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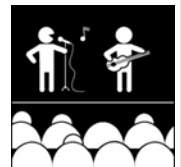
Town of Pittsford Newsletter

FREE CONCERT, SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 2019 3:00 PM to 6:00 PM

The Town of Pittsford and the Pittsford Village Farm are pleased to present a **Free Concert** by **Satin & Steel** at the Town's Recreation Area (off Furnace Road), **Saturday, September 28th from 3:00pm to 6:00pm**. The concert is made possible through a donation from our friends at **Omya**.

Pittsford First Response will be present to sell french fries and fried dough as a fund-raiser...Yummy!!

The Pittsford Fire Department will also be on-hand in the Boomobile to sell tickets to the upcoming Haunted House event!!



PITTSFORD'S 15TH ANNUAL HARVEST FAIR

The 15th Annual Harvest Fair will be held on Saturday, **September 28, 2019**, rain or shine, at the Congregational Church green on Route 7, adjacent to the Village Green, during the hours of **9:00 AM to 3:00 PM**. There will be crafters, food, a pumpkin contest, basket raffles, a bake sale, pumpkins, livestock and for the first time this year there will be a cookie baking contest. Crafters will display jewelry, gemstones, local artwork, wool, yarn, quilts, wall hangings, photography and many other items. For vendor info and applications, go to the Farmer's Market website and Facebook page for updates and pictures <https://sites/google.com/site/pittsfordfarmersmarket/home> or the Facebook page at www.Facebook.com/PittsfordFarmersMarketvt or call Beth Richards 773-2843.

PITTSFORD PUMPKIN PARTY

Dress warmly and join us for a fun-filled morning! Hay Rides, Snacks, Crafts, Face Painting, Books and, for the younger ones, a PUMPKIN HUNT! Come decorate a pumpkin just the way you like it! The Pumpkin Party will take place at the Pittsford Recreation Area on **Saturday, October 19, 2019** from 10:00-11:30AM. Sponsored by the Recreation Department and the Maclure Library. This is a free event.



9th ANNUAL FALL DISC GOLF TOURNAMENT

Saturday, October 19, 2019 9:00 AM SHOTGUN START

Check-in between 8:00 am – 8:30 am. Announcements at 8:30 am. Shotgun start @ 9:00 am. Rain or Shine. Bring your own discs or inquire about rentals.

To register, fill in a registration form available from the Pittsford Recreation Department on the Town's website www.pittsfordvermont.com and return with fees included. The tournament fee is \$10.00 per person. (Checks should be payable to the Pittsford Recreation Dept.) The fee includes 18 holes of disc golf, hot chocolate, donuts and a fun time!

Pre-register by Wednesday Oct. 16th!!! There is a maximum of 36 teams. Sign up TODAY with your best Disc Golf buddy and form your 2-player team or sign up as a single to be paired up with someone. If you have any questions, please contact the Pittsford Recreation Department, 802-483-6500 ext. 17 or recreation@pittsfordvermont.com.



VETERANS DAY CELEBRATION

This year marks the 101st anniversary of the end of World War I. In 1954, Armistice Day became know as Veterans Day. The Town plans to commemorate Veterans Day with a brief ceremony on Monday, **NOVEMBER 11** at 11:00 AM at the Pittsford Town Offices, 426 Plains Road. Please join us for this special event.



SAFETY CHECK

With the change of seasons comes the threat for inclement weather and the possibility for long-term power outages.

The Pittsford Department of Emergency Management recognizes that this is a major concern for the elderly or those with specific medical needs, such as medication, refrigeration, oxygen therapy or users of any other medical device that relies on power to operate.

To address this concern, we have created a database of Pittsford/Florence residents who might benefit from a "Safety Check" during these times.

If you, a neighbor, family member or other Pittsford resident you know might benefit from a "Safety Check" during a long-term power outage, please contact me at (802) 747-8184 to be added to our list.

