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St. Paul's girls invited to national history fair

by Elizabeth Trail

BARTON — A pair of eighth-graders at the St. Paul's School have qualified to compete at National History Day in June.

For both girls, this is the second year in a row that they've been invited to represent Vermont at the annual event that's held just outside of Washington, D.C., in College Park, Maryland.

Last year, Annika Socia and her father drove to Maryland, where she and fellow St. Paul's student Hannah Poginy split a \$1,000 cash prize from the American Labor Association for their performance about the newsboy strike of 1899.

"It was cool," Annika said.

This year, she was invited back to National History Day after winning second place in the state competition with a performance that combined songs from *Les Misérables* and a monologue about the June Rebellion of 1832, the historic event that provides the backdrop for the climactic barricades scene in the musical.

"I make it sound like I'd been there," she said.

Outside of school, Annika is an enthusiastic participant in theater. Right now, she's playing the title role in Vermont Family Theatre's production of *Annie, Junior*. And two years ago she sang the part of young Cosette in *Les Misérables*.

So her choice of subject for this year's History Day competition was a natural.

"I also really love world history," she said. "It's more interesting than American history."

Annika's family has decided not to make another trip south to Maryland this year, partly because the dates are right on top of the end of school.

But her classmate Isabella Coe is heading for College Park next month with a large family contingent.

Isabella won first in the state this year for her digital documentary about the Women's Air Force Service Pilots (WASPs) of World War II.

She also won the documentary division in the state last year.

St. Paul's students don't compete at the Orleans History Day event sponsored by the Old Stone House Museum.

That event only happens every other year, and St. Paul's students are required to do History Day projects every year.

Instead, the school chooses its own winners to send to the state competition in Montpelier.

Isabella didn't get to go to Washington last year even though she qualified. It's up to students and their families to register and make their own travel plans.

But this year, her parents, James and Nella Coe of West Glover, her younger brother, and one set of grandparents have decided to make a family vacation of it.

"I'm looking forward to seeing what Annika got to see," Isabella says.

"We stayed almost a week," Annika said, enthusiastically describing everything about last year's adventures, from the first night welcome party to trading state pins with students from all over the country.

The 20 or so Vermont students who went to National History Day were supposed to bring things that represented their state, so they brought maple syrup, cheese, and an inflatable cow.

"We went to see everything in Washington,



This is the second year that Annika Socia (left) of Albany, and Isabella Coe of West Glover have qualified to go to the National History Day finals in Maryland. Both are eighth-graders at St. Paul's school in Barton.

Photo by Elizabeth Trail

like all the monuments and stuff," Annika said. "And we went to a baseball game, I think the Redskins."

Isabella is looking forward to having experiences of her own in Washington.

But she was also excited to talk about her documentary on the WASPs.

During World War II, women were trained as pilots to move planes and supplies among military bases in the United States, Isabella said. They even flew as test pilots. That freed men to go to the front.

"I interviewed an actual WASP who's still alive at 96 years old," she said. "When I won the state I wrote to tell her, and I got an e-mail back saying how excited she was."

Isabella is drawn to women's rights issues. "It's something really important to learn about and talk about," she said.

Her mother's experiences have inspired a lot of Isabella's interest.

Both of her parents are architects.

"But people have treated my mother differently with her work than my dad," she said. "My mom has been very determined about getting her rights, and my parents have always encouraged me to think that way."

When it comes time to choose a subject for History Day, Isabella says her parents have suggested ideas that tie in with her interest in women's rights, though she's made the final choice.

Last year, her winning documentary was about the history of women architects in America.

"It's not fair that women still don't have equal rights," she said.

She describes her successful videos as "pictures, videos, clips, and my own narration."

The girls and their mothers give a lot of credit for their repeat success to their history teacher at St. Paul's, Susan Guilmette.

Between now and National History Day, Isabella will be graduating from St. Paul's. And she's not sure whether she's headed to St. Johnsbury Academy or Lake Region Union High School.

She hasn't decided what she wants to do career-wise, but she knows she wants to study more about women's issues.

Annika is also graduating in June, and she'll be going to Lake Region.

She knows exactly what she wants to do in college and beyond — she wants to be a cardiologist.

Like Isabella, Annika's career goal is inspired by her mother's experience.

Annika's mother, Maria Socia, is a respiratory therapist at North Country Hospital.

"But she wanted to be a doctor," Annika says. "And she would have been if she could have afforded it."

So Annika plans to study hard, take lots of math and science, and get into medical school someday.

"I'm good at math and science," she said.

Both girls are taking Honors Algebra 1 at Lake Region this year.

Isabella will have to take the final exam in math a week early in order to be able to go to National History Day, she said.

The girls describe themselves as "good school mates," but don't usually see each other outside of classes.

But on top of their history prowess, they have a lot of interests in common.

Both are involved in dance, and both take piano lessons.

Annika, in fact, just got back from a dance competition in Massachusetts.

And their lists of pets are about as long as the girls are tall.

Annika has two cats, two cows, ten chickens and a bunny, she said.

And Isabella, who lives on a 100-cow dairy farm, has two cats, a dog, a horse, four rabbits, three alpacas, and three Highlander cows that are just pets, she said.

And there are more horses coming.

"Mostly because horses are pack animals and Ginger is lonely," she said.

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Ruminations

On a rewarding search for Japanese cuisine

by Joseph Gresser

Once, in another life, I was invited to spend ten days in Japan checking out the country's many dance companies. Of course I said yes and was flown to Tokyo, where I joined a couple of dozen arts presenters from the U.S. and Great Britain.

We were the guests of the Japan Foundation, and were treated royally. The group visited several cities, saw at least 20 dance companies, the kabuki theater, and a Noh play.

It was a wonderful week and a half, but in one respect, our hosts were oddly bashful. That was in the matter of food.

Most mornings we met with our hosts to discuss what we were going to see that evening, and how many of the dance companies our respective organizations might want to hire. (Of course, the Japan Foundation had an agenda.)

Then it would be lunch time and our translator would herd us into the elevator, down to the street, and we would walk through Tokyo until we came to a French restaurant.

Each time we ate in a different place, and the food was uniformly excellent, but it didn't take long for some of us to wonder why we weren't getting to sample the local cuisine.

One of the braver, or perhaps ruder, members of our party asked our host about that. He told us that many foreigners dislike Japanese food, and so we were all being spared the embarrassment of being presented with something unappetizing.

I can't speak for everyone on the trip, but I wanted to eat like the locals. The problem was that our minders kept a pretty close eye on us so we wouldn't get lost in a place where none of us spoke the language.

Finally we, or more likely our hosts, got a day off.

I started the day with a long walk across Tokyo. Japan's capital is the most populous city in the world. I spent most of my teens in New York City and always thought of it as a big city.

Next to Tokyo it feels like Newport.

I was headed to the restaurant supply district to buy some imitation food. For generations Japanese restaurants have used realistic displays of the dishes they offer to entice customers.

Obviously placing real food in the window is impractical, so artisans turn out uncannily realistic replicas instead. Once they were made of wax, today, they're plastic.

I bought a box with an assortment of sushi, and a bowl of miso soup, with little pieces of tofu, and slices of scallion floating in it.

It was a long walk, but well worth the time. When I got back to the hotel where the group was staying, I met up with some friends and we went out in search of a real noodle shop and a bowl of genuine udon.

Noodles are a staple of cultures throughout the globe. Probably the most familiar to Americans is ramen. The instant variety has kept college students from starvation for decades, but it's about as close to what is served in Japan as canned spaghetti is to real Italian pasta.

Real ramen is a style of Chinese noodle, which, in Japan, is served in a rich broth.

Udon and soba are two other types of noodles that are popular in Japan. Udon is the thicker of the two and usually made from wheat. Soba is much thinner and is frequently made from buckwheat flour.

We found an udon place, and were served delicious bowls of noodles by a young woman who spoke perfect, American accented English. Her English was so much better than even that of our interpreters that I asked her if she was American.

It turned out that she was Japanese, but had graduated from the University of Arizona. She was pleased enough by our compliment, though that she brought out a special bottle of rice wine and poured drinks on the house.



Most of the ingredients for these recipes can be found in a supermarket's Asian food section. All are available at any natural food store. From left to right are nori (thin seaweed), udon, soba, mirin cooking wine, a packet and dish of bonito flakes, and thick kombu seaweed. Photo by Joseph Gresser

Sadly, the excellent rice wine was wasted on my poor palate, but I very much appreciated the gesture and was able to tell that the udon was excellent.

Soba and udon are used in a variety of dishes. I've chosen these two, because they highlight another staple of Japanese cuisine, dashi, a light broth made of seaweed and shaved dried bonito. Bonito is type of fish related to the mackerel and tuna.

In these recipes the dashi is used both as a hot broth and a cold dipping sauce.

Ichiban dashi

4-1/2 cups of water
1 ounce kombu
1 ounce dried bonito flakes

Put four cups of cold water into a large saucepan and add the kombu. Heat the water, removing the kombu just before it boils.

Let the water come to a full boil, then add 1/2 cup cold water to bring the temperature down quickly.

Immediately add the bonito flakes.

Let the mixture return to a boil. Take it off the heat after it has boiled for a couple of seconds. Longer and the broth will be bitter.

Remove from heat and strain.

(The leftover kombu and bonito flakes can be used to make a different broth, call niban dashi)

Su-Udon (noodles in broth)

14-ounce package of udon
1 tablespoon salt
6 cups ichiban dashi
1 tablespoon sugar
1 tablespoon soy sauce
2-1/2 teaspoons salt
2 scallions cut into thin rounds

Bring two quarts of water to a boil in a large pot. Add the noodles and boil, stirring often until the noodles are soft, about 20 minutes.

Add a tablespoon of salt, cover the pot, and take it off the heat. Let it stand for five minutes.

Drain the noodles in a colander. Run cold water over them for five minutes. Drain and set aside to let the noodles get to room temperature.

In a medium saucepan combine the dashi, sugar, soy sauce, and 2 1/2 teaspoons of salt. Stir well and bring to the boil over high heat.

Add the noodles and boil until they are heated through.

To serve, first put the noodles in a bowl, then add broth. Sprinkle scallion slices as a garnish.

Soba

1-1/2 cups ichiban dashi
3 tablespoons soy sauce
1 tablespoon mirin
1-1/2 tablespoons sugar
24 ounces of dried soba (three packages)
1/2 sheet dried nori seaweed
1/4 cup sliced scallions
2 teaspoons wasabi paste (**hot** horseradish)

Dipping sauce:

Combine dashi, soy sauce, mirin, and sugar in a saucepan. Heat until the sugar dissolves, then chill.

Noodles:

Fill a large pot with cold water and bring to a high boil. Add the noodles, stirring to separate them. Allow the water to return to a boil, then add a cup of cold water. When the water boils again add another cup of cold water. When the water boils a third time, drain the noodles, chill them and serve them on plates.

Put the wasabi and scallions in small dishes and give each person a small bowl of dipping sauce.

Take a sheet of nori, pass it over an open flame for about a minute to dry roast it. (Careful. It might catch fire if you don't keep it moving.)

Crumble the toasted nori over the noodles as a garnish.

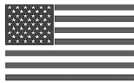
Oh yes, we did finally get a full Japanese meal, when all the visitors chipped in to rent a private room in a restaurant to hold a dinner in honor of our hard-working guides. It turned out that everyone loved the cuisine.

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Obituaries

Joseph J. Basil

 Joseph J. Basil, 91, of Gaithersburg, Maryland, beloved husband of the late Marie M. Basil died on April 18, 2017.

He was born on February 22, 1926, in Island Pond, to Jack and Phoebe Basil.

He graduated from St. Mary's Academy in Island Pond in 1944, and from the University of Vermont in 1950.

He was in the Army Air Corps, in Germany during World War II. After the war, Captain Basil served in the National Guard in Vermont, Pennsylvania, Illinois and California.

The Basils were married on July 21, 1951, and were childhood sweet hearts for 65 years. Mrs. Basil died on March 26, 2016. They lived in McKeesport, Pennsylvania, in Illinois, and also for 24 happy years,

in Southern California with their beloved daughters: Glorie Ann and Mary Jo Basil, who survive him.

He worked on the space programs from 1962 to 1973 in California. He also had his real estate broker's license in California, Maryland, Virginia, and Washington, D.C., working to the end of his life.

He loved doing things with Mrs. Basil as they square danced and just had a great time together. He was a dad plus "Mr. Mom" to his daughters and was always there for them.

He raised money for hearing impaired and deaf children, and also raised money for the building of Children's Hospital next to St. Joseph's Hospital in Orange, California.

He always remembered and talked about the great town of Island Pond. He and Mrs. Basil went back over the years.

