

CORNWALL TOWN HALL NEWS



August 29, 2024

Hello Friends,

We hope you had a fun and safe summer so far. Cornwall Consolidated School is off to a fine start. Best wishes to the students, staff, and parents! We look forward to the Labor Day holiday weekend. Saturday September 14th is Cornwall's famously enjoyable agricultural fair from 10:00am to 3:00pm will be held on the green in Cornwall Village. Cow Chip raffle tickets to benefit the Cornwall Volunteer Fire Department are still available at Town Hall, the Farmers Markets, the Cornwall Package Store, the Transfer Station, and at the Ag fair.

It has been a busy summer at Town Hall! The Cornwall Housing Corporation has acquired an option to purchase 12 acres off Route 7 in Cornwall Bridge. The town is arranging for a grant to assess possible contamination at the site by previous owners. Also making the headlines is that Route 7 will be reconstructed and paved from West Cornwall to the Kent town line during September and October. [Click here for more information.](#)

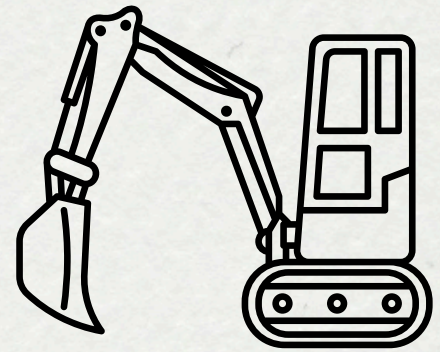


Good news this week from CT Attorney General Tong on preserving maternity services at Sharon Hospital. [Click here for press release.](#)



The State DEEP also has plans to log a lot of the dead oak trees in the state forests in Northern sections of Cornwall. The oaks have been hard hit by the Gypsy (now Spongy) moth during the last 2 summers. [Click here for more information.](#)

The town is acquiring a new backhoe for the highway department. South Road in East Cornwall will be reconstructed in September. A new roof and gutter system will be installed this fall at Town Hall. The town received permission to precede with designing the West Cornwall wastewater system from HUD this week. The project committee will resume regular meetings starting September 10th. Meeting agendas and minutes can be found [here](#).



We are glad to see construction starting at the new Little Guild headquarters on Route 128. Labor Day weekend will offer the opportunity for residents to acquire notable pieces of art for the benefit of the Cornwall Library.

LABOR DAY WEEKEND ART SALE | AUG 30 – SEPT 2 | CORNWALL LIBRARY

A variety of donated artwork will be for sale to raise money for the Cornwall Library's collection and programs. The sale starts with a reception on Friday, August 30 6-8pm

For more details visit:

<https://cornwalllibrary.org/events/>

CORNWALL OPEN STUDIO | AUGUST 30 1:00PM – 5:00PM

The Annual Cornwall Artists Open Studio will be held Saturday August 31, 1-5 pm. For a list of the participating artists, directions to their studios and a map, please visit:

<https://cornwallct.org/event/cornwall-open-studio-2024/>

CORNWALL AGRICULTURAL FAIR | SEPTEMBER 14 10:00AM – 4:00PM | TOWN GREEN

The Cornwall Agricultural Fair is happening Saturday, September 14th on the town green from 10-4pm.

For more details visit:

<https://cornwallct.org/event/cornwall-agricultural-fair-2024/>

To see more events happening in Cornwall, visit the events calendar:

<https://cornwallct.org/events/>

We look forward to seeing you at these town events.

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