



OUR TOWN

SERVING THE VILLAGES OF BALTIC, HANOVER, AND VERSAILLES

IN THE BEAUTIFUL SHETUCKET RIVER VALLEY

Information & News for September 2015



The Sprague Historical Society is working on a new exhibit about Sprague Schools.

If anyone has programs, class pictures (or any pictures) from any of the schools in Sprague we would love to scan them, names of the people in the pictures would be a plus. If anyone has any items or pictures you would like to donate, scan or lend it would be appreciated. Please help us keep the History of Sprague alive!! Check us out of Facebook!! You can email us at historicalsociety@ctsprague.org

Write to us at 76 Main St. Baltic, CT 06330

Call us at 860-822-6867

Our hours:

Tues. 2:30 to 5:00

Thurs. 3:30 to 6:00

Wed. & Sat. 10:00 to 1:00

Sprague Land Preserve open to hunting

As you know, we will be again allowing permit-only hunting in the Land Preserve in the fall all information can be found in the Town Clerk's office. We remain confident that all visitors will still be able to enjoy what promises to be an exceptional fall, not only at the Preserve but all over town. If you get a chance, please visit the Preserve; remember to wear orange—and make your pets wear orange too. As has been said before it's just good sense to do so in all parks this time of year.

Sisters of Charity

Bottle & Can Drive Saturday, September 12



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED TO COLLATE THE OUR TOWN, SEE BELOW FOR DETAILS.

Newsletter Deadline:

There will be no late submissions accepted for the Our Town. **As a reminder, the Our Town deadline is the 15th of every month. The newsletter will be collated on Saturday, September 26 for the October issue, we will meet at the Town Hall at 10 am. Contact Elizabeth for details. If interested in volunteering email [Elizabeth @ Spragueourtownnewsletter@gmail.com](mailto:Elizabeth@Spragueourtownnewsletter@gmail.com)**

From the Desk of the First Selectman

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The Town is gearing up for the start of school. It is always a pleasure to see the students arrive in new clothes, with fresh hair-cuts and scrubbed faces for the first day. Some are coming for the first time with wide eyed anticipation and some trepidation and some are coming for the last time with the confidence of being the senior students at Sayles. It is wonderful to see our future walking in the doors. The Town is asking you to consider dropping off school supplies such as pens, pencils, crayons, notebooks, etc... These will help out those students who do not have the means to provide these supplies. The supplies can be turned in to either the Town Clerk or the school at the front office. We have been very busy this summer roadside mowing, cutting grass, striping roads, painting stop bars all work that keeps up the regular maintenance of our roads. We also have finished work on First, Second and Third and a piece of River Street. In addition we have worked on a section of Inland and Potash Hill Rd fixing a little drainage. Most importantly we have started the complete re-build of Sunrise and Grandview and are hopeful that we will be done with this work before the snow flies. If you have a few free moments stop by the River Park for either an outside movie (every other Friday) or a concert (every Saturday) as we wind down our outside activities for the season. As always please keep an eye out for children and let them enjoy the outside activities and play safely.

As always thanks for your support!

Cathy Osten

First Selectman

Open Positions as of 9/1/2015

Zoning Board of Appeals Two alternate members	Recreation Committee Unlimited numbers allowed
Inland Wetlands One alternate member	Baltic Mills Committee Unlimited numbers allowed
Water & Sewer One regular members	Conservation Commission One alternate member
Regional Tourism Board One appointment	



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Join Pack 19. Contact Pete Glaude for information at 860-608-3225 or by email pack19balticct@gmail.com.

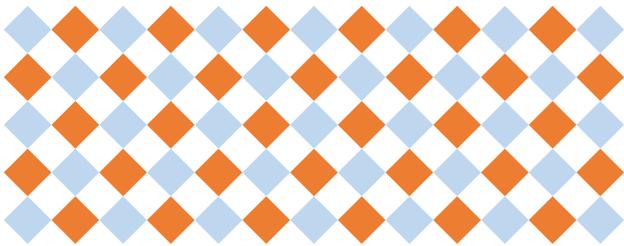
SPRAGUE GARDEN CLUB

September is the return of members for the 2015-2016 year. Our first meeting will be September 2, 2015 at 6:30 at the Sprague Senior Center. Members & friends of the Club have been tending to the flower barrels about town and they are looking especially colorful and lush. By now the farmers markets as well as private gardens are producing a crop of vegetables and fruits. Some gardeners are doing their second plantings of lettuce, chard and carrots. Be sure to water, water and weed!! Please feel free to stop by and join our club. New members are always welcome.

