



**DAMARISCOTTA PUMPKINFEST & REGATTA – 2019**  
**[DamariscottaPumpkinfest.com](http://DamariscottaPumpkinfest.com)**

**EVENT SCHEDULE**  
**September 1, 2019**

**The “PUMPKINBOAT REGATTA” will be held at noon on Monday, Columbus Day, October 14, 2019. Damariscotta Pumpkinfest’s events will be held during Columbus Day Weekend: October 11-14, 2019. (Green font indicates unconfirmed.)**

**Sunday, May 19**

**Seedling Sunday (Damariscotta Pumpkinfest – FREE Giant Pumpkin Plantlets)**

9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

**Pumpkin Derby: Pre-Registration**

Pinkham’s Plantation, 431 Biscay Road, Damariscotta

Sponsors: Sysco – Northern New England / Hannaford Supermarket & Pharmacy

**Saturday, October 5**

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

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

Pinkham’s Plantation, 431 Biscay Road, Damariscotta

Sponsor: Sysco – Northern New England / W.D. Matthews Machinery

**Sunday, October 6**

**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

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**Wawenock Pumpkinfest Golf Scramble**

8:30 a.m. registration for 9:00 a.m. shotgun start (18 holes)

Fee: \$60/person includes lunch, prizes, cart & awards

Wawenock Golf Course

<https://wawenockgolfclub.com/>

685 State Route 129, Walpole

Sponsor: Wawenock Golf Club

## **Thursday, October 10**

### **Giant Pumpkin Deployment**

After 3:45 p.m.

Main Street, Damariscotta & Newcastle

Sponsor: King Eider's Pub / Stone Cove Catering

### **Hay Bale Pumpkins – Painted & Decorated**

Along Highway One and Main Street, Damariscotta & Newcastle

Sponsor: N.C. Hunt Lumber

## **Friday, October 11**

### **Giant Pumpkin “Artists at Work” – All Day**

Carving & Painting – Main Street, Damariscotta & Newcastle

### **Pumpkinboat Building – All Day**

Pinkham's Plantation, 431 Biscay Road, Damariscotta

### **Pumpkin Derby Pit Crew – Axle Installation**

12:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

First National Bank, 223 Main Street, Damariscotta

Sponsors: Newcastle Chrysler Dodge Jeep Ram Viper / First National Bank / Phelps Architects, Inc.

### **Conjuring Carroll, Maine's Fun Magician & Entertainer**

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

<http://conjuringcarroll.com/>

The Lincoln Theater, 2 Theater Street, Damariscotta

Sponsor: The Lincoln Theater

### **Troy Hudson and the High Road \***

7:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m. (No Cover Charge)

436 Main Street, Damariscotta

Sponsor: The Penalty Box

### **Paul Mellyn \***

7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. (No Cover Charge)

52 Main Street, Newcastle

Sponsor: Oysterhead Lounge at Newcastle Publick House

## **Saturday, October 12**

### **Kid's Fun Run & Adult's Zombie Run**

#### **Central Lincoln County - YMCA**

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

### **Pumpkinboat Building – All Day**

Pinkham's Plantation, 431 Biscay Road, Damariscotta

**Parking & Shuttle: Lincoln Academy & Great Salt Bay School**

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

Parking: Lincoln Academy, 81 Academy Hill, Newcastle OR

Great Salt Bay School, 559 Main Street, Damariscotta OR

Home Healthcare/Church lots at Highway One & Belvedere Road, Damariscotta OR

Hagar Enterprises & Coastal Kids Preschool lots, 52 Biscay Road, Damariscotta OR

Homeport, 597 Highway One, Newcastle

Sponsor: *Lafayette Hotels – Boothbay Harbor*

**KidsZone, ArtZone, AND Conjuring Carroll's "School of Magic & Wizardry"**

9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

(Magic School Fee: \$10)

<http://conjuringcarroll.com/>

CRCT's Darrows Barn, 3 Round Top Lane, Damariscotta

KidsZone Sponsor: *Tidewater Telecom*

ArtZone Sponsor: *Farnsworth Art Museum*

CarZone Sponsor: *Owls Head Transportation Museum*

**InfoZone & Artisan Show**

9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Water Street, Damariscotta

Sponsor - InfoZone: *Broad Arrow Farm*

Sponsor – Artisan Show:

**Scavenger Hunt between InfoZone & KidsZone**

9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Water Street, Damariscotta

Sponsor: *The Beach Plum Company*

**Pumpkin Dessert Contest**

9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. - Drop off entries at Skidompha Library

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

Theater Street (between Main St. & Elm St.), Damariscotta

Sponsors: *Mexicali Blues / Mid-Coast Energy Systems / King Arthur Flour*

**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.

Main Street at Water Street, Damariscotta

Sponsor: *Coastal Maine Botanical Gardens*

**Buskers & Street Performers**

10:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.

Theater Street, Damariscotta

Sponsor: *Renys – A Maine Adventure*

**Children's Story Hour & Crafts**

10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

184 Main Street, Damariscotta

Sponsor: Skidompha Library

**Metropolitan Opera - "Turandot" – by Puccini \***

1:00 p.m. – 4:35 p.m.

