

Listings // Schools

Town Green
With gazabo and antique tank.
Main St., New Milford
newmilfordrec.com

Mount Bushnell State Park
A variety of scenic hiking trails.
Tinker Hill Rd., New Preston

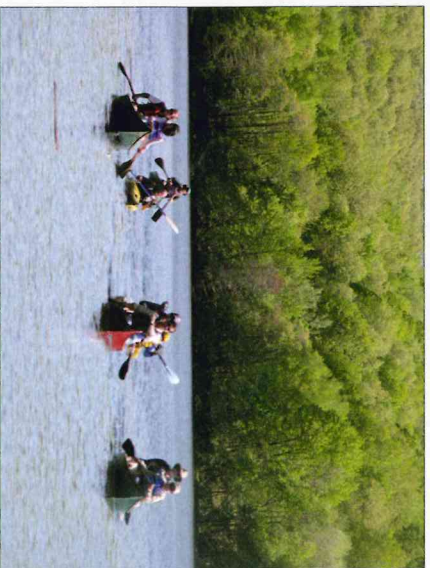
Edith Scoville Sanctuary
Located along the Appalachian Trail in Salisbury.

Housatonic Meadows State Park
Located amongst the rugged hills of the Northwest uplands, Housatonic

Meadows is the ideal setting for a range of recreational activities.
90 Route 7 N., Sharon
860-672-6772
ct.gov/deep/housatonicmeadows

Mount Riga State Park
Home to Connecticut's tallest peak, Bear Mountain.
Salisbury, 860-424-3000

John A. Minetto State Park
Fishing in the summertime and cross-country skiing in the winter.
385 Burr Mountain Rd., Torrington
860-482-1817



Fresh Air, Fresh Water



ENVIRONMENTAL EFFORTS are strong in Litchfield County, given our area's natural beauty and empathetic citizenship. A leader in this field is the Housatonic Valley Association, working to protect the water and the land for 75 years.

The Housatonic Valley Association has organized the Source to Sound Paddle Trip from April 22 to May 1. Three expert paddlers will guide goes down the Housatonic River beginning at the source in the Berkshires and arriving in Stratford, on Long Island Sound. Along the way, riverside celebrations will take place, greeting paddlers and offering instruction about the river ecosystem and celebrating the 75th anniversary of HVA. "It promises to be a wonderful ten-day celebration, including many partner organizations and VIPs," says HVA's Brenda Singer.

On April 30, HVA board member and former fashion exec Linda Allard has committed to paddling in the war canoe, with influential Litchfield County women. HVA will hold riverside events along the way. School children will participate in events in W. Cornwall and Kent. In the fall, HVA organizes one of the most-sought-after and most successful fundraisers of the year: its star-studded auction that raises hundreds of thousands of dollars and helps to raise awareness for the association's mission. —*JUSTIN PAPP*

Paugnut State Forest
1,702 acres of land used for a variety of recreational activities.
385 Burr Mountain Rd., Torrington
860-482-1817

Steep Rock
Offers hiking trails and views.
2 Green Hill Rd., Washington
860-868-9131 / steeprockassoc.org

Hollow Park
Multi-use fields, a river walk, picnic tables, pavilion and basketball.
Hollow Rd., Woodbury
woodburyparksandrec.org

Nonnewaug Falls
Trail leading to a stunning waterfall.
Falls Rd., Woodbury
woodburyparksandrec.org

Oreanaug Park
Trails lead to an observation tower.
Park Rd., Woodbury
woodburyparksandrec.org

Three Rivers Park
Trails, ball fields and fishing.
Route 47, Woodbury
woodburyparksandrec.org

SCHOOLS

Private

Cheshire Academy
A college-preparatory school that challenges its students, who come from all over the world and enroll in grades 8 through Post-Grad.
10 Main St., Cheshire
203-272-5396
cheshireacademy.org

Kent School
Independent co-educational boarding school located between the Appalachian Trail and the Housatonic River in Northwestern Connecticut.
1 Macedonia Rd., Kent
860-927-6000, kent-school.edu

Marvelwood School
Independent, co-educational college preparatory school for grades 9-12.
476 Skiff Mountain Rd., Kent
860-927-0047
marvelwood.org

South Kent School
Residential school for boys grades 9-12 and post-grads.
40 Bulls Bridge Rd., South Kent
860-927-3539
southkentschool.org

Forman School
Co-educational college preparatory boarding and day school for students with learning differences.
12 Norfolk Rd., Litchfield
860-567-8317
formanschool.org

Canterbury School
Independent, co-educational boarding and day school for students in grades 9-12 and post-grads.
101 Aspetuck Ave., New Milford
860-210-3800, cbury.org

Faith Preparatory School
Specializing in a Christ Centered Education for grades K-12.
600 Danbury Rd., New Milford
860-354-7767
faithschools.info

The Hotchkiss School
A selective, independent, co-educational college preparatory boarding school founded in 1891 for students grade 9-12 and post-grads.
11 Interlaken Rd., Lakeville
860-435-2591 / hotchkiss.org

Indian Mountain School
Co-educational junior boarding and day school for grades 5 through 9.
217 Indian Mountain Rd., Lakeville
860-435-0871 / indianmountain.org

Salisbury School
All boys, private college-preparatory boarding school founded in 1901.
251 Carnan Rd., Salisbury
860-435-5700 / salburyschool.org

St. Peter/St. Francis School
Furthering the advancement of Catholic education for students in grades pre-K through 8th.
360 Prospect St., Torrington
860-489-4177 / spstpschool.org

Torrington Christian Academy
Providing students Pre-K through 12, founded in the message of God.
387 New Harvinton Rd., Torrington
860-482-7464 / tcaonline.org

Glenholme School
A therapeutic boarding school for middle school, high school and post-graduate students.
81 Sabbaday Rd., Washington
860-868-7377
theglenholmeschool.org

The Gunner
A co-educational college preparatory boarding and day school for students in grades 9-12.
99 Green Hill Rd., Washington
860-868-7334 / portalgunner.org

Rumsey Hall School
Co-educational boarding and country day school grades K-9.
201 Romford Rd., Washington Depot
860-868-0535, rumseyhall.org

Washington Montessori School
Offering programs for students pre-K through eighth.
240 Litchfield Turnpike, New Preston, 860-868-0551
washingtonmontessori.org

Nursery
Kent Community Nursery School
Educating children in Kent and the surrounding area since 1968.
6 Bridge St., Kent
860-927-1294, keens.org

Room to Grow
Nursery school, summer day camp and childcare for infants.
405 Barnham Rd., Litchfield
860-567-8422
roomtogramcommunity.org