



Upcoming Meetings...

- **Energy Committee:** *Wednesday, September 16th at 7:00 p.m. (3rd floor conference room)*
- **Trails Committee:** *Wednesday, September 16th at 7:00 p.m. (1st floor conference room)*
- **Conservation Commission:** *Monday, September 21st at 7:00 p.m. (3rd floor conference room)*
- **Selectboard:** *Monday, September 21st at 7:00 p.m. (Main Hall)*
- **Village Steering Committee:** *Monday, September 21st at 7:00 p.m. (1st floor conference room)*
- **Planning Commission:** *Wednesday, September 23rd at 7:30 p.m. (1st floor conference room)*
- **Economic Development Committee:** *Thursday, September 24th at 7:00 p.m. (3rd floor conference room)*

Weekly Updates from Departments:

Hinesburg Community Police

- *National Prescription Drug Take Back Day* - On September 26th from 10 am to 2 pm, the Hinesburg Police, in conjunction with the Drug Enforcement Agency and Kinney Drugs will be hosting a prescription drug take back at Kinney Drugs, 10212 Vermont Route 116, Hinesburg. Residents are encouraged to check your medicine cabinets and bring in any unnecessary or expired drugs for disposal.
- *Family Fight* – On Sunday, September 6th, officers responded to Shelburne Falls Rd. at Ballards Corner for a family fight. As the result of the female operator’s dangerous driving, he got out of the vehicle when she pulled in for gasoline. As he walked up to the intersection, she drove the vehicle onto the lawn at Merchant’s Bank. There was no physical altercation but she was issued a civil violation and released.
- *Family Fight* – On Saturday, September 12th, officers responded to North Rd. for a reported family fight. The male party had left the residence and was located and brought back to the residence. It was determined that there was no physical contact and the officers left with no further action necessary.
- *Theft* – On Monday, September 14th, an officer responded to a house under construction due to a construction trailer being broken into and tools stolen. This theft does not fit into any recent pattern.
- *Theft* – On Monday, September 14th, a theft of a chair from a porch was reported. The wooded area was checked in case it was just a prank and the chair was still not located.

Hinesburg Fire & First Response

- Calls (9/03/15 - 9/14/15):
 - 9/03/2015 - EMS - Injuries from fall
 - 9/04/2015 - Fire - Single car rollover - RT 116 & South Brownell

- 9/05/2015 - EMS - Injuries from fall; weakness
- 9/07/2015 - Fire/EMS - Lift assist
- 9/08/2015 - Fire - Investigate brush burn without a permit
- 9/10/2015 - EMS - General malaise
- 9/11/2015 - EMS - Injuries from fall
- 9/11/2015 - Fire - Brush fire
- 9/12/2015 - EMS - Possible stroke
- 9/12/2015 - EMS - Difficulty breathing
- 9/12/2015 - EMS - Standby at CVU for Varsity football game
- 9/14/2015 - Fire - Fire alarm activation - cancelled enroute
- 9/14/2015 - Fire - Fire alarm activation - follow up to the previous cancel.
- Training / News
 - *Prehospital Trauma Life Support Class* - We are halfway through our prehospital trauma life support (PHTLS) class - with the final class on Saturday (all day).
 - *Fun Day* - Our "Fun Day" that was open to the community on Saturday 9/12 was a success.



Recreation Department

- *Recreation Commission Meeting* - Recreation Commission meeting was held on Tuesday, 9/8.
- *After-school Horseback Riding* - After-School Horseback Riding at Livery Stables began last week on Tuesdays and Fridays.
- *HRD Youth Soccer Program* - The HRD Youth Soccer program is in full swing! Our two 3rd/4th grade boys' teams hosted Charlotte on Sat. 9/12 for a 10 a.m. and 11 a.m. game. Our two 3rd/4th grade girls' teams traveled to Charlotte to play their teams. The Kindergarten soccer program kicked off on Sunday, 9/13. There are 33 children participating and the CVU Men's Varsity Soccer Team assisted, along with Coach Katie Mack. Despite a few rain drops, the practice was a great success demonstrated by smiles and sweaty determination!



- *Dog Obedience* - Dog Obedience with Jim Warden started on Thursday, 9/10.
- *Annual Fall Festival* - Don't miss the Annual Fall Festival at Town Hall on Sat. 9/26! Enjoy a farmer's market, art demonstrations, a puppet show, music, and a Town Hall filled with information about Hinesburg's Boards, Committees and Commissions. Finish the day with the Annual Stone Soup Supper hosted by the Hinesburg Land Trust in the Parish Hall of the United Church at 6 pm. Tickets are on sale in the Clerk's Office, Rec. Dept., and will be on sale at the Fall Festival. Adults are \$10, children 5-12 years are \$5 and under 5 years are free. All proceeds benefit the Hinesburg Food Shelf.

