THE SORRENTO NEWSLETTER



DECEMBER 2021

Sorrento Town Office

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MESSAGE FROM THE TOWN CLERK

Please note that the Town Office will be closed from <u>December 24 through January 2.</u>

Trash stickers can be purchased at Dunbar's in Sullivan. Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!



Notary Public Services are available at the Town Office

EXPIRATION DATES

<u>VEHICLES:</u> Expire a year from when they are registered (unless you are transferring)

<u>TRAILERS:</u> Can be registered for 1 or 2 years, same month, except over 2000 lb. Trailers expire

in Feb. (1 or 2 years)

<u>BOATS:</u> Expire Dec. 31st

<u>ATVs:</u> Expire June 30th

SNOWMOBILES: Expire June 30th

MOTORCYCLES: Expire March of every year,

except antique.



2022 Dog Licenses are now available at the Town Office.

A State imposed \$25 per dog late fee is charged starting February 1.

** Dogs must be licensed by January 1 or when they reach 6 months of age.

\$6 for neutered/spayed..... \$11 for unaltered

The list of unlicensed dogs is given to the Animal Control Officer on February 1. Along with the extra \$25 State fee per dog, you may be summonsed to court, which can incur additional costs.

**When licensing your dog, you must bring with you your dog's <u>rabies certificate showing</u> the tag number and date of expiration and your certificate of proof of spay or neuter, unless these are already on file at the Town Office.

Any dog living in the Town of Sorrento must have a **Sorrento license/tag.

PLEASE INFORM THE TOWN OFFICE IF YOU NO LONGER OWN A DOG. Thank you.





When <u>transferring your auto</u> <u>registration</u> from your vehicle to a new/newer vehicle, you <u>MUST</u> bring in the registration of the vehicle you are transferring from.

Ellsworth branch BMV hours are 8-4:30 Monday through Friday Tel: (207) 667-9363 8:30-4:30 Fax: (207) 667-0048

REGISTERING BOATS State regulations on boat registrations



The office <u>CANNOT</u> register a boat unless it has a hull number as of spring 2018. Ask for the

guidelines in the Town Office concerning the hull numbers.

STATE OF MAINE RAPID RENEWAL SERVICES:

Online Vehicle Registration Renewal: https://www1.maine.gov/online/bmv/rapid-renewal/

Online Boat Registration Renewal: https://apps1.web.maine.gov/online/boat/

Fishing and Hunting licenses: https://moses.informe.org/cgi-bin/online/ moses v3/index





SORRENTO SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Residents of Sorrento are eligible for scholarship funds to pursue additional learning after high school. These scholarships can be used for a wide variety of education – college, technical school or many other accredited programs. Students receive \$1000 per semester plus a bonus for achieving top grades.

Please consider a gift to this fund and become a part of the community encouraging the next generation of high school graduates to pursue additional education after high school.

Please make checks payable to: Sorrento Scholarship Fund and mail or drop off checks to: Gina Bennett, PO Box 93, Sorrento, ME 04677

Sorrento residents who are currently or will be starting post high school education in the future, please contact Wendy Worrell at 207-422-2525.





Greetings from RSU #24,

I hope this submission finds each of you well. At the time that I am writing this, we have completed the first 12 weeks of school! It has been an interesting year to say the least!

COVID continues to have an impact on our schools. We continue to get positive cases in our buildings resulting in the need to quarantine students. We don't like to have students in quarantine but we are following the guidelines of the CDC. As a parent and a superintendent, I share in the frustration of not having our students in our buildings. I am hopeful that better times are on the horizon and that we will see changes in our guidelines that will positively impact the number of students needing to be out.

The Charles M. Sumner Learning Campus is taking shape with progress evident every day. We are continuing to work with our architect to figure out the necessary furniture, fixtures, and equipment needed for the building. This is a labor intensive process, trying to balance the needs of a new school with a fixed amount of project money to outfit the school. As part of this process, we are working diligently to minimize the impact of the new facility on our local budget. We do have several community members or businesses that are showing interest in supporting this part of the project which should help. Friends of Sumner's Future continues to welcome conversations with potential donors. With the end of the year in sight, it's a great opportunity to make a tax deductible donation. If you are interested, please feel free to contact Megan Moshier (Chair of the committee) at meganalleymoshier@gmail.com.

