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ON THE COVER Karinah Luna. 12. of Haverhill has fun flipping her long wet hair back while playing in Plug Pond at the Lake Saltonstall (Plug Pond) Conservation Area in Haverhill. Accessible from Mill Street and Sanders Road in Haverhill, the area offers 160plus acres with over a mile of trail connecting to the Winnekenni Park **Conservation Area.** Carl Busso/Staff photo

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A sailing stronghold builds on past



Sailboat races are a common sight off Marblehead. Here, sailboats make way past Marblehead Light during the 2021 Helly Hansen NOOD Regatta Marblehead. The Corinthian Yacht Club, 1 Nahant St., hosts the Helly Hansen Sailing World Regatta Series – Marblehead on July 27 to 30.

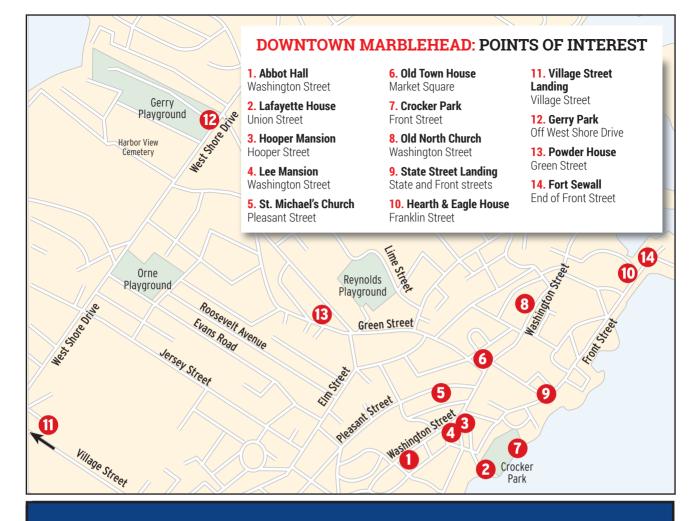
Marblehead's role as a seaport has ebbed and flowed throughout its nearly 400-year history.

The town was famous for its vast fishing fleet through the mid-19th century. Its harbor was a refuge for the USS Constitution against a British vessel in pursuit during the War of 1812. And today, it remains one of the top yachting spots in the world.

Dating to 1889, the annual midsummer Marblehead Race Week competition draws yachtsmen from across the globe to the town's glimmering harbor for the last full week of July. More than 200 boats sail to Marblehead for the event's Junior Race Week and Helly Hansen Sailing World Regatta Series. Information on Race Week and competition schedules can be found at www. mheadrace.org.

It's tradition for sailing crafts to race across Marblehead's share of rugged Atlantic, where international races between Marblehead and Germany's Kiel, Spain's San Sebastian, and Bermuda have started and ended over the years. A yearly competition between Halifax, Nova Scotia, and the town that began in 1905 continues today.

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Marblehead Festival of Arts: Champagne, kites and model boats

The Marblehead Arts Festival will liven up the seaside with creative activities for visitors of all ages during its run from July 1 to the Fourth this year.

The festival will open with its annual Champagne Reception fundraiser at Fort Sewall on Sunday, June 25. Running 5 p.m. to 7, the evening kicks off the summer with wine tastings and live music along the waterfront.

Kids' imaginations can take flight during the Kite Festival hosted at Devereux Beach from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Sunday, July 2, with build-your-own kite kits available. Kids and adults can also take part in the festival's Sand Sculpture Competition at the beach from 1 to 3:30 p.m. that day.

Families can stop by the



President Mimi Knittle enters the The Cushman Gallerv for young Artists at the Marblehead Arts Association.

Children's Festival from event will take place on the 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Monday, July 3 in the Jeremiah Lee Mansion Gardens. They're also welcome to attend Art on the Avenue from 2 to 5 p.m. that afternoon.

The festival's Boat Building

Fourth of July at the Lee Mansion Gardens, where families can purchase \$35 model boat kits and create their own mini vessel from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. The boats will be raced during the annual Regatta at Redd's Pond at 3 p.m.

An Artisan Market will take place Sunday, July 2, and Monday, July 3, and a Street Festival will be held from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Tuesday, July 4.

Art will be on display throughout the festival at Abbot Hall, Old Town House, Grace Community Church, Old North Church, St. Michael's Church and Unitarian Universalist Church.

Artists will capture Marblehead with the strokes of their paint brushes during the yearly Painting-the-Town tradition, and a Festival of Cod fundraising auction and concert series at Crocker Park will also be held during the festival.

For up to date information on these events and tickets, visit http://www.marbleheadfestival.org/.



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to replace an 1830s-era brick and wood lighthouse, the metal-ensconced structure is one of a kind even along New England's lighthouse-spotted coast.

Also on Ocean Avenue is Devereux Beach. While its warm sand offers a reprieve from summer heat along the waterfront, the coastal view from Fort Sewall near the town's historic district serves as a solemn reminder of the ocean's power.

Families of fishermen watched from the fort for any signs of their men coming home in September 1846 as hurricane-force gales tore through the town's cod fleet by surprise. In all, the storm would send 11 vessels and 65 of Marblehead's men and boys down to the ocean's floor.

The fort contains bunkers and underground rooms that once held prisoners. Its guns protected the USS Constitution from the British in 1814 as war once again ravaged the young nation. Forty years earlier, Marblehead's militia fought against the British and even crossed the Delaware River with Gen. George Washington during the Revolutionary War.

Visitors can get a further taste of



Devereaux Beach is a popular spot on summer mornings.

Marblehead's history by walking past the 200 Colonial-era homes and buildings along the town's winding streets or visiting the Jeremiah Lee Mansion on Washington Street. The Colonial Georgian home was built in 1768 by the wealthiest merchant and shipowner in Massachusetts at the time, and remains in its nearly original state.

Abbot Hall on Washington Street serves as Marblehead's town hall and historical museum. It contains a "Spirit of '76" painting by Archibald MacNeal Willard, the 1684 deed to Marblehead from the Nanapeshemet tribe of Native Americans and other artifacts. Some nearby shops sell the Joe Frogger, the town's famous molasses cookie that dates to Colonial times. Created by Old Black Joe Brown and Aunt Crese, who maintained a tavern on Gingerbread Hill, the long-lasting cookies were a staple in the galleys of local fishermens' ships for centuries.

The Massachusetts Audubon's Marblehead Neck Wildlife Sanctuary is also worth a visit. It's a haven for warblers and other migratory birds each spring and fall, which can be spotted along trails that start at the end of Risley Road and are open seven days a week from dawn to dusk.











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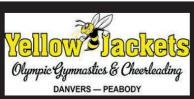
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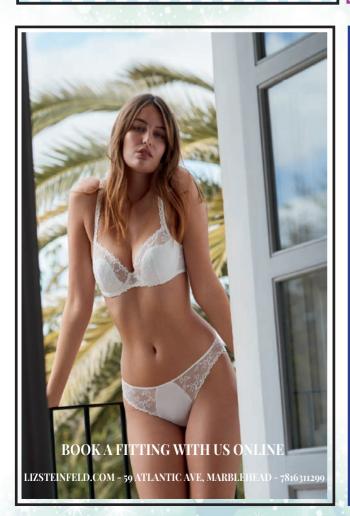
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Salem

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A great place to start a summer visit is Pickering Wharf, a popular harborside attraction designed to embody the authentic feel of a New England village. Positioned off Bridge Street, the wharf has much to do sprinkled in between history and landmarks. Visitors can browse through more than 20 shops and boutiques, and even do some antiquing.

Options for waterfront dining abound, with many top-rated restaurants to choose from. Or grab a coffee and ice cream, and watch the boats pass by.

The marketplace area also is home to the Salem Waterfront Hotel and Pickering Wharf Marina, where visitors can experience a taste of Salem Sound's pirating and privateering past aboard the schooner Fame. The replica of the War of 1812 privateer offers sails throughout the summer; book at www.schoonerfame.com.

At neighboring Derby Wharf, restoration of Salem's iconic tall ship, Friendship, resumes at the sprawling Salem Maritime National Historic Site. The replica late-18th-century East Indiaman merchant ship was built by the National Park Service in the late 1990s using modern materials and

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A rainbow settles in as revelers take in the sights near the Pedrick Store House and the Friendship of Salem during last year's Fourth of July celebration at the Salem Maritime National Historic Site at Derby Wharf in Salem.

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construction methods, while retaining the appearance of the original ship, and renovated in Gloucester from 2016 to 2019.

The actual three-masted, square-rigged, 342-ton vessel was crafted in the South River shipyard of Enos Briggs for the Salem mercantile firm Waite and Peirce.

Launched in 1797, Friendship made 15 voyages during its career — to Batavia, India, China, South America, the Caribbean, England, Germany, the Mediterranean and Russia. It ended its activities as an American merchant vessel when it was captured as a prize of war by the British sloop of war HMS Rosamond in September 1812.

The replica ship has been among the most popular attractions at the Salem Maritime National Historic Site on Derby Street since its debut.

In a typical year, Pickering and Derby wharves are filled



Donna Eddy and Joanne Vietor enjoy the Fourth of July celebration on Derby Wharf.

with revelers for the city's annual Fourth of July extravaganza, which makes a fanfarefilled comeback this year. The Salem Celebrates the 4th event — on Tuesday, July 4, this summer — features the 42-piece Hillyer Festival Orchestra performing a Pops concert on Derby Wharf at the Salem Maritime National Historic Site, a Kid Space play area, and fireworks launched over Salem Harbor.

Salem Heritage Days returns Aug. 7 to 13. Featuring food, fun, and activities for all ages, highlights include National Night Out, Ice Cream Bowl, live music, outdoor films, and

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Meanwhile, more seaside fun can be found at nearby Salem Willows, named for the white willow trees planted there in 1801 to create shaded walkways for patients convalescing at a local smallpox hospital. The 35-acre park, which opened in 1858, offers beaches, athletic courts, walking trails, arcades, a historic carousel, food stands and more.

The North Shore Concert Band will perform its annual summer series of free outdoor concerts at the park's Robert Hayes Bandshell. A full schedule is expected toward the end of spring and can be found at northshoreconcertband.com.

And, of course, Salem is equally known for its place in the 1692 Witch Trials as for its role in maritime history. The city is home to a number of witch museums and landmarks, including the Salem Witch Museum off Salem Common and the Witch Trials Memorial alongside the



Charter Street Cemetery, one of the earliest resting places in the country. Descendants of the Trials are also invited to the Proctor's Ledge Memorial off Pope Street for peaceful contemplation off the beaten path. Proctor's Ledge is the historically supported execution site of those accused of witchcraft.

Or check out the renowned Peabody Essex Museum, home to works of art and culture from around the world, and The House of the Seven Gables, made famous by American author Nathaniel Hawthorne's novel. The circa-1668 Colonial is considered to be the oldest surviving 17th-century wooden mansion in New England.





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Beverly

'Crown jewel' Lynch Park offers views, summer fun



Summer fun at Independence Park , 41 Lothrop St. in Beverly.

Beverly is known as "The Garden City," and a stroll through Lynch Park or Long Hill will tell you why.

Situated on a point with panoramic sea views, David S. Lynch Memorial Park is often called the "crown jewel" of Beverly.

Owned and maintained by the city, it is the former site of the vast summer home of Robert and Marie Antoinette Evans, who transformed it into one of the North Shore's finest estates.

An elaborate Italianate garden, adorned with rare plants and shrubs imported from around the world, now stands where the property's Stetson Cottage — which was cut in half then floated to and reassembled on Peaches Point in Marblehead — once stood.

In the summers of 1909 and 1910, President William Howard Taft leased Stetson Cottage as his seasonal White House, hosting leaders and dignitaries from around the world. Taft is said to have signed the "Treaty of Beverly" here, which laid the foundation for future U.S. tariff policies.

The 16-acre park, part of the Essex National Heritage Area, also boasts a Carriage House,

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Beverly Homecoming celebrates 'community spirit'

The 2023 Beverly Homecoming will be held over six days in August at Lynch Park and other sites in Beverly.

Now in its 58th year, the community celebration will take place from Tuesday, Aug. 1, to Sunday, Aug. 6.

Beverly Homecoming started in 1966 and has continued every year since, with the exception of 2020 due to the COVID-19 pandemic. It is put on by the Beverly Homecoming Committee, a volunteerrun nonprofit organization that relies on donations and sponsorships. The event is not funded by the city of Beverly.

The committee describes Homecoming as a "summer celebration of the community spirit of Beverly." Its schedule includes dozens of events, highlighted by its two most popular,



Michael McCarthy gets a smiling lobster painted on his face at **Beverly Homecoming's Lobster Festival.**

the Lobster Festival on the first day and the fireworks on the last day. Both events draw thousands of people to Lynch Park. The fireworks can also be viewed across the water from Dane Street Beach and Independence Park.

Most of the events are held at Lynch Park, the city's oceanside park on Ober Street, including several concerts, Tiny Tots Day, a lip sync contest, and the annual Beverly Homecoming 5K Road Race.

Organizers shortened



Brayan Gomez chops lobsters to be served during the Lobster Festival.

Homecoming from its longtime 10-day schedule in 2021 and say the new format has worked well. There are just about the same number of events, but the condensed schedule allows people to attend more events on a given day, according to the Homecoming Committee.

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A man walks toward the end of the shore as low-tide water levels settle at the Dane Street Beach in Beverly.

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which is available for private rental, along with two beaches, a children's play structure and splash pad, and a performance shell that hosts musical performances in front of spectators spread out on the expansive green lawn.

"The Falconer" on its white marble base stands guard between the rose garden and the seawall. Inspired by the original "Falconer" in New York's Central Park, it depicts a larger-thanlife-sized youth in Elizabethan dress striding forward while releasing a falcon from his outstretched left hand.

Interestingly, Daniel S. Lynch, for whom the park is named, never experienced the property.

He bequeathed \$400,000 upon his death in 1942 to create a public park in his native Beverly to make sure everyone would have a scenic place to go and enjoy the outdoors. He was inspired after encountering a private park in London that denied the public access to its natural splendor.

The Lynch Park Board of Trustees used Lynch's gift to purchase the land from Beverly Hospital in 1943.

The park is open from 6 a.m. to 10 p.m. Memorial Day to Labor Day. Parking for nonresidents is \$15 on weekdays and \$25 on weekends, cash only. Parking is free for Beverly residents with a valid parking M30 2023 SUMMER GUIDE



Kayaking at Dane Street Beach in Beverly are, foreground, from left, Ryan McFadden, Bill Davey and his wife, Wendy Taylor; and background, Curtis Hall, and Marianne Hall.

sticker.

More garden magic can be found at Long Hill on Essex Street. This former family retreat once owned by the editor of The Atlantic Monthly has been renowned for its collection of trees, shrubs and distinctive perennial plants for more than a century.

Long Hill is owned and operated by The Trustees of Reservations and is open for the season from April 1 to Oct. 29. Admission is \$10 for adults and \$5 for children ages 3 to 12. There's much more to explore in Beverly, including public beaches at Dane Street Beach and Independence Park on Lothrop Street. The downtown includes shops and restaurants along Cabot and Rantoul streets and a new restaurant on Water Street with views of Beverly Harbor.

The city also boasts three long-running theaters, The Cabot, Larcom Theatre and North Shore Music Theatre, as well as the Off-Cabot Comedy Club.



Ryan McFadden puts on his swimming cap prior to heading into the water at the Dane Street Beach in Beverly.

Essen

Clams, ship building and antiques beckon



Fireworks display during the bicentennial fireworks celebration at Shepard Memorial Park in Essex.

On a bright summer day, the clam flats dazzle as far as the eye can see, and crowds line up along the Route 133 to eat the shellfish at one of Essex's storied restaurants or seafood shacks

Essex is where clammers not only go to clam, but to eat clams. It's famous for its steamers. Famous for its antiques, too. In fact this unique little coastal town says it has more antique shops per square mile than any other town in America. From funky vintage to museum quality pieces, you'll find it here.

Settled by the English beginning in 1614 and incorporated as a town in 1819, Essex was and is a shipbuilding center.

Maybe not as prolific as during the heyday of schooner fishing when it built and sent down the river to Gloucester an estimated 4,000 fishing vessels, but thanks to Master Shipwright Harold Burnham, 18th-century shipbuilding is very much alive in Essex.

Burnham's family goes

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back through 11 generations of ship builders in Essex. "It's in my DNA," says Burnham who today is the resident shipwright at the Essex Shipbuilding Museum and Boatyard.

