

## About Town

### Tap your toes at Holiday concert

The Jamestown Community Band, under the direction of Sarah Geremia, will hold its annual Christmas concert next Tuesday, Dec. 4, at the Portuguese American Citizens' Club on Narragansett Avenue.

The concert will start at 7 p.m., and the band will play a mixture of traditional and favorite Christmas tunes.

The concert is an island favorite and is a great way to get into the holiday spirit.

The concert is free to attend, although donations are always welcome.

### Create a logo for the Teen Center

The Jamestown Teen Center is accepting submissions for a logo design for the official teen center name and logo. The deadline for submissions is 3 p.m. on Dec. 8, at the recreation office, 41 Conanicus Ave. This is a change from the original Dec. 1 deadline. The winner of the competition will win \$100 and their design will be used as the official teen center logo. The second and third place winners will receive \$30 and \$20 cash prizes.

All participants must be under 20 years of age and be a Jamestown resident. Artists may submit up to two designs and each submission must include the artist's name, age, school, and phone number. Designs should be no smaller than 3x3 inches and no larger than 8 x 11 inches. Artwork must be two-dimensional and can be hand drawn or digitally produced by computer. Designs can be in black and white, or color. All digital designs must be submitted on paper. All hand drawn designs

should be done in pen or marker, not pencil. Artists can include the "Jamestown Teen Center" in the artwork, create a new name for the space, or just submit a drawing. For more information, contact Melissa Minto at 423-7260 or email james-townteens@yahoo.com

table at the Holiday Craft Fair. Select from articles reflecting the beauty, functions, and lore of lighthouses, including giftware, apparel, holiday greeting cards, books, children's items, and more at the Melrose School.

The Halls of the Beavertail Lighthouse Museum will be decked out in the motifs of the season and the sea to celebrate the holidays in lighthouse style on Sunday, Dec. 2, from 12 to 3 p.m., at Beavertail Lighthouse.

Refreshments will be served and the gift shop will be open, offering visitors an array of small gifts and mementoes of Conanicus Island's historic lighthouse and national landmark.

### Museum craft fair this weekend

Beavertail Lighthouse Museum Association will be taking part in the holiday festivities this weekend

On Saturday, Dec 1 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m, visit the Beavertail Lighthouse Museum Association's

### Downing named editor at the Press



Adrienne Downing has been appointed editor of the Jamestown Press. She succeeds Donna Drago, who has retired.

Originally from Maryland, Downing has lived in seven different states and one foreign country as a military wife.

Downing started her career as a freelance writer covering Major League Baseball for several magazine and newspaper publications, but she has always had a penchant for community news.

She was previously a sports reporter and editor for the Desert News Group in Southern California and was the sports writer and editor for the Press before assuming her current position.

Downing is an active mem-

ber of the North Kingstown High School and Jamestown parent-teacher groups and is a board member of the NKHS Booster Club. She is an avid sports fan, cook and skier.

Her husband, Lance, is a lieutenant in the U.S. Navy and is stationed with the Officer Training Command in Newport. They have three children: Caitlin, a sophomore at North Kingstown High School, Connor, a seventh grader at Lawn Avenue School, and Ryan, a second grader at Melrose Avenue School.

Drago served as editor of the Jamestown Press for nearly two years and was previously a reporter for the Press for nine years. She is planning to write a column for the Press starting in 2008. She said her retirement plans include travel, gardening and serving the community.

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