

FALLS VILLAGE



INFORMATION HANDBOOK

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Note: Volunteers from the Falls Village Welcoming Committee along with The Falls Village Community Development Corp have created this handbook to help new residents learn about their town and to provide current residents with a resource guide.

I. Information Sources

The Town of Canaan / Falls Village

www.canaanfallsvillage.org

Note: Falls Village is often referred to as Canaan; either or both names work for Postal Delivery

Local Chapter of NextDoor

www.us.nextdoor.com

The Falls Village Community Development Corp.

www.fallsvillagecdc.com

fallsvillagecdc@gmail.com

Note: The Falls Village Community Development Corp is a 501(c)3 non-profit dedicated to:

- Equity/Diversity/Inclusion
- Community Development
- Downtown Revitalization
- Housing
- Environmental Sustainability

Additional Local Information

- The Northwest CT Arts Council Calendar of Events artsnwct.org
- The Lakeville Journal tricornernews.com/events-calendar
- The NW CT Chamber of Commerce
- nwctchamberofcommerce.org/business-resources/regional-happenings/
- Discover Litchfield Hills discoverlitchfieldhills.com
- Litchfield Magazine happeninginthehills.com/
- Litchfield County Calendar of Events www.countytimes.com/calendar/
- Dutchess County, NY www.dutchesstourism.com
- Berkshire County, MA www.berkshires.org

II. Government and Town Offices

Town of Canaan/Falls Village

108 Main Street, PO Box 47, Falls Village, CT 06031

860-824-0707 canaanfallsvillage.org

Hours: Monday-Wednesday 9-3; Thursday 9-12; Friday closed

Town Clerk

860-824-0707 ext.10 townclerk@canaanfallsvillage.org

- Record a deed
- Look up land, birth, marriage, and death records
- Apply for licenses: Marriage, Dog, Fishing, Hunting, Business
- Apply for permits for outdoor burning

- Get documents notarized
- Apply for an absentee ballot
- Request agendas and minutes relative to Town boards and committees

Assessor

860-824-0707 ext.14

Real estate and personal property assessments and tax bills

Tax Collector

860-824-0707 ext.13

Building Inspector

860-309-7852/860-824-0707 ext.28

- Building permits for renovations or new construction or to build a pool
- Building inspections

Note: if you need to dig a well or install a septic system, or you are installing a pool, you also need to contact Torrington Area Health Department at **860-489-0436 ext. 323**

Registrar of Voters

860-824-0707 ext.18

- Register to vote
- Volunteer to work at the polls

Social Services

Senior services **860-824-9855**

Housatonic Youth Service Bureau **860-824-4720** hysb.org

Economic Development Director

community@canaanfallsvillage.org

- Open or relocate a new business
- Explore area business opportunities

Transfer Station

860-824-5819

100 Route 63, Open Tuesday, Friday, Saturday 8am-3pm; available to taxpayers only

Town Pool and Recreation Center

860-824-8026

108 Route 63

Falls Village Day Care

860-824-0882

35 Page Road, year-round, Monday-Friday 7:30 am-5:15pm

Governance

Our Town is governed by the three-person **Board of Selectmen** who are the executive authority of the Town and are elected to a two-year term in municipal elections. **Town**

Meetings constitute the legislative body of the Town of Canaan.

The Town has elected and appointed **Boards and Commissions** who set policy, approve budgets for Town services and schools, regulate areas such as zoning and wetlands, and provide guidance to the Selectmen and the Town. For a complete list of Town boards, commissions, and committees and their meeting schedules, please visit the Town website. Connecticut has an open meetings law and therefore all government meetings are open to the public. “Open” means that citizens can attend and observe; all government meetings are not necessarily open for public comments or participation.

All voting-age property owners who own a minimum of \$1,000 worth of property taxed by Falls Village may vote in Town Meetings to approve the Town budget and Town expenditures, regardless of whether or not they are registered to vote in Falls Village. This means that if you are a part-time or seasonal homeowner with a primary residence elsewhere, you may still participate and vote at Town Meetings on Town financial matters if you own—in your name—a home, land, or personal property taxed by the Town of Canaan/Falls Village. “In your name” means that your name appears on the Grand List of property taxed by the Town.

