



Upcoming Meetings...

- **Affordable Housing Committee:** *Wednesday, June 3rd at 7:00 p.m. (1st floor conference room)*
- **Selectboard:** *Wednesday, June 3rd at 7:00 p.m. (Main Hall)*
- **Village Steering Committee:** *Monday, June 8th at 7:00 p.m. (1st floor conference room)*
- **Conservation Commission:** *Tuesday, June 9th at 7:00 p.m. (3rd floor conference room)*
- **Recreation Commission:** *Tuesday, June 9th at 7:00 p.m. (1st floor conference room)*
- **Town Forest Committee:** *Wednesday, June 10th at 7:00 p.m. (3rd floor conference room)*

Weekly Updates from Departments:

Hinesburg Community Police

- *Town Hall Meeting* - On Thursday, June 4th, at 7:00 pm, I will be at the second floor meeting room of town hall to answer questions regarding the fatal crash that occurred on April 26. Although the toxicology report has not been returned which may factor into the primary cause, there are a number of rumors that can be addressed as well as questions regarding comments that I have made related to the crash.
- *Burglary* - On Thursday, May 21st, an officer responded to a Richmond Rd. address for a reported burglary with witness information. A vehicle description was given and the officer had a BOL (Be on the Lookout) broadcast. A state trooper went to the registered owners Bolton address and observed the suspect vehicle and the female suspect. The Hinesburg officer responded and issued the 59 year old female a citation to court.
Follow-up - The above case began when the homeowner came home for lunch and found the woman in his house looking in his medicine cabinet. She left after asking for directions. Being an astute homeowner, he knew that she was not really lost and needing directions so he immediately called the police. His house was unlocked and she walked in, so as a reminder, please lock your house and vehicles.
- *DUI / Hit and Run* - On Wednesday, May 27th, officers responded to Wildwood Ln. for a reported hit and run. Officers were told that the 60 year old male from Hinesburg struck a vehicle on Richmond Rd. and kept driving until the vehicle became disabled. It was also determined that he was driving under the influence of alcohol and was arrested. This is the same driver that in November 2012, struck a vehicle head-on at North Rd. and Richmond Rd. and was then arrested for DUI.

- *Animal Bite* – On Thursday, May 28th, an officer responded to a local medical clinic for a reported dog bite of an infant. The infant was later transported to UVM Medical Center and the officer coordinated with DCF to make sure the infant would be safe in the residence. The dog belonged to the family that the infant’s family was staying with.

Hinesburg Fire & First Response

- Calls (5/13/2015 – 5/26/2015)
 - 5/13/2015 - EMS - Lifeline activation
 - 5/13/2015 - EMS – Pain
 - 5/14/2015 - Fire/EMS - 3 car motor vehicle crash (MVC) - Richmond Rd near Iroquois Manufacturing
 - 5/14/2015 - EMS - Back pain
 - 5/14/2015 - EMS – Untimely
 - 5/17/2015 - EMS - CVU Standby
 - 5/17/2015 - EMS – Seizure
 - 5/18/2015 - EMS - Injuries from fall
 - 5/19/2015 - EMS - Injuries from fall
 - 5/19/2015 - Fire/EMS - Single car MVC - RT 116 South of Dubuois Corner
 - 5/20/2015 - EMS - Abdominal pain
 - 5/20/2015 - Fire/EMS - Single car MVC into power pole - RT 116 near Burnett Scrap Metal
 - 5/22/2015 - EMS - Injuries from fall - head injury
 - 5/22/2015 - Fire - Uncontrolled burn (no permit)
 - 5/22/2015 - Fire - Telephone pole on fire - Charlotte Rd, West of Town Hall
 - 5/23/2015 - EMS - Unknown medical
 - 5/23/2015 - Fire - Mutual Aid to Shelburne for station coverage
 - 5/26/2015 - EMS - Abdominal Pain
- Training
 - *Pumps Training* - We began a pumps training class last week (5/20/2015) and conclude this Wednesday (5/27) with outside operations/hands on training.
 - *AHA CPR Skills Checks* - We performed AHA CPR Skills checks on 5/21/2015.

Water & Wastewater Department

- Hinesburg Water System Alert - Please help the Hinesburg Water Department save water during a short-term crisis. Until further notice, water system customers please refrain from the following activities:
 - Pool filling
 - Vehicle/boat washing
 - Garden/lawn watering
 - Excessive length showers
 - Please fix any leaky toilets.

