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Business of the Month: ALLTOWN FRESH

The Town of Bolton is happy to announce that the Business of the Month for January is ALLTOWN FRESH. Alltown Fresh is not only a gas station but a convenience store with a commercial kitchen serving all kinds of food. Everything at Alltown Fresh is either made there or is from local companies such as their coffee beans are from a small business located in Windsor.



Alltown Fresh is owned by Global Partners, a large energy corporation with locations throughout the northeast. Seeking to diversify their operation, Global Partners opened their first Alltown Fresh station back in 2019. Over time they expanded, with the one located in Bolton opening in late 2022. Since their opening, they have partnered with the community by donating to various events such as Winter Faire.

So, on behalf of the town, we are proud to announce Alltown Fresh as the Business of the Month and encourage everyone to stop by. Alltown Fresh is on the corner of Route 44 and Bolton Center Road, across the street from Three Jays.



For more information about Alltown Fresh click [here](#).



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FROM THE TAX COLLECTOR'S OFFICE

Supplemental Motor Vehicle Tax Bills

Supplemental tax bills are due January 1, 2025. They need to be paid by Monday, February 3, 2025, to avoid interest. These bills are for all newly registered motor vehicles registered between October 2, 2023, and September 30, 2024 or for vehicles where the registration had lapsed and was renewed after October 1, 2023. This tax bill covers the period of time from the month the vehicle was registered until September 30, 2023. **These bills need to be paid or postmarked by February 3, 2025** to avoid interest. Interest accrues at 1.5 % per month starting from the due date January 1, 2025.

If you use your bank's bill pay please **do not schedule payment after January 20** to avoid us receiving your payment after the last day without a postmark. Please have them mail the check to:

Tax Collector Town of Bolton
222 Bolton Center Rd.
Bolton CT 06043

Please check the link above if you believe you may have a bill or call our office. Failure to receive a tax bill does not relieve the responsibility of owed taxes and interest.

Delinquent tax bills have been mailed out. See payment options below on how to make your payment.

Delinquent Motor Vehicle bills have been reported to the Department of Motor Vehicle.

Please pay your tax bill as soon as possible to avoid having a registration held up.

It will be necessary to have all accounts paid to be able to register a vehicle. Please make sure you pay your taxes **at least** 2 weeks before you need to register your vehicle to make sure you have no compliance issues. You can check DMV's online services under compliance issues to ensure you are clear before you go to DMV. If you need clearance before the 2-week period

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of time then you will need to make your payment with a credit/debit card online or in the office. Payment can be made with cash or money order in the Tax Collector's Office as well.

Please make us aware you are requesting a release for DMV as it is not immediately taken off.

IS YOUR CAR REGISTERED? Check your cars registration or check on DMV's online services for your registration's status.

Check DMV's online services for registration status and compliance issues here:

[DMV ONLINE SERVICES](#)

PLEASE BE ADVISED The Town of Bolton is under contract with TaxServ Capital services for the collection of some of the Towns delinquent taxes. If your account was sent to TaxServ, you **MUST** call them to discuss your account and arrange payment. If you call the Tax Collector/Assessor we will direct you to Tax Serv for payment.

TaxServ Capital Services LLC can be reached at:

Telephone: 860-724-9100

Website: <https://www.taxserv.com>

[TAX COLLECTOR WEBSITE](#)

[PAYMENT OPTIONS](#)

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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

ICELAND PRESENTATION

Cheryl Udin and Sandy Casinghino kindly offered to present Cheryl's vacation to Iceland at the Bolton Senior Center on Thursday, January 23 at 10 a.m. It's all about the volcanoes! Come and hear about her exciting trip and sample a treat. There is a snow date on Tuesday, February 4.



FIRE SAFETY PREVENTION

Fire Marshall Bill Call will be at the Senior Center on Thursday, February 6 at 10 a.m. to talk about fire safety and answer any questions you may have. He will also discuss how Knox Boxes operate and how a person can receive one.

VALENTINE'S DAY PARTY

Senior Inc. is hosting a party to celebrate all things **LOVE** on Thursday, February 13 at 12 p.m. at the Senior Center.
Please RSVP by Monday, February 6.



NEW ZEALAND PRESENTATION

Pam Wentworth and her husband Bruce will be sharing photos from their vacation to New Zealand at the Bolton Senior Center on Thursday, February 20 at 10 a.m. Come and hear all about their 15-day trip! There is a snow date on Thursday, March 6.

