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We're online, too.

See us at: marlborovt.us

The Marlboro Alliance **Community Benefit** (Clothing & Bake) Sale

Saturday, September 25, 9:00am - 3:00pm at the Marlboro Center Park on Ames Hill

about 250 feet from the Town offices down Ames Hill Road Masks are mandatory for all volunteers and customers.

SET-UP DAY: Friday, September 24 from 9am-3pm Donate clean usable clothing.

SALE DAY: Saturday, September 25 from 9am-3pm

FREE DAY & CLEAN-UP: Sunday, September 26 From 11am-1pm Everything is free Clean-up & Recycling from 1-3pm At the Marlboro Center Park on Ames Hill

PLEASE HELP US!

Set-up, Sell, Bake, and Clean-up. Sign up; https://tinyurl.com/town-sale Questions? Email Mimi Brill at mimi.brill@gmail.com



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100% of your donations help to support: Marlboro Library, Marlboro Community Center, Marlboro Cares, Marlboro Mixer, Marlboro Fair, Meetinghouse Church, Marlboro Fire Co., Deerfield Valley Fuel Assistance,, Food Bank, Book Swap, Plant Swap, Town Meeting Lunch, Thank you Breakfast, Emergency Assistance Fund, and Scholarship Fund

from the Marlboro Community Center

Lynn Lundsted, MCC Coordinator

Open hours are Wednesday 10am–2pm, Thursday 10am–5:30pm, Friday and Saturday 10am–12pm. Hours for Thursdays beginning September 16th will be 11am–5pm. There is coffee and baked goods available by donation. The Town Library is open for in-person browsing whenever the center is open.

As of September 1st, in order to ensure the safety of our community (particularly children and others who are vulnerable to covid), the Marlboro Community Center Board requires all who use the Community Center to be vaccinated if they are eligible, and requires masking and hand sanitizing while inside the building. Thank you for caring about our community.

The Food Share program is continuing with nonperishable items available to anyone who could use an extra bag of groceries. When available, perishable items such as local garden produce and eggs will be dropped off on Thursdays from 2 - 5:30 pm.

Bonvue Farm Eggs and beef are available for self-serve purchase in the front vestibule.

Dinner To-Go Delicious comfort food made with organic and local ingredients for suggested donation to support the MCC available on Thursday afternoon or from the freezer on all other days.

The Community Center is accepting reservations for meetings & classes, as well as individuals needing private access to the wi-fi.

A book by John Willis, *Views From the Reservation* was taken from the Marlboro College Faculty Art Exhibit. We would like to have it returned as it belongs to one of the artists and was on loan for the show.

You can keep up with the Community Center happenings and join our weekly newsletter via our website, www.MarlboroCommunity.Center.

Upcoming Events Art Exhibit: Lauren Olitski, On Edge

Paintings that break the rectangle, created in the first year of the pandemic. Short run from August 18th - Sept. 10th.

Thursday Movie Night--MASKS WILL BE REQUIRED resumes on August 26th! Join Geoffry Brown for a free movie screening every Thursday night at 7pm. More info and movie listing on our website: www. MarlboroCommunity.Center/movie-night

Art Exhibit: Artists Book Exhibit

September 15th-November 13th

Bookmaking Workshop

Saturday October 2nd, 1–4pm Contact Carol Hendrickson to sign up and for more information, ch@marlboro.edu

The Friends of the Marlboro Community Center has sent out a mailing in support of our 2021 Endowment Fund campaign and highlighting our past year. If you did not receive the letter and would like to please email MCC. Chair@gmail.com. Two anonymous donors have offered matching grants, one for \$4,000 and one for \$5,000. Now is a great time to support the MCC, knowing your gift will be matched dollar for dollar, up to \$9,000. Our investments from our 2020 campaign have already grown by more than 10% and several thousand dollars are available to contribute to our General Fund from our investments. Our endowment is invested in socially responsible funds through the nonprofit, Vanguard. Our Endowment Fund will assure our community center will be around for many years to come. Please send checks to the Marlboro Community Center at PO Box 165 Marlboro, VT 05344. To assure your contribution is fully tax deductible, make checks out to the Marlboro Alliance. Please Indicate "MCC Endowment" in the memo line.

