# Celebrate Sherborn!

HONOR THE PAST, CELEBRATE THE PRESENT, INSPIRE THE FUTURE

Issue Two April 2024

Welcome to Celebrate Sherborn! –In addition to event updates and information about how to get involved, this newsletter highlights some of the history, culture, and examples of community engagement that make Sherborn a special place.



We hope to keep most events free for the Sherborn Community. Many thanks to our generous sponsors listed below.







If you would like to sponsor an event, please email <a href="mailto:sherborn350@gmail.com">sherborn350@gmail.com</a>.

Please consider making a taxdeductible donation to help us Celebrate Sherborn! All donations of \$350 or more will be recognized on sherborn350.org and at the year-end culmination event in December.

Checks can be made payable to:
Town of Sherborn
Memo: 350<sup>th</sup> Celebration
19 Washington Street
Sherborn, MA 01770

Use your phone to scan the QR code to donate online.

Mark your calendars, tell your friends & neighbors, and get involved – there is a lot to celebrate in 2024!

## **Upcoming Events**

- 1. NATIVE AMERICANS OF NEW ENGLAND, lecture with Dr. Christoph Strobel (April 3<sup>rd</sup> at Sherborn Library 7-8:30pm) Sponsored by Sherborn Historical Society.
- 2. TOWN-WIDE SCAVENGER HUNT, fun for all ages, explore and learn about Sherborn landmarks. This month-long event offers something for everyone! (Starts April 15<sup>th</sup>, Prizes can be picked up at Library Arts & Crafts Fair on May 11<sup>th</sup>)
- 3. SHERBORN 350<sup>TH</sup> ROCKUMENTARY, our very own, very fun, town musical film featuring some of Sherborn's most talented filmmakers, musicians, and actors. (Opening Weekend April 27<sup>th</sup> with showings @ lpm and 7pm at Sherborn Community Center FREE)
- 4. ANTIQUE CAR SHOW, take a ride into Sherborn's Past at this vehicle show featuring antique cars, town equipment & farm equipment. (May 18<sup>th</sup> 4-7pm FREE) Sponsored by The Sherborn Fund
- 5. 350<sup>TH</sup> PARADE AND "SHERBSTOCK" One big parade, Five great bands, this is the epic, not-to-be-missed event of the year!! Jameson Field (Saturday Oct 5th)

# Check out the Gallery page on sherborn350.org for photos and links to recordings of recent lectures:

- ✓ Native Landscaping with Trevor Smith sponsored by Sustainability Committee and GPC
- ✓ Honoring Indigenous History w/Doug Brown sponsored by Sherborn Historical Society
- ✓ Sent to Sherborn w/Dr. Estelle Freedman sponsored by Sherborn Historical Society

**Wow!** "A Floral Feast for the Eyes" in celebration of Sherborn's 350<sup>th</sup> was amazing. Thank you to the Sherborn Garden Club and all who participated in this special event at the Sherborn Community Center on March 12<sup>th</sup>. The floral arrangements were enjoyed by Library Patrons as the arrangements moved across the street to the newly renovated reading room at the library. *Credit: Leah O'Brien Photography/leahobrienphotography.com/sherborngardenclub* 

## Sherborn350.org







COMMITTEE TO CELEBRATE SHERBORN'S 350<sup>TH</sup>
PLEASE REACH OUT WITH QUESTIONS!
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# We are always looking for creative ways to Celebrate Sherborn!

If you have an idea to share, send email to <a href="mailto:sherborn350@gmail.com">sherborn350@gmail.com</a> -- we can help promote and support the event.

Thanks to the following organizations for their 350<sup>th</sup> support to date: Unity Farm, Sherborn Community Center Foundation, Sherborn Historical Society, Sherborn Library, Groundwater Protection Committee, Energy and Sustainability Committee, Sherborn Garden Club, Sherborn Picks Up!, Friends of the Sherborn Library, Pine Hill School, Sherborn Fire & Rescue Association

Take a picture with the 350<sup>th</sup>
Burgees? Check out at
Sherborn Library. Send pics to
sherborn350@gmail.com,
instagram.com/sherborn350









How many 350<sup>th</sup> Stickers have you collected?



# Antique Car & Equipment Show

A ONE-TIME EVENT TO BRING SHERBORN'S PAST AND PRESENT COLLECTIONS TOGETHER!

