

# GARDE ARTS CENTER

325 State Street - New London, CT 06320

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## MAIN STAGE INFORMATION

### TECHNICAL CONTACTS:

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### GENERAL INFORMATION:

Proscenium Theater (Vaudeville/Movie House c. 1926) Seating: 1,431

Orchestra - 842, Loge – 168; Balcony – 421

The Loading Door is located on Gov. Winthrop Blvd just east of Huntington ave

Non-union house

Wheelchair access to orchestra seating only (adding 6 seats)

Box Office: In lobby entrance; computerized fully staffed; theater lobby 2 hours before performance

### STAGE DIMENSION:

F.O.H.

	Sound booth	8'-0" deep	11'-11" wide
	Light booth	7'-6" deep	6'-0" wide
STAGE	Proscenium	28'-0" high	40'-10" wide
	Stage depth of Plaster line to back wall		28'-0"
	Apron DS of Plaster line		1'-6"
	Stage extension is a Wenger™ deck DS of apron		6'-0"
	Stage depth from lip of stage extension to back wall		35'-6"
	Stage Right Wing	(Proscenium to SR Wall) (Centerline to SR Wall)	13'-4" 34'-0"
	Stage Left Wing	(Proscenium to Rail) (Centerline to Rail)	10'-7" 31'-0"
ORCHESTRA PIT	Stage height:	3'-6" from audience	5'-0" From Pit floor
	40'0" Wide	7'-0" Deep @ CL 5'-6" Deep @ outside	1'-6" below house floor
LOADING DOOR	Up Stage Right	8'-3½" high	7'-10" wide
	Step up to the stage	1'-10" from sidewalk	
	2 Available ramps	11'-0" long	3'-0" wide
CABLE PATH	Sound/ Light booth to Stage	175'-0" to 200'-0" around the side aisle	

## HOUSE

FROM:	To plaster line	To Movie Screen
Balcony	53'-0"	55'-6"
F.O.H. mix	8'-0"	90'-6"
Projection/ Spot booth	103'-0"	105'-6"
Sound wings DSR&DSL	3'-0" x 4'-0" Platform	10'-0" of headroom

## LOBBY ELEVATOR (Box storage/ Oasis loading)

Door	7'-0" high	3'-0" wide	
Box	4'-0" deep	5'-0" wide	7'-3" high

## RIGGING & FLY SYSTEM

Operated from the deck Stage Left

25 Single purchase linesets

Plaster line to last lineset is 25'-4"

21 Line sets available

Arbor capacity is 1200 lbs

Battens are 42' long 2½ OD schedule 40

4 Pick-up cables per pipe @ 12'-8" apart splitting center

Battens travel 58 feet

Linesets 16 & 17 have 56'-6" travel

Grid 60 feet to the walking surface

The Grid ends 28'-0" off stage right and left

Rigging points are piped "Closed baskets" 1000lbs per linier foot

- Line set schedule at the end of this document.
- Download a copy of the Garde Stage Floor Plan and other information at the following site: [www.gardearts.org](http://www.gardearts.org) click on **INFO** then click on **STAGE PLANS**.

## SOFT GOODS:

Main Act Curtain "Garnet Red" 30'-0" x 28'-0" Panels with a 6'-0" overlap @ Center **Guillotine only**

Legs - 5 sets 12' - 0" x 24' - 0" black

Borders - 5 sets 44' - 0" x 8' - 0" black

Act Curtain - red guillotine only

Blackout Drop w/ center split (2 panels 24' - 0" x 24' - 0")

Full-stage Blackout 29'-0" x 40'-0"

White filled-scrim Cyclorama (Cyc) 29'-0" x 40'-0"

White Seamed Cyc: 26' - 0" x 42' - 0"

White canvas Cyc 31'-6" x 42'-0"

Black Scrim: 44' - 0" x 26' - 0"

White Scrim: 44' - 0" x 26' - 0"

Movie screen 40'-0" x 24'-0" (Permanently hanging 2'-6" US of the Plaster line)

Movie screen (small) 16'0" x 16'-0"

## LAUNDRY:

3- Clothing steamer

2- Washing machines

2- Clothes dryers

1- Wig dryer

5- Ironing boards

5- Irons

2- Sewing machines

Plenty of rolling costume racks

Dry cleaning services same day pick up and delivery usually available with advance notice. Laundromat, closest is Speed Wash Laundry - 269 Broad Street, New London.