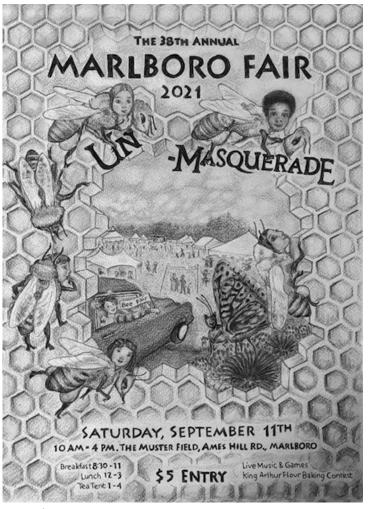
We have several openings on our board of directors and always welcome new volunteers. Please consider joining us! www.MarlboroCommunity.Center. For more information contact MarlboroCommunityCenter@gmail. com.Visit us on FaceBook: Marlboro Community Center.

The Marlboro Fair

Jennie Reichman

The Marlboro Fair will be held on **Saturday**, **September 11 from 10am to 4pm at the Muster**

Field, complete with all our favorite features: Live music, games (nail pounding or skillet toss anyone?), delicious food, garden produce, canned goods and baked goods judging, the craft tent (bring your beautiful handmade items to display), the tea tent for your refreshment and a sit-down, circus arts workshops, and many other delights. We will also be observing a moment of silence in memory of the World Trade Center attacks on September 11, 2001. Best of all will be the long awaited chance to visit with and hug our neighbors! The theme this year is Un-Masquerade, and to that end we are not requiring fair goers to wear masks unless they are unvaccinated, but of course, anyone is welcome to wear a mask if preferred. In keeping with the theme, costumes are optional and encouraged. Entrance fee to the fair is \$5 per person or \$20 per family, and all tickets will be entered in the raffle drawing at the end of the day. We are currently seeking volunteers to staff the entry gate selling tickets and buttons; if you are interested, please contact anyone on the fair committee or get in touch on the Marlboro Fair Facebook page. Thank you to all the volunteers and participants, it's going to be the best fair ever!



poster by Saint Rosner

The Marlboro Mixer

comes out bimonthly and is free to all residents of Marlboro. You can receive the Mixer in the mail or electronically. If you prefer a hard copy or to change to receiving the mixer by email, write Meg McCarthy at meg@megmccarthy.com

The town has given us \$3000 each year to offset printing costs, but it never covers all of it. Please consider a donation of \$15/year for a hard copy. Mail it to Marlboro Alliance, PO Box 165, Marlboro 05344

Talk About Our Democracy

Talk About Our Democracy
The last Monday of the month at 6:30pm

September 27 & October 25

Topics to be announced Contact Woody 802 258-7045

From The Select Board

The Town Has Several Vacancies On Commissions And Committees

The Select Board has identified several town commissions and committees that have vacancies that can be filled by willing volunteers looking to contribute their time to benefit the community. If you are interested in any of the positions or would like more information, please contact the Select Board at Marlboroselectboard@gmail.com . Please note the list below:

- Conservation Commission
- Energy Commission
- Energy Coordinator
- Community Development Coordinator
- Road Commissioner
- Rescue, Inc. Trustee

Select Board Report

The Select Board meets at 6:00 PM every second and fourth Thursday. With new guidance from the CDC and the VT Dept. of Health, the Select Board has returned to "in-person" meetings, currently held at the Town Meeting House. The meetings will also still be available on Zoom for those who would prefer to attend virtually. Links to Zoom meetings, minutes, and agendas can be found on the town website: marlborovt.us. Nick Morgan (Assistant to the Select Board) manages the website and minutes for the Select Board. He can be reached at Nickselectboard@gmail.com.

Federal ARPA Funding

With the passage of the American Rescue Plan Act earlier this year, the town will be able to access significant federal funds for a variety of projects and programs. The Board is currently reviewing the conditions of accepting these funds and deciding which projects would most benefit from them. As this process moves along, the Board will advise the residents of what options there are and seek input from the town.

Hogback Conservancy

The Board and the Hogback Mountain Conservation Area are in the final phases of transferring the Hogback endowment funds to the HMCA so that the funds can be administered more efficiently and be of maximum benefit to maintain the Hogback area.