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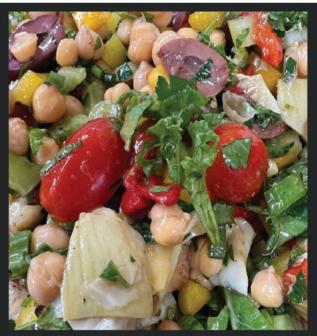
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Manchester-by-the-Sea:

Flip-flop friendly seaside community

Manchester-by-the-Sea may be known as a pristine and perfectly preserved slice of historical old New England, but it's also the kind of place where one particular restaurant — popular with both locals and tourists greets visitors with a sign that reads "Flip-flop-friendly."

In other words, it's also a beachy town. Home to no fewer than seven beaches, the summer dress code is no dress code. Its town beach, a half-mile crescent of white sand so fine it's said to "sing" beneath your feet, is for that reason called Singing Beach, and it lives up to its

name.

Incorporated as a fishing and farming village in 1645 by the English, Manchester's outstanding coastal beauty was discovered in the mid-1800s by Boston's elite, and it became a summer colony for the wealthy who built grand "cottages" on its shores. Artists, too, were drawn to Manchester. These included master portraitists Charles Hopkinson and John Singer Sargent, who declared its sea light, islands and coves, "paradise."

Vestiges of Manchester's "Gilded Age" are still in

evidence, and in unexpected ways. On the back lawn of the classically colonial Manchester Historical Museum, for instance, vou'll find an odd little green shack. It is a lone survivor of the 130 bungalow cabanas built by the wealthy that once lined Singing Beach. Most destroyed in the great hurricane of 1939, they once represented a way of summer life for the wealthy, who on hot days would swap their mansions for these little seaside shacks for swimming and socializing.

Inside the Manchester Historical Museum, you'll find the kind of furniture that put Manchester on the map as the leading center of furniture making in the mid 19th century. Also known as Trask House, it was built in 1823 by Abigail Hooper, wife of Capt. Richard Trask, a prosperous merchant sea captain who skippered the St. Petersburg, the largest ship ever built in Massachusetts at the time.

Abigail Hooper would have been at home in 21st century Manchester. A business woman before the words business and

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Alessandro Monti-Guarnieri, 12, of Boston enjoys body-surfing at Singing Beach in Manchester-by-the-Sea.





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Fourth, festival by the seaside

Manchester-by-the-Sea may be a small town, but it sure knows how to throw a big Fourth of July parade.

The action starts at 10 a.m., and by action we mean nonstop marching to bands that would do John Philip Souza proud.

Drums beat, batons twirl, horns honk, fire engine sirens fill the air. There are motorcades and motorcycles, bagpipes and fifes and drums, jazz, rock and mariachi bands, Uncle Sam on stilts, vintage cars and vintage costumes. Colonial revolutionaries and their ladies. Not to mention, a patriotic blast of a colonial cannon.

It's one Yankee Doodle Dandy of a parade, and this New England seaside town that was founded in the early 1600s absolutely loves it.

This year, 2023, the Fourth of July falls on a Tuesday, so events begin Saturday, July 1,



A few attendees check out wooden products during the Festival by the Sea event in Manchester. The popular annual event features more than 120 vendors ranging from artists and artisans to jewelers and crafters and food vendors.

Essex Rotary Red. White and at Town Hall. 10 Church St.: Blue Pancake Breakfast. All or \$15 at gate; children under are welcome, from 7:30 to 8 are free. 11:30 a.m., at scenic Tucks Point, 12 Tucks Point Road. ing Beach a concert starts at Tickets are \$10 in advance at 7 p.m. and is followed at 9 p.m.

with the annual Manchester- the Parks and Recreation office

On Sunday, July 2, at Sing-

by fireworks.

On Monday, July 3, Cape Ann Big Band plays all-time favorites at Masconomo Park on the harborfront from 6 to 8 p.m.

And on Tuesday, Fourth of July, the big parade kicks off from Lincoln Street at 10 a.m., winds through downtown, and ends at Coach Ed Field Playground.

For more information, visit https://www. manchester.ma.us/389/ Julv-4th-Committee.

Then in August, celebrate the magic of summer at the Festival of the Sea. This event features booths spread throughout downtown on Saturday, Aug. 5, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Besides arts and crafts and food, there'll be a live music concert at Masconomo Park off Beach Street from noon to 4 p.m.



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woman were ever put together, she ran a thriving general store and millinery shop, not unlike the many boutiques that make Manchester a must for shopping today.

On Beach Street on the harborfront, you can buy anything from a first-edition book to a chaise lounge to read it on. Restaurants come in every shape and size and so do their menus. Pick up a picnic at one of them and head out for the day.

A must for sheer natural wonder is Coolidge Reservation. A Trustees of Reservations site, its 66-acre peninsula is dense with field, forest, stream and sea, rocky outcrops, woodlands, wetlands, wildlife, sea coves, and sandy beaches. Views from its spectacular Ocean Lawn include the shimmering skyline of Boston, just 25 miles away.

If beaching is on your agenda, as a non-resident, you can pay \$30 to park on week-days only, from June 20 to

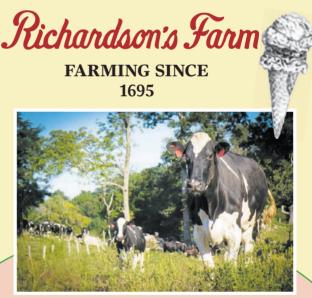


Labor Day, holidays excepted, and only if space is available. Also, all beachgoers are subject to a \$10 beach walk-on fee, charged daily to those 12 to

64, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. when staff are on duty. Season passes are available for \$35 at Town Hall or online at manchester. ma.us.

Davide Bussrne fishes at Masconomo Park in Manchester-by-the-Sea.





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Ipswich

A pristine beach, trails and a hilltop mansion



A boy scoops water into his bucket as a wave comes in at Crane Beach in Ipswich

Crane Beach in Ipswich offers 4 miles of white sand beach, salt marshes, and a pitch pine forest. The beachfront gets over 350,000 visitors annually, so tickets must be purchased ahead of time to gain access.

Part of the Crane Estate on Argilla Road, the pristine sandy beach features easy entry into the water, ample open space for sunbathing and walking, and all kinds of seaside play.

The beach is managed by the nonprofit The Trustees of Reservations, which oversees more than 100 properties — nearly 25,000 acres — all around Massachusetts. It is M40 2023 SUMMER GUIDE open year-round, from 8 a.m. to sunset daily.

Crane Beach is among the world's most important nesting sites for piping plovers, a threatened bird that was nearly hunted to extinction in the 19th century for its eggs and feathers. The Trustees of Reservations' efforts to protect the shorebirds have been nationally recognized.

There are 5.5 miles of trails, which track the beachfront on the Ipswich Bay and Essex River Estuary sides of the Castle Neck peninsula. These are considered moderate hiking.

During the summer, there are lifeguards and rangers, a

bike rack, bathhouses with restrooms and changing area, outside showers, picnic tables, a store with refreshments and merchandise, an information kiosk, and transportation for mobility-challenged visitors.

According to The Trustees website, visitors are still required to reserve a Timed Entry Pass in advance for daily admission from Memorial Day weekend through Labor Day weekend. Crane Beach will no longer be selling parking permits, rather, reduced admission for members. Current permits through April 30, 2024, will still be honored. Through Labor Day, for nonmembers of The Trustees, day passes during the week are \$40 per car, \$10 for motorcycles and \$5 for bikes. On weekends, the car rate is \$45, and the other fees are the same.

Trustees members who do not have a year-round parking sticker pay a discounted rate.

Check out this website for more details on access to the beach this summer: https:// thetrustees.org/content/ crane-beach-faq/

Although advance passes are suggested, they are not required for visiting the neighboring Castle Hill on the Crane

Estate, 290 Argilla Road, which is open daily from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Admission to the grounds is \$10 for adults, \$5 for children ages 6 to 14 and free for children 5 and younger.

Set against the backdrop of a 165-acre scenic countryside, the property offers a glimpse into the past of one of the nation's wealthiest families.

The land, which Richard T. Crane Jr. bought in 1910, encompasses a farm and estate buildings, designed grounds and gardens, and diverse habitats. The Great House — the centerpiece on top of the hill — is a 59-room, Stuart-style mansion. Designed by architect David Adler and built in 1928, it is furnished with period antiques.

The property is home to quite all manner of wildlife, including deer, foxes, nesting great horned owls, red-tailed hawks, turkey vultures and the occasional bald eagle.

Events this summer include a variety of tours and hikes, as well as a series of picnic concerts.

For schedules and reservations, visit www.thetrustees.org/place/ castle-hill-on-the-crane-estate.



The annual summer concert series at the Crane Estate in Ipswich is always popular.

Olde **Ipswich** Davs

The Olde Ipswich Days fair brings together more than 60 artisans to sell their work on the town's South Village Green on County Road (Route 1A)

This year is the 52nd annual Olde Ipswich Days. The festival, historically, runs on the last weekend of July. This year the dates and hours are Friday, July 28, to Sunday, July 30. Friday and Saturday hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., and then 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Sunday.

Festival vendors will offer photography, paintings, jewelry, toys, and more.

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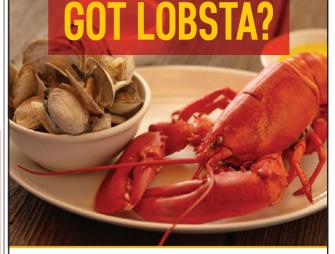
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Gloucester is so packed with history that a few years ago, the 44 2023 SUMMER GUIDE city created its Harbor Walk for visitors. This 2 ¹/₂-mile walking tour takes you — via QR codes on granite posts at stops along the way — on a free audio-visual tour of the city's historical highlights. Find out all about it at gloucester.harborwalk.org. Meanwhile, here's some of what you can expect along the way, and some more that are off the granite post grid, but not to be missed.

A short distance from Stage Fort Park on Stacy Boulevard, 200 American flags grace the seawall railing along the Outer Harbor, and the city's iconic "The Man at the Wheel" statue looks forever out to sea. A must for any visitor, it's dedicated to

"the men who go down to the sea in boats," and the names of thousands of them who never returned are inscribed on the cenotaph that surrounds it.

Also recalling the "men who go down to the sea in boats," and also on Stacy Boulevard, is the Fishermen's Wives Memorial, surrounded by nationally renowned formal gardens blooming with tens of thousands of flowers planted by Generous Gardeners, Gloucester's "army of green-aproned volunteers." Take the group's annual garden tour on July 8, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.; it features 18 downtown gardens, all an easy walk from Stacy Boulevard. Details at generousgardeners.org.

Downtown is where you'll find the working waterfront hard at work. Maritime Gloucester (maritimegloucester.org), 23 Harbor Loop, is a maritime museum offering a pocket sea aquarium, schooner sailing experiences and pop-up workshops.

By now you will have worked up an appetite. Good. Because you will find some of the freshest seafood in New England in the restaurants that line the waterfront and downtown streets.

In the mood for an aftermeal dip? Pavilion Beach — a



Milo and Luca Aberle jump off the Lane's Cove breakwater in Gloucester.

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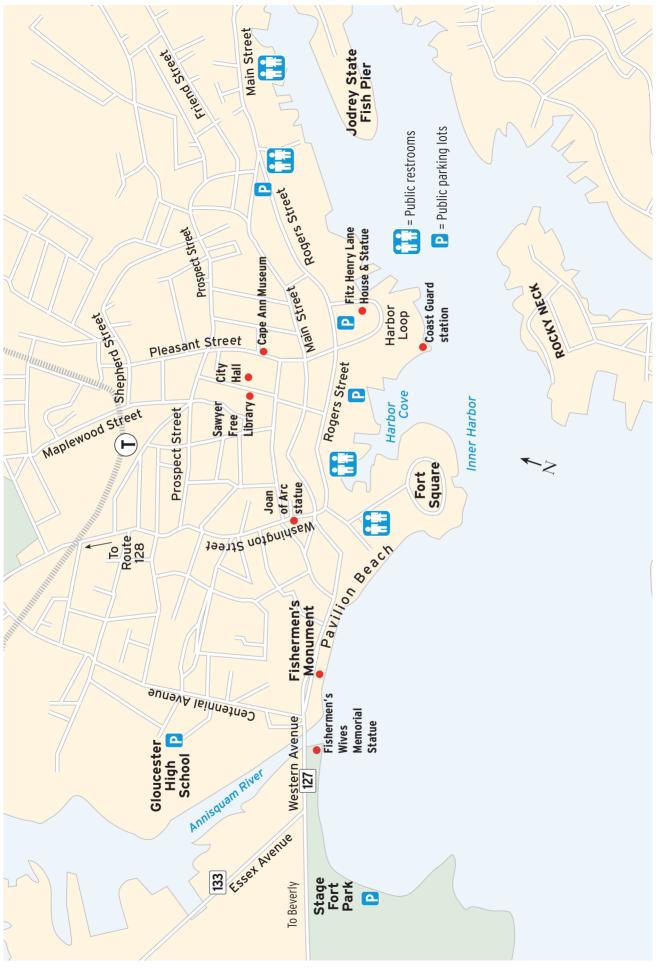
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wide stretch of sand directly in front of the picturesque Beauport Hotel, is free, open to all, and a short walk from all downtown has to offer come evening. If you're lucky, that might include one of Gloucester's vibrant block parties. Or a play at the city's renowned Gloucester Stage Company, this summer featuring Zora Howard's "STEW," with tickets and information available at gloucesterstage.org

For just \$10, Harbor Tours (capeannharbortours.com) will cruise vou all dav on a water shuttle, with stops at places such as Rocky Neck, where quaint art galleries and restaurants nestle together on the docks of picturesque Smith's Cove. A summer art colony since the turn of the last century, artists painted canvases here that today hang on the walls of museums throughout the world.

During this quadricentennial summer, the Cape Ann Museum, 27 Pleasant St., is celebrating that legacy with a major show mounted in collaboration with the Whitney Museum of Art. "Edward Hopper & Cape Ann: Illuminating an American Landscape" is a not-to-be-missed exhibition of 60 works, including the famed collection of Gloucester "Hopper Houses" painted during summers he spent here. For details and tickets, visit capeannmuseum.org

Just a walk away, and jampacked with history, is the Sargent House Museum, an architectural gem built in the late 1700s at 91 Middle St. as home to Judith Sargent Murray, early advocate of women's education and equality, and cofounded as a museum the early 1900s by her direct descendent, master portraitist John Singer Sargent. Open weekends from May 28 for tours. Visit sargenthouse.org for details.

Gloucester was also summer home for over 20 years to a young T.S. Eliot, and its influence is unmistakable in the sea imagery that suffuses his poetry. Eliot's family former home on Eastern Point, acquired by the T. S. Eliot Foundation in 2015, is now a

St. Peter's Fiesta schedule

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during St. Peter's Fiesta as Fiesta 2022.

Derek Hopkins takes the flag again the Sunday's

Championship round of the Greasy Pole at Pavilion Beach

MONDAY, JUNE 12, TO TUESDAY, JUNE 20

7 p.m.: Novena to St. Peter, Capt. Lester Wass American Legion Post 3, 8 Washington St. On June 20, Mass is followed by followed by procession of the statue of St. Peter from the Legion through the Fort neighborhood to the St. Peter's Club, 23 Main St.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 21

7 to 10 p.m.: Over the Bridge in concert, St. Peter's Square, Rogers and Washington streets.

THURSDAY, JUNE 22

6:30 p.m.: St. Peter's Fiesta 5K Road Race, from Stage Fort Park to St. Peter's Square. For details, contact the Cape Ann YMCA or visit www.northshoreymca.org/events/ st-peters-fiesta-5k-gloucester 8 p.m.: Live music by Wildfire and dancing, St. Peter's Square.

FRIDAY, JUNE 23

4:45 p.m.: St. Peter's Fiesta Greasy Pole Contest, followed by St. Peter's Fiesta Women's Seine Boat Races, Pavilion Beach off Western Avenue (Route 127) 7 p.m.: Formal opening, St. Peter's Square, entertainment immediately following 8:30 p.m.: Natalie Pinto in con-

cert, St. Peter's Square.

