



WINTHROP WEEKLY

NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE TOWN OF WINTHROP

August 1, 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.

School Committee

Monday, August 5, 2024, 6:00 PM
Harvey Hearing Room
[More Details](#)

Town Council

Tuesday, August 6, 2024, 7:00 PM
Harvey Hearing Room
[More Details](#)

Council on Aging

Wednesday, August 8, 2024, 10:30 AM
Senior Center
[More Details](#)

Winthrop residents can easily access own of Winthrop public meeting schedules and agendas with one click! Simply go to www.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 7/29/2024

Finish drainage work at Summit Ave.

Week of 8/5/2024

Catch basin installation on Revere St. from Summit Ave. to Govenors Dr.

Week of 08/12/2024

Start drainage work at Argyle St. to Hutchinson St.

Week of 08/19/2024

Drainage work Hutchinson St. toward Golden Dr.

Week of 8/26/2024

Drainage work from Golden Dr. to Sagamore Ave.

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

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

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



ENCANTO

FREE EVERYONE WELCOME

MOVIE NIGHT ON THE BEACH

FRIDAY, AUGUST 2, 2024 6 PM
WINTHROP BEACH AT CUTLER STREET

SPONSORED BY THE FRIENDS OF WINTHROP BEACH
AND THE WINTHROP PUBLIC LIBRARY AND MUSEUM





THE FARMERS MARKET IS BACK!

2024 MARKET DATES

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

MOVIE UNDER THE STARS
8:00PM - 10PM
Friday, August 9th
Bedtime Stories ft. Adam Sandler
BACK LAWN OF THE E.B. NEWTON BUILDING
FREE POPCORN & DRINKS
PLEASE BRING YOUR OWN CHAIR/BLANKET

EMAIL FOR MORE INFO
PCABALLERO@WINTHROPCASA.ORG

Class of 1975
WINTHROP HIGH SCHOOL
50th Reunion

A site has been launched to reach out to the Winthrop High School Class of 1975 to both reunite and to start the planning of a 50th reunion.

All 1975 Class Members Are Invited

The Site Includes:

- ◆ A Full-Featured Discussion Board
- ◆ A PDF Copy of the 1975 Yearbook
- ◆ A Winthrop Screen Background

<https://www.whs1975reunion.com>

CPYC
Soirée
to benefit
Make-A-Wish

JOIN US!
Cottage Park Yacht Club Summer Soiree
Friday, August 2, 7pm – 11pm
Gourmet Food and Beverage Tastings
Exclusive Auction and Raffle Prizes
Live Music
Tickets \$100 at cpyc.org/makeawish/
All proceeds benefit Make-A-Wish
Help make dreams come true for kids facing critical illnesses!

Winthrop Youth Football
Grades 3 - 8

REGISTER NOW!
REGISTRATION CLOSING AUG. 7

Scan for more info on our website

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.

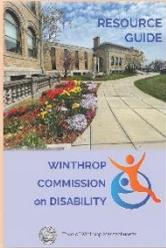
Medical rides will be prioritized. A full list of destinations and pricing is available on our website and in our newsletter. To schedule a ride, call the Senior Center at: 617-846-8538.

*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

WINTHROP COMMISSION ON DISABILITY

Resource Guide



The Winthrop Commission on Disability (WCOOD) 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



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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

Farmers' Market Coupons Available at the DeLeo Senior Center (35 Harvard Street)

for Winthrop Residents Only

A limited number of Farmers' Market coupons worth \$50.00 will be distributed on a first come, first served basis to eligible individuals who meet the following guidelines:

- 1) at least **60 years of age and**
- 2) monthly income at or below:

<u>Family size</u>	<u>Monthly income</u>
1.....	\$2,322
2.....	\$3,152
- 3) a Winthrop Resident

For each additional family member add \$830/month.

For information, please contact the Robert A. DeLeo Senior Center at 617-846-8538. Coupons can be picked up on a first come, first served basis Monday-Thursday between 9am-3pm and Friday from 9am-12pm.

The coupons are funded by the Massachusetts Department of Agricultural Resources and the U.S. Dept. of Agriculture.

This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

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

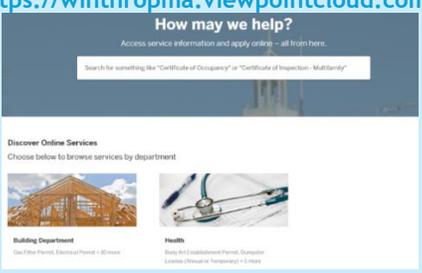
Unsured of how to dispose of something? Check the Town of Winthrop website www.town.winthrop.ma.us or call 617-840-1341 ext.2809




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/>



Proper Disposal of Needles and Syringes

Be Aware. Be Smart. Be Careful.

BE AWARE. Per the MassDEP, needles, syringes, lancets, and sharps containers may not be thrown in the garbage or recycling bins. These items are Hazardous Waste.

BE SMART. Medical waste regulations do not allow the disposal of sharps in household garbage. You can take your filled sharps container to a disposal (drop-off) site located at The Winthrop Police Station lobby drop box, and The Public Health Department, M-Th 8 am-4 pm, 1st floor of the E.B. Newton.

BE CAREFUL. Protect yourself, our community, environment, family, and friends. The proper disposal of needles and syringes is important!

