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CONNECTIONS

MAY - JUNE 2019



TTD's Summer Concerts

Great music and dancing at Calf Pasture Beach!

The Third Taxing District FREE summer concerts have always been fun for the residents of Norwalk. 👍😍❤️🕶️👉

For more than 25 years, TTD has held these summer concerts at Calf Pasture Beach, averaging 200-300 people per show enjoying the amazing music. Do the math!

Assistant General Manager of TTD, Ron Scofield, has been in charge of arranging the concerts for the past 20 years. Ron says, "I look forward to planning the concerts because of the enjoyable experiences that our concert-goers have each year. This is really to give back to the East Norwalk community. Each and every concert attracts people from all over Norwalk and beyond, many of whom spend their time dancing on the grassy field, right in front of the Showmobile."

This year there will be eight Sunday concerts.

Each Sunday concert starts at 5pm and is a great event for individuals and families. The mix of music for 2019 is rock, jazz, country, oldies and tribute bands. Lastly, Ron says, "For those who have not yet attended our summer concerts, we hope that you will join us this year at Calf Pasture Beach. We look forward to seeing you there!" ●

2019 Concert Schedule

- Sunday, July 7 • Billy & The Showmen
- Sunday, July 14 • Last Call Experience
- Sunday, July 21 • Summertime
- Sunday, July 28 • The Fairfield Counts
- Sunday, August 4 • The Barons
- Sunday, August 11 • River of Dreams (Billy Joel Tribute Band)
- Sunday, August 18 • Big Beat Oldies Band
- Sunday, August 25 • Beginnings (Chicago Tribute Band)

All Concerts are on Sunday from 5:00pm to 7:00pm

All concerts will be held at Calf Pasture Beach, East Norwalk, CT
In the Showmobile - No Rain Dates For more info, visit: TTD.gov



TTD's FEATURED BUSINESS PICK



**THE place to eat and enjoy
the beach – all year long!**

When Clyde Ripka, Owner of Ripka's Beach Cafe opened the business in 2002, he envisioned it to be the place for everyone to enjoy.

Clyde grew up literally in the water. "I ran a restaurant at 18 years old in Paia, Maui where I could walk out of the back door and jump in the water for a short surf session after serving breakfast," says Clyde.

Ripka's Beach Cafe serves fries, hot dogs, burgers, ice cream, and a raw bar for seafood. Clyde says, "We will continue to draw locals in for our 'Aloha Friday' happy hour under the tent with music and specials." Ripka's also gives back to the community through fundraising walks, working with the Norwalk Senior Center, and the schools. "I contribute full chef meals for 8 to 30 people for several local organizations yearly. I'm also sponsoring cooking classes for 'Star,' a local charity helping handicapped children and adults. That was and is probably the most inspiring thing I do." – Clyde R. ●



Ripka's Beach Café: (203) 956-6060
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TTD'S SUMMER CONCERT SERIES!

JULY



SUNDAY, JULY 7

AUGUST



SUNDAY, AUG. 4



SUNDAY, JULY 14



SUNDAY, AUG. 11



SUNDAY, JULY 21



SUNDAY, AUG. 18



SUNDAY, JULY 28



SUNDAY, AUG. 25

TTD's Featured Organization



The mission of the East Norwalk Neighborhood Association is to foster and preserve the residential character, natural & historic resources, and quality of life in East Norwalk, and to encourage East Norwalk residents to actively participate in achieving this goal.

The East Norwalk Neighborhood Association advocates on behalf of East Norwalk residents by interacting with city and state government entities and agencies to preserve and enhance quality of life. ENNA Board members and volunteer residents regularly attend government meetings, prepare position statements, suggest legislation, and monitor quality of life ordinances that require local and state enforcement. Residents in 06855 East

Norwalk are strongly encouraged to stay informed on important issues by signing up for ENNA emails. Do so by emailing us at info@eastnorwalk.org or by using the "contact us" link on our website www.eastnorwalk.org. Folks can also follow us on Facebook [facebook.com/eastnorwalk.org](https://www.facebook.com/eastnorwalk.org) and Twitter [@ENNA06855](https://twitter.com/ENNA06855)

ENNA celebrates over 15 years of community advocacy for residents of 06855 East Norwalk. We are proud to be a 501(c)3 non-profit and encourage residents to support our efforts by attending our meetings, volunteering at events, and supporting us with tax-deductible donations. ●

Monthly Tree Lightings

MAY

The tree is lit in **PURPLE** to symbolize Lupus Awareness month. Building awareness of Lupus is essential to improve early diagnosis and treatment of this unpredictable and misunderstood disease, and ensure that people with Lupus are aware of the support and resources available to help them manage their disease. Wear purple and tell people why you are showing your support of Lupus research. Lupus is a chronic autoimmune disease that can damage any part of the body (skin, joints, and/or organs). "Chronic" means that the signs and symptoms tend to last longer than six weeks and often for many years. For more information about Lupus, and to get involved please visit: www.Lupus.org



JUNE

The tree is lit in **ORANGE** to symbolize National Gun Violence Awareness month. Orange is the color that Hadiya Pendleton's friends wore in her honor when she was shot and killed in Chicago at the age of 15 – just one week after performing at President Obama's 2nd inaugural parade in 2013. After her death, they asked people to stand up, speak out, and wear orange to raise awareness about gun violence. Wear orange to support and honor those who have passed, and let's rise together for a future free of gun violence. Save the Date: #WearOrange 2019 is June 7-9! THANK YOU FOR WEARING ORANGE IN 2019. For more information about Gun Violence Awareness, please visit: WearOrange.org ●



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