SATURDAY, JUNE 24

10 a.m.: St. Peter's Fiesta Seine Boat Race, U.S. Coast Guard vs. Gloucester Fire and Police departments' crew, Pavilion Beach. 3 p.m.: St. Peter's Fiesta Children's Games, Beach Court. 4:45 p.m.: St. Peter's Fiesta Sports Events, Pavilion Beach: Seine Boat Races and Greasy

writer's retreat.

Far on the other side of the harbor, sitting high on a bluff, Hammond Castle Museum (hammondcastle.org) may look like something out of a fairytale, but it was built imported stone by stone from Europe — early in the 20th century as a very real scientific research center and home for eccentric genius inventor John Hays Hammond Jr., and is today a hugely popular visitor destination for tours and summer events

For some people, Gloucester is first and foremost a beach town, and Good Harbor and Wingershaek are two of the

most popular. Although downtown beaches are open to walkin visitors, elsewhere, fees and parking restrictions apply. Your online resource for information on these can be found at https://gloucester-ma.gov/299/ Beach-Information.

For many, a trip to Gloucester just isn't complete without whale watching. You can catch a whale-watch boat from the downtown waterfront dock off Rogers Street. On your way out to sea, you'll pass an iconic barnlike structure on the harbor. It's the former Tarr & Wonson Paint Manufactory building, now headquarters for Ocean Alliance, a leading center for

Pole Contest. 8 p.m.: Franco Corso in concert, St. Peter's Square.

SUNDAY, JUNE 25

10 a.m.: Mass of St. Peter at St. Peter's Square.

Noon: Procession of statue of St. Peter, following the outdoor Mass

3 p.m.: Blessing of the Fleet, Stacy Boulevard off Western Avenue: Wakefield in concert at St. Peter's Square.

4:45 p.m.: St. Peter's Fiesta Sports Events at Pavilion Beach, Seine Boat Races & Greasy Pole Contest

7:15 p.m.: Awards Ceremony, trophies awarded to winners of Fiesta sports events

8:30 p.m.: Moreno Fruzzetti and Veronica Tirono in concert, St. Peter's Soaure

11 p.m.: Raffle drawings and closing procession.

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Located at 32 Horton St. on Rocky Neck, Ocean Alliance (whale.org) hosts events such as the Maker's Market on Thursday, Aug. 3, where from 4 to 8 p.m., you can purchase local arts and crafts.

Gloucester's summer ends officially with a bang, literally, as cannon fire ushers in the glorious sails of the city's annual four-day Schooner Festival, held in conjunction with its Maritime Festival. This year, its 39th, the Schooner Festival runs Thursday, Aug. 31, to Monday, Sept. 4. For more information, visit, maritimegloucester.org/ schooner-festival.

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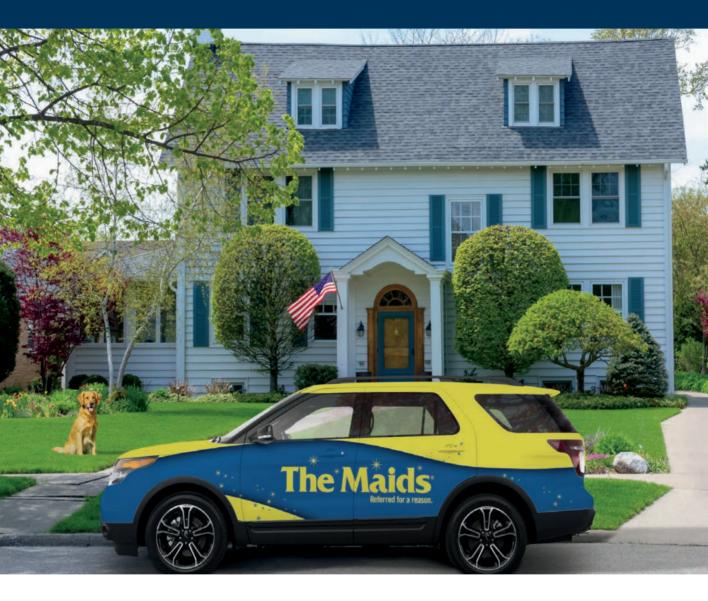
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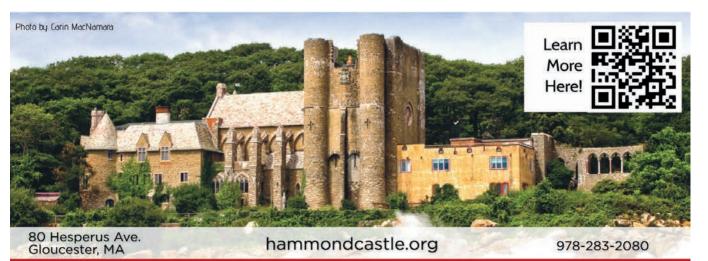
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Plum Island



Plum Island is one of the many destinations on New England's coastline to hold various natural wonders.

What makes the area so unique is its beautiful combination of public space, refuge land, and a beach that combine to form this 11-milelong barrier island straddling Newburyport and Newbury. It provides the perfect chance to spend days relaxing, whether it be bird-watching, biking through the beautiful scenery, or just enjoying the tranquil surf.

Plum Island lives up to its namesake as the beach plums begin to ripen in the late summer. There are also gorgeous cranberry bogs.

Those looking to enjoy a scenic day at the beach will find it at Northern Plum Island Beach, which can be entered from several points along Northern Boulevard. Paid parking lots provide the best access, the largest being at the





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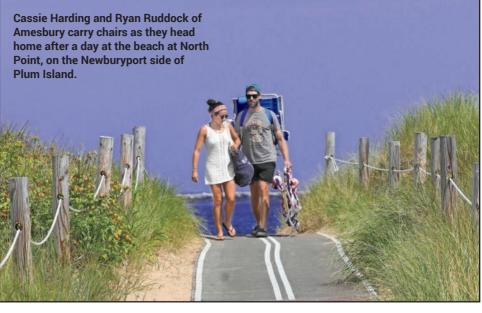
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northern end of the island, in Newburyport.

Also at the northern tip is the historic Newburyport Harbor Light, also known as Plum Island Light. Constructed in 1788 and made of wood with that traditional look, it's the exact image that pops into mind when we think of a lighthouse.

Anyone seeking to see the best of what nature has to offer can travel along the Atlantic flyway to the 4,700-acre Parker River Wildlife Refuge, a vital stopover point for more than 300 species of waterfowl, shorebirds and songbirds. Administrated by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, the refuge was established in 1941 to provide feeding, resting and nesting habitat for migratory birds.

Much of the summer sees large sections of the beach closed off to protect the piping plover, a particularly endangered species of bird, which nests, lays eggs and raises its young in the refuge. Closing off parts of the beach provides the small gray and white birds



an opportunity to feed and nest undisturbed. All sections of the refuge are typically reopened by mid- to late August.

An entrance fee of \$5 per car or \$2 per walker or biker is in effect year-round at the refuge. An annual pass can be purchased for \$20. Pets are not allowed.

Traveling through the

refuge eventually leads to Sandy Point State Reservation, 77 acres at the southern tip of Plum Island. The park is one of the state's most beautiful coastal beaches.

Across from the refuge entrance is Mass Audubon's Joppa Flats Education Center, which overlooks the Merrimack River and offers opportunities to explore wildlife-rich habitats.

Whether you are on your way out or in, it is worth stopping at Plum Island Airport to watch the planes take off. There you can also visit a museum that chronicles the airport's history, including W. Starling Burgess' landmark 1910 flights.



VISA

Rockport

Sea light and granite make town a charmer



Hannah Shepard is engulfed in a wave at Cape Hedge Beach.

Home to the only twin lighthouses in New England, Rockport, settled by the English in the late 1600s, is as much a product of the land as it is of the sea that surrounds it.

The last ice age left this scenic charmer of Cape Ann with a topography rich in granite, and that landscape, combined with sea light, made Rockport one of America's earliest artists' colonies. That heritage is still much in evidence today on the harborfront, home to the Rockport Art Association & Museum, 12 Main St., and a tight-knit warren of streets filled with art galleries and arty boutiques by the dozens.

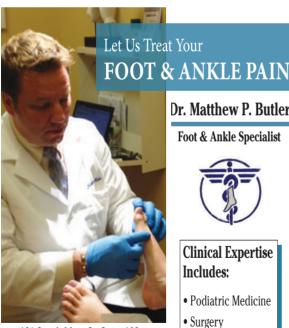
Every kind of shopping and fine and fun dining is within a short walkable distance, and that includes Bearskin Neck, a mini-peninsula jam-packed with even more of everything, including an iconic red fishing shack known as Motif No. 1, a favorite subject of the plein air

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Arts, music, a bonfire and fireworks highlights of season

Rockport keeps things hopping all summer with art shows, music, farmers markets and Fourth of July fun.

The Rockport Art Association & Museum, 12 Main St., one of the country's oldest artists associations, offers a season full of shows.

Opening June 10 are "The Music of Art," closing Aug. 13, and "Unexpected 21," its Experimental Group Show, which runs through July 9.

The museum's juried member show runs June 17 to July 16, while a juried member jazzthemed exhibit runs July 15 to Aug. 15. Another juried member show, "Art & The Written Word," is open July 22 to Aug. 20.

The museum closes out the summer with "Plein Air Paintings," from Aug. 19 to Oct. 22,



Kevin and Daniel Hannon build a dam on Old Garden Beach to create a tidal pool.



and its fourth juried member summer show, from Aug. 26 to Sept. 24.

For the full slate of events at the museum, visit rockportartassn.org.

At the Shalin Liu Performance Center, 37 Main St., music is what summer is about.

The Rockport Chamber Music Festival runs June 9 to July 9, and July 25 and Aug. 12. Artists include Marc-André Hamelin, Dover Quartet, A Far Cry, new artists, and composer-in-residence Mark Applebaum.

Other acts performing at the venue include Rickie Lee Jones on June 13, Jacob Jolliff Band on July 5, Quiani Lynell on July 14, Rodney Crowell on July 20, Lori McKenna on July 23, Tom Rush on July 30, and Grace Kelly with Strings on Aug. 19, among others.

For a full concert schedule and tickets, visit rockportmusic.org.

Saturdays are for the

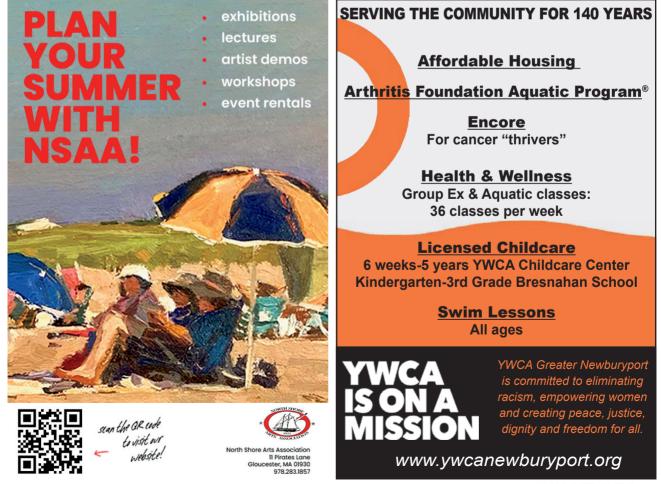
Rockport Farmers Market, which will be held 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Harvey Park at the corner of Broadway and Mt. Pleasant Street from June 17 to Oct. 14. And from July 9 through August take in a free concert by the Legion Band at the American Legion bandstand near Back Beach on Sunday evenings from 7 to 8:30.

As for the Fourth of July, Rockport's celebrations skip the heat of the day, starting at 6 p.m., with the Firemen's Parade, that steps off from Jerden's Lane and marches through downtown to the American Legion bandstand, where — with the sun going down at 8 p.m. — the Legion Band strikes up a concert of Americana favorites. Then, Rockport's annual towering Fourth of July bonfire lights up the night starting at 9 at Back Beach.

This year's Illumination Weekend fireworks show is slated for Aug. 12 at 9 p.m. over Sandy Bay.



A couple sits along the waterline at Cape Hedge Beach in Rockport.





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artists drawn by the thousands to paint on these shores.

Fishing vessels still bob in the harbor, but much of the rest of Rockport was shaped again by the ice age, as those huge deposits of granite gave way to quarrying, and quarrying became the town's primary industry.

At Halibut Point State Park, Rockport's quarries are today stunning deep-water caverns surrounded by wooded hiking trails and dazzling ocean scenery. The 49-acre park, just off Route 127, is a natural wonder of serene tidal pools, golden granite cliffs, bird watching and — stargazers take note — it's the darkest spot on the North Shore for viewing bright night skies.

During the 1800s, quarrying brought waves of Scandinavian stone cutters to Rockport, and those immigrants left this little town with a colorful, whimsical Scandinavian flair that differentiates it from classically



old New England towns.

You'll sense that if you're lucky enough to be here on Illumination Night, Aug. 12, a spectacular signature summer event during which the entire town glows with lights and lanterns strung everywhere, culminating in fireworks lighting the night skies over the harbor.

Rustic Scandinavian

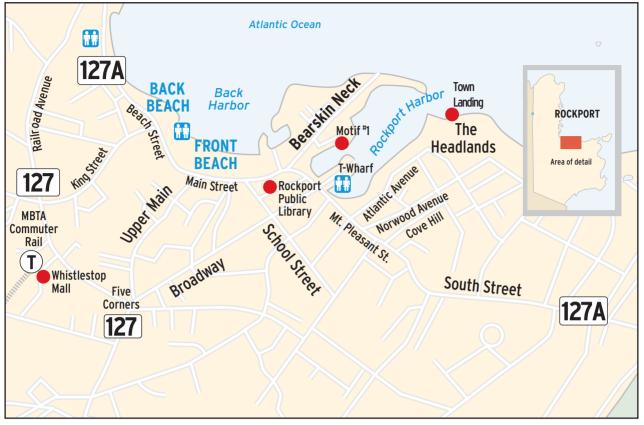
influence reigns at Windhover Center for the Performing Arts — a small "village" of barnred farm buildings and studios at at 257R Granite St., just a short distance from Halibut Point. Modern dance companies from New York City stage enormously popular summer "Quarry Dances" in the park's natural environs.

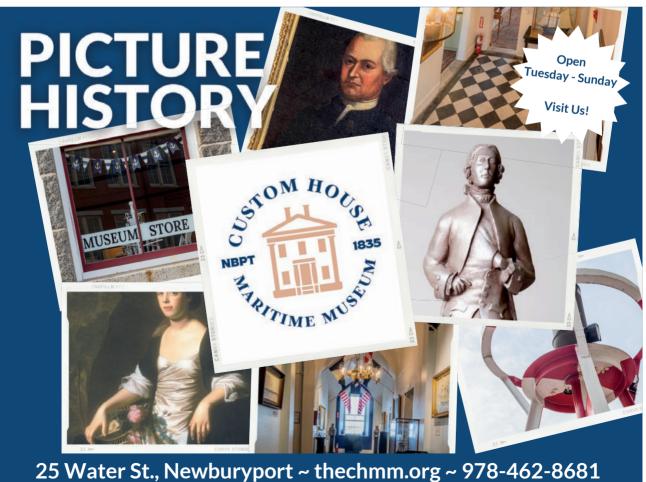
Rockport's other stage,

Shalin Liu Performance Center, took critics' breath away when it opened in 2010. According to the New York Times, with Shalin Liu, Rockport "set itself apart from the crowd with (this) striking new" performance center in the heart of town. The Summer Festival is world-class, packed with outstanding music across multiple genres.



DOWNTOWN ROCKPORT





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Newburyport

Art and nature commingle by the sea



From left, Ryan Thomson, Moira Kelly, Alan Eaton and Kate Hanlon of Newburyport perform Celtic folk music at the Newburyport Senior Center. .

Newburyport is the birthplace of the U.S. Coast Guard but the city is equally famous for its art, music and waterfront dining.

Although the city is wellknown today as an attractive place to live and visit, Newburyport fell on hard times in the mid 20th century.

Originally the northern "Waterside" area of Newbury, Newburyport was settled as an agricultural enterprise by English colonists in 1635, then became a separate town in 1764 and eventually a city in 1851. The city flourished in the 18th and 19th centuries due to the prosperity of its shipping and fishing industries, but as they waned, Newburyport eventually fell on hard times in the post World War II era.

The city would, however, become the first municipality to use federal urban renewal funds for historic preservation in the 1970s and created a downtown that has become a destination for thousands of visitors each vear.

The downtown offers art

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Yankee Homecoming to return this summer

The long-beloved week-long Port summer celebration. Yankee Homecoming, will make its return this summer, marking the festival's 65th year.