Control of Speeding on South Road

In an effort to deal with the issue of speeding on South Road, the Board continues to work with the Windham County Sheriff's department on enforcement. The Board is also working with the Windham Regional Commission on potential solutions, including increased signage, and is currently researching the purchase and installation of speed feedback signs (similar to the ones on Route 9 by the school). As this will continue to be a topic of attention for the Board, please watch the meeting agendas posted at the Town Hall and the town website (www.marlborovt. us) and feel free to join the meetings to provide your input into this important topic.

Town Septic System

The Planning Commission reported back to the Select Board on their ongoing work to improve the town's septic system. An initial engineering report has been completed and several options were put forward in this report. The commission is continuing their work in developing a plan. There is also the possibility of using the ARPA funds to help with this project.

Road Crew Member Position

As reported in the last Mixer, the Board was looking for a new hire for the Road Crew and is pleased to advise that there are several candidates being interviewed and the position will hopefully be filled shortly.

NOTICE: Beginning October 24, 2021, you must dial 10-digits (area code+ * telephone number) for all local calls. On and after this date, local calls dialed with only 7-digits may not be completed, and a recording will inform you that your call cannot be completed as dialed. You must hang up and dial again using the area code and the 7-digit number.

from the Town Library

Dianna Noyes, Board of Directors

It's been a wonderful summer, welcoming townspeople back and introducing new residents and visitors to our little library. We've seen a steady stream of book checkouts and returns, purchased new volumes, and enjoyed chatting with patrons when they visit.

A new shipment of books will be arriving soon, including the hot-off-the-press Inspector Gamache book by Louise Penny, *The Madness of Crowds*, and Elly Griffiths' latest in her Ruth Galloway series, *Night Hawks*. (Both series have been very popular this summer, especially the Ruth Galloway series.)

The book-making workshop originally scheduled for March 2020, but necessarily canceled due to Covid-19, has been rescheduled for October 2. Places are initially being held for those who signed up for the 2020 date; please contact Carol Hendrickson at ch@marlboro.edu for more information and availability of space if you are interested in attending.

All the books purchased for the library are bought at Everyone's Books in Brattleboro and Bartleby's in Wilmington, where we receive discounts and good advice. After a year-long hiatus from fundraising due to the pandemic, we now need to re-fill our accounts at the bookstores and hope that those who value the library will contribute if they are able. It's easy to donate by going to https://www.marlborocommunity.center/library, leaving a donation at the library, or by popping a check made out to Marlboro Town Library in the mail c/o Andra Horton, PO Box 51, Marlboro 05344. We will also be having a book sale at the Marlboro Fair on September 11 to raise funds to buy new books.

Thanks, as always, to our loyal patrons for making the library such a success—we look forward to seeing you there!



Bad Dog! Good Dog!

When I was growing up (ages ago), dog training was mostly through negative reinforcement. I remember my father swatting my dog's butt with a newspaper, using a choke collar to control our dog on leash, and rubbing a dog's nose in its pee if it went in the house.

Animal training has taken a HUGE change in direction. We now know that positive reinforcement is the best way to train a dog. Yes, it takes time and consistency, but the pay-offs are immense. Instead of a dog "minding" because it is afraid of what you might do, you have a happy, enthusiastic dog who wants to do well.

If you do not have experience with positive reinforcement training, there are many articles on the internet, but I highly recommend local trainers in our area. I do not have an exhaustive list, but the trainers I have had experience with who are advocates of positive reinforcement are listed below. Please be sure to ask pricing when you call — it varies widely, but all the trainers listed below are highly qualified.

Bill Grant - Ultimate Companions 802-387-2239 info@ultimatecompanion.com https://www.ultimatecompanion.com/

Sara Matters

802-689-0707 https://mattersdogtraining.com

Heidi Wilmott

309-221-2306

https://www.getincrediblecanines.com/

Marlboro History: the Branch School

by Marcia Hamilton

The Rock River is located in the towns of Wardsboro, Dover, Newfane and Marlboro. It is part of the Connecticut River Basin and flows into the West River in Williamsville. The Rock River main stem is 12 miles long and is made up of three branches of nearly equal size: the main stem, Baker Brook and the Marlboro Branch.

The Marlboro Branch is the southernmost branch of the Rock River and in the early days gave the schools located along the road the name South Branch School or Branch School. The road and region have been referred to as "the Branch" or "down the Branch."

