CALENDAR / WEATHER

The Hour

local happenings . . .

Monday, Nov. 10

No bingo at American Legion Post 12.

West Rocks Middle School Pre-holiday Vendor/Craft Fair Extravaganza, 5 to 9 p.m. and from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Nov. 11, at West Rocks School. More than 50 vendors, baked goods, food/drinks. For information, call Lisa Henderson (203) 216-7359.

The School Planning Team for the proposed South Norwalk Community Charter School second Community Forum, at which the need for the school and the concept paper will be discussed, 7 p.m. in the Community Room of the Norwalk City Hall. The public is invited.

Tuesday, Nov. 11

Veterans Day Ceremony, 9:30 a.m. at the Norwalk Concert Hall. The theme of the event is "Honor Our Veterans — Support Our Troops." The event begins with a band concert at 9:30. The formal ceremony follows at 10:30. The featured guest speaker is Frank C. Wismer III, retired U.S. Army chaplain. The ceremony concludes with the playing of "Stars and Stripes Forever," after which refreshments will be served in the Community Room by American Legion Post 12 Auxiliary. Free admission, parking.

West Rocks Pre-holiday Vendor/Craft Fair Extravaganza, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at West Rocks School. Free. More than 50 vendors and crafters participating.

Town of Westport will honor its veterans with services at 11 a.m. in the Town Hall Auditorium. Music by the Westport Community Band and talk by Staples High School senior Jack Aldrich.

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The Hall Family Band preforms a benefit concert for The Norwalk Sister City Project and The Norwalk Education Foundation at Norwalk's City Hall Sunday afternoon.

Norwalk Community College Writers' Festival, from 9:15 a.m. to 5 p.m. This daylong event will present three best-selling authors as keynote speakers, panels and workshops, and readings by NCC students. Panelists include published authors and literary agents. Aspiring wordsmiths and the public are invited. Free. For interviews, contact festival coordinator Susan Montez at (203) 857-7373 or smontez@ncc.commnet.edu NCC English department chairman Lisa Dresdner, Ph.D., at (203) 857-7291 or ldresdner@ncc.commnet.edu.

Wednesday, Nov. 12

Mid-Day Music at St. Paul's on the Green. 12:15 p.m. Free. Donations accepted. Soup/salad lunch available for $5 donation. For more information, contact Vince Edwards at (203) 847-2806. Sarah Dalrymple, soprano, singing music by Handel.

AARP Norwalk Chapter 2011 meeting, American Legion Hall at 1:30 p.m. Social hour, 12:30. State Sen. Bob Duff speaking.

CT opera performance of "Three Little Pigs," 4:15 to 5 p.m. in the Norwalk Public Library Community Room, 10 Washington St. Registration recommended. Funded by the city of Norwalk's mayor's office in partnership with the Stew Leonard III Children's Library. For information call (203) 899-2790, ext. 3.

Scott Bezsylko, executive director of Winston Prep Schools, will talk about fundamentals of neuropsychological evaluation and impact on child learning, 7 to 9 p.m. at Room 101 in Norwalk City Hall. Co-sponsored by NorwalkSEEKS and SmartKids with Disabilities. (203) 846-2501.

VFW Post 603 Post and Ladies Auxiliary regular meetings, 8 p.m.

Presidential celebration of President-elect Barack Obama, 7 p.m. at Grace Baptist Church, 17 West Ave. Public is invited.

Thursday, Nov. 13

Monthly meeting of Louis J. D'Orso Our Generation luncheon group, noon at the Laurel Athletic Club, 13 North Ave. For information, call (203) 762-2942.

Knights of Columbus Council 46 Annual Memorial Mass to remember deceased brothers and sisters at 8 p.m. at St. Jerome's Church at 23 Half Mile Road.

Friday, Nov. 14

Side by Side Community School fall wine tasting at Fat Cat Joe's, 3-5 Wall St., from 6:30 to 9 p.m. $50 per person. Featuring wine, hors d'oeuvres, gourmet pizza and raffle. Proceeds benefit Side by Side School music program. For information, call Tim Buzzee at (203) 857-0306, ext. 143.

Mayor Richard A. Moccia and City Hall employees are holding a coat drive to help those less fortunate stay warm. Clean coats in good condition may be delivered to NEON, 98 S. Main St., from 2 to 5 p.m. Coats will be made available free to local residents from 8 to 11:30 a.m. on Nov. 15. For information, call (203) 899-2487.

