

ASSOCIATION OF RETIREES OF EVERSOURCE AND NORTHEAST UTILITIES

October 23, 2023 Newsletter

Sent on behalf of Karoll Wiater

Happy Fall, ARENU Members!



Baby chick born at the Berlin Fair held by Kursten Mulrooney on September 15, 2023

We hope that everyone had a wonderful summer and you are looking forward to enjoying the cooler weather that fall with bring us. I have been particularly enjoying the flowers, fruits and vegetables that have been available for the past few months and all the activities that got me out of the house. I hope you are making plans to do all your favorite fall trips and activities. But,

where does that time go because then the holidays will be here and we will be planning on getting together with our families and friends and celebrating the holidays.



Emmie, two and 1/2 year-old ARENU Chairperson's granddaughter, intent on watching the Equestrian show at the 2023 Big E.

ARENU MEETINGS

We are in the process of getting our ARENU fall meetings planned. Note that the meeting in the Berlin complex will be in a different conference room. The meetings will be:

| October 18, 2023. | Eversource Berlin Auditorium. | 10:30 a.m. | Financial Speaker |
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| December 6, 2023 | Aqua Turf, Southington | 11:00 a.m. | T.B.A. |

We are looking for speakers for the Winter/Spring timeframe and would appreciate your suggestions.

HOLIDAY LUNCHEON

The Holiday Luncheon, December 6, will be following the same tradition as our past

luncheons. However, we need to replace some of our volunteers that are no longer able to help us. Tasks are fairly easy, such as registering and handing out name tags to attendees, selling raffle tickets for 50/50 raffle, etc.

We will send out a separate email with the registration application for the Christmas Luncheon in early October.



Please be sure to Save the date on your calendar for the Holiday Luncheon.



Health Information

Osteoporosis is a silent disease, but there are subtle signs that mean you may need a bone check, says, Andrea Singer, M.D., Bone &Health Osteoporosis Foundation .

- 1. You're getting shorter...losing height is one of the most common signs that your spine might be shrinking. Measure yourself annually to spot this early.
- 2. **Unexplained back and neck pain**...back pain could have many causes, including a compression fracture or collapsed vertebra in your spine.
- 3. **Shortness of Breath**....if your spine is starting to compress because of bone loss or fracture, your lung capacity may be reduced. Shortness of breath can be a symptom of several other serious issues too; always get it checked.
- 4. **Poor posture**....if you feel uncomfortable when standing straight or notice a hunch in your upper back, it could be a sign of spinal bone loss or fracture.
- 5. **GI issues**...bone loss is connected to several gastrointestinal conditions, such as celiac disease, both of which can inhibit nutrition absorption, in addition, some GI issues require treatment with steroids, which also lower one density.
- 6. **Dental Issues**...Tooth loss can be a sign of bone loss in the jaw area, and may additionally indicate bone loss and decreased bone density in other areas of the body. Pay close attention to this sign if you're losing teeth too easily.

Osteoporosis is not entirely silent. Watch these signals and others in case you need a bone check.

Keep active. Keep moving... even do chair exercises to help your body stay strong!

2023 ARENU GOLF TOURNAMENT RESULTS

The ARENU Golf Tournament was on Thursday, July 27th, and fielded 80 golfers. The winners were:

Team Score

Team

| 60. | Chris Runde, Bill, Controvillas, Tim Pretty, Mark Sumoski |
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| 67. | Bob Tacchi, Jim Motyka, Felipe Castro. Steve Motyka |
| 67. | Jeff Turano, Steve Hussein, Mike Mancini, Ken Malina |
| 68. | Nick Rinaldi, John Chenkus, Dave Benoit, Chuck Goodwin |
| 68. | Mile Woishnis, Gerry Carbone's, Mike Duncan, Gary Davis |

Closest To The Pin

Women Debbie Tobin — 12'1"

MenHole 4 - Jim Calabrese — 9'3" Hole 8 - Bill Freeman — 9'0" Hole 14 - John Flament — 6'0" Hole 16 - Bob Stafstrom — 5'7"



Please be sure to Save the date for the 2024 ARENU Golf Tournament on July 25, 2024, on your calendar. We'd like more women to join Debbie in our golfing contingent in the tournament. .It's a day for everyone!!



