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## Welcome New Members

Sean Coffey, Brookfield

Tanner Cosgrove, Stamford

Emilie Wasserman, Old Greenwich

## SCM Chapter Events – August 2017

**Sunday, August 6, 1:00–3:30 pm**

### **Southern CT Mensa Annual Picnic**

*Stamford Museum & Nature Center, 39 Scofieldtown Road, Stamford, CT*

Come join us again this year for good food and good company in a beautiful outdoor setting! Explore the mansion, hike the trails, visit the farm, or just relax and enjoy the day. Feel free to bring some munchies to share. Visit their website at <http://www.stamfordmuseum.org/>. For more information, contact **Joan Coprio** at [JCoprio@optonline.net](mailto:JCoprio@optonline.net)

Stamford Museum  
& Nature Center



**Wednesday, August 9, 6:00 pm**

### **Post Road Dining and Discussion.**

*Barnes & Noble Cafe, Post Plaza Shopping Center, 1076 Post Road East, Westport, CT*

Come talk about books (non-technical) you have read recently. RSVP to **Jim Mizera** at [jmizeract@gmail.com](mailto:jmizeract@gmail.com) or text or call (203) 522-1959.

**Thursday, August 10, 7:00 pm**

### **Southern Connecticut and Connecticut/Western Massachusetts Joint Dinner**

*John's Best Pizza, ShopRite Plaza, Federal Road, Brookfield, CT*

Interested M's should contact **Ward Mazzucco** at (203) 744-1929, ext. 25, [wjm@danburylaw.com](mailto:wjm@danburylaw.com), or **Rev. Bill Loring** at (203) 794-1389, [fr.bill@comcast.net](mailto:fr.bill@comcast.net), for more info and/or reservations

**Saturday, August 19, 8:00 pm**

### **Elm Shakespeare Company's *Romeo and Juliet***

*Edgerton Park, 75 Cliff Street, New Haven, CT*

Tickets: Donation. Bring a chair. Contact **Jim Mizera** at [jmizeract@gmail.com](mailto:jmizeract@gmail.com) or text or call (203) 522-1959.



**Save the Date — Saturday, September 16**

### **The Mensa Monthly Dinner**

The monthly dinner returns after a summer break. Our speaker will be Dr. Francis Destefano, who will give a presentation on "How to Look at a Renaissance Painting."

## CT & Western MA Mensa Chapter–Upcoming Events

This is not a complete listing. Details regarding these and other C&WM events can be found at: <http://www.cwm.us.mensa.org/members/member-page.htm> (Mensa ID and Password required). You can also check out their Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/groups/123261321217597/>.

### Thursday, August 3, 7:00 pm

#### Baseball Game (Bristol)

Mensa goes to a ballgame! Join your fellow Mensans at historic Muzzy Field in Bristol, Connecticut, on August 3, 2017, at 7:00 pm. In a true Connecticut versus Western Massachusetts showdown, the hometown beloved Bristol Blues take on those lowly curs, the Pittsfield Suns, in Futures Collegiate Baseball League (FCBL) action! It's exactly like that movie *Summer Catch* except that it's in Bristol instead of Cape Cod (which is a lateral move) and there is a 0% chance that Jessica Biel will show up. (Fun fact: the first person to hit a home run out of Muzzy Field was a ham-and-egger who went by the name Babe Ruth. He later met with some success in Major League baseball.) Call or text Jim Henke at (860) 690-4931 before you buy your tickets to find out where we're sitting. Or call Tom Thomas at (413) 813-9105.

### Friday, August 4, 5:30 pm

#### First Friday Happy Hour

First Friday Happy Hour and Dinner (ME, 1st Friday) at the Michael's Trattoria, 344 Center St., Wallingford, CT, (203) 269-5303. Contact Ann Polanski: home (203) 269-4565 or cell (860) 817-9910.

