



Trumbull Town Clerk's Office

Monthly Newsletter - August 2013

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www.trumbull-ct.gov
9 AM - 5 PM

The Town Clerk's Office is collecting funds for "Care Packages for Soldiers" in our office.

All proceeds are sent to "Project from the Heart" and are used for postage.

Help us aid our soldiers and military personnel.

Thank you,

Suzanne Burr Monaco
Town Clerk

ABSENTEE BALLOTS

Are you going away to school? OR - Are you leaving for southern climates? Do you know your address?

All Armed Services must reapply for a ballot each year.

(This is just the application.)

Absentee Ballot applications are available on the Town Clerk's website **OR** in the town hall. Print neatly and give us your email so that we can let you know when your actual ballot is sent out to you.

As of July 28th, \$2,110.00 has been collected for the servicemen and women. WOW!!!
We appreciate your kindness and support!



Dog Licenses are on sale in the Town Clerk's office. Beginning on August 1 there is a \$2 per month extra fee. Keep your dog legal! Fines for unregistered dogs are \$75!

Planning & Zoning – Recreational Vehicle Regulations

As fall gets closer, many people begin thinking about the storage of their recreational vehicles and/or boats. The Town of Trumbull has Zoning Regulations that outline proper storage of these Recreational Vehicles. Please take a moment to review the Regulations as outlined below.

Town of Trumbull Zoning Regulations Article II Sec. 1.2.2.5 states the following:

Temporary parking of recreational vehicles, such as camper-trailers, mobile home, or pop-up trailers up to 28' in length and not more than 8.5' in width, or storage of boats up to 28' in length, shall be located in the rear yard no closer than 25' from the side or rear property line, nor closer than 150' from the street if in a front yard. All vehicles must have a valid CT registration, and be owned by the occupant of the premises. The vehicle or boat must be shielded from neighbor's view by 4' densely growing evergreens, and shall not be visible from the street. No more than one such recreational vehicle shall be permitted on one residential lot, and in no case shall the recreational vehicle or boat be used for human occupancy.

Please adhere to the above when storing any of these recreational vehicles. Should you have any questions please call the Zoning Enforcement office at 203-452-5052.

Save the Date!

Fallen Heroes Memorial Tribute

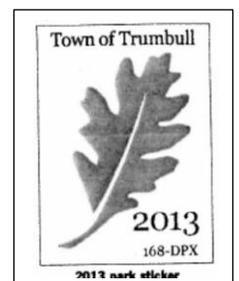
Saturday, September 28, 12:30 pm

Gold star Ceremony at 1 pm

EVERYTHING is free, including food!

Indian Ledge Park, Trumbull

New Park Stickers are available in the Recreation Department (white house across from Town Hall). Bring your car registration with you.



Trumbull Arts Commission presents

Trumbull Arts Festival is coming in September!

Sunday, September 15, 2013

Town Hall Green, 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.

American Legion Bingo – Come and join in the fun!!!

American Legion Bingo takes place every Wednesday beginning at 6:30pm in the Veterans Hall on Whitney Avenue. Doors open at 5 pm.

Twenty games are played with a weekly jackpot (prizes as high as \$1,600). Families are welcome at this event and children ages 12 and up may play. Admission is \$2.00. Bingo card fees are extra.

Social Services at the Senior Center

Renter's Rebate Program for elderly and disabled in the Town of Trumbull. Applications accepted from May 16 through October 1. Single income cannot exceed \$33,500, married can exceed \$40,900 for 2012. Applicant must be 65 or totally disabled. You are required to submit proof of income for 2012. Call to schedule an appointment. No walk-ins please.

Food Pantry is available (by appointment only) Call 203-452-5198 for guidelines or appointments.

Town of Trumbull Beach Bags are available at the Senior Center and the Town Clerk's Office for \$10 each.



Summer Concert Series on the Town Hall Green ...the Recreation Department

*In case of
inclement weather
all concerts will be
held in the
Community Room
of the Library.*

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| 8/6 | Tony Reno,
sponsored by Abriola Parkview Funeral Home |
| 8/13 | Midnight Rodeo (Country),
sponsored by Fairfield County Bank |
| 8/20 | Mia & the Riff (Soul, R&B, Funk, Rock & Roll), sponsored by Mallett Trust |
| 8/27 | Avenue Groove (R&B, Dance),
sponsored by the Mallett Trust |
| 9/3 | The Barons,
sponsored by the Mallett Trust |
| 9/10 | I ^o Liguri (Italian-American),
Sponsored by the Mallet Trust |

Summer is quickly coming to an end!
Get prepared for school.
Be positive. Get a good night's sleep.
Eat a good breakfast.
BE ON TIME!!!!
Study hard, work hard!
Remember that homework reinforces daily learning. Have a good year!



