

May 2022



Chaplin Senior Center

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Plant and Grinder Sale – Be sure to come by and check out our Plant and Grinder Sale on Mother's Day weekend, Saturday May 7th from 10:00 till 12:30. Not only will we have a nice variety of plants, we will have some wonderful handmade gifts, created by some of our members that Mom will just love! Place your order for grinders ahead of time by calling the center at 860-455-1327.

Paint and Sip – You won't want to miss our paint and sip class on Thursday May 26th, 10:00am till Noon. This will be a step-by-step instructional painting on slate class. Space is limited, so call and reserve your spot by Wednesday May 18th. \$5.00 for materials.

Bicentennial Talk: Ruth Snow Bowen, Chaplin Quilt Maker
Saturday, May 21st
1:00 – 2:00 pm

Chaplin resident and artist Catherine Whall Smith will share the history of former Chaplin resident and artist Ruth Snow Bowen, who lived on Chaplin Street and sold many of her wonderful quilts throughout Connecticut. Each month the library is displaying small fiber art pieces of homes on Chaplin Street paired with a quilt from Catherine's collection.

SING-A-LONG WITH ELLEN – Bring your voice on July 2nd, at the Chaplin Congregational Church after the 2:00pm Reenactment of the 1st Town Meeting. 200 years of music in 30 minutes! Patriotic tunes, children's songs (for the kid in all of us) and popular melodies, followed by refreshments. Then the Babcock Band at Garrison Park at 4:00pm.

Quick Fix Haircuts – Cindi will be at the center on Thursday May 19th for all of your haircare needs. Call 860-455-1327 to schedule your appointment.

Massage with Carlie – Massage therapy appointments can be scheduled for Thursdays, May 12th and 26th. \$30.00 for ½ hour and \$50.00 for an hour.

COVID-19 Test Kits – Don't forget the Chaplin Senior Center has plenty of test kits and N95 masks free for Chaplin residents. Stop by and ask Lisa for some.

**CURBSIDE PICKUP OR DINE IN LUNCHES
CHAPLIN SENIOR CENTER**

Every Monday and Wednesday

\$5.00 a meal

Pickups will be from 11:45 till 12:15

**You must call in your order on the Thursday before by 2:00pm for
Monday Lunch and call in on Monday before for Wednesday lunch.**

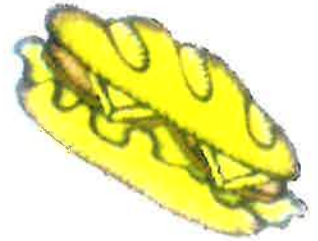
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May 2022 Menu

- Monday May 2nd - Swedish Meatballs over Noodles, Vegetable,
Dinner Roll and Dessert**
- Wed. May 4th - Chicken Parmesan w/ Pasta, Garden Salad
Garlic Bread and Dessert**
- Monday May 9th - Grilled Salmon, Roasted Potatoes, Roasted
Asparagus, Dinner Roll and Dessert**
- Wed. May 11th - Chicken Chow Mein over Basmati Rice,
Fortune Cookie and Ice Cream**
- Monday May 16th - Cheese Ravioli w/ Homemade Sauce, Tossed
Salad, Garlic Bread and Dessert**
- Wed. May 18th - Roast Pork w/ poached Apples, Mashed
Potatoes, Fresh Bread, Rhubarb Custard Cake**
- Monday May 23rd - 2 Beef or Cheese Burritos w/ Spanish Rice
Taco Chips, Guacamole, Sour Cream & Flan**
- Wed. May 25th - Jumbo Hotdog on a Steak Roll, Baked Beans,
Pickle, Potato Chips and Dessert**
- Monday May 30th - NO LUNCH - Closed for Memorial Day.**



Plant and Grinder Sale Chaplin Senior Center



Saturday May 7th 10:00am till 12:30

Rain or Shine!!

We will have a nice assortment of plants to purchase including Vegetable, Herbs, Flowers, Hanging Baskets and houseplants!

We will also have some super cute handmade gifts to purchase for Mom this Mother's Day!!



Friends OF THE
CHAPLIN
PUBLIC LIBRARY

The Friends of The Chaplin Public Library

will have a table with used books for sale along with some adorable flower vases to purchase, perfect for Mother's Day!

We will also be selling grinders and a cookie for \$8.00 curbside pick up.

