



TO: <Public Distribution>
FR: Select Board
DT: August 10, 2021
RE: Lifeguard Rescue and CPR medical evac at Lucy Vincent Beach August 1st 2021

On August 1st 2021 at 11:20 AM a visitor to Lucy Vincent Beach entered the water at Cliff station A and did not resurface. Bystanders pulled the woman from the surf and called the lifeguards for assistance. Chilmark Beach staff, Firefighters, and Police Officers responded to the scene.

They provided lifesaving CPR and transported the patient to a waiting ambulance. The Tri Town EMTs stabilized and transported the patient to MV Hospital. Life Flight transported the patient to Boston. Where the patient is recovering.

The Select Board of the town of Chilmark recognizes and thanks the Chilmark Beach, Chilmark Fire Department, Chilmark Police Department, and the Tri Town Ambulance responders that helped at this near drowning. We also thank the bystanders that provided direct assistance.

We wish to specially recognize the lifesaving actions of Lifeguard Luke Sausville and Firefighter/RN Janice Brown for performing lifesaving CPR on the patient. Their prompt actions contributed directly to saving the life of this visitor.

BEACH STAFF

Leif Iversen, 13 years 22 days Lifeguard/Assistant Supervisor
Lila Norris (Conroy,) 5 years 1 month 22 Days Lifeguard/Assistant Supervisor- Supervisor on
Hayden Sausville (Poole), 6 Years 26 Days Lifeguard
Luke Sausville (Poole), 6 Years 26 Days Lifeguard CPR
Noah Gamper, 2 Years Lifeguard
Parker Bradlee, 1 year 1 month Parking Attendant
Teagan Myers, new this summer Parking Attendant

FIRE

Janice Brown CPR, Victor Silva, Alan Porter, David Norton

POLICE

Liz Rogers CPR, Bill Fielder, Forrest Filler, Bret Stearns, Paul Manning

EMS

Matt Montanile, Samantha Smith, Pete Tennant, Jason Davey, Jason Blandini

Bystanders

Sawyer Family & Francis Okine.