

The Wagging Tail

Earth Day (April 22, 2024) Edition

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Is Your Dog Smelling the Roses?

New research shows that dog sniffing keeps them mentally fit

The goal of walking your dog should be more than a pee or a poop. Rushing your pet through his daily walk might be doing more harm than good. There's a better way to walk your dog...and it doesn't involve yanking, dragging, or telling them to "hurry up!"

[Read The Sniff to Find Out](#)



It's a Walk in the Park

Take Fido to a Dog-Friendly State Park for **Earth Day 2024**



Monday, April 22, is Earth Day 2024. Use the day to visit a dog-friendly state park or forest. ***Hug a tree...and hug your dog!*** Click below for the full list. *Courtesy of Dog-Friendly Finds CT.*

Dog-Friendly State Parks
and Forests

Earth Day 2024

Our Pups Help Us Reflect on Keeping our Planet Sustainable

Join us and our pups on the North Haven Green Saturday, April 20, as we help bring awareness to Earth Day 2024 and show our support for environmental protection.

North Haven Earth Day Celebration

SATURDAY APRIL 20, 2024
10 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

NORTH HAVEN RECREATION CENTER

7 Linsley Street, North Haven, Connecticut

Bring your family and friends to enjoy a day of environmental awareness and community engagement. Admission is free for all!

- Fun-filled activities for all ages
- Educational exhibits and interactive displays
- Birds of Prey – 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
- Face Painting – 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

SHRED Truck sponsored by the North Haven Lions Club



But, We Knew That!



THE great Give

MAY 1-2, 2024

A 36-hour, online-giving event
to support local nonprofits



We've have been tracking your responses to our quick quiz, "What Type of Giver Are You?" So far, 87% of you present as "Do Gooders." (But we already knew that!) About 8% are "Socialites," while 5% are "Altruists" If you haven't taken the quiz, what are you waiting for? (And while you're waiting, mark your calendar for the Great Give, which begins on May 1.)

Take the Quiz


Pet Photo Shoot

Pet Photo Shoot with Sonia Agli Photography



April 21st • 10am - 12pm
\$10

Must sign-up for a session to participate

 soniaagli.photography



Doggie in the dumps? We have just the puppy picker upper! Bring Fido to **Where the Love Is Animal Shelter on Sunday, April 21 from 10 a.m. to noon** for a professional photo. A \$10 donation will go a long way to make memories for your dog and our dogs.

Reserve a Time Slot

Lola's Story

Once Terrified of Humans, Now Ready for Her New Life

She was TERRIFIED! | #adoptdontshop #rescuedog #dog





Volunteer Form

BingoMania

Support Us at the Connecticut Gay Men's Chorus Bingo Extravaganza!

A vibrant, stylized illustration of a queen character with bright red hair, wearing a black and red patterned dress and a crown. She is holding a yellow and black striped scepter. To her left is a yellow and black striped bee. The background is a whimsical landscape with large pink mushrooms and green foliage. The text is overlaid on the top and left sides of the image.

ALICE IN WONDERLAND

Bingo Mania!
with hostess
Kiki Lucia

Come celebrate
4/20 with all
your favorite
BingoManiacs!

**SATURDAY,
APRIL 20, 2024**

DOORS OPEN AT 6 PM
GAMES BEGIN AT 7 PM

\$25 ADMISSION
CASH PRIZES UP TO \$2,500!

ENJOY YOUR FAVORITE WINE, BEER
OR COCKTAIL AS YOU PLAY BINGO
THAT'S FAST, FUN AND FABULOUS

SNACKS, DESSERTS AND
BEVERAGES AVAILABLE

FUN CONTESTS AND GIVEAWAYS
ALL NIGHT LONG

PLENTY OF FREE, SAFE PARKING
THE ANNEX CLUB!

554 WOODWARD AVENUE,
NEW HAVEN—JUST OFF I-95!

STATE LAW PROHIBITS BEVERAGES OF ANY
KIND TO BE BROUGHT INTO THE ANNEX CLUB.

NEXT BINGOMANIAS: 5/18 6/15 7/20

Hearts & Darts



HEARTS the federal government for slating Connecticut to receive \$239,000 to combat ticks.

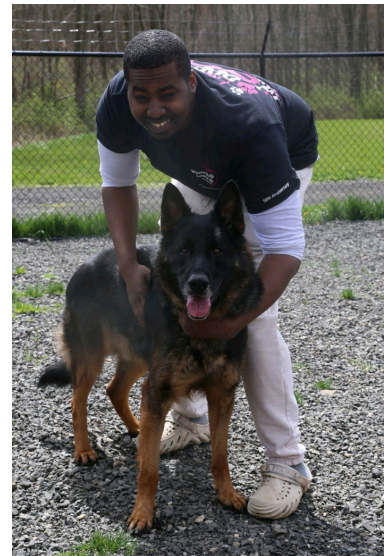
DARTS to the 8 people arrested in New Jersey on April 6 who are suspected of using 100 dogs to run an illegal dog-fighting ring.

[Read About Tick Fund](#)

[Read About Dog Fighting](#)

PET-CETERA

Some Photos from our Spring Fling Adoption Event



Once a WTLI Dog,



Always a WTLI Dog.

Litter Mates

Support Our Supporters

Many of our dedicated supporters and volunteers are business owners as well. Please show **them** where the **love** is by giving them your business!





Community Bag Program Stop & Shop (Hamden)

2335 Dixwell Ave, Hamden, CT 06514

APRIL 2024

WTLI receives \$1 for every \$2.50 "Give Back" bag purchased during April.



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