

OLD LYME TYMES

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FIRST SELECTMAN'S REPORT

It was with great pleasure that the Board of Selectmen named **June Speirs** as **Citizen of the Year** for the Town of Old Lyme for 2005 at the Annual Town Meeting on January 23rd. June and her late husband, Jack (who was named Citizen of the Year in 1973), have long been active participants in our community dating back over 40 years. June has served on the Zoning Board of Appeals since 1967 and was its Chairman for 27 years until last year. Just think of the changes to our town she has seen over those years! Thanks to her and other dedicated volunteers, the rural character of our town has been preserved. It is noteworthy that June ran for the office of First Selectman in 1975 using the slogan "June in November". The Board of Selectmen called for "June in January" by acknowledging her decades of service to our town.

There were a number of items that were approved at the **Annual Town Meeting**. Mark Diebolt, Chairman of the Old Lyme Board of Finance, presented the Annual Town Report, which features "The Water Around Us" as its theme. Editor Michele Dickey produced another fine report and copies are available at Town Hall. The Town voted to accept Machnik Drive as a town road and Briar Hill Rd., pending receipt of a deed to the road from the developer. The Town voted to discontinue a portion of Ben Franklin Rd., which is a right of way through the woods starting at the intersection of Johnnycake Hill Rd. and Meetinghouse La. toward Mile Creek Rd. Public access will be allowed, sub-

ject to an agreement to be worked out between the Town and the landowners. The Town approved three ordinances: one concerning penalties for failure to pumpout septic systems, another concerning inland wetlands fines and a third increasing the fine for violating the parking ordinance. Last, Jane Marsh was voted to continue as the Town's representative to the **CT River Planning Agency**. Because we neglected to include a request for \$9,800 to be spent on engineering work associated with the Church Corner road project on the call of the Annual Town Meeting, the Board of Selectmen called for a Special Town Meeting to consider the matter on February 1. The item was approved.

Following the November 8 election, most of the elected officials were returned to office and a few new faces were elected. In January, the Board of Selectmen made about 60 appointments to the various Boards, Commissions and Committees. The town is fortunate to have so many good volunteers who are willing to do the work of the Town and we all thank them.

The **Town Woods** Building Committee voted to close Phase I of the project as well as the Field House project. Under the leadership of Chairman Bob Dunn, the Committee completed the \$1.4 million Phase I project \$135,853 under budget and the \$315,000 Field House project \$20,527 under budget. In addition, the Playground Committee, chaired by Teri Lewis and Katie Balocca, completed the wonderful playground next to the Field House with

minimal Town support. Given all the community involvement from both towns, we are all exceedingly pleased with the final products. The Towns of Lyme and Old Lyme have filed grant application with the State of Connecticut in the amount of \$325,000 each in order to construct Phase II of the project, the two softball/baseball fields with a soccer field in their outfields. Should we be successful in securing the grants, the matter will be brought before a town meeting in each town.

After considerable engineering work, the Town will be going out to bid this spring to construct a **Transfer Station** at the Landfill site on Four Mile River Rd. The improvements will include a scale to weigh vehicles, a scale house, an equipment storage building and various site improvements. We hope to complete construction in the first quarter of 2007. Following that, we will work on capping the landfill with impermeable layer of material followed by a vegetative layer.

We are also planning for a bus parking area on the site that will enable the relocation of the bus parking at Jadon Drive. There are many steps to be taken, but we believe the new Transfer Station location will save us all money as well as remove the buses from a residential area.

Regional District 18 was awarded an EPA grant in the amount of \$167,000 that will be used to install filters on 20 diesel school buses and to purchase ultra low sulfur diesel fuel. The filters will be installed this summer and they should reduce emission significantly.

The **Rogers Lake Authority** will present the towns of Lyme and Old Lyme with a weed harvesting recommendation for next summer. We also hope to have a repair plan for the **Rogers Lake Dam** approved by the State so that repairs may be made in late summer.

The Information Technology Committee saw a demonstration of the Town's new **Geographic Information System (GIS)**. Once fully implemented, the System will be available to the public online and it should be very useful. The Committee introduced the Town's E-Tran service, which allows taxpayers to **pay their taxes online**. Later this year, we hope to expand the service to include payments for Parks & Recreation sign-ups.