### Sunday, August 6, 10:00 am

#### Breakfast (Springfield Area)

*Casa Café, 520 N Main St., East Longmeadow, MA*

Directions: going south on I-91 (25 minutes from Northampton), take Exit 2 (MA 83 South).

Go left at the light at the top of the hill, then right at the next light onto Sumner, then slight right onto Main St. (Rt 83.) Going north on I-91 (25 minutes from Hartford), take Exit 2 (MA 83 South). Go left at the light at the top of the hill, then right at the next light onto Sumner, then a slight right onto Main St. (Rt 83). (Yes, the route is the same in both directions.) RSVP to: (860) 810-7370 (voice or text).

### Thursday, August 10, 6:00/6:30/8:00 pm

#### Madama Butterfly

Opera Theater of Connecticut is presenting *Madama Butterfly* by Puccini. It'll be sung in Italian with English supertitles (that means that the words are ABOVE the actors), in the comfortable, air-conditioned Andrews Memorial Theater on Rte 1 in Clinton. We also offer a box supper beforehand (last year's was really good) and a talk about the opera, its history and staging, etc. The talk is at 6 pm, dinner at 6:30, and the show at 7:30. The whole shebang is \$70 for seniors, which we're all going to be for that day, and the opera alone is \$55. Contact me before August 3 to be sure we can all enjoy it together. After that, it's catch-as-catch-can. RSVP to annelly at Comcast dot net or (860) 388-1893. See also <http://www.operatheaterofct.org/>.

**Sunday, August 13, 12:00 noon**

**Indian Buffet Lunch**

The food is enticing, the staff is friendly, and the company is the best to be had anywhere! Join us at Haveli India Restaurant for an all you can eat \$9.95 buffet. New members are particularly welcome at this event. The restaurant is conveniently located at 1300 South Main St., Rte 17 in South Middletown. To read about the restaurant or get directions, please see <http://www.haveliindia.com/>. RSVP required. Call BarbH for a reservation, or (860) 632-7873 or Barbmft1 at gmail dot com.

**Thursday, August 17, 6:30 pm**

**Shoreline Third Thursday Dinner**

Parthenon Diner, 809 Boston Post Road (Route 1, westbound), Old Saybrook. Come join us! Spouses and families welcome as always. Contact MikeM (miliuslondon at netzero dot com) for more info or to RSVP, or just get there and look for the table with the little yellow scuba tank with the 'M' stenciled on it.

**Thursday, August 17, 6:30 pm**

**Pioneer Valley Dinner (Northampton MA)**

This month's Pioneer Valley Third Thursday Social Dinner will be at the fabulous Osaka Restaurant, 7 Old South Street in downtown Northampton, just across the street from the parking garage. They have been voted Best Japanese Restaurant and Best Sushi in the Valley Advocate "Best of the Valley" Readers' Poll every single year since 2004. In addition to sushi, they offer a wide array of Japanese and Japanese-French fusion cuisine. Their reviews speak to the deliciousness and quality of the food, suitable for diners from the fanatic to the uninitiated. Email IanF (mensanian at ianfraser dot net) for more information, directions, or to RSVP (very much appreciated but not required). New members and guests are encouraged to attend this always friendly and interesting event. We hope to see you there

**Saturday August 19, 12:30 pm**

**Book Club (Woodbridge)**

This month the Book Club meets at the home of MarshaZ. As usual, we start with our potluck lunch, but Marsha requests that you bring ONLY vegetarian dishes. Our book this month is *The Poisonwood Bible* by Barbara Kingsolver. According to Amazon, *The Poisonwood Bible* is a story told by the wife and four daughters of Nathan Price, a fierce evangelical Baptist who takes his family and mission to the Belgian Congo in 1959. Everything they bring with them, from garden seeds to Scripture, is calamitously transformed on African soil. What follows is a suspenseful epic of one family's tragic undoing and remarkable reconstruction over the course of three decades in postcolonial Africa. Please RSVP to Marsha at emzeemd at aol dot com or (203) 393-2816.