Thanks, Jason P. Davis, Pittsford Emergency Management Director

VILLAGE FARM FLEA MARKET SATURDAY, 9/28/19

Vendors: \$15 per table space. Please bring chairs, tent and tables. There will be a great variety of items to choose from. Proceeds support the Pittsford Village Farm. If you wish to donate saleable items that you no longer need, please consider donating them to the Pittsford Village Farm for the Flea Market. Contact Donna Wilson at 345-0970 or info@pittsfordvillagefarm.org

PITTSFORD FARMER'S MARKET

We will be joining the **Congregational Church in Pittsford for the Harvest Fest on Saturday Sept 28 from 9-3** and we are working on securing the date / time for the Winter craft show at the Lothrop school in December and a notice to active and past members will go out when we secure the date.

If you are interested in either of these events please contact Beth so we can connect with you as soon as we secure a space(s) for you. Check out our website and Facebook site for updates on planned events, forms, info, pictures at: [https://sites/google.com/site/pittsfordfarmersmarket/home](https://sites.google.com/site/pittsfordfarmersmarket/home) or our Facebook page at www.Facebook.com/PittsfordFarmersMarketvt

If you are interested in becoming a member or wish to learn more or volunteer to help our group, please contact Beth at 773-2843 or email jandbofvt@comcast.net.

We have 2 positions open on the board open at this time, Secretary and President, so if you are interested in any position on the Board, any interest and help in any area is very welcome. Contact any of our present board members: Kelley Lyons, Vice Pres. Beth Richards - Treas. & Sec.

TOWN REPORT REMINDER

Pittsford's Town Report submissions will be due **January 1, 2020**. This is just a reminder for department heads, elected officials, boards, organizations, associations and appropriation-recipients to be thinking about your submission and financial reports. Letters will be sent out in early **October, 2019** requesting needed information and including the email address for submissions: townreport@pittsfordvermont.com. Jackson Whelan will be the Town Report Coordinator again this year. Questions? Please call 483-6500 ext 13 or email Asst2manager@pittsfordvermont.com. at the Town Office. Thank you.

PITTSFORD SHEEP FESTIVAL

The Pittsford Sheep Festival has been offering free entertainment for over 25 years. This year it will be held on October 13--the Sunday before Columbus Day, from 11 am to 4 pm, at the Pittsford Recreation Area off Furnace Road in Pittsford.

Local craft vendors, felters and spinners will have booths featuring their skills and products. Sheep shearing demonstrations will be held at 11:15, 1:30 and 3:30. Sheep dog handling demonstrations will be held at 12:45 and 2:45. The Leaping of the Lambs, an exclusive RAS activity, will be held at 12:30 and 2:30. Live music will add to the festive atmosphere. There will be food for sale featuring tasty lamb and hot dogs.



The sheep are in training for their big event: The Leaping of the Lambs. Here the sheep compete against each other by running through an obstacle course to reach a treat at the finish line.

You will have the chance to visit with local shepherds and learning about raising sheep in Vermont. This event is sponsored by the Rutland Area Shepherds. For more information contact Don at 802-342-3176 or check our website, www.vermontshepherds.com.

Deadline for the Winter Pittsford Town Newsletter is January 15, 2020. Please send articles to Asst2manager@pittsfordvermont.com.



Budget Season Coming Soon!



The Select Board will begin its review of the FY20/21 budget at its meetings on November 6 and November 20. During these meetings, the Select Board will review budgets as submitted by Department heads and the Town Manager and discuss levels of service and staffing for each department in preparation for the Board's public presentation of the budget on December 4, 2019.

Public input is welcomed and encouraged throughout the budget process. Scheduling for review of each department's budget will be posted on the Agendas for the Select Board meetings. If you have a particular interest in attending the budget review meeting on one department or service provided by the Town, please do not hesitate to contact the Town Manager's Office at 483-6500, ext. 20 to inquire about scheduling for the Board's review of that budget. Select Board meetings start at 6:30 p.m. and are held on the first and third Wednesdays of the month in the Municipal Office's Conference Room.

