



WINTHROP WEEKLY

NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE TOWN OF WINTHROP

July 3, 2024

TOWN OF WINTHROP PUBLIC CALENDAR

All meetings and agendas are posted up to 48 hours in advance. Click on meeting information below to read posted agendas.

Monday, July 8th

School Committee	6:00 PM
Tree Committee	6:00 PM
Lou Camacho Memorial Dedication	6:00 PM

Corner of Herman and Atlantic Streets

Wednesday, July 10th

Commission for Diversity, Inclusion & Community Relations	6:00 PM
Commission on Disability	6:00 PM

Winthrop residents can easily access Town of Winthrop public meeting schedules and agendas with one click! Simply go to www.winthropma.gov

Winthrop Fireworks

July 4th 9:15pm Coughlin Park

The fireworks display is only made possible by the generous donations made by the community. Please consider making a donation by

dropping your cash/check made out to Winthrop Fireworks 207 Hagman Rd. Winthrop, MA 02452	visiting us on Eventbrite
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Rain Date July 5th 9:15pm

Holiday Overflow Collection

Independence Day, Thursday, July 4, 2024



On the first scheduled curbside collection immediately following a Town recognized holiday only, each unit in a 1-3-unit dwelling can place one (1) bin of overflow trash curbside for collection, in a lidded container provided by the resident, without the purchase of The Town of Winthrop overflow bags. Any overflow beyond the one permitted bin will need to be in the Town of Winthrop PAYT Overflow Bags and placed on the curb in a bin with a closed lid for collection. Questions? Call 617-846-1341 x 2609

REMINDER

Trash & Recycling Collection Delay

No collection on Independence Day, Thursday, July 4, 2024

All trash and recycling **AFTER the 4th** will be delayed by one day for the rest of the week.



The 142nd Annual Horrible's Parade

Winthrop's 142nd Horrible's Parade will be held on **Thursday, July 4, 2024, at 9 am.**

The parade kicks off at 9 am from the public landing, 770 Shirley Street, and ends with free festivities, a DJ, leg races, a blueberry pie eating contest, and awards for parade winners at Coughlin Park.

What category will you be entering in this year?

Best Float, (please park on the right-hand outside of the landing on Shirley Street,) Most Hilarious, Most Horrible, Most Patriotic, Most Original, or Most Beautiful?

Let's celebrate the 142nd Anniversary of one of Winthrop's most treasured hometown traditions and our Independence Day together!



Stay informed of all town notifications:

Sign up for Code Red & the
Town Manager's Blog
Town Website
Facebook

Contact the Town Manager's Office
(617) 846-1705

email: townmanageroffice@winthropma.gov



Town of Winthrop Upcoming Road Work



Winthrop Street & Revere Street Corridor

Project No. 607244-122603
Federal Aid No. CMQ-0036(014)X, STP-0036(014)X, TAP-0036(014)X A. R. BELLI, INC

Week of 7/8/2024

Drainage work from Almont Street toward Locust Street

Week of 7/15/2024

Drainage work from Locust Street to Summit Ave

Week of 7/23/2024

**Drainage work crossing Revere Street from Shirley Street
to Summit Street**

**Please follow all posted signage in the area.
EXPECT DETOURS AND DELAYS**

Questions? Call the Winthrop DPW at 617-846-1341.

Ditch the Drive July 5 - August 5 2024



PLAN YOUR TRAVEL. THE SUMNER TUNNEL CLOSURES JULY 5.



STREET SWEEPING SCHEDULE

Street Sweeping operations occur on the last full week of the month (last week with a Friday) from April through October between 7am and 4pm on the day of a street's trash collection. If there is a holiday on the week of street sweeping, sweeping is done one week early. Town ordinance prohibits on-street parking on the day of sweeping. Violation of the ordinance carries a \$40 fine, and your vehicle can be towed.

The 2024 street sweeping dates are:

April 22-26 (week of the 22nd)	May 20-24 (week of the 20th)
June 24-28 (week of the 24th)	July 22-26 (week of the 22nd)
August 26-30 (week of the 26th)	September 23-27 (week of the 23rd)
	October 21-25 (week of the 21st)

SUMNER TUNNEL IS CLOSED July 5 - August 5

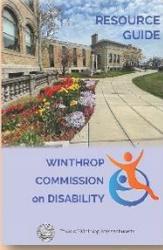


DITCH THE DRIVE AND FIND PUBLIC
TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS AT

MASS.GOV/SUMNER-TUNNEL

WINTHROP COMMISSION
ON DISABILITY

Resource Guide



The Winthrop Commission on Disability (WCCD) is dedicated to ensuring that individuals with disabilities have equal opportunities to participate in all aspects of our community.

We are excited to announce the release of our Free Resource Guide, which is packed with useful information about various services and programs that are available in Winthrop and Massachusetts to support individuals with disabilities of all ages.

This guide is designed to help individuals with disabilities feel empowered and included in their communities and homes. We encourage you to take advantage of this valuable resource and join us in promoting inclusivity and equality for all.