State 64th Assembly District

State Representative Maria Horn, Democrat **860-240-8585**

30th Senatorial District

Stephen Harding, Republican **860-240-8800**

Federal 5th Congressional District

Representative Jahana Hayes, Democrat **860-223-8412**

United States Senators

Chris Murphy, Democrat **860-223-8412**

Richard Blumenthal, Democrat **860-258-6940**

III. Schools

Lee H. Kellogg School

K-8 Public School serving Falls Village

47 Main Street, Falls Village, CT 06031, **860-824-7791** kelloggschool.org

Housatonic Valley Regional High School (HVRHS)

Grades 9-12 Public School located in Falls Village, Regional School District One

Serving: Kent, Sharon, Salisbury, North Canaan, Falls Village, and Cornwall.

246 Warren Turnpike Road, Falls Village, CT 06031 **860-824-5123** hvrhs.org

HVRHS Annual Events

860-824-5123 x356 ffa.hvrhs.org/events

- Future Farmers of America (FFA) students and alums create handmade wreaths and centerpieces, which, in addition to trees and poinsettias, are available for purchase in December at the Agricultural Education Center.
- FFA Open House In the spring, elementary school children tour the FFA program, watch demonstrations, and participate in activities. Later in the evening, community members watch demonstrations and view the exhibits.

IV. Library

The David M. Hunt Library 63 Main Street **860-824-7424** huntlibrary.org

The library, which recently celebrated its 125th anniversary, offers a wide selection of print books, e-books, audio books, and periodicals. If they don't have it, they can probably get it for you! In addition, the library offers events throughout the year, such as art shows, children's programs and story hours, guest speakers, poetry readings, book discussions, craft instruction, trivia night, and musical programs. Many of the previous library programs have been recorded and can be watched on the library's YouTube channel.

The Friends of the Library is a strong volunteer organization providing countless volunteer hours assisting our librarians, running the monthly book sales, and assisting with the annual auction party/fundraiser. A book sale on the first Saturday of every month. The Friends welcomes new members!

V. The Falls Village - Canaan Historical Society

44 Railroad St - Falls Village Depot **860-824-8226** fallsvillage-canaanhistoricalsociety.org
Tuesdays 9-12 or by appointment

- Preserves records and artifacts on display at the newly renovated museum.
- South Canaan Meetinghouse, Falls Village, summer lecture series and other events
- Peddlers Flea Market, annual event at the South Canaan Meetinghouse
- Beebe Hill Schoolhouse, Falls Village, 1-room schoolhouse, open for summer tour

VI. Falls Village Town Recreation Commission

recreation@canaanfallsvillage.org
canaanfallsvillage.org/entities/recreation-commission

The Recreation Center and Town Pool 860-824-8026

During the summer the Recreation Center and municipal swimming pool is open for Falls Village residents and guests. The pool features designated lap-lanes and a pergola to provide shade, picnic tables with umbrellas, charcoal grills, and a playground with a rope climbing tower. Swim lessons are offered to children ages 3-13 and water fitness classes are available for adults ages 18 and older. Creative Kidz Club, a summer day camp, takes place at the pool three weeks in July.

Falls Village Ski Club

Meets in February at Mohawk Mountain Ski Area in Cornwall. Lessons are available for ski and snowboarding for children of all skill levels. Transportation and scholarships are available. Information is on the town's website: canaanfallsvillage.org.

Falls Village Car & Motorcycle Show

Features antique, classic and muscle cars, trucks, tractors, motorcycles and more every July. It also features live music, food, vendors and awards. information can be found on the Falls Village Car & Motorcycle Show Facebook page.

Falls Village Truck Pull

In the fall, hosted by the Fire Department and Jacobs Garage, at the Recreation Center, a professional truck-pulling track. Also features food and a local brewery, live music, and more. Information is on the Falls Village Truck Pull Facebook page.

ShireCon

Is a one-day gaming convention at The Center On Main in September. This roleplaying and board game convention attracts gamers from the tri-state area and features scheduled games and vendors. For more information visit: throwigames.com.

