



Mount Holly Chit Chat



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June 2014

Village Baptist Church – Worship 9:30am, Pastor Glenn Davis 259-2440 vbch@weebly.com
E. Wallingford Baptist – SS 10:00 am – Worship 11:00 am Evening 6:30 pm Phone 259-2831 www.ewbaptist.com
Lighthouse Independent Baptist Church- SS 11 am & 3 pm Until May, 11 am & 6 pm, 253 S. Main St., Rutland 802-779-0300
Saint Patrick's Mass Wallingford Sat 4 pm Sun 9:15 am Rev Justin Baker, Ph. 446-2161
Annunciation Parish Mass, Ludlow, Sat 4 pm, Sun 8 am & 11 am **Proctorsville** Sun 9:30 am, Rev. Romanus Igweonu Ph. 228-3451
Okemo Valley Regional Chamber of Commerce – Marji Graf 228-5830
Town Library: Sat 9-1 Sun 2-4 Mon 3-7 Wed 3-7 Mt. Holly Town Library, P.O. Box 93, Belmont, VT 05730 Call 259-3707
Town Office Hours: Mon. to Thurs. 8:30 am – 4:00 pm Closed Fri. & Holidays Phone & Fax 259-2391
Town Treasurer's Office Hours: Mon 8:30 am – 12:00 pm Wed 12:00 pm – 4:00 pm and by Appointment 802-259-2391
Burn Permits: Call Fire Warden ~ Jim Seward 786-3408 or 259-2211

TRANSFER SITE: Wed. 4 pm – 7 pm & Sat. 8 am – 2 pm

1 st	Fire Dept. Business Meeting, Belmont Fire Station	<i>Brigham Young, Mormon Leader 1801</i>	7:00 pm
3 rd	<i>Astronaut Edward White 1st American to Walk in Space 1965 ~ Sally Priesand, 1st Woman Rabbi in USA 1972</i>		
4 th	Mt. Holly Community Association Meeting, Library		7:00 pm
	Mt. Holly School Board Meeting, Black River High		7:00 pm
	Union #39 School Board Meeting, Black River High		7:00 pm
5 th		<i>First Hot-Air Balloon Flight 1783</i>	
6 th		<i>D-Day Normandy 1944</i>	
Sun 8 th		<i>US Bill of Rights by James Madison 1789</i>	
9 th	Rescue Squad Meeting, Rescue Squad Building		7:00 pm
10 th	Community Guild Meeting, IOOF Hall, Belmont		9:00 am
	Selectmen's meeting, Town Office		7:30 pm
	Fire Dept. Drill, Fire Station		7:00 pm
	Mason Meeting, Mt. Moriah Lodge, E. Wallingford		8:00 pm
11 th	Fire Dept. Ladies Auxiliary Meeting, Belmont Fire Station		7:00 pm
	Mt. Holly PTC Meeting, Mt. Holly School Library		3:00 pm
	Mount Holly Grange		7:30 pm
	ODD Fellows Meeting, IOOF Hall, Belmont		7:00 pm
13 th		<i>Bass Catch & Release Season Ends</i>	
Sat 14 th	Roast Beef Supper , Benefit MHVFD, Odd Fellows Hall		5:00 pm
	Free Fishing Day – Bass Fishing Season ~ US Army Founded 1775 ~ Flag Day		
Sun 15 th		<i>Father's Day</i>	
16 th	Mount Holly Planning Commission, Town Office		7:30 pm
17 th	Fire Dept. Work Night, Fire Stations	<i>Bunker Hill Day 1775</i>	7:00 pm
18 th		<i>Sally Ride First US Woman in Space 1983</i>	
19 th	Mt. Holly Town Library Meeting, Library, Belmont		7:00 pm
	M.H. Republican Committee Meeting, Mt. Holly Town Office		7:00 pm
Sat 21 st		<i>Summer Solstice ~ Summer Begins</i>	
Sun 22 nd	Pledge of Allegiance Recognized by Congress 1942 ~ GI Bill signed into Law 1944		
23 rd	Rescue Squad Meeting, Rescue Squad Building		7:00 pm
24 th	Community Guild Meeting, IOOF Hall, Belmont		9:00 am
	Fire Dept. Drill, Fire Station		7:00 pm
25 th	ODD Fellows Meeting, IOOF Hall, Belmont	<i>Korean War Began 1950</i>	7:00 pm
26 th		<i>Korean War Ended 1953</i>	
27 th		<i>Helen Keller 1880</i>	
31 st	Fire Dept. Work Night, Fire Stations		7:00 pm

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Emergency Services

Mount Holly Fire Dept.	259-2700 or	911	Poison Control	(802) 658-3456
Mount Holly Fire Warden ~ Jim Seward	786-3408	259-2211	American Red Cross	802-773-9159
Mount Holly Rescue Squad	775-3133 or	911	Game Warden – Dana Joyal	802-773-9101
Mount Holly Constable Paul Faenza	802-245-4452	802-786-4404	Health Officer - Tim Bickford	259-3664
Animal Control For Mt. Holly	mhconstable@yahoo.com	802-786-4404	Vermont State Police	773-9101



Send **ARTICLES** to: **Diana Garrow**, 3379 Shunpike Rd., Mt. Holly, VT 05758 **Phone** 259-2314 or **E-Mail** to chitchat@vermontel.net

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June Birthdays: 1st -Torey Surething * Mary Morgan * Walter Surething 4th -Johnathan Davis * Emily Colburn 5th -Diane Perry 6th -Jason Turco 7th -Kristin Veysey 8th -All Labozzo 9th -Barry Gagner * Mary Ann Farley * Molly Gagner 10th -Jennifer Turco * Alex & Beth Lee 11th -Amber Nye 13th -Dylan Pierro * David Crossman * Shannon Labozzo 16th -Timothy Ryan 19th -Stephanie Bussino (2000) 20th -Andrea Kilroe 22nd -Roger Garrow 24th -Natalie Brown 29th -Candace Neary * Helen Graham 30th -Ted Garrow



June Anniversaries: 6th -Maurice & Ann Doucette (50th) 2009 12th -Clinton & Carol Woolley 14th -Mike & Mary Beth Dawley 20th -Donald & Jean Gates 25th -John & Katie Wasilewski (19th) 2010

If you would like to add or remove yours or a family members birthday and or anniversary from the list please send the information to me at the above address or e-mail me at chitchat@vermontel.net or call me at 802-259-2314.

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Sat 8:00 am – 10:45 am

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Post Master: Lynnette Devereux

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& 2:30 pm – 4:30 pm
Sat 7:00 am – 10:00 pm

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Sat 8:00 am – 10:30 am

Ludlow 802-228-7436

Post Master: Dawn Howlett

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Sat 8:30 am – 10:30 am



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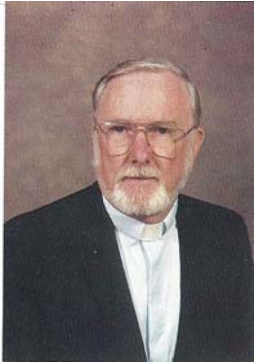
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Rev. Robert B. Whalen



The Rev. Robert Burns Whalen, age 87, died on May 3, 2014, in Rutland, Vermont. Father Whalen was born January 13, 1927, in Rutland, Vermont, the son of Thomas and Grace (Burns) Whalen. He attended St. Thomas Seminary, Bloomfield, Connecticut, and St. Paul's Seminary, Ottawa, Ontario, Canada. He was ordained to the priesthood on April 11, 1951, at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception by Bishop Edward F. Ryan.

His priestly ministry began as parochial vicar at St. Francis of Assisi Parish, Windsor (1951). He also served at Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, Burlington (1951-1952), St. Norbert Parish, Hardwick (1952-1954), St. Augustine Parish, Montpelier (1954-1956) and Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish, Rutland (1956-1960).

Following his 20 years as chaplain in the [United States Air Force](#), during which he was awarded the [Bronze Star](#), he returned to Vermont and was assigned his first pastorate at St. Patrick Parish, Wallingford and Our Mother Of Mercy Mission Church (St. Mary's) of Mount Holly (1980-1990). He also served as pastor at St. John the Baptist Parish, Castleton (1990-1997).

Father Whalen was granted senior priest status in January of 1997. On June 20, 2001, he agreed to become pastor of St. Bridget Parish, West Rutland, from June 2001 until July 2004, when he returned to senior priest status. He assisted at numerous parishes up until the time of his death, including St. Patrick Parish, Minturn, Colorado, and Holy Name Parish, Steamboat Springs, Colorado.

His diocesan responsibilities included Defender of the Bond, Diocesan Consultor and Dean of the Rutland Deanery. A patriarch of the Whalen family, he baptized, married and celebrated the deaths of the entire family over the years. He was a Fourth Degree Knight of Columbus, a member of the Veterans of Foreign War and the American Legion. Survivors include a sister, Mary Kay (Whalen) Hoffman and her husband, Peter, of Hackettstown, Pa., and numerous cousins.

A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated on Wednesday, May 7, 2014, at 11:00 a.m. in St. Bridget Parish, West Rutland, Vermont, with Monsignor John J. McDermott, apostolic administrator of the Diocese of Burlington, as principal celebrant.

Burial will be at St. Mary Cemetery, Middlebury, Vermont. Arrangements are under the direction of Clifford Funeral Home, Rutland, Vermont. Contributions may be made to St. Bridget's Parish, Church Street, West Rutland, VT 05777.

Jane M. Zygmunt



Jane M. Zygmunt, 55, died Wednesday, May 7, 2014, at her home, following a brief illness.

She was born Sept. 19, 1958, in Abington, Pa., the daughter of John and Doris (Hallowell) Zygmunt.

She graduated from Hatboro-Horsham (Pa.) High School and earned an accounting degree from Delaware Valley College in New Britain, Pa.

Ms. Zygmunt was employed by Hawk Mountain Resort in Plymouth for 12 years before retiring in 2009.

She enjoyed golfing, boating and playing softball.

Survivors include her longtime partner, Thomas C. Dillon of Mount Holly; four siblings, Kathy, Margaret, John and Steve, all of Pennsylvania; several aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews.

She was predeceased by her parents and a brother, Michael Zygmunt.

Burial will be in Hatboro (Pa.) Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to Mount Holly Rescue,

PO Box 102, Mount Holly, VT 05758. Local arrangements are under the direction of the Aldous Funeral Home.

