WHAT'S UP OOB?!

Here's what's happening in OOB!

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OOB Community Friendly Connection (OOBCFC) - Old Orchard Beach ME

OOB Town Business:

- *Town Hall* has several donation options this year: Salvation Army Giving Tree, Veteran Giving Tree, Toys for Tots, Community Food Drive and Animal Giving Tree. Learn more at oobmaine.com, call 934-5714 or stop by.
- Town Council Regular Meeting will be held on 12/16 starting at 6:30 pm in Town Hall Council Chambers
- The Town Transfer Station is now closed until Spring, 2026
- Town Offices are closed on 12/24, 12/25 and 1/1
- Dog licenses are due for every dog - 6 months or older - by 12/31

OOB 50+ Community Events and Activities (preregistration is required) call 934-0860 (or click the link on OOB 50+)

- The bus is off to the *Seacoast Repertory Theater* in Portsmouth, NH for an evening of holiday cheer. Elf at The Seacoast Rep is happening on 12/18, bus departs at 3:45 pm for $62
- Grab your ugliest holiday sweater and come to the Ugly Sweater Party, Holiday Treat & Gift Exchange on 12/19 from 11-12:30 at the Ballpark Rec Offices - and it's FREE!
- The Rec Department will be taking a holiday break from 12/20-12/29

The Libby Memorial Library - call 934-4351 or go to ooblibrary.org

- The Library is participating in The Salvation Army Angel Tree Program for OOB - stop by and learn the details
- Mahjong is on Tuesdays 1-3:30 pm and Thursdays from 3-5 pm. All are welcome, no playing experience is necessary
- Move with Amanda from 5-5:30pm, then Dance with Amanda from 5:30-6 pm on 12/17, 1/7, 1/14, 1/21, 1/28
- Writers Group happens on 12/16 from 4:30-6:30 pm.
- Book Club 2.0 will meet on 12/17 @ 4 pm - call 934-4351 for details.

- Crafternoon on 12/19 from 1-3 pm. This date will be working on your own crafts in the company of other creatives.
- Tech Time Help Hour is on 12/20 from 1-2 pm
- The Library closes at 1:00 PM on 12/24 and 12/31 and is closed on 12/25 and 1/1
- Weekly adult events are the Brown Bag Book Bunch on Tuesdays from 11:30-12:30. Creative Fiber Club meets on Thursdays from 2-4.

OOB365 and other in-town community events:

- *Epoxy ME and Artisans* on Saco Ave is hosting Santa Paws on 12/19 4-7 pm for dogs & kids - stop by for free photos with Santa. This will be the last night of shopping at this location.
- Epoxy ME and Artisans brick & mortar shop will be closing permanently effective 12/20. Janet Peters, the owner of Epoxy ME will continue to work out of her home, offering small resin-pour classes, custom orders and all her current Epoxy Art.

- *Lone Pine Brewing* East Grand Ave in OOB will be pouring Happy Hour vibes four days a week, starting 12/15. Roll up for $3 off any beer and $4 off cocktails, 5-8 pm on Mondays, Thursdays, Fridays and Sundays throughout December & January.

- *Birdies Grill & Tavern* 168 Saco Ave in OOB now has a new seasonal menu, plus Sim City Indoor Golf is open AND they host a Trivia night every Wednesday night at 6 pm.

- *Grill 65 @ Dunegrass Country Club* Wild Dunes Way in OOB is holding a Trivia Night on 12/18 from 6-8 pm and live music by Don Mills on 12/19 from 6-9 pm. They will be closed for winter break from 12/23-1/1/26.

- On 12/20 from 7-8:30, Sandy Waters: Psychic Medium Night is happening at *Birdies Grill & Tavern* 168 Saco Ave in OOB. Get your tickets and information on eventbrite.com or call (508) 493-8527.

- *OOB365* is hosting the New Years Eve Last Blast Beach Party happening in Downtown OOB on 12/31 from 4:30-9 pm! Bring your Christmas Tree to feed the bonfire to be lit at 4:30 & enjoy hot cocoa, marshmallow toasting pits, kettle corn and cotton candy on

the beach while listening to live music by 808 and the Don Campbell Band! Then the fireworks display will begin at 7:30 pm!

