

Town of North Kingstown, Rhode Island



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North Kingstown Day at Providence State House

North Kingstown, RI — The Town of North Kingstown’s historic 350th anniversary milestone will be celebrated at the State House in Providence on Thursday, March 13th. Representative Robert Craven (RI-32) has invited local leaders alongside representatives from several local organizations, school, and municipal departments to join in the commemoration of this great community milestone.

“North Kingstown Day” will include brief remarks from guest speakers, A. Ralph Mollis, Town Manager, and Greg Mancini, North Kingstown Town Council President, with Representative Craven in the House lounge prior to the 4:00 p.m. House Session. Together, they will debut the official 350th Anniversary video from the Town of North Kingstown with 350th Anniversary Chair and Councilperson, Matt McCoy. The video was produced by local pastor owner of Mystic Rhode Productions, Evan Howard, with help from Peter Voght, drone operator.

Representatives from local entities interested in having a 90-minute presence at exhibition tables overlooking the Rotunda starting at 2:30 p.m. that afternoon should contact Matt McCoy via email: mmcoy@northkingstownri.gov, before the end of this month. Carpooling is recommended, parking is limited and not reserved; sales of merchandise and goods are strictly prohibited at exhibition tables.

Notable in the commemoration of the 350th Anniversary of the Town of North Kingstown throughout the 2024 calendar year, were several popular and well-regarded Signature Events:

- Official Kickoff announcement in January.
- The sold-out Gala for 350 attendees in April.
- Family Day celebration with 2,000 attendees in September.
- 350th Anniversary Parade in October with 100 participating organizations.
- Founders Day and Legacy Tree Program Dedication in late October.
- Pearl Harbor Remembrance Event and official designation of the Town of North Kingstown as Rhode Island’s only and official American World War II Heritage City by the National Park Service in December.
- 12-month Speaker Series with 25 individual lectures preserved in perpetuity on [our YouTube channel](#).
- Annual Tree Lighting in Wickford Village and Christmas at Smith’s Castle in December.

For questions, please contact Kate Glass, Director of Communications and Executive Assistant, Office of the Town Manager: kglass@northkingstownri.gov.