

# BOLTON BULLETIN

## June 24, 2022

From the Assessor's Office  
From the Tax Collector's Office  
Senior and Social Services  
Bentley Memorial Library  
Recreation  
Other Events and Information  
Calendar

### INDIAN NOTCH PARK

**OPENING TODAY-FRIDAY, JUNE 24<sup>TH</sup> AT 10 A.M.**

\*Park will only be open Wednesday through Sunday weekly and there will be NO season passes this year.

It is pay as you go with **new** daily rates.

**CASH ONLY!**

Fees	Resident	Non-Resident
Daily per car weekday	\$5.00	\$7.00
Daily per car weekend/holiday	\$7.00	\$20.00

#### LOWER BOLTON LAKE/INDIAN NOTCH UPDATES

Residents' can now check on the status of Lower Bolton Lake/Indian Notch Park by visiting the town's website [here](#). Lake conditions including bacteria and E-coli levels along with educational information on care and concerns around the lake will be posted and updated on this link regularly. You can also find this information by going directly to the town website (town.boltonct.org), clicking on Town Gov., Departments, Lake Commissioner and then Lower Bolton Lake.

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**4<sup>th</sup> Budget Referendum  
TUESDAY, JULY 12<sup>TH</sup>  
6 a.m. to 8 p.m.  
Ryba Hall - St. Maurice Parish Hall  
32 Hebron Road, Bolton  
Absentee Ballots available in the  
Town Clerk's Office**

## **NEWS FROM THE ASSESSOR'S OFFICE RENTERS' REBATE PROGRAM**

The Assessor's Office is accepting applications for the 2022 Renters' Rebate Program. If you are new to the Renters' program, please call us to see you if you qualify. Below is a list of information that is required in order to process your application. This is a State program that the Town administers.

Please note that if you do not provide these documents your application cannot be processed.

Necessary documents:

- Social Security 1099 form for 2021
- 1099 forms for pensions, dividends, interest and etc. for 2021
- Employment information (W-2 forms)
- 2021 Taxes- complete copy required if you file taxes
- SSI (if applicable) letter from Social Security stating the full amount received from January -December 2021
- Proof of all rental payments in 2021 (January - December 2021) in the form of canceled checks, rent receipts or letter/ledger from landlord.
- Proof of utilities paid in 2021 (January - December 2021). Please contact the utility company to receive an itemized report of what was actually paid. Qualifying utility expenses include electric, gas, oil, propane, kerosene, and water.

If you have any questions or for more information, please contact the assessor's office at 860-649-8066 ext. 6100.

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NEWS FROM THE TAX COLLECTOR'S OFFICE - 06-23-22

[TAX BILL LOOKUP AND PAYMENT LINK](#)

860-649-8066 x6101

Email us at [taxcollector@boltonct.org](mailto:taxcollector@boltonct.org)

Please see below for frequently asked questions and the best ways to pay your tax bill.

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Tax Bills will be mailed at the end of June and will be due and payable on July 1, 2022. They will need to be paid by August 1, 2022 to avoid interest. Interest accrues from the July 1 due date at 1.5% per month or 18% per year. Minimum interest charge is \$2.00 per bill

**Real Estate and Personal Property Tax bills are being sent out using a temporary mill rate. A supplemental tax to these bill will be mailed out at a later date.**

Motor Vehicles in which the registration expired before Oct. 1, 2021 and was not renewed until after that date will receive a tax bill in January 2023.

If you do not receive a tax bill please check online through the TAX BILL LOOKUP or call our office.

**Failure to receive a tax bill does not invalidate the tax or any interest charged should the tax become delinquent.**

### Payment Options:

**Option 1: Online- Save time and pay from home and receive your receipt of payment directly to your email.**

You may pay by credit card or electronic check over the internet. A nominal fee will be charged by our vendor, Invoice Cloud and is non-refundable.

Credit Card/Debit Cards are not taken in the Tax Collector's Office.

**Online payments will take 3-5 business days to process. The account will not show as paid online until after this processing time. Please make sure you receive a confirmation to your email that shows your payment is starting to process.**

**Please make sure you enter the correct account number and routing number so that the transaction does not get returned. Additional fees will be added to any payment that is returned unpaid.**

View and/or pay your taxes using this link:

[TAX BILL LOOKUP AND PAYMENT LINK](#)

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### **Option 2: In person in the lower level of Town Hall, 222 Bolton Center Rd**

Please go to the tax collector's door to the left of Town Hall.

