North Haven Democratic Town Committee Condemns Trump's Divisive and Harmful Policies



Pictured: DTC Members at the February 11th Monthly Meeting.

The North Haven Democratic Town Committee (NHDTC) has issued a strong statement condemning President Donald Trump and his allies for their continued use of division, fear, and misinformation to distract from the real issues affecting American families.

"We are alarmed by the unparalleled attack on democracy, the constitution, and the rule of law by President Donald Trump and his allies. His administration and campaign are using his first few weeks in office to attempt to fundamentally dismantle democratic institutions, purge nonpartisan government personnel, redefine citizenship, expand inhumane detention policies, vilify hard working immigrants, shut down government agencies, fire watchdogs, and pardon the terrorists who attacked our Capitol on January 6th, 2021. Together, this constitutes a power grab the likes our nation has never seen. It is clear that President Trump intends to further use his power to target marginalized communities, scapegoat vulnerable groups, and undermine the principles of equality and justice. His economic policies prioritize corporations and big business interests, putting American workers and small businesses at risk of further hardship, and his foreign policy goals are reckless with national security and undermine democratic sovereignty. Furthermore, his executive orders attempt to subvert Federal law, and impose punitive damages that undermine Connecticut's own laws, democracy, and financial health.

While we are disappointed that North Haven's state level leadership has been silent about the President's repeated executive overreach, harmful policies and divisive rhetoric, the North Haven Democratic Town Committee remains committed to fairness, inclusion, economic opportunity, and the protection of democracy. We are committed to keeping our members informed and engaged, ensuring that all North Haven residents have the tools and resources to push back against this assault on our rights and our freedoms. We commit ourselves to organizing community efforts that will help mitigate the harm being done by this administration, ensuring that our positive vision is represented and reflected at all levels. We will continue to support efforts to elect leaders who uphold the values of democracy."

"Our work is just beginning," said Tim Gabriele, Chair of the NHDTC. "We will continue organizing and fighting for policies that protect all North Haven residents."

For more information or to get involved, visit www.NorthHaven-Democrats.com.

BEST OF... AWARDS
1st Place Winner! Readers Choice BEST HOME CONTRACTOR
DiMARTINO
HOME IMPROVEMENT, INC.
Family Owned Since 1949
BEST OF... AWARDS
1st Place Winner! Readers Choice BEST SIDING CONTRACTOR
RESIDENTIAL & CONDOMINIUM SPECIALISTS
Installation of All Types of Windows, Doors, Siding & Gutters
ENERGY SAVING WINDOWS & DOORS
203-239-0558
DimartinoHI.com
Thousands of Satisfied Customers!
• Professional Installation • Lic. #554328 • Fully Insured • High Quality Products • No High Pressure
Follow us on
A+ Rated
Celebrating 76 Years in Business

Half Time (After Thoughts)

It was a great Super Bowl depending on which team you were rooting for. The Chiefs obviously fell short of their goal and became the underdogs of the Eagles. But I found the game entertaining and the best team won.

I can't say the same for the Half Time Show and found it unmoving. The show should be able to appeal to all generations and there are many performers and groups that would do so. I hope this recommendation would be considered for future Half Time shows because I found the latest one disappointing.

In the meantime, put your faith in God and He will point you in the right direction.

Ron Johnson, Hamden

FOR SALE: Gulf gasoline price sign number 29, number 17 $50; Gulf motor oil, 2-gal. can $25; (203) 239-8060

Upcoming Reunions

HAMDEN HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 1970

Save the Date: Sat., Oct. 11, 2025. Hamden High School Class of 1970 will hold their 55th Reunion at Café Amic, Whitney Avenue, Hamden.

Details to follow. Please share with your friends from our class. Follow us on Facebook at HHS Class of 1970.

Any questions, please call or text: Maureen (Fisk) Anderson at (203) 430-5229, or Joyce Goldberg at (860) 992-4706.