Carpenter-Carse Library

CALENDAR

- Saturday hours: 10 a.m. – 2 p.m. These hours will continue until further notice.
- Library Trustee Meeting – Wednesday, September 23rd 7 p.m. at Carpenter-Carse Library. Open to the public *** THE LIBRARY IS COOL! ***

WEEKLY STORY TIMES

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

OTHER REGULAR PROGRAMS

- *Monthly Carpenter-Carse Book Discussion Group* - The next book to be discussed on Tuesday, September 29th is The Sixth Extinction: an unnatural history by Elizabeth Kolbert. Readers will meet again on Thursday, October 29th at 7 p.m. to discuss My Brilliant Friend by Elena Ferrante. Meetings are held in readers' homes with refreshments served. Please phone Carrie at 482-4565 for more information.

SPECIAL EVENTS - MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

- *Fourth Friday Family Film Night* – Children and their parents join us every 4th Friday for a family-friendly film. All movies are rated PG or G. Popcorn is provided! Feel free to bring your own snacks as well. The movie starts at 6 p.m. It's free and lots of fun for the whole family! Visit the library to see what is showing this month. (When we advertise we have to respect movie licensing regulations. Have an idea for a movie you would like to be shown here? Let us know!
- *Preschool Audubon Program: Itsy Bitsy Spider* – Saturday, September 26th, 10:30 – 12:00. Pre-registration is required for this special program for families with children ages 3 and up. Free!
- *Crafternoons* – Children ages 9+ are invited to the library on the first Tuesday of every month for a kid-driven hour of crafting and fun experimentation. Sessions begin at 3 p.m. September's agenda was Watercolor Exploration. Please sign up at the library.

EXHIBITS AND DISPLAYS AT THE LIBRARY

- *Vermont Children's Authors and Illustrators Mural* – In the Carpenter-Carse Children's area
- *In the Glass Case*
 - Vermont books
- *Book Displays*
 - Preserving Fruits and Veggies
 - Maine
 - Apples
 - Insects and Spiders

- This Year's DCF Books
- *Other News*
 - New Books – We have “new to us” fiction from the State of Vermont large print library.
- *Keep up-to-date on the current events happening at the library* - http://www.carpentercarse.org/ccl_programs.html

Town Administrator

- *Vacancies on Town Committee, Boards, Committees* – The following seats are currently open: <http://hinesburg.org/boards.html>

Affordable Housing Committee: (2) 3-year term
 Agency Request Review Committee: (2) 3-year term
 CCTA Alternate: (1) 3-year term
 Conservation Commission: (5) 4-year term
 Development Review Board Alternate (1) 3-year term
 Economic Development Committee (1) 3-year term
 Energy Committee: (2) 3-year term
 Lake Iroquois Recreation District (1) 3-year term
 Recreation Commission: (2) 3-year term
 Village Steering Committee: (3) 2-year term

Applications are available on the Town website or can be picked up in the Town Administrator's office. Please submit an application via email to Renae Marshall, rmarshall@hinesburg.org or drop off in the Town Administrator's Office.

Application forms can be found at:
http://hinesburg.org/documents/cbc_application_form.pdf

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

- *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/>
- *Hinesburg Fall Festival* – Mark your calendars for the 10th anniversary of the Hinesburg Fall Festival on Saturday, September 26, 2015!

Weekly Updates from Boards, Committees, and Commissions:

Trails Committee

- *Regular monthly meeting* – Wednesday, Sept. 16, 2015 at 7 PM in lower level meeting room of Town Hall.

- *Richmond Road Bicycle/Pedestrian Improvements Feasibility Study Kickoff* – Thursday, Sept. 17th at 2 PM. We will meet at the Town Office, and then walk the project area (about 1.5 hours; 3 miles; weather permitting) followed by a brief meeting at the Town Office. The study will assess options for bike/pedestrian improvements between North Road and CVU and associated costs. This is a pre-requisite for budgeting and grants to implement a bike/pedestrian solution.
- *Scavenger Hunt in the Hinesburg Town Forest* - Starting Saturday, September 19th and running through Saturday September 26th, the Trails Committee and Town Forest Committee are offering a scavenger hunt in conjunction with Hinesburg Annual Fall Festival and the 100th anniversary of Vermont’s municipal forest enabling legislation. The 1.5-mile scavenger hunt is geared for families with young children and will be laid out as a loop on the Maiden and International Trails. Passports (clue and answer sheets) and maps will be available at the Hayden Hill Road East and West trailheads and must be turned in at the town offices by 3 PM on Saturday, September 26th to be eligible for prizes generously donated by local businesses. Winners will be announced at the Stone Soup Supper that evening and on Front Porch Forum.
- *StoryWalk in the LaPlatte Headwaters Town Forest* - Starting on September 23rd and running through September 26th, a StoryWalk will be displayed at the LaPlatte Headwaters Town Forest. The beautifully illustrated children’s book, “Over in the Forest: Come and Take a Peek,” by Marianne Berkes will be installed along the trail leading from the Gilman Road trailhead parking area, across the field, into the forest, and to the Hidden Meadow. Thanks go to the staff and volunteers at Annette’s Preschool who selected and prepared this very appropriate book for display.



COMING SOON: 10th Annual Hinesburg Fall Festival - Saturday, September 26, 2015

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