



Saturday, October 22, 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
A Visit to the Walking Dunes of Napeague
 Napeague Harbor Road, Amagansett

Please join us in Amagansett to meet Mike Bottini, author of "The Walking Dunes: East Hampton's Hidden Treasure," for a hike through this spectacular beachside environment. Mike will lead us through the dunes and relay fascinating details on the formation of the dunes, including specifics of current research by SUNY Stony Brook on these unique land forms, as well as discuss some interesting adaptations of the flora thriving throughout the area.
\$5/person, please dress appropriately and meet us at the end of Napeague Harbor Road. Rain cancels.



Sunday, December 4, 2:00 – 4:00 p.m.
Fresh Evergreen Wreath-Making Workshop
 Bridge Gardens, 36 Mitchell Lane, Bridgehampton


Create a fabulous evergreen wreath that you will be proud to show off to family and friends this holiday season! Diana Conklin of Everlastings will provide pre-made, plain evergreen wreaths and will bring a wealth of additional locally grown greens, dried flowers, seed pods and berries for you to enhance the basic form. Bring your own ribbons, seashells, feathers, lights, or other decorative items if you would like—Diana will demonstrate how to make your vision come true! Please call today to reserve your evergreen wreath. Space is limited.
\$30/person, includes materials, plain wreath to decorate, and refreshments. Attendees are encouraged to bring work gloves and clippers. Rain or shine.

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 Autumn Events & Activities!!

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Connections

EVENTS & ACTIVITIES CALENDAR – SEPTEMBER-DECEMBER 2011

Connections assists the Peconic Land Trust with our goal of connecting people and communities to the land around us by providing opportunities for you to enjoy the results of our collective conservation efforts. We look forward to seeing you at upcoming events and encourage you to bring a guest. Reservations can be made by calling 631.283.3195 ext. 10 or Events@PeconicLandTrust.org.



Canning isn't as difficult as you might think—it's actually pretty fun, and there's nothing better than grabbing a jar of vegetables, fruits or jam in the middle of winter that you canned yourself at the end of the season. What better way to handle the surplus of produce at the end of the summer?

The Peconic Land Trust conserves Long Island's working farms, natural lands, and heritage for our communities now and in the future.



Saturday, September 10, 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
13th Annual Great Tomato Taste-Off
 The Apple Orchard at Quail Hill Farm
 Deep Lane, Amagansett

Don't miss this now famous event! This year, Quail Hill Farm is organically growing more than 50 varieties of cherry, paste and heirloom tomatoes of all shapes, sizes and colors including red, pink, orange, yellow, purple and green. Visit the many tomato-laden tables with clipboard in hand, and taste and rate your way among them all! The Great Tomato Taste-off is a unique opportunity to sample all varieties of tomatoes at one time and vote for your favorites. Come taste and see how the 2011 tomatoes rate!
\$10 for general public. Free for kids under 12 and Quail Hill Farm members. (\$5 donation welcomed) Heavy rains cancel.
Please park on Deep Lane, reached via Town Lane or Side Hill Lane, and meet us in the orchard.



The Agricultural Center at Charnews Farm
 Learning, Planning, Planting, Harvesting

The Community Garden Plots at the Ag Center are brimming with healthy, organic produce, grown and tended by your friends and neighbors! Join the fun in 2012 by securing your garden plot in February. Keep an eye out for sign-up information, coming in late winter, or contact the office at 631.283.3195! Have space in your own yard for a vegetable garden? Then meet the community gardeners on weekends throughout the Fall with your questions, and see what's "growing on" at the Ag Center!

Reservations, information, and directions for events and activities can be obtained by calling the Peconic Land Trust at 631.283.3195 ext. 10 or by email to Events@PeconicLandTrust.org.

Please join us at **HARVEST East End** in September. Proceeds from the live auction at **HARVEST** will benefit the **Peconic Land Trust, Group for the East End** and **East End Hospice**.

Wine Salons: September 3, 10, and 17. Entertaining and educational behind-the-scenes tours, tastings and classes. \$25/person.

10-Mile Dinners: September 16: Exclusive dinners at private locations in the Hamptons, Shelter Island and the North Fork, sourced from within 10 miles of each location, and prepared by local chefs. \$350/person. Space is limited.

Fall for Long Island Festival Tasting: September 17, 4:30 to 7:30 pm: Enjoy barrel samples of local wine and sample small bites created and served by local food artisans at this amazing walk-around tasting held at the Ludlow Farm in Bridgehampton. \$125/person.

HARVEST Moon Gala: Bid, Dine and Dance: September 17, 7:00 to 11:00 pm: The culmination of HARVEST with a live auction of rare and not-yet-released Long Island wines, an amazing farm-to-table feast with wines from across the East End, and dancing to the Jerry Constanzo Orchestra. Ludlow Farm. \$275/person includes Festival Tasting.

For more information and to purchase tickets call 631.477.6207, visit www.harvesteastend.com, or email to info@longislandmerlot.com.

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Don't Forget: Bridge Gardens is open weekends through October!

Saturdays, 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
 Sundays, 12:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Come walk through the gardens, including roses, topiaries, perennials, bamboo, hostas, sculpted hedges, herbs and so much more.

Uncommon Ground Sculpture Exhibition on Display through September 11

Bring a blanket and a picnic and enjoy this beautiful oasis in the heart of Bridgehampton. The Gardens will close for the 2011 season on October 30.

Admission: \$10/person; \$20/family of four.
 36 Mitchell Lane, Bridgehampton