

Stoughton Town Crier

TOWN OF STOUGHTON UPDATED NOVEMBER 21, 2022 ROBERTA HARBACK



All information taken from various Town of Stoughton pages

TRAFFIC ALERT:

if you travel Central Street frequently you may have noticed the construction over the last several months. If you travel Central Street frequently and have NOT noticed the construction over last several months, maybe driving isn't for you. Anyway, that's between you and your doctor. Tomorrow is a big day in the world of Central Street construction. Verizon will have several crews removing the old telephone poles. This is a huge job but, according to Verizon, it should not take very long.

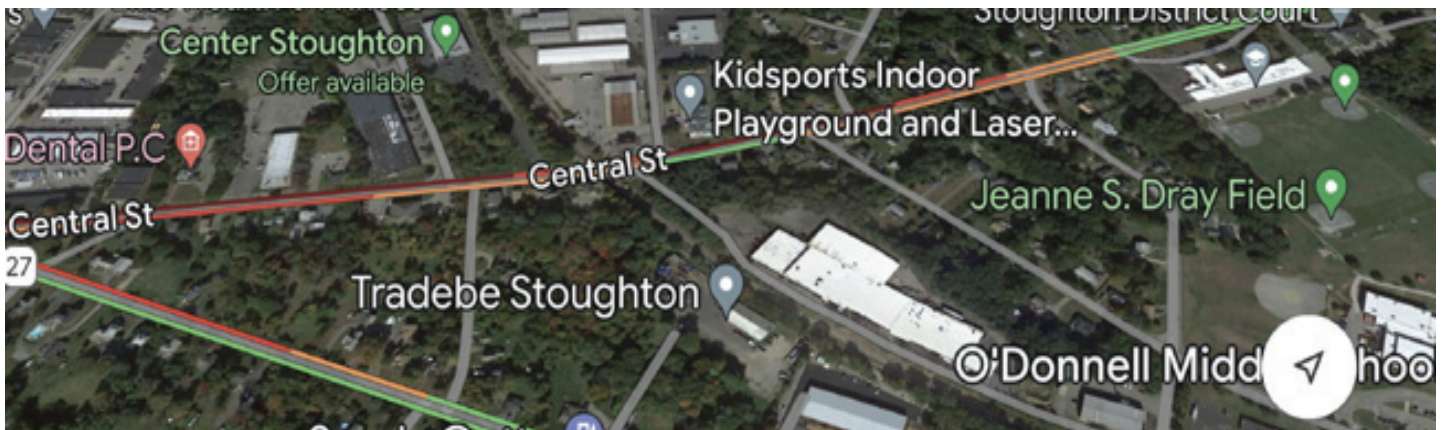
On Tuesday November 22 starting at 8:30am Central Street traffic between Pearl Street (near the court house) and Canton Street will only flow in a westerly direction.

For those who aren't wicked good with a compass that means traffic will only flow from the court house toward Canton Street. All traffic exiting the side streets (Commercial Street, Station Street, Cushing Street, Simpson Street, Brook Street and Quail Run) will be sent westbound. If you live on Central Street between Canton Street and Pearl Street and you leave your driveway to turn toward Avon you will be stopped by a detail officer and asked to do the hokey pokey and turn yourself around.

All traffic traveling on Central Street going eastbound from the Hansen school area (toward Avon) will be detoured to Canton Street.

The expected time frame of this job is 8:30am-12:30pm. This will NOT impact the Wilkins School buses. If you have business at the court house (we're not passing judgement here) the Pearl Street entrance will be open the entire day. Don't miss your court date and blame it on construction as we will not be providing a hall pass.

Thank you in advance for your anticipated cooperation and please return your seat backs and tray tables to their full upright & locked positions.



STOUGHTON POLICE DEPARTMENT

26 Rose Street Stoughton, MA 02072 • 781-344-2424



Thanksgiving Football

The 96th Annual holiday clash

Canton Bulldogs



Vs.

