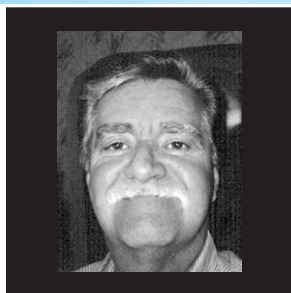


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was born in Waterbury, the son of the late Samuel and Bernice Moulliet Fenn Jr. In addition to his wife, Sam is survived by his daughter Nina Fenn of Florida, his sister Sarah Coretta of Wallingford and several grandchildren. He was predeceased by his son Scott Fenn.



Wallingford-Yalesville Funeral Homes

## PRAYER INFORMATION

All prayers cost \$12 per prayer, per week. The deadline is Wednesday for the following Tuesday's Issue. Please mail to The Advisor, P.O. Box 460, North Haven, CT 06473-0460 or bring in to our office, 87 State Street (Kings Acres), North Haven, with payment, correct initials and code number found in lower left corner of prayer.

## Father's Day Lunch & Bocce Bash Brings Seniors Together



**North Haven:** The North Haven Senior Center was thrilled to welcome visiting seniors from Bristol for a friendly bocce competition out on the courts. It was more than just a game, it was a wonderful opportunity to connect, share laughs, and enjoy some spirited play under the sun. Inside the center, the celebration continued with a festive Father's Day

lunch. Guests were treated to a delicious hot dog bar and entertained by a lively accordion player, whose nostalgic melodies added a joyful touch to the afternoon. At the North Haven Senior Center, every day is something new and the good times never get old.

Story by Paulette Demaio

## Spring Glen Garden Club Upcoming 100 Year Celebration



**Pictured:** Members of The Spring Glen Garden at a recent tag sale.

**Hamden:** Look for club members around town beautifying Hamden at the Dickerman House, Lock Keeper's House on the Farmington Canal Trail Line, the gardens and planters in Spring Glen Center, at the Miller Library and The Hamden Government Center.

The Spring Glen Garden Club is celebrating a hundred years of beautifying the town of Hamden. Look for our celebratory activities:

1. June 3: Tea at Miller Library in Celebration of National Garden Week. Please join members from 2-5 pm.
2. June 14, the Club will have a booth at Hamden Fest, stop by and say hi.
3. July 1, Founders Day. The activities will start at 2 pm at the Miller Library in the lobby in front of

the Thorton Wilder auditorium.

4. Aug 6, Plant Science Day at Lockwood Farm of The Connecticut Agricultural Experiment Station. The Club will have a booth highlighting our community involvement and our pass role in the lovely Bird and Butterfly Garden.

This promises to be a wonderful year for the Club, please join us in this historical milestone.

For anyone who is interested in joining our club, please call Dorothy at 203.934.5975 or 475.434.8017.

The Club has been a fixture in the Hamden community since 1925, a chartered member of The Federated Garden Clubs of Connecticut, Inc., and National Garden Clubs, Inc., since 1929.

Please stop by our historical display in hail outside the Miller Library in front of the Thorton Wilder Auditorium.

vites you to become a hero and answer the call of patients in need by donating blood. Heroes come in all shapes and sizes. They do not all wear capes or special suits, and their badge of honor is the bandage that shows they gave the gift of life. The need for blood does not take a vacation.

Please take the time on **Monday, June 30 from 10am-3pm at American Legion Post 88, 3005 Dixwell Ave. in Hamden** to give the gift that means something. There is a critical blood shortage across Connecticut...and with July 4th weekend approaching, the need will be intensified.

Donating blood is one of the simplest things a person can do to help save a patient's life. For the hour it takes to give blood, there could be a whole community of people thankful for another birthday given to their loved one. Please roll up your sleeves. Your single donation will impact the lives of three people, and all you will feel is good.

Donors can schedule appointments by calling 1-800-RED-CROSS (1-800-733-2767); going to [redcrossblood.org](http://redcrossblood.org); downloading the Blood Donor App; or contacting the Hamden Lions Club at [lionalannhct@gmail.com](mailto:lionalannhct@gmail.com)

The Red Cross RapidPass offers donors a way to complete their pre-reading and donation questions online from the comfort and privacy of their home or office, reducing the time you spend at blood drives by as much as 15 minutes. Using RapidPass is simple: Visit [redcrossblood.org/RapidPass](http://redcrossblood.org/RapidPass)

## Scenic Connecticut Trolley Line Celebrates 125 Years Of Operation- Oldest In United States



**East Haven:** The Shore Line Trolley Museum is set to celebrate 125 years of rail service on the scenic Connecticut trolley line in 2025. The railway is the oldest continuously operated suburban trolley line in the United States. The Shore Line Trolley Museum continues to preserve the rail line as a "Museum in Motion"

Founded in 1900, the railway was built by the citizens of Branford, Connecticut to connect their quiet town with the bustling city of New Haven, Connecticut. More than a century later, much remains the same thanks to the dedication of volunteers who maintain this living piece of history as The Shore Line Trolley Museum.