Thank you for your continued support of our schools. The employees in each of our buildings are working hard to provide normalcy to our children in a time that is quite uncertain. Your patience and understanding is quite appreciated as we continue to navigate the variety of expectations and needs that exist in our daily work. As always, please feel free to contact me (meastman@hotmail.com) with any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

Michael Eastman, Superintendent Regional School Unit #24 2165 US Highway 1

Sullivan, Maine 04664 Email: meastman@rsu24.org



SELECTMEN'S MEETING VIA ZOOM

First and third Wednesday of each month At 7:00 p.m.

Join Zoom Meeting
https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86535623920?pwd
=d010

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Meeting ID: 865 3562 3920 Passcode: 307652

Selectmen Meeting Minutes 10/06/2021

Attending via Zoom were Rob Wilpan, Jon Mickel, Craig Clement, Kathi Moore, Joey Clark, Daniel Dougherty, Susan Clancy-Dougherty, Lynn Stone and Zelinda Welch. The meeting was called to order at 7:02 p.m. by Rob Wilpan. Minutes: The 9/15/2021 meeting minutes were read by Craig. Rob made a motion to approve the minutes as read, seconded by Jon, unanimous vote, motion approved. Firehouse Roof Replacement: Joey has found another metal roof installer, Carter Construction from Eastbrook and is waiting to meet in person to get the estimate.

Community Building Repairs: Joey reported that Robert will be there on Friday 10/8.

<u>Town Pier Replacement:</u> Rob is waiting for the agreement from Henri Gignoux to sign. Rob made a motion to go with proposal #1 – Marine grade aluminum pier with pressure treated decking, as voted at the annual town meeting. Craig seconded, motion passed. Jon abstained from the vote. <u>Traffic Trailer:</u> Jon is moving the trailer every Friday to a new location and will have a new Traffic Study Report for each location. Kathi is to post this report at the Town Office for public view.

<u>Heat Pumps:</u> Kathi reported that 2 heat pumps were installed in the Town Office on Sept. 23 by Valley Home Services.

<u>New Chlorinator Install:</u> Joey emailed to Rob pictures of the new style chlorinator. Rob said this is not the correct type. A discussion followed about what type of chlorinator is needed.

<u>CB Basement Lights:</u> Joey reported that new bulbs have been purchased and he hopes to install them on Saturday 10/9.

<u>Winter Salt Delivery</u>: Joey reported that the State never placed the order so we are still waiting delivery. Short-Term Rentals: Lynn Stone is to look into Rockland and South Portland ordinances and licensing and see if this is cost feasible for our town.

<u>No Frills Oil Contract:</u> Kathi said she sent an email to Dolores @ No Frills and is waiting for her reply.

Northern Light Ambulance Contract: Jon discussed the response data received from Ed Moreshead from NL Health. Joey said if we do change responders then our E911 Officer has to notify the State. It was agreed to request a refund from NL Health and go with mutual aid from Sullivan and Gouldsboro. Kathi said she will email NL Health to cancel the contract.

NEW BUSINESS: Craig reported that Kevin Barbee is selling his business to Josh Trundy. Kevin wants the selectmen to know that it will be business as usual. Josh will be plowing this year. Rob said we need the contact info for Josh. Kathi said that she received a call from Linda Andrews about the trailer in Richard Andrews' name. The bank doesn't want it and she doesn't want it. Animal have taken it over. Does the town want it? If not she will pay to have it removed. It was agreed that the Town will abate the back taxes and release the tax liens so Linda can have the trailer removed.

Joey reported that in August he went to Sugarloaf to look at fire equipment. Kingfield F.D. had a used firetruck they were looking to sell, a 1988 Thibault Spartan ladder truck, refurbished in 2006. They ended up giving the truck to the Sorrento F.D. for a \$2000 donation. This truck will replace the 1981 LaFrance which parts are no longer available for. Winter Harbor F.D. is requesting a charitable donation of the LaFrance truck. Jon made a motion that when the F.D. is ready, to donate the old ladder truck to the Winter Harbor F.D., the timing of which to be determined by Chief Clark. Rob seconded, unanimous vote, motion passed. Also, Joey said the Fire Department is looking to sell the 1999 International rescue truck and Steuben would like to purchase it. As per the Warrant, it will be advertised for sale one time in the upcoming Town newsletter. Zelinda Welch asked for an update on the cutback of overgrowth across the street from her residence. Rob said

next Selectman's Meeting.

At 8:02 Rob made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Jon, unanimous vote, motion passed.