We will be offering Turkey, Ham, Italian Combo and Vegetarian with a variety of veggies. All grinders can be made with lettuce or cabbage, tomato and provolone cheese. (No condiments)

Please call the center at 860-455-1327

By 2:00 on Wednesday May 4th to place your order.

Celebrate Chaplin's 200th Birthday 2022!

You are invited to participate in any and all of these events.

February 16 – Talk - Trouble in the Land of Steady Habits: The Constitution of 1818 and How This Relates to Chaplin. State Historian Walt Woodward. Presented via Zoom. Email LibraryDirector@chaplinct.org to register and get the Zoom link.

March 16 – Talk - The Story of Benjamin Chaplin's Will. Gavin Horning-Kane and Brendan Kane. 6:30 pm. Chaplin Library

March 26 – Talk - History of the Chaplin Congregational Church. Alex Hill. Ice cream social following. 1:00 pm. Chaplin Library.

April 2 – Talk - History of the William Ross Library. Columbia Town Historian Ingrid Wood and Leslie Ricklin. 1:00 pm. Chaplin library

May 21 – Talk - Ruth Snow Bowen, Chaplin Quilt Maker. Cathy Smith. 1:00 pm. Chaplin Library.

May 28 - Walk the Hubbard Parcel. Joshua's Trust host. 10:00 am. Meet at Chaplin Town Hall.

June 4 - PTO's Bicentennial 5K race. 9:00 am

June 11 – Cemetery Walk. Rusty Lanzit. Chaplin Street Cemetery. Time: 3:00 pm

July 2 - Reenactment of Chaplin's 1st town meeting. 2:00 pm. Chaplin Congregational Church. 4:00 pm: Babcock Band plays at Garrison Park.

July 9 – Walk along the Natchaug River. Rusty Lanzit. 11:00 am.

August 13 – The History of Chaplin Place Names. Warren Church. 1:00 pm. Chaplin Library.

September 10 - All day Celebration with Fireworks at Garrison Park! Town photo, music, food.

October 15 - Walk at Two Sisters Preserve with Joshua's Trust host. 10:00 am.

October 29 - Walk on Chaplin Street focusing on History & Architecture. Jean Givens, Cathy Smith, Peggy Church. 10:00 am. Meet at south end of Chaplin St. and Route 198 (Museum).

November 5 - Talk - Chaplin's Homes Rendered in the Fiber Arts with Photos. Cathy Smith and Bruce Raymond. 1:00 pm. Chaplin Library.

November 13 - Hike up Rattlesnake Mountain. Time: TBA

For questions about any of the talks or walks, or if you'd like to volunteer to help with a parade or another event, please PM our page.

Paint and Sip

I hope you will join Linda Gebhardt

For a step by step instruction painting on slate class.