PITTSFORD RECREATION DEPARTMENT

**A “Pittsford Seniors” Trip to the Spirit of the Ethan Allen Lunch Cruise
with a stop at the VT Teddy Bear Factory & Dakin Mills**

Trip Itinerary:

- WHEN:** Wednesday, October 17, 2019
- 8:00 am:** Bus Departs from the Home Depot 299 US Route 4 E
- 8:45 am:** Leaves the Pittsford Town Offices, 426 Plains Rd.
If you are not at Town Office by 8:45 am the bus will leave without you!
- 10:15 am:** Arrive at VT Teddy Bear Factory \$3 to build your own bear to take with you!!
- 11:45 am:** Arrive at the Spirit of the Ethan Allen Lunch Cruise Lunch is included (Choice of a Hot or Cold meal)
- 2:30 pm:** Stop at Dakin Farms A “Scenic Return Ride” to witness all the shades of autumn
- 3 - 4 pm:** Arrive back at the Pittsford Town Offices
- 4:30 pm:** Arrive back to the Home Depot

Space is limited to first 57 participants to make their reservation, so make yours early. To register contact Nancy Boyton, 773-6371. Cost of the trip is \$29 per person for “Pittsford Seniors” and

\$39 for non-members

Transportation will be provided by Mountain Son Tours.

If you have any questions please contact Randy Adams,
Pittsford Recreation Director, 483-6500x 17
or recreation@pittsfordvermont.com



PITTSFORD FOOD SHELF

Thank you to all who have been so generous with your garden harvests. Our clients love the assortment of veggies we have had this summer. Thank you also to Woods Market, which also has given very generously this summer.

Reminder we are in the process of recertifying each clients status. Therefore you are reminded to bring in a current utility bill. If you own your own home, we already have that information on file.

November and December will require appointments to shop at the Food Shelf. As we have done in the past, we will be open the first two weeks of November and December and closed the last two weeks of both those months so our volunteers can have time with their families over the holidays. Appointments will be made beginning in October.

Items needed for the holidays are stuffing, cranberry sauce, sweet potatoes or canned yams, canned fruits and veggies, cake & frosting mixes along with personal care items, and paper goods, jello and puddings, coffees, teas and hot chocolate.

If you are interested in helping in November or December, give Robin a call at 558-5768.

Hours are Mondays 9-11; and Thursdays 4-6. Commodity pick up is the first Wednesday of each month at St Alphonus BINGO Hall. Pick up is between 9:30 and 10:30

If you knit and need a place for those hats or mittens, we will be happy to find homes for them. Feel free to drop them off at the Food Shelf. If we are not open, go inside Keith’s Store, take a left and go all the way back to the squishy doors. These doors go into the food shelf. Leave the items by the door and we will get them when we open next.

Again this year we are working with the school nurses at Lothrop, Proctor, Chittenden and Other Valley to help our hungry kids. With that being said, we are trying to provide healthy snacks for them i.e. drink boxes, cereals, pop tarts, crackers and peanut butter, mini cups of fruit or puddings. If you would like to help with snacks, feel free to send in a donation with the words SNACKS written in the memo or drop them by the Food Shelf and we will make sure the kids get them.

Thank you all for a great year and helping us meet our needs so we can help our neighbors in need. It’s never too late to make a donation. Send your tax deductible donation to : Pittsford Food Shelf, PO Box 553, Pittsford, VT 05763. If you have a special designation (i.e. snacks, operating expenses or where ever it is needed) for your donation please write me a little note and I will do my best to make sure it happens.

Again, I say thank you to all my volunteers and to the community for helping us help our neighbors in need.

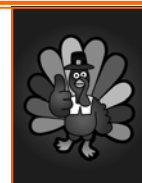
Any questions call Robin at 483-2967 or on her cell at 558-5768.

Happy Holidays to all. Robin Rowe, Director, PFS





PITTSFORD SENIORS



Pittsford Senior Group Luncheon Menus October-December 2019

<u>Luncheon Date:</u>	<u>Menu:</u>	<u>Must RSVP by:</u>
October 24	Apple-Braised Pork, Fried Rice, Macaroon Cupcakes	Oct. 15
November 7*	Roast Turkey, Stuffing, Mashed Potatoes, Pumpkin Pie	Oct. 29
*note second Thursday		
December 12	Roast Beef, Twice-Baked Potatoes, Christmas Cookies	Dec. 4

A salad bar is included. All foods are homemade, including the soup, bread, and desserts.

Suggested donation of \$5.00 for 60 and up. Must pay \$6.00 if under age 60.

