

THE SORRENTO NEWSLETTER



MAY 2022

Sorrento Town Office

Mon, Tues & Wed: 8 am – 4 pm

Thurs: 10 am – 3 pm

Friday: 8 am - Noon

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Selectmen:

Rob Wilpan 207-422-9115 term expires 2024

rob.wilpan@sorrentomaine.org

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cclement808@yahoo.com

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tonkajoe801@yahoo.com

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RSU 24 School Board Member:

Janet Wilpan 207-422-9115 term expires 2023

Post Office: 207-422-6896

Library: 207-422-8255

Sullivan-Sorrento Historical Society: 207-422-0995

MESSAGE FROM THE TOWN CLERK

The Town Office will be closed:

Tues, Wed, Thurs - May 24, 25 & 26

(open 8am-Noon Friday May 27)

Monday May 30 – Memorial Day

Tuesday June 14 – Primary Election

*Notary Public Services are
available at the Town Office*

2021 Property Tax Bills were due by January 3,
2022 with interest at 6% per annum charged
after that date.

EXPIRATION DATES

VEHICLES: Expire a year from when they are
registered (unless you are transferring)

TRAILERS: Can be registered for 1 or 2 years,
same month, except over 2000 lb. Trailers expire
in Feb. (1 or 2 years)

BOATS: Expire Dec. 31st

ATVs: Expire June 30th

SNOWMOBILES: Expire June 30th

MOTORCYCLES: Expire March of every year,
except antique.

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






2022 Dog Licenses

Starting February 1, 2022 a fine of \$25 will be due along with the registration fee on any unregistered dogs. If you no longer have a dog that was registered last year, please call the Town Office to update your records.

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

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

***When licensing your dog, you must bring with you your dog's **rabies certificate showing 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.** 



When transferring your auto registration from your vehicle to a new/newer vehicle, you MUST 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 **CANNOT** 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>



HAPPY 125th BIRTHDAY, SORRENTO

We are planning to celebrate with a mural painting on the side of the Town Office building. Please consider donating to the fund to make this celebration possible. Please make a check out to the Town of Sorrento, Mural Fund, 79 Pomola Avenue, Sorrento, ME 04677
Thank you for your support



RSU #24

Greetings from RSU #24,

I hope this update finds each one of you ready for the warmer temperatures and the arrival of green grass and flowers (and bugs..ugh!). It is hard to believe that we have less than two months left before the school year ends.

We have established the end-of-year celebration dates for the schools/programs in the district. The Adult Education graduation ceremony will take place on June 13th at the Sullivan Gazebo. Class night at Sumner Memorial High School is June 7th and graduation is June 9th. Eighth grade promotion for Mountain View and Ella Lewis is June 13 while Peninsula and Cave Hill will have their promotion on June 14th. Our last day of the school year for students is Wednesday, June 15th. As you can imagine, there will be a great deal of emphasis on the end-of-year celebrations with the transition to the new building and the impact on our four K-8 schools. Although there is a great deal to be happy about regarding the transition, there is a lot of history in each building that should be remembered.

As part of our events to celebrate the old Sumner Memorial High School, The Last Dance will be held on Saturday, May 14th from 6:00 to 10:00 p.m. There will be a dinner (\$10/person) served in the cafeteria at 5:00 p.m. and the dance (\$30/person) will take place in the Clint Ritchie Gymnasium. Whiskey Bent will be playing live music and the dance is open to Sumner Alumni and their partners. Reservations are suggested and can be made by calling the school at 422-3510. Proceeds will benefit the new building.

The RSU #24 Finance and Budget Committee has completed its review of the RSU budgets and approved forwarding the budgets to the full Board at its May 3rd meeting. This was a time intensive process that took us into uncharted territory. With the expenses associated with the new Charles M.

Sumner Learning Campus and the state of our economy, it was a challenge to put a budget together. The full Board will consider the Adult Education budget, pre-K to 12th grade operating budget, and whether to provide access to "reserve" money set aside for the opening of the new building. The specifics of each budget will be posted on the RSU #24 website prior to the May 3rd meeting. Once the budget is approved by the full Board, we will move to the District Budget Meeting. The District Budget Meeting will take place on May 25 (6:30 p.m.) in the Sumner Memorial High School gymnasium. At this meeting, the budget will be presented and several required votes will be taken.

