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Mayor Tom Dunn was sworn in for his eighth term in office as Mayor of the Town of Wolcott. Town Atty. Brian Tynan officiated at the event while the Mayor's wife Lisa looked on. Family, friends and town officials were on hand to help celebrate the occasion. Photography by Picard



Mr. Mark Fitzsimons and Mrs. Mary Jean Trager proudly announce the engagement of their son **Ryan Fitzsimons to Aliana Martucci**, daughter of Joseph and Teresa Martucci. An April wedding is planned.



"Wolcott Girl Scouts from Brownie Troop 64233 and Junior Troop 64541, recently volunteered at Wolcott's First Responders Day. The girls assisted attendees at the pumpkin painting table."



Patrons learned about the health benefits of elderberries at this WPL program



At the First Responders recognition event Little Miss Farmingbury: Emersyn Mazza, Farmingbury Women's Club Ambassador: Lauren Kornhaas [DiVirgilio] and her brother Levi DiVirgilio; thanked our local police officers and police chief for their service to the town. Photo by Kimberly DiVirgilio



"Girl Scouts from Troops 64541 & 64701, together with Webelos Den 2, Pack 230, participated in the Color Guard during the Veterans Day Ceremony at Alcott Elementary School in November."



Smokey the Bear paid the children's department a visit to celebrate Fire Prevention Week

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# PATRIOTS' DAY INITIATIVE

Dear Luminary Patrons & Supporters,

So many thanks for all your support of this year's Veteran's Vigil & Luminary Ceremony. With your support, we were able to light 678 tea light luminaries and collect approximately 350 canned food items for our Wolcott Food Pantry. Proceeds from the luminary sale totaled \$1,095.64 which will benefit the Wolcott VFW Post 1979, American Legion Post 165 and the Patriots' Day Initiative.

Special thanks to: Mayor Thomas Dunn and the members of the Wolcott Town Hall including: Amy Desualniers, Mae Flynn and Didi Distiso, Marvin Gonzalez and Joe Golden. Thank you to the Wolcott Community: Chaplin Judy Bellemare who gave our invocation, National Anthem Soloist-Cynthia Dias, Brett Muccino Guest Speaker and the Encore Singers from SPP Vocal Studio: Caitlin Hildebrand, Ella Goldstone, Amanda Brouillard, Caitlin Marvin, Indie Maida & Audrey Medina.

Please know that your continued support is very much appreciated: Event host Dan DiVirgilio, Peter Grasso & Brandon Price- Boy Scouts Troop 230, Senator Rob Sampson, Rep. Gale Mastrofrancesco and Aide Andrew Droney, VFW Color Guard Post 1979 and members Scott Beeman, Dave Opotzner, Alan Gagnon and Vice-Commander Eldred Matthieu.

Special Thanks for Luminary Care: Florence Goodman, Kathy Sullivan, Ellen Muccino, Roger Picard, Eldred Mathieu, Tim McAvoy Joe Dunn, Elaine Martinelli, Christina Couto, Indie Maida, Amanda Brouillard, Kimberly DiVirgilio, Lauren Kornhaas, Dan DiVirgilio and Robin DiNicola. We appreciate the support of our PYA's & Parents: Lynn & Jonathan Mouanes, Robin & Hannah Wright, Kim DiVirgilio & Lauren Kornhaas, Karen, Sean & Makendra Mowad and new member Anthony J. Mirto and Family. Thank you to Josh Mears for providing Sound & Music and Roger Picard- Photography by Picard and Bob Moore- Wolcott Community News along with Jim Shannon, Drew Larson & Martha Shanahan - Waterbury Republican American

Deeply honored and thankful for all the Veterans and Active Military that attended. We couldn't have done it without the help of our local grocers: Pat's IGA, Walsh's Market and Nutmeg Farms. A very special thank you to our readers: Deb DuBois, Hannah Wright, Brandon Price, Dan DiVirgilio, Little Miss Farmingbury- Emersyn Mazza, and CT Princess Ambassador Farmingbury Women's Club-Lauren Kornhaas. The support and help from Jim Mills of the Wolcott Food Pantry, Chris Lofgrin and her Skills USA class for their donation of canned goods and The Wolcott Congregational Church for allowing us to utilize their assembly hall.

Our 2020 goal is to sell 1000 luminaries. Look forward to seeing you all next year to make our 5th Annual Vigil on Thursday, November 5th another huge success.

*\*Thank you to anyone I may have missed, I tried my best to remember everyone.*

**Sincere Thanks,**  
**Stacy Perrone-Petta**

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## A Minute with the Clerk

*by Karen Mowad, CCTC*

Seasons Greetings! I hope all of you are ready for the holidays. I know that many of you like to buy hunting and fishing licenses as gifts or stocking stuffers. If you would like to purchase 2020 licenses now, you can stop in to our office, and we will be happy to issue them to you. You can also purchase them on line by visiting the Department of Energy & Environmental Protection websites:



[www.ct.gov/deep/hunting](http://www.ct.gov/deep/hunting) or [www.ct.gov/deep/fishing](http://www.ct.gov/deep/fishing).

**Fees for 2020 hunting & fishing licenses are as follows:**

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  - Inland Fishing License - \$28.00
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  - All Waters Fishing License - \$32.00
  - Combination Hunting/All Waters Fishing License - \$38.00
- If you are 65 or older, you must renew your free hunting and/or fishing license every year. Please stop in the office and we will be happy to assist you.

**TOWN HALL OFFICE HOURS:**

- Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays: 8:00AM to 4:30PM
- Thursdays: 8:00AM to 5:30PM
- Fridays: 8:00AM to 12:00NOON

**Have a very Merry Christmas and a healthy and Happy New Year!**

**BIRTHDAYS**

**Sagittarius Nov' 22-Dec' 21**

The optimistic Sagittarius is always in good spirits. They are cheerful and upbeat most of the time and believe that there is a positive side to everything. Sagittariuses are also very loyal to their country. Many war heroes bear the Sagittarius zodiac sign.

*December 19th Nancy LaPorta*

**Capricorn Dec' 22-Jan' 19**

The pragmatic Capricorn can sense at once whether a new concept is going to work. Their forthright attitude also means that if they think you fall short, they will have no problem telling it "to your face". Capricorns are great at improvising too. They are quick to adopt good ideas and can make all the necessary adjustments to make them perfect for the given situation.

Those bearing the Capricorn zodiac are generally people with grand ambitions. However, though they go all out to succeed, you can be sure that they will do so with great integrity. Capricorns are very responsible in their duties as they are disciplined people who accomplish their work with a spirit of excellence.

*December 25th Alma Fasano*

# COMMUNITY EVENTS

There's Always Something Good Going On  
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## Wolcott Lions Club Scholarsip Christmas Tree & Wreath Sale

Now Through Dec 22nd  
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Weekdays 3pm - 7:30pm  
Weekends 10am - 7:30pm



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## St. Basil the Great Annual Christmas Craft Fair

Saturday, December 7th | 9:00 am - 3:00 pm  
St. Pius X Church Hall  
525 Woodtick Road - Wolcott, CT  
FREE Admission



Craft Vendors, Raffle Table, Food Concession, Crafts for the Children and a Visit with Santa

## Environmental Learning Center of CT Annual Santa's Farm

Saturday, December 7th | 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.  
Sunday, December 8th | 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.  
Indian Rock Nature Preserve  
501 Wolcott Rd, Bristol, CT  
\$8/Person, Children 12 mos & under FREE



Photo with Santa, Hay Wagon Rides, Live Animal Exhibit, Holiday Crafts, Nature Gift Shop, Bake Sale and More!  
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## Wolcott Congregational Church Gifts & Greens Fair

Saturday, December 7th | 10am - 4pm  
Sunday, December 8th | 12noon - 4pm  
185 Center St, Wolcott, CT



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## Krystal Gardens Holiday Party

Saturday, December 14th | 6:30 pm - midnight  
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## Krystal Gardens New Year's Eve Celebration

Tuesday, December 31st | 7:00 pm - 1:00 am  
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## Boy Scout Troop 230 Bottle and Can Drive

Saturday, January 4th | 9:00 am - 2:00 pm  
47 North Street (around back) Wolcott, CT  
For more information email:  
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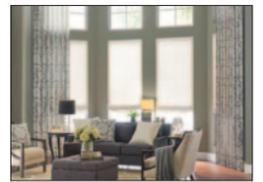
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## The American Legion Auxiliary Unit 165 Installation of Officers

On October 7th 2019 our Auxiliary Unit 165 held their Installation of Officers at the American Legion Post 165 in Wolcott, Ct. The Officers were installed for the year 2019-2020. We had many distinguished guests Including our Department President Lydia De Gumbia and installing officer Karen Thompson. Also helping with the installation were Lorraine Dixon, Ruth Morgan, Marie Delaney and Julia Carney. The newly installed Officers are President: Mary Goumy, Sr. Vice President: Karen Kensek, Jr. Vice President: Linda Simpson, Chaplain: Thomasina Alberto, Secretary: Jamie Combest, Treasurer: Nancy Hansen, Historian: Patricia LaBonte, Sgt. at Arms: Kim DiVirgilio and Asst. Sgt. at Arms: Lori Ann Daley.

We are all very proud of our newly installed Officers and look forward to a great year of more bingo, fundraisers and donations which will benefit our community, Veterans and their families. The American Legion were also installed on the same evening. We would like to thank them for participating with our Installation and making it a night to remember. After the Installation we treated the American Legion and our guests to a wonderful buffet put on by Pat's IGA of Wolcott, a cake and homemade cookies. A great time was had by all. Thank you to everyone for a wonderful evening.



Left to right: Heidi Patches St. George, Linda Simpson, Jamie Combest, Nancy Hansen, Thomasina Alberto, Patricia LaBonte, Kim DiVirgilio, and Lori Ann Daley.



Left to right: Mary Goumy, Nancy Hansen, Lydia De Gumbia and Karen Thompson

# Gifts & Greens Fair 2019

Saturday December 7th  
 10AM to 4PM

Sunday, December 8th  
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### At the Farmingbury Women's Club Annual Arts & Crafts Fair, the club crowned a new Little Miss Farmingbury: Emersyn Mazza

Also featured in the picture: club president Mary Kelly; former Little Miss Farmingbury & now Club Ambassador: Lauren Kornhaas [DiVirgilio] & former Little Miss Farmingbury Makendra Mowad

Photo by Kimberly DiVirgilio now also a Club Ambassador

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# MAYOR'S CORNER

December 2019

As we come to the end of another year, I look forward to the New Year with its challenges and new beginnings.