The Towns of Lyme and Old Lyme formed the **Cameron Parish (Louisiana) Relief Committee**. Under the leadership of Dave Roberge and Lee Watkins, the Committee sent a fire truck from Lyme and several pallets of toys to Cameron Parish in time for Christmas. Supt. David Klein has coordinated the efforts of the Lyme/Old Lyme students and faculty and the result is that we brought joy to Cameron Parish after they have suffered so much. We plan to send a tractor load of items they need in March and there are future plans to help, as well. Our hope is to maintain the bond between Cameron Parish and the Lymes for years to come.

Don Bugbee, Director of Parks & Recreation, has been spearheading an effort to improve the **bathhouses at White Sand Beach, Hains Park and Cross Lane**. We hope to renovate the White Sand facility and to make improvements at Cross Lane this spring. The jury is still out on what to do at Hains Park, but it will be renovated as well.

We congratulate Tony Carrano who was honored as the Connecticut **Middle School Principal of the Year** by the CT Assoc. of Schools. The entire student body of the Middle School hosted a celebration to honor him, including readings, songs and a funny skit. Trooper First Class Scott O'Donnell has been named replacement for Trooper Judd Howse. Scott lives in town and was previously a Resident Trooper here as well as a police officer. We are confident he will be an excellent addition to our police force. Last, but not least, we congratulate the Old Lyme Grange on the occasion of its 100th year anniversary. The Grange marked the occasion with an historical review and we look forward to its bicentennial.

The Board of Selectmen hopes the rest of the winter is as mild as what we have experienced so far.



Timothy C. Griswold
First Selectman

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The **Old Lyme Conservation Trust** celebrates its 40th anniversary this year. The Trust has protected more than 700 acres in Old Lyme. Members are working hard to acquire other open space acreage and retain our town's small town feeling. All are invited to the OLC's celebratory 40th Annual Meeting on March 26, 3 to 5PM, at the Grange Hall.

The Old Lyme Players of Lyme Old Lyme High School present the musical "**The Boyfriend**," on March 16, 17, 18. Tickets available at The Bowerbird and The Turning Page.

Lyme Old Lyme Junior Women present their annual art show fundraiser **Expressions** April 28, 29, 30. More info will appear in local papers, or phone Beth Cote 434-2948.

On March 12, the **Lymes' Senior Center** celebrates its 12th Anniversary. All senior members are invited to a wine & cheese reception from 2 to 4 pm. RSVP. Sign up for a new knitting group, now forming at the Senior Center, and/or an exercise chair class. Phone Sherry Meyer for information (434-4127).

The **Old Lyme Town Band** has a concert scheduled at the Lymes' Senior Center on April 30 at 2PM. The band is under the direction of John LaDone. Concert is free and open to the public.

April 2 marks the end of Daylight Savings - and the Chamber of Commerce's annual **Taste of Old Lyme**. Watch local papers for more info or visit <http://www.lyme-old-lyme-chamber.com/>

The Old Lyme Fire Department's **annual Fishing Derby** for children in grades K-5 is on April 8 from 7 to 11AM, rain or shine, at the Cross Lane Firehouse. Prizes awarded for the biggest, smallest, longest and the most fish caught. *Parents must accompany children.* A **Pancake Breakfast** sponsored by the Fire Department Auxiliary takes place April 8 from 7 to 10:30AM at the Cross Lane Fire House. Tickets: adults - \$5, children 10 and under - \$3. Available at the door or in advance: Mary Ellen Jewett (4-5472) or Judy McCarthy (4-1430).

The **Cornell University Women's Chorus** will be performing on March 24 at Christ the King Church. The Chorus is a 60-member women's choral ensemble founded at Cornell in 1921 as the first independent women's organization on campus. They perform a wide range of treble music in a variety of styles. Mary Lou Rice is arranging overnight home stays for the women. If you are able to welcome 1 or 2 chorus members into your homes, please phone Mary Lou (434-8901).



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The Friends of Old Lyme-Phoebe Griffin Noyes Library hold their 9th annual **Bookworm Ball** on April 8 at the Old Lyme Country Club. This year's theme is a Masquerade Ball with dancing, hors d' oeuvres and silent auction from 7:30 to midnight. Tickets are \$35 and available at the library. For more information contact Leslie Massa at 434-2369.