The Friends of Sumner's Future fundraising group continues to raise money for those items not covered by the state. If you are interested in donating, please contact Megan Moshier (Committee Chair) at meganallemoshier@gmail.com.

I appreciate your continued support of our schools. If you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to reach out to me at meastman@rsu24.org.

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](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86535623920?pwd=ajZHVe9sbStmQXpZSGM_rZkNwUT09)

[ajZHVe9sbStmQXpZSG M rZkNwUT09](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86535623920?pwd=ajZHVe9sbStmQXpZSGM_rZkNwUT09)

Meeting ID: 865 3562 3920

Passcode: 307652

Selectmen Meeting Minutes

3/16/2022

Attending via Zoom were Rob Wilpan, Jon Mickel, Craig Clement, Kathi Moore, Joey Clark, Dan Dougherty, Susan Clancy-Dougherty, Diana Gazis, Tom Bailey, Mason & Darla Crocker. The meeting was called to order at 7:02 p.m. by Rob Wilpan.

GUEST SPEAKER ON AQUACULTURE MORATORIUM: A presentation was made by Crystal Canney, Executive Director of Protect Maine's Fishing Heritage Foundation. She spoke briefly about the increasing number of aquaculture leases since 2011 without the resources to oversee them. Their legal team put together a model 180-Day Moratorium on Aquaculture Development as a baseline for municipalities and they can modify it as needed.

MINUTES: Rob read the 3/02/2022 minutes and amendments were made. Rob made a motion to approve the minutes as amended, seconded by Jon, unanimous vote, motion passed.

UPDATE ON COMMUNITY BUILDING BOILER: Jon reported that Steve is still working on quotes and his recommendations for upgrades. He did say that we can leave the vent open a crack.

UPDATE ON PIER DESIGN: Rob reported that Mike said legally we don't have to abide by the 4" sphere maximum openings for new pier but it's quite open and we need to do something. Henri quoted \$6,000 to string stainless steel cable and attach to the sides, including aluminum balusters. Mike suggested using lobster mesh, not sure how to attach or what it would look like. Discussion. Color options for lobster mesh are white or gray. All Selectmen agreed this would look best, Rob will get prices. Rob met with Tony Atwater about proposals for adjusting the height of the approach of the pier, he is working on that.

UPDATE ON GANGWAY MAINTENANCE: Rob reported that Jon provided the WCBY estimate for gangway repairs of \$2405. Rob made a motion to approve the work as quoted, seconded by Craig, motion passed. Jon abstained from the vote.

UPDATE ON FRENCHMAN BAY MONITORING PROJECT

GRANT: Rob reported that Frenchman Bay United donated \$1000.

UPDATE ON FIRE DEPARTMENT OFFICE ELECTRICAL: Joey said he checked again with Donnie Lee and he is still swamped, we are on his list.

UPDATE ON STATE SURPLUS FUNDS (DONEY): Joey reported that the paperwork has been submitted and the new cards are in the mail.

UPDATE ON PROPANE GAS DETECTOR: Rob suggested having Seacoast Security install a detector that's wired into the system. Kathi offered to call them to order this.

UPDATE ON STREET SIGNS: Jon forwarded an email to Rob, Craig, Joey and Kathi that he received from Alan Farrington, DOT Traffic Engineer, outlining the DOT findings & recommendations. The DOT concurs that the sight lines are short and barring some very expensive realignment of the intersection, they agree that an all-way stop is the best option with the resources available. The DOT will be ordering an LED solar powered flashing STOP sign to install on the North approach of Sorrento Ave; they will install all-way STOP signs (in addition to the current stop signs); STOP AHEAD signs on Sorrento Ave & Kearsarge and left side of the road STOP signs on Sorrento & Kearsarge. With visibility concerns, they'd like the Town to cut back the vegetation on the North side of Kearsarge for better visibility for traffic on Kearsarge, vehicles entering the roadway from the Spain residence and visibility through the intersection for vehicles on Waukeag. Also they requested the immediate removal of the Dangerous Intersection signs due to liability concerns. Jon is to contact Randy Spain to set up a meeting with Joey and Jon.