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BENTLEY MEMORIAL LIBRARY



STORYTIME AT THE LIBRARY

Wednesday, January 15th & 22nd
from 11:45- 12:15 pm

Join us for Storytime in January! Come and enjoy stories and a simple craft. Feel free to bring your own snack or lunch. Registration is not required.

RADON AWARENESS & TESTING

Tuesday, January 28th from 6:30 pm - 7:45 pm

Stop by Bentley to learn about radon; what it is, how it enters a home, health effects, radon testing and how values fluctuate with time and weather. Limited radon home testing kits will be available. Registration is not required.



THE FASHIONS OF DOWNTON ABBEY

Wednesday, January 29th at noon

Are you a fan of Downton Abbey? Would you love to know more about the fashions of the period? If so, join us for an informative presentation about the lives and fashions of the residents of Downton Abbey. **[REGISTER HERE](#)**

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OTHER EVENTS AND INFORMATION

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, January 14 and 28
February 11 and 25

EMERGENCY CONTACTS :

Always call 911 for immediate emergencies.

Troop K (State Police) non-emergency number: 860-465-5400.

Sewers: The regular number is 860 646 8066 ext 6112
The after-hours emergency number - (860)-266-7256.

Animal Control: 860-872-9126.

Eversource: 800 286 2000 or eversource.com
if there is a down power line, please as live and call 911.



All Town offices and Bentley Memorial Library will be CLOSED on Monday, January 20, in observance of Martin Luther King Day.

There will be no delay in trash and recycling pickup.

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WINTER TRAILS DAY 2025

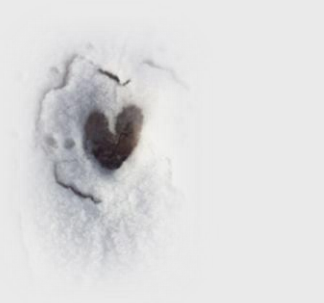
Join the Bolton Conservation Commission on **Saturday, January 11th, 2025**, at Herrick Park for a 1:00 PM WINTER TRAILS DAY hike on the Bates Trail with special guest Ray Hardy.

Learn about the wildlife that benefits from an unfragmented open space forest as we look for tracks, hopefully in the snow. Herrick Park was made possible thanks to former Conservation Commission Chair, Stan Bates. It has some unique Native American History as well.

Participants should dress for the weather and snow conditions, expect to move slowly on the trail over the moderately rugged landscape. Trail conditions will determine trail routing. No dogs, please. Rain cancels the event.

Questions? Call 860-649-8066 ext. 6110 and leave message or e-mail Conservation@boltonct.gov

Increase your chances of winning the 24th Annual Bolton Photo Contest by submitting your photos to BoltonPhoto@aol.com (see rules on the Town Conservation Commission Webpage - QR code below).



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On all socials

January 7, 2025



What is happening at BHS?

Coffee House Performances - 12/18

Coffeehouse performance were a lot of holiday fun! There were over a dozen groups which performed, including a sax trio, duets, and even an original composition premiered by Libby H. Thank you for everyone who came to support our musicians. If you missed it, check out our YouTube channel! @boltonhighct



Senior Citizen Cookie Tasting

Once again the culinary students treated the senior citizens of town with food and entertainment. The concert choir was caroling as well. Help for the event goes in no small part to Mr. Jones, Mr. Ayer, and Mrs. Kloefer.



BCS Community News



CCMC Pajama Day:

On Friday, December 13th, the BCS community joined the other 168 towns in Connecticut and came to school dressed in their pajamas to support children at Connecticut Children's Medical Center. A recommended \$1 donation was suggested, but was far surpassed as just over \$800 was raised to be donated to this worthwhile cause.



BCS Dance:

All Bolton Center School middle schoolers had the opportunity to attend a winter dance in the gymnasium on December 13th. About 85% of students took the opportunity to dance the night away! With 135 students in attendance, this Student Council run event will be one to be remembered.



Winter Assembly:

All students in grades Pre-K through 8 came together before the winter break for a fun assembly! Staff competed in "reindeer games", the student chorus and staff band led everyone in sing-a-longs, and the annual 'Twas the Day Before Winter Vacation' poem was read to an accompanying fun slideshow. It was a wonderful way to kick off the long vacation.