Ernest G. McClain



Ernest Glenn McClain died peacefully of natural causes at his home in Washington, D.C. on April 25, 2014. He lived with his wife, Augusta, for 20 years of what he considered an idyllic life in Belmont; he might be remembered in part for his acting in the community theater. Born in Massillon, Ohio on August 6, 1918, he attended Oberlin Conservatory of Music and Northwestern University and received his doctorate at Teacher's College in New York. He served in the South Pacific for four years during World War II. Ernest taught at Dennison University and the University of Hawaii and performed frequently as a clarinetist in Hawaii and New York. He was a professor emeritus of Brooklyn College, where, through his close association with Siegmund Levarie and Ernst Levy, he discovered the Pythagorean principles which were the key to unlocking Plato's mathematical/musical riddles. In his books, *The Pythagorean Plato: Prelude to the Song Itself*; *The Myth of Invariance: The Origins of the Gods, Mathematics and Music from the Rg Veda to Plato*; and *Meditations Through the Quran: Tonal Images in an Oral Culture*, he

explored the idea that ancient tales and myths were anecdotal means of preserving and conveying real numerical information about musical tuning; these were published during a decade of further collaboration with Antonio de Nicolas. Ernest's discovery of identical or similar numbers and parallel mathematical constructs in Sumer, Egypt, Babylon, Palestine and Greece fed growing speculation about the historical continuity of a common spiritual tradition linking the microcosm of man's inner world to the macrocosm of his outer world. Ernest contributed his encouragement and provocative challenges in exhilarating discussions with scholars around the world, in particular on the discussion group BIBAL, until his last day. He was pre-deceased by his first wife, Mignon Henley McClain, and his second wife, Augusta Davis McClain. Survivors include his three children: Ron (and Holly) McClain of Takoma Park, Maryland; John McClain (and Clarisse Shechter) of Bristol, Vermont; and Pamela McClain of Richmond, Virginia, as well as five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. To Ernest life was a glorious adventure which he shared with generosity and exuberance.

Lawrence Charles Kelley Jr.

Lawrence Charles Kelley Jr. died on May 9, 2014, at his home in Surfside Beach following a long bout with cancer.

Larry was born in Bridgeport, Conn., Sept. 6, 1932, son of Lydia (Crandall) and Lawrence C. Kelley Sr. He lived in Fairfield, CT but spent much of his time in Cuttingsville, VT on his grandparents' farm. He graduated from Roger Ludlow HS and attended the University of Bridgeport before being drafted in the Army in October 1952.

During the [Korean conflict](#) he served in the Signal Corps, later as Chaplain's Assistant spending 26 months in Salzburg, Austria. He also served on the Signal Corps inspection team in Austria. He was selected as part of the United States Forces Army choral group traveling throughout Italy and Austria giving concerts.

In November 1955, he was hired by the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., Bridgeport, CT. He was one of their top salesman, attaining top 100 in the country several times. His promotion to assistant manager in New Haven, CT at the age of 25 made him one of the youngest at that time.

In 1963, he and his wife Helene moved with their children to Vermont, opened a Bed & Breakfast called the Austria Haus in Mount Holly where he obtained his real estate license. In 1964, he and partner Harold Weidman bought the Governor Fletcher mansion in Proctorsville, VT. They operated the Bavarian Castle, a nine-bedroom inn with fine dining. In 1969, they opened the Chopping Block, a favorite area nightclub.

After selling these successful businesses, he and his partners opened Key Realty in Ludlow, VT. Separating from his partners, he started his own office, Kelley Real Estate on Main Street, which is still open under different ownership.

Larry was very active in community affairs, in Mount Holly serving as a lister, auditor and town agent. Later, in Cavendish, he served on the school board for 5 years, and was Chairman. Elected in 1970 to the original Green Mountain High School Board, he shared responsibility for constructing the new Union school. He was elected School Moderator for the Union School District, a position he held for a number of years. He was the GMUHS Booster Club's first President. In 1975 he was honored by the state as parent of the year for the Union school district.

He moved to Ludlow from Cavendish and was appointed to the Planning Commission. He was also a director of the Ludlow Chamber of Commerce. One of Larry's greatest passions was the Ludlow [Rotary Club](#). He joined in 1964, was elected President in 1973. He believed and lived by Rotary's Four Way Test. The club honored him with a Paul Harris Fellowship. He was 50-year Mason, a Shriner, Odd Fellow and an American Legion member in Ludlow.

He worked for over 40 years on his genealogy, traveling, researching, and recording his family history. He maintained membership in many societies throughout New England with over 13,000 relatives identified, 8 were Revolutionary War Soldiers and 8 Mayflower descendants. He was the eighth generation to be buried in Vermont.

Sports were a big part of his life. He coached Little League teams, played in a Class A softball league, was a trained umpire, and bowled many years at the Rutland, VT Bowlerama. He rolled the first 700 series in the City league there. Tennis was a favorite game but golf held a special place in his heart. He served as director of the VT Golf Assoc. for 11 years, and was President for two years. He was certified as a golf course rater and served as the USGA's Regional Affairs Committeeman for the state of Vermont since 1995. He was a working member of the New England Golf Assoc. for a number of years. He won club Champion at Okemo Valley GC in Ludlow, had 4 holes in one to his credit, won many tournaments and was renowned for his putting skills under pressure.

A man of strong faith, he worshiped in the Episcopal/Anglican Church all his life. He sang for 5 years in the all-boys choir at St John's in Bridgeport, CT. While a member of the church's Boy Scout troop #20, he attained the rank of Eagle Scout and earned the God and Country award.

He is survived by his wife of 33 years, Sherry Jones Trombley and her children Jeremy R. Trombley and Kendra (Claudius) Sture. He has two children from his marriage in 1955 to Helen Lanzelin; Cynthia Kelley (Lorance) McGlashan and Gregory (Terry) Kelley. From his marriage to Janice McNulty he has sons Lawrence C. (Sandi) Kelley III and Christopher J. (Lisa) Kelley. He and Sherry are proud grandparents to 13 grandchildren from their combined family. He is also survived by a sister, Jane K. (Donald) Jefferson and one brother Ronald Kelley.

Since retirement in 1999 he and his wife have spent their winters in SC, and moved there full time in 2012.

In lieu of flowers, please make donations to the VGA Scholarship Fund, PO Box 1612 Sta. A, Rutland, VT 05702 or the Ludlow Rotary Scholarship fund in Ludlow, VT 05149.

A funeral service was held at Church of the Resurrection in Surfside Beach on Thursday May 15th at 7:30 pm. A celebration of life in VT will be scheduled at a later date.

Condolences may be made at: www.burroughsfh.com The Burroughs Funeral Home and Cremation Services of Murrells Inlet, SC, (843) 651.1440, is in charge of arrangements.

Mt. Holly School Board Meeting

The Mt. Holly school board met on Wednesday, May 7 at the Mt. Holly Gymnasium Room with the LES and U39 boards. The boards discussed the pending legislation that will drastically change school governance, as well as the possibility of a K-8 school transfer program. They also discussed the recent energy audit and Mr. Hutt Vater will give a full report at the next meeting. They also discussed sending out RFP's for the second bus, including considering purchasing a used bus.

Mr. Hutt Vater discussed some personnel changes that will be coming soon. Mr. Adams gave a finance report on the current budget as well as a report on closing the RWSU books due to its dissolution. The board also discussed non-union contracts.

The next meeting will be on June 5, 2014 at 7:00 p.m. at Black River High School.

Scam Alerts!

Today I received a call from, which I thought, was my son. His First, middle initial, and last name appeared on the caller ID. It was from someone telling me my credit card rates were going to go up at the end of the month and I needed to verify my accounts so they could lock in the lowest rates.

I hung up and when I went back to check the phone number on the caller ID, it was our own phone number. If you get a call from someone you know, check the phone number below the name and if it is your own, don't answer. How they accomplished this is SCARY!! Pat LaBella

This guy just called my home.....his name was 'Michael from Dish Network', the phone number was [661-748-0241](tel:661-748-0241)...I told him he was a fraudulent phone call and that I would report him, then I hung up... Sheila Wickham

I have received the same call from this Michael from Dish Network with a very heavy accent which was hard to understand, needing access to my home to check my Dish TV box in my house. As it happened I just had Dish folks out to check my signal and they fixed the problem that was outside not inside and their phone number came up on my caller ID as Dish. This other guy came up as a Skype caller with two different phone numbers at different times of [661-748-0240](tel:661-748-0240) and [661-748-0241](tel:661-748-0241). I hung up with the guy then called Dish themselves to ask about this fellow. They told me they do not use Skype and they would mail us a letter or contact us through our online account with problems and were pleased I called to alert them of this happening. Then I called the State Police to alert them to this caller with the numbers but they told me there wasn't much they could do to trace Skype calls. They did take down the information. Also called our Constable to alert him and he said the same as the State Police. Diana Garrow

I have received information of fraudulent activity through the use of Skype. A male voice with a heavy accent name was calls via Skype phone number 661-748-0240 also 661-748-0241, and identifies himself as Micheal working for either Dish Network or Microsoft. The male then attempts to elicit personal information, or download viruses with the intent of obtaining passwords. Skype security makes the following recommendations.

1. The best thing to do is to simply not answer calls from users you do not know. If you have already answered a call, disregard it and DO NOT follow any instructions the caller gave you. DO NOT visit any websites or links mentioned in the call. Fraudsters use many methods to trick their victims and it's important to be just as careful on Skype as you are when using your phone or email to communicate with unknown individuals.

Suppers For Mount Holly Organizations



Settings Start 5:00 pm

At

The Odd Fellows Hall, Belmont

All You Can Eat - Served Home Style

Adults \$10 - Children 11 and Under \$5



May 24 th	Colfax Lodge – Baked Ham
June 14 th	MHVFD - Roast Beef
July 4 th	Odd Fellows - Chicken BBQ 11:30 am
	Town Parade also that day Step off at 11:00 am
July 19 th	Mt. Moriah Masons - Baked Ham
August 9 th	Odd Fellows - Roast Pork
August 30 th	Historical Museum - Baked Ham
Sept. 20 th	MH Rescue Squad – Roast Port
October 11 th	MHCA - Roast Beef
October 25 th	Gill Home, IOOF – Baked Ham

Take Outs Available With All Dinners

More Info Call 802-259-3665



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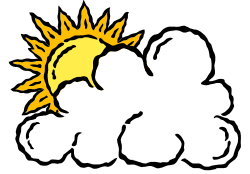
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\$1.00 per Ticket or 6 for \$5.00

OTHER ITEMS TO BE ADDED

- 1) 2 - 1 Day Lift tickets for 2014-2015 season from OKEMO
- 2) 1 Wrist Band for Adventure Park at OKEMO
- 3) \$25.00 Gift Certificate for Killarney in Ludlow
- 4) \$25.00 Gift Certificate for Brewfest Beverage
- 5) Harry's Gift Certificate
- 6) Breakfast or Lunch for 2 at the Hatchery
- 7) \$25.00 Gift Certificate from Mountain Metal Craft
- 8) 2 Framed Pictures
- 9) \$25.00 Gift Certificate for Cuttings in the Ville
- 10) Gift Certificate for a Massage from Belmont Body and Soul Shop



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Mt. Holly Vol. Fire Dept.

