



Staging gun buybacks also provides us with the opportunity to gather useful data on the individuals who voluntarily participate in these events, and anonymously complete surveys. This data allows for us to better understand the reasons for having a gun in the home, who has access to the gun, storage practices, reasons for turning in the gun, demographics and distance traveled to the event.



To support our on-going efforts, please visit our website and donate today www.s2pnortheast.org



Swords to Plowshares Northeast is available to stage a demonstration in your community. To set a date please contact Jim Curry (860-712-3122; s2pnortheast@gmail.com) or Pina Violano (203-843-2002; pina.violano@gmail.com)



Swords to Plowshares Northeast was created in 2017 as a violence prevention outreach program focused on reducing senseless firearm injuries and deaths.





S2PNE is a 360-degree program that repurposes weapons of death into tools of life, that will be used for the betterment of the community. These tools are put to work in the neighborhoods that they come from, with many of our tools donated to community gardens and agricultural high schools. In this way, we look to break the cycle of violence that guns perpetuate. By transforming guns into tools and jewelry, we demonstrate the peaceful, productive purposes that they can serve.



Our team works closely with municipalities and law enforcement agencies to organize gun buyback events in the spirit of public safety and injury prevention. These events are organized with the hopes of making our homes and communities safer.



Our Mission is to reduce senseless firearms injuries and deaths among the vulnerable by facilitating/building municipal partnerships between law enforcement, health providers, universities, after-school programs, religious ministry, and community-based service organizations and businesses. Together we can build sustainable efforts and begin to address the scourge of gun violence in this country.