Yankee Homecoming began in 1958 after local artist Jack Frost launched a project to revive appreciation and pay tribute to the heritage and beauty of New England.

Each year, Aug. 4 is always included in the festival celebration days as it is National Coast Guard Day, and Newburyport is the birthplace of the U.S. Coast Guard. Every year, Yankee Homecoming recognizes the Coast Guard for its contributions to the community.

This year's festival will run July 29 to Aug. 6, welcoming locals and visitors to celebrate the city's historic landmarks and a variety of events.

Events will kick off Saturday, July 29, with a High School Battle of the Bands, Art on the Bartlett Mall, and



The team from the Captain Dad Adventure Club moves down Federal Street during the Yankee Homecoming Bed Race.

the Brewfest Fundraiser.

Whether you pack a picnic and bring a lawn chair to Waterfront Park for the concert and entertainment series, shop and eat your way through the Yankee Homecoming Market Place or learn about historic Newburyport on a city heritage tour, there are many options to choose from.

Some events will be held daily while others will continue throughout the week, including the waterfront concerts, downtown entertainment, the waterfront morning workout series and more.

This year's parade will step off at noon Sunday, Aug. 6. and roll down High Street.

The Geno Open Golf Tournament, in support of Yankee Homecoming, will be held at the Ould Newbury Country Club on Monday, July 31.

All tournament proceeds go directly toward funding Yankee Homecoming events.

When Yankee Homecoming kicked off, 29 New England towns hosted celebrations. Now, Newburyport is the only city to continuing the tradition.

Updated information on events, dates and times can be found at yankeehomecoming. com/events/.



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Maudslay working on park restoration for summer

Maudslay State Park and Maudslay Arts Center in Newburyport are hard at work preparing for the summer season and planning entertainment and events.

Maudslay State Park, 74 Curzon Mill Road, 442 acres of picturesque scenery, dates to the 1800s when Edward Strong Moseley, a wealthy merchant, acquired the Laurel Grounds and developed the surrounding grounds with wild flowers and shrubbery planted in the woods in 1860. Edward's son, Frederick Strong Moseley, went on to purchase many of the farm buildings at Maudslay in the later 1800s and early 1900s.

The family's estate was further developed by Frederick after Edward's death in 1900, he consulted with and hired some of the best landscape architects in Massachusetts. This included Martha Brooks Hutcheson, who designed the surrounding grounds of the main house, entry drive and formal gardens. At that point and up until it was passed to the state, the estate was named Maudesleigh.

In 1985, the park was acquired by the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Management and renamed Maudslay State Park.

This summer the park's Italian and Rose gardens will open to the public after two years, due to two phases of construction by the Massachusetts Department of Conservation and Recreation. Volunteer groups, including the Master Gardeners, are focusing on the Main Drive and continue last year's work on Tower Hill.

Maudslay Arts Center, 95 Curzon Mill Road, was founded by the Costello family in 1992 and opened to the public in 1993, choosing the corner of the park due to its natural amphitheater that provides venue attendees' with superb acoustics.

Earlier this year, Maudslay received a \$7,500 instate COVID-19 relief funds from the Massachusetts Cultural Council. The grant will be utilized with getting entertainment programs back on track after the pandemic.

This summer's entertainment schedule will not be announced until June, but concerts are planned for Saturday nights and Sunday afternoons in July and August. Saturday performances are \$30 for patio seating and \$25 for lawn seating. Sunday performances are \$20 for all seating. Children under 12 are admitted free.

More information can be found at maudslayartscenter. org

Anyone interested in volunteering at the park can contact Friends of Maudslay Director Stefanie Shattuck-Hufnagel at sshuf@mit.edu for more information.



Performers from the New Hampshire Academy of Performing Arts in Seabrook give attendees to the Newburyport Car Show a break from classic car viewing.

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galleries, small shops and an abundance of dining and takeout options, while Waterfront Park offers a leisurely stroll alongside the Merrimack River.

Water Street's Custom House Maritime Museum was built in 1835 to facilitate growing overseas trade and tax collection on imported goods and, today, offers visitors a trip back in time.

Designed by Robert Mills, architect of the Washington Monument and the U.S. Treasury Building, the Custom House Maritime Museum features vaulted ceilings and cantilevered staircases, while displays tell of the city's seafaring past.

Chartered cruises, whale watches and fishing trips depart from the local docks regularly and Somersby's Landing Sculpture Park features large sculptures by New England artists at the west end of the waterfront boardwalk. Based in the Cushing House on High Street, the Museum of Old Newbury offers a broader history of the city while maintaining the stories of the three Newburys (Newburyport, Newbury and West Newbury) over 300 years.

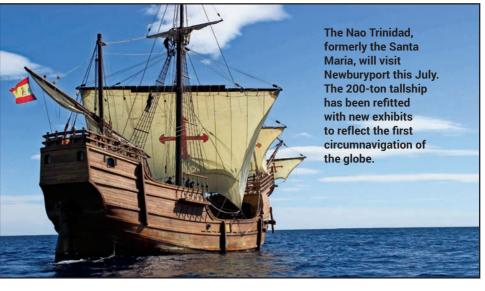
Abolitionist William Lloyd Garrison is another of Newburyport's notable natives. He was born and raised in an anti-slavery climate and his statue is located a block from the central waterfront, where abolitionist meetings were held in Brown Square.

The 1.1-mile Clipper City rail trail also brings visitors from the MBTA commuter rail station at Parker Street all the way to the waterfront, where people can venture downtown on foot, or continue over the Gillis Bridge into Salisbury where the old Eastern Marsh Trail connects and continues on.

A 480-acre horticultural and agricultural estate, Maudslay State Park is another place where people can immerse themselves in nature while walking, biking, horseback riding, having a picnic, or just relaxing with a book and some friends.

The state park is open from dusk to dawn and offers breathtaking beauty and views.









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From sandcastles to Seashell Stage, rocking on



Hampton Beach is a favorite with sun worshippers.

Summertime fun and leisure are back at Hampton Beach with many family-friendly activities to enjoy and miles of beach to spend a relaxing day on the sand.

The days of trolleys delivering tourists to the Hampton Beach Casino, stunt planes flying high above the water and the bathing censor who would keep an eye on the scandalous swimsuits of the 1920s may be long gone, but thousands upon thousands of seekers of fun and sun are still drawn seasonally to the beach.

Up until the formation of the Hampton Beach Village District in 1907, Hampton was essentially a major farming community, originally settled in 1638. At some point, attention was given to preserving the miles of sandy beachfront, as well as making it a recreation destination.

Today, beachgoers stroll the strip on Ocean Boulevard, test their skills at the arcades, and indulge in fried dough, softserve ice cream and saltwater taffy.

This summer boasts fun

for all ages, with festivals, daily entertainment and more scheduled.

Fireworks will light up the sky every Wednesday night at 9:30, from the top of B and C streets beside the Atlantic Ocean. There will also be special displays on May 28 for Memorial Day, June 17 for the Sand-Sculpting Competition, the Fourth of July, Sept. 3 in honor of Labor Day. and Sept. 9 for the Seafood Festival.

The 23nd Sand Sculpting Classic takes place June 15 to 17. Watch as world-class, sand-sculpting competitors create works of art with more than 200 tons of sand. The sculptures remain up, and illuminated for all to enjoy, day or night through June 26.

The Seashell Stage will feature free music every night starting at 7, including country sets each Thursday during the summer. Acts this year include Billy D and The Rockits, Leaving Eden, The Continentals, The Reminisants, and Ayla Brown. The pavilion,

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which seats close to 900 on its benches, will also host the 77th Miss Hampton Beach Pageant on July 30 and the Little/Junior Miss Hampton Beach competition on July 29.

Starting July 10 and continuing through Aug. 28, free family-friendly movies will be shown Monday nights at dusk on a large screen next to the playground. Guests can bring blankets, beach chairs and snacks. Movies are weather permitting with a rain date on Tuesday.

The Hampton Beach Children's Festival promises a week of fun, free activities from Aug. 14 through 18. Activities include min-golf, movie nights, face painting, ice cream with lifeguards, magic shows, story time, contests and much more. A giant costume parade on the last day will march nearly the length of Hampton Beach.

The Seafood Festival is back for its 33rd year, scheduled for Sept. 9 through 11. The seasonclosing event offers seafood M74 2023 SUMMER GUIDE



Groveland artist Justin Gordon created the "Hulk 3-D"at the Hampton Beach Master Sand Sculpting Classic. This year's contest is June 15 to 17.

dishes from the Seacoast's top restaurants, along with music, sidewalk sales, arts and crafts, demonstrations, and more.

The beach is also home to the legendary music venue, the Hampton Beach Casino Ballroom. All genres are covered with Chase Rice, Elvis Costello and The Imposters, Melissa Etheridge, Styx, Social Distortion, Air Supply, Scotty McCreery and ZZ Top — and many others — set to perform this summer. Tickets can be purchased at www. casinoballroom.com.

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The state of Massachusetts purchased the beautiful 3.8-mile sandy stretch that makes up Salisbury Beach and Salisbury Beach State Reservation in 1933 and developed it to ensure public access to the ocean.

The state Department of Conservation and Recreation controls a large portion of the beach bordering private properties of summer homes and rental cottages.

Residents and visitors have fallen

in love with the seaside boardwalk, which has even been used by some Hollywood producers since it opened in 2017.

At the southern end of the property is the Salisbury Beach State Reservation. Folks visiting the reservation will have the chance to swim, boat, fish, and take in the local wildlife. The facilities include a 484-site campground, a few large parking lots for daily beach visitors, and boat-launching facilities.

Step off the beach and you will discover a variety of video arcades and food stands to keep busy and entertained. There are paid parking lots throughout the beach center, including a municipal lot on the corner of Beach Road and Route 1A.

Delighting crowds every Saturday at 10:15 p.m. from June 24 through Aug. 5 while be the Salisbury Beach Fireworks show.



Free tunes will be played every Friday starting at 7:15 p.m. as part of the DJ Beach Party, running from June 23 to Sept. 1. There will be fun for the whole family including Hula Hooping, bubble fun, and dancing.

For those looking for bigger names, they can often be found at Blue Ocean Music Hall on Oceanfront North. Acts taking the stage this summer include comedians Lenny Clarke and Juston McKinney, Eagles guitarist Don Felder, and Southside Johnny and the Asbury Dukes, as well as tributes to ABBA and Pink Floyd. For tickets and more information, visit www.blueoceanmusichall. com.

Visitors searching for a more secluded getaway will be in luck with Salisbury's coastal trails, including the Salisbury Point Ghost Trail, Old Eastern Marsh Trail and Beach Road bike route, which offer a nearly 5-mile stretch for bicycling, walking and bird-watching.

More ideas on things to do may be found at mysalisburybeach.com.



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The state boasts five state park beaches, along with a bevy of other seashore gems to explore and enjoy.

Within an hour, North of Boston residents can be stepping off on coastal excursions and adventures, whether it's spreading a blanket on warm sand to spend the day or strolling along the shoreline to enjoy the region's best seafood, music and other attractions.

Check in with the New Hampshire Division of Parks and Recreation, www.nhstateparks.org, for updated rules on pets — which are not allowed in the summer — and parking and camping reservations, and for more details to make a trip just right.

Here are a few beach stops to consider.

Hampton Beach State Park

- 160 Ocean Blvd., Hampton, N.H.
- 603-227-8722 (Seacoast office)

Hampton Beach State Park provides visitors with yearround recreation opportunities, from swimming and fishing to RV camping and picnicking. A bathhouse, lifeguards, convenience store and snack bar are also available. Parking is available at pay stations and meters. **North Beach**

 920 Ocean Blvd., Hampton, N.H. 603-227-8722 (Seacoast office)

North Beach offers waves that surfers enjoy, a sandy beach and good locations for people to watch the action. It's a great family beach to enjoy swimming or picnicking. There are lifeguards, metered parking and a bathhouse.

North Hampton State Beach

- 27 Ocean Blvd., North Hampton, N.H.
- ▶ 603-227-8722 (Seacoast office)

North Hampton State Beach has limited metered parking,





Looking south at North Hampton State Park in North Hampton, New Hampshire.

changing rooms, restrooms and lifeguards. Across the road, there's an ice cream stand that also offers snacks and sandwiches.

Sawyers Beach

- 2326 Ocean Blvd., just north of Bass Beach (Rye on the Rocks), Rye, N.H.
- ▶ 603-964-5523

This small beach is owned by the town of Rye and offers a more intimate spot for enjoying the waves and sand. There is special permit parking for Rye residents at Sawyers Beach. There are no bathrooms along this beach.

Jenness State Beach

- 2280 Ocean Blvd., Rye, N.H.
- 603-227-8722 (Seacoast office)

Jenness State Beach is popular as a warm-weather destination, offering families a great spot for swimming, having picnics or just spending a day exploring the scenic shoreline. Amenities include a bathhouse and metered parking.

Rye Harbor State Park ▶ 1730 Ocean Blvd., Rye, N.H.

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Rye Harbor State Park offers 63 acres of Atlantic Ocean views, including the Isles of Shoals and Rye Harbor, also called Ragged Neck. It's perfect for picnics, exploring, saltwater fishing and more.



A clean beach, snack bar and plenty of parking spaces make Wallis Sands State Park in Rye, N.H. a great place for families.



Take a break from biking at Rye Harbor State Park in Rye, N.H., and take in some great views of the coastline.,

Amenities include picnic tables and restrooms.

Wallis Sands State Beach

- 1050 Ocean Blvd., Rye, N.H.
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Wallis Sands State Beach offers oceanfront swimming,

views of the Isles of Shoals and a sandy beach for families to enjoy. Amenities include a bathhouse with showers, a store, a grassy area with picnic tables, and ample parking. Check ahead for parking reservations at https://newhampshirestateparks. reserveamerica.com/, which can be placed 30 days ahead of a visit.

Sandy Beach

- Between Great Island Common and Ocean Street, New Castle, N.H.
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SUMMER CALENDAR

FRIDAY, MAY 26

Plein Air "Paint Out," 5 to 7 p.m., Arnould Gallery, 111 Washington St., Marblehead, 781-631-6366. Meet the artists and view their works.

Moonlight Movie Night at Patton Homestead, 650 Asbury St., South Hamilton. Tickets, times and info at https://www.hamiltonma.gov/about/ patton-homestead/

Gil Gutiérrez Trio, 8 p.m., Shalin Liu Performance Center, 37 Main St., Rockport. Tickets required, \$24 to \$29, rockportmusic.org.

SATURDAY, MAY 27

Marblehead Farmers Market, 9 a.m. to noon, Marblehead Veterans Middle School, 217 Pleasant St., Marblehead, and every Saturday through Nov. 18. Enter through Vince Street.

Tour Plum Island Light, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., 263 Northern Blvd, Newburyport. Email friendsofpilight@gmail.com to request a 15-minute tour during the scheduled hours. You'll get an email back from volunteers with availability. People climbing the tower stairs must be at least 5 years old and a minimum of 42 inches tall. Sturdy shoes or sneakers are required; sandals are not permitted.

SUNDAY, MAY 28

"Cat's Meow" tour of the Great House, 10:30 to 11:30 a.m., Crane Estate, 290 Argilla Road, Ipswich. Nonmember adults and children \$16. Info and reservations at https:// thetrustees.org/event/84108//.Questions? Call 978-356-4351

Choate Island Kayak and Hiking Adventure, 10 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., Crane Beach on the Crane Estate, 290 Argilla Road, Ipswich. Trustees member, \$80; nonmember, \$100. Questions? Call 978-356-3066

MONDAY, MAY 29

Works of Philip Glass and Wojciechat Kilar, 8 to 10 p.m., Hammond Castle Museum, 80 Hesperus Ave., Gloucester. Played played in concert by Sinfonietta Cracovia, a premiere chamber orchestra of Europe. Visit https://philipglass.com/event/ gloucester-ma-glass-kilar-at-hammond-castle/

WEDNESDAY, MAY 31

Gloucester400+ lecture series, 6 to 7 p.m., Hammond Castle Museum, 80 Hesperus Ave., Gloucester. "Main Street & Downtown," presented by Beth Welin. Admission, \$10 at door.



Lighthouse keeper Joe Napolitano looks at the battery=operated light on Straitsmouth Island off the coast of Rockport.

