

We thought you might enjoy the pictures of past historical storms (pictures found in the clubhouse) and of the one we had last weekend.

## Dear Members,

We hope this finds you well and enjoying the winter season. A wild beginning to the New Year here in Rockport Harbor.

## On January 10th

A historical storm came through Rockport with storm surge reaching wave heights of 22 feet out at the Penobscot Bay Buoy. The force of the waves took out much debree along the coast, Alot found its way into our harbor. The great news is that the clubhouse took the storm well, a few shingles blew off, the stairs floated off (we found them) and the lawn and bulkhead took a beating.

Restoration efforts are now focused on replacing the bulkhead cap rails and filling in the lawn. This will all be imperative to complete before we can launch the new floats and attach the gangway. We are working on it and we have hired a local company to help us get the job completed as soon as possible

## January 13th

High Tide At Noon was 2 feet above the lawn but was mild in force this time and the clubhouse was spared again.

As we repair the lawn and the parts of the bulkhead that have broken free, possibly compromising the strength of the rest of the bulkhead, we share a word of caution - do not walk past the caution tape , do not walk near the perimeter of the lawn, the ground is extremely fragile and not safe.

Safety is the priority of the community at this time.

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