"This railway is a rare surviving example of early American transit infrastructure," said John Proto, Executive Director of The Shore Line Trolley Museum. Proto noted the active role the museum plays in the community. "We're preserving more than trolley cars, we're stewarding a pivotal chapter in our nation's industrial and transportation heritage."

The Museum is home to the most extensive collection of vintage trolleys and rapid transit cars in the country. Open to the public in 1947, the railway bridges the past to the present for visitors of all ages, reflects American industrial pride, and inspires awe through unspoiled natural habitat that surrounds the trolley line.

The Shore Line Trolley Museum plans to celebrate this 125th anniversary with a variety of family-friendly events throughout the year. On July 31st - the day the museum acquired the line- a public ceremony will be held featuring local government officials and museum dignitaries.

For more information on The Shore Line Trolley Museum, visit [www.shorelinetrolley.org](http://www.shorelinetrolley.org), [www.facebook.com/shorelinetrolleyuseum](https://www.facebook.com/shorelinetrolleyuseum), <https://www.instagram.com/shorelinetrolleyuseum>

## Have an Afternoon to Spare?

**Hamden:** If you do, we could use help at Mae's Closet, where gently used equipment is donated and then lent out to people who need it.

Mae's Closet is in Hamden and is a program of Interfaith Volunteer Care Givers. Our goal is to take in wheelchairs, walkers, bath seats, etc. that are no longer being used, sanitize, repair if necessary and then lend out. We are keeping this equipment from the landfill or sitting in someone's garage unused.

This is a very satisfying way to spend time and very appreciated by the people who come to borrow equipment which can be so expensive.

If you are interested, please call 475-414-8333 and one of the volunteers will call you back and answer any questions you may have.

## Our Journey of Sight Support Group

"Our Journey of Sight" - a low vision/blind support group meets monthly at the West Haven Public Library, 300 Elm St., West Haven, from 10am-noon on the 3rd Friday of the month.

This is not a regulatory group, but a group that provides monthly speakers, and support to each other during our journey of visual loss.

For more information, please contact Richard Howard at (203) 214-7631.

## QU Students Train Individuals In 'Stop The Bleed' And Narcan Administration



**Pictured:** Rep. DeLauro, joined community members in learning these vital skills, emphasizing the importance of preparedness and community support in times of crisis.

**Hamden:** Quinnipiac University nursing and physician assistant students made a powerful impact at the North Haven Pride celebration on Saturday, June 14, by training more than 175 attendees - including U.S. Rep. Rosa DeLauro - in lifesaving techniques such as "Stop the Bleed" and Narcan administration.

The event, held on the North Haven Town Green, blended celebration with critical public health education. "Stop the Bleed" is a nationwide campaign that empowers everyday people to act quickly and effectively in a bleeding emergency, while Narcan (naloxone) is a fast-acting medication that can reverse the effects of an opioid overdose and save lives.

Quinnipiac's hands-on training station gave participants the tools and confidence to step in and make a difference, potentially turning bystanders into heroes.



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## Precautions in the Sun

As we look forward to the summer here in New England, we must think about limiting our exposure to the sun's powerful rays. People will be spending more time outdoors and to keep our families safe and healthy we must take certain precautions to prevent sunburn.

I know it is fashionable to have a dark tan as possible and some people equate this with being healthy, but unfortunately **there is no such thing as a healthy tan.** Yes, some sun exposure is beneficial, but only on a moderate base. Back in the 50s and 60s, very limited warnings about sun exposure was given. Like everything else, now we are more educated about the damage the sun can cause when over-exposed. This over-exposure kills thousands of people each year and many more must have treatments and operations to remove the damaged areas. Some of the older generations have had some damage to their skin, so this generation should take heed and practice good precautions.

Certain people, especially people with blond hair and blue eyes need to take special care to prevent skin cancer. People with red hair and light skin need to take extra special care when outdoors. Certain precautions are just common sense and require minor considerations, planning, and equipment. Wide brim hats (not a baseball cap), wear a long sleeve shirt and use a sunscreen of 30 or more are things you need to protect yourself outdoors.

Remember, also that it is important to protect your eyes as well from the sun's rays. You should wear a good pair of polarized sunglasses that also screen out ultraviolet rays. This will prevent eye damage later on in life and will enable you to see things better without the glare. Glasses will also prevent the wind from blowing foreign objects into your eyes. Enjoy the outdoors and remember **there is no such thing as a healthy tan.**

Ron Johnson, Hamden