

*Traveling Together Since 1977*

**2020**

# *Club Capers*



***Cape Cod Massachusetts Airstream Club***

## ***The President's Message***



**RJ Dominic, President**

Now that the holidays are behind us, we look forward to spring coming in just a few short months; but wait!, today it was 68 degrees and at the time I was writing this message, at night, it was still 63 degrees. Are we having an early spring? Don't think so... By the time May comes around we will all have cabin fever in the Northeast and be chomping at the bit to go camping once again. What better way to open up your Airstream and do a shakedown weekend but to attend the Pets & Paws National Event Rally. Yes, the weekend of April 17th, 18th, and 19th. This is a joint rally between

the CCMAC and the NEAC which is in honor of National Pet Day. This rally has been going on for 10 years, the last two as a National Event Rally. This year it is hosted by Heather & Jared Lawler and Lilli Hamnqvist.

The rally weekend is all about our pets, Provincetown, and enjoying the outdoors, seeing old friends and meeting new ones. Pets are welcome everywhere in the campground, except for the buildings. Please remember to pick up after your pets.

This year we will be doing the Pilgrim Bark Park beautification again; along with a leisurely stroll, led by Lilli Hamnqvist, thru town with our pets... (Pets are not allowed in the restaurants). A truly relaxing weekend with our pets.

Be sure to sign up quickly as there are limited sites.

Tye and I will see you all there!

Start signing up for our rallies now as we have an exciting schedule with several rendezvous. Some of these rallies have limited sites, so sign up as early as you can. We don't want you to miss out on the fun.

## **Pets & Paws National Event Rally**

Mark your calendars for the Pets & Paws National Event Rally. What a great way to start the



camping season. Bring your pets along and enjoy the wonderful Coastal Acres Campground in Provincetown, MA right at the tip of Cape Cod.

There is a copy of the flyer in this edition of the Capers. You can also go to the CCMAC website where there is also a flyer that you can print out and mail in.

Don't delay as there are limited sites and they fill up very quickly.

## In Memoriam



Ruth Crockett passed away with her loving family by her side on December 18, 2019. She is survived by her husband Roger of 65 years, her three sons, and her five grandchildren. She also leaves her best friend and sister Brenda, her nephews and their families.

I know many of our new members did not know Ruth. Ruth and her husband Roger were members of the Charter Oak CT Airstream Club since 1970. We enjoyed many fun rallies, caravans and luncheons with them over the years.

Ruth and Roger spent their retirement years, in the winters, at Travelers Rest in Dade City, FL. Ruth was an avid Nantucket basket maker whose baskets were incredibly beautiful. She demonstrated her craft each year at the Goshen Fair.

She was also a talented seamstress particularly known for her quilts which she donated annually to Acts of Valor. Ruth frequently took home awards for her meticulous works of art.

We would like to extend our condolences to Roger and his family at this difficult time.

## Note from the Directory & Newsletter Editor

I am in the process of updating all the information for the 2020 CCMAC Membership Directory. I have gathered most of the information from the renewal notices that have been sent to me from Jackson Center of those members who have renewed along with new members and new affiliates.

Since there are a lot of new affiliate members and several new regular members, I would like to advise you that you will be receiving our Club Capers Newsletter by email as well as the CCMAC Membership Directory.

If you would prefer to receive a hard copy of the Directory, please let me know.

We would prefer to send the Club Capers out in an email format but if you do not have an email address, we will send a hard copy of the Capers to you.

You can reach me at:  
781-545-3856

## Time to Renew Your

It is time to renew your membership for 2020 in the WBCCI and the CCMAC.

If you have already renewed your membership, we want to thank you.

Click on the link below and you will be brought to the WBCCI "Join Now" page.

[Renew Online Today](#)

## Valentine's Day Luncheon



Our first luncheon of the 2020 year is our Valentine's Day Luncheon. This luncheon is hosted by Trevor & Gale Lake and is held at the Fireside Grille, 30 Bedford Street, Middleboro, MA on February 17, 2020.

A great chance to meet up with fellow Airstreamers and talk about what is ahead for the camping season. Everyone picks from the menu and pays for their drinks and meal.

