

The Week (or So) Ahead in Bayside: July 28-August 9, 2026

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2026 BAYSIDE CALENDAR OF EVENTS

BAYSIDE OR NORTHPORT YACHT CLUB EVENT

OTHER EVENTS

HOLIDAY

ALL EVENTS SUBJECT TO CHANGE OR CANCELLATION

July 28 (Tue)	Family Movie Time: Journey 2: The Mysterious Island (Bayside Community Hall; 7:30 PM) A science fantasy movie starring Dwayne Johnson. Teenager Sean Anderson and his stepfather follow a mysterious signal to a hidden island, where volcanoes, treasures, and strange creatures await them. Along with a marooned pilot and his daughter, they race to escape before the island sinks into the sea. Based on a book by Jules Verne. 94 min. A FREE event sponsored by Bayside Arts (www.baysidearts.org).
July 29 (Wed)	Northport Yacht Club Sailing School (NYC Clubhouse; 9:30 AM) For information on the program, visit www.northportyachtclub.org .
July 29-August 2 (Wed-Sun)	Maine Lobster Festival (Harbor Park, Rockland) This world famous "original lobster festival" is one of New England's great summer events. For more information, visit www.maine lobster festival.com .
July 29 (Wed)	Bayside Story Time (Bayside Library; 10-10:40 AM) For school-aged children.
July 29 (Wed)	Bayside Porch Parties (Encore!) (Various Bayside Porches; 4-6 PM) Bayside neighbors invite you to drop by and "porch" with them. Stroll from cottage to cottage, enjoy refreshments and music! You'll find The Oystermen (traditional maritime and folk music), Baysider Suzanne Rico (guitar), Doug Kolmar (guitar), and The Eclectics - Modified with Bayside's Carl Oberg and Robert Sollinger (country, rock) ready to entertain you. This spin on family fun was so successful in 2025, we just had to bring it back. Participating porches at 66 Clinton Street, 40 Clinton Street, 25 Broadway, and 37 George Street. A FREE event sponsored by Bayside Arts (www.baysidearts.org).
July 30 (Thu)	Northport Yacht Club Fun Races and BBQ/Potluck (NYC Clubhouse; Races at 4 PM) Races for Sailing School students only. Afterwards, a BBQ/potluck to celebrate our young racers. The event is free to members. Non-members are welcome and may purchase grill items. Please bring a side dish or dessert as your contribution to the potluck. Contact Karen Newman (kongotravel@gmail.com).
July 30 (Thu)	NYC DockTales (21+) (NYC Clubhouse; 5:15-6 PM) Sip & See on the club deck. Join us for a relaxed gathering by the water. Enjoy complimentary appetizers, bring your favorite beverage, catch up with friends, watch the sailing action, and learn more about the club. Members, guests, and prospective members are welcome.
July 30 (Thu)	Belfast Summer Nights Concert Series (Steamboat Landing, Belfast; 5:30-7:30 PM) Free. For more information, visit www.facebook.com/BelfastSummerNights/ .
July 31 (Fri)	Northport Yacht Club Sailing School (NYC Clubhouse; 9:30 AM) For information on the program, visit www.northportyachtclub.org .
August 1-2 (Sat-Sun)	Wings & Wheels Airshow (Owls Head Transportation Museum, Owls Head; 10 AM-3 PM) Get ready for Maine's premier airshow experience, combining iconic aerobatic performances with historic aircraft and ground vehicles from OHTM's collection. Featuring warbirds, skydivers, antique aircraft demonstrations, and thrilling aerial acts, this high-energy weekend delivers unforgettable excitement for the whole family—on the ground and in the sky. For more information, visit www.owlshead.org .
August 1 (Sat)	John Short Series Races #8 & #9 (NYC Clubhouse; Skippers' Meeting at 11 AM) Contact Jim Coughlin (Jimcoughlin8@gmail.com).
August 2 (Sun)	Northport Yacht Club Pancake Breakfast (Bayside Community Hall; 8-10 AM) Not to be missed! Open to the public. The event is free to members. Volunteer servers are welcome and should arrive at the Community Hall between 7 and 7:30 AM. Contact Rob Smit (robertpsmit@gmail.com).
August 2 (Sun)	"Best of Maine" Lobster Bake, Live Music & Art Market (Ruggles Park; 2-6 PM) Fundraiser for a new community center/town hall for the Town of Northport. Eat a lobster dinner on the lawn while enjoying live music from Bayside's own Suzanne Rico, then check out the work of five local artists, with art for sale. LOBSTERS NEED TO BE PURCHASED IN ADVANCE, with limited extra day of. Reserve yours now at https://www.eventbrite.com/e/best-of-maine-lobster-bake-art-market-and-live-music-tickets-1991921385485 !
August 2 (Sun)	Shady Grove Cottage & Museum Open (Pleasant Street; 2-4 PM) Free.
August 3 (Mon)	NYC Summer Cruise Begins (Through 8/7) Jump in your boat and join us for all or just part of the fun. This year's itinerary is to be determined. Interested cruisers should contact Jim Facey (jim.facey@gmail.com).
August 3 (Mon)	Northport Yacht Club Sailing School (NYC Clubhouse; 9:30 AM) For information on the program, visit www.northportyachtclub.org .