## **LIGHTING information: (NOTE subject to change)**

### **CONSOLES:**

1- ETC Express 72/144, located FOH

### **DIMMERS:**

144, 2.4 kW ETC Sensor;

### **OVERHEAD**

1st Elect: Dim #s 1-20;

2nd Elect: Dim #s 21-40;

3rd Elect: Dim #s 41-59

### **BOX BOOM**

HL & HR 12 circuits each

23'-0"x7'-0"x3'-0" welded 2½" schedule 40 scaffolding

38'-0" from the Plaster line

35'-0" from the Centerline

38'-0" above the deck is the highest hanging position on the boom

23'-0" above the deck is the lowest hanging position on the boom

### **ANTI-PROSCENIUM TRUSS and DS POINTS**

6 - 12 temporary circuits

40'-0" of 12" box truss (5 sticks 8'-0" ea.)

28'-0" Trim

Truss lives 7'-0" DS of the proscenium

Hanging points 15'-0" off center SL & SR

1000 lbs per linear foot

Truss hangs on 2, 1 ton CM® chain motors

### **BALCONY RAIL**

Dim #s 113 – 122

53'-0" from the plaster line

16'-0" above the deck 40'-0" long 2½ OD schedule 40

### **FAR COVE** (below the projection booth)

Circuits are Dimmer-doubled

103'-0" from the plaster line

38'-0" above the deck 40'-0" long 2½ OD schedule 40

### **LIGHTINGG UNITS**

46- PAR 64 MFL (1 Kw) MEDIUM FLOOD ONLY

15- 6" Fresnels (750w max.)

25- 8" Fresnels (1 Kw)

24- ETC - Source Four 5° 575

25- ETC - Source Four 19° 575

25- ETC - Source Four 26° 575

25- 6 X 16 ERS (750w max.)

25- 6 x 9 ERS (750w max.) Altman 360Q

2 - Strong Supertrouper II™, Follow spotlights in projection booth.

6 - 3 circuit SkyCycs™ (1Kw)

12- ColorBlast™

6- Vari-lite® VL5 300 series™

6- Vari-lite® VL6 300 series™

### **SOUND information: (NOTE subject to change)**

Sound control is located in rear-center of house; a 175 FOH snake run.

Other positions may be available thru arrangements with house.

The Garde Arts Center reserves the right to require the use of house speaker cabinets and equalization

The Main Stage at the Garde Arts Center has a db limit to save wall and ceiling plaster.

Volume levels and quality must meet Garde Arts Center standards as determined by Garde personnel.

### **MICROPHONES**

WIRELESS MICROPHONES SENNHEISER E-300 SERIES COMBO (4)

SENNHEISER E SERIES DIST AMP

2) SURE SM-91 FLOOR MICROPHONES

2) SURE SM-81 CONDENSER MICROPHONES

5) SURE SM-58 MICROPHONES

3) SURE SM-57 MICROPHONES

6) SENNHEISER e604 MICROPHONES

4) SENNHEISER e906 MICROPHONES

2) SENNHEISER e865 MICROPHONES

2) SENNHEISER e602II MICROPHONES

2) SENNHEISER MD431 MICROPHONES

Stands / Clips / Cable

### **COMUNICATION**

CLEARCOM MS-440 MAIN STATION with CLEARCOM RS-501 BELT PACKS

### **ASSISTIVE LISTENING**

SENNHEISER INFRARED SYSTEM RSI1015

### **MICROPHONE MULTI SYSTEM**

52 CHANNEL SNAKE FROM DSR to FOH

52 CHANNEL SUB SNAKE/ MONITOR SPLIT

ADEQUATE INVENTORY OF:

