

President's Message

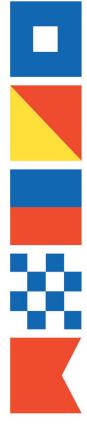
Welcome to your July Changing Tides . . . in August. But can you blame us? With the lazy days of sun, sand and swimming upon us, it's hard to get motivated to come inside and type.

The 4th of July parade was terrific as always; made even better by the great weather. Thanks to the ENFD for another great job. Thanks to the visiting Fire Companies, elected officials, antique car owners and Eaton's Neck residents who always come out to support and cheer. I especially want to recognize those who took the time to come up with a theme, dress up and march. This parade started as a small community event. It survives and thrives only with the participation of new generations. Parents, even if the kids were too small this year, start thinking of ways you can help them build a float, decorate a vehicle or a bike and get involved. This is your parade!

I am pleased to report that in June, the last remaining Valley Grove Bulkhead notes were officially paid off. This would not have been possible without a strong membership year so, to every person who joined, thank you! I also want to recognize board members past and present whose time and talents made this huge project a reality. Every membership matters. This project is the proof.

Friday Night Grillin' is over for 2022. Sunset at the Grove begins Fridays in August. See you there!

Ryan Cote POENB President

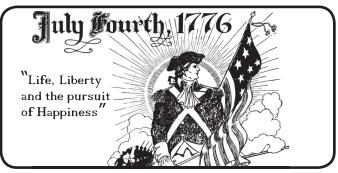


POENB Meeting Minutes for July 1, 2022

The meeting was held at Price's Bend beach and began at approximately 6:40 pm.

Roll Call:

Board members in attendance included: Ryan Cote, President Frank Pasquale, Vice President



Ryan Schaefer Walker, Corresponding Secretary **Attendance:**

There were approx. 35 members in attendance. A motion was made and seconded to accept June meeting minutes as printed in the Changing Tides.

Correspondence:

Ryan Schaefer Walker reported that correspondence had been confined to back and forth over watercraft spots. Asharoken also alerted us to their paving project.

President's Report:

Ryan Cote indicated that the July meeting marks the official kick off of the July 4th weekend and Friday Night Grillin, which will occur five Fridays in the month of July. He thanked our volunteer grill lighters, Greg and Meghan Hodges and Phil and Kate Beamer.

Ryan indicated he expected another great July 4th. parade and put in a push for community



Cover painting: "The Downwind Leg" by Cliff Potenza.

Eaton's Neck Resident, accomplished painter, sailor and beloved father $\ensuremath{\mathfrak{k}}$ grandfather. Rest in Peace.

2022 POENB Treasurer's Report January 1 - July 1, 2022

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floats and involvement. He thanked the ENFD for organizing such a great event and Rob and Nashaud Bengston (in attendance) who volunteered to carry the POENB banner. Carole Bishop, ENFD parade coordinate indicated it would be a 9:30 lineup and 10 o'clock parade start. Ryan went on to thank Julie Atkins who, once again, helped us by writing letters of invite to our elected officials and coordinated their attendance. We concluded with a thank you to Nick Cavuoto who announces our elected officials.

The biggest local news, Ryan went on to re-

port, is the drainage project, the goal of which is to catch the water on the higher streets and trying to reduce the amount making its way down and also keep as much water as possible out of LI Sound. Member Harvey Brown contributed



the conversation, saying that the TOH told him they intended to abandon the pipes on the shoreline. Ryan indicated that we do need some clarification from the town.

Harvey has a similar pipe running

adjacent to his property and has been seeking some engineering opinions on best practices as pertains to the pipes.

Treasurer's Report:

As of our July meeting we had a year-to-date total operating income of 59,368.92 and year-to-date total operating expenses of 21,768.27. As of 7/1/22 this left an operating surplus of 37,600.65.

Membership receipts were \$18,569.52 for senior and \$31,292.45 for standard totaling \$49,861.97 and 4th of July Parade donations made in conjunction with membership total \$1,200. Beach rental reservations have begun and we have col-



lected \$1,400 income so far this year.

We have spent \$5,304.55 in beach improvements and normal beach expenses of \$3,915.40.

