



### Upcoming Meetings...

- **Trails Committee:** *Wednesday, June 22<sup>nd</sup> at 7:00 p.m.*
- **Selectboard:** *Thursday, June 23<sup>rd</sup> at 7:00 p.m. (Main Hall)*
- **Conservation Commission:** *Tuesday, June 28<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. (3<sup>rd</sup> floor conference room)*
- **Economic Development Committee:** *Thursday, June 30<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. (3<sup>rd</sup> floor conference room)*

### Weekly Updates from Departments:

#### Hinesburg Community Police

- *Family Dispute* – On Tuesday June 14, officers responded to the entrance of the town garage for a reported family dispute. The officers determined that it was a verbal dispute only and no action was taken.
- *Stolen Vehicle* - On Tuesday, June 14, officers responded to Triple L MHP for a reported stolen vehicle. The vehicle was taken by someone visiting the residence and was found the next day by the use of OnStar. The investigation is continuing.
- *Citizen Dispute* – On Wednesday, June 15, officers responded to Triple L MHP for a reported dispute between a male and female. The female could not find her car keys and the male was being uncooperative in helping her locate the keys. Further, he would not assist her until the police left the scene. After determining she felt safe, the officers left but remained close by in case of another call.
- *Theft* – On Wednesday, June 15, an officer responded to Hayden Hill West for a theft report. The complainant stated that there was approximately \$2000 in tools missing from his truck. The investigation is continuing.
- *Citizen Dispute* – On Wednesday, June 15, officers responded to Triple L MHP for a reported citizen dispute. One resident was accusing another resident of stealing property.
- *Theft* – On Thursday, June 16, an officer responded for a reported theft that occurred on Texas Hill. A reported \$2500 in tools were stolen from the work site. The investigation is continuing.
- *Theft* – On Thursday, June 16, an officer responded to Hayden Hill East for a reported car break in. The woman parked her vehicle in the parking area for the hiking trail and discovered her passenger side window was broken. Several items were missing from the vehicle.
- *Citizen Dispute* – On Thursday, June 16, an officer responded to Triple L MHP for a woman reporting a neighbor was throwing things at her residence. The officer did not find any evidence of the complaint.

- *Citizen Dispute* – On Thursday, June 16, an officer responded to Sunset MHP for a reported assault. It was determined that an assault had occurred in St. George and one of the parties came to a residence on Jourdan St. and assaulted a male. Based on the past relationship, the male did not want to press charges. He was advised to contact the court for a restraining order.

### **Town Clerk's Office**

- *Ballots Have Arrived!* - The ballots for the Primary Election to be held on August 9 have arrived! You can come in anytime between now and then to vote early. You can also request that the ballots be mailed to you, and you can request them for a family member who might be away. If you have a family member who is registered to vote in Hinesburg but living overseas temporarily, we can request that an electronic ballot be sent to them. They must, however, have access to a printer as the ballot must be returned in paper form via regular mail.

The Primary format is different than most other elections. You will receive all 3 major party ballots: Democrat, Republican and Progressive. You may only vote on one of the ballots and the other two must be put into the “Un-voted Ballots” repository if you are at the polling place, or in the envelope provided if you are voting early or absentee. We must receive all 3 ballots back in order for your vote to count.

- *Property Tax Bills* - Property Tax Bills will be mailed out in late July or early August, depending on how busy we are with the election and when the Selectboard sets the tax rate. If you haven't received your bill by August 15<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup>, give us a shout so we can look into whether your mailing address has changed, you are a new property owner, etc. and we will happily send you one. Keep in mind that the Grand List is set as of April 1<sup>st</sup> every year, so if you purchased after that date the bill might still have the old owners name on it. We do our best to pull all of the bills for property that has changed hands and to send it to the new owner. However, sometimes we are lacking mailing addresses for new owners and it might be sent back to us so just give us a call. Thanks!
- *Green Mountain Passports* - Green Mountain Passports are still here and still available for \$2.00! Such a bargain. They are good for life and entitle the bearer to free entry into all of the Vermont State Parks for day use. Get out and enjoy our wonderful state parks! They really are a great resource and a fun way to enjoy the outdoors.
- *Beach Passes* - Lake Iroquois Beach passes are here and are \$30.00 for residents of Hinesburg, unless you are over 62 years and then they are \$15.00. Beach passes can be purchased at the beach also. Happy summer!

