

GLASTONBURY AT A GLANCE

MAY 2022

UPCOMING EVENTS

The list below is a SAMPLING of upcoming events. Please visit the Town website, www.glastonburyct.gov/events, the WTML website, www.wtmlib.com, or the Sharing Tree (Senior) Newsletter, www.glastonburyct.gov/sharingtree, to view a more comprehensive listing of upcoming events/programs and related details, applicable fees, and registration requirements.

- 5/3 Cooking with Herbs for Surprising Health Benefits Virtual program for Adults - 6:00 PM - (WTML)
- 5/7 Community Paper Shred Event 9:00 AM 1:00 PM
- <u>5/9 The Importance of Focus (Virtual Program)</u> 6:00 PM (WTML)
- <u>5/11 Better Sleep Workshop</u> 10:00 AM Registration required (Senior Services)
- 5/14 Household Hazardous Waste Collection Event 8:00 AM 1:00 PM
- 5/21 Brush Disposal Day at the Transfer Station and Bulky Waste Facility -Residents may dispose of brush without fees from 7:00 AM - 3:00 PM
- <u>5/24 Memorial Day Picnic (Indoor) Luncheon at the RCC</u> 12:00 PM Please purchase tickets by May 20th.
- 5/30 Memorial Day Parade 9:00 AM
- 5/31 Bass Fishing in Connecticut (Virtual Program) 6:00 PM (WTML)

GOLF OUTINGS AND EVENTS

IOIN THE 2022 SENIOR GOLF LEAGUE!

Senior residents interested in joining the Senior Golf League at Minnechaug Public Golf Course (9 holes) can sign up now. The league plays on Mondays at 9:00 AM from May 2nd through August 22 (15 sessions). Cost is \$275 with a cart and they will have a pizza party and prizes at the end of the league season.

GLASTONBURY POLLINATOR PATHWAYS GOLF FUNDRAISER AT MINNECHAUG

Glastonbury Pollinator Pathways will host its <u>Birdies, Bees & Bogeys Golf Tournament</u> on June 10th at Minnechaug Golf Course. This fundraising event will help support the planting of pollinator gardens throughout the community.

CHAMBER'S CLASSIC GOLF TOURNAMENT

The CT River Valley Chamber of Commerce will host their annual Classic Golf Tournament on Monday, June 27th at Glastonbury Hills Country Club. Visit their website for more information at crvchamber.org.

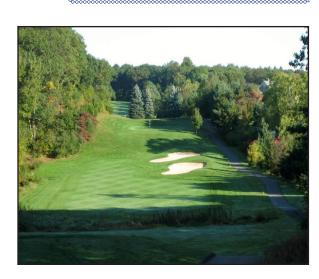
HOLIDAY CLOSINGS

Town facilities will be CLOSED on Monday, May 30th, in observance of Memorial Day. This includes Town Hall/Academy, Youth & Family Services, WTML, the RCC, the Transfer Station, and the Bulky Waste Facility.

Town facilities will resume standard operating hours on Tuesday, May 31st.

REGISTER FOR SENIOR PROGRAMS

Registration for May and June programs at the Senior Center begins on May 3rd for residents and May 10th for non-residents. See available programs in the **Sharing Tree Senior Newsletter**.



DOG LICENSES RENEW IN JUNE

Dog licenses are due for renewal every June, and residents can renew quickly and easily online. Simply gather the following - license year, dog tag number, current (non-expired) rabies vaccination record, and spay/neuter documents (if not submitted in prior years) - and visit the Town website at www.glastonburyct.gov/doglicense to renew. If you prefer to renew by mail, or in-person at Town Hall, you are welcome to do so.

NEW TOWN PERMITTING SYSTEM LAUNCHING MAY 9TH

Glastonbury is in the process of launching a new cloud-based permitting system called OpenGov ViewPoint. The new platform will go live on Monday, May 9th. Before the launch, the Town will have a brief "blackout period" and will not accept any new permits/applications between Thursday, May 5th, and Sunday, May 8th. This essential window will allow the Town the opportunity to migrate data from the current system (Citysquared) to the new system.

OpenGov will offer a number of benefits for community members looking to apply for a license or permit with the Engineering, Building, and Health Departments including:

- enhanced search capabilities
- application tracking
- · improved accessibility
- additional payment method options

As with any new technology system of this magnitude, there will be a bit of a transitional period, and the public's patience is appreciated as we work to improve Town systems.

HOMEOWNER'S TAX RELIEF APPLICATION DUE MAY 13

The Homeowners Tax Relief program is available to Glastonbury homeowners who turned 65 prior to Dec. 31, 2021 and whose 2021 income was \$60,520 or less. New applicants must submit an application and proof of income by the filing deadline of May 13, 2022. The application and detailed instructions are available at www.glastonburyct.gov/taxrelief. Re-application packets were mailed out to those participants required to reapply for the program during the February 1, 2022 - May 13, 2022 filing period.

Questions should be directed to the Assessor's Office at assessor@glastonbury-ct.gov or (860) 652-7600; or Senior Services at socialservices@glastonbury-ct.gov or (860) 652-7638.





WE'RE HIRING!

The Town is currently seeking candidates for a number of positions including, but not limited to those listed below. To view job descriptions or apply, please visit www.governmentjobs.com/careers/glastonburyct.

- Purchasing Agent
- Superintendent of Wastewater Treatment, Refuse, and Recycling
- Mental Health Clinician
- Custodian

HELP RESTORE COTTON HOLLOW MILL

The Town of Glastonbury is working in partnership with the Save Cotton Hollow Mill Coalition, the Glastonbury Historical Society, and the Land Heritage Coalition to restore the mill walls at the historic Cotton Hollow Mill site. Community members are invited to help preserve this valued property with a donation. Please visit www.savecottonhollowmill.org to make a donation or learn more about this effort. Alternatively, checks may also be mailed to:

The Cotton Hollow Mill Preservation Fund c/o The Land Heritage Coalition 136 Tall Timbers Road | Glastonbury, CT 06033