VFW Post 603 dancing, music and karaoke with Anne, 8 p.m. until closing. No cover.

Karaoke at the American Legion, 60 County St., with Rita from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. No cover.

Saturday, Nov. 15

The Barons at the Pastime Club at 59 Seaview Ave. Doors open at 7 p.m. Music from 9 p.m. to midnight. Buffet and raffles. $25 per person. Club open only to ticket holders. (203) 853-8613.

Oldies Dance at the American Legion, 60 County St., with Lenny Kerr, 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. No cover.

"Autumn Adoption" open house at Animals in Distress, 238 Danbury Road, Wilton, behind Town Hall. Noon to 4 p.m. Refreshments, and many healthy cats who need homes.

VFW Post 603 dancing, music and karaoke with Pete from 9 p.m. until closing. Public welcome, no cover.

The Hearing Loss Association of America, SW Connecticut Chapter, meeting at 10 a.m. at United Covenant Church, 68 Westport Ave. in Wilton. Speaker is Robert L. Weiss, director of Hearing and Balance Associates of Fairfield County. Free and open to public. (203) 847-5169.

"Family Health Day" from noon to 3 p.m. in the Norwalk Hospital Looney Tunes Play Area at the Stamford Town Center. For more information call (203) 852-2250. The event will offer pediatric speech and language screenings, postural and osteoporosis screenings, as well as "Ask the Speech Pathologist" and "Ask the Physical Therapist."

Sunday, Nov. 16

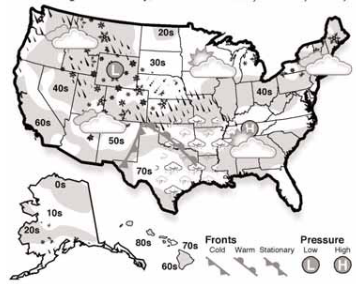
Escapades Singles Joint Party with Connecticut Catholic Singles at the Saltwater Grille, 183 Harbor Drive in Stamford, 5 to 9 p.m. Dancing to the Wall Street Duo. $15 per person. (203) 221-2134.

Planning ahead? For a more extensive listing of events, visit The Hour's calendar at **www.thehour.com**

National forecast

Forecast highs for Monday, Nov. 10

Sunny Pt. Cloudy Cloudy



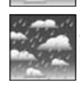
TODAY: Partly cloudy with a chance of rain, high near 51.

TONIGHT: Clear, lows around 35.

TUESDAY
Sunny,
high near 49,
low around 34.

WEDNESDAY
Mostly sunny,
high near 51,
low around 38.

THURSDAY
Mostly cloudy,
high near 52,
low around 46.



FRIDAY
Chance of rain,
high near 56,
low around 45.

REGIONAL WEATHER

TEMPERATURES
Yesterday's high: 57
Yesterday's low: 47
Today's record high: 69 (1977)
Today's record low: 24 (1956)
High a year ago: 49
Low a year ago: 40

PRECIPITATION
Yesterday: .01 inches (as of 8 p.m.)
This month: 1.23 inches
This year YTD: 50.54 inches
Last year YTD: 54.32 inches
Normal: 35.55 inches

ALMANAC
Ultraviolet exposure: 2 (low)
Sunset today: 4:39 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow: 6:36 a.m.
Lunar phase: full moon, Nov. 13

MARINE FORECAST
Today: West winds 10 to 15 knots with gusts up to 20 knots
Tonight: West winds 10 to 15 knots. Seas 1 to 2 feet.
Tuesday: West winds around 10 knots. Seas 1 to 2 feet.
The temperature of Long Island Sound is in the mid to u pper 50s.

SHELLFISHING
Conditionally approved recreational shellfishing beds in Darien, Norwalk and Westport are **open**. For shellfishing update, call (203) 838-9807. This information provided by the Norwalk Department of Health.

TIDES

Today

Hi	Low
8:20 a.m. (7.9 ft.)	2:15 a.m. (0.3 ft.)
8:50 p.m. (7.1 ft.)	2:53 p.m. (-0.1 ft.)

Tomorrow

Hi	Low
9:06 a.m. (8.3 ft.)	3:02 ft. (0.1 ft.)
9:39 p.m. (7.3 ft.)	3:42 p.m. (-0.5 ft.)