Stoughton Black Knights

Thursday, November 24, 2022 @10:00am

At CHS's WWII Veterans' Memorial Field

*All Tickets for this event are
DIGITAL. No paper/printed tix.
NO CASH TICKETS AVAILABLE.
Scan QR Code with your smartphone
and purchase tix through that site.
It's easy! You need a credit/debit card.*



Ticket Prices-

All Tickets purchased prior to noontime on Wednesday, November 23rd-

General Admission- \$10

Students/Senior Citizens- \$5

All tickets purchased after noontime on Wednesday, November 23rd and on
game day will be \$12.

Kids under 8 are Free! NO BOOSTER PASSES ACCEPTED.

Save time and money....purchase early!

Posted on: November 15, 2022 - 12:46pm

TOWN OF STOUGHTON

COMMUNITY CHOICE POWER SUPPLY PROGRAM

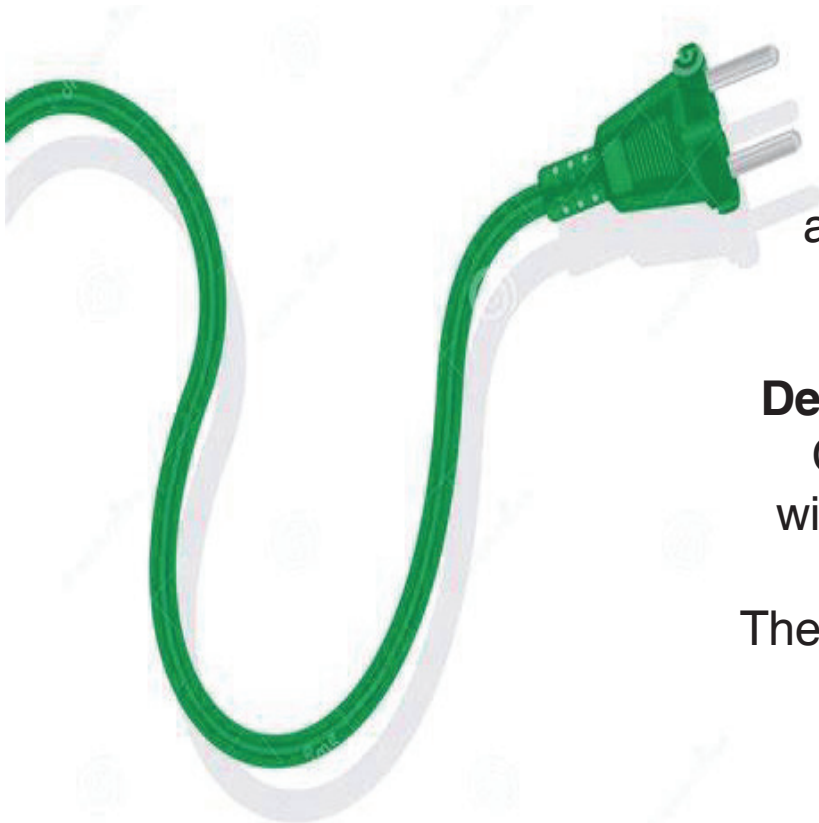
Thanks to the Relaunch of the Stoughton Community Choice Aggregation Program the community will be able to save more than \$1,584,000 this winter on electricity. The program was originally initiated by the Economic Development Director working with Old Colony Planning Council and Colonial Power Group. Due to the fact that an approved Plan was in place, the Interim Town Manager, Marc Tisdelle, was able to enter into an agreement with a third party supplier.

The Town of Stoughton is pleased to announce that Direct Energy Services ("Direct") has been selected as the supplier for its Community Choice Power Supply Program. Direct will provide electric power supply for all consumers currently on National Grid Basic Service in Stoughton.

Residents should look for a mailing sent out by Direct Energy on November 15th. The mailing does explain how to opt out of the program if you do not wish to participate.

Visit colonialpowergroup.com/stoughton or call Direct at (866) 968-8065 to opt out of the program. You may call Colonial at (866) 485-5858 x 1 with any questions.

Additional information can be found on the Economic Development Webpage.



