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# The Connecticut Surveyor

# CALS 2017 General Membership Meeting



This years General Membership Meeting was held at the Atrium Café on May 4, 2017. With guest speaker Attorney Kevin Reynolds, discussing the hot topic of cities and towns that require CADD drawings that put licensed professionals in a very tough spot, opening themselves up to altered maps and liability, all seats sold out very quickly.

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Attorney Kevin Reynolds CALS Lobbyist from the Reynolds Strategy Group

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# President's Forum

Please feel free to submit your comments and thoughts.







# Answer:

If one is working as a Professional, the answer is supposed to be no. If one is working as a laborer, the answer is supposed to be yes. Surveyors and the crew members are typically considered professionals..

> Bob Baron, L.S. Manager of Survey Operations for the CT DOT

# Question:

Do surveyors get prevailing wage when working on DOT projects?

CALS Student Member

# **Ridgefield's Surveyor: John Copp (1673-1751)** *Colonial Jack of All Trades* by Silvio A. Bedini

In reading about colonial American surveyors, it is apparent that few if any were professionally trained. For the most part they were self-taught and pursued other community activities in addition to surveying, generally a common trade ranging from farming to shoemaking. An exception was John Copp of Boston, who fulfilled numerous civic responsibilities not only in one community, but in two, as well as in his state. Born in 1673, he was the son of David Copp, one of William Copp's nine children and a cordwainer like his father. William Copp had emigrated from England. David expanded the cordwainer business, was the ruling elder of the First Church, clerk of the market, and sealer of leather. He was a surveyor and adviser to the Boston selectmen on various matters including laying of bounds for highways and property listings in the town. David also "was designated by the selectmen to cooperate with the constable in the suppression of excessive drinking and disorders in private houses and licensed places of entertainment." He was a highly esteemed citizen and bearer at funerals of the old elite of old Boston, and among his friends was the Reverend Cottom Mather.

# **Established in Many Professions**

His son John Copp moved to Connecticut while in his twenties, and in 1698 he married the widow Mary Jagger Phelps of Stamford. Apparently, not long thereafter he was widowed, then married again three years later to another widow. There were no children from either marriage.

During the next few years Copp apparently established himself as a schoolteacher in Stamford with success, for his name next appeared in Norwalk in 1701 when a town meeting voted to hire him as schoolmaster "in case he can be obtained." The meeting left the salary open to negotiation of "reasonable termes" but specified that part of the payment in the amount of 1 pound 55 should come from a tuition charged to the "schollers" (pupils) with the payment divided equally among them. Copp accepted the position and taught both day and evening classes.

In addition to schoolteacher, Copp was also the local medical doctor. In 1705 he "obtained the recommendation of the selectmen of Norwalk and applied for a license to practise medicine." He was granted a license, and in 1710 or 1711 he was appointed a surgeon with a Connecticut regiment which was to march to Port Royal in Canada to engage the French in battle. At a meeting of the Governor's Council in New Haven held on July 24, 1711, it was ordered that a letter be dispatched to Copp "desiring him to attend and go as Doctor in the expedition against Canada, which letter was drawn and sent accordingly." Copp was to be paid six pounds a month for his service out of the Colony treasury "and that he shall have a suit of the regimental cloaths, gratis." If and where and when Copp received medical training is not known.

Copp had been trained in surveying by his father, and probably had accompanied him on some of his field work, and from time to time engaged in surveying when called upon. When as early as 1697 Norwalk residents began to become interested in land to the north of their community which was owned by Indians, Copp frequently was called upon to survey for members of the community. The land was high and rocky, but the soil was fertile and there were more than sixty miles of streams that could serve future mills. In 1706 and again two years later, he was asked with others to survey land in the region, but various difficulties arose and the expeditions resulted in failure.