## **Mid-Hudson Mensa Chapter — Upcoming Events**

This is not a complete listing. Details regarding these and other Mid-Hudson events can be found at: [www.mid-hudson.us.mensa.org](http://www.mid-hudson.us.mensa.org) (Mensa ID and Password required)

### **Free Lawn Concert at Vanderbilt Mansion. Wednesday, August 16, 6:30 pm**

Vanderbilt Mansion, Hyde Park, NY

Rain Date: Thursday, August 17, 6:30 pm

Contact: David Schwartz ([windridgehp@gmail.com](mailto:windridgehp@gmail.com))

Featuring the West Point Military Academy Band playing show tunes & popular music. Bring blanket or chair and refreshments if desired. Find Mid-Hudson Mensa members by looking for a yellow balloon in the field. Contact our group's Activity Coordinator, David Schwartz, to let him know you'll be there. Call Town of Hyde Park Dept. of Recreation at (845) 229-8086 after 4 pm to check for weather cancellations.



**ROOSEVELT-VANDERBILT  
NATIONAL HISTORIC SITES**

## Region 1 RVC Roundup

Last night, I joined a bunch of local Mensans at a nearby bar to cheer on one of our own: Greater New York's Megan Williams was a contestant on *Jeopardy!*, and though she didn't win, she performed admirably. Way to go, Megan!

Have you or any members of your local group done something laudable? Let me know, so we can all celebrate with you.

On July 1, I officially took office as our new Regional Vice Chairman (RVC). I'm looking forward to taking on those responsibilities with a mix of excitement and apprehension. In my corner, I know I have the counsel of my predecessor, Lisa Maxwell, and the rest of the American Mensa Committee (AMC). I also have the assistance of appointees and potential volunteers like you. The first two appointments I've already made are to reappoint Greg Draves as Regional Scholarship Chairman and Matthew Grob as Regional Ombudsman. There are other positions for which I'll be seeking volunteers in the coming days and weeks, but Mensa is an active, ever-changing organization. So if you have an urge to get involved on a regional level, or have a suggestion for something we ought to be doing, please let me know.

You're reading this column deep in the summer doldrums (or the time of exciting outdoor activities, depending on your view of the seasons—I'm more of a cold-weather person), though I'm writing it a few days before traveling to Florida for the Annual Gathering (AG). I'll be working hard for most of the time there, but I expect to take some time out to have a little fun, meet new friends, hang out with old friends, and be overwhelmed by the feeling of two thousand Mensans in one hotel. If you've missed the AG (or even if you were there, and now need another intense dose of Mensa), I'm planning to attend Metro Washington Mensa's Pandemic Regional Gathering (RG), August 19–21 (<https://pandemicrg.wordpress.com/>). It's not in our region, but I had a very good time when I went last year. And a scant fortnight later, there's Mensa of Northeast New York's RechaRGe, September 1–3 (<https://www.facebook.com/events/317046818648267/>). I'd been hearing good things about this RG for several years before finally attending for the first time last year. I'll certainly be back this year, and hope to see you there!

Hey, local groups: there's still room on the calendar, if you're itching to host your own RG. Our regulars include New Hampshire in February, Boston in May, Maine in June, Albany in September, and Boston again in November. A lot of Region 1 folk also trek to Central New Jersey in March. But that leaves a lot of the calendar open for your plans.

And if you're not ready to plan something huge like an RG, tell us what your group is doing on a local level. I know my local group has several versions of weekly and monthly dinners, games days, business discussions, bicycling events, trivia gatherings, speaker events, and more. Have you come up with something fascinating for your local group? Share it with me/us, so that others can try it, too.

And regardless of how frequently (or infrequently) your local group's newsletter appears, and how often (or rarely) you can attend local events, there's 24-hour-a-day conversation going on in Mensa's various online fora (mostly centered on Facebook). If you're having trouble finding them, nudge me online for some pointers.