The topography of the area is steep terrain resulting in narrow valleys. The Marlboro Branch cuts through the valley and the road follows the stream. Over the years the Marlboro Branch has changed course in several places and floods have changed the course of the road.

The Augur Hole Road, a little over six miles long, was named after Justus Augur, an early settler of Marlboro from Haddam, Connecticut. He lived to be 101. His grave is just over the Marlboro-Newfane line in the South Newfane Cemetery and his epitaph is "He fought valiantly for his country during the Revolution."

Another aspect of the road name is derived from the topography of the area, the narrow valley and winding road that follows the stream. The course resembles a common boring tool, the auger, with a different spelling. Thus, the name auger hole came into use early in the early days. The spelling of Augur Hole Road continues to confound journalists, state officials and residents on and off the road alike.

There were at least three school buildings located on the Branch road, The 1856 McClellan Map of Windham County shows one location, and the 1869 Beers Atlas of Windham County shows a different location, both nearby the current building constructed in 1895 in a third location.







Photos courtesy of Marlboro Historical Society. Bottom image shows Branch School after the 1938 flood.

from Marlboro Music

Philip Maneval, Manager

Potash Hill Open House Saturday, October 23, 2021, 11:00am-2:00pm

This has been quite an exciting year for us at Marlboro Music. We completed our Reich building project on campus, we reconvened our extended musical family, we presented five weekends of open rehearsals and public performances (albeit with limited seating), and—with strict protocols in place—we made it through the summer with no Covid-19 cases. It is hard to overstate how happy our musicians, and all of us were to be back together again, participating in actual social encounters, enjoying the countryside, and pursuing this art form that enriches and inspires us all.

If that were not enough, we also entered into an agreement to purchase Potash Hill—the former Marlboro College campus! The campus has been our only home since the music school was founded in 1951. Many of our musicians, staff, and family members have spent every summer here for decades. Our ownership of the 560-acre property provides stability for us and the town, and it begins an exciting new chapter in our history. We love

Marlboro Music Festival has winter housing leases available.

Two 2-bedroom and one 4-bedroom are available from September 2021 to May 2022.

Please contact Marianne Tierney at mtierney@marlboromusic.org

the land, the trails, and the historic buildings, and we are committed to raising the funds necessary to keep the campus preserved and intact. We are taking some time to assess the property before deciding on its use from September through May each year. In the meantime, our operations staff will be working on campus, and Spencer Knickerbocker will be running the Marlboro Nordic Ski Club once again.

On Saturday, October 23, we invite you to stop by and say hello. We would like to thank everyone in town for your patience, encouragement, and support during our building project and this period of transition and uncertainty over the past few years. Please join us for an open house, with refreshments, and to tour the lovely new Jerome and Celia Bertin Reich building at Potash Hill. Also, in a nearby building, we will be putting out office supplies and other small items that the college left on campus, so town residents can take what they need and want. Members of the Marlboro Music staff and board will be on hand to hear any thoughts you may have about the campus and its future. Thank you for parking in one of the main lots on campus. We look forward to seeing you then!



from Marlboro Cares

Jennifer Masur

Due to the uncertainty of Covid-19, the Delta variant, and changing regulations, all the programs of Marlboro Cares are in flux and may change quickly. Please bear with us, as we try to offer as many services as possible, while still keeping everyone safe and healthy. Call Marlboro Cares at 258-3030 to check on any activity and service. Here is what we are hoping to offer:

Rides and other services offered again

We are happy to announce that our vaccinated drivers are once again volunteering to drive residents to medical appointments, food shopping, etc. Residents must be fully vaccinated and be willing to wear a mask in the car. Request a ride at 802 258-3030. Other services still offered are errands and referrals for services.

Senior Lunches

There has been a change! The first Senior Lunch will be held on September 10th at noon at the Marlboro Community Center. It will be a box lunch, which people can eat outside at the MCC or take home. Megan MacArthur, the founder of the Marlboro Fair, has kindly agreed to speak to us about the history of the Fair. This first lunch will be limited to the first 30 people. Make

a reservation by calling 802 258-3030. In order to do our best to keep everyone healthy, only fully vacinated residents over the age of 60 are welcome to make reservations.

If all goes well with Covid-19, this lunch will be followed by monthly lunches on the first Friday of every month for up to 40 people. All lunches will again be held at the Marlboro Community Center at noon, for a cost of \$5 per person.

