

BOLTON BULLETIN

April 17, 2025

Senior and Social Services
Bentley Memorial Library
Recreation Department
Other Information
Calendar



All town offices will be closed on Friday, April 18, 2025, in observance of Good Friday. Bentley Memorial Library will be closed on Saturday, April 19, as well.

There will be NO DELAY in trash and recycling pickup.

**TOWN OF BOLTON
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
APRIL 22, 2025 -7:00 P.M.
(FOLLOWING THE BOS A/P MEETING
AND PUBLIC INFORMATION SESSION REGARDING THE
FIRST-SELECTMAN'S SALARY)
BOLTON TOWN HALL
222 BOLTON CENTER ROAD**

A Public Hearing on the Proposed Budget for the Town of Bolton for Fiscal Year beginning July 1, 2025, will be held on April 22, 2025, at 7:00 P.M. (following the BOS A/P Meeting and the Public Information Session Regarding the First Selectman's Salary) at the Bolton Town Hall located at 222 Bolton Center Road, Bolton, Connecticut.

Copies of the Proposed Budget will be available for public inspection beginning April 17, 2025, at the Town Clerk's office at Bolton Town Hall during normal business hours.

Ross Lally, Chair
Finance Committee

EVENTS

THIS WEEKEND

APRIL 17-20

**PLANT SALE
AT FIRE DEPARTMENT**

APRIL 19

**BUNNY BREAKFAST
AT FIRE DEPARTMENT | 8:30 AM- 11 AM**

Come join us for Pancakes, sausage, coffee and juice at our annual breakfast with the Easter Bunny!

APRIL 19

**EGG HUNT
AT HERRICK PARK | 12 PM**

Join us for a fun-filled Egg Hunt at Herrick Park, where children will be divided into age groups to search for eggs filled with candy and toys.

Enjoy music, games, and more — fun for the whole family!



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SENIOR & SOCIAL SERVICES

Registration is required at least one week in advance for these programs.
Space is limited. Call 860-647-9196

PROBATE PRESENTATION Tuesday, April 29 at 10 a.m.



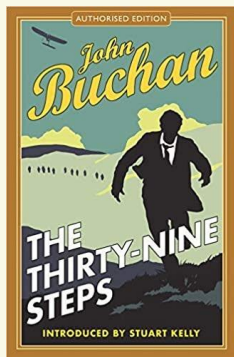
This is the third presentation in a three-part series called “Getting Your House in Order” at the Bolton Senior Center. On Tuesday, April 29 at 10 a.m., Attorney Brendan Daly, Managing Partner at the law firm of Czepiga Daly Pope and Perri, will explain who takes charge of a will after someone dies, what happens if someone dies without a will, how to avoid a lengthy probate process, and how tools such as a living trust can help avoid probate.

BINGO Thursday, May 1. \$1 a card to play multiple games.



CASINO
Take a trip with friends to Mohegan Sun on Thursday, May 22. The van leaves at 9:15—\$5 for all passengers. Limit 20 participants for each trip. Please call the Senior Center to sign up to join this event.

BENTLEY MEMORIAL LIBRARY



BOOK DISCUSSION THE 39 STEPS BY JOHN BUCHAN Wednesday April 30, 2025, 12:00 PM - 1:45 PM

The 39 Steps is one of the earliest 'man on the run' thrillers. Buchan introduces Richard Hannay, who is caught up in a dramatic race against a plot to devastate the British war effort. The 39 Steps is Buchan's best known novel and has been continuously in print since its first publication in 1915, inspiring 3 film adaptations. **[PREREGISTER HERE](#)**

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RECREATION DEPARTMENT



Monday- Friday, June 23 to August 15
At Herrick Park, 29 Hebron Road, Bolton

- Regular Week: \$200 R / \$240 NR
- Field Trip Week: \$275 R / \$315 NR
- Extended AM Care: 7:30 AM - 9:30 AM (\$20)
- Extended PM Care: 3:30 PM - 5:30 PM (\$20)

Registration: April 1- May 31st

Late registration: June 1—Monday at noon prior to the week
IF SPACE IS AVAILABLE.

