



MAINE'S PUMPKIN TRAIL EVENT SCHEDULE - 2018

BOOTHBAY RAILWAY VILLAGE
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DAMARISCOTTA PUMPKINFEST & REGATTA
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MAINE MARITIME MUSEUM
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VISIT FREEPORT
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DAMARISCOTTA PUMPKINFEST'S "PUMPKINBOAT REGATTA" will be held at noon on Columbus Day, Monday, October 8, 2018
Damariscotta Pumpkinfest's events, (PARADE/DERBY/HURL/HUNT-DROP) will be held during Columbus Day Weekend: October 5-8, 2018.

Sunday, May 20

Seedling Sunday (Damariscotta Pumpkinfest – FREE Giant Pumpkin Plantlets)

9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Sponsors: Sysco – Northern New England / Hannaford Supermarket & Pharmacy
Pinkham's Plantation, 431 Biscay Road, Damariscotta

Saturday, September 8

Winslow Park - Lobsterman Triathlon & Aquabike

8:15 a.m. registration

(Fee: \$67.50 to \$210 per participant)

Sponsor: Visit Freeport

10 Winslow Park Way, Freeport, Maine

Maine Maritime Museum - Lighthouse Legends & Lore Cruise

2:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

(Members \$54 / non-members \$68 / age 6-12 \$44 / under 6 \$10)

Sponsor: Maine Maritime Museum

243 Washington Street, Bath, Maine

Saturday, September 15

Maine Maritime Museum - Lighthouse Legends & Lore Cruise

2:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

(Members \$54 / non-members \$68 / age 6-12 \$44 / under 6 \$10)

Sponsor: Maine Maritime Museum

243 Washington Street, Bath, Maine

Saturday, September 22

Wolfe's Neck Center - Fall on the Farm - Arts and Culture Weekend

10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Sponsor: Visit Freeport

184 Burnett Road, Freeport, Maine

Maine Maritime Museum - Lighthouse Legends & Lore Cruise

2:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

(Members \$54 / non-members \$68 / age 6-12 \$44 / under 6 \$10)

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243 Washington Street, Bath, Maine

Sunday, September 23

Wolfe's Neck Center - Fall on the Farm - Arts and Culture Weekend

10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Sponsor: Visit Freeport

184 Burnett Road, Freeport, Maine

Wolfe's Neck Center – Farm to Easel Invitational Art Auction with Frontier Café & Gather

3:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

\$60/person, includes all food and drinks

Sponsor: Visit Freeport

184 Burnett Road, Freeport, Maine

Thursday, September 27

Maine Maritime Museum – Bath Cemetery Tour

4:00 p.m.

(members \$25.50 / non-members \$32/ under 12 \$12)

Sponsor: Maine Maritime Museum

243 Washington Street, Bath, Maine

Friday, September 28

Wolfe's Neck Center - Fall on the Farm - Music Weekend

10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Sponsor: Visit Freeport

184 Burnett Road, Freeport, Maine

Saturday, September 29

Damariscotta Pumpkinfest - Volunteer Growers Weigh-off: \$2,500 Purse

7:00 a.m. drop-off for 10:00 a.m. event

Damariscotta Pumpkinfest - Pumpkin Derby: Pre-Registration

Sponsor: Sysco – Northern New England

Pinkham's Plantation, 431 Biscay Road, Damariscotta

Wolfe's Neck Center - Fall on the Farm - Music Weekend

10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Sponsor: Visit Freeport

184 Burnett Road, Freeport, Maine

Boothbay Railway Village – Family Harvest Days

10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. (\$14 adults / \$12 seniors / \$7 kids / free under 3)

Sponsor: Boothbay Railway Village

586 Wiscasset Road (Route 27), Boothbay, Maine

Maine Maritime Museum – Pints on the Pier (Brewfest)

5:00 – 7:30 p.m. (Adults only: members \$40 / non-members \$50 / at door \$55)

Sponsor: Maine Maritime Museum

243 Washington Street Bath, Maine

Wolfe's Neck Center - 22nd Annual Harvest Dance: Chris Ross & the North

6:00 p.m. (\$25 per person)

Sponsor: Visit Freeport

184 Burnett Road, Freeport, Maine

Sunday, September 30

Great Pumpkin Commonwealth (GPC) Official Weigh-off -

\$10,000 Total Purse + \$1,000 for NEW ME-State Record by ME-Grower

7:00 a.m. drop-off for 10:00 a.m. event

Sponsor: Sysco – Northern New England

Pinkham's Plantation, 431 Biscay Road, Damariscotta

Boothbay Railway Village – Family Harvest Days

10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. (\$14 adults / \$12 seniors / \$7 kids / free under 3)

