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## 2010 Calendar of Programs and Events

### MAY

#### Annual Plant Sale

*When:* Saturday, May 8, 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.  
*Where:* Roseland Cottage, 556 Route 169, Woodstock  
*Admission:* Free  
*Accessibility:* Yes  
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*Previous Attendance:* 120 people

Roseland Cottage hosts the Woodstock Area Garden Club's annual plant sale. A variety of annuals and perennials are available. Proceeds benefit local student scholarships.

#### Power of the Press

*When:* Wednesday, May 19, 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.  
*Where:* Roseland Cottage, 556 Route 169, Woodstock  
*Admission:* Free to Historic New England members, \$8 nonmembers  
*Please note:* Registration recommended  
*Accessibility:* Yes  
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*Previous Attendance:* 30 people

A lecture series that highlights critical events in American history through the editorials and articles published in *The Independent*, Henry C. Bowen's newspaper.

### JUNE

#### Open House

*When:* Saturday, June 5, 11:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.  
*Where:* Roseland Cottage, 556 Route 169, Woodstock  
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*Previous Attendance:* 50 people

Celebrate Historic New England's centennial anniversary with a complimentary tour of Roseland Cottage, one of the nation's best preserved examples of Gothic Revival architecture.

## **7<sup>th</sup> Annual Connecticut's Historic Gardens Day**

*When:* Sunday, June 27, 1:00 – 4:00 p.m., tours on the hour

*Where:* Roseland Cottage, 556 Route 169, Woodstock

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*Previous Attendance:* 50 people

Celebrate Connecticut's Historic Gardens Day and mark the 160<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the formal parterre garden at Roseland Cottage with a guided garden tour.

## **JULY**

### **Twilight Lawn Concert**

*When:* Saturday, July 10, 7:00 p.m.

*Where:* Roseland Cottage, 556 Route 169, Woodstock

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*Previous Attendance:* 120 people

Enjoy an evening concert on the grounds of Roseland Cottage. Bring a blanket and picnic to enjoy the performance. Co-sponsored by the Woodstock Recreation Commission.

### **Victorian Tea**

*When:* Thursday, July 22, 2:00 – 4:00 p.m.

*Where:* Roseland Cottage, 556 Route 169, Woodstock

*Admission:* \$10 Historic New England members, \$18 nonmembers

*Please note:* Registration required

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*Previous Attendance:* 30 people

Enjoy a relaxing afternoon tea in the carriage barn. After sipping tea and nibbling on scones and cakes, tour this remarkable Gothic Revival summer cottage.

### **Twilight Lawn Concert**

*When:* Friday, July 23, 7:00 p.m. (rain date Monday, July 26, 7:00 p.m.)

*Where:* Roseland Cottage, 556 Route 169, Woodstock

*Admission:* Free

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*Previous Attendance:* 200 people

Enjoy an evening concert on the grounds of Roseland Cottage. Bring a blanket and picnic to enjoy the performance. Co-sponsored by the Woodstock Recreation Commission.

## AUGUST

### Twilight Lawn Concert

*When:* Friday, August 13, 7:00 p.m. (rain date Monday, August 16, 7:00 p.m.)

*Where:* Roseland Cottage, 556 Route 169, Woodstock

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*Previous Attendance:* 180 people

Enjoy an evening concert on the grounds of Roseland Cottage. Bring a blanket and picnic to enjoy the performance. Co-sponsored by the Woodstock Recreation Commission.

### Victorian Tea

*When:* Thursday, August 19, 2:00 – 4:00 p.m.

*Where:* Roseland Cottage, 556 Route 169, Woodstock

*Admission:* \$10 Historic New England members, \$18 nonmembers

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Enjoy a relaxing afternoon tea in the carriage barn. After sipping tea and nibbling on scones and cakes, tour this remarkable Gothic Revival summer cottage.

## SEPTEMBER

### Civil War Living History Weekend

*When:* Saturday, September 18, 11:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m., and Sunday, September 19, 11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

*Where:* Roseland Cottage, 556 Route 169, Woodstock

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*Previous Attendance:* 200 people

Roseland Cottage opens its grounds for a Civil War living history weekend. Artillery and engineering demonstrations, military uniform and weaponry displays, and children's activities.

### Behind the Scenes at Roseland Cottage

*When:* Saturday, September 25, 12:00 – 1:30 p.m. and 2:30 – 4:00 p.m.

*Where:* Roseland Cottage, 556 Route 169, Woodstock

*Admission:* : \$6 Historic New England members, \$10 nonmembers

*Please note:* Registration required

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*Previous Attendance:* 12 people per tour

Explore sections of Roseland Cottage not typically on view. See the servants' quarters, kitchen, attic, and barn haylofts to learn how this wealthy household functioned.

## SEPTEMBER

### **Power of the Press**

*When:* Wednesday, September 29, 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.

*Where:* Roseland Cottage, 556 Route 169, Woodstock

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A lecture series that highlights critical events in American history through the editorials and articles published in *The Independent*, Henry C. Bowen's newspaper.

## OCTOBER

### **Walktober – The Houses and History of Woodstock Hill**

*When:* Sunday, October 10, 1:30 – 2:30 p.m.

*Where:* Tour starts at Roseland Cottage, 556 Route 169, Woodstock

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*Previous Attendance:* 80 people

A walking tour that explores the history and architecture of Woodstock Hill. The walk is approximately 1 mile on relatively flat sideways. Children's activities included.

### **28<sup>th</sup> Annual Fine Arts and Crafts Festival**

*When:* Saturday and Sunday, October 16 and 17, 10:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

*Where:* Roseland Cottage, 556 Route 169, Woodstock

*Admission:* Free to Historic New England members and children under 12, \$5 nonmembers

*Please note:* Rain or shine

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*Previous Attendance:* 8,000 people

One of the leading juried fine arts and crafts shows in New England, featuring 175 artisans. Enjoy live music, a food court, and museum tours.