### **Carpenter-Carse Library**

#### **WEEKLY STORY TIMES**

- *Youngsters Story Time* – Babies and kids ages 0-4 join Librarian Sara Tuesdays from 9:30-10 am at the library's community room for stories, movement, songs and snacks (and sometimes ukulele tunes!) Tuesday story times will continue through summer.

#### **OTHER YOUTH PROGRAMS**

- *Summer Reading Club* - On your mark, get set, READ! Summer Reading Club will meet for four energetic consecutive weeks in June and July. The first three sessions are on Wednesdays beginning June 22<sup>nd</sup> from 10:30 – noon. The final week's event will be on a *Tuesday*; July 12<sup>th</sup> and will start at noon. Registration at the library has begun. Space

is limited and separate registration is required for *each* individual program, so stop in early!

*Please note that this year during the last session, children need to be accompanied by an adult, but this session is open to all. Weeks 1, 2, and 3 are drop-off for ages 6-10 and space is limited (see each description for details).*

- Wednesday, June 22<sup>nd</sup>, Summer Reading Program Week 1: The Noble Sport of Falconry with VINS. 10:30 a.m. – noon. *This session is full, with a short waiting list.*
- Wednesday, June 29<sup>th</sup>, Week 2: Silly Yoga with Ashley, 10:30 – noon. \*REGISTRATION REQUIRED! *Limited space as of 6/21; almost full*
- Wednesday, July 6<sup>th</sup>, Week 3: Ready, Set DANCE! 10:30 – noon. \*REGISTRATION REQUIRED\* *Limited space as of 6/21; almost full.*

\*See the library's web site for complete Summer Reading Program listings, or stop in at the library.

- *Afternoon Family Movie* - Movies take place at the library on the fourth Friday of every month. Join us on Friday, June 24 at 3:00 p.m. Children and adults cozy into the community room for a free 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).

#### ADULT PROGRAMS

- *Book Discussion Group* - Avid readers are invited to join our library's book club for adults, which meets monthly in readers' homes. Come and meet the group at 7 p.m. for lively conversation and refreshments on Wednesday, June 22<sup>nd</sup>, when we will discuss *H is for Hawk* by Helen Macdonald. The next meeting will be on Wednesday, July 27<sup>th</sup> when we will focus on *The Door* by Magda Szabo. Please phone Sally @ 802-922-1410 for information on meeting locations and more.
- *6/28 7pm Local History Discussion and Share!* - Join your neighbors and travel back in time to learn about Hinesburg and the surrounding towns through old maps, books, poems, and artifacts. Bring any old ephemera, advertisements, curiosities, photos, and of course, your memories, as we explore the history that makes our hometowns so interesting!
- *Community Writers' Group* - Calling all local writers! Join us Tuesday, July 5<sup>th</sup> at 7 p.m. for the Community Writers Group! All genres are welcome. Get your literary juices flowing with creative writing prompts; network with other local wordsmiths, and help us establish a fun, stimulating monthly workshop. Snacks will be provided. Contact: Laura Wisniewski at [bhy@beecherhillyoga.com](mailto:bhy@beecherhillyoga.com) or Jessica at 578-7931
- *Weed Walk* - Join local herbalist and wise woman Jessica LaBrie on July 7<sup>th</sup> at 6 p.m. for a walk outside the library, as we identify local wild or naturalized plants and learn about how they can be used for food, healing, and more! We will gather rain or shine, but the event will be rescheduled in the case of thunderstorms.

#### EXHIBITS AND DISPLAYS AT THE LIBRARY

- *In Our Glass Case*
  - *Fishing Lures* – Shared by Henry Frost, HCS student
  - Marian Willmott & Len Duffy Art Exhibition - Len Duffy, architect, inventor and artist, and Marian Willmott, artist and designer, are exhibiting paintings of still

lives, landscapes and figures in the Carpenter Carse Library's community room through June 30<sup>th</sup>.