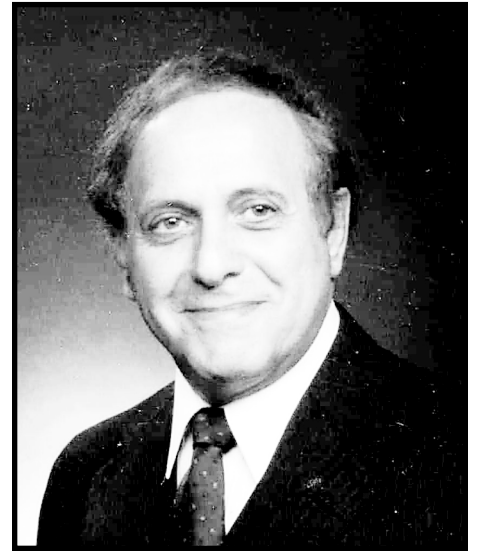
He liked to hike, fish, and his favorite thing was to go and see Rose Steady as a kid. She would give him cookies and milk and also he would go to camp 21 with the Stafford brothers.

He gave his time to people and he was proud of his home in Orange. He loved to play golf when he had the time, and loved watching and attending baseball games with his daughters.

He had two brothers who have predeceased him: Ben and Jack Jr., in 2015.

He is survived by his brother Bob; several nieces and nephews; also great-nieces and great-nephews; by his brother-in-law John Steady, of Glens Falls, New York; and by very special friends and family Joy and Don Viken of Orange.

A graveside service will be held



at 1 p.m., on Saturday, May 6, at St. James Catholic Cemetery in Island Pond, with military honors. Online condolences may be shared at curtis-britch.com.

Dorothy Avis Virginia (Hampp) Goodridge

Dorothy Avis Virginia (Hampp) Goodridge, 91, died peacefully on April 11, 2017.

She was born March 14, 1926, in Akron, Ohio, to Joseph E. and Dorothy E. (George) Hampp. She graduated from Barberton High School in 1942, then spent the next two years in the cadet nursing school program at Peoples Hospital in Barberton, Ohio. She quit to marry Donly Clement Goodridge Sr., a Vermont boy who was her pen pal while he was in the Navy. They married on February 11, 1946, and of this union had six children.

They owned and operated a dairy farm in Craftsbury Common

for 15 years. Avis, as she was known, was an avid reader, enjoyed years of travel to bowling events with her husband, and spending time with her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

She is survived by her children: A. Jean Bezio and her husband, Charles, of Newport, Susan J. Richardson and her husband, James, of Albany, Donly C. Goodridge Jr., of Craftsbury, Gilbert E. Goodridge and his wife, M. Kay, of Craftsbury, and Kevin M. Goodridge and his wife, Rosemary, of Albany; by son-in-law Michael Grondin of Albany; daughter-in-law

Colleen Goodridge of Albany; by her brother Paul W. Hampp of Mogadore, Ohio; her sisters-in-law, Anthea Pugh of Radford, Virginia, and Ruth Goodridge of Burlington; and her brother-in-law Carroll Goodridge and his wife, Donna, of Easley, South Carolina; by 16 grandchildren; and 19 great-grandchildren; and by many nieces and nephews.

Mrs. Goodridge was predeceased by her parents; her in-laws: Bert and Bea Goodridge; her husband, Donly, in 1997; her youngest daughter Carol, in 2015; her great-grandson in 1994; her sister-in-law Barbara King; and brothers-in-law



Basil Goodridge and Albert Pugh. A graveside service will be held at a later date in Craftsbury. Online condolences may be shared at www.curtis-britch.com.

Committal services

Bradley Peters

Committal services for Bradley Peters will be held at 1 p.m., on Friday, May 5, at the Albany Village Cemetery with the Reverend Paul Prince officiating.

Jeannette Nadeau

Committal services for Jeannette Nadeau will be held at 11 a.m., on Saturday, May 6, at St. Mary's Cemetery in Newport.

Charles Nadeau

Committal services for Charles Nadeau will be held at 10 a.m., on Saturday, May 6, at St. Mary's Cemetery in Newport, with military honors.

Roland Robert

Committal services for Roland "Pete" Robert will be held at 11 a.m., on Friday, May 5, at St. Mary's Cemetery in Newport, with military honors.

Viola Reil

A graveside service for Viola Reil will be held at 11 a.m., on Wednesday, May 10, at the Wild Branch Cemetery in Craftsbury.

Dorothy Monfette

Committal services for Dorothy Monfette will be held at 2 p.m., on Wednesday, May 10, at St. Mary's Cemetery in Newport.

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Obituaries

Michael Rawlings Bone

Michael Rawlings Bone, 63, of Fort Myers, Florida, died unexpectedly on April 22, 2017.

Mr. Bone was born June 12, 1953, in Granite City, Illinois, the eldest child of Shirley (Kocis) and Malcolm Bone.

He spent a good part of his childhood in the Northeast Kingdom, living in Island Pond, Derby, and Newport Center. He graduated from North Country Union High School in 1971.

He was a devoted husband and father, and is survived by his wife, Michele (Bisogno) Bone; and their three children: Tara Randles, Jennifer Bone, and Justin Bone. Mr. Bone also leaves behind a daughter-in-law, Heather Bone; and his three grandchildren, whom he deeply loved: Michael, Landon, and Ella. He is also survived by his four brothers and three sisters: James Bone and his wife, Linda, Stephen Bone and his wife, Cynthia, Charles

Bone and his wife, Suzanne, Linda (Kocis) Delabruere and her husband, Leonard, Jacob Kocis III and his wife, Sherry, Jody (Kocis) Smith and her partner, Jeff Peterson, and Janice Kocis and her husband, Julio Perez Martin; along with all of his and Ms. Bone's nephews and nieces — including Stephen, Joshua and Aaron, who were as close to him as his three children.

Mr. Bone will be remembered for his hard work and dedication to the water and wastewater industries, as he worked alongside the Bone, Bisogno, and D'Alessandro families for over 40 years as a certified general contractor. He was a great leader, teacher, and mentor to the many co-workers who had the pleasure of working with him.

In 1995, his love for basketball inspired one of his most rewarding achievements, founding the nonprofit organization High Hoops, which

continues to develop future leaders on and off the court, one basket at a time. His vision was to provide his son Justin, and many other players he had coached, with a more competitive basketball experience. He was not only a coach, but also a friend and father figure to numerous basketball players throughout southwest Florida.

He was loved and will forever be remembered for his sense of humor, generosity, and devotion to his family and friends. He will continue to live through each of them and will remain in the hearts of his loved ones forever.

A memorial service will be held at Fred Hunter's Funeral Home located at 6301 Taft Street, Hollywood, Florida, on Saturday, May 6, at 4 p.m. The family invites family and friends to visit from 3 to 4 p.m.

In lieu of flowers, the family is requesting that donations be made



to one of the following organizations: High Hoops, Inc. (www.paypal.me/highhoops), Hoops on Mission (www.hoopsonmission.org), Mended Little Hearts (www.mendedlittlehearts.org), or St. Jude Children's Research Hospital (www.stjude.org/donate).

Gordon B. Daggett

Gordon B. "Bub" Daggett, 80, of Holland died on April 26, 2017, at the Newport Health and Rehabilitation Center.

He was born on October 16, 1936, in Newport to the late Bernard and Thelma (Willey) Daggett.

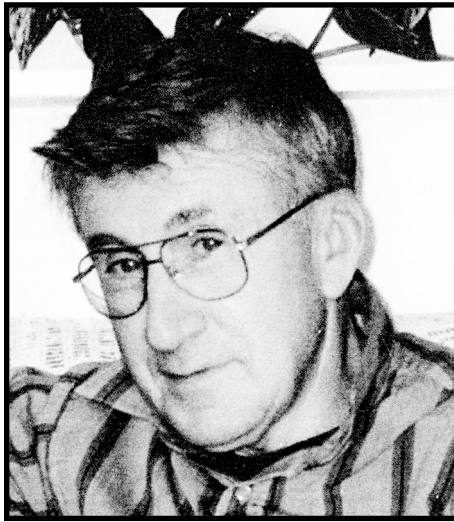
On April 11, 1958, he married Colleen Crowe who predeceased him on April 30, 2003.

He was a member of the Kingdom Hall of Jehovah Witnesses in Stanstead, Quebec.

Mr. Daggett enjoyed sugaring, working in the woods, and in Bible education work. He was a very easygoing man, influenced many, and loved making baked beans.

He is survived by his son Steve Daggett and his wife, Jenny, of Holland; his grandchildren: Chandler and Chelsea Daggett of Holland; his sister Alice Daggett of Derby; his sister-in-law Vicki Daggett; and by several nieces and nephews.

Besides his parents and his wife, he was also predeceased by his



brother Joe Daggett.

A funeral service will be held on Saturday, May 6, at 4 p.m., at the Kingdom Hall on Citizens Road on Pine Hill in Newport.

Friends may call at the Kingdom Hall on Saturday, from 3 p.m., up until the hour of the service.

Online condolences may be shared at www.curtis-britch.com.

Theresa G. Descheneau

Theresa G. Descheneau, 100, of Derby, formerly of North Troy, died on April 28, 2017, in Derby, surrounded by her family.

She was born on October 31, 1916, in Jay, to Delphus and Rose (Fortin) Bacon. On December 26, 1940, she married Hector Descheneau Sr., who predeceased her.

She enjoyed working in her flower gardens.

She is survived by her children: Robert Descheneau and his wife, Marcia, of West Charleston, Richard Descheneau and his wife, Diane, of North Troy, and Dennis Descheneau and his wife, Kathy, of Newport Center; by ten grandchildren; 19 great-grandchildren; and three great-great-grandchildren. She is also survived by her sister Lucille Viens of Claremont, New Hampshire; and by numerous nieces, nephews, and cousins. She was predeceased by her son Hector Descheneau Jr. on April 6, 2010; and by three brothers and five sisters.

Funeral services were held on May 2, at the Curtis-Britch-Converse-Rushford Funeral Home,



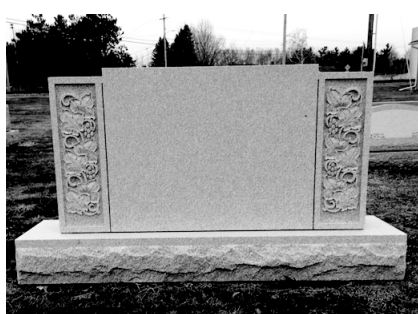
in Newport. Should friends desire, contributions in her memory may be made to the American Heart Association, Vermont Affiliate, Inc., 434 Hurricane Lane, Williston, Vermont 05495, or to the American Cancer Society, Vermont Division, Inc., 55 Day Lane, Williston, Vermont 05495.

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I even place my arms around you
To calm you as you weep.
I see you wish the days away,
Begging to have me home.
So I try to send you signs
So you know you are not alone.
Don't feel guilty that you have
Life that was denied to me.
Heaven is truly beautiful,
Just you wait and see.
So live your life, laugh again,
Enjoy yourself, be free.
Then I know with every breath you take,
You'll be taking one for me.*



You are always in the hearts and thoughts of the family and friends you left behind. I'll love you forever, Mom.

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Remembered:

Michael Todd Cole
April 27, 2010 ~ April 27, 2017

We miss you, I think even more after 7 long years! You are always on our minds! As we watch your granddaughter, Acea, we smile, knowing how much you would enjoy her!

*Thinking of you with love...your mom,
sons Josh and Anthony, granddaughter Acea,
brother and sisters and families.*

Obituaries

Ruth Marie White Whitcomb

A good woman has died. Ruth Whitcomb, 100, formerly of Morgan, died quietly and peacefully on April 23, 2017, at the Woodridge Rehab and Nursing Center in Berlin.

Mrs. Whitcomb shared 67 years of her life with her loving husband, Roger, who predeceased her in 2006.

She was born on October 7, 1916, the daughter of Robert and Etta (Welch) White, and grew up on their Hillside Dairy farm in Ryegate. She came to Newport in 1939 after graduating from the University of Vermont and, with her husband, lived successively in Derby and Morgan.

She devoted herself to her family and work as a teacher of home economics and special education, and then as a realtor. She is credited with working for the creation of a distinct school for special education in the area and then serving as its first teacher. She is remembered as a lady of considerable energy, interests, and intelligence who served in numerous capacities for her community.

Those who knew her will remember her ability to identify those who needed a little more attention, a little more patience, and a little more love — all of which she freely gave in touching many, many lives.

Her faith and love of music found outlets as an organist in church from her teen years until she was in her eighties. She was one of those remarkable people who did remarkable things, quietly.

