

THE

INFORMANT

NEWSLETTER OF THE MAINE SECTION ASCE

June 2023



From the Editor:

And just like that, we are almost halfway through 2023! Summer will be here soon and it's the best time to be in Maine.

During our annual meeting we recognized just a few of our amazing colleagues and the inspiring work they have been doing. Last week we beat the heat, and more importantly the rain, during our 30th Annual Scholarship Golf Tournament, raising about \$8000 for the fund. We are not done with events for the season, we are hosting a Joint WTS meeting in Portsmouth so sign up and we will see you then!

We hope to see you soon,

Heather

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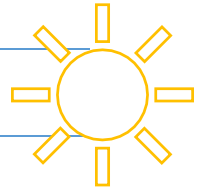
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MAINE SECTION YOUNGER MEMBERS VIEWS AND BREWS



The Views!

Get outside and meet some of your fellow young professionals. Join us at Mount Pisgah in Winthrop, ME. The parking space is limited, so please consider carpooling if possible!

The Brews!

Afterwards, come have food and drinks with your fellow younger members at Cushnoc Brewing Company in Augusta, ME!

10 June 2:00 PM

Meet at Summit Trailhead

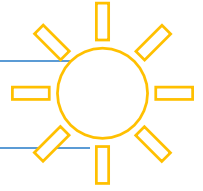
[Mt Pisgah Road, Winthrop, ME 04364](#)

After at Cushnoc Brewing Company
243 Water Street, Augusta, ME 04330

Please RSVP by June 7th!

E-mail Chris Daubert at
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JOIN US

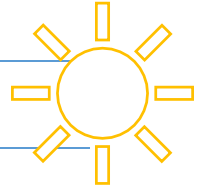
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WTS & ASCE

Please join us for an evening cruise of Portsmouth Harbor
in partnership with the Portsmouth Naval Shipyard.

- Wednesday, June 28, 2023
5:00 PM - 7:30 PM
- Isle of Shoals, 315 Market Street,
Portsmouth, NH
- Presentation by Linn Lebel, P.E.
on PNSY's Dry Dock Project.
- Appetizers provided and cash
bar available.





ASCE AWARDS BANQUET

Congratulations to our newly elected Board of Direction and this year's award winners!



2023-2024 Board of Direction

Photo Left to Right – Director Year 2: Benjamin Smith, Secretary: Jayson Haskell, Vice President: Justin Yaitanes, President Elect: Nate Strout, President: Nate Powelson, Past President: Don LeBlanc

Not Pictured: Treasurer: Lynn Frazier, Director Year 3: Ben Shaw, Director Year 1: Jenna Gilbert



Young Engineer of the Year
Aaron Gallant, Ph.D, P.E.



Citizen Engineer of the Year
Cecelia Walton, E.I.



Engineer of the Year
Jim Thibodeau P.E., DFE



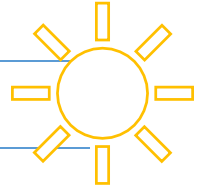
President's Award
Nate Strout, P.E.

Kitty Breskin
2023 Project of the Year Award

**MaineDOT's Veranda Street Accelerated
Bridge Replacement Project**

Project Team
HNTB, Cianbro, Shaw Brothers & MaineDOT





MBTA TRANSPORTATION ON TAP


Orono Brewing Co., Orono

Contact

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Maine Better Transportation Association
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207-622-0526

When

Thursday, June 15, 2023, 5 to 7:00 p.m.

 [Add to Calendar](#)

Where

Orono Brewing Company

61 Margin Street Orono, ME 04473

[Driving Directions](#)

For MBTA Young Professionals & Friends

Join MBTA Young Professionals (YP) and YP Chair Patrick Brady (pbrady@bernsteinshur.com) for a bimonthly, traveling happy hour series. Transportation on Tap offers an informal opportunity for young professionals working for MBTA members to connect with one another, and to meet with more seasoned professionals.

Our next Transportation on Tap is on Thursday, June 15 at Orono Brewing Co., 61 Margin Street, Orono, 5 pm.



