

**Thursday, June 23 - John Greene**

***Through a Cartographer's Eye, the 1779 Battle for Fort George (Castine)***

Special invitees the Mussel Ridge Historical Association will open the historic Old Homestead next door following the program for interested visitors.

A former adoption attorney, John retired in 2018 to enjoy his time in Owls Head and Annapolis, MD. He has studied and collected antique maps for over 40 years and is former president of the Washington Map Society. His sizable map collection is now in the permanent map collection of the John Hopkins University.



The battle John will discuss was a historically significant Revolutionary battle on the Penobscot Peninsula, (Castine) between a British Armada and flotilla of American vessels. It is considered the worst naval defeat in US history prior to WW II's Pearl Harbor. Through using one of the early printed maps of the assault published in 1785, he will offer some insight into mapping and what the map tells us about early mapping.

**457 Ash Pt. Drive, Owls Head**

**Thursday, July 21 - David Butwin**

***My most meaningful travel experiences – from Belfast, Ireland to Afghanistan and Ukraine***

St. Paul native, David Butwin has written widely on travel, sports, lifestyle and humor for a wide variety of national publications and is the author of two memoirs. He also writes locally for The Free Press, having had many front page stories published on his experiences. David and his wife, Pamela, live in Leonia, NJ, and Owls Head, ME. Across the mid-coast summer he can be seen almost daily walking to Crescent Beach or Owls Head Light beach, or dropping into the Owls Head Library two days a week to fetch another book or two.

**89 Makers Cove Rd., Owls Head**



**Thursday, August 18 - Tess Gerritson**

***What do medicine, pigs and books all have in common?***

Physician. Prolific author. Inspiration for popular TV show.

Film producer and director. Mean fiddle player. Tess Gerritson is many things – all of them fascinating! Tess will share her journey, her process and what she learned making her latest film, *Magnificent Beast* about – what else? Pigs!!

**86 Lucia Beach Rd., Owls Head**



**SATURDAY September 17 - Linda Nesbit Cortright**

***Around The World in 60 Minutes (or less)***

Please join magazine editor, author, photographer and tour leader, Linda Cortright as she shares highlights (and lowlights) from her years spent traveling the globe. Often hilarious, occasionally dangerous, Cortright's stories have been entertaining readers for decades as she hunkers down with nomads in the High Himalayas and dubious VIPs in Afghanistan. It's all in a day's work.

For more about Linda & her work, visit [www.wildfibersmagazine.com](http://www.wildfibersmagazine.com)

**115 N. Shore Drive, Owls Head**



The second season of our Garden Gatherings program sees an expansion of the dates, thanks to a generous grant from the American Library Association.

Garden Gatherings is a Covid safe celebration of community, conversations and the Maine life we are so fortunate to enjoy.

Gatherings are usually the third Thursday of each month, June through September, with an inclement weather date the same day & time the following week. **All gatherings will be from 4-6 pm.**

Donations encouraged. Simple refreshments served. BYOC (bring your own chair or blanket, if possible).

RSVP's requested but not required to: [owlsheadvillagelibrary@gmail.com](mailto:owlsheadvillagelibrary@gmail.com)

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