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## Pomfret's 10th Annual Town-Wide Tag Sale

March 16, 2016, Pomfret, CT ... Celebrate spring in Pomfret on **Saturday, May 7<sup>th</sup>** with the **10<sup>th</sup> Annual Town Wide Tag Sale** sponsored by the Pomfret Proprietors. Through



this popular town event, the all-volunteer business group has raised and donated over \$6,000 since 2006 to support local causes, including student scholarships, Pomfret's Food Pantry, the First Congregational Church of Pomfret's post-fire reconstruction, the *Pomfret Times* community newspaper and more. Join us in Pomfret on May 7<sup>th</sup> and help celebrate a decade of giving back to the community!

Starting at 7AM, purchase a map to guide you to over 50 participating residences, businesses and organizations spread throughout town. **A Town Wide Tag Sale Map** makes bargain hunting a breeze. Maps are sold for \$1 at **Pomfret Community School** (20 Pomfret Street, RTs 169 & 101) and **Christ Church** (527 Pomfret St./RT. 169). Profits from map sales, ads and registrations are donated to a local charitable organization each year.

If you purchase your map at Pomfret Community School, don't miss the **Friends of Pomfret Public Library's Used Book & Tag Sale** from 7AM until 12PM, featuring current fiction, non-fiction, children's books, biographies, and usually a lot of mystery/suspense. Most books are \$1 for hardcovers and trade paperbacks, 50 cents for regular paperbacks, plus a \$5 Bag Sale from 11AM to noon (excluding individually priced books).

Another must-stop is **Christ Church's Colossal Rummage Sale** (7:30AM to 1:30PM). This indoor sale benefits the youth group "Journey to Adulthood" Summer Pilgrimage and features lots of great bargains. A Preview Sale and Early Bird Buy In for \$5/person will be held on Friday, May 6<sup>th</sup> from 5-7PM.

The **62nd Annual Windham County 4-H Tag Sale** at the newly renovated lodge in Pomfret is a **TWO-DAY** event, starting on Friday from 12 to 6PM and continuing on Saturday from 9AM to 6PM, rain or shine! New this year on Friday from 10:30 – 12:00 is an Early Bird Buy In to the Tag Sale for \$5.00 a person. There is also an auction of goods and services on both days (preview 5PM, auction 6PM). Many items are donated from local businesses to make bidding at the auction lively and fun. Food is available from Mary's Kitchen during both auction and regular tag sale hours.

A site for multiple tag sales hosted at the Pomfret Senior Center on Route 44 (207 Mashamoquet Rd.) will benefit the **Pomfret Food Pantry at the Community/Senior Center**. The **Pomfret Horse & Trail Association** will hold a tag & tack sale at 233 Pomfret Street (Rt. 169) to sponsor a camper to attend the 4-H horse camp and also benefit Wyndham Land Trust. Another group location organized by the **Pomfret Town Recreation Department** will be held at the Pomfret Recreation Field on Route 97 to benefit the Recreation Department and programs. Consult your map for many more tag sale locations all over town.

While you're in Pomfret, enjoy this scenic and historic town. Go to [www.VisitPomfret.com](http://www.VisitPomfret.com) for more information. Questions? Contact Martha Emilio (860) 974-1583 / [Martha@majilly.com](mailto:Martha@majilly.com).

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