Due to space limitations, Senior Lunches are only for Marlboro residents who are over the age of 60 and fully vaccinated. Masks must be worn when inside the community center. To make a reservation or to check on the status of the lunch, call Marlboro Cares at 802 258-3030.

Information and Referral Services

For information about anything mentioned above, or to request a ride or other non-emergency assistance, or for referrals for assistance and services, please call Marlboro Cares at 802 258-3030. Someone will return your call within 48 hours.

Marlboro Alliance Covid Relief

Peggy Tiffany, Marlboro Alliance Board of Directors

Thanks to the generosity of the Marlboro Community, the Marlboro Alliance has been able to give out almost \$55,000 to families in need since the start of Covid-19 in 2020. August was the last month the Alliance gave money to families in need due to Covid. We hope the future is brighter for all.

The Alliance still has the Emergency Relief fund which is to help people with emergencies such as a house fire, flooding or the like. If you have an emergency, please write marlboroalliance@gmail.com or contact Marlboro Cares at 802 258-3030



from the Town Clerk

Forrest Holzapfel

A Special Town Meeting will be held on Wednesday September 22, 2021 at 5 PM outdoors in front of the Town House in Marlboro Center. This meeting will follow the format of our traditional Town Meeting floor vote, in that the vote will be by voice (or paper ballot if called for, but not Australian ballot). Please wear your mask to this public meeting.

The purpose of the meeting is to consider and vote upon transferring the Hogback Preservation Fund from the Town of Marlboro to the non-profit Hogback Mountain Conservation Association. There is a thorough background of the history of the Hogback Preservation Fund in the Memorandum of Understanding between the Marlboro Select Board and the Hogback Mountain Conservation Association, which can be read on the homepage of the municipal website marlborovt.us or in paper version on the bulletin boards in front of the Town Office. In addition, the Memorandum, as well as a more detailed History of the Endowment Fund prepared by HMCA, is also available on its website, hmca@hogbackvt. org.

Paper copies are available if requested. Contact townclerk@marlborovt.us or 802 254-2181.

Marlboro Property Taxes Due October 8, 2021

A reminder that Marlboro property taxes are due by 5pm on Friday October 8, 2021. During this tax week the Town Office will be open Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday from 9 am until 4 pm. On Friday, October 8th the Treasurer will be open from 9 am until 5 pm. Postmarks are accepted. Payment can be made by check, cash, money order, credit card (plus 3% finance charge), or e-check. Please contact the office with any questions at (802) 254-2181 or treasurer@marlborovt.us or townclerk@marlborovt.us

WARNING

TOWN OF MARLBORO, VERMONT SPECIAL TOWN MEETING SEPTEMBER 22, 2021

The legal voters of the Town of Marlboro, Vermont are hereby notified and warned to meet outdoors in front of the Town House of said Marlboro on Wednesday, September 22, 2021 at 5:00 p.m. to consider and act upon the following Articles:

Article 1: To elect a Moderator.

Article 2: To see if the Town will vote to transfer

the Hogback Preservation Fund, currently totaling approximately \$112,560, to the Hogback Mountain Conservation

Association.

Article 3: To discuss any other non-binding

business.

Subject to additions and revisions presented which may come up after the posting date, according to law.

Julia von Ranson, *Chair* Aaron Betts, *Vice Chair* James Agate, *Member* Posted Aug 18, 2021



from Marlboro School

by Wayne Kermenski, School Principal

We had a very active July at the school with the summer program. Thank you to Pam, Emily, Gail, Michelle, MaeStar, Matt and Steve for providing a fun and engaging program. It provided much needed social time for our students, with over half of our students participating.

We are excited to start the new school year. The summer crew of Jeremy, our new facilities manager, and teachers have put the school back together from last year. Due to large classes, we're not able to return to pre-pandemic room assignments, so kindergarten will be moving to the library and 5/6 to the JH rooms. These moves highlight the lack of space in our school, with 102 students enrolled.

We hope everyone in town stays tuned into the School Board's work this year. The Board encourages everyone to participate in the renovation and the educational philosophy the renovation will provide for our students.