P.O. Box 114

Mt. Holly, VT 05758

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Town: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ (In case we need to Contact you about your order)

Your E 9-1-1 house number for the sign:

Quantity	Description	Unit Price	Total Price
_____	Horizontal	\$10.00 X	_____
_____	Vertical	\$10.00 X	_____

If you want it mailed, add \$7.00 shipping _____

Total: _____

Mount Holly Volunteer Fire Department Auxiliary

The Mount Holly Volunteer Fire Department Auxiliary is having a raffle and if you would like to buy any thicketts please feel free to contact me, my phone number is 802-259-2791 or you can cut out the ticket below and mail it to me with your money. If you would like to buy a whole book I will mail the other half of the tickets back to you. They are \$1.00 per ticket or 6 for \$5.00. If you pay by check please make it payable to the MHVFDA. My address is P.O. Box 203, Mt. Holly, VT 05758.

I would like to Thank Everyone that helps supports us all year long and the business that donated the all the great prizes that we have for our raffle. Sincerely, Carol Garrow-Woolley, President MHVFDA

Roast Beef Supper



June 14, 2014

5:00 p.m.



Odd Fellows Hall, Belmont

Benefit Mt. Holly Vol. Fire Dept.

Roast Beef Supper

**Mashed Potatoes W/Gravy, Veg., Rolls
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Birth Announcement

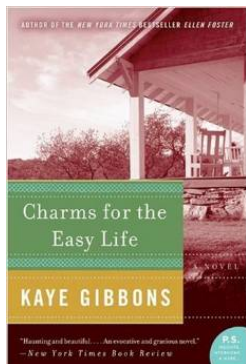
"Thea Rose Chase was born April 27th to Beth, Jeff and Parker Chase of Mt. Holly. Thea Rose arrived nearly a month early, is healthy and is keeping the family very busy. Parker (age 2) loves being a big brother."

Mount Holly Library Reading Discussion Group

The Mount Holly Library Reading Discussion Group will meet on June 11th at Barbara Pallotta's, Tiffany Road, Belmont. Meeting time is 7:00 p.m.. We are reading and discussing the novel *Charms for the Easy Life* by Kaye Gibbons. Copies of the book are available from Jane at the post office.

You don't have to make a yearly commitment to joining the group, we meet the second Wednesday of each month and we welcome second home owners, drop ins and visitors to join us whenever possible.

Please call Minga Dana for information at 259-2471.



Reinbow Riding Center

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(Professional Association of Therapeutic Horsemanship) certified instructor, along with the assistance of many volunteers, provides therapeutic horseback riding lessons for special needs children and adults. Therapeutic riding improves the strength, coordination and self-esteem of these individuals and provides many other benefits. There are numerous expenses associated with the running of the facility that include care of the horses, shoeing, feed and insurance. Your donation will go to support the day-to-day operation of the Center and will help us continue to provide these valuable services to the residents of Mt. Holly, Shrewsbury and the surrounding towns.

For more information on the Reinbow Riding Center and therapeutic riding, visit our website at: www.reinbowridingcenter.org

You can donate online at: www.reinbowridingcenter.org or send a check to: Reinbow Riding Center, 430 Robinson Road, Shrewsbury, VT 05738

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Humble or grand, groomed or rambling.

*Proceeds benefit the on-going restoration & maintenance of
The Mount Holly Library & Community Center Building*

If you are interested, please contact

Linda Miller

LindaDDMiller@aol.com

259-3060

Mount Holly Community Association

Membership brochures for the 2014 – 2015 year will be in the mail in the early part of June. Please remember that the major source of revenue for the MHCA is membership! Without it we would not be able to provide you with the 12 outstanding events we sponsor each year, nor would we be able to maintain the lovely historic building at the crossroads in Belmont that is our Library & Community Center. Last year was another record breaker for membership with 147 families joining to support the MHCA, making this the fourth year in a row that we have exceeded the membership of the year prior. Please help us maintain this record breaking streak by returning your membership form as soon as you receive it...thanks so much!

Summer Calendar and Annual Calendar of Events: The calendar of summer events will again be included with the membership brochures as it was last year, so **be sure to save it**

when you receive it! This year, we will also be including the calendar of events for the *entire* year that are sponsored by the MHCA. Both of these calendars will also appear on the Mount Holly website (www.mounthollyvt.org) and hard copies will be left in the General Store, the post offices, and the library. Thanks for looking out for them in the membership brochure!

The **Community Room** on the lower level of the Library & Community Center building is as busy as it can be. Every week it is used for Bone Builders, the children's play group, drawing classes, community presentations, lectures, art displays, the list seems endless. If there is an activity that you would like to see take place there, or if you would like to rent it for a special party, just contact Carol DeVine (259-2562), Penny Coldwell (259-2760), or our librarian, Lynne Herbst (259-3707).

Upcoming events: No one is looking forward to summer more than the residents of Mount Holly! With that in mind, please don't forget to reserve your Thursdays in July and August for the **Music on the Green Series** that will begin on July 3rd. Performances will begin at 7:00 pm as always. A calendar with all of the performers for the season will be out later in June. We are all looking forward to some beautiful, balmy evenings with friends and neighbors. See you there!

Also in July, don't miss the **Fourth of July Parade** to be held this year on Friday, July 4th! Be sure to look for the MHCA float coming into town at the Belmont crossroads at 11:00 am. Two weeks later, we will have our annual **Garden Tour** on Saturday, July 19th from 9:30 am – 4:00 pm. It is a wonderful opportunity to explore the varied high altitude gardens in our lovely town and possibly get to know some of your neighbors, whom you may not know well, or may not even have met. Again, further information will be in the July Chit Chat.

Reminder: Mount Holly Day for this year has been **cancelled** due to the work on the Star Lake dam that is to commence later in June. We are so fortunate that our good friend and neighbor, Pat Nye, left enough money to FOSL to make this renovation possible. Also many thanks to Ron Unterman and Dottie Finnerty, who are spearheading the effort to get this done! We will definitely plan a celebration at Star Lake when the work is completed, so it would not be inappropriate to say that Mount Holly Day is not cancelled, but simply postponed!



Mount Holly Community Association Membership Drive 2014 – 2015

Please Join to support...Music on the Green

**-Mount Holly Day-
Garden Tour-Square Dance-Cabaret
-Photo Contest-Cider Days-
Roast Beef Supper-Halloween Party
-Christmas in Mount Holly-
New Year's Eve at Star Lake
-Spring Mud Fling**

**And the maintenance of our historic
Community Center Building
Please Join today!!**

**(Brochures available in the library,
the General Store, and the post office.)**

Highway Safety is Top Priority

For All Concerned

By Michael B. Guild

Summer season is here and the horses are out. This means that motorists and others enjoying the scenic beauty must be extra careful to avoid an accident. Highway safety is the responsibility of everyone involved. Both the motorist and rider have to be very cautious. The following sections are excerpts from the Vermont State Laws that pertain to horses and motor vehicles.

TITLE 23 SECTION 1127 – “Whenever upon a public highway and approaching a vehicle drawn by a horse or other draft animal or approaching a horse or other animal upon which a person is riding, the operator of a motor vehicle shall operate the vehicle in such a manner as to exercise every reasonable precaution to prevent the frightening of such horse or animal and to insure the safety and protection of the person riding or driving.”

Title 23 Section 1014 – “A person riding an animal or driving any animal drawn vehicle upon a road is granted all of the right and is subject to all the duties applicable to the driver of a motor vehicle by this chapter except those provisions of this chapter which, by their very nature can have no application.”

The Vermont Driver's Manual directs motorists to exercise “every reasonable precaution” to avoid frightening a horse being ridden or driven and to insure the safety and protection of the horse and rider. To help both riders and motorists understand what's meant by “reasonable precaution”, the Vermont Horse Council offers these simple guidelines.

Highway Precautions FOR RIDERS:

1. Always ride on the right side of the highway, preferably on the shoulder and be alert.
2. Always ride in single file when riding in a group.
3. To communicate to motorists that danger exists and they should approach with caution, wave the extended left hand with the palm face down.

FOR MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATORS:

1. When meeting or passing horses on the highway relinquish the right lane to the horse in case an emergency should occur.
2. When approaching a BRIDGE or TUNNEL into which a horse has entered, STOP and

News From The Mount Holly Farmer's Market

There will be no farmers market this season due to lack of vendor participation. We thank all of our Patrons for their business over the years. We would also like to thank The Village Baptist Church for sponsoring the market by providing the location, The Mount Holly community Association, and a thank you to all musicians and demonstrators who helped to make the market memorable. Thank you!

Cider Days Vendor Registration

Applications are now available for the 2014 Cider days event. I will send out applications via e-mail to all vendors. If you do not receive the e-mail or have never vended at Cider Days please contact Morgan Skiathitis at 259-2755 for an application, or e-mail morganskiathitis@gmail.com The deadline for applications is August 31st. Please get your application with payment to me ASAP as the event fills up fast. – Morgan Skiathitis

Calling all Gardeners

Mount Holly Elementary School

is asking all local gardeners to consider
growing a row of produce or herbs
to donate to the school's cafeteria
and farmer's market stand

*help our kids eat, grow and sell fresh local foods
any proceeds go to the school's garden programs*

please contact Karen Leonard 802-259-6045

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permit the horse to complete its crossing.

3. Never be the cause of any loud, sharp noises, such as blowing the horn or applying air brakes. Acceleration in the lower gears can be sufficient to startle an animal. Motorcyclists should be extra cautious.
4. Slow to at least 25 miles per hour or less, both when meeting or passing a horse, and if necessary come to a complete stop as a means to avoid injuries.

Bicycles and joggers present a different kind of danger; they are quiet and just appear. Horses do not have vision directly to their rear; as such they have a major blind spot. A horse is a prey animal and their reflexive reaction is “Fight or Flight” when startled. Cyclist and joggers should speak in a normal tone of voice and ask the rider if it is safe to pass. This serves two purposes; it lets the horse know there is a human behind it and allows the rider time to prepare for what the horse may do.

I spend a lot of time riding in many different places. My horse is used to the hustle and bustle of the highway, but there are times when something will bother him. We could have ridden by it many times, but it may look a little different. During these times his reaction may place in a dangerous situation. Events like this happen less than 1% of the time. No horse is predictable. Everyone needs to be aware and prevent needless injuries.



Mount Holly 2015 Calendar

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MOUNT HOLLY TOWN LIBRARY

SUMMER READING PROGRAM - Fizz Boom Read!