Daryl Hall and Todd Rundgren, 7:30 to 10:30 p.m., The Cabot, 286 Cabot St. Beverly. Tickets, info at https://www.songkick.com/ concerts/40963207-daryl-hall-atcabot

THURSDAY, JUNE 1

Essex Historical Society and Shipbuilding Museum, 66 Main St., Essex, opens for season. Open for tours, Thursday through Sunday, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. open for tours, workshops. Information, 978-768-7541 or essexshipbuilding.org.

Sunset Music Series with local band Dead to the Core, 5:30 to 7:30 p.m., Patton Homestead, 650 Asbury St, South Hamilton. Pack a picnic or buy one from the Cellar Door. Tickets and info at https://www.hamiltonma.gov/ about/patton-homestead/

FRIDAY, JUNE 2 TO SUNDAY, JUNE 4

Salem Arts Festival in downtown Salem. Multimedia and performing arts with a gallery of juried artists' works, outdoor and indoor performances, street fair, and more. Visit www.SalemArtsFestival. com. Follow on social media at @ salemartsfestival

FRIDAY, JUNE 2 Continuum Contemporary Ballet, 4 and 6 p.m., Windhover Center for the Performing Arts, 257R Granite St., Rockport. Tickets, info, windhover.org. **Sol y Canto & Fabiola Mendez**, 8 p.m., Shalin Liu Rockport Performance Center, 37 Main St., Rockport. One of a summer feast performances of live music, festival favorites plus new artists, and screenings of theatre and opera from the great stages of the world. Box office: 978-546-7391. For full summer schedule, visit rockportmusic.org.

JUNE 2 TO 25

Noel Coward's "Private Lives" at Gloucester Stage Company, 267 East Main St, Gloucester. Evening and matinee performances. For tickets and information, call 978-281-4433 or visit gloucesterstage.com.

SATURDAY, JUNE 3

Continuum Contemporary Ballet, 6 a.m. and 4 p.m., Windhover Center for the Performing Arts, 257R Granite St., Rockport. Tickets, info, windhover.org.

Marblehead Farmers Market, 9 a.m. to noon, Marblehead Veterans Middle School, 217 Pleasant St., enter from Vine Street.

SATURDAY, JUNE 3, AND SUNDAY, JUNE 4

Spring Fest, noon to 5 p.m.,

Waterfront Park, 36 Merrimac St., Newburyport. Live local bands, local food trucks and libations, artisans and crafters.

Cape Ann Artisans Tour – Visit 17 artists' studios in this vibrant arts community's three designated Cultural Districts – downtown Gloucester, downtown Rockport, and Rocky Neck. Information, capeannartisans.com.

J2RC Dances presents 6/60 (Six Over Sixty), Saturday at 8 p.m., Sunday at 2 p.m., The Cabot, 286 Cabot St., Beverly. Six seasoned dancers over 60 perform. Tickets, info: https://thecabot.org/event/ j2rc-presents-six-over-sixty

SUNDAY, JUNE 4

Magnolia Community Farmers Market, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., on Lexington Avenue in Gloucester's Magnolia section.

Gloucester400+ First Period Colonial farmstead tour, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., The William Haskell House, 11 Lincoln St., Gloucester. Beautifully preserved, restored farmstead built in 1680. Free, just drop by. 978-515-7998

TUESDAY, JUNE 6

Gloucester400+ lecture, "From Beauport to Fenway Court: Five See calendar, Page M88 Calendar

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Houses at the Twilight of Gloucester's 'Gold Coast' Era," 5 to 7 p.m., Hammond Castle Museum, 80 Hesperus Ave. (Route 127), Gloucester. Admission \$10. 978-283-2080

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7

Spring Celebration at Sharksmouth Estate, 5:30 to 8:30 p.m., 305 Summer St., Manchester-by-the-Sea. Benefits the Bicentennial of the Manchester Historical Museum's Abigail Hooper Trask House. "Winslow Homer in Manchester" presentation by Bill Cross followed by music hors d'oeuvres, desserts, libations. Information and tickets at:

THURSDAY, JUNE 8

Salem Farmers Market, Front Street, Salem on Front St. salem-farmersmarket.org

Gig and the Noise at Sunset Music Series, 5:30 to 7:30 p.m., Patton Homestead, 650 Asbury St., Hamilton. Pack a picnic or buy one from the Cellar Door. Tickets and info, https://www.hamiltonma.gov/about/ patton-homestead/

Joe Mulholland and Rob Flax Trio, 7:30 p.m., Windhover Center for the Performing Arts, 257R Granite St., Rockport. Tickets, \$20, info, windhover.org.

JUNE 9 TO JULY 9, JULY 25 AND AUG. 12

Rockport Chamber Music Festival under the direction of artistic director Barry Shiffman, Shalin Liu Performance Center, 37 Main St., Rockport. Live performances of festival favorites, new artists, and screenings of theater and opera. Information, complete programing guide and tickets at rockportmusic. org. Questions and Box Office, call 978-546-7391.

Dover Quartet & Friends, 7:30 p.m., opening Rockport Chamber Music Festival on June 9.

JUNE 9 TO JULY 16

"Pippen" at the Firehouse Center for the Arts, Market Square, Newburyport. Heir to the Frankish throne, the young prince Pippin is in search of the secret to true happiness and fulfillment; winner of four 2013 Tony Awards including Best Musical Revival. Thursdays and Fridays at 8 p.m., Saturdays at 3 p.m. Tickets, \$40, details, firehouse.org.

FRIDAY, JUNE 9

Sheffield Chamber Players, 7:30 p.m., Windhover Center for the Performing Arts, 257R Granite St., Rockport. Info, tickets, \$30, windhover.org.

SATURDAY, JUNE 10 Marblehead Farmers Market, 9 a.m. to noon, Marblehead Veterans Middle School, 217 Pleasant St., enter from Vine St.

The Music Of Art: Compositions From The Museum Collection, free exhibition opening in the Wengenroth Gallery at the Rockport Art Association & Museum, 12 Main St., Rockport.

NEER North's second annual Spring Festival, 11 a.m. to 3 p.m., New England Equine Rescue North Inc, 52 Ash Street, West Newbury. Food from Melt Food Truck, beer from Buzzard's Bay Brewery, live music, games, hayrides, kids crafts, barn tours, and touch a truck with fire and police. Bake sale with treats from Lemon + Salt, Spritzal Cookies, Diane's Fine Desserts, Bliss Confections and more. Suggested donation \$10 adults, \$5 children and teens. Rain or shine.

SUNDAY, JUNE 11

Magnolia Community Farmers Market, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., on Lexington Avenue in Gloucester's Magnolia section.

Swampscott Farmers Market, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., Town Hall, 22 Monument Ave., Swampscott. Rain or shine.

Schubert and Schumann, 5 p.m., Shalin Liu Performance Center, 37 Main St., Rockport. rockportmusic. org, 978-546-7391.

North Atlantic Ballet Theatre, 3 and 6 p.m., Windhover Center for the

Performing Arts, 257R Granite St., Rockport. Tickets, info, windhover. org. Outdoor show; bring a picnic.

MONDAY, JUNE 12

Lunchtime History Films, noon to 1 p.m., at Tapley Memorial Hall, 13 Page St., Danvers, with discussion. Presented by Heritage Films, Dan Tremblay. Free, bring lunch. Questions? 978-777-1666

TUESDAY, JUNE 13

Gloucester 400+ Lecture Series, 6 to 7 p.m., "The Folly Cove Designers and the Compelling Language of Pattern," presented by Elena M. Sarni at Hammond Castle Museum, 82 Hesperus Ave., (Route. 127), Gloucester. Admission \$10.

THURSDAY, JUNE 15

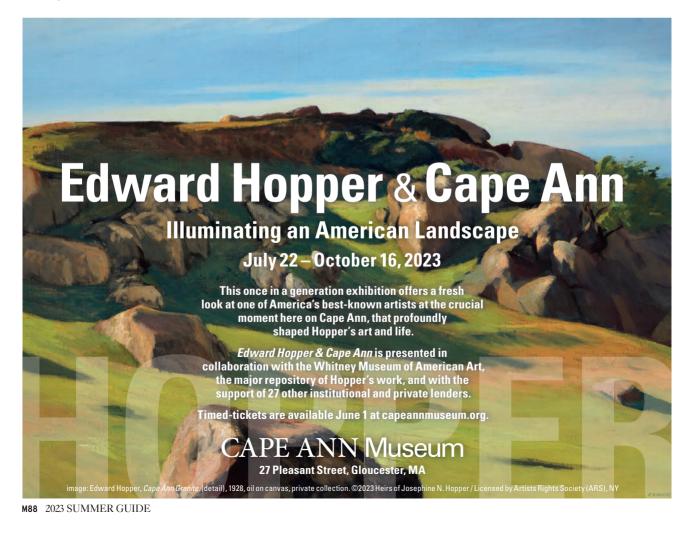
Salem Farmers Market, 3 to 7 p.m., Derby Square off Front Street, Salem. salemfarmersmarket.org

Alex Minasian Quartet at Marblehead Arts Association, 8 Hooper St., Marblehead, 781-631-2608. Tickets, marbleheadarts.org

Judes + the Hutch at Sunset Music Series, 5:30 to 7:30 p.m., Patton Homestead, 650 Asbury St, South Hamilton. Pack a picnic or buy one from the Cellar Door. Tickets and info, https://www.hamiltonma.gov/ about/patton-homestead/

Violinist Chad Hoopes and pianist

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Anne-Marie McDermott, 7:30 p.m., Shalin Liu Rockport Performance Center, 37 Main St., Rockport. Program of Mozart, Fauré and culminating with Beethoven's "Kreutzer." rockportmusic.org, 978-546-7391.

JUNE 15-17

23rd Annual Hampton Beach Master Sand Sculpting Classic, Hampton Beach, New Hampshire. Solo competition with \$25,000 purse. Saturday, June 17, 1 to 3 p.m., people's choice voting, with 8 p.m. awards ceremony on Seashell Stage followed by fireworks at 9:30 p.m. The entire area is illuminated for nightly viewing through June 26.

SATURDAY, JUNE 17

Gloucester400+ Tour of Dogtown, 9 to 11 a.m., free, hosted by Les Bartlett. Meet at Dogtown Commons Entrance off Cherry St., at 9 a.m.

Marblehead Farmers Market, 9 a.m. to noon, Marblehead Veterans Middle School, 217 Pleasant St., enter from Vine Street.

Rockport Farmers Market, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Harvey Park, corner of Broadway and Mt. Pleasant Street, Rockport.

Second Summer Show opens, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Hibbard & Maddocks Galleries, Rockport Art Association & Museum, 12 Main St, Rockport. Reception on Thursday, June 22, 6 to 8 p.m.

'As We Rise: Photography from the Black Atlantic' Exhibit Opening Day, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Peabody Essex Museum, East India Square, 161 Essex St, Salem. Through Dec. 1. Visit https://www.pem.org/whatson/exhibitions/2023-04-25/7. Call 978-745-9500

SUNDAY, JUNE 18

Magnolia Community Farmers Market, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., on Lexington Avenue in Gloucester's Magnolia section.

Swampscott Farmers Market, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., Town Hall, 22 Monument Ave, rain or shine.

Gabe Onorio's Second Annual Cape Ann Car Show, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the Gloucester Daily Times' lot, 36 Whittemore St., Gloucester. '50s and '60s music, a 50/50 raffle with 1:45 p.m. drawing, and Nanna's Fried Dough will be for sale. Free admission.

TUESDAY, JUNE 20

Open Mic Night kicks off Glen Magna Farms Summer Music Series, 5:30 to 8:30 p.m., Glen Magna Farms, 29 Ingersoll St., Danvers. Admission \$10. Cash bar; ID required. Under 21, must be with adult. Rain date, June 21.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 21

Summer Solstice Paddle, 6 to 9 p.m., Audubon's Ipswich River



Anthony Novello is carried onto the beach after taking the flag to become champ of the Saturday round of the Greasy Pole contest at Pavilion Beach during the 2022 St. Peter's Fiesta in Gloucester.

Wildlife Sanctuary, 87 Perkins Row, Topsfield. Tickets, info, massaudubon.org.

JUNE 21 TO 25

St. Peters Fiesta in Gloucester, see schedule, Page M49.

THURSDAY, JUNE 22

Salem Farmers Market, 3 to 7 p.m., Derby Square off Front Street, Salem. salemfarmersmarket.org

Soul Rebel Project, 6 to 8:30 p.m., Misselwood at Endicott College, 407 Hale St., Beverly. 978-232-2128 Millie + the Half Nelsons at Sunset Music Series 5:30 to 7:30 p.m., Patton Homestead, 650 Asbury St., South Hamilton. Pack a picnic or buy one from the Cellar Door. Tickets and info at: https://www.hamiltonma. gov/about/patton-homestead/

FRIDAY, JUNE 23

Moonlight Movie Night, 6:30 p.m., Patton Homestead, 650 Asbury St, South Hamilton. Pack a picnic or buy one from the Cellar Door. Tickets and info at: https://www.hamiltonma. gov/about/patton-homestead/

SATURDAY, JUNE 24

Marblehead Farmers Market, 9 a.m. to noon, Marblehead Veterans Middle School, 217 Pleasant St., enter from Vine Street.

Rockport Farmers Market, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Harvey Park (intersection of Broadway and Mt. Pleasant Street.) Free Gloucester400+ Literary Walking Tour, 10 a.m. to noon, Sawyer Free Library's temporary location, 21 Main St., upstairs. An hour and a half literary learning curve of Gloucester's great writers, including TS Eliot, Rudyard Kipling. Reservations at JoeAnn@ioeannhart.com

Tour Plum Island Light, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., 263 Northern Blvd, Newburyport. Email friendsofpilight@gmail.com to request a 15-minute tour during the scheduled hours. You'll get an email back from volunteers with availability. People climbing the tower stairs must be at least 5 years old and a minimum of 42 inches tall. Sturdy shoes or sneakers are required; sandals are not permitted.

Fifth annual North Shore Pride Parade and Festival, day long, various locations. Local businesses, faith groups, and community organizations in day-long celebrations of unity. Parade and Festival, North Shore Pride After Party, North Shore Pride Drag Brunch, and North Shore Pride Interfaith Service. Visit www. NorthShorePride.org

Hamilton and Wenham Block Party, 4 to 9 p.m., Patton Park, 5 Willow St (Route 1A), Hamilton. Bike Parade, 3:45 p.m., at Hamilton Wenham Library, patriotic music at the Gazebo, block party with kids activities, rides and food trucks, fireworks at 9 p.m. Questions? 978-468-4818 Comedy & Magic! with illusionist Matt Roberts, 7 to 10:15 p.m., Black Box Theatre, 22 Foster St., Peabody. A fun, family-friendly show. Tickets, https://feverup.com/m/112252

SUNDAY, JUNE 25

Magnolia Community Farmers Market, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., on Lexington Avenue in Gloucester's Magnolia section.

THURSDAY, JUNE 29

Salem Farmers Market, 3 to 7 p.m., Derby Square off Front Street, Salem. salemfarmersmarket.org

Cold Engine at Sunset Music Series, 5:30 to 7:30 p.m., Patton Homestead, 650 Asbury St, South Hamilton. Pack a picnic or buy one from the Cellar Door. Tickets and info, https://www.hamiltonma.gov/ about/patton-homestead/

Castle Hill Thursday Night Summer Picnic Concerts kick-off, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m., on Grand Allee at Crane Estate, 290 Argilla Road, Ipswich. Bring picnic or buy one. Member carload \$30; non-member carload \$40. 978-356-4351. (Gates open 5 p.m.)

SATURDAY, JULY 1

Manchester Rotary's Red, White and Blue Pancake Breakfast, 7:30 a.m. to noon, Tucks Point, Manchester. Pancakes, syrup and all the trimmings. \$15 at the door.

Gloucester400+ Tour of Dogtown,

9 to 11 a.m., free, hosted by Les Bartlett. Meet at Dogtown Commons entrance off Cherry Street at 9 a.m. **Rockport Farmers Market**, 9 a.m to 1 p.m. in Harvey Park (intersection of Broadway and Mt. Pleasant Street.) **Marblehead Farmers' Market**, 9 a.m. to noon, Marblehead Veterans Middle School, 217 Pleasant St., enter from Vine Street.

"Bethany Collins, America: A Hymnal" exhibit opening, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Peabody Essex Museum, East India Square, 161 Essex St, Salem. Visit pem.org or call 978-745-9500.