**Ian Randal Strock**

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## ***News from the Chapter President***

Southern CT Mensans,

I'm really looking forward to catching up with some of our members at our chapter picnic on Sunday, August 6, from 1pm to 3:30pm at the Stamford Museum and Nature Center. It is one of my favorite spots in the area—love seeing the animals at the farm and walking through the museum exhibits.

I also just registered for the regional gathering (RG) ReChaRGe hosted by Mensa of Northeastern New York in Albany. This was the first RG I ever attended, and it's a lot of fun. If you've never attended an RG, I'd recommend it. The times I've attended, there's been a great assortment of games, plenty of food and snacks, programs, themed parties, and a pub crawl—something for everyone. Definitely a good cross-generational mix of attendees as well—Gen Z, Millennials, Gen X, and Baby Boomers. Even with it being Labor Day weekend, it only takes about 2 to 2 ½ hours to drive there from southern Fairfield County. It's a great way to meet Mensa members—they (and we) are part of the same Mensa region, Region 1. Here is the ReCharRGe website:

<https://mensaofnortheasternny.wordpress.com/>

Hope you'll consider this or another RG—Boston Mensa has their RG at the Great Wolf Lodge in Fitchburg, MA, at the end of October (<https://rg.bostonmensa.org/>).

The entire RG calendar is posted on the American Mensa website:

<https://www.us.mensa.org/attend/calendar/>.

Have a great month!

**Joan Coprio**

President, Southern CT Mensa

### ***Two Ways to Reach Out to Your Fellow SC Mensans***

The Southern Connecticut Mensa Blog <https://scm66.wordpress.com/>  
and the Southern Connecticut Facebook Page <https://www.facebook.com/groups/SCM066/>

If you would like to post any last-minute events or information on the blog, email Merrill at [SCMensa66@gmail.com](mailto:SCMensa66@gmail.com). Anything posted on the blog will be mirrored on the Facebook page unless otherwise requested.

If you hit the Follow button on the blog and add your email address, you will be automatically notified of all new updates.

## **Puzzles & Questions**

*(Answers may be in next month's Chronicle newsletter)*

1. Give some examples of productive procrastination.
2. How far is New York from the equator?
3. What are the differences between intelligence and intellect?
4. About what percentage of the people in the world are multilingual?
5. How well do creative thinking courses work? Creative writing courses?
6. Estimate the population of these Fairfield County districts or boroughs:  
a) Byram (Greenwich); b) Cos Cob (Greenwich); c) Old Greenwich; d) Glendale (Stamford);  
e) Rowayton (Norwalk); f) Green's Farms (Westport); g) Southport (Fairfield);  
h) Black Rock (Bridgeport); i) Sandy Hook (Newtown); j) Georgetown (Wilton, Weston,  
Redding, and Ridgefield).
7. How do different rooms affect thinking?
8. What is the approximate ratio of the moon's radius to the radius of Pluto?
9. How should newspapers be designed?
10. How many conspirators were involved in the assassination of Julius Caesar?
11. When will the next Shakespeare appear?
12. What is the median age at which cancer is diagnosed in the U.S.?
13. What are the most common dodges in public interviews? In job interviews?
14. How many tectonic plates are there in the earth?
15. How many bloggers does it take to change a light bulb?
16. What was the first major league baseball team to wear numbers on their uniforms during a regular season game?

## Answers to Some of the July Chronicle Questions

**2. What is the oldest active military academy in the world?**

A: The Royal Danish Naval Academy, founded in 1701, is the oldest military officers' academy in the world. The British Army set up its first Royal Military Academy in 1741.

**4. Who was the only man to sign both the peace treaty ending World War I and the one ending World War II?**

A: South African Jan Smuts, a military and political leader, was the only man to sign both treaties. During World War I, he was a minister in the Union of South Africa's government and a lieutenant general in their army, which was part of the British forces. He joined the British Imperial War Cabinet in 1917. He became prime minister of South Africa in September 1939, and during World War II served as a field marshal in the British Army and as a member of Prime Minister Winston Churchill's Imperial War Cabinet. He was also the only man to sign the charters of both the League of Nations and the United Nations. Smuts wrote the first draft of the preamble of the UN's charter.

