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**Trumbull
Town
Clerk's
Office
Monthly
Newsletter –
August 2016**

Suzanne

*Burr Monaco,
Town Clerk*

*Gloria Murphy and
Susan Cole, Assistant
Clerks*

*Marilou Mangiamele,
Office Clerk*

**RETIRED AMERICAN
FLAGS ARE COLLECTED
AT ANY TIME IN THE
TOWN CLERK'S
OFFICE. PLEASE JUST
DROP THEM OFF
DURING THE DAY.**

**DOG LICENSES ARE
AVAILABLE! COST OF
LICENSE IS \$8 FOR A
NEUTERED ANIMAL AND \$19
FOR UNALTERED PLUS \$2
LATE FEE IN AUGUST**

ABSENTEE BALLOTS

- **Make sure your ballot arrives on time! Apply early and mail it back to us quickly.**
- **Students, if you are a registered voter, please remember to sign up for an absentee ballot as soon as you know your **FULL** address at school.**
- **Absentee ballot request forms are available in the Town Clerk's office and online at the Town of Trumbull, Town Clerk's website. You can fax in the application but you **MUST** mail us the original as we need the original signature.**
- **You must fill out an absentee ballot request form in order to receive a ballot for the election. Please *PRINT* legibly!!! If we cannot read it we cannot guarantee you will get it!**
- **The actual ballot will be mailed to you prior to the election – ballots for the November 8th can go out October 7th. It is your responsibility to return it before the election.**
- **We cannot give your ballot to anyone but you.**
- **You cannot fax it in or email it in!**
- **You may not vote by absentee ballot on the day of the election. Go to the polls to vote on Election Day.**

Any questions concerning voting, call the Registrars Office at - 203-452-5058/5059.

Any questions concerning absentee ballots call the Town Clerk's Office – 203-452-5035.

**Thank you for your help-
Suzanne Burr Monaco, Town Clerk**

Advice from EMS

Trumbull EMS reminds you to stay cool and hydrated this summer to avoid heat-related illnesses. If you begin to experience any signs of heat exhaustion such as heavy sweating, weakness, cold, pale and clammy skin, a fast or weak pulse, nausea, vomiting or if you faint, please consider following these steps:

1. move yourself or the patient to a cooler location;
2. lie down and loosen clothing
3. Apply cool, wet cloths to as much of your body as possible
4. Allow the person to sip some water and please do not hesitate to contact 911 or seek medical attention.

We wish all our residents a very happy, healthy and safe summer.

HELP NEEDED!

It is incumbent upon the homeowner to identify the number on their home for easy reading for the EMS, Police and Fire Departments. If they cannot find your home easily, they are prevented from helping you quickly.

In any emergency, time is important, every second counts. So, write your house number on your mailbox clearly, or on your home for easier recognition and identification. A life (YOUR life) may depend on it someday!

Advice from our Police Department

Residents:

If you are going away for vacation you are advised to lock your homes, set your alarms, notify Post Office to hold mail, or have someone pick it up daily. This same advice is for newspaper delivery, also! Remember to think safety!

Trumbull Arts Commission presents...

TRUMBULL ARTS FESTIVAL

Sunday, September 11, 2016

10 am to 4 pm

Arts, Crafters, Creative Writing, Music Food and Fun for all.

**Call for
Members!!**

**AMERICAN LEGION POST 141 –
TRUMBULL, CONNECTICUT**

American Legion Post 141 is looking for veterans to help us maintain and improve our efforts to support programs for veterans, children and youth. Membership is open to all who served during WWII, the Korean conflict, Vietnam, Lebanon, Granada and Panama, and all conflicts since Desert Storm are eligible to join, whether or not you actually served in theatre during those periods. We have a particular need for you younger veterans to join and assume leadership within this oldest and largest (with 2.4 million members) veterans' organization, founded in 1919 by veterans of WWI. For further information call either Jimmy Chin (268-9972) or George Areson (261-6874).

TRUMBULL VETERANS HALL

Plan your event at Trumbull Veterans' Hall. This facility, with capacity for more than 100 people, is available for bridal and baby showers, christening and Bar Mitzvah parties, children's parties, fund raisers, and meetings of all kind. We set up tables and chairs and provide on-site assistance and security. Facility has kitchen facilities and there is plenty of parking. Location is on beautiful Katz Pond. For more information call Peter Pappas at 268-7904.