**Please add your phone number to your check so if there are any problems we can get in touch with you quickly.**

**Credit and Debit Cards are not taken in the office only online.**

### **TAX COLLECTOR'S OFFICE HOURS:**

Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday 8:30 AM - 4:00 PM, Tuesday 8:30 AM - 6:30 PM and Friday 8:30 AM - 1:00 PM

### **Option 3: Drop Slot**

A drop slot is located to the side of the Tax Collector's door at Town Hall for tax payments.

Please enclose payment in a sealed envelope addressed to the Tax Collector's office.

**Please put the best phone number to get in touch with you either on your check or the envelope.**

**DO NOT PUT PAYMENTS IN THE TOWN MAILBOX.**

### **Option 4: By Mail**

Please make checks payable to: **Tax Collector, Town of Bolton.**

**\*please add your phone number to your check so if there are any problems we can get in touch with you quickly.**

Using the return envelope provided:  
Collector at:

or mail directly to Tax

Mail tax payments to: Tax Collector  
Department 2280  
P.O. Box 986500  
Boston, MA 02298-6500

Tax Collector  
222 Bolton Center Rd.  
Bolton, CT 06043

If a receipt is desired please enclose a self-addressed stamped envelope along with a request for a receipt.

Additional information and Frequently Asked Questions can be found on our website under Tax Collector's Department. The link is

<https://town.boltonct.org/departments/tax-collector/faqs>

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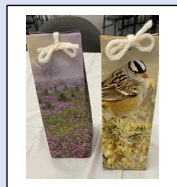
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### SENIOR & SOCIAL SERVICES

**All Special Events Require Registration. Call or RSVP with Office Staff.**

#### **GIFT BAG CRAFTING**

Thursday, July 7<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 a.m.



Back by popular demand! Bolton Senior Center participant Myrle Goff will show us how to make wreathes out of calendar pages. You can also learn how to make gift bags or make additional ones for those who already learned. Join us Thursday, July 7 at 10 a.m. RSVP by July 5.

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#### **FLOWER ARRANGEMENT DEMONSTRATION**

Thursday, July 21<sup>st</sup> at 1:00 p.m.



Bolton resident Heidi Luck, owner of Luck of Bolton Farm, will join us on Thursday, July 21 at 1 p.m. for a flower arranging demonstration. Learn a few tricks to make your centerpieces look their best! RSVP by July 14.

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#### **WOODEN FLOWERS**

Thursday, June 23<sup>rd</sup> at 6:00 p.m.



Create a beautiful flower arrangement of your own - using wooden flowers. Select colors to match your décor and make a piece that will last! Jen Angle from Wood & Word Blooms will help us create milk bottle arrangements on Thursday, August 4 at 10 am. RSVP and selection of your flower colors required by July 21. \$15 per person.

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### BENTLEY MEMORIAL LIBRARY

Bentley Memorial Library is OPEN to the public.

Hours

Monday - Thursday 10:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Saturday 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

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### Library Programs

To register, call 860-646-7349 or email [bmlprograms@biblio.org](mailto:bmlprograms@biblio.org).

#### **New additions to our collection - *beanz Magazine* and kids coding books**

*beanz Magazine* is a bi-monthly coding magazine for kids and adults. Learn concepts, history, and try your hand at highlighted projects. We also have several new coding books for kids. Stop by the library to borrow a copy for an introduction to the world of coding. Are you ready to learn and have fun?

#### **Summer Reading Kickoff for Kids and Adults**

**Kids:** Visit the library for an all ages storytime and activity on **Wednesday, June 29 from 11:00 a.m. - noon**. Registration required.

Our scavenger hunts are back! The first in the series will start July 1 with a hunt you can complete at home or away. Pick up a copy at the library or download one from our website.

As in the past, we will stamp reading logs and have creatures for you to write your name on and hang in the library. How many will we see this year? Need a reading log? We have extra copies.

**Tweens and Teens:** watch our newsletter and website for activities in July and August.

**Adults:** Join us for a Book for Lunch discussion on **Thursday, June 30 from 12:00-1:00 p.m.** Our selection is "**The Obituary Writer**" by Ann Hood. Call the library to reserve your copy.

Throughout the summer we will continue our Book for Lunch discussion series.

Watch our newsletter and website for great summer programs coming in July and August.

To register for programs, call 860-646-7349 or email [bmlprograms@biblio.org](mailto:bmlprograms@biblio.org).

