

Around Town Newsletter
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Erving, MA 01344

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An Erving Community Newsletter

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Thursday September 29th

11:15 am Erving Senior
Community Center

Join Officer Laura Gordon and CSO LeeAnne Hadsel. Let's talk about any concerns or questions you may have. It is a great way to get to know your local Police Officers and the community we all share. 413-423-364

Erving Recreation Commission's Annual FALL FESTIVAL



SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2022

CLIMBING WALL
MECHANICAL BULL
TRAMPOLINE
BOUNCE HOUSE

11:00AM UNTIL 3:00PM
Veterans Memorial Field
MOORE STREET, ERVING MA 01344

LOCAL
FARM PRODUCE
CRAFTS, BUSINESSES
COMMUNITY GROUPS

GAMES - FOOD - FUN - SURPRISES

QUESTIONS? CALL 413-422-1187 OR EMAIL RECREATION@ERVING-MA.GOV

FOR MORE INFO, VISIT US ON FACEBOOK OR INSTAGRAM: ERVING RECREATION COMMISSION

Town of Erving

Select Board Public Meeting Participation Guidance

The Select Board welcomes residents to communicate questions, comments or concerns. Participants at Select Board meetings are notified that the meetings are both video and audio recorded, and comments provided will become part of the record. While offering public input, it is important that the Select Board is also allowed enough time to conduct their other business. The following guidelines have been established to make the best use of time at Select Board meetings.

1. To request time on the Select Board agenda, persons must contact the Town Administrator at (413) 422-2800, Ext.1102 or at SBRequests@erving-ma.gov by noon on the Tuesday before the meeting.
 - a. Requests will be submitted to the Chairperson for consideration and scheduling.
 - b. Supporting documentation related to the request must be provided to the Administrator's office by noon on the Thursday prior to the meeting. The Chairperson may remove requested agenda topics that are made without supporting documentation.
2. The Select Board encourages public participation as follows:
 - a. Town residents can bring comments before the Select Board that require discussion and are on the agenda, only after being recognized by the Chair. If your issue is not on the agenda, you may bring it up under "Future agenda items".
 - b. "Topics not anticipated" should be brought to the Chair for possible consideration prior to the meeting.
 - c. Please try to keep your comments short and to the point.
 - d. If it appears that the topic(s) being discussed will consume longer than the time allocated then, at the discretion of the Chair, the matter will be placed on an upcoming Select Board meeting agenda.
 - e. If you believe that your topic will require more time or desire to make a more formal presentation than is allowed under these guidelines, please contact the Town Administrator to ask to be put on a future agenda so that we can properly allocate enough time.
 - f. You are free to ask questions or to make your point for all to consider. However, engaging in active debate with Select Board or audience members will not be allowed.
 - g. All comments and questions must be directed to the Chair of the Select Board per MGL Chapter 30A, Section 20(g).
 - h. Participants are expected to speak from the presenter/guest table.
 - i. All remarks must be respectful and courteous, free of personal attacks. Inappropriate language will not be tolerated.
3. Employees and Board members who have business with the Select Board should be placed on the agenda beforehand (see Item # 1.).
4. Anyone wishing to contact the Select Board in writing may do so at:

Town of Erving, Attn: Select Board, 12 East Main Street, Erving, Massachusetts 01344

Alternatively, members of the public can complete a Select Board submission form at the meeting sign in table and office staff member will follow up.

The Select Board appreciates your cooperation in honoring these guidelines.

From Massachusetts Attorney General Official Website

What public participation in meetings must be allowed?

Under the Open Meeting Law, the public is permitted to attend meetings of public bodies but is excluded from an executive session that is called for a valid purpose listed in the law. Any member of the public also has a right to make an audio or video recording of an open session of a public meeting. A member of the public who wishes to record a meeting must first notify the Chair and must comply with reasonable requirements regarding audio or video equipment established by the chair so as not to interfere with the meeting. The Chair is required to inform other attendees of such recording at the beginning of the meeting.

While the public is permitted to attend an open meeting, an individual may not address the public body without permission of the Chair. An individual is not permitted to disrupt a meeting of a public body, and at the request of the Chair, all members of the public shall be silent. If after clear warning, a person continues to be disruptive, the Chair may order the person to leave the meeting, and if the person does not leave, the Chair may authorize a constable or other officer to remove the person.

