THE TOWN OF EAST HAVEN

The Town of East Haven is a suburb of the City of New Haven comprising approximately 12.6 square miles. The Town is bounded by New Haven on the west, and Long Island Sound on the south.

This area purchased by the Reverend John Davenport and Theophilus Eaton in 1638, was later known as East Farms. It was obtained from the Indian Sachems Momaugin and Mantowese. In 1639 Thomas Gregson, the first landowner, purchased Solitary Cove, later called Morris Cove. The first Connecticut iron works was located in 1655 by Lake Saltonstall, formerly named Lonotononket, and then Furnace Pond.

Jacob Hemmingway, the original Yale student, served as the first pastor (1704-1754) of the congregational Church. In 1774 the Old Stone Church was erected, the first minister was Nichols Street. British General William Tryon invaded this area in 1779. During the Revolutionary War, Lafayette encamped on the Green, revisiting it in 1824. In 1881 Fair Haven, Granniss Corners and Morris cove were ceded to New Haven. The initial Town meeting (1785) named Issac Chidsey the First Selectman. The Town of East Haven became an incorporated Town in May of 1785.

Today, East Haven is served by and linked to New Haven and eastern Connecticut by Interstate 95 with local access roads leading directly to highway exits and entrances. Interstate 95 and Connecticut Route 80, located in northern East Haven, not only provide easy access to New Haven but also to Interstate 91,

the main route to Hartford, CT. East Haven is conveniently located within minutes of the New Haven Terminal, a deep water berthing facility. Amtrak provides service to Boston, New York, and Washington D.C. along the northeast corridor, shoreline route which passes through East Haven. The Tweed-New Haven Airport on the western boundary of East Haven has regularly scheduled commuter flights to Newark, Philadelphia and Washington D.C.

ABOUT THIS DIRECTORY

This directory is funded by a grant provided by the William Caspar Graustein Memorial Fund. The Fund is committed to enhancing early care and education programs for young children and their families. Supported by the Graustein Memorial Fund, East Haven's School Readiness Council identified a need for communicating information about community services and activities for families with young children. This directory has been created to fill this need. We hope families will use the directory to discover and utilize the resources available to them in our community and surrounding are.

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Early Care and Education

Licensed Child Care/Family Day Care

| The Kids Connection | |
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| 18 Getty Road | |
| | |
| The Kids Connection II | 467-9400 |
| 140 Pleasant Avenue | |
| East Haven | |
| | |
| Old Stone Church Playschool | 467-0661 |
| 251 Main Street | |
| East Haven | |
| | |
| Little Jackets | 468-3993 |
| 54 Gerrish Avenue | |
| East Haven | |
| | |
| Child Care INFOLINE | 1-800-505-1000 |
| | |

Playgroups, Story Times, Early Learning <u>Experiences</u>

East Haven Early Learning Centers 468-3305

Overbrook Parent Center

54 Gerrish Avenue

East Haven

| The Family Resource Center | 468-3316 | East Haven Academy | 468-3219 |
|---------------------------------------|------------|----------------------------|----------|
| D.C. Moore School | | 200 Tyler Street | |
| 82 Elliott Street | | East Haven | |
| East Haven | | | |
| | | Robert W. Carbone School | 468-3880 |
| Hagaman Memorial Library/Family Place | 468-3890 | 67 Hudson Street | |
| 227 Main Street | | East Haven | |
| East Haven | | | |
| | | Deer Run School | 468-3324 |
| Birth-to-Three Program 203-624-260 | 00 ext 310 | Rte 80 | |
| | -505-7000 | East Haven | |
| 131 Dwight Street | | | |
| New Haven | | Dominick H. Ferrar School | 468-3318 |
| www.birth23.org | | 22 Maynard Road | |
| | | East Haven | |
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| CCLICOL C AND LIDDADIEC | | Dorothy C. Moore School | 468-3316 |
| SCHOOLS AND LIBRARIES | | 82 Elliott Street | |
| | | East Haven | |
| Public Schools | | | |
| | | Hays Early Learning Center | 468-3268 |
| The Office of the Superintendent 4 | 68-3261 | One Maple Street | |
| 35 Wheelbarrow Lane | <u> </u> | East Haven | |
| East Haven | | | |
| | | Momauguin School | 468-3321 |
| Pupil Services Office 4 | 88-3311 | 93 Cosey Beach Road | |
| 200 Tyler Street | | East Haven | |
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| Overbrook Early Learning Center 54 Gerrish Avenue East Haven | <u>468-3305</u> | St. Mary's School 62 Cedar Street Branford, CT 06405 | 488-8386 |
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| | | Magnet Schools | |
| Tuttle School 108 Prospect Road East Haven | <u>468-3315</u> | New Haven Area Magnet Program 54 Meadow Street New Haven, CT 06519 | 946-7405 |
| <u>Joseph Melillo Middle School</u> 67 Hudson Street East Haven | 468-322 <u>6</u> | www.nhps.net/interdistrictmagnets Homeschooling | |
| East Haven High School 35 Wheelbarrow Lane East Haven | 468-32 <u>54</u> | Connecticut Homeschool Network www.cthomeschoolnetwork.org | |
| Area Parochial Schools | | School Bus Information | |
| St. Bernadette Catholic School 20 Burr Street New Haven, CT 06512-3999 | 469-227 <u>1</u> | <u>Double A Transportation</u> 418 Short Beach Road East Haven | 469-3904 |
| St. Vincent de Paul 35 Bishop Street East Haven | <u>467-1606</u> | Public Libraries Hagaman Memorial Library 227 Main Street East Haven Free passes available for: | 468-3890 |