Cindy Rutigliano, Secretary



Photo taken during a pool rescue drill conducted with the members of the Baltic Fire Engine Company # 1 being instructed by the lifeguards of Bubbles to Butterflies Swim School in Baltic, Ct. The members wish to thank the instructors from Bubbles to Butterflies Swim School as well as the State of CT Salt Rock Camp Grounds for the use of their pool.



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Ride the Shetucket River

The Town of Sprague will resume the wildly popular Ride the Shetucket events for 2015. Once monthly during the warm weather season and depending on the natural water level of the river the Town of Sprague will provide a free shuttle between River Park and Scotland Dam. Participants can put in any time between 10:00 and 12:00. You can ride the river as many times as you wish during that time frame. The ride is 4 miles long and takes approximately 2 hours. The remaining dates for 2015 are: September 26th, and October 10th. Since Ride the Shetucket is dependent on the natural water level, check the Town Website prior to the event for any cancellation postings. www.ctsprague.org Paddlers need to have PFD's and a distress whistle. For more information contact Lou Dzialo at 860-822-6043.

SEE YOU THERE!

RIVER PARK MUSIC NIGHTS



SPONSORED BY THE MOHEGAN SUN

**Come Join Us For A Relaxing Night By The
Beautiful Shetucket River for Family Fun**

Saturday Nights 6:00pm - 8:30pm

September 5th Stone Creek

September 12th Glenn Hansen Orchestra

September 19th Wine and Cheese with music by WAITING FOR CONFIRMATION



Grace Fellowship Church
OF BALTIC

Sunday
10 a.m.
5 p.m.

**Come as you are.
All are welcome.**

Jesus said "Come to me, all who are
weary and burdened and I will give you rest."

Pastor John Gilmartin
860-208-1027

118 W. Main St
Rt. 207
Beaver Brook Mill
Baltic, CT





**OUR TOWN
BUSINESS PAGE:**



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Ads must be pre-purchased at rates of: Business Card \$21; Double Business Card \$40; Half Page \$70; Full Page \$100. Purchase 11 months and receive the 12th month free. All payments for ads are made in the Town Clerk's Office at Town Hall. All payments must be made prior to the submission deadline. All ads must be emailed to the editor by the 15th of the month @ Spragueourtownnewsletter@gmail.com



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+Phase one completed in 2015.

Phase two will add a figure and be similar to this photo -



To benefit the
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AMERICAN LEGION POST 85 **Sunday -**
Sept. 13TH NOON

\$20.00/person - Motorcycle or Car

Includes PRIZES-FOOD-MUSIC

Registration at TJ's Cafe' starting at 10 AM

191 Main St- Baltic, CT 06330

The stops to pick your cards are:
Plainfield VFW

Brooklyn Am Vets

Willimantic Ukrainian National Home

Montville American Legion

Norwich American Legion

Hands must be turned in by 4:00pm at TJ's Cafe'

BOSTON BUS TRIP– SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 2015

The Baltic Fire Engine Company # 1 will be sponsoring a bus tour to some great attractions in Boston on Saturday, September 26th, 2015. We are offering this tour as a fund raiser for our Volunteer fire department and we appreciate your support through your participation in this tour.

The tour will include the following locations:

1.) A tour of **The USS Constitution**, known as ‘Old Ironsides.’ Built in 1797, the ship was named by George Washington. It is the world’s oldest commissioned naval vessel afloat. Currently, ‘Old Ironsides’ is in dry dock for renovations taking two more years. This offers the unique to walk the dry dock floor and look up at the ship’s 218 year old hull, as we learn all about this fascinating ship through our escorted tour.

2.) Our next stop is for lunch at **Quincy Market**, where there are many excellent food choices. Close by is Durgin Park, known for great pub food, including their world famous Boston Baked beans and corn bread.

3.) **Haymarket Square** is one of the country’s oldest farmers markets. It features a huge variety of fresh produce to bring home. Local stores also offer many unique food items.