AAI Patch cords

MIC cable

NL4 cable

Guitar cords

DI Boxes

### **CONSOLES:**

#### **CREST X-8 40+4**

40 MONO CH

4 STEREO CH

8 AUX SENDS

8 GROUPS

3 BAND EQ PER CHANEL

LCR PANNING

#### **MACKIE 1604-VLZ Pro**

16 channels of inserts 16 line inputs

4 sub groups

4 stereo aux returns

8 direct outs

RCA tape inputs and outputs switched phantom power

**Roland m-400 V mixer. 48 X 16**

1- 32 X 8 S-400 Digital snake  
1- 16 X 8 S-1608 Digital snake  
Plenty of CAT-5E REAC cable

**PROCESSING & FX**

1 ASHLY PROTES 4.24G MASTER EQ, SLAVE EQ, and REMOTE  
3 DBX 1046 QUAD LIMITER  
1 DRAWMER MX-40 QUAD GATE  
1 YAMAHA REV-500 REVERB  
1 YAMAHA SPX-990 REVERB/FX

**MONITOR SPEAKERS**

4 EAW 2 way 12' x 1' SM129 wedges  
4 12" 2-way QSC HPR122i powered speaker  
2 15" powered QSC HPR151i subwoofer

**PLAYBACK/RECORDING**

1 DENON DN-770R DUAL CASSETTE  
1 DENON DN-D4500 CD PLAYER (Dual unit)  
1 DENON DCM-290 5 CD CHANGER  
1 PANASONIC SV-3800 DAT RECORDER

**CENTER CLUSTER**

3 EAW KF650 SPEAKERS  
2 EAW KF-300E SPEAKERS

**HOUSE L&R VERTICAL ARRAYS**

2ea. EAW KF-650E SPEAKERS  
1ea. EAW KF-690I SPEAKER

**SUBWOOFER ARRAYS**

2 EAW SB-180 SUBWOOFER  
2 EAW SB-250 SUBWOOFER

**LIP SPEAKERS**

5 EAW JF-50 SPEAKERS

**UNDER BALCONY**

6 EAW JF-80 SPEAKERS  
3 EAW UB-22 SPEAKERS

**ORCH/BALCONY HL & HR FILL**

4 EAW JF-80 SPEAKERS

**OVER BALCONY FILL**

3 EAW MK-2194 SPEAKERS

**AUXILIARY POWER:**

Located stage right 25' from center stage, 10' below deck  
200 amp and 400 amp 3 - phase 120/308 volt disconnect  
100 amp audio power USL  
All tie-in connections are Cam-Loc

**MUSIC EQUIPMENT**

1 Drum set (DW Pearl Jazz kit w/ 18" kick)  
1 Acoustic Yung Chang U121 Upright Black  
1 Kurzweil 2500 (88 weighted keys)  
1 Madison Standard 88 by Orla  
1 Roland 700sx (88 weighted keys)

**DRESSING ROOMS:**

First Floor: 2 - 2 person dressing rooms (star); 1 bathroom;  
Dressing room #2 has phone/fax capabilities and can be used as a production office,  
Phone numbers (860) 444-4427 & (860) 444-4428  
Second Floor: 3 - 2 person dressing rooms; 1 - 10 person chorus dressing room; 1 bathroom with shower  
Third Floor: 1 - 2 person dressing room; 1 - 12 person chorus dressing room; 1 bathroom with shower  
Laundry Room: is equipped with 2 washers and 2 dryers  
Dry cleaning services same day pick up and delivery usually available with advance notice.  
Laundromat closest is Speed Wash Laundry - 269 Broad Street, New London.