Mrs. Whitcomb was of that generation which fully lived the values of work, self-reliance, honesty, learning, service to others, inner strength, and compassion for those less fortunate. The manner in which she conducted her life led to numerous recognitions for her achievements. While she never brought attention to them, when pushed, she admitted pride in being selected as a women's editor of *The Cynic* (the student-run newspaper at the University of Vermont) and in being selected for Mortar Board, a national honor society recognizing college seniors for their exemplary scholarship, leadership and service. She was a lady of considerable grace who saw goodness in all people and felt blessed by her life and family.

Grit is deemed a desirable trait by many. Ruth Whitcomb had enough for several people.

In her later years she was blessed by the love and support of her family and many friends — all of whom were treated to her positive outlook on life and her expression, "I

am a lucky old lady."

She is survived by her children: Martha Montague and her husband, Richard, of Groton, John Whitcomb and his wife, Ida, of Elburn, Illinois, and Alan Whitcomb and his wife, Cathy, of Granville, New York.

She was predeceased by her daughter Nancy Dowd and her husband, Tom.

She leaves nine grandchildren: Michael Dowd and his wife, Elicia, of Hooksett, New Hampshire, Christopher Dowd and his wife, Trish, of Voorheesville, New York, Maura Dowd Kammerman and her husband, David, of Binghamton, New York, Patrick Dowd and his wife, Aimee, of Ballston Spa, New York, Jeffrey Whitcomb and his wife, Hillary, of Batavia, Illinois, Thomas Whitcomb and his wife, Amy, of Lantana, Texas, Sara Whitcomb Schroeder and her husband, Kurt, of Glen Ellyn, Illinois, Hannah Whitcomb Cargill and her partner, David McNall, of Fairfax, and, Ashlee Whitcomb and her partner, Jeremy Gaudette, of Eastford, Connecticut. Thirty-two great-grandchildren; and three great-great-grandchildren blessed her life and have been blessed in turn, by hers. She is also survived by a sister, Alida White Buckland;



and many nieces and nephews.

The family will communicate plans for a service at a later date. It is requested that in lieu of flowers, those who wish may make contributions in her memory to: New England Kurn Hattin Homes, P.O. Box 127, Westminster, Vermont 05158. Kurn Hattin is a nonprofit home for children from kindergarten through eighth grade whose circumstances will benefit from the safe, caring, and educational services it provides.

Those wishing to send e-mail condolences may contact www.pruneapollifuneralhome.com.

Ruby A. Choiniere

Ruby A. Choiniere, 93, of Derby Line, died peacefully on April 23, 2017, at Bel-Aire Center, in Newport.

She was born on August 25, 1923, at Doctor Cleasby's residence in Orleans, the daughter of Joseph and Fleda (Vinton) Racine.

She attended Door Academy in Springfield, Massachusetts, and graduated in 1942 with her certificate as a licensed beautician (a nine-month course). Her father would drive her to the train station in Orleans for her departures and arrivals from Springfield.

On June 25, 1945, she married Germain Choiniere (who predeceased her on December 21, 2001). They were married at St. Theresa's Church in Orleans. Two weeks later, Joe Racine "threw them a dance" to celebrate their union at the Grange hall over his store in West Charleston. The next day, they drove to Niagara Falls, New York, for their five-day honeymoon.

Mrs. Choiniere was a beautician for over 53 years, and was well known by everyone in town. She worked out of her home while raising her five children, which was

rare in those days. She loved her job and would cater to her customers' needs, listen to their problems, and in return, swapped many great recipes over the years. She enjoyed her flower gardens, and looked forward to seeing her tulips coming up in the spring. Mrs. Choiniere loved her family, and often was the disciplinarian. She was a great cook, and would often have many friends and relatives share a meal with her family. In retirement, Mr. and Mrs. Choiniere traveled to Florida, Aruba, Hawaii, and Las Vegas. She also loved to walk, and many times, before the sun came up, was seen walking with her friend Betty Racine around town. Later in life, she enjoyed taking trips to Montreal, New York, Connecticut, and casinos with her best friend Betty Murphy. These two, rekindled their friendship, and laughed and enjoyed their trips together.

She is survived by her children: James R. Choiniere and his wife, Francine, of West Burke, Jean McAuliffe, of Brattleboro, John Choiniere and his wife, Diane, of Brownington, Jacalyn Slaiby of

Derby, and Janet Goodine and her husband, Frank, of Lyndeborough, New Hampshire; by her grandchildren: Danielle Choiniere-Aldrich and her fiancé, Cori Lucas, Nathan Choiniere and his wife, Angela, Justin Choiniere and his wife, Kate, Jacquelyn, Jonathan, Paul, Billy, and Jamie McAuliffe, Adam Choiniere and his wife, Heidi, Joshua Choiniere and his fiancée, Brittney McCarthy, Cherie Bettencourt, Marie Hardiman, Dan Slaiby and his wife, Linda, Linda Slaiby, Sandra Palladino, and Zachary and Vanessa Goodine.

She is also survived by her great-grandchildren: Carter and Bryce Aldrich, Noah, Brooke-Lynne, and Abigail Choiniere, Keegan, Chris, Ryan, Jackson, Nicolas, Kelsea, and Mya McAuliffe, Harper Clark, Colton Choiniere, Shane Switser, Kyle Bettencourt, Czar and Emerald Hardiman, Daniel Slaiby Jr., Ryan Hardiman, Tanya Symonds, Erica Brooks, Kaiden Palladino, and Lily and Mavis Goodine. She is also survived by her brother Rudy Racine and his wife, Joan, of Sun City, Florida; a brother-in-law, Gaston Choiniere, and his wife, Pat, of Fredericksburg, Virginia; and a sister-in-law, Bella Collette, of Sturbridge, Massachusetts.



She was predeceased by her sister Ruth Skinner of Irasburg; and by two sons-in-law: Paul McAuliffe and William Slaiby.

A Mass will be celebrated at a later date, to be announced.

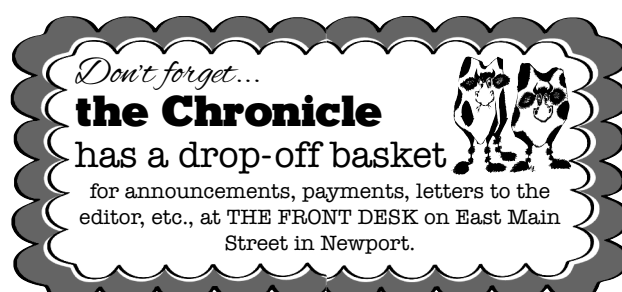
In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be sent to: The Mary Wright Halo Foundation, 1073 Upper Quarry Road, Newport, Vermont 05855.

Online condolences may be shared at www.curtis-britch.com.

Memorial service

Cynthia J. More-McCormick

Cynthia J. More-McCormick, 58, of Newport, beloved wife of Eugene McCormick, died unexpectedly on April 13, 2017 at her home. A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, May 6, at the Church of God on Crawford Road in Derby.



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Hospitality students put on Roarin' 20s gala and fund-raiser

North Country Career Center (NCCC) hospitality students will host a Roarin' 20s gala, showcasing hospitality, culinary art, and visual art student talent.

The gala will showcase decadent hors d'oeuvres, Harlem Renaissance-inspired artwork, a photo booth, a silent auction, and fine service from NCCC hospitality students. All proceeds will be donated to the Halo Foundation, a program that helps local families in need while enduring hardships.

The gala is open to all community members. Tickets are available at the NCCC main office prior to the event, and can also be purchased at the door. Tickets are \$10 for students and \$15 for adults.

Hospitality students invite the public to join them on Thursday, May 11. Doors will open at 3:30 p.m., and the event goes until 7 p.m. Roaring 20s themed attire is optional but is highly encouraged. — submitted by Sierra Tremblay.



North Country Career Center hospitality students model their service attire in preparation for the Roarin' 20s gala on Thursday, May 11. The girls, pictured from left to right, are Olivia Clogston, Abigail Leigh, Emily Pickett, Joy Walker, and Sierra Tremblay. The boys, from left to right, are Brodie Gallant, Riley Donovan, Dallas Bradley, and Tyler Smith. Photo courtesy of NCCC

Miller's Thumb opens new exhibit

The Miller's Thumb Gallery begins its seventh season with its opening show, "In the Kingdom of the Animals." Featuring a wide range of works in reverence of the animal world — from boisterous marching penguins to sleepy bears and messenger owls — the works on display will celebrate the human connection with, and responsibility to, the earth's creatures. The exhibit will be on view from Saturday, May 13, through Sunday, July 9, and is free and open to the public.

The Miller's Thumb Gallery exhibits the work of over 100 Vermont artists. This seasonal gallery is located at 14 Breezy Avenue in downtown Greensboro near the shores of Caspian Lake. It is open to the public every day from May 13 through October 31, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

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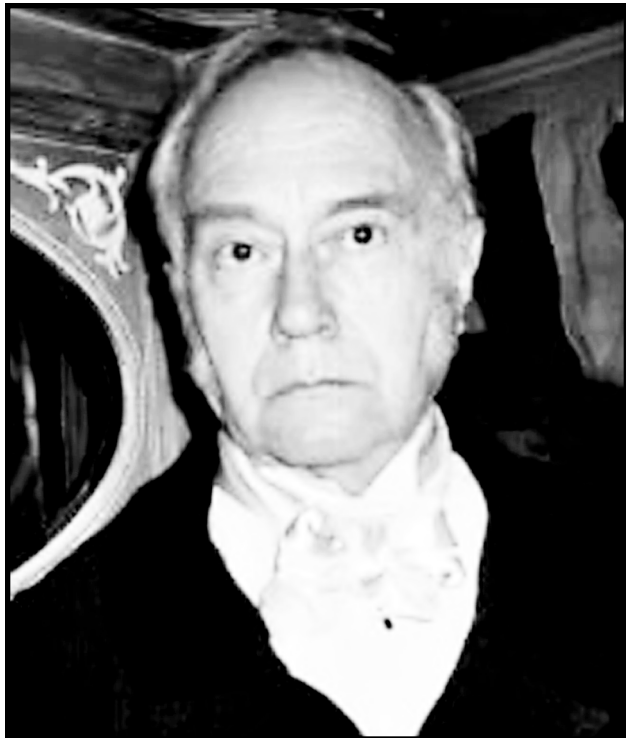
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John Quincy Adams comes to life for First Wednesday series

Jim Cooke portrays *John Quincy Adams: A Spirit Unconquerable!* on Wednesday, May 3, at 7 p.m. at the Goodrich Memorial Library in Newport.

Mr. Cooke was born in Montpelier during the March flood of 1936. In the record books of Vermont weather, this deluge is recalled as the "double flood" and is considered the greatest natural disaster to visit the Connecticut River Valley.

Before solo history captured his focus and attention, Mr. Cooke acted and directed in summer stock as well as at many Boston area theaters. In 1975 he was cast as Calvin Coolidge



Jim Cooke will portray John Quincy Adams at the Goodrich Memorial Library on May 3. Photo courtesy of Goodrich Memorial Library

in an alternative theater production of a new play, *The Calvin Coolidge Follies*. This was soon followed by *Calvin Coolidge: More Than Two Words*, *Daniel Webster: I Still Live!* then, *Edward Everett: The Other Speaker at Gettysburg*.

Taken together with his most recent work on John Quincy Adams, these four men make up a quartet of "cranky Yankees."

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Birth

VANASSE



Jocelyn and Jonathan Vanasse of Irasburg announce the birth of their son Gregory Jon Vanasse. He was born on March 22, 2017, at North Country Hospital in Newport. He is Jocelyn and Jon's second child. Maternal grandparents are Betsy and Martin Fortin of St. Johnsbury, and paternal grandparents are Pauline and Daniel Vanasse of Barton.

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He has also conducted tours in the United Kingdom.

Guests are invited to listen to Mr. Nardoizzi while sipping delicious teas and munch on homemade delicacies all served by our costumed staff. Guests are encouraged, but not required, to come in costume also.

Gardeners or anyone interested should stop in for fun, food, and entertainment at the "Goodrich Tea Room" at 2 p.m., on Saturday, May 13.

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Auditions and interviews will be held in the performance studio of the Highland Center for the Arts in Greensboro. All rehearsals and performances will take place at the center.

They are seeking men and women of all ages from Greensboro, Hardwick, and surrounding areas with a passion for theater, Shakespeare, and the arts. This is a color- and gender-blind casting process. Experience is welcome, but not required.

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For more information and to sign up, please visit the website at www.highlandartsvt.org. — from the Highland Center for the Arts.

NEK Community orchestra to perform at LSC

The Northeast Kingdom Community Orchestra will hold its spring concert on Saturday, May 6, at 7 p.m., in the Alexander Twilight Theater at Lyndon State College.

