



Upcoming Meetings...

- **Affordable Housing Committee:** *Wednesday, March 18th at 7:00 p.m. (Main Hall)*
- **Trails Committee:** *Wednesday, March 18th at 7:00 p.m. (1st floor conference room)*
- **Energy Committee:** *Wednesday, March 18th at 7:00 p.m. (3rd floor conference room)*
- **Conservation Commission:** *Wednesday, March 24th at 7:00 p.m. (3rd floor conference room)*
- **Planning Commission:** *Wednesday, March 25th at 7:30 p.m. (1st floor conference room)*

Weekly Updates from Departments:

Hinesburg Community Police

- *Uneventful Week* - The department opened 43 cases this week. There were several suspicious person/vehicle calls and we appreciate residents calling in their concerns. Our officer that installs car seats completed two this week so we are pleased people know the program is here in Hinesburg.

Hinesburg Fire & First Response

- *Calls* - (3/06/15 - 3/13/15)
 - 3/06/2015 - Fire - Detector heard by neighbor (good intent).
 - 3/08/2015 - EMS - Chest pain
 - 3/10/2015 - Fire - Single car Motor Vehicle Crash - RT 116 near Riggs Rd
 - 3/11/2015 - Fire - Single car MVC - Roll Over - RT 116 near Burnett's Scrap Metal
 - 3/11/2015 - Fire - Single car MVC - RT 116 near 2A
 - 3/12/2015 - EMS - Lift assist - no injuries.
 - 3/13/2015 - EMS - Pain from fall
- *Training*
 - *CPR Course* - We held a CPR course on Saturday 3/7/2015.
 - *EMR Course* - Chief Koss kicked off his Emergency Medical Responding (EMR) course on 3/12/2015.
 - *Smoke Reading* - on Wednesday 3/18/2015 we will be going to train with the Charlotte Fire Department on how to "read" smoke.
 - *Hybrid Vehicle Training* - On Thursday 3/26/2015 we will be training with Shelburne Fire Department on Hybrid Vehicle emergencies.

Town Clerk & Treasurer's Office

- *Dog Registration* - Don't forget to register your dogs by April 1st! We look forward to seeing you soon, and as always, dogs are welcome to join you for a visit!

Recreation Department

- *LWCF Grant* - Recreation Coordinator Jen McCuin presented the Bissonette Family Recreation Area grant request on Monday, 3/16 to the Land Water Conservation Fund (LWCF) panel in Montpelier. Select Board member Tom Ayer was also present. Results will be announced in May.
- *Recreation Commission Meeting* - Recreation Commission Meeting was moved to Tuesday, 3/17 at 7:00 pm.
- *SIGN UP for Spring Sports!!* - All details and forms are available at www.hinesburg.org/recreation.html and hard copies are available at the Rec. Office. Tee Ball (Kindergarten and 1st graders) and Farm League (2nd and 3rd graders) and K-1-2 Lacrosse register by 3/27 for \$40 and \$50 afterward. Deadline is 4/10. Spring is coming!!
- *AARP Driver's Safety Course* - Don't miss the AARP Safe Driver Class scheduled for Tuesday, 4/7 from 9:00 am until 2:00 pm in the first floor conference room at Town Hall. Register with HRD - hinesburgrec@gmavt.net or 482-2281 Ext. 230. AARP members pay \$15 / non-members pay \$20. Cross this off your "to-do" list for 2015! Register today.
- *American Red Cross Babysitting Class* - Sign up for the American Red Cross Babysitting Class set for Sat. 4/11 at the Town Hall from 9:00 am until 3:00 pm. Cost is \$90. Register with HRD at hinesburgrec@gmavt.net or 482-2281 ext. 230.
- *Spring/Summer Recreation Guide* - REMINDER: The Spring/Summer HRD Rec. Guide is available online at www.hinesburg.org/recreation.html and full of spring and summer activities and events. * Piano Recital Dates. Mary Beth Bowman's recital is scheduled for Tuesday, 5/19 at 6:00 pm in Cindy Fay's Music Room at HCS. Andrea Haulenbeek's recital is scheduled for Wednesday, 5/20 at 6:00 pm in Cindy Fay's Music Room at HCS.
- *Mark your calendar for the Annual Hinesburg Children's Choir Concert* - May 21st at 7:00 pm at the United Church. Join Director Andrea Haulenbeek and 28 HCS students in 2nd-4th grade for an end of the year choral celebration.

Carpenter-Carse Library

CALENDAR

- *Library Trustee Meeting* – Wednesday, March 25th 7 p.m. at Carpenter-Carse Library. Open to the public.

WEEKLY STORY TIMES

- *Baby and Toddler Story Time* - Offered on Tuesdays @ 9:30 a.m. Caregivers of babies and toddlers 3 years old and younger are invited to come and enjoy this special time with their little ones and other caregivers.
- *Preschool Story Time* - Offered on Tuesdays at 11 a.m. ~ for children 3-5 years of age. Preschoolers can join Sara for an hour for stories, songs and games.

OTHER REGULAR PROGRAMS

- *Lego Club* - Children ages 6 and up are invited to the Library on Thursdays from 3-4 p.m. to enjoy Legos, board games and snacks.
- *Fourth Friday Family Film Night* - Children and adults are invited to cozy into the community room for a movie and popcorn on Friday, March 27th 6-8pm. Call for information on the film to be shown. All movies will be rated PG or G. Children under the age of 10 must be accompanied by an adult. Free.
- *Monthly Carpenter-Carse Book Discussion Group* - The next discussion features Paris Stories by Mavis Gallant. Readers will meet at 7 p.m. on Thursday, March 19th. Meetings are held in readers' homes with refreshments served. Please phone Carrie at 482-4565 for more information.

EXHIBITS AND DISPLAYS AT THE LIBRARY

- *In the Glass Case* - Mexican Ceramics from the Collection of Daphne and Dona Walker. Birds and animals are depicted in interesting forms and lovely natural tones, with tribal decoration.
- *Book Displays*
 - Maple Sugaring
 - New Youth Fiction & Nonfiction
 - New Picture Books
 - Junior Graphic Novels
 - Women's History Month: Celebrate the women in your life!
 - Ireland
- *In the Community Room* - Art Exhibit: March 2 through April 13 - Drawn to Words - An exhibit of drawings by Miriam Adams that center on the theme of books and words....exquisite.

OTHER NEWS

- *Mango Languages* - Mango Languages (offered through the library's web site) has new mobile apps in 2015. Check them out! What's new? A whole new interface to keep learning even more fun and engaging; a voice-comparison feature, now available to help mobile users with accents; and a more user-friendly method for creating an account.
- *Vintage Book Sale* - Old books have a unique appeal. Our eclectic assortment of books are priced from \$3.00 - \$100.00; most prices are at the lower end. We have a supply of fresh titles which we have begun to add to the sale shelf. Both adult and children's books are available. Many books have been appraised, including higher priced items. All proceeds are used for the purchase of new books.
- Our digital blood pressure monitors are available for checkout to library cardholders. Our patrons are beginning to take advantage of the use of this high quality, free resource for good health. Those who don't yet have a library card are eligible to receive a free library card if they reside in Hinesburg and/or pay property taxes to Hinesburg. * *Please note* that those who wish to "join" the library will be asked to show proof of local address (such as a Vermont driver's license or a piece of mail postmarked in the last 30 days).
- *Keep up-to-date on the current events happening at the library* - http://www.carpentercarse.org/ccl_programs.html

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