Summer shouldn't mean taking a break from reading. Studies show that most students experience a loss of reading skills over the summer months, but children who continue to read actually gain skills. Vocabulary is enriched and reading horizons broadened when children keep reading year-round. And, best of all, reading is fun!! Each year the Mt. Holly Library holds six free sessions that include story times, crafts, games, special events and a snack. The program is open to elementary school age children residing in Mt. Holly and their guests. The program's goal is to motivate children to read books from the library or their own collection and experience some new things in a relaxed atmosphere. Each child who participates in the program receives a reading record, on which to write the books he/she reads, and prizes. We hope you will encourage your child to participate in this year's Summer Reading Program on the following **July dates from 9:30 to noon: July 2nd & 3rd, July 9th & 10th and July 16th & 17th.**

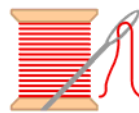
Extra-Solar Planets Program: On **Sunday, June 29th at 4 pm** the Mount Holly Library will host a talk on **Extra-Solar Planets**. Since the discovery in the early 90's of the first planet orbiting another star, astronomers have found hundreds more extra-solar planets. Research and general interest in extra-solar planets is growing rapidly. This fascinating cutting-edge field of study is rapidly evolving with new instruments, new discoveries and new knowledge. Mount Holly resident Philippe Crane is a Research Professor in the Department of Physics and Astronomy at Dartmouth College. His talk will present the current status of research on Extra-Solar Planets. He will discuss what we know today, how we have come to know what we know, and what we can expect in the years to come. This presentation will be at a non-technical level although it will contain some graphs and charts. Philippe has worked in a number of fields of astrophysics. During his tenure at NASA Headquarters, he was responsible for the extra-solar planet programs in the Astrophysics Division. He is currently working on problems related to the determination of atmospheres around extra-solar planets. Join us and learn about this fascinating topic of current research.

"Check Out a Park Pass" Any Day of the Week: Don't sit home this summer when the weather is beautiful; take the family to a **Vermont State Park for FREE**. Borrow the Vermont State Park pass. The day pass allows entrance for up to eight people in one vehicle for the day. We have been saddened in past years because so few community members have taken advantage of this great program. Our theory is that because the Library doesn't have daily open hours it makes it

difficult for people to sign out the pass. Kevin Neubert at the Belmont Store has agreed to keep the pass at the store and he and his staff will lend it out to Mount Holly residents. This means you can pick it up early in the morning and return it back to the store on your way home from the park. Stop in and pick up a brochure that explains how the pass works and how you can sign it out for the day. Take advantage of all the sun and fun Vermont Parks have to offer!!

Children's Literacy Foundation Grant – CLiF: We are pleased to announce that the Mount Holly Library has been awarded the CLiF Grant. We are one of 6 Vermont public libraries that will receive \$2,000 in new children's books, a storytelling presentation for our elementary age school children and new books for local children to keep. These books will be an exciting addition to our collection. My thanks to Craig Hutt Vater for writing a letter of support that was included in the grant that I wrote. We will keep residents informed as each part of the grant is distributed through the community.

Nursing Nook at the Playgroup: Get your breastfeeding questions answered. The **Nursing Nook** takes place the **first Tuesday of the month from 10 to 11:30** at the same time the Parent Child Center offers playgroup! A Breastfeeding Peer Counselor is a support person who gives basic breastfeeding information and encouragement to pregnant and



The Community Guild of Mount Holly



Celebrates 95 years of service!

Come celebrate with us throughout the year:

Flossie Dana original quilt at the 4th of July parade
Our own Bazaar on Saturday, August 2nd
Farmfest in August
Cider Days in October
Mount Holly Days Craft Fair in December

Nursing Nook

Get your breastfeeding questions answered!

What happens
when I have to
go back to
work?

Is my baby
getting enough?

Date: 1st Tuesday
of the month

Time: 10:00 - 11:30 am



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Book Nook In Store Book Fair: Friday, June 13th through Sunday, June 22nd The Book Nook in Ludlow, Vermont will hold an "In Store Book Fair". When you purchase a book 20% of the sale will go to the Mt. Holly Library. You can also purchase a book for the Library from a wish list and 20% of that sale and the book will go to the library. Stop in The Book Nook and see their amazing selection of books. This is a wonderful benefit to the Library and we appreciate the Book Nook supporting libraries. Isn't it time to stock up on books for the summer? Don't forget to mention that you are supporting The Mt. Holly Library.

Computer Intern Through July 6th: Karen Steever our computer intern will be with us through Sunday, July 6th. This program has been extremely successful and you still have time to sign up for help. The sessions are an hour long on Sundays from 1 to 4. Take advantage now of this free help. There has been some indication that the program will be offered again in the fall if the next grant round is funded. Chances are it will be a different college student but it would be a real advantage to our

community if the program receives approval again.

Mount Holly School Children Visit the Library: April 22nd fourth graders came to research the history of the Library. They came prepared with many questions and with the help of "Carroll Tarbell's History of Mount Holly" and our archives they learned about the Library's 100 year history. May 1st fifth and sixth graders came to the library to deconstruct various appliances. Kids love to take things apart and what a great way to show how things work. The discussion afterwards touched on not only how things work but brought up issues of environment, production and possible work careers. On May 6th third grade children were treated to Angelo Centini's talk on what it was like for him to emigrate from Italy to the United States when he was 15 years old. Thanks to Angelo for answering their many questions and describing his life in Italy during the 1940's and what it meant to him to come to a new country and life.

Babysitting Course: On Sunday, May 11th twelve young women attended a free babysitting course at the library. The Red Cross course was from 9 to 4 and covered how to effectively communicate with parents, manage young children, make good decisions under pressure, feeding, diapering, starting your own babysitting business, responding to emergencies, first aid and recognizing safety and hygiene issues. The instructor said they were an impressive group of young women. They were very mature, intelligent and actively participated in the class. Thanks to the parents for allowing your children to attend. The program was very successful and hopefully we can offer it again next year.

Green Up Day: Thanks to Marianne McGee for her help with processing Green Up Day participants. We had an enthusiastic crew of trash collectors and good turnout for the lunch provided by the Belmont Store. Thanks Kevin!! Sadie Kobak, fourth grader, won the basket of summer fun. Several volunteers remarked on the disturbing number of dirty diapers that they cleaned up along Belmont Road and the Frost Hill /Teer Road loop. This is inexcusable and we hope that the offender(s) will cease this activity which is an insult to all community members as well as a health hazard. Thanks to all the community members who cleaned up our town and to the Mount Holly Town road crew that picked up all the bags on Monday morning.



Tree Removal Tarbelville Cemetery

These are the two enormous trees in the Tarbelville Cemetery which were approximately 90 feet tall before being topped off. The trees were rotten and a huge branch fell in the cemetery so the trees needed to be removed. G



M Tree Tech from East Wallingford did an amazing job; that is one of the men at the top of the tree to the left which was delimbed in less than 5 hours. A crane will be coming soon to remove the trunks.

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schedule an energy audit as the first step to a more comfortable, energy efficient home. Call Lori at (802) 438-2303 x 227. So join your neighbors and call today! For more information go to <http://heatsquad.org>

Don't wait till autumn to call when everyone else starts thinking about winter and the contractors are booked up-call now.

Energy saving statistics for 56 completed homes in Mount Holly

These homes combined are **saving 19,792 gallons of fuel per year**, 9 cords of wood, 1,470 kwh for electric heat*

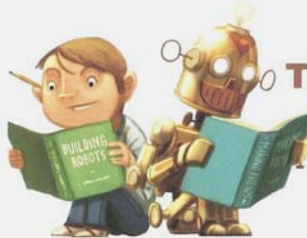
*the wood and kwh above refer to individual homes in the group since they use only those fuels

At \$3.80/gal of fuel= **\$75,210 per year** on fuel costs **saved**

12,403 kWh per year (or at \$0.15/kWh= \$1,860) **saved**

193,377 lbs. of carbon dioxide **saved**

FIZZ BOOM READ!



Mount Holly Town Library

Summer Reading

Program 2014

The program is from 9:30-Noon

on the following dates:

**July 3rd & 4th, July 9th & 10th
and July 16th & 17th**

For Mt. Holly Elementary School children

K to 6th grade and their guests!

**Each week different activities with crafts,
games, stories, and a snack.**

**Encourage your child to read all summer and
maintain the skills they learned during the year!**

NITKA'S NOTES FROM THE STATE HOUSE

By Senator Alice Nitka, Windsor County



Outside the State House, on a Spring day a lot of Vermonters are thinking about a good day of fishing while some others are contemplating turkey hunting. Still others are simply going to take a walk in the woods or maybe gather some ramps. I'm here in the staid grey building gladly working on the budget to ensure that the agencies that handle the traditional outdoor sports and much more of course, have the funding they need to care for our natural resources. It's a good time of year to "sell" the needs of the Dept. of Fish and Wildlife, the Dept. of Forests and Parks and their divisions. H-885, "The Budget" just passed the Senate this week so it worked. There is still a conference committee to be settled but we're getting there.

Fish and Wildlife encompasses all of hunting, fishing, the Conservation Camps, West Mountain Wildlife Management Area camp leases, the five fish hatcheries, the Game Wardens and more. An area of concern in the budget is that we could draw down more federal money from Pittman-Robinson funds if we had enough state money to meet the match required. It is 75% federal, 25% state match to be used for habitat having to do with wild mammals and birds. The federal source of the money, is from the sale of guns and ammunition around the country. We are presently drawing down all the federal money we can for our fisheries however the amount of the money is decreasing every year due to the sequester. This year the state will be stocking millions of fish from our own hatcheries and I understand they have already started. Check the website to see when they are stocking in your area. Twenty-one million is the amount the department will be spending in the budget this year. Millions of fish, millions of dollars - all in the same paragraph and what a difference. .

Forests, Parks and Recreation includes 52 developed parks that have over 900,000 visitors a year. They have additional budget needs so will be raising camp site fees by two dollars and they will be charging one dollar more per armload of firewood. It all adds up! The Forest Highway Maintenance Division constructs and maintains 400 miles of park and forest roads. They are getting the same amount of money as last year, 180,000 in their budget. The Forestry Division has 345,000 acres of land under their direct care and is involved in the oversight of 1.7 million acres of private land enrolled in the current use program. They anticipate a loss of 300,000 in federal funds. Over the long term won't be able to make this up through the sale of timber and leases as they have done previously. There is not the timber market that existed in the past. However, seven ski areas are doing their share and providing 2.5 million dollars toward this division's budget, based on their leases of state lands. The amount is based on a percentage of their ticket sales. The areas are Bromley, Burke, Jay Peak, Killington, Okemo, Stowe and Smugglers Notch. Perry Merrill, a forester with Forests and Parks initiated many of the leases in the early days of the department and the ski areas. Several of the ski areas in the West have modeled their leases from what VT has done.