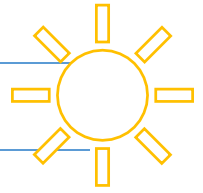
Hors d'oeuvres and engaging conversation with fun people provided. **Anyone young in age, young to the industry, or young at heart is welcome!** Please register below for this free event.

Sponsorships for 2023 series or individual events available!

FMI: Contact MBTA: 207-622-0526, E-mail: cindy@mbtaonline.org, or YP Chair: pbrady@bernsteinshur.com

Cost: No cost, thanks to our sponsors, but we ask that you please RSVP.

[REGISTER HERE!](#)



Scholarship Golf Recap!

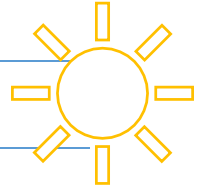
We had **21 teams** participate in the 30th Annual Scholarship Golf Tournament and raised about **\$8,000** for our scholarship fund! Thank you to everyone for participating and sponsoring!



30th ANNUAL CHARITY GOLF TOURNAMENT

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Looking for Employment?



Portland Water District
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Portland Water District is seeking an Associate Engineer to join our team and be on the leading edge of new development in the greater Portland area. The ideal candidate is energetic, motivated and a team player. The Associate Engineer will work with a diverse group of clientele, including developers, engineers, contractors, and tradespeople, on water and wastewater system

development. The position requires both office and field work.

As the Associate Engineer, you will review requests for new development and make service determinations based on capacity and hydraulics. A strong understanding of utility plans and specifications will be needed to ensure that infrastructure added to the system meets PWD standards. The Associate Engineer will also work on capital improvement projects to upgrade or replace infrastructure throughout the District's service area; including water and sewer mains, pumping stations, and treatment facilities. The Associate Engineer will administer the service application process and perform administrative and clerical tasks related to the new development process and will develop capital upgrade designs and construction contracts.

This position offers the opportunity to be involved in all phases of infrastructure development, including site work to investigate existing site conditions and to perform inspections. Excellent communication and organization skills are required for this position. The Associate Engineer will work with local municipalities and internal stakeholders on policy changes affecting new development.

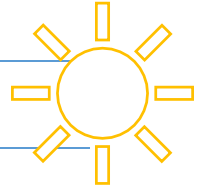
[Engineering Informational Flyer](#)

Applications are ONLY accepted via our website at www.pwd.org, where you can also view a detailed job description. Please submit resume and cover letter with salary requirements.

Two years of experience applicable to water/wastewater utility design, including construction and/or consulting preferred. Two years in Asset Management preferred. A qualified applicant shall have possession of, or ability to obtain within one year of hire date, registration as an Engineer-Intern in the State of Maine, and possession of, or ability to obtain within two years of hire, a Maine Class II Water Operator License. A Bachelor of Science degree from an accredited college or university in an engineering discipline such as Civil, Environmental, Mechanical, or Chemical is required.

Our rich benefits plan includes 12 paid holidays, 12 vacation days (2 of which are deposited into your bank at hire), accrued sick time, employer matching 457 retirement plan, medical, dental, vision, life insurance, etc.. Please view our complete 2022 benefit guide at www.pwd.org.

To view a detailed job description for our Associate Engineer, or view our excellent benefit package, please visit our website at www.pwd.org. PWD is an Equal Opportunity Employer, offering competitive wages, tuition reimbursement, training opportunities, and a comprehensive benefits package.




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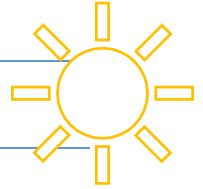
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Job Listings

Advertise for new employees at any level – students, EITs, and PEs will all see your ad. Job advertisements are posted in one issue of the Informant, and will run on the website for one month.

Cost: Quarter Page (3.75"x5") - \$35
Half Page (7.5"x5") - \$75 for 1 month
- \$500 for 1 year (9 issues)
Full Page (7.5"x10") - \$150 for 1 month
- \$1000 for 1 year (9 issues)

Would you like to advertise in the Informant? Take a look at our rates above, and contact the editor at Informant.ASCEMaine@gmail.com with any questions

The deadline for submissions is the 20th of each month prior to publication.