Please try to attend this fun luncheon. In the past neither snow, rain or sleet has stopped us from attending this luncheon.



Here is a picture of the hearty group who attended last year's luncheon.

If you plan to attend, please give Trevor & Gale a call at: 781-837-2539 and let them know you will be attending. Trevor needs to let the restaurant know how many will attend.



## Opening for a 1st VP

RJ is happy to announce that the position of 2nd VP has been filled by Lucy Roche. We would like to thank Lucy for volunteering for this position.

Being a 1st and 2nd V.P. is a great way to learn a lot about the Club and our Cape Cod Unit and have a fun time doing it.

As the 1st V.P. you will attend the Spring and Fall Business Meetings of the unit. You will also assist the President if needed and assume the duties of the President in the President's absence. This is the year that you will plan the next year's rallies, caravans and luncheons. You are not required to run all these rallies but will ask members and/or Directors to either host or co-host a rally, rendezvous or a luncheon.

The Caravan Chairperson will work with you on any upcoming caravans he/she has planned or any caravans that you may wish to plan. You will also ask or assign members to become Directors along with selecting members to head your committees.

The 1st and 2nd. V.P positions are one year positions. RJ and other long time members will be more than happy to mentor you on all aspects of becoming a 1st or 2nd V.P.

Becoming an Officer is a great way to enjoy the friendship and camaraderie with other members of not only Cape Cod but other units

in the WBCCI family.

Why not give it a try. You have nothing to lose and everything to gain from becoming an Officer in the Cape Cod MA Airstream Club.

Please contact RJ if you are interested in taking the position as 1st VP.

## Airstream For Sale

Rose Tavares is selling her Airstream. It is in excellent condition and has only been owned by the Tavareses.

It is a 2007, 25 ft, Classic 75th Anniversary Edition. Hensley hitch, awnings all around, twin beds.

\$45,000 or best offer

For more Info: Please call:

Sharon: 508-789-4066 or

E-mail: [Ss\\_harbourgirl@yahoo.com](mailto:Ss_harbourgirl@yahoo.com)

Susan: 310-339-6113 or

E-mail: [kcsuki@yahoo.com](mailto:kcsuki@yahoo.com)



## Save the Date 2020 Region 1 Rally

**The 2020 Region Rally location is HEBRON, CONNECTICUT!!**

Hebron is one of Connecticut Magazine's top picks of towns with a population of less than 10,000. It is nestled between Glastonbury, Willimantic and Colchester in the eastern-central part of the state.

From this location we will all be able to visit the attractions of Hartford, New London, Mystic and East Haddam with our fellow Airstreamers. A bit off the beaten track, it boasts quaint farmlands, charm and a healthy influx of the sophisticated Hartford outreach.

Our grounds are the home of the Hebron Lions Harvest Fair. It is one of the major Connecticut agricultural fairs with over 100,000 participants. The Lions Club, along with its supportive town volunteers, maintain these beautiful grounds. Our rigs will be parked on grass with asphalt roads interconnecting the venues on the property. All will have 20-amp electrical service. Water will be close enough to daisy-chain hoses.

Our principal building, the Lion's Den, will be the best facility we can recall for a region rally. The hall provides seating at circular tables on padded chairs on a carpeted floor within a cathedral-ceilinged air-conditioned

facility. We will have an adjoining state of the art kitchen for our chefs. The discussion seminars will benefit from in-house audio and overhead projection systems.

Sign up now so you can be part of the 2020 Region One Rally May 28 through 31. Be a proud member of Region One and celebrate all that is Connecticut with all of our members throughout New England and eastern Canada.

Bard & Kathy Fuller your 2020 Region 1 Rally chairpersons.



The flyer for this rally is in this edition of the Capers.

## Rally Flyers on our Website

I would like to take this opportunity to encourage the membership of the Cape Cod Unit to become familiar with the CCMAC website. There is a wealth of information on there.

I would like to specifically address the tab that shows our 2020 Activity Schedule. Keep checking this out as rallies are added or may be cancelled. Also take note of the tab for the Activity Flyers & Coupons. While I will do my best to add these flyers to our Capers newsletter, it is becoming an issue to include all these flyers, even though they are in pdf format, because there are so many.