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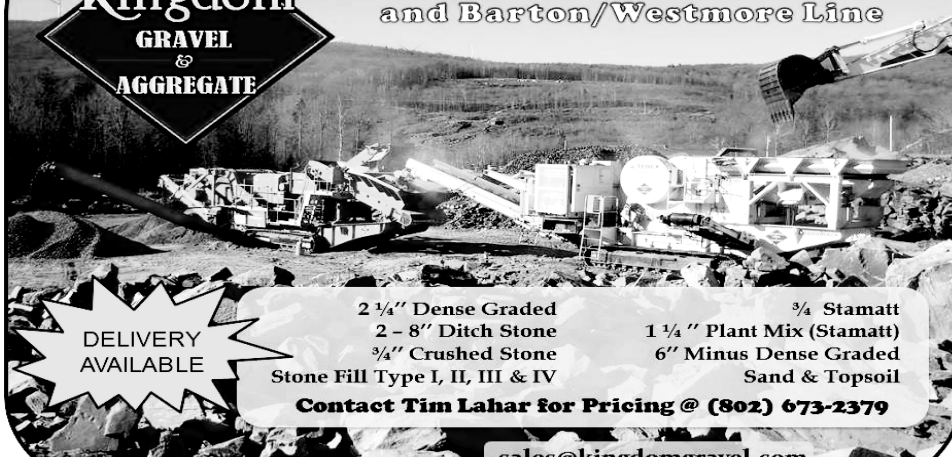
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Worship Schedules

ALBANY

ALBANY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH – "Amen Corner." Rev. Nathan Strong, 754-2790. facebook.com/AlbanyUMChurch. Sunday Worship Service at 10 a.m.

ST. JOHN OF THE CROSS CHURCH – Creek Road, East Albany. Watch for events.

BARTON

BARTON BAPTIST CHURCH – 1859 Glover Road, Barton – 802-525-3624. Pastor Gary Ashton. Sunday School at 10 a.m. Sunday morning service at 11 a.m. Evening service at 6 p.m. Wednesday Bible study at 7 p.m.

BARTON UNITED CHURCH, United Church of Christ & United Methodist Church. Part of the Lake Region Parish. The Rev. Evelyn Coupe. 525-3607. Sundays in May: 11 a.m. Worship & Sunday School.

NORTHEAST KINGDOM QUAKER MEETING – Meets at 10 a.m. on Sundays at the Barton Public Library. For more info, call 525-6638 or 754-2029.

SOLID ROCK ASSEMBLY OF GOD – Church Street, Barton. 525-3888. Interim Pastor Thomas Hood. Sunday Services: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m., all ages; Worship Service, 10:35 a.m.; Evening Worship, 6 p.m. Midweek Bible Study, call for info.

ST. PAUL'S CATHOLIC CHURCH – Saturday evening Mass (May-October only) at 6 p.m. Sunday morning Mass at 10 a.m. See website or call for other Mass times: MostHolyTrinityParishVT.com or 525-3711.

BROWNINGTON

NEW HOPE BIBLE CHURCH OF BROWNINGTON – (Formerly Brownington Center Church.) Pastor Dan Prue Jr., 334-9991. Worship time is Sunday evening at 6:30 p.m. All are welcome to visit and be part of our church family. Handicapped accessible.

BROWNINGTON VILLAGE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH U.C.C. – Organist Mark Violette. Guest preacher on 5/7 is Rev. Jay Sprout. Sunday Worship from 11 a.m.–noon. Coffee fellowship following the service. The church is handicapped accessible and hearing enhancement is available. Everyone is welcome, and parents are encouraged to bring children.

BURKE

EAST BURKE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, UCC – The Rev. Judi Horgan. All are welcome here! "God is still speaking!" Worship Service and Sunday School at 8:45 a.m. Holy Communion the first Sunday of each month.

WEST BURKE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH – The Rev. Danielle Rodrigues, 467-3466. Sunday church service at 10 a.m. Holy Communion first Sunday of each month.

CRAFTSBURY

EAST CRAFTSBURY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH – East Craftsbury Rd., Craftsbury, VT. 802-586-7707. E-mail: epcvvt@gmail.com. Website: www.eastcraftsburypresbyterian.org. Rev. Deborah McKinley, Pastor. Dr. John Weaver, Director of Music Ministry. SUNDAYS: Adult Sunday School at 10 a.m. Worship at 11 a.m. with Children's Sunday School during worship. "Monday Mingling" group meets on Mondays from 10 a.m.–2 p.m. with soup and bread luncheon at noon. All are welcome to bring crafts or games to enjoy with others.

OUR LADY OF FATIMA CATHOLIC CHURCH – Saturday evening Mass at 6 p.m. from Memorial Day to Columbus Day weekend. Our Lady of Fatima is part of the Mary Queen of All Saints Parish in Hardwick. Rev. Claverito Migriño, administrator. 802-472-5544 Holy Rosary on Saturday, May 13, at 6 p.m. outside by the statue, weather permitting, followed by Saturday Vigil Mass at 6:30 p.m., with a May Crowning. Refreshments. For more info, call Jeannine Young at 586-2899 or cda1273@gmtm.com.

UNITED CHURCH OF CRAFTSBURY – an Open and Affirming Congregation; affiliated with the United Church of Christ. Sunday services at 10 a.m. Sunday School offered during worship. Handicapped accessible. No matter who you are or where you are on your spiritual journey, you are welcome. Church phone: 586-8028. www.unitedchurchofcraftsbury.com Find us on Facebook, or e-mail unitedchurchofcraftsbury@gmail.com.

DERBY & DERBY LINE

BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH – 183 Elm St., Derby Line. Pastor Richard Daniels. Sunday School for all ages at 10 a.m. Sunday Service (nursery available) at 11 a.m. PM service, call for information. Wednesday Bible Study at 7 p.m. For more info, call 873-3258.

CHURCH OF GOD – Crawford Road, Derby. Morning Worship 9 a.m., Evening Worship, 6 p.m. Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m. For more information call 334-5916. Pastor Laurence Wall. www.newportcog.com

CORNERSTONE EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH – Quarry Road, past McDonald's. Pastor Glenn Saaman, 334-5282. Sunday School at 9 a.m. and worship at 10:30 a.m. on Sundays.

ST. EDWARD THE CONFESSOR – Saturday at 6 p.m. in the church (Sunday and Holy Day Vigil). Sunday & Holy Day masses at 8:30 a.m. in the church. Weekday masses are Monday and Thursday at 8:30 a.m. in the chapel, Tuesday at 6 p.m. in the chapel, Friday at 6 p.m. in the church. Reconciliation anytime by appointment as well as Saturday 5:30-6 p.m. Fr. Patrick I. Nwachukwu, S.D.V. 802-334-5066.

FIRST UNIVERSALIST PARISH (UJ), DERBY LINE – 112 Main Street, Derby Line. Services each Sunday at 10 a.m. Potluck social hour following service. Handicapped accessible. We are a welcoming congregation. Church phone 873-3563. Church e-mail: 1uuderbyline@gmail.com. Church website: www.derbylineuj.org. May 7th – Speaker Peter Zion on "Universal Basic Income."

DERBY COMMUNITY CHURCH – 3064 U.S. Route 5, Derby, Pastor Mike Haddad. 9:15 a.m. Sunday School for preschool through adults. 10:30 a.m. Worship Service. Care provided for children through five years of age. Call 766-5500 for information about Bible Study, Teen Youth Group, Women's Bible Study, Men's Fellowship Breakfast, and other opportunities waiting for you!

GLOVER & WEST GLOVER

GLOVER COMMUNITY CHURCH & WEST GLOVER CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH – Part of the Lake Region Parish. The Rev. Evelyn Coupe. 525-3607. Sundays in May: Worship at 9:30 a.m. at Glover Community Church.

EAST & WEST CHARLESTON

EAST CHARLESTON CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE – Adult Bible Fellowship and Kids' Bible Club at 10 a.m. Family Worship Service at 11 a.m. For more information or directions, call the church at 723-4824.

FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH – West Charleston. Scott Cianciolo, Pastor. 802-895-4643. Sunday morning worship at 9 a.m. with Sunday School for all ages from 10:45 to 11:30 a.m. Wednesday evening choir practice and potluck fellowship from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m., followed by adult prayer, Bible study, and youth activities from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. All are welcome. Please call for more info.

PLYMOUTH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, EAST CHARLESTON – Interim pastor: Margie Catuogno, (802) 487-9193. Worship Service & Sunday School, 10 a.m. Ramp & elevator available.

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GREENSBORO

ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH – Mass on Sundays at 10:30 a.m. Parish Administrator Fr. Claverito S. Migriño, phone 472-5544.

GREENSBORO UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST – The Rev. Anthony Acheson. Sunday Service at 10 a.m. followed by coffee hour. Sunday School during the school year; child care in the summer. Handicapped accessible (chair lift). All are welcome. 533-2223 or acheson.anthony@gmail.com.

HARDWICK

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH – 39 West Church Street, Hardwick. 802-472-5979. Sunday Service at 10 a.m. Child care available. Coffee hour following the service. Home to the Hardwick Area Food Pantry & winter clothing donations.

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UNITED CHURCH OF HARDWICK – South Main St., Hardwick. Parsonage: 472-6353. Church: 472-6800.

HOLLAND

HOLLAND COMMUNITY CHURCH – Pastor John Genco, 766-2901. Sunday Worship at 10 a.m. Wednesday evening Bible study at 6:30 p.m. Communion first Sunday of every month. Handicapped accessible. Please join us!

IRASBURG

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ST. JOHN VIANNEY CATHOLIC CHURCH – Sunday morning Mass at 8:15 a.m. Parish office: 525-3711. Visit www.MostHolyTrinityParishVT.com for holiday and seasonal Mass times.

UNITED CHURCH OF IRASBURG – Irasburg. Rick Shover, Pastor. (802) 754-8448. Service is at 9:30 a.m. Communion is first Sunday of every month. All are welcome. Handicapped accessible. Children's story hour/childcare available during service. Steeple lights for May are lit in memory of Linda Rae Metcalf Reick from John, Jon, and Jeffery Reick.

TRINITY FAMILY CHURCH – Bible Worship at the Irasburg Grange Hall, Sundays at 9:30 a.m.

NEW HOPE BIBLE CHURCH OF IRASBURG – at the River of Life. Sunday school for all ages at 9 a.m. Sunday Worship at 10 a.m. Pastor George Lawson, 754-2423 and Pastor Dan Prue Jr., 334-9991.



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LOWELL

LOWELL BIBLE CHURCH – Pastor David DiZazzo (673-9459): Sunday Worship & Sunday School at 10 a.m. with coffee hour following service. Wednesday night Bible study at 7 p.m. in Lowell. Thursday night Bible Study at 6:30 p.m. in Newport. Please call for information & directions.

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MORGAN CHURCH – Pastor Mike DeSena. Saturdays Contemporary Service at 6 p.m. with Communion and potluck supper the 3rd Saturday of each month. Traditional Service Sundays at 9 a.m. with Sunday School and Nursery available during the service. Please call 895-4526 for information regarding other activities which include Youth Group and Bible Studies or visit our website at www.themorganchurch.com

NEWPORT

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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY – 362 East Main Street, Newport. Church services on Sundays at 10 a.m. at the church. Wednesday evening meetings (5:30 p.m.) will be Skype through May 1. Anyone who wants to join in on Skype, please call 334-5840 or 334-2051 to be added to the group. All are welcome.

LIFE IN CHRIST FELLOWSHIP – 81 Weaver St., Newport. Apostolic Church. Senior Pastor: Janet Bishop. Associate Pastor: Allan Bishop. Sunday morning worship, 10 a.m. Phone 334-7220 for information. All are welcome!

NEWPORT CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE – 115 Elm Street, Newport. Pastor Paul Prince. You are welcome to join us for Sunday School at 9:45 a.m. (for all ages). Worship Service begins at 11 a.m. Sunday evening service at 6 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Meeting at 7 p.m. Please call the church at 334-2628 for further information. We care about you!

NEWPORT CHURCH OF CHRIST – Corner of Sias Avenue and Prouty Drive, Newport. Sunday Bible Class at 10 a.m.; Worship Service at 11 a.m.; Wednesday Bible Study at 6:30 p.m. All are welcome. Church office phone: 334-2028.

THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS – Eric Pingree, Branch President; Marston Cubit, First Counselor; David Croteau, Second Counselor. Sacrament meeting at 9 a.m. with Sunday School at 10:15 a.m.; Priesthood and Relief Society at 11:10 p.m. The chapel is located at 3417 Darling Hill Road in Derby. 334-5700 or 334-5339.