For more detailed info please refer to the link on the Town website: www.hinesburg.org.

Recreation Department

- *Tee Ball Season Final Week* - Last week of practice and games for the HRD Tee Ball teams. Season ends on Thursday, 6/4.
- *Farm League* - Hinesburg Farm League played the Shelburne A's and Mets at the Shelburne Harbor Rd. Fields on Sat. 5/30. Their final games of the season will be Sat. 6/6 at the Charlotte Berry Fields, playing the SLL Reds and SLL Mets at 11:00 am and 12:30 pm respectively.
- *Lacrosse Jamborees* - Both boys and girls lacrosse teams played Jamborees on Saturday 5/30 and Sunday, 5/31 respectively.
- *Preschool Dance Recital* - Miss Jeanne's pre-school dance recital was held at the Town Hall on Friday, 5/29, which celebrated a year's worth of dance and gymnastics.



Preschool Dance Recital - 5/29/15

- *K-1-2 Lacrosse Final Week* - Last week of K-1-2 lacrosse program, ending on Sat. 6/6.
- *Winter in July* - July 4th Theme is "Winter in July". Schedule will be posted online at Recreation page.
- *Rec Track & Field* - Still room in the Track & Field program. Deadline is 6/5. Mondays/Wednesdays from 6:15-7:45 pm at CVU track. Season runs Wed. 6/17 through Wed. 7/22 with the VT State Meet at St. Johnsbury Academy on Sat. 7/25. Cost is \$45. Register with HRD.

Carpenter-Carse Library

CALENDAR

- *Library Trustee Meeting* – Wednesday, June 24th 7 p.m. at Carpenter-Carse Library. Open to the public.

WEEKLY STORY TIMES

- *Youngsters Story Time* - Babies and kids ages 0-4 join Librarian Sara every Tuesday from 9:30-10 am at the library's community room for stories, movement, songs and snacks.

OTHER REGULAR PROGRAMS

- *Monthly Carpenter-Carse Book Discussion Group* - The next discussion: *The Burgess Boys* by Elizabeth Strout. Readers will meet at 7 p.m. on Thursday, June 25th. The July book: *The Invention of Wings* by Sue Monk Kidd, with a discussion on Thursday, July 24th. Meetings are held in readers' homes with refreshments served. Please phone Shelli at 482- 2269 for more information.
- *Fourth Friday Family Film Night* – June 26th 6-8 p.m. Children and adults cozy into the community room for a movie and popcorn. All movies will be rated PG or G. Children under the age of 10 must be accompanied by an adult. Call the library to ask what movie will be playing (482-2878). Free.

SPECIAL EVENTS - MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

- *Join the Number Ninjas* - Number Ninjas is a fun club for kids with a focus on math. For ages 4 – 7. The next meeting is Tuesday morning, June 9th from 10:30 – 11. Here is a great opportunity for your child to use their hands to build stuff, make music and essentially make a mess while learning about math. Super for pre-k and homeschoolers. Class size is limited to eight children, so sign up now! Register at the library's Circulation Desk or email Sara at room.ccl@gmail.com for sign-up.

EXHIBITS AND DISPLAYS AT THE LIBRARY

- *In the Community Room* - June visitors to the library are treated to artwork by some of our youngest Hinesburg residents, 3-5 year olds in nursery school. Teachers Liz Russell and Wendy Frink explain that since early March students at the Hinesburg Nursery School have been learning about Space. They started with exploration of our own solar system, then expanded outward to learn of more distant realms, and to gain an understanding of some basic concepts and relationships in Space. We are so pleased that they are sharing pictures that depict some of what they learned! The exhibit includes beautiful planets with descriptions created by the children, as well as finger painting. Visitors will certainly want to read "Space Story" a collaborative story written and illustrated by HNS students, displayed on a wall of our community room. Thank you for sharing!
- Book Displays
 - June is Alzheimer's & Brain Awareness Month
 - "Every Hero has a Story" Summer Reading Club 2015
 - June is Dairy Month – Thank you to all our local farmers!
 - Memorial Day Remembrance
 - 2015 Baby Dedication Books
 - New Youth Non-fiction

OTHER NEWS

- *Summer Reading Program (All Ages)* - Another great summer of reading is in the forecast! The Carpenter-Carse Library joins libraries across the state as they launch the 2015 Summer Reading Program with the theme “Every Hero has a Story.” In a cooperative effort, librarians nationwide contributed to the summer program guide, resulting in lots of high-quality reading program materials and ideas. Over the past several months, Sara and Judy have been busy using these tools and their own imaginations to create tons of summer fun.

