**THE BOZRAH SENIOR CENTER IS CLOSED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE**

Meals on Wheels program is currently on hold for new sign-ups. The program IS running for those currently signed up. There is a waiting list for anyone who would like to sign-up.

Contact PAM CONTINO (860-917-5672) if you would like to be put on the waiting list.

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**FIRST SELECTMAN’S CORNER**

The Town Hall is closed to general public access to reduce the amount of exposure to the employees and the public.

The playscapes at the school and the recreation field are closed, along with the basketball courts.

The food bank is available to Bozrah residents, call in your needs to me (860-367-1071) prior to Thursday and pick up at the town hall, Thursday, between 3:00 and 6:00 P.M.

Street sweeping is in full swing, picking up the sand from the road that was put down this winter.

Paving activities around the Gilman fiber board factory are progressing.

We won’t have a Memorial Day parade this year, and I have not had any support for the small flag ceremony at the town hall, so that is cancelled also.

We are working on a plan to open the town hall to the public so that when the Governor lifts the stay at home orders we will be ready.

On Saturday, the Bozrah Farmers Market will hold its first drive-thru farmers market from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Customers in cars will stop at one stand at a time to buy or pick-up previously ordered items.

The state has a Business Recovery Center website and if you are reopening your business they want you to self-certify that you will be following the rules.

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**BUDGET APPROVAL CYCLE**

1) The Budget meetings are proceeding at what seems to be a normal pace. The BOF has asked for cuts to keep or reduce the mil rate and both the BOS and BOE are working hard to comply.

2) The next BOF meeting is Wednesday, May 27th. The revised budgets for the Board of Education, Board of Selectman, and Capital will be posted on the website prior to the meeting. If you have comments, email Mike O’Connor at: moconnor@bozrahct.org

3) During the budget approval process, the Board of Selectman will meet, in accordance with the Governor’s Executive Order, and they will authorize the Board of Finance to approve the budgets instead of a town meeting or referendum. This is required to avoid large gatherings of people, again for everyone’s safety.

4) Once the Board of Finance has considered all of the variables and are satisfied with the budgets, they will approve the budget.

5) The Board of Finance will approve a mill rate for property taxes in the upcoming year. The current mill rate of 27.5 mills has been in place for the last two fiscal years. Three years ago it was 28.5 mills and four years ago it was 27.5 mills.
PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE PRIMARIES
DATE CHANGE TO AUGUST 11, 2020

THE DATE OF THE PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE PRIMARIES FOR THE DEMOCRATIC AND REPUBLICAN PARTIES HAS CHANGED AND WILL NOW BE HELD ON AUGUST 11, 2020 FROM 6:00 A.M. TO 8:00 P.M. AT FIELDS MEMORIAL SCHOOL.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT THE REGISTRARS OF VOTERS AT: ROV@BOZRHAHCT.ORG OR 860-889-2689 X2.

BOZRAH MOOSE LODGE
115 Fitchville Road
Fish & Chip Night
Friday, May 15, 2020 from 5-7:30 PM
Take Out Only
Drive up, place your order, and we will bring it out to you!

Fish-n-Chips $10
Sea Scallops chips & coleslaw $15
Clam Strip Dinner chips & coleslaw $8
Fish Sandwich $5
Jimmy’s Clam Fritters (6) $5
RI Clam Chowdah (cup) $4

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Animal Control Officer
860-774-1253

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Have a great week Carl Zorn