These flyers are in pdf format and you will be able to print each flyer individually from the newsletter on the website.

You can join the CCMAC, find a list of our Officers and Directors, our past newsletters, business meeting minutes, WBCCI Event Calendar, our Constitution & Bylaws and so much more.

Here is our website address:  
[capecodmassachusetts.airstream](http://capecodmassachusetts.airstream)

## Attention Members

### Old Cape Cod Mass Unit Flags and Badges

I would like to ask our membership (I know a lot of you are new members and would not have these items) if they have any of old Cape Cod Mass Unit flags. We have new flags now.

Also, if there are any members who have extra badges, that are still in good condition, not yellow with age, could they please turn them in to Bill Clements or RJ Dominic. The cost of badges has gone from \$2.75 to \$10.00. In order to keep costs down, we would appreciate your turning in any badges that you are no longer using.

Thank you, Dottie Walbridge



## Nanci Lu Ann Carll 1957-2020



Nanci Lu Ann (Ratton) Carll of Plymouth passed away peacefully with her beloved husband Eddie and family by her side on Monday, January 6<sup>th</sup> in her home. Nanci was born in Ruidoso, New Mexico on September 25, 1957 daughter of Hubert and Norma Rae (Crowley) Ratton.

She was educated in Florida and received her Associate's Degree in Business from a small community college. She worked 24 years for Affiliated Professional Services in Wareham as a Director of Provider Enrollment and New Client Implementation. Nanci and Eddie enjoyed life and traveled around the country in their Airstream and were members of WBCCI and the Cape Cod MA Airstream Club where they have made many friends throughout the years. A lover of dogs they have two

Cavalier King Charles Spaniels, Oliver and Sassi, who spent their time at Nancy's bedside till her death. She was an active member of the Zion Lutheran Church in North Plymouth where she served as Treasurer and Financial Secretary. Nanci was also married and baptized in the church. She enjoyed quilting and crafting. Nanci will be remembered for her smile and friendly words to everyone.

Nanci is survived by her loving husband Eddie, stepson Alexander Carll of Somerville, her mother Norma Rae (Crowley) Ratton of Wareham and now Plymouth. Also survived by her brothers Robert Ratton, Ronald Ratton, Harold Knapp, Glen Knapp and the late Michael Knapp as well as many nieces and nephews.

Visitation at the Loring Center, 384 Court Street North Plymouth on Friday January 17<sup>th</sup> from 2-5 and 6-9 pm. Funeral Service on Saturday January 18<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 am in the Zion Lutheran Church, 386 Court Street, North Plymouth. Burial will be private.

Memorial donations in her name may be made to Southcoast Hospice and Palliative Care, 200 Mill Rd., Fairhaven, MA. 02719.

Online guestbook please visit [www.cartmelldavis.com](http://www.cartmelldavis.com)

## Welcome New Members

#5681

Donn & Carol Priem  
Newfane, VT

Affiliates

#2969

Jim & Janine Colocard  
Northport, ME

#3450

Gregory Desnoyers &  
Bonnie Hogan  
Jamestown, RI

#5406

Bard & Kathy Fuller  
Southington, CT

#5560

Bill & Kathleen McNamara  
Amherst, NH

#23726

Ted & Lois Price  
Rocky Hill, CT

#8988

Gilles & Joyce Rousseau  
Southbury, CT

#6974

David & Jane Simpson

#14965

Warren & Carol Sterns  
Monument Beach, MA

#5535

Bill & Eveyln Watts  
Newtown, CT



# Pets & Paws National Event Rally

This is a joint rally between the Cape Cod MA Airstream Club & the New England Airstream Club  
Location: Coastal Acres Campground, 76R Bayberry Avenue, Provincetown MA

**April 17-19, 2020**

For more information contact: Heather Lawler - [airstream4998@gmail.com](mailto:airstream4998@gmail.com) or 207-831-4712

**Limited to 32 Units**

\*\*\* Please note! There is NO early parking but you can extend your stay if you wish. \*\*\*

