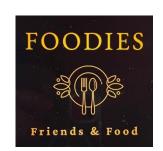
## Interest Groups 2024 – 2025

BOOK- CLUB	Afternoon Book Discussion  Meets Monthly on Zoom  First Wednesday, 1-3 pm  Chairs: Sue Aberbach saberbach@aol.com  Elaine Quayle efvquayle@gmail.com	<ul> <li>Read a book a month.</li> <li>Books announced in advance.</li> <li>Authors occasionally invited to speak via Zoom</li> </ul>
***  CLUB	Evening Book Discussion Meets Monthly 7 pm on 4 <sup>th</sup> Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> Tuesday Nov., Dec. & May Member's home or virtual Chair: Mary Jane Peterson mjpos@comcast.net	<ul> <li>Read a book monthly. Group discussion.</li> <li>Books announced in advance.</li> </ul>
	Gourmet Group  Dates, Location and Time Announced to Group  Members  Chair: Beth Brewer_bbrewer55@comcast.net	<ul> <li>A gathering of up to 8 people.         Often more than one group.     </li> <li>Dinner or brunch with a set menu. Host: Prepares Entrée.         Provides Home hospitality.         Guests prepare assigned items.     </li> </ul>
11個	Mahjongg - Meets Monthly Second Tuesday, 12:30 pm Member's home or virtual Chair: Carole Otto ottocarole@gmail.com	<ul> <li>Chinese game: Object to collect winning sets to be able to call Mahjongg.</li> <li>Will teach new players</li> <li>Click to learn about Mahjongg.</li> </ul>
GREAT DECISIONS	Foreign Policy Discussions Meets seven times a year Third Wednesday, 3 to 5 pm Acton Library, Old Saybrook	2024 - 2025 Dates Sept 18, Oct 16, Nov 20 Feb 19, Mar 19, Apr 16, May 21  Sponsor: Foreign Policy Association
LEARNING ABOUTTHE WORLD	Chair: Karen Christman Kmc112@comcast.net  Cultural Trips - Meets periodically  Chairs: Penny Heinpennyshein@gmail.com     Liz Weinsteinlizwein@comcast.net	Click for Program Description  Participants attend cultural visits and tours. Venues include historic buildings, museums with docents, outdoor art, theatrical or music venues. May have attendance limits  Venues/dates announced in advance.
	Hiking Group - Meets monthly, weather dependent  Chairs: Margie Rice margierice@comcast.net Kathy Heebner kslalikos@gmail.com	Hiking Group Chair selects a variety of hikes which vary in length and difficulty. Lunch may follow. Hike days vary  Hike descriptions,, directions and lunch plans emailed to members in advance.
	Crafting Group - Meets as scheduled Chair: Kathy Heebner kslalikos@gmail.com	Scheduled crafting events. Travel and session payments may be involved. May have attendance limits.  Event descriptions, location and pricing emailed to members in advance. Pa

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## Foodies Group - Meets as scheduled

Chairs: Carole Otto <u>ottocarole@gmail.com</u>
Gail Briggs gail.briggs1@comcast.net

Foodies sponsosr creative events involving food. Events may involve cooking lessons, cookie swaps, wine tasting, or lunch at a hidden gem. Some may be at a member's home. Some will have attendance limits and costs involved.

## Film Group - Meets as scheduled

Chair: Eileen Browne browne.eileen@gmail.com

advance. New ideas are welcome!

Scheduled monthly group film viewings at theater or member homes. Focus on art, vintage and current popular films.

Discussion and food! Pop Up events may occur to take advance. May have attendance limits.

Pop Up events for current films with

Event dates, descriptions, and other details will be mailed to members in

Pop Up events for current films with short theater viewing schedules.

Member-driven selections, events/film ideas and hosting. Events emailed to members in advance.