FAITH LIGHTHOUSE ASSEMBLY OF GOD – 51 Alderbrook Road, Newport. Pastor Sam Gunn. Wednesday study at 6 p.m. Thursday evening prayer at 6 p.m. Sunday morning Bible school at 9:30 a.m. Sunday morning worship at 10:30 a.m. Sunday evening youth group at 6 p.m. (802) 624-3008, e-mail: the.faith.lighthouse@gmail.com

ST. MARK'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH – 44 Second Street, Newport. 334-7365. Rev. Jane Butterfield, interim priest. Sunday Services: Holy Eucharist & Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. Handicapped accessible. Food shelf is open Mondays from 11:20 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

ST. MARY, STAR OF THE SEA – Saturday at 4 p.m., (Sunday and Holy Day Vigil). Sunday & Holy Day masses at 10 a.m. and 7 p.m. Weekday masses are Monday and Thursday at 5:15 p.m., Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at 8 a.m., Saturday at 7:30 a.m. Reconciliation anytime by appointment as well as Saturday 3-4 p.m. Fr. Patrick I. Nwachukwu, S.D.V. 802-334-5066.

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UNITED CHURCH OF NEWPORT – 63 Third Street. 334-6033. Pastor James Merriam. 10 a.m. Sunday Worship Service with nursery for ages 5 years and under. We are a combined United Church of Christ and United Methodist congregation with a tradition of lively music, open-minded exploration, and strong community service. Come and join us to find out how you can serve others while deepening your walk with God. Other activities include choirs, handbells, food shelf, youth group, community lunch, women's fellowship, prayer partners, Bible study, book club, and more!

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ORLEANS

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ORLEANS COUNTY

NORTHEAST KINGDOM QUAKER MEETING – Meets at 10 a.m. on Sundays at 115 Scott Lane, Barton, VT 05822 (just off Burton Hill Rd.) For more info, call 525-6638 or 754-2029.

SHEFFIELD

SHEFFIELD FEDERATED CHURCH – Berry Hill Road. Sean Quinn, Pastor. 802-873-4558. Sunday Worship Services 10:30 a.m.

SUTTON

SUTTON FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH – The Rev. Mark Heinrichs, supply pastor, 525-4214, or church 467-8585. Church services: 9 a.m., Adult Bible Study, Sunday School. 10:15 a.m., Morning Worship. Fridays at 7 p.m., music practice. Fellowship hour after church.

WESTFIELD

WESTFIELD CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH – Main Street (Route 100) in Westfield. We welcome all to worship services and music commencing at 10 a.m. on Sundays. Refreshments and fellowship following services. For questions, call Pastor John Klar at 673-4852.

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WESTMORE COMMUNITY CHURCH CONGREGATIONAL UCC – Grounded in Christ, open to all, with thoughtful worship, lovely music, and fellowship Sundays at 9 a.m., on the shore of Willoughby Lake. The Rev. Martha B. Peck, 334-6075. mbpeck@myfairpoint.net

WHELOCK

THE ROCK – "A Holy Spirit empowered church" meeting at the Wheelock Town Hall on Thursday and Sunday nights at 6 p.m. Pastor: Butch Ainsworth. 1-877-868-7625.

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 3

"BACKYARD BIRDING" OSHER LECTURE

Osher Lifelong Learning Lecture series will hold a lecture on Wednesday, May 3, with Richard Morris presenting "Backyard Birding in Stanstead and Surrounding Areas" from 1 to 2 p.m. Lectures are held at the Emory Hebard State Office Building on Main Street in Newport in the second floor conference room. \$5 walk-in or \$40 for season pass (\$70 for couple). Dessert, tea, coffee, and conversation follows. For more details visit www.learn.uvm.edu/osher or contact Suzi at 673-9499 or suzi_dix@sympatico.ca.

THURSDAY, MAY 4

"RESILIENCE: THE BIOLOGY OF STRESS & THE SCIENCE OF HOPE"

This film screening and panel discussion chronicles the birth of a new movement among pediatricians, therapists, educators and communities, who are using cutting-edge brain science to disrupt cycles of violence, addiction, and disease. Held at North Country Career Center in Newport, Room 308, on Thursday, May 4, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Free popcorn. All are welcome. For more information, call Colleen at 334-6707 or e-mail colleen.mooredeortiz@vermont.gov.

RUMMAGE SALE AT ORLEANS FEDERATED CHURCH

The annual Rummage Sale at the Orleans Federated Church on School Street will be held Thursday, May 4, from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., and Friday, May 5, from 9 to 11 a.m. Everything sold by the bag. Friday is bargain day at \$1 a bag.

RUMMAGE SALE AT TRINITY PARISH HALL IN ORLEANS

The Spring Rummage Sale at the Trinity Parish Hall in Orleans will be Thursday, May 4, from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., and Friday, May 5, from 9 to 11 a.m. Drop off Wednesday, May 3, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Proceeds benefit the Leach Memorial Library in Irasburg. Sponsored by Catholic Financial Life Chapter 395 Orleans VT.

"THE CHANGING LANDSCAPE OF THE NORTHERN FOREST"

The 2017 Summer Forestry and Conservation Series, "The Changing Landscape of the Northern Forest – The Past, The Present, and Things To Come," will be held each month at the Craftsbury Outdoor Center. Each month will feature unique educational presentations about northern forests. Thursday, May 4, at 7 p.m. in the Activity Center will focus on "The Original Forest of Vermont" with Charlie Cogbill. Free and open to the public. For more information, please contact Katie.black@craftsbury.com or visit www.craftsbury.com.

FRIDAY, MAY 5

RUMMAGE SALE IN NEWPORT

The annual Spring Rummage Sale, sponsored by the Friendship Circle of the United Church of Newport, will be held Friday, May 5, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Saturday, May 6, from 9 a.m. to noon, at the church.

SATURDAY, MAY 6

GREEN UP DAY IN JAY

The Town of Jay will hold Green Up Day on Saturday, May 6, starting at 8 a.m. with bags pickup and road assignments at the Jay Town Hall Community Center. Please separate returnables (clear bags) from recyclables (clear bags) from trash (Green Up bags). Place returnables in the Bottle Hut, and take recyclables to the Troy/Jay Recycle, open 9 a.m. to noon on Saturday. Rather than leaving the Green Up bags along the roadside, please bring them to trash dumpster at Jay Town Hall. Please no household garbage. For more information, e-mail Sally Rivard at srivard@ocsu.org or call Peggy Loux at 343-5687, or visit www.jayvt.com.

NEK COMMUNITY ORCHESTRA SPRING CONCERT

The Northeast Kingdom Community Orchestra will hold a Spring Concert on Saturday, May 6, at 7 p.m. at the Alexander Twilight Theater at Lyndon State College, featuring guest conductor Lou Kosma from the Vermont Philharmonic with works by Feux Mendelssohn, Leonard Bernstein, and more.

BACKYARD BEEKEEPING AT THE OLD STONE HOUSE

Bruce Henson is back to teach his popular class for both beginners and experienced beekeepers, at the Old Stone House Museum in Brownington on Saturday, May 6, from 10 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Cost is \$30 or \$25 for museum members. Please bring a lunch. Call the museum at 754-2022 or register online at www.oldstonehousemuseum.org.

100 DAYS OF FREEDOM & UNITY IN MONTGOMERY

100 Days of Freedom and Unity is an all-ages, substance-free event showcasing regional loud hard rocking bands while promoting positive political participation with letter writing and tasty food. Proceeds benefit VT ACLU, VT Refugee Resettlement Program, VT Planned Parenthood, and the Wilderness Society. Bands featured are Grease Face, Angry Us Club, Grand, and Zeus Springsteen. Event will be held on Saturday, May 6, from 6 to 10 p.m. at the Montgomery Grange in Montgomery. Search 100 Days of Freedom & Unity on Facebook for more information.

BROWNINGTON GREEN UP DAY

Green Up Day in Brownington is Saturday, May 6. Green Up bags will be distributed at the school (one bag per family) with additional bags available at the Town Clerk's office. Please pick up trash in the vicinity of your home. Do not pick up needles or hazardous waste; report it to the coordinator at the town garage. Bags can be dropped off at the Brownington Town Garage from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. or leave them along the roadside for pickup. Eight tires per household will be accepted. Children dropping off bags will receive a coupon for a free ice cream at Tim & Doug's in Newport. Make it a family affair!

BARTON/ORLEANS GREEN UP DAY

Green Up Day in Barton/Orleans is Saturday, May 6, rain or shine. Free green bags available at the Barton Town Clerk's Office, E.M. Brown & Son, or J.B. Colton in Orleans. Leave bags on the roadside in Barton or Orleans, or bring to the dumpsters at the Barton town garage, next to recycling, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Free ice cream! No household, yard trash, electronics, furniture, or hazardous waste (metal okay). Call Ozzie or Judy Henchel at 525-3944 to let them know what road you'd like to do.

"GROW YOUR OWN" WORKSHOP IN HARDWICK

Grow Your Own will host a workshop in Hardwick on Saturday, May 6, led by Carol Schminke. This session will be an exploration of the topic of worm composting. The hands-on workshop will be free of charge and held at Atkins Field in Hardwick from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. and will include a shared meal. Pre-registration is mandatory by calling 472-5940 by May 4.

AUDITIONS FOR A MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM IN GREENSBORO

Highland Center for the Arts in Greensboro announces local auditions and crew call for Shakespeare's *A Midsummer Night's Dream* on Saturday, May 6, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Please e-mail info@highlandartsvt.org to schedule an appointment. For more information, call 533-9075 or visit www.highlandartsvt.org/events to learn more about the production, roles/positions available and to sign up for a time slot.

LIVE MUSIC AT THE MUSIC BOX

Christine Malcolm and Honey I'm Home Band will perform country, folk, blues, and rock at The Music Box in Craftsbury on Saturday, May 6, starting at 8 p.m. For more information about the band, visit www.christinemalcolm.com. Contact The Music Box at 586-7533 or www.themusicboxvt.org.

RUMMAGE & BAKE SALE IN MONTGOMERY VILLAGE

There will be a Rummage and Bake Sale on Saturday, May 6, from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the United Methodist Church located at 20 Fuller Bridge Road in Montgomery Village, to benefit the United Methodist Women.

SUNDAY, MAY 7

"AGE OUT LOUD" – HOW BEST TO LIVE OUT LIFE'S JOURNEY

Leah Carey, journalist and writer of *Living with Dying*, and Alexander Twilight Trio with Linda Schneck, harpist and thanatology lecturer, presents "Age Out Loud" – How Best to Live Out Life's Journey on Sunday, May 7, at

NEK Council on Aging, 381 Summer Street, St. Johnsbury. Catered hors d'oeuvres reception follows. Benefits CoA programs. Tickets are \$25 each; please reserve a seat by May 3 by calling 745-1007.

TUESDAY, MAY 9

ONERTA MEETING IN NEWPORT

The first meeting of 2017 of the Orleans Northern Essex Retired Teachers' Association (ONERTA) will be on Tuesday, May 9, at the Eastside Restaurant in Newport. Registration is at 11:15 a.m. with the business meeting to follow. There is a charge for the meal which will be served at 12:15 p.m. The program will be a musical one presented by West Charleston's grades four, five, and six. All retired educators and those who served in related fields in the schools are invited to attend. Contact Elsie Ladue at 334-2494 by Thursday, May 4, to reserve a meal.

NEWPORT ROTARY CLUB PROGRAM & SPEAKER

Meg Burmeister from Northeast Kingdom Council on Aging will be the speaker at the Newport Rotary Club's Program on Tuesday, May 9, at the Gateway Center in Newport. Lunch is at 12:30 p.m. and program starts at 1 p.m. For more information, call Donovan Quarmby at 334-0101 or e-mail dquarmby@pcmed1.com.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 10

"NOT YOUR GRANDFATHER'S AL QAEDA" OSHER LECTURE

Osher Lifelong Learning Lecture series will hold a lecture on Wednesday, May 10, with Daniel Miller presenting "This is not your grandfather's Al Qaeda – Origins, vision, and future trajectory of ISIS" from 1 to 2 p.m. Lectures are held at the Emory Hebard State Office Building on Main Street in Newport in the second floor conference room. \$5 walk-in or \$40 for season pass (\$70 for couple). Dessert, tea, coffee, and conversation follows. For more details visit www.learn.uvm.edu/osher or contact Suzi at 673-9499 or suzi_dix@sympatico.ca.

THURSDAY, MAY 11

ROARIN' '20's THEMED GALA IN NEWPORT

Local North Country Career Center Hospitality students will host a Roarin' '20's Gala on Thursday, May 11, at North Country Career Center in Newport, showcasing hospitality, culinary art, and visual art student talent. There will be hors d'oeuvres, artwork, a photo booth, a silent auction, and fine service. Held as a fundraiser and all proceeds will be donated to the Halo Foundation, a program that helps local families in need while enduring hardships. The gala is open to all community members and tickets are available at the career center main office prior to the event, or purchased at the door for \$10 for students and \$15 for adults. Doors open at 3:30 p.m. and the event runs through 7 p.m.