- DO Put used syringes in a sharps container immediately.
- DO Keep needles away from children and pets.
- DO Bring a sharps container when traveling.
- DO NOT Throw sharps in the garbage or recycling bins.
- DO NOT Flush sharps down the toilet or drop into storm drains.
- DO NOT Clip, bend, or recap needles
- DO NOT share or reuse needles.

MG.L. c. 94C, § 27; MG.L. chapter 151, section 177A



PINK SPOT SALE

50% OFF

SUMMER READING SALE

July 29th — August 29th

50-cent hardcovers while stocks last!

BOOKENDS - THE LOWER LEVEL OF THE WINTHROP PUBLIC LIBRARY

Authors on sale: David Baldacci, Lee Child, Catherine Coulter, Clive Cussler, Janet Evanovich, John Grisham, Iris Johansen, Jonathan Kellerman, James Patterson, Louise Penny, Anne Perry, Preston & Child, J.D. Robb, John Sandford, Danielle Steele, & Stuart Woods.

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)	

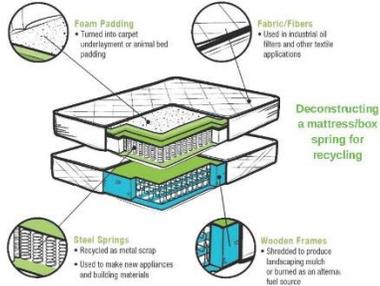
Per the MassDEP, all mattresses & box springs in Massachusetts are banned from landfills & incinerators.

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.



Deconstructing a mattress/box spring for recycling

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 617-846-2644



VETERANS FOOD BANK

Monthly distribution to Winthrop Veterans and their families.

1st Wednesday of the month (otherwise noted) from 9 AM - 11 AM in the Harvey Hearing Room on the ground floor of Town Hall

DATES:

10/4/23 11/1/23 12/6/23

2024

1/10/24* 2/7/24 3/6/24

4/3/24 5/1/24 6/5/24

7/10/24* 8/7/24 9/11/24*



CONTACT WINTHROP VSO PHIL PRONAN FOR MORE INFORMATION AT PRONAN@TOWN.WINTHROP.MA.US

Click here for information on MBTA Communities 3A Program FAQs



SAVE THE DATE!

Join us at Deer Island for a day of inclusive recreation and fun! And it's FREE!

SATURDAY AUGUST 24 12 noon to 3 PM

ACCESSIBLE ADVENTURES
A FUN DAY AT DEER ISLAND

- LEARN HOW TO FISH
- RIDE AN ADAPTIVE BIKE
- TAKE A PEDICAB AROUND THE ISLAND
- TAKE A BOAT TOUR AROUND THE ISLAND
- LEARN ABOUT THE HISTORY OF DEER ISLAND
- CHECK OUT RESOURCES

SCAN HERE TO REGISTER

OR CLICK HERE

To register by phone, call 617-240-2487

WINTHROP COMMISSION ON DISABILITIES

Friends of Winthrop Beach

WINTHROP TOWN

MASS

WINTHROP COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CENTER

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SUMMERSCHEDULE

CASA SUMMER HOURS BEGIN JULY 8, 2024
45 PAULINE STREET 2ND FLOOR OF THE EB NEWTON

MONDAY Middle School Drop-in 12PM-6PM	TUESDAY Middle School Drop-in 12PM-6PM
WEDNESDAY Q Club 4:00 PM-7:00 PM Middle School Drop-in 12PM-6PM	THURSDAY Middle School Drop-in 12PM-6PM
FRIDAY Middle School Drop-in 12PM-6PM	MAJOR EVENTS Mentors Begins - July 9th Keep your eyes peeled for additional CASA events this summer!!

WINTHROP – QUINCY FERRY (F6)

Winthrop – Quincy – Logan Airport – Seaport – Aquarium

Weekday Schedule Effective April 29, 2024

Weekday service operates April 29, 2024 to November 30, 2024.

Replaces schedule dated: September 1, 2023

To Boston					From Boston				
Winthrop	Quincy	Logan Airport	Seaport	Aquarium	Aquarium	Seaport	Logan Airport	Quincy	Winthrop
6:30 AM	6:50 AM	7:10 AM	7:20 AM	7:25 AM	7:30 AM	-	-	-	7:45 AM
8:00 AM	8:20 AM	-	8:40 AM	8:45 AM	8:50 AM	-	9:00 AM	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	10:00 AM	-	-	-	10:15 AM
10:30 AM	10:50 AM	11:10 AM	11:20 AM	11:25 AM	11:30 AM	-	-	-	11:45 AM
3:30 PM	3:50 AM	4:10 PM	-	4:20 PM	4:30 PM	4:35 PM	-	4:50 PM	5:15 PM
5:20 PM	-	-	-	5:40 PM	5:45 PM	5:50 PM	6:00 PM	6:15 PM	6:35 PM
6:40 PM	-	-	7:00 PM	7:05 PM	7:10 PM	7:15 PM	7:25 PM	7:45 PM	8:05 PM

Fares	Accepted Fare Products
Fares (One-Way) \$6.50 full fare \$3.25 reduced fare Children 11 and under ride free.	Paper Ferry tickets Commuter Boat passes Commuter Rail Zone 1 (or higher) passes M7 cards

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.

MILLER FIELD PUBLIC ACCESS SCHEDULE

Monday - Friday 6:00 AM - 5:00PM

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

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

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

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