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

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**Official Damariscotta Pumpkinfest "Giant Pumpkin Parade"**

2:00 p.m.

Main Street, Newcastle & Damariscotta

Sponsors: Maritime Energy – Maritime Farms / Sullivan Tire and Auto Service

**Pumpkin Pie Eating Contests**

Immediately after Parade (Separate Contests: "Under 12", "13-19", & "20 & Over")

Music by The Gainers (FREE)

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

Sponsors: Bath Savings Institution / Hannaford Supermarket & Pharmacy / Valley View Orchard Pies

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**Sundog \***

7:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m. (No Cover Charge)

436 Main Street, Damariscotta

Sponsor: The Penalty Box

**All Night Rascals \***

8:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m. (No Cover Charge)

52 Main Street, Newcastle

Sponsor: Oysterhead Lounge at Newcastle Publick House

**Sunday, October 13**

**Pumpkin Pancake Breakfast**

8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. (\$10 all-you-can-eat)

American Legion Hall, 527 (Upper) Main Street, Damariscotta

Sponsor: Wells Hussey American Legion – Post 42, Ladies Auxiliary

**Parking & Shuttle: Lincoln Academy & Great Salt Bay School**

9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. (Suggested donation \$1)  
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Great Salt Bay School, 559 Main Street, Damariscotta OR  
Home Healthcare/Church lots at Highway One & Belvedere Road, Damariscotta OR  
Hagar Enterprises & Coastal Kids Preschool lots, 52 Biscay Road, Damariscotta OR  
Homeport, 597 Highway One, Newcastle  
Sponsor: Lafayette Hotels – Boothbay Harbor

### **Eighth Annual Pumpkin Derby**

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

### **Pumpkin Hurl - Catapult & Giant Slingshot Fun**

10:00 – 2:00 p.m. (\$5 for 6 slingshot pumpkins AND \$10 for Catapult “Hurl”)  
CRCT’s Round Top Farm, 3 Round Top Lane, Damariscotta  
Sponsor: Dead River Company / Damariscotta Bank & Trust

### **InfoZone & Artisan Show**

9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.  
Water Street, Damariscotta  
Sponsor - InfoZone: Broad Arrow Farm  
Sponsor – Artisan Show:

### **KidsZone, ArtZone, & Conjuring Carroll’s “School of Magic & Wizardry”**

11:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.  
(Magic School Fee: \$10)  
<http://conjuringcarroll.com/>  
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KidsZone Sponsor: Tidewater Telecom  
ArtZone Sponsor: Farnsworth Art Museum  
CarZone Sponsor: Owls Head Transportation Museum

### **Buskers & Street Performers**

11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.  
Theater Street, Damariscotta  
Sponsor: Renys – A Maine Adventure

### **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**  
CRCT’s Round Top Farm, 3 Round Top Lane, Damariscotta  
Sponsors - Hunt: Renys – A Maine Adventure / Mexicali Blues  
Sponsors - Drop: Tidewater Telecom / Keeley Crane Service / Clark Farms Stand

### **The Horseshoe Crabs (Rock & Country Band)**

4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. (No Cover Charge)  
Schooner Landing, Main Street by the Bridge, Damariscotta  
Sponsor: *Schooner Landing Restaurant & Marina*

**“It’s the Great Pumpkin, Charlie Brown”**

4:30 p.m. (FREE)  
The Lincoln Theater, 2 Theater Street, Damariscotta  
Sponsor: *The Lincoln Theater*

**Don Brewer Blues Band \***

7:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m. (No Cover Charge)  
436 Main Street, Damariscotta  
Sponsor: *The Penalty Box*

**“It’s the Great Pumpkin, Charlie Brown”**

7:00 p.m. (FREE)  
The Lincoln Theater, 2 Theater Street, Damariscotta  
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**Monday, October 14**

**Giant Slingshot Fun**

9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. (\$5 for 6 slingshot pumpkins)  
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**Artisan Show**

10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.  
**Water Street**, Damariscotta  
Sponsor:

### **“The Queen of Pumpkins” on Her Throne**

Most Excellent Majesty, Katharina Keoughan

10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Main Street at Water Street, Damariscotta

Sponsor: Coastal Maine Botanical Gardens

### **The Gulch: Free Concert**

10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Parking Lot Behind Colby & Gale Service Station, Main Street, Damariscotta

Sponsors: Colby & Gale / Phillips Power Products

## **Damariscotta Pumpkinfest - Pumpkinboat Regatta**

12:00 p.m. Regatta

Commentary by Larry Sidelinger, Don Carrigan & Bobby Ives

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)

Sponsors: Colby & Gale / Phillips Power Products

### **Buskers & Street Performers**

2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Theater Street, Damariscotta

Sponsor: Renys – A Maine Adventure

### **“Smallfoot” (PG) - Kid’s FREE Movie Matinee**

2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

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

The Lincoln Theater, 2 Theater Street, Damariscotta

Sponsor: The Lincoln Theater

### **Thursday, October 24 – Wednesday, October 30**

**Street Art Pumpkins Will Be Removed**

\* Unaffiliated Event

### **Damariscotta Pumpkinfest & Regatta™**

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