

CORINTH QUARTERLY NEWSLETTER



The Corinth Conservation Commission

Invites you to attend the following free events:
 Saturday, May 22 at 7 a.m.: Spring bird life in Corinth with local expert John Sutton, meet at the Clement Loop Trail trailhead off of Maplewood Rd. in West Corinth.

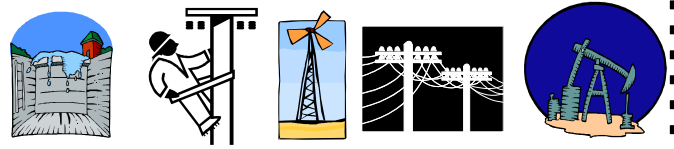
Saturday, June 5 at 11 a.m.: Celebrate National Trails Day with a walk up Corinth's newest walking trail - the Roaring Ridge Trail - followed by a bring-your-own picnic lunch while we take in the spectacular views from the top.

To sign up, email Anne Margolis (anne.margolis@gmail.com) or call 439-5630.



Energy Committee News

The Energy Committee is pleased to announce that it has been awarded a \$50,000 grant from the State of Vermont's Clean Energy Development Fund, as part of the Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grants program, to weatherize the Town Garage. To learn more and/or if you're interested in volunteering, please come to the next Energy Committee meeting on Tuesday, May 11 at 7 p.m. at the Town Hall.



BLAKE MEMORIAL LIBRARY NEWS

As Larry Coffin's recent *In Times Past* column describes (in the April 14 edition of the *Journal Opinion*), our local libraries have developed in a variety of ways, and they are funded and governed in a variety of ways. As an incorporated library, the Blake Memorial Library is governed by an association of nearly 100 local people that elects and oversees a Board of Trustees. It is truly a democratic model of community governance at work. If you would like to know more about the library, or if you would like to become more involved, you are encouraged to come out for our annual meeting on Tuesday, May 18 at 7:00 when we will present the five year plan that we developed with input received in a series of community meetings.

On Wed. May 5 at 7:00, we'll be showing the recent film *The Blind Side*, which tells the story of Michael Oher, a kid who overcomes a difficult childhood and grows up to play in the NFL. Based on true events, it's partly about football, but mostly about family and about the value of people helping people. On Wed. June 2 at 7:00, we'll be showing the film *The Young Victoria*. About the ascent to the throne of one of the nineteenth century's most prominent people, it's a grand and lush period film produced by Martin Scorsese and Sarah Ferguson, the Duchess of York.

On Friday, June 4 at 7:00 we'll be visited by Vincent E. Feeny, author of the recent publication *Finnigans, Slaters, and Stonepeppers: A History of the Irish in Vermont*. In his presentation he'll explore the "green wave" of Irish immigrants who poured into Vermont following the great potato famine of the 1840s, just as the Green Mountain State was undergoing a mini industrial revolution. Another immigration story will also be in the spotlight this summer. For the 2010 Vermont Reads book, the Vermont Humanities Council has chosen Katherine Patterson's *The Day of the Pelican*, about an Albanian family that flees Kosovo for Barre in the 1990s. Copies will be available at the library this summer, and book discussions will be held.

On Saturday, May 29, we'll hold our spring book and plant sale from 8:00 to 2:00. Loads of great reads and colorful flora will be available cheap, and all proceeds will benefit the library, so come on out! A few weeks later, on June 19, lucky participants in the 2010 Secret Garden Tour will have the opportunity to tour several fabulous local gardens. Those interested in joining the tour, and those who might have plants or books available for us to include in the sale, are encouraged to contact the library at 439-5338.

At the book and plant sale, we hope to have at least part of the book quilt that we've been working on so diligently for the past few months ready for display. To help us with the cost of putting it together, we're asking for five dollar donations that will allow you to have your favorite book or author memorialized on it. *The Grapes of Wrath?* *1984?* *The Sound and the Fury?* Let us know what important books our quilt library should house. To keep up to date with what's going on at the library, we encourage you to visit our website at www.blakememorial.org where we maintain a calendar of events and where you can search our catalog online. To receive library news via e-mail, contact us at blakemem@tops-tele.org.

See you among the stacks,
 Ken Linge
 Library Director



HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION

MAY 22, 2010 9 am -1 pm

BARRE TOWN GARAGE, Websterville Road

No charge for household hazardous waste.

For more information and for businesses to pre-register call:
Central Vermont Solid Waste Management District at (800) 730-9475

Historical Society Information

Monthly Historical Society meetings will be held on the third Wednesday of each month. During the winter months we will meet at 3:00 pm and other months at 7:00 pm. We will not meet during July and August when the Museum and Café are open each Saturday. Unless otherwise noted, meetings are at the Town Hall.