WORLD

	Hi	Lo	Wthr		Hi	Lo	Wthr
Amsterdam	53	42	rn	Lima	70	63	cdy
Athens	66	51	pc	Lisbon	66	55	rn
Auckland	60	50	rn	London	56	46	rn
Baghdad	77	53	clr	Madrid	55	33	rn
Bahrain	78	71	pc	Managua	86	71	clr
Bangkok	90	78	rn	Manila	86	77	rn
Barbados	87	76	rn	Mecca	97	82	clr
Barcelona	65	46	clr	Melbourne	69	50	rn
Beijing	55	35	clr	Mexico City	71	44	clr
Beirut	79	63	clr	Montevideo	76	58	clr
Belgrade	63	53	clr	Montreal	59	46	rn
Berlin	53	50	rn	Nairobi	75	60	rn
Bermuda	76	68	pc	Nassau	81	70	pc
Bogota	66	48	rn	New Delhi	86	64	clr
Brasilia	87	66	pc	Nice	61	51	rn
Brisbane	82	65	clr	Osaka	71	62	rn
Brussels	56	41	rn	Oslo	33	30	sn
Bucharest	48	45	cdy	Panama	86	73	pc
Budapest	62	50	pc	Paris	51	44	rn
Buenos Aires	77	66	clr	Perth	68	42	pc
Cairo	81	61	clr	Prague	48	44	rn
Calgary	52	31	clr	Rio de Janeiro	82	73	rn
Caracas	91	75	clr	Rome	64	51	rn
Colombo	89	73	clr	San Jose	78	62	rn
Copenhagen	51	46	rn	San Salvador	87	66	clr
Dhahran	80	68	pc	Santiago	69	52	pc
Dhaka	90	70	clr	Sao Paulo	78	64	rn
Dili	94	74	clr	Sapporo	55	40	sn
Dubai	88	74	clr	Seoul	59	44	cdy
Dublin	51	43	rn	Singapore	91	76	pc
Frankfurt	56	44	pc	Sofia	57	43	rn
Geneva	56	42	pc	Stockholm	42	33	pc
Guatemala	78	56	pc	Sydney	71	61	rn
Hanoi	82	69	rn	Taipei	84	73	pc
Harare	86	58	pc	Tegucigalpa	83	61	pc
Havana	84	71	rn	Tehran	62	48	clr
Helsinki	39	26	pc	Tel Aviv	81	56	clr
Hong Kong	88	78	clr	Tokyo	68	57	rn
Islamabad	83	50	pc	Turin	56	43	rn
Istanbul	66	57	pc	Toronto	54	43	rn
Jakarta	89	75	rn	Tunis	71	55	pc
Jerusalem	81	56	clr	Valletta	68	57	rn
Johannesburg	74	57	rn	Vancouver	55	49	rn
Kabul	68	44	clr	Vienna	58	52	rn
Kiev	44	28	pc	Warsaw	45	39	pc
Kuala Lumpur	92	75	pc	Zurich	56	37	pc
Kuwait	78	57	pc				
La Paz	68	37	pc				

