

# 375<sup>th</sup> SC Meeting Agenda

- Chair/VC Report
- Vice Chair Reports
- Open Discussion
- Next meeting: 17  
January 5 PM



# Chair/Vice Chair Report

- Polar Dive
  - People
  - Supporters – Thanks
- Contacts:
  - ✓ WADK – 28 Dec Business Show
  - ✓ RING and Navy Bands
  - ✓ Request for TC support
- New SC Members:
  - Nancy Wilson – Preservation Advisor
  - Mike Paglierani – Historical Society Advisor
- Gary:
  - Lord Mayor's Office, RWU, GMH, other



# Polar Dive Supporters

- The Beach House
- Clement's
- Rocco's
- Portsmouth Abby Dining Room
- Duncan Donuts
- North End Pizza
- Food Works
- Carmela's
- Reidy's
- China Gourmet
- Custom Coffee House
- Chase's Pizza
- New China
- Fieldstones
- 15 Point Road
- Steve's Famous Pizza



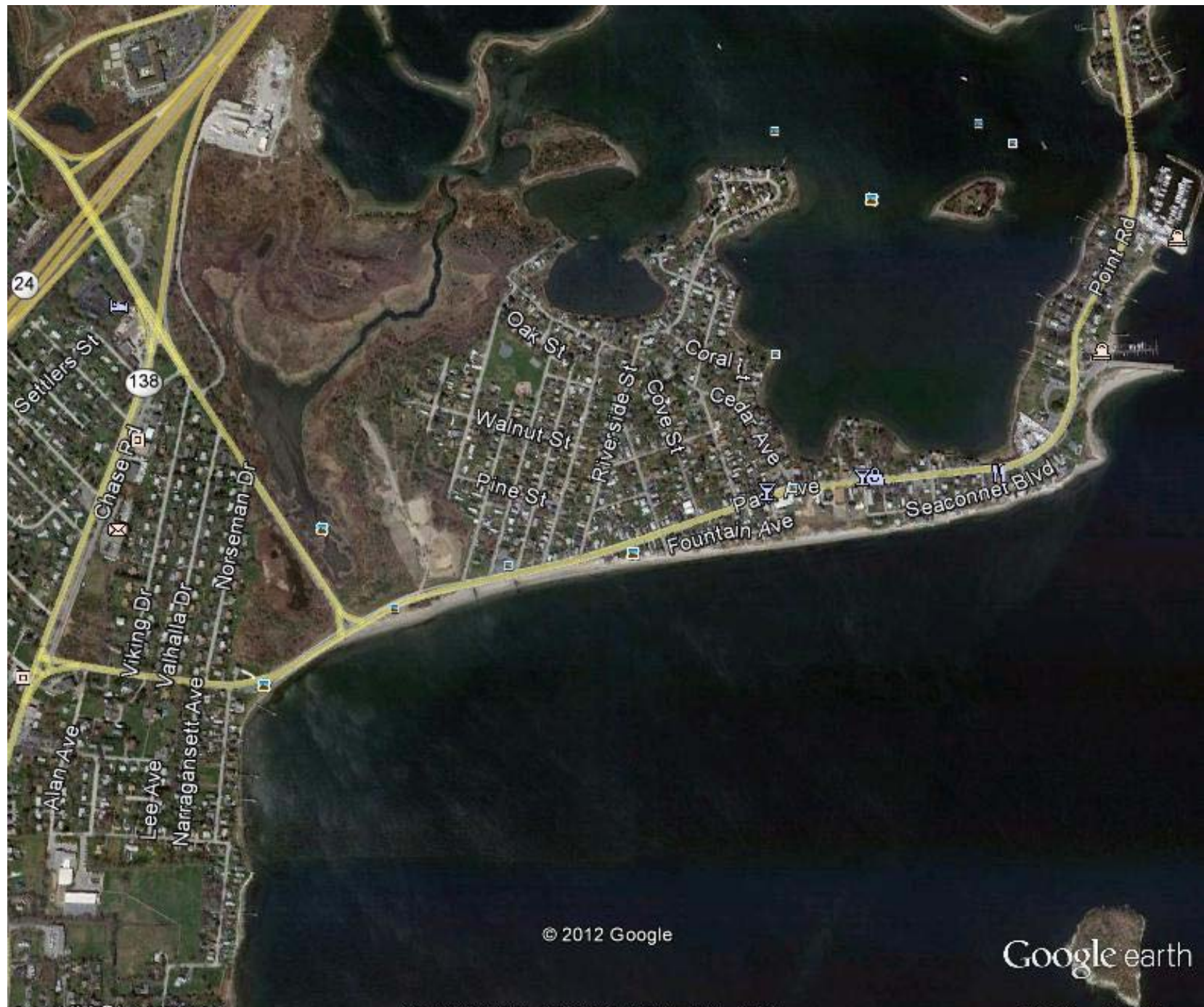
# 375<sup>th</sup> Labor Day Weekend Planning

- Labor Day weekend 2013
  - Thursday 29 Aug: GMH 375<sup>th</sup> Reception (Sponsor? Music?)
    - GMH Authority to request exception at January TC meeting
    - GMH Friends Meeting on 30 Jan
  - Friday 30 Aug: Greenvale 375<sup>th</sup> Wine Tasting event
    - Greenvale will provide music?
  - Saturday 31 Aug:
    - AM Parade down Park Ave. Island Park
    - PM BF Town Common Newport Arty Co. Cannon exchange, Polo match
  - Sunday 1 Sep:
    - AM Ecumenical Service at Founders Brook?
    - PM Chicken Barbeque/Square Dance Glen Park?

