAILS FOR THE NEXT MEETING, ON THE TOWN'S WEBSITE AND SOCIAL MEDIA, AS THEY BECOME AVAILABLE.



PLEASE MAKE SURE YOUR APP IS UP TO DATE TO GET THE LATEST NOTIFICATIONS!

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the My Barnstable App!**

- Receive Notifications
- Access Information
- View Latest Updates
- And more...

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the Town of
Barnstable***

*Meet the people who
steward the
programs and
services for the
Town of Barnstable
that connects us to
our quality of life.*

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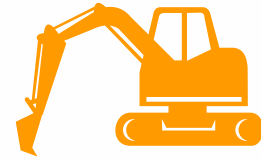


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CONSTRUCTION NEWS & UPDATES



SEWER CONSTRUCTION



ROAD PROJECTS UTILITY WORK

ROADWORK NOTICES

Contact DPW
508-790-6400

Stay up to date on all CWMP News and Updates here
www.barnstablewaterresources.com/news-updates/

What to do if you spot Vineyard Wind Debris

If you discover any debris, please call

781-831-1134

to allow assigned crews to manage
the proper recovery and clean up of
debris. You can also report debris
online at:

vineyardwind1.ethicspoint.com

Debris Reporting Hotline

781-831-1134



CAUTION



Public Health Advisory

Human Case of West Nile Virus Confirmed in Town of Barnstable

The Massachusetts Department of Public Health (MDPH) announced today a human case of West Nile virus (WNV) in the Town of Barnstable. This raises the risk level to high in our town.

By taking a few, common sense precautions, people can help to protect themselves and their loved ones:



Apply Insect Repellent

Use a repellent with DEET, permethrin, picaridin, or oil of lemon eucalyptus



Clothing Can Help Reduce Mosquito Bites

Although it may be difficult to do when it's hot, wearing long-sleeves, long pants and socks when outdoors will help keep mosquitoes away from your skin.



Be Aware of Peak Mosquito Hours

The hours from dusk to dawn are peak biting times for many mosquitoes.

Information about WNV and reports of current and historical WNV virus activity in Massachusetts can be found on the MDPH website at www.mass.gov/dph/mosquito



Town of Barnstable

PUBLIC MEETING CALENDAR

For the complete calendar of events and meetings,
visit <https://townofbarnstable.us/calendar.asp>

Monday, September 23:

- 5:00 PM | Infrastructure and Energy Committee
- 6:00 PM | Comprehensive Financial Advisory Committee
- 7:00 PM | Planning Board

Tuesday, September 24:

- 3:00 PM | Board of Health
- 5:30 PM | Committee to Review Town Council Rules & Town Code
- 7:00 PM | Waterways Committee

Wednesday, September 25:

- 10:00 AM | Licensing Authority
- 3:30 PM | Appointments Committee
- 6:30 PM | Old Kings Highway Historic District Committee
- 7:00 PM | Zoning Board of Appeals

Thursday, September 26:

- 5:30 PM | Local Comprehensive Planning Committee



Keep Barnstable Beautiful September Cleanup

Saturday, September 21, 2024

10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Location:

Hyannis Youth & Community Center
141 Bassett Lane, Hyannis

Cleaning Areas:

Nearby parks and roadways in Hyannis

Community Spirit:

Special recognition for the most litter collected



Volunteers of all ages are welcome, including families, individuals and community groups. Pre-registration is required. To Register, please visit www.keepmassbeautiful/events.

FINAL
Collection
Date for
2024!

BARNSTABLE HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 2024

9:00AM - 12:00PM

BARNSTABLE TRANSFER STATION



VISIT: WWW.LOVEYOURLOCALWATER.ORG
TO REVIEW WHAT ITEMS ARE ACCEPTED





September 25th
1-5pm

Barnstable Adult Community Center
825 Falmouth Road, Hyannis

This event will bring fun, educational, and safety resources to our community at the Barnstable Adult Community Center. Public safety and community partners will provide residents the real world tools and information to keep them safe in their home, online, and in their neighborhood.

- Practice and understand fire safety in the home
- Free blood pressure and wellness checks
- Kitchen Fire Demo
- Learn to spot and report internet and phone scams
- Discover all the safety resources available to Barnstable residents
- Raffle Prizes and so much more!



PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETING

The Town of Barnstable invites interested individuals to join us for an informational meeting to review initial conceptual designs for the Clamshell Cove Road and Old Shore Road Stormwater Improvement Projects.