**Cost for the weekend \$160.00 per trailer**

- Friday: April 17th:** 4:00 pm: Heavy Happy Hour, please bring an h'or d'oeuvre to share.  
Dinner on your own
- Saturday, April 18th:** 8:00am: Pot luck breakfast followed by a spring beautification of the dog park at 10am  
1:00pm: Lilli Hamnqvist will lead the walk through Provincetown with your pets  
4:00pm: Cocktails at the campground before leaving for dinner  
5:00pm Dinner at the Crown & Anchor  
or if you wish to try another restaurant you may do so on your own.
- Sunday, April 19th:** 8:00am: Coffee and "See you down the road".

Your pets are welcome at all Airstream functions in the campground, except for the restaurants in town.

## Pets & Paws National Rally Registration Form

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse/Partner: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone/Cell Phone:: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

WBCCI # \_\_\_\_\_ Motor Home: \_\_\_\_\_ Airstream Trailer: \_\_\_\_\_ Length: \_\_\_\_\_ Plate #: \_\_\_\_\_

Tow Vehicle Make: \_\_\_\_\_ Model: \_\_\_\_\_ Year: \_\_\_\_\_ Color: \_\_\_\_\_

Tow Vehicle Plate # \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Pet: Dog(s): Number of Dog(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Cat(s): Number of Cat(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Other(s): Number of Other(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Please make your check payable to: Cape Cod Massachusetts  
In memo line of check, please write 2020 Pets & Paws Rally

Mail the bottom of this form and your check to: Eddie Carll, Assistant Treasurer  
66 Perseverance Path, Plymouth, MA 02360



## Growing & Blooming Airstreams Rally May 8-10, 2020

at the  
Holiday Acres Campground  
593 Snake Hill Road, N. Scituate, RI

Hosted by: Stan & Kathleen Warren and Trevor & Gale Lake

### Enjoy the area:

Tulip Tour at Wicked Tulips, 90 Brown Ave., Johnston, RI  
Verde Vineyards, 50 Hopkins Ave., Johnston, RI  
Nickle Creek Vineyard, 12 King Road, Foster, RI  
Historic Federal Hill, Providence, RI  
Roger Williams Park & Zoo, Elmwood Ave., Providence, RI



**Friday, May 8 - 4:00pm - Happy Hour:** bring your favorite appetizer and beverage  
**Supper:** pot luck or on your own

**Sat., May 9 - 8:00am -** Hot breakfast, fruit, muffins, tea and coffee (followed by a short meeting)  
Lunch on your own

**4:00pm - Happy Hour:** bring your favorite appetizer and beverage  
**Supper following happy hour:** Pulled pork sandwiches, coleslaw  
bring a side dish to share  
**Music will be playing on the record player again!!**  
**Campfire following supper**

**Sun., May 10 - 8:00am - Breakfast:** yogurt, fruit, muffins, tea and coffee  
**Departure:** See you down the road!

### Growing & Blooming Airstreams Rally

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse/Partner: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_ WBCCI# \_\_\_\_\_

Airstream (circle one) Trailer MH Rig Size: \_\_\_\_\_ Plate Number: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_

Tow vehicle make: \_\_\_\_\_ Model: \_\_\_\_\_ Plate number: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_

Camping Cost (2 nights): \$ 92.00 Kitty: \$ 24.00 Total: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Make check payable to: Cape Cod MA Unit

Mail Check to: Trevor Lake, 315 Oak Street, Marshfield, MA 02050

For more info: Call Kathleen Warren at 508-776-2178





**May 28-31, 2020**

### Attractions:

#### Hartford:

Mark Twain House  
Coltsville National Park  
Conn. Science Museum  
Breweries

#### CT River Valley:

Gillette Castle  
Dinosaur Museum

#### Thames River Valley:

Mohegan Sun Casino  
Wineries

#### Local:

Nathan Hale Homestead  
University of Connecticut  
Biking & Hiking  
More Wineries

