

The slate of Officers and Directors is listed below.  
Those in *italics* will be elected by the members Midstate Chamber of Commerce during the Annual Meeting portion of the program.

**Officers:**

Chairwoman: *Adrianna Rodriguez, SCOW-Spanish Community of Wallingford*  
Vice Chairman: *Steven Minkler, Central CT State University*  
Secretary: *Chrissy Rutigliano, Gaylord Specialty Healthcare*  
Treasurer: *Ed Hogan, MembersFirst CT Federal Credit Union*  
Immediate Past Chairman *Ralph Mesite, Mesite Family Partnerships*

**Directors:**

Class of 2025: Entire Class to be Elected or Re-Elected

*Joan Walker, UNAPEN - First Term Ends 2028*

*Kerry Johnson, Travel Consultant - First Term Ends 2028*

*Erin Libby, Hartford Healthcare - First Term Ends 2028*

*Beth Fisher, KUHN Employment Opportunities - Filling Unexpired Term*

*Eric Flynn, Flynn Systems Group - First Term Ends 2028*

*David Sharron, Meriden Public Schools - Second Term Ends 2028*

*Kim Hogan, CT State College - Middlesex - First Term Ends 2028*

*Becky French, MembersFirst CT Federal Credit Union - First Term Ends 2028*

Class of 2026:

*Krystle Blake, Bongiovanni / Nesso Group - Filling Unexpired Term*

*Amisha Tailor, TDBank - Filling Unexpired Term*

*Leon Langs, M&T Bank - First term ends 2026*

*Brian Hoeing, UKS - Updike, Kelly, Spellacy - First term ends 2026*

*Marisol Rodriguez, Liberty Bank - First term ends 2026*

*Joe Feest, City of Meriden - First term ends 2026*

*Anne Marie Rosado, Higher Health - First term ends 2026*

*Dundee Benson, Connoisseur Media - First term ends 2026*

Class of 2027:

*Ed Hogan, MembersFirst CT Federal Credit Union - Second Term Ends 2027*

*Jonathan Erickson, Beecher & Bennett Funeral Home - First Term Ends 2027*

*Christine Rutigliano, Gaylord Specialty Healthcare - First Term Ends 2027*

*Greg Walsh, Inn at Middletown - First Term Ends 2027*

*Richard Pendred, UBEO Office Systems - First Term Ends 2027*

*Seth Duke, Easterseals - First Term Ends 2027*

*Stephanie Morales, I'Lann Real Estate - First Term Ends 2027*

Chairman Emeritus: *Frank W. Ridley, Friends of the Meriden Public Library*



The poster features a festive border of colorful streamers (yellow, green, purple) and beaded garlands. At the top center is a large, stylized bow in yellow, green, and purple. The Midstate Chamber of Commerce logo, consisting of a blue 'M' and the text 'Midstate Chamber of Commerce', is prominently displayed. Below the logo, the event details are written in a mix of purple, green, and blue fonts. A QR code is located at the bottom right of the poster.

**Midstate  
Chamber of  
Commerce**

**129<sup>th</sup>**

**Annual Meeting,  
Dinner, Awards  
& Silent Auction**

**Thursday, April 10, 2025**

**4:30 - 8:30 pm**

**The AquaTurf Club**

**556 Mulberry Street | Plantsville, CT**



The Officers and Directors of the Midstate Chamber of Commerce invite you to celebrate with us as we induct new members onto our Board of Directors and honor our award honorees.



## Program Schedule



**4:30 pm**

Cash Bar, Cocktail Reception & Tuscan Table\*

Silent Auction Bidding Begins

Jazz Entertainment by: Ben Simmons Quartet

**5:30 pm**

(Bar closes until meeting adjourns)

Annual Meeting including Election of Officers & Directors  
Presentation of William Sears Rice Awards and  
Special Recognition Awards

**6:15 pm**

Dinner\*

**7:15 pm**

Presentation of Awards, Silent Auction Closes, Raffle

**8:30 pm**

Conclusion of the 129th Annual Meeting

Silent Auction Check Out

\*Menu Information: Tuscan Table includes Fresh mozzarella and tomato salad, sliced soppressata and Parma Prosciutto, Fontinella cheese, Kalamata olives, grilled artichokes, stuffed cherry peppers, stuffed breads (broccoli, eggplant and pepperoni) imported and domestic cheeses, crackers, and sliced pepperoni. Dinner will be served family style and includes Roast Beef, Chicken a la Kathryn (Chicken breast rolled in seasoned breadcrumbs, baked, sliced and served with a smooth white wine velouté sauce), Penne Bolognese, Garden Salad, Potato, Vegetable, Dessert, and Coffee/Tea.

Please notify us upon registration of any special dietary requirements, including but not limited to vegan, gluten free, etc.

## Join Us in Congratulating Our 2025 Honorees



### 28th Annual Large Business Leadership Awards:

Complete Care Meriden  
Wallingford GMC

### 23rd Annual Small Business Leadership Awards:

Class Act Auto & Pet Wash, LLC  
iLann Realty

### 11th Annual Special Achievement in Innovation Award:

UBEO Business Services

### 32nd Annual Community Partnership Award:

Becky Starr

### 10th Annual Excellence in Education Awards:

SCOW - Spanish Community of Wallingford  
Workforce Alliance

### William Sears Rice Awards:

The Curtis Home  
First Congregational Preschool

### Special Recognition Awards:

Kiwanis Club of Meriden  
Meriden Lions Club  
Rotary Club of Meriden



Kindly complete and return the enclosed reply card by April 1st to:  
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