



The Jerdone Islander

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Annual Assessments

POA lot/slip assessments were sent out in February and are due by March 31 to avoid a late fee. If you did not receive your notice please let the board know at theboard@jerdoneisland.org.

Fire Hazard

It's that time of year again. The Virginia statewide burn law went into effect on February 15 and runs through April 30. This law applies to outdoor burning within 300 feet of woods or dry grass between the hours of midnight and 4:00 PM. Although we have had recent snow, ice, and rain we are still in a drought condition and things may dry out quickly.



Water Level

The water level in the lake is starting to rise again. Check the ties on your boat if it's still in the water.

Common Area Locks

If you have been to the common area you know that there are multiple locks on the gate. Do you understand what they are? Obviously one of them (C) is the lock that you open if you want to enter the area. The gray lock (A) belongs to the electric company and the red lock (B) belongs to the Fire and EMS departments.



Any one of these locks should release the chain to allow access. For this reason it is important to connect the locks as shown in the picture. If you connect them incorrectly you may be preventing access in an emergency.



HELLO March



Winter Farmers Markets are open through April the first and third Saturdays from 8:00 a.m. to Noon at VFW Post 8947 (201 Mineral Ave, Mineral). Visit mineralmarket.org for more information.

Friday Lenten Fish Dinners will be served at St Jude Catholic Church, 1937 Davis Highway in Mineral on Feb. 27 and March 6, 13, 20, 27. The menu is a choice of baked fish, fried fish or fried shrimp. Also included are: hushpuppies, a choice of two sides (homemade coleslaw, homemade macaroni and cheese, applesauce or French fries); choice of coffee, iced tea and lemonade; and a homemade dessert. Carry out from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. Eat in from 4:30 p.m. to 7 p.m. For more information call 540-894-4266

BINGO Night sponsored by Belmont Club of Women will be held from 6:00 to 8:30 p.m. at the Belmont Community Center, 7124 Belmont Road, Mineral on March 20, April 17, May 15 and June 19. Doors open at 5:00 p.m. Proceeds support local scholarships, local charities and the Belmont Community Center. For more information, contact Anne Corbin at 540-219-3646 or corbinanne@gmail.com.

Grief Support Group Sessions will be offered at St. James Episcopal Church (102 Ellisville Drive, Louisa) on Thursdays, March 12, April 16 and May 14, from 10:30 a.m. to Noon. These groups are for those who have suffered and are still struggling with grief and loss. All are welcome.

AARP Louisa Chapter 3049 meets at 2:00 p.m. on the second Wednesday of the month in the Social Hall of the Louisa United Methodist Church (100 E Main Street, Louisa). The entrance to the hall is on the Woolfolk Ave. side of the building. For those members that have trouble with stairs there is a lift (to the left as you face the stairs). All residents age 50 and older are welcome.

Fun for Creative Minds meets monthly each 3rd Tuesday from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. at the Louisa County Library (881 Davis Hwy, Mineral). Gather together to play parlor games, join in discussions, explore creative writing, and read and write short scripts. No writing or acting experience necessary. Suitable for 18 and older.

Write In Louisa invites all writers and aspiring writers 18+ to join them at Louisa Arts Center (212 Fredericksburg Avenue, Louisa) the first Wednesday of the month from 2:00 to 3:30 p.m. Enjoy writing prompts, guest speakers, activities and more as you connect with a welcoming community of creative neighbors. Come to write or just come to listen. For more information, email writeinlouisa@gmail.com or visit louisaarts.org/write-in-louisa.

Louisa Hearth & Herb Guild meets at the Sargeant Museum, 214 Fredericksburg Ave., Louisa, on the first Thursday of the month from 10:00 a.m. to Noon. The Guild is a group of gardening and hearth cook enthusiasts committed to herbal and horticultural education and bringing Louisa County history to life through hands-on experiences, while supporting the museum. Members of the public are always welcome to join, and Guild meetings are open to all. For more information, visit www.louisahistory.org.

Fiber Guild meets at the Sargeant Museum (214 Fredericksburg Ave., Louisa) on the second Saturday of each month 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. This group of fiber arts fans takes on textiles and textile tools throughout the ages while supporting museum programs and assisting in teaching a new generation in traditional textiles. Bring your wheel, knitting, crocheting or any other fiber activity and take a seat with them. For more information, visit www.louisahistory.org.

Louisa Leadshare Group will meet March 3 from 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at 134 Wood Ridge Terrace Suite 100, Zion Crossroads. Louisa Leadshare is a professional networking organization where individuals from a variety of industries come together to exchange quality leads and build meaningful business relationships. For more information, call 703-929-5990.

Easter Eggstravaganza will be held March 28 at 208 Fredericksburg Avenue, Louisa, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. The event will feature egg hunts, bounce houses, egg toss competitions, sack races, a petting zoo and more. Egg hunt schedule is as follows: 10:00 a.m., Sensory; 10:30 a.m., 0-2 years old; 10:45 a.m., 3-5 years old; 11:00 a.m., 6-8 years old; 11:30 a.m., 9-11 years old.

Places To Go

Local Venues:

Louisa Arts Center: <https://www.tix.com/ticket-sales/louisaartslist/7011>

Tim's at Lake Anna - 200 Boardwalk Way, Mineral

The Cove Restaurant - 6320 Belmont Road, Mineral

Callie Opie's Orchard Restaurant Event Barn - 4533 Zachary Taylor Highway, Mineral

Cooling Pond Brewery - 4411 Zachary Taylor Highway, Mineral

Coyote Hole / Lake Anna Brewery - 225 Oak Grove Drive, Mineral

Lake Anna Taphouse - 208 Lake Front Drive, Mineral

Lake Anna Winery - 5621 Courthouse Road, Spotsylvania

Log Home Brewing Company - 5727 Courthouse Road, Spotsylvania

Vito's Lounge - 200 Lake Front Drive, Mineral

Everleigh Vineyards and Brewing Company - 9845 Jefferson Highway, Mineral

Fifty-Third Winery and Vineyard - 13372 Shannon Hill Road, Louisa

Southern Revere Cellars - 1100 E. Jack Jouett Road, Louisa

Chateau MerrillAnne - 16234 Marquis Road, Orange

Other Venues:

Riverside Theater: <https://www.riversidedt.com/box-office>

John Paul Jones Arena: <https://www.johnpauljonesarena.com/events>

Altria Theater: <https://www.altriatheater.com/events>

The Birchmere Alexandria: <https://www.birchmere.com/calendar/>

Virginia Repertory Theater: <https://va-rep.org/calendar/>

Do you have some news or events to share? Email us at theboard@jerdoneisland.org with a subject line of "newsletter" or post it in the non affiliated public Jerdone Island Lake Anna Facebook group which is privately administered.