

Happenings for The Town of Plainville 8-21-2017

PLAINVILLE PUBLIC WORKS

- Bulk pickup will resume for the Fall on Monday September 11, 2017 and run through October 30, 2017. Eligible residents must call CWPM at 860-793-6721 to schedule a pickup. When calling, you will need to provide your name, address, phone number and a complete description of the items to be collected. Calls placed by 3:00pm Friday can be scheduled for collection on Monday.

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- Tuesday August 22 from 7:00PM to 9:00PM is the **monthly discussion group entitled *Great Discussions***. If you are interested in how Foreign Policy works and would like to contribute to national discussions and influence American diplomacy at home and abroad? Join Great Discussions by the Foreign Policy Association. This group discussion is open to anyone who is interested in learning more about foreign policy. For more information contact the Reference Desk 860-793-1446
- Wednesday August 23 from 4:00PM to 5:00PM try **Build a Better Lunch!** For ages 5+ with caregiver – registration required by visiting the library or calling 860-793-1450. If you're in need of some inspiration when it comes to packing balanced lunches for back-to-school, join Big Y in-store consultant dietitian, Kittie Spedding, to gain tips and tricks for packing delicious lunches to fuel the day.
- Also on Wednesday August 23 come give the **Plainville Writer's Group** a try. Open to ages 18+.
- On Friday August 25 from 10:30 AM to 3:30 PM come celebrate **Hot Air Balloon Day!** In honor of the Plainville Fire Company Hot Air Balloon Festival, the library will be offering hot-air balloon activities in the children's department from 10:30 - 3:30 (while supplies last.)
- Lastly, on Monday August 28 from 6:30PM to 7:30PM the library will offer **Creature Teachers & Ice Cream Celebration!** Registration is still required for this rescheduled event where patrons will meet 8-10 live rainforest animals while learning about all aspects of the rainforests, including how they're made, where they are located, and the dangers that threaten this fragile ecosystem. Friends of the Library will be on hand after the show to pass out ice cream. Don't miss it!!

PLAINVILLE SENIOR CENTER

- Tuesday, August 22 **Intergenerational Bingo**, 1:00 pm Kids of all ages welcome (with an accompanying adult). Join us for an afternoon of bingo, prizes, fun and ice cream sundaes. Program is Free. Sign up by calling the Senior Center.
- Friday August 25th 9:30 am – 2:00 **Kayaking at the Happiest Paddler, Lake Pocotopaug, East Hampton, CT** We will take the Senior Center bus to East Hampton to enjoy two hours of paddling on the lake and bring your own picnic lunch. Equipment is provided and our leader is Jared Scoville. Call the Senior Center for details.
- Tuesday, September 12th 10:30 am -- **Veteran's Coffee Hour** Information and support meeting conducted by Wayne Rioux, Veteran's Liaison for Hartford Health Care at Home. For all veterans and their spouses. Call the Senior Center to register.

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- Summer is winding down at the Rec. Dept. Hours at the Berner Pool are (1:00-7:00 p.m.) till Aug. 24. The last day pool is open, will be Friday Aug. 25 1:00-3:30 p.m. Splash pad at Paderewski Park will close for the season on Monday Sept. 4, Labor Day at 7:00 p.m.
- Fall program registration will begin on Tuesday Sept. 12 this fall, with programs beginning the first week in October.
- Just a reminder that the Plainville Farmers Market will continue every Friday until September 15th from 3:00p.m. – 6:00p.m. at the Plainville High School Green.
- The 3rd Annual Plainville Pumpkin Fest, will be held Saturday, October, 21, 2017 from 4:00pm – 8:00pm