Adrian Rose Jewelry Grand Opening/Ribbon Cutting Ceremony



Pictured (L-R): Renee Miller, Executive Director, Quinnipiac Chamber of Commerce; doing the honors are owners Aimee Che & Han Zhuo & Matt Iovanne, Business Development Executive, Quinnipiac Chamber of Commerce.

Wallingford: The Quinnipiac Chamber of Commerce was delighted to celebrate a Ribbon Cutting Grand Opening with Adrian Rose Jewelry on Wednesday, December 3, 2025. The new store is located at 48C North Plains Industrial Road in Wallingford.

Adrian Rose Jewelry is more than a standard retail jewelry store: it's a full-service jewelry studio offering custom design, fabrication, repair, and restoration.

Their services include custom-designed jewelry, stone setting, ring resizing, metal casting, and plating, jewelry repair and restoration, heirloom rebuild - estate jewelry services, engagement rings and fine jewelry

Adrian Rose Jewelry is family-run. The name "Adrian Rose" comes from the owners' children, reflecting a commitment to legacy, craftsmanship, and personal service. They emphasize doing everything in-house - from design to casting, setting, and finishing - which ensures that customers work directly with the manufacturer.

Veterans Honor Guard Seeking Volunteers

The Veterans Honor Guard of Meriden is looking for Honorable Discharged Veterans, male or female, to volunteer in Veterans Burials. It is a great way to honor your fallen brother or sister by giving them the honor they deserve.

So, if you can spend a few hours to volunteer, please contact Clark Doehr at (203) 223-3338 or Ray Bednarz at 860-690-5833.

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Wallingford Garden Club Nutcracker Tree



Pictured: WGC group, LB, KC; LT, DR, MM, SS, BW, DO, JS, OB, and decorated Christmas tree.

Wallingford Garden Club has entered a decorated Holiday Tree at the Coalition for a Better Wallingford as part of the Holiday Stroll on Friday Dec 5th.

Participants were: Linda Burr and Karen Ciosek (row 1), Linda Thomas, Dina Rawling, Maria Mercurio (row 2), Suzanne Surato, Betty Wilson, Donna Oddie, Judy Sirois, Opal Berardesca (row 3), (missing from photo are Kathy Bryson, Shirley Lagerstrom and Jeanne Lawrence).

Check WGC website at: www.wallingfordgardenclub.com.

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Wallingford Garden Club Annual Holiday Tea

The Public is invited to attend the Wallingford Garden Club's 37th annual Holiday Tea to be held on Wed., December 10, from 1-3pm in the Community Room of the Wallingford Public Library, 200 North Main Street.

Enjoy the creative displays of holiday decorations designed by members of the Garden Club. Also, fresh floral arrangements and wreaths, made by the members, will be available for sale.

Drop-in and treat yourself to delicious homemade sandwiches and sweets while enjoying entertainment to get you into the holiday spirit.

The event is co-sponsored with the Wallingford Public Library.

Garden Club members will be available to share information about this worthy, community organization.

Food Drive for Masters Manna

The **Wallingford** Democrats are holding a food drive for Masters Manna of Wallingford.

If you want to help, please reach out to Democrat volunteer Fran at franlafpro@gmail.com

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FOR SALE: King size 100% Italian wool blanket, cream over brown Lane-rossi pura lama, small stain on satin binding $95; call (203) 691-5196

WANTED: WWII Vets, immediate cash for all German helmets, hats, daggers, flags, medals, uniforms, patches. Collector will beat all dealer offers; (203) 932-0750 •

FOR SALE: Nativity set with 11 ceramic figurines, all in good cond. $30 (203) 239-3592 •

FOR SALE: Cabin in the Snow dinnerware, 33 pcs. $99; (203) 239-0732 •

FOR SALE: Dark brown leather sofa bed, needs work $100; (203) 871-9297 •

WANTED: Buying older beer cans, flats, conetops, single cans or entire collections; (203) 915-7662 •

Wallingford Garden Club Meeting Featured Moths and Thanksgiving Floral Designs



Pictured: Linda Burr, and Thanksgiving theme floral designs.

Wallingford Garden Club recently held a meeting on Nov 11 at the First Congregational Church, with John Himmelman on 'Discovering Moths: Night Time Jewels.' John has written and illustrated over 85 nature books for children.

Moths are attracted to bright lights in the evening. Adult moths are good pollinators and have a short life span of one to two weeks. Female moths don't eat as adults since they do not have mouths. Male moths court the female when they find the right chemical signal of pheromones through their feathery antennae.

The dessert table design was by Linda Burr. Dessert hostesses were: Ann Marie Wolfer, Cathleen Cullen, Suzanne Surato, Patricia Breen, Karla Renaud and Carol Zandri.

Many garden club members created floral designs with a Thanksgiving theme: Kathy Bryson, Jeanne Lawrence, Ann Marie Wolfer, Nancy Roseman, Maria Mecurio, Donna Joyce, and Shirley Lagerstrom (Chairperson).

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