Town of Mount Desert: Covid Update

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Let's keep up the good work, don't let your guard down!

Mask. Distance. Wash Hands. Repeat.

The Town of Mount Desert expects residents and visitors alike to abide by CDC and State recommendations for <u>mask wearing</u>, <u>social distancing</u>, <u>quarantine</u>, <u>isolation</u>, <u>and handwashing</u>. Abiding by these recommendations will help protect our island community.

Covid Transmission Update

- Covid 19 is on the rise in Maine and in Hancock County.
- MDI Hospital confirmed that they have had 15 positive tests to date.
 - 9 Hancock County residents
 - 6 (non-residents)
- As of today 11/05/20, Maine CDC has confirmed 85 positive cases in Hancock County.
- The current case rate for the State of Maine is 54.2 per 10k people
- The current case rate for Hancock County is 15.5 per 10k people

Maine Center for Disease Control

MDI Hospital

 MDI Hospital Coronavirus Call Center: If you are having symptoms or think you may have been exposed to COVID-19, call your primary care provider. If you do not have one, reach out to our Coronavirus Call Center at 207-801-5900. Remember: PLEASE CALL AHEAD

Public Safety, Municipal & Hancock County News

- The Next Select Board meeting is at Nov. 16 at 4pm
- The Covid-19 Update from the Town of Mount Desert will now be published on Thursdays only.

School Information: Mt. Desert Elementary & MDI High School

MDES requests donations of Lysol and Clorox Wipes

School Emails & Websites:

- Mount Desert Island Regional School System
- Latest email update from Principal Haney and MDI High School: New Schedule
- <u>Latest email update from Superintendent Marc Gousse</u> Maine CDC and MDOE Guidelines
- MDES Newsletter Link
 - o 10/11 Updated Newsletter

Government News & Mandates & Resources

Governor Mills: Latest Updates:

- Following Record COVID-19 Cases, Governor Mills Announces New Face Covering Executive Order
- With Cases Rising in Maine & Nationwide, Mills Administration Announces Measures to Prevent Spread of the Deadly COVID-19 Virus

<u>Representative Brian Hubbell's latest newsletter</u>: <u>Scientific assessment of what is in store for Maine from climate change</u> 9/14/20

Other Government Resources

- Maine DECD Website
- The Small Business Association Link to loan and grant forms: EIDL & PPP
- CDC Guidelines
- Maine CDC

Community Resources

- Mount Desert Chamber of Commerce: Resource Lists for Businesses and Visitors
- Healthy Acadia Newsletter 11/2

Acadia National Park

• <u>See latest alert from ANP</u>: Current Conditions | Park Campgrounds will remain closed for the 2020 season.

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