OUR TOWN
SERVING THE VILLAGES OF BALTIC, HANOVER, AND VERSAILLES
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Information & News for November 2017

The Town of Sprague and TJ’s Café are working in concert to provide Sprague children with Holiday gifts. There will be a box at TJ’s for collection purposes or simply drop your donations off with the Town Clerk.

Thank you in advance!

Keep your garden from being over run by weeds. Use the available mulch to line garden rows. Free mulch available at the transfer station. Your brush and SCCRA’s tub grinder working together allow us to provide this product available during regular hours.

Municipal Election
Vote
November 7th, 2017
6AM – 8PM
Baltic Fire Department

The Town of Sprague provides Turkey Dinners at Holiday time both Thanksgiving and Christmas; if you can help we will be accepting donations of turkeys and the fixings. They can be dropped off at the Town Clerk’s office.

Breakfast
Versailles United Methodist Church
Across from the Occum Dam
4 Church St.
Versailles, CT 06383
Call 860-822-9439 for more information.
Saturday, November 18 from 7 am – 10 am
All you can eat!
Adults $8.00
Children - $3.00
Under 4 Free
Scrambled eggs, Pancakes, French Toast, Sausage, Home Fries, Juice, Coffee, and Tea.

There is a mailbox placed up at the transfer station to be used for worn and torn flags. Please place the flags there; when the mailbox is full the American Legion Post will remove them for proper flag disposal.

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, November 23 for the December issue, we will meet at the Town Hall at 10 am. Contact Elizabeth for details. If interested in volunteering email Elizabeth @ Spragueourtownnewsletter@gmail.com
From the Desk of the First Selectman,

This fall has been quite mild with warm nights and even warmer days. I love the smells and sounds of this time of year, crisp, clear, and don’t forget the crunching of leaves underfoot. I hope this is a prelude to a mild winter!

We are still looking for volunteers to help with our daffodil planting program to continue developing that “ray of sunshine” view in the spring. In addition, we are looking for some help to put up 3 more raised beds at the community garden, this will bring the number of beds to 6.

In addition, we have completed a trail from Sayles School to the path around the reservoir. This will allow the school to access an area to develop an increased cross country program.

The public works crew has completed roadside mowing and is gearing up to cut brush throughout the Town. In addition, trucks are being prepared for, oh my, winter... Sand and salt has been mixed, truck repairs have been completed now we are onto waiting for the white stuff. Don’t forget to stop and thank the Town crew for all they do.

The Town has a draft of the updated Plan of Conservation and Development. It will be posted on the new Town website once Planning and Zoning approves this draft. At that time, you will have time to comment before final approval.

Also, the Town wide revaluation has reached preliminary completion. I remind you if you have questions or concerns on the revaluation, please contact the Assessor.

Please take note that an RFP for the Baltic Mill site cleanup will be going out in the next couple of weeks. We are soliciting college engineering students to provide a conceptual idea for the Baltic Mill site. This plan will be provided to the Town for comment before putting an RFP out to developers.

As always thanks for your support,

Cathy
First Selectman

SPRAGUE SENIOR CENTER

Join us by stopping in or calling Buddy Meadows (Coordinator/Municipal Agent) at 860-822-3000, ext. 203. Buddy can also be reached by email: seniorcenter@ctsprague.org.

Requirement: age 55 and over

Might you be interested in one or all offered: health services, programs, trips, informational presentations, luncheons, and more?

Transportation is available to attend Senior Center lunches, shopping, and senior events as well as medical appointments.

Lunch is served at the Senior Center Monday, Tuesday & Thursday at 11:45 am. Make a lunch reservation by calling Denise Lance at 860-822-3000 ext. 210. On Monday & Tuesday you must be age 60. For lunch on Thursday there is no age requirement.

TVCCA “Meals on Wheels” program delivers hot meals Monday through Friday. Call the TVCCA Senior Nutrition Program at 860-886-1720.

The Movie for November 15th, 12:30 pm, will be either “Risen” or “La La Land”. No fee charged.

Monthly Meeting is scheduled for November 30th at 1:00 pm.