Falls Village Town Recreation Commission Seasonal Events

- Halloween party takes place on Halloween night on the town green with the annual costume parade.
- Annual Tree Lighting and Holiday Party Santa arrives by fire truck during caroling on the green, and then joins families inside The Center on Main for cookies and hot chocolate.
- Annual Easter Egg Hunt treat-filled eggs are hidden on the Kellogg School athletic field for children to find.

VII. Outdoor Sports

Hikes/Walks

There are countless scenic trails and dirt roads in the tri-state area. Here are a few: Appalachian Trail appalachiantrail.org/explore/explore-by-state/connecticut/

Appalachian Trail Loop

³/₄ mile by the river; enter by the power station Rand's View
berkshirehiking.com/hikes/randsview.html

Appalachian Trail, intersection of Rt 112 and Rt 7

Parking lot and signs Mohawk Trail A spur off the Appalachian Trail. Look for blue marks instead of white ones painted on the trees. Enter on Warren Tpk or Music Mt Road

Sages Ravine

two trail heads on Rt 41 between Salisbury and the Mass border Pine Knob Loop Rt 7. On the right after Clark Outdoors
alltrails.com/trail/us/connecticut/pine-knob-via-appalachian-trail-loop

Great Mountain Forest greatmountainforest.org/workingforest/maps.php

Yale Forestry School Road

East Gate: 44 to Westside Rd in Norfolk; to Windrow Rd; park at 201 Windrow West Gate: park at 200 Canaan Mt Rd. Walk down Canaan Mt Rd to the dirt road.

About 3-mile to lake; About half hour in, left at intersection to the lake; at the lake either return or continue, right at top of the lake, right again and then right on Crissy Trail; this will take you back to the road, turn right to the entrance.

Iron Trail greatmountainforest.org/workingforest/maps.php

Part of the Great Mountain Forest System. This section starts in Falls Village at the intersection of Steep Road and Canaan Mountain Rd continuing to the old iron mill. There is also an extension starting on Canaan Mt Road to the top.

Hotchkiss School

Park near the daycare center (not during hours of operation) between the football field and the Interlaken; look for white pillars on the road.

River Road Lime Rock Station Rd to River Road.

Small parking area on the left. Turns into a dirt road. There is some occasional car traffic but slow-moving.

Housatonic River Road

Go over the red bridge by the power plant and turn right. Park anywhere along the side once you get to the dirt road. There is some occasional car traffic but slow-moving.

Lions Head

84 Bunker Hill Rd, Salisbury

<https://www.alltrails.com/trail/us/connecticut/lions-head-trail>

Rail Trail

Millerton, NY paved hvrt.org/

Salisbury School cross country ski trails

Rt 44. On the right going from Rt 126 to Salisbury

After the last Salisbury School building. About 2½ mile loop.

Salisbury Rail Trail

goes from behind the library in Salisbury to Lakeville. Raccoon Hill Rt 44 in Salisbury to Library St. Left on Railroad St, right on Indian Cave Rd, to ski jump. Park at the gate. 3.2-mile loop or go to the top, Rand's View.

Unnamed Trail off West Cornwall Rd.

Rt 7 to the road opposite the Covered Bridge. Turn right. Go past the Audubon Center, past a big painted boulder; on the right is a dirt road. Turn rt and go to the parking area.

Boating/Kayaking/Canoeing

- Housatonic River Put in along River Road or below the power plant or above the falls housatonicheritage.org/wp-content/uploads/2015/08/ConnPaddleGuide.pdf
- Lake Wononskopomuc, Lakeville

- Long Pond, Salisbury
- Mudge Pond, Sharon
- Twin Lakes, O'Hara Landing Marina, Salisbury
- Indian Lake, Sharon

Note: For boat rentals contact Clarke Outdoors clarkoutdoors.com 163 Route 7, West Cornwall
860-672-6365

Swimming

- Falls Village Pool including picnic tables, playground, and a changing area
- Lake Wononskopomuc (aka "the Town Grove"), Lakeville. A beach, playground,
- Mudge Pond, Sharon Town Beach, playground, picnic tables, changing area
- YMCA, Route 7, Canaan, at Geer (Indoor pool)