Hogback Happenings

Carol Berner

Autumn Photo Foray

Hogback Mtn Conservation Area Saturday, October 9, 9am – 11:30am

Join photographer and naturalist Cherrie Corey for a photo foray along the trails at the Hogback Mountain Conservation Area at the height of autumn's splendor. Through the lens, we'll explore a deeper communion with the natural world, focusing our attention on both vistas and details in the landscape in new and revealing ways. We'll learn techniques for capturing the natural beauty and visual poetry of this beautiful mountain environment, and natural history highlights will be shared along the way. For all levels of experience, bring your favorite camera or mobile device.

Participants are invited to submit their best photo for display on one of the kiosks or the website of the Hogback Mountain Conservation Association (HMCA). Numbers are limited to 15, and sign up is by email to hmca@hogbackvt.org. The event starts behind the Vermont Distillery on Route 9 near the beginning of the conservation area. Covid-19 guidelines and parking instructions will be emailed to attendees.

from the Marlboro Committee for Universal Broadband (MCUB)

Steven John, Marlboro Rep. on the DVFiber Board

"When will I get connected?" This is the question I hear most frequently. My answer, "Not yet, but we're getting closer."

Following up on the Memorandum of Understanding with Great Works Internet (GWI), DVFiber will sign a Master Services Agreement that includes a series of contracts called Statements of Work (SOWs) for pre-construction, construction, operation of the network and internet services for all DVFiber customers. By the time you read this article, we expect that DVFiber will have contracted for pre-construction work to be completed by January. Pre-constuction will be supported by a state grant from the newly formed Vermont Community Broadband Board (VCBB). This five-member panel is responsible for seeing that the nine CUDs across our state provide high speed internet service to all unserved locations. Vermont's goal is for all residents to access 100/100 Mbps symmetrical service no matter where they live. (See VT Act 71 -2021.)

Pre-construction tasks include:

- High-level design for the network to include all 24 DVCUD member towns*;
- Pole surveys for the roads and parts of town included in phase-one construction;
- Detailed design for Fiber to the Home (FTTH) service in areas to be built first;
- Pole use permits and make-ready requirements for installation of fiber.

Construction of phase one could begin early next year. Phase-two construction will follow as soon as possible depending on available funding. This phase will include all remaining locations in our district that do not have 100/100 service.

To get the latest news on pre-construction progress and projected timelines for construction, sign up for the DVFiber Newsletter at DVFiber.net. Meeting agendas and minutes are posted online. All are welcome to attend in person or remotely.

Marlboro Town Services Want to list your business or skills here? Email meg@megmccarthy.com

Artisans

Applewoods Studio and Gallery 254-2908 Turned vessels and wood furniture

Lucy Gratwick Fine Handweaving 257-0181 Functional hand-woven apparel

Green Mtn. Floral Arts; weddings & special events. Carie Kowalski, 802-380-2823

Photography, Pet Portraiture & Animal REIKI 860-716-1049, rebeccawhitney8@ yahoo.com.

The Poetry Studio 257-8972 Poetry classes for young people and adults

Walt's Chain Saw Carvings Walter F. Ridel, 1947 Auger Hole Rd. 348-7162

Jess Weitz Photography/Web Design jessweitz.com, jessweitz72@gmail.com

Carpentry, Furniture, House Painting, Landscaping

Apple Tree Builders, LLC

Jason MacArthur and Crew 802-380-2871, appletreebuildersvt@gmail.com

Fred Bisbee Adirondack Chairs, Picnic Tables, Trellises, etc., made to order, 464-0297

Bob Kreitzer Custom hardwood frames & more, 464-5992 whoframedbob@myfairpoint.net

Mark Littlehales Boat building, repair, maintenance & woodwork for the home. jmark@whetstoneboats.com, 254-6955

Jorge Romo Renovation, New Construction, Painting, Roofing, Drywall, Tile 251-0214

Food and Beverages

Brian McNeice Bonvue Farm. Pastured poultry & 100% grass-fed beef. 258-2296

Pork, seasonal produce, firewood 258-0409.