Our target for adjournment is the weekend of May 11th so if you are wondering about a particular bill, this will be the week to find out what has happened to it. Many bills are being attached to others if germane and once this happens you can no longer follow a bill by the number or name. If you are looking for a particular bill and you can't see its status on the web, feel free to give me a call at the State House at 1-800-322-5616 or weekends at 802-228-8432.

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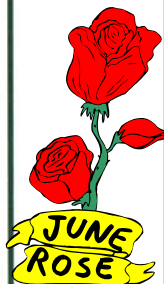


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Town Office and on-line
on the Mount Holly website

Mount Holly 2015 Calendar

Look for notices about the 2015 Calendar
It will be on sale in Early July!

For more information, please contact
Janet Warren at 259-2007

The Mount Holly Photo Contest and Calendar are
sponsored by the Mount Holly Community Association.
All proceeds help fund activities in our community.



Mount Holly Town News

Minutes are "DRAFT" until approved at the next Select Board meeting June 10th, 2014. NOTE: Most Select Board meetings are covered by LPC-TV. The videos can be viewed at their website, www.lpctv.org. Computers with internet access are available at the Town Library.

SELECT BOARD - MAY 13, 2014 ~ The meeting was called to order at 7:30pm by Jim Heald. Raymond Tarbell and Tim Martin were present. Jim welcomed everyone and requested

that speakers raise their hand to be recognized, state their name and keep remarks civil and short.

1. Additions/Deletions to the Agenda: Jim noted that a brief presentation by TDI New England on a buried cable project would be added to the agenda.

2. The minutes of the regular meeting of April 08 were reviewed. There were no corrections or additions and upon motion made and seconded, the minutes were approved.

3. Land Title – F. Glover

Attorney Fred Glover presented several documents to the Select Board regarding the land purchase from the School Board for the new garage. First were a Certificate of Authority and Vermont Warranty Deed to the Town from the School District for 5.6 +/- acres. The title search was completed and found in order. Second, an Easement Deed and Closing Agreement were presented. The Easement Deed is from the town to the school, which allows the school to come on town property for inspection, viewing and replacement of panels of the solar array to be built as part of the purchase agreement. The closing agreement states that the school district has the right to take over the solar array, should they choose to do so at some time in the future. This was a requirement of the school district.

The Select Board reviewed and signed the documents, which will be signed by the school district and then recorded in the town records

4. New England Clean Power Link

Josh Bagnato of TDI New England made a brief presentation on a proposed private power transmission line. This buried direct current line would run under Lake Champlain from Canada down to Benson, at which point it would run along and under roads down to the VELCO Cooledge Substation in Ludlow. For Mount Holly, this means the cables would be in the State ROW along Route 103. The project also proposes building a large converter station to convert the direct current to alternating current at the Ludlow substation. This project was proposed in late 2013; there are no permits or approvals yet. The project will be subject to Army Corp of Engineers approval, and will require a Federal permit for power crossing an international border. There is a website on the project, necplink.com. This presentation is being made to all towns along the affected roads, and is just an introductory meeting; more information will be coming in the future.

B. Kelley had concerns about the magnetic fields around the large cables. Mr. Bagnato referenced a similar project in NY (Champlain Hudson Power Express) which is farther along, where the State of NY had determined that the magnetic field of the cables was no different than the magnetic field of the Earth itself. P. Berger asked how much of the power would stay in VT. The answer to that is unknown at this time, would depend how much GMP would purchase, but most will go to other New England states. D. Josselyn asked about using the existing VELCO right-of-ways. VELCO has been approached, but has not made a decision, so the project focused on using the roadways; this could change in the future.

5. Highways

- Maple Hill Road during Cider Days – Morgan Skiathitis and Penny Coldwell, representing the Mount Holly Community Association, requested that Maple Hill Road be closed to thru traffic for the Cider Days weekend (Sat. and Sun.). This would allow for safer pedestrian traffic from the green to the library as well as easier vendor setup and takedown. MHCA proposed a sign "Closed to Thru Traffic", probably at Straight Road and Maple Hill intersection. The Board will make a decision at a later, unspecified meeting, but felt this

Mount Holly Animal Control Officer

The Mount Holly Animal Control Officer is Constable Paul Faenza. He can be contacted 24hours/day at pager 786-4404, or leave a message on his cell at 245-4452.

The ACO handles calls concerning domesticated animals, and farm animals, to include animals running at large, animal cruelty, aggressive dogs, dog bites, etc. For more information or any questions concerning the Mount Holly Dog Ordinance, please contact Constable Faenza at mhconstable@yahoo.com.

needed to be on this agenda to let everyone know about it.

- Healdville Road 1970's curve issue. No progress to report on the land transfers at this time.
- Centerline Rumble Stripes – The State plans to install centerline rumble stripes along VT Route 103 from Rockingham to Clarendon. This is similar to the rumble stripes on Route 4 around Killington/Pico.
- Bridge Inspection Report - The State looked at the Station Road bridge in November 2013, and will not do any more inspections until the bridge is repaired and reopened. The Board voted previously not to repair the bridge and keep it closed. The Board should go thru the formal process to delete the bridge from the town road mileage.
- 2001 Truck. Last month, the Board voted to replace this truck with a tandem (10-wheel) truck rather than 6-wheel, similar to the current vehicles. Since then, Jim Heald has reconsidered his position. He felt that there are 2

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Do not burn until you have spoken to him.

SAFETY FIRST ALWAYS

people in town with the larger trucks who have been trucking for us at very good rates and he did not feel the town should be in the trucking business. In addition, the town could make use of an option to have materials delivered via the railroad siding at the blinking light. Jim asked the Board to reconsider last month's vote. Ray felt that there are some roads in town where it would not be practical to use a 10-wheel truck due to its size, particularly in winter. Tim felt that tandem trucks were the way to go. Upon motion made and seconded, it was

VOTED: To rescind the vote to purchase a tandem truck and replace the 2001 Truck with a 6-wheel truck, by a vote of 2-1.

The Board then went on to review proposals on a 6-wheel truck. Jeff presented into from Patriot, which would be a Western Star truck and Clark (International). The two trucks are not exactly equivalent, but looking at the tradeoffs, Jeff favored the Western Star, primarily as it has a larger engine, although it would be more expensive. Upon motion made and seconded, it was

VOTED: To purchase a Western Star 6-wheel truck at a cost of approximately \$97,000 from Patriot, with Jeff to decide on the appropriate gear ration choice.

The Board discussed body packages to complete the truck and authorized Jeff to pick the body package to complete the truck, which will run an additional roughly \$60,000. Ray cautioned to be sure to get tailgate hinges like to ones on the current trucks.

- New Garage.

Dave Josselyn reported that the town crew has removed the trees and stumps and the site was ready to bring the excavator in next week. He also presented the final version of the contract, which the Board reviewed and signed.

6. Report of Treasurer

- Garage Bond – Treasurer David Johnson presented an option for the bond, which is a private placement with Merchant's Bank. This is a relatively new program for the bank, and they are offering a slightly lower interest rate than the Bond Bank, which should result in interest savings of about \$31,000. P. Guiliani, the bond attorney, has provided a written opinion of this option, noting that there must be a published notice of the private placement 5-30 days before the date bids will be opened (only Merchants is expected to bid). Upon motion made and seconded, it was

VOTED: To publish a notice of the Bonds of the Town of Mount Holly as approved by vote of March 04, 2014 for construction of a town garage for private placement with the bid opening date of May 27, 2014.

- David then presented an income and expense statement dated April 30, 2014 showing cash balances of \$1,778,826. There 10 delinquent tax accounts for which the tax sale process will start. Lister expenses are over budget, due to NEMRC programming charges for the new computer. Otherwise the general fund expenses are generally under budget. David provided number on Solid Waste tonnage, which has increased while label sales are lower. Are people putting more in each bag, so they are heavier? Monitoring will continue. Under highway expenses, winter labor was over budget, but materials were under budget. The highway expenses switch back to summer road categories as of May 1.
- RSWU Bond. The town received an invoice from the Town of Ludlow for our share of the bond payment for the old SU offices, which we did not expect. This is the final year of the bond (the amount due is about \$3,000). Upon motion made and seconded, it was

VOTED: To pay the final installment on the RSWU bond, as invoiced by Ludlow.

7. Transfer Station:

See comments under treasurer's report.

8. Planning Commission

- The annual appointments for the Rutland Regional Planning Commission (RRPC) and the Rutland Regional Transportation Council (RRTC) are due June 30 for FY2015. Requests for Letters of Interest continue to be posted and put in the ChitChat for next month's meeting.

9. Start Lake Dam Reconstruction – Update

Ron Unterman presented an update on the project using a draft revised site plan. The State rejected the plan: they want no water down Lake St. This means a berm must be built along the road, which will cause the boat access to move to the other side of the culvert. They also wanted 1' of freeboard along the concrete wall and 6" higher, which would result in a \$20-30,000 increase in costs. The engineers are working with the State to come to agreement. FOSL still expects to receive the State permit by June 1. The Army Corps permit regarding the dredging should be received by then as well.

All of this means the lake level could get higher than it's ever been, up to 1.5' higher in the 2000-year flood level (the design must be for this level). This means that we may need "flowage rights" from landowners around the lake. (There were no rights needed originally, as the person who built the dam owned all the land at that time.) Because of the additional costs due to the design changes, FOSL is asking the town to pay for legal time to address this issue. Upon motion made and seconded, it was

VOTED: To pay for legal expenses to determine the "flowage rights" issue.

Meanwhile, the bid package preparation will continue, hopefully concluding next month. A special meeting of the Select Board may be needed to sign contracts so work can get started as soon as possible. The deadline for working in the water is October 1. The Board requested that the higher lake water level effect on the stream under the road be checked.

10. Other Business

- The Town received an Aquatic Nuisance Grant for Star Lake for \$950. This will be used for a survey of plants.
- ATV committee update – Tim Martin, as the chair of the committee, reported that the group is planning to get a survey

out as widely as possible via the ChitChat and Newsflash. The survey will gather information on this proposal, including the overall question does the town want ATVs on some or all of its roads.

- Dog Ordinance – Several months ago, Paul Faenza, our animal control officer, had presented a draft ordinance to replace the current one. Paul was not able to be here tonight, but will be available next month. The Board will review the draft for next month..