4.) Our last stop will be at the World famous **Sam Adams Brewery**, located in Jamaica Plains. Here, at the Boston Beer Company, you’ll learn how Sam’s quality beers are made and get to sample a few. Their store has many of their huge variety of beers and other items for sale.

The cost for this tour package is \$95.00 PP which includes admission to all of the attractions and transportation on a comfortable tour bus.

Please make checks out to “Baltic Fire Engine Company # 1 and in the memo area PLEASE write “Boston Trip”.

For the purchase of your tickets please contact any of the following people, this is a first come first serve bus tour and expect to have the bus fill up fast so please contact us soon for your tickets.

Contact; Reg Patchell @ 860 822 6228 or @ reggiepatchell@comcast.net

Tim Ricatta @ 860 884 6020 or @ jetfan49@sbcglobal.net

Fred Stone @ 860 234 6937 or @ supplyfire@aol.com

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In Memory of those lost. Baltic Fire Engine Company #1

This past month the Members of the Baltic Fire Engine Company # 1 have mourned the losses of some of our members, our family and, of course, our friends. Our thoughts and prayers go out to all of the families, friends and fellow firefighters who have had to endure the loss of their loved ones. The following men and women of Baltic Fire Engine Company #1 will leave big holes in our hearts and live in the hearts and memory of those left behind.

Alphonse H. Girard was born on July 30, 1923 and passed away on May 27, 2015. Alphonse, also known as "Hogan" had just participated in the Memorial Day Parade with the Baltic Fire Engine Company # 1, a department in which he had been an active member for 52 years and served as the Fire Department Chief for years as well as being a Life Member and he also served as a Fire Warden for the State of CT. Hogan was a W.W.II Marine Corps Veteran. He was last employed as Plant Foreman for the Town of Sprague Water & Sewer Authority before retiring with 20 years of service. Hogan was a founding member of the VFW Post 9621 in Baltic and was a member of the American Legion Post 85 in Baltic. Al served for 16 years with the Ct. State Police Auxiliary and also served as a Town Constable for the Town of Sprague. The family would like to thank Pierce Memorial Baptist Home in Brooklyn and the Backus Hospital for the care shown to Al. Hogan is survived by one son, Thomas J. Girard of Baltic who is the Assistant Fire Chief for the Baltic fire Engine Company # 1 and one daughter Dorothy Deschamps of Lebanon - 10 grandchildren, 10 great grandchildren. He was predeceased by two sisters, Antoinette Papineau and Celina Geigenmiller.



Louise E. Gifford passed away on July 23, 2015. Louise was a wife of Allen D. Gifford, mother to Christopher (& wife Jennifer) Gifford as well as David Gifford. All four of the Gifford Family have been members of our fire department with Al Gifford being a retired Life Member, Both Chris & David Gifford also are Life Members and both have served as officers of the Baltic Fire Department. Jennifer (Chris's wife) is also a past member of our fire service. The Gifford family has requested that in lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Sprague Smilers, One Main Street, Baltic, CT 06330.

Alfred J. Daigneault Sept. 22, 1927 – Jul. 16, 2015 - Alfred is the brother of Edgar Daigneault and Uncle to John Daigneault, both of whom have been members of the Baltic Fire Department for many years, John is now a life member of our department and Edgar is still a current member.

Edward C. Bastien Nov. 4, 1955 - Jul. 15, 2015. Ed was a member of our fire department for 44 years starting out as a cadet. Ed has served many positions in the department and had served as an Assistant Fire Chief. We are treating Ed's death as a line of duty death, pending State's approval since Ed's onset of medical issues came about after participating in a department drill and then driving the ambulance for an assist to CSP call for a prisoner transport to Backus. Ed's dedication and common sense will be missed so very much by all. On April 24, 1976 he married Ellen (VanHoesen) Bastien who survives him. Besides his wife and mother he is survived by one son, Eric E. Bastien and his wife Lisa of Lebanon. One daughter, Corey Bastien of Baltic. One brother, Dennis Bastien and his wife Brenda of Moosup. His grandchildren Gavin and Baylynn Bastien, nieces and nephews, aunts, uncles and cousins and his family of Brother & Sister Firefighters in Baltic. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the Baltic Vol. Fire Dept., P. O. Box 314, Baltic, Ct. 06330.