April 21st meeting at Connie Longo and Norm Collette's. June 5th 10:00 am combined Board, History & General business meeting. June 19th 10:00 am Museum Clean-up at Cookeville Academy in preparation for Museum opening and Cafes.

Saturdays July 3, 10, 17, 24 and 31st Open Museum and Cafes at Cookeville Academy 10:00 am—12 noon.



Dog licenses were due, as they are each year, by April 1st. If you have not yet licensed your dog, please contact the Town Clerk to do so. Late fees have now been applied. Late notices will be mailed soon to those who have not yet complied with the Town's Dog Ordinance.



LET'S GO FISHING!!!

June 12 from 9 am until 3 pm the Riverside Grange # 455 is Sponsoring Lets Go Fishing at Bill Henry's pond on Spooner Road in Topsham. Kids 3 years to 14 years (with parent supervision) are invited to come and learn about fishing and fish for the day in the well stocked pond. Hot dogs, chips and soda provided by the Henry's.



NOTICE: THE 4 TH OF JULY PARADE AND BBQ WILL BE ON JULY 5TH THIS YEAR. THE PARADE STARTS AT 10:00AM AND THE CHICKEN BBQ IS AT 11:00. THIS YEAR THERE WILL BE LIVE MUSIC, SILENT AUCTION, BINGO, FACE PAINTING, AND GAMES FOR CHILDREN.

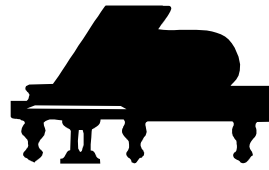
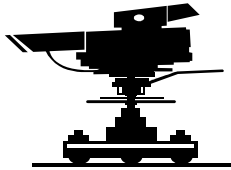
THE MENU
BBQ CHICKEN HALF, MOSTOCOLI, COLESLAW, ROLL BUTTER, PIE, AND DRINK. \$ 9 for adult and \$5 for children
COME JOIN THE FUN AT THE BALLFIELD!

Corinth Oral History Project

We are entering an advanced phase of editing the electronic interviews we have collected over the past two years. This is an exciting time for those with an interest in good storytelling to join us as we mine for gems and design our final product. It's an excellent opportunity for newcomers and lifers alike to listen to the collective voices of Corinthians to gain insight into the circumstances that brought and kept people in our town. If you've ever wondered, "Why Corinth?", here's your chance to broaden your perspective. Contact Amy Peberdy at 439-5990 (eves before 9) and/or plan to join our meeting on June 6th, 4 PM at the Northern Woodlands' office in Cookeville.

GREEN UP DAY Saturday May 1st, 2010

On Green Up Day, May 3rd, You can pick up Green-Up bags at the transfer station. There also are some at the Town Office which will be open from 10-12, so go get your bags and help Green Up Corinth! Filled Green Up bags and other roadside trash can be returned to the Transfer station between 8:00 am and 3:00 pm on Green Up Day May 3rd.



COMMUNITY CALENDAR : MAY - JUNE - JULY

MAY 4 Conservation Commission Meeting @ Town Hall 7:00 pm

MAY 4 Planning Commission meeting @ Town Hall 7:00 pm

MAY 5 Movie The Blind Side @ Library 7:00 pm

MAY 6 Story time @ the Library 10:00 am

MAY 10 Selectboard meeting @ Town Hall 7:00 pm

MAY 11 Energy Committee meeting 7:00 pm @ Town Hall

MAY 13 Story time @ the Library 10:00 am

MAY 18 Blake Memorial Library Annual Meeting 7:00 @ Library

MAY 18 Planning Commission meeting @ Town Hall 7:00 pm

MAY 20 Story time @ the Library 10:00 am

MAY 22 Spring bird life in Corinth with John Sutton 7 am meet at Clement Loop Trail- Maplewood Rd W. Corinth

MAY 22 & 23 @ Towle Hill Studios Oil/Wax and Acrylic Paintings by James Vogler and Kit Donnelly Sat. 10-6 & Sun 12-3

MAY 26 Poetry Night @ Library 7:00 pm

MAY 27 Story time @ the Library 10:00 am

MAY 29 Library Spring Book and Plant sale 8-2

JUNE 1 Planning Commission meeting @ Town Hall 7:00 pm

JUNE 2 Movie -The Young Victoria @ Library 7:00 pm

JUNE 3 Story time @ the Library 10:00 am

JUNE 4 Author Vincent Feeny "A History of the Irish in Vermont" 7:00 pm @ Library

JUNE 5 Roaring Ridge Trail Walk 11:00 am bring your own picnic lunch

JUNE 7 Conservation Commission @ Town Hall 7:00 pm

JUNE 10 Story time @ the Library 10:00 am

JUNE 12 & 13 @ Towle Hill Studio -Watercolor and oil paintings by Cecily Herzig and Jason Okai Sat 10-6 & Sun 12-3