All luncheons are on Thursdays at 1 PM at the Vermont State Police Academy in Pittsford. *Per request of the VT Police Academy, seniors coming to the luncheons should NOT ARRIVE before 12:45 pm! Thank you. If you have any questions or would like to RSVP, please contact Randy Adams, 802-483-6500 ext.17 or recreation@pittsfordvermont.com. **Reservations are Necessary!**

SINCE AUGUST 2007, OVER 6,520 MEALS HAVE BEEN SERVED.

45 average number of folks per meal!!! Join us to see what you're missing...

PICKLEBALL

Pickleball is a fun sport that combines many elements of tennis, badminton and ping pong. It is played both indoors and outdoors on a badminton-size court and a slightly modified tennis net. It is played with a paddle and plastic ball. A small group from Pittsford began playing during the summer of 2015 on a tennis court in Rutland. This past summer, pickleball was played at the Pittsford Tennis Courts. They will be continuing through the winter inside at the Vermont Police Academy. If you're interested in learning more about Pickleball or if you are a seasoned player, please join in. **Pickleball will be played on Sundays, from 8:00 am to 11:30am beginning November 3, 2019 at the Vermont Police Academy in Pittsford. This event is free.**

PITTSFORD RECREATION DEPARTMENT 2019 HOLIDAY CRAFT FAIR

The 2019 Annual Holiday Craft Fair sponsored by the Pittsford Recreation Department will be held on **Saturday, November 16th** from 9 am-2 pm at the Lothrop School gym, 3447 U S Route 7. There will be local artists and crafters with unique, creative gifts. Interested artists and crafters contact Randy Adams, recreation@pittsfordvermont.com or 483-6500 ext 17. Registration forms for vendors are available online www.pittsfordvermont.com with a deadline of 11/1/19.

All proceeds benefit the Pittsford Christmas for Kids Fund.



SARA'S STORIES 4th ANNUAL CHILI COOK-OFF

During the Pittsford Holiday Craft Fair described above, Sara's Stories 4th Annual Chili Cook-off will be held with registration at 11:00am; tasting/voting from 11:30am-1:00pm and winners to be announced at 1:30pm. Cash prizes for 1st, 2nd, 3rd and hottest chili! Enter your chili or just come and taste. You can sign up on-line to enter at www.maclurelibrary.com or It is \$10 to enter or \$5 to come and taste all the AMAZING chili!

Sara's Stories is a book program in Pittsford that promotes early literacy for children ages 0-5 and is offered in memory of Sara Gallipo, a beloved community member who passed away a few year ago. Our goal is to give away a newly published hardcover book each month. Please support this program by signing up for the chili cook-off! If you are unable to make it, donations are greatly appreciated and can be sent to Sara's Stories, 3114 U S Route 7, Pittsford, VT 05763. Please contract Kayla Desabrais at kayla.gallipo@gmail.com or Meghan Fox at vtfoxfamily14@gmail.com if you have any questions.



PITTSFORD RECREATION DEPARTMENT EVENTS

YOUTH BASKETBALL

U10 3rd/4th grade boys & girls

The Recreation Department will be scheduling games with other U10 teams. The Rec. Dept. is planning to offer a combined 3rd & 4th grade programs this winter. Each level will have a boys team & a girls team (*if numbers allow). Each team will have their own coaches, practices, and/or games. 3rd & 4th graders will begin practices the week of December 2nd. Practices and games will take place January to early March. Youth basketball sign-up takes place November 1-30. The fee for this Rec. Dept. program is \$30. After 11/30, the fee will be \$50.



U12 5th/6th grade boys & girls

This is now a Recreation Department-sponsored program where girls and boys will develop appropriate sportsman-ship behavior. Learning the fundamentals of basketball from dribbling to passing and shooting will be highly stressed. During the season, teams may practice or play games 2-3 times a week. Each team will play a 10-12 game schedule. Actual practices will begin the week of 12/3/19.

DATES: December – March

WHERE: Lothrop School Gym

FEE: Fee is \$30 if sign up by 11/30/19. After 11/30, the fee will be \$50.