NATION

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk		Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albany,N.Y.	54	44		Cldy	Las Vegas	64	61	.01	PCldy
Albuquerque	58	37		PCldy	Little Rock	57	34		PCldy
Amarillo	60	36		PCldy	Los Angeles	69	62		Clr
Anchorage	26	18		Cldy	Louisville	44	41		PCldy
Asheville	53	30		Clr	Lubbock	70	33		PCldy
Atlanta	59	39		Clr	Memphis	51	34		PCldy
Atlantic City	60	44	.14	Clr	Miami Beach	84	68		PCldy
Austin	79	34		Rain	Midland-Odessa	74	36		PCldy
Baltimore	59	40		Clr	Milwaukee	35	35	.02	Clr
Billings	54	39	.01	Cldy	Mpls-St Paul	31	26		PCldy
Birmingham	55	36		Clr	Nashville	44	42		Clr
Bismarck	16	10		Snow	New Orleans	69	48		Clr
Boise	47	44	.16	Cldy	New York City	56	48		PCldy
Boston	57	53	.05	PCldy	Norfolk,Va.	64	42		Clr
Brownsville	80	62	.07	Cldy	North Platte	49	18		Rain
Buffalo	43	39	1.21	Cldy	Oklahoma City	61	36		Rain
Burlington,Vt.	52	44	.16	Snow	Omaha	38	26		Cldy
Casper	55	25		Cldy	Orlando	76	51		Clr
Charleston,S.C.	67	47		Clr	Pendleton	52	44	.45	Cldy
Charleston,W.Va.	45	41		Clr	Philadelphia	57	43	.04	Clr
Charlotte,N.C.	63	33		Clr	Phoenix	78	54		Clr
Cheyenne	54	32		Snow	Pittsburgh	42	39		PCldy
Chicago	35	35		PCldy	Portland,Maine	57	53	.16	PCldy
Cincinnati	41	39		Clr	Portland,Ore.	54	51	.05	Rain
Cleveland	39	37	.02	Cldy	Providence	58	51	.05	PCldy
Columbia,S.C.	64	41		Clr	Raleigh-Durham	66	37		Clr
Columbus,Ohio	41	39		Clr	Rapid City	26	16		Cldy
Concord,N.H.	56	45	.10	PCldy	Reno	50	41	.09	PCldy
Dallas-Ft Worth	74	48		Rain	Richmond	63	41		Clr
Dayton	38	36		Clr	Sacramento	64	49	.02	PCldy
Denver	58	33		Snow	St Louis	41	35		Cldy
Des Moines	33	27		Cldy	St Petersburg	80	65		Clr
Detroit	43	39	.06	Snow	Salt Lake City	55	41		Rain
Duluth	26	21		PCldy	San Antonio	81	45		Rain
El Paso	76	34		PCldy	San Diego	67	62		Clr
Evansville	41	39		PCldy	San Francisco	61	53	.07	Cldy
Fairbanks	0	-12		Cldy	San Juan,P.R.	87	76		PCldy
Fargo	26	21		PCldy	Santa Fe	57	27		PCldy
Flagstaff	50	26		PCldy	St Ste Marie	35	32	.27	Snow
Grand Rapids	37	36	.07	Snow	Seattle	56	50	.08	Rain
Great Falls	56	40		Cldy	Shreveport	66	40		PCldy
Greensboro,N.C.	60	37		Clr	Sioux Falls	25	22		Cldy
Hartford Spgfld	57	48	.02	PCldy	Spokane	45	43	.01	Cldy
Helena	44	37		Cldy	Syracuse	51	40		Cldy
Honolulu	84	77		Clr	Tampa	79	m		Clr
Houston	76	47		Cldy	Topeka	45	24		Rain
Indianapolis	38	36		Clr	Tucson	78	47		Clr
Jackson,Miss.	60	35		PCldy	Tulsa	55	32		Rain
Jacksonville	71	42		Clr	Washington,D.C.	60	46		Clr
Juneau	31	22		Rain	Wichita	52	30		Rain
Kansas City	42	29	.03	Rain	Wilkes-Barre	48	40		PCldy
Key West	77	72		PCldy	Wilmington,Del.	59	44	.11	Clr

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CONNECTICUT
Play3: 2-9-6
Play4: 2-2-9-4
Cash 5: 12-16-21-25-31
PowerBall:
2,4,21,36,40 (41)
Power Play: 2
Estimated Jackpot:
$32 million

NUMBERS FOR 11/9/08
CONNECTICUT
Mid-Day 3: 3-5-3
Mid-Day 4:
3--8-9-2

NEW YORK
Midday Daily:
4-8-9
(Lucky Sum 21)
Midday WinFour:
2-6-4-2
(Lucky Sum 14)
Daily Number:
6-4-8
(Lucky Sum 18)
WinFour:
6-2-1-7
(Lucky Sum 16)
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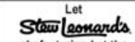

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TODAY IN HISTORY

The Associated Press

Today is Monday, Nov. 10, the 315th day of **2008**. There are 51 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Nov. 10, **1775**, the U.S. Marines were organized under authority of the Continental Congress.

On this date:

In **1871**, journalist-explorer Henry M. Stanley found Scottish missionary David Livingstone, who had not been heard from for years, near Lake Tanganyika in central Africa.

In **1917**, 41 suffragists were arrested for picketing in front of the White House.

In **1919**, the American Legion opened its first national convention, in Minneapolis.

In **1928**, Japan's Emperor Hirohito was formally enthroned, almost two years after his ascension.

In **1938**, Kate Smith first sang Irving Berlin's "God Bless America" on her CBS radio program, which aired on Thursdays.

In **1954**, the U.S. Marine Corps Memorial, depicting the raising of the American flag on Iwo Jima in 1945, was dedicated by President Eisenhower in Arlington, Va.

In **1969**, the children's educational program "Sesame Street" made its debut on National Educational Television (later PBS).

In **1975**, the ore-hauling ship SS Edmund Fitzgerald and its crew of 29 vanished during a storm in Lake Superior.

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