Up from Florida, retiree, Linda Deluca, visits friends and family in July. Linda took advantage of the Connecticut shoreline and went kayaking in Long Island Sound on A beautiful summer day.

***Remember to send pictures of retirees doing things together.

OBITUARIES

Our sympathy to the family and friends of those listed below.

(For your information, we are now providing the company subsidiary associated with the retiree when it is available.)

| Name | Date of Death | <u>Company</u> | Retirement Date |
|--------------------|---------------|----------------|-----------------|
| William Sears | 1/23/2022 | CL&P | 10/1/1984 |
| Lonny Block | 1/24/2022 | CL&P | 10/1/1989 |
| Antonio Rotundo | 1/25/2022 | CL&P | 12/1/1991 |
| Ralph Leavenworth | 1/26/2022 | CL&P | 9/1/1995 |
| Leo Roberge | 1/27/2022 | CL&P | 4/1/2000 |
| Norman Chabot | 1/28/2022 | YG | 5/1/2000 |
| David Seager | 1/29/2022 | PSNH | 3/1/2004 |
| Dennis Doran | 1/30/2022 | PSNH | 8/1/2008 |
| Geraldine Cyr | 1/31/2022 | CL&P | 8/1/2010 |
| Renate Pelton | 2/1/2022 | NU | 8/1/2013 |
| Glenn Favaro | 2/2/2022 | CL&P | 11/1/2014 |
| Heinz Hippauf | 2/3/2022 | WMECO | 11/1/1993 |
| David Creamer | 2/3/2022 | CL&P | 8/1/2021 |
| William Smith | 2/4/2022 | WMECO | 11/1/2021 |
| Marie Douthwright | 2/5/2022 | NU | 2/1/1983 |
| Clarence Hinckley | 2/6/2022 | CL&P | 2/1/1985 |
| Peter Kalmakis | 2/7/2022 | NU | 9/1/1986 |
| John Harding | 2/8/2022 | CL&P | 9/1/1991 |
| Clyde Simpson | 2/9/2022 | WMECO | 11/1/1993 |
| Walter Fessenden | 2/10/2022 | PSNH | 11/1/1993 |
| Charles Stuart | 2/11/2022 | WMECO | 11/1/1993 |
| Edmond Keane | 2/12/2022 | CL&P | 11/1/1994 |
| John Catlin | 2/13/2022 | NU | 6/1/1995 |
| Laurence Hayes | 2/14/2022 | YG | 2/1/1996 |
| Joseph Lombardo | 2/15/2022 | CL&P | 8/1/1998 |
| Antonio Buonopane | 2/16/2022 | CL&P | 5/1/2004 |
| Domenico Arico | 2/17/2022 | CL&P | 2/1/2006 |
| Joseph Lorusso | 2/18/2022 | CL&P | 2/1/2006 |
| Dennis Moore | 2/19/2022 | PSNH | 2/1/2016 |
| L Tardif | 2/20/2022 | NU | 2/1/1988 |
| Charles Messana | 2/21/2022 | WMECO | 12/31/1991 |
| Allen Hale | 2/22/2022 | PSNH | 1/2/1992 |
| Thomas Bridges | 2/23/2022 | PSNH | 1/2/1992 |
| John Hayward | 2/24/2022 | PSNH | 1/2/1992 |
| Michael Muggeo | 2/25/2022 | NU | 8/1/1992 |
| Joseph Morrison | 2/26/2022 | NU | 11/1/1993 |
| Lillie Cain | 2/27/2022 | NU | 12/1/1995 |
| Richard Brennan | 2/28/2022 | CL&P | 2/1/2000 |
| Robert Bergeron | 3/1/2022 | CL&P | 7/1/2000 |
| Tamara Noble | 3/2/2022 | NU | 3/1/2002 |
| Boyd Tuttle | 3/3/2022 | CL&P | 3/1/2002 |
| Richard Muisener | 3/4/2022 | CL&P | 7/1/2006 |
| Mark Wethered | 3/5/2022 | NU | 6/1/2010 |
| Clinton Canning | 3/6/2022 | CL&P | 6/1/2015 |
| Robert Schoolcraft | 3/7/2022 | WMECO | 9/1/1987 |