Watch for more info on the LYSB's 9th Annual Community Talent Show **The Bizz**. Auditions required.

Visit the Florence Griswold Museum during Presidents' Day week for **Winter Wonderment**, Tuesday through Thursday, 10am to 5pm. Activities includes **Reading is Fun: Storytime and Eye-Spy Extravaganza** each day at 3:30pm; **The Singing, Ringing Tree**, an interactive fairy-tale by theater professional and educator, Sarah Salerno-Thomas of *Imagine That! Interactive Children's Theater* on February 21, 11am and 2pm. Advance tickets (\$3) required; **Adult Winter Craft Workshop** February 22, 11am-3pm; and **It's Totally Wild!: Cartooning Workshop** with Daniel Stegos, Artist and Illustrator. One-hour workshop on Feb. 23, 11am & 2pm for children ages 7-11. Advance tickets (\$3) required. Phone Matt 434-5542 ext. 111 or matt@flogris.org.

Bring the whole family to the LYSB's Annual **Spring Spectacular on April 8, 1 to 3 PM**. Pictures with the Easter Bunny, Easter Egg Hunt, Decorate a Cookie, face painting and more.

The Lyme Art Association presents **Wonders of Winter: the 14th Annual Associate Artist's Show** through March 4. The LAA has also planned a number of exciting workshops January through March. More information on exhibitions, purchase of art, art classes or becoming a member, is available at 434-7802. www.LymeArtAssociation.org

Battle of the Bands takes place Saturday, April 8, 7 to 10 PM. Bands will include Boston based band "The Brightwings" and Old Lyme's own "41 North" (formerly Zinc). Tickets are \$8 (advance) and \$10. Phone Missy 434-7208. All proceeds will benefit the Youth Advisory Council Scholarship fund.

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To many she is the “Grande Dame” of the Zoning Board of Appeals and Republican town politics, but our **2005 CITIZEN OF THE YEAR JUNE SPEIRS** says, “I never felt powerful.”

June moved to Old Lyme as a newlywed in 1950. She and her late husband Jack met as students at UCONN: she was another student’s blind date at their meeting. As they started their family, June became an early “friend” of the Phoebe Griffin Noyes Library and an active volunteer with Child & Family Services.

It wasn’t long before concern about a local Homestead Circle land matter drew her to membership in the town chapter of the League of Women Voters. She speaks highly of the League’s work, recalling that they researched the responsibilities of local boards & commissions and, as a result, “did a wonderful job training people to serve on those boards.” June was LWV president for a while but didn’t relish the role: “I was interested in strictly local affairs.” June’s knowledge of local government grew when she was a member of the Town Charter Committee and assisted in interviewing every Board and Commission about their needs.

June became active in local Republican politics. During the 15 years that she chaired the nominating arm of the local Town Committee, people interested in running for local office were invited to informal gatherings, often in her Homestead Circle home. She remembers the caucus that selected her as a ZBA nominee. “I won by one vote,” and it was clear, she adds, that those in charge (“the fathers,” she calls them) did not support her candidacy. In 1975, June was the Republican candidate for First Selectman. The first woman to run for the office, she was also the first candidate to campaign by knocking on doors. June rode her bike through the neighborhoods in town, asking residents to vote for “June in November.” Once again, she recalls, “the fathers” were not behind her. “I was an upstart,” she admits, “but I thought I was a good upstart.”

Elected to the ZBA in 1967, she served as Chair for 27 years and says it was a relief to step down from that position last summer ~ “I am not a young thing.” She speaks with pride of the work done by the ZBA volunteers who serve the town. “The ZBA makes judgments on properties, not on personalities. I believe it was always fair in making judgments & helping when they could. It is a careful balance.”

What makes Old Lyme special to our 2005 Citizen of the Year? “The people make it special. I hope that it continues to be a close-knit town. People care about each other here.” She hopes that some newer residents will become interested and involved in local government. Their involvement, our Citizen of the Year June Speirs says, will give them “some measure of what they’d like to do for the town as well as what the town has to offer them.”