WANTED: PITTSFORD RECREATION AREA SNACK BAR VENDOR/OPERATOR

The Town of Pittsford is seeking proposals from licensed food service people interested in operating the snack bar at Pittsford’s Recreation Area during the busy summer months and at occasional special events involving large crowds. The Pittsford Recreation Area is beautifully maintained and hosts a bustling summer day camp and numerous sports tournaments and other well-attended events. The “Rec” contains multiple baseball and soccer fields, basketball courts, tennis courts, a swimming area, an 18-hole disc golf course and a streamside picnic pavilion, all of which attract many people who wish they had the option to purchase and enjoy food, snacks, treats and beverages while they enjoy all the amenities of “The Rec.” The Town would like to develop a long-term mutually-beneficial relationship with the right vendor. Please contact Recreation Director Randy Adams for further information at 802-483-6500 x17 or recreation@pittsfordvermont.com

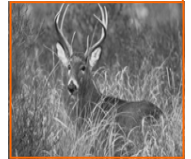
HUNTER EDUCATION COURSE

Sponsored by Vermont Department of Fish & Wildlife

Learn about the responsibilities that go with being a good and ethical hunter. The goal of the program is for the students to understand game laws and to help promote good sportsmanship. Other highlights are wildlife management, firearm safety and the relationships between hunter and land-owners. Students must sign up prior to the first class! Maximum of 25 students. To register, go to: <https://www.register-ed.com/events/view/149338>

SIGN UP NOW!!

Instructors: Rick Hedding, Kevin Carvey & Aaron Tinsman



Dates: **Thursday, 9/26 (6:30pm-8:30pm)**

Thursday, 10/3 (6:30pm-8:30pm)

Thursday, 10/10 (6:30pm-8:30 pm)

Thursday, 10/17 (6:30pm-8:30pm)

Classes at the above dates will be held at the **Pittsford Fire Station** in the upstairs classroom.

Final class will be held at the **Vermont Police Academy**.

Date: **Saturday, 10/19 (8:00am-3:00 pm)**

This course is FREE and is sponsored by the Vermont Department of Fish and Wildlife.

For more information, contact the Pittsford Recreation Department 483-6500 ext 17 or recreation@pittsfordvermont.com.

FAMILY FUN NIGHTS

The Pittsford Recreation Department and the Maclure Library are teaming up again to offer **Family Fun Nights** during the winter months. Each Fun Night is full of fun, which includes art and crafts, physical activities and entertainment. Don’t miss out.

Dates: Fridays: 1/3/20; 2/7/20; and 3/6/20

Location: Vermont State Police Academy gym

Time: 6:30-8:00 PM

Fee: Free



MACLURE LIBRARY NEWS & EVENTS



Annual Book Sale

Saturday September 28th 10am on the Maclure Library lawn \$1 paperback / \$2 hardcover or buy a Maclure Library tote and fill it for \$20! Rain date 9/29



Cookbook Club Thursday, October 10th at 6pm The Wizard's Cookbook

Coin Drop Saturday, October 12th 10am-2pm, Route 7 in front of Lothrop School

Pittsford Pumpkin Party Saturday, October 19th, 10-11:30am at the Pittsford Recreation Area
Pumpkin Decorating, Apples, Cupcakes, Pumpkin Hunt, Face Painting & Wagon Rides!!
Hosted by the Pittsford Recreation Department & Maclure Library.

Maclure Monthly Book Club Tuesday October 29th @ 6pm Being Mortal by Atul Gawande

True Story at Maclure Library

Thursday, November 7th, 6:30pm, Storytelling Event, *1st person *true story *no notes *5-7 minutes*
Come tell a story or just come to listen.

Cookbook Club Thursday, November 8th at 6pm Cookie Swap

Monthly Book Club Tuesday, November 26th at 6pm TBA

Monthly Book Club Thursday, December 5th at 6pm Holiday Party

Cookbook Club Thursday, December 5th at 6pm Holiday Party

Crockett Christmas Card Sale & Book Basket Raffle

Thursday, December 5th @ 6:30pm To benefit the Pittsford Historical Society Refreshments served.

Family Fun Night

Friday, January 3, 2020 6:30-8pm @ the Vermont State Police Academy

Cookbook Club Thursday, January 10th at 6pm My Kitchen Year

Monthly Book Club Tuesday, January 28th at 6pm The Elephant Whisperer by Lawrence Anthony

Family Fun Night

Friday, February 7, 2020 6:30-8pm @ the Vermont State Police Academy

For more information about ongoing events, contact@maclurelibrary.org or 483-2972.

