OUR TOWN
SERVING THE VILLAGES OF BALTIC, HANOVER, AND VERSAILLES
IN THE BEAUTIFUL SHETUCKET RIVER VALLEY

Information & News for July 2019

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, July 27 for the August issue, we will meet at the Town Hall at 10 am. Contact Cristian for details. If interested in volunteering email Cristian @ Spragueourtownnewsletter@gmail.com

TIME TO WAKE UP THOSE GARDENS!
FREE MULCH IS AVAILABLE AT THE TRANSFER STATION
YOUR BRUSH AND SCCRRA’S TUB GRINDER WORKING TOGETHER ALLOW US TO PROVIDE THIS PRODUCT TO YOU
AVAILABLE DURING REGULAR HOURS

RIVER PARK MUSIC NIGHTS

SPONSORED BY THE MOHEGAN SUN
Come Join Us For A Relaxing Night By The Beautiful Shetucket River for Family Fun
Saturday Nights 6:00pm - 8:30pm
July 5th Elm Street Music
July 6th No music, Enjoy the 4th
July 13th Big Dawg
July 19th Elm Street Music
July 20th Straight Ahead
July 27th Melaena
August 2nd Elm Street Music
August 3rd Elm Street Music
August 10th Nick Bosse
August 16th Elm Street Music
August 17th Glenn Hansen
August 24th Gypsy Time Surf
August 30th The Bill Bentley Band
August 31st Straight Ahead
September 7th Northern Roots
October 12th Elm Street Music 1-3
October 12th CDN (Completely Different Note) 3-5
HOPE TO SEE YOU ALL THERE!

OUTSIDE MOVIES
will be held at the RIVER PARK
MOVIE STARTING @ DUSK
July 26th, 2019 - CoCo
August 30th, 2019 – Captain Marvel
PROVIDED BY THE RECREATION COMMITTEE

Sprague’s Brush Pick-up
Please let us know if you need any brush picked up! We are looking to build up our mulch at the transfer station!

Thanks
Cathy

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.
From the Desk of the First Selectman,

The lazy, hazy days of July are here, thank goodness. I am hoping for far less rain to slow the growth of the grass a bit, it has been a boom year for grass, flowers and all sorts of flowering trees. If you are looking for a cool place to relax at the end of a day stop by Riverpark and listen to the sounds of summer, children swimming in the Shetucket, swinging in the parks, biking and hiking... What a lovely place to call home.

The public works crew are still painting stop bars around Town and lines in parking lots and the roadside mowers are being used to cut down grass along roadsides to keep site lines clear. We are planning on a couple of road repairs this year which will help address issues of runoff. In addition, we will be removing trees along the dam on Versailles Pond and the dam at the Hanover Reservoir.

The Town first part on a TIER II status is complete with an acceptance of the potential 19/20 budget, the five-year plan is up for discussion at the next full MARB meeting. We continue to host sub-committee meetings in Town, and attend full MARB meetings in Hartford. We should have a final answer on if we qualify or not for any financial assistance in the next month or so. There will be strict requirements for us to meet if we do qualify.

There will be many events over the summer which include concerts and outside movies in River Park, summer reading, the author’s trail, and children activities at the library just to name a few. Of course, there will be ball games down at the rec fields. Enjoy your summer!

As always thanks for your support

Cathy
First Selectman

Open Positions as of 7/1/2019

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D.A.R.E. Program

The Sprague Resident Trooper's Office is pleased to announce the implementation of the D.A.R.E. program for the upcoming 2019/2020 Sayles School year. The program will be geared towards 5th and 6th graders and will cover topics such as communication, drugs and alcohol, bullying, internet safety, and making safe decisions utilizing the D.A.R.E. decision making policy. Principal Shoman and I will be meeting prior to the new school year to finalize the details. Students, have a great summer!

