

North Haven Garden Club Around the Town



North Haven: There's more to see at the North Haven Library than books and videos! Keeping the gardens along the walkways in tiptop shape are North Haven Garden Club members Cindy Adinolfi (chairman of the NHGC Library Garden committee), Leonda Fermo, Linda Lianos and Debra Trapani.

Cindy directs garden projects like mulching, weeding and fall clean up, and chooses the plants

that delight visitors. This year, giant sunflowers were featured among the hydrangea, zinnia, petunias, daylilies, and so much more! Stop by every season to see what's in bloom!

North Haven Garden Club is a member of The Federated Garden Clubs of CT, The New England Garden Club, Inc. and The National Garden Club, Inc. Find out more about North Haven Garden Club on the club's Facebook page.

Northford & North Branford Public Libraries

EDWARD SMITH LIBRARY UPCOMING EVENTS

To register for events at the Smith Library, visit the Events Calendar at our website: <https://northbranford.librarycalendar.com/> or call (203) 484-0469.

3D Printer Drop-In Event: **Wed., Sept. 9, 4-7pm.** Drop in to see our 3D printer in action. Ask about the process and get more information on how you can use 3D printing software from home. *Registration not required.*

Drop-In Tech Help: Thurs., Sept. 10, 10am-1pm. Personal tech help is available first-come, first-serve at Smith Library. Limited to 30 minutes each. Bring a device that you need help with. *No registration required.*

Support Group for Dementia & Alzheimer's Caregivers: Thurs., Sept. 10, 11:15am-1:15pm. Caregiving is challenging. Join facilitator Karen LaBanca for our monthly Drop-In Caregiving Support Group. Caregiver support groups are a way for you and others to share information, insight, advice, or words of encouragement in a safe and supporting space.

Paint-a-Plow: Thurs., Sept. 10, from 3-7pm & Fri., Sept. 11, from 11am-noon. Children can leave their mark on the Town of North Branford at our Paint-a-Plow

events. Kids will be able to stamp their handprint onto one of the snow plows that will be active this winter. *Registration not required.* NOTE: We will be using acrylic paint. Please make sure your child is dressed appropriately as the paint will stain clothing.

The Herbal Apothecary: Thurs., Sept. 10, 6-8pm. Discover how to use herbs from your garden to make home-brewed teas, soothing salves, and botanical extracts. Join Mark Gostkiewicz of Tri Gable Lea Farm for a practical, down-to-earth introduction about growing your own herbs and processing them into useful, high-quality products for your home.

Tots & Tunes: Fri., Sept. 11, 10:30am-11am. Young children ages 18 months & up and their siblings can enjoy 30 minutes of songs, stories and movement. Parent or guardian must attend. *Registration not required.*

Saturday Story Time: Sat., Sept. 12, 10:30am-11am. Join Children's Librarian Miss Mary for 30 minutes of stories, music, and movement. *Registration not required.*

Monday Night Mah-Jongg: Sept. 14, 6-8pm. Those interested in playing Mah-Jongg are invited. Participants should bring their Mah-Jongg sets.

Little Makers: Tues., Sept. 15, 10:30-11am. Each session has a simple craft activity that we do together. This session, we will make a donut painting. Recommended ages 2-6.



Can & Bottle Drive

The Wallingford Community Women's Club is sponsoring a Can & Bottle Drive to be held on Sat., September 12, from 8:30am-12pm at the East Wallingford Volunteer Fire Department, 2 Kondracki Lane, or the North Farms Volunteer Fire Department, 864 North Farms Road, Wallingford.

There is no sorting necessary. Just drop and go. All redeemable bottles accepted.

All proceeds will benefit the Wallingford Community Women's Club's many scholarships sponsored including, but not limited to

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THEME: MOVIE QUOTES
ACROSS

1. Give benediction
6. World's oldest broadcasting company, acr.
9. Hoodwink
13. H, spelled out
14. Have a cold, e.g.
15. Dogma
16. Raja's wife
17. Shel Silverstein's constrictor
18. Extreme, prefix
19. "____, my dear, I don't give a damn"
21. "Why so ____?"
23. "High" beverage
24. Fairytale's second word
25. "Swan Lake" step, e.g.
28. Potassium hydroxide solution, pl.
30. Nincompoop
35. Month of Purim
37. At any time
39. Coastal town in southern England
40. Flick part
41. 4 x 4 race
43. Like most Brothers Grimm stories
44. "Peer Gynt" playwright
46. Actress Campbell
47. Please do not delay, acr.
48. Experienced sailor (2 words)
50. Dispatched
52. a.k.a. Tokyo
53. Window guards
55. Beer faucet
57. "I'm mad as hell, and I'm not going to take it ____"
61. "What we've got here is ____ to communicate"
65. Like United States Capitol
66. Food safety org.
68. Ritual basin
69. Tooth trouble
70. Husk of corn
71. Sharks' domain
72. Fence board
73. Pastrami partner
74. Paper quantities

Spotted Lanternflies

Spotted Lanternflies have hitched a ride from China and can cause serious damage. Other facts are as follows:

- Some of the Lanternflies' favorite foods are corn, soybeans, grapevines, maple trees and apple trees.
- They are very colorful, which can be deceiving.
- Spotted Lanternflies have been in the U.S. since 2012.
- When sprayed with dish soap & water, they die quickly.
- Many other insects are now feeding on them, including praying mantises and wasps.
- Chickens and other birds devour them at a rapid pace.
- Spotted Lanternflies thrive and gravitate toward the "Tree of Heaven." (Some people have renamed this tree -- The "Tree of Hell.")
- It is advisable to eradicate this tree if it is on your property. However, don't just cut it down because it will shoot out many runners. One method is to hack the trunk with an axe and apply a herbicide, which will kill the tree and runners. You may have to consult a professional exterminator.