Town Phone Directory

First Selectman, Timothy M. Herbst
203-452-5006
Animal Control, Lynn Dellabianca
203-452-5088
Arts Coordinator, Emily Areson
203-452-5065
Building Department, 203-452-5020
Business Education Initiative
John Annick, 203-377-5803
Cable Television Advisory
Kate Donahue, 203-767-4512
Fire Marshal, Megan Murphy
203-452-5080
Transfer Station, 203-452-5167
Chief of Service, EMS, **Joseph Laucella**
non-emergency number, 203-452-5146
Civil Service /HR, Mary Ann Meier
203-452-5040
Economic & Community Development
Director, Ed Lavernoich 203-452-5043
Engineering - 203-452-5045
Finance Director, Maria Pires
203-452-5009
Golf Course Superintendent
203-452-5085
Golf Pro Shop, 203-261-5989
Health Department
203-452-5184
Highway Garage
203-452-5070 or 203-452-5071
Internal Auditor, James Henderson
203-452-5064
Librarian, Susan Horton
203-452-5129
Library - 203-452-5197
Nature and Arts Center
203-452-4421
P&Z, Helen Granskog
203-452-5047
Police Chief, Chief Thomas Kiely
(non-emergency) 203-261-3665
Police Emergency 911
Probate, The Hon. T.R. Rowe
203-452-5063
Public Works, John Marsilio
203-452-5045
Purchasing, Robert Chmini
203-452-5042
Recreation, Mary Markham
203-452-5060
Registrars of Voters,
William Holden & Laurel Anderson
203-452-5058 and 203-452-5059
Senior Center, Jean Ferreira - 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, Mary Moran - 452- 5024
Town Clerk, Suzanne Burr Monaco
203-452-5037
Town Treasurer, John Ponzio
203-452-5012
Trumbull Historical Society
203-377-6620
Zoning Office, 203-452-5052

Library News -

How to Fund College Without Going Broke. Sat. Aug. 3 & Aug 10, 11am - 12:15pm. Trumbull resident Mike Dailey's excellent class covering the best way to manage the expense. See where you are and how you can get there! Program includes a family financial run. Kiwanis Room. Register. Free.

Color 101 with Kathy Vincent. Teens: Back to Basics - Read Summer Activities! Mon. Aug. 5, 3 – 4pm. Have fun with color with local artist Kathy Vincent. All materials provided. Limited to 16 participants, going into 6th - 12th grade. Register. Free.

Advanced Email: Beyond the Basics. Wed. Aug. 7, 10 – 11:30am. For people who already send, and receive email. This lecture-demonstration session will explain how to create an address book, how to send attachments, and how to create folders. Register.

Living in Space, with the Connecticut Science Center. Teens: Back to Basics - Read Summer Activities! Thurs. Aug. 8, 2 – 3pm. Discover what it is like to live and work in space. Investigate the conditions in space and what a human needs to survive. Limited to 25 participants, going into 6th – 12th grades. Register.

Author Talk: You Are Not Alone--Our Loved Ones Are Here ...You're Just Not Listening. Thurs. Aug. 8, 6:30 – 8pm. CT Author Sydney Sherman discusses her debut book tonight, including the effects the media has on our beliefs. Beyond a simple biography, *You Are Not Alone* approaches the paranormal with a healthy dose of common sense and encourages rational skepticism. She also shows how to avoid falling prey to paranormal frauds, and will encourage the audience to share stories. Available for sale and signing. Register.

Stamped Canvas Bags. Teens: Back to Basics - Read Summer Activities! Fri. Aug. 16, 3 – 4pm. Decorate your own! Use letter stamps to put your favorite movie, music, or literary quote, etc., on a canvas bag. Express yourself! All materials provided. Limited to 20 participants, going into 6th – 12th grades. Register.

Tips and Tricks for Using the Online Catalog of Materials. Wed. Aug. 21, 10 – 11:30am. Learn how to search the Trumbull Library's online catalog more effectively in this hands-on workshop. Limited to 8.

Prepping Our Gardens for Fall, with Nancy Baker of Gardens by Nancy. Thurs. Aug. 22, 6:30 - 7:30pm. Ms. Baker will focus on how prepare our beds as well as which perennials and winter vegetables to plant. Our presenter is a CT Certified Advanced Master Gardener, and more. Details online. Free. Register.

