

# BOLTON BULLETIN

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## COFFEE & CONVERSATION

The Board of Selectmen and the Board of Education will host a Coffee and Conversation Meeting on Thursday, January 15, 2026, at 10:00 a.m. at the Bolton Senior Center (104 Notch Rd, Bolton, CT 06043).

If you would like to join this meeting via Zoom, please email [skamara@boltonct.gov](mailto:skamara@boltonct.gov) by 3:00 p.m. on Wednesday, January 14, 2026, to receive the Zoom information.

### PANELISTS INCLUDE:

- Rodney Fournier - First Selectman
- Jim Rupert - Town Administrator
- David Caruso - Superintendent of Schools
- Carrie Concatelli - Senior and Social Services

### DISCUSSION TOPICS WILL INCLUDE:

- Updates on Bolton Public Schools from David Caruso
- Town updates and current happenings from Rodney Fournier and Jim Rupert
- Information and updates on Senior and Social Services from Carrie Concatelli

**THE PANEL WILL ALSO BE AVAILABLE TO DISCUSS ANY TOPICS OR QUESTIONS THAT RESIDENTS WOULD LIKE TO BRING FORWARD.**

Refreshments will be available.

All Bolton residents are welcome to attend!!!  
We look forward to seeing you there!

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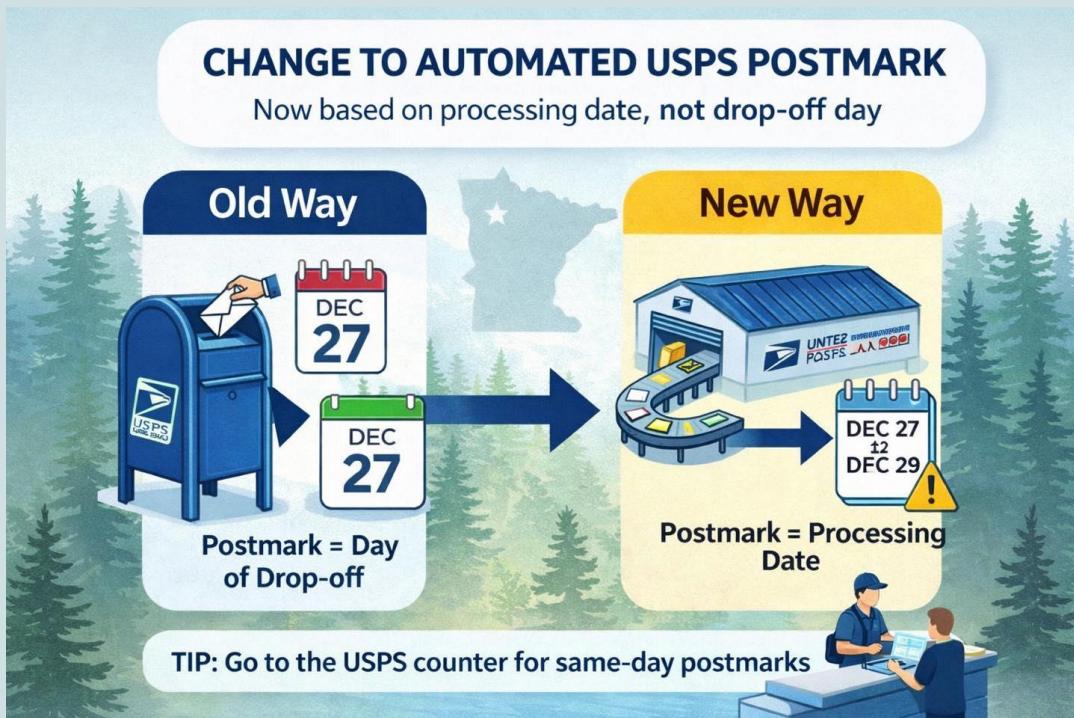
### FROM THE TAX COLLECTOR'S OFFICE

#### SUPPLEMENTAL MOTOR VEHICLE TAX BILLS

A small number of Supplemental Motor Vehicle bills were mailed out at the end of December and must be paid by February 2, 2026, to avoid interest. The tax bills are for motor vehicles that were newly registered either in August or September 2025. If you have a vehicle that was registered in that time frame and did not receive a bill, please call my office at 860-649-8066 x6101. Failure to receive a bill does not invalidate the tax and/or interest.