| Churches | and | Places | of | W | 'orship |) |
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Foxon Road East Haven

| Grace Reformed Baptist Church | 468-6030 | For additional information on recreational destin | nations |
|--------------------------------|---------------------|---|---------|
| 1225 North High Street | | throughout the state, contact 1-800-CT-BOUND | |
| East Haven | | www.ctbound.org. | |
| Old Stone Church | 467-066 <u>1</u> | East Haven Recreation & Athletic Complex | 46 |
| 251 Main Street | | 71 Hudson Street | |
| East Haven | | East Haven | |
| Christ & The Epiphany Church | 467-2310 | Momauguin Little League | |
| 39 Park Place | | | |
| East Haven | | | |
| Jehovah's Witnesses | 468-0727 & 469-1855 | Foxon Recreation Department | |
| 409 North High Street | | | |
| East Haven | | | |
| St. Clare/St. Elizabeth Church | 467- <u>5136</u> | East Haven Youth Soccer | |
| 234 Coe Avenue | - | | |
| East Haven | | | |
| St. Vincent De Paul Church | 467-6394 | Town Beach | 46 |
| 80 Taylor Avenue | _ | | |
| East Haven | | | |
| Our Lady of Pompeii | 469-0764 | | |

Recreation

468-3367

468-3800

Ball Fields/Sports Programs

Memorial Field Dodge Avenue/Thompson Avenue Momauguin Field J.F. Kennedy Field (The Pit) Maple Street East Haven Joseph Melillo Middlle School Football Field 67 Hudson Street East Haven East Haven High School Fields 35 Wheelbarrow Lane East Haven **Scouts** Old Stone Church Contact Ned Taylor Girl Scout Local Troops 468-1184 50 Cosey Beach Avenue East Haven

Amusement Parks

Lake Compounce 860-583-3631

822 Lake Avenue

Bristol

www.lakecompounce.com

Quassy Amusement Park 1-800-FOR-PARK Lake Quassapaug or (203) 758-2913

Rt. 64 - P.O. Box 887 Middlebury, CT 06762 Email: info@quassy.com

www.quassy.com

Town/Area Parks

Lighthouse Park Memorial Field

Lighthouse Road Dodge Avenue/Thompson Ave.

New Haven Fast Haven

Momauguin - Town Beach

Cosey Beach Avenue

East Haven

Woodward Avenue Park

Woodward Avenue

New Haven

State Parks

www.dep.state.ct.us/stateparks

| <u>Hammonasett</u> | <u>203-245-2788</u> | | |
|--|----------------------|--|--------------|
| Madison | | <u>Camping</u> | |
| Chatfield Hollow | 860-663-2030 | | |
| Rt 80 | _ | Hammonasett State Park | 203-245-1817 |
| Killingworth | | | |
| | | Madison | |
| Rocky Neck State Park | 860-739-547 <u>1</u> | Diversala Ferra Compaits | 940 440 E300 |
| East Lyme | | Riverdale Farm Campsite 111 River Road | 860-669-5388 |
| W 18 1811 C1 18 1 | 202 202 2225 | Clinton | |
| West Rock Ridge State Park | 203-389-9305 | Chinon | |
| Hamden | | Rocky Neck | 860-739-1339 |
| Gillette Castle State Park | 860-526-2336 | | |
| 67 River Road | 000 310 2330 | | |
| East Haddam | | | |
| | | 1.01.2 | |
| Sleeping Giant State Park | <u> 203-789-7498</u> | <u>Hiking</u> | |
| | | | |
| Hamden | | <u>Lake Saltonstall</u> | |
| | | Permit required | |
| The Bureau of Outdoor Recreation | 860-424-3200 | www.rwater.com/recreation | |
| State Parks Division | | Westwoods Trails | |
| CT Dept. of Environmental Protection 79 Elm Street | n | Guilford | |
| 79 EIM Street Hartford | | 3 d.1, 51 d | |
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| Cheshire Bike Trail Rt 10 Cheshire | | <u>Gillette Castle</u> 67 River Road East Haddam | 860-526-2336 |
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| <u>Area Museums</u> | | <u>Kid City Museum</u> 119 Washington Street | 860-347-0495 |
| Peabody Museum of Natural History | 432-5050 | Middletown | |
| Yale University | | | |
| 170 Whitney Avenue New Haven | | Science Center of Connecticut 950 Trout Brook Drive | 860-231-2824 |
| Eli Whitney Museum | 777-1833 | West Hartford | |
| 915 Whitney Avenue Hamden | | Outdoor Education | |
| Children's Museum | | and Nature Ce | <u>nters</u> |
| Wall Street New Haven | | Hammonasett State Park | |
| Trolley Museum | 467-6927 | Madison | |
| 17 River Street East Haven | | Lighthouse Park Rangers Station | |
| <u>Dinosaur State Park</u> | 860-529-8423 | East Haven | |
| 400 West Street Rocky Hill | | <u>Thimble Island Cruises</u> Stoney Creek Dock Branford | |