**6. How often, as a collective percentage, are the five pure vowels (a, e, i, o, u) used in English writing?**

A: According to a survey of English works on the Project Gutenberg website, the pure vowels constitute about 37.9% of letters of words used. 'E' is the most commonly used letter (12.6% of the time), followed by 'A' (8.0%), 'O' (7.6%), 'I' (6.9%), and 'U' (2.8%).

**8. What is the largest gap between prime numbers among the first 1000 prime numbers?**

A: The largest gap between adjacent primes is 34, which is the difference between the 217th prime number, 1327, and the 218th prime number, 1361.

**10. In major league baseball last season (2016), what was**

**A) the average number of pitches per plate appearance?**

**B) the ratio of groundouts to air-outs (fly outs, line outs, and pop outs)?**

**C) the percentage of hits that were extra-base hits (doubles, triples, or home runs)?**

A: A) The number of pitches per batter faced was about 3.88.

B) The ratio of groundouts to air-outs was 1.16.

C) About 34.9% of hits were extra-base hits.

## **Word Check**

See if you can define these words with the root ‘–graph’ in them.

1. cacography [kuh-kog-ruh-fee] –
2. epigraph –
3. ergograph –
4. ideograph –
5. myograph –
6. scenography –
7. scintigraph –
8. xylograph –

### **Answers:**

1. cacography - 1. bad handwriting; poor penmanship. 2. incorrect spelling.
2. epigraph - 1. an inscription, especially on a building, monument, statue, or the like.  
2. a quotation at the beginning of a book, chapter, that is meant to suggest its theme.
3. ergograph - an instrument that records the amount of work done when a muscle contracts.
4. ideograph - 1. a written symbol that represents an idea or object directly or its meaning rather than its words or speech sounds. 2. a written symbol, such as 7, =, or &; a logogram.
5. myograph - an instrument for recording the contractions and relaxations of muscles.
6. scenography - 1. the art of representing objects in accordance with the rules of perspective. 2. the design and painting of theatrical scenery; visual design for plays.
7. scintigraph - a device for producing a paper printout or photographic record showing the intensity and distribution of radioactivity in tissues produced by a radioactive tracer.
8. xylograph - 1. an engraving on wood. 2. a print taken from a wood block.

## Noted & Quoted

I was thinking that we all learn by experience, but some of us have to go to summer school.

- Peter De Vries (1910–1993), U.S. novelist

You are the average of the five people you spend the most time with.

- Jim Rohn (1930–2009), U.S. businessman

Youth is stranger than fiction.

- Rupert Brooke (1887–1915), English poet

Properly trained, a man can be dog's best friend.

- Corey Ford (1902–1969), U.S. humorist

The lucky man is he who knows how much to leave to chance.

- C. S. Forester, *Lord Hornblower* (1956)

We need society, and we need solitude also, as we need summer and winter, day and night, exercise and rest.

- Philip Gilbert Hamerton (1834–1894), English art critic

It's hard work being a person, you have to do it every single day.

- Carol Shields (1935–2009), American-Canadian novelist

Somebody once told me the definition of hell: "On your last day on earth, the person you became will meet the person you could have become."

- Anonymous

The whole secret of life is to be interested in one thing profoundly and in a thousand things well.

- Horace Walpole (1717–1797), English art historian

Every criminal leaves psychic fingerprints. And he can't wear gloves to hide them.

- Helen McCloy (1904–1994), U.S. mystery writer

In God we trust. All others must bring data.

- W. Edwards Deming (1900–1993), U.S. engineer

Cities are the least permanent things in our civilization.

- Reynolds Price (1933–2011), U.S. poet

The city is the nerve center of our civilization. It is also the storm center,

- Josiah Strong (1847–1916), U.S. clergyman

To err is human; to forgive, infrequent.