Summer Concert Series on the Green 	8/2	Signature (Top 40), sponsored by the Mallett Trust
	8/9	Old School (Classic Rock & Blues), sponsored by The Mallett Trust
	8/16	Bob Button Big Band, sponsored by The Mallett Trust
	8/23	Mia & the Riff (Soul, R&B, Funk, Rock & Roll), sponsored by St. Joseph Center
	8/30	I' Liguri (Italian American), sponsored by The Mallett Trust
	9/6	The Barons (Oldies), sponsored by The Mallett Trust

Connecticut Tax Free Shopping Week
Takes place:
August 21- through August 27
Clothing and shoes under \$100 per item
is exempt from Sales Tax.

The Town Clerk's Office is collecting funds for "Care Packages of Soldiers" in our office. All proceeds are sent to *Project from the Heart* And are used for postage.

*As of 7/15/2016 we have collected \$5,045.00 for our servicemen and women.
As always, we appreciate your kindness, generosity and support!*

*Thank you –
Suzanne and Staff*



TOWN PHONE DIRECTORY

First Selectman, Timothy M. Herbst
203-452-5005
Animal Control, Lynn Dellabianca
203-452-5088
Arts Coordinator, Emily Areson
203-452-5065
Building Department, 203-452-5020
Trumbull Business Education Initiative
Dan Neumann -203-362-8570
Trumbull Community Television
Kate Donahue, 203-767-4512
Fire Marshal, Megan Murphy
203-452-5080
Chief of Service, EMS, Joseph Laucella
non-emergency number, 203-452-5146
Civil Service/HR
Jim Haselkamp, 203-452-5031
Mary Ann Meier 203-452-5041
Economic Development –Rina Bakalar
203-452-5033
Engineering - 203-452-5045
Finance Director, Maria Pires
203-452-5013
Golf Course Super.- 203-452-5085
Golf Pro Shop, 203-261-5989
Health Department –Rhonda Capuano
203-452-1030
Highway Garage
203-452-5070 or 203-452-5071
Librarian
203-452-5129
Library - 203-452-5197
Nature and Arts Center
203-452-4421
Nursing Director – Coleen Figliuzzi
203-452-5090
Parks & Rec. Director
Stuart McCarthy, 203-452-5064/5060
Economic & Comm. Dev. –
203-452-5043
Planning & Zoning, Rob Librandi
203-452-5047
Police Chief, Chief Michael Lombardo
(non-emergency) 203-261-3665
Police Emergency 911
Probate, The Hon. T.R. Rowe
203-452-5063
Public Works Director, John Marsilio
203-452-5045
Purchasing, Kevin Bova 203-452-5042
Registrars of Voters,
William Holden & Laurel Anderson
203-452-5058 and 203-452-5059
Senior Center, Michele Jakab -452-5199
Social Services, Jennifer Gillis-452-5198
Superintendent of Schools,
Dr. Gary Cialfi - 203-452-4301
Tax Assessor, Mark DeVestern
203-452-5016
Tax Collector, Donna Pellitteri
452- 5026
Town Clerk, Suzanne Burr Monaco
203-452-5037
Town Treasurer, Anthony Musto
203-452-5012
Transfer Station, 203-452-5167
Trumbull Historical Society
203-377-6620
Zoning Enforcement, 203-452-5052