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BCS Community News



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The BCS Robotics Team, coached by Mrs. Moore, continues to showcase their talents, this time at the Vex Robotics Competition in Hamden. Team 1227D—Kora, Mia, and Gabby—earned the Excellence Award and Skills Award. Impressively, these 3 talented team members are currently ranked #1 in the state, and #148 out of over 3,000 teams in the world! The talent on this team is incredible. In fact, 1227C—Cami, Connor, & Ethan—are currently #6 in the state for their skills ranking. Additionally, the elementary school team 1227E—Natalie, Jules, & Isabella, are ranked 3rd in the state. We can't wait to see how the rest of this year goes for the team!

CALENDAR

January	13	Finance and Adm Subcommittee - 8:30 a.m.
	14	Library Board - 4:00 p.m.
	14	Board of Selectmen A/P - 6:00 p.m.
	16	Finance Committee - 7:15 p.m.
	28	Board of Selectmen A/P - 6:00 p.m.
	28	Inland Wetlands Commission- 7:00 p.m.
	29	BLRWPCA - 7:00 p.m.

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Nirenstein, Horowitz & Associates P.C. Attorneys at Law



Barry D. Horowitz & Brian S. Karpe

200 Glastonbury Boulevard, Suite 202
Glastonbury, CT 06033

6 Complimentary Workshops
Get Your Legal
Affairs in Order NOW

My name is Barry D. Horowitz. I am a founding partner and president of the law firm of Nirenstein, Horowitz & Associates P.C. We practice exclusively in the areas of Wills, Trusts, Estate Planning, and Elder Law.

Our Law Firm is hosting SIX COMPLIMENTARY WORKSHOPS on Tuesday, January 21st, Wednesday, January 22nd, Thursday, January 23rd and Saturday, January 25th in Tolland, New Haven, Hartford & Fairfield counties to explain different options families have to get their legal affairs in order.

As you can imagine, we receive numerous calls from people who want to make sure that their legal affairs are in order. People ask us questions like:

“Is my Will valid?”

“Should I have a Trust instead of a Will?”

“What if I don’t have a Will?”

“Will my family be forced to deal with PROBATE when I die?”

“Is my Power of Attorney out of date?”

“If I get a Trust, what kind of Trust should I get?”

“How will my family be able to make medical decisions for me if I get sick?”

“Can I make sure that I am NOT forced to go into a nursing home?”

“Can I protect my home and other property from being taken by the state if I go into a nursing home?”

Safety First:

The workshops have limited seating in sanitized rooms.

Hand sanitizer stations and other safety measures are also in place.

We really cannot answer these kinds of questions in a telephone call. We know that a workshop is the best way for us to educate people about these issues. But, we had to make sure that any workshop was held in a safe, sanitized environment. We would never intentionally put anyone’s health at risk.

These workshops allow us to give you this important information in a safe, comfortable environment.

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Additionally, one of our other attorneys, Brian S. Karpe, may be speaking. Attorney Karpe has been practicing law in Connecticut for 35 years, and his practice is also dedicated to helping clients with their estate planning needs.

I sincerely hope that you will be able to attend one of the workshops. **The workshops are complimentary.** I have listed the times and locations below. You must call and make a reservation if you wish to attend. **Seating is limited.** **We expect all of the classes to be totally full.** Therefore, if you want to attend one of the workshops, please call as soon as possible to reserve your seat.

Limited Seating

Sincerely,

Barry D. Horowitz

Barry D. Horowitz
Attorney at Law

6 Complimentary Workshops

BRISTOL Tuesday, January 21 10:00am-12:00noon <i>(Continental Breakfast)</i> The Carousel Museum 95 Riverside Avenue	BOLTON Thursday, January 23 10:00am-12:00noon <i>(Continental Breakfast)</i> Georgina's Restaurant 275 Boston Turnpike	DANBURY Saturday, January 25 10:00am-12:00noon <i>(Continental Breakfast)</i> Ethan Allen Hotel 21 Lake Ave. Ext
NORTH HAVEN Wednesday, January 22 1:00pm-3:00pm <i>(Lunch Served)</i> Ludal's Restaurant 28-30 Broadway	BOLTON Thursday, January 23 7:00pm—9:00pm <i>(Coffee & Dessert)</i> Georgina's Restaurant 275 Boston Turnpike	DANBURY Saturday, January 25 2:00pm-4:00pm <i>(Refreshments)</i> Ethan Allen Hotel 21 Lake Ave. Ext

Call us Today at (860) 548-1000 or register online at www.preserveyourestate.net

Or scan the QR code from your phone's camera to sign up on our website.

Seating is VERY LIMITED.
Please call as soon as possible to reserve your seat.



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