HAMDEN PUBLIC LIBRARY

ANNOUNCING THE 2025 THORNTON WILDER WRITING COMPETITION

The Hamden Public Library's Thornton Wilder Writing Competition (TWWC) is now accepting submissions for 2025. The contest is open to all New Haven County public, private, homeschool, and parochial high school students. ***Entries are due by midnight on Sun., Feb. 23.***

A panel of judges will select a first and second-place winner, as well as an honorable mention, in fiction and poetry. Winners will receive $500, $300, and $100 respectively.

Students may submit up to one entry each for the fiction and poetry categories, and fiction works can be short stories, scripts, one-act plays, or excerpts from longer works. Submissions may not exceed 2,500 words and each entry must be accompanied by a completed application.

Entries should be sent to TWilder@hamdenlibrary.org.

For more information and a copy of the application, visit www.hamdenlibrary.org/twwc.

THE RUBY & CALVIN FLETCHER AFRICAN AMERICAN HISTORY MUSEUM

Did you know that Connecticut's first museum dedicated to the historical struggles and triumphs of African Americans is located in Stratford? Join Jeffrey Fletcher on Tues., February 25, 6:30pm, for a captivating presentation on the Ruby and Calvin Fletcher African American History Museum.

This program will take place in Thornton Wilder Hall, 2901 Dixwell Avenue, in Hamden.

The event is free and open to the public. Seating is limited. Registration is recommended. Register online at hamdenlibrary.org (click on "Programs") or call (203) 287-2680.

The Terrace HAIR STUDIO
We're Always Here for Your Hair ...
• Highlights
• Color
• Perms
• Extensions
New clients always wel-
Book now & let us transform your look into something ex-
203-239-5155
380 Washington Ave., North Haven, CT

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

FOR SALE: Panasonic cordless phone set, base plus 2 satellites, all 3 work perfectly, clean $15; (203) 606-0932

Sons and Daughters of Italy Have a Successful Single Serve Snack Drive





Pictured (L-R): Ralph Casciello, Linda Fedun (Senior VP VFW Auxiliary Post 8075 Prospect), Donna Casciello, Kathie Fleischauer (President CT VFW Auxiliary), Denise Mazzotta Krause. **Pictured (L-R):** Linda Fedun and Noella Mott (Senior VP and President, respectively - VFW Auxiliary Post 8075 Prospect), Kathy Fleischauer (President, Dept of CT VFW Auxiliary), Ralph Casciello (Officer of North Haven Sons and Daughters of Italy).

The North Haven Sons and Daughters of Italy, Lodge 2805 recently held a collection of single serving snacks to benefit the patients of the West Haven VA Hospital. The drive was very successful, and members of the Community Outreach Committee delivered these snacks to members of the Dept. of CT VFW Auxiliary, who in turn will distribute them to patients at the WHVA on a regular basis. Our Lodge was proud to partner with the VFW Auxiliary for this mission. Thanks to all our Lodge members for the generous donations.

Members of North Haven Sons and Daughters of Italy delivered single serving snacks to members of the Dept. of CT VFW Auxiliary for distribution to patients at the West Haven VA Hospital.

WANTED: Old tools, musical instruments, military, Winchesters, Colts, antique guns & old hunting & fishing. We buy gold & silver coins and jewelry. Anything related to vintage jewelry. Call Joe, (203) 488-7271 •

FOR SALE: 8AA movie camera, manual type, exc. cond. $90, by Cine Elmo; (203) 631-1804 •

FOR SALE: 53" round wood table with 3 leaves, 8 chairs, very good cond. $500; (203) 641-5466 •

WANTED: Collector buying any Connecticut Brewery items for Wehle, Hulls, Wiebel, Largay or any other CT Breweries, signs, cans, bottles, etc.; call (203) 915-7662 •

We Beat The Big Box Stores Every Day!
FREE Delivery • FREE Removal
Friendly & Knowledgeable Customer Service
* Excludes built in appliances
Art's TELEVISION & APPLIANCE
203•288•2943 92 State Street, North Haven
SHOWROOM HOURS: Mon.-Tues. 9am-6pm; Wed.-Thurs. 9-7pm; Fri. 9-5pm; Sat. 9-4pm; Closed Sun.
Like us on
www.artstvonline.com