As we approach the holiday, please be conscious of those who are less fortunate and help them in any way we can. Let us keep in our thoughts and prayers our men and women who currently serve our country in the Armed Forces; that they stay safe and return home to their families soon.

### Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

As always, know that you can contact me with any questions, comments, or concerns. Stop by my office or give me a call at 203-879-8100.

Sincerely,

Thomas G. Dunn  
Your Mayor



### Parkinson's Caregiver and Family Support Group

Presented by the Village at East Farms  
Free Monthly Support Group All Are Welcome  
1st Saturday of the month | Dec 7th at 10am

Guest: Dr. Maria Luisa Moro-de-Casillas a movement disorders specialist- neurologist- from Hartford Healthcare.

There will also be a presentation on a new inhaled Parkinson medication.

The complexity of Parkinson's disease and Parkinsonism can severely impact families and care givers. A support group provides an opportunity to engage and find support through the Parkinson's Journey.

American Parkinson's Disease Association and the Village at East Farms are proud to offer The PWP support group for people who have been diagnosed with Parkinson's and their caregivers. This open forum group is meant to share ideas, experiences, and emotions, while offering support through the Parkinson's journey. Our goal is to help improve one's quality of life through social support, information sharing and education.

Light Refreshments will be served

### Caregiver Support Group

1st and 3rd Wednesday of the month  
Dec 4th at 10AM  
Dec 18th at 6:00 PM

The complexity of Alzheimer's disease and related dementias severely impacts the family and professional caregiver. A support group provides an opportunity to learn more about the different stages of this progressive disease and offers tips on ways to cope.

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*Eugene A. Migliaro, Sr.*

## A TRIBUTE TO A LOVING SON, BROTHER, HUSBAND AND FATHER

*Eugene "Gene" A. Migliaro, Sr., passed away unexpectedly on Monday, October 28, 2019. Gene was born in Waterbury on September 28, 1952, the son of the late Commissioner Eugene A. Migliaro, Jr., and Helen (Rozdilski) Migliaro. Gene was a lifelong resident of Wolcott, graduating from Wolcott High School in 1970 and later attending Central Connecticut State University.*



*Always looking for new challenges, Gene's career path was diverse, and he owned and operated a thriving real estate/insurance agency, and a service station / car wash in Wolcott for many years. He also ran a home heating oil business, Migliaro*

*Fuel Services, until his recent retirement. Gene was well known for his customer service and would often go out at 2:00 a.m. to deliver oil to a customer who ran out, or would provide oil to a customer he knew could not pay the bill. But that was his nature. He had a heart of gold, was exceedingly kind and generous, and always put the needs of his family and friends before his own.*

*Gene was a former member of the Wolcott Lions Club and the Wolcott Exchange Club, and made generous donations to the many civic organizations in town. He coached local baseball teams, and in his younger years was known as the "grand slam champion" of the Wolcott Indians little league team. He also was actively involved in politics for many years as a member of the Wolcott Republican Party. Gene was well known in town, and his good nature touched the lives of many.*

*Gene enjoyed the finer things in life and worked very hard to achieve them, for him and his family. He loved a good adventure, and often would pile in the car with family in tow, for a day trip and drive to a destination they*

*had never been before, just for the sheer thrill of a journey to the unknown. He liked taking extensive vacations, exploring the local landmarks, and experiencing the local customs and cuisine. He loved going to Yankee Stadium and was forever analyzing the team's strengths, weaknesses, and chances at another title. He savored a good card game and relished other games of chance. When time permitted, he could be found throwing dice at the casino. He was a captivating story teller who would leave his audience in stitches with his hilarious depictions of events and people, particularly those involving his father and himself. And as a devoted and deeply supportive family man, he took exceptional pride in the successes of his children and those of his nieces and nephews.*

*In his last few months, if Gene wasn't working at his post retirement job or spending time with his children, he was relaxing with his mother and sisters on the front porch, "porching" as he would say, talking about the day's events or their rich family history. He was the best son, brother, husband and father, and his passing came much too young and all too suddenly.*

*Left to cherish his memory and honor his legacy are his mother, Helen, his children, Becky and Gene, his two sisters, Sandi Tansley and Cindi Garland, his half-brother, Eugene Corporon, his many nieces and nephews who adored and admired him, and many other extended family members. He was predeceased by his father, Eugene A. Migliaro, Jr. and his wife, Donna (Bassett) Migliaro, and his cherished four legged companion and soul mate, Brody.*

*We will continue to remember him every day of our lives and know that he is at peace and reunited with his father and wife. Gene, we will never be the same without you and neither will all of those lives you graced. We will all miss you forever. You were one in a million and we can never fill that void. Hey Gene, we will see you again "on a major highway"!*

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# Alcott School News 2019-2020



*Alcott students came together to honor our local Veterans at our annual Veteran's Day Assembly.*



*"Under New Management" Teachers and staff got into the Halloween spirit, dressing as construction workers to welcome Mr. Calabrese to the Alcott crew.*



*Thank you to the Wolcott Volunteer Fire Department for coming to talk to Alcott students about fire safety.*



*Halloween fun was had by all!*



*Fifth graders enjoyed working on engaging real world math problem solving with Mrs. Stein.*



*We thank our local Veterans for attending our annual Veteran's Day Assembly.*

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## Cub Scout Pack 230

Cub Scout in Pack 230 is active and excited. The Tigers and other new scouts have been completing all the tasks for their Bobcat Award. The boys learned the Scout Oath, Law, Handshake, Motto, Sign, and more. The older scouts have been completing rank requirements, elective pins and Adventure Loops.

The Pack had its October Pack Meeting at March Farms in Bethlehem. The boys picked pumpkins, rode a hayride and ended the evening with a bonfire, apple cider, snacks, silly skits, and spooky stories.

On November 16, the Pack headed to The Wolcott Food Pantry to participate in Scouting for Food. They delivered food items that they had been collecting, learned about the Pantry and even stocked shelves. November also found our scouts at SeaQuest in Trumbull for an overnight adventure. They boys learned about the animals and even had opportunities to help feed them.

Thank you to the Town of Wolcott for its generosity in supporting through the Pack's popcorn sale and donations.



## Boy Scout Troop 230

Boy Scouts in Troop 230 have been actively giving back to the Wolcott Community. The Scouts helped the Friends of the Library with the fall cleanup. They raked, weeded and beautified the Library's outdoor landscape. The Scouts also acted as Honor Guard at the Veterans' Vigil and Luminary Ceremony on November 7 and the Veterans' Ceremony on November 11. Additionally, in conjunction with the Wolcott Exchange Club, the Troop sponsored the Weekend of Remembrance on the Town Green. The flags displayed were flying in honor of friends and family that fought or currently serve in the military. Thank you to those who helped support this project.

The Scouts also continue to work on various rank achievements and Merit Badges. They began tasks for the American Labor Merit Badge, continued working on the Personal Fitness Merit Badge, and will fulfill another requirement for their Hiking Badge as they head out on a 10-mile hike at Coumponce Mountain. They also spent a chilly weekend camping at Camp Mattatuck in Plymouth. They cooked, hiked, and battled the below freezing temperatures like experienced Scouts.

The Troop has finished their fall popcorn fundraiser. Thank you so very much to all the local businesses and townspeople who helped them achieve their goals. Your generosity is appreciated.

The Troop's next fundraiser will be a CAN AND BOTTLE DRIVE on SATURDAY, JANUARY 4 from 9:00-2:00 at 47 NORTH STRRET (around back). As normal, bottles and can can always be dropped at any time in the drop box at the same address. For more information, email boyscouttroop230ct@aol.com.



## Boy Scout Troop 38

We are growing and growing. Looking for more scouts from 11 to what ever of all abilities. If you are looking to get learn new skills, get outdoors, and make some new friends, we are the group for you. Here are two of our senior scouts making recruitment signs. Thanks to our two senior scouts for cutting, laser burning the lettering, and coating the signs for Recruitment and Food Drive. We are at the Wolcott Grange on Mondays from 7:00 to 8:00. Thanks also to NESIT for use of their facility. A very special thanks to the peron who stopped me in Home Depot, heard what we were doing, and insisted on paying the total bill for all the supplies. "Yes Virginia there is a Santa Claus."



### Fun Facts About December

- The birthstone of December is turquoise
- The birth flower of December is the narcissus
- December 3 - International Day of the Disabled Person
- National Read a New Book Month
- In December, Nobel Prizes are awarded
- On December 4, 1791, The Observer newspaper (the first Sunday newspaper) was first published in Britain
- December 12th is Poinsettia Day
- December 27th is National Chocolate Day
- On December 3, 1967, the first heart transplant was completed
- On December 17, 1903, the Wright Brothers made their first flight
- On December 14, 1791, the Bill of Rights was passed

### Great WD-40 Uses for Around the House

#### Removes Crayon From Wallpaper

This actually does work. If you have small children at home, you've probably encountered this issue in the past. Spray some WD-40 on the crayon marks, wipe with a rag, and the crayon marks disappear. Plus, your paint will still be there.



#### Removes Stains From Clothes and Carpets

Have you ever had a pair of jeans that had a pen ink stain? Hit it with a little WD-40 and it comes right out. It also works for lipstick and tomato stains, and if you've got a juice or Kool-Aid stain in any carpet or fabric around the house, apply some WD-40. It should remove the stain safely and effectively.

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# Fighting Tolls

State Representative Gale Mastrofrancesco  
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In June, the legislative session ended without any vote on the governor's toll proposal, after taking the summer to huddle and try to rearrange the dock chairs on the Titanic with another plan, Gov. Ned Lamont released a new transportation plan that would be funded in part by 14 electronic tolls.



From the onset, I want to reiterate my opposition to putting any tolls on Connecticut highways.

The governor's new toll plan would implement a so-called 'temporary tolls' plan on state highway bridges. The new \$256 million "temporary" toll tax collected from in-state commuters, and the \$140 million collected from out-of-state commuters, would go toward paying off loans for transportation projects. Of course, this assumes the toll rates would remain the same and not increase in the future.

According to the plan, the borrowing term is 27 years, with additional borrowing in the 10th year. That means we would have tolls for a minimum of 37 years. I, and most if not all my constituents would not and do not view 37 years as temporary.