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# **The First Purchase**

Finally, working alone in the summer of 1708, Copp managed to draw up boundaries for a tract of land of 20,000 acres, roughly in the southern half of the present town of Ridgefield. He reported back to the Norwalk residents that "we went up to view said tract of land and upon our diligent endeavour for a discovery, we find it to be accomodated with upland considerably good and for quantity sufficient for thirty families, and as for meadow land it surpasses both in quantity as well as in quality what is common to be found in larger plantations." In September, Copp and two others from Norwalk representing the first 26 settlers of new community to be named "Ridgfield" (later changed to "Ridgefield") paid the Indians £100 sterling for what was called "the first purchase" of which there were to be seven more. The purchase having been made, the General Assembly in session at Hartford in May 1709 appointed Major Peter Burr of Fairfield, John Copp of Norwalk, and Josiah Starr of Danbury, to serve as a committee to make a survey of the tract of land and to lay it out for a town plat, and to make return to the General Assembly at New Haven in the following October "of their doings therein, and of their opinion how many inhabitants the said tract of land may admit and contain." After this was done, a grant was made by the General Assembly in session at New Haven on October 13, 1709.

Copp was elected recorder or town clerk of the first town meeting in 1709 and of which his notes of the meeting survive. Although for a short time in 1714 Copp held title to property in the new community, he did not hold title to property in the town. In 1714 he had some land deeded to him which he turned over to another several months later; it appears that he was acting merely as a trustee. During the first several years of Ridgfield's settlement, Copp apparently lived with one pioneer family or another for periods ranging from days to months at a time while he helped to lay out the town and its main street. It was to be six rods wide, and to run north and south along the eastern declivity of the ridge. On either side of the street, home lots of two-and-one-half acres were laid out, and in the rear of these, additional lots of five acres, making a total of seven-and- one-half acres. Subsequent divisions were made of the plough land, meadow land, and bogs.

# **Haphazard Schooling**

Copp also served as the town's physician, and as its first schoolmaster, instructing the children in a small meeting house near the center of the town. Schooling appears to have been somewhat haphazard because Copp also had responsibilities in Norwalk during this period, and it was not until 1721 that the subject of education was mentioned in the town records. Ridgfield's first town meetings were probably held in Norwalk until the settlement became more permanent and populated. Copp was also the town clerk for Norwalk from 1708 to 1740. It is likely that Copp's records of Ridgfield town meetings were compiled in Norwalk, his last entry made in 1713, when he was succeeded as both recorder and school-master by the Reverend Thomas Hauley, the town's first minister.

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The settlement of Ridgfield was but one of Copp's endeavors, for during the same period he was extremely active in the civic and ecclesiastical life of Norwalk and of Fairfield County as well. In 1706, 1716, and 1718-19 he was elected state representative from Norwalk to the Connecticut General Assembly. In 1711 he was appointed county surveyor and at the governor's request he assisted with a 1716 survey to determine the boundary between Connecticut and New York State. In 1719 he was engaged in clearing up confusion over the boundaries of the community of Norwalk. In 1726 he was appointed to a town committee to present grievances to county officials. Copp also surveyed the town of Bradford, New York.

Copp was no less active in Norwalk's ecclesiastical affairs. He was a deacon in Norwalk's First Congregational Church, and the town records note that in 1723 he was granted a position of importance, "the second pue [sic] from the pulpitt." His wife was placed "in the third pue on the women's side." During the mid 1720s, Copp served on several church committees that attempted to settle a dispute between the minister and his parishioners, who were then most of the townspeople. The dispute became so heated that in 1726 it was voted at the town meeting to discontinue payment to the minister of his salary. Copp's name appeared on the records of Ridgfield in 1739, noting that he had come to town to attend the installation of the new Congregational minister, Jonathan Ingersoll, who came to replace Thomas Hauley, who had died the year before.

In his will drawn up in 1749, Copp freed his two slaves, Jack and Sarah, and provided them with support. Copp died on May 16, 1751, at the age of seventy-eight. There are few suitable memorials to John Copp in either community in which he lived and worked. Copps Mountain, a name first used in the town deed of 1721, was given to a ridge in the northern part of Ridgefield. Along the southern end of this ridge is "Settler's Rock," campsite of the scouting party that set out to survey Ridgefield in 1708 before the first purchase was made from the Indians. Of later date, occurring in deeds from 1748, is Copps Old Line referring to the border between Danbury and Ridgefield, also Copps Corner in the Branchville section referring to the boundaries of Ridgefield, Redding and Wilton at the corner of Mountain Rd. and Peaceable St.

