

Newsletter

May 2025



Library News & Special Programs



WE ARE HIRING



JOB POSITION:
Programming Coordinator

Information:

- Library Programs
- Patron Services
- Community Outreach
- 15-20 hours/week
- Flexible availability

To apply:

Send your cover letter and resume to Christine Walton, Library Director, via mailing address or email by **Saturday, May 31st**.

APPLY NOW AT:

Highgate Library & Community Center
17 Mill Hill Road
Highgate Center, VT 05459
librarian@highgatevt.org

Highgate Library & Community Center is seeking a Library Programming Coordinator to join our team. This part-time position supports the library's programs, daily operations through clerical work, customer service, and facilities maintenance. To apply, please send your cover letter and resume to Christine Walton, Library Director, at librarian@highgatevt.org by **Sunday, March 10th**. You can also mail your application to: Highgate Library & Community Center, 17 Mill Hill Road, PO Box 76, Highgate Center, VT 05459.



HIGHGATE LIBRARY & COMMUNITY CENTER'S

25th Annual Norm Lavallee

PLANT SWAP

Saturday, May 24th
10 AM - 12 PM

BRING A PLANT, BULB, OR CUTTING
TAKE A PLANT, BULB, OR CUTTING



COME JOIN US IN THE PARK ACROSS FROM THE HIGHGATE LIBRARY & COMMUNITY. WE WILL ALSO BE OFFERING A BOOK SWAP. BRING A PLANT AND/OR A BOOK TO SHARE.



LITTLE GARDENERS PLANT & PLAY WITH MISS VIRGINIA

Join us at Highgate Library & Community Center on **Saturday, May 31st from 10 AM - 12 PM** to plant the library's community garden. Discover what will grow in this year's garden from Miss Virginia as you plant your very own seeds. We invite our little gardeners and their caregivers to stay and play in our beautiful backyard with our outdoor equipment.

- ✓ Free Library Program for Children
- ✓ No Registration Required
- ✓ Meet new friends

For more information, contact the library at 802-868-3970



Weekly Library Events:



MUFFIN MONDAY SOCIAL HOUR

Join us every Monday morning from 10-11 am, beginning January 6th, for Muffin Mondays.

WHAT IS MUFFIN MONDAY?

This program is a senior social hour that is geared for adults ages 55+.

Start your week off right with a complimentary cup of coffee and a fresh pastry at Highgate Library & Community Center. Bring a friend and stay a while.

Interested in attending?
Call 802-868-3970 or email us at librarian@highgatevt.org

REGISTER NOW!



BOOKS & BABIES

Join us every Wednesday from 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM for books and songs at Highgate Library & Community Center

This program is designed for children ages 0-2 years and their caregivers. Registration is required to attend.

Register Now!

To register, call: 802-868-3970



STORY TIME

EVENT CANCELLED

Join us 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM at Highgate Library & Community Center

This program is designed for children ages 3-7 years and their caregivers. Registration is required to attend.

Register Now!

To register, call: 802-868-3970



STAY & PLAY SATURDAY

Join us every Saturday from 10 AM - 2 PM for "Stay & Play Saturday". Each weekend, we will have a different activity available in the Meeting Room for you to enjoy.

Activities

- Lego Building
- Board Games
- Craft Table
- Computer Games
- Read Children's Stories

For more information:
802-868-3970

EVERY WEEK AT HIGHGATE LIBRARY & COMMUNITY CENTER:


- **Muffin Monday** will run every Monday morning from 10 AM - 11 AM and for seniors 55+.
- **Books & Babies** will run every Wednesday morning from 10:30 AM to 11 AM for children ages 0-2, and their caregivers.
- **EVENT CANCELLED - Story Time** Due to poor attendance, we have decided to permanently cancel our Thursday Story Time program. We will be reintroducing this program on Saturdays over the summer. More details to come.
- **Stay & Play Saturdays** will run every Saturday morning from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM for families to drop in and enjoy a sit-down activity.

Registration for Muffin Monday & Books & Babies today!
Call the library at 802-868-3970 to register now.

Age Well Update:

How to Stay Connected:

Library Closure:



Age Well is a nonprofit organization that serves Addison, Chittenden, Franklin, and Grand Isle Counties and is the largest Meals on Wheels provider in Vermont. Our mission is to provide the support and guidance that inspires our community to embrace aging with confidence. To learn more and donate, visit: agewellvt.org

GRAB & GO MEALS UPDATE


WHAT: Grab & Go meals will be ending after May for the Town of Highgate. These meals were a response to COVID when folks were not able to gather for community meals. The funding for those meals ended, and we will be returning to offering community meals throughout the counties we serve, Addison, Chittenden, Franklin and Grand Isle.

A NEW SIT DOWN LUNCHEON WILL BE OFFERED AT THE HIGHGATE METHODIST CHURCH COMMUNITY CENTER STARTING JUNE 4TH


THESE MEALS WILL BE OFFERED THE FIRST WEDNESDAY OF EVERY MONTH

CONTACT: To find out more about the Community Meals available in Chittenden County, Please contact: Laura Need, Nutrition Coordinator Franklin & Grand Isle County
P 802-662-5283

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Coming Soon:



Coming Summer 2025



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Memorial Day

Highgate Library & Community Center will be CLOSED on **Monday, May 26th** for Memorial Day. We will reopen on Tuesday, May 27th.