- *Art Glass by Lorrie* (15 Ross Rd OOB) holds classes on Wednesdays and Saturdays. For details or to sign up for a class, email lorriellutz@gmail.com or visit etsy.com/shop/ArtGlassbyLorrie.

- *Coastal Craft Workshop* on Saco Ave offers classes for Sea Glass Windows 12/17 & 12/20; Shell Trinket Dishes on 12/20 & 12/21, Sea Glass Trees 12/20 & 12/21. For details, visit coastalcraftworkshop.com or call 937-2298.

- *Robillard's Garden Center* (Cascade Rd, OOB) has another fun night of Plant Bingo happening on 12/18 @ 6 pm. Register at robillardgc.com or call 937-8629.

Biddeford/Saco/Scarborough area community events

- On 12/16 from 6-8 pm, Adultpowered: Cookie Exchange Night will be happening at *MEPowered Pastries* 2 Stewart Dr Suite 103 in Scarborough. Learn more and sign up at mepowered.com or call 331-3315.

- *Thorton Academy Arts* presents Holiday Choral Concerts on 12/16 & 12/17 @ 7 pm at the *Harry P. Garland II Auditorium* 438 Main St in Saco. Visit thortonacademy.com or call 602-4471 for info & tix.

- On 12/17 from 5:45-8:45 pm the Ocean Ave. Duo Christmas Show will be happening at *The Lincoln* 17 Lincoln St in Biddeford. This will be the debut performance of Don and Lisa singing favorite Christmas music at *The Lincoln Hotel*!

- On 12/18 from 6:30-8 pm, sign up for Sound Bath with Yoga Nidra and Reiki at *Scarborough Yoga* 433 US Route 1 in Scarborough. Go to scarboroughmaineyoga.com or call/text Andrea @ 671-1593 for details and to register.

- *Ferry Beach Retreat & Conference Center* 7 Boardwalk Dr in Saco is offering Sourdough Baking Session on 12/19 8am-3pm & Winter Solstice Celebration on 12/21 @ 5:30 pm. Visit ferrybeach.org, email info@ferrybeach.org, call 282-4489 for info & to register.

- On 12/20 from 11 am - 2:30 pm, *Academy of Dance* presents "Clara's Dream" a unique take on the traditional Nutcracker! Performed at the *Biddeford Middle School* Hill St in Biddeford. The Academy Ballet, Jazz, Hip Hop, Lyrical, Modern, and Break Dancers will put on a spectacular show as you follow Clara through her imaginative dream. Call 298-1030 for details, tickets are available at the door, and doors open at 10 am.

- Build Your Own Cookie Platter @ *Sea Spray Confections* 209 Main St Suite 103 Saco on 12/20 from 12-3 pm. RSVP is requested, find info on FB events or call 727-1215.

- Holiday Open Barn at *Pearl Acres* Trout Pond Lane in Scarborough will be on 12/21 11am - 1 pm. Learn more on FB events.

- Get ready to groove with The Chris Humphrey Big Band Christmas live—big band vibes and holiday cheer in one night! On 12/21 @ 4 pm at the *Blue Point Congregational Church* 236 Pine Point Rd in Scarborough. Go to eventbrite.com to get info and tickets.

- On 12/21 @ 3 pm & 5 pm, the *Collective Motion Arts Center* presents Bah Humbug! at the CMAC Studio Theater 18 Steeple Drive in Saco. Go to FB events or call 391-6014 to learn more.

- The Enchanted Christmas Stroll is now open and runs until 12/27 at *Aquaboggan Water Park* 980 Portland Rd in Saco. Get your tickets and information at aquaboggan.com.

January Save The Date-more info as we get closer!

- Annual Lobster Dip will happen on the beach on 1/1/26 from 9am-1pm

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HAVE A GREAT WEEK!

Call 937-5611