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1 Care Drive Erving, MA 01344

Trip must be paid by: **Oct. 21*** No refunds

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HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION DAY

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 2022

GCC MAIN CAMPUS AND ORANGE TRANSFER STATION

PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED BY SEPTEMBER 16TH

**Register online at: franklincountywastedistrict.org
or fill out the form on the back of this sheet and mail it.**

Your appointment time and directions will be mailed after registration is processed.

For residents and businesses of the following towns:

Athol, Barre*, Bernardston, Buckland, Charlemont, Colrain, Conway, Deerfield, Erving, Gill, Hawley, Heath, Leverett, Montague, New Salem, Northfield, Orange, Petersham, Phillipston, Rowe, Royalston, Shelburne, Sunderland*, Warwick, Wendell, Whately.

This collection event is free for residents. *Barre and Sunderland residents must pay to participate in 2022. Space is limited. Greenfield and Leyden residents are not eligible and should call (413) 772-1528 for info on disposal.

For business registration and pricing information, call (413) 772-2438.



Due to COVID-19, safety protocols and waste restrictions will be in place.



Participants will be required to remain in their vehicle and place all waste in the trunk, rear cargo area, or truck bed. Materials that will not be collected this year include all types of batteries, thermometers, and thermostats. These items can be brought to most town transfer stations year-round.



WHAT TO BRING

Any substance labeled: CAUSTIC, TOXIC, CORROSIVE, POISON, FLAMMABLE, WARNING, DANGER, CAUTION



- Paint (non-latex), spray paint, varnish, paint thinners, solvents
- Herbicides, pesticides, yard/garden chemicals, wood preservatives
- Asphalt sealer, roofing tar, household cleaners, pool chemicals
- Motor oil, antifreeze, automotive fluids
- Photo chemicals, arts & crafts supplies, furniture polish

WHAT NOT TO BRING

Fluorescent light bulbs, batteries, mercury-containing items (see reverse for alternate disposal), latex paint, empty containers from hazardous products (put empties in trash, not recycling), gas cylinders, radioactive material, explosives (including ammunition & fireworks)

For more information: franklincountywastedistrict.org or contact the Franklin County Solid Waste District at info@franklincountywastedistrict.org, (413) 772-2438.

MA Relay for the hearing impaired: 711 or 1-800-439-2370 (TTY/TDD).

The District is an equal opportunity provider.



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Elected Official Vacancies for the Erving Recreation Commission, Board of Assessors, School Committee and Planning Board

The Town of Erving would like to announce three (3) vacancies on the Recreation Commission, one (1) vacancy on the Planning Board, one (1) vacancy on the Board of Assessors, and one (1) vacancy on the School Committee. These vacancies are for elected positions. In accordance with MGL Chapter 41, Section 11, the Select Board is seeking interested residents to serve in these positions until the Annual Town Election in 2023. To be considered, an interested person must be a registered voter of the Town of Erving.



The **Planning Board** is a five (5) member elected Board that guides the development of Erving by serving as the Special Permit and site plan review authority under the Zoning Bylaw. The Board also administers the provisions of the Subdivision Control regulations. The Planning Board plays an important role in reviewing the Zoning Bylaw, proposing edits, and holding public hearings for voters before any revisions are presented at Town Meeting.



The **Recreation Commission** is a five (5) member elected Board that provides youth sports, recreational programs, and special events for Erving residents. The Commission does so while overseeing the use and development of the Town's five (5) parks and playgrounds.



The **Board of Assessors** is a three (3) member elected Board that supervises the work performed by the Principal Assessor. This position approves and oversees the tax rate setting process as well as approval of exemptions, abatements, motor vehicle excise and valuation of real and personal property in the Town of Erving. There is a requirement to meet at least once a month for a 60 to 90-minute meeting.



The **School Committee** is a five (5) member elected Board that establishes educational goals and policies for Erving Elementary School consistent with the requirements of the law. Each member is expected to attend all meetings (3rd Tuesday of every month) and participate in subcommittees. Members are also encouraged to attend the Union 28 District quarterly meetings. It is highly recommended that the Superintendent's Evaluation be completed by each member.

If you are interested, please send a written letter of interest that identifies the position that you are interested in serving in and that includes your name, address, and contact information. It may be helpful to include an explanation of your education, training, experience, and other interests that would lend itself to the position sought. Letters of interest are due by **Wednesday, September 21, 2022**.

Letters can be sent by mail to:

Erving Select Board

12 East Main Street

Erving, Massachusetts 01344

Or by email to: volunteer@erving-ma.gov.

