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250 SHUTESBURY Always cooler

People of the Past, are back for another visit to Shutesbury
Cemetery Walk on October 23, Sunday at 2:00pm

LIBRARY TRUSTEES are hosting a new library building informational forum **7:00pm, Tuesday, October 18, 2011 downstairs at town hall.**

Bring your questions.

SHUTESBURY SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2011 at 7pm

At the Shutesbury Elementary School Gym

To Vote on new Library Building, Regional School District Planning Committee,
Generator for Elementary school and Wired West

Note of Explanation: Wired West legal Counsel has requested that Shutesbury revote the Wired West articles by PAPER ballot. We encourage people to comply and come out to the Special Town Meeting on October 25 at 7:00 pm and vote. Thank you-

**SHUTESBURY SPECIAL TOWN ELECTION TUESDAY,
NOVEMBER 8, 2011**

To Vote if the Town of Shutesbury shall be allowed to exempt from prop 2 ½ the amounts required for the bond issued in order to design, construct, originally furnish and equip the new Shutesbury library

THIS FRIDAY!!!

SHUTESBURY ELEMENTERY SCHOOL

Harvest Dinner, October 14* 6 -8 PM

SENIOR POT LUCK LUNCH is being held first Tuesday of the month at town hall. Next one is **November 1**, at noon, downstairs. Call Marilyn Tibbetts, at 259-1976, to let her know you are coming and what you are bringing.

SHUTESBURY FARMERS & ARTISANS MARKET Saturday, 8:30am to noon at Market field. The end of the season is around the corner...next week!



AT THE MARKET

Pat Skaza, Cooleyville Farm and Kathy Carey, Hayes Family Farm shuck and sort beans at the market in between customers. The season is over for mushrooms but still lots of kale, squash, greens, eggplant, carrots, potatoes, garlic, flowers, apples, pears, syrup, and more.

MEMBER THAT WEED COVERED MOUND AT THE HIGHWAY DEPT? It is transformed by members of the Shutesbury Garden Club! The Garden Club used the money they raised at the 250th farm and garden tour to “beautify” Shutesbury. Last fall they began by planting 250 daffodils in front of town hall. This summer they were ready for another project so the Selectboard requested they focus their ideas and energy at the highway berm. They worked with Richie Robert’s who brought in loam. Highway Superintendent Tim Hunting, helped shape the berm and place huge landscaping rocks. The Garden Club found the best collection of landscape plantings at Mount Sugar Loaf Nursery, and worked with David Smith who delivered the shrubs and plantings to the highway yard berm. Compost for the project was from Rick Innes, Clear View Composting, Orange, made from the food waste generated by the Shutesbury Elementary School.

Thanks to Richie Roberts, Rick Innes and David Smith who made the project affordable, to Tim Hunting for his hours on the back hoe, and John Field for help shaping the berm and also placing rocks to garden design specifications. And most of all I share the town’s DEEP APPRECIATION TO THE AMAZING VOLUNTEERS FROM THE SHUTESBURY GARDEN CLUB for their artful design, planning, coordination, implementation, HARD WORK AND SWEAT. Members and volunteers in the photos below are Meryl Mandell, Gail Fleischaker, Penny Jaques, Rita Farrell, Peter Broad, Steven Smulski. Thank you. Members and helpers not pictured are Nancy D’Amato, Christine Labich, Michael Broad, as well as Rita’s friends Steve and Mary Lou (visiting from the west coast).



Volunteers Needed:

On the Personnel Board and Conservation Commission

Becky Torres, Shutesbury Town Administrator, townadmin@shutesbury.org 259-1214