1) Jon made a motion to remove the Dangerous Intersection signs as soon as possible, seconded by Rob, unanimous vote, motion passed.

2) Jon made a motion to respond to Alan Farrington at DOT approving his plan of remediation with the only contingency being the vegetation issue that needs further discussion, seconded by Rob, unanimous vote, motion passed.

3) Jon reported that we recently purchased a fixed solar radar sign to try to improve the safety of this intersection and with this proposal the sign will not be needed so Jon made a motion to return the sign to the vendor and if for some reason that is not possible then we offer the sign for sale, seconded by Rob, unanimous vote, motion passed.

UPDATE ON WAUKEAG STORM DRAIN PROJECT: Rob reported that Annaleis from Olver Associates has been working on the project for improving the drainage along Waukeag Ave and removing storm water from the sewer system. The cost of the project she is applying for is \$275000 so we will see what will happen with the funding. If we don't get 100% funding we don't have to accept it, or possibly there are other grants that will cover the difference.

UPDATE ON FIRE DEPARTMENT BOAT: Jon reported that Harbor Master Lou Sutherland has a mooring available for the Fire Department's boat for \$500. It is located right in front of the dock. Jon made a motion to take Lou up on this \$500 mooring, in as is/where is condition, seconded by Rob, unanimous vote, motion passed. Jon said he will follow up with Lou.

NEW BUSINESS:

Kathi reported that the most recent No Frill's Oil statement reflects that in one month the Community Building used 410 gallons of oil, so there is \$474 remaining on our pre-paid contract for that building. Craig said that something needs to be done about the front doors. Dwayne was over there today and the bottom of the door was popped out so there was a gap. There was a discussion about winterizing and closing the building down for the winter in the future. The Fire House used 244 gallons in one month and there is \$254 left on that prepaid contract.

Joey brought up that we are very close or have gone over the threshold of \$5/gallon for diesel fuel. Rob said it's in the contract that out of surplus we pay that difference.

Joey reported that there is an issue with people dumping trash along Fuller Road. He has received several complaints and checked it out; there was a crib, paint cans, mattress, and pillows alongside the hill from the salt/sand shed. He had Josh Trundy pick up stuff the other day; it's getting out of hand. Joey suggested putting up a game camera in the area to find out who is doing it. Rob said the Town has 2 of them; they just need batteries and memory cards. The other Selectmen were in agreement. Rob is to get the cameras to Joey and Joey will set them up.

At 7:50 Rob made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Jon, unanimous vote, motion passed.

Submitted on 4/05/2022 by Kathi Moore, Town Clerk.



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**

ATTENTION

**All Comprehensive Planning
Committee
meetings have been postponed
until further notice.**

SULLIVAN THRIFT SHOP

The Sullivan "Thrift Store" is located in the Sorrento-Sullivan Recreation Center on Route 1 in Sullivan, Maine.

It is open **Tuesdays 1-5pm** and

Saturdays 10am-2pm

Donations are always welcome, please drop them off when the thrift shop is open or call 412-9630.

Proceeds benefit: Recreation Center Repairs Project & Community Pet Fund*

*Pet food available when the thrift shop is open

***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

orrento155@gmail.com

The **Sorrento-Sullivan Recreation Center** is
available to rent for events!

Cleaning is included in the rental fee.

Call 207-422-3134 for more info!



Frenchman Bay Library

April, 2022

Hours: Mondays 2-6 and Saturdays 10-2.

The library continues to be open by appointment. The reason for this is the small space. We don't want people to get too crowded which sometimes happens. If you are out and about and don't have an appointment it is okay to stop and see if there are any patrons in the library. If there are not, we will gladly let you in to browse. The first two hours we are open tend to be the busiest. The second two hours tend to be quieter.

