

Age-Friendly Sullivan Livable Communities, **AGENDA**  
 Wednesday, June 5, 2024, 9a-10a, at **Sullivan Town Office**

	Topic	Discussion	Action
8:30am	Refreshments / Social	Meeting will begin at 9am; Alice, Barbara, Jeanne, Cynthia, Diana, Andrea, Christina, Beth, Candy, Don, Misty, Michael, Yvette, Ray, Anne	Regrets: (guest Sherry Billings)
9am	Amended Agenda: Yvette Grindle, Town Clerk	65+ Absentee Ballot: new opportunity for 65+ or disability, fill out form, keep copy on file - automatically send absentee ballot to them - ballot requests by 5p. 6/6 for 6/11 election. Forms available at the Town Office. Yvette distributed to those in attendance.	June 11th Election
	Michael Carroll, EAAA, 240 State Street, Brewer <a href="http://www.eaaa.org">www.eaaa.org</a> <a href="mailto:mcarroll@eaaa.org">mcarroll@eaaa.org</a> 207.941.2865	Senior Community Service program; current role supporting community between EAAA, AFS, helping residents to partake in services, continued funding. Furry Companion monthly; discussion of local training on 6 week "Powerful Tools for Caregivers"; Yvette to ask her sister (RN Educator) if she would be interested in facilitating a group in Sullivan.	EAAA Programs: application forms to town office
	Guest Speaker:	Sherry Billings, Executive Director, Habitat for Humanity (missed meeting due to family emergency)	
	Current Discussion & Project Updates:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Livable Communities - AI/Tech (see 15 Things You Didn't Know Your iPhone Could Do) <a href="https://www.nytimes.com/wirecutter/reviews/iphone-tips-tricks/?campaign_id=190&amp;emc=edit_ufn_20240604&amp;instance_id=125342&amp;nl=from-the-times&amp;regi_id=71848673&amp;segment_id=168682&amp;te=1&amp;user_id=e8d4863a82003ebec1d46da06fbf692c">https://www.nytimes.com/wirecutter/reviews/iphone-tips-tricks/?campaign_id=190&amp;emc=edit_ufn_20240604&amp;instance_id=125342&amp;nl=from-the-times&amp;regi_id=71848673&amp;segment_id=168682&amp;te=1&amp;user_id=e8d4863a82003ebec1d46da06fbf692c</a></li> <li>* Music in the park series discussion Weds 7/10 - 8/14: AFS provide water on ice (cooler);</li> <li>* Welcome to Sullivan tote bags; encourage advertising for additions to tote bags</li> </ul>	

	Financial	Community Connector pilot project \$20k - start Sept 2024; mini grants; Assisted Ride Software (\$2k/year)	
	Community Organization Updates:	<p>Frenchman's Bay Library - open Mondays &amp; Saturdays 10-2p; Tues &amp; Thurs 1-5p; ILL temporary on hold statewide; StoryTrail open this weekend; reading program 1st &amp; 3rd Mondays; informational meeting about June 11th election last night - generated good conversation/shared ideas &amp; clarification, looking for volunteers, 6/18 5:30p informational meeting re: Annual Town meeting; Andy's writing workshop; 6/29 needle craft exchange</p> <p>Sorrento-Sullivan Historical Society - Museum 6/15: Sats 1-3p, Tues 2-4 / Museum officially Opens (also by appointment); 6/25: 6:30p Annual meeting &amp; 7pm Dr. Dwayne Tomah on Preserving the Language (excellent program) 1800's cylinders recorded. @ Rec Center - in person program</p> <p>Sullivan-Sorrento Recreation Center - Annual 6/20th 5:30; every adult in Sorrento &amp; Sullivan member; review budget/adopt new budget; new members/officers; Reserved 6/18 hall for Library meeting to diffuse Annual Town meeting calendars</p> <p>Farmstead Barn Art Show: 6/15 &amp; 6/16 Show 10a-4p; Artist Reception 6/16 1-4p</p>	
	RSU#24 opportunities:	<a href="https://rsu24.maineadulted.org/classes/">https://rsu24.maineadulted.org/classes/</a>	

Civic Engagement:	<p>6/05: 6pm Infrastructure Committee meeting          6/06: 5pm Planning Board meeting          6/10: 5pm Sullivan Select Board meeting  <b>6/11: 8a-8p ELECTION</b> - Maine State Primary; RSU#24 validation; Select Board write-in candidate; cannabis referendum          6/12: 6pm Comp Plan meeting - <i>(Alice C.) we will be talking about housing in our next comprehensive plan meeting on June 12th. The plan is to begin to determine Sullivan's housing goals and then strategies for achieving those goals in the future. I want to pass this message along to anyone that is interested in the subject!</i>          6/13: 5pm Parks &amp; Recreation Committee meeting          6/18: 6pm Sullivan Daze meeting - (Misty G) <i>so many new events, Gordon's Wharf as venue, Tracey's lobster there, arrange boat rides (or video of boat ride), Michelle Shores (author of The Gathering Room / Nelly Butler) conversation - prequel Blaisdell family; Sumner Park - 5k race, parade at 10am, judging floats at Rec Center, 2 bands playing all afternoon, little parent costumes, Sullivan "Sings" (Idol - younger &amp; older group); pie eating contest, Breakfast at Rec Center, Car Show, parking at Hasting's property, only handicap parking around park, goats at the park, bounce houses, raffle Contact info: 706.799.4126</i>  <b>6/24: 6pm Annual Town Meeting, SS Rec Center</b></p>	
Announcements/Updates	<p>6/04: EAAA Food Distribution - applications at Town Office          6/18: Birthday Cards - 11:45a Town Office          Tues/Thurs: 10:30-11:30 Bone Builders - openings available</p>	
Next meeting (in-person):	<p>7/3/24: <b>NO MEETING — HAPPY SUMMER!</b>          8/7/24: open          9/4/24: Barbara Shanahan, Schoodic Scenic Byway          11/6/24: Gianna Settin, Sorrento Reiki</p>	