#### USPS POSTMARK CHANGES

USPS recently changed their procedures in which your mail may not be postmarked the same day it is mailed. Being that this office **must** use a U.S. postmark for interest purposes please make sure if you are mailing your tax bill close to the last day, that you go to the post office to get a hand stamped same day postmark to make sure that the date of mailing is the date on your envelope.



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### **USING YOUR BANKS BILL PAY**

When you use your banks bill pay to make a tax payment please be aware that the payment is sent by check and mailed using an envelope that is NOT postmarked. If your payment is received after the delinquent date, interest will be added to your account. The guaranteed delivery date from your bank is not the same as a us postmark and will not be used as such. If you pay in this way please mail your payment to Tax Collector, 222 Bolton Center Rd. Bolton CT 06043 and give ample time for the bank to process the check and mail it so it is received before the delinquent date or use another means of payment such as our online payment portal shown below.

**Tax Lookups and Payments can be made here:**

**TAX BILL LOOKUP, PAYMENTS, RECEIPTS OF PAYMENTS MADE IN 2025**

### **RECEIPTS OF PAYMENTS MADE IN 2025 FOR IRS**

Please use the link above if you need a receipt of tax payments made in 2025. When searching for your accounts and look up by name, enter your Last Name, then space, then 1st Initial (example SMITH J) or Business Name (No comma). Do this for every household member to make sure you don't miss any accounts.

- Once you put in your name, check the "IRS Payment Records for Year 2025."
- Check all account you want to include in your report and then click "VIEW IRS."
- Left-click on the screen and choose print to print your records.

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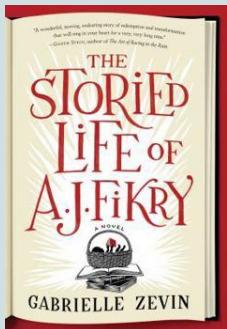
### BENTLEY MEMORIAL LIBRARY



#### STORYTIME AT THE LIBRARY

Wednesday, January 14<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> - 12:00-12:30 NEW TIME\*\*

Storytime will continue on Wednesdays in January! Come and enjoy stories and a simple craft. Feel free to bring your own snack or lunch.



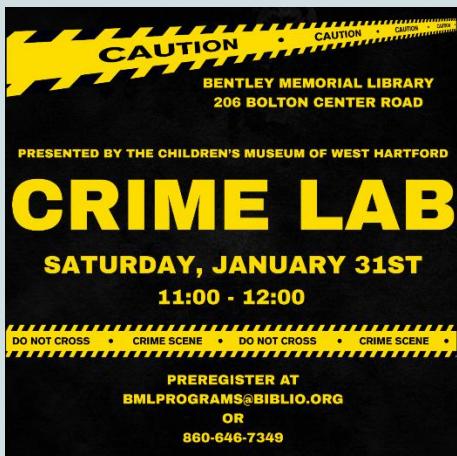
#### THE STORIED LIFE OF A.J. FIKRY

Wednesday, January 28th at noon

Led by Mark Nystrom

J. Fikry is the cantankerous owner of Island Books who has recently endured some tough years: his wife has died, his bookstore is experiencing the worst sales in its history, and his prized possession--a rare edition of Poe poems--has been stolen. Over time, he has given up on people. Even the books in his store, instead of offering solace, are yet another reminder of a world that is changing too rapidly; until a most unexpected occurrence gives him the chance to make his life over and see things anew. The book offers charm, humor, and insight - just the right mixture for a good January read!

Preregister for The Storied Life of A.J. Fikry.



#### CRIME LAB- PRESENTED BY THE CHILDREN'S MUSEUM OF WEST HARTFORD

Saturday, January 31st at 11:00 a.m.

Calling all super sleuths! Learn the basics of forensic science and put your skills to the test as you try to solve a crime. First, was there a crime? What is the evidence available? Who is guilty? We need you to help solve the crime.

Preregister for Crime Lab

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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

#### **HOT COCOA TRIVIA FROM THE 70'S AND 80'S** **Thursday, January 15 at 1 p.m.**

Join us for food, fun and entertainment at the Senior Center on Thursday, January 15 at 1 p.m. We will be serving hot cocoa and cookies while we enjoy some friendly competition that everyone can participate in with a variety of categories from the 70's and 80's. We hope to see you there!

Limit 28 participants.