Year to date, we have paid \$1,657.44 in note repayments through June 30, 2022 and the total outstanding VG Note balance was \$11,999.23. The outstanding VG Notes were paid in full using the excess proceeds of \$10,050.56 from the Valley Grove Bulkhead Project along with \$1,948.67 coming from the current year budget.

For Parti Gras, we received \$5,593.49 in proceeds and spent \$3,653.36 for expenses leaving a surplus of \$1,940.13. During the event we



In the event of an emergency, fire or medical, please call 911 for the quickest response to your location.

The great majority of time is spent by members of the fire department in training and practicing for emergency situations which may occur. However, on June 25th the department held its formal installation of officers at a dinner/dance. This installation is an occasion to recognize individual department members for outstanding contributions to the department.

The most outstanding individual recognized for his ongoing achievements, efforts, contributions and service for more than 50 years as chief of department, member of the board of fire commissioners and currently as chief engineer is Arthur Angst. Mr. Angst's contributions were also recognized by the Huntington Fire Chiefs Council on the evening of June 25th. This small statement falls far short of the devoted service at every level that Mr. Angst has provided for the Eaton's Neck community for over a half century. The tribute to Artie Angst was finalized on July 4th at the firehouse with the presentation of certificates of appreciation with his wife Carole and members of his family standing by his side.

Artie is an outstanding example of a true volunteer who not only answers the alarm in emergencies, but saves the department and community thousands of dollars by maintaining, repairing items and introducing the latest updates to rescue and firefighting equipment. His constant work on equipment at the firehouse, and his technical knowledge of both large and small devices has helped to ensure proper functioning of many different types of necessary firefighting and medical equipment throughout the past decades.

Yours for fire safety, Rich Baer

received \$345 in 50/50 proceeds and \$487 in merchandise sales.

We are starting off with a strong membership season to replenish our income. We thank exist-

ing members and appeal to non-members to please join.



Watercraft: Ryan indicated that we concluded our watercraft assignment process in June by sending out allowed members to

google forms that

request a second spot. POENB decided to re-allocated two of our dinghy bars that were not occupied (closest to the parking lot) as 2022 seasonal storage for requested second spots. We're pleased to report anyone who requested a second spot was granted one.

At the same time, we sent out a google form to anyone wishing to enter the seasonal sail craft lottery. As of the meeting date, most of those were taken.

sail craft spots



Ryan thanked board member Yvonne Lambertson for managing all the watercraft assignments so transparently and fairly. Frank Pasquale reminded everyone

that spots assigned in 2022 are

good for two years assuming one maintains their membership next year. This prevents members from having to move spots every year and makes things easier for the POENB as well.

Second spots and sail craft lottery spots, however, are only good for one season and need to be removed by November 2022. The biggest problem we currently face is members who re-

quested a spot but have failed to occupy it. Ryan thanked Ryan Schaefer Walker on his great watercraft stickers and asked all to display theirs.



Membership:

Gene Caputo reported that as of July 1 we had 243 members. He asked all those not sure if they joined to please check the membership lists printed in the Changing Tides.

Planning and Zoning:

Ryan read into the minutes the ZBA application from 10 Exeter Court. POENB was notified because Price's Bend is considered an adjacent neighbor to the property. The hearing is Thursday July 28th. The applicant is seeking relief from minimum retaining wall setbacks. This information was eblasted out to the POENB membership since Price's Bend is owned in kind and the full notice was put on our website so that members could become informed and decide to attend the hearing if desired.

Social:

Heather Kennedy indicated we plan to do the community tag sale with a hoped-for target date of August 28th if we can get enough members to commit (please see the ad in this issue on how to commit). A member at meeting suggested that the tag sale participants be confined only to POENB members.

Earlier this month, Ryan Shaefer Walker announced Friday Night Grillin will occur every Friday in July.

Report of the Treasurer:

Please see Treasurer's Report on page 3 of this issue. The big news of the report concerned the payoff of the last of the Valley Grove bulkhead notes.



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That means that the POENB seawall at Valley Grove is fully paid off. Ryan thanked current board and 2022 members for keeping our numbers strong so we could pay down this last bit of debt. He also singled out the efforts of the previous board who did all the planning and fundraising needed to bring the wall to fruition. This final payoff is a tribute to every person whose



donations and membership dues funded the project and every board member who worked overtime to make it happen. Ryan concluded by saying that any resident still questioning whether to join the POENB should understand that the successful completion of this type of project is should join.

exactly the reason they

Nora finished by going into the final Parti Gras numbers (see report on pg. 2). Julie and Sadie Atkins were at the meeting and we



thanked them for selling merchandise which resulted in \$487 in sales.