FOOD PANTRY: Please keep those much needed food donations coming in. They are needed more than ever. Even one thing a week from your grocery shopping would make a huge difference. The Food Pantry is located down by the Thrift Store. Hours are Mondays 2-6. Tuesdays 1-5 and Saturdays 10-2. Food donations can be dropped off at The Dunbar Store, the town office, the library or the Thrift Store. Thanks to everyone for their efforts

New Arrivals:

- Harlem Shuffle by Whitehead, Colson
- The Paris Library by Skeslien-Charles, Janet
- Dolley Madison, the White House and the Big Tornado by Boynton, Alice (jubenile)
- Squeeze Me by Hiaasen, Carl
- The Extraordinary Life of Sam Hell by Dugoni, Robert

We have openings on our Board of Directors. Call Myra Hornberger at 422-8931.

The basement is open for purchasing used books whenever the library is open.



Museum Update

Lady's silk wedding slipper. Wolfman costume. WWII Veteran's coffin bag. Payroll ledger for loading granite on ships. What connects these items?

They are treasures newly discovered in the museum at Sullivan-Sorrento Historical Society. Since January our Island Institute Fellow, Raina Sciocchette, has put an attack plan into place to overhaul our museum, a job that is at least a decade overdue. We want to transform mountains of boxes, stacks of papers and books, and scattered artifacts into a well-organized and properly cared for collection of Sullivan and Sorrento's history. Raina is fulling up the beautiful metal shelving that Home Depot donated to us and they look great! We will be open this summer and the museum will be ready for your visit!

Summer Intern Wanted

The Sullivan-Sorrento Historical Society received a grant from the Eastern Maine Conservation Initiative which will allow us to hire a summer intern to digitize important papers in our collection. This important work allows us to preserve by digitizing an original document which may be fragile and deteriorating, as well as to make documents easier to find, copy and send. For more information about the internship, please check our website at <https://sullivansorrentohistory.org/pages/5525>

History Hour

You may have noticed that our April virtual History Hour was cancelled. We had unavoidable scheduling snafus! Our last History Hour of the winter will be in May. Watch Facebook and our website for date, time and subject. We think you're going to really like May's topic!

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:

Fire Chief Joey Clark	207-812-2208
Asst. Fire Chief Mike Parker	207-460-7340
Asst. Fire Chief Brian Clement	207-460-4772
Chief Engineer Craig Clement	207-460-8851

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 **please call 973-3700 immediately!** 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.

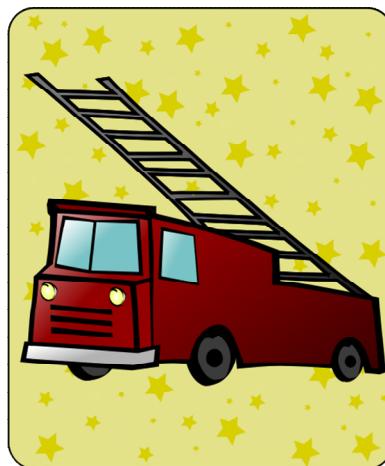
For more information, call 287-4989 or visit www.maineburnpermit.com.



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.



***Sorrento Code Enforcement Officer,
Shoreland Zoning Officer
& Plumbing Inspector***

Michael Gurtler (m) 207-460-5544

ceo-lpi@sorrentomaine.org

Please use email to help document your requests.

May is Deck Safety Month

Each year, the North American Deck and Railing Association (NADRA) raises awareness about the importance of checking your deck by promoting National Deck Safety Month. Homeowners can take advantage of resources and tools from the NADRA webpage (nadra.org) to ensure the safety, security and longevity of their decks. Also, a 10-Point Deck Safety Checklist is available at the Sorrento Town Office. The checklist provides a step-by-step guide to visually inspecting the deck for safety concerns such as corroding fasteners, decaying materials, loose railings, inadequate lighting, and more. The checklist is a helpful tool to assist homeowners. The Code Enforcement Officer is available to discuss decks and other possible safety concerns around your home. For more information about deck safety, or for a complimentary inspection, please contact the Town of Sorrento's Code Enforcement Officer, Mike Gurtler at: ceo-lpi@sorrentomaine.org

Permits and Fees

The Town of Sorrento requires that anyone performing plumbing or construction to submit an application and pay for permits. Applications will be reviewed and permits issued by the Code Enforcement Officer. Common projects that require permits include plumbing renovations, repairs and additions, septic systems, driveways, fences, signs, building construction and shoreland projects. The Town enforces the 2021 Uniform Plumbing Code, as adopted by the State of Maine, and the Maine Subsurface Wastewater System Rules. Plumbing projects, both internal and external, require inspections by the Code Enforcement Officer. Inspections may be

scheduled through the Town Office. A schedule of Permit Fees is available at the Town Office.