- Franklin P. Adams (1881–1960), U.S. columnist

Everything is in a state of flux, including the status quo.

- Robert Byrne (1930–2016), U.S. editor

Is life worth living? This is a question for an embryo not for a man.

- Samuel Butler (1835–1902), English novelist

No matter how bad things get, you got to go on living, even if it kills you.

- Sholom Aleichem (1859–) Russian-Jewish Yiddish novelist

Sometimes I fly like an eagle but with the wings of a wren

- Anne Sexton (1928–1974), U.S. poet

Thirst teaches all animals to drink, but drunkenness belongs only to man.

- Henry Fielding (1707–1754), English novelist

Zen is poetry; poetry is Zen.

- Reginald Horace Blyth, (1898 - 1964), English professor, translator, Zen writer

Poetry surprises us with what we already know.

- John Fuller (1937–), English poet

Our practice is not to clear up the mystery. It is to make the mystery clear.

- Robert Baker Aitken (1917–2010), U.S. Zen teacher

To make a great dream come true, you must first have a great dream.

- Hans Selye (1907–1982), Hungarian-Canadian endocrinologist

Dreamers only dream, but creators bring their dreams into reality.

- Robert Fritz (1943–), U.S. author

The most important choice you make is what you choose to make important.

- Michael Neill, U.S. success coach

People do not decide their futures, they decide their habits and their habits decide their futures.

- F. Matthias Alexander (1869–1955), Australian posture-movement teacher

Soldiers are citizens of death's grey land, drawing no dividend from time's tomorrows.

- Siegfried Sassoon (1886–1967), English poet

And in today already walks tomorrow.

- Samuel Taylor Coleridge (1772–1834 ), English critic

And the summer seems as though it would dream on forever.

- Elizabeth von Arnim (1866–1941), Australian-British novelist

## Announcements & Notices

### **The Curious Guide to Things That Aren't, by John D. Fixx and James F. Fixx, illustrated by Abby Carter**

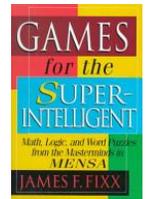
*The Curious Guide to Things That Aren't* features thoughtful riddles—one for each letter of the alphabet—paired with engaging illustrations that reveal and explain the answer. Each spread features a riddle with several clues about an intangible item, such as air, breath, or jokes. Kids then have to figure out the answers through detective work and a little creative reasoning. The clues on each page progress from challenging, more abstract clues to a simple, final clue that encourages the reader to turn the page to discover the answer. The book covers a broad range of themes, including science, language, social studies, math, music, and art. *The Curious Guide to Things That Aren't* teaches creative thinking through deductive reasoning, listening skills, and imagination.



<https://www.amazon.com/Curious-Guide-Things-That-Arent/dp/1633221768>

### **Games for the Superintelligent**

Those who thrill to a mind-bending challenge have met their match in this one-of-a-kind collection. Readers can match wits with an elite class of master problem-solvers in a wide variety of math, logic, and word games. These games are inspired by members of MENSA, the organization made up of people with an I.Q. of 140 or more. Puzzle addict James Fixx invites readers to sharpen their pencils and their wits.

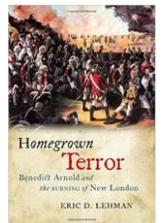


[https://books.google.com/books/about/Games\\_for\\_the\\_Superintelligent.html?id=tyNAPgAACAAJ](https://books.google.com/books/about/Games_for_the_Superintelligent.html?id=tyNAPgAACAAJ)



### **Books by Eric Lehman, Amy Nawrocki**

Prof. Eric Lehman of the University of Bridgeport, the speaker at our January 2010 and September 2016 monthly dinners, has 12 books available on [www.amazon.com](http://www.amazon.com), including fiction, poetry, and non-fiction works about history, literary history, travel, nature, and food. His most recent book is his novel *Shadows of Paris* (Homebound Publications, August 2016). He published four books in 2015, including his acclaimed history *Homegrown Terror: Benedict Arnold and the Burning of New London*.