TFC. Brian Sumner #743, Sprague Resident Trooper

Sprague Housing Authority

Shetucket Village Accepting Applications

Requirements: Applicants must be 62 years of age and/or disabled
No Smoking; No Pets Allowed
Please call 860-822-1512 for applications to be sent
**Tax Collector’s Office**

The first installment of Real Estate and Personal Property taxes will become due and payable on July 1, 2019. Motor Vehicle tax bills will also become due and payable on July 1, 2019. You will have the entire month of July to pay your taxes. Taxes unpaid as of August 1, 2019 will become delinquent and will be subject to 3% interest, from then on additional interest of 1 ½% per month (18% annually) will be charged. Minimum interest is $2.00. Please make checks payable to Town of Sprague. You may pay all bills – Real Estate, Personal Property, and Motor Vehicles with one check. If you pay by mail and would like a receipt, please mail entire tax bill and a self-addressed, stamped envelope with your payment. Taxpayers needing an immediate clearance for the registration of a delinquent motor vehicle must pay by cash, money order, or certified check.

The Tax Office is pleased to announce we have implemented a new online payment service. You may make payments for a fee and view bills electronically. Visit [www.ctsprague.org](http://www.ctsprague.org). Note: Paying delinquent motor vehicle taxes online does not automatically clear you with the DMV. This may take up to 2 working days.

If you have any questions regarding your tax bill, you may call the tax collector at 822-3000, ext. 224. Any questions regarding address changes, assessments, exemptions, or your correct tax town should be directed to the Assessor at 822-3000, ext. 222.

Mary B. Chartier, CCMC  
Tax Collector  
Tax Collector’s Hours  
Mondays 8:00 am – 12:00 noon  
Wednesdays 2:00 pm – 5:30 pm  
Thursdays: 8:00 am – 12:00 noon

**Sprague Democratic Town Committee Update**

Our monthly meeting on June 6th was short to enable us to attend the Town Budget Hearing.

Connecticut General Statutes mandates that the Town Committees meet during the week of July 16 - 23 to endorse candidates for the upcoming November Election. At that caucus the Nominating Subcommittee will present names of candidates they wish the town committee to endorse. Regardless of party affiliation – if you are interested in running for elected office, and would like more information, please call Richard Waterman, at 860-822-8932 or Claire Glaude at 860-822-9111 as soon as possible.

The Sprague DTC continues to encourage residents to register to vote.

Claire Glaude, DTC Secretary

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**Sprague Republican Town Committee Notice**

Caucus Notice

2019 Sprague Republican Caucus  
Date: Monday, July 22, 2019  
Time: 6:00pm  
Location: Sprague Senior Center

Purpose: The purpose of this caucus is to nominate Republican Candidates for the 2019 Sprague Municipal Election. All registered Republicans in Sprague are welcome to attend.

Anyone who is interested in running for office and is seeking endorsement from the Sprague Republican Town Committee, please contact us. If you have any questions or would like to assist us in this years Municipal Election we would like to hear from you also.

We look forward to talking to you and enjoy your summer!

Michael P. Meadows  
Sprague Republican Town Committee Chairman  
860-389-4020  
spraguertc.ct@gmail.com
American Legion Post #85, Meeting minutes for June 4, 2019:

JVCDR called the meeting to order at 7:00 P.M., there were four officers and five regular members present. Pledge of Allegiance led by Sgt. at Arms, the JVCDR said the opening prayer. Minutes of the May 7, 2019 regular meeting read and accepted.

Financial report. Presently there is $99.12 in the checking account and $1,252.03 in the Memorial Fund. Final payment mailed to Brodin Studio in the amount of $7334.00 along with request to have photographs sent of statue under construction, as well as a cost estimate for delivery, and possible delivery date. Presently a total of $1,252.03 remains in the Memorial Fund. Request made by FO that $400.00 be transferred from the Memorial Fund to the checking account in order to pay current bills. Membership voted to allow the transfer.

Parade Chairman, Tim Brodeur commended for his work on the Memorial Day parade. ADJ reported that there were 3 members in arrears. No action was taken on the request of the District Deputy for membership push to have members in arrears pay a fee of $18.50 for reinstatement.

Next Poker Run meeting scheduled for Tuesday, June 11, 2019, 7:00 P.M., at the Sprague Rod & Gun Club, Inc.