Salvio Bedini was an Historian Emeritus with the Smithsonian Institution in Washington, D.C. He died in 2007.

# **CALS 2017 Golf Outing**



Portland Golf Course 169 Bartlett Street Portland, CT 06480 860-342-6107 **Tee off :10:00 am** Date: **06/22/17** 

Registration begins at 8:30 with a continental breakfast & photos.

Tee off time is 10:00. A grilled hot dog, burger or sausage & soda will be included at the lunch gazebo.

A full dinner buffet will follow with award presentations.

# \$150 per person

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Note - PGC does not have a driving range. You can use the driving range one mile away at Portland West, 105 Gospel Lane, Portland, CT.	169 Bartlett Street Portland, CT 06480 860-342-6107 www.portlandgolfcourse.com

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- Enrollment for the Spring of 2017 was 51 students with 16 undergraduates. Five students are from Connecticut.
- PSM will have its second graduate in May Melissa Soucie of CT. Her final project (a thesis for all practical purposes) is titled "Automation of Feature Extraction for Road Surface Markings". Congratulations to Melissa for helping continue the history of surveying graduate education a the University of Maine!
- Foundation scholarships (\$700 each) were awarded in April Zachary Fanotto & Alexander Piescia, both from Connecticut, received awards.
- The University of Maine Surveying Engineering Technology (SVT) invites the surveying community to take any of the following on-line classes Fall 2017, starting on Monday, August 28th.
  - CET 101 Plane Surveying (3 cr.)
  - SVT 121 AutoCad I (3cr.)
  - SVT 110 Instrumentation & Data Collection (1 cr.)
  - SVT 322 Preparing Effective Property Descriptions (1 cr.)
  - SVT 314 Advanced Surveying (3 cr.)
  - SVT 418 Fundamentals of Surveying exam review (1 cr.)
  - SVT 437 Practical GPS (3 cr.)
  - SVT 501 Advanced Adjustment Computations (3 cr.)
  - SVT 511 Geodetic Aspects of the US Public Land Survey System (3 cr.)

All nine classes can count toward a BS in SVT. The500+ courses count toward a Professional Science Masters Degree (PSM) in Surveying Engineering. If you wish to take a class or classes please contact Ray Hintz (Raymond.hintz@umit.maine.edu). The lectures, homework, and exams exist on an internet site and you will have no exact lecture times. All homework and exams have exact due dates. Questions are presented via e-mail and phone.

 Knud Hermansen is on a phased retirement and works in the fall, spending winter and spring in sunny Florida. We wish him the very best.

> Education it the passport to the future, for tomorrow belongs to those who prepare for it today. Malcolm X

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SURVEY	General Membership Meeting & Seminar
	<u>Thursday, June 15, 2017</u> 7:30am - 5 pm
	Radisson
	The Radisson Hotel 2081 Post Road, Warwick Rhode Island 02886, USA
	am - 8:00 am Registration & Continental Breakfast am - 11:30 am Succeeding in the NFIP Guest Speaker: Wendy Lathrop, PLS,CFM
	am - 10:00 am Break am - 1:00 pm RISPLS General Membership Meeting
1:00	Lunch pm - 5:00 pm Succeeding in the NFIP Guest Speaker: Wendy Lathrop, PLS,CFM
3:00	pm - 3:30 pm Break
<u>P</u>	lease RSVP today for our Full Day Seminar!! (7.5 PDH)
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	ers GMM&Lunch ONLY:\$55 (11:30-1pm)Non Members GMM&Lunch ONLY:\$65
**Late Fee	of \$10 if received after June 9, 2017 / if you'd like to <u>SPONSOR A STUDENT</u> : \$30
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	or Email to Sherri at: rispls@hotmail.com 401-294-1262



# **Boy Scout Merit Badge**

CALS Board of Directors recently voted to donate \$200 to the 2017 National Scout Jamboree in sponsorship of the Surveying Merit Badge, which originated in 1911.

NSPS asked all State Surveying Associations to donate \$200 and it was our pleasure to support this effort.



# Learn the signs of a stroke

During a BBQ, a woman stumbled and took a little fall she assured everyone that she was fine . After she got cleaned up, she went on to enjoy herself the rest of the evening.