#### 2020 Cancellation Policy:

Before 4/1 Full Refund  
4/1- 5/20 - \$150 Refund  
After 5/20 - \$75 Refund



## Region One Rally Welcome to Wally's Whoooooville!!

# Oh, the Places You'll Go Rally!

## Seussically Hosted by

## Charter Oak Connecticut Airstream Club

### Hebron Lions Fairgrounds

347 Gilead Street, Hebron, CT  
Water, electric (20 amp), dump station

JUST  
BE  
THERE



### Evening Entertainment Dr. Seuss Costume Parade

### Whoofeasts:

2 Catered Dinners  
1 Heavy Happy Hour  
2 Hot Breakfasts  
1 Continental Breakfast

### Planned Area Tours Bike Rides - Flea Market

### Discussion Sessions:

Technical - Hobbies  
Crafts - VAC Historical

### Region One Business Meeting & Seminar

### Rally Hosts: Bard & Kathy Fuller

[bardfuller@hotmail.com](mailto:bardfuller@hotmail.com)

call 860-302-1365

Discounted Fee \$299 (couple)

After 4/1/2020 Full Fee \$319.00

Pet friendly (on leash)

Arrive after 11am May 28

Depart by 12noon May 31

Fairground parking:

Come with min. 50ft of hose & 2 Y's  
additional 25ft of electrical cord  
20 amp adapter

### Green Eggs & Ham

I will attend the Airstream Region One Rally May 28-31, 2020 WBCCI # \_\_\_\_\_

Names \_\_\_\_\_ Unit \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Airstream Model: \_\_\_\_\_ Length \_\_\_\_\_ State/License \_\_\_\_\_

Tow Vehicle Make: \_\_\_\_\_ State/License \_\_\_\_\_

#Children 0-12{FREE} \_\_\_\_\_ #Children 13-17{\$50} \_\_\_\_\_ #Guests {\$50} \_\_\_\_\_

Any Significant Dietary Concerns? \_\_\_\_\_

Will you require Handicap Parking? \_\_\_\_\_ Will you have a pet? \_\_\_\_\_

Is Airstream Vintage(25 years or older)? \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_

**Discounted Base Fee US \$299.00**

(3 nights camping / 2 Adults)

After 4/1/2020 Add \$20.00 + \_\_\_\_\_

Guest and Children over 12

Add \$50.00 ea. + \_\_\_\_\_

Single in RV Deduct \$50.00 - \_\_\_\_\_

2 night stay Deduct \$50.00 - \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Amount** \_\_\_\_\_

Checks Payable to: **COCAC**

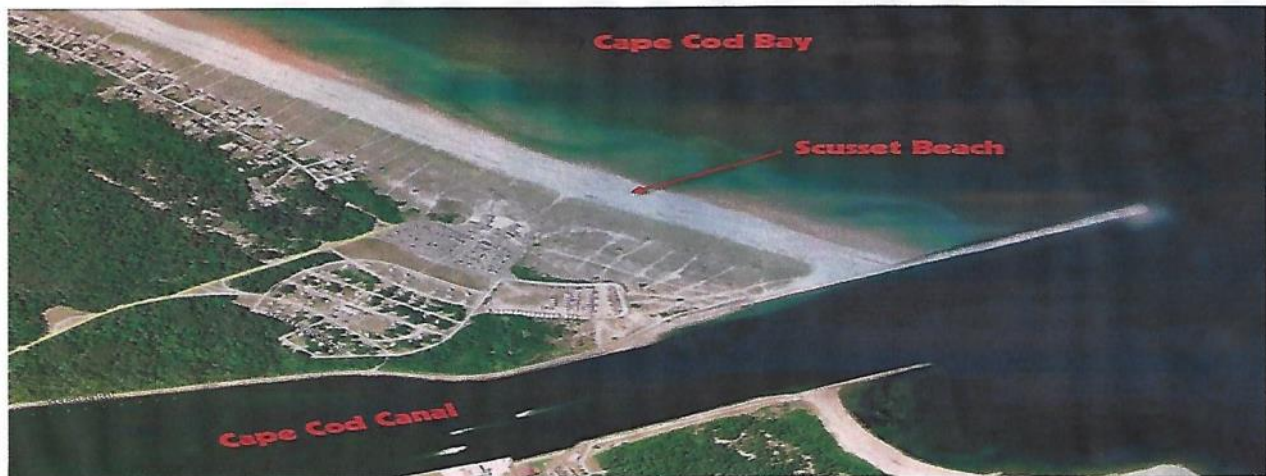
Mail to: Sandy Sasuta  
476 Milford Point Road  
Milford, CT 06460