TOWN OF ERVING NEEDS YOU!



The following Boards and Committees have vacancies:

- **Cultural Council**

Cultural Council members are appointed. The local Cultural Council supports public programs that promote access, education, diversity and excellence in the arts, humanities, and interpretive sciences in communities across the Commonwealth. Local decision-making is an integral element of this system. Local councils have the right and responsibility to award grants that address cultural needs specific to their communities, and they can decide how to distribute funds if the state policies outlined in these regulations and supplementary guidelines are followed. They meet 2-4 times per year.

- **Golden Cane Committee**

Golden Cane Committee members are appointed and is charged with researching, in collaboration with the Town Clerk and vital records information, to find the eldest living Town resident and presents that individual(s) with a Golden Cane Certificate. The committee is currently down to one member and this tradition cannot carry forth without having three (3) members.

- **Cable Advisory Committee**

Cable Advisory Committee members are appointed and the committee is charged to: 1) assess local cable needs, 2) monitor company compliance with the contract, 3) solicit and review proposals from cable companies, 4) negotiate contracts with cable providers in the best interest of the community in terms of programming, cost to consumer, and amenities provided to the municipality and schools, 5) make recommendations to the licensing authority (the Select Board) regarding contract terms, and 6) obtain community input in fulfillment of "Municipal Ascertainment" guidelines of the Massachusetts Cable Television Division.

- **Planning Board Alternate**

Planning Board Members are elected, but the alternate is an appointed position. The Planning Board is charged with overseeing and guiding development in the community. The Planning Board reviews permit applications for subdivisions and some special permits, and it is designated as the authority for Site Plan Review permits.



- **Conservation Commission**

Conservation Commissioners are appointed and are the official agency specifically charged with the protection of a community's natural resources. The commission also advises other municipal officials and boards on conservation issues that relate to their areas of responsibility.

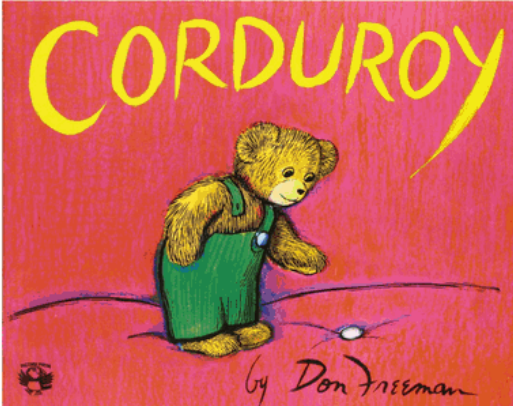
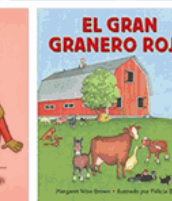
- **Council on Aging**

Councils on Aging & Senior Centers provide support services to elders, families and caregivers in the community. As a local agency, the Councils on Aging & Senior Centers serve as an elder advocate, offers services, and activities for elders. Council on Aging offerings may include: Outreach, Transportation, Meals (congregate or home delivered), Health screenings, Health insurance counseling, Socialization, Fitness, wellness and recreation activities, Life-long learning. They serve as a link to and support for elders. Each Council on Aging determines its own priorities based on local needs and resources. Senior centers are a welcoming place for older adults who wish to remain independent in their community.

- **Gill-Montague Regional School District Representative (2 vacancies)**

Gill-Montague Representatives are appointed by the Town Moderator and are charged with attending Gill-Montague Reg. School District meetings and advocating for parents and students in the district. The representative also reports information from these meetings to the School Committee. Representatives are non-voting members.

These are volunteer positions. If you've been asking yourself "*How can I be a help to my community?*" and/or you'd like to be a part of something new, or return to something you've done previously, please email a letter of interest to volunteer@erving-ma.gov or via mail to *Town of Erving, ATT: Bryan Smith, 12 East Main Street, Erving, MA 01344.*



ERVING LIBRARY PRESENTS

BILINGUAL STORY TIME & PLAYGROUP

A sensory playtime and Spanish-English storytime geared towards beginners, for toddlers and their caregivers.

Wednesdays
10-10:45 a.m.

2 Care Drive, Erving, MA 01344
library@erving-ma.gov
413-423-3348

ERVING PUBLIC LIBRARY

September News

WWW.ERVING-MA.GOV/LIBRARY

EVENTS THIS MONTH

Swing Set Singers Sunday, September 11, 2-3:30pm

Vocal Jazz ensemble singing Swing Era standards and more! All ages welcome. Brought to you in part by the Erving Cultural Council.