2015 Project Safe Halloween Program

Through the donations from our community the members of the Baltic Fire Engine Company # 1 Fire Department will once again host our very popular Halloween Program at our fire house on the night of October 31, 2015. **Our Halloween Program runs ENTIRELY on the donations from you, we use NO TAX dollars to host this program** which has had attendance over 1,000 for numerous years now with many prizes, games and a LOT of candy being given away to all of the Children. ***Without the donations from our community and those who attend, we would not be able to host this very popular community event.*** That being said, **we NEED contributions from EVERYONE in order to host this event!!** We are also asking for any community organization who may want to assist us with set up or man a table, run a Halloween game, etc. to PLEASE also contact us. Halloween is only a couple of months away and we have a LOT of work to do to allow this program to run BUT the MOST IMPORTANT request that we need to make is to ask for YOUR Donations, which in turn allows us to purchase the candy, bike helmets, etc. that we Give away.

The event will start off with a costume parade starting at the town hall and walking up to the fire house where the participants in the parade will be allowed into the event first. That being said- anyone not participating in the costume parade will HAVE to wait in line until all parade participants have entered the fire house. The parade will start at 6:00 P.M. and the Halloween event will close at 8:00 P.M.

WE would also like to say a Very Special Thank You to Connie & Al, the owners of Sharky's Pizza on High Street. Not only have they purchased the six bikes EVERY Year for our event, last year Connie & Al went above and beyond and purchased a LOT of candy for us on top of buying the six bikes! This was done after learning that we had not received a donation from a town business which was really counted upon. BUT that being said, we also realize why the donation could not be made and that business had, has always been VERY supportive of this project and they all had our very special support and thanks for all of the past donations that they had made. Along with Sharkys helping to cover the loss of the donation some other town businesses also helped with their donations, one of the other top sponsors was "Affordable Air LLC", Baltic Wine & Spirits the Lisbon Walmart Store as well as the Lisbon Lowe's Store. Thank You to ALL who were able to make a donation last year and we HOPE that many more will step up and allow us to continue on with this community program which helps to insure that all of our children will remain safe on Halloween during their trick or Treating at our Fire House.

Please make your checks out to the "Baltic Fire Engine Company # 1" and PLEASE write "Safe Halloween: in the memo area of your check so that the donation will be deposited into the correct account.

Please mail your checks to the:

Baltic Fire Engine Company # 1

PO Box 314

Baltic, Ct. 06330

Attention Reg Patchell, Safe Halloween Program

Thank you so very much, we look forward to seeing you in costume on Halloween. Please feel free to look through our many photos on our facebook page and follow us throughout our community events and calls.



Shetucket Village Is Accepting Applications

**8 Wall Street – Baltic, CT
Must be 62 years of age and/or Disabled
No Pets Allowed; No Section 8 Housing
If you would like an application sent to you,
please call 860-822-1512
and leave your name and address.**



**TAIZE WORSHIP
SERVICE**
(Every 1st Sunday of the Month)
SUNDAY, September 13, 2015
6:00 pm

**VERSAILLES CHURCH
4 CHURCH STREET
VERSAILLES, CT
(ACROSS FROM OCCUM DAM)**

Taizé Worship Service (pronounced "teh-ZAY) is a 30 minute long ecumenical meditative candle-lit service that centers around music, prayer, and silence, to quiet the mind, open the heart and feed the soul... time of quiet and solitude in the presence of God. A few words sung over and over again reinforce the meditative quality of prayer. Come join us. All are welcome here. Sit on pews or pillows on the first floor. Come as you are.

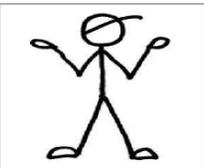


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Miscellaneous:

Snare Drum Kit \$75 obo/Clarinet \$200 obo ~ Call (860)204-6286

NOTE FROM EDITOR:
I AM LOOKING TO ADD THIS MISCELLANEOUS CATEGORY EVERY MONTH AS A HALF PAGE... ENTRIES LIMITED TO "1 LINE" FOR SALE, FOR SWAP, YARD SALES, HELP WANTED, HELP NEEDED, ETC. DEADLINE IS STILL THE 15TH OF EVERY MONTH.
Email submissions to:
spragueourtownnews-letter@gmail.com

 **Toy Sale**
Saturday, Sep 12th, 2015
Rain date: Sunday, Sep 13th, 2015
8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
171 High Street
Baltic, CT 06330
(860) 705-6742
 

SPRAGUE PUBLIC LIBRARY

THIS YEARS BEER TASTING AND CHILI COOKOFF WAS A SUCCESS AGAIN! A great big thank you to everyone who supported the library. It was a fun evening and nice to see everyone who came out for the beer, chili, and great music!

