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8th Annual Jingle Bell Jubilee and Carol Sing Returns To Unionville December 8th

(Unionville, CT) – Unionville’s 8th Annual “Jingle Bell Jubilee” holiday celebration and carol sing will be held Saturday, December 8th from 4 to 6 p.m. in downtown Unionville. Co-sponsored by the Unionville Village Improvement Association and Unionville Museum, this FREE event brings together Unionville’s holiday traditions in one festive event for all to enjoy.

The festivities begin at 4 p.m. at the Unionville Museum at 15 School Street with the annual Yuletide Open House to enjoy refreshments and view holiday trees, wreaths, garlands, and centerpieces designed by local businesses and civic groups. Bring the kids and stop by the First Church of Christ Congregational Unionville at 61 Main Street for craft making and enjoy games and holiday cookie decorating at the Farmington Youth Center and Annex. At 5:30 p.m., all are invited to gather at the gazebo in Alice Clover Pinney Park on School Street for a traditional carol sing led by First Church of Christ Choir followed by a special visit from Santa at 5:45 p.m.

“The Jubilee is filled with family friendly activities and cheer and promotes our downtown businesses and restaurants. If you have not had a chance to visit the Unionville Museum all dressed up for the holiday season it’s a special treat. Join us!” said Patty LeBouthillier, Unionville Museum President.

Jubilee Festivities are free and supported by contributions, in-kind donations and volunteers from the Unionville Village Improvement Association (UVIA), Unionville Museum, Town of Farmington, Union School PTO, Avon Memorial Methodist Church, First Church of Christ Congregational Unionville, Unionville Lions Club, George’s Pizza, Unionville Auto-body, and Tunxis Hose Fire Company. Parking is available at Union School.

Visit www.UVIACT.org for more information. If you would like to include a wreath or garland from your local business or an organization in the Unionville Museum’s Yuletide exhibit, contact Patty LeBouthillier at 860-673-3356.

The Unionville Village Improvement Association (UVIA) was formed in August of 2000 to enhance the commercial center and to foster a sense of community while preserving Unionville’s unique history. Through downtown promotions, events, and beautification efforts, the association seeks to make Unionville an economically vibrant, pedestrian friendly village center fueled by growing neighborhood commitment that is respectful of the architectural and cultural history. For over 30 years, the Unionville Museum has been fostering an appreciation of the history, culture and traditions of the village of Unionville, Connecticut. The museum collects and preserves artifacts from its history and uses these artifacts to interpret and present Unionville’s story through special exhibits, programs and events. Visit www.unionvillemuseum.org.