



COLCHESTER HISTORICAL SOCIETY

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

The 90th Anniversary of the Civilian Conservation Corps: Its History & Work in CT

Save the Date: Thursday, June 22, 7:00 pm at the Cragin Memorial Library for a presentation by author and historian Marty Podskoch on the 90th Anniversary of the Civilian Conservation Corps Camps and its work in Connecticut. This event is sponsored by the Colchester Historical Society.



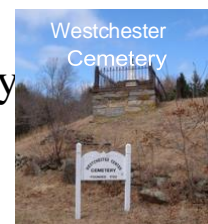
Book presentation by authors Irene Watson and Norman Dupuis

On June 25th at 2:30 pm, join us at the Colchester Federated Church, where the Colchester Historical Society will sponsor a program by authors Irene Watson and Norman Dupuis about their new book, *The Men Connected to Colchester, Connecticut Who Served During the Civil War*.



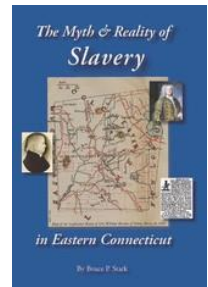
Ice Cream and History tour of the Westchester Cemetery

The Westchester Cemetery is filled with little-known stories and well-known citizens. Join us on Wednesday, August 23rd at 6:00 pm for some refreshing ice cream and a history tour of this historic cemetery.



Author presentation: The Myth and Reality of Slavery in Eastern Connecticut

Please join us on Thursday, September 7, 6:00 pm at the Cragin Memorial Library for a presentation by Dr. Bruce Stark about his new book, *The Myth and Reality of Slavery in Eastern Connecticut*, sponsored by the Colchester Historical Society. The book is the story of slavery and the role played by absentee landlords in the region prior to the American Revolution.



Veterans Day Tour of Linwood Cemetery

On Saturday, November 11, 1:00 pm, historian Gary Walter will lead a tour of the Linwood Cemetery. Gary's presentation will focus on the Colchester soldiers who served during the Civil War. Visitors can also view the remarkable gravestone for Nathaniel Hayward.