That night, her husband had to take her to the hospital where she passed away at 6:00 PM the following day.

She had suffered a stroke at the BBQ. Had anyone known how to identify the signs of a stroke, perhaps this woman would be with us today.

A neurologist says that if he can get to a stroke victim within 3 hours he can totally reverse the effects of a stroke...<u>totally</u>. He said the trick is getting a stroke recognized, diagnosed, and then getting the patient medically cared for within 3 hours.

# Recognizing a Stroke:

- **S** Ask the individual to smile.
- T Ask the person to talk and speak a simple sentence (coherently).
- **R** Ask him or her to raise both arms.

If he or she has trouble with any one of these tasks, call emergency immediately and describe the symptoms to the dispatcher.

# New sign of a stroke: Stick out your tongue!

If the tongue is "crooked", if it goes to one side or the other, that is also an indication of a stroke.



# Remember:

- Exercise - use your lunch time to be active, go for a walk.
- Drink plenty of water ,including one glass before every meal.
- Eat one really healthy meal each day.
  - grab a piece of fruit or a few almonds between meals.
- Get plenty of sleep.
- Remember to laugh.

- Laughter decreases stress hormones and increases immune cells and infectionfighting anti

bodies. Laughter triggers the release of endorphins, the body's natural feel-good chemicals. Endorphins promote an overall sense of well -being and can even temporarily relieve pain.

# **CALS welcomes a new Sustaining Member**

A CUT ABOVE AERIAL IMAGING was founded in 2016 by Mr. Dennis Carbo.

Dennis is an aerial and architectural photographer with over 20 years' experience in aerial photography and R/ C aircraft.

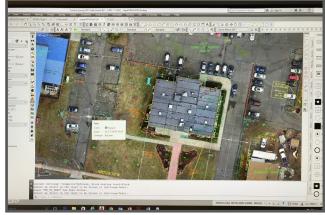
In 2017 A CUT ABOVE AERIAL IMAGING began collaborating with CT surveyors to develop systems for integrating highly detailed geo-referenced images and point cloud data into the surveying workflow and subsequent data sets. Using the latest sUAS (Drone) tech-



nology along with "smart" ground control points all data is referenced to NAD83/NAVD1988.

Our mission is to partner with surveyors, engineers and architects who would benefit from the latest Drone technology. Our goal is to provide high quality aerial services to the surveying, architectural and engineering sector. Our method is to provide the infrastructure, credentials, insurance and technical expertise to the client at a positive price point.

sUAS (Drone) technology, FAA and Insurance regulations and flight software is changing at an unbelievable pace. Let A CUT ABOVE AERIAL IMAGING manage those challenges as your firm realizes a sustainable competitive advantage by reducing field time and increasing the quality and quantity of data collected.



Our sUAS pilots are FAA Part 107 certified and fully insured, we complete all FAA required paperwork necessary for flight operations.

For more information or to schedule a proof of performance flight on one of your job sites please contact us ! Phone 860-212-8559, Email <u>acutaboveaerial@gmail.com</u> or visit our website at www.acutaboveaerial.com

Sample data available upon request.



IT'S NEVER TOO LATE TO LOOK FOR SUMMER INTERNS!



If you are planning to hire students for paid internships in summer 2017, the Civil Engineering Department at CCSU has a number of students that may be interested in working for you. The students I am teaching this semester have already taken Survey 1 and are presently taking a class in GPS, utilizing new RTK/Static GNSS Receivers.

If you would like to reach out to these students, send a note to me with the name of the firm, what town it is in, type of employee needed and your contact information. I will pass this along to those students who have expressed an interest in an internship.