SATURDAY, JULY 1 – TUESDAY, JULY 4

Marblehead Festival of Arts: Four days of concerts in Crocker Park. Plus a wide range of art exhibits, Film Festival and Street Festival, Children's Festival, Artisans Marketplace downtown. Festival details: marbleheadfestival.org. For band info, visit https://www.bandsintown. com/e/103909687?

SUNDAY, JULY 2

Magnolia Community Farmers Market, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., on Lexington Avenue in Gloucester's Magnolia section.

Swampscott Farmers Market, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., Town Hall, 22 Monument Ave, rain or shine

Greg Abate Quintet, Marblehead Arts Association, 8 Hooper St., Marblehead, 781-631-2608. Tickets, marbleheadarts.org

MONDAY, JULY 3

Griffins Gift 5K, noon, Danvers High School. Full details at: https:// www.raceentry.com/griffins-gift-5k/ race-information

Richie & Rich, and 24K Fund Band in concert, 6 to 8 p.m., Masconomo Park, Beach Street, Manchester. Bring seating, pack a picnic.

Fishtown Horribles Parade and fireworks, 6:30 p.m., from Gloucester High School through downtown. Though the parade is over by 8:30 p.m., a live concert strikes up on Stacy Boulevard and the fireworks to light up the skies over the harbor beginning 9:30 p.m.

TUESDAY, JULY 4

Boxford 1 Mile, 5 Mile and 2.5 Mile road races, 8 a.m. start. \$30 entry fee. Information and entry form at https://www.unation.com/ event/boxford-july-4th-road-race-1mile-15085610/

Manchester Fourth of July Parade, 10 a.m. kicks -off from Beach Street, through downtown Manchester.

Danvers 5K Fun Run, noon, Danvers. Information and application at:: https://www.raceentry.com/ danvers-5k-fun-run/race-information

Rockport's Independence Day Parade, 6 p.m., steps off on downtown Main Street, followed by concert then giant bonfire on Back Beach.

Salem celebrates the Fourth, 5 p.m., Salem Maritime National

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Beverly Farms Fourth: Horribles Parade, 8 a.m., to 10 p.m. forms on Oak Street at 7:30 a.m. 'Old Timers'' Softball Game, 10:30 a.m., Dix Park. Then at 2 p.m., races and games, music, shore illumination and fireworks at 9 p.m., all at West Beach. Wristbands \$15, at gate, \$20. farmspridesfourth@gmail.com

MONDAY, JULY 10 -FRIDAY, JULY 14

Marblehead Little Theatre Improv for Teens workshops, for ages 13 to 17 co-ed, 12 School St. Marblehead. For information, registration, visit: https://www.activekids.com/ marblehead-ma/performing-arts/ camp/improv-for-teens-ages-13-17-2023?int=72-3-A4

THURSDAY, JULY 6

Gloucester400+ Maritime Rendezvous, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., free, Gloucester Harbor. Celebration of joint heritage of races between Gloucester and sister city Lunenburg, Nova Scotia. Participating schooners include Bluenose II.

Salem Farmers Market, 3 to 7 p.m., Derby Square off Front Street, Salem. salemfarmersmarket.org

Horizon and the Horns, 6 to 8:30 p.m., Jazz by Sea at Misselwood Events at Endicott College, 407 Hale St, Beverly. Tickets \$20 to \$25. Visit: https://www. eventbrite.com/e/jazz-by-the-seafeaturing-horizon-and-the-hornstickets-209244625307

Summer of Spielberg, 6 to 10 p.m., on lawn of Hammond Castle Museum, 80 Hesperus Ave., Gloucester, Info and tickets, hammondcastle.org.

Castle Hill Thursday Night Summer Picnic Concert, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m., Grand Allee at Crane Estate, 290 Argilla Road, Ipswich. Bring picnic or buy one. Member Carload \$30. Nonmember carload \$40. 978-356-4351. (Gates open 5 p.m.)

FRIDAY, JULY 7

Gloucester400+ Maritime Rendezvous, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Gloucester Harbor. Free celebration of joint heritage of races between Gloucester and sister city Lunenburg, Nova Scotia. Participating schooners include Bluenose II.

Gloucester400+, Music on Meetinghouse Green, 6 to 8 p.m., Unitarian Universalist Church Green, corner Middle and Church streets, Gloucester. Free, area musicians and food vendors, donations for local non-profits.

JULY 7 TO 23

"STEW," Zora Howard's (TV's "Premature") award-winning play, at Gloucester Stage Company, 267 East Main St., Gloucester. Evening and matinee performances. Tickets and information, gloucesterstage. com or call 978-281-4433.



Area surfers flock to North Beach in Hampton, N.H., to catch the high surf after summer storms.

SATURDAY, JULY 8

Generous Gardeners 11th Annual Gloucester 400+ Garden Tour, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Visit greater downtown neighborhood gardens along historic streets. Information and tickets (\$30) at: https://generousgardeners.networkforgood.com/ events/51231-2023-gloucestergarden-tour.

Annual Ipswich Greek Festival, 12:30 to 10:30 p.m., Hellenic Center, 117 County Road, Ipswich. Live music, dancing, food. Admission \$5. Visit greekfestivalipswich.weebly. com

Gloucester400+ Maritime Rendezvous, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Gloucester Harbor. Free celebration of joint heritage of races between Gloucester and sister city Lunenburg, Nova Scotia. Participating schooners include Bluenose II.

Gloucester400+ international Dory Race weekend, Gloucester Harbor. Details, https://internationaldories. com/

Rockport Farmers Market, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Harvey Park, intersection of Broadway and Mt. Pleasant Street. Marblehead Farmers Market, 9 a.m. to noon, Marblehead Veterans Middle School, 217 Pleasant St., enter from Vine Street.

SUNDAY, JULY 9

Gloucester400+ Maritime Rendezvous, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Gloucester Harbor. Free celebration of joint heritage of races between Gloucester and sister city Lunenburg, Nova Scotia. Participating schooners include Bluenose II. Blue Nose schooner races, part of International Dory Races, Gloucester Harbor. Time tbd. Visit: https://internationaldories.com/

Magnolia Community Farmers Market, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., on Lexington Avenue in Gloucester's Magnolia section.

Swampscott Farmers Market, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., Town Hall, 22 Monument Ave, rain or shine.

Annual Ipswich Greek Festival, 12:30 to 7 p.m., Hellenic Center, 117 County Road, Ipswich. Live music, dancing, food. Admission \$5. Visit greekfestivalipswich.weebly.com

Horizon & the Horns in concert, 6 to 8 p.m., Leather City Common, Peabody. Free, bring seating, enjoy great music and street food

Cape Ann Big Band at Gloucester400+ Antonio Gentile Bandstand Summer Concert Series, 7 to 9 p.m., bandstand in Stage Fort Park, Hough Avenue, off Route 127, Gloucester.

MONDAY, JULY 10

"Gloucester's Fiesta History," Lunchtime History Films, noon to 1 p.m., Tapley Memorial Hall, 13 Page St., Danvers. Free, with discussion; bring lunch. Presented by Heritage Films, Dan Tremblay. Questions? 978-777-1666.

MONDAY, JULY 10 -FRIDAY, JULY 14

Marblehead Little Theatre Improv for Teens workshops, for ages 13 to 17 co-ed, 12 School St. Marblehead. For information, registration, visit: https://www.activekids.com/ marblehead-ma/performing-arts/ camp/improv-for-teens-ages-13-17-2023?int=72-3-A4

TUESDAY, JULY 11

Ipswich Downtown Tuesday, 6 to 8 p.m., Ipswich Riverwalk. Free family fun, live music and dancing on the riverwalk every Tuesday in July and August.

JULY 11 - JULY 23

"The Sound of Music," North Shore Music Theatre, 54 Dunham Road, Beverly, Tickets, information at www. nsmt.org

WEDNESDAY, JULY 12

North Shore Concert Band, 7 to 9 p.m., Robert Hayes Bandshell at Salem Willows Park, 167 Fort Ave, Salem. Free, outdoors, Broadway and American favorites conducted by David Benjamin.

THURSDAY, JULY 13

Salem Farmers Market, 3 to 7 p.m., Derby Square off Front Street, Salem. salemfarmersmarket.org

Summer of Spielberg, 6 to 10 p.m., movies on lawn of Hammond Castle Museum, 80 Hesperus Ave., Gloucester. Info and tickets at www. hammondcastle.org

FRIDAY, JULY 14

Patton Homestead Outdoor Big Screen Family Movie Night & Military Service Day Preview, 6:30 to 9:30 p.m., movie time 8 p.m., 650 Asbury St., Hamilton. Free. Visit https://apgardnerposthamilton.org/ military-day/

Castle Hill Thursday Night Summer Picnic Concert, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m., Grand Allee at Crane Estate, 290 Argilla Road, Ipswich. Bring picnic or buy one. Member Carload \$30. Nonmember carload \$40. 978-356-4351. (Gates open 5 p.m.)

Gloucester400+, Music on Meetinghouse Green, 6 to 8 p.m. Unitarian Universalist Church Green, corner Middle and Church streets, Gloucester. Free with donations for local non-profits, with area musicians and food vendors.

Quiana Lynell, 8 p.m., Shalin Liu Performance Center, 37 Main St., Rockport. Tickets, rockportmusic. org.

SATURDAY, JULY 15

Marblehead Farmers Market, 9 a.m. to noon, Marblehead Veterans Middle School, 217 Pleasant St., enter from Vine Street.

Rockport Farmers Market, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Harvey Park, intersection of Broadway and Mt. Pleasant Street.

Military Service Day, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Patton Homestead, 650 Asbury St., Hamilton. Free community event. Military tanks, helicopters, parade formations, speakers, and much more. Rain or Shine. For all ages. Visit https://apgardnerposthamilton.org/military-day/

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Glover's Regiment summer encampment, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Marblehead's historic Fort Sewall, on a bluff overlooking Marblehead Harbor and Salem Bay. An authentic Colonial camp, celebrates historic protective role. For more information, visit: http://www.gloversregi ment.org/events.php

Gloucester400+ Block Party No. 1, 6 to 10 p.m., Main Street, downtown Gloucester. Live music, street performers, al fresco dining, vendors, food vendors, kids activities and more! Free.

Celebrating Jobim & Getz, curated by **Bijon Watson** featuring vocalist **Martina DaSilva**, 8 p.m., Shalin Liu Performance Center, 37 Main St., Rockport. Tickets at rockportmusic. org.

SUNDAY, JULY 16

Magnolia Community Farmers Market, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., on Lexington Avenue in Gloucester's Magnolia section.

Swampscott Farmers Market, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., Town Hall, 22 Monument Ave., rain or shine.

New England Brass Band, 5 p.m., Shalin Liu Performance Center, 37 Main St., Rockport. Tickets go on sale April 20 at rockportmusic.org.

Street Magic Acapella in concert, 6 to 8 p.m., Leather City Common, Peabody. Free. Bring seating, enjoy great music and street food.

4Ever Fab Beatles Tribute, Gloucester400+ Antonio Gentile Bandstand free Summer Concert Series, 7 to 9 p.m., bandstand in Stage Fort Park, Hough Avenue, Gloucester. Free.

TUESDAY, JULY 18

Ipswich Downtown Tuesday, 6 to 8 p.m., Ipswich Riverwalk. Free family fun. live music and dancing.

North Shore Concert Band, 7 to 9 p.m., Salem Willows Park, 167 Fort Ave, Salem. Free, outdoors, Broadway and American favorites conducted by David Benjamin at Robert Hayes Bandshell.

THURSDAY, JULY 20

Salem Farmers Market, 3 to 7 p.m., Derby Square off Front Street, Salem. salemfarmersmarket.org

Castle Hill Thursday Night Summer Picnic Concert, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m., Grand Allee at Crane Estate, 290 Argilla Road, Ipswich. Bring picnic or buy one. Member Carload \$30. Nonmember carload \$40. 978-356-4351. (Gates open 5 p.m.)

Summer of Spielberg, 6 to 10 p.m., Hammond Castle Museum, 80 Hesperus Ave., Gloucester. Movies on lawn by the sea. Info and tickets, hammondcastle.org.

FRIDAY, JULY 21

Salem Art Fair & Festival, Bush's Pasture Park, Salem. Live Music, M92 2023 SUMMER GUIDE



Students from the Beaver Country Day School summer program take a swim during a break on the bank of the Ipswich River near Asbury Street in Topsfield.

art, art, art & entertainments, food trucks, kids activities, family fun. Information: https://salemartfair. org/information/getting-here/

Misselwood Concours d'Elegance, at Misselwood Estate, Beverly. Great classic and vintage car show. Parking opposite on Endicott College campus, 376 Hale St. Tickets: https://www.misselwood.com/concours-delegance/ purchase-tickets

Gloucester400+, Music on Meetinghouse Green, 6 to 8 p.m., Unitarian Universalist Church Green, corner Middle and Church streets, Gloucester. Free with donations for local non-profits, with area musicians and food vendors.

SATURDAY, JULY 22

Opening Day, "Edward Hopper & Cape Ann: Illuminating an American Landscape." Cape Ann Museum, 27 Pleasant St. Gloucester. A major exhibit of 60 works in collaboration with the Whitney Museum of American Art. Tickets and information at capeannmuseum.org

Misselwood Concours d'Elegance, 8 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Misselwood Estate, Beverly. Great classic and vintage car show. Parking opposite on Endicott College campus, 376 Hale St. Tickets:https://www.mis selwood.com/concours-delegance/ purchase-tickets

Salem Art Fair & Festival, Bush's Pasture Park, Salem. Salem. Live Music, art, art, art & entertainments, food trucks, kids activities, family fun. Information: https://salemartfair.org/information/getting-here/

"Art & The Written Word – Juried Artist Members Summer Show," 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Rockport Art Association & Museum, 12 Main St., Rockport. Free.

Tour Plum Island Light, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., 263 Northern Blvd, Newburyport. Email friendsofpilight@gmail.com to request a 15-minute tour during the scheduled hours. You'll get an email back from volunteers with availability. People climbing the tower stairs must be at least 5 years old and a minimum of 42 inches tall. Sturdy shoes or sneakers are required; sandals are not permitted.

Rockport Farmers Market, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Harvey Park, intersection of Broadway and Mt. Pleasant Street. Marblehead Farmers Market, 9 a.m.

to noon, Marblehead Veterans Middle School, 217 Pleasant St., enter from Vine Street.

SUNDAY, JULY 23

Salem Art Fair & Festival, Bush's Pasture Park, Salem. Salem. Live Music, art, art, art & entertainments, food trucks, kids activities, family fun. Information at: https://salemartfair.org/information/getting-here/

Misselwood Concours d'Elegance, at Misselwood Estate on the Atlantic, Beverly. Great classic and vintage car show. Parking opposite on Endicott College campus, 376 Hale St. Tickets: https://www.mis selwood.com/concours-delegance/ purchase-tickets

Magnolia Community Farmers Market, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., on Lexington Avenue in Gloucester's Magnolia section.

Swampscott Farmers Market, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., Town Hall, 22 Monument Ave, rain or shine

Gloucester400+ tour, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., first period homestead, William Haskell House, free.

Renee & the Renegades in concert, 6 to 8 p.m., Leather City Common, Peabody. Bring seating, enjoy great music and street food.

The Continentals at Gloucester400+ Antonio Gentile Bandstand Summer Concert Series, 7 to 9 p.m. bandstand in Stage Fort Park, Hough Avenue, Gloucester. Free, pop-rock.

Rockport Legion Band Summer

Concert Series, 7 p.m., Gazebo opposite Back Beach, Rockport.

TUESDAY, JULY 25

Ipswich Downtown Tuesday, 6 to 8 p.m., Ipswich Riverwalk. Free family fun, live music and dancing.

Glen Magna Farms Summer Music Series, 5:30 to 8:30 p.m., Glen Magna Farms, 29 Ingersoll St., Danvers. Admission \$10. Cash Bar; ID required. Under 21, must be with adult. Rain date, July 26

North Shore Concert Band, 7 to 9 p.m., Salem Willows Park, 167 Fort Ave, Salem. Free, outdoors, Broadway and American favorites conducted by David Benjamin at Robert Hayes Bandshell.

THURSDAY, JULY 27 – SUNDAY, JULY 30

Marblehead Sailing World Regatta Series, Corinthian Yacht Club, 1 Nahant St., Marblehead.