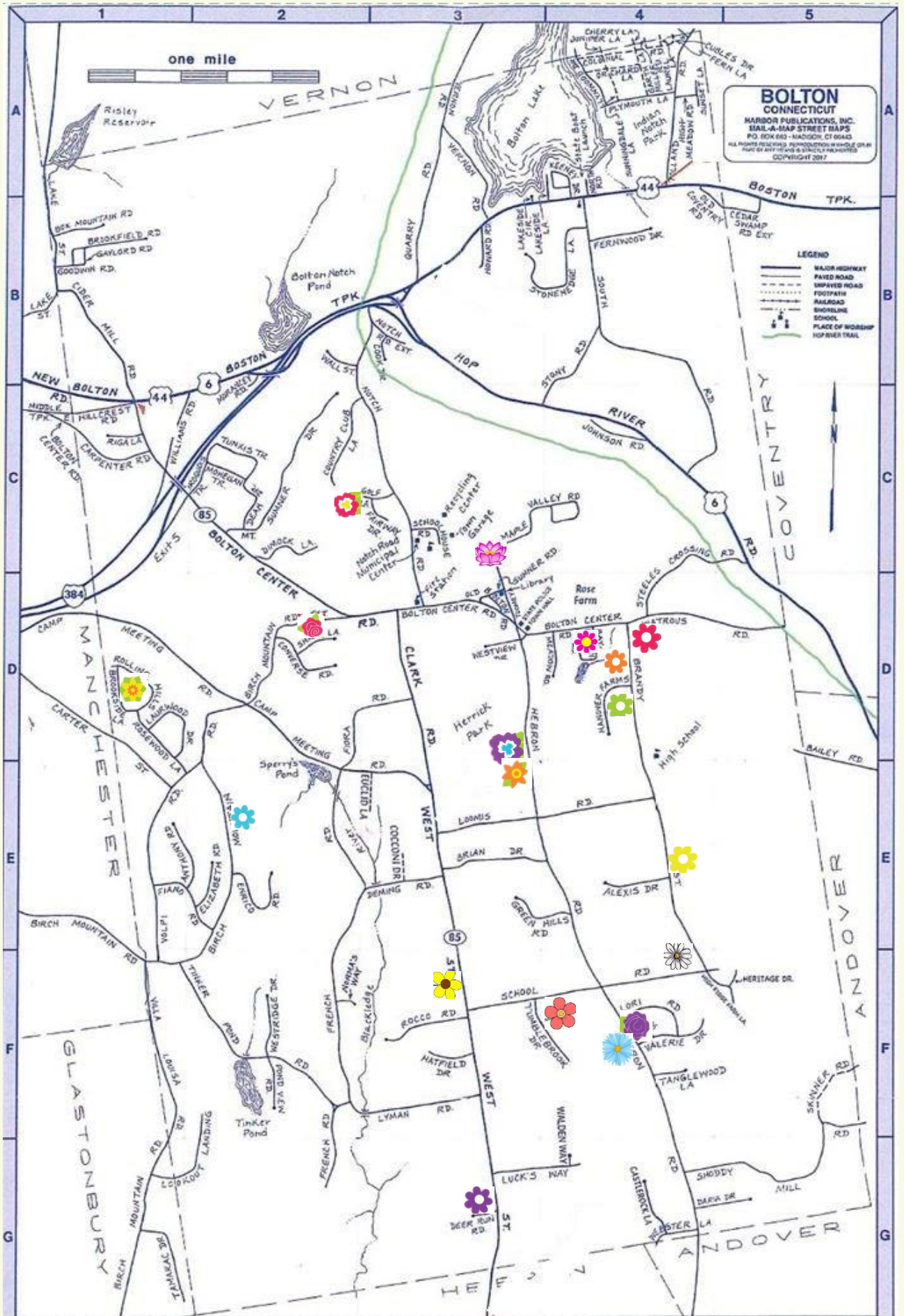
For more information, [click here](#), and to register, [click here](#).