THE LIRARY'S SUMMER READING PROGRAM WAS ALSO A SUCCESS!

Thirty four children finished the reading program. The children along with their parents enjoyed a Beekeeping program with Stuart Woronecki followed by a pizza and make your own sundae lunch. The children were rewarded with reading medals, a book, a tote bag and a water bottle. A huge thank you to the parents for bringing your children to the library all summer. It will benefit your children greatly when school starts!!

Some new adult books and audio books in the library are:

**Strange Highways by Dean Koontz
Sycamore Tow by John Grisham
A Beautiful Day by Elin Hildebrand
It Was Me All Along: A Memoir by Andie Mitchell
The Fiery Trial: Abraham Lincoln and American Slavery
The White House Connection: Jack Higgins Collection on CD
The Nightingale by Kristin Hannah
A fall of Marigolds by Susan Meissne
The Wright Brothers
Gateway to Freedom: The Hidden History of the Underground Railroad
Taken in Death by J.D. Robb
The Island by Elin Hilderbrand
The Boston Girl by Anita Diamant
The Witness by Sandre Brown
Everything I Never Told You by N.G. Celeste**

Sprague Democratic Town Committee September Update

We have endorsed candidates in all races for the November elections. They are as follows:

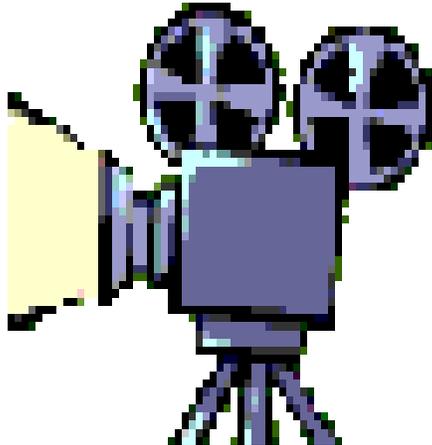
Cathy Osten	First Selectman	
Denise Dembinski	Selectman	
Jen Synnett	Town Clerk	
JoAnn Lynch	Town Treasurer	
Mary Chartier	Tax Collector	
Catherine Tiffany	Board of Finance	Full Term
Joan Charron-Nagle	Board of Finance	To Fill Vacancy for 4 Years
David Giroux	Board of Education	
Megin Sechen	Board of Education	
Richard Waterman	Board of Assessment Appeals	Full Term
William Lynch	Board of Assessment Appeals	To Fill Vacancy for 4 Years
Sandor Bittman, Jr.	Planning & Zoning Commission	

We are excited about our slate of candidates, some incumbents, some new, they are representative of our Town. They are democrats, republicans and unaffiliated voters. They care deeply about our Town and are willing to give of their time and expertise. We thank them for standing up and running for public office.

Glenn Cheney was approved to fill the vacancy of Democratic Registrar of Voters.

The Sprague DTC continues to encourage residents to register to vote. Registered Democrats interested in serving on Town Boards or joining the DTC should contact me at accpglaude@netscape.net or call 860-822-9111.

Please visit the Sprague DTC website at SpragueDemocrats.org for updated information.

	<p>OUTSIDE MOVIES will be held at the RIVER PARK MOVIE STARTING @ DUSK September 4th Mrs. Doubtfire September 18th Shrek October 2nd Frozen PROVIDED BY THE RECREATION COMMITTEE</p>
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Reminder Dog Licenses Past Due



- ✓ **A license is a lost dog's ticket home.**
- ✓ All dogs **must** have a current rabies vaccination.
- ✓ All dogs over six months **must** be licensed.
- ✓ All dogs **must** be licensed by June 30th of each year. A one dollar **fee will** be charged for each month late.

Licensing fees are as follows:

Spayed or neutered dog: \$8.00

Non-spayed or non-neutered dog: \$19.00

Guide Dogs: Free

Late fee: \$1.00 per month starting July 1st

Mailing a renewal:

If during the past year your dog has been either spayed or neutered or a rabies vaccination was given by a vet, mail copies of these services with a check made out to the Town of Sprague.