Downhill Skiing and Snowboarding

Mohawk Mountain, Cornwall, CT info@mohawkmtn.com Catamount Mountain Resort, Hillsdale, NY catamountski.com Butternut Ski Area and Tubing Center, MA skibutternut.com Bousquet Ski Area, Pittsfield, MA Bousquets.com

Jiminy Peak jiminypeak.com/

Cross Country/Snowshoe

- Salisbury School cross country ski trails - Rt 44. On the right going from Rt 126 to Salisbury. After the last Salisbury School building. About 2½ mile loop.
- Open fields Pretty much anywhere there is open land
- Sledding at Housatonic Regional Valley High School is popular.
- Ice Skating Town officials will check the ice on the surrounding town lakes.
- Go to **globaltennisnetwork.com** for additional locations.
- Some local public choices:
Housatonic Valley Regional High School, Falls Village
Salisbury School, Salisbury Cannon Park, Salisbury Interlaken Inn, Lakeville

Running/Walking Laps

Housatonic Valley Regional High School - Outdoor track (when school is out)

Fishing and Hunting

For a license, check with Falls Village Town Hall

Fishing Locations

- Housatonic River, entry on River Rd or Rt 7 (between FV and West Cornwall)
- O'Hara's Landing Marina, Salisbury oharalanding.com

Fishing Equipment

- Housatonic River Outfitter, 24 Kent Road, Cornwall Bridge
- Jim's Bait and Tackle
391 Norfolk Road, Canaan **860-824-5773**

Hunting Locations

- Northwest Connecticut Rod and Gun Club **nwctrclub.clubexpress.com/**

Playgrounds

- Lee Kellogg School, 47 Main St., Falls Village, CT
- Lake Wononskopomuc at the Town Grove in Lakeville.
- Eddie Collins Field across from Agway on Rt 22, just north of Millerton, NY,
- Sharon Town Beach, Mudge Pond, Sharon
- Canaan Town Center, across from McDonald's, Canaan

Golf, Miniature Golf, and Batting Cages

Golf: Canaan Country Club, Canaan, Golf Course, Pro Shop, open to public
canaancountryclub.com

Hotchkiss School, Rt 112, Lakeville, open to public, Jim Kennedy Pro **860-435-4400**

Miniature Golf and Batting Cages: Caddie Shack, 350 Ashley Falls Road, Rt 7, Canaan
860-824-8164 (closed in winter)

Horseback Riding

Rustling Wind Stables, Falls Village **rustlingwind.com**

Birdwatching

- National Audubon Society, West Cornwall, CT 860-364-0357 Audubon.org
- Sharon Audubon Center, Sharon **860-364-0520**
- Sharon.audubon.org Bartholomew's Cobble Reservation, Sheffield, MA
thetrustees.org
- White Memorial Conservation Center, Litchfield whitememorialcc.org
- Litchfield Beach (Bantam Lake), Litchfield

YMCA

nwcty.org/branch/canaan/

Rt 7 Canaan @ Geer 77 South Canaan Road (membership required) Swimming, full gym, classes

Biking and Bike Repair

- Berkshire Bike and Board, Great Barrington, MA **Berkshirebikeandboard.com**
- Covered Bridge Electric Bike, West Cornwall **Coveredbridgebike.com**
- Jacob's garage (motorcycle repair) Railroad St, Falls Village, **860-824-5861**

Campgrounds

- Lone Oak Campsites, 360 Norfolk Road, East Canaan **loneoakcampsites.com**
- Taconic State Park, Copake, NY **parks.ny.gov/parks/taconiccopake/details.aspx**
- Rudd Pond, Millerton, NY **parks.ny.gov/parks/taconicruddpond/details.aspx**

VIII. Cultural Activities

Selection of Music Venues / Theaters

In Falls Village and Nearby Northwest Corner

Music Mountain, Falls Village

Historic hall on Music Mountain Road. Concerts June to early September; jazz on Saturday, chamber music on Sunday afternoon musicmountain.org

Center on Main, Falls Village

in a former church building on Main Street

Blue Moon Coffee House

monthly in fall/winter; local acts, "open mic" nights Falls Village Children's Theater theater programs for children and an annual musical featuring a cast of area kids from pre-k through 12th grade thefvct.org

Sharon Playhouse, Sharon

Musicals and dramas in summer; theater arts camps for children and teens sharonplayhouse.org.