# Parade Planning Committee

- **Parade Organization meeting: 2 PM on 12 Jan at Wardwell residence.**
- **Currently identifying Veterans Organizations for participation including the RI National Guard.**
- **Primary goals for now include:**
  - **Establish Parade Route, Staging Area and Disbursement area.**
  - **Form Primary Committee includes but not limited to:**
    - **President/Society Chairperson**
    - **Media Chair**
    - **Parade Chair**
    - **Safety Chair**
    - **Volunteer Chair**
- **Contact made with local Fire, Safety and Town Administrator for advice in these areas especially, insurance liability.**
- **WE NEED VOLUNTEERS: If you are willing to help on a committee or assume the Chair of the committee please advise George Wardwell [geoedna@aol.com](mailto:geoedna@aol.com) or Tel: (401) 619-3899.**
- **We also need an Island Park liaison to address community concerns and recommendations**

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Imagery Date: 4/2/2012

41°37'22.74" N 71°13'54.02" W elev 10 ft

Eye alt 6820 ft

# Events with Firm Dates

- Jan to Dec T Portsmouth Arts Guild—Fri, Sat and Sunday, various art events
- Jan. 1 H “Polar Dive for 375”
- Feb 23 T 3.75 K Winter Trail Walk at Melville Park
- March 7 H Portsmouth Compact Ceremony/Lecture
- Mar to Nov H Historical Lectures by Jim Garman
- March 30 T Easter Egg Hunt at the Brown House
- May 4 T Tour of Fort Butts/RIMAP
- May 18 T Restoration Celebration/375 Label premier at Greenvale Vineyard
- May 24 H Portsmouth Garden Club Memorial Day Wreath laying Legion Park
- May 26 T Exhibit at Ports. Historical Society
- June 2 T Prescott Farm tour/Portsmouth Abby Newport Restoration Society
- TBD June T Portsmouth Night at Pawsox/Rotary Club
- Jul 4 T Fireworks at Escobar Farm

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# Events with Firm Dates II

- Jul 15 T Genealogy and Researching Portsmouth's Early Residents
- Jul 17 T Portsmouth Resources—What We Have and How to Find It
- Jul 18 T American band Concert, GMH
- Jul 20 T Portsmouth Family Reunion
- 21 Jul T Friends of Anne Hutchinson Annual Meeting
- Aug 25 T RI 1<sup>st</sup> Regiment Ceremony at West Main Rd. Monument
- Aug 29 H Glen Manor House 375<sup>th</sup> reception
- Aug 30 H Greenvale 375<sup>th</sup> Wine Tasting
- Aug 31 H 375<sup>th</sup> Parade Island Park/Common Cannon firing/Polo
- Sep 1 H Chicken Barbeque/Square Dance Glen Park
- Sep 28 T Portsmouth High School Homecoming and 50<sup>th</sup>
- Oct 20 T Harvest Social at Ports. Historical Society
- Nov 2 T ALT 3.75K "Race for Open Space" IHO 375<sup>th</sup>?
- Nov 11 T Veteran's Day Ceremony with American Legion and VFW Posts
- Nov 17 T Prescott Farm Tour/Portsmouth Abby Newport Restoration Society
- Dec 7 T Holly Ball, GMH
- Dec 15 T Holiday Open House, GMH

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# Events



# Publicity and Advertising

1/4/2013 Agenda



- ***Transfer to GoDaddy host account***
  - *Looking for IT person*
  - *E-mail Outreach*
- ***Local Video Media***
  - *Eyewitness News at the Polar Dive*
  - *Ch 18 Polar Dive Video and PSA*
  - *Historical Tour Video*
  - *“Out-of-Towners” at Polar Dive*
- ***“Tour” Brochure - on line version***
- ***Liaison with Local Businesses***
- ***SC exposure***
  - *Civic Groups (Rotary, Am Legion, Garden Club, etc.)*
  - *Town- Sanctioned Committees*
- ***Publicize Next Major Event – Winter Walk at Melville***

# Portsmouth RI 375 Financial Statement

## 15 November 2012

<b>Summary - 15 November 2012</b>			
<b>Income</b>			
Total Contributions to date			\$ 9,750.00
Total Adv Fee - Tee Shirts			\$ 1,625.00
	Total		\$11,375.00
<b>Expenses</b>			
Office Expenses			\$ (200.76)
Fund Raising Cost			\$ (2,423.11)
	Total		\$ (2,623.87)
<b>Balance</b>			\$ 8,751.13

# Fundraising



# Other VC/Liaisons

- Technology: New tech person needed
- Town
- Business
  - Alex and Ani ?
  - Major Sponsor opportunities
    - 375<sup>th</sup> Reception at GMH 29 August – possibly PCU?
    - 375<sup>th</sup> Parade 31 August
    - Escobar 375<sup>th</sup> Fireworks display 4 July
    - Glen Park Chicken Barbeque/Square dance – 1 Sep
    - Other events?

# Open Discussion

- Additional Events/Commemorations?
  - Town ceremony on 7 March IHO Compact?
- Church/Religious liaison?
- Salve/RWU support?
- 375th support to PHS Band – Patches?
  - Fundraising goal of \$30,000. Can we help?
- Navy Band Event? - When?