



# CHARLESTOWN HISTORICAL SOCIETY

## July Update

Our Museum fundraising is beginning to gather momentum and we have a variety of events planned to help us reach our goal.

Please join us this Sunday for our Yard Sale. Check the first article for all the details.

If you are not a member yet or have not renewed your membership, please fill out the form at the bottom of the page. It is only through your support that we are able to "Learn, Teach and Preserve" the History of Charlestown, Rhode Island.

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**CHS GARAGE SALE - THIS SUNDAY, JULY 25, MICHAEL'S SHELL, GARAGE & FOOD MART - 10AM TO 3PM**



**Come to the best Yard Sale ever!!**

**This Sunday, July 25, from 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM, we will be setting up tables and selling treasures donated by CHS members.**

**Our Yard Sale will be located at Michael's Shell, Garage & Food Mart, 5680 Post Road (US Rte 1), Quonochontaug, Charlestown.**

**All proceeds from this sale will go toward our Museum fundraising efforts. Come early to get the best selection.**

## COMING SOON - TWO GREAT EVENTS

Although dates haven't been set yet, we wanted to let you know that we have two events in the planning stage.

Coming in September, we will be hosting a Wine & Cheese Gathering with Silent Auction at the Charlestown Gallery. On display will be Red Sox Memorabilia which will be posted on Ebay prior to this event.



Our second Fall event will be a power-point presentation by Michael Steven Ford on the *"History of King Tom Ninigret, His Tribal Lands and the Colonial History of the King Tom Farm and the Kenyon Family."* This presentation will also include the history of the Arnolda Colony along Ninigret Pond. Anyone interested in Charlestown's history will not want to miss this!

We'll send you further details as soon we have a confirmed date and time for these two events.

## FARMERS MARKET - CROSS MILLS LIBRARY - FRIDAYS FROM 9 UNTIL NOON



Local Farm Fresh Produce

Charlestown's Farmers Market continues to draw crowds every Friday morning from 9 until Noon.

Experience the variety of products offered by our local farmers - fresh vegetables, beef, pork, lamb, eggs, honey, flowers, shellfish, jonnycakes and more. Pet the alpacas and then watch as spinners and weavers demonstrate their skills. Watch as beautiful jewelry is made from Quahog shells, and then buy a piece for yourself or a gift.

Top the morning off with a visit to the Schoolhouse.

The market will continue until September 3rd at the Cross Mills Library.

Starting September 10th through Oct 1st it will be back at the Quonochontaug Grange from 4-7pm on Fridays.

Farmers Market is brought to you by the Charlestown Land Trust (formerly the South County Conservancy) and supported by the Charlestown Historical Society.

Our next email will feature information on our two upcoming events as well as an update on the progress of the new Museum fundraising efforts.

Sincerely,

Charlestown Historical Society

## Membership

Annual Dues: \$20.00 Individual, \$25.00 Family Please make checks payable to CHS.  
Mail to: CHS, PO Box 100, Charlestown, RI 02813

Renewal

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