FRIDAY, MAY 12

RUMMAGE SALE IN ISLAND POND

The First Congregational Church of Brighton will be holding its bi-annual rummage sale on Friday, May 12, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. and Saturday, May 13, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Congregational Church in Island Pond. There will also be a food sale on Saturday.

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Visit: <http://highlandartsvt.org/events/>
to learn more about the production, roles/positions
available, and to sign up for your time slot.

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COMMUNITY TRAIL MAINTENANCE DAY IN JAY

The Jay Community Recreational Centre will hold a Community Trail Maintenance Day on Friday, May 12, from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. and will focus on removal of storm damage blow downs and general trail maintenance. Volunteers receive coffee, doughnuts, water, snacks, and a hot dog lunch, and insect repellent. For more information, visit www.jayvt.com.

SATURDAY, MAY 13

HOLY ROSARY RALLY IN NEWPORT

Join the 100 year Fatima Anniversary Rosary Rally on Saturday, May 13, at noon at Pomerleau Park Newport. For more information, call Leona White at 754-2000 or Mary Staples at 334-6189.

BENEFIT YARD SALE IN DERBY

Felines & Friends Foundation of Vermont will hold a benefit yard sale on Saturday, May 13, at Paul's Sugarhouse in Derby from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Proceeds also help Special Olympics. Lunch and snacks available for purchase. Donations of cat food always welcome! Watch for another sale the following weekend in Newport Center.

POLLINATOR FEST IN HARDWICK

Pollinator Fest will be held Saturday, May 13, at Atkins Field in Hardwick from noon to 4 p.m., free of charge. Come learn about bees, butterflies, and bats with numerous hands-on family activities and workshops, as well as educational forums about pollinator conservation efforts and current legislative efforts.

CRAFT FAIR IN HOLLAND

Everyone is invited to the second annual Spring Has Sprung Craft Fair at the Holland Elementary School on Saturday, May 13, from 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. The craft fair will benefit the local Morgan horse rescue as well as the Halo Foundation fund. Food available and raffle drawings to enter. Outdoor vendor spots still available. Call Jennifer Martin at 895-2900 if interested.

DOWNTON ABBEY TEA AT GOODRICH LIBRARY

The last Downton Abbey Tea at the Goodrich Memorial Library in Newport will be held Saturday, May 13, at 2 p.m. in the "tea room." Charlie Nardozi (as seen on the WCAX news) will speak about English castles and gardens. Free and open to the public, but pre-registration is required as seating is limited. Guests are encouraged, but not required, to come in costume. Stop in or call 334-7902 to register. Handicapped accessible.

"TYRANNY AND HOPE" CONCERT IN GREENSBORO

The Craftsbury Chamber Players present a concert of "Tyranny and Hope," featuring the silenced Russian artists of the Stalinist era with special guest M.T. Anderson, at the Highland Center for the Arts in Greensboro on Saturday, May 13, at 7:30 p.m. Free to the public, but donations gratefully accepted. For more information, visit www.craftsburychamberplayers.org or call 1-800-639-3443.

SUNDAY, MAY 14

HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!

MOTHER'S DAY BRUNCH IN MORRISVILLE

There will be a Mother's Day Brunch at the VFW Post 9653 on Pleasant Street in Morrisville on Sunday, May 14, from 8 to 10:30 a.m. Cost is \$10 for adults, \$5 for children under ten. Proceeds benefit the VFW Auxiliary to Post 9653.

REGISTRATION REQUESTED

BINGO FUNDRAISER AT PAUL'S SUGARHOUSE

There will be a Bingo fundraiser at Paul's Sugarhouse in Derby on Saturday, May 21, to benefit Donna Chizmar's cancer treatments. Doors open at 10 a.m. and Bingo starts at 1 p.m. There will also be a 50/50 raffle and bake sale. For more information or to order raffle tickets, contact Lisa at 766-2153 or Michelle at 334-1571, or find the benefit on Facebook. Raffle winners do not need to be present to win.

NEWPORT CITY-WIDE YARD SALE

The city-wide yard sale in Newport will be held Memorial Day Weekend, May 27 and 28. You may host a yard sale at your own location or host your sale in a vendor space at the Newport Municipal Building. For more information on selling in the yard sale, visit www.newportrecreation.org/city-wide-yard-sale.

ANNUAL RHONDA LIBBY TRAIL RIDE

The seventh annual Rhonda Libby Memorial Trail Ride will take place on Saturday, June 10, starting at 9:30 a.m. at Lesa Johnson's house (617 Wheelock Road) in Sutton. This is a beautiful scenic horseback woods ride with plenty of fresh water on the trails. Keep Rhonda's memory alive by doing something she loved, and proceeds go to local animal rescue groups. \$25 registration fee includes lunch. Pre-register by June 7 by calling Connie at 525-4003, Deb Libby at 754-2587, Lesa Johnson at 427-3031, Pam White at 754-8416, or Wayne Libby at 754-2139. You must provide your own horse. Non riders can make a donation or pledge someone who is riding.

SPRINT TRIATHLON AROUND LAKE MEMPHREMAGOG

Newport Parks & Recreation is hosting the fourth annual Sprint Triathlon in and around Lake Memphremagog on Saturday, June 24, starting at 9 a.m. at Prouty Beach in Newport. Athletes will begin with a half mile swim, transition to a 13 mile bike ride, and finish with a three mile run. Registrations for individuals and relay teams are currently being accepted. Visit newportsprinttri.weebly.com for more information and to register.

HOST FAMILIES NEEDED IN HARDWICK

The Chinese Cultural Camp is back! Somewhere between July 20 and August 10, there will be 30 high school students from China coming to learn about our culture. The cultural camp will be held at Hazen Union in Hardwick. Chinese students will be here approximately 11 days. Requirements include transporting students to and from school on weekdays, providing two meals a day, providing an adequate sleeping setup, and enjoying the opportunity for cultural exchange. There is a stipend for hosting. For more information or to participate, contact Anna Crytzer at acrytzer@ossu.org or call 525-4292.

GREATER BARTON ARTS FREE ART CAMPS FOR KIDS

Art Camp for Kids schedule for summer 2017 as follows: Elementary school students, July 24 to 28; middle and high school students, July 31 to August 4; and advanced youth art camp, August 7 to 11. Art Camp curriculum is focused on drawing for beginning and experienced learners using various media. The Advanced Youth Art Camp will emphasize painting and color theory. In addition, Greater Barton Arts will offer classes for adults and seniors; schedule and meeting locations to be announced. For more information and to register, call Adrien Helm at adriehelm@gmail.com or call (727) 459-6534.

VERMONT FAMILY THEATRE SUMMER CAMPS

Sign up for Vermont Family Theatre Summer Camps at www.vermontfamilytheatre.weebly.com or call VFT at 754-2187. **June 19-24**, Morrisville, *A Disney Musical* (all ages and skill levels); **June 26-30**, Morrisville, *Pirates of Penzance* (4th grade through high school); **July 3-7**, (no camp July 4), Irasburg, *Storybook Theatre Camp* (ages 4-9); **July 10-15**, Irasburg, *Disney's Mulan Jr.* (ages 7-14, not for beginners); **July 17-21**, Newport/Derby, *Disney's Aristocats Kids* (all ages and skill levels); **July 24-30**, Orleans, Apprentice Camp & Advance Campers; **July 31-August 4**, Orleans, *Storybook* (ages 4-9) *Princess & Knights Tales*; **August 7-20**, adult/teen main stage production of *Oklahoma*. Not a camp. Rehearses mostly evenings.

VENDORS WANTED FOR WESTMORE DAY

Vendors are wanted for Westmore Day, Sunday, July 2, from noon to 4 p.m. in Westmore. Spaces are \$20 plus a donation for the auction. Call Gail Brown at 525-4179 or Betty Blair at 525-6613 for more information and to reserve a space.

VENDORS WANTED FOR ANTIQUES & UNIQUES FESTIVAL

The annual Antiques and Uniques Festival in Craftsbury Common will take place on Saturday, July 8. A vendor application is available online at www.townofcraftsbury.com/antiques-uniquest. More information about the festival can be found on Facebook under [antiquesuniquestv](https://www.facebook.com/antiquesuniquestv).

CRAFTERS WANTED FOR CRAFT SHOW IN DERBY

The Dailey Memorial Library is seeking crafters to participate in its Summer Craft Show to be held on the Derby Green on Saturday, August 5, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Anyone who would like to have a booth is asked to contact the library at 766-5063 or e-mail daileylibrary@gmail.com for information or an application. **Deadline to apply is June 1.**

ONGOING EVENTS

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ADULT LEARNING CENTER FREE SERVICES

Northeast Kingdom Learning Services Community Education Center on 1 Main Street in Newport offers GED preparation and GED testing, High School Completion Plans for teens (16 years and older) and adults, preparation for standardized tests such as the AccuPlacer for CCV or the ParaPro for public school teaching; basic computer skills instruction; academic skills assessment in reading, writing and math; and instructions in most academic disciplines. All adult education services are free of charge to the student. The tutorial program offers tutoring services at an hourly rate for grades K-12. The adult learning center is open Monday through Thursday from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.; tutorial services K-12 are scheduled by appointment. For more information, call 334-2839.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

AA meetings are held in Newport, St. Johnsbury, and most towns in the Northeast Kingdom. For detailed information call AA at 334-1213 or toll free at (877) 334-1213, or visit www.aavt.org and click on "District 3." Also visit www.aavt.org and click on "District 3" for a comprehensive schedule.

AL-ANON MEETING IN CRAFTSBURY COMMON

Thursdays at 6 p.m., at the United Church in Craftsbury Common. Discussion.

AL-ANON MEETING IN DERBY

Saturdays from 6 to 7 p.m., at Newport Church of God, Crawford Road in Derby. If your life is affected because someone you love has an addiction, Al-Anon can help. Offering understanding, support, and a community that understands how you feel.

AL-ANON MEETING IN NEWPORT

Tuesdays at 7 p.m. at St. Mark's Episcopal Church parish house on Second Street in Newport. Discussion meeting is open to anyone whose life is affected by someone's addictions. Newcomers welcome.

ALZHEIMER'S CAREGIVERS SUPPORT GROUP

For those dealing with family members or friends diagnosed with Alzheimer's or other related dementia. Informal gathering. All welcome.

NEWPORT - Caregivers support group meets every fourth Tuesday from 6:30 to 8 p.m. at North Country Hospital in Newport, 2nd floor waiting room (Room 221). For further information, call (800) 272-3900 or e-mail suzi_dix@sympatico.ca.

ST. JOHNSBURY - Caregivers support group meets last Monday of each month at the Northeastern Vermont Regional Hospital, room 244, in St. Johnsbury. For further information, call Pam at the NEK Council on Aging at 748-5182, or 1-800-642-5119.

AMERICAN LEGION BARTON POST #76 MEETINGS

First Wednesday of every month at 7 p.m., at the Legion Hall in the Barton Memorial Building.

AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY MEETINGS

Second Wednesday of every month at 4 p.m., at the Legion Hall in the Barton Memorial Building. For more information, call Patsy Tompkins at 525-6565.

AMERICAN LEGION NEWPORT POOL TOURNAMENT

The American Legion in Newport is holding an 8 Ball Pool Tournament on Mondays. 6 p.m. practice, 7 p.m. play. Double elimination, BCA rules. 8 players or less, pay two places; 9 players or more, pay three places. For more information, call 334-2374.

AMERICAN RED CROSS ORLEANS VOLUNTEER DISASTER ACTION TEAM MEETINGS

The American Red Cross Orleans Volunteer Disaster Action Team (DAT) meetings are held the third Monday of each month at 6 p.m. in the Legion Hall at the Barton Municipal Building. If interested in volunteering or for more information, call Mickey Richards at 525-4416.

BARTON SENIOR CENTER

Located downstairs at the Barton Memorial Building. Square dancing each Tuesday from 1 to 3 p.m.; Breakfast Club meets each Tuesday and Thursday at 9 a.m.; Exercise Classes/Tai Chi 9 a.m.; and Growing Stronger class at 10 a.m. 525-4400, bartonseniorcenter@gmail.com

BINGO IN LOWELL

Bingo is held every Thursday at 6:30 p.m. at the St. Ignatius Hall on Hazen Notch Road in Lowell. Sponsored by the Troy and Area Lions Club. Progressive jackpot starting at \$500. Dinner available.