Election of Officers, Secretary cast one vote for nominated officers; following officers were elected for the 2019-2020 year: CDR – Catherine A. Osten, VCDR – David Salemma, JVCDR – Thomas Hannon, ADJ Thomas Coletti, FO- Andre Trudelle, and Sgt. at Arms – Peter Synnott. Chaplin- Joseph Osowski.

JVCR led the Salute to the Colors and the closing prayer, meeting adjourned at 7:40 P.M.

Respectfully submitted:
Andre Trudelle, Financial Officer Post #85

American Legion Post #85, Meeting minutes for May 7, 2019:

Jr. VCDR called the meeting to order at 7:04 P.M., there were five officers and seven regular members present. Pledge of Allegiance led by Manny Meneses, the chaplin said the opening prayer.

Minutes of the March 9, 2019 and April 2, 2019 regular meeting read and accepted.

Financial report. Presently there is $99.12 in the checking account and $7,060.78 in the Memorial Fund. Membership welcomed Sgt. Johnson to the meeting. Report on the Spaghetti Dinner of 4/26/2019. Sold 69 adults and 3 children Total income $705.00 (expenses $454.96), Tee shirt sales, $147.00, 50/50 won by Joe Osowski, the Spaghetti Dinner of 4/26/2019. Sold 69 adults and 3 children Total income $705.00 (expenses $454.96), Tee shirt sales, $147.00, 50/50 won by Joe Osowski.

Parade Chairman, Tim Brodeur gave an updated report on the Memorial Day Parade, requested flag bearers and rifle shooters, also advised that an open trailer would be available for members to ride the parade route. Members of the parade committee and volunteers were asked to meet at 9:00 A.M. at the staging area.

ADJ reported that there are still 3 members in arrears.

New Business, Luminaries selling for $10.00 each will be placed at the Veteran’s Memorial on the evening of Memorial Day.

July 14, 2019 Poker Run at the Sprague Rod & Gun Club, planning meeting set for 5/14/2019 at 7:00 P.M.


VCOR led the Salute to the Colors and Chaplin led the closing prayer, meeting adjourned at 7:40 P.M.

Respectfully submitted:
Andre Trudelle, Financial Officer Post #85

Branching Out….Notes from the Tree Warden

Just a few observations about the status of the trees around Sprague.

Thankfully I have not found any ash trees that failed to leaf out this spring. The next sign of Emerald Ash Borer to watch for is yellowing of the crown leaves in July and August.

You may have noticed many of the sycamores in town seem “late” getting their leaves or in some cases have not gotten a full crown of leaves. Sycamore anthracnose is the reason they look that way. Anthracnose is a fungus that attacks the twigs and leaf buds of a tree, preventing them from fully developing their leaves. The fungus blooms due to an overly wet spring. As the weather warms, assuming it will, the sycamores should start to develop another set of leaves.

There is a good side to the overly wet spring. Dr. Bob Marra, a scientist at the CT Agricultural Experimental Station in New Haven, recently stated that the very wet weather is ideal for propagating the maimaiga fungus. This is the good fungus that kills gypsy moth caterpillars. The spores of the fungus attach themselves to the caterpillars when they walk over the spores. The spores emit an enzyme that eats a whole into the caterpillar and then kills the caterpillar. Under the ideal conditions the maimaiga fungus can eliminate more than 75% of the gypsy moth population. Let’s hope that’s what happens this year.

As if the gypsy moth and Two lined chestnut borer weren’t enough problems for all the oak trees, Dr. Marra also informed the Tree Wardens Association of a new threat to oak trees. While not yet found in Connecticut, Oak Wilt is present in 21 states and as close as NY, PA NJ and on Long Island. This disease is another fungus that infects the tree through its roots and spreads by infecting nearby roots by contact. The leaves of affected trees turn brown, wilt and the fall. This disease is always fatal to the oak trees. Red oaks can die within 6 months – other species may take a year to die.

I want to thank the 3 wonderful volunteers who helped me plant 175 seedlings at the Baltic Reservoir on May 4th. The entire perimeter of the Reservoir has now been replanted – about 6,000 trees and seedlings. Any future plantings will be done as maintenance to replace dead trees and fill in “holes” around the reservoir. If only the deer would find something else to eat in the winter.

