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Saturday 6 June 2026 12:00PM - 5:00PM

VFW Post 5095 Community BBQ

★ ★ VFW POST 5095 ★ ★
 PRESENTS
COMMUNITY BBQ
Slow-Roasted BBQ Pig
Smoked BBQ Chicken
Savory baked Potatoes
Classic Baked Beans

\$15.00 PER PERSON
 SEE BARTENDER FOR TICKETS

JUNE 06
 12-5 PM

DRINKS AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE AT THE CANTEEN 🍷
 FAMILY-FRIENDLY OUTDOOR SEATING 🍽️
 PLENTY OF RAFFLES! 🎟️

NORTH MAPLE STREET, EAST HAMPTON, CT

FEATURED LISTING
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VFW Post 5095 Community BBQ

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Presented By
VFW Post 5095
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through May 2026 [Earth Day Can & Bottle Drive Supporting World War 2 Legacy Foundation Museum](#)

*Support the
World War 2 Legacy Foundation Museum*

Earth Day Can & Bottle Drive

Help us raise funds to support the museum while saving the planet. We will be collecting empty and clean bottles and cans throughout the months of April and May. You can drop them off at 61 Matthew Road, East Hartford or at the Museum by arrangement. (Please do not leave them outside the museum when it is closed)

CALL US AT (860) 810-8736

Thank You!

HELP SUPPORT THE MUSEUM

**World War II Legacy Foundation
Museum, Research & Education Center**
102 Pitkin Street, East Hartford 06108
WW2LegacyFoundation@yahoo.com

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Hosted by: [World War II Legacy Foundation Museum, Research & Education Center](#)

(860)810-8736

WW2LegacyFoundation@yahoo.com

Location(s):

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East Hartford

or by arrangements at
102 Pitkin Street, East
Hartford 06108

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Saturday 30 May 2026 8:30AM - 11:30AM

[Somers Veterans Coffeehouse](#)



SOMERS DEPT. OF VETERANS AFFAIRS
in partnership with
LEGACY OF SERVICE: SOMERS VETERANS FOUNDATION, INC.

VETERANS COFFEEHOUSE

HONORING THE FALLEN • 250 YEARS OF AMERICA • SUPPORTING OUR TROOPS

MEMORIAL DAY EVENT
Saturday, May 30, 2026 • 8:30 - 11:30 AM
SOMERS TOWN HALL AUDITORIUM • 600 MAIN ST., SOMERS, CT
VETERANS, FAMILY & COMMUNITY WELCOME

Join the Conversation: Hands-on History & Heartfelt Connection

BRING A GUEST!

SUPPORTED BY THE DEDICATED HEARTS OF UNPAID VOLUNTEERS

[Somers Veterans Coffeehouse](#)

Saturday, May 30, 2026,
8:30 AM to 11:30 AM

The Somers Department of Veterans Affairs and the Legacy of Service: Somers Veterans Foundation, Inc. are hosting the Veterans Coffeehouse Memorial Day Event at the Somers Town Hall. This community gathering offers a space for veterans, families, and neighbors to honor and remember those who served through shared stories, a dedicated Remembrance Board, a themed photo booth, and an information table. Both sponsoring organizations are dedicated to supporting local service members and families by providing assistance with VA claims, navigating benefits, and hosting educational and outreach initiatives that preserve the history and sacrifices of military service.

For more details about the event or the organizations, community members can reach out via email at Veterans@SomersCT.gov Or Info@LS-SVF.org, Or by calling (860) 272-4207.

Hosted by:
[Somers Department of Veterans Affairs](#) (860) 763-8201
In partnership with
Somers Veterans Foundation, Inc.
Location:
[Somers Town Hall Auditorium](#)
600 Main Street
Somers, CT 06071