We must also realize the public does not trust state government. The latest example is the state budget which passed in June. The Special Transportation Fund (STF) Lockbox was diverted and/or raided by \$171 Million effectively starving the fund. Also, between 2011 and 2017 Democrat lawmakers who control the legislature short-changed the (STF) by \$650 million. This helped manufacture the so-called state transportation "crisis." Considering Connecticut's history of so called "temporary" taxes that have turned out to be permanent like the state income tax, it is no wonder lawmakers cannot be trusted.

Connecticut residents already pay one of the highest gasoline tax rates in the country without tolls, and we are currently the second most taxed state in the nation.

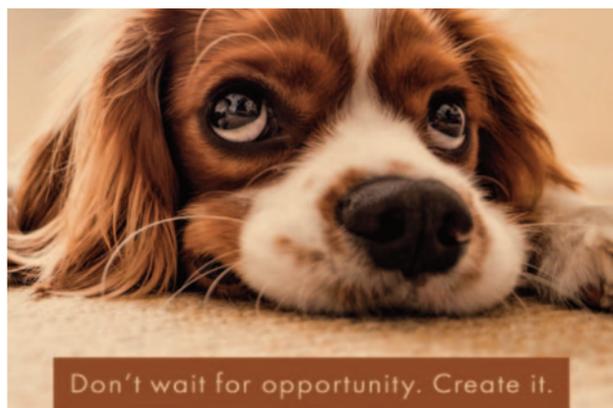
Additionally, the governor is calling on Connecticut taxpayers to finance more for rail and bus services with \$7.1 billion on public transportation systems, including \$6.2 billion on rail. State residents already pay way too much for state rail services, paying 22% of the state rail subsidy for Metro North and 95% of the state subsidy Shoreline East. Enough is enough!

Let's stop scaring families into thinking we have a transportation crisis with falling bridges, and let's sit down and write an honest budget. No more maxing out the state's credit card, no more raising taxes on working families. We need to make the difficult choices and learn to say no to more government spending.

As 2019 draws to a close and we gather with our families and loved ones to celebrate this holiday season, I wanted to take a moment to thank you for the privilege and honor of representing your interests in the Connecticut legislature. I am humbled by and so grateful for the trust you have placed in me. I hope your holiday season is filled with happiness and good health.

Merry Christmas, Happy Hanukkah, and Happy New Year to all.

As always, if you have questions about tolls or our state government, please contact me by phone 1- (800) 842-1423 or email Gale.Mastrofrancesco@housegov.ct.gov.



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Students of the Month for October, 2019.



3rd grade students practice multiplication arrays.



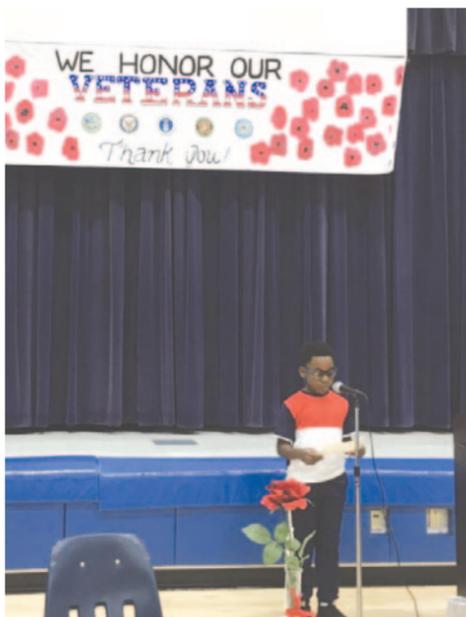
Frisbie Students who turned in their reading logs in October, 2019 were rewarded with pizza from Five Guys Flippin' Pies! Two winners were chosen from each classroom.



**Golden Ticket Winners for the month of October, 2019.**

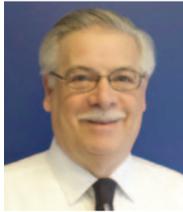


Frisbie Students honor veterans from the community and thank them for their services.



# UNDERSTAND YOUR COVERAGE BEFORE YOU NEED IT

The Insurance profession loves it's jargon, and unless you're around it every day, as I am, there is a strong possibility it might leave you scratching your head. These definitions can help minimize confusion.



Dan DiVirgilio

### Liability for bodily injury

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1	2 Recovery Road Meetings 7:30-9pm @ Wolcott Youth Center	3	4 Community Yoga 7am @ Wolcott Youth Center	5 Boy Scout Troop 230 meeting - 7:00pm @ Wakelee School	6	7 Community Yoga 8:30am @ Wolcott Youth Center
8	9 Recovery Road Meetings 7:30-9pm @ Wolcott Youth Center	10	11 Community Yoga 7am @ Wolcott Youth Center	12 Boy Scout Troop 230 meeting - 7:00pm @ Wakelee School	13	14 Community Yoga 8:30am @ Wolcott Youth Center
15	16 Recovery Road Meetings 7:30-9pm @ Wolcott Youth Center	17	18 Community Yoga 7am @ Wolcott Youth Center	19 Boy Scout Troop 230 meeting - 7:00pm @ Wakelee School	20	21 <i>Winter Solstice</i> Community Yoga 8:30am @ Wolcott Youth Center
22 HANUKKAH BEGINS	23 Recovery Road Meetings 7:30-9pm @ Wolcott Youth Center	24	25 CHRISTMAS	26	27	28 Community Yoga 8:30am @ Wolcott Youth Center
29 Community Christmas Carol Sing at St. Basil the Great 2pm	30 Recovery Road Meetings 7:30-9pm @ Wolcott Youth Center  HANUKKAH ENDS	31 NEW YEAR'S EVE	Notes:			

# Wolcott Historical Society - December 2019



by Florence Goodman

This month I will conclude my discussion on the history of our early cemeteries with information on the Northeast, Southeast, Woodtick and Allentown Cemeteries. I have included Allentown Cemetery, which is located just over the Wolcott line in Plymouth because many Wolcott residents from the western section of town are buried there. Before I begin, I'd like to give a huge "SHOUT OUT" to Ben Podzunas and members of Boy Scout Troop 230 for the fantastic job they did at Pike's Hill Cemetery for Ben's Eagle Project. Watch the paper for a date and time when we will celebrate the improvements to the cemetery. I will include pictures of the finished product.

By 1776, three graveyards were in existence in Farmingbury so the Society appointed three gravediggers to maintain to them. Mr. John Barrett was in charge at Edgewood, Mr. Zodac Bronson at Northeast (Pike's), and Mr. David Frost at Southeast.



Stephen Barnes tombstone found at Southeast Cemetery.

The Society of Farmingbury established the Southeast burying ground in 1772. Today this cemetery is located on property owned by the Southington Reservoir not far from the intersection of County Road and East Street, but the cemetery is still maintained by the Town of Wolcott. The earliest inscription on a tombstone in this graveyard is January 1, 1782 for Archebald Upson who died at age twenty. There were fifty-two settlers buried in this cemetery from 1782 to 1939. Family names such as Lewis, Upson, Tuttle, Barnes, Brown, Byington, Carter and Frost are found here. Over the years this cemetery has been preserved because of the watchful eyes of the Southington Reservoir crew and two Wolcott residents Gary Gemino and Jay Crocco. Gary and Jay repaired broken stones and made sure all was well at this beautiful old burying ground.



David Frost tombstone. He was the gravedigger at Southeast Cemetery.



The sad state of Northeast Cemetery 2019, but I am hoping in the future we may be able to rectify this.

The second Northeast Cemetery was created in 1805 on a piece of land on lower Beecher Road off of Woodtick Road. This cemetery was established because Pike's Hill became too small. The earliest date on a tombstone in this cemetery was 1781

for Martin Carter, whose grave was probably moved from Pike's Hill to this one. The last burial date found on a tombstone is January 18, 1927 for Benjamin L. Bronson. This cemetery's remote location has allowed it to be vandalized on numerous occasions; vandals have broken

or totally destroyed many of the tombstones. In the fall of 2008 the town crew improved the road leading into the Northeast Cemetery to make way for a major clean up by the Boy Scouts. The Scouts and their leaders spent a full day removing many trees to make room for a new fence that was installed shortly thereafter. Since then the town crew has kept the grass mowed during the spring and summer months. In the fall of 2012 Michael Jacobson completed an Eagle Scout project here. Erosion and abuse from dirt bikers and quad riders had caused the entrance to the cemetery to constantly wash out and Michael wanted to change that. His idea to stop the erosion was to install large barrier blocks at the bottom of the entrance hill then backfilled with gravel and soil. He presented his ideas to Mayor Dunn and Pete Carey and they agreed to help. Michael and his team of workers built large steps leading up into the cemetery and also planted shrubs and grass seed on each side of the steps. A stainless sign with a brief history of the cemetery was ordered and placed on one of the concrete barriers to let visitors know about its historical significance. Michael, his dad and the team of scout workers did an outstanding job in helping to preserve the entrance to this cemetery, which still looks good today. I'm sorry to say that the cemetery itself is in a sad state, but I am hoping in the future we may be able to rectify that.

The Woodtick Cemetery is located on Woodtick Road near the corner of Todd Road and backs up to property on Pleasant Street. It was established on November 20, 1807. The entrance to the cemetery is found just south of the Woodtick Memorial and it's obvious as you first enter the dirt driveway that this is the original historic section. This cemetery has been enlarged to allow more gravesites and is under the supervision of a cemetery association. The earliest date of a burial here is Julia Upson on November 21, 1813; she was 20 years of age. Tombstones of many early settlers can be found here. They are: Browne, Byington, Cole, Harrison, Finch, Frisbie, Garthwait, Hall, Hitchcock, Nichols, Todd, Upson, Wakelee, Weber and Welton.



Tombstone of WWI veteran Charles Browne found at the Woodtick Cemetery.

The Allentown Cemetery is located on Allentown Road just over the Wolcott border. This cemetery has many Wolcott residents buried in it because it was located so close to our northwestern border of our town. This cemetery is well-kept and easy to access. To locate this cemetery, follow Spindle Hill Road to Allentown Road. The cemetery is located about a quarter of a mile past Todd Hollow Road on the left hand side of the road. Some early settlers from our town that are buried are members of the Alcott, Andrews, Lane, Downs, Thomas, Bassett and Allen families.



The tombstone of Luther Andrews found at the Allentown Cemetery

(Information for this article was taken from Samuel Orcutt's "The History of Wolcott, Connecticut from 1781 to 1874", and the 1933 Charles R. Hale Collection of Cemetery tombstones.)