**OTHER EQUIPMENT:**

2 5Gal. Water coolers  
Lecterns  
Manhasset style Music Stands  
Stand Lights  
Conductor Podiums  
Orchestra Chairs, Stools,  
4', 6' and 8' rectangular tables  
5' and 6' round tables  
2' round cabaret tables  
Banquet chairs  
Velvet ropes and Stanchions  
Dock plate  
2 Truck ramps (11'-0" x 3"-0")  
Genie Lift  
8 12'-0" Lighting booms and bases  
Assorted step and extension ladders  
2 - Century HH 35 mm movie projectors, with CP65 Dolby Processor

**VIDEO PLAYBACK & VIEWING:**

2 VCRs: Sony™ SLV-770HF  
Panasonic™ Omnivision PV-7401  
DVD/CD Player: Sony HDMI 720p/1080  
NEC™ Auto color 25" Color TV  
Sony 46" LCD Digital Color TV

**FLOOR:**

Painted maple on wood substructure (sprung floor)  
Rolled Dance Floor, Black Rosco™

**SPECIAL EFFECTS:**

Connecticut State Fire law requires 4 weeks notice of all pyrotechnics effects (even simple flame) to obtain permits from the Fire Marshal.  
Dry ice is available for purchase locally.

**ANCILLARY SERVICES:**

House Management, meeting rooms, production office, lounges, rehearsal space, fax machine, photocopier, computers, wireless and high-speed Internet.