There are a number of current openings on town boards & commissions. Application forms are available online and in the Selectman’s Office at the Town Hall. Please consider volunteering for any of the following positions:

- ADA (American Disabilities Act) Coordinator**
- Conservation Commission**
- Economic Development Commission**
- Flood & Erosion Control Board**
- Inland Wetlands Commission**
- Regional Mental Health Board**
- Tree Commission**

All of the boards and commissions are regulated either by State Statute or Town Ordinance. State Statutes and Town Ordinances can be researched online via www.oldlyme-ct.gov or in the Town Clerk’s Office at the Town Hall. Appointments are made by the Board of Selectmen.

The Duck River Garden Club has changed the dates of its Annual Plant Sale to Friday, May 19, 4 to 7PM and Saturday, May 20, 8AM to noon at the Old Lyme Shopping Center. Geraniums can be ordered ahead at a special pre-sale discount (phone 434-9094) or purchased for regular price at the sale. A wide variety of locally grown perennials and shrubs will be available, and back for a second year is the Garden Shed, which offers gently used garden-related items. All sales support the civic beautification, education and scholarship efforts of the Duck River Garden Club. To order Easter or Mother's Day gift certificates for redemption at the sale or for more information, contact Doreen Thomas, 434-7740.

The Duck River Garden Club meets on the second Monday of each month, September through June, at 7PM at the Lymes' Senior Center. Duck River Garden Club is affiliated with the Federation of Garden Clubs of CT and the National Council of Garden Clubs. For membership information, contact club president, Ellie Krasney at 434-0889.

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Lyme Old Lyme Chamber of Commerce meets September through June at Cherrystones on the 3rd Thursday of the month. 6 PM reception; 7 PM dinner meeting. *Taste of Old Lyme* is scheduled for April 2. President: Charles Delinks. Info: Pam or Lia at Office Express (434-9200).

Lyme Old Lyme Lions was chartered over 50 years ago. Their goal is to provide community service and support International Lions' efforts to eliminate blindness and assist the vision-impaired. Meetings monthly at the Lymes' Senior Center. President: Ray Magaldi (739-3109); Membership: Mike Walker (434-5579)

Lyme/Old Lyme Junior Women meet 7PM at the Lymes Senior Center on Feb. 15, March 20, April 11 and May 15. *Expressions*, their annual art sale fundraiser, takes place in the spring. Presidents are Leslie Crolius (434-1477) and Annie Creagan (434-4212).

The Old Lyme Town Band rehearses 7PM Mondays at the Lyme Old Lyme Schools. New members are always

**OLPGN Presents a Series of Walks and Talks on the
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March 1, 7 PM

Talk: Anticipating Spring: What Nature Has in Store

March 18, 9 am, Meet at the Library

Walk: Chapman Pond, East Haddam

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April 5, 7 pm

**Talk: Special Plants and Natural Communities of the
Lower Connecticut Valley**

April 22, 9 am

Walk: Lay Property, Old Lyme, Meet at the Library

May 3, 7 pm

Talk: Launch into Spring on the Water; Exploring our
River Resources

May 20, 9 am, Meet at the Library

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Community Action for Substance Free Youth is a new group of parents, students, teachers, and community leaders who address the issue of substance abuse among youth in our community. They provide programs for adults and students, sponsor youth mentoring and leadership opportunities, and promote alternative activities. Visit the LYSB website for dates www.lysb.org.

In the aftermath of hurricanes Katrina and Rita, the Towns of Lyme and Old Lyme joined together to adopt the communities of Cameron Parish, Louisiana. In December, surplus municipal equipment, school and classroom supplies and over 400 toys were delivered and distributed to communities in Cameron Parish.

The Cameron Parish Lions Club is acting as a clearinghouse for the receipt of tax deductible donations, including surplus goods and equipment. The next delivery is set for late-March. To find out how you can help in the ongoing relief effort, visit lymeline.com or phone the Emergency Management Directors in Old Lyme or Lyme.

The **Old Lyme Town Band** rehearses 7PM Mondays at the Lyme Old Lyme Schools. New members are always welcomed. Phone 434-2671 or visit oldlymetownband.org.

Middle School After School Programs take place **Tuesdays and Thursdays 2:15-4PM at the LYSB Activity Center**. Permission slips are required and on the LYSB website www.lysb.org. This program is free.

