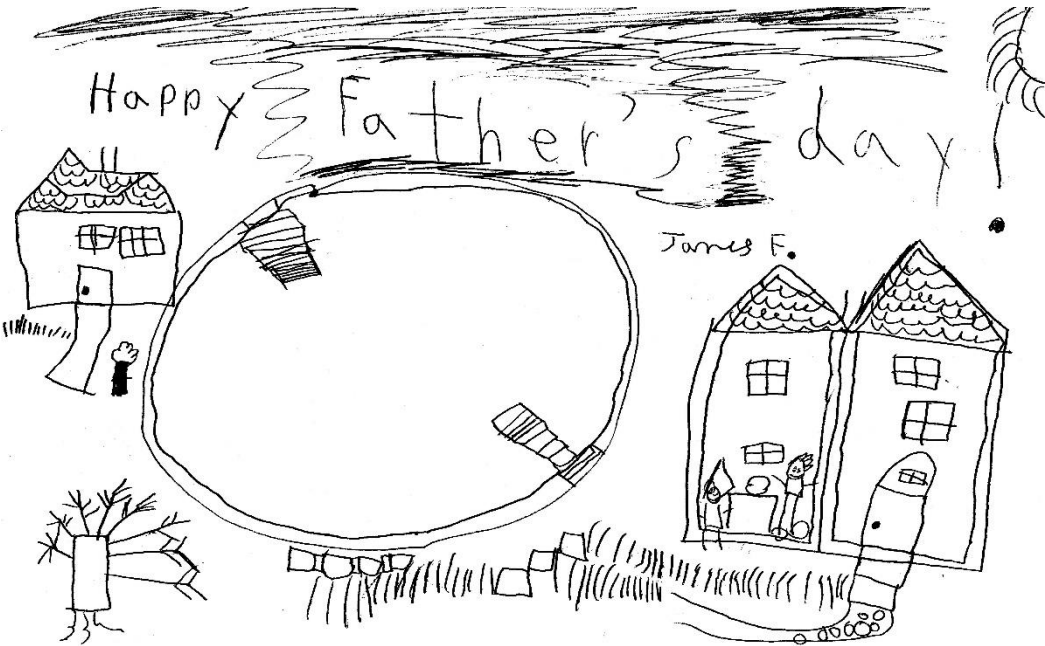


Congregational Church of Phillipston, U.C.C.
60 The Common
Phillipston, MA 01331



Phillipston
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The Phillipston Congregational Church, U.C.C.

Our Community Church

Sunday Service at 10:00 a.m.

Sunday School begins at 10:00 a.m.

Dear Friends,

We are in June, the time of the Village Bazaar. Recently, Anne Marie Geyster told me that she grew up at the Bazaar, which is a huge compliment to the community. Young people have helped moved the treasures, and sold ice cream at the chuck wagon, and operated the games. Thank you to all the Scouts who have helped through the years, including Anne Marie, and the Scouts who will be there this year, running the games, and moving the heavy stuff all day!

You are all invited to our Village Bazaar on Saturday, June 8 from 10:00 to 6:00 p.m. The Attic Treasures will be at the Transfer Station beginning at 8:00 a.m., and the rest of the events, including Ryan's Run will be on the Common. We will have wonderful entertainment from 4:30 to 6:00 by the North County Accordion Club. Jane French, church organist and accordion player extraordinaire is a member. The concert will be sponsored by an anonymous donor. I would recommend that you bring a lawn or folding chair, maybe some bug spray and be ready to enjoy! Tickets are available from Pam Campos cell 978-894-3683 for the Chicken Barbecue.

Your sister in Christ, Rev. Stephanie C. Flynn

THE NEWSLETTER IS ON www.phillipston.com
July 2024 NEWSLETTER DEADLINE IS June 23rd
For more info go to : www.phillipston.com/priceinfo.pdf

VILLAGE BAZAAR

On Phillipston Common

June 8th 10 AM – 6 PM

Attic Treasures @
Transfer Station
Starts @ 8AM

Our Famous Chicken BBQ
\$15/each ~ 4:30-6 PM
Call Pam @ 978.894.3683
To Reserve Now!

Ryan's 5K Run/Walk
Register @ 2PM
Race Starts @ 3:30
Supports NRHS Scholarships!