Paws to Read Monday, September 12, 4-5pm

Kids read to a dog for 15 minutes. Dog handlers present at all times. Only 4 spots each month! Call today. RSVP required.

Tea Cup Flowers Sunday, September 18, 2pm

Make your own flower arrangement in a teacup with Teresa Foster of Dry Brook Garden. All materials provided. Only 10 spots! Call today. RSVP required. Sponsored by a grant from the Library Services Technology Act and the Massachusetts Board of Library Commissioners.

Film Noir: *Laura* Sunday, September 25, 1pm

The next installment of our film noir book and movie series: *Laura* (1943) by Vera Caspary and *Laura* the film from 1945. These stories are specially picked for having a strong female character. Stop by to pick up a copy of the book and join us on the last Saturday of the month to enjoy the movie in our Community Room with popcorn and cold drinks. Program presented by Linda Bowden.

For Teens Only Monday, September 26, 3:30pm

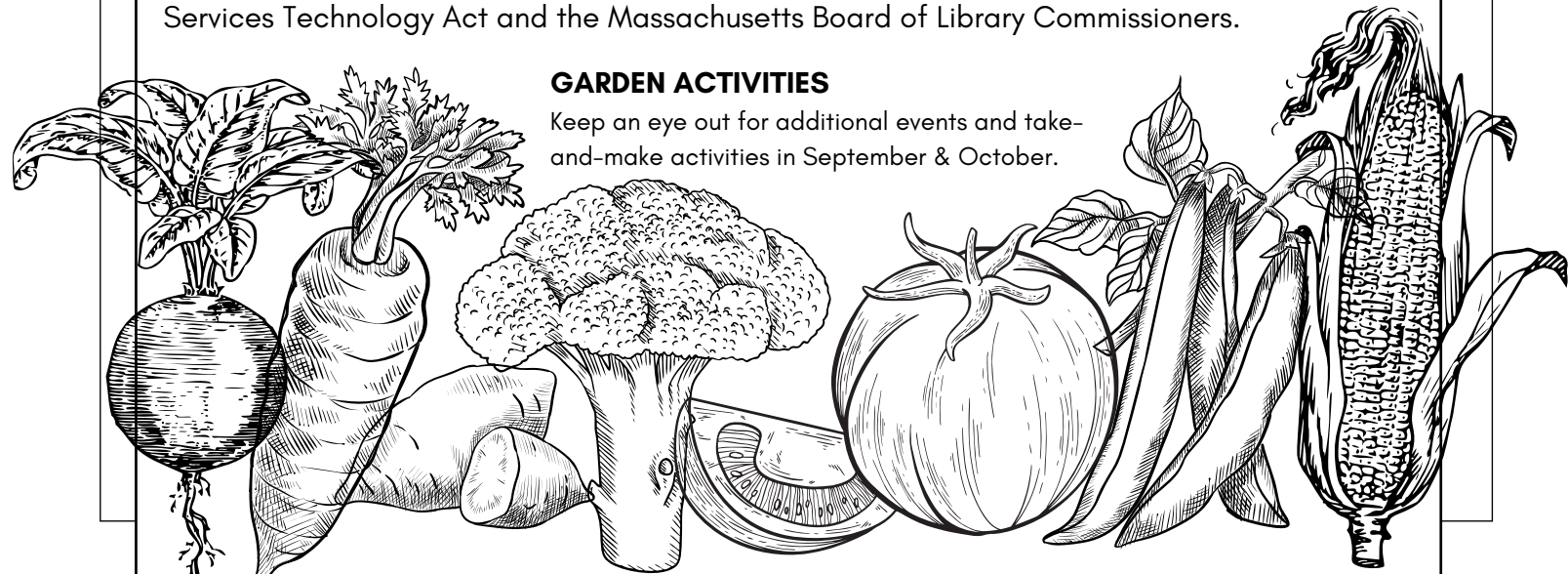
Enjoy fresh popcorn and cold drinks on us, chat with Youth Services Librarian Andrea and, kick back at the library in the room that is just for teens ages 12-19. Movie of the month starts at 4pm! Join us to help pick next month's film and get all your library questions answered!

Vine Stars Thursday, September 29, 5:30pm

Make your own decorative vine star with Teresa Foster of Dry Brook Garden. All materials provided. Only 10 spots! Call today. RSVP required. Sponsored by a grant from the Library Services Technology Act and the Massachusetts Board of Library Commissioners.