The LYSB has scheduled a **Sitter Safety Course** on 5 consecutive Mondays, beginning April 24. This intense sitter safety-training course is appropriate for babysitters, big brothers and sisters, and children staying home alone for the first time. **Sitter Safety** covers safety, including first aid, fire safety and 911 skills. Registration fee of \$40 covers supplies, snacks and guest speakers. Phone Missy at 434-7208 to register.

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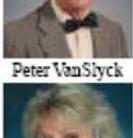
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“Tweens,” an evening out for mothers and daughters, will be scheduled by the LYSB in the Spring. The program is designed for grade 4 & 5 girls. Topics will include the importance of a positive body image and how to deal with difficult situations. Girls will learn about caring for and respecting their bodies. \$40 per pair includes resource materials, goodie bags and a pizza dinner. Betsy Groth, APRN, CPNP and Patty Musgrove, LOLMS Health teacher, facilitate. Register with Missy (434-7208).

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Winter Stories for pre schoolers continue at the OLPGN through early March. Registration for **Spring Stories** begins March 20 with story times beginning the week of April 3. All programs are free, but registration is required: 434-1684.

Special events at OLPGN in February are **Art & Crafts Hours** on the 22nd & 23rd at 2pm for ages 4 to 7, and a **Pajama Party** on February 23, 6 to 6:30pm for children ages 18 months to 3 years old.

Bailey, the LYSB's certified therapy dog, is looking for children ages 6 to 8 who would like to **Paws and Read** to him. There are a few openings in weekly **LYSB Playgroups**. Phone 434-7208 for registration and details.

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Children ages 3-6 are invited to **Easter Stories and Egg Hunt** at the OLPGN on April 10 at 6pm. Please call the library to register. A **Nature and Science Series** featuring the Denison Pequotsepos Nature Center takes place for children ages 5 and up at the OLPGN Thursdays in April and May. Times and dates to be announced.

Music Together classes at the LYSB inspire musical activity as a regular part of everyday family life. Newborns through age 4 are welcomed with parent or caregiver in "Mimi's Place," Tuesdays at 11:30 AM or Wednesdays at 1:15 PM. All classes are 45 minutes long. Register (434-7208). Session 3 begins April 12.

Baby Signs Workshops is a six week session of Sign, Say & Play classes. Tuesdays March 7 through April 11. Designed for parents and children ages 6 months to 3 years. Learn to communicate with your baby through sign language. Register (434-7208).

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All Parks & Rec Summer program information should be available by May 1. This information will be available on the Town Of Old Lyme's website and at the Parks and Rec office. Questions? phone Don Bugbee (434-1605, ext 235) or e-mail parkrec@oldlyme-ct.gov.

The Old Lyme Rowing Association is working to upgrade equipment used by middle school rowers. They currently learn the sport in Boston singles that have been through 25 years of hard club rowing. Many of them have damaged hulls or lack essential equipment. The OLRA is gradually replacing the Bostons with new Maas Aeros, and welcomes help from sponsors who'd like to name one of the new boats. Over the past five years, OLRA rowers have won 11 national championship events. Two rowers recently competed in the world championships.

Visit www.lymeoldrowing.com.

Ongoing **Parks & Rec programs** include Adult Basketball: Open Gym for residents. No sign-ups/fees required. Sessions are held at the High School Gym Wednesdays 7 to 9PM thru June 7. Teams are formed based on participation; Youth Basketball continues Saturdays thru March 4 for boys & girls, k - 8; **Adult Yoga** is held at the Middle School on Wednesdays 7-8:15 pm. The 8 week session runs through March. Call Grace (395 7862) for schedule, fees and availability.

Parks & Recreation Director Don Bugbee is taking applications for **Summer Employment**. Forms are available at the Parks and Recreation Office. We are looking for Daycamp Counselors, Lifeguards, Water Safety Instructors, Parking Lot Attendants, and Cross Lane Grounds Attendants. Applications should be submitted as soon as possible. New applicants must complete the employment form. Returning employees must contact the Parks and Rec Office as soon as possible.

Deep River Park and Recreation offers one day **Connecticut Safe Boating/ Personal Watercraft Certification Class** every Saturday, April through November. \$110. Covers navigational aids, safety equipment, anchoring, knot tying, personal watercraft safety rules, and many more state specific topics. The combined certification card is good for life and recognized nationwide. Register with licensed instructor Kathleen McCleary, 767-1558.