Respectfully submitted by Kathi Moore, Town Clerk

he has a call out to Tom Fox and to check back at the

Selectmen Meeting Minutes 10/20/2021

Rob Wilpan called the meeting to order at 7:01 In attendance via Zoom were Rob Wilpan, Craig Clement, Jon Mickel, Joey Clark, Diana Gazis, Tom Bailey, Lynn Stone, Susan Clancy-Dougherty, Zelinda Welch, et al.? The minutes from the 10/6/21 Sorrento BOS meeting were read by Rob.

<u>Update on firehouse roof</u>: Chief Clark said that the job has been estimated and he is waiting for the remaining quote. <u>Update on Community Building repairs</u>: Due to the new issue that occurred Monday where the boiler overheated,

9/14/2021

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the room has been too hot to work in. The boiler was inspected and found to be low on water with the water intake clogged with rust. The new problem was resolved and ABM was scheduled for cleaning. It was decided that a routine maintenance regiment should include ensuring the boiler water intake was not clogged and could maintain sufficient water levels.

Rob shared drawings and the final proposal for the new town pier. There was a discussion about the changes in elevation throughout the current structure and whether these height differences had any significance needing to be considered going forward. The consensus was no. There was discussion about the wording in the pier proposal excluding the designer/contractor from any survey or engineering certification of the structure and its components. It was decided that Rob would speak to the towns insurance provider and attorney to determine whether certification is needed/desired, then he will speak to the engineer that surveyed the current pier. There was a discussion about the cost increase from the original estimate. It was decided that the increases were in line with some expected extras and upgrades. Lynn offered to donate live edge wood slabs for the benches if the project needed cost reduction. It was decided to decline this offer with our thanks. Rob made a motion to move forward with the pier project as outlined, seconded by Craig, Jon abstained, unanimous vote. <u>Update on the town salt supply</u>: Joey reported the salt has been delivered and is in the salt shed. The doors are operating correctly and are in the closed position.

No Frills contract for heating fuel: Kathi locked the town in for 2000 gallons, at the set rate and split between the Community Building and Firehouse.

<u>Update on the towns' contract with Northern Light</u> <u>Ambulance Service</u>: The contract has been terminated and the pro-rated refund has been received.

<u>Update on snow plowing</u>: Craig is going to get contact information for Josh Trundy.

<u>Update for Zelinda Welch</u>: Rob has a meeting with Tom Fox on Saturday 10/22/21.

<u>Update on funds for Long Pond Water District</u>: The selectmen need to work closely with LPWD to approve and fund the capital improvement needs since the projects where the funding will be used are at the discretion of the Town of Sorrento. To this end, Jon will reach out to the selectmen of Sullivan to determine if they intend to use any of their funds for LPWD and if any projects will benefit from both towns pooling resources.

<u>New discussion about street signs</u>: Joey said that a sign has come in but he still needs to order a few more. Rob asked that the thickness of the signs and quality of the material be considered when placing these orders.

<u>Update on radar sign:</u> The data is being printed and displayed weekly at the town office. The board agrees that the usage of the sign seems to be well received by the public and useful in helping reduce speeding in town. It was noted,

however, that the area of Sorrento Ave has a very high percentage of speeders with a dangerously high amount of people speeding in excesses of 15 MPH over the posted speed limit. Jon made a motion to purchase a semi-permanent, solar radar sign to be mounted to a utility pole on Sorrento Ave on the South bound side of the road, seconded by Rob, unanimous vote. It was decided to table the selection of which sign to purchase until the next meeting after further research and comparison can be done. New Business - Committee volunteers.

Hilly Crary volunteered for the Comprehensive Planning Committee and the Planning Board. Rob made a motion to appoint Hilly to these boards, seconded by Jon, unanimous vote. Ann Hoffner volunteered for the Comprehensive Planning Committee. Jon made a motion to accept and appoint Ann to this board, seconded by Rob, unanimous vote. Al Scott volunteered for the Comprehensive Planning Committee. Rob made a motion to appoint Al to these boards, seconded by Jon, unanimous vote. Rob reminded the other selectman that disbursement warrants are ready for their signatures. Also, Jon is to work with Rob to create a spreadsheet to compile disbursements throughout the year to ease end of year accounting.

Submitted on 10/21/21by Jon Mickel

unanimous vote.