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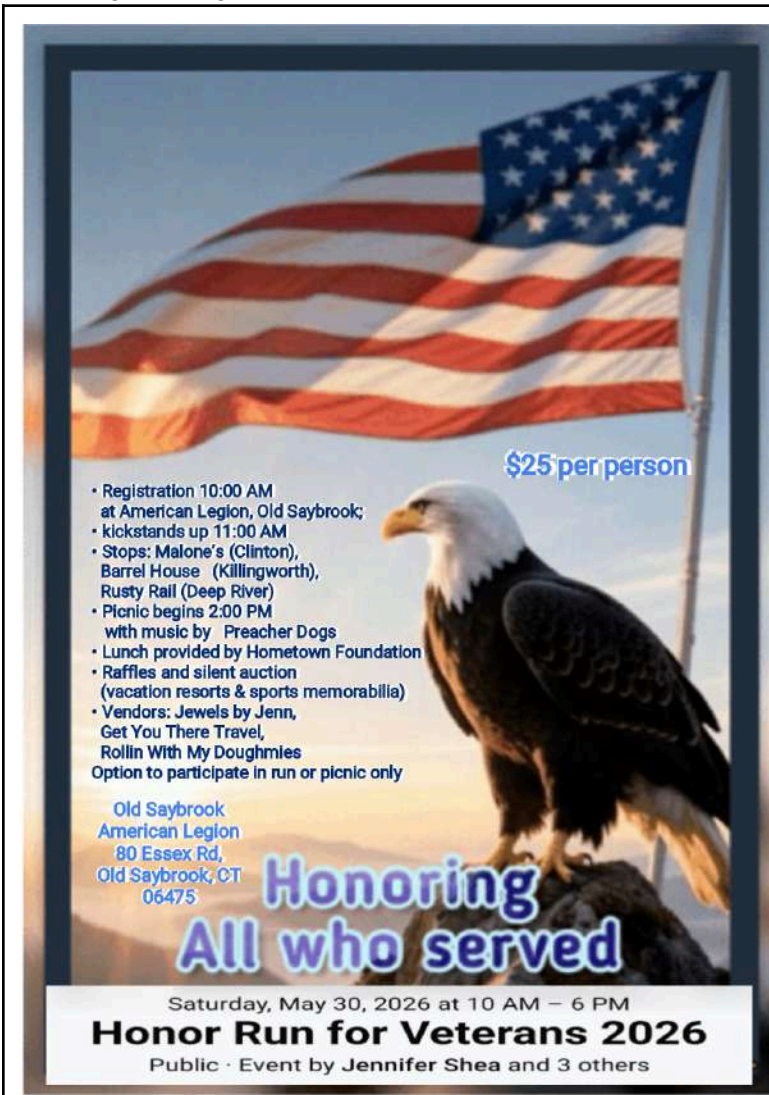
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Saturday 30 May 2026 10:00AM

[Fourth Annual Poker Run - Honor Run For Veterans](#)



\$25 per person
 • Registration 10:00 AM at American Legion, Old Saybrook;
 • Kickstands up 11:00 AM
 • Stops: [Malone's \(Clinton\)](#), [Barrel House \(Killingworth\)](#), [Rusty Rail \(Deep River\)](#)
 • Picnic begins 2:00 PM with music by [Preacher Dogs](#)
 • Lunch provided by Hometown Foundation
 • Raffles and silent auction (vacation resorts & sports memorabilia)
 • Vendors: [Jewels by Jenn](#), [Get You There Travel](#), [Rollin With My Doughmies](#)
 Option to participate in run or picnic only
 Old Saybrook
 American Legion
 80 Essex Rd,
 Old Saybrook, CT
 06475
Honoring All who served
 Saturday, May 30, 2026 at 10 AM – 6 PM
Honor Run for Veterans 2026
 Public · Event by [Jennifer Shea](#) and 3 others

[Fourth Annual Poker Run - Honor Run For Veterans](#)

SAVE THE DATE

The fourth annual Poker Run - Honor Run for Veterans will be held on Saturday May 30 with registration at the American Legion in Old Saybrook.

Registration at 10:00am with Continental Breakfast till **Kickstands up at 11:00**. Stops include [Malone's in Clinton](#), [Barrel House in Killingworth](#) and the [Rusty Rail in Deep River](#) then back to the American Legion.

The picnic starts at 2:00 with music by [Preacher Dogs](#) and lunch provided by the Hometown Foundation including appetizers, burgers, hot dogs and accompaniments plus amazing desserts.

Come for the run or just the picnic. \$25.00 a person lots of raffles and a silent auction for Vacation Resorts and sports memorabilia!!

We will also have a selection of vendors for your shopping delight.

Currently joining us:

[Jewels by Jenn](#)

[Get You There Travel](#)

[Rollin With my Doughmies](#)

See ya there!!!!

Hosted by: [Jennifer Shea](#), [Guy French](#), [Don J. Shea](#) & [Thomas Malone](#)

Location: [Old Saybrook American Legion](#),

80 Essex Rd,

Old Saybrook, CT 06475

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Saturday 30 May 2026 10:00AM - 4:00PM

[American Legion Post 12 Weekend At The Post](#)

 <p style="font-size: small;"> AMERICAN LEGION US AMERICAN LEGION </p> <p style="font-size: x-large; font-weight: bold;"> <i>Frank C. Godfrey</i> AMERICAN LEGION POST 12 Weekend at the Post <i>A Thank You to All Our Veterans!</i> OPEN HOUSE Saturday, May 30th 10 AM to 4 PM <i>Celebrating the</i> 250th Anniversary of America! THE SHERMAN TANK RETURNS! ALL ARE INVITED! </p>	<p style="color: blue; text-decoration: underline;"> American Legion Post 12 Weekend At The Post </p> <p> Saturday, May 30th, 2026 ☆ 10 AM to 4 PM Frank C. Godfrey AMERICAN LEGION POST 12 Weekend at the Post A Thank You to All Our Veterans! ★ OPEN HOUSE ★★ Celebrating the 250th Anniversary of America! THE SHERMAN TANK RETURNS! * ALL ARE INVITED! * Hosted by: Frank C. Godfrey American Legion Post 12 (203) 866-8249 Location: 60 County St, Norwalk, CT 06851 </p>
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Saturday 30 May 2026 4:00PM

[American Legion Post 2 Meatloaf Dinner With Wastin' Bullets](#)

**AMERICAN LEGION POST 2
BRISTOL, CONNECTICUT**

SAVE THE DATE!
SATURDAY, MAY 30TH
...for a special combined event! **Starts at 4PM**

ALWAYS POPULAR MEATLOAF DINNER

Enjoy our famous, homestyle meatloaf!