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### RECREATION DEPARTMENT

#### SUMMER CONCERT SERIES 2022



All Summer concerts in Bolton are on select Wednesday evenings at Bolton Town Green (In front of Bentley Memorial Library). All concerts run from 6:30pm-8:00pm. Join us on the town green, bring a picnic, blanket, chairs and enjoy the summer evenings with the community. Summer concerts are a free event for all to join! **Stop by the Bolton Scholarship Fund's 50th-anniversary table for free treats during each concert!**

June 29- Ali Kat Acoustic

July 13- The Rolangs

July 27- Whiskey Wine and Coke

August 10- Night Shift Band

July 20- Windham Concert Band

August 3- Rock Solid Alibi

All rain dates and cancellations will be posted to the Recreation Department website.

#### Thank you to our 2022 Sponsors:

W.H. Preuss

Georgina's Restaurant and Banquets

Bolton Lake Dental

Simoniz USA, Inc.

Kelman Landscape LLC

Highland Park Market

Munson's Chocolates

Bolton Scholarship Fund- 50th Anniversary

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#### A DAY ON YOUR OWN IN BOSTON

August 13, 2022



Date: August 13, 2022

Time: 7:00am- Tolland Commuter Parking Lot (Exit 68 off of I-84)

Estimated Return: 8:30PM- Tolland Commuter Parking Lot

Fee: \$57.00 per person

Location: Boston, MA

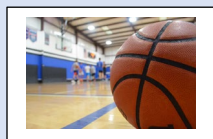
Plan a fun day in Boston. We'll take you to Boston, drop you off at Quincy Market and pick you up at Quincy Market location at the end of the day. Public transportation is available for many others. Boston Science Museum: participants can easily spend an entire day exploring this museum. More information about exhibits and special events can be found at [www.mos.org](http://www.mos.org). Quincy Market and Faneuil Hall: participants can walk around, shop and get great food at this historic area in Boston. More information can be found at [www.faneuilhallmarketplace.com](http://www.faneuilhallmarketplace.com). Public Transportation information can be found at: [www.mbta.com](http://www.mbta.com)

Register by Saturday July 30, 2022 Register online at <https://boltonrec.recdesk.com/>  
Join this wonderful trip put on by Ashford, Coventry, Bolton, Mansfield and Tolland.

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### BULLDOG BASKETBALL CAMPS



Bulldog basketball camp is dedicated to the development of basketball fundamentals, off season conditioning and general knowledge of sports nutrition. Both offensive and defensive skills are worked on throughout the week to increase your knowledge and ability in the game. As always teamwork will play a huge part in our week with our young athletes! What to bring: water bottle and a lunch. Make sure to wear comfortable clothes to run around in and sneakers. Spaces are limited. Registrations are due by July 5, 2022

#### Bulldog Basketball Camp- **3rd -5th grade**

**When: July 11—15, 2022**

Time: 12:00PM—3:00PM

Where: Bolton High School, 72 Brandy St, Bolton, CT 06043

Who: Entering Grades 3-5

Cost: \$150

Register online at <http://boltonrec.recdesk>

#### Bulldog Basketball Camp- **6th grade and up**

**When: July 18—22, 2022**

Time: 12:00PM—3:00PM

Where: Bolton High School, 72 Brandy St, Bolton, CT 06043

Who: Grades 6 and up

Cost: \$150

Register online at <https://boltonrec.recdesk.com>

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### MAD SCIENCE CAMP

**July 25 - July 29**



When: 7/25-7/29

Where: Notch Road Municipal Center Room 1, 104 Notch Road, Bolton. CT

Cost: 1/2 day \$175, full day Fee \$321.

Mornings, 9:00AM-12:00PM- Crazy Chemworks We'll learn about the tools scientists use in their laboratories, as well as atoms, molecules and reactions, acids and bases, fluorescence and phosphorescence. We'll also examine and investigate super sticky things by exploring suction, hydrogen bonding and static cling. We'll also see some very cool dry ice demonstrations! Continue the science at home with fun labware take-homes and experiments.

Afternoons, 1:00PM-4:00PM- Space & Beyond Set your future space explorers on a trajectory from our Earth's atmosphere to the outer reaches of our solar system! This hands-on program brings them closer to the stars, planets, comets, and more. They learn about living in space, getting away from gravity, looking for space phenomena, and they participate in a rocket launch! Register here:

<https://westnewengland.madscience.org/parents-register-c.aspx?action=search&org=42728#ctn-activitylist>

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### OTHER EVENTS AND INFORMATION