Selectmen Meeting Minutes 11/03/2021

Rob made a motion to adjourn at 8:16 PM, seconded by Jon,

Attending via Zoom were Rob Wilpan, Jon Mickel, Craig Clement, Kathi Moore, Joey Clark, Daniel Dougherty, Susan Clancy-Dougherty, Lynn Stone, Zelinda Welch, Lou Sutherland, Tom Bailey, Diana Gazis and Gianna Settin. The meeting was called to order at 7:05 p.m. by Rob Wilpan.

MINUTES: The 10/20/2021 meeting minutes were read by Jon. Rob made a motion to approve the minutes as read, seconded by Craig, unanimous vote, motion approved. Also, Jon made a motion to approve the 10/06/2021 meeting minutes as they were not approved during the last meeting, seconded by Rob, unanimous vote, motion approved.

UPDATE ON FIREHOUSE ROOF: Joey has contacted Todd Johnston of Superior Builders for a quote and is waiting to meet with him.

<u>UPDATE ON COMMUNITY BUILDING REPAIRS:</u> Joey reported that on November 2, ABM was called to service the boiler again. After a discussion, Rob agreed that heating system replacement should be considered.

<u>UPDATE ON TOWN PIER REPLACEMENT:</u> Rob spoke with MMA insurance and no certification is needed. Rob noted that the engineer who evaluated the existing pier said that public piers should be designed to 100 lbs. per sq. ft., standard design; ours is 60 lbs. per sq. ft. Rob has to contact Henri for a breakdown of the difference. Rob asked Jon to contact Town Code Enforcement Officer Don Baker to see what permits are necessary, if any.

UPDATE ON NO FRILLS PRE-PAY CONTRACT: Rob checked the Town Office fuel tank and it is full. There was a discussion about how to best use the oil furnace with 2 heat pumps. It was decided to have a second thermostat in parallel with the existing oil furnace thermostat to make sure that the bathroom does not get too cold. Jon is to call ABM for info and cost of adding a thermostat. Rob noted that the air conditioner that was in the Clerk's office window is still sitting outside. Joey said if no one wants it he will take it. Craig said he would take the unit that was in the Selectmen's office. Rob made a motion to give away the two air conditioners, seconded by Craig, unanimous vote. Joey said he would pick up the units.

<u>UPDATE ON AMBULANCE CONTRACT</u>: Kathi reported that the State and Hancock County RCC have been notified about the change in emergency responders: Gouldsboro is primary, Sullivan is second, Northern Light is third and Petit Manan is fourth. Joey said he received a call from Bob Conary at Hancock County RCC and they have never charged the Town for dispatch services but they will not be back charging. We should be receiving a bill starting in December or January.

<u>UPDATE ON SNOW PLOWING:</u> Craig is still waiting for Josh Trundy to provide his contact info. He will ask him again. <u>UPDATE FOR ZELINDA WELCH:</u> Rob met with Tom Fox. He is putting this on his fall work schedule.

<u>UPDATE ON FUNDS FOR LONG POND WATER DISTRICT</u>: Jon attended Sullivan's Selectmen meeting but was not able to speak. Rob said he found out from Crosby Noyes that some capital updates have been done already - a standby generator and control system updates. Both are on the list on MMM's website. The grant money will pay for these updates and free up funds for other projects.

<u>UPDATE ON STREET SIGNS:</u> Joey reported he has some signs to put up and asked how many more he needs to order? Rob said 4 new private road signs. Joey asked Rob to send him the info on them. Jon discussed purchasing yellow (recommended) speed limit signs for Waukeag Ave, Kearsarge and Sorrento Ave, each with 20 mph speeds. Joey asked if the flags are staying up, Rob said no they can come down anytime. Joey will arrange this.

<u>UPDATE ON RADAR SIGN:</u> Jon looked into radar sign options. He said it makes sense to go with the same company our current sign came from so the software can be interchanged. He found a 12" display unit for \$2,749 but was not sure if it clocks speeders 40 mph over limit so he will do more research to find this out. It was agreed to purchase this unit if it does clock speeders 40 mph over. Joey suggested calling the State Highway headquarters in Augusta to see if they have any surplus units for sale. NEW BUSINESS:

Rob informed the other Selectmen that the Tax Commitment Books are ready to sign. The mil rate increased from \$9.10 to \$10.

Rob reported that he spoke at the recent DEP ZOOM meeting concerning the American Aquafarms proposed project in Frenchman Bay.

