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On Saturday September 12, 2020 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., the Wallingford Police Department, Community Police Division will again sponsor its yearly School Supplies Drive.

The coronavirus pandemic has caused a greater need for supplies due to the fact that as a safety precaution, these items may not be shared between students.

This year and as a result, there is a special request for masks and calculators in addition to standard supplies such as backpacks, pens, pencils and crayons, rulers, glue sticks, paper and notebooks.

Our officers will be wearing face masks and stationed in the rear parking lot of the police department located at 135 North Main Street to accept donations. Those who wish to donate will not need to leave their vehicles and can exit our parking lot onto Center Street.

As the pandemic continues to affect our lives, the Wallingford Police Department remains committed to assisting our community. That commitment is highlighted in our Mission Statement which reads:

"In partnership with the community, the mission of the Wallingford Police Department is to enforce the law, protect life and property, and **address the specific needs of our citizens**."

Sergeant David Blythe

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