John J. Doody PS/PE Instructor CE 458 Introduction to GPS <u>doodyj@ccsu.edu</u> or jjdoody@snet.net

- "Very good Student" recommended by Ray Hintz, UMaine- looking for Full time position starting in late May - Graduating from Three Rivers Community College in May with an Associates in Construction Management. Previous summer of experience working for a surveyor. Resume available upon request. Contact Ben Coughlin. <u>benjamin888@sbcglobal.net</u>
- Recent CCSU Geography/GIS graduate (Dec. 16) looking for full-time position with an Engineering, Surveying or Environmental Consulting firm in the Hartford, Middlesex, New London, New Haven or Tolland County areas. Extensive coursework in GIS, Cartography, Remote Sensing, Air Photo Interpretation and Math. Prior work experience last summer as a GIS Analyst for the Southington Water Company and as an Intern with the USDA, Natural Resource Conservation Service. Hands on experience with ESRI Products (ArcGIS, 10.3, ArcCatalog, ModelBuilder, Editor) Microsoft Word, Excel, and PowerPoint. Please contact Owen Lisowski for detailed resume at owen.lisowski@gmail.com or call 860 633-6715.

# Fairfield County

• Licensed Land Surveyor - S.E. Minor & Company, based in Greenwich, CT seeks to hire a full time CT licensed land surveyor. Experience with all phases of land development is essential. Needs to be able to communicate effectively with survey and engineering staff, clients, municipal review boards and other design professionals. Requires ability to work independently and with a team, assist in establishing project budgets, schedules, and meet established deadlines. Minimum 6 years relevant experience; L.S. required. Requires excellent verbal and written communication skills as well as proficiency in the use of AutoCAD and related software.

Competitive salary commensurate with experience; health and 401k benefits package offered. Candidates should email resumes to: <u>resumes@seminor.com</u>.

• **Pereira Engineering, LLC** is an established Civil/Environmental/Land Surveying firm located in Shelton, CT and we are looking to fill the following position:

- **Civil Engineer** - experienced in various types of site development projects including residential, commercial, and municipal projects. Responsibilities include the design of site layouts, subdivisions, septic systems, storm and sanitary sewers, storm water management systems, grading, roads, and hydrologic/hydraulic studies. Duties will include preparation of plans, specifications, and calculations as well as coordination with other design professionals and public officials. Qualified candidate must have a B.S. in Civil Engineering from an ac credited engineering program and must be proficient with AutoCAD Civil 3D and other commonly used design and drainage analysis software. Candidate must be organized, highly-motivated, and detail-oriented.

Pereira Engineering offers a very competitive salary and benefits package including Major Medical Insurance, 401(k) Profit Sharing Plan, Life Insurance including Short-Term Disability and AD&D coverage, paid Vacation, Holidays, Sick Days, Direct Deposit for payroll, and a Health Club membership. Please email resume and salary requirements to: joe.pereira@pereiraeng.com or fax to: (203) 944-9945.

Immediate Need for multiple positions at Redniss & Mead, a relaxed and friendly land survey firm. Positions include:

- Entry Level Field Surveyor (willing to train the right candidate)
- **Experienced Party Chief** with research and AutoCAD abilities.
- Survey/Field Technicians to join the Redniss & Mead Team of Land Surveying, Civil Engineering, and Land-Use Planning professionals in a growing firm located in Fairfield County, CT. Candidates should have 3+ years experience in the surveying field and experience in the processing and preparation of all types of surveys, including boundary surveys, topographic surveys and construction layout. Knowledge of AutoCAD and Data Collection is required. Responsibilities include performing fieldwork, processing and mapping of fieldwork, coordination with clients and in-house staff. Work for this position will be on a variety of project types including residential, commercial and institutional. For consideration, please forward your resume to Lawrence W. Posson, PLS, Director of Surveying: L.Posson@rednissmead.com. We are an Equal Opportunity Employer and offer a competitive compensation package including salary, medical benefits, paid vacation, paid holidays, performance bonuses, 401K retirement plan, direct deposit, and a health club membership.

### Fairfield County continued

• Licensed Land Surveyor - Arcamone Land Surveyors LLC located in Norwalk, CT is looking to hire a full or part time CT licensed land surveyor. Responsibilities include performing land title search, zoning location surveys, property surveys, topographic surveys, construction layout and staking and elevation certificates. Knowledge of AutoCAD and data collection in processing and preparation of all surveys is required. Robotic/GPS experience a plus. Arcamone Land Surveyors offers a competitive salary, paid vacation, paid holiday and health club benefit. Please submit resume to Wayne Arcamone P.L.S./Owner at wayne@arcamonesurveyors.com.