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BOBBIN MILL PLAYERS MUSIC JAM SESSIONS

The Bobbin Mill Players will hold music jam sessions every Wednesday morning from 8 to 11 a.m. at the Lowell St. Ignatius Parish Hall. **Other music events include:** First Friday evening of the month at the Lowell Fire Station from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m.; Second Sunday afternoon at the Glover Town Hall from 1 to 4 p.m.; Third Friday evening at the Charleston Elementary School from 6 to 9 p.m.; Fourth Friday evening at the Derby Line Town Hall from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m.; Fifth Friday evening (when there is a fifth Friday) at the Barton Memorial Building from 7 to 10 p.m. For more information, call Millie at 334-2598.

BONE BUILDERS BALANCING & STRENGTHENING CLASS

An RSVP Bone Builders Balancing and Strengthening Class meets weekly on Thursdays from 10:30 to 11:30 p.m. with the Troy and Area Lions Club weekly community mealsite following at noon. Located at the Westfield Community Center on North Hill Road. For more information, call 744-2484.

BRIDGE LEAGUES IN BARTON & NEWPORT

BARTON: Meets Mondays at 12:30 p.m. at the Barton Chambers Apartments. Come with a partner.

NEWPORT: Meets Wednesdays at 1 p.m. at the Gateway Center. Everyone must come with a partner. Learner's Group continues Wednesday mornings at 10 a.m. at the library in Newport, and all are welcome to drop in. For more information, contact Pat Hunt at pat.hunt@kingcon.com.

CCV JOB HUNT HELPER TO OFFER CAREER SERVICES

Community College of Vermont (CCV) Job Hunt Helper Amber Minnie is available at the Goodrich Memorial Library in Newport for six hours a week to offer career services to library patrons and job seekers. Find employment opportunities in the area, write a resume and cover letter, apply for jobs online, assess skills and interests, use the Internet to explore career opportunities, and learn about education and training programs. Ms. Minnie will be available on Mondays from 10 a.m. to noon, Wednesdays from 3 to 5 p.m., and Fridays from 4 to 6 p.m. For more information, call 334-7902.

COMMUNITY MEAL IN NEWPORT

A free Community Meal will be held the third Thursday of every month at noon, at the United Church of Newport on Third Street. All welcome.

CORNUCOPIA COMMUNITY/SENIOR MEAL IN NEWPORT

Cornucopia Community/Senior Meal will be served every Friday from noon to 1 p.m. at Cornucopia, 125 Main Street, #3 (rear door entrance off parking lot between Coventry and Center Streets). Come at 11 a.m. for cards, board games, or just to socialize and make new friends. Community members of all ages are invited to enjoy a warm, well balanced meal prepared by Cornucopia Culinary Trainees. For more information, contact Cornucopia at 487-9380.

COUNTRY ACOUSTIC JAM IN BURKE

There will be a Country Acoustic Jam held every third Sunday of the month from 1 to 4 p.m. at the Burke Community Building. Everyone with special musical or singing talents are encouraged to participate. Come to listen or join in on the fun. \$3 donation at the door. Door prizes and 50/50 raffle. All proceeds benefit the Burke Senior Meal Site. Snacks and beverages available. For more information, call Therese Stone at 525-3412 or the Senior Meal Site at 467-3423 or the Town Office at 467-3717.

CPR & FIRST AID CLASSES OFFERED BY BARTON AMBULANCE SQUAD

Barton Ambulance Squad is still offering CPR and First Aid classes for the public. Classes are taught by certified instructors who make classes fun while giving you knowledge and skills you may need to save a life one day. Four instructors are available so a large class is possible, but not necessary. They also work one-on-one. For prices and more information call 525-3637.

CRAFTSBURY COMMUNITY SUPPERS

Members of the United Church of Craftsbury in Craftsbury Common will offer free evening suppers on the third Wednesday of each month at 6 p.m. Open to all. Donations appreciated but not required. For more information, call 586-8028.

DANCE AT BEEBE TOWN HALL

Come dance with us at the Beebe Town Hall in Beebe, Quebec, every Saturday from 7 to 11 p.m. Country western band. Also square dancing. Light refreshments and door prizes. For more information, call (819) 876-2021.

DIABETES SUPPORT GROUP MEETING

The Diabetes Support Group will meet on the third Thursday of every month from 5:30 to 7 p.m. in the meeting room at North Country Hospital in Newport. For more information or to confirm your presence, call Barbara Grant at 334-4155.

DO DROP IN MEAL SITE IN NEWPORT CENTER

The Do Drop In Meal Site at the Newport Center Fire Department on Cross Road is open on Mondays from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Games played before lunch, lunch at noon, bingo played after. For more information or reservations, call 334-6443.

EXPERIMENTAL AIRCRAFT ASSOCIATION

The EAA meets every first Monday of the month at 7 p.m. at the Caledonia County Airport in Lyndonville. All are welcome to attend. All that you need is an interest in aviation. Each meeting begins with a short business session where we discuss the minutes and reports from our chapter's previous meeting, plus our past and future events. We then move on to something educational, such as aircraft maintenance, safety, members' projects, or speakers and documentary movies from EAA Headquarters in Oshkosh, Wisconsin.

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Meets on Fridays at 9:30 a.m., at 55 Seymour Lane, Newport, in the Community Justice living room. A warm, safe place where women can find support for facing challenges and learn some new strategies for addressing life's complications and problems. All welcome. No qualifications or criteria.

GRANDPARENTS 'N' KIN RAISING "GRAND" KIDS

Meets second Wednesday of the month from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. at North Country Career Center, 209 Veterans Avenue, room 380, in Newport. For more information and to notify of your attendance, contact group leader Angela Blais at Head Start/Early Head Start by leaving a message at 525-3362, extension 201. Dinner provided. Childcare provided upon request.

"GROWING STRONGER" STRENGTH CLASSES FOR 40+

Sponsored by the NEK Council on Aging. Meets at the Church of God on Crawford Road in Derby on Mondays & Thursdays from 2 to 3 p.m. Call Jenny at 748-5182 for more info or visit www.nekcouncil.org.

"GROW YOUR OWN" GATHERINGS IN HARDWICK

Grow Your Own (GYO) gatherings will be held at the Center for an Agricultural Economy (CAE) in Hardwick from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. on the first Saturday of each month and will include a shared meal. For more information and to reserve a spot, contact Ms. Dale-Brown at 472-5940 or e-mail ruby.dalebrown@gmail.com, or Bethany Dunbar at 472-5362, extension 214, or Bethany@hardwickagriculture.org.

IMMUNIZATION CLINIC IN NEWPORT

Fourth Tuesday of every month from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., at Department of Health in Emory Hebard State Office Building at 100 Main Street, Suite 220, in Newport. Free. Walk in or call for an appointment at 334-4386. All childhood vaccinations are offered. Adult immunizations included are: Hepatitis A and B, Pneumococcal, TdPa, Tetanus, and Measles.

JAY COMMUNITY RECREATIONAL CENTRE

Located on Cross Road in Jay. Open to all area residents and visitors for free cross-country skiing, snowshoeing, and hiking in the winter, and mountain biking, hiking, and walking in the summer. Link to site map at www.jayvt.com and topofvt.com under discover/map. Site maps available locally in Jay and at Jay Town Clerk's Office. User guidelines: Please leave no trace in this special place. Pack it in, pack it out. Leash your dog, bury dog waste away from trails. Respect other users. No motorized vehicles. No fires of any kind. As this is a big hunting area, it is advisable to wear orange. Enjoy at your own risk!

JOURNEY TO RECOVERY COMMUNITY CENTER

Located at 58 Third Street in Newport. **Making Recovery Easier** meets Tuesdays from 10 to 11:30 a.m. **Art Group** meets Tuesdays from 2:30 to 4 p.m. **All Recovery** meets Thursdays from 2 to 3 p.m. For more information, e-mail Kathlene Douglass at Kathlene.journey2recovery@gmail.com.

LINE DANCING CLASS IN DERBY

Learn to line dance with Mo Profera at The Rec, located at Coutts-Moriarty 4-H Camp in Derby on Tuesdays through April 11, from 2 to 3 p.m. No experience necessary, but pre-registration is required. Call 766-5560 to register or for more information.

LINE DANCING IN WEST BURKE

Line dancing is held in West Burke at the meal site on the first and third Wednesdays of each month from 1 to 3 p.m. Everyone welcome. \$3 donation. For more information, call Therese Stone at 525-3412.

LINE DANCING IN TROY

Line dancing classes for exercise and enjoyment are held every Wednesday from 6 to 7 p.m. at the Catholic Church Parish Hall, 130 South Pleasant Street, in North Troy. No partner needed and all levels of experience are welcome. If you can count to four, you can line dance! \$5 per person. For more information, call Pat Sanders at 988-4193.

NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS MEETING IN HARDWICK

Every Wednesday night at 7 p.m. at Saint John the Baptist Episcopal Church on West Church Street in Hardwick. All are welcome. NA is for people who wish to try our program of complete abstinence from all drugs. This includes alcohol on an equal status with opiates or cocaine. The disease is addiction, not specific to any one particular drug. For more information, call 535-5042.

NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS MEETING IN NEWPORT

Narcotics Anonymous meetings are on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 7 p.m. On Tuesday the location is North Country Hospital located at 189 Proudy Drive in Newport in the surgery waiting room on the main floor of the hospital. On Thursday the location is The Church of God at 295 Crawford Road in Derby. Enter through the main front doors of the church. For more information, call 895-4757.

NEK CAMERA CLUB

The NEK Camera Club meets on the first Tuesday of each month at the Cobleigh Public Library on Main Street in Lyndonville from 6 to 8 p.m. This is an amateur photography club. For more information, call Casey at 754-2616.

NEK MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS SUPPORT GROUP

The NEK Multiple Sclerosis Support Group will meet the first Wednesday of the month from 9:30 a.m. to noon, at North Country Hospital in the meeting room next to the library. For more information, call Stella at 766-0103.

NEWPORT AREA COMMUNITY ORCHESTRA

The Newport Area Community Orchestra has openings for oboe, violin, viola, cello and string bass. We are a growing and well-established community orchestra located in the NEK of Vermont. The orchestra plays two concerts each year, one in the fall and one in the spring. For more information, please contact us at 766-3021 or www.newportareacommunityorchestra.org. Rehearsals are on Tuesday evenings from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. at the First Universalist Parish in Derby Line.

NORTH COUNTRY QUILTERS

Regular monthly meetings are held the first Tuesday of every month at 6:30 p.m., at the Church of God on Crawford Road in Derby. New members are welcome.

NORTHEAST KINGDOM COMMUNITY ACTION ASSISTANCE

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ISLAND POND: 70 Cross St., Island Pond, VT 05846. 723-6425. Hours: Tuesday 10 a.m. to noon.

ST. JOHNSBURY: 115 Lincoln St., St. Johnsbury, VT 05819. 748-6040. Hours: Monday through Friday 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

OSTEOPOROSIS EDUCATION & SUPPORT GROUP

The National Osteoporosis Foundation Better Bones of the Northeast Kingdom group meets on the first Saturday of most months, at 1 p.m., in the Community Room at the Community National Bank in Derby (accessed from Crawford Road). Free and open to the public. All welcome. Refreshments. Learn from a variety of guest speakers and medical specialists. To register or for more information, contact Mary King, RN, BSN, at 535-2011 or Mary@BetterBonesNEK.org, or visit www.BetterBonesNEK.org.

OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS MEETING

Overeaters Anonymous (OA) offers a 12-step program of recovery for the physical, emotional, and spiritual aspects of compulsive eating. Derby meeting Saturdays from 10 to 11 a.m., at Derby Community National Bank training center on Crawford Road (behind the bank). Big Book study meeting follows from 11:15 a.m. to noon. For more information, call 673-5621.

PLAY WORLD & NEKCA PLAYGROUP IN BARTON

Play World, sponsored by Building Bright Futures, and NEKCA Barton Early Head Start Playgroup, is held Fridays from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. at the Central Orleans Family Education Center (COFEC) in Barton. For more information, call 525-6291.

RSVP BONE BUILDING & STRENGTHENING CLASSES

Offered twice a week: at the Jay Community Center on Tuesdays from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. and at the Westfield Community Center on Thursdays from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. A free exercise class to prevent or reverse osteoporosis. Classes consist of a variety of exercises to improve balance and increase strength. Participants start out using very light weights which are gradually increased as strength develops. Weights provided. For more information, contact Maureen Mcguire at 334-7746 or mamcguire77@gmail.com.

SENIOR DINING AT DERBY ELKS CLUB

Derby Senior Meals are held at noon every second Thursday at the Elks Lodge #2155 on the Newport-Derby Road in Derby. By donation. For more information, call the Northeast Kingdom Council on Aging's nutrition coordinators Jenny Patoine or Lallie Mambourg at 748-5182.

SENIOR DINING IN GLOVER

Lunch is served at noon on Mondays and Tuesdays on the lower level of the Glover Town Hall, 3018 Glover Street. Suggested donation by seniors is \$3.50; for those younger than 60, \$5. For more information, call the NEK Council on Aging's Nutrition Coordinator Lallie Mambourg at 1-800-642-5119.

