

CASCO BAY LINES ENEWSLETTER



July 2019

Greetings!

The summer season is in full swing here at Casco Bay Lines! With the holiday weekend approaching, we're sharing some reminders about the schedule and freight operations. Progress continues on the Schedule Analysis Project and we're pleased to invite all to a public hearing to discuss proposed alternative schedules. Finally, Board elections will be held in November and papers will be made available this month for the three seats. We hope you enjoy a safe and happy Fourth of July!

Birthdays



Bruce Woodman
July 21

Stephen Whitney
July 27

Christina Thibeault
July 31

Anniversaries (years of full-time employment)



Roki Horr
17 years
7/8/2002

Fourth of July Holiday Reminders

We will be running a Sunday/Holiday schedule to all islands on Thursday, July 4th. Traditionally, the week leading up to the Fourth of July is the busiest time of the year at Casco Bay Lines. We ask that you arrive as early as possible, especially if you are shipping freight. Freight capacity is finite on all trips and, for that reason, your freight may be delayed to the next scheduled trip. We will give priority to groceries, personal items and island store/restaurant items. Freight such as building supplies, furniture and appliances will be shipped based on availability and may have to wait until after the holiday. If you have any freight questions please call the freight department at 207-774-7871 x116.

Schedule Analysis Project Update

As part of the ongoing Schedule Analysis Project, proposed alternative schedules have been revised to incorporate feedback received on initial drafts and have been published [here](#). Representatives from Casco Bay Lines will be hosting a series of public hearings July 29th - 31st, 2019, stopping at each island to provide an opportunity for the public to ask questions and provide feedback on the revised drafts. A vote of the Board of Directors is required for final approval and has not been scheduled at this time. The current schedules will likely remain in effect through the end of 2019. We strongly encourage public participation at all stages of this project.



2019 Cruising Casco Bay Concert Series

This summer, get out on the water with CBL, 98.9 WCLZ, and some of the area's best musical talent!

Tickets are \$20/each for these 21+ events. Spots are still available for the following shows:

Pete Kilpatrick Band
July 18th
7-9 PM

Anna Lombard
August 15th
7-9 PM

[Click here for more info!](#)

A Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) guide is available online [here](#). Public feedback may also be submitted to ScheduleProject@cascobaylines.com or Casco Bay Lines Attn: Schedule Project, P.O. Box 4656, Portland, ME, 04112-4656.

2019 Board of Directors Elections

There are three seats on the Board of Directors up for election this coming November. Nomination packets will be available at the Casco Bay Lines ticket office beginning Monday, July 8th. The seats up for election are:

- Peaks Island - 3 year seat
- Islands at Large - 3 year seat
- Cliff Island - 3 year seat

Nomination papers must be returned no later than Monday, August 19th at 12 pm.

City of Portland Shuttle Service

A [shuttle bus](#) between the Casco Bay Lines terminal and remote on-street parking on Marginal Way will be available June 15 - September 30, 2019. Parking is for those with an island residential permit parking sticker. The shuttle will run on the half hour, between 6:30AM and 10:15AM and 3:00PM and 6:45PM, seven days a week. A complete schedule is available [here](#). Pick up and drop off is in the front of the Park & Ride Lot on Marginal Way and at Casco Bay Lines.

On The Horizon

Please remember that public input is always welcome. Below is the schedule of meetings for July.

- **Exec. Committee:** Thur., July 11th 7:45 AM

Thank You!

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