Enclose a self-addressed stamped envelope.

Mail to: Town Clerk, P.O. Box 162, Baltic, CT 06330

If you have any questions please call 860-822-3000 ext 220

Jennifer M. Synnett, Town Clerk

Shetucket River Pleasure Trail Ride

A Benefit for The Friends of the Shetucket River Valley

Sponsored by: the Town of Sprague & the Sprague Conservation Commission

October 17, 2015 (rain date Oct 24)

10 – 20 miles NEHT/NEATO affiliated miles

Ride is on dirt roads, single-track trails, fields and some hills. Trails follow the Shetucket River, through Sprague Land Preserve, Konow Fish Camp and other private lands.

Pre-entry \$25.00 Post entry \$30

Benefit ride to assist the Friends of the Shetucket River Valley in preserving trails along the Shetucket River. Open land is disappearing fast but our trails and woods can be preserved.

“Please come and ride these beautiful trails and save them for our future”



Ride managers: Loree Osowski and Gail Miller

Parking at Konow Camp grounds; Baltic, CT., 06330

New & improved entrance to Konow's parking area!

Ride or hike or just attend and have lunch.

Sign in 9-11:00 riders must be back by 5:00pm

lunch (12-2:00) is available for \$10.00

hot dog/hamburger, chips, baked beans, drink, apple, cookie

Raffle prizes will be drawn at 1:00

Tickets for the raffle prizes are \$1.00 each or \$5.00 for 6 tickets.

Please remove all manure and hay from your area

Directions:

From 395 heading North:

Take exit 81W; merge onto CT 2W/ 32N; take exit 25 turn rt onto 32 North: right turn onto Baltic Rd.; Left on 207W; turn rt onto Pautipaug Hill Rd; follow signs to ride headquarters.

From 395 heading South:

Take exit 83; turn left onto 97; left onto 207; rt onto Pautipaug Hill Rd; follow signs to ride headquarters.

For GPS enter: 211 Pautipaug Hill Rd, then follow signs to parking area.

For questions contact: Ride managers: Loree Osowski: todd_loree@comcast.net 860-822-1989 H; 860-208-2344 C; Gail Miller: rags@comcast.net 860-949-1078

Shetucket River Pleasure Trail Ride

Print, fill out and mail with your check or
you may go here to register and pay with pay pal: www.shetucket.org

Name _____ Phone _____
Street _____ Town _____ State _____ Zip _____
Horse's Name _____ Coggins# _____ will be checked at secretary's table
Breed _____ Adult/Junior _____
Rider NEHT # _____ Horse# _____ Coggins and rabies certificates required
Email: _____

Mail to: Loree Osowski; 211 Pautipaug Hill Rd.; Baltic, CT 06330 Make checks payable to: FoSRV

Pre-entry: \$25.00 Pre-entry consists of a completed entry form, payment and signature by Oct 10
First 20 pre-entries receive a free t-shirt

Post entry: \$30.00

Junior (rider 18 and under) \$15.00

Raffle tickets are \$1.00 each OR 6 for \$5.00

Amount Enclosed: _____

Refund Policy: Rider must contact the Ride Manager seven (7) days prior to the ride notifying the Manager they will not be attending in order to have their pre-entry check returned to them. Refunds will be given after the cut-off date in the event of a medical emergency provided that Event management is notified prior to the start of the ride. No refunds will be made after the cut-off date for non-medical reasons. Refunds will be given if the event is canceled for any reason

Waiver of Liability -Under Connecticut law, each person engaged in recreations equestrian activities shall assume the risk and legal responsibility for any injury to his person or property arising out of the hazards inherent in equestrian sports.

****For safety reasons we are strongly recommend a red ribbon in the tail of horses that kick, a green ribbon in the tail of a green horse or rider and a yellow ribbon in the tail of a stallion. ASTM/SEI approved helmets strongly suggested; required for riders under 18 years.**

THE OWNERS OF Sprague Land Preserve, or Konow's Property/Fishing Camp, Seymour Adelman and the State of CT. WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY LOSS, DAMAGE OR INJURY TO RIDER OR SPECTATOR.

