

Special Events Annual Report 2015

The primary purpose of the Special Events Committee is to organize events outside the classroom to educate, entertain and encourage social interaction and fun.

Our Current Committee:

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May 2014 Harbor Walk outing to learn about Belfast's historic waterfront began with presentations by the Belfast historical Society on the waterfront's history and by the Belfast Planning Board about the present and future. The walking part of the tour included a visit with the harbormaster, a quick tasting at the Marshall Wharf Brewery and a talking tour of Front Street Shipyard.

October 2014 - Blue Hill & Deer Isle Exploring Day! The Jonathan Fisher House and Nervous Nellie's Jams and Jellies where there is a Wooded Wonderland to explore!

Feb 2015 Gilbert & Sullivan's "Yeoman of the Guard by the Gilbert & Sullivan Society of Maine at the Grand Theater in Ellsworth.

March 2015 Visit to Duck Trap Foods, in Belfast, state of the art processors of smoked salmon & Windsor Chairmakers, in Lincolnville, manufacturers of shaker inspired furniture.

June 2015 An afternoon cruise with Captain Lance Meadows onboard the 96 foot long gaff-rigged two masted schooner Timberwind.

August 2015 Lakewood Theater production of Nice Work If You Can Get It. On the weekend of his marriage a Jazz-Age playboy finds himself surrounded by bootleggers, rumrunners, chorus girls, politicians, and gold diggers all to the memorable tunes and lyrics of George and Ira Gershwin. It is 1927.

October 2015 Exploring Unity will be a visit to Unity College for a presentation on their environmental programs and a visit to their "green" dormitory. The trip will also include presentations by the Maine Farmland Trust and walking tour of MOFGA.

Trips being considered:

- Gilbert & Sullivan at the Grand in Ellsworth
- State House and Maine State Museum