THURSDAY, JULY 27

Salem Farmers Market, 3 to 7 p.m., Derby Square off Front Street, Salem. salemfarmersmarket.org

Castle Hill Thursday Night Summer Picnic Concert, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m., Grand Allee at Crane Estate, 290 Argilla Road, Ipswich. Bring picnic or buy one. Member Carload \$30. Nonmember carload \$40. 978-356-4358. Gates open 5 p.m.

Summer of Spielberg, 6 to 10 p.m., Hammond Castle Museum, 80 Hesperus Ave. Gloucester. Movies on the lawn by the sea. Info and tickets, hammondcastle.org.

Aimee Mann in concert, 8 p.m., Cabot Theatre, 286 Cabot St. Tickets and info at https://thecabot.org/ event/aimee-mann

FRIDAY, JULY 28

"Matilda, The Musical," 10 to 11 a.m., North Shore Music Theatre, 54 Dunham Rd, Beverly. A Summer Education Program



Nolan Cole of West Newbury uses a skimboard to float across the shallow water during a warm day on Crane Beach in Ipswich.

performance, all seats, \$15. Matilda outwits her cruel parents!

Gloucester400+, Music on Meetinghouse Green, 6 to 8 p.m. Unitarian Universalist Church Green, corner Middle and Church streets, Gloucester. Free with donations for local non-profits, with area musicians and food vendors.

Gloucester400+ Cape Ann Symphony: POPS in the Park, 8 to 10 p.m., Stage Fort Park, Hough Avenue, Gloucester. Maestro Yoichi Udagawa and a 70-member orchestra celebrate Gloucester's 400+ with free outdoor concert on the harbor. Free parking.

Moonlight Movie Night at Patton Homestead, 650 Asbury St, South Hamilton. Tickets, times and info at: https://www.hamiltonma.gov/about/ patton-homestead/

The Earls of Leicester in concert, 8 p.m., Cabot Theatre, 286 Cabot St. Tickets and info at: https://thecabot. org/event/earls-of-leicester

JULY 28 - 31

Marblehead Sailing World Regatta Series, hosted by Corinthian Yacht Club, 1 Nahant St Marblehead. To purchase weekend pass, visit: https://yachtscoring.com/public_ purch.cfm?eid=14804.

SATURDAY, JULY 29

Gloucester400+ Literary Walking Tour, 10 a.m. to noon, meet upstairs at Sawyer Free Library's temporary location, 21 Main St. T.S. Eliot, Rudyard Kipling, William Wordsworth, Charles Olson – all wrote in Gloucester. An hour and a half literary learning curve. Free, reservation at JoeAnn@joeannhart.com

Beverly downtown annual block party, 5:30 to 9:30 p.m., Cabot Street, and beyond. Fun, food and festivities for all. Questions? info@ bevmain.org.

Rockport Farmers Market, 9 a.m. to noon, Harvey Park, intersection of

Broadway and Mt. Pleasant Street. **Marblehead Farmers Market**, 9 a.m. to noon, , Marblehead Veterans Middle School, 217 Pleasant St., enter from Vine Street.

Little/Junior Miss Hampton Beach, 2 p.m., Seashell Stage, Hampton Beach, New Hampshire. Little Miss and Junior Miss Hampton Beach will be crowned. Visit hamptonbeach. org or contact Director Stephanie Rose Lussier at 603-512-5257 or Princess50@yahoo.com for entry application, guidelines.

Herb Alpert & Lani Hall in concert, 8 p.m., Cabot Theatre, 287 Cabot St. Tickets and info at: https://thecabot. org/event/herb-alpert-lani-hall

JULY 29-AUG. 6

Yankee Homecoming, 10 a.m. to 10 p.m., downtown Newburyport. Food, races, music, shopping and more. Visit newburyport.com for details.

SUNDAY, JULY 30

Magnolia Community Farmers Market, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., on Lexington Avenue in Gloucester's Magnolia section.

77th Miss Hampton Beach Pageant, 2 p.m., Seashell Stage, Hampton Beach, New Hampshire. Visit hamptonbeach.org or contact Director Stephanie Rose Lussier at 603-512-5257 or Princess50@yahoo. com for entry application, guidelines. Marina Evans live with Bernardo Baglioni in concert, time TBD, Appleton Farms, Route 1A, South Hamilton-Ipswich. Tickets and information at: https://www.songkick. com/concerts/40918064-marinaevans-at-appleton-farms

Fireworks and free concert featuring Lisa Love Experience, 6 to 8 p.m., Veterans Memorial High School, 485 Lowell St., Peabody. (Rain date: Sunday, Aug. 6)

MONDAY, JULY 31 The Glen Miller Orchestra, 7 to 11 p.m., The Cabot, 286 Cabot St., Beverly. For Tickets and information, visit: https:// thecabot.org/events/category/ concerts/2023-07-31

TUESDAY, AUG. 1-SUNDAY, AUG. 6

Beverly Homecoming kicks-off. Six days of sizzling summer events culminating in fireworks on Saturday, Aug, 6. For detailed schedule, visit beverlyhomecoming.org.

TUESDAY, AUG. 1

Ipswich Downtown Tuesday, 6 to 8 p.m., Ipswich Riverwalk. Free family fun, live music and dancing.

Gloucester400+ Fishing Heritage Celebration, 6 to 7 p.m. For location, details, check calendar at www. gloucesterma400.org.

63rd Annual Yankee Homecoming Road Races, hosted by the Newburyport Lion's Club at Newburyport High School, 241 High St. 5K starts at 6 p.m., 10-mile race starts at 6:10 p.m. Course runs along the ocean, through downtown. Register at https://runsignup. com/Race/MA/Newburyport/ YankeeHomecomingRace

North Shore Concert Band, 7 to 9 p.m., Salem Willows Park, 167 Fort Ave, Salem. Free, outdoors, Broadway and American favorites conducted by David Benjamin at Robert Hayes Bandshell.

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 2

Beverly Homecoming LobsterFest, noon to 8 p.m., Lynch Park. Fresh boiled lobster or grilled chicken at picnic tables, under tent with live music. Kids costume contest. Price according to market. Free parking for Lobsterfest.

THURSDAY, AUG. 3

Salem Farmers Market, 3 to 7 p.m., Derby Square off Front Street, Salem. salemfarmersmarket.org

Lois Lane and the Daily Planets, 6

to 8:30 p.m., Misselwood Events at Endicott College, 307 Hale St. Beverly. Hot music, cold drinks, Atlantic breezes, and dancing.

Gloucester400+ Movie Night, **"Captains Courageous,"** 8 to 10 p.m., projected on the sail of the schooner Adventure in the harbor. Part of Gloucester Fisheries Heritage Month.

Castle Hill Picnic Concert and Dance Party with the Beantown Swing Orchestra, 6 to 9 p.m., The Trustees – Crane Estate, 290 Argilla Road, Ipswich.

THURSDAY, AUG. 3 – SATURDAY, AUG. 5

Topsfield SoulFest 2023, 10:30 a.m., Topsfield Fairgrounds, 207 Boston St, Topsfield. Christian music festival featuring We The Kingdom, Tauren Wells, Matt Maher, Cory Asbury, Jordan Feliz. Details, thesoulfest.org.

FRIDAY, AUG. 4

Gloucester400+, Music on Meetinghouse Green, 6 to 8 p.m., Unitarian Universalist Church Green, corner Middle and Church streets, Gloucester. Free with donations for local non-profits, with area musicians and food vendors.

AUG. 4 TO SEPT. 3

"Rock of Ages" at the Firehouse Center for the Arts, Market Square, Newburyport. It's the tail end of the big. bad 1980s in Hollywood, and the party has been raging hard. Aspiring rock star (and resident toilet cleaner) Drew longs to take the stage as the next big thing (and longs for smalltown girl Sherri, fresh off the bus from Kansas with stars in her eyes). But German developers sweep into town. Can Drew, Sherri and the gang save the strip from developers? Only the music of hit bands Styx, Journey, Bon Jovi, Whitesnake and more hold the answer. Nominated for five 2009 Tony Awards including Best Musical. Thursdays and Fridays at 8 p.m., Saturdavs at 3 p.m. Tickets. \$40. details. firehouse.org.

SATURDAY, AUG. 5

Tour Plum Island Light, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., 263 Northern Blvd, Newburyport. Email friendsof-pilight@gmail.com to request a 15-minute tour during the scheduled hours. You'll get an email back from volunteers with availability. People climbing the tower stairs must be at least 5 years old and a minimum of 42 inches tall. Sturdy shoes or sneakers are required; sandals are not permitted.

SUNDAY, AUG. 6

Magnolia Community Farmers Market, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., on Lexington Avenue in Gloucester's Magnolia section.

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Bandstand Summer Concert Series,

7 to 9 p.m., Stage Fort Park bandstand, Hough Avenue, Gloucester. Jazz, free.

Beverly Homecoming fireworks, 9 p.m. For full details, visit www. beverlyhomecoming.org

MONDAY, AUG. 7 – SUNDAY, AUG. 13

Salem Heritage Days. Food, fun, films, live music, ice cream bowl, National Night Out, activities for all. Visit: www.Salem.com

TUESDAY, AUG. 8

Ipswich Downtown Tuesday, 6 to 8 p.m., Ipswich Riverwalk. Free family fun, live music and dancing.

North Shore Concert Band, 7 to 9 p.m., Salem Willows Park, 167 Fort Ave, Salem. Free, outdoors, Broadway and American favorites conducted by David Benjamin at Robert Hayes Bandshell.

THURSDAY, AUG. 10-SUNDAY, AUG. 13

A Gloucester400+ Story with the Annisquam Village Players, 7 to 9 p.m., Maritime Gloucester (Wharf), 23 Harbor Loop, Gloucester. Free.

THURSDAY, AUG. 10

Salem Farmers Market, 3 to 7 p.m., Derby Square off Front Street, Salem. salemfarmersmarket.org.

Castle Hill Thursday Night Summer Picnic Concert on Grand Allee, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m., Crane Estate, 290 Argilla Road, Ipswich. Bring picnic or buy one. Member Carload \$30. Nonmember carload \$40. Questions? 978-356-4358. (Gates open 5 p.m.)

FRIDAY, AUG. 11

Gloucester400+, Music on Meetinghouse Green, 6 to 8 p.m. – Free with donations for local non-profits, with area musicians and food vendors. Unitarian Universalist Church Green, corner Middle and Church streets, Gloucester.

FRIDAY, AUG. 11 – AUG. 27

"The Ding Dong," at Gloucester Stage Company. A comedic thriller by Brenda Withers (The Office), Wednesdays and Thursdays at 7:30 p.m, Fridays and Saturdays at 8 p.m., and Saturday and Sunday at 3 p.m., Gloucester Stage Company, 267 East Main St., Gloucester. Tickets, call 978-281-4433 or visit gloucesterstage.com.

SATURDAY, AUG. 12

Gloucester400+ Fisheries Heritage Festival, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. For more details, see gloucesterma400.org. Gloucester Blues Festival 2023, 11 a.m. to 7 p.m., Stage Fort Park, 24 Hough Ave. Gloucester, overlooking Gloucester Harbor. Free parking, handicap accessible. Line-up, details,



Ari Gilardi Diamond puts his hand up after winning the watermelon eating contest for 10-yearolds during the kids games portion of St. Peter's Fiesta in Gloucester.

gloucesterbluesfestival.com. "Glo Swaby: Fresh Up" exhibit opening day at Peabody Essex Museum, East India Square, 161 Essex St, Salem. Explores intersection of womanhood and blackness. Visit www.pem.org. Call 978-745-9500

SUNDAY, AUG. 13

Gloucester400+ Fisheries Heritage Festival, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.. Events details, locations, gloucesterma400. org

Magnolia Community Farmers Market, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., on Lexington Avenue in Gloucester's Magnolia section.

Deep Blue C Studio Orchestra at Gloucester400+ Antonio Gentile Bandstand Summer Concert Series, 7 to 9 p.m., bandstand in Stage Fort Park, Hough Avenue, Gloucester. Free, pop band.

MONDAY, AUG. 14

Lunchtime History Films, noon to 1 p.m., at Tapley Memorial Hall, 13 Page St., Danvers. "Massachusetts State House 1700s Time Capsule: with discussion, Presented by Heritage Films, Dan Tremblay. Free, bring lunch! Questions? 978-777-1660.

TUESDAY, AUG. 15

Ipswich Downtown Tuesday, 6 to 8 p.m., Ipswich Riverwalk. Free family fun, live music and dancing.

North Shore Concert Band, 7 to 9 p.m., Salem Willows Park, 167 Fort Ave, Salem Free, outdoors, Broadway and American favorites conducted by David Benjamin at Robert Hayes Bandshell.

THURSDAY, AUG. 17

Salem Farmers Market, 3 to 7 p.m., Derby Square off Front Street, Salem. salemfarmersmarket.org

Vocalist Donna Byrne at Jazz At The Arts 2023, TBD, Marblehead Arts Association, 8 Hooper St., Marblehead, 781-631-2608. Tickets at marbleheadarts.org.

Reggae Night with Dis n Dat, 6 to 8:30 p.m., Misselwood Events at Endicott College, 307 Hale St., Beverly.

Castle Hill Thursday Night Summer Picnic Concert on Grand Allee, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m., Crane Estate, 290 Argilla Road, Ipswich. Bring picnic or buy one. Member Carload \$30. Nonmember carload \$40. Questions? 978-356-4358. (Gates open 5 p.m.)

FRIDAY, AUG. 18

Gloucester400+, Music on Meetinghouse Green, 6 to 8 p.m., Unitarian Universalist Church Green, corner Middle and Church streets, Gloucester. Free with donations for local non-profits, with area musicians and food vendors.

Mary Chapin Carpenter in concert, 8 p.m., Cabot Theatre, 287 Cabot St. Tickets and info at: https://www.ticketmaster.com/ event/01005E66CFB63D55

SATURDAY, AUG. 19

42nd Annual Gloucester Waterfront Festival, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., Stage Fort Park, 24 Hough Ave. Gloucester, Over 175 booths with juried works. artisans, artists, authors, musicians, live music, family entertainment, food court, 75 antique autos, rain or shine. Visit: www.waterfrontfestivals.com

Summer Time in the Park, 11 a.m., Village Tavern, 168 Essex St, Salem. Vendors and crafters to shop, food to eat and free yoga in the park. Model contract contest. Free admission. Come as you are.

SUNDAY, AUG. 20

42nd Annual Gloucester Waterfront Festival, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Stage Fort Park, 24 Hough Ave. Gloucester, Over 175 booths with juried works. artisans, artists, authors, musicians, live music, family entertainment, food court, 75 antique autos, rain or shine. Visit: www.waterfrontfestivals.com

Magnolia Community Farmers Market, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., on Lexington Avenue in Gloucester's Magnolia section.

Bare Bones in concert, 6 to 8 p.m., Leather City Common, Peabody.

Gloucester400+ Antonio Gentile Bandstand Summer Concert Series, 7 to 9 p.m., Cape Ann Community Band (Concert Band), at the bandstand in Stage Fort Park, Hough Avenue, Gloucester. Visit DavidLBenjamin.com

TUESDAY, AUG. 22

Glen Magna Farms Summer Music Series, 5:30 to 8:30 p.m., Glen Magna Farms, 29 Ingersoll St., Danvers. Admission \$10. Cash Bar; ID required. Under 21, must be with adult. Rain date, Aug. 23

Ipswich Downtown Tuesday, 6 to 8 p.m., Ipswich Riverwalk. Free family fun, live music and dancing.

FRIDAY, AUG. 25

Crane Beach Triathlon, noon, Ipswich. Read all about it at: https://www.raceentry. com/crane-beach-triathlon/ race-information

Moonlight Movie Night at Patton Homestead, 650 Asbury St, South Hamilton. Tickets, times and info at: https://www.hamiltonma.gov/about/ patton-homestead/



Alessandro Monti-Guarnieri juggles the ball as he plays soccer with his brothers Gian-Luna, left, and Giacomo, right, at the Singing Beach in Machester-by-the-Sea.

to 1 p.m., 263 Northern Blvd, Newburyport. Email friendsofpilight@gmail.com to request a 15-minute tour during the scheduled hours. You'll get an email back from volunteers with availability. People climbing the tower stairs must be at least 5 years old and a minimum of 42 inches tall. Sturdy shoes or sneakers are required; sandals are not permitted.