### Hartford County

 Bongiovanni Group, Inc., located in Central Ct, a leader in the Land Surveying Profession for over 33 years, is looking for Professional/Career orientated people to join our Firm. We are seeking qualified candidates to fill positions for a unique, long term project. We will entertain applicants with qualifications ranging from experienced Instrument Operators and Party Chiefs to Licensed Land Surveyors. This is an extraordinary opportunity for motivated, conscientious, and detail-oriented individuals that offers the highest levels of compensation.

Experience using robotic total stations and controllers is required. Use of Leica equipment, multi-stations/ scanning and GPS equipment will be given a preference. Use of AutoCAD Civil 3D and MicroSurvey StarNet software are helpful. All successful applicants will be subject to drug testing and background checks performed. A valid Ct. driver's license is required.

Please send Resumes to: Alan Bongiovanni, L.S., Bongiovanni Group, Inc., 170 Pane Rd., 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Newington, Ct. 06111-5521 or email to <u>al@bgils.com</u>. Phone (860) 666-0134. All inquiries are kept confidential. EOE/AA.

- **Party Chief**-Martin Surveying Associates, LLC is a growing firm located in Berlin, Connecticut is seeking a party chief with the following qualifications:
  - 5+ years of experience in the role of a Party Chief.
  - Ability to perform and work as a one-person crew utilizing robotic total stations and GPS equipment.
  - Experienced in ALTA/NSPS Surveys, boundary surveys, topographic surveys and construction layout on large commercial projects. AutoCAD experience a plus.

Please send Resume to: Martin Surveying Associates, LLC, 321 Ellis Street, New Britain, CT 06051 martinsurveying148@yahoo.com

### **Middlesex County**

• Survey Project Manager - BL Companies, an ENR Top 500 Architectural, Engineering, Environmental and Land Surveying Consulting Firm has an exciting career opportunity immediately available for a Survey Project Manager to join the firm's growing survey division in its Meriden, Connecticut office. The selected candidate will have at least 8 years' experience and will be responsible for managing the successful delivery of survey projects. The position includes the preparation of proposals, estimating project costs, managing project budgets, resource planning, and client contact. Excellent verbal and written communication skills along with organizational skills are required for this position. Professional license is not required but desirable.

This individual will work closely with BL's Survey Management team and will participate in overall operations of the department. The candidate will also participate in BL's leadership development programs and will have a unique opportunity to make a broad and significant contribution to BL's growth while advancing their leadership skills.

BL Companies offers an excellent benefits package and fosters a growth-oriented work environment. Please send resume to: Human Resources, BL Companies, 355 Research Parkway, Meriden, CT 06450, via fax to 203-630-2615 or e-mail <u>resumes@blcompanies.com</u>. EOE. Visit our website at <u>www.blcompanies.com</u>. An Employee Owned Company.

- Instrument Person We currently have an opening for an Instrument Person in our Cromwell, CT office. Practical knowledge of land surveying practices is required. Skills in using total stations, GNSS equipment, robotic instruments and data collectors a plus. Applicants should have the ability to travel for work. A high school diploma or equivalent is required. A minimum of three (3) years of survey experience is preferred. OSHA 40 hour training and OSHA construction certificate a plus. All successful applicants will have back ground checks, will be drug tested and will be subject to random testing throughout the year. The LRC Group is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.
   Please send resumes to: contact@lrcconsult.com.
- Party Chief We currently have an opening for an Survey Party Chief in our Cromwell, CT office. The Survey Party Chief would be responsible for overseeing a survey field crew on projects ranging from construction stakeout, utility, boundary and topographic survey, right of way surveys. Skills in using total stations, GNSS equipment, robotic instruments and data collectors a requirement. Applicants should have the ability to travel for work. A high school diploma or equivalent is required. OSHA 40 hour training and OSHA construction certificate a plus. The ideal candidate should have 5 or more years of surveying experience in the fields listed above. All successful applicants will have background checks, will be drug tested and will be subject to random testing throughout the year. The LRC Group is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

# **Classified Ads Classified Ads**

### New Haven County

**Career Opportunity** - Godfrey-Hoffman Associates, LLC & Hodge, LLC are small survey/civil firms with our headquarters in North Haven, CT and a satellite office in Farmington CT. Since 1924 & 1925 respectively GHA & Hodge have provided Connecticut with superior service and integrity in the land surveying & civil engineering arena.

