

## ABOUT TOWN

### Art show continues through Sunday

The Conanicut Island Art Association (CIAA) show continues daily from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. through Sunday, Aug. 24, at the Jamestown Recreation Center.

The Recreation Center is located at 41 Conanicus Ave., opposite the Jamestown waterfront.

### Free concert tonight at East Ferry

Dead Blues Society presents a free concert of their unique interpretation of rock and blues at East Ferry Memorial Square in Jamestown tonight, Thursday, Aug. 21, at 6:30 p.m.

Bring lawn chairs or blankets and enjoy an evening of music on the water. More information about the band can be found at their website, [www.deadblues.com](http://www.deadblues.com).

The rain date for this event is Tuesday, Aug. 26.

### Taste tomato varieties at Casey Farm market

The Coastal Growers Farmers Market at Casey Farm in Saundertown will host the fourth annual Heirloom Tomato Tasting this Saturday from 9 a.m. to noon. Visitors will be able to sample dozens of heirloom tomato varieties. In addition, there will be chef demonstrations by Joe Hafner of

Gracie's and Matt Jennings of La Laiterie, a silent auction of goods and services from Coastal Grower Vendors, music, live alpacas, and lots of fun for the whole family

The Coastal Growers Market is a top-quality produce market with vendors supplying local produce, shellfish, lobster, sweet corn, peaches, apples, pesto, cheeses, pastured poultry and pork, grass-fed beef and lamb, baked breads, cut flowers, and quality crafts.

Visit [www.coastalmarket.org](http://www.coastalmarket.org) for more information.

### Military families' ice cream social

The Jamestown Military Spouses Group will hold a "Welcome to Jamestown" ice cream social tomorrow, Friday, Aug. 22, at 2 p.m. at 830 East Shore Rd.

New military families, Jamestown families who volunteered to be pen pals for the incoming group, or anyone who wants to meet the newcomers is invited to attend.

For more information or to RSVP, contact Julie Bailey at 560-0112.

### Men's chorus show coming Aug. 30

The Men's Chorus of Jamestown will present its 16th annual summer concert on Saturday, Aug. 30, at 7:30 p.m.

The 20-member chorus is directed by founder B.J. Whitehouse, and will feature an eclectic blend of different musical styles.

The concert is billed as "The Men's Chorus Greatest Hits!" It has been culled from previous concerts with a few new twists. One of the highlights of the program will be an arrangement of the jazz standard "When Sunny Gets Blue," by Sam Bari. This arrangement was written for the Men's Chorus.

The concert will be at the Recreation Center across from the East Ferry waterfront at 41 Conanicus Ave.

Tickets are available at the door at \$5 for general admission. Call 423-1574 for ticket reservations and for further information check the web page at [www.jamestownri.com/ifdss/men](http://www.jamestownri.com/ifdss/men).

### Join St. Mark Church for annual Summer Fair

Don't miss St. Mark Church's annual Summer Fair this Saturday, Aug. 23, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. An outdoor auction will start at 11 a.m.

There will be children's games, great raffle prizes, a bake sale table.

The food stand will include local favorites such as sausage and peppers, doughboys and chowder.



### Freedom of speech

Protestors recently stood on Narragansett Avenue to protest the United States' policies on immigration.

Photo by Andrea von Hohenleiten

### Meet new friends at Back to School night

The Jamestown Teen Center will host a back to school night for all students entering grades 9 through 12 tonight, Thursday, Aug. 21, from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. at the Teen Center.


Incoming freshmen can meet other students from their schools. North Kingstown High School, the Prout School, Met School, and all others are welcome. Free popcorn and pizza will be served.

Contact Debbie at 423-7261 or email [jamestownteens@yahoo.com](mailto:jamestownteens@yahoo.com) for more information.

### Visit the school Web site for changes to the bus schedule


There were revisions to the local school bus run schedule after it was printed in the Jamestown Press last week. For updated information, visit the school Web site at [www.jamestownri.com/school](http://www.jamestownri.com/school) and click on the bus run link under general links on the home page.

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