

# The Jamestown Press Almanac

Sept. 7, 2006

### Five Day Forecast

**Thursday**  
Partly Cloudy  
High: 73 Low: 61

**Friday**  
Mostly Sunny  
High: 75 Low: 60

**Saturday**  
Few Showers  
High: 71 Low: 60

**Sunday**  
Few Showers  
High: 73 Low: 58


**Monday**  
Partly Cloudy  
High: 70 Low: 55

### Local Tides This Week

NEWPORT					CONANICUT POINT				
Day	High	Low	High	Low	Day	High	Low	High	Low
Thu	7:52 am	1:27 am	8:18 pm	1:39 pm	Thu	7:59 am	1:21 am	8:25 pm	1:33 pm
Fri	8:40 am	2:09 am	9:07 pm	2:33 pm	Fri	8:47 am	2:03 am	9:14 pm	2:27 pm
Sat	9:30 am	2:51 am	9:56 pm	3:25 pm	Sat	9:37 am	2:45 am	10:03 pm	3:19 pm
Sun	10:20 am	3:32 am	10:47 pm	4:15 pm	Sun	10:27 am	3:26 am	10:54 pm	4:09 pm
Mon	11:12 am	4:13 am	11:40 pm	5:06 pm	Mon	11:19 am	4:07 am	11:47 pm	5:00 pm
Tue	12:07 pm	4:56 am	None	6:03 pm	Tue	12:14 pm	4:50 am	None	5:57 pm
Wed	12:35 am	5:41 am	1:04 pm	7:36 pm	Wed	12:42 am	5:35 am	1:11 pm	7:30 pm

### Almanac Last Week

Day	High	Low	Precip
8/28	69	62	1.92"
8/29	64	61	0.11"
8/30	72	61	0.00"
8/31	71	54	0.00"
9/1	70	54	0.00"
9/2	68	60	0.01"
9/3	71	61	0.12"



Tokens:  
11 for \$10.00  
60 for \$50.00

Total savings = \$12.00  
Total savings = \$70.00



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### Planets

	Rise	Set
Mercury	6:46 a.m.	7:28 p.m.
Venus	5:08 a.m.	6:42 p.m.
Mars	7:33 a.m.	7:44 p.m.
Jupiter	11:21 a.m.	9:33 p.m.
Saturn	4:04 a.m.	6:06 p.m.
Uranus	6:59 p.m.	6:13 a.m.
Neptune	5:53 p.m.	4:07 a.m.

### Sun/Moon Chart This Week

	Day	Sunrise	Sunset	Moonrise	Moonset	
Full 9/7	Thu 9/7	6:17 a.m.	7:09 p.m.	7:14 p.m.	5:52 a.m.	New 9/22
	Fri 9/8	6:18 a.m.	7:07 p.m.	7:38 p.m.	7:12 a.m.	
	Sat 9/9	6:19 a.m.	7:05 p.m.	8:03 p.m.	8:32 a.m.	
	Sun 9/10	6:20 a.m.	7:04 p.m.	8:29 p.m.	9:51 a.m.	
Last 9/14	Mon 9/11	6:21 a.m.	7:02 p.m.	9:00 p.m.	11:10 a.m.	First 9/30
	Tue 9/12	6:22 a.m.	7:00 p.m.	9:36 p.m.	12:28 p.m.	
	Wed 9/13	6:23 a.m.	6:58 p.m.	10:21 p.m.	1:41 p.m.	

### Weather History

**Sept. 7, 1970** - A lightning bolt struck a group of football players at Gibbs High School in St. Petersburg, Fla., killing two people and injuring 22 others. All of the 38 players and four coaches were knocked off their feet.

### Weather Trivia

What causes Earth's weather?

**Answer:** It is caused by the unequal heating of the earth's surface by the sun.

Visit the JHS Historic Home on tour Saturday, Sept. 9th from 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

**Sept. 8, 1988** - Eighteen cities in the south central and eastern U.S. reported record low temperatures for the date, including Roanoke, Va. with a reading of 42 degrees.

### Town Meetings

**Thursday, Sept. 7**  
7 p.m., Melrose school: a regular meeting of the School Committee.

**Monday, Sept. 11**  
7 p.m., library: a regular meeting of the Town Council.

**Tuesday, Sept. 12**  
7 p.m., Ft. Wetherill fish lab: monthly meeting of the Conservation Commission.

**Wednesday, Sept. 13**  
7 p.m., library: the Harbor Management Commission meets.

## Color level high in South and North ponds

**By Sam Bari**  
Public Works Director Steve Goslee recently told the Town Council, sitting as the Board of Water and Sewer Commissioners, that the color level in South Pond is twice as high as that in North Pond.

