Greater New Haven Area Jewish Cemeteries

NEW HAVEN
Jewett • Fitch Streets
*Owned by JCAGNH
Adas Israel Upper & Lower* United Independent/Orchard Street Shul
Etz Hayyim* United Independent/Orchard Street Shul
Mt. Sinai Memorial Park* Beth Israel/Orchard Street Shul
Independent Connecticut Lodge 1,2, 3* Cong. Beth Israel/Orchard Street Shul
Independent Viner Lodge Columbia Lodge/Temple Beth Sholom
Warshaver Relief/Khvisach/Achim/Young Israel

Jewett Street • Whalley Avenue
Congregation B’nai Jacob (Jewett St.) Congregation Mishkan Israel

Wintergreen Avenue
Congregation B’nai Jacob Beaverdale Memorial Veterans Park

Grove Street
Grovers Street Cemetery at Yale University

EAST HAVEN
Brockett Place
Beth Hamedrash Hagodol/ Weston Synagogue
Rambam Lodge/Vestpaville Synagogue
Sibil Choral/B’nai Abraham Hebrew Free Burial Association
New Haven Lodge/Vestpaville Hebrew Burial Association
Shenias Ahim/B’hai Chaim Warshaver Relief Society/Young Israel

Victor and Duncan Streets
Jewish Peoples Committee Association/Vestpaville Synagogue
Viner Memorial Park

HAMDEN
Alling Street
B’nai Sholom/Temple Beth Sholom

Warner Street
Congregation B’nai Israel/El ElEiser Israel/Rose Street Shul

WEST HAVEN
Farwell Street
*Owned by JCAGNH
Adas B’nai Jeshuran/B’hai Chaim Congregation Shom Yisroel
Congregation Sinai Congregation Beth El/Eiser Israel
Congregation Or Shalom Woman’s Circle

OTHER TOWNS
BRISTOL
Congregation Kol Ami/Beth Israel

CHESHIRE
Temple Beth David

CLINTON
Temple Beth Tikvah/Beaverbrook Congregation Beth Israel/Or Shalom

ORANGE

SHELTON
Congregation Or Shalom Shelton Temple Emanuel

WALLINGFORD
Wallingford Hebrew Independent Cemetery

DEEP RIVER
Congregation Beth Shalom/Fountain Hill

MERIDEN
Sikka Center at Yale Temple Beth Sholom

MOODUS
Radicle Zadek/Cong. Beth Shalom

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Current Activities:
Since the fall of 2007, eight distressed cemeteries in desperate need were taken over by the JCAGNH for restoration, management and perpetual care.
- Coordinating central maintenance for the independent Jewish cemeteries on Jewell Street
- Funding and coordinating the repairing and resetting of fallen, tilted, headstones and sunken footstones
- Arranging with cities and towns for police patrols, graffiti removal and drainage control
- Meeting with synagogues and lodges to address their individual needs, coordinate planning, as well as maintenance and restoration work
- Engaging in ongoing efforts with Utility Companies to provide security lighting
- Identifying other at-risk cemeteries

Long-term Goals Include:
- Assuming responsibility for at-risk cemeteries at owners’ requests
- Funding major capital improvements where needed

Other Accomplishments Include:
- Replacement of 1000 feet of neglected fence at the Jewell, Onyx and Fitch Street cemeteries
- Replacing and repairing deteriorated retaining walls and stairwells at the Jewell Street cemeteries
- Security lighting for the Brockett Place cemeteries in East Haven
- Working with City of New Haven to accomplish replacement and repair of Jewell and Onyx Street sidewalks
- Planting of trees on Whalley Avenue and Jewell Street through the Urban Resources Initiative at Yale University
- Working with City of East Haven to accomplish paving of Brockett Place
- Restoring, repairing and managing the eight cemeteries owned by the JCAGNH in Greater New Haven

Financial Management
The Jewish Foundation of Greater New Haven manages endowment funds designated for the JCAGNH.

Join Us in Our Mission
You can add your support to our mission by making a donation in honor of or in memory of a loved one. Please use the attached form.
- $36 helps to clear debris
- $72 helps repair a sunken footstone
- $118 helps to reset an overturned or tilted monument
- $360 helps pay for a week’s maintenance

Data Base for Searching Cemeteries and Grave Locations
A free community-wide data base has been developed through the efforts of devoted volunteers.
This central data base consolidates detailed information regarding locations of graves in the many Jewish Cemeteries within Greater New Haven.
Mapping is an ongoing process with most of New Haven and East Haven cemeteries near completion.
Database mapping for Hamden, West Haven, Shelton, and the remaining cemeteries in New Haven is scheduled for Spring through the Summer of 2012.
The data base is easily accessible online at: www.jewishnewhaven.org
1. Go to the left column
2. Click Community (green lettering)
3. Go to the left hand column
4. Click Jewish Organizations
5. Scroll down to JCAGNH
6. Click Follow the Link.
The database provides access to details and location of the tens of thousands of Jewish graves in Greater New Haven.
It is user friendly and is searchable by name. Reference maps provide driving directions and grave locations to facilitate locating the resting place of loved ones.
This unique data base is an excellent resource for those who are involved with genealogical family research.

"Improving and Securing the Jewish Cemeteries of Greater New Haven"