

September 21, 2020

Dear Families.

School has started, but unlike any other year we have ever seen. We hope you are managing well and taking good care of yourselves during the pandemic.

Enclosed please find a Symptoms Checker magnet* designed for you to put on your fridge (or wherever your magnets will stick) to help you with your daily symptoms checks required by the Maine Department of Education. Yarmouth and Chebeague Island schools have requested families to check symptoms for COVID-19 each day, especially for those days when your children attend school in-person.

We hope that this helps you stay informed.

If you have any questions about COVID-19 you may contact your doctor, or Chebeague's volunteer medical team, **Chebeague COVID Testing Team (CCTT)**, who are here to answer questions. The CCTT will come to your home and safely guide you through a free self-administered "swab and send" test (with viral samples processed through the State of Maine lab and returned within 72 hours or less.) The CCTT can be reached via *texting 347-656-7524* or leave a *voice message at 207-264-0007*. As always, for any emergency please dial 911.

And, don't forget to be safe and get a flu shot as we enter the winter season. The cold and flu season takes on a new dimension with COVID-19 still very much a factor in our lives. We can make it through together.

Take good care,

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Be safe. Be Consistent. Be Kind.

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