#### **MADGASCAR PRESENTATION** **Thursday, January 22 at 10 a.m.**

Pam and Bruce Wentworth kindly offered to present their vacation to the island country of Madagascar which lies off the southeastern coast of Africa in the Indian Ocean. It is the world's fourth-largest island and the second-largest island country. They will be speaking at the Bolton Senior Center on Thursday,

January 22 at 10 a.m. Come and hear about their exciting trip and sample a treat. **There is a snow date of Thursday, February 5.**

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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 13, 27

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### CALENDAR

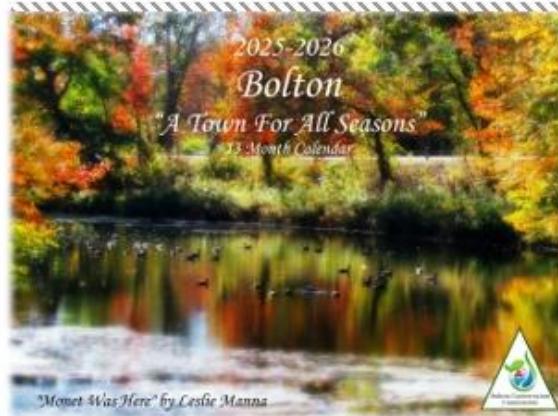
<b>January</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>Zoning Board of Appeals - 7:00 p.m.</b>
	<b>13</b>	<b>Library Board- 4:00 p.m.</b>
	<b>13</b>	<b>Board of Selectmen A/P- 6:00 p.m. TOWN HALL</b>
	<b>13</b>	<b>CAPA Meeting - 7:00 p.m.</b>
	<b>14</b>	<b>Planning and Zoning - 7:30 p.m.</b>
	<b>15</b>	<b>Veterans Commission - 1:00 p.m.</b>
	<b>15</b>	<b>Finance Committee - 7:15 p.m.</b>
	<b>20</b>	<b>CAPA Meeting - 7:00 p.m.</b>
	<b>21</b>	<b>Budget Workshop #1 - 6:00 p.m.</b>
	<b>26</b>	<b>Fire Commission - 7:00 p.m.</b>
	<b>27</b>	<b>Board of Selectmen A/P- 6:00 p.m. TOWN HALL</b>
	<b>27</b>	<b>Budget Workshop #2 - Immediately following A/P</b>
	<b>27</b>	<b>Inland Wetlands Commission - 7:00 p.m. NRMC A</b>
	<b>28</b>	<b>BLRWPCA - 7:00 p.m.</b>
	<b>29</b>	<b>Budget Workshop #3 - 6:00 p.m.</b>

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### 2025-2026

## Bolton Town Calendar



## Purchase Your Calendar TODAY!

**Calendars are \$10.00 each & available at:**

**A-1 Food Store, Bentley Memorial Library  
Bolton Town Hall, Charhouse Cookie  
Cropley's Garden Center  
England Hardware, Fish Family Farm  
Highland Park Market, Manchester  
Pet Store Next Door  
W.H. Preuss & Sons**

**Get your calendar in time for the Holidays!**

**Supplies are limited**

*Calendar sales support the efforts of the Bolton Conservation Commission*

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### WINTER TRAILS DAY 2026

Join the Bolton Conservation Commission Saturday, January 10, 2026, at the Heritage Farm beginning at 1:00 PM for WINTER TRAILS DAY.

Hike the trails in the heart of Bolton and explore three of the four Notable Hickory Trees with Notable Tree experts Marty Aligata and John Kehoe.

Connecticut's legendary tree authority Edward A. Richardson (1924-2019) once noted that Heritage Farm is the only site in the state where all four native Hickory species grow together. According to the Connecticut Botanical Society's Notable Tree Survey, Pignut Hickory ranks sixth, Bitternut Hickory also ranks sixth, and Mockernut Hickory ranks eighth among Connecticut's notable specimens.

During this guided walk, participants will search for, identify, and measure the fourth species "Shagbark Hickory" to complete the full set.

Conservation Commission members will also be on hand to identify trees and wildlife tracks (hopefully on snow) along the trail.

The Heritage Farm is located at 266 Bolton Center Rd. 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. Only heavy rain reschedules the event.

Questions? Call 860-649-8066 ext. 6110 and leave msg. or e-mail [RParlee@boltonct.gov](mailto:RParlee@boltonct.gov)



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# **GROUNDHOG DAY MILE**



**1:00 PM**

**Sunday, February 1**

**BOLTON TOWN HALL  
222 BOLTON CENTER RD  
BOLTON, CT**

**FOR MORE INFO CONTACT DEBLIVINGSTON@ICLOUD.COM**

**[HTTPS://WWW.RUNREG.COM/GROUND-HOG-DAY-MILE](https://www.runreg.com/ground-hog-day-mile)**