

Wallingford Emergency Shelter

What began as a short-term partnership during the shelter's 2025 re-opening has grown into a meaningful and ongoing collaboration between Choate Rosemary Hall and the Wallingford Emergency Shelter, operated by Columbus House.

This winter, Choate once again stepped forward to help provide hot dinners - along with continental breakfast items - for the 15 men and women residing at the shelter. With Choate's dining services already preparing hundreds of meals each day for students on campus, extending that care to our neighbors was a natural fit. Preparing a few extra trays, fresh daily, has made a tangible difference during the particularly cold months we experienced this year.



From December through March, Columbus House offers shelter, warmth, and critical support to individuals in need. We are proud to stand alongside other local organizations and community members in supporting this effort, and we look forward to continuing our involvement in future winters.

If you know someone who may benefit from the shelter's services, or if you would like to contribute to this effort, please visit www.columbushouse.org.