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August 4 (Tue)	Bayside Historical Preservation Society 8th Annual Collectors' Day (Bayside Community Hall; 10 AM-3 PM) This annual fun event is a great way to come together and get to know our neighbors through their hobbies and collections. There's a little bit of everything, from the serious to the whimsical. It is for all ages, including children and teens. We welcome everyone and hope to see many new collectors again this year. Some of the past collections have included antique tools, toy washing machines from the 1940s, woven baskets, salt/pepper shakers, bobbleheads, cave art, vintage sewing tools, dolls, and a Godzilla collection from a Bayside teenager. Contact Vicki Nelson (vmhnelson@gmail.com) if you'd like to display your collection or have any questions.
August 4 (Tue)	Walter Downs Regatta #2 (NYC Clubhouse; 12-3 PM) Northport Yacht Club Junior Regatta. Contact Emerson Smith (smithemerson@gmail.com).
August 5 (Wed)	Northport Yacht Club Sailing School (NYC Clubhouse; 9:30 AM) For information on the program, visit www.northportyachtclub.org .
August 5-9 (Wed-Sun)	Union Fair (Union Fairgrounds, Union) For more information, visit www.unionfair.org .
August 5 (Wed)	Bayside Story Time (Bayside Library; 10-10:40 AM) For school-aged children.
August 5 (Wed)	Dancing Under the Stars (Ruggles Park Basketball Court; 7-10 PM) Every summer the court becomes a dance floor for one magical evening! Baysiders, friends, and visitors of all ages get to strut their stuff, do their best dance moves, or just wiggle to DJ extraordinaire Denis Howard's tunes. Bring your sense of fun! (A FREE event, co-sponsored by Bayside Arts (www.baysidearts.org) and the Bayside Historical Preservation Society (www.baysidehps.org). In case of rain: Community Hall.
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August 7-9 (Fri-Sun)	Belfast Harbor Fest and Classic Boat Show (Steamboat Landing & Heritage Park, Belfast) Lots of activities. For complete information, visit www.belfastharborfest.com .
August 7-9 (Fri-Sun)	Maine Boat & Home Show (Rockland Waterfront) Each year, Maine's finest artists, architects, boatbuilders, craftsmen, designers, furniture makers, jewelers, and marine gear vendors gather together in one place at one time. For more information, visit https://maineboats.com/boatshow .
August 7 (Fri)	Maya Stein, Poet (Bayside Community Hall; 7:30 PM) Bayside resident Maya will read from her recent poetry collection and share insights from ongoing short-form writing practice, "10-line Tuesday" and other creative pursuits. She'll entice the audience into crafting a collective poem, a sort of "Madlibs 2.0." Maya currently serves as the director of the Belfast Poetry Festival and is the recent Belfast Poet Laureate (www.mayastein.com). A FREE event sponsored by Bayside Arts (www.baysidearts.org).
August 7 (Fri)	Northport Yacht Club Sailing School Final Day (NYC Clubhouse; 9:30 AM) For information on the program, visit www.northportyachtclub.org .
August 8 (Sat)	NVC Donuts & Dialog: Capital Improvements (Bayside Community Hall; 8:30 AM) A review of upcoming and near-future improvements to village infrastructure and more. The Donuts & Dialog events are designed to focus on issues of critical importance to the village and provide an open-ended forum for Village residents to raise questions and provide feedback to the Board of Overseers and members of committees who are not Overseers. The public is encouraged to attend. Brief presentations are followed by open dialog, questions, and input from Village residents. Contact the NVC at officemanager@nvcmaine.gov or 207-338-0751.
August 8 (Sat)	Come Boating! Annual Regatta (Steamboat Landing, Belfast; 11 AM) Cheer on the Belfast Come Boating! teams as they compete with regional teams. The event is open to all oared and paddled boats. The race starts at 11 AM. Harbor Rows will be available on Sunday from 10 to 1. For complete information, visit www.belfastharborfest.com .