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|-------------------|---------------|----------------|-----------------|
| Raymond Taylor | 3/8/2022 | NU | 5/1/1988 |
| Robert Allan | 3/9/2022 | NU | 12/31/1991 |
| Leslie Ernhout | 3/10/2022 | CL&P | 11/1/1992 |
| Richard Benson | 3/11/2022 | PSNH | 6/1/1993 |
| Victor Fulco | 3/12/2022 | CL&P | 2/1/1995 |
| Anthony Fasolo | 3/13/2022 | CL&P | 2/1/1997 |
| William Young | 3/14/2022 | CL&P | 2/1/1998 |
| Bruce Bradshaw | 3/15/2022 | CL&P | 3/1/2001 |
| Donald Forrest | 3/16/2022 | CL&P | 9/1/2001 |
| James Bross | 3/17/2022 | CL&P | 6/1/2003 |
| Gaston Coderre | 3/18/2022 | PSNH | 3/1/2004 |
| Bruce Blakey | 3/19/2022 | NU | 5/1/2006 |
| Louis Nordle | 3/20/2022 | PSNH | 9/1/2011 |
| Allan Hodgkins | 3/28/2022 | PSNH | 2/2/1987 |
| Richard Hansen | 11/25/2022 | CL&P | 4/1/2012 |
| Charles Diorio | 12/20/2022 | CL&P | 2/1/2010 |
| Richard King | 1/10/2023 | CL&P | 3/1/2001 |
| Curtis Dowling | 1/27/2023 | CL&P | 5/1/2015 |
| Miles Blodgett | 1/27/2023 | CL&P | 3/1/1988 |
| Vincent Rosati | 1/29/2023 | CL&P | 8/1/1985 |
| Welmon Dennison | 1/30/2023 | CL&P | 5/1/2010 |
| Robert Evans | 2/2/2023 | PSNH | 5/1/2006 |
| Walter Ela | 2/9/2023 | CL&P | 2/1/1986 |
| Kenneth Fisher | 2/9/2023 | PSNH | 1/2/1992 |
| Leon Maglathlin | 2/10/2023 | NU | 1/1/1989 |
| David Patterson | 2/14/2023 | WMECO | 4/1/2004 |
| Robert Davis | 2/17/2023 | CL&P | 11/1/1993 |
| Pamela Lynch | 2/19/2023 | NU | 7/1/2005 |
| Joseph Kellar | 2/20/2023 | WMECO | 6/1/2010 |
| Lawrence Fraser | 2/22/2023 | NU | 4/1/1995 |
| Roy Barbour | 2/23/2023 | PSNH | 4/2/1988 |
| Haydn Long | 2/25/2023 | WMECO | 9/1/2007 |
| Roland Deslippe | 2/28/2023 | NU | 8/1/2000 |
| Philip Gervais | 3/8/2023 | CL&P | 11/1/1992 |
| Ronald Reck | 3/8/2023 | NU | 2/1/2000 |
| Raymond Cobb | 3/11/2023 | NU | 11/1/1993 |
| August Blasig | 3/12/2023 | CL&P | 10/1/1991 |
| Robert Traggio | 3/17/2023 | NU | 9/1/1999 |
| James Thompson | 3/22/2023 | PSNH | 9/17/1987 |
| Robert Maturevich | 3/23/2023 | WMECO | 5/1/2013 |
| David Wellspeak | 3/27/2023 | WMECO | 3/1/2003 |
| Larrye Debear | 4/2/2023 | NU | 4/1/1996 |
| James Giknis | 4/12/2023 | NU | 11/1/2006 |
| Marshall Morris | 4/12/2023 | NU | 5/1/1984 |
| Syeeda Wilkins | 4/15/2023 | CL&P | 4/1/1995 |
| Benford Hilliker | 4/15/2023 | CL&P | 10/1/1996 |
| Donald Holmes | 4/15/2023 | CL&P | 7/1/2020 |
| George Frisina | 4/15/2023 | YG | 8/1/2007 |
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