Photography outing with professional guide, 5:30 p.m., starts at 16 School St., Ipswich, includes dinner and, at 1:30 a.m., night sky photography in Rockport. Read all about it at https://events.humanitix.com/ evening-on-the-north-shore

SUNDAY, AUG. 27

Magnolia Community Farmers Market, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., on Lexington Avenue in Gloucester's Magnolia section.

Jimmy Tingle Live! Comedy, Commentary and Conversation, 5 p.m., Windhover Center for the Performing Arts, 257R Granite St., Rockport. Info, tickets, \$20 to \$30 windhover.org. Rico Barr Band at Gloucester400+ Antonio Gentile Bandstand Summer Concert Series, 7 to 9 p.m., bandstand in Stage Fort Park, Hough Avenue, Gloucester. Visit DavidLBenjamin.com

MONDAY, AUG. 28

Danvers 2023 Arbor Day Celebration, 10 a.m., Willis E. Thorpe School, 1 Avon Road, Danvers. A tree planting ceremony

TUESDAY, AUG. 29

Ipswich Downtown Tuesday, 6 to 8 p.m., Ipswich Riverwalk. Free family fun, live music and dancing.

AUG. 31 – SEPT. 3 Gloucester400+ Schooner Festival, 39th annual festival is a four day celebration presented by Maritime Gloucester that's steeped in history and jam-packed with events and sails. Get up-close and personal with these beautiful ships. A Labor Day waterfront weekend tradition, for a full schedule of events, visit: https://www.maritimegloucester. org/schooner-festival.

SEPT. 1-3

Feast of Three Saints, 20 Common St., Lawrence. Procession, entertainment, food. Details, threesaintsinc. org.

SEPT. 1-24

"Tall Tales from Blackburn Tavern," a Gloucester400+ world premiere by John Minigan. Performances Wednesdays and Thursdays at 7:30 p.m., Fridays and Saturdays at 8 p.m., and Saturdays and Sunsays at 3 p.m. at Gloucester Stage Company, 267 E. Main St., Gloucester. Tickets, 978-281-4433 or gloucesterstage.com

FRIDAY, SEPT. 1

Gloucester400+ Schooner Festival. For today's schedule of events and locations, visit: https:// www.maritimegloucester.org/ schooner-festival

Gloucester400+ Block Party #3, 6 to 10 p.m., Main Street, downtown Gloucester. Live music, street performers, al fresco dining, vendors, food vendors, kids activities. Admission free.

Gloucester400+, Music on Meetinghouse Green, 6 to 8 p.m., Unitarian Universalist Church Green, corner Middle and Church streets, Gloucester. Free with donations for local non-profits, with area musicians and food vendors.

SATURDAY, SEPT. 2

Gloucester400+ Schooner Festival. For today's schedule of events and locations, visit: https:// www.maritimegloucester.org/ schooner-festival

Gloucester400+ Cannon Fort Dedication Ceremony. Details at gloucesterma400.org

SUNDAY, SEPT. 3

Gloucester400+ Schooner Festival and Parade of Sails, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., watch the schooners up close and personal as they pass Stacy Boulevard. For today's schedule of events and locations, visit: https://www.maritimegloucester. org/schooner-festival

Magnolia Community Farmers Market, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., on Lexington Avenue in Gloucester's Magnolia section.

THURSDAY, SEPT. 7

Salem Farmers Market, 3 to 7 p.m., Derby Square off Front Street, Salem. salemfarmersmarket.org

SUNDAY, SEPT. 10

Magnolia Community Farmers Market, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., on Lexington Avenue in Gloucester's Magnolia section.

MONDAY, SEPT. 11

Lunchtime History Films, noon to 1 p.m., at Tapley Memorial Hall, 13 Page St., Danvers, "Old Time Autos of Essex," presented by Heritage Films, Dan Tremblay. Free, bring lunch! Questions? 978-777-1660. Essex County was once a prime area for auto design, development, and related production.

Kids Free Day at Hammond Castle Museum, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., 80 Hesperus Avenue, Gloucester. Free tours

for kids under 12 with adult only. Visit hammondcastle.org

THURSDAY, SEPT. 21

Jazz At The Arts 2023, with KBMG, folk, rock, funk and jazz, at Marblehead Arts Association, 8 Hooper St., Marblehead, 781-631-2608. Tickets at: marbleheadarts.org Preservation in a Changing Climate – annual City of Salem conference explores ongoing impacts of climate change and the need for action to protect these irreplaceable assets. Details at: www.PreservingSalem.com

SATURDAY, SEPT. 23

Rockport Farmers Market, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Harvey Park, intersection of Broadway and Mt. Pleasant Street.

Marblehead Farmers Market, 9 a.m. to noon, Marblehead Veterans Middle School, 217 Pleasant St., enter from Vine Street.

Salem Food Truck and Craft Beer Festival, 11 a.m. to 6 p.m., Salem Common. North Shore's best food trucks, breweries. Tickets, www. FoodTruckFestivalsofAmerica.com

SUNDAY, SEPT. 24

Magnolia Community Farmers Market, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., on Lexington Avenue in Gloucester's Magnolia section.

Swampscott Farmers Market, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., Town Hall, 22 Monument Ave, rain or shine.

Salem Food Truck and Craft Beer Festival, 11 a.m. to 6 p.m., Salem Common. North Shore's best food trucks, breweries. Tickets, www. FoodTruckFestivalsofAmerica.com

Ani DiFranco in concert, 7:30 p.m., Cabot Theatre, 286 Cabot St., Beverly. Tickets and info, https://the cabot.org/event/ani-difranco

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1. Good Harbor Beach: Thatcher Road, Route 127A. Gates open from 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. Nonresident parking, by reservation, is \$35 a car on weekends and \$30 a car on weekdays. Check daily availability at www.facebook.com/ gloubeaches. Resident parking sticker: \$20; \$4 for seniors. Lifeguards, concession stand, restrooms, showers. www. gloucester-ma.gov.

2. Wingaersheek Beach: Atlantic Road, off Route 133 and Concord Street, along Annisquam River and Ipswich Bay. Gates open from 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. Nonresident parking, by reservation, is \$35 a car on weekends and \$30 a car on weekdays. Check daily availability at www. facebook.com/gloubeaches. Resident parking sticker: \$20; \$4 for seniors. Lifeguards, concession stand, restrooms, showers. www.gloucesterma. com.

3. Niles Beach: On East Main Street. Offers views of waterfront mansions on Eastern Point and Boston's skyline in the distance. Niles Beach is ideal for the vacationer who wants the perfect swimming, sunbathing and scuba diving beach without the crowds. Limited parking; sticker only.

4. Stage Fort Park, Hough Avenue: Has two beaches – Cressy's and Half Moon. Parking reservations required for non-resident beachgoers – \$15 on weekdays and \$20 on weekends; bathhouse and snack bar. Cressy's sands glisten with sea glass. Half Moon Beach is small, private, with great swimming, set below a high rocky, shady knoll; great for catching cool breezes and watching boats out on the harbor.

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ROCKPORT

5. Front Beach: Off Main Street. Limited metered parking available for up to five hours. Beachgoers, however, are encouraged to park at the free Blue Gate Meadows lot off Main Street and take the lowcost shuttle trolley. A lifeguard is present on weekends. Restrooms are available.

6. Back Beach: Off Beach Street. Limited metered parking available for up to five hours. A trolley, however, will take beachgoers from the beach to the free Blue Gate Meadows lot off Main Street. No lifeguard on duty. Restrooms are available.

7. Cape Hedge Beach: On South Street. There is a resident-only lot, and limited street parking for nonresidents. No lifeguard on duty. No restrooms available.

8. Long Beach: Off Long Beach Road. There is a lot for resident sticker parking. Stickers are available for purchase at the Rockport Department of Public Works. A separate lot for nonresidents is also available. A lifeguard is on duty weekends. No restrooms.

9. Old Garden Beach: Off Old Garden Road. There is a small resident-only parking lot; limited street parking is available for nonresidents.

10. Pebble Beach: Off Penzance Road. Limited street parking available to the public. No lifeguard on duty. No restrooms.

MANCHESTER-BY-THE-SEA

11. Black and White Beaches: On Ocean Street, off Route 127. Resident parking only. No lifeguards or restrooms.

12. Singing Beach: At the end of Beach Street. Nonresidents can park Mondays through Fridays June 19 through Labor Day, except Fourth of July, for \$30 only when an attendant is on duty and space allows. Cash and checks accepted. On weekends, local Boy Scouts sell parking spaces behind the train station for \$25. The beach walk-on fee, charged daily from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., is \$10 per person over 12 and under 65, or \$35 for the season. Residents can buy beach parking stickers for \$35 (\$10 for seniors), which includes two walk-on passes. Lifeguard on duty on weekends starting Memorial Day, then every day from mid-June until Labor Day. Food and restrooms available.

13. Tuck's Point: Tuck's Point Road, off Bridge Street to Harbor Road. Resident parking only. Picnic areas and restrooms available. No lifequards.

IPSWICH

14. Crane Beach: At the end of Argilla Road, off Route 133. Owned by The Trustees of Reservations. Open daily vear-round from 8 a.m. to sunset. This summer, passes are required to visit and cost \$40 per car on weekdays and \$45 per car on weekends and holidays. Motorcycles, \$10 on weekdays and weekends. Those arriving by bicycle or foot pay \$5. Discounts are available for members, and annual memberships start at \$60. Ipswich residents can obtain beach stickers through Town Hall. Reserve your day pass at https://thetrustees. org/content/crane-beachadmissions/. Lifeguards, rangers, bathhouses, outside showers, picnic tables, Crane Beach store, information kiosk, transportation for physically challenged visitors. Greenhead fly season is mid-July to August. www.thetrustees.org.

15. Pavilion Beach: Small rocky beach at the end of Jeffreys Neck Road. Limited free parking on weekdays; residents only on weekends and holidays. No lifeguards, bathhouse or restrooms. Beware of greenheads in July and August. Dogs prohibited Memorial Day to Labor Day.

BEVERLY

16. Dane Street Beach: 93 Lothrop St., off Route 127. Small lot and limited on-street parking, all free. Kids' play area and seasonal bathhouse. Dogs on leashes allowed before 7:30 a.m. and after 7:30 p.m., between Memorial Day and Labor Day.

17. Independence Park:

Lothrop Street just south of Dane Street Beach. Limited onstreet parking. No lifeguards. Dogs on leashes allowed on beach before 7:30 a.m. and after 7:30 p.m., between Memorial Day and Labor Day. Dogs can visit the park area at all times.

18. Lynch Park: 55 Ober St., off Route 127. Open daily from 6 a.m. to 10 p.m. Parking for nonresidents is \$15 weekdays, \$25 weekends, cash only. \$5 for seniors and active military on weekdays only. Free sticker parking for residents. Two public beaches, with lifequard typically on duty 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. early July through August. Concession stand, play area. rose garden and bathhouse with handicapped-accessible restrooms. Ocean kayaks for rent. Dogs on leashes allowed only between 6 and 7:30 a.m., between Memorial Day and Labor Day weekend.

19. Obear Park: Off Kernwood Avenue and Upland Road, on the Danvers River in the Ryal Side neighborhood. Pavilion, tennis and basketball courts, baseball field, kids' play area, and seasonal bathhouse. Parking is free. No lifeguard. Dogs on leashes allowed only before 7:30 a.m. and after 7:30 p.m., between Memorial Day and Labor Day.

20. Pleasant View Beach: Porter Street, on the Bass River in Goat Hill neighborhood. Limited parking. No lifeguard. Dogs on leashes allowed only before 7:30 a.m. and after 7:30 p.m., between Memorial Day and Labor Day.

DANVERS

21. Sandy Beach: Off River Street, on the Danvers River, directly across from John George Park. Free parking, handicapped-accessible restrooms, outside shower, play area, volleyball net and pavilion.

SALEM

22 Forest River Park: Off Clifton Avenue. Two ocean beaches. Construction underway that includes two new pools, a renovated bathhouse with community room, artistic water interactive features. new accessible trails and a restored cove; expected to open later this summer. Annual parking passes cost \$25 for residents and \$150 for nonresidents and include other recreational areas. Dogs prohibited without a leash. 978-744-0733.

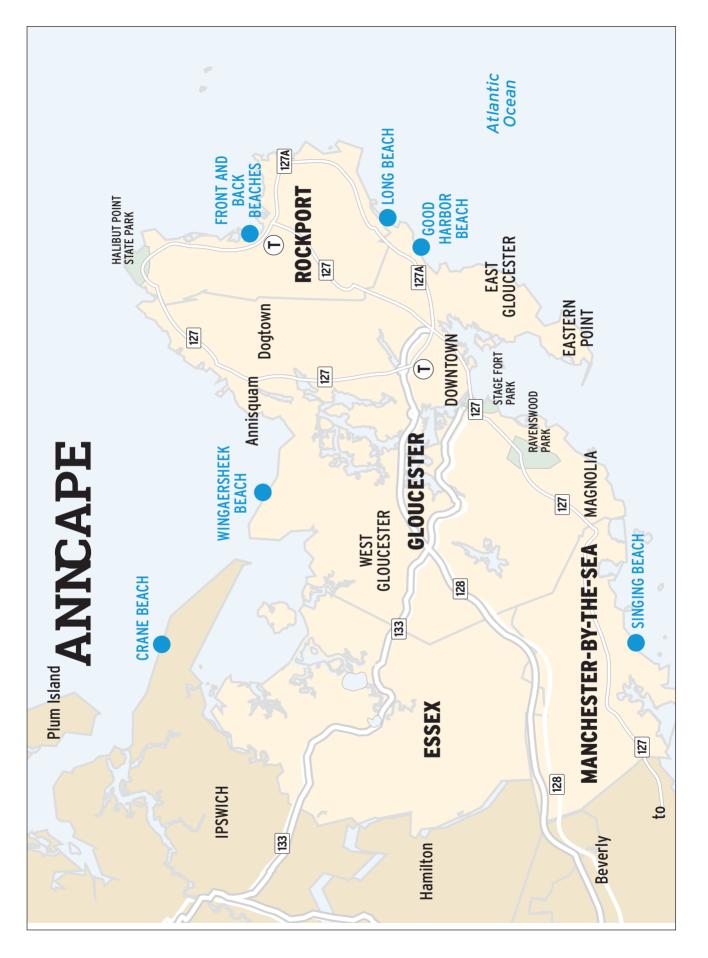
23. Salem Willows Park: Off Fort Avenue. Two sandy beaches. Parking lot improvements underway that will include new metered parking. Restrooms, play areas, arcades, amusements and concession stands. Dogs prohibited without a leash.

24. Winter Island: A marine recreational park. Winter Island Road, off Fort Avenue. Beach, swimming, picnicking, RVs, camping and more. Lifeguard and bathhouse. Camp store with sandwiches, ice cream, gifts and camping supplies. Parking free for Salem residents with sticker. Parking for nonresidents is \$10 on weekdays. \$15 on weekends and holidays. Boat launch is \$5 for everyone. Dogs prohibited without leash. Function hall and picnic areas available for rentals Call 978-745-9430

25. Collins Cove Beach: Collins Street. On-street parking. No lifeguard.

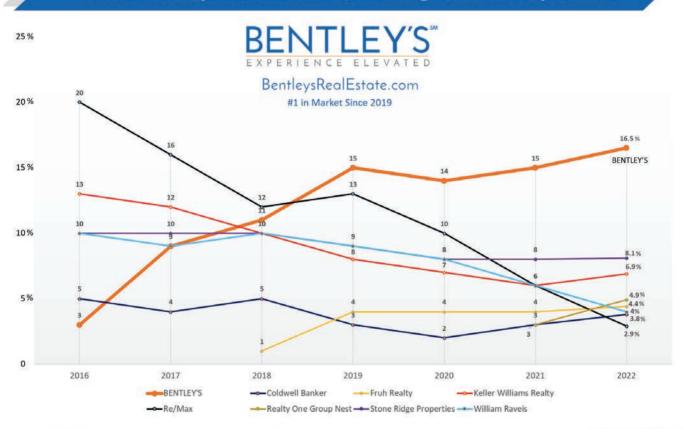
MARBLEHEAD

26. Devereux Beach: On Ocean Avenue. Parking for nonresidents is \$15 Mondays through Thursdays and \$20 Fridays through Sundays and holidays, cash only. Annual town facilities sticker available to residents at the town treasurer's office or the transfer station for \$80, plus \$25 for additional stickers to same household. Lifeguards seven days a week. Restrooms, pavilions and restaurant. Dogs prohibited at all times.



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