Boy Scout Troop 230 did a fantastic at Pike's Hill Cemetery for Ben's Eagle Project. Ben is in the middle with his scout shirt on.



Completed 2019 Eagle Project done by Ben Podzunas and Troop 230. This is the second Eagle Project done at this cemetery. Steven Lago completed his Eagle Project here in 2010. That is when the fencing was placed around the cemetery after Steven and his team completely cleaned the area.

Our "Pizza, Pies, Games and Cards" was a great success and we want to thank the following merchants for their continued support of gift certificates or donations that were used on our raffle table and as door prizes: Animal House, Barker Animation, Bill & Sam's, Brooklyn Bakery, Denise's Hair Affair, Discount Liquor Outlet, Fascia's Chocolate, Hawk Ridge Winery LLC, Hitchcock Pizza, Imagination Nation, KidCity-Middletown, La Fortuna's Restaurant, Lyman Orchards, Mikraft Jewelry, Mystic Aquarium, Pat's IGA, Orchid Florist, The Print Shop, Scully's Travel, Sandy's T.V & Appliance, Seven Angels Theatre, Shebeen Brewing Company, Showcase Realty Inc., Ski MT Southington, Snips & Tips, Sweet Molly's, UBS, Walsh's Market and Webster Bank.

\*The Center School History Museum is now open on Tuesdays from 10:00AM - 12:00NOON. Please stop by and visit our displays at 154 Center Street. You may also call Flo Goodman (203-879-9818) for an appointment to visit.

NOTE the change in location: Now our meetings will be held on the first Thursday of each month at the Center School at 154 Center Street at 6:30PM All are welcome.

Visit our WebPages at (<http://www.wolcotthistory.org/>). Our website is filled with interesting information about the Society and Wolcott history. You can also download a membership application there. We are always looking for old photos, milk bottles, postcards, & artifacts relating to Wolcott. Please contact our curator, Carl Hotkowski at 203-592-8237 or Flo Goodman at 203-879-9818.





## Friends of the Library

December is here with the shortest days of the year. It is a busy and enjoyable time. The library can be part of your holiday experiences.

If you have not done so already, you may want to register the children or grandchildren in your life for the winter party which will be held Saturday, December 7, from 11:00AM to 1:00PM. There will be lots of fun and surprises. It will be held in the lower level. Sign up today!

The Friends have a large selection of holiday books for sale--both for children and adults. Whether you are looking for stories, craft books, recipes, or decoration information, be sure to check out these volumes. They are shelved on the main floor near the entrance. There are low priced books for everyone..

Don't forget the status of our Peabody Museum passes. If you want to go to New Haven to visit the exhibits — especially the hall of dinosaurs--that venue will close for complete renovations at the end of the month. Target date for reopening is sometime in 2023. That's a long time to wait!

We want to thank all those who have helped the Friends in any way. If you have given a monetary donation or given time to assist with one of our projects, know that we appreciate your kindness. The more support we get from the community, the better we can serve our library.

## Wolcott Grange

by Karen Mowad

Many people have asked why the Wolcott Grange has seemed so empty and desolate in the past but lately is full of life and new energy. The answer is simple. We have an amazing group of volunteers and renters. On Monday nights you may see our boy scout troop working on their badges, on Wednesday nights you may notice our ball room dancers moving gracefully by the windows, and Thursday nights you might see our volunteers attending official meetings or planning the next event. On the weekend we host weddings, birthday parties, showers, etc. If you would like to get involved with volunteering, we can never have too many helping hands. Whether you would like to run your own fundraiser, can help plow snow, or would like to donate towards our upcoming charity events please email at kmowad25@aol.com Please have a safe and happy holiday season and remember to be kind to one another; hold a door, pay for a coffee, donate a toy, or shovel for your elderly neighbor. One act of kindness truly does matter.

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On Tuesday, December 10 at 11:00AM, Care One will present a 30-minute program on senior home safety and fall prevention. Learn the 18 steps to "fall proofing" your home and other important and useful information on this relevant topic.

Afternoon movie to be shown on Friday, December 27 at 1:00PM. Movie to be announced.

Variety Book Club will meet on Wednesday, December 18th at 3:00PM. *Sold on a Monday* by Kristina McMorris will be the book for discussion. Books are available at the library. New members welcome.

A Good Yarn is a multi-generational knitting and crocheting experience for children and adults every Wednesday from 4-6PM. in the Reading Room. Please bring your own supplies and any projects you are working on. A staff member will be available to offer assistance if needed. In December the group will be working on a community project that will be placed on the Mitten Tree set up at the library by the Junior Womens Club.

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# Wolcott High School



The Girl's Soccer team celebrated breast cancer awareness month with a Pink Night honoring a local woman who is fighting breast cancer. The Torrington girl's soccer team also took part in the ceremony presenting flowers to the family. The girls hoped to raise awareness of the disease and the importance of regular screenings.



Senior Rachel Bracco & sophomore Elizabeth D'Ettore named to the NVL- All Iron team for girls volleyball.

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NHS has a very successful bake sale on Election Day.



There was a tour of the advanced manufacturing machine lab as well as hands on activities for students. More information about manufacturing opportunities in CT can be found at [https://www.stuffmadein.com/?state\\_source=ct](https://www.stuffmadein.com/?state_source=ct)



Congratulations Wolcott High School September Eagles of the month! Paige Soden, Tatiana Maia, Kayla Santopietro, Emmanuel Amankwa-Sarpong, and Andrew Bundock



Wolcott High School and Tyrrell Middle school students attended the STEM/Advanced Manufacturing & Technology Expo at Naugatuck Valley Community College on November 1st. The students interacted with manufacturers from greater Waterbury to learn about the variety of excellent job and career opportunities in the industry.

## Do You Have Dry Mouth?

Saliva is crucial for digesting food, controlling bacteria, protecting teeth from decay, and chewing and swallowing. If you aren't producing enough saliva, your mouth will probably feel sticky and dry. Chewing, swallowing, tasting, and speaking can become difficult. Other symptoms can include a burning feeling in your mouth, a dry throat, cracked lips, mouth sores, an infection in the mouth, and a dry, rough tongue. Left untreated, dry mouth can result in tooth decay and other oral infections. These are the four common causes of dry mouth:



Dr. Friedman

**Medications:** More than 400 medicines, including those prescribed for high blood pressure and depression, can cause the salivary glands to make less saliva.

**Disease:** HIV/AIDS, diabetes, and Parkinson's disease can all cause dry mouth.

**Cancer therapy:** Radiation can damage the salivary glands. Chemotherapy drugs can make saliva thicker, causing the mouth to feel dry.

**Nerve damage:** Injury to the head or neck can damage the nerves that signal salivary glands to make saliva.

If you think you have dry mouth, see your dentist or physician. He or she may recommend switching from an offending medication, or prescribe a drug that improves saliva flow. Artificial saliva can also be used to keep your mouth wet.

Other remedies include:

- Regularly sipping water
- Chewing gum or sucking on sugarless hard candy
- Using a humidifier at night
- Avoiding tobacco, alcohol, and caffeine

Dr. Ezra Friedman  
464 Wolcott Road, Wolcott

# 2019 Annual Rib Off Contest

Thanks to everyone for being part of the 2019 Annual Rib Off contest, this was our 14th year for this event and we thank the teams along with family and friends for supporting this event. Again the teams performance was outstanding in attention to detail, creativity, culinary skills and dedication to perfection. We had 8 teams competing this year and an estimated 180+ people in attendance.

As in the past, the judges praised the teams for the quality and innovation of their entries. The judging was very close as many teams were separated by only a single point.

"Team Rib e Lo" brought home the bacon again this year capturing the Grand Champion Award and second place finishes in the Rib and Chicken categories and third place finish in the Open category. Our congratulations to this exceptional dedicated team.

We especially thank those who participated in the 50/50 raffle as we will again be able to present to the Town of Wolcott another donation to be used for needy families right here in our town. Thanks to all for supporting this effort.

Special thanks to the Judges as we had several past competitors participating, contest volunteers, Ben and Leigh Russell, and Mike Milan for coordinating the entry times, streamlining the judging process and having the results available in a timely fashion.

### The 2019, 14th annual Rib Off Contest winners were as follows:



**2019 Grand Champions:**  
"Team Rib e Lo"  
Angelo Rainone, Rich Tata

#### Rib Class:

- 1st Place-"Rib Sizzlers"
- 2nd Place-"Team Rib e Lo"
- 3rd Place – "Meat Sweats"

#### Rib Class



1st Place – "Rib" Sizzlers"

#### Chicken Class:

- 1st Place – "JTJ"
- 2nd Place – "Team Rib e Lo"
- 3rd Place – "Rib Sizzlers"



2nd Place – "Team Rib e Lo"



3rd Place – "Meat Sweats"

#### Best Booth:

"Team Rib e Lo"

#### Open Class:

- 1st Place – "JTJ" ...food entry was "Smoked Pecan Burbon Bacon Pie "
- 2nd Place – "Fat & Skinny BBQ"...food entry was " Bacon Apple Ricotta Fritter with Strawberry Glaze"
- 3rd Place-"Team Rib e Lo"...food entry was "New England Clam Chowder in Pretzel Bowl with Bacon"

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**WEBSITE DIRECTIONS:**

- 1** Once on the home page for Legion Baseball, select zone websites at the top of the page and then select zone 5.
- 2** Once on the zone 5 home page you will see 2020 form 2.
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Check This Off Your List

## Junior Women's Club of Wolcott

Merry Christmas and Happy Holidays from the Junior Women's Club of Wolcott. We would like to thank everyone who supported our projects in November especially the "Vote Against Hunger" Collection on Election Day for the Wolcott Food Pantry. Special thank you again to all our Veterans' and everyone who came out to honor them on 11/11 on the Town Green. Santa's appearance at the Annual Holiday Tree Lighting on December 1st will be a delight to all of the children and young at heart!

Any family seeking our assistance this holiday season with gifts for Toys for Tots and Teens is asked to fill out an application and return it as soon as possible. The application was published in the November Community News and is also available on our website. We are grateful to assist our Wolcott community throughout our 32 years supporting the Toys for Tots & Teens. This is a rewarding project for our club and one that is made possible only by the generous toys and monetary donations we receive from residents, local businesses and organizations. The collection boxes are in the following locations: The Elementary Schools, Wolcott Town Hall, Wolcott Post Office, Wolcott Library, Dollar General, Sweet Dee's, Pat's IGA & Walsh's Grocery

## Farmingbury Women's Club

As you can see this is Irene Graph getting her General Assembly Official Citation in recognition of her 100th birthday being presented here by State Representative Gale Mastrofrancesco and State Senator Rob Sampson. Her friends and family were all there to celebrate with Pizza, cake and soda. It was a fun night.