| <u>Liberty Bell Cruise Tours</u> New Haven Harbour | | Skating/Swimming | |
|--|----------------------|----------------------------------|-------------|
| - 1 | 0.45.4707 | Town Pool | 468-3358 |
| Schooner, Inc, | 865-1737 | 200 Tyler Street | |
| 60 S. Water Street | | East Haven | |
| New Haven | | | |
| Skiing | | | |
| Mohawk Mountain State Park | 860-672-610 <u>0</u> | Recreation & Athletic Complex | 468-3367 |
| 46 Great Hollow Road | 1-800-895-5222 | Ice Rink | |
| Cornwall | | 71 Hudson Street | |
| | | East Haven | |
| Mt. Southington Ski Area, Inc. | 628-0 <u>9</u> 54 | | |
| 396 Mt. Vernon Road | | Hayrides | |
| Southington | | | |
| Powder Ridge | 860-349-3454 | Wimlers | |
| 99 Powder Hill Road | 1-877-SKI-RIDGE | Durham | |
| Middlefield | | A 5 /O l | .1 _ |
| | | <u>Area Farms/Orchar</u> | <u>as</u> |
| Ski Sundown | 860-3279-SNOW | | |
| 126 Ratlum Road | (7669) | Rose Orchards | 488-7996 |
| | | 33 Branford Road | |
| Woodbury Ski Area | 203-263-2203 | North Branford | |
| 785 Washington Road | | | |
| Rte. 47 | | Bishop's Orchards-Farm Market | 453-2338 |
| Woodbury | | Pick Your Own Fruits Information | 453-7425 |
| | | 1355 Boston Post Road | |
| | | Guilford | |

Theater/Performances

Oakdale Theater 203-265-1501

95 South Turnpike Road
Wallingford

Shubert Theater 562-5666

247 College Street
New Haven

Long Warf Theater 787-4282

222 Sargent Drive
New Haven

Annual Town-wide Events/Festivals

Main Street - East Haven

May - Memorial Day Parade July - 4th of July Parade

Momauguin Town Beach

July - Fire Works

Town Green

September - Fall Festival November - Christmas Tree Lighting (Saturday after Thanksgiving)

Health and Human Services

**POISON CONTROL 1-800-222-1222

Pregnancy Exposure Information Service 1-800-325-5391
University of Connecticut Health Center

263 Farmington Avenue

Farmington

<u>Birth to Three - INFOLINE - TDD accessible 1-800-505-7000</u> <u>www.birth23.org</u>

Area Pediatricians

| Pediatric Associates of Branford | 488-8345 |
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| 420 E. Main Street | |
| East Haven | |
| | |
| Branford/North Branford Pediatrics PC | <u>481-5591</u> |
| 682 E. Main Street/999 Foxon Road | 484-7334 |
| Branford | |
| | |
| Branford Pediatrics & Allergy | 481-7008 |
| 784 E. Main Street | |
| Branford | |
| | |
| East Haven Pediatrics | 469-8882 |
| 300 Main Street | |
| East Haven | |

Area Pediatric/Family Dentists

East Haven Counseling & Community Services Family Dentistry 466-2273 468-3297 595 Thompson Street 280 Main Street East Haven East Haven The Cove Public Health 324-1236 Support services for grieving children East Shore Health Department 481-4233 Parents Anonymous 1-800-841-4314 29 Business Park Drive *Opportunities to meet in support groups to deal with Branford stress of any kind. Catholic Family Services 860-225-3561 Department of Children & Families 786-0500 478 Orange Street One Long Warf New Haven New Haven Area Hospitals/Walk-In Centers Clifford W. Beers Guidance Clinic 772-1270 93 Edward Street Hospital of St. Raphael 789-3000 New Haven 1450 Chapel Street New Haven Catholic Family Services 787-2207 478 Orange Street Yale-New Haven Hospital 688-4177 New Haven 20 York Street New Haven Coordinating Council for Children in Crisis 624-2600 131 Dwight Street