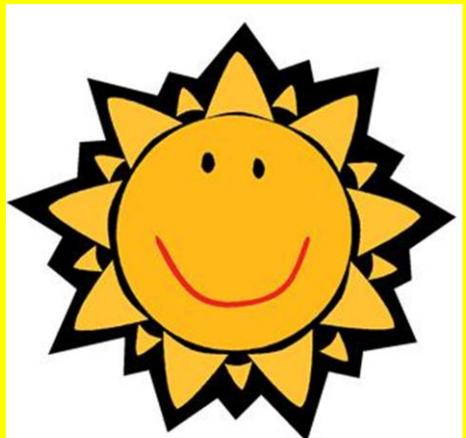
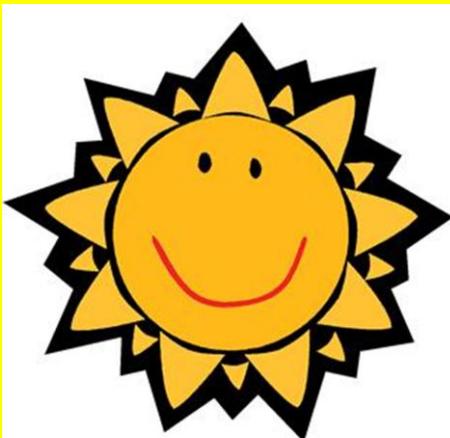
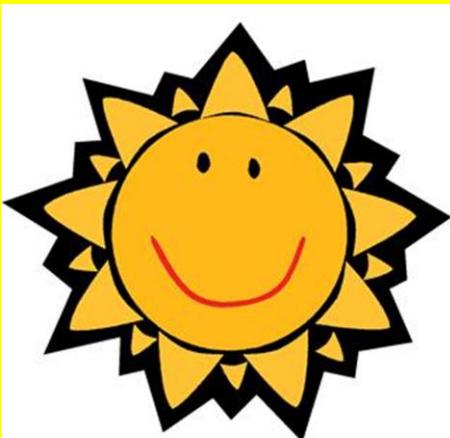
Kickoff Sept. Book Nook Sale Pushed Back to Today! Sat. Aug. 31, 9am – 3pm. Friends of the Trumbull Library Fall Book Nook Sale is early this year, in August! It will return to its first Sat. of each month normal schedule on Sat. Oct. 5. For information or to volunteer, call the Library or get contact information at their website: www.the-friends-of-the-trumbull-library.com.

Children's Events

Family Chess Club. Sat. Aug. 3 & 17, 10am – 12pm. Selva Selvarajan's Family Chess Club will assemble on the first and third Saturdays (except for long weekends). Chess learners and experts from 4 to 94 are welcome. Meet in the Children's Section with your own board, or come to watch.

Back to Basics-Read! Adult and Teen Summer Reading, with Activities. Winding down through August 22. Be on the lookout for drawings and prizes! Get further information at www.trumbullct-library.org or call 203-452-5197.

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





**Listen
in!!!**

**Charter Ch. 17
AT&T Ch. 99**

***Senior Citizens – Membership Renewal was due in June - \$5 residents, \$20 non-residents
Travel- call 203-452-5199***

August 5, 2013- Foxwoods Casino – Includes food voucher and free bet. Bus leaves early \$23.00 enough to play bingo.

September 18, 2013- Captain Jacks and Mohegan Sun Casino. A traditional New England style clam bake with Clam cakes, Clam Chowder, Shrimp Cocktail, Boiled lobster or Prime Rib with vegetable, dessert. Served with coffee, Tea and soft drink. After lunch on to the casino where you will receive buffet and free play -\$78

Shopping Trips

Wednesday, August 7 : Christmas Tree Sop

Bus leaves the Senior Center at 11:00 AM. For reservations please call Sharon at 452-5137.

Wednesday, August 21 : Home Town Buffet and Job lot. Bus leaves the Senior Center at 11:00 AM. For reservations please call Sharon at 203-452-5137

Events

Duplicate Bridge every Wednesday beginning July 3, 10:30 a.m. – 3 p.m.

AARP SAFE DRIVERS COURE -September 12 (Thursday) 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Members pay \$12.00 and non-members \$14.00 Reservation by check only. Please make checks payable to AARP (No cash please). For more information and to reserve your seat please call Jean at (203) 452-5199.

Monthly Birthday Party

Middlebrook Farms at Trumbull will sponsor a monthly birthday Friday, August 9 at the Senior Center.

Everyone with a **July** or an **August** birthday is invited to be our guest of honor on August 9th at 11:00AM in the snack bar and all others are welcome to come celebrate and have a piece of cake. Please call and RSVP and if it's your birthday please let us know.

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 13 at noon (change of date). First Selectman's coffee is on Tuesday, August 20 at 6 pm.

Red Cross Blood Drives

8/2 Shelton Community Center, 41 Church St., Shelton, 1-6:15pm

8/7 Knights of Columbus, 2252 Main St., Stratford 1-6:30 pm

8/16 R.D. Scinto, 2 Corporate Drive, Shelton, 8am -1:45pm

8/21 Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church, 4070 Park Ave., Bpt., 1-6:30pm

8/26 Calvary Evang. Free Church, 498 White Plains Rd., Trumbull, 1-6:30pm

8/28 Trinity Baptist Church, 300 North Benson Rd., Fairfield, 12:30-6pm

8/29 Fairfield Police, 100 Reef Road, Fairfield, 11am – 4pm

8/30 Cooper Surgical, 95 Corporate Dr., Trumbull, 8:30am – 2:15pm

8/31 Big Y, 355 Hawley Lane, Stratford, 9am - 2pm

Back to School

**Tuesday, August 27
First Day for the
Students.**

**Bus Schedules will be
available on the Board
of Education website.**

**Superintendent is
Dr. Gary Cialfi at
203-452-4301.**