Local Favorite Chuck Wagon!
Burgers, Dogs, Beverages &
more!

Toys - Jewelry - Coffee Can Auction
Plants - Books

North County Accordion Club 4-6 PM

Socks for the Homeless

A donation box will be set up on the steps of the church.

Please consider donating new pairs of socks for this

mission.

COUNTRY FARM FEST 2024

Sat. Aug. 3rd 10 am - 9 pm



455 Highland Ave., Phillipston, MA 01331

Proceeds support Jonathan Edward Aukstikalnis Character Recognition Fund, Inc.

This will be an AWESOME EVENT!
Support local youth while having a blast!
More details in the JULY Newsletter!

Concert Tickets

\$20 at the gate

\$5 children <12

(978) 895-5762



www.ccandtheboys.com

CC and The Boys 6 pm - 9 pm

A Pro Country/Southern Rock Party and Showband based in NYC and featured as a house band at such notable country venues as "Opry City Stage" in Times Square, the famous Williamsburg Honky Tonk "Skinny Dennis" and Blake Shelton's venue "Ole Red" in both Nashville and Gatlinburg, Tennessee!



Raffles

Delicious Food
Jonathan Merch

Fun for Kids

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**Rock Painting**  
**Face Painting 1-3**  
**Nicole - Face Escape**  
**And More!**



**Stan Finch 5 PM**

# Phillips Free Public Library

## **Library Hours**

Tuesday 9-2pm

Wednesday 5-7pm

**Saturday 9-1 pm**

## **Board of Trustees Meeting:**

June 4, 2024, 6pm.

\* **“like” our Facebook page**

**Phillips Free Public Library**

## **Library Open House & CWMars Launch**

We will be holding an Open House during the Bazaar on Saturday, June 8. June 8 from 10am- 1pm Stop by and celebrate the library’s participation in the CWMars network... as we begin circulating online and issue Phillips Free Public Library cards! There will be a fun planting activity for children and Light refreshments will be served. ALL ARE WELCOME... Please stop by!!

## **New Materials**

**New books include:** Women and Children First: a novel by Alina Grabowski, Say More:

Lessons from Work, the White House and the World by Jen Psaki, Only the Brave by

Danielle Steel, Funny Story by Emily Henry, Diavola: a novel, by Jennifer Thorne, One

Perfect Couple by Ruth Ware, In My Time of Dying by Sebastian Junger, Mind Games by

Nora Roberts, Think Twice by Harlan Coben and You Like it Darker by Stephen King

**New Children’s books include:** The Secret Elephant by Ellan Rankin and The Truth about the Couch by Adam Rubin

## **BOOK CLUB**

The Book club’s next read is: Run Away by Harlan Coben. Stop by to pick up your copy.

We will meet later in June to discuss. New members are ALWAYS welcome to join this fun and lively group!

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## **Lions Breakfast**

June 15, 2024, 8:00 am to 11:00 am

Special “Summertime Omelet”

Omelet, (3 eggs) homefries, Sausage, Juice, Drink

All for \$9.00

Phillipston Church On the Common

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## **Grill Raffle**

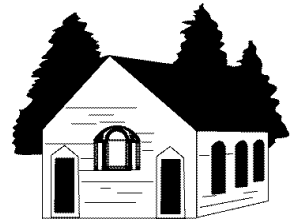
Starting June, Tickets from any Phillipston Lion or at Breakfast.

1 / \$2.00 or 3 / \$5.00

Money goes back to community projects.

## *The Historical Society of Phillipston, Inc.*

The museum was closed last summer for repairs and painting. These are finished now, and the building looks great! Also. We have the Doodlebug and the Town's original safe in a new shed on the property. The museum staff is setting up several new exhibits and updating others. If you are interested in helping, stop by when you see cars there or call Jane French, our Curator at 978-249-4356.



We are planning some open hours this summer and will let you know when. Hope to see you there.

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MUSIC Dance.edu presents...

### Hip Hop Chair Dance for Seniors!

Brought to you by---

Phillipston Cultural Council

&

Massachusetts Cultural Council

**Tuesday, June 4, 2024 at 11am.**

This program is brought to you by a generous grant provided by your local cultural council, a local agency which is supported by the Massachusetts Cultural Council, a state agency.