Clock Knife & Fork

* Generous portions of classic meatloaf



WASTIN' BULLETS LIVE MUSIC

Our very talented friends return for some great songs!



* Classic Rock, Country, & party hits
* Great songs for you to sing along with...
* And dance to!

A NIGHT OF DINNER, DANCING, AND MUSIC!

22 Hooker Ct, Bristol, CT 06010
(860) 589-0088 BRING FRIENDS • SMILES • FUN!

[American Legion Post 2 Meatloaf Dinner With Wastin' Bullets](#)

Saturday, May 30, 2026
4PM

Save the date- Saturday May 30th we'll have our always popular meatloaf dinner, and then our very talented friends [Wastin' Bullets](#) will be playing some great songs for you to sing along with, and dance to!

Hosted by:

[American Legion Post 2](#)
(860) 589-0088

Location: 22 Hooker Ct,
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Sunday 31 May 2026 8:00AM - 12:00PM

[Wolcott American Legion Pancake Breakfast](#)

<h2 style="margin: 0;">PANCAKE BREAKFAST</h2> <p style="margin: 0;">AT THE WOLCOTT AMERICAN LEGION POST 165 1253 WOLCOTT RD, WOLCOTT CT 06716</p> <p style="margin: 10px 0 0 0;">SUNDAY, MAY 31ST, 2026 8:00A.M.-12:00P.M.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: center;">  <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>BREAKFAST BY LA FORTUNA</p>  </div> </div> <p style="margin: 10px 0 0 0;">PANCAKES, SCRAMBLED EGGS, BACON, SAUSAGE, HOMEFRIES & FRESH FRUIT</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 20px;"> <div style="width: 45%;"> <p>TICKETS</p> <p>ADULTS \$12.00</p> <p>VETERANS \$10.00</p> <p>KIDS UNDER 10 \$8.00</p> </div> <div style="width: 45%; border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> <p>CALL 203-879-5128 OR MESSAGE LA FORTUNA ON FACEBOOK TO RESERVE YOUR TICKETS!</p> <p>COME HELP US SUPPORT THE WOLCOTT AMERICAN LEGION!</p> </div> </div>	<p>Wolcott American Legion Pancake Breakfast</p> <p>SUNDAY, MAY 31ST, 2026 8:00A.M.-12:00P.M.</p> <p>BREAKFAST BY: LA FORTUNA</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PANCAKES • SCRAMBLED EGGS • BACON • SAUSAGE • HOMEFRIES • FRESH FRUIT <p>TICKETS</p> <p>ADULTS \$12.00 VETERANS \$10.00 KIDS UNDER 10 \$8.00</p> <p>RESERVE YOUR TICKETS: CALL 203-879-5128 OR MESSAGE LA FORTUNA ON FACEBOOK</p> <p>COME HELP US SUPPORT THE WOLCOTT AMERICAN LEGION!</p> <p>Hosted by: American Legion Post 165 Wolcott (203) 879-1090</p> <p>Location: 1253 Wolcott Rd, Wolcott, CT 06716</p>
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Sunday 31 May 2026 3:00PM




[A Broadway Afternoon With Todd Ellison & Friends](#)



A Broadway Afternoon With Todd Ellison & Friends

A fundraiser for Community Music School and Essex Veterans Memorial Hall

TICKETS AT CMSCT.ORG

Sunday, May 31 at 3 pm

The Katharine Hepburn Cultural Arts Center
300 Main Street, Old Saybrook, CT 06475


Box Office Phone: 860.510.0453 | www.thekate.org

An afternoon of Broadway favorites — bold, beloved.

Essex hometown favorite and veteran Broadway Music Director Todd Ellison returns to **The Kate** with friends from Broadway for an unforgettable afternoon of music — all to benefit two organizations close to his heart: **Community Music**, and **Essex Veterans Memorial Hall**.

Tickets \$100 - \$150 plus applicable service fee

Get your tickets!

Presented by  COMMUNITY MUSIC SCHOOL

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- Shannon Rugani
- Ross Lekites

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[American Legion Post 22, 8 Ball Tournament](#)



AMERICAN LEGION POST 22
211 ELM STREET • THOMASTON, CT

8 BALL TOURNAMENT!

SUNDAY AFTERNOON • 3:00 P.M.
Sign-Ups at 2:45 P.M. • Starts Promptly at 3 P.M.

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC!
Veterans Club • Non-Members Please Sign In Our Guestbook

\$10 PER PERSON
MAXIMUM of 16 PLAYERS

★ STARTS SUNDAY, APRIL 12, 2026 ★
NO COMMITMENT! DROP IN!

[American Legion
Post 22, 8 Ball
Tournament](#)

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MAXIMUM of 16 PLAYERS

NO COMMITMENT!

DROP IN!

Hosted by:

[American Legion Post 22
Thomaston](#)

(860) 484-4373

Location: 211 Elm St,
Thomaston, CT 06787