I hope you are getting ready for Christmas with all the parties, good food, and Shopping.

On October 19th, we had another year of a very successful Arts/Craft event. We thank all that came and supported not only our Club, but also the vendors who brought so many different and unusual items. We hope to see all of you again next year.

After the Breast Cancer ceremony, which was celebrated on the Town Green, we continued to take monetary donations for the support of finding a cure for this terrible disease. We, again, thank you for your generosity in supporting this effort.

Carol Mueller, who is the Chairperson for the "Gifts for the Veterans" was successful in having our club members once again give and support these fine men and women.

I am sure her efforts will make our "Vets" smile.



stores and Webster Bank. Donations of new, unwrapped toys are requested and please remember our Mitten Tree will be at the Library during December for donations of mittens & gloves.

Attention 5th Grade Students of Wolcott. The Junior Women's Club of Wolcott, Inc. is sponsoring a creative writing contest during the month of January 2020. The theme is "What is Best about Wolcott." Contest rules are available at each elementary school. One winner from each school will receive a \$25.00 Barnes and Noble gift card. Winning essays will be published in the Wolcott Community News. Good Luck to all participants.

We want to thank the town of Wolcott for the support that you have given us since our inception in 1966. We are a volunteer organization for the advancement and promotion of education, public health & welfare, social, civic interests and the arts. This organization is a 501C non-profit, non-partisan, non-sectarian, and non-political group. We are dedicated to being a "volunteer" and helping our community.

The Junior Women's Club of Wolcott meets the 1st Wednesday of every month from September-June. Our meetings are open to all women over the age of 18, who are interested in doing volunteer work in our community.

Please check out our website [www.juniorwomensclubof-wolcott.org](http://www.juniorwomensclubof-wolcott.org) for more information on all of these projects or email us at [wolcottjuniors@gmail.com](mailto:wolcottjuniors@gmail.com).



Lois Pecka and JoAnn Birkenberger are in the planning stages for the annual "Fire Prevention" poster contest. We are looking forward to the fifth grade students in the

elementary schools submitting their posters. On either December 10 or 12, (TBD) there will be 16 posters for our Fire Marshall to judge. Good luck to all the students who will be participating.

Nancy Buonocore, chairperson for the "Busy Bees", was very thankful to our club members who show up at the library and help make pillows for patients recovering from breast cancer surgery. Her "crew" made 120 pillow in one hour. Way to go ladies! Her next "Busy Bees" meeting will be on Monday, November 25 @ 2:00 in the downstairs room in the library. All are welcome to join her.

And here comes December!! We will all be celebrating the beginning of the Christmas season with our annual Christmas party. Our party will take place at the East Street Eatery in December 3rd. with a wonderful choice of dinner and desserts and of course spending time with our Club members and enjoying the wonderful season of Christmas.

And in closing, we wish everyone a good holiday season, with good wishes for a Merry Christmas, Happy Hanukkah, Happy Kwanzaa and a very Happy New Year!

May your new year be filled with happiness, love, smiles, good health and prosperity from all of us in the Farmingbury Women's Club.



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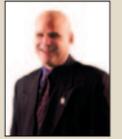
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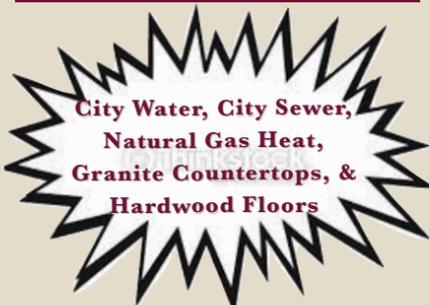
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**WOLCOTT \$299,900**  
**Heritage Hill;** To be built Exeter Model home. Bright and airy Cape w/ open floor plan offering 7 rooms, 3 BRs & 2 1/2 baths. Kitchen w/ granite & bbar, DR w/ sliders, great room w/ vaulted ceilings, gas FP, built ins & slider to deck & office area, MBR suite on 1st flr w/ walk in closet, separate laundry room on main level, Cair, HW floors/ carpet/ tile, full basement & 2 car garage. Landscaped yard w/ front lawn sodded, & paved driveway. Utilities include city water/sewer & natural gas. Come check it out



**WOLCOTT \$319,900**  
Unique home situated on over an acre of level property offering 8 rooms, 3 BRs & 2 full baths and 1/2 bath w/ laundry. Spacious floor plan w/ remodeled kitchen, FLR, DR w/ skylight & sliders looking over 2 story Florida room w/ all glass windows & sliding glass doors to covered porch and ground level deck. Above ground pool, large shed & private back yard, Finished LL w/ FR & wood/coal stove



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**WOLCOTT \$379,900**  
**Pimlico Woods;** Beautiful custom built Colonial home on cul de sac offering 7 rooms, 3 BRs & 2 1/2 baths. Open floor plan w/ large eat in kitchen, FDR, LR w/ gas FP. HW floors throughout, unfinished bonus room, city sewers, underground utilities 2 car garage & private settings



**WOLCOTT \$429,900**  
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# Target on Tyrrell



## Unity Day

Tyrrell Students and Staff came together for Unity Day on October 23rd.



## October Students of the Month



Front Row: Noah Kowynia-Diamond, Madeline Cianci, Noelia Tapia, Cassandra Starbird, Eduard Lariuz. Back Row: Madison Galvin, Bobby Jordan, Andrew Powell, Luke Olmstead. Not pictured: Leah Tracey



## Dia De Los Muertos



## Celebrating Veterans



On Friday, November 8th, local vets from all branches of the military visited Tyrrell Middle School. Veterans visited classrooms to tell stories about their experiences while they served on a tour of duty or during a time of peace.



All of us at Tyrrell would like to thank our special visitors as well as all who have served our country!



Tyrrell Middle School students created replicas of authentic items used during **Day of the Dead** celebrations across Mexico and parts of the United States and they were on display in the Media Center throughout the month of November.



## CSI Salem Activity

Mrs. Wright's and Mr. Blackers' 8th grade social studies classes came to the media center for an inquiry activity to determine what they believe to be true causes of the Salem Witch hysteria.



# "News from the Capitol" Opinion by State Senator Rob Sampson

Representing Wolcott and Southington

Governor Lamont's announced recently that he will be holding public hearings on his new CT2030 transportation plan. Somewhat amazingly, he still includes plans for fourteen new toll gantries across Connecticut. The Governor has dug himself a huge hole and is now quadrupling down on breaking his campaign promise not to toll cars on Connecticut highways.



Has he not heard? CT residents vocally oppose tolls. There have been phone calls, emails, and letters flooding the capitol. Grassroots organizations like notollset.org have collected petitions with tens of thousands of signatures. Every Republican in the legislature has vowed to vote against tolls. Legislative Democrats have huge majorities in both the House and Senate but clearly are not interested in taking such a toxic vote. Still, the Governor keeps digging and apparently won't stop until he sees daylight.

Of course, the Governor will claim that our roads and bridges are in dire need as the reason for spending another \$21 billion of your money. He will argue that those opposed have offered no alternatives and that we are not concerned with fixing our transportation infrastructure. This is simply not true. Anyone who follows me knows that I don't tow any party lines or engage in typical politician nonsense. If this was a good idea, I would say so.

However, it's clear to me that the purpose of the plan to install tolls to placate the Democrat's labor and business constituencies, and not because the Governor is looking out for us.

**Here are some facts every taxpayer should know:**

- 1 The state of Connecticut is not broke. It takes in more money every year than the year before. It just spends more also.
- 2 There are plenty of places to cut spending. Consider the \$500+ million we are spending to bail out the city of Hartford, \$1.14 billion on illegal immigration, \$45 million per year on the XL Center, or brass statues and splash pads in New Haven, etc.
- 3 We can afford to fix our roads and bridges without new sources of revenue. The amount of money dedicated to the Special Transportation Fund would have been enough to give us state-of-the-art roads and bridges, but legislative Democrats repeatedly siphoned it off or "diverted" it to the general fund to expand government.
- 4 The states that surround us do not charge anywhere near the same gas tax as Connecticut, yet there are no plans to reduce the gas tax if tolls are installed.
- 5 Tolls cannot be installed only on our borders since that is against federal law.
- 6 It will take at least three years to install tolls before they generate any positive revenue, while costing tens of millions of dollars in planning, construction, and bureaucracy.
- 7 Once tolls are installed, we will only get a fraction of every dollar back since a significant amount of money will be lost in management, maintenance, collection of tolls, etc.

- 8 States that have electronic tolls have great difficulty collecting them from out-of-state residents since there is no mechanism to penalize drivers from other states unless there is a reciprocity agreement in place. This would have to be negotiated and would ultimately cost Connecticut taxpayer dollars to enforce other states' tolls.
- 9 Tolls will add costs to every product sold in our state, affecting the poorest citizens and those on fixed incomes.
- 10 There is no such thing as a "secure" lockbox since the legislature makes this policy and can therefore modify it at any time.

The bottom line is that the state does not need any additional revenue, not for roads and bridges, or for anything else. The state government must adapt to current tax revenues and no more. Every state around us is managing with far less taxes per citizen. We can too.

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Around Town Photography  
by Roger Picard



A motor vehicle drove off the road and onto the town green and struck a lamp post, snapping it off at its' base. Damage to the lawn also occurred as a result of this accident. The driver was issued a ticket for Failure To Drive Right and his insurance will cover the cost to replace the lamp post.



The Friends of First Responders held their fourth appreciation day on October 20th with a car caravan through Wolcott and a recognition event at the Woodtick Recreation Pavilion. A large crowd came out and enjoyed hot dogs, hamburgers, and pizza which were donated by local businesses. The Lions Club provided the cooks.



The Chesprocott Health District sponsored a drive thru flu shot clinic in front of Town Hall recently. People seeking flu shots were able to get their flu shots while sitting in their cars from Chesprocott nurses. At the time this image was taken, over 50 people had already taken advantage of the drive up.



Over 150 runners and walkers participated in this year's Lions Club Dam Road Race. The race began at the Woodtick Recreation Field on Nichols Road and weaved its' way through the Mill Pond Way Walking Trail, 3.4 miles, and back to the starting location. At the conclusion of the race all participants got to enjoy refreshments and food provided by the Wolcott Lions.