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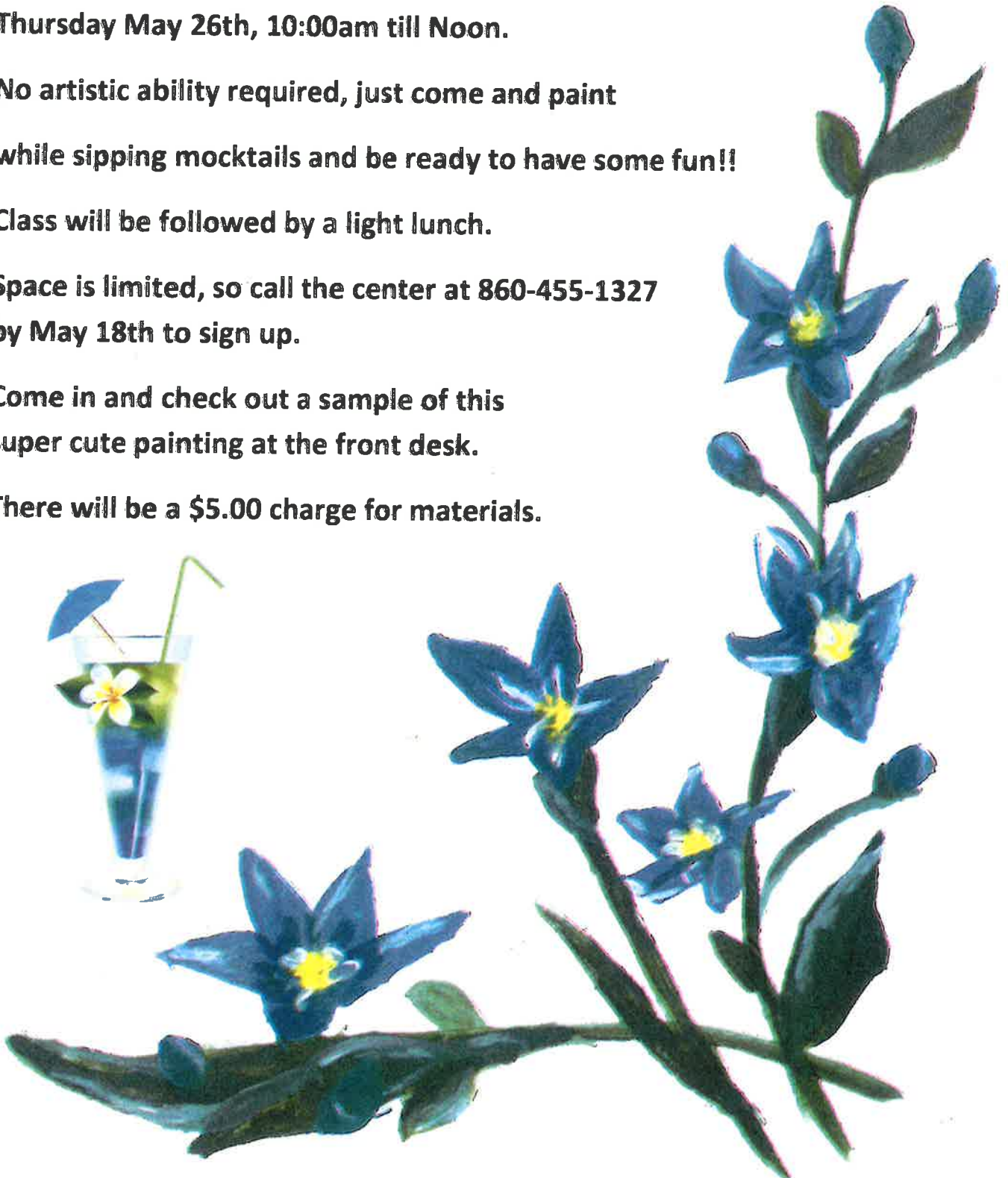
No artistic ability required, just come and paint
while sipping mocktails and be ready to have some fun!!

Class will be followed by a light lunch.

Space is limited, so call the center at 860-455-1327
by May 18th to sign up.

Come in and check out a sample of this
super cute painting at the front desk.

There will be a \$5.00 charge for materials.



Chaplin Senior Center Monthly Calendar

May 2022

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY
2 9:00-10:00 Fit & Fun 9:30 Wii Bowling 9:30-11:30 Pickleball 11:00 Yoga 11:45-12:15 LUNCH see Menu	3 9:00 - 10:00 Fit & Fun 10:00 Board Meeting 10:00 Memoir Group 10:00 Mahjongg	4 9:30 - 11:30 Pickleball 9:45 - 11:45 Bingo 11:45 - 12:15 Lunch see Menu	5 8:00 Continental Breakfast 9:00 - 10:00 Fit & Fun 10:00 Poker /Cards
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Saturday Morning Walking Club

(Weather Permitting)

This could be a fun way to visit with people and still stay safe. We will meet at the destination at 9:00am.

May 7th- NO WALK Plant and Grinder Sale

May 14th- Bujack Lane in Chaplin. Right off Tower Hill Road past the Russ Cemetery. Park along the side of the road in front of the Bernard Church Woods sign. This is a nice easy walk down a quiet country road. This walk can be extended down the dirt road, with some pretty good inclines to come back up.

May 21st - Natchaug Forest, Take Morey Road off 198, go over the bridge and take the second left(dirt road). Park alongside off road.

May 28th - NO WALK Memorial Weekend!!

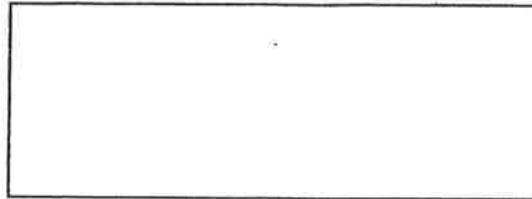


Sign up for email notifications for Town Events and Meetings!

The Selectman's Office will send out notifications to the residents via email to keep everyone up to date on upcoming events, meetings, public hearings, elections, and emergency events. To sign up for the emails please go to our website on our HOME page and click the Google Groups sign up link.

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Chaplin is celebrating its Bicentennial in 2022!
**T-shirts, maps and calendars with town photos
and upcoming celebratory events are for sale at the
Senior Center and Library.**