Dave Gustafson
Sinking Holes for Cancer

The Hanover Congregational Church is inviting everyone to join our fight against cancer.

“Sinking Holes for Cancer” is a miniature golf tournament benefiting the Dana-Farber Cancer Institute and The Jimmy Fund.

The event will be held at Odetah Camping Resort on Sunday, August 18 from 3-8 pm.

This tournament is open to the public and includes: 18 holes of mini golf, beverage, hotdog or hamburger.

Prizes will be awarded to lowest score in four divisions.

Tickets are $10.00 per person.

For more information contact
Brendan at 860-428-7818 or
Kendra Schnip at 860-608-3820.

Location: Odetah Camping Resort
38 Bozrah Street Extension, Bozrah, CT 06334

Come and meet the Sprague Historical Society at this event under the pavilion.

Pictures from the three villages that make up Sprague will be on display.

THE VILLAGE OF HANOVER
MAIN STREET
HANOVER, CT. 06350
(Across from the Hanover Congregational Church)

$15.00 PER SPACE
FOR INFO:
SUSAN: 860-885-8670
JEN: 860-428-7818

FOOD WILL BE AVAILABLE
RAIN OR SHINE
Veterans Poker Run

To benefit the
Baltic Veterans Monument

Sponsored by

AMERICAN LEGION POST 85

Sunday - July 14th 2019

$20.00/person – Car or Motorcycle
Shotgun Start at 11:00 A.M.
Includes FOOD, PRIZES and MUSIC BY

THE BILL BENTLEY BAND

Registration is at Sprague Rod & Gun Club, Inc.
starting at 10 AM
90- Bushnell Hollow Road - Baltic, CT 06330

The stops to pick your cards are:

Jewett City VFW
Brooklyn AmVets
Willimantic American Legion
Montville American Legion
Preston VFW

Poker Hands must be turned in by 4:00 pm at Sprague Rod & Gun Club, Inc.

Check us out on Facebook at balticmemorial2 and on the web at http://post85.webs.com
### JUNE/JULY 2019

**Sprague Public Library**  
76 Main Street, Baltic, CT 06330  
860-822-3012  
www.sites.google.com/view/spraguepubliclibrary

Visit our website for program details!

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(cooked by Brody’s Seafood & Market) |
| Wed  | June 19| 12p-2p | Crochet & Knitters Club - beginners of all ages welcome!         |
| Wed  | June 19| 6:00p  | Non-fiction Book Club: Close to Shore by Michael Capuzzo       |
| Sat  | June 22| 10:30a | Painting with Jocelyn: Coffee Cup & Saucer (for Teens & Adults)* |
| Thurs| June 27| 1:00p  | Trendy Trek Thursday: Tye Dye Socks (Rain date: 7/2 at 1pm)     |
| Tues | July 2 | 10:30a | Shooting Stars Storytime (recommended for ages 2-6)           |
| Tues | July 9 | 10:30a | Shooting Stars Storytime (recommended for ages 2-6)           |
| Wed  | July 10| 11:00a | Sign Language 101 (recommended for ages 8+)                    |
| Wed  | July 10| 12p-2p | Crochet & Knitters Club - beginners of all ages welcome!         |
| Thurs| July 11| 1:00p  | Trendy Trek Thursday: Origami with Fran Block                  |
| Mon  | July 15| 10:00a | SPL Monday Movie: How to Train Your Dragon: The Hidden World  
(Rated PG/1hr 44mins) |
| Tues | July 16| 10:30a | Shooting Stars Storytime (recommended for ages 2-6)           |
| Wed  | July 17| 11:00a | Sign Language 101 (recommended for ages 8-12)                    |
| Wed  | July 17| 12p-2p | Crochet & Knitters Club - beginners of all ages welcome!         |
| Wed  | July 17| 6:00p  | Painting by the River with Jocelyn (for Teens & Adults)*        |
| Thurs| July 18| 1:00p  | Trendy Trek Thursday: Droid Mason Jar Banks            |
| Mon  | July 22| 10:30a | SPL Monday Movie: Lego Movie 2 – The Second Part  
(Rate PG/1hr 47mins) |
| Tues | July 23| 10:30a | Shooting Stars Storytime (recommended for ages 2-6)           |
| Wed  | July 24| 12p-2p | Crochet & Knitters Club - beginners of all ages welcome!         |
| Thurs| July 25| 1:00p  | Trendy Trek Thursday: Bodacious Bubbles (Rain date: 7/30 at 1pm) |
| Mon  | July 29| 10:00a | SPL Monday Movie: A Dog’s Way Home (Rated PG/1hr 36mins)         |
| Tues | July 30| 10:30a | Tween Breakfast Book Club: The Incredible Magic of Being by  
Kathryn Erskine* |
| Wed  | July 31| 10:30a | Teen Breakfast Book Club: Caraval by Stephanie Garber*          |
| Wed  | July 31| 12p-2p | Crochet & Knitters Club - beginners of all ages welcome!         |