JUNE 14 Selectboard meeting @ Town Hall 7:00 pm

JUNE 15 Planning Commission meeting @ Town Hall 7:00 pm

JUNE 17 Story time @ the Library 10:00 am

JUNE 19 2010 Secret Garden Tour call Ken for info @ 439-5338

JUNE 23 Poetry Night 7:00 pm

JUNE 24 Story time @ the Library 10:00 am

JUNE 26 & 27 @Towle Hill Studio "Three Generations" Paintings Richard F Bartlett, Richard C Bartlett & Mark J Nielsen Sat. 10-6 & Sun 12-3

JULY 1 Story time @ the Library 10:00 am

JULY 3 Corinth Academy open museum and café 10-12 in Cookeville

JULY 5th Parade at 10 with Chicken BBQ at the ball field after. Adults \$8 kids \$5- live music, silent action

JULY 6 Planning Commission meeting @ Town Hall 7:00 pm

JULY 7 Movie @ Library 7:00 pm To Be Announced

JULY 8 Story time @ the Library 10:00 am

JULY 10 & 11 @ Towle Hill Studio -Mixed Media by Elizabeth Nelson & Kathy Stark Sat 10-6 & Sun 12-3

JULY 10 Corinth Academy open museum and café 10-12 in Cookeville

JULY 12 Selectboard meeting @ Town Hall 7:00 pm

JULY 15 Story time @ the Library 10:00 am

JULY 17 Corinth Academy open museum and café 10-12 in Cookeville

JULY 20 Planning Commission meeting @ Town Hall 7:00 pm

JULY 22 Story time @ the Library 10:00 am

JULY 23 & 24 @ Towle Hill Studio -Oil Paintings & Acrylic Collage by Joseph P Saginor & Chris Groschner Sat. 10-6 & Sun 12-3

JULY 24 **New Day!** East Corinth Flea Market @ the ball field 9 am—2 pm

JULY 24 Corinth Academy open museum and café 10-12 in Cookeville

JULY 28 Poetry Night 7:00 pm @ Library

JULY 29 Story time @ the Library 10:00 am

JULY 31 Corinth Academy open museum and café 10-12 in Cookeville

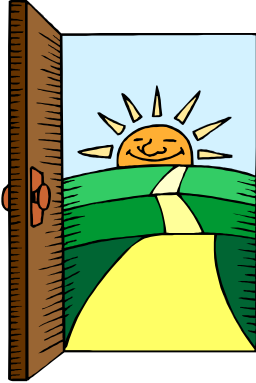
IF YOU HAVE AN EVENT THAT YOU WOULD LIKE TO INCLUDE ON THE COMMUNITY CALENDAR YOU MAY E-MAIL IT TO CORINO@TOPS-TELE.COM OR CALL NANCY AT THE TOWN OFFICE AT 439-5850

TAKE NOTICE!!! The East Corinth Flea Market will continue but it will be on week-ends now. If you would like a space call Kelly Smith at 439-5521. The Flea Market will be on July 24th from 9-2. Hope you can join us!

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Town of Corinth ~~~ CONTACT INFO.

www.corinthvt.org

Town Clerk, *Nancy Ertle* @ the office 439-5850, Office hours: Monday 8:00-4:00 Tuesday 8:00-6:00 pm and Thursday 9:00 -3:00 pm. First Saturday of every month from 10:00-12:00. Town Clerks e-mail address corino@tops-tele.com

Treasurer, *Susan Fortunati* @ the office 439-5850. Office hours: Monday 8:30 - 3:00, Tuesday 12:00 - 6:00, Thursday 10:00 - 3:00, Friday 8:30 - 3:00 Treasures e-mail address corintres@tops-tele.com

~ Closed Wednesdays & Federal Holidays ~

Appointments with the clerk may also be made to accommodate those who just can't make regular office hours.

Select board - *Laurie Sheridan*, @ 439-6299, *Russ Pazdro* Chairperson @ 439-5265
and *Susanne Smith* @ 439-6258

Road Foreman, *Joe Blodgett* @ the Town Garage 439-6272 (leave your name and number please).
Frank Roderick Road Commissioner @ 439-6258

Listers - *Allen Locke*, Chair; *Jen Brooks-Wooding* & *Peter Keene*
@ the office 439-5098. Lister hrs. T-T 9:30 am to 1:30 pm or by appointment.

First Constable—*Joe Hill* @ 439-6848 or email: joseph.hill@gmail.com

Second Constable—*John Farrow* @ 439-3184

Orange County Rescue and Corinth Animal Control Officer—*Diana Perry* @ NEW # 439-3700

New email address: ocartarc@gmail.com

You can find a full list of numbers and contacts in your Town Report. & on the town website www.corinthvt.org

Copies of the Town Report are available at the Town Hall.