### ENTER THE SHOW!!

car collectors and proud owners of old town 'stuff - farm equipment, town trucks, tractors or something from <u>your personal car collection</u>

(for Sherborn & neighboring communities)

no entry fee, food trucks, family fun!!

May 18, 2024

4 - 7PM

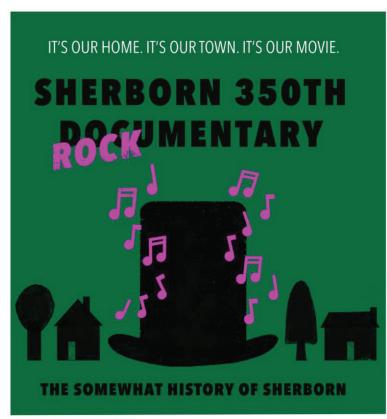
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HOSTED BY THE COMMITTEE TO CELEBRATE SHERBORN'S 350TH ANNIVERSARY
WITH THE SHERBORN RECREATION COMMISSION
EVENT SPONSORED BY THE SHERBORN FUND







OPENING WEEKEND AT THE SHERBORN COMMUNITY CENTER

SATURDAY, APRIL 27, 2024

1PM MATINEE & 7PM PREMIERE



A FILM BY BILL MILLER

350 YEARS IN THE MAKING.
ONE YEAR IN PRODUCTION.

Hosted by the Committee to Celebrate Sherborn's 350th Anniversary sherborn 350.org Supported by Sherborn Community Center and Mass Cultural Counc Poster design: @Kristiinaalmy

Join us in a town wide

## **SCAVENGER HUNT!**



fun for the whole family! individuals, couples, friends & family teams

Date: starting APRIL 15th
the guide can be found on our website,
in the link in our FaceBook or Instagram
bio's or printed copies available to pick
up at the Sherborn Library

## Every Participant wins a prize!

Prizes can be picked up at the 350th Committee booth at the Sherborn Library Arts & Crafts Fair on May 11th



Sticker Event!

Hosted by The Committee to Celebrate Sherborn's 350th Anniversary

## **DULY NOTED**

**MVPs** - George Fiske learned his love of Sherborn from his dad, George Farrington Fiske who was the chair of the 300th in 1974. George Jr. was Chair of the 325th in 1999 and he is now an honorary chair with daughter Abby stepping up to co-chair the 350<sup>th</sup> Celebration.



Photo courtesy Sherborn History Center Instagram.

### Happy 100th Birthday Phyllis Braun

The Sherborn Garden Club celebrated the 100th Birthday of founding member Phyllis Braun in style at their "Floral Feast for the Eyes" event on March 12<sup>th</sup> at the Sherborn Community Center.



Suburban Press 1975, scanned by Ken Gray c/o Sherborn History Center, Below Leah O'Brien Photography



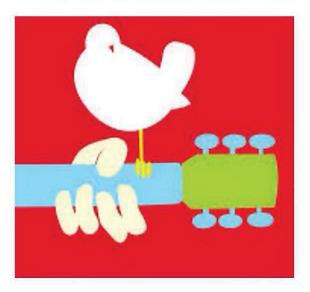
You will want to tell your friends and family you were there on October 5th

... an amazing 350<sup>th</sup> parade sponsored by Sherborn Fire & Rescue Assn. followed by an epic event at Jameson Field

... kudos to Melinda O'Neill and Kevin Delaney for stepping up to organize this special event!

> Volunteers Needed!

# SHERBSTOCK



SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5TH 2024

# ONE AFTERNOON 5 BANDS

#### FEATURING:

Hank Wonder featuring Darren Buck,
Superfine featuring Dennis Delaney,
Les Sampou, Wes Wirth Global
Emsemble - Ecosound System
& The Laurie Goldsmith Project

Sponsored by the Committee to Celebrate Sherborn's 350th Anniversary

**Happy Spring!** It's hard to miss the gorgeous Daffodils popping up along Sherborn's scenic roads, meadows, and stone walls.

**Did you know** The Sherborn Daffodil Trail, under the sponsorship of the Library Trustees and the Friends of the Library, was established in 1982 to commemorate the lives and service of Richard and Mary B. Saltonstall who funded the construction of the Town's public library (Sherborn Library) in 1971.

Check out Margo Powicki's wonderful history of The Sherborn Daffodil Trail at the Library and online.





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