**Library Hours:**  
Monday 9-1, Tuesday 10-6, Wednesday 10-7, Thursday 9-4  
(CLOSED SATURDAYS IN JULY & AUGUST)

*registration required*
Summer Meals will be served:

- 6/17th thru 8/23rd
- Grist Mill - (B) 9:30-10:00
- (L) 11:45 – 12:15
- Skate Park - (L) 11:00-11:30
- 7/1st thru 8/1st

Summer Recreation Program at Sayles School
- (B) 9:00-9:30
- (L) 12: 00-12:30

Dog License Reminder

✔ A license is a lost dog’s ticket home.
✔ All dogs must have a current rabies vaccination.
✔ All dogs over six months must be licensed.
✔ All dogs must be licensed by June 30th of each year. A one dollar fee will be charged for each month late.

Licensing fees are as follows:
- Spayed or neutered dog: $8.00
- Non-spayed or non-neutered dog: $19.00

Late fee: $1.00 per month starting July 1st

Mailing a renewal:
If during the past year your dog has been either spayed or neutered or a rabies vaccination was given by a vet, mail copies of these services with a check made payable to the Town of Sprague.

Enclose a self-addressed stamped envelope.
Mail to: Town Clerk, P.O. Box 162, Baltic, CT 06330

If you have any questions please call 860-822-3000 ext. 220
Jennifer M. Synnett, Town Clerk

Honor Roll – Our Town

TRIMESTER 3

High Honor Roll – 7th Grade
- Katelynn Nowakowski
- Kaden Pieniozek
- Aurora Talbot
- Skylar Anglin-Taylor

Honor Roll – 7th Grade
- Ryan Marden
- Abigail Myers
- Eva Patnoad
- Melainey Tackling

High Honor Roll – 8th Grade
- Haylee Bronson
- Emma Discola

Honor Roll – 8th Grade
- Gianna Bartha
- Brendan Bezanson
- Nora Crowley
- Mackenzie Gifford
- Isabella Koopman
- Tommy Puckett
- Isabella Rodriguez
- Alexis Stamper
- Colby Tackling

Congratulations!!!

Ride the Shetucket River

Ride the Shetucket returns for another season. A major change carried over from last year is the addition of another shuttle day. Because of the unpredictability of water levels, shuttle service is now available the last TWO Saturdays of each month May through September. If you plan to attend, do the following: Check the Town website ctsprague.org the Thursday before for the most recent trip dates. On Saturday, sign-in at River Park, Baltic between 9:00am and noon. Shuttle runs on demand from 10:00am until all registered participants are off the river. There is no charge for shuttle service.

There will be NO water release scheduled thus we will only provide transport when the river is at a level that will naturally provide for easy travel. The ride is 4 miles long and takes approximately 2 hours.

Dates for 2019 are: May 18th, May 25th, June 22nd, June 29th, July 20th, July 27th, August 24th, August 31st, September 21st, September 28th.