11. The Board reviewed and signed the April orders for payment.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 9:31 pm. Respectfully submitted,
Rhonda Rivers



OPPORTUNITIES TO GET INVOLVED ON MOUNT HOLLY'S BEHALF

Like most small town, Mount Holly depends on the generosity and willingness of its citizens to get involved with many activities and organizations that benefit the Town. There are currently a number of opportunities available. These positions are volunteer. If you are interested in any of the following, please contact the Select Board, at P.O. Box 248, Mount Holly, 05758 or email mthollysb@gmail.com or phone 259-2391. A **letter of interest** is requested for all of them, including the incumbents.

RUTLAND REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION RUTLAND REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVE and ALTERNATE



The Select Board seeks individuals to be the town's representative and alternate to the Rutland Regional Planning Commission and its related group, the Rutland Regional Transportation Council. As the names suggest, these groups work on regional issues for the 27 municipalities in Rutland County and provide assistance to towns with planning issues. All appointments are for the fiscal year, 07/01/14 – 06/30/15.

The representative and/or alternate attends the regular monthly meetings and reports back to the Select Board. The RRPC meets in Rutland on the third Tuesday of the month at 7:00 pm. The RRTC meets on the 4th Thursday of the month at 7:00 pm. More information can be found at the RRPC website, www.rutlandrpc.org.

SELECT BOARD SPECIAL MEETING

May 27, 2014 ~ 7:00 pm

AGENDA

There will be a special meeting of the Select Board at 7:00 pm on Tuesday, May 27, 2014 in the town office. The purpose of the meeting will be

- a) to open and review bids for the private placement of the bonds voted in March for the construction of the town garage.
- b) to choose the private placement for the bonds.

The date and time of this meeting was set during the regular Select Board meeting of May 13, 2014 as 6:00 pm. The notice that was published in the Rutland Herald stated 7:00 pm, so the time was changed to that.

Town of Mount Holly NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

Agreeably to the provisions of Title 32, Section 4111 Vermont Statutes Annotated, notice is hereby given that the undersigned Listers within and for the Town of **MOUNT HOLLY** have this day completed the abstract of individual lists of persons, co-partnerships, associations, and corporations owning taxable property in said Town on the first day of April 2014 that they have this day lodged the same in the office of the clerk of said town for the inspection of taxpayers; that on the **30th of May 2014 between the hours of 9:00am and 5:00pm; 31st of May 2014 between the hours of 9:00am and 5:00pm**, the undersigned Listers will meet at the **Mount Holly Town Office** in the Listers Office in said Town, to hear grievances of persons, co-partnerships, associations or corporations aggrieved by any of their appraisals or by any of their acts such Listers who objections thereto in writing shall have been filed with them as prescribed by statute, and to make such corrections in said abstract as shall upon hearing or otherwise be determined by them; and that unless cause to the contrary be shown, the contents of said abstract will, for the year 2014 become the Grand List of said Town and of each person, co-partnership, association or corporation therein named.

To be timely, such grievance must be in writing and received (postmarks not accepted) by the close of business on the 30th of May 2014.

Given under our hands at Mount Holly in the County of Rutland this 15th day of May 2014.
Listers of the Town of Mount Holly, Carol Garrow-Woolley, Christine Pratt, Nicole Griffin

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION

At the MOUNT HOLLY TRANSFER STATION

**Saturday, June 28
8 AM to NOON**

The following items are typical of the household chemicals collected through the Household Hazardous Waste program. These materials may be dropped off at the scheduled event in Mount Holly or delivered to the HHW Depot at the Rutland County Solid Waste District's Gleason Road Transfer Station.

Kitchen/Bathroom

Aerosol Cans
Bug Sprays
Floor Care Products
Metal Polish
Furniture Polish
Oven Cleaners
Drain Cleaners
Bathroom Cleaners
Tile Cleaners
Disinfectants
Toilet Bowl Cleaners
Nail Polish Remover
Fluorescent Light Bulbs

Garage Workshop

Waste Oil
Antifreeze
Gasoline
Brake Fluid
Roofing Tar
Auto Body Repair Pro.
Automatic Trans. Fluid
Other Oils/Cleaners
Paint (Lead & Oil Based)
Paint Thinner
Paint Stripper
Varnish
Pool Chemicals

Garden/Miscellaneous

Chemical Fertilizer
Fungicides
Herbicides
Rat Poison
Insecticides/Pesticides
Artists' Paints, Mediums
Dry Cleaning Solvents
Fiberglass Epoxy
Gun Cleaning Solvents
Moth Balls
Rechargeable Batteries
Photographic Chemicals



Jari Piper, renown Canadian Cellist, in Concert in Ludlow, May 31

FOLA (Friends of Ludlow Auditorium) announced that Jari Piper will present a cello concert at Ludlow Town Hall Auditorium on Saturday, May 31 at 7 PM. Alaskan-born, Montréal-based cellist Jari Juhani Piper is as comfortable performing in the concert hall as well as bars, cafes, or just the metro. Named 2013 Young Alaskan Artist of the Year, Jari recently completed an exciting tour across America, playing solo works for cello in a wide variety of venues and collaborating with different artists along the way, and is currently booking dates for his second solo tour.

Classically trained, Jari is part of the new wave of young musicians who are showing the world that art music belongs both in and outside the concert hall, performing New Music that will bend your ears in ways that you did not think possible (and you'll like it).

Jari Piper is about to undertake his second Solo Tour of America. As a solo cellist, his performances are an intense hour of New Music ranging from the dark and introspective to the raucous and virtuosic.

His music takes inspiration from a global range of genres and influences: Classical, Jazz, Minimalism, and folk music from the Balkans and the Americas all feature within his programs.

Jari is not a new-comer to the area. He participated in the Okemo Young Artists Program held in Ludlow for several summers.

Jari is touring with a hand-picked program of 20th and 21st Century modern classics. In addition, he is honored to be performing three World Premieres of new works by written especially for him by up-and-coming composers Reiko Yamada, Chris Kinkaid, and Ryan Brauer.

After the success of his 2013 tour, where he performed in over 20 cities across the country in anywhere from churches to bars, Jari is now touring

to promote his new CD release with an all new program of solo works. Jari holds a Master's Degree in Music from McGill University and a Bachelor in Music from University of Manitoba.

More information is available at his web site, www.jaripiper.com

IT'S SPRING "PLANT" TIME ... GET YOUR SHARE OF "GReeN" ELECTRICITY AT THE MT HOLLY SOLAR "FARM"

There has been an overwhelmingly positive reaction to "PLANTING" a community scale SOLAR "FARM" to produce "GReeN" electricity in Mt Holly.

The meeting at the library on May 4th was standing room only – 55 people attended and about 90 have expressed interest in participating. Peter Thurrell of Soveren Solar has followed up his explanation of "Vermont community solar" by sending prospectuses

to a couple of dozen persons who requested specific proposals for the number of panels they need.

The site location for the "farm" is not yet fixed, but we are still looking and are making progress in finding a location in Mt Holly that is flat, clear, with southern exposure, near GMP's 3-phase power line & that town folk will agree is respectful of the beauty and character of the town.

We have submitted a proposal to the Clean Energy Development Fund for a grant of \$125,000 to help reduce costs of participants in this project, and we expect to hear from them soon.

A "share" in the solar "farm" buys solar panels that produce electricity that GMP buys and issues \$ credits that run your electric meter backwards. To find out the kW size system you need to offset the amount you owe for electricity you consume, divide your yearly electric bill by \$250. Cost is \$4.00 per watt sold in 1 kW units.

For example, if a household's annual electric bill is \$750, it would need a 3 kW system. In the "farm," this costs \$12,000, including a 30-year maintenance & service contract, and only \$8400 after deducting a 30% federal tax credit. Since this system produces at least \$750 per year in \$ credits from GMP, it offsets the household's electric bill & can give a yield on investment of about 9%.

It takes about 10 years to pay back and for the next 20 years or more, electricity is free. Should one need to finance this purchase, loans are available that can be paid off over perhaps 15 years, without any money up front and by paying the same amount to the bank rather than GMP.

For more information, contact: Marcy Tanger 259 2344 tanger@vermontel.net

The 2nd Annual CAIRO SHRINERS OF RUTLAND GOLF TOURNAMENT

To benefit the Cairo Shriners of Rutland



Green Mountain National
Killington, Vermont

Sunday, June 1, 2014 - 1:00 Registration
Fun "Captain & Crew" Scramble with 4 person teams!

Beginners & all ability levels are welcome to join the fun!

**\$100 per player includes golf, cart, barbeque dinner,
the chance to win some great prizes &**

A COMPLIMENTARY MID-WEEK ROUND OF GOLF AT GMNGC!!

***Please join us for this wonderful day of golf and help support our
shrine!***

Hole & Flag Sponsorships are also available!

Space is limited, so sign up your team today!

Sign up as a single, twosome or threesome
and we'll be sure to match you up with a fun group!

Name: _____ **HDCP:** _____ **Contact #:** _____

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**Please turn your registration form in at the Cairo Shrine or mail to
Cairo Shriners – 51 Washington Street – Rutland VT 05701**

**For more information or to register by phone contact
Bob Ferguson at (802) 353-1234 or bob@allprocomm.net
or visit cairoshriners.com**

News from the Okemo Valley Regional Chamber of Commerce

By CEO Marji Graf.

Have you seen our new Annual Guidebook? We hope you enjoy the new features:

*Each town has a two page spread. *A map of where we're located within the State. *An extensive calendar of events *Special Iron Adventure Run and Cider Days features *Summer Music. And a big Thank you to our advertisers who make this book possible for our Region!! Please put the welcome mats out for our guests this summer!

July 24-26 for the Iron Adventure Run. (motorcyclists)

August 15-17 The Vermont Challenge (bicyclists)

August 30-31 The Antique & Classic Car Show. We are looking for volunteers, judges, parking attendants, registration desk attendants, vendors.

September 23 is our Golf Tournament at the Okemo Valley Golf Club. Open to everyone!!!

Last Chance to travel at discounted rates to Tuscany on October 20, 2014 for 9 days and staying in one hotel. Payment due by July 2. Call the Chamber for details. We will also be offering another popular trip to China on April 9th-17, 2015. Payment must be made by December, 2014. More information can be found on our website; www.yourplaceinvermont.com under ABOUT US, Travel with the Chamber tab. This is our 4th trip to China with raving reviews.



All Terrain Vehicle (ATV) Committee Meeting

Meeting Minutes April 25, 2014 Draft Day / Date: Friday April 25, 2014 **Time:** 6:00 PM **Location:** Town Offices

Attendees: Committee Members – Don Patch, Bruce Turco, Tim Martin, David Burnor and Francis DeVine

Other Attendees: Danny Hale, Executive Director, Vermont All Terrain Vehicle Sportsman Association and his wife. Dan Freeman, Madeleine Faye

The meeting was called to order at 6:15 PM. Tim Martin as Select Board representative was designated chairman of the committee.