Free copies of the guide are available at Town Hall, Winthrop Library, and the Winthrop Senior Center.

Check out our web page for more info at
<https://www.town.winthrop.ma.us/492/Commission-On-Disabilities>

QUESTIONS? Email
CommissionOnDisabilities@town.winthrop.ma.us

SUNDAY MORNING YOGA ON THE BEACH WITH PETE SACCO

9 AM - WINTHROP BEACH
AT CUTLER STREET

FREE
EVERYONE WELCOME

SPONSORED BY
THE FRIENDS OF WINTHROP BEACH



Green Waste/Yard Waste Transfer Station Information



Open:
April 6th-December 7th, 2024

Hours:
Fridays: 9a-12p and 3a-6p
Saturdays: 9a-12p and 1p-3p

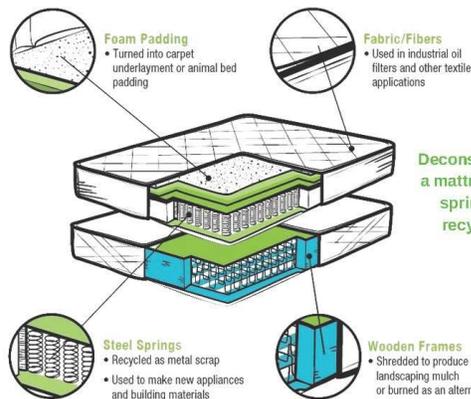
What is Green Waste? Green waste is yard waste which is banned from regular trash collection. This waste includes grass, leaves, vines, hedge trimmings, and small to medium-sized branches under 3" in diameter. Root balls and branches over three inches are not accepted. Other wastes, such as rocks, plastic, construction material, trash, or animal waste cannot be mixed with green waste.

Per the MassDEP, all mattresses & box springs in Massachusetts are banned from landfills & incinerators.

Mattresses & Box Springs must be recycled.
They will not be allowed in regular curbside pickup.

The Town of Winthrop mattress and box spring recovery will be handled by Capitol Waste. Mattresses and box springs recovery is open to ALL residents of Winthrop. You do not need to be a current trash stop with Capitol to participate. When you purchase a new mattress or box spring, request the company that delivers your new items to remove your old items.

To schedule a pick-up call Capitol Waste at 617-569-1718. You will need a credit/debit card to schedule a pick-up. \$70 for 1st unit, and \$45 for each additional unit. A unit is one piece. Limit 3 per pick-up.



WINTHROP COUNCIL ON AGING SENIOR VAN



The Senior Van runs Monday - Thursday from 8:45am to 3pm. Reservations must be made at least 2 weekdays in advance of your trip.

Medical rides will be prioritized. A full list of destinations and pricing is available on our website and in our newsletter. To schedule a ride, call the Senior Center at: 617-846-8538.

*Free Winthrop van rides are limited to two roundtrip rides per day.

Destination	Round Trip
Local (Winthrop Area)	FREE*
Revere MGH (Beach)	\$5
Stop & Shop	\$5
Beth Israel (Chelsea)	\$7
East Boston Neighborhood Health Center	\$7
Revere MGH (Broadway)	\$7
Chelsea MGH/Market Basket (Chelsea)	\$8



WE HAVE MOVED

Connecting to the Town of Winthrop just got easier.
Find us online at:

WWW.WINTHROPMA.GOV

Thrift Shop Dates - 2024
 First Church of Winthrop United Methodist
 217 Winthrop Street - Back Entrance
 Time: 10:00 am - 1:00 PM



2nd and 4th Thursday and Saturday of month
 Women's, Men's and Children's Clothing

Winthrop Organizing Committee Brings New England Championship to Miller Field, Patricia McGee track.



Nik Beshere, Winthrop track and cross-country coach, Paul Caruccio, Republican Town Committee chair, Tom Derderian Greater Boston Track Club coach, Jason Pollutro, AIA, NCARB, Project Architect at Elkus Manfredi Architects and member of the Winthrop Planning Board. Missing: Winthrop Library Trustee Gary Skomro, Chiropractor, Paul McGee.

In this Olympic year, Winthrop will host its first ever New England Track Championship on the evening of July 13. The meet, called Twilight by the Sea, will begin at 6 pm. Four preliminary events will run before the featured USA Track and Field New England 10,000 meter championship:
 A 100 meter sprint will start the limited program, followed by a youth 800 meter race, a series, and a 400 meter race preceding the 25 lap championship.

The mile races will offer a unique town competition by precinct. A special section of the mile will run for Winthrop residents only, with results tabulated by precinct. A prize will be awarded to the fastest miler, male and female, from each precinct. The entry fee for non-Winthrop runners is \$35, but for Winthrop residents in the exclusive Winthrop mile it is only \$15, and for Winthrop residents under 18, it is free. Coach Besheres hopes this meet will recruit more male and female runners for the town's high school fall cross-country teams.
 Who is the fastest miler in Winthrop? Who is the fastest miler in your precinct? Who is the oldest one? The youngest?
 In the open races runners will be preparing for the open New England Championships later in the month. (except for the 10,000m that will be contested only in Winthrop. USATFNE medals will be awarded for open men, women, and age groups. Coach Beshere is slated to run in this championship.