ZONING ADMINISTRATOR

FAQ's to the Zoning Administrator (ZA):

Accessory Structures and Fences comprise the majority of Applications received. Here's a summary of Pittsford's Zoning rules:

Residential Accessory Structures (detached Sheds & Garages) under 150 sq. ft. in area, and not in a Flood Plain do not usually need a permit. They *do need to conform to minimum setbacks* from property lines (usually 40 ft. from street / front boundary and 25 ft. from all other lines. As a Structure is "any assembly of materials for Occupancy or Use; shipping containers, frame & fabric shelters, etc. placed on the parcel long term need to be permitted.

Fences four feet or less in height do not need a Town permit. If the fence is over four feet tall (maximum height allowed is six and one-half feet) a Town permit is required. Fences must be installed so that the Owner (s) can maintain both sides while on their property; and the good side is to face the neighbor. If you wish to install a fence on a property boundary, then a written agreement with the adjacent Owner is required by the ZA. This should include consensus on the location and facing of the fence, and clarification on who would maintain what side of the fence. If you qualify for the Agricultural Exemption; this type of farm structure does need a "Notice of Intent to Construct" filed with the ZA.

If in Doubt, Ask the ZA! Zoning@PittsfordVermont.com or 483-6500 X18 Wednesdays are best.

TRUNK OR TREAT, WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 31

Trunk or Treat is a Halloween event from 5:30 to 6:30pm and is sponsored by the Lothrop PTO and set up at the Vermont Police Academy. Gecha Fuels and CVS have donated extra candy to refill trunks. Free event but donations are appreciated. Proceeds benefit the Lothrop Elementary PTO. "Trunkers" must arrive by 5:00pm. Please send an email to lothroppto@mesu.org if you are interest in hosting trunk. There will be candy donated to refill your bowl when you run out. Join us for tricks, treats and lots of fun! Plenty of parking is available.



LOTHROP PTO SPAGHETTI SUPPER FUNDRAISER

On Tuesday, October 15th from 5-7pm, the Lothrop PTO is having a spaghetti supper fundraiser. The dinner will include spaghetti, garlic breads, salads and desserts. Lothrop students will be serving drinks and desserts. Funds will benefit the Grades 5/6 class trip to Boston. For more information, go to LothropPTO@mesu.org



TRANSFER STATION RENEWAL PERMITS

Transfer Station permits for 11/1/19 to 10/31/2020 will be available October 10th at the Municipal Town Office, 426 Plains Road. Renewal deadline is 11/1/19. The permit fee is \$20.00 which includes a 10 bag (30 gal) punch card. Extra cards available: 10-bag card/\$20.00 at the Town Office via cash, check, credit card or debit card. Punch cards for the 10-bags are available at the **Transfer Station by check only for \$20.00. Residents must have new permit stickers by 11/1/19 in order to use the Transfer Station. The Transfer Station will be closed 12/25/19 and 1/1/2020.** The Pittsford Transfer Station **does not accept tires.** Please take them to the Gleason Road Transfer Station in Rutland. The HHW Depot at the Gleason Road Transfer Station in Rutland will be open October 5, 2019. Contact Tom Remes at 770-1333 for more information regarding Household Hazardous Waste disposal. **The Rutland County Solid Waste District Household Hazardous Waste Collection will be held at the Pittsford Transfer Station on Saturday, October 26, 2019 from 12 to 3 pm.**

MEETINGS

THE PITTSFORD SELECT BOARD

Meetings are on the first and third Wednesday of each month at 6:30 PM.

THE WATER & SEWER COMMISSION

Meetings are on the third Tuesday of each month at 6:30 pm.

THE PLANNING COMMISSION

Meetings are on the fourth Thursday of each month at 7:00 PM.

THE RECREATION COMMITTEE

Meetings are on the second Tuesday of each month at 6:30 PM.

Agendas or changes to these meetings will be posted on the Town's website and posted at the Town Office, Pittsford Post Office and Keith's Country Store. All the above meetings are held in the Town Offices, 426 Plains Rd.