BOLTON REC BASKETBALL- MIDDLE SCHOOL BASKETBALL CLINIC





















Who: Middle schoolers- grades 6-8
When: Fridays, 6-8:00 pm
May 9, May 16, May 23 and May 30
Where: Bolton Center School Gymnasium
Coach: Corry O'Brien
Cost: FREE! 20 spots available for each date

The purpose of this program is to allow our players to continue to practice after the season is over! With the assistance of Coach Corry, players will continue to have the opportunity to play on the court during select dates and times in March, April, and May. This is NOT open gym. These is skills and fundamentals drills and reps for middle schoolers looking to improve their games. **RESERVE YOUR SPOT.**



Follow the flowers around the map to go to them ALL!
 Click [HERE](#) for the online map! :)

Address of Tag Sale	What is being Sold
16 Bayberry Road 	Household/kitchen goods, clothing, purses, etc.
78 Birch Mountain Road 	Jewelry, Coach bags, Halloween, Easter, and Christmas decorations, older camping equipment, outside yard sofa tables, Boyd's Bear, and other misc. must have items
285 Bolton Center Road 	Men and women's clothing, household items, electrical and plumbing fittings- new and used, hardware, books
17 Brandy Street 	Tools, craftsman tool boxes, men's & women's clothes, Levi's jeans, John Deere snow thrower, man cave stuff, etc.
37 Brandy Street 	Shop tools, auto repair tools, household goods, clothing misc.
116 Brandy Street 	Household goods
15 Brookside Lane 	Lego Duplo, vintage toys, Melissa/Doug, play mobile, collectables, Hudson pewter animals, household items
7 Deer Run Road 	Tools, Household Goods, Holiday Decor
47 Golf Lane 	Household items
43 Hebron Road 	End tables, headboard and footboard, books, tools, yard tools and machinery magazines; household items
45 Hebron Road 	Jewelry, glassware, general household items, Quality Junk :)
178 Hebron Road 	Decorative pillows, boys and men's jeans, children's clothes, misc. Kids toys and accessories
183 Hebron Road 	Hand tools, German Shepherd Figurines, clothing, household items, machinery, table saw, snow blower
33 School Road 	Furniture, household and kitchen items, kids toys
94 School Road 	Toys (action figures, sand/outdoor, stuffies), kid books and some educational books, free kid magazines, household items, pewter fairies, other miscellaneous items
11 Shady Lane 	Multi Family, Lots of good and new stuff ! Furniture, housewares, kid stuff, party supplies, summer items, clothing and much more!
44 Toomey Road 	Household items, toys
177 West Street 	3 family ,furniture, children's items, household items , collectables, bikes



Eleventh Annual Town Wide Tag Sale May 3 2025, 8:00am—4:00pm

Check out Coventry's Tag Sale happening on the same day!

**For a map of listings go to:
Coventry: <https://www.coventry-ct.gov/457/Parks-Recreation>**

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OTHER EVENTS AND INFORMATION

Notice of Special Meeting Board of Assessment Appeals

Notice is hereby given that there will be a Special Meeting of the Board of Assessment Appeals at the Town Hall, Lower Level, 222 Bolton Center Rd., Bolton, CT on April 21, 2025, at 9:00am, for the purpose of hearing appeals due to the change in the motor vehicle depreciation schedule, per House Bill 7067, Section 2. No other items will be considered at this meeting.

This notice is dated at Bolton, Connecticut, this 9th day of April of 2025.

Thomas Fiorentino, Chairman
Board of Assessment Appeals

**A PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETING REGARDING THE
HERITAGE FARM TRAIL WILL BE HELD AT TOWN HALL ON
TUESDAY, APRIL 29, AT 6:30 P.M.**



PRIORITY PATHWAYS PLAN:

A Bicycle and Pedestrian Network for the Capitol Region
Virtual Meeting, Tuesday, April 29, 2025, 6:30-7:30 pm.

Are you interested in walking and bicycling in Bolton and the Capitol region? Would you like to help shape the future of bicycle and pedestrian infrastructure? If yes, the Town of Bolton would like you to please join us for the first public meeting of the Priority Pathways Plan. The Capitol Region Council of Governments (CROG) is developing a bicycle and pedestrian network and implementation plan for the Capitol Region of which Bolton is a part.

This virtual public meeting will introduce community members to the plan, explore the benefits of developing a bicycle and pedestrian network, and seek initial feedback from the community. If you wish to attend this meeting, please register at bit.ly/PriorityPathwayMeeting1.

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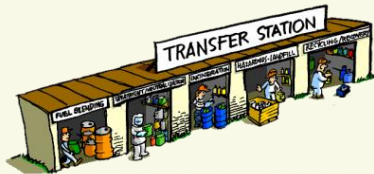
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BOLTON MOBILE FOODSHARE



The Bolton Mobile Foodshare will be held from 10:00 to 10:30 AM at St. George's Episcopal Church, 1150 Boston Turnpike, Bolton, CT. This is an outdoor food distribution that assists families in need.