GARDEN ACTIVITIES

Keep an eye out for additional events and take-and-make activities in September & October.



ERVING PUBLIC LIBRARY

September Snapshot

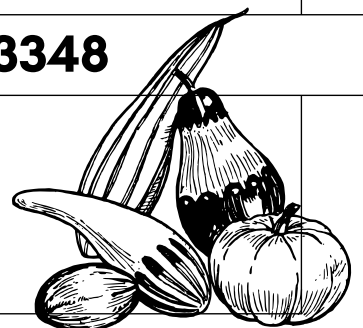
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	9/5 CLOSED FOR LABOR DAY	LIBRARY HOURS Sunday & Wednesday 10am-4pm Monday & Tuesday 12-6pm Thursday 1-7pm		9/8 COFFEE HOUR WITH ARTIST KEN ZILISCH 5:30 PM
9/11 SWING SET SINGERS 2-3:30 PM	9/12 PAWS TO READ 4-5 PM			
9/18 TEA CUP FLOWERS 2 PM				
9/25 FILM NOIR: LAURA 2 PM	9/26 FOR TEENS ONLY 3:30 PM			

LIBRARY@ERVING-MA.GOV - (413) 423-3348



EXCITED ABOUT HALLOWEEN?

The library is looking for volunteers to help make this Halloween a special one. Let us know if you're interested in helping!

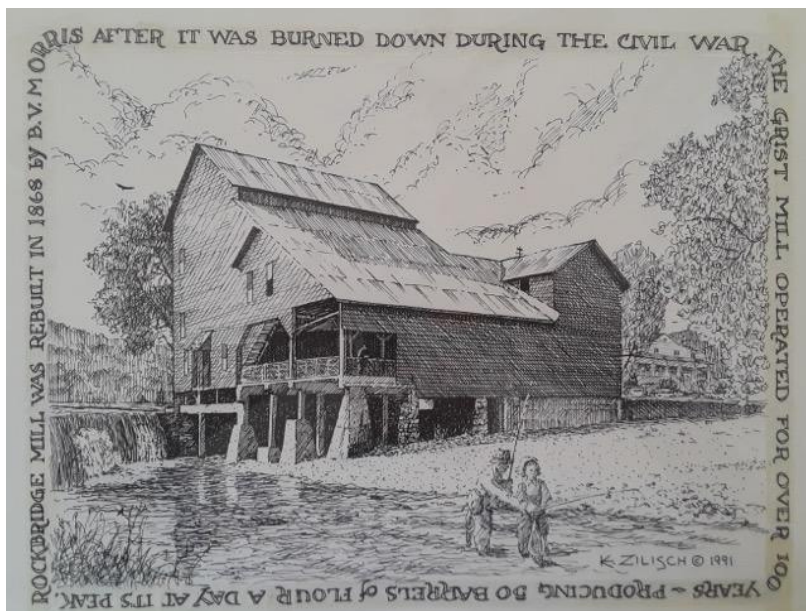


ERVING PUBLIC LIBRARY

Fall Art Show

KENNETH E. ZILISCH

**ON DISPLAY IN THE COMMUNITY ROOM
SEPTEMBER 1 - OCTOBER 27**



OPEN HOUSE & COFFEE HOUR

Thursday, September 8
5:30-6:30 PM

Join us for an informal meet
and greet with local Erving
artist Kenneth E. Zilisch.