CASA in partnership with the Wolcott Police Department, took part in the National Drug Take Back Day on October 26th. Anyone wanting to get rid of expired or unwanted prescription medications or Vaping devices, could dispose of them properly by stopping by the police department and dropping them in a specified trash bin. Wolcott High students Zach Gaudiosi, Sean Corichner Rachel Collins and Brianna Shea all volunteered at the event for community service.



The Veteran's Luminaries ceremony was held on November 7th inside the Wolcott Congregational Church Hall due to the weather. A large crowd came out for the event and guest speaker Brett Muccino, an Army veteran, was honored with a State of CT Citation from State Senator Rob Sampson and State Rep. Gale Mastrofrancesco. Mayor Tom Dunn also presented Mr. Muccino with a Town citation.



Wolcott residents and military veterans Tony Marino and Steve Flaherty were recognized for their military service at a Quilts For Valor ceremony that was held at the Southington American Legion Hall on November 2nd. They were nominated by Carolyn Duren of Wolcott. Seven other servicemen were also recognized at the ceremony.



The Tyrrell Middle School girls volley ball team defeated North End Middle School in a recent semifinal match at the Tyrrell gym. The Tyrrell girls went on to defeat Seymour Middle School in the finals and captured the Middle School Champions title. Way to go girls.



The Wolcott Town Hall Council Chambers was packed with firefighters, family and friends of Fred Milton who was being recognized for 50 years of fire service for the Town of Wolcott. Fred joins nine others in that category of 50 years of service and his name was added to a plaque that will be on display at Town Hall.



Atty. William Tynan, Joe Bissonnette and Josh Mears all enjoyed the wine tasting event hosted by the Exchange Club of Wolcott at LaBella Vista on October 22nd. Over fifteen wine distributors were on hand to pour samples for the 250 plus guests who attended.

## Wolcott Volunteer Ambulance News



The Holiday Season is upon us Wolcott! Stay safe as you travel to spend time with family & friends. Use caution when putting up decorations and if you have a real Christmas tree in your home, make sure you keep the stand full of water. As always, we thank you for all of the support we receive from our great community. We are proud to serve the visitors and citizens of Wolcott, Connecticut!

### Stop the Bleed!

We would like to take this opportunity to recognize and thank Thomaston Savings Bank for their generosity. Wolcott Volunteer Ambulance Association has been given an \$1,800.00 grant from the Thomaston Savings Bank Grant Fund. This money will be used to fund "Stop the Bleed" courses in our community. Please visit our website for more information.

### EMT Training

We are now taking applications for our Spring EMT class! It will run from February 3, 2020 until April 22, 2020. If you or someone you know is interested in EMT training, contact Connie at 203-879-4122 Ext. 110 or email [training@wolcottambulance.com](mailto:training@wolcottambulance.com) for more information.

### WVAA Service Awards

Congratulations to Lieutenant Cara Valenti, our Officer of the Year! Cara has been with WVAA since 2012 and is known for her ability to build strong relationships in our community. She was honored at our Annual Meeting. Please join us in congratulating her on this achievement!

Congratulations to our Member of the Year Steve Savage! He was honored at WVAA's Annual Meeting for over 38 years of dedication as an Emergency Medical Technician in our organization! In addition to keeping our radio equipment working and serving on the Board of Directors, you will also find Steve volunteering most Tuesday overnights.

### Volunteers

If you or someone you know is a Connecticut EMT or Paramedic and is interested in volunteering at Wolcott Volunteer Ambulance Association, we encourage you to submit an application. They can be found online at [www.wolcottambulance.com](http://www.wolcottambulance.com).



## The Exchange Club of Wolcott Donates Glow Sticks for Halloween

The Exchange Club of Wolcott donated 1,000 glow sticks to the Wolcott Police Department to distribute to the Trick or Treaters for Halloween. Some will be handed out to students at the annual DARE Halloween Dance and others will be given out at the PD and by officers on patrol. The glow sticks intent is to increase visibility of the trick or treaters to motorists. *Photo by Haley Shoop*

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## Veterans' Day Celebrations



The 2019 Veterans Day ceremony on the green was well attended by veterans, and their families and Wolcott citizens. Representatives from the town's civic organizations were also present to participate in the ceremony. As tradition continued, everyone was invited to the VFW on Wolcott Rd. after the ceremony for some hot turkey soup and sandwiches. *Photography by Picard*



The Wolcott VFW Post received a check from the Patriots Day Initiative Youth Ambassadors on November 14th, as a result of the sale of luminaries at the Veterans Luminaries event on November 7th. VFW Commander Tom Griffin accepted the check on behalf of the VFW. The money received will be utilized for their scholarship program. *Photography by Picard*

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 Nicholas Santiago  
 Gabriella Romanauskus  
 Nathan Plona



## Pumpkin Carving



## Pumpkin Designs



## Look For The Good



## September Super Readers

Mrs. Nori  
 Miss DiTota

Thea Miles  
 Dominic Stopyra

## Halloween





## Charles Rietdyke (Wolcott) Senior Center

211 Nichols Road, Wolcott, CT  
(203) 879-8133 FAX (203) 879-7605

**Mon-Thurs 9:00am-3:30pm. Fri 9:00am-12:30pm**

Come & Join Our Senior Center - FREE Join in the daily activities and bus trips  
You DO NOT need to be a Wolcott resident to become a member - EVERYONE is welcome  
We are on the town website: [www.wolcottct.org](http://www.wolcottct.org) under "senior center"

### BASE SCHEDULE

Day	Time	Program
Mon	10:00-10:45	Chair and Weight Exercises
	12:00-3:30	Mah Jongg
	1:30-3:00	Line Dancing
Tues	10:00	Chair and Weight Exercises
Wed	10:00	10:00 Zumba Gold
	12:30-3:00	Bingo
Thurs	9:45-10:30	Arthritis Fit Exercises
	11:00	Yoga4Change
	12:30-2:30	Setback Card Games
Fri	10:00-11:30	Knitting/Crocheting
Mon-Fri	9:30-11:30	Setback Card Games
	11:30	Lunch

These knitted and crocheted items will be donated to the following organizations: Greater Waterbury Interfaith Ministries, Wolcott Food Pantry, Heart to Heart, Hole in the Wall Gang, Homeless in surrounding towns and several convalescent homes. Not pictured are 395 soldier's helmet hats which are shipped overseas to our soldiers in the military each year. Our senior center knitters have worked tirelessly each year to donate to these organizations. This year our knitters made 395 items of hats, gloves, scarves, lap blankets and 290 helmet hats for our soldiers. Many thanks to our dedicated knitters! Pictured are Nancy Testa and Judy Picard packing the items to be dispersed.



*Pictured are Nancy Testa and Judy Picard packing the items to be dispersed.*

### DECEMBER ACTIVITIES

Day	Date	Time	Program
Sun	Dec 1	11:00	Bus leaves for "Christkindlmarkt" in Newington
Mon	Dec 2	10:00	Exercise Your Body & Mind w/ Kim
Tues	Dec 3	8:30	Senior Breakfast-Bacon
		9am-1:30pm	Smart Drivers Course-sponsored by AARP
Wed	Dec 4	10:00	Exercise Your Body & Mind w/ Kim
		10:00	Zumba Gold w/Lisette
		11:00	Cupcake Decorating Class w/ Lillian from Lillian's Cake Creations
		11:00	Probate with John Murphy to discuss probate matters
Thurs	Dec 5	12:00	Bus leaves for "Les Miserables" at the Palace Theater
		9:45	Arthri Fit Exercises
		11:30	Bus leaves for lunch at "The Clam Box" in New Britain
Fri	Dec 6	4pm-6pm	Town Wide Christmas Party at the Wolcott Senior Center
Sat	Dec 7	7:30	Bus leaves for Port Jeff Ferry for the "Dickens Festival"
Mon	Dec 9	9:00	Bus leaves for shopping at The Christmas Tree Shop
		10:00	Exercise Your Body & Mind w/ Kim
		11:00	Join Jeannie to learn how to create a Candy Cane Christmas Wreath
Tues	Dec 10	8:45	Bus leaves for "Christmas Cabaret" at the Woodwinds Banquet Hall
		10:00	Exercise Your Body & Mind w/ Kim
		11:00	Join Rebecca for a Bingo special
Wed	Dec 11	10:00	Zumba Gold w/Lisette
Thurs	Dec 12	8:30	Senior Breakfast
		9:45	Arthri Fit Exercises
		5:00	Bus leaves for Christmas Lights at "Holiday Light Fantasia"
Mon	Dec 16	10:00	Exercise Your Body & Mind w/ Kim
		11:30	Bus leaves for lunch at Puerta Vallarta (Mexican) Restaurant
Tues	Dec 17	10:00	Exercise Your Body & Mind w/ Kim
		10:30	Free Blood Pressures sponsored by Wolcott view Manor
		11:30-2:00	Foot Reflexology w/ Kim
Wed	Dec 18	11:30	Bus leaves for lunch at The Cromwell Diner
		10:00	Zumba Gold w/Lisette
Thurs	Dec 19	11:00	Probate with John Murphy to discuss probate matters
		9:45	Arthri Fit Exercises
Fri	Dec 20	12:00	Senior Center Christmas Party
		8:30	Senior Breakfast
Sun	Dec 22	11:30	Bus leaves for lunch at Starpolska (Polish) Restaurant
		11:00	Bus leaves for UCONN Women's Basketball Game
Mon	Dec 23	10:00	Exercise Your Body & Mind w/ Kim
		11:00	Bus leaves for lunch at The Great Taste of China
Tue	Dec 24		CLOSED FOR CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY
Wed	Dec 25		CLOSED FOR CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY
Thurs	Dec 26	9:45	Arthri Fit Exercises
Fri	Dec 27	8:30	Senior Breakfast
Mon	Dec 30	10:00	Exercise Your Body & Mind w/ Kim
Tues	Dec 31		CLOSED FOR NEW YEAR'S HOLIDAY
Wed	Jan 1		CLOSED FOR NEW YEAR'S HOLIDAY

**SCHEDULE FOR CLOSING/DELAYS** - If Wolcott schools have a delay/closing due to weather conditions - ALWAYS CHECK THE TV STATIONS 3, 4 & 8 FOR OPENING/CLOSING OF THE SENIOR CENTER CALL THE SENIOR CENTER TO SEE IF BUS TRIPS ARE CANCELLED

**"We don't stop playing because we grow old;  
We grow old because we stop playing"**

*George Bernard Shaw*

# Wolcott Board of Education

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- ♦ Principal: Mr. Matthew Calabrese

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- ♦ Coordinator: Mr. Brett Distasio

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- f) **Homeless Liaison** - Mr. Joseph Norcross, Tyrrell Middle School Principal –203 879-8151

It is the policy of the Wolcott Board of Education that no person shall be excluded from participation in, denied the benefits of, or otherwise discriminated against under any program because of his or her race, color, religion, sex, age, national origin, ancestry, material status, sexual orientation, mental retardation, past or present history of mental disorder, learning disability or physical disability.