LIBRARY NEWS - CLOSED SUNDAYS IN THE SUMMER

- Butterflies in Your Backyard!** Wed. Aug. 3, 6:30 – 8pm. A special presentation on our local butterflies is led by Victor DeMasi, research affiliate at Yale Peabody Museum. Discussion, powerpoint, and butterfly specimens are included! Free. Register.
- Special Summer Evening Healthcare Career Workshop. Fast-Track Programs, presented by St. Vincent's College.** Thurs. Aug. 11, 6:30 – 7:30pm. Learn about the short-term healthcare certificate programs available at St. Vincent's College! Also, hear about the enrollment and financial aid process. Free. Register. Details online.
- Prismatic Panels Art Workshop! Middle and High School.** Thurs. Aug. 11, 6:30 – 8pm. Join Kathy Vincent of *ArtSmart! Studio* for an evening of canvas painting with a modern twist! Meet with friends to create some very cool room decor! Details online. Free. Register.
- Fairchild: Tools Everyone Should Know How to Use! Adults and Teens.** Mon. Aug. 1, 6:30 – 7:30pm. There are basic household tools that everyone should know how to use. Presented by Creators' Corner, this program will show how to use those common tools correctly to make your life easier! Free. Register.
- Fairchild: Aging Gracefully Series for Seniors.** Pt. 3 of 3. Mon. Aug. 8, 2 – 3pm. Final session of our summer seminar, offering educational tips on health & wellness to seniors. Follow August's monthly awareness themes: positive moods, friendship, simplification, the golden years, forgiveness, and your eyes & cataracts! Led by Jo Anne Harrison-Becker, of Therapeutic Recreation Services. Details online. Free. Register.
- Fairchild: Make a Bracelet Workshop. Adults.** Wed. Aug. 10, 6:30 – 7:30pm. If you have always wanted to know how to make a bracelet and never knew where to start, this is the class for you! Beginner's level. All materials provided! Free. Register.
- Monday, August 1: Fairchild: Caterpillars Story Time (0-12 months) WEEKLY** Attention all wiggly caterpillars! Babies from birth to 12 months are invited to join us for a fun morning story time on Mondays from 10:15 to 10:45. We will enjoy gentle songs, stories, puppets, and more! Drop in. **10:15- 10:45 AM**
- Monday, August 1: Fairchild: Butterflies Story Time (Ages 1-2) WEEKLY** It's time for your little toddler to turn into a social butterfly! Children ages 1 to 2 years old will enjoy a fun morning story time on Mondays! Drop in. **11- 11:30 AM**
- Monday, August 1: Fairchild: Maker Monday (grades K-5)** Have fun exploring our three different maker stations and learning cool science. For kids entering grades K-5. Registration required. **2 - 3 PM**
- Tuesday, August 2: Fairchild: 'Drive-In' Movie (ages 3 & up)** Decorate and sit in your very own 'car' to watch a short children's show/cartoon. Popcorn will be provided! For ages 3 and up. Registration required. **10:30 - 11:30 AM**
- Wednesday, August 3: Fairchild: Story Time 2 1/2 to 3s WEEKLY** Come join us for story time! We'll read stories and create some fun art to take home! For ages 2 1/2 to 3. Drop in. **10:30 - 11:15 AM**
- Wednesday, August 3, 10: Baby Cafe for birth to age 2** Sing, play, read, and have fun with your little one! Birth to two years old are welcome. Drop in. **11 - 11:30 AM**
- Wednesday, August 3: Fairchild: Body Basics (ages 5 & up)** Mad Science program! Study the science of your INSIDES & learn the major systems of the human body. Take home a Digestor Inspector; get ready to see some guts in action! Ages +. Reg. req. **4 - 5 PM**
- Thursday, August 4, 11, 25: Fairchild: Junior Authors Workshop (5-7)** Does your child like to create his/her own stories? In our Junior Authors series, kids learn basics of writing & story structure. Ages 5-7. Reg. req. Best results, attend all sessions as possible. **10:30 - 11:15 AM**
- Thursday, August 4: Dancing with Hoops!** Musically fueled interactive Hoop Dancing Entertainment designed to inspire and ignite creative movement, dance, physical expression, exercise, play and laughter. Advanced reg. Residents only. **11- 12 PM**
- Saturday, August 6: Fairchild: Saturday Craft Time** While you're looking for books, do a fun craft! There's a new one every Saturday. Drop in. All ages. **10:30 AM - 12:30 PM WEEKLY**
- Monday, August 8: Fairchild: Turtle Dance Music Show** Join us for Turtle Dances -Head-to-Toe Movement Show! Weather permitting, this event will be outside. Inclement weather, - in the children's room. All ages. Reg. required. **10:30 - 11:30 AM**
- Monday, August 8: Fairchild: Chalk-a-thon!** Decorate the sidewalk outside the library! Chalk provided. All ages. **11:30 AM - 3 PM**
- Monday, August 8: Fairchild: Maker Monday (ages K-5)** Have fun exploring our three different maker stations and learning cool science. For kids entering grades K-5. Registration required. Please note time change. **3:30 - 4:30 PM**
- Monday, August 8: Book Club Grades 2 and 3-Hour of the Olympics** *Hour of the Olympics* by Mary Pope Osborne. This is one of the popular Magic Tree House series. First 15 registrants will get a free book. **4 - 4:45 PM**
- Tuesday, August 9: Fairchild: 'Drive-In' Movie (ages 3 & up)** Decorate and sit in your very own 'car' to watch a short children's show/cartoon. Popcorn will be provided! Ages 3 and up. Registration required. **10:30 - 11:30 AM**
- Thursday, August 11: Nursery Rhyme Olympics** Olympics fun and games, nursery rhyme style! Races, relays, and more! Ages 4 and up. Registration required. **10 - 11 AM**
- Saturday, August 13: Choose Your Own Run: Back in Time August 27 Mysteries** - Learn all about the town. Call. **10 - 11 AM**
- Thursday, August 18: Craft Tables!** Drop in any time to make a fun craft! All materials supplies. **10 AM - 1 PM**
- Thursday, August 18: Fairchild: Yoga Camp with Jyothi (1-5)** 2-hour program with Jyothi that includes yoga exercises with music, a snack break (provided by Jyothi or bring your own). Ages 1-5. Parent/caregiver must stay.. **10:30 AM - 12:30 PM**
- Monday, August 22: Fairchild: Robert the Guitar Guy** Come Sing, Jump, and Clap to Nursery Rhymes and Favorite Movie Songs with Robert! Ages 0-8 Welcome! Drop in. **11:45 AM - 12:15 PM**
- Wednesday, August 24: Book Club for grades 4-6** This month's book is *Red Berries, White Clouds, Blue Sky* by Sandra Dallas. An important chapter in American history. Join us for a fun and lively discussion and related activity! Please register. First 15 registrants can pick up a free copy of the book in the children's department. **4 - 4:45 PM**

