

# Newsletter

January 2026 Happy New Year!



As we conclude 2025, the Highgate Library and Community Center (HLCC) celebrate a year that brought our town together. This year, we welcomed thousands of patrons through our doors—with yearly metrics showing just shy of 5,000 visitors—as we continue adding more programming and funding to support the Highgate community. Our staff remains dedicated to listening to your ideas and implementing them whenever possible to make the library a true community hub.

As we look toward the new year, we remain committed to being a hub for lifelong learning. We invite you to join us for our regular Trustee Meetings or sign up for our monthly Highgate Happenings E-Newsletter to stay informed.

Thank you for making the Highgate Library and Community Center such a vital part of our town's story in 2025.



# ***“Snow Much Fun” Reading Challenge!***

**Stop by the Library and grab your winter reading challenge**



Return completed reading challenge to the library to be entered into our winter reading raffle.  
Starts Monday, January 5th - Ending Thursday, February 5th

Return to the Library

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_



Fill in books you've read and return to the library by Thursday, February 5th to be entered into the raffle.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Bring your completed reading challenge back to the Library by Thursday, February 5th to be entered into the raffle. Free and open to all!  
It's a cozy time of year to read!





## Weekly Library Events:



**MUFFIN MONDAY SOCIAL HOUR**

Join us every Monday morning from 10-11 am, 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 or tea and a fresh pastry. Bring a friend and stay a while.

Interested in attending?  
Call 802-868-3970 for more information



**BOOKS & BABIES**

Join us every Wednesday from 10:30 AM - 11:30 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 not required to attend.

For more information, call: 802-868-3970



**Coffee & Crafts**

DATE & TIME  
**TUESDAYS**  
FROM 10:30 - 11:30

LOCATION  
HIGHGATE LIBRARY & COMMUNITY CENTER  
17 MILL HILL RD  
HIGHGATE CENTER, VT 05459

We welcome you to a coffee and craft hour! Materials and coffee are provided; bring a cozy sweater and your creativity.

This is a free weekly program offered to our adult patrons.

Questions?  
Call 802-868-3970  
email [librarian@highgatevt.org](mailto:librarian@highgatevt.org)



**Sensory Saturdays**

Join us for sensory play  
Every FIRST Saturday of the month!  
9 am to 12 pm  
for ALL ages

CONTACT  
[librarian@highgatevt.org](mailto:librarian@highgatevt.org)  
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+.
- **Coffee & Crafts** will run every Tuesday morning from 10:30 AM - 11:30 for our adult patrons.
- **Books & Babies** will run every Wednesday morning from 10:30 AM to 11:30 AM for children and their caregivers.
- **Sensory Saturdays** will run every FIRST Saturday morning from 9:30 AM to 12:00 PM for families to drop in and enjoy a sit-down sensory activity. Open to all ages.

#### Non Public Event:

- **Crossroads with Highgate Elementary \*not open to public\*** will run every Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday. Wednesdays will be WELLNESS WEDNESDAYS at HLCC and Library Helpers will be helping us prepare for the holidays on Tuesday and Thursdays.



**Register Today!**

SIGN UP NOW FOR  
OUR MONTHLY,  
DIGITAL LIBRARY  
NEWSLETTER BY  
SCANNING THE QR  
CODE BELOW AND  
FILLING OUT YOUR  
NAME AND EMAIL



### How to Stay Connected:



**Library is closed  
on Monday,  
January 19th**