- *Mural* - A Vermont children's authors and illustrators' mural brightens the Carpenter-Carse children's area, thanks to the former Brown Dog Books & Gifts. ☺
- *Book Displays* -
  - June is LGBT Pride Month
  - On Your Mark, Get Set.....READ! Summer Reading Club 2016
  - Keep Calm and Go to the Library
  - June is Dairy Month...Thank you to Vermont's dairy farmers!
- *Vintage Book Sale* - Come discover the charm of old books. Come and browse our eclectic collection of common and uncommon books. Check out our sale bookcase where books have been reduced to \$2.00 ea. Or look for books \$2.50 - \$20.00 on our book trolley.
- *Keep up-to-date on the current events happening at the library* - [http://www.carpentercarse.org/ccl\\_programs.html](http://www.carpentercarse.org/ccl_programs.html)

### **Recreation Department**

- *Youth Track & Field* - The youth track and field program started on Wed. 6/15. We ended up with 43 athletes from Hinesburg, making it a grand total of 88 participants between Charlotte, Hinesburg, and Williston. We host our first track meet next Wed. 6/29 with MMU and Burlington at 5:30 pm. Due to high heat index and poor air quality we cancelled practice on Monday, 6/20.



- *Adult Pick-up Softball* - Adult pick-up softball started on Thursday, 6/16 and will continue through 8/25.
- *Horse Camp* - Livery Stables Horse Camp runs 6/20-6/24.

- *Pickleball Clinic* - We had to CANCEL our Pickleball Clinic at the HCS courts scheduled for Monday, 6/20 due to a high heat index and poor air quality. We've moved the 6 pm option to NEXT Monday, 6/27 at 6 pm.
- *July 4<sup>th</sup>* - Our July 4th celebration is approaching quickly! Don't miss the annual Hilly Hobble Foot Race on Sunday, 7/3. Registration starts at 6 pm in front of HCS. 10K starts at 6:30 pm, 5K starts at 7 pm - all at the bottom of Buck Hill Rd. West. The Kid's 2K starts at 7:10 pm at Good Times Cafe. All racers finish in Veterans' Park. Consider a float in the parade this year...theme is "Happy Days". No registration is necessary. Just show up starting at 10 am at the bottom of Buck Hill Rd. West. Judging starts at 10:30 am. There are 10 categories for prizes! Parades kicks off at 11 am, heads north on Route 116 through town, turns right onto Mechanicville Rd. and finishes at post office. Our Grand Marshal is Paul Emmons. An Ice Cream Social will be in front of Mason's building sponsored by the Community Alliance Church, Chasing 440 will perform at Veteran's Park, the Book Sale will be in the main room at Town Hall and there will be a silent auction under the yellow and white tent at Town Hall. NEW this year is a beer garden in the parking lot of the Hinesburgh Public House. Fireworks are at dusk. Happy Birthday America!
- *Concerts in the Park* - Summer Concerts in the Park begin on Wed. 7/13 at 6:30 p.m. featuring Rodney Putnam at the gazebo behind HCS. Don't miss HCS alumni The Tenderbellies on 7/20, Hinesburg's very own About Time on 7/27, The Dixie Six on 8/3 and everyone's favorite...the Hinesburg Community Band on 8/10. Rain dates are Thursdays. We'll have food and beverages on sale thanks to Mamadawgs Catering. Thanks to our sponsors Waitsfield Champlain Valley Telecom and Wahl Landscaping LLC for making this possible!

## **Weekly Updates from Boards, Committees, and Commissions:**

### **Development Review Board**

#### New applications received

- *Anne & Rob Frost* - Site Plan Review for Vermont Well & Pump, a business to be located at 14337 VT Rte 116 in the Industrial 1 Zoning District. The applicant proposes to change an existing building from residential to commercial use, create a parking area for company vehicles, employees, and customers, make changes to existing landscaping, and drill a well.

#### Applications to be heard at the July 5, 2016 DRB Hearing

- *Chaya Thanhauser & Adam Randolph* - Conditional Use Review for an accessory apartment on their 18.41-acre property located at 193 Fletcher Farm Road in the Agricultural Zoning District. The applicants are proposing to build a free-standing, one-story-with-loft accessory structure.
- *Ron Bovat* - Conditional Use Review for replacement of an existing mobile home in an existing park with a larger mobile home, which would not meet the setback requirements, at 125 Jourdan Street (Site 13 in Sunset Lake Villa) in the Shoreline Zoning District.

*For more information on any of these projects, please contact the Planning & Zoning office at 802-482-2281 or [lbudd@hinesburg.org](mailto:lbudd@hinesburg.org).*

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