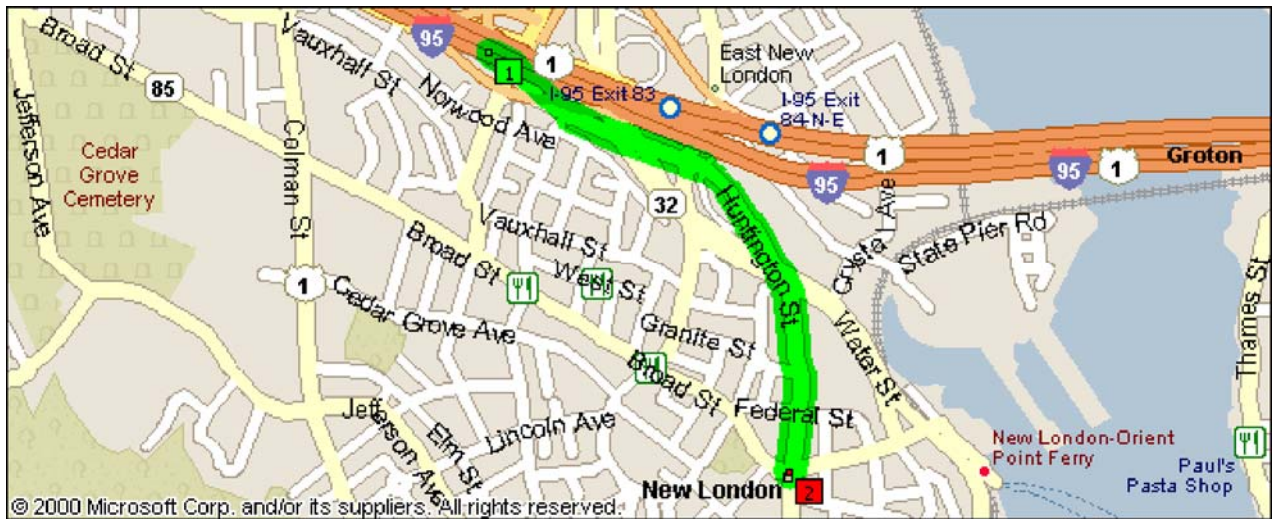
## Garde Arts Center: Line set Schedule

Line #	From P. L.	Note:
1	1' – 0"	Grand Drape "Garnet Red"
2	2' – 6"	Movie screen, permanent W/ under hung portal
3	3' – 9"	1 <sup>st</sup> Electric, permanent raceway
4	4' – 4"	
5	4' – 11"	
6	5' – 6"	
7	6' – 1"	
8	6' – 8"	Orchestra Cloud, permanent
9	7' – 9"	
10	8' – 4"	
11	9' – 7"	
12	10' – 0"	2 <sup>nd</sup> Electric, permanent raceway
13	12' – 0"	
14	12' – 9"	
15	13' – 5"	Orchestra Cloud, permanent
16	16' – 9"	3 <sup>rd</sup> Electric, permanent raceway
17	17' – 6"	
18	19' – 9"	
19	20' – 5"	Orchestra Cloud, permanent
20	21' – 1"	
21	21' – 9"	
22	22' – 10"	
23	23' – 8"	
24	24' – 9"	
25	25' – 6"	

## Directions Heading North on I-95 (From New York, New Haven)

**From:** I-95 Exit 83 **To:** Stage Door, Governor Winthrop Blvd, New London, CT 06320

**Driving Distance:** 1.0 mile **Time:** 3 minutes



Distance	Driving Instruction
0.0	<b>1</b> Depart I-95 Exit 83 [Food, Gas, Lodging, Store, ATM, Car Repair, Pharmacy, Medical Services, RV Parking] on Ramp (East) for 0.2 mi
0.2	Bear LEFT (East) onto Local road(s) for 0.2 mi
0.4	Continue (East) on Huntington St for 0.6 mi
1.0	<b>2</b> Arrive, stage door immediately on right, Governor Winthrop Blvd, New London, CT 06320

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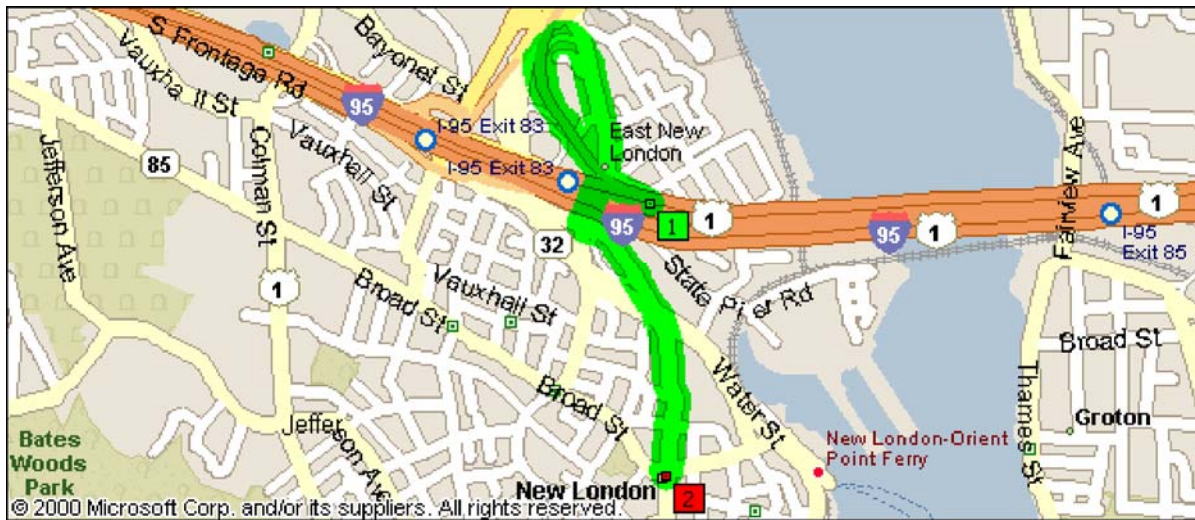


## Directions Heading South on I-95

(From Boston, Providence)