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## WOLCOTT BOARD OF EDUCATION

### 2019-2020 MEETING SCHEDULE



All Board of Education meetings will be held at 7:30pm in the Tyrrell Middle School's Large Group Instruction Room unless otherwise indicated.

All meetings are held on the 2nd and 4th Mondays of the month unless otherwise indicated.

	FIRST	SECOND
DECEMBER	9 (Monday)	
JANUARY	13 (Monday)	
FEBRUARY	10 (Monday)	
MARCH	9 (Monday)	23 (Monday)
APRIL	6 (Monday)	27 (Monday)
MAY	11 (Monday)	26 (Monday)
JUNE	8 (Monday)	22 (Monday)

### Wolcott Public Schools - 2019-2020 School Hours

	Normal School Day	Early Dismissal	2 Hour Delayed Opening	3 Hour Delayed Opening
All Elementary Schools	8:55 a.m. – 3:20 p.m.	1:20 p.m.	10:55 a.m.	11:55 a.m.
Tyrrell Middle School	8:00 a.m. – 2:25 p.m.	12:25 p.m.	10:00 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
Wolcott High School	7:30 a.m. – 1:55 p.m.	12:00 noon	9:30 a.m.	10:30 a.m.

### Wolcott Public Schools Preschool Screening

Wolcott Public Schools will be conducting preschool screenings on December 13, 2019 and January 10, 2020. The purpose of the screening is to identify any preschool age children, ages 3 and 4, who may have a disability. The screening is open to all Wolcott residents who have concerns about their preschool age child's development. If you are interested in having your child participate in the screening, please contact the Student Services office at 203-879-8178.



### Wolcott Integrated Preschool Program For the 2020-2021 School Year

The Department of Student Services will be accepting applications for the Alcott Integrated Preschool Program Lottery for the 2020-2021 school year. Applications will be available online for all Wolcott Residents who have a child born in 2016 or 2017. The online applications and information will be available on December 3, 2019 by logging onto our district website "wolcottps.org". A lottery will be held to determine the preschool enrolment for the three and four year olds. The deadline for completing the online application is February 7, 2020.



Our photographer captured this perfect fall day at the Farmingbury Hills Golf Course recently. Golfers were out on the course enjoying the weather and the course.

Photography by Picard

# Wolcott Public Schools Calendar 2019-2020

Please note the change in the Wolcott Public Schools Calendar. Friday, December 20th will be a half day of School.

July				
M	T	W	TH	F
1	2	3	4	5
8	9	10	11	12
15	16	17	18	19
22	23	24	25	26
29	30	31		

August (5/3)				
M	T	W	TH	F
			1	2
5	6	7	8	9
12	13	14	15	16
19	20	21	22	23
26	27	28	29	30

September (20/20)				
M	T	W	TH	F
2	3	4	5	6
9	10	11	12	13
16	17	18	19	20
23	24	25	26	27
30				

Date/Event or Holiday	
August 26, 2019	Convocation
August 27, 2019	PD Day
August 28, 2019	First Day for Students
September 2, 2019	Labor Day
October 14, 2019	Columbus Day
November 5, 2019	Election Day
November 11, 2019	Veterans Day
November 28-29, 2019	Thanksgiving
December 23-Jan 1, 2020	Holiday Recess
January 20, 2020	Martin Luther King Day
February 17-18, 2020	February Recess
April 10, 2020	Good Friday
April 13-17, 2020	April Recess
May 25, 2020	Memorial Day
June 12, 2020	Last Day* tentative

October (22/22)				
M	T	W	TH	F
	1	2	3	4
7	8	9	10	11
14	15	16	17	18
21	22	23	24	25
28	29	30	31	

November (17/17)				
M	T	W	TH	F
				1
4	5	6	7	8
11	12	13	14	15
18	19	20	21	22
25	26	27	28	29

December (15/15)				
M	T	W	TH	F
2	3	4	5	6
9	10	11	12	13
16	17	18	19	20
23	24	25	26	27
30	31			

# of Student and Staff Days		
	Staff	Student
August	5	3
September	20	20
October	22	22
November	17	17
December	15	15
January	21	21
February	18	18
March	22	22
April	16	16
May	20	20
June	10	10
<b>Total Days</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>184</b>

January (21/21)				
M	T	W	TH	F
		1	2	3
6	7	8	9	10
13	14	15	16	17
20	21	22	23	24
27	28	29	30	31

February (18/18)				
M	T	W	TH	F
3	4	5	6	7
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17	18	19	20	21
24	25	26	27	28

March (22/22)				
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16	17	18	19	20
23	24	25	26	27
30	31			

April (16/16)				
M	T	W	TH	F
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13	14	15	16	17
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27	28	29	30	

May (20/20)				
M	T	W	TH	F
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25	26	27	28	29

June (10/10)				
M	T	W	TH	F
1	2	3	4	5
8	9	10	11	12
15	16	17	18	19
22	23	24	25	26
29	30			

We can accommodate up to 12 snowdays by adding onto the year in June beginning with June 12th. If more than 12 snow days occur they will be made up during the April vacation beginning with the 17th and moving backward through the week. August 28, 29, and 30th will be partial days for Kindergarten transition, only Kindergarten students will be dismissed at 12:45p.m. on these 3 days.



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IS YOUR LOVED ONE ADDICTED TO ALCOHOL OR DRUGS?

DO YOU FEEL HELPLESS?

DO YOU FEEL ALONE?

DO YOU NEED SOMEONE TO TALK TO?

DO YOU WANT TO STOP THE INSANITY?

Recovery Road CAN HELP

We can assist you in getting needed help for your loved one and yourself.

If you just need to talk, we will listen.

If you just want to listen, that's OK too.

### COME MEET WITH US LET US HELP YOU

MONDAY EVENINGS 7:30 - 9 PM

WOLCOTT YOUTH CENTER (BEHIND FRISBIE SCHOOL)

48 TODD ROAD WOLCOTT, CT 06716

ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE CALL LAURIE 203-206-9038



We humbly have finally added the plaque to the Memorial Bench, which is dedicated to those who lost their battle due to addiction. In the near future we will be adding the names of some of these amazing people. You can visit the bench at its location in the far-right corner of the rear parking lot behind the Saint Basil Rectory.

With the recent news of two high school students overdosing in West Virginia from tainted vape juice, and the lifesaving double lung transplant of a 16-year old male whose lungs were destroyed from vaping, we encourage parents to become more educated with the harmful effects of vaping. As one pediatrician proclaimed, "Vaping is the next plaque for our youth."

We have drug tests available for any concerned parents

Please use the drug drop off box, located at the Wolcott P.D. to get rid of all unused prescription drugs

Community Yoga Project will be resuming in the near future, please check our Facebook page for updates.

Open meetings every Monday 7:30 at the Wolcott Youth Center, everyone is welcome. Visit us on Facebook: wolcottcrossroadsinc.

Mailing address: PO Box 6001 Wolcott, CT 06716  
Phone: Joe Dunn 203-560-1665 Jack Hamel 203-560-3320  
www.wolcottcrossroadsinc.com

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CHESPROCOTT HEALTH DISTRICT

The holidays can be a tough time to stick to healthy eating goals. But if your traditions involve baking, a few simple ingredient changes can help you cut some of the sugar, fat, and calories – without sacrificing the taste. This year, make some new baking traditions by adapting your family recipes with these tips:

Substitute whole-wheat flour for up to half of the white flour called for in the recipe.

Make muffins using oatmeal, bran, or whole-wheat flour.

Reduce the fat by ¼ (if a recipe calls for 1 cup of oil, use ¾ cup). You can also reduce the sugar by ¼.

If making sweet breads, such as banana bread or zucchini bread, cut the oil in half and replace with an equal amount of applesauce, mashed banana, or even canned pumpkin.

If a recipe calls for nuts, use half the amount and toast the nuts (whole, not chopped). This intensifies the flavor and saves on calories.

Replace half the eggs with egg whites, using 2 egg whites per egg. (If a recipe calls for 2 eggs, use 1 whole egg and 2 egg whites.)

Grease the pan with non-stick spray instead of butter.

Substitute evaporated skim milk for whole milk or cream.

#### Do not forget to Move!

Make sure to do at least 10 minutes of activity at a time, shorter bursts of activity will not have the same health benefits. For example, walking the dog for 10 minutes before and after work or adding a 10 minute walk at lunch-time can add to your weekly goal. Mix it up. Swim, take a yoga class, garden or lift weights. To be ready anytime, keep some comfortable clothes and a pair of walking or running shoes in the car and at the office.

# 2020 Wolcott Spring Soccer Registration

wolcottsoccer.com

#### Instructional/Recreation League

Players born between 2010-2015

Registration Open Dec 1, 2019-March 31, 2020

Early Bird discount available Dec 1, 2019- Dec 8, 2019

Late fees begin February 15, 2020

Uniform shirt included. Shin guards and ball are required, cleats are optional

#### Competitive/Travel League

Players born between 2006-2011

Registration Open Dec 1, 2019 - Jan 22, 2020

**Mandatory** try-outs will take place mid-January. All returning and new players will be required to attend try-outs. More information will be available on the website in December.

New players will be required to purchase a uniform for an additional fee. Shin guards and cleats are required.

#### Coaches Wanted

Wolcott Soccer is looking for enthusiastic parents to help with both our travel and recreation programs. Soccer knowledge is helpful but not necessary.

Training will be required and is reimbursable upon completion. Background check required.

Please email Dayna Zynda at [dzzynda7@sbcglobal.net](mailto:dzzynda7@sbcglobal.net) for more information!



Please note that all fees must be paid online or by cash.  
As of Nov 1, 2019, checks will no longer be accepted for payment.