A Public Forum
will be Held
at the **Town Hall** in the
Great Hall
(3rd Floor) on
December 7th at 7:00 pm.
Colonial Power Group
will be available to answer
questions.

The meeting will be available
to view on SMAC s
everal days later.



Holiday Parade of Lights 2022

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 10TH

***CALLING ALL STOUGHTON COMMUNITY
GROUPS AND BUSINESSES***

WE NEED YOUR HELP!

Is your business or organization interested in creating a float for the Holiday Parade of Lights? Join us and help spread the holiday spirit this year!



Sign up at

www.StoughtonRec.org

FILL A CRUISER

Municipal Lot next to Stoughton Police Station

Saturday, December 10
from 10-4

The collection box will be in our lobby until December 10th

Accepting
new unwrapped
toys, gift cards &
donations via
Venmo

<https://venmo.com/u/SPRA2424>.

Please help us
make this year
a little easier for
families
who truly need it.





proudly presents a 4-part Zoom Series:

Civics for Adults

With Donna L. Cohen, M.L.I.S., M.Ed. Teacher and Librarian

Moderated by Jesse Mermell

Free, but pre-registration required.

Register at: bit.ly/civicsadults1



Dec 4, 2022

7 pm

**Misinformation,
Fake News and
Political Propaganda**



Future topics:

- **Citizen Activism 101—Making Change Happen**
- **Beyond Voting: Elections and Campaign Financing**
- **The Constitution: Fulfilling Democracy's Promise?**
Democracy, the Constitution and Representation in Congress



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**STOUGHTON PUBLIC LIBRARY
WILL BE CLOSING ON
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 2022
AT 5PM**



AND



**WILL BE CLOSED ON
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 2022**

**FOR
Thanksgiving**



Wednesday, December 21, 2022 12:00-2:00P.M.

Join us for a
cookie decorating class
just in time for the holidays!

Learn how to decorate your choice of Christmas or Hanukkah cookies.

Class includes 9 cookies, frosting, sprinkles and accessories to decorate.
Come and have some fun with family and friends!

Pre-registration is required.
Stoughton Residents \$15.00 • Out of Town \$20.00



Stoughton Council on Aging
(781) 344-8882 • 110 Rockland Street

Holiday Tea Party



Thursday, December 1, 2022 11:30AM

Join us for a delicious tea party and luncheon and celebrate the holiday season!

Wear a festive holiday hat and take home \$5 in COA Senior Dollars and

take a guess on our Candy Jar Contest.

All are welcome to this fun event!

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Virtual Author Visit

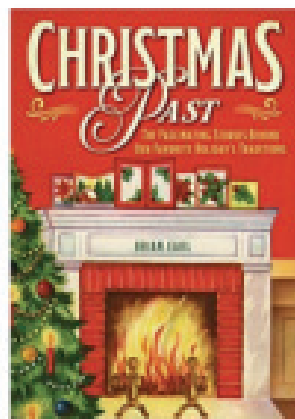


Brian Earl Discusses *Christmas Past*

November 29 at 6:30 pm

Join author, podcaster, and Stoughton native Brian Earl as he discusses his new book, *Christmas Past: The Fascinating Stories Behind Our Favorite Holiday's Traditions*, a fun and fascinating look at the stories behind our favorite holiday's traditions.

This is a virtual event and the Zoom link will be sent out one hour prior. Registration required.