Paddlers need to have PFD’s and a distress whistle.

www.ctsprague.org

For additional information call Lou Dzialo at 860-237-0544
SPRAGUE PARK & RECREATION COMMITTEE
SUMMER RECREATION PROGRAM
WHEN: Monday, JULY 1st - Thursday, August 1st (NO CAMP THUR, JULY 4)
9AM-2PM (8:45AM FOR THOSE EATING BREAKFAST)
WHERE: Sayles School
COST: $80 PER CHILD (TOWN RESIDENTS-FAMILY CAP $160)
$100 PER CHILD (NON-RESIDENTS- FAMILY CAP $200)
SPORTS, GAMES & CRAFTS
AGES 5-14
FREE BREAKFAST AND LUNCH WILL BE SERVED—BRING WATER BOTTLES & SNACK

ALL CHILDREN MUST WEAR SNEAKERS

PUT SUNSCREEN ON YOUR CHILD BEFORE THEY COME AS WE WILL BE OUTDOORS ALL MEDICAL FORMS AND REGISTRATIONS AND PAYMENT MUST BE TURNED INTO THE TOWN HALL BY JUNE 25, 2019

IF YOUR CHILD NEEDS AN INHALER OR TAKES MEDICINE THEY MUST BRING IT WITH THEM AND BE ABLE TO TAKE IT ON THEIR OWN

REGISTRATION & MEDICAL FORMS AVAILABLE AT TOWN HALL AND ONLINE

*(GRANTS AVAILABLE FOR THOSE IN NEED)—CONTACT ELIZABETH CALDERON 860-204-6286

Child’s Name________________________________________AGE _______________________________
Address_______________________________________________________________________________
Parent’s Name(s):____________________________________ (Cell):
Phone Number (Home):___________________________(Cell): __________________________________
Email Address__________________________________________________________________________
Name of Emergency Contact 1: ____________________________________________________________
Phone_______________________________ Cell______________________________________________
Name of Emergency Contact 2: ____________________________________________________________
Phone_______________________________ Cell______________________________________________

Medical Information:
Please list any allergies, medical conditions, concerns, and/or medication taken on a regular basis:
_____________________________________________________________________________________
_____________________________________________________________________________________

Child’s Physician:_______________________________ Phone:__________________________________
Medical Insurance Co_______________________________ Policy Number _______________________

Camp Info:
My child will be (circle one):
Picked up by: (name) ________________________ -OR- Will walk home
**Children must be picked up promptly at 2pm.
***Any child that is disruptive to the program will be asked to leave.

Reminders:
AGES 5-14
FREE BREAKFAST (8:45AM) & LUNCH (11:45PM) WILL BE SERVED
BRING WATER BOTTLES & SNACK
ALL CHILDREN MUST WEAR SNEAKERS
PUT SUNSCREEN ON YOUR CHILD BEFORE THEY COME AS WE WILL BE OUTDOORS
ALL WAIVER AND REGISTRATION FORMS AND CAMP PAYMENT MUST BE TURNED IN BY JUNE 25th, 2019 CARE OF TREASURER SPRAGUE TOWN HALL, 1 MAIN STREET, BALTIC, CT 06330

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**Friday**

Daily Specials:
- Sushi
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**Monday to Thursday**

- **Breakfast Menu**
  - Sausage
  - Eggs
  - Sourdough or English Muffin

- **Lunch Menu**
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### BUS SCHEDULE FROM SPRAGUE TO OCCUM

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<td>Express Return to Senior Center</td>
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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](http://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.

### 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.

Brunch is served at the Senior Center Monday & Thursday at 11:15 am and Lunch Salads on Tuesday at 11:45. Make a reservation by calling Denise Lance at 860-822-3000 ext. 210. You must be age 60.

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

Chorus – visiting various places with an hour program

Library on premises – either just take a book or exchange for one

All Occasion Card Making – July 2nd 10 – 11:30 am

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<td>Shown at Senior Center on July 17th 12:30 pm Free</td>
<td>Newport Playhouse together with Lisbon Seniors Planning for August 12th Approx. $80.00 each</td>
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Come in to see what the Center is all about and we encourage recommendations.
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<td><strong>Free Event for Kids</strong>: River Park 2 pm - 4 pm</td>
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