Unfinished business:

Ryan announced he had written a letter to Mayor Letica asking how the POENB membership could best assist Asharoken in advocating for dollars to repair the seawall at Bevin. Clarification is forthcoming.

New business:

Tom Bishop thanked Frank P. for all his efforts at Valley Grove and indicated we're looking to have a party at V.G. in the fall. Tom indi-



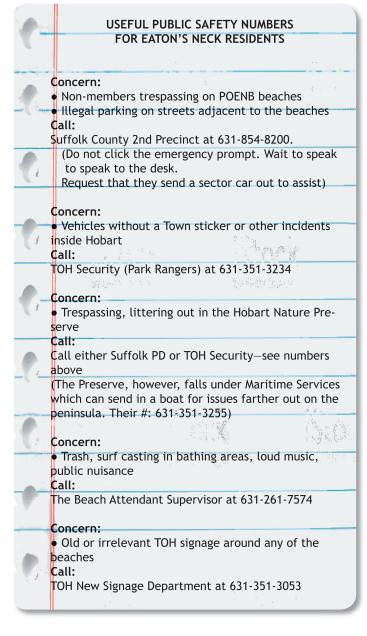
cated V.G. a crown jewel as much as Price's Bend and we want to utilize it. Rvan also thanked Frank P who did a fantastic job bringing back the volleyball court at

Price's Bend. It's ready to go, so bring down a volleyball with some friends and have some fun on your beach.

A member praised the POENB for putting in the public safety tel. numbers in the Changing Tides last month.

Dave Lieberman asked if we're getting a grill at Valley Grove? It was pointed out that the one lonely grill down by long kayak rack at price's bend was purchased for valley grove but installed down at PB.

Frank P indicated that now that we've got the wall project done, he hopes to spend time focusing on beautification and safety at the beaches. V.G. will get some more attention. Frank feels he



needs about 60 yards of soil to the lower level of V.G. He's hoping to get some wood chips that we can use for weed control under the hedges.

A motion was made to adjourn.

Our next POENB meeting will be held August 5th at 7:30 at Valley Grove and will officially kick off "Sunset at the Grove" where members meet up on Friday evenings in August to enjoy good friends, beverages and the best sunsets on Eaton's Neck.

Please join us.



2022 POENB Membership

12 Carlisle Dr. Accorsini, Elaine and Robert Alessi, John & Dale Alio, Lauretta Angst, Carol & Art Arote, Anthony & Carol Asser, Stuart & Diane Atkins, Julie & Greg Baer, Maria & Rich Ballow, Christine & John Baum, Laurie Beach, Cindy Beamer, Phillip and Katherine Bengston, Rob & Naushad Berman, Stuart Berry, Moya Best, Mrs. Muriel D. Biondo, Charlette Bishop, Carole & Tom Black, Grace Bomkamp, Brent & Diane Bonomo/Balch, Frank/Robin Bracciante, Ron & Angela Brown, Harvey & Pamela Brown, Fred & Patricia Bunch Family, Burbach/Wu, Barry & Priscilla Burke Clements, Phyllis Burns, Bill & Kate Cancroft, Joe & Karen Cancroft, Virginia Cantor, Adam & Marcelle Caputo, Eugene & Patricia Caputo, Pam & Dom Carbone, Tara & Chris Cartolano, Joseph Cartolano, Joseph Cartwright, Peter & Anya Casatelli, Peter & Joanne Cavanagh, Larry & Barbara Cavuoto, Nick & Carolyn Chambers, James & Laurie Cicio, Al & Joanne Ciolfi, Thomas & Heidi Cipriano, Michael Clements, Robert Cohen, Steven/Marissa Como, Michael & Alexandra Corcoran, Janet and Brian Cornell, Charles & Marilyn Cote, Ryan & Sharon Cuiffo, Philip & Joann Cuiffo, Sean & Kimberly D'Amato, Betty & Stephen D'Amato, Bob & Sue D'Amato, Yvonne & Bob DaSilva, Éllen DeSousa, Steve & Jennifer Deters, Joan & Richard DiCocco, Nancy & John Digangi, Angelo & Liz Dillon, Tim & Christine DiPaola, Chris Dippolito, Paul & Melissa Dispenzieri, Michele & Charles Donigian, John & Donna Donovan, Dee Dosch, Robert & Erica Drgon, Steve & Gerri Drummond, Fredrick and Margaret Eagers, Tom & Jane Ebert, Tim & Priscilla Edwards, Lauren & Paul Egan , Jocelyn Faltings, Erik & Tabata Farabaugh, Margot Fay, Lori Feinstein, Rob & Pam Ficalora, Karen & Scott Fitzgerald, Agnes & James Fleischer, Linda & Ashley Friedman, Jeffrey & Jennifer Fusaro, Anthony & Jennifer