To ensure that the races are accurate to national record standards, the track will be lined with orange cones to qualify for record certification since the track that has no inner curb.

The meet is managed by the Greater Boston Track Club and sanctioned by the United States Track and Field Association.

Entry can be made at the Greater Boston T.C. web site, gbtc.org

The postmeet party will be at the Drop Zone, which will offer some tickets for event winners who are over 18. Scan code below for ticket information.




Ah, it's Spring at last!

Get your gardening books at Bookends for just 50c - \$1 ea.
 Winthrop Public Library, lower level




THE FARMERS MARKET IS BACK!

2024 MARKET DATES
 JUNE 16 & 30
 JULY 14 & 28
 AUGUST 11 & 25
 SEPTEMBER 8 & 22
 OCTOBER 6

Winthrop Art Association 

Day Trip To Gloucester

Sunday, August 25th

Leave Winthrop 10AM
 (at public parking lot on Putnam St., next to Citizens Bank)

First Stop is The Rocky Neck Art Colony

Lunch at the Studio Restaurant on Rocky Neck

Leave for the Cape Ann Art Museum at 2PM

Leave for home at 4:30

The Cost is \$75 with a \$25 deposit to hold your spot

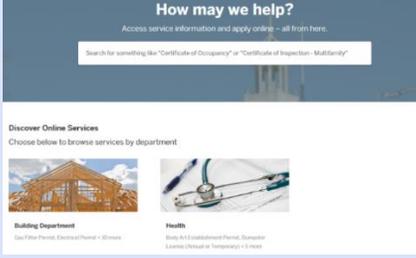
Contact: Dawn Mahoney, 49 Bartlett Rd., Winthrop MA 02152



APPLY FOR PERMITS ONLINE

The Town of Winthrop has partnered with OpenGov to drive efficiency for staff and improve the quality and convenience of services for community members with technology that automates permitting and licensing approvals processes, allows for online inspections management, and provides a user-friendly online portal for applicants. Residents can now apply for permits, request inspections and access information online from the Building Department and Public Health Departments.

<https://winthropma.viewpointcloud.com/>



MILLER FIELD PUBLIC ACCESS SCHEDULE

Monday - Friday 6:00 AM - 5:00 PM
 *(5:00 AM start on Wednesday and Thursdays)

Residents using the track must adhere to all posted rules and regulations.

TRACK RULES

- NO VEHICLES OR BICYCLES
- NO STROLLERS/CARRIAGES/WHEELED CARTS
- NO CLEATED SHOES
- NO ROLLERBLADES
- NO ANIMALS/PETS
- NO SPECTATORS ALLOWED ON TRACK

RECREATIONAL RUNNERS:
 DO NOT RUN IN LANES 1 & 2
 PLEASE ALTERNATE LANES 3 THROUGH 6

TURF RULES

- NO FOOD OR DRINKS (EXCEPT WATER)
- NO GUM OR SUNFLOWER SEEDS
- NO SMOKING, CHEWING TOBACCO OR VAPING
- NO METAL BASEBALL-STYLE CLEATS
- NO HIGH HEELS
- NO USE OF PAINT MARKERS OR CHALK
- NO STAKING OF ANY OBJECTS INTO THE TURF
- NO GOLFING
- NO ANIMALS ARE ALLOWED IN THE STADIUM EXCEPT TRAINED SERVICE ANIMALS
- NO SPECTATORS ALLOWED ON THE TURF

COMMUNITY ACTION PROGRAMS INTER-CITY, INC.
FUEL ASSISTANCE
 2023 - 2024 INCOME GUIDELINES

YOU MAY QUALIFY FOR FUEL ASSISTANCE & ENERGY DISCOUNTS IF YOUR GROSS INCOME IS UNDER THE FIGURES BELOW

Household Size	4 - Week Income	Household Size	Annual Income
1	\$3,783	1	\$45,392
2	\$4,947	2	\$59,359
3	\$6,110	3	\$73,326
4	\$7,283	4	\$87,394
5	\$8,438	5	\$101,261
6	\$9,602	6	\$115,228

WWW.CAPICINC.ORG
 (617) 884-6130

Chelsea Revere Winthrop

Improper disposal of trash and unwanted items is pollution. It is also illegal.

Improper disposal of any unwanted items, trash, yard waste, construction, or demolition debris is a violation of town ordinances and constitutes illegal dumping. Violators will be subject to fines. Remember, there are cameras all over town. See Ordinance B13.12.160

Unsure of how to dispose of something? Check the Town of Winthrop website www.town.winthrop.ma.us or call 617-846-1341 ext.2609