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#### **Phillipston Lions Club**

Come Join Us on Tuesday, June 11, at 7 PM at the Phillipston Library.

If you have any questions, please call Marilyn 978-503-2269.

We're always looking for new people to serve our community.

#### **Vendor Fair – Phillipston Common**

August 3, 2024 – 9:00 am to 3:00 pm

Cost \$25.00 a space (outdoors)

Please call Marilyn 978-503-2269

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#### **The Phillipston Youth Supports (PYS)**

A quarterly meeting will be held on June 6, 2024 at 6:30

330 Highland Ave All are welcome.

This date is a change from the previous date listed for June.

# **Congratulations Graduates!!!!!!!!!!**

The Agricultural Commission has been busy...

The Farmer's Market will be held every Wednesday starting June 1, 2024 – October 31, 2024, weather permitting at the Phillipston Common. There is no set up fee. We are looking for crafters, any types of vendors, people who make homemade products, egg sellers and when vegetables and fruits come in, please join us.

We are still looking for entertainment or people who do face painting, balloon animals etc... this will be paid by donations or what the artist charge. We do not have the funding to pay. For more information and applications please contact Marilyn at 978-503-2269.

The Community Garden, we are excited to say this year the plots are full for the year. Dennis had to make a few more to accommodate for what was requested and they were done. Any questions on gardening tips, contact Dennis at 413-658-7889.

Also, we have been trying for many years to get a shed at the community garden and through the Community Preservation Open Space Reserve we are able to purchase a shed to store equipment there for the gardeners to use and the garden equipment there. We are very grateful to the to the Community Preservation Open Space Reserve for your help for make such a big part of what we needed come together for us.

Pumpkin Contest, we are still working on exciting things for this coming year. Watch for more information

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## “ATTENTION PHILLIPSTON VOTERS

Please pay attention to the town website, postings at the Phillipston library, King Phillip Restaurant and at the town hall for a special town meeting for the town budget and Narragansett school budget. The override did NOT pass at the election on May 20. Please attend the special town meeting. Call the town clerk's office for information. 978-249-1733

Thank You, Sylvia Haley

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PHILLIPSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT

OPEN HOUSE

SATURDAY JUNE 8<sup>TH</sup> - 9AM – 11AM

AT THE FIRE STATION

LIGHT REFRESHMENTS, FAMILY ACTIVITIES,

EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION

APPLICATIONS TO JOIN THE FIRE DEPARTMENT WILL ALSO BE  
AVAILABLE.

RAIN OR SHINE

# Bulky Waste Day

Phillipston Transfer Station  
Templeton Road Phillipston

**Date: Wednesday June 26, 2024  
and Saturday June 29, 2024**

**PLEASE NOTE: Prices may have changed.  
You may not drop off items on any other day.**

**AND**

**You must have a Transfer Station Sticker on your vehicle to gain access to the Transfer Station!**

## Acceptable Bulky Waste:

|                 |                                                           |                          |      |
|-----------------|-----------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|------|
| Stuffed Chairs  | \$20                                                      | Sleeper Couches          | \$40 |
| Couches         | \$30                                                      | Sleeper Love Seat        | \$30 |
| Love Seats      | \$20                                                      | Tables                   | \$20 |
| Recliners       | \$20                                                      | Desks: Small \$15/ Large | \$30 |
| Sectional Sofas | \$20 1 <sup>st</sup> Section, additional pieces \$20 each |                          |      |
| Carpet 10 x 10  | \$50                                                      |                          |      |

Other items determined by Transfer Station attendants.

**PLEASE NOTE: Mattresses and Box Springs cannot be dropped off as Bulky Waste. Per MGL they must now be recycled.**

**First come, first served until unit is full!**

**Payment Accepted: CHECKS ONLY**

**Absolutely NO Construction/Demo Waste**

Phillipston  
Common  
Sat. 6/22  
10 - 1 PM  
Sm. \$5 Lg. \$8



**STRAWBERRY  
SHORTCAKES  
ON THE  
COMMON**

Cash, Credit, PayPal &  
Venmo Accepted

Jonathan Edward Aukstikalnis Character  
Recognition Fund, Inc. is a 501c3 public charity.



**Raffle Basket**

Donations \$1/each  
\$20/arm's length