The Old Lyme Visiting Nurse Association, Inc. is sponsoring an **Adult Audio Screening Clinic** at County Hearing and Balance, (83 Halls Road). Testing will be conducted by a certified clinical audiologist. This service is free to town residents and is by appointment only. There will be two sessions, the first on February 14 from 10AM to noon and the second session on February 21 from 1 to 3 PM. The business location of this screening does not constitute a commercial endorsement by the OLVNA. Phone 434-7808 to schedule an appointment.

The OLVNA distributed over 450 free doses of influenza vaccine to town residents during this year's immunization program. An additional 30 persons were inoculated with the **pneumonia vaccine**. A limited supply of pneumonia vaccine remains. If you are age 65 or over and have never received this vaccine, phone 434-7808 to schedule an appointment. Town Nurse Linda Camarra, R.N. is in her office at the Lymes' Senior Center weekdays from noon to 1PM for consultations, blood pressure checks and other health care services. Should in home nursing or other health related services be needed, please ask for the OLVNA, or call 434-7808.



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The **Old Lyme Visiting Nurse Association, Inc.** is included on Essex Savings Bank's Community Investment Program ballots. All donations received by the OLVNA support public health services and programs.

The Department of Social Services **Holiday Basket program** was a big success in helping 26 families. Social Services Coordinator Sherry Meyer thanks Coldwell Banker, the DEP, Duck River Garden Club, Essex Savings Bank, High Hopes Therapeutic Riding, Junior Women's Club, Lymes' Senior Center Club, Old Lyme Fire Department Auxiliary, LYSB, Reynolds Garage & Marine, and the "SOS" group. "Thank you for putting the holiday spirit and cheer into the families of Old Lyme this past holiday season!"

Thanks also to the Lyme Old Lyme Girl Scouts and Ruth Roach for coordinating a **Thanksgiving Meals on Wheels** program. On Thanksgiving Day, girl scouts delivered dinners to 4 Old Lyme families.

Mosquito season will begin again soon. Precautions to avoid mosquito bites include: Minimize time outdoors at dusk and dawn – Be sure door and window screens are tight fitting and in good repair – Wear shoes, socks, long pants, and long sleeved shirts – Clothing material should be tightly woven – Use mosquito netting when sleeping outdoors – Consider using mosquito repellent when it is necessary to be outdoors and always use them according to label instructions – When using DEET, use the lowest concentration effective for the time spent outdoors and wash treated skin when returning indoors – Do not apply under clothing, to wounds or irritated skin, the hands of children, or to infants less than 2 months.

Measures to get rid of mosquito breeding sites around the home include: Dispose of water-holding containers, such as ceramic pots, used tires, tire swings – Drill holes in the bottom of containers such as those used for recycling – Clean clogged roof gutters – Turn over objects that may trap water when not in use such as wading pools and wheelbarrows. Change water in bird baths on a weekly basis – Clean and chlorinate swimming pools, and when not in use, pool covers – Use landscaping to eliminate areas where water can collect on your property. The Town will be doing all that it can to make the summer safe and pleasant. Phone 434-1605, ext 214 with questions or concerns.

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

FGM- Florence Griswold Museum 434-5542 OL/PNG - Old Lyme/Phoebe Griffin Noyes Library 434-1684
LAA - Lyme Art Association 434-7802 Lyme Academy College of Fine Arts 434-3571 High Hopes Therapeutic Riding 434-1974
Landfill 434-2337 Lymes' Senior Center 434-4127 LYSB- Lymes' Youth Services Bureau 434-7208 Town Hall 434-1605
Old Lyme's designated Emergency Shelter is Lyme Old Lyme High School

The OLPGN series on the Natural History of the Lower CT Valley continues with Walks & Talks from March through May with the Tidewater Institute's Judy Preston. Check calendar listings marked with**

Florence Griswold Museum presents **The "Holy House": Spirit of a Place** through May 28, 2006; **Finding Religion: American Art** from the Hartford Steam Boiler Collection, Jan 14 -May 28

Lyme Art Association presents **Wonders of Winter: 14th Annual Associate Artist's Exhibition**, Jan. 20 - March 4

Lyme Academy College of Fine Arts: Old Lyme Historical Society Postcard exhibition, Jan 10 - Feb 25

"Looking at Herself, Self-Portraits by Susanna Coffey, Anne Harris and Susan Hauptman," Chauncey Stillman Gallery. through March 1; March 10-April 11: Scholarship Recipients Exhibition, Chauncey Stillman Gallery.