Rob@RamblingBrookFarmVermont.com

Shakespeare's Folly Side Farm 258-2517 free-range, pasture raised eggs sold every Saturday morning at the Marlboro Post Office at 10:00am

Whetstone Ledges Farm, 257-7328 Maple syrup, seasonal produce, berries

General Services

Alcan Power Equipment lawn equipment, chain-saws, generators, sales & service 348-7898

Ames Hill Storage, LLC Heated winter storage 802-254-2501

David Johnson lawn mowing & odd jobs. 464-5891

The Colonel Williams Inn: Events and Event Planning 257-1093 www. thecolonelwilliamsinn.com on Facebook at www.facebook.com/colonelwilliams/

Jerry Lundsted 802-464-3982. Earthwork, excavating

Professional Property Maintenance Jon May, 380-2023 Excavation, Drainage, Driveways, Tree Removal / Pruning, Landscaping, Stonewalls, Field & Lawn

Racine House Cleaning & Caretaking Madonna & Jane Racine, 20+ years of experience. Call 802.257.4467

Thorin MacArthur mini-excavator and tractor services, tree work. thorinmacarthur@gmail.com

Tim Racine Logging & Excavating: For a free estimate, call 802.257.4467

Andrew Richardson Brush hogging and field mowing. 802-254-6512 (home) or 802-522-8758 (cell)

Ride to the Airport Kyle Oliver, 802-380-8777, Bradley Airport \$120, Logan Airport \$220, NYC/NJ \$320 and Montreal \$400, other destinations possible

Theo's Handyman Services (802) 254-4738

Tim Whitney 464-3216, DBA as Another Pair of Hands, property maintenance, handyman, laborer

Health and Wellness

Lady Moon Healing Hands Megan MacArthur Littlehales; Reiki for all beings: People, Horses, Dogs; 254-6955 mml.wellness@gmail.com

Refilling Your Well Counseling Robin White 802-254-2246 www. refillingyourwell.com

The Nurtured Way Meg Smith, Classical Homeopathy Consultations, 267-252-2347 www.thenurturedway.com

Yoga & Yoga Dance 254-7724 kel@sover.net Kripalu Instructors Casey Deane & Kelly Salasin

Heating, Firewood

A&J Heating LLC Aaron Diamondstone 254-2246. Solar hot water and all heating systems

Gary MacArthur 257-7026, Solar PV & hot water systems, gwmaca@gmail.com

Dave Matt Firewood, hay, maple syrup 464- 9788

Music & Music Repairs

Greg Burnell 257-0796 Guitar Lessons. All ages all styles. gregsblues18@yahoo.com

Russell Horton Drum lessons, private & groups, Drum-set and/or Hand Drums, Drum sales and repair, mrmbira@gmail.com 802-254-2651

Professional Services

Joslyn Haineswood/Owl's Nest
Registered home preschool / childcare.
After school & vacation care 258-7837 or
Owlsnestpreschool@gmail.com

Mudpie Mountain Playschool/Erika Korb Nature based registered home childcare. 251-0772 or erikakorb@gmail.com

Russell Horton audio & small appliance repair, computer repairs & upgrades, software, & operating tutoring, the.computa.buddha@gmail.com 254-2651

Maple Hill Horseshoeing Blacksmithing + farrier service for equines including horses, donkeys, mules, drafts. 802-579-8212 or 802-254-6512.

Meg McCarthy Design 689-2711, graphic design, web design in Wordpress

Kate Tarlow Morgan 257-0855 or katetarlowmorgan@gmail.com Editorial Skills, Stretch Coach/Prevention

Lance C. Shader 464-5676, Att at Law Donald Sherefkin AIA 254-9736. Architectural Svs, sherefkin@gmail.com

Organizations

We Celebrate Democracy/Civil Rights For All 802-464-3154. Positive nonviolent public action for democracy and civil rights for all people.

Area codes are 802 unless otherwise noted.

MARLBORO MIXER The Marlboro Alliance PO Box 165 Marlboro, Vermont 05344

Next Deadline October 15 for the Nov / Dec Mixer

September and October Events

Friday, September 10, noon

Senior Lunch at the Community Center, see page 8

Saturday, September 11

Marlboro Fair

at the Muster Field, see page 3

Wednesday, Setpember 22, 5pm

Special Town Meeting, see page 9

Saturday, September 25, 9am –3pm

Town Sale at the Town Park, see page 1

September 27, 6:30pm

Community Meeting: Talk About Our Democracy

contact Woody, 802 258-745, see page 3

Friday, October 8

Property Taxes Due see page 9

Saturday, October 9, 9-11:30am

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