Galante/Dias, Victoria / John Gallino, Joseph & Theresa Galvin/Hayes, Colleen/Mark Gaughran, Carol & Jim Gerlach, Ed & Pat Ghaly, Nadia & Ben Gianatasio, Caryl Gifford, Kelly & George Glad, Charles Goldstein and Jacobson, Jeffrey and Susan Gorman, Brian Greco, Josephine and Michael Gribbin, Aileen Gross, Mark Grosso, John & Regina Guercio, Candance & Vin Gutmanstein, Scott and Alyson Haeselin, Kathleen & Joseph Haeselin, Matthew Hagstrom, Marianne Halapin, John & Jean Haridopolos, Nickholas Hehir, Jerry & Trisha Heinzman, James Henningsen, Dave & Bronwyn Heuer, Moriah & Bill Hodges, Greg & Meghan Horn/Lentz, Kara & Christine Houmere, Peter & Sarah Hughes, Deirdre Hynds, David and Jennnifer Hynes, Leslie & Bill Jimenez, JJ & Leanne Johnson, Jacqueline Judice, Janine & Sal Kehoe, Thomas & Casey Keiles/Dennis, Roseann & Bob Kelsch, Andy & Katie Kennedy, Patrick & Heather Klarfeld, Guy Kooker, Mildred Kraljic, John & Lisa Krinberg, Steve/Jacqueline Zaffrano Kutzma, John & Karol LaBarbara, Lillian & Franklin Lambertson, Yvonne & John Lamont & Holmes, George & Wendy Leone, Robert & Laura Lichtenstein, Julia and Elliot Lieberman/Klein, David & Paula Liguigli, Marina & Emil Lippold, Sandra & Derek Logan, Jeff & TE LoMuscio, Mary Helen Loveland, Ron & Vicky Lovemore/Kaup, Cindy & Thomas Lynch, John & Lisa Lyons, Bob & Virginia Macchia, Joe & Jan Mackay, Trish Malone, Pat Mann, Hope Mansfield, Brian & Jean Marino, Jessie and Christian Marsano, James Martin, Barbara & Bruce Massi, Robert McLaughlin, Michelle McLoughlin, Nancy Meccariello, George & Debra Miller, Keri & Eddie Mitchell, Vinny & Christine Nastos Mizzaro, Robert Monahan, John & Amy Monten, Robert & Caralyn Morcerf, Jim & Nancy Mugno, Zach Murphy, Katheen & Bob Murray, Steph & Mike Musser, Elmer Nau, Charlotte & Dane Neal, Sally