PITTSFORD HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Pittsford Historical Society
PO Box 423 Pittsford VT 05763
www.pittsfordhistorical.com
802-483-2040



Eaton Hall, the Society Museum at 3399 US Rte 7 in Pittsford, remains open until mid-November on Tuesdays 9-4; the Museum can also be visited by appointment at other times. Current temporary exhibits include World War I and the 1961 Basketball Championship commemoration.

The Society will hold its annual meeting on Sunday, Oct. 20, from 2-4 pm in the Fellowship Hall of the Congregational Church. Following the meeting, Steve Belcher will give a presentation on '19th Century Painters in Pittsford.'

The Society will be present at the Veteran's Day observances. The Committee compiling names to be placed on the walls of the Town Office hallway hopes to have initial print-outs of lists available for inspection, correction, and improvement, and repeats its request to the people of Pittsford to inform them of names to be included.

The Society will be represented at the various Christmas sales and bazaars. Contact: PHS 483-2040; Curator Anne Pelkey at 483-6178; for membership Steve Belcher at 483-2852.

PITTSFORD DAY

Thank you to all those who joined in the Pittsford Day festivities at the Fire House. It was a very successful event and was well attended. Thanks to all those people (particularly the Firefighters) who set-up, cooked and served food and cleaned up. Thanks also to those businesses and individuals who gave so generously of their time, money and/or talents to make the event so enjoyable. We'll see you all again next year!

LISTERS REPORT

CHANGES Lisa Wright of **Wright Appraisal** will be working with Lister Nicholas Michael to update transfers and Lister records.

VISITS Your Listers will be visiting properties with active building permits as the projects are completed. Also, please contact our office if outbuildings or sheds are removed so your assessments can be adjusted. Property owners may obtain a Lister Card that contains all pertinent information regarding your parcel. We appreciate the cooperation of residents as we work to achieve a fair and equitable re-valuation of all real property in our town.

SURVEYS Additionally, if you have a survey that is not registered with the Town because it's not on a Mylar, our office will file a copy. This assures our tax maps are updated correctly each year. We will be getting our new maps soon.

HOURS The Lister's Office is open Monday – Thursday from 9AM to 1PM. 483-6500 ext. 15

NICHOLAS MICHAEL, Lister

"Sunshine Village"

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ECR WSS
Permit #1
US Postage Paid
Pittsford VT

Pittsford Town Office
P.O. Box 10
426 Plains Road
Pittsford, VT 05763

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Like and follow the Town of Pittsford on Facebook at facebook.com/pittsfordvt to receive information and news about the Town.



Dates to Remember

Town Clerk/Treasurer's Office

Due 11/1/19 Transfer Station 1-yr. renewal permit Available at Town Clerk's Office-for more information see pg. 7.

PITTSFORD PROPERTY TAX DUE DATE 11/15/19
Thursday, 11/15/19, Property Taxes Due. The Town Clerk's office is open 8am to 6pm on the 15th.
Postmarks are NOT accepted.

Drop box available 24/7 located on the left of the parking lot exit of the Town Office, 426 Plains Rd. Credit and debit cards are accepted at the Clerk/Treasurer's office for all monetary transactions. The cardholder is responsible to pay any applicable charges for the service. Questions? Call 483-6500 Ext. 10 or 11.

Municipal Town Offices will be closed on the following holidays:

- October 14, 2019 Monday, Columbus Day
- November 28 & 29, 2019 Thurs. & Fri., Thanksgiving
- December 25, 2019 Wednesday, Christmas Day
- January 1, 2019 Wednesday, New Year's Day

Transfer Station will be closed 12/25/19 & 1/1/20.

PITTSFORD'S HAUNTED HOUSE CELEBRATES ITS 39th ANNIVERSARY!!
NEW ATTRACTIONS AND CHANGED WALKING ROUTES. CHECK OUT THE NEW SCARY HOUSE!



Fridays & Saturdays
October 18 & 19, 2019
October 25 & 26, 2019

LOTS OF NEW ATTRACTIONS!!
Family Fun for Everyone!

Ticket sales are 6:00PM to 9:00PM, which includes a wagon ride to the Haunted House.

Tickets are \$10 for adults & \$5 for children up to 12 years old. Not recommended for children under 6. Parking is next to the Town Office, Plains Road,

Pittsford. the signs Route 7.

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