Monday
September 30, 2024



Starting at
6:00PM

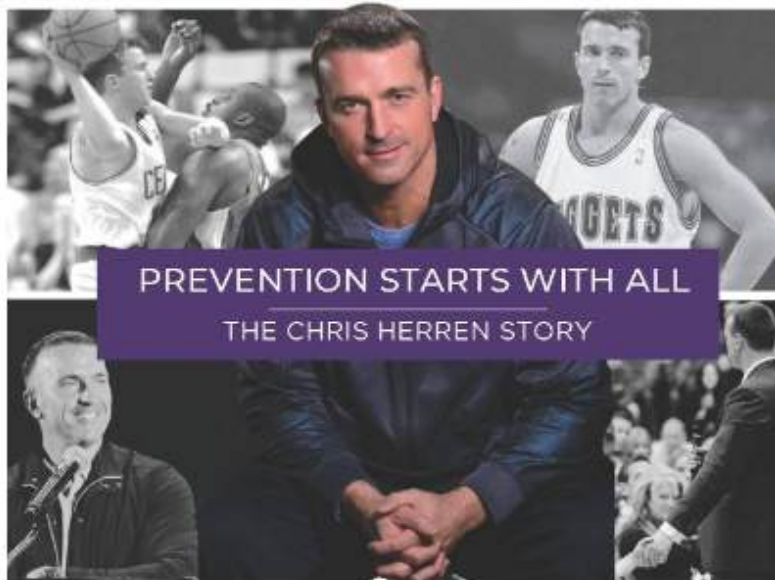


Cotuit Library
871 Main St., Cotuit



Documents available
CWMP Annual Report
Sewer Connection Guide





PREVENTION STARTS WITH ALL THE CHRIS HERREN STORY

ABOUT CHRIS HERREN

Chris Herren, a basketball legend from Fall River, Massachusetts, was an All-American, broke scoring records and was recruited by the nation's top colleges. Herren realized his lifelong dream of playing in the NBA, when he was drafted by the Denver Nuggets in 1999 and then traded to his hometown team, the Boston Celtics, before losing his career and almost his family to the disease of addiction.

In long term recovery since 2008, Chris inspires people to start the conversation on wellness and educate themselves on the disease of addiction. It is his hope that strength will be found in the struggle and communities will come TOGETHER to address the issue of substance use disorder, advocate for effective treatment and embrace the power of recovery.

Age appropriate for middle schoolers and up.



FREE EVENT

DATE:

September 25, 2024

TIME:

7pm to 8:15pm

LOCATION:

Barnstable Performing Arts Center
at Barnstable High School

744 W Main St, Hyannis, MA 02601



Register to secure
your spot!



Are You Connected?

Do you have the devices, skills, and access you need to connect to the internet?

Can you easily get online to:

Connect with friends and family

Pay bills and manage finances

Manage healthcare

Access homework and schoolwork

Stay connected with your community



The Town of Barnstable is working with the Cape Cod Commission to form a municipal digital equity plan. This project will help us better understand challenges that community members like you face with the internet and technology and to identify solutions that ensure all have access to the information technology needed to fully participate in our community.



Stay Connected. Scan the code
or visit cccom.link/barnstable-de
to learn more.



This project was funded by the Massachusetts Broadband Institute at the MassTech Collaborative under the Municipal Digital Equity Planning Program. Funding was provided by Massachusetts ARPA State Fiscal Recovery Funds.



DATES



October 16th

1:00-3:00PM

November 6th

9:00-11:00AM

Flu Vaccination Clinic

LOCATION:

St. George Greek

Orthodox Church

Route 28, Centerville

DRIVE THRU ONLY

For More
Information:
Public Health
Division
(508) 862-4644



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www.TOWNOFBARNSTABLE.us

NOTICE: EMERGENCY EXERCISE IN PROGRESS

**CAPE COD GATEWAY AIRPORT
FULL-SCALE EMERGENCY
EXERCISE WILL TAKE PLACE
ON SEPTEMBER 26, 2024
FROM 5-8 PM.**

This is a mock accident designed to test and practice our emergency preparedness. You will see many emergency vehicles on the east side of the airport, off Mary Dunn Way, as part of the exercise.

CLICK HERE



New Fall Hours!



Fall is here, and while the days might be getting shorter, the fun at the Hyannis HyArts Artist Shanties is just getting started!

SEPTEMBER:

**5 DAYS A WEEK THROUGH SEPT 30, 2024:
THURSDAY THROUGH MONDAY, 11:00 AM - 6:00 PM**

OCTOBER:

**WEEKENDS, FRIDAY THROUGH SUNDAY, 11:00 AM - 4:00 PM,
OCTOBER 4 THROUGH OCTOBER 20, 2024**

SPECIAL EVENT!

**SWEETACULAR SOIREE ON GINGERBREAD LANE AT HARBOR OVERLOOK!
FRIDAY, 11/29 AND SATURDAY 11/30, 2024
11:00 AM - 3:00 PM, BOTH DAYS!**

Locations: Bismore Park & Harbor Overlook

UPCOMING EVENTS



CLIMATE
conversations
September 2024

RISING WATERS
Fish Flags Art Installation

Saturday, September 21, 2024 | 1-3 PM
ASELTON PARK, HYANNIS




12th Season! LOVE LIVE LOCAL PRESENTS 2024

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FEST

SEPTEMBER EDITION

SUNDAY SEPT 29 • 11AM-5PM
Aselton Park, Hyannis
80 LOCAL ARTISTS • KIDS ACTIVITIES
FOOD TRUCKS • WINE & BEER GARDEN
Live Music **FUNKTAPUSS**
SARAH SWAIN & THE OH BOYS

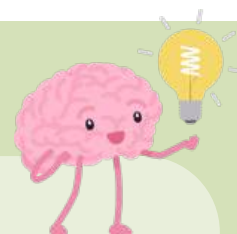


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Find out what's going on in the newest issue of THRIVE!