Reminders

- No work is to be started until your permit is issued; starting work before a permit is issued may result in fines.
- All contractors doing soil work in the shoreland must have State Certification and must furnish a copy to code enforcement for every shore project.
- No subsurface wastewater systems (septic) may be installed in frozen ground or when the ambient air temperature is below freezing.
- All construction must comply with the Maine Uniform Building & Energy Code as well as the 2020 National Electric Code, the 2021 Uniform Plumbing Code and other applicable state and local rules, ordinances, codes and regulations.
- Many properties in the Town of Sorrento fall into Shoreland Zone and have a specific ordinance that must be complied with for any construction, alterations, etc. Shoreland is generally considered as any area within 250 feet, horizontal distance, of the upland edge of a coastal wetland, including all areas affected by tidal action; and within 250 feet, horizontal distance, of the upland edge of a freshwater wetland.





LIKE US ON FACEBOOK



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.

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.

Steven shufelt

Fully insured one man house painter

Interior/exterior

518-755-8926

Email@stevenshufelt2@gmail.com

45B West Shore Rd
Sorrento Me 04677



Jacob Belhumeur
207-610-0925

West Shore Caretaking LLC

Property maintenance, Lawn care, Snow removal and more
jebelhumeur@yahoo.com

RENTAL – Fabulous cabin across from working harbor on Ocean Avenue available late spring, summer and fall! Entering from the front porch leads you into this open concept studio, featuring a kitchenette, full-size bed, bathroom with 48" shower, knotty pine and lots of windows. Enjoy the private patio with fire pit and plenty of seating. The perfect getaway for a couple.

For more information text Susan at 860-861-1331 for Pat at 860-287-9364

HOUSE ON SORRENTO POINT

available for rent the first two weeks of August. Four bedrooms (three queen beds and one full bed), two full baths. Walk to everything. Fireplace and porch are the highlights. Gas grill. WiFi. Smiths' "House in the woods" on Beech Street is available 7/30 – 8/13. \$2000/week and 7% tax, plus \$250 for cleaning. Contact Polly (207) 844-4934 pollydsmith@comcast.net – or Hugo (978) 578-3619 hsmith220@gmail.com





Village Green is reserved for:
August 3
August 25-27

SORRENTO COMMUNITY BUILDING
 is reserved for:
May 1
June 12-14
August 3
November 6-8

The Sorrento Community Building is
 available to rent for events.
 \$25 fee plus \$25 refundable cleaning
 deposit.
 Call the Town Office 422-6889 for more
 information



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



Susan Helene Gensemer
 May 20, 1953- November 10, 2021

The Popka and Gensemer family would like to
 invite anyone who may have known Susan in any
 capacity to join us for a celebration of her life on
 Saturday, May 21st at 10 am.

Services will be held at
 St. Andrews Lutheran Church
 175 Downeast Highway, Ellsworth, ME.
 A time of remembrance and light refreshments will
 be held at Franklin Veterans Club
 4 Cards Crossing, Franklin, ME
 from 12- 4 pm.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in
 Susan's memory to Ark Animal Shelter
 60 Barber Lane Cherryfield, ME 04622.

Condolences may be expressed at
www.jordanfernald.com





The Down East Family YMCA is thrilled to be offering free memberships for all eligible Hancock County 6th graders. Any eligible 6th grader can use their membership at our locations in Ellsworth, Bucksport or Blue Hill.

This initiative was made possible because of the success of our Annual Campaign and our passionate donors.

For more information or to sign up your child, call the Wiggins Center at 207-667-3086 or email membership@defymca.org.



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.