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August 8 (Sat)	Northport Yacht Club Annual Meeting (NYC Clubhouse; 5:30-8 PM) Desserts will be provided by the Northport Yacht Club board members, and the meeting will begin at 7 PM. Contact Commodore Lisa Berry (lisaberrymsw@gmail.com)
August 8 (Sat)	Ned Lightner and the All-One Jug Band (Bayside Community Hall; 8:30 PM) The five-member progressive jug band played at and around the University of Maine 50 years ago. They are reuniting for a 50th reunion performance. Their music is an eclectic mix of mostly original tunes. Because one of its members, Ned Lightner, lives in Bayside, several tunes make reference to local landmarks such as the Bayside pier, Rollie's Café, and Sears Island. There is also a tribute to wildlife, such as the Blackfly. The music is hard to define, but there are country, jazz and rock influences. Given the date of the performance, it's likely to a hot band performance! A FREE event sponsored by Bayside Arts (www.baysidearts.org).
August 9 (Sun)	NVC Overseers' Meeting (Bayside Community Hall and Virtual; 8 AM) The agenda and any related documents will be available at https://nvcmaine.gov/ prior to the meeting. This will be an in-person meeting, but it will also have a virtual component. If you would like to observe the meeting via Zoom, please contact the Village Office at 207-338-0751 or officemanager@nvcmaine.gov to be added to the approved/verified list of meeting attendees.
August 9 (Sun)	John Short Series Make-Up Race, If Needed (NYC Clubhouse; Skippers' Meeting at 11 AM) Contact Jim Coughlin (Jimcoughlin8@gmail.com).
August 9 (Sun)	Cardboard Boat Challenge (Steamboat Landing, Belfast; 11 AM) Challenge your family members, friends, neighbors, co-workers, competitors, and other businesses or organizations to design and enter a cardboard boat! Get your team spirit going and just have fun. For complete information, visit www.belfastharborfest.com .
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Weather.com forecast:

Tonight	33%	Showers Late	59°		72°	8 mph ↖ SE
Wed 29	24%	AM Fog/PM Clouds	59°		66°	10 mph ↖ ESE
Thu 30	76%	Rain	61°		69°	12 mph ↖ NE
Fri 31	24%	Mostly Cloudy	58°		73°	9 mph ↖ NNE
Sat 01	8%	Partly Cloudy	61°		76°	8 mph ↗ SSW
Sun 02	13%	Mostly Cloudy	63°		77°	10 mph ↗ SSW
Mon 03	48%	Showers	61°		77°	7 mph → W
Tue 04	16%	Partly Cloudy	61°		80°	9 mph → WNW
Wed 05	10%	Partly Cloudy	61°		77°	9 mph ↗ SW
Thu 06	24%	Partly Cloudy	61°		76°	9 mph ↑ S
Fri 07	24%	Partly Cloudy	62°		79°	9 mph ↗ SW
Sat 08	24%	Partly Cloudy	61°		81°	9 mph ↗ WSW
Sun 09	24%	Partly Cloudy	61°		81°	9 mph ↗ WSW

Tides:

Visit <https://www.usharbors.com/harbor/maine/belfast-me/tides/>.

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