SOUPER LUNCH AT ST. MARK'S IN NEWPORT

St. Mark's Episcopal Church on Second Street in Newport holds a free community Souper Lunch from noon to 1 p.m. on the last Tuesday of every month. All are welcome.

SQUARE DANCING IN BARTON

Square dancing will be held every Thursday from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Barton Senior Center. Judy Clifford will be the caller/instructor. Call 525-4400 for more information.

STAMP CLUB IN NEWPORT

The Memphremagog Stamp Club meets on the second and fourth Thursdays of every month from 7 to 9 p.m. at CALLICO, 326 Bluff Road, Newport. All stamp collecting interests are welcome. For more information, call 334-6001.

SURVIVORS OF SUICIDE SUPPORT GROUP

Third Thursday from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. at Faith Lighthouse Church on Route 105 in Newport (105 Alderbrook). A support group for those who have lost someone to suicide and wish to have a safe place to talk, share, and spend a little time with others who have had a similar experience. For more information, call Mary Butler at 744-6284.

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TAI CHI CLASS

A Tai Chi Class (Bagua meditation) will be offered on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays from 6 to 7 p.m. Call Marc Bourdelle at 525-1234 for locations and more information.

TAI CHI IN BARTON

Leader Brenda Lowther is teaching Tai Chi for Arthritis and Falls Prevention at the Barton Senior Center on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 9 a.m. The Arthritis Foundation Thai Chi Program, developed by Dr. Paul Lam, uses gentle Sun-style Tai Chi routines that are safe, easy to learn, and suitable for every fitness level. For more information, call 525-4400.

TOPS MEETING AT BARTON LIBRARY

TOPS VT #82 Barton meets every Monday at Barton Public Library. A fun, informative way to learn how to take off pounds sensibly. Weigh-ins, 5 to 5:45 p.m.; meetings, 5:45 to 6:30 p.m. For further information, call 525-3685.

TOPS MEETING AT ISLAND POND PUBLIC LIBRARY

TOPS VT #135 Island Pond meets every Monday at Island Pond Public Library. Weigh-ins from 4:30 to 4:45 p.m.; meeting from 4:45 to 5:30 p.m. For further information, call Bev at 723-5907 or e-mail tombusa@hotmail.com.

VAN SERVICE FROM WESTMORE TO BARTON

Every first and third Tuesday of each month there will be van service from Westmore to Barton. 10:30 a.m. pickup at the old Town Clerk's office; 1:30 p.m. return trip to Westmore. Free to residents age 60 or older. For more information, call Mary at 525-4128 or the Area Agency on Aging at 334-2190.

VAN SERVICE TO SENIOR MEALS IN BARTON

Every Thursday there is van service to senior meals in Barton. The pickup schedule is as follows: 11:25 a.m., Mountain View Apartments; 11:30 a.m., Congress Court; 11:35 a.m., Monitor Manor; 11:40 a.m., Hillcrest; 11:45 a.m., Memorial Building; 11:50 a.m., Park Street trailer park. For more information, call Brenda Sargent at 525-4400.

WEDNESDAY POETS

Wednesday Poets, a poetry writing workshop, will continue for its fourth season at 6:30 p.m. at the Barton Public Library on Wednesdays. Weekly sessions run until 8:30 p.m. This workshop features writing and sharing (or not) in a relaxed and supportive space. Veteran and beginning poets make up the group; no prior experience is required. Materials and refreshments provided. For more information, call Adrien Helm at 525-3740.

WESTFIELD COMMUNITY MEAL SITE

Every Thursday at noon at the Westfield Community Center (North Hill Road/School St.). Suggested donation \$4 with the 2nd Thursday of the month free. Free RSVP Bone Builders Balancing and Strengthening Class meets weekly before the meal from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. Following lunch, join the fun and play Bingo! Sponsored by the Troy and Area Lions Club. For more information, call 744-2484.

WII BOWLING IN WEST BURKE

Wii Bowling is held in West Burke at the The Meal Site on the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month from 1 to 3 p.m. Everyone welcome. By donation. For more information, call Therese Stone at 525-3412 or 467-3423.

LIBRARY ACTIVITIES

ALBANY TOWN LIBRARY

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BARTON PUBLIC LIBRARY

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COBLEIGH PUBLIC LIBRARY

70 Depot Street, Lyndonville. Hours: Monday, noon-5 p.m.; Tuesday and Thursday, noon-7 p.m.; Wednesday and Friday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; Saturday, 9 a.m.-1 p.m. For further information and programs, call the library at 626-5475. www.cobleighlibrary.org

CRAFTSBURY PUBLIC LIBRARY

Church Lane, Craftsbury Common. 586-9683. crafsburylibrary@gmail.com. www.craftsburypubliclibrary.org. Hours: Tuesday, 10 a.m.-8 p.m.; Wednesday, 9 a.m.-noon; Thursday, 2-6 p.m.; Friday, 10 a.m.-8 p.m.; Saturday, 9 a.m.-noon; and Sunday, 11 a.m.-1 p.m. **Friday Story Time:** 10 a.m., up to age 6. **Friday Lego Club** for children 5 to 12 years old, 3-4:30 p.m. **Story Hour:** for children birth to 5 years and families on Tuesdays at 10 a.m.

DAILEY MEMORIAL LIBRARY

101 Junior High Drive, Derby Center. *Currently undergoing construction. Closing at current location at 3 p.m. on Saturday, May 6, and reopening for the summer on Tuesday, May 23, at the Derby Community Church on Route 5 in Derby.* Hours will be Tuesdays & Thursdays from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., and Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Preschool Story Time will still be Tuesday mornings from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. No family movie night over the summer. Trustee meetings will still be the last Wednesday of the month at 6 p.m. For more information, call the library at 766-5063, visit www.daileymemoriallibrary.org or check Facebook page.

GLOVER PUBLIC LIBRARY

51 Bean Hill Road, Glover. 525-6524 or 525-4365. www.gloverlibrary.org. Hours: Monday through Thursday, 1-6 p.m.; Saturday 10 a.m.-noon. **Story Hour:** Fridays at 10 a.m. **Cook & A Book Discussion:** Call for book and date. **Children's literature discussion group** for adults: Call to sign up. **Arm Chair Chats** meets the third Thursday of each month at 7 p.m. For more information, call library coordinator Toni Eubanks at 525-4365.

GOODRICH MEMORIAL LIBRARY

202 Main Street, Newport. 334-7902. www.goodrichlibrary.org. Hours: Monday through Friday, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. **Board of Trustees** meeting monthly, Tuesdays at 2 p.m. **Book discussion group** held third Thursday of each month at 1 p.m. **Chess Club** meetings held each Thursday at 3:30 p.m. **Job Hunt Helper** from CCV is available Mondays from 3 to 5 p.m., Wednesdays from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., and Saturdays from 1 to 3 p.m.

GREENSBORO FREE LIBRARY

53 Wilson Street, Greensboro. 533-2531. greensborofree@yahoo.com, www.greensborofreeibrary.org Librarian Mary Metcalf. Hours: Sundays 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.; closed Mondays; Tuesdays from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.; closed Wednesdays; Thursdays and Fridays from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., and Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. **Story Hour for Children:** at Four Seasons Learning, Fridays at 10 a.m.; **Story Time** for ages 0-6 every Thursday at 10 a.m.; and for ages 6-12 every Tuesday at 10 a.m.

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1252 VT Route 100, Westfield. 744-2484. Hours: Tuesday & Thursday 1-5 p.m.; Sunday 11 a.m.-3 p.m. (Sept. through May). Visit the Hitchcock Museum/Library page at www.westfield.vt.gov and on Facebook at Town of Westfield, Vermont for up-to-date activity listings.

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93 North Main Street; P.O. Box 536, Hardwick. 472-5948. www.jeudevinememoriallibrary.org. Hours: Monday and Wednesday, 1-7 p.m.; Tuesday and Thursday, 1-5 p.m.; Friday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; and Saturday, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.; closed Sunday. All programs are free and open to the public. For more information, please call the library at 472-5948 or visit jeudevinememoriallibrary.org

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Old Firehouse, 59 Mill Street, downtown Hardwick. 472-6857. www.graceart.org. Gallery hours are Monday through Thursday, 10 a.m.–4 p.m. **Community Workshops** are held weekly on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, and are open to all community members.

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109 Old Stone House Road, Brownington. 754-2022. info@oldstonehousemuseum.org. www.oldstonehousemuseum.org. Museum is closed until May 15, but the Alexander Twilight Visitors' Center and gift shop are open year-round, Wednesday–Sunday, 11 a.m.–5 p.m. Closed Monday and Tuesday. Craft Circles (all welcome!): **Spinner's Circle** meets in the Samuel Read Hall House on the third Thursday of the month at noon, May through October. Call 754-2022 for more info. **Quilter's Circle** meets the fourth Wednesday of every month from 1 to 3 p.m.

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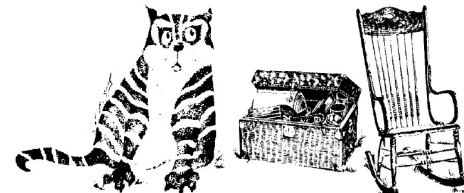
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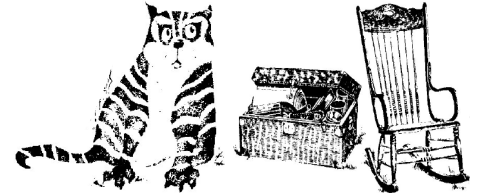
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VSO brings musical petting zoo to Newport Elementary



The Vermont Symphony Orchestra brought its "petting zoo" presentation to Newport City Elementary School on March 30. The petting zoo travels with brass, woodwind, string, and percussion instruments to give school children a hands-on experience touching and playing musical instruments. Pictured here, VSO presenter Rebecca Kopycinski plays Pan pipes for the children as second-grade teacher Tammy Wiggett looks on.

Photos courtesy of Cindy Stone

Pictured at left, fourth-grader Jeffrey St. Onge takes a turn on the harp.

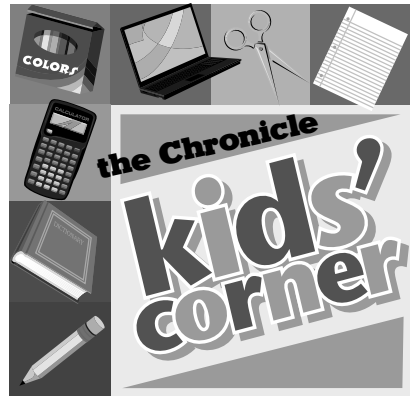


Dawn Lemay can hardly contain her joy as she tries out a drum with help from fourth-grader Serena Gilbert.



It's hard to laugh and play at the same time, but Jazmin Wells tries her best giving a blow on a slide trombone with assistance from Jenna Laramie.

HEY KIDS! HERE'S SOMETHING JUST FOR YOU!



Creative Coloring

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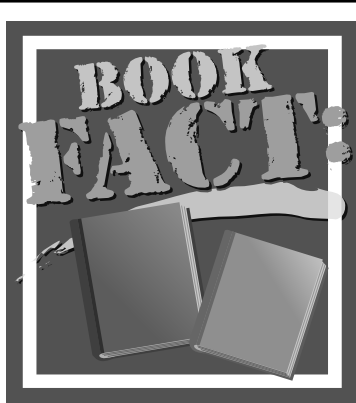


THIS DAY IN...



HISTORY

- 1809: MARY KIES BECOMES THE FIRST WOMAN TO BE AWARDED A U.S. PATENT.
- 1891: THE MUSIC HALL, LATER RENAMED "CARNEGIE HALL," OPENS IN NEW YORK CITY.
- 1961: ALAN SHEPARD BECOMES THE FIRST AMERICAN IN SPACE.



MANY CHILDREN BEGIN LEARNING TO DO THIS BETWEEN AGES OF 4 AND 6.

ANSWER: READ

New word

SUMMARY

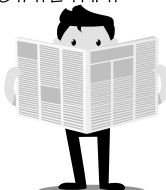
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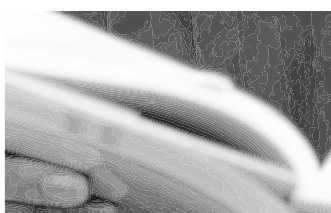
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- SPANISH:** Texto
- ITALIAN:** Testo
- FRENCH:** Texte
- GERMAN:** Text

Did you know?

VARIOUS SOURCES STATE THAT NEWSPAPERS ARE WRITTEN AT AN 8TH GRADE READING LEVEL.



GET THE PICTURE?



Can you guess what the bigger picture is?

ANSWER: BOOK