Due to the high color level as well as the reservoir level, no transfer pumping has been undertaken. Transfer pumping from South Pond reservoir would only serve to worsen the high color in North Pond reservoir, the main source of the municipal water system.

Goslee also reported that wells JR-1 and JR-3 are operational. His report said that one well is used at a time and produces approximately 50 gallons of water per minute. The well water adds alkalinity to the treatment process and improves chemical conditioning prior to filtration, he said.

Although the aeration system is operational, the color level remains significantly above average again this month due to the major rain events that have occurred. Goslee's report said that the recent dry spell may help in reducing the color level.

The treatment plant ran at 96 percent efficiency for turbidity removal this month, according to Goslee's report. Although the color level does not affect the color of the water at the consumer level, the high color level in the reservoir adds a substantial organic load to the filtration system and makes it work harder. This additional load translates into higher dosages of coagulant chemicals, which shortens filter running time and reduces efficiency.

Goslee also reported that the state Coastal Resources Management Council application for the new water treatment facility is complete and being reviewed by CRMC staff. The application has been advertised and distributed as part of the 30-day public notice. In his report, Goslee said that he thinks it "appropriate for the Board to provide a letter or resolution in support of the project to CRMC as part of the comment process. A date for the hearing will be set after the close of the comment period."

## Island Calendar

- Thursday Sept. 7**
- Lecture on dealing with grief, St. Matthew's church, 10 a.m.
  - Yoga with Rose Russo, golf course, 8:25-9:40, fee.
  - Alcoholics Anonymous, St. Matthew's church, 5:30 p.m.
  - Community Farm volunteer hours, 6 to dusk.
  - Gamblers Anonymous, St. Lucy's Church, Middletown, 8 p.m.
- Friday Sept. 8**
- Moderate yoga with Kim Chandler, golf course, 8:30 a.m., fee.

- Senior bowling, Senior Center, 9 a.m., \$3.
  - Alcoholics Anonymous, St. Matthew's church, 5 p.m.
- Saturday Sept. 9**
- Alcoholics Anonymous, PAC, 9 a.m.
  - Community Farm volunteer hours, 9 to noon.
  - Thrift Shop, St. Matthew's church, 9:30-11:30 a.m., 423-1762.
  - JHS house tour, 170 Walcott Ave., \$15.
  - Sacrament of Reconciliation, St. Mark Church, 4:30-5 p.m.
  - Weekend Mass, St. Mark Church, 5 p.m.

- Sunday Sept. 10**
- Sunday services, St. Matthew's church, 8 a.m. and 9:30 a.m.
  - Sunday Mass, St. Mark Church, 8:30 and 10 a.m.
  - Knights of Columbus Krispy Kreme fund-raiser, St. Mark Church, after masses.
  - Interval training with Sandra Stewart, golf course, 9 a.m.
  - Sunday worship, Central Baptist Church, 9:30 a.m.
  - Sunday service Jamestown Chapel, Senior Center 9:30 a.m., Sunday school at 11 a.m.

- Alcoholics Anonymous, St. Matthew's church, 4:30 p.m.
- Monday Sept. 11**
- Quononoquott Garden Club meets, St. Matthew's parking lot, 9 a.m.
  - Alanon meeting, PAC downstairs, 6 p.m.
  - Pilates, golf course, 6 p.m., fee.
  - Jamestown Community Chorus rehearsal, Central Baptist Church, 7 p.m.
  - Tai chi, golf course, 7-8:15 p.m., fee.
- Tuesday Sept. 12**
- Yoga with Rose Russo, golf course, 8:25-9:40, fee.
  - Thrift Shop, St. Matthew's church, 9:30-11:30 a.m., 423-1762.
  - Bridge, Pemberton Community Center, 1 p.m.
  - Alcoholics Anonymous, St. Matthew's church, 5:15 p.m.
  - Moderate yoga with Kim Chandler, golf course, 5:30 p.m., fee.
  - Community Farm volunteer hours, 6 to dusk.
  - Jamestown Community Band rehearsal, PAC, 7 p.m.
  - Co-dependents Anonymous, St. Matthew's church, 7:30-9 p.m.

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- Wednesday Sept. 13**
- Alcoholics Anonymous, PAC, 7 a.m.
  - Pilates, golf course, 6 p.m., fee.
  - Bible study, Jamestown Chapel, 7:15 p.m., 423-0617.
- Thursday Sept. 14**
- Town Hall closed
  - Yoga with Rose Russo, golf course, 8:25-9:40, fee.
  - Alcoholics Anonymous, St. Matthew's Church, 5:30 p.m.
  - Community Farm volunteer hours, 6 to dusk.
  - Gamblers Anonymous, St. Lucy's Church, Middletown, 8 p.m.

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