Sponsor: Boothbay Railway Village

586 Wiscasset Road (Route 27), Boothbay, Maine

Freeport Historical Society – Annual Pettengill Farm Day

10:00 a.m. (Fee: \$2.00 - \$5.00)

Sponsor: Visit Freeport

Pettengill Road, Freeport, Maine

Wolfe's Neck Center - Fall on the Farm - Music Weekend

10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Sponsor: Visit Freeport

184 Burnett Road, Freeport, Maine

Thursday, October 4

Damariscotta Pumpkinfest - Giant Pumpkin Deployment

After 3:45 p.m.

Sponsor: King Eider's Pub

Main Street, Damariscotta & Newcastle

Maine Maritime Museum – Bath Cemetery Tour

5:00 p.m. (members \$25.50 / non-members \$32 / under 12 \$12)

Sponsor: Maine Maritime Museum

243 Washington Street, Bath, Maine

Friday, October 5

Damariscotta Pumpkinfest – Giant Pumpkin “Artists at Work” – All Day

Carving & Painting – Main Street, Damariscotta & Newcastle

Damariscotta Pumpkinfest - Pumpkinboat Building – All Day

Pinkham's Plantation, 431 Biscay Road, Damariscotta

Visit Freeport - 20th Annual Freeport Fall Festival

11:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. (FREE)

Sponsors: Visit Freeport / L. L.Bean

L.L.Bean & Freeport Village

Damariscotta Pumpkinfest - Pumpkin Derby Pit Crew – Axle Installation

12:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Sponsors: First National Bank / Newcastle Chrysler Dodge Jeep Ram Viper

First National Bank, 223 Main Street, Damariscotta

Kent Axell, Magician, Mind Reader & Mystic – Live from Las Vegas!

7:00 p.m. (\$5.00)

<https://www.kentaxell.com/>

Sponsor: The Lincoln Theater

The Lincoln Theater, 2 Theater Street, Damariscotta

Saturday, October 6

Central Lincoln County - YMCA Kid's Fun Run & Zombie Run

8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. Registration

9:15 a.m. Kid's Fun Run AND 9:30 a.m. Adult 5K Zombie Run

Sponsor: Central Lincoln County - YMCA

525 Main Street, Damariscotta

Damariscotta Pumpkinfest - Pumpkinboat Building – All Day
Pinkham's Plantation, 431 Biscay Road, Damariscotta

**Damariscotta Pumpkinfest - KidsZone AND
Kent Axell, Magician, Mind Reader & Mystic: “School of Magic & Wizardry”**

9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

(Magic School Fee: \$10 advance purchase/\$15 drop-in)

(<https://www.kentaxell.com/>)

Sponsor: Tidewater Telecom

DRA's Darrows Barn, Damariscotta

Boothbay Railway Village – 51ST Annual Fall Foliage Festival

9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

(Free to members & age 12 or under / \$4 non-members / \$5 train rides)

Sponsor: Boothbay Railway Village

586 Wiscasset Road (Route 27), Boothbay, Maine

Damariscotta Pumpkinfest - InfoZone

9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Sponsors: Newcastle Realty / Cheney Insurance / Newcastle Vacation Rentals

Water Street, Damariscotta

Damariscotta Pumpkinfest - Parking & Shuttle: Lincoln Academy & Great Salt Bay School

9:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. (Suggested donation \$1)

Sponsor: Lafayette Hotels – Boothbay Harbor

81 Academy Hill, Newcastle and 559 Main Street, Damariscotta

Damariscotta Pumpkinfest - The Queen of Pumpkins on Her Throne

Most Excellent Majesty, Katharina Keoughan

10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. AND 3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Sponsor: Lafayette Hotels – Boothbay Harbor

Main Street at Water Street, Damariscotta

Damariscotta Pumpkinfest - Buskers & Street Performers

10:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.

Sponsor: Renys – A Maine Adventure

Theater Street, Damariscotta

Damariscotta Pumpkinfest - Children's Story Hour & Crafts

10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

Sponsor: Skidompha Library

184 Main Street, Damariscotta

Damariscotta Pumpkinfest - Pumpkin Dessert Contest

10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. - Drop off entries for judging

1:15 p.m. - Results Announced/Tastings Sold

Sponsors: King Arthur Flour / Mexicali Blues

Skidompha Library, 184 Main Street, Damariscotta

Wolfe's Neck Center - Fall on the Farm - Harvest Weekend

10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Sponsor: Visit Freeport

184 Burnett Road, Freeport, Maine

Visit Freeport - 20th Annual Freeport Fall Festival

11:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. (FREE)

Sponsors: Visit Freeport / L. L.Bean

L.L.Bean & Freeport Village

L.L.Bean – 25th Annual Chowdah Challenge

11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

(\$10 fee to benefit Freeport Community Services)

Sponsors: Visit Freeport / L. L.Bean / Freeport Community Services

95 Main Street, Freeport, Maine

Metropolitan Opera - “Aida” – by Verdi *

11:45 a.m. – Pre-Opera talk by Morton Achter

1:00 p.m. – 4:35 p.m.

