## CAPE COD HAUNTED MAP GHOSTLY LOCATIONS AND MYSTERIOUS LEGENDS

 The scent of cigar smoke and the mysterious movement of gravestones are among the unexplained incidents of Sagamore Cemetery.

2) Hog Island is said to be guarded by an armed pirate ghost.

- 3) Female ghost seen at Cataumet Cemetery.
- Mischievous Faye watches over the company at Highfield Theatre, playing music and flipping seats.

5) Specter of a stooped man in a flannel shirt walks the hall of the Village Green Inn.

6) Children spoke with ghost of Native American "Old Shanks" in Sippewissett.
7) Hob's Green, a "witch hollow," was a rendezvous for two old maids called "Jenkins' Hens."
8) Parade of ghosts of fair ladies, troubadours, and jesters dances to phantom fiddles on the anniversary of the Sandwich Glassmakers' Ball.

- 9) A rocking chair was seen to rock by itself at the historic Dillingham House. 10) Scorton Hill is the gravesite of roughneck Robert the Scot, whose bagpipe-playing
- ghost searches for his employer's lost jewels. 11) Hairy giant or "medicine being" seen in the wooded area of Asher's Path.
- 12) Hannah Screecham lived alone on Grand Island (now in Oyster Harbors), where she guarded treasure for some of the 17th century's most feared pirates—even after her death.
- 13) The forest around the Witch Pond was home to Sarah, Hannah Screecham's sister and fellow sorceress, who could transform herself into a great black mare.
- 14) The spirit of a mentally disabled young man is believed to reside at Isaiah Thomas Books & Prints.
- 15) Loud thumps and deep breathing allegedly heard at the 707 Building.16) Were the strange lights, black cats, and rappings that terrified the inhabitants of
- the Allyn House the witchery of Liza Tower Hill, angry at the mistreatment of her daughter, an Allyn servant?
- 17) Yarmouth restauranteur Jack Braginton-Smith experienced phantom footsteps climbing the 200-year-old stairs of the Crocker Tavern, once a stagecoach stop and important town meeting place.
- 18) A séance at the Barnstable House, a former restaurant and inn, and the most famous haunted house on Cape Cod, allegedly revealed the presence of eleven different ghosts.
- 19) Spirit of a brunette girl seen reaching up from a grave at Cobb's Hill Cemetery.20) Granny Squannit, the formidable one-eyed Wampanoag medicine woman, lived
- alone in a cave near the entrance to Barnstable Harbor.21) In the heart of the Luminous Forest, or Ghost Forest, the trees were said to glow, lit up by "witch-fire," a mark of the long lineage of witches who made their home here.
- 22) Is Room No. 5 at the Simmons Homestead Inn haunted by the ghost of 7-year-old
- Susan, who is said to have drowned in the pond behind the inn in the 19th century? 23) On Sea St., a ghostly lady in blue walks with a lamp, allegedly waiting for her
- husband and son to return from the sea.
  24) The cottage of the "Freeze Men," motionless figures of elderly men in 1930s clothing, vanished without a trace.
- 25) Ghosts of two women one a servant and one who appears as either an old lady or a little girl are reported to inhabit houses on Pleasant Street.
- 26) A white-haired man with a high forehead (identified as a dentist) and a young woman who died in an upstairs fire are two ghosts who are thought to cause regular mischief at the Old <u>Yarmouth Inn.</u>
- 27) Only the female residents hear the organ music playing in the front bedroom o the "Old Baker Homestead."
- 28) House painters and residents have seen a beautiful red-haired ghost in a Victorian gown in the neighborhood of Union St. and the Olde King's Highway.
  29) The towering giant Maushop, friend of the Wampanoag, dug a hole so deep that
- when it filled with rain it was named Scargo Lake.30) Resident ghost Lillian hides objects and may even place a hand on your shoulder
- at the Dennis Inn. 31) Are the heavy footfalls heard coming down the stairs of a South Dennis house
- built by Capt. Roland Kelley those of the Captain himself, looking out for his investment?
- **32**) The ghost of Matilda Baker, in flowing white robes, appeared from behind a spruce tree.
- 33) The ghostly occupant of the Cape Half House was identified as Angeretta Poole, who died descending the stairs in 1914 when the lamp she carried set fire to her clothing.
- 34) The Puritanical ghost in a house on Bank Street Beach repeatedly threw an upstairs bedroom into disarray.
- **35**) Ghostly perfume permeating the 178-year-old Brooks House is attributed to the enduring presence of a young French bride.
- 36) At the 150-year-old Burgess House, once home to Capt. William Burgess and his wife Hanna Rebecca, his ghost paces, and hers rearranges the artwork.
- 37) The old Town Hall is home to the ghost of a former selectman.
- 38) The imposing Crosby Mansion has been the site of many reported phenomena, including the figures of two women in dark clothing.



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West Falmouth

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FALMOUTH

WAREHAM

For More Information on some of the sites depicted in this map, look for the book 'Cape Encounters: Contemporary Cape Cod Ghost Stories' by Dan Gordon and Gary Joseph or visit www.cocklecovepress.com.