RESPITE PROGRAMS WITH STACEY CULLEN



Fall Prevention and Brain Health

Wednesday, October 16th
9:00-10:00am

Barnstable Adult Community Center
825 Falmouth Road, Hyannis

This hour long presentation with the Public Health Exercise Physiologist from the **VNA of Cape Cod**, focuses on fall risk mitigation and the cognitive changes that occur with aging.

Learn how you can decrease your risk of falling, strategies to improve memory, and exercises that can help. An open discussion will occur at the end of the presentation.

Register online in **MyActiveCenter** or call the BACC (508) 862-4750 or the VNA of Cape Cod directly to register at (508) 957-7423.



VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION
OF CAPE COD

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Cape Cod Healthcare

Memory Techniques

Offering a comprehensive look at the various methods available for improving our memory. It will cover strategies for recalling names, vocabulary, and scheduling commitments.

Monday, September 23 - Marstons Mills Library



Changing Tides



A broad discussion on how the shifting responsibilities of caregiving can influence relationships.

Thursday, September 26 - Osterville Library

The Memory Box Project

Caring for your loved ones can present challenges and emotional hurdles. Caregivers have the chance to share their personal life experiences, treasured memories, and craft a memento to celebrate their loved one. Bring along any photos or items you wish to have displayed in the box.

Limited to 6 participants

Friday, September 27 - Cotuit Library



BACC Weekly Calendar

Sept 23

1:00 PM Movie Mondays



Sept 24

9:30 AM Technology
Cafe

11:30 AM Senior Dining

Sept 25

11:30 AM **NO** Senior
Dining

1:00 PM Community
Safety Day



Sept 26

10:00 AM Buried in
Treasure - Hoarding
Challenges: Friends and
Family of those Buried
in Treasure

11:30 AM Senior Dining

Sept 27

10:00 AM Silver Self
Defense Class

12:00 PM Friday
Classic Flix with Roger



SEPTEMBER 25TH 11AM

FALL SCREENING AND PREVENTION

Licensed physical therapist Barbara Blackwell will discuss fall prevention and perform brief individual screenings to assess for risk. Home exercises for balance will be provided.

Registration Required
Visit Wheldenlibrary.com/events
or call 508-362-2262

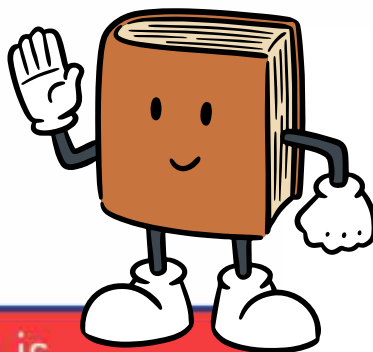


SCARY STORIES FOR HALLOWEEN CONTEST!

Write your own scary story for a chance to win a prize!



401 MAIN STREET, HYANNIS
HYANNISLIBRARY.ORG
508.775.2280



World Tourism Day

SATURDAY, SEPT 21ST AT 2 PM.

Celebrate World Tourism Day with food, crafts, and games from all over the world.



Banned Books Week 2024 is September 24th-28th!



The **Cotuit Center for the Arts** and **Centerville Public Library** are teaming up to bring you art workshops for kids on **THE ART BUS!**

Thursday, September 26th

Centerville Library | 585 Main Street, Centerville



4-5pm workshop
for ages 7-12

"Free to Read" paper butterfly sculpture

Words have the power to make us feel free and fly us away to another place and time. Create these whimsical butterflies to remind us that we are free to be ourselves and read whatever we want!

We'll discuss censorship and create activist art from upcycled books on the Art Bus!



5:15-6:15pm workshop
for ages 12-18

"I Read Banned Books" bookmark art

Create a mixed media bookmark that expresses your right to read! Using upcycled pages, paints, stamps and empowering phrases you'll create something worthy of the best banned book in the bunch.

Did you know that in 2023, the number of book titles targeted for censorship at public libraries increased by 92%?

Titles representing the voices and lived experiences of LGBTQIA+ and BIPOC individuals made up 47% of those targeted in censorship attempts.
- American Library Association

<https://www.ala.org/news/2024/09/american-library-association-issues-report-on-banned-books-titles>



The bus will be parked in the Four Seas Ice Cream overflow lot behind the library

Reserve your spot on the bus today!

Email missmegan@clamsnet.org or call 508.790.6220 x106



HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH

September 15-October 15

THE LAST WORD...

**LIFE STARTS ALL OVER AGAIN WHEN IT GETS
CRISP IN THE FALL.**

~F. SCOTT FITZGERALD

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eNews each week!**



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RECREATION**



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BARNSTABLE**



SEVEN VILLAGES • ONE TOWN