**From:** I-95 Exit 84-N-E **To:** Stage Door Governor Winthrop Blvd, New London, CT 06320

**Driving Distance:** 1.6 miles **Time:** 5 minutes



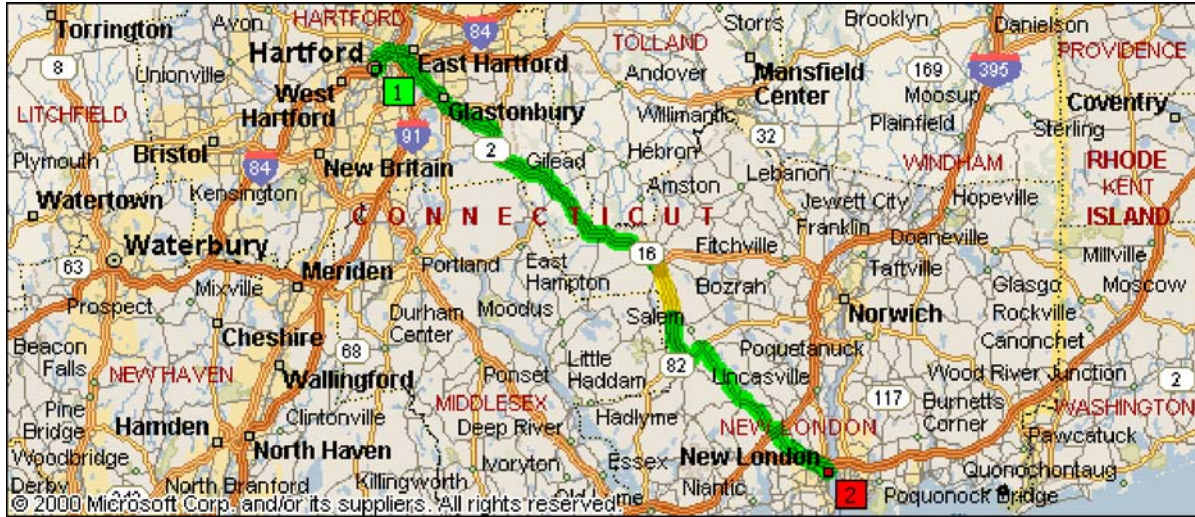
Distance	Driving Instruction
0.0	<b>1</b> Depart I-95 Exit 84-N-E [Food, Gas, Store, RV Parking] on Ramp (West) for 0.6 mi
0.6	Bear RIGHT (South) onto Williams St for 0.4 mi
1.0	Turn LEFT (East) onto Huntington St for 0.6 mi
1.6	<b>2</b> Arrive, stage door on right, Winthrop Blvd, New London, CT 06320

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## From Hartford, CT

**From:** Hartford **To:** E Stage Door, Governor Winthrop Blvd, New London, CT 06320

**Driving Distance:** 47.9 miles **Time:** 1 hour, 3 minutes



Distance	Instruction
0.0	<b>1</b> Depart Hartford, on I-84 [US-6] (East) for 2.1 mi
0.1	At I-84 Exit 55, turn off onto Ramp for 0.1 mi
0.4	Merge onto SR-2 [Veterans of Foreign Wars Mem'l Hwy] (East) for 20.2 mi
20.0	At SR-2 Exit 16, stay on SR-2 [New Hartford Rd] (East) for 4.0 mi
24.0	Continue (South) on SR-11 for 7.4 mi
31.4	At SR-11 Exit 4, turn off onto Ramp for 0.3 mi
31.6	Merge onto SR-82 [E Haddam Rd] (North-East) for 1.2 mi
32.8	Turn RIGHT (South-East) onto SR-85 [New London Rd] for 10.3 mi
43.1	Continue (East) on SR-85 [Broad St Ext] for 0.4 mi
43.5	Continue (East) on SR-85 [Broad St] for 0.6 mi
44.0	Continue (East) on Broad St for 1.0 mi
45.1	<b>2</b> Arrive, stage door on right, Governor Winthrop Blvd, New London, CT 06320

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## **AREA INFORMATION**

### **HOTELS**

#### **Holiday Inn**

I-95 & N. Frontage Rd 442-0631  
Sports bar and Cascades restaurant

#### **Kirkland House**

437-1500  
Bed and breakfast in elegant small historic villa

#### **Lighthouse Inn & Resort**

6 Guthrie Place 443-8411  
Connecticut's only designated Historic Hotel of America.  
Built by Charles S. Guthrie, a steel magnate, and called Meadow Court. It has been an inn since 1927.