Harbor Master Lou Sutherland reported having a problem with people storing their boats in the harbor. Tyler Thompson Jr from Hancock has not hauled out his 30' sailboat from Back Cove. It was agreed to have Lou send Thompson a violation letter telling him to remove his boat immediately. Jon said the Harbor Ordinance needs to be updated to state that pleasure boats must be removed by November 1, not to be returned until after March 31. Lou said he is meeting with the Harbor Committee in the spring and will get the ball rolling on this.

Lou said the bushes at the town pier need to be wiped out. Jon said they reduce the size of the lanes for passing traffic and reduces the view of the harbor. Rob said they need to be regularly maintained, but not removed to control soil erosion. Lynn Stone said she would be happy to volunteer to cut them back on a regular basis. Jon said we should consider replacing the large bush with a Rugosa. It was agreed to table this until April, the start of the growing season.

At 8:23 Rob made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Jon, unanimous vote, motion passed. The Selectmen immediately went in to Executive session via Zoom. Respectfully submitted by Kathi Moore, Town Clerk 11/15/2021

SAFETY STICKERS

Please also remember that the Sorrento Fire
Department has safety stickers that you may pick
up in the Town Office. Just ask for them.
These stickers are Tot Finder stickers, Disabled
stickers and stickers for your pets.
These are to be placed in your windows so that

First Responders will know if, in case of an emergency, there is anyone that may need help.

Tips on emergency preparedness can be found at http://www.maineprepares.com

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NOTICE

PLANNING BOARD MEETING VIA ZOOM

First Thursday of each month at 7:00 p.m. Easy option for first time users: search: join.zoom.us with Chrome browser

Enter Meeting ID: **889 8753 5935**Download, install & launch Zoom Client
Enter Passcode: **470 621**

Frenchman Bay Regional Shellfish Conservation Program Mike Hall, Shellfish Warden 207-400-6183 or 207-963-71014

.CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER SORRENTO

To schedule use of the church, contact Thelma White (207)422-3616 or (207)546-0536 sorrento155@gmail.com

Marita Kilton Memorial Scholarship

Awarded to Sumner Memorial High School graduates & alumni who are pursuing a degree in education.

DONATIONS: Donate returnables to TeeTee's Redemption Center Or

Mail monetary donations to:
Sumner Memorial High School
Marita Kilton Scholarship Fund
2456 US Highway 1 Sullivan, ME 04664
C/O Lucille Null



SULLIVAN THRIFT SHOP IS OPEN Tuesdays – Open 1pm-5pm & Saturdays 10am-2pm

Donations are always welcome, please drop donations off on Tuesdays or call 422-3134. Please donate to our shop instead of Goodwill! Proceeds benefit the Recreation Center Repairs Project & Community Fund.

We <u>do not</u> take electronics. Goodwill will dispose of these for you for free.

Credit and debit cards are now accepted at the Town Office!











Village Green is reserved for:

August 25-27, 2022

SORRENTO COMMUNITY BUILDING is reserved for:

December 18

Sorrento Fire Department



FOR BURN PERMITS ANY TIME OF THE YEAR: You are required by Maine law to have a permit to burn, even for a small pile of grass clippings or leaves. A Forestry Warden will be called if you burn without a permit, possibly resulting in you being summonsed to court and fined.

The person who signs the fire permit is responsible for the fire. Do not leave any fire unattended.

To obtain a burn permit contact:

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Fire Chief Joey Clark	207-812-2208
Dep. Fire Chief Dwayne Clement	207-479-6049
Asst. Fire Chief Mike Parker	207-460-7340
Asst. Fire Chief Brian Clement	207-460-4772
Chief Engineer Craig Clement	207-460-8851
Captain Jon Mickel	207-610-2335

Required for burning:

- **at least two adults to attend the burn,
- **some form of water supply and hand tools must be on hand.
- **and it is recommended you have a cellular phone or other communication device to call for assistance should the fire escape.

YOU are responsible to see that the fire is out before leaving.

FIRE PERMITS

Commercial burn permits are available
October 15 thru April 15.

Regular burn permits are available year-round.

Current conditions require rain for a permit to be issued.

TAKE NOTE

BURNING TRASH IS ILLEGAL!!

State Laws (12 MRSA 9321-25) governing the backyard burning of household trash are enforced by the Maine Forest Service.

If you think someone is burning trash <u>please call</u> <u>973-3700</u> <u>immediately!</u> 24 hours/day, 7 days a week.

STATE BURNING PERMITS

Traditional hand-written burn permits are still available, but the state online system allows permits to be acquired 24 hours a day, seven days a week, throughout the state, provided that the fire danger is not high. These you pay for. You don't pay for burn permits issued by the below fire department members.

