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Social Services DECEMBER 2019

LP Wilson Community Center 599 Matianuck Avenue 860-285-1839



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www.townofwindsorct.com/socialservices

THE WINDSOR SOCIAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT WISH ALL OF YOU & VERY HAPPY AND HEALTHY HOLIDAY SEASON! LAPPY HANUKKAH! MERRY CHRISTMAS! HAPPY KWANZZAA!



ECEME

IS THE MONTH TO SPREAD GOOD CHEER! NEVER UNDERESTIMATE THE POWER OF KINDNESS!

MONEY MATTERS & So Does Food!

Join us for a fun-filled morning to learn how to stick to your financial and wellness resolutions. Learn to budget and be mindful of how best to make your dollars matter at the grocery store.

The event will be held at the L.P. Wilson Community Center on Saturday, January 25th from 9:30 AM -12:00 PM.

There will be breakfast, vendors, and giveaways! Childcare for ages 3+ will be provided upon request (with a special visit from Dexter the Adventure Dog). Payment of \$5 per family is required at registration. Upon successfully completing the course, participants will receive their registration fee back as a user credit for future programs/events. Credit must be used within 12 months of registration. Register online or at the **Recreation and Leisure Service office or call 860-**285-1990.

This event is sponsored by the Windsor Youth Services Bureau, Wilson Branch Library, Social Services, and the Health Department.



GROCERIES TO GO Dec. 13th & 27th 10:30 AM-11:30 AM Windsor Senior Center



BE PREPARED WINDSOR AT RISK REGISTRY

DID YOU KNOW- The Town of Windsor has a voluntary At Risk Registry to identify Windsor residents who might need extra assistance during an emergency.

Who should register?

You (or someone on your behalf) should register if you may have difficulty during an emergency.

How can I register?

Log onto: <u>www.townofwindsorct.com/</u> <u>socialservices</u> and link to At Risk Registration. **|√**|



Call Social Services at: 860-285-1839.



Visit Windsor Social Services at: 599 Matianuck Avenue, Windsor, CT

If you are already on our At Risk Registry and any of your information has changed, please be sure to contact us to update your listing.

The Town of Windsor Working Together to Keep You Safe!

- Office of Emergency Preparedness
- Windsor Social Services •
- Windsor Commission on Aging and Persons with Disabilities



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CLOSINGS IN DECEMBER:

Wednesday, December 25th, Christmas Day LP Wilson Closed. Food bank closed.

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.

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.

DECEMBER SNAP OUTREACH Supplemental Nutritional Assistance Program. Wednesday, **December 4th** between 1:-4:00 pm and Friday, **December 20th** between 9:-12:00 noon at the LP Wilson Community Center. Call 860-285-1839 for more information or to schedule an appointment.

MOBILE FOODSHARE IS BACK! <u>NEW SITE INFORMATION</u> Hopewell Baptist Church 280 Windsor Avenue Every other Wednesday from <u>1:30-2:00 pm</u> December 4th and 18th

Mobile Foodshare is a supplemental food distribution program that comes to Windsor on alternating weeks to provide fresh fruits and vegetables to individuals and families in need. Please bring your own bags. No registration is required.

Text <u>FOODSHARE</u> to 85511 for additional Mobile locations when you need them. For more information contact Windsor Social Services at 860-285-1839.

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 **December 10th** 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, **December 17th** at 11am. 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.

VETERAN'S COUNSELING

The Hartford Vet Center Windsor location is open every other Friday from 8:00 am to 3:00 pm. Appointments are scheduled between 9am-3pm. CALL 860-563-8800 TO SCHEDULE AN APPOINTMENT.

WIC IN WINDSOR

WIC– Women, Infants, Children—is a supplemental nutrition program providing education and foods to young women and children. WIC meets at the LP Wilson Community Center on the first Tuesday of each month. Appointments are taken between 10:00 am and 1:00 pm. Call 860-757-4860 to schedule an appointment.

Meet the Social Services Staff



Enita Jubrey, Social Services 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