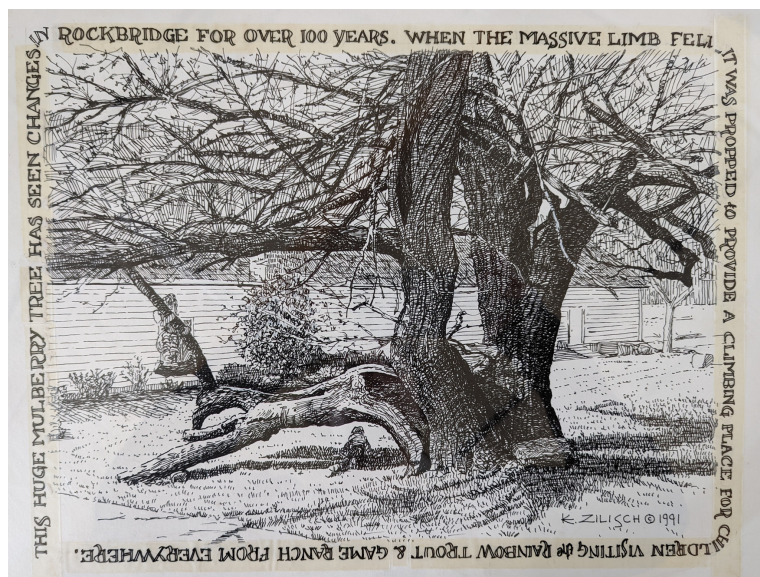


Kenneth E. Zilisch has been painting all his life (so far). Even from his Wisconsin farm beginnings he knew he would be an artist; he created his first commission at age twelve. His creative passion led him to Layton School of Art and Design in Milwaukee, where he studied graphic design and graduated with honors.

His interest and potential in fine art developed during the 1970's and 80's, when he had the privilege of observing and painting alongside the artists of Door County, Wisconsin and later the artists of Mt. Washington Valley in NH. He and his wife, Carol, have since settled in Erving, MA.

Ken enjoys the challenge of a variety of media, including pastels, woodcuts, acrylic, watercolor, mixed media, pen and ink. His work has received both regional and national awards.

Ken is available for commissioned works of people, places, and pets.



Erving Public Library

Paws to Read



**SIGN UP
NOW!**

Read to one of our pups!

Read to a trained, certified therapy dog on either of the following days for a 15-minute time slot from 4-5 pm:

Upcoming Monday slots:
9/12, 10/3, 11/7, 12/5

library@erving-ma.gov (413) 423-3348

Medicare.gov

The Official U.S. Government Site for Medicare

My Medicare Account? This program will better help access all your needs. Give you the newest up-dates and keep you informed about all up-coming changes and what you need to do to address them. Beginning October 15th view 2023 policy premiums. You do not have to have an Email to create your account. You can use Medicare.gov this will give you access. See screenshot below.

Don't wait!

**Medicare Open Enrollment
October 15th
December 7th**

Medicare Enrollment Periods

IEP

Initial Enrollment Period

65th Birthday

3 Months Before to 3 Months After
Enroll in Part A, Part B, Medigap,
Medicare Advantage and/or Part D

OEP

**Open Enrollment Period
(Annual Election Period)**

October 15th – December 7th
Enroll or change Medicare Advantage,
Medigap and/or Part D

AEP

GEP

General Enrollment Period

January 1st – March 31st
Enroll in Part A and Part B if you did
not enroll when you were first eligible.
(Late Enrollment Fee may apply)

SEP

Special Enrollment Period

Up to 8 Months
After Employment Coverage Ends
Enroll in Part A and Part B, then
Medigap or Medicare Advantage

MedicareMall .com

Erving Senior Center is here to help you. Please call our SHINE Representative Becky Paciorek for an appointment 413-423-3649 ex 1541 We are here for you!


SHINE
Serving the Health
Insurance Needs
of Everyone



COFFEE WITH COPS

A row of small icons representing coffee-related items: a coffee cup, a coffee grinder, a coffee pot, a coffee bean, a coffee cup with steam, and a coffee grinder.