BARNSTABLE

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Craigville Beach

East Sandwich

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## Atlantic Ocean

- 39) The shroud-clad ghost of Capt. Jedidy Cole was chased by the Devil from Hawes Tavern.
- 40) Forbidding cold breezes and a mysterious figure in a second-story window have been experienced in houses on Cross Street.
- Squonanit, the mer-woman with the sea-green tail, lived in the sea not far from now-vanished Webb's Island.
- **42**) A magnificent white stallion, lost in a storm, still swims on, his mane gleaming over the waves in the moonlight.
- 43) The Wailing Woman of Monomoy "whistles up a storm"; the shrill, high-pitched shriek of the elusive old crone is a warning to careless vessels.
- 44) Paw Wah Pond is named after the chief of the Potonamequoits, who is said to live at the bottom of the pond and trade fish for tobacco.
- 45) Spirits of drowned sailors mingle with ghosts of mooncussers, or land pirates, in the Pochet Island Marshes.
- **46**) Did the ghost of H.K. Cummings, a prominent citizen of Orleans at the start of the 20th century, announce his departure from his former home by slamming a door in the middle of the night?
- 47) The majestic Orleans Inn, the White Queen of Town Cove, is known for the antics of "Fred," a ghost who likes to play with lights.
- 48) The ghost of a mooncusser, or land pirate, draws attention to itself by making strange cries in the attic of one of the oldest houses in Orleans.
- 49) Two horse stable elves, having stowed away in the mane of a horse shipped to Boston, dwelt in mounds of sand in their adopted home of Nauset Marsh.
- 50) A young minister's futile attempts to catch his wife dancing wildly to phantom violin music eventually drove him to madness and murder.
- 51) The apparition of beautiful Remember Barnaby, dressed all in black, appears on the plain where once stood the house which her husband built, imprisoned her within, and finally burned to the ground.
- 52) Isaiah Horton III is believed to be the most prominent ghost haunting the part of the Penny House Inn that was built as a sea captain's home in 1690.
- 3) Every Midsummer Eve the Phantom Fleet of ships lost in Cape waters rises from the sea to sail again.
- 54) The Sea Witch of Billingsgate, in her red-heeled shoes, wandered the Wellfleet shores in search of the souls of lost sailors.
- 55) The tale of Maria "Goodie" Hallet, the young woman "wild as Nauset wind" who bewitched pirate "Black Sam" Bellamy, captain of the ill-fated "Whydah" and who was driven out of Eastham by a mob to the wilderness of the Wellfleet dunes, where she is said to still wait for her Samuel's return, is Cape Cod's most famous ghost story.
- 56) Mysterious voices, sounds of shattering drinking glasses, phantom phone calls, and ghosts who throw tennis balls to dogs are examples of supernatural activity at the former Wellfleet Oyster House.
- 57) Two little girls, a woman in white, and a ghost who joins in with musicians performing onstage are among the permanent guests at the Inn at Duck Creeke.
- (8) Kendrick Avenue's Bookstore & Restaurant was the setting for a waitress' vision of the ghost of a man in a white t-shirt and light blue pants sitting in a chair.
- 59) Wraith of a small child seen at Chequesset Neck Cemetery.
- 60) A modern post-and-beam home built from salvaged ship's pilings over an ancient fire pit is said to have a bedroom where many occupants wake up screaming.
- 61) Phantom footsteps, door latches lifting by themselves, and the ghost of a woman wearing a sailor cap encountered in houses on School St.
- 62) Ghostly oxen tracks seen at the Atwood farm near Gull Pond.63) The ghosts of Deacon Collins and his old nag ride to the Hill of Storms,
- searching for the grave of a young man they accidentally ran down in the Deacon's rush to deliver the communion wine.
- 64) Hepzibah Snow's ghost walks Ballston Beach in her wedding dress, awaiting her husband, who was lost at sea.
- 65) The spirit of an African-born servant named Pomp, who became so desperately lonely and homesick that he hung himself by what is now known as Pomp's rock, is said to linger in the area of Longnook Road.
- 66) Occupants of the distinctive Lancy Mansion have experienced ghostly footsteps, lights and appliances turning on by themselves, shaking beds, and an apparition in a bathroom mirror.
- 67) The Devil made his home in the Province Lands dunes, where he awaits wrecked ships and the opportunity to seize sailors who wash up on the shore.
- 68) Ghosts of escaped slaves hidden in two secret rooms a third floor loft and a "snug harbor" under the chimney – as part of the Underground Railroad, manifest at the Martin House restaurant.
- 69) The opulent 16-room Land's End Inn is notable for several bizarre stories, such as those about an intellectually-inclined, talkative ghost, a cursed "jade" urn, and a woman found hanging in the tower library.
- 70) Provincetown's Town Crier and Benjamin Franklin's uncle on separate occasions reported the Herring Cove sea serpent, said to have been released by an earthquake from its prehistoric slumber.
- 71) A Revolutionary War soldier dressed as a minuteman is said to haunt one of the Fairbanks Inn's fifteen rooms.
- 72) The Romp, an experimental ship with a sharp bow built in 1846, accidentally sliced in half and sunk a fellow fishing boat, but brought the ghosts of four sailors back home to Provincetown.

Find four numbered sites on the map that share something in common. Draw lines connecting each one to all the others. Where the lines cross, "X" marks the spot of buried treasure. To solve the mystery, go to www.cocklecovepress.com and enter the name of the haunted site to receive a secret message.