(\$25 adult / \$23 members / \$5 for 18 or under)

Sponsor: The Lincoln Theater

The Lincoln Theater, 2 Theater Street, Damariscotta

Damariscotta Pumpkinfest - Pumpkin Derby Pit Crew – Axle Installation

12:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Sponsors: First National Bank / Newcastle Chrysler Dodge Jeep Ram Viper

First National Bank, 223 Main Street, Damariscotta

Maine Maritime Museum - Lighthouse Legends & Lore Cruise

2:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

(members \$54 / non-members \$68 / age 6-12 \$44 / under 6 \$10)

Sponsor: Maine Maritime Museum

243 Washington Street, Bath, Maine

Official Damariscotta Pumpkinfest “Giant Pumpkin Parade”

2:15 p.m.

Sponsor: Sullivan Tire and Auto Service

Main Street, Newcastle & Damariscotta

Damariscotta Pumpkinfest - Pumpkin Pie Eating Contests

Immediately after the Parade (Separate “Under 12” and “12 & Over” Contests)

Music & Hooping by The Nikki Hunt Band (FREE)

Sponsors: Mid-Coast Energy Systems / Hannaford Supermarket & Pharmacy / Valley View Orchard Pies

Gallagher, Villeneuve & DeGeer lot, 181 Main Street, Damariscotta

Kent Axell, Magician, Mind Reader & Mystic – Live from Las Vegas!

7:00 p.m. (\$5.00) <https://www.kentaxell.com/>

Sponsor: The Lincoln Theater

The Lincoln Theater, 2 Theater Street, Damariscotta

Dyer Neck Gang *

7:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.
Sponsor: The Penalty Box
436 Main Street, Damariscotta

Will & Doug *

8:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m. (No Cover Charge)
Sponsor: Oysterhead Lounge at Newcastle Publick House
52 Main Street, Newcastle

Sunday, October 7

Pumpkin Pancake Breakfast

7:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. (\$6 per person)
Sponsor: Wells Hussey American Legion – Post 42, Ladies Auxiliary
American Legion Hall, 527 (Upper) Main Street, Damariscotta

Damariscotta Pumpkinfest - Parking & Shuttle: Lincoln Academy & Great Salt Bay School

9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. (Suggested donation \$1)
Sponsor: Lafayette Hotels – Boothbay Harbor
81 Academy Hill, Newcastle and 559 Main Street, Damariscotta

Damariscotta Pumpkinfest - Seventh Annual Pumpkin Derby

9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.
Sponsors: Newcastle Chrysler Dodge Jeep Ram Viper / First National Bank
Elm Street Plaza – Weatherbird Hill, Damariscotta

Damariscotta Pumpkinfest - KidsZone

10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Sponsor: Tidewater Telecom
DRA's Darrows Barn, Damariscotta

Damariscotta Pumpkinfest - Pumpkin Catapult & Giant Slingshot Fun

10:00 – 2:00 p.m. (\$5 for 6 slingshot pumpkins)
Sponsor: Dead River Company
DRA's Round Top Farm, 3 Round Top Lane, Damariscotta

Damariscotta Pumpkinfest - InfoZone

10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Sponsors: Newcastle Realty / Cheney Insurance / Newcastle Vacation Rentals
Water Street, Damariscotta

Boothbay Railway Village – 51st Annual Fall Foliage Festival

10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
(Free to members & age 12 and under / \$4 non-members / \$5 train rides)
Sponsor: Boothbay Railway Village
586 Wiscasset Road (Route 27), Boothbay, Maine

Wolfe's Neck Center - Fall on the Farm - Harvest Weekend

10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Sponsor: *Visit Freeport*

184 Burnett Road, Freeport, Maine

Damariscotta Pumpkinfest - Buskers & Street Performers

11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Sponsor: *Renys – A Maine Adventure*

Theater Street, Damariscotta

Visit Freeport - 20th Annual Freeport Fall Festival

11:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. (FREE)

