

123rd Annual Meeting and Conference

New England Cemetery Association

Monday, June 15, 2026

10:00 - 11:30 NECA Board Meeting – Soundings Room

12:00 – 5:00 **Networking Activities** (*registration required - see page 2 of registration form*)

- **Golf** @ Elmridge Golf Course, Pawcatuck, CT. Arrive 12:00 for 12:30 Shotgun Start
- **Mystic Seaport Museum Tour**. Meet in Hotel Lobby at 1pm
- **Shot Gun Shoot** – Groton Sportsmen’s Club (contact Gene Kinne).

5:00-8:00 Free time and dinner on your own

8:00-11:00 Hospitality (Commodore Suite)

Tuesday, June 16, 2026

8:00 – 9:00 Registration/Continental Breakfast/Supplier Set-up (Schooner Ballroom)

9:00 – 9:30 **Annual Meeting**/State Legislative Updates/Election of Officers

9:30 – 10:00 Opening Remarks, Welcome First Time Attendees & Supplier Introductions

10:00 - 11:00 **John Rudolph**: (www.map-agency.com)

“Developing a Brand/Website that Sets You Apart”

11:00 – 11:30 Break & Time with Suppliers

11:30 – 12:30 **Dallin Cooper**: (www.dallincooper.com)

“Navigating the Line Between Grit & Burnout” (Part 1)

12:30 – 1:30 Lunch

1:30 – 2:30 **Dallin Cooper**: (www.dallincooper.com)

“Navigating the Line Between Grit & Burnout” (Part 2)

2:30 – 2:45 Break (Snacks, Coffee, etc.)

2:45 – 3:30 **Annalisa Heppner**: (www.rimonthly.com/providences-north-burial-ground)

“Activating your Cemetery through Historical, Cultural, Environmental, and Memorial Programming.”

3:30 – 5:00 **Supplier Showcase**

5:00 – 6:00 Time on Your Own

6:00 – 7:00 Cocktail Hour (Clipper Room)

7:00 – 8:30 President’s Banquet (Schooner Ballroom)

8:30 – 11:00 Hospitality (Commodore Room)

Wednesday, June 17, 2026

7:30 – 9:00 Breakfast Buffet (Schooner Ballroom)