

## 2005 News

30 Nov

**End of Rescue Service on GCI.** Lorraine Bracy releases an open letter about not relicensing Cranberry Isles rescue service #871.

27 Aug



**David Bunker of GCI a Proud Grand-Dad!** His son, James Bunker and Danielle announce the birth of their daughter, Ella Grace Bunker.

15 July

**Death of Sam Michalski.** Sam Michalski (son of Valentine and Susan Donald Michalski of GCI) was buried on July 15th in the Stanley Cemetery on Great Cranberry Island.

16 June

**CIRT House Available.** The Cranberry Isles Realty Trust has a house for rent on Great Cranberry Island.

A two-bedroom house is available for year-round living to someone who meets HUD income eligibility standards. For more information, contact Barbara Stainton, 207-244-7316 (day) or 207-244-4067 (evening.)

15 May

**Cranberry Cove Ferry Starts** for the season. Now everyone with parking spots in Manset can move out of temporary parking spots in Northeast Harbor. There will be four ferry trips per day until the summer schedule kicks in.

4 May



**Clay Taylor has purchased the GCI General Store** a few days ago, and since then has been hard at work making improvements in all directions. She has replaced the cooler units and will rebuild the kitchen. She intends to serve take-out style food this summer. She has obtained a 1-year lease from the Town, since the store rests on Town land. Long-term plans are to install a bathroom and an additional outdoor deck for dining.



4 May

**New Town Office is now open!** Located on Islesford, right next to the store and Post Office, the temporary Town Office is now open. 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, with extended hours probable in summer.

All Town mail should be sent to: Denise McCormick, POB 56, Islesford, ME 04646. Telephone #: 207-244-4475

5 Apr

**New Town Office:** Phil Whitney announced at the Selectmen's Meeting today that the new temporary Town Office will be opened soon -- probably the week of 12 April -- in leased quarters on Islesford, near the store. It will have three computers, a copier-printer-fax, and an external hard drive for data backup. The office hours will initially be 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, with extended hours probable in summer.

5 Jan

**Hal Newell of GCI writes:** I leave on a Medical and Evangelistic Mission trip to India with a group of four from our church and a larger group of about 60 people from all over the country to India from January 28- February 15. We will be doing medical clinics in rural areas and also crusades preaching the gospel of Jesus Christ. I have two registered nurses and an athletic trainer on my team. Thank you for your prayers. We will be in the state of Andra Pradesh, flying into Madras. We will be doing our work in the city of Kora Kunda, about 800 miles north of Madras. We should not be affected at least from what I know at this point from the recent tsunamis in the areas that we will be traveling.

4 Jan

**Selectman Richard Beal Resigns:** Citing the inordinate amount of time commanded by the duties of Selectman, Richard Beal tendered his letter of resignation at today's Selectman's Meeting.