



Upcoming Meetings...

- **Town Forest Committee:** *Thursday, September 8th at 7:00 p.m. (1st floor conference room)*
- **Selectboard:** *Monday, September 12th at 6:35 p.m. (Main Hall)*
- **Conservation Commission:** *Tuesday, September 13th at 7:00 p.m. (3rd floor conference room)*
- **Recreation Commission:** *Tuesday, September 13th at 7:00 p.m. (1st floor conference room)*
- **Planning Commission:** *Wednesday, September 14th at 7:30 p.m. (1st floor conference room)*

Weekly Updates from Departments:

Hinesburg Community Police

- *Citizen Dispute* – On Monday, August 29, an officer responded to Mountain View MHP for a reported citizen dispute. One neighbor yelled at another neighbor for driving too fast. A short verbal altercation occurred but no further action was required.
- *Threatening* – On Wednesday, August 31, an officer responded to a business near Hollow Rd. for a reported verbal dispute between two males. It was determined it was verbal only and no further action was required.
- *Fight* – On Thursday, September 1, an officer responded to a reported fight in the street in Triple L MHP. Officers from other agencies also responded but upon arrival, no one was immediately located. The officer located the two males involved and determined that it was verbal only.
- *Injury Accident* – On Friday, September 2, Hinesburg Police and Hinesburg Fire and First Response responded to Baldwin Rd. for a single vehicle crash. Upon arrival, it was determined that it was a rollover and the 41 year old female from Hinesburg had been thrown from the vehicle. She received moderate injuries and was transported to UVM Medical Center.
- *Family Fight* - On Friday, September 2, an officer responded to Jourdan St. in the Sunset MHP for an argument between a male and female. There was no physical contact and no further involvement was necessary.

Waterworks Department

- *New Water Treatment Facility Online* - The new Water Treatment Facility is finally online and providing exceptional drinking water to the village. We have a few minor operational tweaks left to pin down, but the treatment system is producing great water. For those of you with water softeners, we recommend either turning the softener off, or if you like very soft water, leave it on, but turn it down quite a bit.

We formerly had finish water that had ~ 350mg/L (or 21 grains/gallon) of hardness. Now we are averaging only 110mg/L (or 6.5 grains) of hardness. So, besides now tasting delicious, the new water will not clog water heaters, Keurig machines, etc.

Town Clerk's Office

- *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.

Carpenter-Carse Library

CALENDAR

- *Board of Trustees Meeting* - The next meeting of the Library Trustees will be on Wednesday, September 14th. Meetings begin at 7 p.m. unless otherwise warned, and are open to the public.

WEEKLY STORY TIMES

- *Youngsters Story Time* – September is here – that means two story times! Join Librarian Sara Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:30-10 a.m. at the library's community room for stories, movement, songs and snacks (and sometimes ukulele tunes!)

OTHER YOUTH PROGRAMS

- *Money Storytime with Jeanne Albertson from Merchant's Bank* - Saturday, September 10th 10:30am. Join Jeanne Albertson and Miss Sara for a special storytime all about money. They will have books, activities, a craft and snacks to share! Geared towards children ages 3-7.
- *Family Fun Night* -Wednesday, September 14th 5-6:30pm. Join us at the library for an evening of games, Legos, crafts and more! The community room will be full of fun activities to keep the whole family busy. Pizza is available if you pre-register! 482-2878 Every second Wednesday starting in September, drop in or stay for the duration.
- *Afternoon Movie* - Friday, September 23rd, 3 p.m. - Children and adults cozy into the community room for a movie and popcorn. All movies will be rated PG or G. Movies will take place on the fourth Friday of every month. 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.