New Haven

Counseling and Support Services

State Support/Social Services

| CT State Department of Children and Families | |
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| | |
| State of CT Dept. of Consumer Protection | 1-800-842-2649 |
| 165 Capitol Avenue Rm. 110 | |
| <u>Hartford</u> | |
| | |
| CT Department of Social Services | 974-8000 |
| 194 Bassett Street | |
| New Haven | |
| Don't of Montal Hoalth & Addiction Ever | 1 900 479 4440 |
| Dept. of Mental Health & Addiction Svcs. | 1-800-478-4449 |
| Mental Health Education Program | |
| Connecticut Mental Health Center | 974-7300 |
| 34 Park Street | • |
| New Haven | |
| | |
| Department of Mental Retardation | 294-5049 |
| 104 South Turnpike Road | |
| Wallingford | |
| | |
| East Haven Food Pantry | 467-4668 |
| 39 Park Place | |
| East Haven | |

Health Start and HUSKY

200 Tyler Street East Haven 860-424-5024

Healthcare for Uninsured Kids and Youth - www.huskyhealth.com. *For information about the HUSKY Plan eligibility or to request an application, call 1-877-CT-HUSKY (1-877-284-8759), a a.m. to I p.m., Monday through Friday, and on Saturday 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. To apply by phone, call 1-800-656-6684. AT&T translators are available for foreign language assistance. For TDD service, call 1-800-842-4525.

Clubs and Organizations

East Haven

Friends of the Hagaman Library 468-3890
227 Main Street
East Haven

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East Haven Women's Club

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East Haven East Haven Lions Club East Haven East Haven University of New Haven East Haven East Haven

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| | |
| Adult Education Center | 468-3795 |
| 290 Dodge Avenue | |
| East Haven | |
| | |
| Gateway Community College | |
| Long Wharf Campus | 285-2000 |
| 60 Sargent Drive | |
| New Haven | |
| North Haven Campus | |
| 88 Bassett Road | |
| North Haven | |
| | |
| Albertus College | |

Adult/Higher Education

Municipal Government and Services

Town Hall 250 Main Street East Haven

Hours: 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. - Monday through Friday Third Monday of each month: 8:30 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

| Mayor's Office | 468-3204 |
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| Office of the Tax Collector | 468-3307 |
| Assessor's Office | 468-3233 |
| Registrar of Voters | 468-3320 |
| Town Clerk | 468-3201 |
| Probate Court | 468-3895 |
| Public Works | 468-3327 |
| | |
| Senior Citizen Center | 468-3277 |

91 Taylor Avenue

East Haven

East Haven Volunteer Fire Department Headquarters 468-3840

| Youth Service Bureau 595 Thompson Avenue East Haven | 468-3297 | Bradford Manor George Street East Haven | |
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| Counseling and Community Services | 468-3297 | <u>Foxon Co. #3</u> Rt. 80 | |
| 595 Thompson Avenue | 100 0127 | East Haven | |
| East Haven | | | |
| | | Riverside Volunteers | |
| Department of Public Works | 468-3327 | Short Beach Road | |
| 461 North High Street | | East Haven | |
| East Haven | | | |
| | | Fire Marshal - Anthony Moscato | 468-3221 |
| Social Services Deparment | 468-3303 | | |
| TYY Phone for Hearing Impaired | 468-3947 | | |
| 250 Main Street | | | |
| East Haven | | Doct Officer | |

Non-Emergency Police/Fire

| East Haven Police Department | 468-3820 |
|--|------------------------|
| North High Street | _ |
| East Haven (routine calls-complaints, information on case | es or accidents, etc.) |
| Animal Control | 468-3247 |

Post Offices

Main Street 469-9071
Trolley Square
East Haven

Emergency Contacts

911

For all health, police and fire Emergencies

Poison Control

1-800-222-1222

Media and Newspapers

Newspapers

<u>East Haven Advertiser</u>

230 E. Maini Street

Branford

Shoreline Courier

New Haven Register

789-5200

488-2535

40 Sargent Drive New Haven

<u>Cable Television Local Access Channel 19</u> Contact the East Haven Board of Education

Town Web Site

Town of East Haven Links to municipal services, up-to-date community news, and school system information available online at:

www.townofeasthaven.com

Infoline

2-1-1

Dial 2-1-1 for community services assisting you in locating hundreds of services in your area.

Call whether you want to help or you want to find help.

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