# Classifieds

## BUSINESS SERVICES

**SCULLY TRAVEL:** Call us for all your travel needs at 203-879-2593.

**STUMP GRINDING:** Removal of unwanted stumps. Call Mark at Eagle Stump Grinding, 203-879-2367 or 203-704-0821.

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 Robalancamp@gmail.com Call for Free Estimate. 203-592-3116.

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## HELP WANTED

**Part-time Drivers wanted.** P/T Drivers wanted: To drive special needs students."V" Endorsement a MUST. Excellent pay! Start immediately! Sign on bonus! Call Cardinal Driving Services at 203-879-6221

## FOR RENT

**Townhouse Condo** Waterbury-Wolcott line, 2 bedroom, 1-1/2 bath, large living room, washer/dryer, freshly painted, move-in condition, no pets, \$950/month, one month security. Call 203-217-2969

# Wolcott Resource Center



The Wolcott Food Pantry is grateful for the numerous donations we've received to assist us with our holiday distributions!! We have a large container in the front of our building to drop off non-perishable donations.

Thank you to our community for their continued support!! We are wishing our community, our volunteers and our clients a joyous holiday season!!



## TOWN OF WOLCOTT

# Winter Weather Polices and Procedures

As temperatures drop and the possibility of snow rises, the Department of Public Works would like to remind everyone of town procedures, policies, and ordinances. Have a happy and healthy winter season.

- Vehicles cannot be parked on any street during a snow event. Violators can be fined and towed.
- Do not blow or push piles of snow, ice, or leaves into the road. Property owners can be held liable for the actions of their contractors.
- The town is broken up into 11 plow routes. It takes a minimum of 4 hours to plow/treat each route to ease vehicle passage and can take an additional 4-10 hours after the snow stops to clear the roads from curb to curb, at intersections, and in cul-de-sacs.
- Snow left in front of driveways are impossible to avoid and the responsibility of the resident to clear. If there is still snow on the road or still snow impeding the curb line, anticipate the plow truck to pass again and leave behind some snow.
- The priority is to plow/treat major roads, arterials, and collectors first, then the low volume residential roads.
- Children should not play in the road or in or around snow piles because driver may not see them or be able to stop in time to avoid hitting them.

- Snow plows make frequent stops and backup maneuvers. Do not get close to the back of a plow truck as that is a blind spot for drivers. Always place your vehicle where you can see the driver's rear view mirror.
- Mailboxes struck directly by the plow or truck will be replaced at the town's convenience. Custom or special replacements must be reported to the Town Hall Mayor's Office and be submitted to insurance. Mailboxes damaged by snow or ice rolling off the plow will not be replaced. Plastic mailboxes and posts become brittle in the cold weather and break easily. Also, posts and boxes can deteriorate over time so inspect them periodically to make sure they are structurally sound and in good condition. In no event should they overhang the curb line.
- Leaves and grass from your property can cause flooding by clogging catch basins and storm drains. Take all necessary steps to avoid this from happening.
- Do not install basketball hoops or other recreational devices on roads. This is dangerous. It can also cause damage to trucks.
- Garbage cans/recycle bins should be at least 3 feet off the road or they risk being hit.

## Holiday Appetizer Wreath



### Ingredients

- 6 slices bacon
- ½ cup chive-and-onion cream cheese spread (from 8-oz container)
- 2 cans (8 oz each) Pillsbury™ refrigerated crescent dinner rolls
- 2 cups frozen broccoli florets (from 14-oz bag), thawed, finely chopped and patted dry with paper towel
- 1/3 cup diced red bell pepper
- 1 egg, beaten
- 1 teaspoon sesame seed
- Fresh rosemary, if desired

Heat oven to 375°F. Cook bacon as desired until crisp. Drain on paper towel; crumble bacon and set aside.

Unroll both cans of dough; separate into 16 triangles. On ungreased large cookie sheet, arrange triangles with shortest sides toward center, overlapping in wreath shape and leaving 4-inch round circle open in center (see diagram). Crescent dough points may overlap edge of cookie sheet. Press overlapping dough to flatten.

Spread cream cheese spread on dough to within 1 inch of points. In small bowl, mix crumbled bacon, broccoli and bell pepper; spoon onto widest part of dough. Pull end points of triangles over broccoli mixture and tuck under dough to form ring (filling will be visible). Carefully brush dough with beaten egg; sprinkle with sesame seed.

Bake 25 to 30 minutes or until deep golden brown. Cool 5 minutes. With broad spatula, carefully loosen wreath from cookie sheet; slide onto serving platter. Garnish with fresh rosemary. Serve warm. Store in refrigerator.

# Miss Wolcott Scholarship Program

The Miss Wolcott Scholarship program would like to thank the Wolcott community for it's amazing support of our program for the past 50 years. Currently we have postponed our program until further notice because our state program is currently seeking to become an "At Large" pageant, which would no longer require young women to compete in local pageants.

Michele Kerski, the executive director and Miss Wolcott committee would like to thank Jillian Duffy, Monika Korbusieski and Gia Frances Iwaec for their amazing commitment and dedication to their personal platforms and our community this past year.

If you are interested in participating in the Miss Connecticut program you may contact them at [missct.org](http://missct.org).



Jillian Duffy, Miss Connecticut and our own Miss Wolcott, 2019 was the guest of honor at a sendoff party as she prepares to compete for Miss America this December at Mohegan Sun Casino.

# Fercodini Properties, Inc.

## 203-879-4973

*We Wish You All A Very Merry Christmas!  
Thank You For Your Continued Support and Business.*



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Brian Flynn



Ed Haddad



Lynn Lombardi



Tiffany Maldonado



**Wolcott \$168,500** - Well built 3 BR Ranch, ready for personal upgrades! LR w/bow window, eat-in kitchen w/skylights, LL FR w/slate floor & brick wall fireplace, rec room w/sliders to back yard. City sewers, newer well pump & garage door. Ask for Lynn Lombardi.



**Wolcott \$269,900 - New Listing;** 3 BR Tri-level; spacious LR w/fireplace, DR w/sliders to deck, remodeled kitchen w/granite counters & SS appliances, MBR w/1/2 bath & walk-in closet, lower level FR & game room w/sliders, 4 car tandem garage. Ask for Linda Fercodini.



*Merry Christmas*



**Wolcott \$359,900** - 4 BR Colonial in picturesque setting! FDR w/French door to remodeled kitchen, LR w/stone fireplace, MBR suite w/loft, large breezeway off kitchen, 2 car garage, 1.37 acres w/babbling brook! Ask for Linda Fercodini.



*Happy New Year*

Open  
7 Days  
a Week



Lucienne Marsella



Grace McKenna



Patricia Monnerat



Stephen Monnerat



Linda Norman



Ken Reeder



Michael Salvio



Chris Stoddard



Jack Synnott



Derek Turbacuski



**Wolcott \$164,900 - New Listing;** Well cared for Split Level; 3 BRs w/hardwood floors, 1.2 baths, eat-in kitchen w/sliders to deck overlooking nice level yard, 1 car garage. Updated boiler, roof & well tank. Ask for J.R. Donorfio.



**Wolcott \$184,900** - 3 bedroom Ranch on nice level piece of property; Features eat-in kitchen, LR w/bow window, 3 season sun room, living room w/propane fireplace, deck, large shed, city sewer. Ask for Lucienne Marsella



**WOLCOTT - \$184,900** - Updated 5 room Ranch; spacious kitchen w/stainless steel appliances, large MBR w/generous closet space, 1 car garage. Roof, windows, siding, propane furnace & c/air in 2011. Ask for J.R. Donorfio.

### WOLCOTT LAND

**\$75,000**-Beautiful, cleared, .96 of an acre lot. Ideal for single family home. Close to school.

**\$105,000** The Preserve subdivision; Wooded 1+ acre lot on cul-de-sac; u/g utilities, sewers avail.

**\$128,900** -2.89 acre interior wooded lot in Arvida Woods. Natural gas & sewers available.

**\$132,900** The Preserve subdivision; .75 acre wooded lot on cul-de-sac; sewers & u/g utilities available.

**\$132,900** Beautiful wooded lot in Oakridge Subdivision; 1+ acres w/u/g utilities & sewers available.

**\$149,900** The Preserve Subdivision; Wooded lot w/water views of Chestnut Hill Reservoir. Sewers & u/g utilities.

**\$169,900** Direct waterfront lot with approximately 50' of frontage, .23 of an acre.

**\$599,900** Developers, Builders take notice! 100+ acres for sale! Survey maps available! Includes three road frontage lots - subdivision map was once prepared!



**Wolcott \$259,900** - 3 BR Split level; remodeled kitchen w/large island & appliances, LR/DR combo, FR w/gas FP, vaulted ceilings & slider to deck, LL FR, 1 car garage, level lot w/city sewers. Ask for Linda Fercodini.



**WOLCOTT \$289,900** - 4 BR R/R on 1.26 acres w/open floor plan; eat-in kitchen w/island, spacious LR, MBR w/full bath & walk-in closet, LL FR & 1/2 bath, c/air, 2 car garage, raspberry & blueberry bushes. Ask for Linda Fercodini.



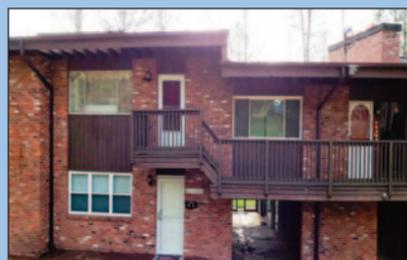
**Wolcott \$329,900** - Direct Waterfront! 3 BR Colonial w/eat-in kitchen, DR, LR w/pellet stove, fabulous view of lake, MBR w/full bath, new carpeting, fresh paint, city sewer. Ask for Lucienne Marsella.



**Wolcott \$449,900 - New Price;** Sprawling Cont Ranch on over 2 private acres! Open floor plan, kitchen w/breakfast nook, FDR, FLR w/fireplace, wet bar, sitting area, M/suite, in-law w/slider to back yard, u/g sprinkler system. Ask for Lucienne Marsella.



**WOLCOTT \$540,000** - Waterfront! 6 BR Raised Ranch w/main level in-law; 3 fireplaces, 3 full baths, granite counters & granite tile flooring; breathtaking views of lake, sun room, pool house, LL kitchen. Ask for Sandy Deschenes.



**WOLCOTT COND - \$88,800 - New Listing;** Waterfront condo; features 2 large BRs, Kitchen w/appls, large, bright LR/dining area, private balcony, beautiful lake views, freshly painted interior. Heat/hot water included in condo fees. Ask for J.R. Donorfio.