

# Shop Newport Your Holly-Day Solutions

Hand-Crafted Wreaths • Roping Greens



**SWEET BERRY FARM**  
**Christmas Trees - Now Tagging**  
 Free Quart of Pick Your Own Strawberries in June  
 with Purchase of a Christmas Tree

Boxwood Trees • Apples • Vegetables • Fruit • Cut Flowers • Fresh Baked Goods  
 Jams & Honey • Cory's Kitchen Products • Plants • Unique Gifts  
 Artisan Cheeses & Smoked Goods • RI Milk • Eggs & Ice Cream  
 Open 8:30 am - 6:00 pm Daily  
 915 MITCHELL'S LANE, MIDDLETOWN, RI 02842 • (401) 847-3912

**VIKING TOURS**

Looking for a gift that's  
 "Supercalifragalisticexpialidocious"?

**"Mary Poppins"**  
 Broadway's Newest Musical  
**Sunday, January 7**  
 \$145 Adult - \$130.00 Child  
 (incl. transportation & show ticket)

**VIKING TOURS**  
 PO BOX 330 • Newport 847-6921

## Tour seven Newport inns next week

The Christmas on Historic Hill event will include tours inside seven historic B&B's in the Kay Street neighborhood of Newport.

The tour dates are Tuesday, Dec. 12, and Wednesday, Dec. 13, from 3 to 7 p.m. each day. A donation of \$10 is asked for, with all proceeds benefiting the Women's Resource Center. The tour begins at any of the inns, which include the Marshall Slocum House at 29 Kay St., the LaFarge Perry House at 24 Kay St., the Bayberry Inn at 20 Kay St., the Hilltop Inn, 2 Kay St., the Hydrangea House at 16 Bellevue Ave., Newport Hideaway at 7 Elizabeth St., and the Architects Inn at 31 Old Beach Rd.

For more information, call 846-0392.



Kitchen  
 Table  
 Bath  
 Bedroom

REUNION SPOON

## Tree lighting at skating rink tomorrow

The Sovereign Bank Family Skating Center on America's Cup Avenue will hold its tree lighting ceremony tomorrow night, Dec. 8, at 5:45 p.m.

The rink is open evenings from 4 to 9:30 p.m. and skating sessions cost \$7 for adults or \$12 including skate rental. Admission for children ages 3 to 11 is \$5 or \$9 with skate rental.

The 90- by 100-foot skating rink accommodates 150 skaters at a time.

Call 846-3018. for more information.

## Bird count Dec. 30

The Conanicut Island Christmas Bird Count will be held Saturday, Dec. 30.

Bird watchers are asked to report at 7 a.m. to the Jamestown Police Station, where they will be assigned to groups that will count at different areas in Jamestown.

Birders may report sightings from their homes if they are unable to participate by calling Candy Powell at 423-1492 or Evelyn Rhodes at 423-1254.

## Visit the Newport mansions this Christmas

The Preservation Society of Newport County has dressed up three of the gilded-age mansions for the holiday season.

The Breakers, Marble House and the Elms Yuletide finery, with thousands of poinsettia plants, spectacular evergreens, trees, wreaths and fresh flowers. Dining tables are set with period silver and china and mannequins dressed in authentic costumes complete the elegant setting. All three houses are open daily for tours through Jan. 1.

On Saturday, Dec. 16, the Marble House and the Elms can be seen in the evening as a two-for-one package. The self guided tours run from 6 to 9 p.m. and will be accompanied by music.

Holiday evening tickets are \$25 for adults in advance or \$30 at the door.

Call the Preservation Society at 847-1000 or visit the website at [www.newportmansions.org](http://www.newportmansions.org).

ARMADANI • MICHAEL BEAUDRY • BUCCELLATI • HENRY DUNAY  
 GEMVETO • GREGG RUTH • KWIAT • YOSHI HARARI



THREE GOLDEN APPLES  
 FINE JEWELRY

Custom design in 18 karat gold and platinum • Full estate services • Repair and appraisals  
 140 Bellevue Avenue, Newport 401-846-9930 [www.threegoldenapples.com](http://www.threegoldenapples.com)