ADULT PROGRAMS

- *9/13 - 6 p.m. Author Presentation, The Woodchuck Returns to Gardening* - Join local author Ron Krupp at the library for a PowerPoint presentation of his new Vermont organic garden book, The Woodchuck Returns to Gardening – now in its ninth printing. The Woodchuck Returns to Gardening is filled with stories, information, poems, sketches, paintings, and the infamous “Chuckster” who follows the author along the garden path giving him - and us- a hard time. With a focus on fruits, berries, and vegetables, this is the long-awaited sequel gardeners have been hoping for. Gardeners and plant-lovers of Hinesburg and beyond, let's give Ron a warm, enthusiastic welcome!
- *"In the Mood" Vintage Music Concert with Ken Lelen* – All are invited to enjoy vintage acoustic guitarist Ken Lelen at 7:00 p.m. on Monday, September 26 as he sings the legendary love songs and pop tunes from WWII that were hits on the Home Front and the Front Line. Brimming with memorable tunes, clever lyrics and amusing stories, Ken performs dozens of concerts every year across the East Coast, where he's known for

acoustic renditions of jazz, ragtime and swing, smooth vocals and deft guitar work. For more information about Lelen, including videos, visit <http://kenlelen.blogspot.com/>
Don't miss this one!

- *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, September 28th, when we will discuss *Evergreen* by Rebecca Rasmussen. The group will skip October and resume on Wednesday, November 2nd when we will focus on *The Sympathizer* by Viet Thanh Nguyen. Please phone Carol @ 482-3193 for information on meeting locations and more.

EXHIBITS AND DISPLAYS AT THE LIBRARY

- *In Our Glass Case* – Fishing Lures – Shared by Henry Frost, HCS student
- *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* –
 - Back to School
 - Miss Sara's Reads
 - VT Archaeology Month ~ September ~ Discover archaeology & history across Vermont
 - Thinking, Reflecting, New Possibilities
- *Thank You* - Businesses that generously donated to the 2016 Summer Reading Program: Lantman's Market, Rhino Foods, Price Chopper, Hannaford, Wal-Mart, and Costco. We are grateful for the help with refreshments & paper products.
- *Little Free Library at the Town Hall* - We love stories! Do you? You may want to stop when you pass by the Hinesburg Town Hall, because a Little Free Library resides on the porch for your use. How does it work? It is basically a book swap location with no associated costs. It functions on an honor system, with the assumption that there will always be books inside for the next visitor. Anyone may give or take a book; the more the merrier, as long as books fit securely inside. If you are out for a walk and looking for a good book to read, you may enjoy this little diversion. No books to swap? No worries! The folks at the Carpenter-Carse Library are stewards of the Town Hall Little Library. We welcome your feedback, and will likely place more of these wee structures around town.
- *Vintage Book Sale* – Come discover the charm of old books. Here are some of the titles currently available:
 - *Nonfiction* – *Captain Kidd & the War against the Pirates*, *Wild Flowers of the World*, *London: the biography*, *Dark Quartet: the story of the Bronte's*, *Hortus Third*, and *Fishing with the Presidents*
 - *Fiction* – *Nursery Rhyme Classics* (K. Greenaway), *The Time Machine*, *Ben-Hur*, *the Pokey Little Puppy*, *the Old Peabody Pew*, *The Ox-bow Incident*, and *Valentine* (Rod McKuen).Prices range from \$2.00 - \$20.00. All books on our bargain shelves are \$2.00 each. All proceeds are used to purchase new books.
- *Keep up-to-date on the current events happening at the library* - http://www.carpentercarse.org/ccl_programs.html

Recreation Department

- *Little Strikers* - Little Strikers Soccer program began on Tuesday, 9/6 with Coach Lee & Coach James from GPS Soccer. Newly retired, long-time HCS teacher Diane Barber was there to support her grand-daughter Rowen, but just couldn't stay on the sidelines! See photo. Still room to join - contact HRD at 482-2281 ext. 230.