#### BOLTON CONSERVATION COMMISSION PHOTO CONTEST WINNERS



*Town of Bolton*  
*21st Annual Photo Contest*  
*2021-2022*



<p><i>Beauty of Nature &amp; Open Space</i></p>  <p><i>1st Place- "Guardian of the Falls"</i> <i>by Jim Adams</i></p>  <p><i>2nd Place- "Fire in the Sky on a Cold Winter Afternoon"</i> <i>by Hazel Allen</i></p>  <p><i>3rd Place- "Reflections at Puggott Farm"</i> by Steve Booth</p>	<p><i>People in the Environment</i></p>  <p><i>1st Place- "Trail Runners on the Hop"</i> <i>by Sylvia Ounpuu</i></p>  <p><i>2nd Place- "A bluebird day" snowshoe hike"</i> <i>by Scott Livingston</i></p>  <p><i>3rd Place- "Peaceful Duddle on Lower Bolton Lake"</i> <i>by Susan Gerr</i></p>	<p><i>Examples of Green Living &amp; Farming</i></p>  <p><i>1st Place- "Headed Home with Groceries"</i> <i>by Jim Adams</i></p>  <p><i>2nd Place- "Lunch with Friends"</i> <i>by Kristy Manning</i></p>  <p><i>3rd Place- "Simpler Times"</i> by Mary Lou</p>	<p><i>Wildlife in Bolton</i></p>  <p><i>1st Place- "Young Barred Owls"</i> <i>by Pete Bradley</i></p>  <p><i>2nd Place- "Lunch"</i> <i>by Ann Upton</i></p>  <p><i>3rd Place- "A Pair of Vleated Woodpeckers"</i> <i>by Lfrain Vazquez</i></p>
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#### 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:

Tuesday, July 5 and 19

Tuesday, August 2, 16 and 30

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#### CRAFTERS - JOIN BOLTON CHURCH FAIR



St. George's Episcopal Church is inviting crafters to rent a booth at the church's **46th Annual Craft and Harvest Fair**. The event will be held on Saturday, September 24, 2022 from 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM on the church lawn at 1150 Boston Turnpike, Route 44, Bolton, CT. **Registration**

**deadline is September 1.** For further information, please email [bkalina333@gmail.com](mailto:bkalina333@gmail.com) or call 860.643.9203.

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BOLTON CENTER SCHOOL - 3<sup>RD</sup> TRIMESTER NEWSLETTER

[Click here](#) to view the latest Bolton Center School third trimester newsletter.

### **BOLTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS - NOTICE OF RECORDS DESTRUCTION**

June 22, 2022

#### RECORDS DESTRUCTION

The following records for students who attended Bolton Public Schools will be destroyed on August 15, 2022:

- Special Education Records/IEP/Section 504 for students who graduated in 2014, 2015, 2016
- Cumulative Records for students who graduated in 1971, 1972

Former students may obtain their records before they are destroyed per district policy by calling Beth Goldsnider at 860-643-1569 Ext. 3405 or email at [bgoldsnider@boltonct.org](mailto:bgoldsnider@boltonct.org) by 2:00 on Friday, August 15, 2022.

#### CALENDAR

June	27 <sup>th</sup>	Fire Commission 7:00 p.m.
	28 <sup>th</sup>	Inland Wetlands Commission 7:00 p.m.
	29 <sup>th</sup>	Board of Finance 7:15 p.m.
	30 <sup>th</sup>	BOS Special Meeting - A/P - 3:00 p.m.
July	4 <sup>th</sup>	All Bolton Town Offices and Bentley Memorial Library will be CLOSED in observance of Independence day
	7 <sup>th</sup>	Conservation Commission 7:00 p.m.
	11 <sup>th</sup>	Bolton Heritage Farm Commission 4:00 p.m.
	12 <sup>th</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup> BUDGET REFERENDUM - RYBA HALL - ST. MAURICE PARISH HALL- 32 HEBRON ROAD - 6 A.M. TO 8 P.M.
	12 <sup>th</sup>	Bentley Memorial Library Board Meeting 4:00 p.m.
	12 <sup>th</sup>	Board of Selectmen 7:00 p.m.
	12 <sup>th</sup>	Temporary Building Commission 7:00 p.m.
	12 <sup>th</sup>	Zoning Board of Appeals 7:00 p.m.
	13 <sup>th</sup>	Planning and Zoning Commission 7:30 p.m.
	19 <sup>th</sup>	Diversity Commission 7:00 p.m.
	19 <sup>th</sup>	Special Town Meeting 7:00 p.m.
	21 <sup>st</sup>	Board of Finance 7:15 p.m.
	25 <sup>th</sup>	Fire Commission 7:00 p.m.
	26 <sup>th</sup>	Inland Wetlands Commission 7:00 p.m.

All agendas and minutes are posted on the Town's website at: <http://town.boltonct.org>