Signature of this form consents agreement to these conditions. A representative who is of age must sign the entry blank and who, by such signature, individually accepts responsibility and risk as stated above.

Please be advised that photos may be taken at this event for use in Yankee Pedlar and Equine Journal magazine. Please indicate below if you do not consent to have your picture published in this manner.

Signature _____ Date _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian of minor child _____

Emergency # _____

Allergies/Medical Issues _____

Mail entries to: Loree Osowski 211 Pautipaug Hill Rd; Baltic, CT 06330.

Email Loree: todd_loree@comcast.net (H) 860-822-1989 (C) 860-208-2344

or Gail: rhgs@comcast.net 860-949-1078

TVCCA SENIOR CAFE SEPTEMBER 2015

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

	<p>1 Baked Ziti w/ ground beef Broccoli Carrots Fruit Cocktail</p>	<p>2 Chicken Wings Baked Beans Coleslaw Fresh Fruit <u>Or</u> <u>Tuna Salad Platter</u></p>	<p>3 Stuffed Shells w/ marinara Broccoli Wax Beans Pears w/ mandarin oranges</p>	<p>4 BBQ Pulled Pork w/ bun Rice Pilaf Capri Vegetable Medley Sugar cookie & Grape Juice <u>Or</u> <u>Chicken Caesar Salad</u></p>
<p>7 Labor Day Holiday </p> <p>Senior Nutrition Program closed</p>	<p>8 Lemon Garlic Chicken Roasted Potatoes Mixed Vegetables Peach Cup</p>	<p>9 Salisbury Steak w/ gravy Buttered Noodles Peas & Carrots Danish & Grape Juice <u>Or</u> <u>Ham Salad Platter</u></p>	<p>10 Manicotti w/ marinara Garlic Bread Wax Beans & Green Beans Fresh Orange </p>	<p>11 Crispy Baked Chicken Macaroni & Cheese Stewed Tomatoes Fruit Cocktail <u>Or</u> <u>Turkey Cobb Salad</u></p>
<p>14 Sloppy Joes w/ bun Baked Beans Chuck Wagon Vegetables Orange Juice Chocolate Chip Cookie</p>	<p>15 Apple Cider Braised Pork Loin Mashed Sweet Potatoes Green Beans Pineapple Cup</p>	<p>16 Stuffed Pepper Casserole Cumin & Garlic Rubbed Potatoes Capri Vegetable Medley Fruit Cocktail <u>Or</u> <u>Chicken Caesar Salad</u></p>	<p>17 Tuscan Baked Chicken Seasoned Rice Italian Vegetable Medley Applesauce Cup</p>	<p>18 Swedish Meatballs Buttered Noodles Sliced Carrots Fresh Orange <u>Or</u> <u>Tuna Salad Platter</u></p>
<p>21 Meatloaf w/ gravy Mashed Potatoes Mixed Vegetables Fresh Fruit</p>	<p>22 Portuguese Chicken Seasoned Rice & Black Beans Chuck Wagon Veg Medley Grape Juice Cupcake <u>Birthdays Celebration</u></p>	<p>23 Pineapple Glazed Ham Mashed Sweet Potatoes Long Bean Medley Pineapple Cup <u>Or</u> <u>Greek Salad</u> </p>	<p>24 Mexican Baked Cod w/ corn salsa Mashed Potatoes Capri Vegetable Medley Applesauce Cup <u>Ethnic Celebration</u></p>	<p>25 Chicken Supreme Roasted Potatoes Mixed Vegetables Pears w/ mandarin oranges <u>Or</u> <u>Ham Salad Platter</u></p>
<p>28 Stuffed Chicken Cordon Blue Rice Pilaf Stewed Tomatoes Peach Cup </p>	<p>29 Beef Hot Dog w/ bun Baked Beans Long Bean Medley Fresh Orange <u>Birthdays Celebration</u></p>	<p>30 Meatball Grinder w/ 6" sub roll Mozzarella Cheese Italian Vegetable Medley Applesauce Cup <u>Or</u> <u>Turkey Cobb Salad</u></p>	<p>SALAD CHOICE MEAL Every Wednesday & Friday Suggested Donation for Salad Meals \$ 4.00 </p>	<p>SALAD CHOICE MEAL Every Wednesday & Friday Suggested Donation for Salad Meals \$ 4.00 </p>