Hotchkiss School, Lakeville

Classical music, concerts, occasional lectures hotchkiss.org

Four Brother's Drive-In

Traditional Drive-In Theater playeatdrink.com

Norfolk Chamber Music Festival

Yale Summer School of Music concerts weekends June to August; educational lectures precede Friday performances; picnic grounds music.yale.edu/norfolk

Infinity Hall

Norfolk Year-round live music venue (rock, folk, country and indie) with restaurant and bar infinityhall.com/Venues/Infinity-Norfolk

Warner Theater

Torrington live music, plays, dance, and comedy acts year-round warnertheatre.org

Landmark Community Theater

Thomaston - Live musicals and classic movies landmarkcommunitytheatre.org

Annual Litchfield Jazz Festival

Goshen fair grounds one weekend each summer litchfieldjazzfest.com

Further Afield (Massachusetts)

Tanglewood

Lenox MA - Famous summer home of the Boston Symphony Orchestra; offers orchestra, chamber, jazz and pop music, and other shows throughout the summer; restaurants and picnic grounds; both open lawn and covered seating bso.org/performance

Shakespeare & Company, Lenox MA

Shakespeare and other plays, both classic and new works, throughout summer and occasionally during the year shakespeare.com

Jacob's Pillow

Becket MA - Renowned dance festival and school jacobspillow.org

Unicorn Theater

Stockbridge MA - Plays are presented here by the Berkshire Theater Group in the summer berkshiretheatregroup.org

Mahaiwe Theater

Great Barrington MA Restored opera house offers live concerts as well as movies, comedians, and other programs year-round mahaiwe.org

Great Barrington Public Theater

Bard College at Simon's Rock, Great Barrington Plays and staged readings of new works are presented in the summer greatbarringtonpublictheater.org

Berkshire Bach Baroque music

in the Great Barrington area berkshirebach.org

Close Encounters with Music

Classical music concerts in various locations, usually in Great Barrington area cewm.org

The Closest Movie Theaters

- The Moviehouse, Millerton NY themoviehouse.net
- Bantam Cinema, Bantam, CT bantamcinema.org
- The Triplex, Great Barrington MA thetriplex.com
- The Gilson Cafe & Cinema, Winsted, CT gilsoncafecinema.com
- Apple Cinema 9, Barkhamsted, CT applecinemas.com/movies

Selection of Museums/ Galleries

In Falls Village and Nearby Northwest Corner

- Furnace Art on Paper Archive, Falls Village furnace-artonpaperarchive.com
- Falls Village – Canaan Historical Society fallsvillage-canaanhistoricalsociety.org
- Standard Space Gallery, Sharon www.standardospace.net
- Geary Gallery, Millerton, NY www.geary.nyc/millerton-gallery
- Eric Sloane Museum, Kent <http://www.friendsoftheericsloanemuseum.org>
- Wassaic Project, Wassaic, NY www.wassaicproject.org

Further Afield

- Wadsworth Atheneum, Hartford, CT wadsworthatheneum.org
- Storm King Art Center, New Windsor, NY stormking.org/
- Dia:Beacon, Beacon, NY diaart.org/visit/visit-our-locations-sites/main/beacon
- Berkshire Museum, Pittsfield, MA berkshitemuseum.org/
- Berkshire Botanical Garden, Stockbridge, MA berkshirebotanical.org
- Norman Rockwell Museum, Stockbridge, MA nrm.org/
- Mass MOCA, North Adams, MA massmoca.org

- Clark Art Institute, Williamstown, MA clarkart.edu
- Williams College Museum of Art, Williamstown, MA wcma.williams.edu/
- Eric Carle Museum of Picture Book Art, Amherst, MA carlemuseum.org/

