



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.
- Conservation Commission Meeting will be held on 12/8 starting at 7:00 pm in Town Hall Council Chambers
- Planning Board Meeting is scheduled on 12/11 @ 6:30 pm in Town Hall Council Chambers
- The Town Transfer Station is now closed until Spring, 2026
- Town Hall opens at 10 am on 12/11 after a staff holiday party
- **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+)

- Taste the World Mystery Dinner: Vietnamese - sign up to celebrate National Pho Day (1 day early) on 12/11 bus leaves at 4:30 pm \$6
- Holiday Wreath Decorating Workshop will be held at Robillard's Garden Center on 12/12 - bus leaves @ 11:30 am \$55
- Don Campbell Holiday Show bus trip, including a stop for brunch before the show on 12/14 leaving at 10:15 am \$5

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 12/10 & 12/17

- Crafternoon on 12/19 from 1-3 pm. This date will be working on your own crafts in the company of other creatives.
- 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.
- 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.
- *Did you know about Libby Home Delivery (Homebound Outreach)? If you can't get to the library due to illness or mobility issues, either short or long term, they will deliver! Call 934-4351 or email info@ooblibrary.org for more information.*

OOB365 and other in-town community events:

- *Epoxy ME and Artisans* on Saco Ave holds Resin Pour classes as private events - call 937-3009 for details. Santa Paws will be there 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 of her current Epoxy Art.
- *Elevate Café* 155 Saco Ave OOB is hosting a Holiday Gift Drive to benefit Maine Needs. Drop off new, unwrapped gifts until 12/20. Visit the *Elevate Café* FB page for specifics or call 934-1098.
- *JJ's Eatery Too* Old Orchard St in OOB is still offering FREE Bingo on Thursday nights, but the time is now from 4-8 pm.
- Did you know that every day that you have a meal, cocktail or an appetizer at *Beach Vibes Bistro* 198 East Grand Ave in OOB, you get entered into a drawing for scratch tickets!! One winner is drawn every Friday. Visit once a week, you are entered once, come twice a week you are entered twice - you get entered each time you visit. Plus they also have a Loyalty program.
- Elm Street Lights (3 Elm St OOB) display is up and running daily from 4:30-9 starting 11/28. *They are collecting donations for MaineHealth Barbara Bush Childrens Hospital AND Animal Refuge*

League of Greater Portland. This is a drive by display in a residential neighborhood - please be respectful and responsible. Tune your radio to 93.3 as you watch the dancing lights

- *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 Shell Trinket Dishes on 12/10 & 12/13, Sea Glass Trees 12/13 & 12/14; Sea Glass Windows 12/13 & 12/17. For details, visit coastalcraftworkshop.com or call 937-2298.
- *Robillard's Garden Center* (Cascade Rd, OOB) is continuing to take registrations for its wreath workshops and centerpiece class. Also, Plant Bingo is happening on 12/18 @ 6 pm. Register at robillardgc.com or call 937-8629.

Biddeford/Saco/Scarborough area community events

- *Ferry Beach Retreat & Conference Center* 7 Boardwalk Dr in Saco has these upcoming events in December:
 - December 11 Quantum Sound Healing Experience (6-8pm)
 - December 12 Holiday Party: Cookie Decorating & Movie Night (6-8:30pm)
 - December 12-14 Winter Wonderland Weekend Getaway
 - December 14 Winter Craft Fair (9am-2pm)
 - December 19 Sourdough Baking Session (8am-3pm)
 - December 21 Winter Solstice Celebration (5:30pm)Visit ferrybeach.org, email info@ferrybeach.org, call 282-4489
- On 12/10 from 11am-noon, *Dyer Library* 371 Main St in Saco is hosting an event Where Did the News Go? You must preregister by either calling 283-3861 or visit dyersaco.com.
- 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.
- *The Alumni Band* is holding their annual Christmas Concert: Somewhere in My Memory on 12/12 @ 7 pm at the Biddeford

Middle School Performing Arts Center. Get tickets at thealumniband.com.

- *Saco Main Street* presents Holiday Festival & Parade of Lights on 12/13 from 9:30am - 3:30 pm and the parade at 6 pm. Learn details at sacomainstreet.org or call 286-3546.
- The Merry Makers Craft Show presented by *Society of Southern Maine Craftsman* is happening on 12/13 from 9am - 4 pm @ *Saco Community Center* 75 Franklin St in Saco.
- Don't miss the FREE Hospice of Southern Maine Holiday Benefit Concert by the *Don Campbell Band* on 12/14 @ 2 pm at the Scarborough High School Auditorium 11 Municipal Dr in Scarborough. Donations are welcome.

General Information

- The Winter 2026 Course Catalog for *OOB/Saco Adult Education* has just been published. Go to oobsaco.maineadulted.org, email adultedinfo@rsu23.org or call 934-7922 to get a catalog!
- The Winter Edition of Ocean Park Magazine has just been published! You can pick up a copy at *Cottage Designs* or *Beachside Books & Bowls* in Ocean Park, *Landry's Shop 'n Save* in OOB or *Shermans Maine Coast Book Shop* in Saco or go to oceanparkmagazine.com to purchase a subscription.

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

- OOB365 Last Blast on 12/31 starting at 4:30 pm with fireworks!
- 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