COME JOIN US SOON!!
Sprague Democratic Town Committee November Update

At our October 5th meeting, campaign progress was discussed. Yard signs and a letter from Cathy Osten to all town residents describing the accomplishments and future plans were reviewed. Our candidates are:

First Selectman  Cathy Osten
Selectman         Denise Dembinski
Town Clerk        Jen Synnett
Treasurer         JoAnn Lynch
Tax Collector     Mary Chartier
Board of Finance  Alexander Masse
Planning & Zoning Arthur E. Spielman, Jr.
Board of Education Vicky Wold, Corey Wignall-Holowaty, & Maureen Trudelle

The DTC asks you to support the efforts of your Democratic Team with your vote on November 7th, 6 am to 8 pm at the Baltic Fire House.

Claire Glaude, Secretary

SPRAGUE REPUBLICAN TOWN COMMITTEE

This year's election is coming up, please exercise your right to vote on Tuesday, November 7, 2017 at the Baltic Volunteer Fire Department between the hours of 6:00 A.M. to 8:00 P.M.

Best of luck to all the candidates involved in this year's election.

Michael P. Meadows, Chairman
Sprague Republican Town Committee

Thanks to the fine folks at the Fusion Solar Farm (DepCom Power) for donating $4000 to support our Summer Concert Series. We appreciate your support of our community!

9200 E Pima Center Pkwy Suite 180
Scottsdale, AZ 85258

Baltic Fire Department Ladies Auxiliary

Our regular meeting was held on Tuesday, October 10th, at the firehouse. Our main topic of discussion was the Holly Jolly Bazaar. This is scheduled for Saturday, November 25, 2017, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., at the firehouse. As of our meeting date, we have a few tables available for rental. This is an 8 foot table, which we supply at a cost of $25.00 per table. If you are not on our list and wish to participate, please call me at 860-822-8331 and leave a message. We also discussed our kitchen menu and various items for our baked goods table. Members will also be soliciting donations for our raffle as we do each year from local businesses in the area. Your support is greatly appreciated. Due to a lack of available members, we were unable to participate in the 3 Village Festival, but are looking forward to doing so next year. We are supporting the fire department’s Project Safe Halloween again this year and will be assisting in handing out goodies to the trick or treaters. Our next regular meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, November 14, at 7 pm at the firehouse. Please remember that anyone interested in joining the Auxiliary is welcome. We are always looking for new members and new ideas for fundraising. You need not be a Sprague resident or have a spouse or family member in the Fire Department to join the Auxiliary as a regular member. We have recently added Junior Members – young women between the ages of 16 and 18 who have a parent or guardian in the fire department or auxiliary.

Sincerely,

Jeannette Deschamps
Jeannette Deschamps, Secretary
Below is a sample of how the ballot will appear:

at the Baltic Firehouse, Route 138, 22 Bushmeill Hollow Road, Baltic, CT.

Please VOTE on Tuesday, November 7, 2017 between 6:00 A.M. and 8:00 P.M.

Thank you for your cooperation.
2017 REVALUATION – UPDATE
Vision Government Solutions and the Assessor’s office are completing the 2017 Revaluation. Property values will be finalized soon and assessment notices will be mailed to all owners later in November. The notices will include your old and new assessment, along with other revaluation information. A copy of your property card will also be mailed with the notice. Please take a moment to review the information provided. If you would like to review your value or property information, representatives from Vision Government Solutions will be available during the first couple of weeks in December to meet with you, by appointment only. Instructions to make an appointment will be on the notice.

For more information, call the Sprague Assessor’s Office at 860-822-3000 x222

Daffodils Planting Day
The Town of Sprague will provide daffodils to plant around the Town! Please let us know how many daffodils you or your community group are willing to help us plant. We are trying to finish up and will have groups out on the following dates:

November 11th
November 18th
Thanks for all your help!
Call Barbara or Cathy @
860-822-3000 ext 201

American Legion Post #85 Minutes of October 3, 2017 Meeting
CDR called meeting to order at 7:03 P.M., 6 officers and 3 members in attendance. Opening prayer led by Vice CDR, Pledge of Allegiance led by FO, a Moment of silence was observed for the victims of the Las Vegas shooting.

