

June 2026 CL&A Activities Calendar

Voices

Wednesday, June 3, 2026 **5:00 PM - 6:00 PM**

This group is for women only. This is a self-empowerment group for women to meet, share and talk about challenges, successes and all that make them strong.

Men's Group

Wednesday, June 3, 2026 **6:00 PM - 7:00 PM**

This program is offered to men only. It will act as a support group for men to talk about their strengths, successes and challenges.

Sea Unicorns Game

Friday, June 5, 2026 **5:00 PM - 9:00 PM**

Location: 14 Stott Avenue, Norwich, CT 06360

Come get your peanuts and crackerjack. It's time to root for the Norwich Sea Unicorns at Dodd Stadium as they play against the New Britain Bees. There will be a barbeque at 5pm and the game starts at 6:30pm.

Admission for the barbeque and game is \$30. We suggest bringing pocket money if you want concessions at the stadium. Remember to dress for the weather.

Montville Food Truck Festival

Saturday, June 6, 2026 **12:00 PM - 2:00 PM**

Location: 176 Meeting House Ln, Oakdale, CT 06370

Montville's Food Truck Festival is rolling into town. What tasty treats will you discover with us? This being the "street style festival" and open outdoor venue that it is, feel free to bring your fold-up chairs and blankets to comfortably stay a while. We suggest bringing \$40 for lunch and vendors.

Fit-Five Special Olympics

Wednesday, June 10, 2026 **5:30 PM - 6:30 PM**

Let's continue our journey to be healthy athletes. Come share your successes and challenges. Each week we will share material to help you be the best conditioned athlete you can be.

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Craft Night

Friday, June 12, 2026

6:00 PM - 8:30 PM

Location: 125 Sachem St, Norwich, CT 06360

Dust off your craft box and join us for a night of DIY delights with a guided arts and crafts lesson hosted by Juls. Bring a brown bag dinner and clothes you don't mind getting dirty.

\$5 admission to unleash your inner Picasso.

Community Day at Camp Harkness

Saturday, June 13, 2026

11:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Location: 301 Great Neck Rd, Waterford, CT 06385

Join DDS for the third annual Community Day at Camp Harkness. This year's event is all about celebrating the IDD community, partnerships and supports that make our community stronger and more inclusive. The day will feature music, activities, opportunities to connect, and time to enjoy everything Camp Harkness has to offer.

Let's remember to dress for the weather and bring our sunblock and water bottles. You can choose to bring your own lunch or \$20 for food trucks on site.

Hartford Marathon Foundation: New London

Sunday, June 14, 2026

7:30 AM - 9:30 AM

Location: 685 Pequot Avenue, New London, CT 06320

Volunteers needed to help manage a water station for Hartford Marathon Foundation's Summer Stride 5k and 10k course.

Self-Advocacy Group

Wednesday, June 17, 2026

6:00 PM - 7:00 PM

You will learn how to speak up for what you believe in, take responsibility for your life, learn to ask questions and how to solve problems.

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Velvet Mill Farmers Market

Saturday, June 20, 2026 **10:00 AM - 1:00 PM**

Location: 22 Bayview Avenue, Stonington, CT 06378

Velvet Mill, a very popular request, hosts Stonington's Farmers Market. Items sold at the market include locally grown vegetables and fruits, jams, a variety of breads, pies and baked goods, cheese, eggs, poultry, meat, seafood, and so much more.

You may bring your own bagged lunch or grab something to eat from a vendor. We suggest bringing \$40 if you want to buy something to eat at the market.

Rose Arts Festival

Friday, June 26, 2026 **6:00 PM - 8:00 PM**

Location: 125 Sachem St, Norwich, Connecticut, 06360, United States

The Rose Arts Festival is back in town! Let's discover talented local artists displaying a diverse range of art from paintings and sculptures to jewelry and textiles. We'll jam to a wild array of music while feasting on an impressive offering of local and international food truck favorites.

We suggest bringing \$40 for food and vendors. As always, remember to dress for the weather.

Early American Crafts & Trades Fair

Saturday, June 27, 2026 **11:30 AM - 1:30 PM**

Location: 19 West Avenue, Essex, CT 06426

Step back in time to 1776 as we celebrate America 250 with an Early American Crafts and Trades Fair. This event will feature demonstrations such as candle dipping, blacksmithing, and chair caning.

Admission is free. We suggest bringing \$20 for vendors. Please bring a brown bag lunch for this event