# Cape Cod MA Airstream Club

*rendezvous* ren·dez·vous | Definition of *rendezvous*

1: a meeting at an appointed place and time



The Appointed Place: **Scusset Beach State Reservation, Sagamore Beach, MA**

The Appointed Time: **June 4-8, 2020**

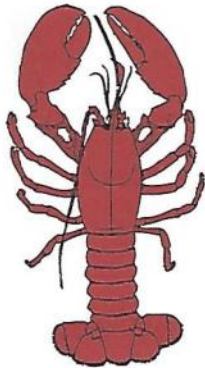
You're Co-Hosts: **Raquel & Scott Remy, Nanci & Eddie Carll**

What to Do? **Fishing, Swimming, Many Local Restaurants, Visit Plymouth to Celebrate the 400<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Pilgrims Arrival in America, Provincetown, Whale Watching.....and maybe a potluck with your Airstream Friends.**

How Do I Make Plans to attend? **All Campground reservation must be made with Reserve America on or after December 4, 2020. Reservations window opens 6 month in advance. The campground books out very quickly.**

Campsite Fees at Scusset Beach **\$22 for MA resident / \$35 non-resident; PLUS \$4 water and \$6 electric hookups at all RV sites; PLUS \$2 surcharge to benefit the Scusset Beach Trust Fund.**

If you are interested in attending, contact Eddie Carll [ecarl62@gmail.com](mailto:ecarl62@gmail.com) , cell 508-454-6895. We will send out a notice when it is time to reserve your site. This is a great location and campground... join us for the fun!



## Lake Pemaquid Rally

June 26-28, 2020

Come join us for a weekend of Maine-themed lakefront camping!

Lake Pemaquid Campground  
100 Twin Cove Rd Damariscotta, Maine 04543

Campground amenities include: full-service marina with boat rental, mini golf, sauna, jacuzzi and pool.

Take time to explore all that Maine's MidCoast Region has to offer!

**Friday:**      **1pm - Check-in**  
                      **5pm - Happy Hour**  
                      **6pm - Dinner: BBQ and dessert (provided). Please bring a side.**



**Saturday:**      **8am - Breakfast: Blueberry pancakes (provided)**  
                      **5pm - Happy Hour**  
                      **6pm - Hayride**  
                      **Followed by ~6:30pm - Dinner: Lobsters/clams (\$TBD) and dessert (provided).**

**Sunday:**      **8am - Breakfast (provided)**  
                      **11am - Check-out**

Rally fee, \$135, includes lakeside full hook-up site for 2 nights and commemorative custom item.

Sites are limited! It is recommended that you sign up early!

Want an extended stay? We can help you coordinate arriving early or staying late (see below).

Your rally hosts: Jared and Heather Lawler

Contact us at (207)831-4732 or Airstream4998@gmail.com for additional information.

Sponsored by Cape Cod Massachusetts Airstream Club of the WBCCI

### Lake Pemaquid Rally in Damariscotta, Maine - June 26-28, 2020

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Pets: \_\_\_\_\_ WBCCI#: \_\_\_\_\_ RV size: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Ok to text? Y / N

For Saturday dinner: # each of lobsters: \_\_\_\_\_ # pound of clams: \_\_\_\_\_ (\$TBD – to be paid on arrival)

Interested in an extended stay? Provide details and we will coordinate: \_\_\_\_\_

\* Please note: As a WBCCI Rally, only members in a unit made by Airstream may participate. \*  
 Please mail completed sign-up form and check to Heather Lawler at 7 Fox Run Rd, Falmouth, Maine 04105.  
 Unfortunately, full refunds cannot be given after May 1st due to cost of purchasing supplies.





First Class

To:

Deadline for Articles, Pictures  
Flyers for the January Capers is  
January 10, 2020

