



**Town Shellfish Crier**  
**January 1, 2022**

**1. Wellfleet Shellfishing and its Oysters Will Be on "CBS Sunday Morning" Tomorrow!**

What a way to begin the New Year! Please help us spread the word!

The Shellfish Department was contacted by CBS News journalist Seth Doane, who also happens to be the son of one of our recreational shellfishermen here in town, Paul Doane. Seth grew up on the Cape and had always wanted to do a story on Wellfleet and its oysters. They decided that this was the year that Paul would teach Seth how to harvest oysters from the Wellfleet flats. We worked with them to put together a wonderful feature showcasing the harvesting of wild oysters, two farmers who grow them, Irving and Jake Puffer, and the uniqueness of Wellfleet Harbor with its oyster bounty.

**The show airs TOMORROW morning, Sunday, January 2, from 9:00 to 10:30 a.m.** Please tune in and celebrate our wonderful and special town and its hardworking shellfishermen who bring our famous, one-of-a-kind oysters to the world. The Fox and Crow Café should also make an appearance!

CBS News' magazine program, "CBS Sunday Morning" is a marvelous program, which airs nationwide every Sunday morning and is seen by about six million people. It offers a mix of news, arts and culture and has a wonderful, slower pace. The Shellfish Department is thrilled to have collaborated with this incredibly professional team.

To learn more about Seth, read this great piece from WickedLocal in November:

<https://www.wickedlocal.com/story/cape-codder/2021/11/08/cbs-news-journalist-seth-doane-deep-cape-cod-roots-talks-about-interview-jane-goodall/6302046001/>

Contact Nancy at [nancy.civetta@wellfleet-ma.gov](mailto:nancy.civetta@wellfleet-ma.gov) or 617-901-7193 with ideas on how the Shellfish Department can help or improve shellfishing. Thank you!

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