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Erving Senior Center

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
<p>Open week-days 8:30am - 3:00pm 413-423-3649</p>	<p>Senior Holiday Craft Fair December 3rd 8:30 to 3:00</p>  	 <p>We are decorated For FALL</p>	<p>1 9:00 Core & Bal 10:00 Barre Fusion 12:00 Brown Bag Coffee & Snacks</p>	<p>2 9:00 to 3:00 Quilting open sew Fitness room open Coffee & Snacks</p> 	<p>Join us Sept 29th 11:00 Coffee with COPS. Bring your questions & concerns</p>	
<p>Open enrollment for Medicare begins Oct. 15th - Dec. 7th Much has changed!</p> 	 <p>HAPPY LABOR DAY ★★★</p>	<p>6 9:00 Ask the  Nurse Blood Pres 9:00 Good for U 10:00 Line Dancing Coffee & Snacks</p>	<p>7 9:00 Cardio Low Impact exercise 10:15 Chair Aerobics 11:30 BINGO</p> 	<p>8 9:00 Core & Bal 10:00 Barre Fusion Fitness Room Open Coffee & Snacks</p> 	<p>9 9:00 to 3:00 Quilting open sew Fitness room open Coffee & Snacks</p>	
<p>Be sure to book your appointment to see Becky while she still has openings 413-423-3649</p>	<p>12 8:30 Toe Nail Clip 9:00 Interval Work (Linda) 10:15 Seated Workout (Laura) Bus Trip to RI</p> 	<p>13 9:00 Good for U 10:00 Line Dancing Coffee & Snacks Fitness Room Open</p> 	<p>14 9:00 Cardio Low Impact exercise 10:15 Chair Aerobics 11:30 BINGO</p>  	<p>15 9:00 Core & Bal 10:00 Barre Fusion Coffee & Snacks Fitness Room Open</p> 	<p>16 9:00 to 3:00 Quilting open sew Fitness room open Coffee & Snacks</p> 	<p>Call 24 hrs. in advance for an appointment or ride to the Senior Center 413-423-3649</p>
<p>We have a SHINE representative on staff to help you with all your Health Insurance Needs & questions Becky 413-423-3649</p>	<p>19 9:00 Interval Work (Linda) 10:15 Seated full body Workout (Laura) Coffee & Snacks</p>  	<p>20 9:00 Good for U 10:00 Line Dancing Coffee & Snacks Fitness Room Open</p> 	<p>21 9:00 Cardio Low Impact exercise 10:15 Chair Aerobics 11:30 BINGO Fitness room open</p> 	<p>22 9:00 Core & Bal 10:00 Barre Fusion 11:30 LRC Game Lunch to be served</p> 	<p>23 9:00 to 3:00 Quilting open sew Fitness room open Coffee & Snacks</p> 	
 <p>THE SHINE PROGRAM Serving the Health Insurance Needs of Everyone</p>	<p>26 9:00 Interval 10:15 Seated full body Workout (Laura) Fitness Room Open</p> 	<p>27 9:00 Good for U 10:00 Line Dancing Coffee & Snacks Fitness Room Open</p> 	<p>28 9:00 Cardio Low Impact exercise 10:15 Chair Aerobics 11:30 BINGO</p> 	<p>29 9:00 Core & Bal 10:00 Barre Fusion 11:00 Coffee with COPS</p>	<p>30 9:00 to 3:00 Quilting open sew Fitness room open Coffee & Snacks</p>	

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DAN'S VEGGIES
OPEN JUNE - NOVEMBER
151 NORTHFIELD ROAD
ERVING MA 01344
413-423-3242

Warren & Jacquelyn Boyden
OWNERS AND GROWERS SINCE 2007

FACEBOOK: DAN'S VEGGIES AND
POPLAR MOUNTAIN MAPLE

Have a Business/Community Event In Erving?

We will put in the Around Town for
Free! Please send your ad photo ready
by the 10th of the month before
publication to:

ervingaroundtown@comcast.net

MARGARET'S GUITAR STUDIO



413-230-9195

POPLAR MOUNTAIN MAPLE
151 Northfield Road Erving 413-423-3242
Warren, Jacquelyn, and Daniel Boyden

2022 Price & Product List

1/2 Gallons \$32.00

Quarts \$20.00

Pints \$12.00

1/2 Pints \$7.00

Maple Cream 1/2 lb. \$10.00



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TOWN OF ERVING

DUAL STREAM RECYCLING & TRASH SERVICE

2022-2023 CURBSIDE COLLECTION CALENDAR & DETAILS

- Trash is collected **every Friday**
- Paper & cardboard recycling is collected on the **blue shaded** Friday collection day
- Plastic, glass, & metal is collected on the **green shaded** Friday collection day

- Place trash & recycling at the curb by **7:00 AM** on Friday
- Weeks with a holiday have a one day delay in service, regardless of the day that the holiday falls on as depicted below
- The Town will notify you of any delays in service

JULY 2022							AUGUST 2022							SEPTEMBER 2022							OCTOBER 2022							NOVEMBER 2022							DECEMBER 2022							
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	
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■ = Paper & Cardboard ■ = Plastic, Glass, & Metal ■ = Holiday

Sorting your recyclables is quick and easy. Just focus on tossing all paper and cardboard into one bin and plastic, glass, and metal containers into another. Please **EMPTY** and **RINSE** all containers and **flatten** and **break down** cardboard boxes.