Martin opened the meeting by discussing the purpose of the committee. Its aim is to develop a proposal for the select board concerning opening town roads to ATV use.

Don Patch had provided the committee with a draft ordinance for consideration. D. Hale commented how the standard VASA template had been used as a basis, but that it can and was modified for our use by Patch.

The purpose was discussed and D. Freeman pointed out that his understanding was that it was to allow ATV's to go from one point to the other on a town road when required.

D. Hale discussed the benefits of forming a VASA sanctioned club in town. The cost of membership was seen as being more than folks might be willing to pay. He then suggested that the town might want to consider a municipal membership (see attached description). Under this arrangement the town would receive administrative support, signage and certain levels of law enforcement. Since this was tied to a true trail program and the town is only looking at limited road access between private lands, this type of membership was not seen as applicable at this time. Hale indicated that a membership could be taken out later if the town would like. He and his wife then left the meeting.

The committee then began to review and mark-up the draft ordinance.

Town Of Mount Holly Ordinance All-Terrain Vehicle Regulations

Authority: Under the authority granted in Vermont Title 24 V.S.A. Chapter 59 and Vermont Title 23 V.S.A. Chapter 31, Section 3510, the Select Board of the Town of Mount Holly hereby adopts the following civil ordinance regulating the time, manner and location of operation of all-terrain vehicles within the town. This ordinance and accompanying regulations are adopted as a supplement to and not a substitute for any Vermont statutes and regulations pertaining to all-terrain vehicles.

Purpose: The purpose of this ordinance is to allow Mount Holly residents, landowners, and their guests, who have the appropriate permission to travel on private land, limited approval for their all-terrain vehicles to travel on identified and approved town highways (or sections of highways), to connect to other private property, while protecting the health and safety of all vehicle operators, residents, animals, property and the environment.

Definitions: This ordinance will adopt the definitions of "All-Terrain Vehicle" or "ATV" and "Operate" as defined in Vermont Title 23 V.S.A. Chapter 31 section 3501.

Operation Requirements: The requirements below must be strictly adhered to when operating an all-terrain vehicle on town highways. Any violations will revoke the permission from the Town of Mount Holly to operate an all-terrain vehicle on the town highways and the applicable State laws will apply.

- 1) All-terrain vehicles must be registered and operated in accordance to the requirements of Vermont Title 23 V.S.A. Chapter 31.
- 2) All-terrain vehicles may only be operated on town highways when they are not posted for weight restrictions. Agricultural use is exempt from this restriction.
- 3) All-terrain vehicles may only be operated on town highways from one hour before sunrise to one hour after sunset.
- 4) All-terrain vehicles may only be operated on sections of town highways that have been designated and approved by the Select Board.
- 5) All traffic control devices apply to the operation of all-terrain vehicles.
- 6) All-terrain vehicles on the town highway will travel to the far right side, single file, at a speed not to exceed 20 miles per hour.
- 7) The operator of an all-terrain vehicle being operated on a town highway will yield right of way to all other vehicle and pedestrian traffic including but not limited to bicyclist and horses.
- 8) The operator of an all-terrain vehicle being operated on a town highway must possess a valid motor vehicle operator's license.
- 9) An all-terrain vehicle being operated on a town highway must be covered by a liability insurance policy.
- 10) The operator of an all-terrain vehicle being operated on a town highway must properly wear a D.O.T. approved helmet.

Highway Approval Process

- 1) All-terrain vehicles will only be allowed to travel on town highways (or sections of highways) approved by the Select Board.
- 2) Each highway (or section of highway) will require someone to volunteer to act as a contact person for the highway and will be responsible for the following:
 - A. Submission of the permission application to the ATV Committee. The application will include address and contact information of the contact person.
 - B. Purchase and post the required signage at both ends of the area opened for all-terrain vehicle travel. Only those signs approved by the Select Board will be allowed.

- C. Assist local law enforcement investigating violations of this ordinance when possible.
- 3) The ATV Committee will be responsible for:
- A. Reviewing permission applications for completeness and compliance.
 - B. Verifying that the approved signage is properly posted (once approved).
 - C. Posting notice of highways to be opened in the Chit Chat and News Flash to allow residents to comment on the opening of the highway.
 - D. Making recommendations to the Select Board on the approval decision.
 - E. Receiving complaints and concerns from residents and attempting to address them.
 - F. Reporting to the Select Board when requested.
- 4) The Select Board reserves the right to allow or deny permission to operate an all-terrain vehicle on any town highway (or section of highway). The Select Board reserves the right to rescind any or all permissions to operate an all-terrain vehicle on town highways at any time.

Adopted by the Town of Mount Holly Select Board on _____ 2014.

James Heald

Raymond Tarbell

Tim Martin

All Terrain Vehicle (ATV) Mount Holly Town Highway Access Request

At the March Select Board meeting a group of ATV owners and users described a problem they faced. Currently, ATV owners who would like to ride an ATV from their home base to another non-contiguous parcel of land must do so across another person's land. In order to cross that land the rider must have written permission to do so. In the absence of that permission, the rider must either trailer their ATV to the remote site, or ride illegally on the town highway as state law currently prohibits the use of ATVs on roads. ATV owners have requested that they be given permission to ride legally on designated town roads connecting their different riding locations to alleviate this problem.

The Select Board asked that a committee be formed to review the request and make recommendations. The committee believes that the best solution to the request will be developed if we have full input from town residents, landowners, and other stakeholders. The committee has drafted a preliminary proposed ordinance, included herein. A survey to solicit community opinion has also been developed and can be found in the center of this issue. Details regarding the completion and return of the survey are on the survey itself. The committee would greatly appreciate hearing from as many people as possible by June 10th. Thank you for your input.

All-Terrain Vehicle Town Highway Permission Application

Town Highway You Are Requesting Permission To Operate An All-Terrain Vehicle On:

Starting And Ending Locations On The Above Highway:

Requestor's Contact Information:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Email Address: _____

By signing this application you affirm that the approved signage will be appropriately placed (once approved) and agree to be a contact for local law enforcement investigating complaints of violations of the Mount Holly All-Terrain Vehicle Ordinance.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Approved by the Town of Mount Holly Select Board on _____

James Heald

Raymond Tarbel

Tim Martin

Mount Holly
All Terrain Vehicle Road Use Survey

Currently All Terrain Vehicle (ATV) owners who would like to ride an ATV from their home base to another non-contiguous parcel of land must do so across another person's land. In order to cross that land the rider must have the owner's written permission to do so. In the absence of that permission, the rider must either trailer their ATV to the remote site or ride illegally on the town highway. ATV owners have requested that they be given permission to ride legally on roads connecting their different riding locations to alleviate this problem.

State law governing ATVs does not allow the use of roads. However, the law does give towns the right to open their roads to ATV travel at their discretion. Through a committee, the Select Board of Mount Holly is currently reviewing this request.

This is a complicated issue to resolve and will impact homeowners across the town. In order to better formulate a solution, we would like more input from residents. Below you will find a list of questions, which will provide the committee with valuable feedback for resolving the request. Thank you in advance for your time.

Please check the ones you agree with ☒.

1. Do you believe that ATVs should be allowed on:
 - Some unpaved roads ☐
 - All unpaved roads ☐
 - Paved town roads ☐
 - No paved roads ☐
 - All Town roads ☐
 - ATVs should not be allowed on any town roads ☐
2. Do you ride an All Terrain Vehicle (ATV)? Yes ☐ No ☐
3. If you ride an ATV, is it for recreational, business or agricultural purposes?
Recreational ☐ Business ☐ Agriculture ☐
4. If you ride an ATV, do you ride solely on your own home property, or do you ride on other separate parcels?
Home Property ☐ Separate Parcels ☐
5. If roads were to be opened to ATV use should that permission be limited to residents/landowners of Mt. Holly?
Yes ☐ No ☐
6. Should recreational ATVs be allowed on authorized town roads (check only one):
 - From May 1 through December 15 ☐
 - Anytime except when town roads are posted for weight limits ☐
 - Anytime with no restrictions ☐
7. What times during the day should recreational ATV's be allowed to ride on roads (check only one):
 - From one hour before sunrise until one hour after sunset ☐
 - From one hour before sunrise until one hour after sunset except during non-hunting season, between June 1 and September 1, at which time the allowed time would be 7:00 AM to 9:00 PM. ☐
 - Anytime with no restrictions ☐
8. Would you be in favor of limited ATV usage, if the approved roads were only for those who have a valid vehicle operator's license or junior vehicle operator's license, use a DOT approved helmet and carry liability insurance?
Yes ☐ No ☐
9. Please list the road on which you live (required) _____



Comments (Please provide any comments or thoughts that you would like the committee to consider.)

Thank you for completing this survey.

You may return this survey:

- Scan to a pdf. file and email to MtHollyATV@gmail.com
- Drop off at the Mt. Holly Town Office or the Belmont General Store
- Fold and mail to: Mt. Holly ATV Committee, c/o PO Box 45, Belmont, VT 05730

Please return your completed survey by Tuesday, June 10, 2014

Mt. Holly ATV Committee
c/o PO Box 45
Belmont, VT 05730

2014 Okemo Valley Antique & Classic Car Show

Presented by Springfield Buick GMC

The Okemo Valley Regional Chamber of Commerce is proud to announce the First Annual Okemo Valley Antique & Classic Car Show, to be held on **Saturday, August 30, 2014 and Sunday, August 31, 2014** at the Fletcher Farms School for the Arts & Crafts, 611 Route 103S in Ludlow, VT.

On Labor Day Weekend, cars from decades ranging from the 1910's-1989 will be represented and judged. Car enthusiasts, novices, family & friends are encouraged to attend and will have the opportunity to view the antique & classic cars and guests will even have a chance to rate their favorite car in the "People's Choice" competition.

There will be a Car parade each day at 2:30pm from Fletcher Farm School to President Calvin Coolidge State Historic Site just in time for the Plymouth Folk & Blues Concert!!

We look forward to welcoming you to the Okemo Valley Antique & Classic Car Show, presented by Springfield Buick GMC on August 30th & August 31st, 2013. Rain or shine!

If you would like to be a part of this inaugural event as a sponsor, please see link [here](#).

Event Schedule & Registration

Friday, August 29, 2014 - Hotel check in after 3pm - 6pm-9pm Early Bird Cruise In, Cool Moose Café
Display of parked cars, food, entertainment and fun!

