



Social Services NOVEMBER 2019

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Windsor C.A.R.E.S. ANNUAL FUNDRAISER Saturday, November 9th

L.P. Wilson Community Center 9am – 2pm

Come search for treasures, visit crafters, shop and enjoy lunch with friends. All proceeds benefit Windsor CARES and their mission to support community needs. (Windsor Senior Center) Items include: tools, holiday decorations, furniture, fashion accessories, household items and more.

Windsor Houses of Worship will be simultaneously be holding their Craft Show and Famous Bake Sale in the gym on November 9th. Admission to the gym is \$1.00 or a non-perishable food item for the Windsor Food Bank.

If you have questions or are interested in being a C.A.R.E.S. vendor, call contact Deb at Windsor Social Services 860-285-1839. Tables are \$20.00.

TURKEY PROGRAM

If you are a member of our food bank and have signed up to receive a turkey or chicken, please be sure to pick up your turkey on Thursday, November 21st from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM or 5:00 to 6:00 PM at the L.P. Wilson Food Bank. This program is offered to active food bank members and pre-registration is required. *No walk-ins will be accepted on the turkey distribution day.*

CLOSINGS IN NOVEMBER:

Monday, November 11th, Veteran's Day.
Thursday, November 28th, Thanksgiving
Friday, November 29th, holiday weekend
LP Wilson Closed. Food bank closed.

Thursday, November 21st, **turkey distribution**
Food Bank will be closed for both shifts on turkey distribution day.

MOBILE FOODSHARE IS MOVING TO A NEW LOCATION

Please watch for the announcement of the new location site for Mobile Foodshare. There are no more distributions at the Deerfield Road location. Please call Social Services with any questions. The Mobile Foodshare program comes to **Windsor** to provide fresh fruits and vegetables to individuals and families in need. Please bring your own bags as they will not be provided. Text FOODSHARE to 85511, then answer simple prompts to find additional sites on any given day.

Informative Seminar on UNITED HEALTHCARE DUAL COMPLETE PPO, RENEW ACTIVE BENEFIT and MEDICARE CHANGE

Join us for a conversation with guest speaker, David MacNiven, Licensed Life and Health Insurance Agent specializing in Medicare. This event will be held on **Monday, November 4th from 10:30-11:30 a.m. in the Windsor Senior Center.** Please call 860-285-1839 to RSVP.

ANTHEM COFFEE SOCIAL

Join us for a discussion on the Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield Medicare Advantage plans and benefits available to you. Whether you're choosing your first Medicare plan or switching to a new one, Anthem can help you choose the Medicare Advantage plan that best fits your lifestyle and budget. There is no obligation to enroll in a plan if you attend. This event will be held on **Friday, November 8th from 10:30-11:30 a.m. in the Windsor Senior Center.** Please call 860-285-1839 to RSVP.



GROCERIES TO GO
Nov. 1st & 15th
10:30 AM—11:30 AM
Windsor Senior Center



MOBILE FOODSHARE
New site information
will be announced soon.
Text FOODSHARE to 85511 for other sites.

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ENERGY ASSISTANCE UPDATE

CRT is currently taking appointments for the 2019-2020 energy season. Call (860) 560-2694 to schedule an appointment. All appointments must be scheduled through the Hartford main office.

Please contact Social Services at 860-285-1839 to discuss eligibility for utility assistance.

MEDICARE ANNUAL OPEN ENROLLMENT PERIOD

The Annual Enrollment Period for Medicare Part D and Medicare Advantage Plans runs thru Dec. 7th.

Caseworkers will be evaluating and comparing plans to see which would be best for you. Please call Maggie Goodman in Social Services at 860-285-1839 to schedule an appointment.

GOT MEDICARE QUESTIONS?

If you are confused about your medical insurance choices, we can help. Call the Social Services office and schedule an appointment with our CHOICES counselor, Maggie Goodman, who can help you to understand which insurance choice will be best suited for your needs. Call 860-285-1839.

NOVEMBER SNAP OUTREACH Supplemental Nutritional Assistance Program.

Wednesday, **November 6th** between 1:-4:00 pm and Friday, **November 22nd** between 9:-12:00 noon at the LP Wilson Community Center. Call 860-285-1839 for more information or to schedule an appointment.

ATTENTION FOOD BANK CLIENTS
Don't forget to BRING YOUR OWN BAGS to the food bank. The Windsor Food Bank is no longer be able to provide paper or plastic bags for your grocery distribution. You must bring your own bags **LABELED NEATLY WITH YOUR NAME ON THEM.**

VETERANS COFFEE HOUR

Meets the 4th Thursday of each month, 8:30 AM at the Windsor Senior Center, Senior Center Café Lounge, LP Wilson Community Center. Refreshments served.

MONTHLY GROUPS

Windsor C.A.R.E.S.: Meets the 2nd Tuesday of each month at the LP Wilson Community Center, AP1 room. This is a group of adults who are committed to volunteerism. The group takes on community service projects for people of all ages. Next meeting will be held **November 12th** at 1:00 PM. Call Deb for more info. at 860-285-1839.

Diabetic Support Group: Meets the 3rd Tuesday of each month at 11AM at the LP Wilson Community Center, AP1 room. This group is open to all diabetics and their family members. The next meeting will be on Tuesday, **November 19th** at 11am. Guest speaker, April Rich, Senior Nurse Case Manager of WellSpark Health will lead a focus discussion on diabetic medications with questions and answers thereafter. Call for more information at 860-285-1839.

Fitch Court SHARE Group: Now meets four times a year in September, December, March and June in the Community Room. This group is open to those who reside at Fitch Court. Each meeting has a different topic. The next meeting will be held in December. Call Maggie at 860-285-1839 for information.

C.A.R.E.S SOCKTOBER NEW WINTER SOCK COLLECTION

The winter months will be upon us before we know it. The winter months are extremely difficult for those who are homeless and need to stay warm. C.A.R.E.S. is collecting NEW winter socks to be distributed this holiday season to those in need. NEW socks can be dropped off at Social Services at LP Wilson Community Center. If you have any questions please call Deb at 860-285-1839. Your help will be greatly appreciated.

Meet the Social Services Staff

Enita Jubrey, Human Svc. Director

Jasmine Hall, Dept. Coordinator
Maggie Goodman, Caseworker &
Municipal Veteran's Svc. Contact
Susan Nunes, Administrative Aide

Andy Price, Caseworker
Deb Sheldon, Caseworker
Eliana Medina-James, Caseworker
Ted Hughes, Food Bank