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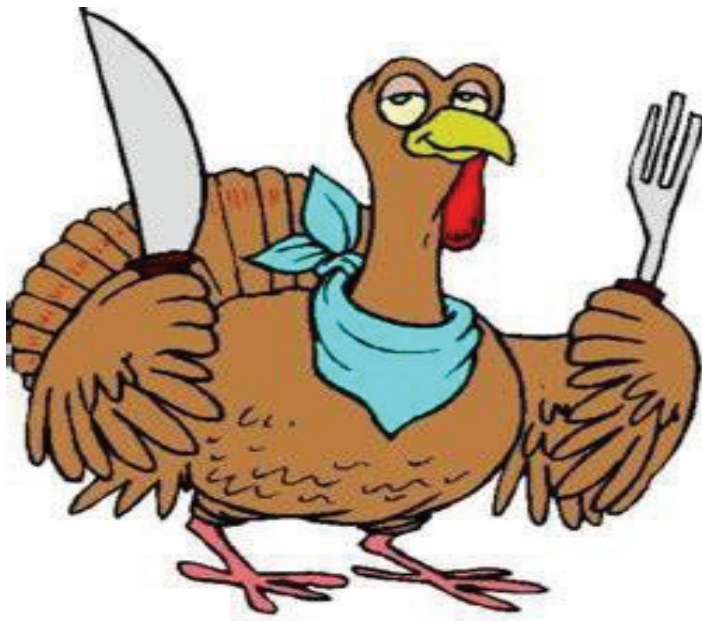
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Pietro Family and Friends
Thanksgiving Dinner
11/23 • 11:30AM

The Pietro Family and Friends are once again
ready to serve their annual
Thanksgiving Feast!
This event is for Stoughton seniors and
residents with disabilities
and is free!

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Special Capital Projects Survey

**Take this Opportunity to
Get Involved and
Provide Your Input**

Posted on: November 8, 2022 - 10:15am

The Town Manager and Select Board
want to know what you consider as
Special Capital Project Priorities.

Please take a minute to fill out this brief survey
and rank the the importance of the following
Special Capital Projects.

[https://www.stoughton.org/home/news/special-
capital-projects-survey-0](https://www.stoughton.org/home/news/special-capital-projects-survey-0)

Survey results are for informational purposes only at this time.
The results will be made public during a Select Board Meeting.
If you have any questions or wish to request a hard copy of the
survey you may contact

Pamela McCarthy at
pmccarthy@stoughton-ma.gov or
781-232-9265.

Thank you.

Fan Favorites of Film

Join Stoughton film historian Frank Mandosa on Zoom.

Julie Andrews: Our Drop of Golden Sun

Thursday, December 1st : 6:30pm



*Make some tea with jam and bread as you relax to take a look at the life and career of the Oscar-winning soprano sensation who went from being the toast of Broadway to the headliner of such classics as *The Sound of Music* and *Mary Poppins*, hosted her own Emmy-winning variety show, and keeps shining in 21st century fare from *The Princess Diaries* to the *Shrek* movies!*

**Please visit www.stoughton.org/library & click on Event Calendar to register.
REGISTRANTS WILL RECEIVE A ZOOM LINK 1 DAY PRIOR TO THE PROGRAM.**



"A high school English and Film teacher, Frank Mandosa gives talks on a wide variety of film-related topics and has two movie podcasts, Silver Screeners (host) and Movies Across the Pod (co-host). Facebook movie group: "Silver Screeners" / Twitter: @filmbuff1974 / Email: silverscreenerspod@gmail.com www.frankmandosa.weebly.com



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Leaf/Brush Disposal

Town of Stoughton Residents Only
Bring your Brush and Leaves
from 8am to 3pm
to 1240 Washington St (Not Gay St.)
open to residents for leaf disposal and chipable brush.



leaves can be disposed
of all year round at
the Transfer Station.

Saturday November 26
&
Saturday December 3

No Curbside Pickup

The transfer station
is open
every Saturday
8 a.m to 4 p.m.
100 Page St.

**HAPPY
THANKSGIVING DAY**



No
trash/recycle



will be picked up on
Thursday, November 24.

Thanksgiving Day

**Thursday's trash/recycle
will be scheduled for
Friday November 25th**

**Friday's trash/recycle will be
picked up Mon., Nov. 28th**

There are No More Double Trash Days

No barrel over 32 gallon will be emptied

Please have it curbside by 7 A.M.

*Please be patient while our crews
adjust to the new schedules*





A message from our
Interim Town Manager
Marc Tisdelle



*Wishing you a
harvest of blessings,
good health
and good times.
Happy Thanksgiving day!*