IX. Businesses & Services

Note: The following list of local businesses are also listed on the town website: canaanfallsvillage.org.
If your Falls Village-based business is not listed below, contact community@canaanfallsvillage.org

Falls Village-based businesses with storefront

100 Main - Local Artisans – Art, Furniture, Textile, Jewelry, etc.
860-453-4356 100main.com

Better Place Forests – End Of Life Conservation Memorial Forest
877-830-8311 betterplaceforests.com

Blue Spade Landscaping – Landscaping Services
860-402-7307 bluespadelandscaping.com

Falls Village Cafe – Café, Coffee, Pastries and Pantry
860-453-4183 fallsvillagecafe.com

Falls Village Feed & Gift Store – Dog and Cat Supplies and Gift Store
860-824-5760 fallsvillagefeedandgift.com

Falls Village Flower Farm – Perennial Plant Nursery
860-824-0077 fallsvillageflowerfarm.com

Falls Village Inn – Inn, restaurant and pub in a historic 1843 building
860-824-0033 thefallsvillageinn.com

Falls Village Package Store – Selection of wine and liquor
860-824-7971

Isabella Freedman Jewish Retreat Center – 400 Acre Retreat & Program Center
860-824-5991 hazon.org

Jacob's Garage – Automotive Repairs & Sales
860-824-5861

Matt's Landscaping – Landscaping Services
860-824-1188 mattslandscapingct.com

Mountainside Cafe – Café, Coffee, Pastries
860-824-7876 fallsvillageflowerfarm.com

Music Mountain – Venue for Chamber Music, Jazz, Festivals & Events
860-824-7126 musicmountain.org

Rebecca Bloomfield Photography – Candid images of your event or your everyday
860-605-8128 rebeccabloomfield.com

John Robshaw Textiles – Linens & Textiles
917-781-0130 johnrobshaw.com

Route 7 Fuel – Fuel, Grill & Deli
860-824-4661

Sand Road Animal Hospital & Sit Play Stay – Vet, Grooming & Boarding Facility
860-824-5223 sandroadanimals.com

Shelly's Hair Salon – Hair Cuts, Color & Waxing
860-824-4536

Toymakers Coffee & Eclectic – Colorful Painted Furniture & Eclectics
860-824-8168

Falls Village-based businesses without storefront

Note: This section is under development.

Supermarkets, Food Stores, Farm Stands

In Falls Village and Nearby Northwest Corner

- Stop and Shop, Canaan **stopandshop.com/ct/canaan/11-east-main-street**
- LaBonne's Market, Salisbury **labonnes.com**
- Sharon Market, Sharon **sharonfarmmarket.com**
- Adamah Farm, CSA, Falls Village **hazon.org/adamah/the-farm**
- Whippoorwill Farm, Salisbury **whippoorwillfarmct.com**
- Rustling Wind Creamery, Falls Village **rustlingwind.com**
- Mountain View Farm, Falls Village **mountainviewfarm.farm**
- Q Farms, Sharon **qfarms.net**
- Beavertides Farm, Falls Village **beavertidesfarm.com**
- Freunds Farm Market, East Canaan **freundsfarmmarket.com**

Further Afield (Great Barrington)

- Guidos, Great Barrington, MA **Guidosfreshmarketplace.com**
- Berkshire Food Co-op, Great Barrington, MA **berkshire.coop**
- Big Y, Great Barrington, MA **bigy.com**
- Price Chopper, Great Barrington, MA **pricechopper.com**

Wine, Beer and Liquor

Note: In CT beer can be purchased at grocery stores; wine and liquor only at wine shops or package stores. Each town has at least one store. Below is the listing for Falls Village:

Falls Village Package Store, Railroad St. 860-824-4971

Home Improvement, tools and Hardware

- C.A. Lindell Hardware and Lumber, Canaan **860-824-5443 calindell.com**
- Herrington's, Lakeville **860-435-2561 herringtons.com/stores/lakeville/**

Big Box Stores, Malls

Note: Torrington has many Big Box stores including Target, Lowe's, Home Depot, Staples and others. Avon and West Hartford have malls which include national chains in addition to Big Box stores.