- *Dog Obedience* - Dog Obedience with Jim Warden began on Thursday, 9/1.
- *Soccer Coaches Meeting/Clinic* - Soccer Coaches Meeting and Clinic is Wed. 9/7 at 6 pm in main room at Town Hall.
- *Youth Soccer Begins* - Youth Soccer starts on Sat. 9/10 for grades 1-4 and Sun. 9/11 for Kindergarten. Town Hall Field...let the season begin! Starksboro Jamboree at Mt. Abe is Sat. 9/17 and Charlotte Jamboree is Sat. 9/24 at CCS. Both events are for grades 1-4.
- *Ultimate Frisbee* - Ultimate Frisbee program began on Tuesday 9/6 at 6 pm at Lyman Park.
- *Preschool Dance & Yoga* - Still room in Miss Ashley's Preschool Dance and Yoga on Thursdays 8:45-9:30 am at Town Hall. Contact HRD or go to www.hinesburgec.com to register!
- *Fall Festival* - 11th Annual Fall Festival is Sat. 9/24 at Town Hall.

Planning & Zoning

- *Solar Screening Public Hearing* - The Selectboard discussed the Planning Commission's zoning regulation revision proposal a second time last week, and decided to hold the required public hearing on September 12. Only minor revisions were made to the PC proposal. Information about the proposed regulation changes are available on the Town

website - <http://www.hinesburg.org/regulations.html>. The web page has been updated with the Selectboard revisions and the public hearing notice.

Town Administrator's Office

- *Open Meeting Law Training* – The Town of Hinesburg will once again be hosting an Open Meeting Law Training. This training is scheduled to take place on Monday, September 12th at 7:15 p.m. during a portion of the Selectboard Meeting. If you serve on one of the Town's Boards, Committees, or Commissions, please mark this date on your calendar and RSVP to rmarshall@hinesburg.org

Weekly Updates from Boards, Committees, and Commissions:

Development Review Board

New applications received

- *No new applications were received this past week*

Applications to be heard at the September 20, 2016 DRB Hearing

- *At this point, no applications are scheduled to be heard at this meeting. The meeting may be cancelled.*

For more information on any of these projects, please contact the Planning & Zoning office at 802-482-2281 or lbudd@hinesburg.org.



SAVE THE DATE: Annual Hinesburg Fall Festival - Saturday, 9/24 at Town Hall

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Come Join Us for the 11th Annual Hinesburg Fall Festival!!

Saturday September 24th 2016
Hinesburg Town Hall

Schedule of Events

Hinesburg TOWN HALL- Saturday 9/24/16 10 AM - 3 PM

Outdoor Market Place 10:00 am- 3:00 pm at Hinesburg Town Hall

Main Hall Show case for **Town Committees** and **Hinesburg businesses** 10:00 am- 3:00 pm 2nd floor

Kid Activities Market Place including a **10:00 am** performance of **Jack and the Bean Stalk** by the
No Strings Marionette Company at the **Osborne Parish Hall**

Hinesburg Historical Society Display featuring "*Home Scanned Preserves*"
(10:00 am – 3 pm Lower level of Town Hall)

Market Place Musical Entertainment: (on the hour)

10:00 - 10:45 AM **Bluebird** with **John Penoyar** and **Kim Provost** Classic country and gospel

11:00 -11:45 AM **Pam Riet** and **Layla Morris** Classical violin

12:00 - 12:45 PM **Dennis Willmott** Acoustic blues guitar

1:00 - 1:45 PM **Niel Maurer & Kianna Ayer** Alternative pop

2:00 - 2:45 PM **Kevin Bloom** of **Static Circus** Eclectic mix of electric and acoustic guitar

Stone Soup Supper!

6:00 - 8:00 PM **Osborne Parish Hall**- A delicious dinner with a menu featuring the bountiful harvest of local farmers put on by Hinesburg Land Trust to benefit the Hinesburg Food Shelf.

Tickets 482-2281 Seating for dinner from 6-7:30 pm

Ext # 230 or at the door Adults: \$10, Children: \$5 (yrs 5 -12), Children under 5: Free

Dinner Entertainment: **Dan Silverman** on trombone, **Steve Blair** on guitar, **Ed Owens** stand-up bass

All activities are free and open to the public & will happen rain or shine