For more information, call 287-4989 or visit www.maineburnpermit.com.

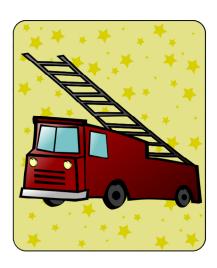


Process for the Safe Disposal of Marine Flares

Anyone who needs a safe manner for the disposal of outdated or unwanted marine flares should call the

Office of State Fire Marshal at 207-626-3870.

The caller will receive a return call for the purpose of picking up the outdated or unwanted marine flares for proper disposal.



2021 BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED

Dale Strohmaier 46 J B Road

Detached guest room

Ben & Amy Wheaton 37 Freds Way

Add Dormer to second story

Dale Strohmaier 46 J B Road

Add lean-to to garage

Francis Ballard 243 Ocean Avenue

New residence

Eleanor Huber 243 Ocean Avenue

Shoreline repair

Wendy Gamble 52 Ocean Avenue

Shoreline repair

Gifford Ewing 3 Sorrento Avenue

New garage/studio office

Gifford Ewing 3 Sorrento Avenue

Addition to original structure

Katharine Wellman 15 Hidden Spring Lane

New barn/garage

Diana Gazis 23 Beech Street

Addition to wash house

Cut & Paste LLC 5 Chimney Road

Addition to original structure

Matthew Emans 6 Beech Street

Garage/Apartment

Greg Trundy 350 East Side Road

Used mobile home & shed

Greg Trundy 350 East Side Road
Addition to mobile home & build log cabin

Leonard Bierman Bunker Road

New driveway, storage building

Ericka & Chris Hayward 384 East Side Road

New residence

Mark Bennett 36 Brinton Road

New bait storage building



Sorrento Code Enforcement Officer, Shoreland Zoning Officer & Plumbing Inspector

Don Baker 207-356-2309

ceo-lpi@sorrentomaine.org

Please use email to help document your requests.

NO WORK IS TO BE STARTED UNTIL YOUR PERMIT IS ISSUED.

STARTING THE WORK BEFORE THE PERMIT IS ISSUED CAN RESULT IN FINES.

THE PERMIT IS TO BE DISPLAYED ON THE PREMISES OF THE CONSTRUCTION.

REMINDER: All contractors doing soil work in the shoreland <u>must</u> have State Certification and <u>must</u> furnish a copy to code enforcement for <u>every</u> shoreland project



IT IS AGAINST STATE LAW TO PLOW OR CLEAR SNOW INTO A ROADWAY. ALWAYS PLOW FROM THE ROAD INTO YOUR DRIVEWAY.



SPAY/NEUTER PROGRAM

Do you need help getting your animal spayed or neutered? The Ark & SPCA have a voucher program that offers some help. They pay 1/3, a participating vet will pay 1/3 and you would pay 1/3.

Call the
SPCA PAL Program at 667-8088
or
The Ark's Stitch in Time
Program at 546-3484
and ask for a voucher.

Also, the Help Fix ME Program is open for cats and pit bull mixes – call at the beginning of the month for a voucher to fix your animal for only \$10.

Visit www.spaymaine.org for a full list of assistance programs.



PROTECTING ANIMALS WELFARE



P.A.W.

P.A.W. is seeking people to foster cats until a forever home is found. We vet check, vaccinate and spay/neuter. Food will be provided. We rescue stray and abandoned animals from Sullivan, Hancock, Franklin & surrounding areas.

Contact Marie at 207-266-5027 Email wolfspiritm@gmail.com



To advertise or submit news in the Sorrento Newsletter, email <u>kathi.moore@sorrentomaine.org</u> or call 422-6889. The deadline is the 20th of the month.

PLEASE NOTE

From December 1 through April 30, stickered trash bags may be set out Thursday mornings without being in trash cans. This is only for the winter months







The Town now has a Facebook page for limited announcements.

Town of Sorrento, Maine

Contact the Town Office or a Selectman if there is something you would like posted.



Towns surrounding Gouldsboro are invited to participate in

ADULT VOLLEYBALL

Starting October 18
Every Monday 6-8 pm
Gouldsboro Recreation Center
679 Pond Road, Gouldsboro



For more information or questions, please contact
Valeriy Pogrebitskiy via email

vpogrebi@iname.com
or
Ellysea Bryant at 207-610-0972