Children of all ages can set a goal for the number of books they wish to read during the summer and then record each title on an “Every Hero has a Story” reading record as they finish each book. Pre-readers may record books read to them.

****The reading program began May 26th and runs through August 31st. Families may register at the library. **** When parents and children stop by the library to register, they receive a reading record, stickers, and a bookmark. Once children complete their summer reading log they can come into the library for a special certificate.

- *Summer Reading Club (for ages 6 -10)* - Be a hero and join the Summer Reading Club (to complement the S.R.P). Sara and Judy will host six weeks of active fun. This club will meet for five consecutive Wednesdays beginning June 24th from 10:30 – noon, and the final week will be on a Thursday; July 30th. Registration began on 5/26/15 at the library. Space is limited and separate registration is required for each individual program so stop in early. We are delighted to present a variety of fun activities and plenty of exciting entertainment. The Summer Reading Program Kickoff is on Wednesday, June 24th: *VINS presents “Animal Heroes.”* A sneak preview of the rest of the summer includes cartoonist Ericc Cram and Kristen Littlefield from Wildthings! Nature Program. This is just a sampling of the fun. For a complete schedule, visit the library, check out the next Hinesburg Record, or visit www.carpentercarselibrary.org. We hope to see you this summer!
- *Keep up-to-date on the current events happening at the library* - http://www.carpentercarse.org/ccl_programs.html

Town Administrator

- *Highway Maintainers Needed* - The Town of Hinesburg is currently seeking two individuals to fill highway maintainer positions with the Highway Department. A Class B CDL (commercial driver’s license) with tanker and trailer endorsements is preferred. For an application or with questions, contact the Town Administrator’s office (tlashua@hinesburg.org; 482-2281, ext. 221) or visit the website (www.hinesburg.org). The Town of Hinesburg is an equal opportunity employer.
- *Peter Erb’s Retirement Open House* – Peter Erb, Hinesburg’s Zoning Administrator, will be retiring at the end of June. Peter has been with the Town of Hinesburg for over 14 ½ years. We will be hosting a Retirement Open House in his honor on Thursday, June 18th from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. in the Main Hall. Please see invitation at the end of the *Weekly Update* for more information. RSVP to rmarshall@hinesburg.org

- *Hinesburg Planning Commission Vacancy* - The Hinesburg Planning Commission currently has two (2) vacancies. If you are interested in serving on the Planning Commission, please submit your application and letter of interest via email to rmarshall@hinesburg.org. The Selectboard will begin interviewing applicants at their meeting on June 1, 2015.

Planning Commission (4-yr term)

The Planning Commission works on updating the Town Plan, Zoning By-laws, Subdivision Regulations and other projects related to land-use planning in the Town. The Commission meets the second and fourth Wednesday of each month.

The two open seats finish out the remainder of the four year terms expire as follows:

- 01/01/16
- 01/01/17

You may access an application form on the Town website at the following link:

http://hinesburg.org/documents/cbc_application_form.pdf

Appointments and Procedure Policy:

<http://hinesburg.org/documents/cbc-appointment-and-procedure-policy.pdf>

Planning Commission Page:

<http://hinesburg.org/planningcomm.html>

- *Highway Garage Replacement* - The Town continues to explore options to replace the old and inefficient highway garage. The time-lapse video shown on the Highway Garage web page (see link below) shows some of the safety and operational challenges faced by the Highway crew each day. The replacement of our current structure has been an identified need for the past two decades and the time has come to address it.

Continue to watch the website for more information on the project as it takes shape throughout the coming year. <http://hinesburg.org/highway/town-garage/>

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Retirement Open House for Peter Erb

Peter Erb, Hinesburg's Zoning Administrator, will be retiring after 14+ years of service to the Town of Hinesburg. Please join us in honoring him on **Thursday, June 18th from 5:00-7:00 p.m.** in the Main Hall.

Finger foods/hors d'oeuvres, and small plate snacks are welcome if you have something that you would like to share. Please no peanuts due to peanut allergy.

We look forward to having you join us as we say thank you to Peter for all that he has done for Hinesburg!

RSVP: rmarshall@hinesburg.org

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