March 10-18: Future Choices Exhibition, sponsored by the Shoreline Arts Alliance, Sill House Galleries.

March 24-April 1: Lyme/Old Lyme School District Exhibition, Sill House Galleries. April 21-May 27: Senior BFA Projects, Chauncey Stillman Gallery. May 13-August 20: 30th Annual All Student Exhibition. Opening Reception: May 13, following the 3pm Commencement Ceremonies.

FEBRUARY

14... Old Lyme VNA's Adult Audio Screening Clinic at County Hearing and Balance, 83 Halls Road 10 am to noon
Phone for appointment 434-7808

16.... Winter Art Lecture Series at LAA, 6PM 19th Century Landscapes

..... High Hopes Volunteer Orientation from 4:30-7:30PM. Please call 434-1974 for information.

20... deadline for applications for real estate appeals before the Board of Assessment Appeals

21.... High Hopes Volunteer Orientation from 9AM-noon. Please call 434-1974 for information.

..... Old Lyme VNA's Adult Audio Screening Clinic at County Hearing and Balance, 83 Halls Road 1 to 3PM Phone for appointment 434-7808

21-23... Winter Wonderment at the FGM. A family festival of special activities, 10am to 5pm.

22... Arts & Crafts Hour at OLPGN, 2pm for ages 4 to 7 at OLPGN. Register

23...Pajama Party at OLPGN 6 to 6:30pm for 18 months to 3 year olds. Bring a stuffed animal. Register.

24... Arts & Crafts Hour at OLPGN, 2pm for ages 4 to 7 at OLPGN. Register

25...High Hopes Spring Program Begins

27...**Internet Safety for Parents, 7PM.** at LOL Middle School. Free

Winter Stories for pre schoolers continue at the OLPGN through March. Registration required

MARCH

1...**Anticipating Spring at OLPGN 7pm

....**words+pictures: Children's Books Linked to Exhibitions at FGM.** 11am (for ages 3-5) *A Quiet Place* by Douglas Wood

6... Family Book Voyager 1, 6 to 7pm, at OLPGN for families with children ages 6-10. On March Mondays, each session highlights a theme significant to this age using selections of traditional and contemporary children's literature.

8... **Children's Books Linked to Exhibitions at FGM.**, 3:30pm (for ages 6-9) *Old Turtle* by Douglas Wood

12...Lymes' Senior Center's 12th Anniversary at a wine & cheese reception, 2 to 4pm. RSVP to Sherry 434-4127

13..... Family Book Voyager 2, 6 to 7pm

15... Rock of Ages: The Religious Songs of Charles Ives, Connecticut's Master Composer at FGM, 7pm Fee

.... **Children's Books Linked to Exhibitions at FGM,** 3:30pm (for ages 10+) *The Witch of Blackbird Pond* by Elizabeth Speare

17.. St. Patrick's Day Storytimes for ages 2 to 5, OLPGN, 11am

14... High Hopes Volunteer Orientation from 4:30 to 7:30PM. Please call 434-1974 for information

16, 17, 18.... "The Boyfriend," LOLHS spring musical. Tickets at The Bowerbird, The Turning Page

18..**Walk: Chapman Pond in East Haddam. Meet at OLPGN 9am

19... FGM Lecture Re-Discovering America: New Ports of Embarkation, New Points of Entry 2pm

- 20..... Family Book Voyager 3, 6 to 7pm
Registration begins for OLPGN Spring Storytimes
 23... 7pm at FGM *The Naked Truth: An Original Monologue* by Jamie Callan Fee: \$12 (\$10 members)
 24...Cornell University Women's Chorus performs at Christ the King Church
 25.....High Hopes Volunteer Orientation from 3 to 6PM
 25.....Wine & Cheese Event to Benefit Graduation Party for the Class of 2006. 7 to 9pm, Lyme Art Association.
 26.... Old Lyme Conservation Trust's celebratory 40th Annual Meeting, 3 to 5PM, at the Grange Hall on Lyme St
 27..... Family Book Voyager 4, 6 to 7pm