Upcoming Dates: Tuesdays, April 22
May 6 and 20
June 3 and 17



RECYCLE/TRANSFER STATION!

Saturday, April 26 from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

\$24.00 punch tickets must be purchased online beforehand [here](#).

PUNCH TICKETS PURCHASED WILL ONLY BE GOOD FOR ONE SEASON (APRIL THROUGH NOVEMBER).



SCRAP METAL - APRIL 28 TO MAY 02, 2025

Curbside scrap metal collection will be held the week of April 28- May 02, 2025. Items for collection must be curbside by Sunday Night, April 27. Noncombustible items such as appliances and other metal items weighing up to 100 pounds are acceptable. Gas grill propane tanks need to have the caps removed. Unacceptable items include motor vehicle parts, machinery, and items weighing more than 100 pounds. Please remember this collection is for scrap metal only, not for bulk waste.

Please note that all acceptable scrap metals will be picked up by Friday afternoon. Items not retrieved by then will be considered non-acceptable.

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CALENDAR

April	21	Board of Assessment Appeals - 9 a.m.
	22	Board of Selectmen A/P meeting and Public Informational Meeting on Selectman's Salary- 6 p.m.
	22	Public Hearing for Budget -7 p.m.
	22	Inland Wetlands - 7 p.m.
	23	Finance Committee Special Meeting 7:15 p.m.
	28	Fire Commission - 7:00 p.m.
	29	Public Information Meeting on Heritage Farm Trail - 6:30 p.m.
	30	Public Hearing and Regular BLRWPCA - 7:00 p.m.

Bolton Conservation Commission's 24th Annual Town of Bolton Photo Contest!



"Gentle Rain" by Casey Carini



"Rosy Maple Moth" by Avery Conklin

Submission Deadline is May 5th!

Send us your images, of what makes our little town of Bolton so special!

Bolton offers so many scenic places to photograph!

From our beautiful lake, to ponds, parks, hiking trails, farmland, and many historical sites!

With an abundance of flora and fauna, the possibilities are endless.

Capture a dramatic sunrise or a vibrant sunset. Be adventurous and try your hand into the fascinating world of macro photography. You will be amazed to see the details in your images!

No subject is too large or too small, all it takes is getting out there to find it!

**Great Prizes will be awarded to the top three photographs in each category!
Winners may also be featured in our Bolton~ "A Town for All Seasons"
2025-2026 Calendar!**

- Image Categories:**
- 1) Examples of Green Living & Farming
 - 2) Beauty of Nature & Open Space
 - 3) People in the Environment
 - 4) Wildlife in Bolton

For more information on our contest rules and how to enter,
just scan the QR Code below!



"Life With No Filter" by Dani Kennedy



"Bolton's Heritage Farm Barn"
by Elizabeth Waters

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Earth Day Family Celebration at Freja Park Fairy House Building Contest & Mini Bio-Blitz



Date/Time: Saturday, April 19, 2025, at 2:00 PM
Location: Meet at the Bolton Commuter Lot
Rt 6/44 across from Georgina's Restaurant Bolton
Commuter Lot (Rt 6/44, across from Georgina's)

Celebrate Earth Day with a nature-inspired adventure at Freja Park! Enjoy a scenic walk to Notch Pond, showcase your creativity in the Fairy House Building Contest, and participate in the Mini Bio-Blitz. Children can explore, identify trees, plants, and wildlife, and compete to win a "Make Our Planet Great Again" t-shirt.

Special Guests: Yale Forest Ecologist Marlene Cole, Master Wildlife Conservationist Ray Hardy and Bolton Conservation Commissioners will guide participants in identifying local flora and fauna.

Connect with nature, learn about local ecosystems, and inspire budding environmental stewards—all in a fun, family-friendly setting.

Heavy Rain Date: Saturday, April 26, 2025,
at 2:00 PM

Note: We kindly ask that you leave your
furry friends at home.



Contact Details

Email: RParlee@BoltonCt.gov

Phone: 860-649-8066 ext. 110

(Please leave a message)



Hop River Trail Trail Maintenance Day Volunteers Wanted!

Saturday April 26, 10am – noon

Extreme weather cancels, bring gloves

Meeting points - Bolton Notch & Willimantic

**Sign up via QR Code below or send email to
HopRiverTrailAlliance@gmail.com**