 Civil Engineer, Project Manager: Small multi-discipline firm looking for self-motivated, energetic engineer to fill this full-time permanent position. Duties to include, residential & commercial site planning, subdivision design, storm water management and onsite sewage disposal system design. Must possess excellent written and verbal skills as well as be experienced with AutoCAD, and the public approval process required.

Minimum 5 years' experience. PE license preferred but not required.

Career oriented individual willing to work on projects from initial concept, thru design and construction. Some night commission meetings will be required.

This position offers exposure to a diverse workload that provides for excellent professional development with a future. Come join a great team at Godfrey-Hoffman and Hodge.

All inquiries will be kept completely confidential. Respond to ahoffman@godfreyhoffman.com

- Survey/Field Technician needed for a small civil/land surveying firm in Meriden. Candidate must have a min 2 years experience in the surveying field and experience in the processing and preparation of all types of surveys, including boundary surveys, topographic surveys and construction layout. Knowledge of AutoCAD and Data Collection is required. Responsibilities include performing fieldwork, processing and mapping of fieldwork, coordination with clients and in-house staff. Work for this position will be on a variety of project types including residential, commercial and industrial. For consideration, please forward your resume to Scott Poryanda at scott@cce95.com or call the office 203-639-8636.
- **Civil Engineering Technician** needed for a small civil/land surveying firm in Meriden. Candidate must have a min 2 years experience in the civil engineering field. Knowledge of AutoCAD is required. Some responsibilities will include the designing of subdivisions, septic systems, plot plans, and

# Survey Equipment for Sale

Brunson 1961 Model 75-H Optical Transit Square. Original case and legs. Includes Brunson Instrument Co. Brochure /Catalogue. Original bill of sale authenticity. Requires calibration and Optical Micrometer. Valuable piece of Early American Engineering \$3200. Contact Michele L'Heureux 1-860-388-3433 Email; elpi@aol.com

<b>Take me out to the ballgame!</b>
CALS Summer Outing
Thursday, August 10, 2017
Dunkin Donuts Park
1214 Main Street, Hartford, CT 06103 Gates open at 6:00 pm. Game begins at 7:05 pm CALS has reserved a group of tickets so that we can all sit together and enjoy the game. Bring your family and friends for a great evening out this summer. Tickets are only \$10 each with a \$2 credit per ticket to go toward food or souvenirs.
CALS Summer Outing - Hartford Yard Goats - Thursday, August 10, 2017
Name
Company
EmailPhone
Please Reserve  Tickets @ \$10 each. Total Enclosed \$
Credit Card Number Exp. Date
Signature I
Mail to The Connecticut Association of Land Surveyors 78 Beaver Road, Suite 2-J, Wethersfield, CT 06109

	June 2017					
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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					National Donut Day	
4	5 World Environment Day	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14 Flag Day	15 RISPLS seminar on Succeeding in the NFIP	16	17
18 Father's Day	19	20	21 Summer Solstice	22 CALS Golf Tournament	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	

# June Trivia

- The birthstone for June is a moonstone or a pearl; the flower for June is a rose or honeysuckle.
- Gemini (May 21-June 20); Cancer (June 21-July 20).
- June is often considered a "summer month", whereas September is not. This is despite the fact that September has twice as many summer days as June.
- Pop Culture History June:
  - 1831 James Clark Ross discovered Magnetic North Pole.
  - 1906 Theodore Roosevelt signed the Antiquities Act into law, authorizing the President to restrict the use of certain parcels of public land with historical or conservation value.
  - 1944 D-Day: Allied powers crossed the English Channel and landed on Normandy beach, France, turning the tide of the war against Germany
  - 1966 Surveyor 1 landed on Oceanus Procellarum on the Moon.
  - 1967 Sgt. Pepper's Lonely Hearts Club Band was released by the Beatles.
  - 1968 Robert F. Kennedy was shot & killed by Sirhan Sirhan.
  - 1971 The Ed Sullivan Show aired for the 1st time on CBS
  - 1974 The Heimlich maneuver was published in the journal of Emergency Medicine.
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