Minutes of the September 6, 2017 read and accepted.

FO reported $22,583.40 in the Memorial Fund and $717.79 in the checking account. A check in the amount of $100.00 was presented as a donation for the Memorial fund. Lisa Bassett will return as Chairman of the Poker Run for 2018.

FO reported on Brodin Studios, supplier of the statue for the War Memorial. Business had been in existence for 21 years and was rated A+ by the BBB, social media all had positive comments. Brodin studios has offered Post #85 payment plan of $13,333.33 over the next three years. Discussion on matter, FO to ask for Draft agreement proposal.

CDR reported sick member had a ramp installed by Mr. Frank Pavone, at no cost. Also CDR asked for motion by the body to reimburse the FO for expenses of $35.00 for a threshold ramp for sick member that will not be used. Motion Approved.

Discussion on the formation of Women’s Auxiliary recommended by Post member Fred Zinavage.

CDR indicated that there will be a flag retirement ceremony at the Veteran’s Memorial in Baltic on October 9, 2017 at 5:00 P.M.

JVCDR thanked members for their prayers and support regarding the recent passing of his wife.

CDR closed the meeting at 7:43 P.M. with a salute to colors, leading the membership in prayer for persons having suffered from the recent catastrophic hurricanes and shooting in Las Vegas.

Respectfully submitted:
Andre Trudelle, Financial Officer, Post #85
ATTENTION PARENTS OF PRESCHOOL AGE CHILDREN

Preschool Openings
2017-2018 School Year
For children ages 3 and 4 years old
1/2 Day Sessions
Free Transportation Provided
Free Tuition
NAEYC Accredited Program
Sayles School
25 Scotland Road, Baltic
860.822.8264 ext. 145

Sprague Board of Education Annual Nondiscrimination Statement Notice
The Sprague Board of Education is an equal opportunity / affirmative action employer.
The Sprague Board of Education does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, marital status, veteran status, national/ethnic origin, age, sex, sexual orientation, or disability in its programs, activities and employment practice.
Per the Sprague Board of Education Policy #4007-Policy Regarding Nondiscrimination, the Board will not make employment decisions (including decisions related to hiring, assignment, compensation, promotion, demotion, disciplinary action and termination) on the basis of race, color, religion, age, sex, marital status, sexual orientation, national origin, ancestry, disability (including pregnancy), genetic information, or gender identity or expression, except in the case of a bona fide occupational qualification.

The full policy is available online at: www.saylesschool.org/boardofeducation.htm
GOIN’ POSTAL November 2017 Hello Sprague! Our latest edition of Goin’ Postal will help everyone get ready for Holiday Mailing: The holiday season is the most wonderful time of the year, but many people miss loved ones who are stationed overseas as military or diplomatic members. While the holidays are a hard time to be away from home, the U.S. Postal Service makes it a priority that those serving their country will receive their presents, care packages and cards in time for the holidays — no matter where they may be.

To send packages to loved ones serving in the military and diplomatic posts abroad, the Postal Service offers a discounted price of $17.35 on its largest Priority Mail Flat Rate Box. The price includes a $1.50 per box discount for mail sent to APO/FPO/DPO (Air/Army Post Office/Fleet Post Office/Diplomatic Post Office) destinations worldwide. Priority Mail Flat Rate Boxes are available at no cost at local Post Offices and online at shop.usps.com. Postage, labels and customs forms can be printed online anytime using Click-N-Ship at usps.com/shop.

To ensure timely delivery of holiday wishes by Dec. 25, the Postal Service recommends that cards and packages be sent to military APO/FPO/DPO addresses overseas no later than the mailing dates listed below.

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1 PMEMS is available to selected military/diplomatic Post Offices. Check with your local Post Office to determine if this service is available to an APO/FPO/DPO address.

2 PAL is a service that provides air transportation for parcels on a space-available basis. PAL is available for Standard Post items not exceeding 30 pounds in weight or 60 inches in length and girth combined. The applicable PAL fee must be paid in addition to the regular surface price for each addressed piece sent by PAL service.