BUS SCHEDULE FROM SPRAGUE TO OCCUM

<u>Points of Departure to Occum</u>	<u>Time</u>		
Shetucket Village	7:45am	9:45am	11:45am
Playground	7:48am	9:48am	11:48am
Brookside & High Street			
TJ's Parking Lot	7:50am	9:50am	11:50am
Arrive Occum- SEAT Connection Site	8:10am	10:10am	12:10am
Red McKeon Park, Hooper St. & Rte. 97			
Points of Departure to Sprague			
	Time		
Red McKeon Park, Hooper St. & Rte. 97 (stop as needed for return trip)	8:15am	10:15am	12:15pm
Express Return to Senior Center	2:15pm		

Times are approximate and may vary several minutes earlier or later. Service runs Monday through Thursday except for holidays. For more information call Buddy Meadows, Sprague Senior Center Coordinator at 860-822-3000 ext. 203. *The Sprague to Occum Bus is a courtesy of the Town of Sprague and the Sprague Senior Center. For seat schedule visit www.seatbus.com. **Winter Weather Schedule:** The bus will follow the school closure schedule during the winter. Watch early morning television on Channel 3, 8 or 30 for closures.*

**The Salvation Army
Upper New London County Service Unit
Dennison Allen Town of Sprague Representative**



Spring has felt great. Yet there are still some who need help with oil or bills from Eversource [CL&P].

I want to thank all who have donated to the Salvation Army by donated checks to the Upper New London County Service Unit and sending them to, 34 Riverside Dr. Baltic, CT 06330 during the past year. I would ask you to give as little or much as you can and you will be blessed as well as those we can help. More help is always needed. Think of it as having a garden with only a tomato plant in a box on your deck, those few tomatoes don't go very far.

On Fridays there is food that is available at the Sprague Community Center 18 West Main St. Baltic. To get food you will need to bring ID and bags and sign in at 1 pm food distribution starts at 2 pm.

There is a Food Pantry at the Town Hall, call 860-822-3000 ext 223 or 220. There is a need for any food you can bring in to supplement the food the Boy Scout's had gotten donated. Thank you for all of your help.



September 2015

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
		<p>1 American Legion 7 pm, Sprague Rod & Gun Club</p> <p>Economic Development Comm., 7 pm Town Hall</p>	<p>2 Board of Ed 7 pm, Sayles</p> <p>Garden Club 6:30pm, Town Hall</p> <p>Knights of Columbus, 7pm Fire House</p> <p>P&Z Comm. 7 pm Town Hall</p>	3	<p>4 Outside Movie "Mrs. Doubtfire" 7 pm, River Park</p>	<p>5 River Park Music, Stone Creek 6 pm – 8:30 pm</p>
6	7 Labor Day	<p>8 Commission on Aging, 2 pm Town Hall</p> <p>Library Bd. 6:30 pm, Grist Mill</p>	<p>9 Board of Selectmen 5:00 pm, Town Hall</p>	10	11	<p>12 River Park Music, Glenn Hansen Orch. 6 pm – 8:30 pm</p>
<p>13</p>  <p>Grandparents' Day</p>	<p>14 Agric. Comm. 7 pm, Town Hall</p> <p>Inland Wetlands 7 pm, Town Hall</p> <p>Conserv. Comm. 7 pm, Town Hall</p> <p>ZBA, 7 pm Town Hall</p>	15	<p>16 Water & Sewer Authority, 4 pm Town Hall</p>	<p>17 Board of Finance 7 pm, Town Hall</p>	<p>18 Outside Movie "Shrek" 7 pm, River Park</p>	<p>19 Wine & Cheese River Park Music, 6 pm – 8:30 pm</p>
20	21	<p>22 Historical Society, 6:30 pm Museum</p>	<p>23 Housing Auth. 7 pm, Town Hall</p> <p>Autumn Begins</p>	<p>24 Reg. Animal Contr. Mtg 10:30 am Sprague Town Hall</p> <p>Senior Smilers Mtg 1 pm, Senior Center</p> <p>Recreation Comm. 8 pm, Town Hall</p>	25	<p>26 Ride the Shetucket, 10am River Park</p> <p>Our Town Collating, 10am Town Hall</p>
27	28	29	30			



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