Eric has also coauthored 3 books about Connecticut with his wife, Prof. Amy Nawrocki, including *Literary Connecticut: The Hartford Wits, Mark Twain and the New Millennium* (History Press, 2014). You can view these books and Prof. Nawrocki's books of poetry at [https://www.amazon.com/Amy-Nawrocki/e/B00IXP5MZC/ref=ntt\\_dp\\_epwbk\\_1](https://www.amazon.com/Amy-Nawrocki/e/B00IXP5MZC/ref=ntt_dp_epwbk_1).



### **Copyright and Permissions: What Every Writer and Editor Should Know**

Do I need permission to reproduce something I found on the Internet? If so, how do go about it? How long does copyright last? What if I want to copyright something I created? In her brief book, Mensan Elsa Peterson (Obuchowski) provides an engaging, accessible guide to the basics of copyright and permissions as they apply to writing, editing, and publishing. Available as an e-book or in print on Amazon <https://www.amazon.com/Copyright-permissions-Elsa-Peterson/dp/188040723X> and Lulu <http://www.lulu.com/us/en/shop/elsa-peterson/copyright-and-permissions/paperback/product-20563038.html>



### ***Announcing New Baseball Website***

Young Southern Connecticut Mensan Benjamin Stransky has just launched his baseball website [www.ratatatstats.com](http://www.ratatatstats.com). It's got videos, stats, and team news. Get ready for the season and stay informed.



### ***Classic Cars***

Patrick Foster, the speaker at the February 2016 Southern CT Mensa Monthly Dinner, has written 21 books about classic cars. To see a selection of Pat's books, search [www.amazon.com/patrick+foster](http://www.amazon.com/patrick+foster) .



### ***Structural Integrations Sessions***

<http://structuraltransformations.com/>

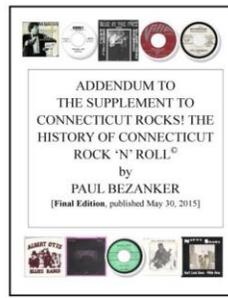
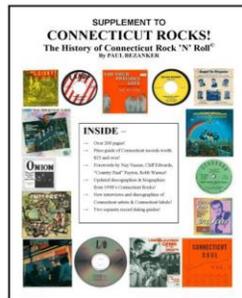
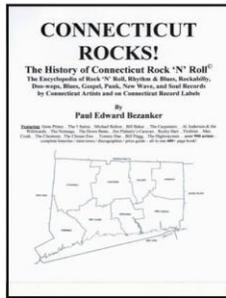
Yonathan Hormadaly - Mensan and advanced practitioner of the Rolf Method of Structural Integration with offices in Stamford, CT, and Redding, CT. In practice since 2002.

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Call to schedule an appointment or for a free phone consultation. 203-550-6888,

[yonathan@structuraltransformations.com](mailto:yonathan@structuraltransformations.com).





## “CONNECTICUT ROCKS!”

**ALL BOOKS ARE ALWAYS AVAILABLE DIRECTLY FROM THE AUTHOR!**

- BOOK #1:** “Connecticut Rocks! The History of Connecticut Rock ‘N’ Roll” (over 900 artists, 150 record labels; 444 pages, 1157 footnotes, price guide of Connecticut’s rarest records)
- BOOK #2:** “Supplement to Connecticut Rocks!” (over 600 artists, 100 labels, 257 pages, 1085 footnotes) & 16-pg. “Addendum”
- BOOK #3:** “Connecticut Record Labels & Picture Sleeve Price Guide!” (full-color scans of 502 record labels; price guide of 200+ picture sleeves; 54 pages).

Contact the author via email (pbezanker@aol.com) or via mail (see address on Order Form) with any questions about the books.

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