APRIL

- Nature and Science Series** featuring the Denison Pequotsepos Nature Center takes place at OLPGN Thursdays in April and May for children ages 5 and up. Please call the library for more information.
 2...Chamber of Commerce presents **A Taste of Old Lyme**
 3...**Spring Storytimes** begin at OLPGN. Register.
 5...**Special Plants and Natural Communities of the LCV. 7pm
 6..... High Hopes Volunteer Orientation from 4:30pm.-7:30pm. Please call 434-1974 for information.
 8...Old Lyme Fire Dept's Annual Fishing Derby (grades k to 5) 7 to 11AM at Cross Lane Park
Annual Fire Auxiliary's Pancake Breakfast at Cross Lane 7 to 10:30AM
 ...LYSB's Spring Spectacular, 1 to 3pm
 ...9th Annual **Bookworm Ball** sponsored by the Friends of the OLPGN Library, 7:30 to midnight at OL Country Club.
 Tickets: \$35 at OLPGN
 10... **Easter Stories and Egg Hunt** 6pm, ages 3-6 at OLPGN. Register.
 17.....High Hopes Volunteer Orientation from 9am-noon. Please call 434-1974 for information.
 17-22....Pat Parelli Clinic at High Hopes. Please call 434-1974 for information.
 22..."For the Horse" - A one day workshop at High Hopes. Please call 434-1974 for information.
 ...**Walk: Lay Property. Meet at OLPGN 9am
 24...LYSB's Sitter Safety Course begins & continues on May 1, 8, 15, 22. Register. Fee.
 28... Within the Budding Grove: Pilobolus Too Dances to Hassam's "June" at FGM, 7pm Fee: \$15 (\$20 at door)
 28, 29, 30.....**Expressions Art Show** presented by Junior Women's Club
 30.....Old Lyme Town Band Concert at Lymes' Senior Center, 2PM

MAY

- 3...**Launch into Spring on the Water, 7pm
 6... FREE DAY at the FGM, 10am to 5pm
 14.....Magic Fund Dressage Horse Show at High Hopes. Please call 434-1974 for information.
 19, 20... Duck River Garden Club **Annual Plant Sale** (4 to 7PM Friday; 8AM to noon Saturday), Old Lyme Shopping Center
 20...Walk: Haddam Meadows State Park. Meet at OLPGN 9am
 24..... High Hopes Volunteer Orientation from 4:30p.m.-7:30p.m. Please call 434-1974 for information.
 27-28..... Mark Russell Clinic at High Hopes. Please call 434-1974 for information
 29..... Memorial Day Parade at 11am.

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Transfer Station/Landfill Winter Hours: First week of October through end of April: Tuesday - Friday: 7:30 AM - 3:45 PM,

Saturday: 8:30 AM - 4PM. Closed Sunday and Monday;

Summer Hours: First week of May through end of September: Monday - Friday: 7:30 AM - 3:45 PM, Saturday: 8:30 AM - 4:00 PM. Closed Sunday.

A **Spring leaf collection** is scheduled for the week of May 2. Place leaves at curbside in biodegradable bags.

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The **Board of Assessment Appeals** will be meeting on Saturday, March 4 from 9AM to noon, Tuesday, March 7 from 6:30 to 8 PM and Thursday, March 9 from 6:30 to 8PM in the Assessors office. **Applications for Real Estate Assessment hearings must be made in writing on or before February 20.** Applications are available in the Assessors Office and must be returned in their entirety. **For Motor Vehicles only** the date has not been set.

For more information please contact Mickie Fraser, Administrative Assessment Technician (434-1605, ext. 219).



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- Memorial Day (last Monday in May)
- Fourth of July
- Labor Day (1st Monday in September)
- Thanksgiving Day (4th Thursday in November)
- Christmas Day (December 25)

In observance of **Memorial Day and Labor Day**, trash will be picked up: Monday - Holiday; Monday pick up will be done on Tuesday; Tuesday pick up will be done on Wednesday; Wednesday & Thursday pick ups will be done on Thursday; Friday pick up will be on schedule.

In observance of **Independence Day** (July 4th), trash will be picked up: Monday pick up will be on schedule; Tuesday - Holiday; Tuesday pick up will be done on Wednesday; Wednesday & Thursday pick ups will be done on Thursday; Friday pick up will be on schedule.

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