Saturday, August 30, 2014 - 7:00-9am Exhibitor Registration and packet pick up – Fletcher Farm School

10-2pm Show opens to the public - Cars Displayed by Class/Sponsor Area - 10:30-1:30 Judging of the "Best of" the decades (1910's – 1989) & "Springfield Buick GMC's Best in Show" - 2:30pm Car parade from Ludlow to Plymouth - Arrive President Calvin Coolidge State Historic Site for the Folk & Blues

Festival - Chicken Barbecue or dinner in any restaurant in Ludlow

Sunday, August 31, 2014 - 7:00-9am Exhibitor Registration and packet pick up – Fletcher Farm School - 10-2pm Show opens to the public - Cars Displayed by Class/Sponsor Area

2pm Award Ceremony. Please collect your Award at the show. - 2:30pm Show Closes or stay for the Car parade from Ludlow to Plymouth - Arrive President Calvin Coolidge State Historic Site for the Folk & Blues – Festival - Dinner at any restaurant in Ludlow

Monday, September 1, 2014 - Optional Scavenger Hunt throughout the Okemo Valley Ludlow – Weston – Chester

- See more at: <http://www.yourplaceinvermont.com/event/2014-okemo-valley-antique-classic-car-show/#sthash.Im6xIusB.dpuf>

May Non-Fiction Book Discussion - April 1865 by Jay Winik

Event: May 28, 2014, 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM Our group of non-fiction readers will discuss Jay Winik's APRIL 1865 on Wednesday May 28 at 6pm at The Book Nook. A book about April in May? Well, we are just that sort of book discussion group (we make our own rules).

The book comes highly recommended by one of new readers. Here is a brief description of the narrative of the last month of the Civil War (from Harpercollins.com): "One month in 1865 witnessed the frenzied fall of Richmond, a daring last-ditch Southern plan for guerrilla warfare, Lee's harrowing retreat, and then, Appomattox. It saw Lincoln's assassination just five days later and a near-successful plot to decapitate the Union government followed by chaos and coup fears in the North, collapsed negotiations and continued bloodshed in the South, and finally, the start of national reconciliation."

Last month we had "Italian" inspired snacks. Not sure what we are going to have this month, but always open to suggestions. Please let us know if you are going to attend or if you want to be added to our book discussion mailing list. From: Scott Stearns [The Book Nook]

FOLA needs Just \$1,000 to Reach Campaign Goal

FOLA (Friends of Ludlow Auditorium) has set as its new goal, the replacement of the ancient and very uncomfortable seating in the Ludlow (VT) Town Hall Auditorium.

WE have found a great chair that is comfortable, long lasting, AND reasonably-priced. Below is a photo of what that new chair looks like:

This compares to the existing seating, most of which dates back to 1923 pictured right:

FOLA is just \$1,000 short of the necessary funding to purchase enough chairs to replace the old, uncomfortable wooden chairs pictured above. If you have already given to the FOLA "Reseating Project", we thank you very much. If you have not given we would appreciate it if you would consider making a donation to FOLA's "Reseating Project".

Donations may be made on-line, using the payment process in FOLA's web site, simply by clicking [HERE](#). If you prefer, you may also mail your contribution to: FOLA, c/o Treasurer, 1 Whispering Pines, Ludlow, VT 05149

For additional information go to the FOLA web site at www.fola.us or call 802-228-7239.

Thanks for considering this request - and please take advantage of the many programs offered by FOLA in the beautifully restored Ludlow Town Hall Auditorium.





VSO VOCAL QUARTET TO VISIT AREA SCHOOLS

The Vermont Symphony Orchestra's "Ah! Cappella" Vocal Quartet will visit public schools in Mt. Holly, Cavendish, and Ludlow on May 27th (See schedule below.) .

Using nothing but the instruments they were born with, the four singers in "Ah! Cappella" have wowed schoolchildren across the state with a varied and amusing program since their debut in 1999. All four are teachers as well as musicians, and expert at presenting a program that delights as it instructs. They perform a wide selection of music, from an early madrigal and part of a mass to an African-American spiritual and a coal miner's song. A question-and-answer period allows students to explore not only the group's multicultural musical choices, but the lives of professional Vermont musicians as well. The show builds to the message that music as a universal language can bring the world closer together by singing together.

Ah! Cappella members are: soprano Claire Hungerford, of St. Albans; alto Linda Radtke, of Montpelier; tenor Cameron Steinmetz, of Rutland; and baritone Brett Murphy, of Berlin.

These performances are part of the Vermont Symphony Orchestra's statewide *SymphonyKids* education program, which reached over 30,000 schoolchildren last year with 283 presentations serving 195 schools in 170 different communities.

For more information on Ah! Cappella or the VSO's *SymphonyKids* programs in general, please call Eleanor Long at (800) VSO-9293 ext. 14.

Performance Schedule - Mt. Holly School: 9:00am - Cavendish Town Elementary School: 10:45am - Ludlow Elementary School: 1:00pm

"Vermont Center for Emerging Technologies Event in Rutland"

Green Mountain Power (GMP), the Vermont Center for Emerging Technologies (VCET) and Fresh Tracks Capital will co-host "Tech @ Rutland Meet-Up", an opportunity for business owners and entrepreneurs seeking investors to meet and connect with resources to help rejuvenate local businesses, startups and the economy.

"Tech @ Rutland is a terrific occasion for entrepreneurs to meet with other business leaders, and possible investors," said Steve Costello, GMP's vice-president for generation and energy innovation. "We are thrilled to have business leaders join us in sharing ideas and connecting to grow our economy and provide opportunities for our community."

"The Tech @ Vermont Meet-Up series has been very successful in connecting statewide resources with local entrepreneurs," said Andrew Stickney, Vice president of the Vermont Center for Emerging Technologies. "With GMP's completion of the new Innovation Center and their local efforts to support startups, we think the event presents a great opportunity for the community."

The informal mixer event will be held May 29th from 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. at Green Mountain Power's Energy Innovation Center at 68 Merchants Row in Rutland, in the former Eastman Building.

The event will not feature speeches or formal presentations, but the opportunity for entrepreneurs to trade information, ideas and make contacts with a variety of potential investors and supporters while enjoying light food and drinks.

"These kinds of networking events have been great for early stage companies and investors alike," Stickney said. "Since we first began holding this event in Rutland, there has been steadily increasing interest from entrepreneurs in the area to do more - we think it is a great time to host another event."

In addition to GMP, VCET, and Fresh Tracks Capital, the event will include leaders from the Rutland Economic Development Corporation, Rutland Region Chamber of Commerce, Rutland Downtown Partnership, Community College of Vermont, Launch VT, North Country Angels, the Vermont Small Business Development Center, the Vermont Agency of Commerce and the Vermont Technology Council. The event is open to the public and anyone interested is encouraged to attend.

For more information, visit the event on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/events/489336241194587/> or contact Andrew Stickney at Andrew@vermonttechnologies.com. Contact: Andrew Stickney - 802-522-0858 Steve Costello - 802-793-4031

BRAM Celebrates Opening Day June 7th with 5 K Walk for History

On Saturday June 7th BRAM will celebrate opening the Museum for the Summer season with a 5 K Walk for History. Registration is at 10 AM and the walk begins at 10:30 AM, starting and ending at the Museum. \$20 per entrant (\$10 seniors and students). The entrance fee entitles walkers to a special BRAM tee shirt, water and power snacks.

Two new exhibits are being prepared for this coming season and will be on display opening day. One is a collaborative effort with the sixth graders at Ludlow Elementary School and the Black River Academy Museum focused on the impact of tropical storm Irene. The other new exhibit is the final installation covering the four year Civil War. This exhibit, as well as the previous three exhibits, is curated

by John Stewart, a member of the Museum. More information will be available as these projects are further developed.

The Museum is open Tuesday through Saturday, noon to 4 PM and by appointment. Please feel free to contact Museum Director, Georgia Brehm at 802-228-5050 or by email: glbrehm@tds.net or visit our web site: www.bramvt.org.

Photo of 5 K Walk for History Last Year at BRAM



Okemo Valley Regional Chamber of Commerce

The Okemo Valley Regional Chamber of Commerce held their Annual meeting luncheon yesterday, Wednesday, May 7, at Harry's Cafe in Ludlow. 61 people attended to taste Harry's Cafe specialties and hear from 7 panelists.

President Dan Cote welcomed everyone and introduced the Board of Directors. He asked for nominations from the floor to fill a vacant Board seat and immediately following the Annual Meeting the Board met and voted in Kevin Marvelli from the Vermont Country Store in Weston to fill Jim Szabo's seat.

Treasurer Mary Knight gave the Treasurers Report and thanked Jeff Graham from Graham & Graham for his compilation of the Chamber.

CEO Marji Graf reviewed accomplishments and goals and spoke about an exciting summer line up to our region beginning with July 24-26 Iron Adventure Run and August 29-31 Okemo Valley's 1st Annual Antique and Classic Car Show to be held at Fletcher Farm School for the Arts & Crafts.

She reviewed the Marketing and Membership Committees primary missions for 2014 and asked members if they liked what the Chamber is doing, to please reach out and share their experiences with other potential members.

Marji

presented the May Member

of the Month award to Tesha Buss of Good Commons in Plymouth. (Pictures provided by Donald Dill.)

Pictured Left: Tesha Buss of Good Commons and Marji Graf, CEO Okemo Valley Regional Chamber of Commerce

Panelists on the bar stools from left to right: Patrick Ripley, Vermont Digital Economy Project, VtSBDC, Nancy Shuttleworth, VtSBDC, E-commerce Business Advisor, Chris Herriman, Economic Development Specialist and Veteran Business Officer for the Vermont SBA District Office, Caitlin



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Corkins, VT Agency of Commerce & Community Development re: tax credits and grants for designated downtowns and village centers Paul Kowalski, project manager at Springfield Regional Development Corporation re: HUD-funded CDBG disaster recovery grants, Kevin Morehouse, Lender Relations Specialist, VT District Office U.S. Small Business Administration, and Bill Roberts, Loan Officer, VEDA

The Okemo Valley Regional Chamber of Commerce was pleased to bring its members these valuable resources to help them in their businesses.



RAVNAH June Foot Clinic/Blood Pressure Clinics

RAVNAH JUNE FOOT CLINIC SCHEDULE

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Wednesday	6/04/14	Wallingford House, 10 N. Main St. #12, Wallingford	10:30 am
Thursday	6/05/14	Parker House, 129 Church St., Rutland	10:00 am
Thursday	6/05/14	Bardwell House, 142 Merchants Row, Rutland	12:30 pm
Friday	6/06/14	Ira Town Hall, 2832 West Rd., West Rutland	12:30 pm
Wednesday	6/25/14	Godnick Adult Center, 1 Deer St., Rutland	12:30 pm

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The Mount Holly Chit Chat, a membership organization, has been incorporated as a non-profit organization in the State of Vermont, dedicated to providing all members of the Mount Holly community with information on Town events and issues. Membership is open to anyone who lives in, works in, or owns property in Mount Holly and who has made an annual membership donation. Membership donations help bring the Chit Chat to you every month.

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