Check out our website at www.trumbullct-library.org, see upcoming events from the home page, and register online. 203-452-5197.

SENIOR CITIZENS – Membership is now open to those 55 and over!
Trumbull Residents \$5, non-residents \$20

Friday, August 5, 11AM, Monthly Birthday Party, sponsored by Synergy Home Care. Rsvp 203-452-5199
Wednesday, August 10, 10:30, Sailing and Racing Today's super Yachts, sponsored by Synergy Home Care, Rsvp
Tuesday, August 16, 1-2PM, Saving on your Electricity Bill, sponsored by the Public Utilities Rsvp", Rsvp 203-452-5199
Thursday, August 18, 5-6PM AARP Safe Drivers Course at the Sr. Center, sponsored by Griswold Home, Rsvp 203-452-5199
Friday, August 19th, 11AM-1PM, Senior Citizen's Day Picnic, Sponsored by Ludlowe Center for Health and Rehabilitation.
Friday, August 26, 10AM Trumbull Senior Citizen Commission Meeting, in the Long Hill Conference Room, all welcome
Friday, August 26, 1-2:30PM Bingo –sponsored by the Trumbull Senior Commission and Synergy Home Care. Prizes and Refreshments will be served. Seating is limited, Rsvp 203-4525199
Trumbull Senior Center Café – Check out our new grab-n-go lunch menu including sandwiches, wraps and salads. Now open 11AM – 2 PM!
Wednesday, August 31, 11AM- Get to Know Trumbull EMS, an informational session to explain day to day operations, hospital info and coverage. Rsvp

Travel Corner

Wednesday, August 24, 11Am-1:30PM, Bass Pro Shop Trip, Call for info. Rsvp
Thursday, August 25, 10AM-1:30PM, Barnum Museum Trip -join us for a guided tour and lunch at Ralph N Rich's in Bridgeport. Call 203-452-5137 for more information.



First Selectman Brown Bag Lunch or Coffee

The First Selectman's Brown Bag Lunch in the Long Hill Conference Room is scheduled for Tuesday, August 9th 12 at noon. First Selectman's coffee is on Tuesday, August 16th at 6pm.



Appointments: 1-800-733-2767

Red Cross Blood Drives

8/1 Perkin Elmer, 710 Bridgeport Avenue, Shelton, 8AM-1:30PM
8/2 Congregation BethEl, 1200 Fairfield Woods Road, Fairfield, 1-6:30PM
8/4 Knights of Columbus, 2252 Main Street, Stratford, 1-6:15PM
8/8 Trumbull Library, 33 Quality Street, Trumbull, 11:30AM - 4:30PM
Eaves Trumbull, 100 Avalaon Gates, Trumbull, 1-6PM
8/12 R.D.Scinto Towers, 2 Corporate Drive, Shelton, 8AM-1:45PM
8/17 Calvary Evangelical Free Church, 498 White Plains Road, Trumbull, 1:30-6:30PM
8/20 Trumbull YWCA, 20 Trefoil Drive, Trumbull, 8AM-1PM
8/23 Dianon Systems, 1 Forest Parkway, Shelton, 7AM-12:45PM
8/27 VFW Post 10059, 1 Veterans Circle, Trumbull, 9:30AM-2:30PM
8/29 Spring Meadows, 6949 Main Street, Trumbull, 1-6:30PM
8/31 IBEW Local 488, 721 Main Street, Monroe, 8AM-1PM

* **Trumbull blood drives are noted in BOLD lettering!**



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Bulk Pick-Up Program

This program runs through September. It is by appointment only. Residents are entitled to one appointment per year.

This hauls things that you cannot otherwise dispose of – furniture, mattresses, appliances, etc. They will also pick up:

branches, brush and metal but they must be in their own respective piles, and nothing over 4' long or 6" in diameter.

Place objects at the curb for easy access by Town trucks. Call 203-452-5070 for an appointment.