3 SAM parcels are paid at Standard Post prices with maximum weight and size limits of 15 pounds and 60 inches in length and girth combined. SAM parcels are first transported domestically by surface and then to overseas destinations by air on a space-available basis.

Use the Military Care Kit to Send Presents and Care Packages
The Postal Service has created a free “Military Care Kit” based on the items most frequently requested by military families. The kit contains:

1. Two Priority Mail APO/FPO/DPO Flat Rate Boxes
2. Two Priority Mail Medium Flat Rate Boxes
3. Priority Mail tape,
4. Priority Mail address labels,
5. Appropriate customs forms

To order the kit, call 800-610-8734. Guidelines for packing, addressing and shipping items to U.S. troops can be found at usps.com/ship/apo-fpo-dpo.htm. To order Flat-Rate Boxes featuring the “America Supports You” logo, go to usps.com/freeboxes.

Addressing the Package
1. Write the service member’s full name
2. Include the unit and APO/FPO/DPO address with the 9-digit ZIP Code (if one is assigned). For example:

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1. Do not write the country name where the service member is stationed in the address
2. Include a return address
3. Inside the box, include the service member’s name and address as well as the sender’s name and address on an index card in case the shipping label gets damaged in transit

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The Postal Service receives no tax dollars for operating expenses and relies on the sale of postage, products and services to fund its operations.

So, armed with this information, may your holiday mailing prove to be a pleasant, preparable, and stressless endeavor! Remember: We delivery quality, convenience and service for you! Tracy A. Medling, Postmaster
Town of Sprague Parks and Recreation Department Presents

**Kringle’s Kraftacular**

**Holiday Gifts & Craft Show**

*Sayles School, 25 Scotland Rd., Baltic, CT*

Friday, December 1, 2017

4:30pm to 7pm

Artisan Application

Our committee is inviting local artisans to display at our holiday craft show. Due to the limited space available, this event is offered exclusively to handmade artisans. The space fee is $25. Kringle’s Kraftacular coincides with the annual Basket Bash which is a well-attended fundraiser for the graduation activities for the 8th Grade Class at Sayles School. An approved application entitles the artisan to a 6 foot table space. Tables will be provided, so there is no need to bring your own. Space is limited so please submit your application as soon as possible. If you have any questions, please contact Heather Hawkins at 860-514-0589 or Craig Staggs at 860-710-5063.

(Please Print)

Name: _____________________________  Business Name: __________________________

Address: __________________________  Email: ________________________________

Phone: ______________________________

Can we text this number with show info/updates? Y or N

Type of Craft or Product: ____________________________________________________________

________________________________________________________________________________

Electricity Needed? YES or NO

Once the application has been approved a confirmation will be sent and the Artisan agrees to display for the event’s entirety. Set up begins as early as 4pm.

Signature of Artisan ____________________________

Mail application and check payable to: Town of Sprague to the attention of Heather Hawkins, P.O. Box 336, Baltic, CT 06330. Please write “Parks and Rec” in the memo section of your check.

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**Sayles School Basket Bash**

Date: Friday, December 1, 2017

Viewing Time: 5:30PM to 7:00PM

Place: Sayles School, 25 Scotland Road, Baltic

Baskets, door prizes and silent auction items

Thank you for supporting the Class of 2018
Town of Sprague Parks and Recreation Commission
Cordially Invites You to
Kringle’s Kraftacular
Holiday Gifts and Craft Show
Friday, December 1st
4:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Sayles School Cafeteria
25 Scotland Rd., Baltic, CT

Donations of toiletries or non-perishable food items for our Community Food Bank are always welcome.

Participate in the annual Basket Bash, hosted by Sayles School 8th Grade Class

Browse and shop handmade for the holidays while waiting for the basket drawings.

Enjoy refreshments for sale by the Sayles School 8th Grade Class.