BLUE SHADED DAY



Paper & Cardboard

Clean papers, magazines/catalogs, greeting cards, gift wrap & gift tissue paper (no foils or metallics), calendars, paperbacks & phonebooks, paperboard, empty pizza boxes (Paper clips, staples and metal spirals are ok)

GREEN SHADED DAY



Plastic Bottles, Jugs, Tubs, Lids, & Containers

Empty kitchen, laundry, & bath containers

Cartons

Milk & Juice



Glass Bottles & Jars

Empty food & beverage bottles & jars



Aluminum & Steel Cans

Foil & empty food & beverage cans

NOT ACCEPTED

Plastic bags or trays, black plastic, bagged recyclables, clothing/textiles, food waste/liquids, tangles such as rope or hoses, scrap metal, batteries of any kind, electronics, wood, medical waste, hazardous materials, explosives, toys, hangers, shoes, waxy cups or plates, frozen food packaging, food bags or wrappers, plastic wrap or film, shrink wrap, tarps, diapers, human/pet or yard waste, tires or rubber, Styrofoam™, napkins, paper towels, tissues, plastic utensils, register tape, condiment packets, straws, stirrers, coffee pods, ceramics



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TOWN HALL OFFICE HOURS		12 East Main Street
Town Hall is opened to the public on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 10 - 5 p.m. or by Appointment.		
Selectmen's Office	Monday thru Thursday Friday	9:00am – 5:00pm 9:00am – 1:00pm
Town Accountant	By Appointment	
Assessor	Monday Tuesday & Thursday	9:00am–5:00pm
Treasurer	Monday, Tuesday, Thursday	9:00am – 3:00pm
Tax Collector	Tuesday & Thursday Wednesday	10:00 am - 3:00 pm 8:30 am - 12:00 pm
Town Clerk	By Appointment	
Emergency Mgmt Director	By Appointment	

POLICE AND FIRE DEPARTMENT HOURS		
Police Department 71 French King Highway	Monday thru Thursday	7:00am – 4:00pm
Fire Department 10 East Main Street & 18 Moore Street	Monday thru Friday	7:00am – 4:00pm & by Appointment

SENIOR & COMMUNITY CENTER AND PUBLIC LIBRARY HOURS		
Senior & Community Center 1 Care Drive	Monday thru Friday	8:00am – 4:00pm
Erving Public Library 2 Care Drive	Sun. 10 am to 4 pm, Mon.&Tues. 12 pm to 6 pm, Wed. 10 am to 4 pm &Thurs. 1 pm to 7 pm.	

BOARD AND COMMITTEE MEETING SCHEDULE		
<i>Note: Subject to change. Always use the official posting board at Town Hall for meeting dates, times, and locations.</i>		
Board of Health at Town Hall	3rd Wednesday of the month	3:00 pm
Board of Library Trustees at Erving Library	As posted	
Board of Selectmen at Senior & Community Ctr	Mondays as posted	6:30pm
Conservation Commission at Erving Library	1 st Tuesday of the Month	6:30pm
Council on Aging at Senior & Community Ctr	2 nd Tuesday of the Month	9:30am
Finance Committee at Senior & Community Ctr	As posted	
Historical Commission at Pearl Care Bldg	As posted	
Open Space Committee at Town Hall	As posted	
Planning Board at Erving Library	3 rd Thursday of the Month	7:00pm
Recreation Commission at Town Hall	As posted	
School Committee at Erving Elementary School	3 rd Tuesday of the Month	
Senior Housing Committee at Senior Center	As posted	

Upper Pioneer Valley Veterans Services: (413) 772-1571
U.S. Post Office- Erving, MA Branch: (413) 423-3600

ERVING OFFICE CONTACT INFORMATION

Town Hall Office Number and Extensions

(413) 422-2800

- 1101** Administrative Assistant & BOH - Betsy Sicard
- 1102** Town Administrator – Bryan Smith
- 1103** Town Accountant - Deborah Mero
- 1104** Tax Collector/Water Collector- Michele Turner
- 1106** Town Clerk – Richard Newton
- 1107** Assessors Office – Principal Assessor Jacquelyn Boyden
- 1108** Assistant Town Planner – Mariah Kurtz
- 1112** Treasurer – Jennifer Eichorn
- 1114** Assistant Treasurer – Jean Fountain

TOWN OFFICES

423-3649 Senior Center

423-3348 Library

422-1187 Recreation

423-3310 Police

423-3500 Public Works

423-3326 Erving Elementary

423-3866 Fire Station

Check out the Town of Erving's website and our Facebook pages for updated news on what is going on in the Town of Erving!



Town of Erving, Erving Senior Center, Erving Recreation Commission, Erving Public Library and Erving Historical Commission

Or on the web @

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