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Quinnipiac University Theater
To Present 'The Seagull'



Pictured: Quinnipiac theater students rehearse for "The Seagull."

Hamden: Quinnipiac University Theater will present "The Seagull" on Feb. 28 and March 1 and 2. The play, by Russian dramatist Anton Chekov, will take place at the Theatre Arts Center, 515 Sherman Ave.

"The Seagull" was the first Chekhov play I ever saw," director Sammy Zeisel said. "I was in college at the time and it has lived with me ever since. Making this play with the young artists here at Quinnipiac is a dream because, to me, the play is about them. It is a play about young people falling in love, making art and cultivating the strength to stay alive in a world that feels designed to break their hearts."

In the fiercely contemporary production, the student actors

will fall in love, break each other's hearts and find their voices. Along the way, some cultivate the strength to survive in a dispiriting world while others fall between the cracks.

Infused with indie rock and irreverent make-believe, the reimaged version of "The Seagull" will examine what it means to be young in a polarized, image-obsessed society in which ambition and celebrity are fetishized with often deadly costs.

Tickets for the all-ages show are \$20 (\$10 for Quinnipiac students) and available at <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/the-seagull-tickets-1218470160049>. Show times are: Friday, Feb. 28 at 7:30 pm, Saturday, March 1 at 2 and 7:30 pm, and Sunday, March 2 at 2 pm.

American Legion Post 88 Hamden
Wanted - All Veterans to join our American Legion Post 88 Hamden. Stop in and check us out at 3005 Dixwell Avenue. Please call (203) 281-9522.



DEAN'S LIST

Tufts University
Tufts University recently announced the Dean's List for the Fall 2024 semester. Local area students include:

Hamden: Lily Kaffman, '27; Jada Potter, '26; Nayan Talwalkar, '27; Maya Ventura, '29.

North Haven: Jonathan Chin, '27; Austin Koff, '27; Evan Looney, '27.

Wallingford: Wylie Doak, '26; Sarina Kapoor, '25; Kristin Kostka, '28; Alex Lee, '26; Devin Rodriguez, '26.

Seton Hall University
Seton Hall University is pleased to announce the following students who qualified for the Fall 2024 Dean's List:

Hamden: Brianna Tullonge.

Wallingford: Brianna Mik, Kevin Milewski, Laura Page.

Saint Anselm College
Hamden resident, Justin Pollio a Nursing major was named to the Dean's List for the Fall 2024 semester at Saint Anselm College in Manchester, NH.

Siena College
Siena College announces the following Dean's List students for the Fall 2024 semester:

Hamden: Alexandria Yezik.

North Haven: Alice Scalmani.

The Wallingford Grange 33 Up
Coming 140th Year Celebration



Pictured (L-R)
Above: Ted Powell, the Vice-President of the State Grange Association, and Robin Hettrick, the President of Grange 33. **Right:** The Grange Hall sign on our building in Wallingford.

Wallingford: The Wallingford Grange 33 has an enthusiastic and hard working group currently making plans for our 140th year celebration. The February 13, 2025 meeting was held at the Grange, 586 Center Street in Wallingford. We celebrated with a pot luck supper, and a special guest, Ted Powell, the Vice-President of the State Grange Association. One of our March projects is collecting stamps for a program Stamps for the Wounded. This group has been serving our veterans since 1942. More to come on this project later.

The President of the Wallingford Grange is Robin Hettrick. This is an organization open to the public, and providing community activities for adults and children alike. Robin can be contacted at robin.hettrick@comcast.net. Our vice president, Aili McKeen can be contacted at aillmcke@gmail.com. We are always happy to welcome new members and the public in general.

New Haven Sail & Power Squadron

BOATING WITH CONFIDENCE: HANDLING YOUR BOAT UNDER WAY
New Haven Sail & Power Squadron, part of America's Boating Club, will hold a 2-hour seminar about handling your boat under way.

Gain confidence, knowledge, and skills that you need for a variety of boat-handling situations. Learn about basic operations; trimming your boat; operating on plane; handling seas and waves; dealing with bars, rivers, and bends; and other situations you will encounter along your cruise. And you'll have a better understanding about issues you can control and how to handle them. Understand the issues that the environment will present and how to react in a timely manner. Class will be held from 9-11am on Sat., March 29, at Indian Neck Yacht Club, 87 Harding Avenue, Branford.

All students must sign up by Wed., March 26. People can sign up online and charge it to a credit card. The class costs \$10 per person. To register and pay online, use the Zeffy link that follows: <https://www.zeffy.com/ticketing/boating-with-confidence>

There is no processing fee. Or, contact Squadron Education Officer Peter DePascale at (203) 671-2420 and leave a message, or email him at bathworksinc@gmail.com.

New Haven Sail & Power Squadron (NHSPS), is a 501(c)(3) non-profit educational organization dedicated to making boating safer and more enjoyable by teaching classes in boat handling, navigation, and related subjects.

For information on NHSPS, go to: www.nhsp.org.

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