NOTICE TO VISITORS
The Sprague Land Preserve is CURRENTLY OPEN TO HUNTING
PLEASE USE CAUTION
WEAR BLAZE ORANGE
KEEP DOGS ON LEASH--

Sprague Board of Selectmen
(860) 822-3000
SCC Hike
Sunday, November 19
Come join us for a noon time hike on the Sprague Preserve.
Meet us at the cabin on the Preserve at the end of Holton Rd., Franklin.
Take a right into the Preserve. Follow the dirt road in until you see the cabin on the
right at top of hill.
Come and check out our newly refurbished area and enjoy the peace and some
laughs with friends.
Bring a lunch and a drink.
Any questions call Don Boushee 860-772-6050

Veterans’ Day at Sayles!
Please join us in honoring our local veterans on Monday, November 13th at
9am at Sayles School.
If you are a veteran or know one that we can honor at our Veterans’ Day As-
sembly, please contact Mrs. Burns at Sayles School. 860 822-8264 Ext 106

Sayles School 8th graders present a check to the American Red Cross for the
hurricane victims.
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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St. Joseph School Baltic Press Release: Annual Christmas Basket Raffle & Auction

St. Joseph School in Baltic, CT is hosting our Annual Auction/Basket Raffle on Saturday December 2nd.

The event will be held inside the gymnasium at the school, which is 10 School Hill Road in Baltic. Doors open at 4:30 for viewing of the 80 plus fully-loaded themed baskets; entry is free.

The live auction, beginning at 6:00pm, will feature fantastic items to include Disney park hopper passes, autographed MLB and NFL sports memorabilia, hand-carved piece from Hanover Woodworking, and so much more.

Raffle tickets can be purchased at the door that evening; a sheet of 20 for $20.00. Raffle winners for these amazing baskets will be announced following the auction. The Knights of Columbus are hosting a baked potato bar that evening for dinner. The cost is $5 per person for baked potato or sweet potato with a huge variety of toppings, salad and a drink. Dinner begins at 5:00pm.

Come join us for an evening of great fun and delicious food!
The Sprague Historical Society along with Hanover Congregational Church are hosting a benefit Spaghetti Dinner Saturday, November 4, 2017 5:00-7:00 pm Hanover Congregational Church

$10 Adults  $5 Kids (12 & under)

Takeout Available

Following the dinner at 7:00pm there will be a Three Village Historic Slide Show

Joan Ryan-860-908-6018        Jen Benson-860-822-9977

Sprague Historical Society is offering a 2018 birthday and anniversary calendar.

We want to include your family’s big dates! They’ll want to be part of this historical calendar. Fill out the form below with the names and dates of people you’d like to see in the calendar. Birthdays and anniversaries - $1.00 each; Calendar- $5.00 each Send this form and your donation to: “Sprague Historical Society” P.O. Box 162- Baltic, CT 06330.

SHS will use the money to preserve Sprague’s history. This calendar is part of that history. Calendars will be available for pick up at Town Hall in December. You’ll be notified when they’re ready.

Please help the Sprague Historical Society. Place your calendar order today.

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<td><strong>9</strong> BBQ Pulled Pork w/ roll Baked Beans Mixed Vegetables Pineapple Cup</td>
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TVCCA’s Senior Nutrition Program is supported by Senior Resources-Area Agency on Aging with Title III funds made available under the Older Americans Act. This menu meets 1/3 RDA and conforms to U.S. Dietary Guidelines. Certified by Mariah Popeleski, RDN.

**Senior Nutrition Program**
81 Stockhouse Road
Bozrah, CT 06334
860-886-1720

(24hr voice mail available)

www.tvcca.org
# BUS SCHEDULE FROM SPRAGUE TO OCCUM

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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.
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<td>Board of Selectmen 5 pm, Town Hall BOE, 7 pm Sayles School</td>
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<td>Daylight Savings Time Ends</td>
<td>Inland Wetlands: 7 pm, Town Hall Zoning Board of Appeals, 7 pm Town Hall</td>
<td>6 am – 8 pm Baltic Fire House American Legion 7 pm, Rod &amp; Gun</td>
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<td>Fall Craft Fair Rod &amp; Gun Club 10 am to 4 pm</td>
<td>Conservation Comm. Mtg., 7 pm, Town Hall</td>
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Note from the Editor: Elizabeth Calderon

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