Sponsors: *Visit Freeport / L. L.Bean*

L.L.Bean & Freeport Village

Damariscotta Pumpkinfest - Kid's Pumpkin Hunt & 180' Giant Pumpkin Drop

1:00 – 4:00 p.m. **FREE CONCERT** by The Nikki Hunt Band

1:00 – 1:45 p.m. Pre-register entrants for **Kid's Pumpkin Hunt**

2:00 p.m. Kid's Pumpkin Hunt (age 5 and younger)

2:30 p.m. Kid's Pumpkin Hunt (age 6 and older)

Immediately followed by **Giant Pumpkin Drop**

Hunt Sponsors: *Renys – A Maine Adventure / Clark Farms Stand*

Drop Sponsors: *Mobius, Inc. / Keeley Crane Service*

DRA's Round Top Farm, 3 Round Top Lane, Damariscotta

The Horseshoe Crabs (Rock & Country Band)

4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. (No Cover Charge)

Sponsor: *Schooner Landing Restaurant & Marina*

Schooner Landing, Main Street by the Bridge, Damariscotta

“It's the Great Pumpkin, Charlie Brown”

4:30 p.m. (FREE)

Sponsor: *The Lincoln Theater*

The Lincoln Theater, 2 Theater Street, Damariscotta

Karaoke with Heidi Clark

7:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.

Sponsor: *The Penalty Box*

436 Main Street, Damariscotta

“It's the Great Pumpkin, Charlie Brown”

7:00 p.m. (FREE)

Sponsor: *The Lincoln Theater*

The Lincoln Theater, 2 Theater Street, Damariscotta

Monday, October 8

Damariscotta Pumpkinfest - Giant Slingshot Fun

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DRA's Round Top Farm, 3 Round Top Lane, Damariscotta

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Damariscotta Pumpkinfest - “The Queen of Pumpkins” on Her Throne

Most Excellent Majesty, Katharina Keoughan
10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Sponsor: Lafayette Hotels – Boothbay Harbor
Main Street at Water Street, Damariscotta

Damariscotta Pumpkinfest - Misery Gulch: Free Concert

10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
Sponsors: Colby & Gale / Phillips Power Products
Water Street, Damariscotta

Damariscotta Pumpkinfest - Pumpkinboat Regatta

12:00 p.m. Regatta
Commentary by Larry Sidelinger, Don Carrigan & Bobby Ives
Sponsors: Colby & Gale / Phillips Power Products
Live at Damariscotta Harbor **AND** live-feed into The Lincoln Theater (2 Theater Street), **AND** on LCTV local channel 1301 (Spectrum) and channel 7 (Tidewater)

Wolfe's Neck Center - Fall on the Farm - Harvest Weekend

10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
Sponsor: Visit Freeport
184 Burnett Road, Freeport, Maine

Damariscotta Pumpkinfest - Buskers & Street Performers

2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Sponsor: Renys – A Maine Adventure
Theater Street, Damariscotta

Damariscotta Pumpkinfest - Kid's FREE Movie Matinee: “Captain Underpants: The First Epic Movie” (PG)

2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

(Limited seating on a “first come” basis - no tickets required)

Sponsor: *The Lincoln Theater*

The Lincoln Theater, 2 Theater Street, Damariscotta

Saturday, October 13

Maine Maritime Museum - Lighthouse Legends & Lore Cruise

2:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

(members \$54 / non-members \$68 / age 6-12 \$44 / under 6 \$10)

Sponsor: *Maine Maritime Museum*

243 Washington Street, Bath, Maine

Sunday, October 14

Wolfe's Neck Center – Harvest Dinner with The Harraseeket Inn

5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. (\$110 per person)

Sponsor: *Visit Freeport*

184 Burnett Road, Freeport, Maine

Monday, October 15 – Thursday, October 22

Damariscotta Pumpkinfest – Street Art Pumpkins To Be Removed

Saturday, October 20

Wolfe's Neck Center - Fall on the Farm - Fiber Weekend

10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Sponsor: *Visit Freeport*

184 Burnett Road, Freeport, Maine

L.L. Bean – Camp Sunshine Pumpkin Festival

12:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. (FREE)

Sponsors: *L.L.Bean / Camp Sunshine*

95 Main Street, Freeport, Maine

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10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Sponsor: *Visit Freeport*

184 Burnett Road, Freeport, Maine

Friday, October 26

Boothbay Railway Village – Ghost Train

10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Sponsor: Boothbay Railway Village

586 Wiscasset Road (Route 27), Boothbay, Maine

Saturday, October 27

Boothbay Railway Village – Ghost Train

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