Banks

- Torrington Savings Bank, Falls Village **torringtonsavings.bank**
- Salisbury Bank, North Canaan, Lakeville, Sharon **salisburybank.com**
- National Iron Bank, Salisbury **ironbank.com**
- Litchfield Bancorp, Lakeville **litchfieldbancorp.com**

Utilities

Note: With the exception of electricity which is state-regulated, utilities are serviced by many companies and it is best to shop around.

Electricity

Eversource eversource.com

Landline, TV, Internet

Frontier frontier.com

Xfinity xfinity.com

Oil and gas

Taylor Oil and Gas gmtayloroil.com/

Lindell's calindell.com

Superior Plus superiorpluspropane.com

Water in downtown area

Aquarion Water aquarionwater.com/customer-care

Miscellaneous Town Businesses

Doggie Day Care / Pet Supply / Boarding

Sand Road Animal Hospital sandroadanimals.com

Perennials

Falls Village Flower Farm www.fallsvillageflowerfarm.com

X. Medical

911 - All the homes in Falls Village are listed by address for emergency services.

Walk-in ER at Sharon Hospital, 50 Hospital Hill Rd, Sharon **860-364-4000**

Note: There are many private practices in the area including pediatric, dentistry, and most other specialities. An inquiry at Sharon Hospital can connect you to a physician.

Sharon Hospital, 50 Hospital Hill Rd, Sharon **860-364-4000**

nuvancehealth.org/en/locations/sharon-hospital

Charlotte Hungerford Hospital Torrington, **860 496-6666** **charlottehungerford.org/**

Home Health Care

Visiting Nurse and Hospice of Litchfield County, Salisbury Branch **860-379-8561**
homecare@foothillsvna.org

XI. Volunteer Opportunities

- David M. Hunt Library Falls Village **huntlibrary.org 860 824-7424**
- Housatonic Youth Service Bureau Falls Village **hysb.org 860-824-4720**
- Falls Village-Canaan Historical Society Falls Village 860-824-8226
canaanhistoricalsociety.org
- Falls Village Volunteer Fire Department **860-824-5298**
- Salisbury Association Land Trust **salisburyassociation.org/land-trust**
- The Little Guild West Cornwall **littleguild.org 860-672-6346**
- Pet adoption, pet food pantry, reduced cost spay/neuter
- Housatonic Valley Association **hvatoday.org 860-672-6678**
- Conserves our region's natural character, economic, and environmental health
- Northwest Connecticut Land Conservancy, Kent, **ctland.org 860-927-1927**
- The Chore Service, Salisbury **choreservice.org 860-346-1003**
 Non-medical services for seniors and disabled residents
- Sharon Audubon Center, 325 Cornwall Bridge Rd
sharon.audubon.org 860-364-0520
- Nature education center and wildlife rehabilitation clinic
- Women's Support Services, 158 Gay Street, Sharon **wssdv.org 860-364-1080**
 Mission: to create a community free of domestic violence and abuse
- The Corner Food Pantry, 80 Sharon Road, Lakeville **860-435-9886**
- The Falls Village Housing Trust, 108 Main St, Falls Village
fallsvillagehousingtrust.org
- The Falls Village Community Development Corp, P.O. Box 21, Falls Village
fallsvillagecdc.org
- Including the committee to welcome new residents

XII. Acknowledgments

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This handbook is a work in progress. Please send suggestions to community@canaanfallsvillage.org. We are pleased to provide new and current residents with this Handbook listing some of the business establishments and cultural and recreational opportunities in this area. The Handbook's listing of these establishments and opportunities is not meant as a recommendation of the services provided nor is the omission of any particular business meant to portray the business in a negative light. We make no representations about the safety or characteristics of any resource listed. While all attempts were made to be accurate on the date the information was gathered, before using any resource included in this booklet, residents should check out the current information – including any restrictions on usage – of the business, cultural institution, or recreational opportunity. The Town of Falls Village (Canaan) accepts no responsibility for the material presented herein or of its use.