

# TWIB NOTES



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**Town Website** 

**October 2, 2020** 

### **Townofbozrah.org**

## THE BOZRAH SENIOR CENTER WILL REOPEN FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9, 2020 FROM 10:00 A.M. – 12:00 P.M.

Temperature checks will be done at the door and masks will be required. Bingo will begin at 10:30 A.M. and coffee will be served. Seating is limited to ensure proper social distancing. Please do not come if you are or have been recently ill. The TVCCA Café program is not running at this time. So, no lunches will be served until further notice.

Please call me if you need senior bus transportation. Seating on the bus will also be limited. Thank you for your cooperation and understanding, and I look forward to seeing you all again! © Pam Contino 860-917-5672

#### FIRST SELECTMAN'S CORNER

With the absentee ballots come a lot of extra work verifying the person is alive and a registered voter. Due to the extra work we are closing the town hall on Monday for all but emergencies and again on Thursday morning from 9:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. until further notice.

Only registered voters can vote. If you are not registered with a signature card, call the Registrar of Voters. I ask for your cooperation during this difficult time.

The town hall remains closed to general public access to reduce the exposure of employees and public. Only one person at a time is allowed in any office. You will have to stand outside or wait in your car until you're told to come inside.

The playscapes and basketball courts are open at the school and rec field. Surfaces are not disinfected so use at your own risk. Maintain social distancing where possible.

The food bank is available to Bozrah residents. Call in your needs to the town hall before 3:00 p.m. Thursday. Pick up is available at the town hall after 3:00 p.m.

The town is getting away from using town funds to sponsor scholarships for kids. We are looking for donations to fund these so please consider donating to the fund in any amount. Norwich Human Services has food gift cards in the amount of \$200 each to assist families in Norwich, Bozrah and Franklin. Contact: Lee-Ann Gomes, Director, NHS, 860-823-3778 Ext. 3489.

#### PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION

The Presidential election will be held on Tuesday, November 3, 2020 at Fields Memorial School from 6:00 AM until 8:00 PM on Election Day.

Use the Voter Look-up tool to check your registration status:

https://portaldir.ct.gov/sots/LookUp.aspx

If you are not registered to vote, please take this opportunity to do so.

Register before the deadline online at <a href="http://portal.ct.gov/sots">http://portal.ct.gov/sots</a> or by filling out a Voter Registration Card available on line or at the Town Hall.

The registration <u>deadline</u> for the Nov. 3, 2020 election is OCTOBER 27, 2020 online <u>and</u> in person.

Please direct any questions to <a href="ROV@Bozrahct.org">ROV@Bozrahct.org</a> or by leaving a message at 860-889-2689, ext. 209.



#### NOVEMBER 3, 2020 PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION ABSENTEE BALLOT INFORMATION

The Secretary of the State's Office has sent every registered active voter an Absentee Ballot Application in mid-September 2020.

If you would like to vote by Absentee Ballot please fill out and sign the application and return it in the provided envelope to the Bozrah Town Clerk.

When the completed application is received by the town clerk, a ballot will be mailed beginning October 2, 2020 to all that requested them. Please allow 5-7 days for delivery and complete and return as soon as you can in the postage paid envelope provided or drop off in the secure ballot box outside the town hall.



#### PERSONAL PROPERTY DECLARATIONS

Your Personal Property Declaration form will be arriving in the mail within the next week. These forms must be completed yearly and returned to the Assessor's Office by November 3, 2020. If not returned by that date there is a 25% penalty on the assessed value.

#### **OPEN SPACE PLAN CITIZEN SURVEY**

The Bozrah Inland Wetlands & Conservation Commission is undertaking preparation of an Open Space Plan, which will give direction to future conservation efforts in the Town of Bozrah.

Citizen feedback is an important component of the plan, and will allow the Commission to gauge the priorities of residents.

LINK: <a href="http://tiny.cc/BozrahOSPlan">http://tiny.cc/BozrahOSPlan</a>

#### TRANSFER STATION WINTER HOURS STARTING WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 23, 2020

Saturday 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m Monday 12:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. Wednesday 12:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

#### ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER 860-774-1253

TO	OWN MEETINGS	
<b>COMMITTEE</b>	DAY & TIME	TIME & PLACE
IWCC	Sunday, Oct. 4, 2020	9:00 A.M. SITE WALK 264 BOZRAH S
BOE	<b>Tuesday, Oct. 6, 2020</b>	6:30 P.M. ZOOM
P&Z	Thursday, Oct. 8, 2020	7:00 P.M. ZOOM
GARDNER LAKE AUTH	Thursday, Oct. 8, 2020	7:00 P.M. Montville Public Safety Bldng.
WPCA	Tuesday, Oct. 13, 2020	6:30 P.M. ZOOM
HAVE A GREAT WEEK		CARL ZORN