Neuf, Steven & Trish Newman, Tim & Zoe Nimmo, Bill & Lori Nye, Ken O'Connell/Carroll, Susan & Ray O'Connor, Brian & Helen Oddsen, Dennis & Cathy O'Donohoe, Mike & Laura O'Donohoe/Heatley, Brian & Shana Olchovy, Patrick O'Neill, Kevin O'Reilly, Bill & Sumi O'Rourke, Cornelius & Maureen Over, Dennis Palmieri, Richard & Marie Pasini, Angela Pasquale, Frank and Lisa Marie Peters, Jack & Evelyn Piazza, Augie & Lynne Pierce, Scott & Linda Pinto, Michael & AnneMarie Pisacani, Bobby & Regina Pizzolla, Adriana & Francesco Pokorny, John & Bethany Raguso, Paul & JoAnn Raskind, Steven & Danielle Reid, Terry & Andy Ribeiro, Paul & Lauren Richtberg, Frederdinand & Susan Robinson, Regina & Doug Roeill, Richard & AnnMarie Roggenbau, Angela & Wilfried Roos, Clay & Beth Ann Roros, Carmela/Nick Russo, Susan Rust, Peter Ryan, Diane Ryan, Robert & Rachel Sarter, Jessica Schaefer/Walker, Ryan & David Schmid, Douglas Schmidt, Peter & Nelly Schmiedecke, Bob and Debbie Schneider and Walter, Judy and Bob Schultz, Ken Schwartz, Kelly & Gary Semeraro, Jody & Gary Shin, Dennis & Stephanie Sialiano, Joe & Rainbow Signorelli, Ben & Ardene Simpson, Cynthia & John Siragusa, Diego & Maria Smith, Edwin Solomon, Priscilla & Michael Spelman, Donald & Dorothy Sterflinger, Leigh Steuerwalt, Karen & Peter Still, Michael & Sanja Stump/Specht , Jean/Eileen Termine, Peter & Anne Timlen, Willian & Maryann Tonno, Nicholas and Marisa Tordik-Briggs, Jackie and Jason Tresnan, Pat & Peter Tschirhart, William & Janet Velez, Jaime & Caterina Visco, Walter Vitale, Jeanne Voorhees, Jeff/Dina Wallace, William & Eileen Walsh, James & Eileen Warrington, Heather Wendt, George Werthner, Peter Whelan, Nancy & Jim Whiter, Phil Wilson, Karen Wynn, Arlene & Daniel Young, Kevin & Cristine Yuan, Sam & Dorothy Zelenka, Al & Noreen Zulawski, Steven



EATON'S NECK COMMUNITY WIDE GARAGE SALE

Does your garage need a major clearing out? Is your attic bursting at the seams? Are your junk drawers full of untold treasure?

Turn clutter into Cash at the Eaton's Neck Community Garage Sale.

Sunday August 28th / 10 am to 4 pm

So far we have nine houses, but we need more to make this event a success!!

Email Heather Kennedy to confirm "you're in", @ Heatherbrownkennedy@gmail.com

Once we have a final list of participants, we'll promote the sale in social and local media. Please RSVP Today.

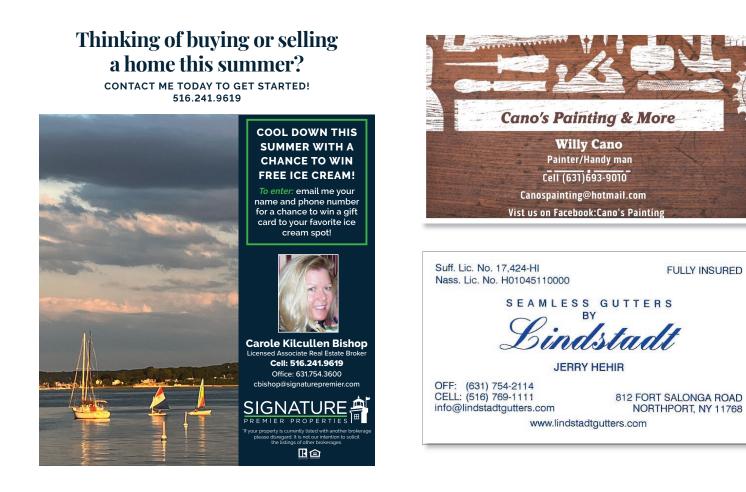


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Everybody loves the Community Garage Sale and we are happy to help you clear out all that end of summer "stuff". Please RSVP right away!!

We're also excited to announce a brand-new "Endless Summer" Party with live music from "Solid 70s" plus catered food and fun. September is one of the nicest months on the Neck. If you're not ready to say goodbye to summer, join us for the stadium seating that is Valley Grove.

If the event gets too big we'll move it to Prices' Bend. We need an early head count so please RSVP by cutting out this ad with your payment and drop both in the POENB Box. The event is one price only to cover the band, but kids are welcome.







See our Community Page for more details



Clark Gillies, Douglas Cerrato, Anthony Fusaro, Peter Leonard





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