#### **New London Lodgings**

I-95 & N. Frontage Road 443-3440

#### **Queen Anne Inn**

265 Williams St 447-2600  
Bed and Breakfast in beautifully restored Victorian Call to  
make reservations for Tea for 2 to 20 people.

#### **Radisson Hotel** (across the street from the stage door)

35 Gov Winthrop Blvd 443-7000  
Aqua Restaurant and Lounge  
Indoor pool

#### **Red Roof Inn**

707 Colman St 444-0001  
Highest lodging standards without the high price. Clean,  
quiet, and comfortable.

## **TRANSPORTATION**

### **BUS**

Bus Station, Foot of State St. 447-3841

SEAT (South East Area Transit) New London County & casinos 886-263

### **FERRIES**

Block Island Ferry

2 Ferry St 444-4624 (GO BI)

High speed service May-Oct

(no cars)

Cross Sound Ferry

2 Ferry St 443-5281

Frequent daily sailings (reservations required for cars) to Orient Point, NY. High speed (no cars) ferry daily.

Fishers Island Ferry

Behind RR Station 443-6851 or 442-0165

Frequent daily sailings.

### **RAIL**

Union Railroad Station

Foot of State St. Amtrak 1-800-872-7245

### **TAXI**

Harry's Taxi, Inc. 444-2255

Port City Taxi 444-9222

Yellow Cab 443-4321

### **CAR RENTAL**

Lindor Rental Cars, Jeeps & Vans

409 Broad Street

New London, CT 442-4545

### **CHARTER**

Arrow Charter Service

1-800-842-8469 x 1126

## **AIRPORTS**

Groton-New London 445-8549  
Groton, CT  
U.S. Air 445-7188  
Continental Express 449-0002

T.F. Green Airport  
Providence, RI  
1 Hour drive

Bradley International Airport  
Hartford, CT  
1 Hour 15 minute drive

## **BANKS**

### Citizens Bank

63 Eugene O'Neill Drive  
New London  
444-5975

450 Ocean Avenue  
New London  
444-6111

### Bank of America

250 State Street  
New London  
(800) 841-4000

### First Fidelity Bank

Mariner Square (Eugene  
O'Neill Drive) New London  
4471706

### Dime Bank

668 Bank St  
New London  
437-4366

**MEDICAL FACILITIES**

Lawrence & Memorial Hospital  
365 Montauk Avenue  
New London  
442-0711

Pequot Health Center  
Hazelnut Hill Road  
Groton  
446-8265  
Hours: 7-11 PM  
(7 Days)

Charter Oak Walk-In Medical Center  
324 Flanders Road  
East Lyme  
739-66953  
Hours:  
M – F 7AM-7PM

\*Steven M. Curland, M.D.  
118 New London Turnpike  
Norwich, CT 06360-2692  
887-0202  
\* Has agreed to provide special services to artists and  
Company members. Will provide access to specialists  
as needed. Sat. 9AM – 4PM Sun. 12:30PM – 4PM

Groton Chiropractic Center  
Dr. Steven Grob  
1057 Poquonnock Road  
Groton, CT  
445-4148

**LAUNDRY/ DRY CLEANERS/ COBBLER**

Barry's Cleaners & Launderers  
565 Colman Street  
New London  
447-8220

Tollgate Laundry  
29 Westwood Ave  
New London  
443-2311

Shalett's Drycleaners  
2-6 Montauk Avenue  
New London  
442-5316

James Laundromat & Dry Cleaners  
56 Ocean Avenue  
New London  
443-5511

Bank Street Cobbler.  
193 Bank Street  
New London  
443-1122.