



Mayor's Update

The Best Town in the USA!

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NEW MILFORD LIVE!
with Mayor Pete Bass

Live at 5:30pm Wednesdays on Facebook and YouTube

Live Q & A Ask Mayor Pete your questions about New Milford!

New Milford **NOW!**

CHECK OUT NEW MILFORD'S OFFICIAL COMMUNITY & TOURISM RESOURCE.

• STORIES • PHOTOS • MAPS • DIRECTORY • COMMUNITY CALENDAR •

WWW.NEWMILFORDNOW.ORG



It's time to shred
all those papers, files and receipts



SHRED DAY

A SECURE COMMUNITY SHREDDING EVENT *FOR CHARITY*

Protect Your Identity!

Saturday, May 2nd, 2026
9:00 AM – 12:00 PM

For more info visit www.nmrotary.org or Call 860-354-7137

JOHN PETTIBONE COMMUNITY CENTER
2 PICKETT DISTRICT RD NEW MILFORD, CT 06776

Cost: ONLY \$10 PER BANKER BOX
(CASH or CHECK Accepted)

WHAT TO BRING:

- Old Tax Forms & Returns
- Bank Statements & Credit Card Bills
- Medical Records
- Junk Mail & Sensitive Documents
- Old Receipts

Items must be removed from binders. Staples and paperclips are OK.

NMROTARY.ORG

Secure, on-site shredding provided by *FILE SHRED, LLC*

Articles in this newsletter:

- *New Milford Live!*
- *Spring Fling*
- *Shred Event*
- *Trash Talk*



First Congregational Church of New Milford
St. John's Episcopal Church
Main Street
New Milford, Connecticut

May 8, 2026: 9am-4pm
May 9, 2026: 9am-3pm

Celebrate America's 250th anniversary with us at our 2nd Airing of the Quilts!

Enjoy this special community event with free admission (donations gratefully accepted to support this event).

For more information contact Heidi Noconer at smca.america250@gmail.com

DOWNTOWN NEW MILFORD

SPRING FLING

MAY 1 + 2

Join downtown to shop, stroll, and dine as we celebrate the new season.

Scan to see locations that will be participating:

- LIGHT REFRESHMENTS
- SNACKS
- MENU SPECIALS
- SALES
- AND MORE!

+ chance to win a massive downtown giveaway!

In the Community...

Join Us For a... 

TRASH TALK



TO LEARN

- Tips to reduce your waste
- How to recycle smarter and how to SAVE MONEY while doing it!
- Where does your trash go
- Where does your recycling go and does it REALLY GET RECYCLED! Spoiler alert... the answer is YES!

May 5th 6:30 - 8:00pm

Pettibone Community Center
2 Pickett District Rd, New Milford

Register at www.HRRA.org

FRIENDS OF NEW MILFORD LIBRARY



BOOK SALE

Friday, May 1st, Early Bird Fee \$5, 10:00 – 11:00

Fee collected at the door

Friday, May 1st, 11:00 – 4:30 no charge

Saturday, May 2nd, 9:00 – 4:00 no charge

MEMORIAL HALL ROOM, NM LIBRARY
(2nd floor of the Library – follow the signs)

Adult: Non-Fiction, Fiction, Trade, Coffee Table, Large Print,
Paperbacks, Signed by Author, Classics, and Vintage

Book Bags on sale – now \$15, save \$5. ☺

Children's & YA: Chapter Books, Picture Books, Graphic Novels,
Manga, Non-Fiction, Foreign Languages, Harry Potter, Star Wars,
Sci-Fi/Fantasy, Puzzles, & Games.

ALL PROCEEDS BENEFIT LIBRARY PROGRAMS

Accepting cash, checks, & Venmo

fonm001@gmail.com

www.fonml.com



Cruise Night
with

AMERICA
250

AMERICA
250

5 pm till dusk

Rain or Shine
No Cut-Off Year

EVERY TUESDAY NIGHT
starting May 5, 2026 thru Oct 27, 2026

AT LITCHFIELD CROSSINGS
PANERA BREAD - 169 Danbury Rd, New Milford, CT




50/50 DRAWING • CAR OF THE WEEK AWARD • MUSIC
May's 50/50 proceeds to Benefit
Animal Welfare Society of New Milford

Contact John C. Pastor, Sr. - (203) 617-9713 paradiceccfoundationinc@gmail.com



"GREEN WAVE" Soap!

Available in The New Milford Mayor's Office.

100% of proceeds to defray costs associated with turf field play for NMHS Athletes.




4-GAME ROUND ROBIN
DOUBLE ELIMINATION BRACKET
\$30*/PLAYER \$60*/TEAM
*\$15 ONLINE IN ADVANCE - RECOMMENDED
**\$20 IN-PERSON AT SENIOR CENTER

TWO BRACKETS
- Competitive Bracket (27 feet)
- Social (new players & seniors; 21 feet)

To benefit New Milford Senior Center Enrichment Fund

CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT

**SUNDAY
MAY 3**

PRACTICE & REGISTRATION 11 AM
START 12 PM

At John Pettibone Community Center
2 Pickett District Road
New Milford

\$32 ONLINE RSVP
Scan QR code or visit
www.newmilford.org/senior-center




Info: @Candlewood on FB or email
candlewoodcornhole@gmail.com

RAFFLE & 50/50

1ST, 2ND & 3RD PRIZES
BOTH BRACKETS

RICH'S WINGS & THINGS
FOOD TRUCK

BYOB

\$30 IN-PERSON RSVP & PAYMENT
New Milford Senior Center
40 Main St., New Milford
M-F, 8 a.m.-4 p.m.
Info: 860-355-6075

Presented by New Milford Senior Center
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