Ron Johnson, Hamden

STEM, high school seniors and adult education. Every can and bottle makes a difference in our community.

Any questions, contact www.wallingfordcommunitywomen@gmail.com.

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FOR SALE: Three Grinders, electric, on stands except one - the Delta with light attached \$100 or best offer; Craftsman bench grinder w/stand \$50 or best offer; Craftsman bench grinder no stand \$25 or best offer. Cash only. (203) 444-1101

FOR SALE: 18 volt Ryobi string trimmer edger with battery and charger, brand new \$100; (203) 284-0648 •

DOWN

1. Vomit
2. The one with pants on fire
3. Volcano in Sicily
4. "I can smell the ____ of a woman... Honey oil, lavender, soap"
5. Israeli monetary unit
6. "Hasta la vista, ____"
7. Life story, for short
8. Fastener
9. Hero shop
10. "Do ____ others..."
11. Paddington Bear's homeland
12. Airport postings, acr.
15. Rutabaga cousin
20. Extra sweatshirt, e.g.
22. Long period of time
24. No-good
25. "We'll always have ____"
26. Hacienda brick
27. Mexican cuisine staple
29. "She doesn't ____ go here"
31. Party garb?
32. Not better
33. Homer's famous poem, with The
34. "Not quite my ____"
36. Donna or Lou
38. Techno dance party
42. Busybody, in Yiddish
45. "____ puts Baby in a corner"
49. Toothy fish
51. Alterations specialist
54. Mention something
56. "There's no ____ like home"
57. Contributes
58. Season to be jolly
59. Village People hit
60. Source of protein
61. Cab payment
62. Eye layer
63. #74 Across, sing.
64. Sea eagles
67. "Go ahead, make my ____"

NOTICE

Pursuant to General Statutes § 16-50p (a), the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) announces that, on September 3, 2026, the Council issued Findings of Fact, an Opinion, and a Decision and Order approving an application from Homeland Towers, LLC and Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the construction, maintenance, and operation of a telecommunications facility and associated equipment located at 402 Clintonville Road, North Haven, Connecticut. This application record is available for public inspection in the Council's office, Ten Franklin Square, New Britain, Connecticut.

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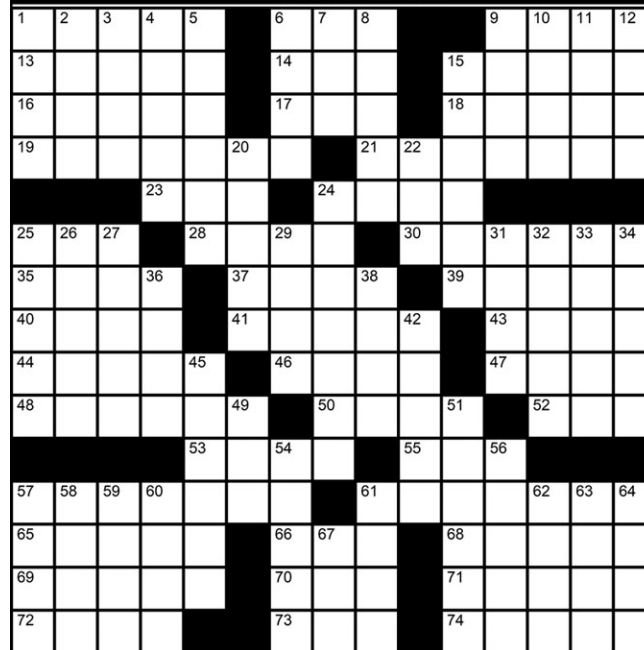
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Hamden Chamber Announces First Annual Cars & Commerce Community Car Show & Marketplace

The Hamden Regional Chamber of Commerce is excited to announce its 1st Annual Cars & Commerce Community Car Show & Marketplace, presented by the Sponsors of Energize Connecticutsm, Avangrid Networks, Inc. subsidiaries United Illuminating and Southern Connecticut Gas on Saturday, September 19, from 10am-3pm at Hamden Town Center Park.

The new community event will bring together car enthusiasts, local businesses, families and residents for a day celebrating classic and specialty vehicles, local businesses and community connections.

Cars & Commerce will feature show cars of all years, makes and models, along with trophies and awards, raffles, food trucks and local business vendors. Admission is free for spectators.

Show car registration begins at 8am and is \$15 per car. Participating vehicles will also have the opportunity to compete for recognition.

A portion of the proceeds from Cars & Commerce will benefit the Hamden Police Activity League (Hamden PAL), furthering the event's commitment to supporting the local community.

The event will be held at Hamden Town Center Park, with entrance through Hamden Middle School, 2623 Dixwell Ave. The rain date is Sunday, September 20.

Sponsorship opportunities are also available for businesses and organizations interested in showcasing and/or selling their products and services at this new community event.

For additional information about Cars & Commerce, sponsorship opportunities or participation, visit hamdenchamber.com, email hcc@hamdenchamber.com or call the Hamden Regional Chamber of Commerce at (203) 288-6431.